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In the World of Sport

QUEEN'S WON RUGBY GAME; DEFEATED 207TH BY 5 TO 1

The Ottawa Military Team Received Quite a Surprise on Saturday Afternoon—Slinn, of Queen's, Had His Collar Bone Broken.

Queen's won from the 207th Battalion Rugby Team on Saturday afternoon at the Athletic Grounds by a score of 5 to 1 and that score tells an interesting story of a team that "came back." In view of the 43 to 8 score of which Queen's took the short end in the previous Saturday's game in Ottawa, there was surprise at the score.

The day was cool and a stiff south wind blew steadily across the field. In the grand stand were 500 people who were there to see what a slaughter of the locals there would be. When the game opened with Ottawa taking the wind, the game started badly for the tri-color. Before the first quarter was over however the local supporters were yelling themselves hoarse. In the first quarter Evans took the ball from the ten yard line for a touch which was not converted, and brought Queen's the victory. In the third quarter Breen of Ottawa kicked to the dead line for the 207th's lone point.

The game opened with an exchange of kicks and developed into a regular bucking game for the locals. Queen's seemed to be able to shove their opponents all over the ground, although Shag's outfit were slightly better on recovering lost balls. In all the game Ottawa got their yards only once while the tri-color line-up did time after time.

The feature of the game was Slinn's tackling until he went out with a broken collar bone that landed him in the General Hospital. Breen of Ottawa also played a remarkably good game. One old face on the line-up was "Pop" Paisley of McGill, but the name did not seem appropriate for his work on Saturday. The spectators had diversions from football on several occasions, one of which was Shag's old trick of going on the field. He was repeatedly ordered off. On one occasion Capt. Gallagher actually asked him to come on the field and this brought out a yell of derision. After watching the spectators and the game every one seemed to be decided on two points. If

Capt. Gallagher had not shown such a patriotic feeling for his own team and interpreted the rules in such an original way, and had Queen's backs kicked strongly enough, the score against the 207th would have been larger.

The game was a very clean one, although there were a few "scraps." Ottawa's line tackled better than Queen's, but they were no match for the college boys, in the defence. Queen's had the better of the play for three quarters of the game. There was a great deal of offside interference, and numerous delays in the game.

Carling, the centre half for the visitors, put up a good game, but Breen, who did the bulk of the kicking was out of color in the first half. He ran the ball well, but the field was in such a sloppy condition he could not get going and was handicapped by not knowing the ground. Ottawa's outside wings played well. Toland was badly shaken up in the second quarter and was replaced by Carruthers. Gilbert took Slinn's place.

In the second half Elliott replaced Gilbert at outside wing. Carruthers was taken off, and "Mike" Rodden got into the game. In the first quarter, Paisley suffered a severe wrench to his leg and Smith was taken from the flying wing to half back, and Taylor went on as flying wing.

