

SPORTING NEWS

Curling Season Opens Today

PRIZE BONSPIEL OPENS TODAY AT CURLING RINK

Embarking on what has full promise of being the most successful season in years the Charlottetown Curling Club stages its first prize bonspiel of the season today.

With one of the most commodious Club Houses east of Montreal and with a smooth sheet of ice awaiting the stone and broom artists today's matches judging by the enthusiasm of the members should be exciting all the way through.

The different committees have been functioning smoothly and everything is in readiness for today's opening.

Supper will be served in the Club at 6 p. m.

Following is the list of rinks and the starting hour for today's matches.

5:00 P. M.	W. E. Coffin	Guy Kennedy
	Dr. J. P. Lantz	H. J. Kennedy
	A. L. MacPherson	R. G. Spillett
	H. L. Sear,	R. E. Spillett
	-Skip	-Skip
	S. P. Paol Jr.	L. E. Wellner Sr.
	A. B. Cutcliffe	M. W. Weeks
	Dr. T. E. E. Robins	D. A. Brenton
	R. Ellison	J. P. Hillison
	-Skip	-Skip
	J. C. Bentley	A. Rattenbury
	Stirling Beaton	C. N. Earle
	R. Carruthers	G. M. Avarad
	A. Belcher	W. R. Cruickshanks
	-Skip	-Skip
	C. A. Beer	Lewis Turner
	Frank Cox	E. H. Saunders
	D. Nicholson	F. W. Turner
	Hon. T. A. Campbell	J. A. Fraser
	-Skip	-Skip
2:00 P. M.	Geo. R. Brady	G. R. Henry
	J. A. Burden	Ralph Jenkins
	D. M. Cass	Stewart Moore
	C. H. Black	Col. G. E. Full
	-Skip	-Skip
	H. R. Bayan	J. H. McNeil
	E. M. Bunnell	J. E. Stems
	P. B. Conrad	Geo. Thompson
	W. L. Brenton	J. J. Morris
	-Skip	-Skip
	J. E. Harris	R. T. Holman
	F. B. Clarke	Chas MacKinnon
	H. F. McPhee	R. F. Worley
	E. S. Coffin	W. Swindell
	-Skip	-Skip
	Jan. Carragher	N. D. Tanton
	L. W. Roper	Cleaver McLan
	T. W. L. Prowse	W. A. Gaudet
	G. G. Hughes	F. R. McLaine
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3:30 P. M.	Fred Charpell	G. A. McPherson
	T. J. Davies	E. D. Tanton
	Dr. B. C. Keeping	W. R. Seaman
	Dr. P. A. Cree man	Alex Scott
	-Skip	-Skip
	G. P. Hutchison	Dr. W. L. MacDonald
	Ivan Horn	F. A. S. Jones
	J. C. Montcromery	E. L. Miles
	Dr. E. S. Giddings	Dr. F. W. Tidmarsh
	-Skip	-Skip
	A. W. Matheson	Dr. J. D. McGowan
	Walter Mathieson	J. W. Teir
	C. W. MacKenzie	F. G. Moore
	W. Hyndman	H. Winchester
	-Skip	-Skip
	D. McGuire	R. E. Nicholson
	J. J. Larrabee	J. Pope Clark
	C. P. H. MacDonald	A. T. MacKinnon
	-Skip	-Skip

Saints Hit Stride To Whip Junior Royals Team 7-3 For First Victory

Opening and closing the scoring and sandwiching a goal in between feet-footed Bert Steele last night personally led St. Dunstan's University hockey squad to a 7-3 victory over the Junior Royals in a scheduled game of the Commercial Service League.

Finally hitting the form that was expected of them and which had made them one of the favorites to capture league honors Saint last night found their scoring eye as they hammered seven goals into the Royals cage and then turned back a terrific attack by the losers in the final ten minutes to hold their margin of victory. Both teams were short-handed for the encounter but nevertheless the fans saw a lightning fast game all the way that started out in a slow manner but certainly wound up in a blaze of action.

