

WEEK'S SPORT NEWS TOLD IN A NUTSHELL FOR GUARDIAN SPORT READERS

MONDAY

The Boston Post of a recent date says: "Hockey is no parlor game." Well, we certainly agree on that score but according to the following, it must be "some game" in the Hub town. Here it is—

Those who are decrying ice hockey as a lady-like, lolypop consumer's game have but to review the list of casualties in arena games this season to learn that this kind of Boston's winter sports is a game that requires plenty of courage. The following list of players and bodily injuries suffered by them attests to the character of this red-blooded sport: Ajax Campbell, B. A. A., leg cut, requiring 22 stitches; Buzz Stout, Princeton, arm lacerated, nine stitches; George Owen, Hockey Club, head injury, four stitches; Leo Hughes, Maples, head injury, three stitches; Capt. Ted Crosby, Harvard, nose injury, three stitches; Len Morrissey, B. A. A., eye cut, two stitches; Pitre Letson, Hockey Club, face cut, four stitches; Capt. Joe Stubbs, eye cut, two stitches; Fred Lowery, New Haven, foot cut, two stitches; Sonny Foley, Boston College, eye cut, three stitches, and Hugo Nelson, Cambridge Latin, nose cut, three stitches.

What was admittedly one of the best ice races of the season was witnessed on Feb. 27th at a meet of the Cape Traverse Sporting Club. A number of Summerside horsemen with their speed were in attendance which added materially to the day's sport. The four entries in Class A were all horses with track experience and every heat was a drive from start to finish. Class B and C were made up of practically green horses and were hotly contested. At the next meet, the date of which cannot be definitely stated, arrangements will be made for a colt race, some beautiful specimens of the "Lacopia" and "British Soldier" type being much in evidence in this locality.

Summary of race:
Class A
Ruby Aubrey (Clark, Summerside) 1 1 3
Lloyd George (Dawson) 2 3 1
Queen Petrillo (Howatt) 3 2 2
Commodore K. (Bowness Summerside) 4 4 4

Class B
Arkley's Pride (Holland) 2 1 1
Darkwood Boy (Lowther) 1 2 2
Mabel (Sherrin) 4 3 3
Darkey Hal (Howatt) 3 4 4

Class C
Chestnut Peter (Howatt) 1 2 1
Harry H. (Howatt) 2 1 2
Bob Wood (Robinson) 4 3 3
Jack (Callbeck) 3 4 4
Star Pointed (Peters) 5 5 5

Officials
Starter—Bruce Campbell
Judges—T. D. Carruthers, S. N. Dawson, Alex. Deagan.

In the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening the Ladies City Bowling League was enthusiastically re-organized.

This league is gaining popularity each year. The first year four teams entered, last year six teams and this year there are eight teams already enrolled.

The following are the teams entered and their captains:

Team No. 1, Baptists, Capt.—Mrs. E. Coffin.
Team No. 2, Eureka, Capt.—Miss H. Stewart.
Team No. 3, Comets, Capt.—Mrs. F. Adams.
Team No. 4, Pedagogues, Capt.—Miss P. Jones.
Team No. 5, Y. Girls, Capt.—Miss McCallum.
Team No. 6, Granite, Capt.—Miss B. Hatch.
Team No. 7, C. W. S's, Capt.—Miss Lamont.
Team No. 8, Swastikas, Capt.—Miss O. Lowther.

Games will be played Mondays Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays Saturdays at 8.30 p. m.

The following is the schedule for the first week of the league:

March 10.—Comets vs. Granites.
March 12.—Pedagogues vs. Swastikas.
March 13.—Baptists vs. Eureka.
March 14.—C. W. S's vs. Y. Girls.
March 15.—Comets vs. Pedagogues.

CITY CHURCH LEAGUE RE-ORGANIZED

The City Church League was re-organized Thursday night at a meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. The first game will be rolled at 7 p. m. Monday, March 10th.

This league was very hotly contested last year with the team representing People's Church winning out, this team say they are going to hold the cup again for 1924 but

there are seven other teams who are entered to win the cup also and there is keen competition expected.

Following is a schedule for first week.

Mon. 10th—Central Christians vs. Baptists.

Tuesday 11th—Zion vs. St. James.

Wed. 12th—People's vs. Methodist.

Thurs. 13.—St. Paul's vs. St. Peter's.

TUESDAY

The St. John Telegraph-Journal in its report of the Abegweit-Sussex game played here Friday night last in part has this "information" to give Maritime hockey fans, supplied them by members of the Sussex hockey team. "P. E. Island are asked to read the following "small town" propaganda and form their own opinions."

Members of the Sussex team were communicated with yesterday in connection with the reported action of the Abbies and the people of Charlottetown during the championship game there. All were very reticent, and it was only with the greatest difficulty that one could be persuaded to admit that Captain Harold Radcliffe was confined to his home suffering from what the physician has pronounced as broken ribs as a result of the game.

Frank Hunter, the 13-year-old recruit, also suffered from an attack on him by the spectators. Eggs, some of them not very fresh, were thrown by the crowd at the Sussex goalie as tokens of the appreciation of the Charlottetown fans of his good work. All of these things, and as one expressed it all they did not throw at us was the rink, and they couldn't lift that.

