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LANDRY BARRED AT NEW ORLEANS

Stewards' Decision Promulgated — Three Winning Favorites.

New Orleans, Jan. 5.—Thane, Peat and Rankin were the winning favorites. The stewards have restored Jockey Hicks to all privileges. They have recommended that Thomas Hatfield of the former firm of Hatfield & Ownby, be excluded from the grounds. Jockey Landry has been refused permission to accept mounts and denied all privileges. Weather clear; track slow.

First race, 7 furlongs—Thane, 100 (Michael), even, 1; Whang Doodle, 103 (Helgeson), 10 to 1, 2; Madenia, 103 (Battiste), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.35. Judge Durelle, Itacatara, Maxille, John Potter, Prince Webb and Lindle also ran.

Second race, selling, 1 mile—Peat, 127 (Otis), 2 to 1, 1; Russellton, 127 (Battiste), 10 to 1, 2; Blue Ridge, 120 (Helgeson), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.50. Ecome, Insolence, Guatama, James Fitz and Willar JJ. also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Ahumada, 112 (H. Michaels), 2 to 1, 1; Maghoul, 107 (Gannon), 4 to 5, 2; Blanco, 107 (Helgeson), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.17 3-5. Robert G. Lansing, Anserger, Crutchfield and Pastoral also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Wilful, 98 (Creamer), 6 to 5, 1; Major Mansir, 105 (Gannon), 12 to 1, 2; Scotch Plaid, 106 (Redfern), even, 3. Time 1.52 3-5. Three starters.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Mrs. Frank Foster, 105 (Scully), 7 to 1, 1; Scorpio, 121 (Gannon), 3 to 5, 2; Tom Maylin, 97 (Redfern), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.04 1-5. Florham, Nimble Down, imp. Corbiets, Boy and Silver Fringe also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Rankin, 95 (McIntyre), 2 to 1, 1; Chickadee, 105 (Redfern), 13 to 5, 2; Pyrrho, 107 (Gannon), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.54 1-5. Welcome Light, The Way, Lou Woods, Flora Levy, Bean, Lotter and Vesuvia also ran.

Opening at Oakland.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—Weather clear, track good. First race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Sea Edition, 8 to 5, 1; Mr. Dingle, 10 to 1, 2; Miss Dividend, 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.09.

Second race, 1⅛ miles, selling—Beana, 7 to 1, 1; Greyfield, 2 to 1, 2; Lou Wesea, 50 to 1, 3. Time 1.55.

Third race, 7 furlongs, selling—Princess Titania, 2 to 1, 1; Maggie Felix, 8 to 1, 2; Constellator, 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.27.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Irideus, 7 to 2, 1; Claude, 7 to 1, 2; Gravina, 7 to 10, 3. Time 1.14¾.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Bucolic, 8 to 1, 1; Fort Wayne, 6 to 5, 2; Gibraltar, 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.06.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Esherin, 4 to 1, 1; Illowaho, 5 to 2, 2; Orfeo, 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.41.

To-Day's Racing Card.

New Orleans Entries: First race, selling, ¾ mile—Anzeiger, Computation, Nimble Nag 106, John Coulter 105, Judge Cantrelle, Helen Hay 103, Knilight, Joan Carney, Pathos, Aurie B. 101, Heroine, Apple Bloom 96.

Second race, selling, ¾ mile—Montanic 108, Andes 105, Boundless 104, Ben Mora 102, Dr. Scherff, Censor 101, contestant 99.

Third race, ¾ mile—Kalcma, El Rey 112, imp. Planudes 108, Gov. Sayres 105, Miss Shanley 103, Thane 102, White Owl, Nimble Down, Valleda, The Stewardess 100.

Fourth race, handicap, 6½ furlongs—Sheriff Bell 115, Glendon 112, Star and Garter 107, Mameelle, Farmer Jim 105, Mrs. Frank Foster 103.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Peat, Jerry Hunt, Graden, Grantor 112, Lord Neville, Telomon 108, Lady Alberta 107, The Black Scot, Toddy 105, Glen Nellie, Mollie T. 100.

Sixth race, selling, 1⅛ miles—Tatheen 106, Swordsman 105, Georgia Gardner 104, Mosketo, Satin Coat 103, Falsclead, Wunderlich 102, Chickadee 98, Pay the Fiddler, Irving Mayor, Simoon 97, Lou Woods 96.

Hamilton Gun Club Tourney.

Hamilton, Jan. 5.—The program for the 15th annual tournament of the Hamilton Gun Club to be held on the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th of the present month, has been issued. The Program Committee has done its work well, and the various events should attract a large number of expert shooters. The program in full is as follows:

First day—Event No. 1—Ten live birds; $200 guaranteed; handicap, 26 to 33 yards; entrance $5.

Event No. 2—Twenty live birds, $500 cash guaranteed, and $50 trophy to high gun in this event, surplus added; handicap 26 to 33 yards; entrance $15, including birds.

Event No. 3—10 targets, sweep, entrance $1.

Event No. 4—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 5—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Event No. 6—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 7—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 8—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Second day—Event No. 12—Ten live birds, $100 guaranteed, surplus added; entrance $5.

Event No. 13—10 targets, sweep, entrance $1.

Event No. 14—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 15—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Event No. 16—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 17—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 18—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Event No. 19—20 targets, $20 guaranteed entrance $2.