Royals had plenty of scoring chances last night and the score is by no means an indication of the play. It was evenly fought all the way through but last night Saints were hitting the bulls-eye when in close while their opponents were either gumming up their plays or missing wide-open nets as they rode in on an unprotected goal. Steele, skating like a demon from the opening whistle took advantage of a penalty to Blaquiere in the first minute of play to open the scoring of the game. Gathering in the rubber the S. D. U. player spread down the sidelines, whirled around the defence and then shot the puck behind Johnnie Davis from less than ten feet out. Royals were short-handed again as they drew the second penalty of the game but Saints could not take advantage of the extra manpower. With both teams at full strength and Royals pressing hard three feet in front of Connolly but Delehan on the very next play rounded the Saints' net and poked the rubber into the corner for the type counter.

Saints second stringers came roaring back 2 minutes later to again put their team in front as Jack Trainor passed out to winger who slipped a 15-foot drive into the care. Again Royals came back to knot the count six minutes later as Deigan fired home his second goal of the game on a pass from George McLeod but with only 32 seconds of the period remaining Steele put on his act again as he worked in from the Royals defence to poke the disc in as Davis blocked his first attempt. Swivel-hipped, elusive Jack Coyle scored the prettiest goal of the night three minutes after the start of the middle canto to out the Saints two up. Breaking up an attack at his line, Coyle flanked by his two wingmen knifed through the Royals defence skated in on top of Davis and nonchalantly drew the net janitor off to the water into the unprotected corner of the cage.

It was the only score of the session that saw the same both speed and roush up. Both teams missed opportunities as they skated into scoring position but the Royals were the big offenders, three times in the last five minutes missing open nets while in the final second Davis nullified two saves in succession that had goal stamped all over them.

Saints struck early again in the final heat. Right after the while Steele and Morrison were banished for roughing and on the first attack Coyle tricked the Royal defence and laid a pass on Somerville's stick that the S. D. U. left winger converted. The Saints fifth goal Royals were pressing hard but Saints got goal number six as Jack Trainor again fed Murphy a pass from the boards that the latter turned in to a corner beating the Royals' goalie.

with a waist-high drive. The goal was the signal for a sustained offensive by the Royals. Playing every man up they hemmed the Saints in their own end and minutes on end and finally after several chances were rewarded as Morrison pushed the disc home on passes from Deigan and McLeod. For the remainder of the game the winners were content on the defensive but with only 23 seconds to go Steele shot his third goal. As Royals hemmed their opponents in Steele recovered behind his own net. Nursing the disc to the line the fast winger suddenly jumped away fast; tearing down the right boards he out-footed the pack and making Davis make the first move calmly waited the rubber into the cage, for the final score of the encounter.

LINEUPS:
SAINTS: Goal, Hennessy; defence, Smith, McDonald; forwards, Coyle, Steele, S. Trainor, Murnaghan, Murphy, J. Trainor.
ROYALS: Goal, Davis; defence, Gormley, P. McDonald; forwards, McLeod, Deigan, Blaquiere, B. Whitlock, Blanchard, Morrison, Crockett, T. Richard, Richard, Douce.
Referee—Roy Prowse.

SUMMARY:
1—S. D. U. Steele 3:00.
2—Royals, Deigan, (McLeod) 9:18.
3—S. D. U., Murphy, (J. Trainor) 11:40.
4—Royals, Deigan (McLeod) 17:30.
5—S. D. U. Steele 19:28.
Penalties—Blaquiere, Richard.
2nd Period:
6—S. D. U. Coyle 3:00.
Penalties—P. McDonald, Hennessy.
3rd Period:
7—S. D. U. S. Trainor (Coyle) 1:28.
8—S. D. U. Murphy (J. Trainor) 8:20.
9—Royals, Morrison (Deigan, McLeod) 12:46.
10—S. D. U. Steele 19:37.
Penalties—Steele, Morrison.