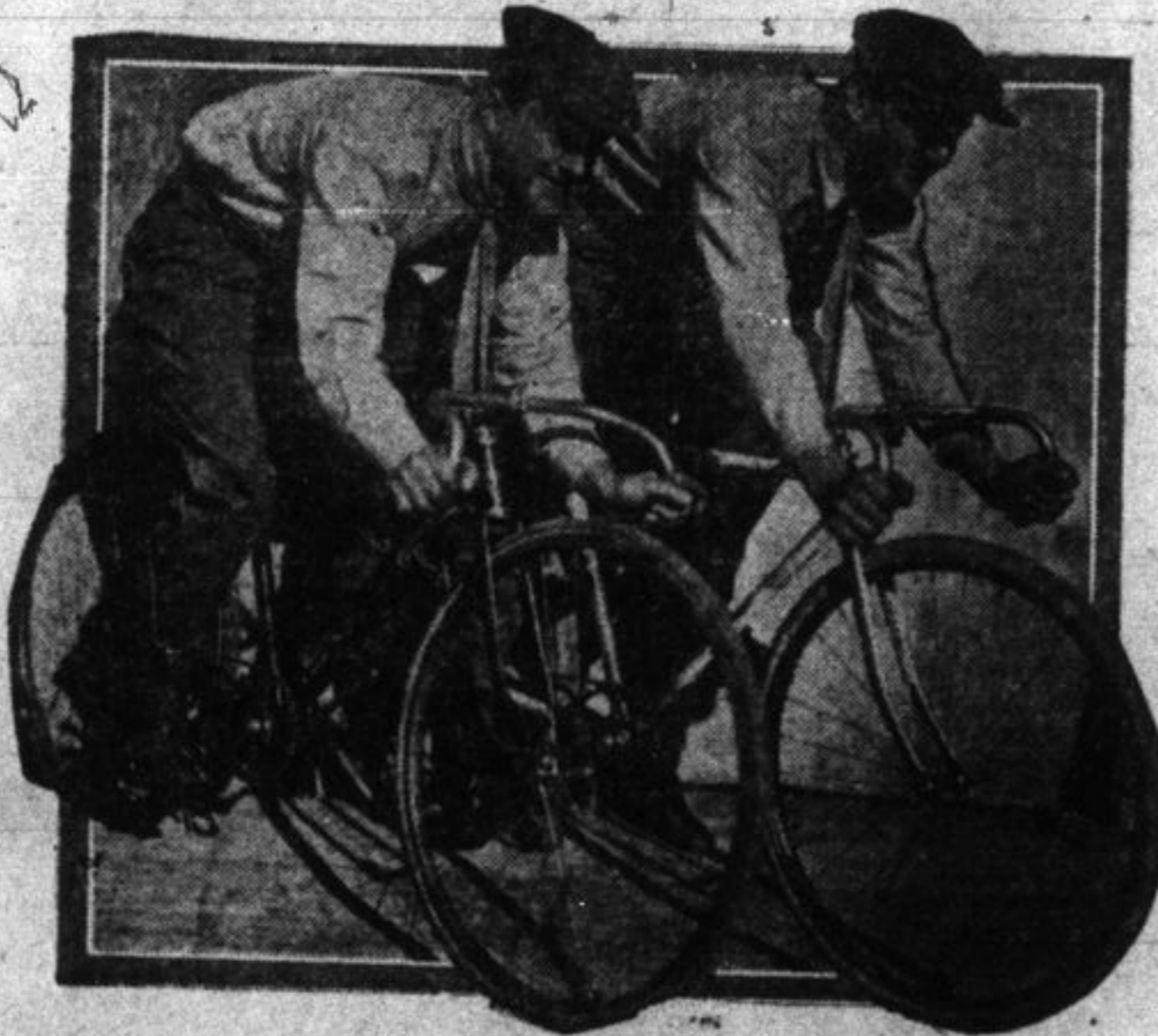
The line-up was:
Queen's
Hazlett ... flying wing ... Smith
McNeill ... halves ... Paisley
S. Toland ... halves ... Carling
McKelvey ... halves ... Breen
Evans ... quarter ... Wiser
Atkinson ... scrumage ... Westman
Perkins ... scrumage ... Adams
Hall ... scrumage ... McCaffrey
Lyons ... inside wing ... Pritchard
Waddell ... inside wing ... McElligott
Walsh ... middle wing ... Davis
McConville ... middle wing ... Seaton
C. Toland ... outside wing ... Allen
Slinn ... outside wing ... Robinson
Philip Macdonnell, referee; Capt. O. Gallagher, umpire.

BASKETBALL IN JAPAN

Game is to be introduced in Universities of That Country. While in the country the baseball team from the Japanese University of Waseda were so favorably struck by the value of basketball as a sport for collegians that they purchased equipment for the game and will this winter introduce it into the three big universities of Tokio, Mikami, the tennis player, is signing for the game that he will add his influence and skill as a player to the efforts of the baseball players to

make the sport a feature of Japanese intercollegiate contests.

It is possible that Johnny Kilbane will have some work to do in the near future. Charley Simpson, the Australian featherweight, is on his way here from San Francisco to challenge the champion. Simpson announces that he has backing to the extent of \$5,000 for the match. Simpson has a good record in his own country and claims the championship of the British Empire by virtue of his defeat of Lew Edwards some months ago.



"BILLY" AND "ART" SPENCER.
Professional bicycle riders en route to their home from Newark, N. J. "Art" Spencer, former Canadian and American champion, has had considerable luck since jumping to the pro ranks.

BASEBALL BRIEFS.

Jack Ness, the sensational slugger of the Chicago White Sox, who established a record of hitting safely in 49 consecutive games, is one of the young men who are playing in their native cities. Jack was born in Chicago, but went to Oakland to win his reputation. He went to Oakland from the Boston Red Sox, who passed him up.

Walter Blair, the old Rochester catcher, who was also a member of the Buffalo Federal League team of last season, has been appointed baseball coach for the University of Pittsburgh team for the season of 1917. Blair was part owner and manager of the Harrisburg team of the New York State League during the season just closed.

It will surprise Canadian baseball fans to learn that the little village of Cassburn, which is located midway between Vankleek Hill and Caledonia Springs, has sent a pitcher to the National League. Bob Steele, the left-hander, with the St. Louis Cardinals, was born and reared at Cassburn, and resided there with his parents till five years ago. The family then moved to the Pacific coast.

It is rumored that if Joseph J. Lannin decides to sell the Boston American League club that a syndicate is ready to buy it and place "Bill" Carrigan in the office of president.

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- Panel 3: "I NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT. I'M GONNA FIGURE IT OUT. HE AVERAGES 30 PATIENTS A WEEK AND 4 QUARTS OF MILK EACH IS 120 QUARTS OF MILK AT 10¢ A QUART IS \$12 A DAY OR \$84 PER WEEK."
- Panel 4: "YES, AND 30 PATIENTS AT \$20 PER WEEK IS \$600 LESS \$84 FOR MILK IS A PROFIT OF \$516 A WEEK. HE'S A PRETTY WISE DOC."
- Panel 5: "I KNOW HOW HE CAN CUT DOWN EXPENSES STILL FARTHER AND SAVE \$84 A WEEK."
- Panel 6: "HOW?"
- Panel 7: "DON'T GIVE 'EM ANY MILK"