Assault on Hunter.

The assault on Hunter was mainly from those stationed at vantage points along the boards, who slapped his face when on several occasions he played the boards in a rush into the Abbies' territory. The attack, as one of the team described it, was very poorly staged, for he said if he had wanted to start anything at a game he could have much better results in a very few minutes than had the Charlottetown fans all during the evening.

That Charlottetown had a great deal to learn about hockey yet, especially that it takes more than hands and feet to play the game, was the general feeling. The dirty work of the spectators was not the work of the whole crowd, although the feelings of the crowd ran pretty high at times, it was stated. The Sussex boys were not kicking about the treatment they received, but felt that it might have been a little more gentle.

NO. E.—The above is only typical of the Sussex players, who on nearly every occasion on returning home run and tell their mothers or some curious newspaper man, the treatment they received at the "hands and feet" of the opposing team—Abegweits! how could you? You nasty boys, treat the "light" Sussex team so roughly, especially when they received more penalties than you and furthermore, shame on you to go and break poor Harold's "ribs," notwithstanding the fact that you yourselves have been getting your ribs damaged all winter. What is a rib or two in a championship game of hockey?—No more than a light cold, and anyway a powder puff, if thrown fast enough and lands right, is liable to break a rib."

In reference to the treatment handed out by the fans including the "stale hen-fruit," the Telegraph-Journal had better ask Mr. Jack Brown about this in order to be correctly and truthfully informed. The writer had a vantage point at the above mentioned game and can truthfully state that nothing of the kind occurred, and as far as throwing the arena at the "milkmen," Alex. McLeod gave the fans to understand before the game, that the first man caught attempting such a thing he would use the thrower as bad as the Abbies handed the claimants for Maritime hockey honors (?) And last but not least, when they say that the Abbies have a great deal to learn about hockey yet—for once they are right, because how could the "rough" Abegweits know anything about hockey when the "dairy maids" know it all.

And before closing let us give Sussex some friendly advice.—When they play the Nova Scotia champions for the title they had better leave their powder puffs and wrist watches at home.—Sport Ed.

The Ladies City Bowling League got away to a fine start last night on the "Y" alleys.

The opening game was between the Comets and the Granites and was witnessed by a large number of

bowling fans. The Granites lived up to the reputation of their name and won handsly from their opponents.

For the winners Miss B. Hatch rolled the high single and Miss F. Brown scored the highest total. For the Comets Mrs. Adams rolled her usual good game.

The game Wednesday night will be between the Pedagogues and the Swastikas.

GRANITES.

MISS—
B. Hatch 142 111 168
H. Wakeford 93 145 157
F. Brown 166 159 114
E. Mungford 119 142 106
D. Waugh 136 107 89

Total—1954.

COMETS.

Mrs. Adams 132 109 152
Mrs. Beer 112 102 167
Mrs. Stewart 119 71 127
Miss Evans 53 89 90
Miss Hutchison 75 92 117

Total—1607.

L. O. C. ALLEYS.

On the L. of C. alleys last night the Bankers beat the L. of C. team in the most exciting game yet played on the alleys.

The game ended with the score tied at 2395. In the rolloff to decide the winners the Bankers won out by 6 pins.

Following are the scores:—

BANKERS.
J. Hughes 157 138 183
J. Walsh 153 119 140
T. Reardon 120 117 133
A. McCaskell 172 177 191
L. McNally 158 214 222

Total—2390.

L. O. C.

G. Maddigan 147 198 135
J. Kelly 129 201 164
Callaghan 143 175 167
C. Kelly 111 140 135
A. Joy 181 138 230

Total—2394.

In the roll-off the Bankers made 72, and the L. of C. made 66.

To-night the All Comers meet the Doucette Bros. in another battle royal.

The following is a continuation of the schedule of bowling games to be rolled in the first half of the Ladies' Bowling League at the "Y".

March 17—Baptists vs. C. W. S's
" 19—Eureka vs. Y. Girls
" 20—Swastikas vs. Granites
" 21—Comets vs. Y. Girls
" 21—Pedagogues vs. Baptists
" 24—C. W. S's vs. Swastikas
" 26—Eureka vs. Granites
" 27—Comets vs. C. W. S's
" 28—Callbeck vs. Granites
" 29—Y. Girls vs. Baptists
" 31—Eureka vs. Swastikas
April 2—Pedagogues vs. Y. Girls
" 3—C. W. S's vs. Eureka
" 4—Baptists vs. Granites
" 5—Comets vs. Swastikas
" 7—Baptists vs. Comets
" 9—Pedagogues vs. Eureka
" 10—C. W. S's vs. Granites
" 11—Y. Girls vs. Swastikas
" 12—Comets vs. Eureka
" 14—Pedagogues vs. C. W. S's
" 16—Baptists vs. Swastikas
" 17—Y. Girls vs. Granites

WEDNESDAY

This seems to be the season right now for picking All Star Maritime hockey teams and the fans are busily engaged from day to day "doping" 'em out.