Remember When

(By The Canadian Press)

Big Bill Tilden, who cleaned up every worth-while tennis title in the world during his career, announced his retirement as an amateur nine years ago today. He made his professional debut at New York, Feb. 18, 1931, after heading the United States ranking amateur list for 10 years.

SPORTS AND RACING REVIEW

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SATURDAY AT THE FORUM

3-5 Regular Afternoon Skate
—NIGHT—
8-11 3 Hours Special Skating Assembly
BAND BOTH SESSIONS
Children 11c; Adults 22c

Rangers Extend Unbeaten Streak To 13 Games

NEW YORK, Dec. 29—(CP)—New York Rangers extended their unbeaten streak to 13 games tonight as they handed the National Hockey League leading Boston Bruins a 4-0 defeat and gained a second place tie with the idle Toronto Maple Leafs.

Supporting Dave Kerr's grand goaltending with a dazzling display of offensive and defensive hockey, the Rangers got a goal lead in the first period and stood off every assault by the champions, who had gone seven games without defeat before tonight. The Ranger goals were divided among Alex Shlubby, Neil Colville, Lyn Patrick and Kilby MacDonald.

Though their last two goals were scored while Boston had every man up, the Rangers deserved the win throughout as the Bruin goal with the poorest of luck. Three times early in the last period the Rangers fired at an empty net and missed each time.

Of the Ranger run of 13 undefeated games only seven have been ties. The undefeated streak was the longest since they went 13 games without defeat five seasons ago. It was the first time Boston had been shut out since the first game of the season, when Toronto walloped them 5-0.

Navy Team Winners Over Montague 8-3

Navy hockey squad had too much on the ball for the Montague team last night and as a result the "Tars" skated off the ice with an 8-3 victory tucked under their belts in an exhibition game played at the Montague Arena.

Goals by Ev. Jay and Buffer Worth in the opening twenty minutes gave the winners a lead they never relinquished. Navy again outscored the homesters 2-1 in the middle canto and then added to their margin in the final chukker by again outscoring the Montague team 4-2.

"Buffer" Worth led the Navy attack with three counters with Wilf Whalen accounting for two and Jack Darragh, Blaquiere and Ev. Jay accounting for the others. Montague's goals were scored by Vince Grant, Ralph Beck and Floyd McKinnon.

The game was fast throughout and was capably handled by Wilf Waterworth a former star of Montague teams. Only one penalty was handed out, Eddie Darrach of the Navy being chased in the final period of the cleanly-played game.

Use Minard's for dandruff.
Colville 16:57
4-Rangers, MacDonald (C. Smith) 18:36
Penalties—Hamill, Pike.

Big Holiday Program At The Forum

New Year's Day promises to be a gala one at the Forum judging by the skating program Manager C. F. Archer has lined up for the skating public.

The new year will have just ushered in when the luncheon at 12:05 sharp Monday morning a two hour skate will get underway. Skaters will just have to wait for that one when another skate will be held from 3 to 5 in the afternoon and then to climax the skating day the evening will see another session take place.

The Midnight skate is a novelty here having been introduced only two years ago but it went over big that time and this year's skate promises to be bigger and better than ever to better band music and over the top.

O. K. Presby's band will be on hand at all sessions so if you want to really enjoy yourself New Year's just drop around to the Forum at least any time after midnight and there will be something doing.

Four Seeded Tennis Players Reach Semi-finals

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29—(AP)—The four seeded players—Bobby Riggs, Don McNeill, Elwood Cooke and Bryan Grant—were expected in the Sugar Bowl tennis tournament today and gained the semi-final round.

McNeill overcame Charles Hare, No. 1 player of England, the score was 6-1, 7-5.

