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HOCKEY ENTHUSIAST TALKS ABOUT ARENA

Thinks Considerable Thought Should Be Given to Seating Capacity.

A Kingston hockey fan has outlined some of his ideas concerning the new arena which Queen's are to build this summer.

The news of the rebuilding of the Jock Hartly arena, as has been intimated, is certainly good hearing for the army of enthusiasts whose feelings at the time of the late disastrous fire were of the most pessimistic nature.

The general idea seems to be to avoid many of the features of the old arena and one of the chief suggestions is to cut down the seating capacity to a great extent.

It would be utterly absurd to take the past few years as a criterion and a guide because of the fact that during that period hockey has been at the lowest ebb in the history of the city.

With these facts in mind those who will have the final decision regarding the capacity of the new

arena might be well advised to arrange for a seating capacity of 2,500 with an additional standing capacity at the top, as in the late arena, for another 1,500.

In the writer's opinion hockey is starting up the ladder again in Kingston. Let us be in a position to reap the benefit of a large rink when the city or college will be the home of a real championship team.

Let us err on the side of plenty rather than face the inevitable time when, with a good team, the seating capacity may be inadequate.

CREWS IN TRAINING FOR ANNUAL EVENT

Oxford and Cambridge Oarsmen Putting in Final Preparations.

London, March 24.—The long and arduous course of training in preparation for the annual University boat race, which will be rowed over the historic four and a quarter mile course, from Putney to Mortlake, on Saturday, April 5th, is now in its final stages.

Cambridge, after remaining at Henley for a fortnight in the second stage of its training, during which time sundry changes had to be made in the crew owing to illness, made its first appearance at Putney on Thursday, when F. J. Escombe, the old Trinity Hall Blue, took over the coaching.

Oxford, in its first full course trial, from Putney to Mortlake, on Friday afternoon, under conditions that were fairly favorable, with no wind, a fair tide and good water, gave a very satisfactory performance, covering the distance in 19 minutes, 23 seconds.

The names and weights of the respective crews are as follows: Oxford. X.P. C. Mallam (Lansing and Queen's), 168 pounds.

Cambridge. G. Goddard (Eton and Jesus), 163 pounds. J. S. Herbert (Eton and Kings), 153 1/2 pounds.

NEW BALL LEAGUE HAS MATERIALIZED Montreal, March 25.—At a meeting of the Baseball Club of Rutland, Vt., held at Rutland on Saturday night, it was decided to organize an international class "B" baseball league which will comprise six clubs, three, at least, of which will be from Eastern Canada.

An effort was made early in the winter to secure three teams from United States and make the Eastern Canada League an international one. This has materialized and a meeting will be held at the Windsor Hotel on Saturday night to reorganize and

FROM THE OUTSIDE—LOOKING IN.

To the Frontenac Regiment, local indoor baseball champions, we say—Congratulations on a good season and better luck next year in the eastern finals.

St. Catharines has practically decided on an artificial ice arena to handle 3,600 people and an additional 1,800 if necessary.

POME.

Oh, how that bird could fight in the gym, Wallop and buff and slam. For a sparring partner to mix with him Was to pain the insurance man; Since every time that a clout connected The lawful heirs and assigns collected.

The next verse tells that he was great in a gym, but no good in the actual ring—but what we meant to remark was that the international bouts—Yale vs. Queen's—at the end of the week, should certainly be worth seeing.

The Yale boys take an unholy delight in trimming up the Queen's boxers each year. The Tricolor fell down in the intercollegiate this year, though they had the best looking stuff in years when they left here for Montreal.

Is it true that there is a "dark horse" battery for the Kingston C.O. B.L. team and that this same battery consists of two boys new to the baseball world here but old to the general public in other lines?

FAMOUS JOCKEY IS NOW A REINSMAN

It is now an assured fact that Rutland, Montpelier-Barre, Quebec, Montreal and Ottawa, will become affiliated. Three Rivers will have representatives at the meeting, and should the owners of the club in that centre decide not to join another club will be secured.

The schedule for the season will also be drafted on Saturday night. The Ottawa Club will play their Sunday games in Hull, while Sunday baseball is permitted in all of the other places.

BASEBALL PROBLEM SETTLED BY ENGLISH AND IRISH

A bulletin is issued each Saturday from the Dublin offices of Aonach Talteann for the information of those interested in the forthcoming Talteann Games in Dublin, from August 1st to 18th next, and the latest issue makes this interesting announcement:

For some time past there have been difficulties facing the Rounders (Baseball Committee, and those in other countries, owing to the absence of a definite system in playing and recording the game.

Sarazens Were Good. The Sarazens will remember 1923 kindly. Gene, the golfer, was the only champion to repeat his 1922 success in a major tournament, while his namesake, the 2-year-old, was the only unbeaten thoroughbred of the year.

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BASKETBALL HOW TO BE A GUARD

KEEP-BETWEEN-YOUR-GOAL-AND-OPPONENTS-FORWARD. If any one of you fellows is stocky or heavy-set you are probably the type of boy who should play guard on a basketball team.



Nat Ray Has Good String of Harness Horses at North Randall Track.

Cleveland, March 25.—First an exercise boy with the runners. Next, one of the most noted jockeys of his day. And now a veteran reinsman of the Grand Circuit, the big league of the harness horse racing game.

There are those who remember the time when Nat, now busily engaged in reading his speedy 1924 string at North Randall, was mounted on Good and Plenty, good steed of sensational exploits that brought him and his jockey immeasurable fame in the running division of the sport of monarchs.

Nat ever fostered a weakness for the trotters and side wheelers, however, even when at the height of his success as a jockey. And long before he hopped off the saddle for good and all, he was spending his winters in the sulky over the ice tracks of Canada.

It was fifteen years ago that he first became a leading figure in the harness horse annals. Ever since that time, season after season, he always has been right up there with the leaders. And to-day we find him at the historic Randall course with more fast record horses under his supervision than there are in any other stable at the same track.

Winnipeg, March 25.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 98 1-8c; No. 2 northern, 95 1-8c; No. 3 northern, 91 1-8c; No. 4, 86 5-8c; No. 5, 80 5-8c; No. 6, 75 1-8c; No. 7, 77 1-8c; track, 98 5-8c.

Chicago, March 25.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, \$1.10 to \$1.11. Corn, No. 3 mixed, 76 1-4 to 77c; No. 2 yellow, 80c. Oats, No. 2 white, 48 1-4 to 49 1-2c; No. 3, white, 47 1-2 to 48 1-2c.

WILSON'S "The National Smoke" BACHELOR Still The Most For The Money 10c. ANDREW WILSON & CO. TORONTO AND MONTREAL

free-for-all pace at Cranwood. Ensign Tige, who joined the Ray bevy not long ago, is a trotter of unquestioned prowess and one of the many fast ones that will try to bite off a large portion of the "Tavern Steak."

PRODUCE MARKETS

GRAIN QUOTATIONS. Toronto, March 25.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.10 1-2. Manitoba oats—No. 3 C.W., 43 1-2c; No. 1, 42 1-2c.

Montreal, March 25.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 53c; Canadian Western, No. 3, 51c; extra No. 1, 52c.

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Minneapolis, March 25.—Bran, \$22.50 to \$23. Wheat, No. 1 northern, \$1.13 5-8; July, \$1.15 1-4; September, \$1.13 5-8.

Zev Was Lucky Horse. The majority of horsemen believe that Zev was a lucky horse last season and in this contention they are possibly right.

MASSEY BICYCLES. Treadgold Sporting Goods Co. 88 PRINCESS ST. PHONE 529. Illustration of a man and a woman riding bicycles.

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