The following might be somewhat out of line, but how does this aggregation of "Island hockeyists" look, who by the way have been playing a great game on No. 9a Scotia and New Brunswick lines this winter—all born and lived for some years in the Garden of the Gulf—far from Sussex cream.

GOAL

All Kirby—(Stellarton Indpt.)

DEFENCE

Dave Crosby—(Bathurst Amateur)

Ches Gregory—(Stellarton Indpt.)

FORWARDS

Jack Ingram—(Moncton Indpt.)

Fred Lane—(Wanderers Amateur)

"Temp" Lane—(Wanderers Amateur)

Bill Ryan—(Bathurst Amateur)

In the Craswell Studio window is a fine photograph of The Yank, 2.15 1.2, with driver Ernest McTague at the reins. The photo bears the following inscription:—"The Yank, 2.15 1.2 world's champion trotter on ice. Made new world's record for one mile trotting of 2:15 1.2 on half mile track, Mount Clemens, Michigan, Jan. 14, 1924.

Driven by Ernest McTague, owned by Lt. Col. D. A. MacKinnon, D. S. O., Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

THURSDAY

Wednesday night the third game of the first section of this league took place between teams from the Methodist and Peoples Church. The game was won by the Methodists with the small margin of 27 pins.

Wednesday night saw the second game of this league rolled off and although the scores were not very high the interest was kept in the game by the close competition between teams. For the Pedagogues who were the winners Miss Kielly put on the high score of 442 and for the losing team Miss O. Lowther was outstanding with 395.

Nationals 1, Royals 0

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played in Cape Traverse, Rink on February 22nd, which resulted in a win for the snappy Bolden team by a score of one to nothing.

The game got away with William Pye acting as referee. Two minutes after play Rogers scored on a pass from Green. The Bolden goal tender was called on to save many hard shots from the Royals. He was strongly supported by Gaudet and Mulligan who were a tower of strength.

The second period got away with the Royals pressing the Nationals hard for a score, but to no avail. The Nationals were cut down to three men by Pye who could not see the offences of the opposing team.

Owing to it being bed-time for some of the Royals the game was called off with the Nationals on the ice for the third period.

At their home rink on Friday evening the St. Peters school team defeated Souris High school 9 to 8.

The game as a whole was not very fast owing to the soft condition of the ice, but nevertheless it was featured with spectacular rushes and fine exhibitions of stick handling. The Souris boys were at quite a disadvantage, not being accustomed to an indoor rink.

The game got away at 8.15, the St. Peters boys taking the lead from the very first and holding it till the last period.

In the first period St. Peters succeeded in piling up the score of 4 while S. H. S. only found the net once.

St. Peters 4, S. H. S. 1.

The second period found both teams going strong, St. Peters having a slight advantage, nothing two more tallies, while the visitors did not succeed in passing Lewis.

Period ended St. Peters 6, S. H. S. 1.

In the third period S. H. S. set a furious pace and within five minutes tied the score, but the Bay boys were equal to the occasion

and two minutes later sagged the net behind St. John. The Souris boys again went through and put an easy one past Lewis. St. Peters again came on strong and netted two more. With four minutes to play S. H. S. made a desperate effort to score, and two minutes before the last gong sounded S. H. S. went through for the last score.

Game ended St. Peters 9, S. H. S. 3.

Ronald McInnis refereed in his usual capable manner, four penalties being handed out for minor offences.

For S. H. S. Brennan and McLean starred, while O'Hanley, R. Lewis and J. McKinnon played an excellent game for St. Peters.

FRIDAY

The second game of hockey was played between the Lower Montague school boys and Georgetown school boys in the Georgetown rink on Friday, March 7 and resulted in a victory for the Georgetown boys by a score of 5 to 3.

The Lower Montague boys were somewhat encouraged by the victory over the Montague boys, but the Georgetown boys showed them that they could be the winners even then.

Both teams played well and played a hard game. Lower Montague was saved many times from a greater defeat by the good work of A. Adams, D. Ross and Cowan.

Georgetown may well be proud of the School Hockey team. The players all did their share and special mention must be made of S. Walker and D. Lavers.

Referee—J. McConnell.

The Winnipeg Free Press of March 6th publishes the photographs of two young islanders, Cliff and Fred Wise, who have distinguished themselves as curlers in Manitoba.

The two brothers had skipped for separate teams through the whole winter's tournament, finally being the two survivors for the championship.

The contest between the two brothers was one of the sporting events of the season and aroused intense interest in curling circles.

The game contest was witnessed by the parents of the boys, Mr and Mrs. Fred Wise, who are nephews of Mr. A. R. Wise, grocer, Euston Street and formerly of Milton.

L. O. C. BOWLING

K. of C.
V. Coyle 143 241 157
R. McDonald 135 189 153
W. McDonald 173 136 203
W. Coyle 184 186 286
W. Kiggins 140 78 136

Total 775 830 940

C. N. R.

C. Craswell 140 196 183
J. Praught 164 149 132
J. Doyle 158 150 167
J. Herrel 145 128 159
C. Doyle 152 219 199

Total 759 842 819

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