Riggs continued the loafing habit he indulges when he deems his form not worthy of his steel and scored over Jack Bushman of Louisiana State University by only 8-6, 8-6.

Grant finished in fine fashion to subdue Edward Alloo of Berkeley, Calif., 10-8, 6-3.

Cooke, of Portland, Ore. was in command all the way in his match over Billy Gillespie of Miami and won easily 6-1, 6-2.

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The Central Guardian

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CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE. L-9789-7-21-31L.
DR. CARSON is in office today. L-238.

CORRECTION.—The name of Mr. C. R. Crockett, Kensington was published in error as the winner of the Commercial Service League on Holman's Christmas Range Sale. This should have been C. E. Picketts, Kensington. L-226-12-30-11.

STEAL BUTTER.—Thieves entered the factory at North Wiltshire some time Saturday night and took 200 pounds of butter and 2 boxes of fish. It is believed that entrance was gained through a window. R. C. M. P. officials are investigating the case.

JUVENILES BLAMED.—In connection with the recent break at the C. N. R., a few weeks ago, City Police yesterday apprehended a juvenile. It appeared that the job was pulled by several juveniles and Police are on the trail of the culprits.

MR. AND MRS. J. J. CURLEY.—Vernon River, announce the engagement of their daughter, Irene Gertrude to John H. Reddin, son of Mr. Reddin and the late Mr. Reddin, Southport. Marriage to take place early in January. L-231-12-30-11.

NEW YEAR'S DAY AT THE CHARLOTTETOWN POST OFFICE

Monday, January 1st, 1940, being New Year's Day and a statutory holiday, the Post Office will make the full morning delivery only. Street letter box collections, Air Mail service and Special Delivery service will be as usual and mails will be received and despatched as on a normal day. Wickies will be open from 8 a. m. to noon and the public lobby open all day as usual. Postal clerks will observe the holiday and will not make the trip.

PLOW STATIONED IN EAST

The Provincial Government has stationed a snow plow in Eastern Kings County. It was announced yesterday by B. MacMillan, Deputy Minister of Public Works. The plow, which is a motor grader type, will be housed in the Civic building when the winter weather has been made by the Department to assure an open road to motorists between Montague and Charlottetown when the winter weather is undergirding this winter. The plow will work from the Eastern Kings County town to the St. John's River, and from there to Georgetown, Cardigan and Murray River will also be served judging on the amount of snow this season. When the Highway Department is closed, the motorists will travel across the ice in order to reach the City.—M

WEDDING BELLS—A quiet but pre-arranged wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian Manse, Summerside, Rev. Wm. G. MacQuarrie officiating. The bride was Miss Mary Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. MacQuarrie, Kildare, Cape Breton, and the groom was Mr. J. H. Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murray, Quebec. The bride looked very charming in a dress of grey silk crepe with a train of ivory silk crepe. The groom was in a suit of blue serge. The ceremony was attended by a large number of guests. A reception was given at the home of the bride's parents and was attended by relatives and immediate friends. The dining room was charmingly decorated for the occasion, and the bride's table was centered with a beautiful three-tier wedding cake.

MACQUARRIE — DYARSAT NUPTIALS

A wedding of interest to many friends both here and elsewhere was solemnized in immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties last night at 7:30 o'clock when Rev. F. Burton Long, pastor of the Highfield Baptist Church, officiated in marriage. Dorothy MacQuarrie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. MacQuarrie, of Gunningville, was the bride, and the late S. D. U. Knox Dyarsat, of the city. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents in a room which was beautifully decorated for the occasion in Christmas colors. The bride was charmingly attired in a Royal blue chiffon gown and wore a corsage of red roses. She was given in marriage by her father, and the bridesmaid was Miss Phyllis Dyarsat, sister of the groom. J. Milton MacQuarrie, brother of the bride, was groomsmen.

