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### Welsh Schooner in Collision With An Irish Tram Car

A ship and a tramway car came into collision at Dublin recently, although the ship remained in the water and the car remained on land. The three-masted schooner Cymric of Beaumaris, North Wales, was approaching the revolving bridge at the entrance to Ringsend dock. A tramway car was crossing the bridge at the same time. The schooner drifted just a little too far forward. Her bowsprit struck the car and shattered its windows, to the alarm of the passengers, who had not unreasonably believed themselves to be safe from the perils of the deep. Nobody was injured.

### OVER MILLION WENT TO POLLS IN ONTARIO

TORONTO, Dec. 17. Over one million Ontario people voted in the recent general election. Between four and five hundred thousand marked their ballots for Meighen candidates, over 200,000 for King standard-bearers, and over 300,000 voted for the Progressives. The figures as published today in the Star, obtained from an complete returns as are available, follow: Conservatives in Toronto, 75,691; outside Toronto, 342,291. Total for Ontario, 417,982. Liberals in Toronto, 47,595; outside Toronto, 288,821. Total for Ontario, 336,416. Progressives in Toronto, 19,488; outside Toronto, 280,295. Total for Ontario, 309,783.

Only the eagle may look upon the sun.

### HALIFAX WAS ELIMINATED

Previous to the last minute determination of the city of Halifax to place a hockey team in the proposed Independent Hockey league, Halifax, seemed to be cut off from the rest of Canada in so far as hockey was concerned. The question arises, that as Halifax is in the province of Nova Scotia and outside the Canadian Amateur Association, it is not eligible to enter a team or teams in the Allan Cup eliminations. Early in the year a provisional draw was made in order to make arrangements for the Allan cup play-offs. In this draw the provinces of British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec were represented for the elimination race, later provision was made for the entrance of Alberta and the Maritime Provinces were the only ones left to shudder in the cold. Then on awakening from long sleep a meeting was held in Moncton at the Brunswick hotel when the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island hockey association was formed which Association is affiliated with the Canadian Amateur Athletic Association. As a consequence of the Moncton meeting the two Maritime Provinces, entered in the above named league, are represented to play off for the trophy, emblematic of the Amateur Championship of Canada. Nova Scotia's part seems unfortunate as they should be an integral part of the whole scheme of play, and they have the right, as well as, New Brunswick or the Island, to participate in the National game of Canada, but when they failed to exercise that right they found themselves in the cold "in other words on the outside looking in." In the N. B. and P. E. I. league as soon as the schedule of games in each section of the league is over the sectional winners will meet in elimination games to determine which team will move on to play the winners of, say, the Quebec title, after that team has been declared after clashing of various winners of the Amateur leagues in the province of Quebec.

The towns represented in the new league formed in N. B. and P. E. I. are divided into three sections as follows: Eastern section composed of Charlottetown, Sackville, Dorchester, and Moncton; Northern Section, composed of Shediac, Chatham, Bathurst and Campbellton; and the Southern Section, composed of St. John, Fredericton, Sussex and Marysville.

### ST. JOHN IN HOCKEY LEAGUE

ST. JOHN, Dec. 16. Plans for getting the hockey season away to a good start were made at a meeting of representatives of the teams in the western section of the New Brunswick Hockey League, held here in the Victoria Hotel. Representatives of the teams in the western section of the New Brunswick Hockey League, held here in the Victoria Hotel. Representatives were present from Marysville, Fredericton, St. John and Sussex. While the schedule of the western section was not completed at the meeting, it was announced last evening that the first game would be played on January 5, between St. John and Marysville, at Fredericton, and the second game between St. John and Fredericton, also at Fredericton, on January 6. The league is divided into three sections, the western section comprising the above named teams; the northern section, made up of Chatham, Campbellton, Bathurst and Shediac, and the eastern section, composed of Charlottetown, Moncton, Dorchester and Sackville. A series of playoffs will be held at the close of the season to decide the winner of the league.

### CANADIENS WON IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Dec. 16. The Sudbury Ont. Wolves defeated the Pen Marquette hockey team here tonight, 8 to 2. George Dufresne, of the Wolves, who was refused an amateur card by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, did not appear on the ice. After the game, which was marked by brilliant team work by the Canadians, Dufresne said he would not enter any of the contests in the three game series that started tonight, and that he would take no action on the Dominion association's action. He returned to Ontario, Dufresne said he knew no reason for not being granted an amateur card.

### SELKIRK WON FROM FALCONS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 16.—Selkirk defeated the Falcons 6 to 3 in a Manitoba senior amateur hockey league game here tonight. Wally Byron of the Falcons started in the nets. Mike Goodman has not yet made his appearance with the Falcons and has to get a card from the amateur body before being permitted to play.

### Carry Sinn Fein Flag In London Streets

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Sinn Fein's flag was regarded as a friendly ensign when it was carried through the heart of London yesterday, a long procession of Irish men and women wearing their colors and headed by a pipe and drum corps not only marched peacefully, but were unattended by a single "Bobby." This impressed spectators as a striking evidence of the new policy for all processions, even a parade of Boy Scouts, are escorted by police here to see that order is maintained. But Sinn Fein had things its own way, and at an open-air gathering advocated a acceptance of the peace terms.

Who makes excuses accuses himself.

### Not an Offer, but a Treaty, Says Grey of Irish Pact

LONDON, Dec. 16. Viscount Grey, in a speech delivered tonight at Manchester in favor of the Irish agreement, said the agreement had been described as a generous offer, but that he did not regard it as an offer at all, but as a treaty, and only in that light could peace and goodwill be brought about between Great Britain and Ireland.

### Jacobites Demand Scotch Free State

LONDON, Dec. 17. Home rule for Scotland is the demand made by forty members of the London branch of the Scots National League, who insisted that what Ireland can have Scotland must have, and started a campaign for a Scotch Free State. They listened to the wild strains of bagpipes, sang Jacobite songs, discussed the treaty of union and insisted on complete separation.

### MONCTON TO TAKE HYDRO-ELECTRIC

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 17. At a meeting of the city council and representatives of the C. N. R. and Moncton tramways, electric and gas company, tonight, it was decided to enter into a contract with the New Brunswick Electric Power commission for the supply of electricity; five million kilowatt hours being required at present for the Moncton Tramways, Electric and Gas Company to take half for the city purposes and the C. N. R. to take the other half.

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