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"GOOD SKATING.—For the past week there has been excellent skating on Morris Pond. The large crowd of skaters that nightly enjoy themselves there could easily make a rink a paying proposition to the financier who would spend a few dollars in such a laudable cause."

"GASCOMPTEC.—On Christmas day, the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Graham of Gaspareaux were lightened by the home coming of their son Jerome, dressed in the glorious uniform of the Canadian Soldier."

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NEW JERSEY MAN'S CHICKEN STORY CALDWELL, N. J., Jan. 13.—Knowing that it requires twenty-one days to hatch an egg by incubator or hen heat, William Rensch, a popular and here, figured that if the heat were increased twenty-one times an egg could be hatched in one day, thus saving much worry and anxiety.

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EASTERN PERSONALS

"Mr C. D. McKinnon, Souris, has returned from a business trip to Charlottetown."

"Messrs W. Anderson and J. F. Sterns of Souris were recent visitors to Charlottetown."

"Mr Richard St John, who has been spending his holidays with his parents in Souris, has returned to St Dunstan's College to resume his studies."

"Mr Patrick McQuaid, of Charlottetown, who has been spending the Christmas Holidays at Gowan Brae, the guest of Mr Alfred Mully, has returned to St Dunstan's College to resume his studies."

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In a moment a heavy volley rang out, and it was not until an officer, realizing the mistake, rushed out in front of the West Surreys that the firing ceased.

A nurse, writing afterward from the Estcourt Hospital, said it was little to see the West Surreys coming in one after the other, bringing cigarettes, dainties, any present they could find for the wounded men, then hearing their groans, turn away, saying, "Gad forgive us! This is our work!"

In such a gigantic conflict as the present war, with battle lines stretching 100 miles and more, similar mistakes are almost bound to occur. We know of two.

In the second week in August, when the French were fighting near Mulhausen, one regiment got far in advance of the others, and was ordered to go back.

As they returned, some of their comrades fired at them, under the impression that they were Germans. Twenty men were killed and a large number wounded.

It was this blunder that caused General Joffre to have cards printed in colors showing the uniforms and head dress of the various branches of the army. These have been distributed all through the army.

The other one happened in Belgium early in September. We have it on fairly good authority that a Saxon regiment fired upon some Bavarians, taking them for Belgians. As it was dark, at the time, the mistake is hardly to be wondered at.

There were the seven crippled German warships in Kiel harbor. The story is that two German squadrons in the Baltic opened fire on one another early on a misty morning, each taking the other for Russian ships. One of the strangest cases of troops firing upon their own people occurred in Rumania in the year 1885. At that time Rumania was in a very disturbed condition and bands of robbers—regular banditti—prowled over the country, raiding the villages and farms.

The largest of these bands made its headquarters in the forest of Rhodope and gradually increased until it became a 200 strong. It spread terror through the whole countryside, and at last the Government sent a body of troops to hunt it down.

The robber band was located on top of a mountain, and the colonel in command of the troops split his forces and sent half up each side, so as to attack from two points simultaneously.

MORE FACTS RELATIVE TO THE NEW EAGLE

NEW GLASGOW, Jan. 12.—Wednesday evening next will see the opening battle in the Eastern Nova Scotia professional hockey league, when Sydney and New Glasgow "face off" at the Arena here.

Since the formation of the league had become an historical fact in sport circles in this Province Chester Gregory has been on the spin getting together his team and by many practices they are now shaping up in good style. "Doc" Warman is on the job with his rabbit's paw as of old and believe us it has some peculiar and mystic power this season which will bring the local team out victorious, and could Joffre or French get a rabbit's paw like unto this one the doom of the Kaiser and his country would be sealed at once.

Speaking to Gregory he states that Nell Wilkie will be seen on the line-up of the locals this season, an attempt was made to secure Lester Lowther but it was found that he had gone to Upper Canada for a try out on one of the N. H. A. teams.

Billy Dunphy, the North Sydney boy may also be seen on the local line-up. Dunphy is one of the best in the hockey business he could only be kept in some kind of condition. Without a doubt there is not a single man in the hockey game in Eastern Canada who can place so much momentum in a piece of rubber, called a puck, when he draws a head on the goal nets. Dunphy is fast, a good stick handler and has a shot second to none and there is no doubt but that the New Glasgow moguls will sign him on.

Sydney will in all probability have Kiklin, Trenouth and Randall on their line-up, together with Richardson, the ex-Canadian player, and filling out their ranks with fast amateurs there will be an organization which will be hard to lick.

Gloucester Bay it is said have landed Tyle, who has made such a good showing lately in Upper Canada and they will also command the services of J. Wilkie and Jimmy Fraser and from the three teams in the league will have a good snappy bunch of players and will be able to produce the goods when the Pictou County fans attend the games looking for an "A. 1" brand of hockey.

The following is what the Sydney Post says of the last night of meeting of the league executives: The first business of the meeting was the appointment of the officers and executive. J. J. Curry was unanimously appointed president, and he immediately took the chair. N. W. Mason of New Glasgow, and G. S. Harrington of Gloucester Bay, were appointed vice presidents. The duties of secretary, which it was thought would not be very heavy, would be attended to by the president, in which he would have the assistance of Mr. Buckley.

The regular matter of the bonds to be given by each club for the completion of the series was then discussed by the representatives, and it was decided to fix the amount at \$400.00 the bonds to be signed and in the hands of the president previous to the first game of the series.

An Official Referee The league decided to appoint an official referee, who will have charge of the games of the series, as soon as it was possible to secure the services of a reliable official. The president was instructed to write the several centres and ascertain where the services of a competent man are available. A number of men were spoken of, among them Jack Twadell of Amherst, Godwin of Pictou, Ross and Bauld of Halifax and several others. In the meantime providing a man cannot be secured before the opening game, Chester Gregory was requested by the meeting to have Coup Wisener in New Glasgow to referee the game next week, when Sydney plays there. The double referee system was approved and the clubs agreed to split the expenses. The by-laws and constitution of the M. P. H. A. were adopted by the meeting.

Changes Are Made The regular hockey nights for the several towns were decided upon as being Wednesday at New Glasgow, Friday at Sydney, and Saturday at Gloucester Bay.

Mr. Gregory stated in this connection that since the meeting at Gloucester Bay he had been in communication with Mr. Mason, and he asked to have two of the dates changed for the New Glasgow-Gloucester Bay games, as it was difficult for their men to

be away from their homes on four Sundays, and that it was also too expensive as each trip would cost them \$180.00 in addition to the \$75.00 they received from Sydney. Mr. Harrington said it would be impossible for Gloucester Bay to accede to this as they could not be changing the hockey nights as it would interfere with the attendance and cause much trouble. Mr. Gregory insisted that his club would have to have some changes made in the playing dates before they could sign the bonds.

There was some further discussion on this matter, but the meeting got no further in the matter, and here the meeting adjourned, after drawing up a schedule of games for the season.

POINTS TO IMPORTANCE OF HEAVY GUNS IN WAR.

LONDON, January 13.—The conclusion is reached by the "official observer" attached to the British headquarters at the front in a report given out to-day, under date of January 8, that heavy guns are of supreme importance in modern warfare. Experiences in this war have caused many profound modifications of theories commonly held before it broke out," he says, "but no factor was so underestimated as the effect of high explosive projectiles fired by guns and howitzers.

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