The Royal Society of Arts

The following constitute the Council of the Royal Society of Arts for 1940: President—His Majesty the King; Council: Field Marshal H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K.G., President of the Society; Sir Reginald Glancy, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Chairman of the Council; and Chairman, India and Burma Section Committee, Vice-Presidents: Lord Amulree, P.C., G. B. E., K.C., L.L.D., Chairman, Examinations Committee, Lord Askwith, K.C.B., K.C., D.L., Sir Aul C. Chatterjee, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Sir Edward Crowe, K.C.M.G., Sir William Henry Davison, K.B.E., D.L., M.P., G.H. Drummond, E.V. Evans, O.B.E., F.I.C., Peter MacIntyre, C.B.E., M.A., L.L.D., Sir Edward A. Gall, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., Sir Robert A. Hadfield, Bt., D.S.C., F.R.S., Charles Geoffrey Holme, M.B.E., Sir Montague Hughman, and Kenneth C. B. E., Sir Harry A. F. Lindsay, K.C.I.E., Sir William Llewellyn, G.C.V.O., P.P.R.A., Sir Henry McMahon, G.C. M.G.G., C.V.O., K.C., L.E., C.S.I., G. K. Menzies, C. B. E., John A. Hiltz, C. B. E., Chairman, R.D.I. Committee, Oswald P. Milne, F.R.I.B.A., Harold W. Sanderson, Sir Henry Allan Steward, Brigadier Sir Edward A. Tandy, Garmichael Thomas, Ordinary Members of the Council: Viscount Beddles, P.C., G.C.M.G., K.B.E., Alfred C. Bossom, F.R.V.B.A., M.P., Major P. J. Cowan, M.B.E., M.Inst. C.E., M.I.Mech.E., John De La Vallee, Ernest W. Goodale, M.C., P.H. Jowett, R.W.S., A.R.C.A., Major Sir Humphrey Lyevelt, B.E., D.S.O., Chairman, Dominions and Colonies Section Committee, Clifford F. Peterson, D.B.E., D.S.O., M.F.P., Tom Purvis, P.D.I., F.R.S., R.D.I., Sir Philip Wedgwood, C.B., C.M.G., W.J.U. Woolcock, C.M.G., C.B.E.

Scholarship FOR MUSICAL COMPOSITION

To encourage and stimulate original Canadian work, the Canadian Performing Right Society Limited again offers a scholarship (value \$150) and three cash awards for meritorious compositions. The competition which closes March 31, 1940, is open to Canadians of either sex under 22 years of age at time of entry. Information and application forms are now available from the Canadian Performing Right Society Limited, 100 Royal Bank Bldg., Toronto, Ont.

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6:00 p.m.—Overture by Orchestra. HAT4, 9.12 meg., 32.8 m.

7:30 p.m.—News in English: Chamber Music; Elizabeth Lunn: "The Opera at Naples after Scarlatti." 2RO, 11.81 meg., 25.4 m.; IRF, 9.83 meg., 30.5 m.

8:15 p.m.—"In the Canteen Tonight." GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; QSC, 9.85 meg., 31.3 m.

8:25 p.m.—News in English. 9.86 meg., 30.4 m.

9:00 p.m.—Current Events (English). DXB, 9.61 meg., 31.2 m.; DJD, 11.77 meg., 25.4 m.

9:00 p.m.—Dance Music. YV5RC, 5.9 meg., 51.7 m.

9:15 p.m.—Radio Sketches. TPB11 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.

11:30 p.m.—"London Log." talk by Howard Marshall. GSC, 9.58 meg., 31.3 m.

12:00 p.m.—News in English. DXB, 9.61 meg., 31.2 m.; DJC, 9.62 meg., 49.8 m.

12:15 a.m.—News in English. TPB11, 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.; TPA-4, 11.71 meg., 25.6 m.

12:40 a.m.—Light Music JZK, 15.16 meg., 19.7 m.

3:00 a.m.—Talk on Soviet Life. RV96, 15.24 meg., 19.7 m.

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