Event No. 20—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 21—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Third day—Event No. 22—Ten live birds, $100 guaranteed, surplus added, entrance $5.

Event No. 23—10 targets, sweep, entrance $1.

Event No. 24—20 targets, $20 guaranteed entrance $2.

Event No. 25—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Event No. 26—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 27—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 28—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Event No. 29—20 targets, $20 guaranteed entrance $2.

Event No. 30—20 targets, $20 guaranteed, entrance $2.

Event No. 31—15 targets, sweep, entrance $1.50.

Fourth day—Event No. 32—Ten live birds, entrance $5, birds extra.

Target sweeps for those who wish to shoot.

Queen City Yacht Club.

All members of the Queen City Yacht Club are requested to make a special effort to attend the regular monthly meeting, which is to be held this evening at the club house, at 8 o'clock. The Executive Committee will bring in recommendations regarding matters of great importance to the club, and this, together with other business, will form a meeting of unusual interest to members. The Entertainment Committee are preparing for another of their most successful concerts, which, in all probability, will be held during the latter part of the month. The annual club dinner will be held about the middle of next month, the exact date having not as yet been decided upon. The club also intend holding one of their popular at-homes at an early date.

CRACK CURLERS CLASH TO-NIGHT

At Least Winners Will Possess Tolerable Knowledge of the Game.

The Ice Committee of the single rink competition met on Monday night, and decided to have the first round started to-night. Cold weather is promised, and the draws, with the ice location for the opening play, are as follows:

—On Granite Ice.—

1—Cannon (P.) v. Hood (Cal.)
2—Orr (G.) v. Wellington (Q.C.).
3—Scott (P.) v. Boerch (G.).
4—Gooderham (G.) v. Scott (Q.C.).
5—Prentice (Cal.) v. MacArthur (Tor.).
6—Snow (P.) v. Gray (Q.C.).

—Queen City Ice.—

1—Miller (G.) v. Gordon (Tor.).
2—Elmore (P.P. v. Rice (Q.C.).
3—Dalton (G.) v. King (P.).
4—Witchell (C.) v. Jones (Tor.).
5—Duthie (P.) v. Hargraft (G.).

—Prospect Park Ice.—

1—Mansell (G.) v. Inglis (Tor.).
2—Lyon (Q.C.) v. Matthews (G.).
3—Rennie (Cal.) v. Forbes (P.P.).
4—Dame (Tor.) v. Ince (Q.C.).

—Victoria Ice.—

1—McFadden (G.) v. McMillan (P.).
2—Nelson (P.P.) v. Leonard (Tor.).
3—McGill (Q.C.) v. Shields (G.).

—Parkdale Ice.—

1—Drummond (Tor.) v. McCulloch (P.P.).
2—Gibson (P.) v. Thompson (L.).
3—Maule (Tor.) v. Duffett (Q.C.).
4—Badenach (G.) v. Harris (P.).

Scottish Curlers' Visit.

There will be a slight re-arrangement of dates in Western Ontario for the Scottish curlers' tour of Ontario. The visitors will play in Peterboro Jan. 20, and will be here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, remaining in Toronto Jan. 25, the visit to the Falls being made on their return from Winnipeg. The curlers will visit all the places originally scheduled in the west.

Baseball of Long Ago.

Roger Connor, who for many years covered first base for the New York team that was deservedly called "Giants," now the manager of the Springfield team of the New England League, was asked this question the other day: "Are the players of the present day superior to the old-timers?"

"No, sir," was Roger's reply. "We played just as fast, good and scientific ball when I was in my prime as a player as now. We had the hit-and-run game down just as fine then as now, but we were trained to 'place' the ball into right field when there was a runner on first. If the base hit was made it shoved the runner along to third, and a slow hit toward second acted as a sacrifice, the same as now.

"Now the bunt hit is relied instead, and I can't say that it appeals to me at all. It may be well to try it in a very close game, but on the whole I think the old hit it out' game was the best.

"I wonder what the youngsters of to-day would do with such speedy pitchers as big Jim Whitney, Charlie Radbourn, Johnny Ward, Tim Keefe, Larry Corcoran, Fred Goldsmith, Charlie Buffington and other cyclone twirlers, who could then turn their backs and take a running jump at the batter. They were right on top of you.

"Why, I had a batting average of .380 on the grounds when I led the league, under those conditions. Now the pitcher has to face the batter, and you can see the ball all the way.

"And, as to fielding and base-running, we were superior to the players of to-day, and we had no mitts as big as hams to protect our hands, nor pads a foot thick to shield us. If my 'lamps' were good I could pay and bat as well as ever, and at that I don't see where any of the youngsters have me skinned much now."

President Applegath Off to N.Y.

President Jess Applegath left last night for New York, where he will, in company with Manager Barrow, represent Toronto at the meeting of the Eastern League on Friday.

Canadians' Decisive Victory.

Harrogate, England, Jan. 5.—(Telegram Cable.)—The Canadian footballers won a decisive victory here to-day, the score at the end of the match being 8 goals to 0.

A heavy rain fell during the match, and the ground was a perfect quagmire. There was a crowd of over 1200 in attendance. Near the close of half-time Schofield made a try, which McClure converted.

The game was most stubbornly fought by both sides, Canada excelled in scrimmage, and rushed their opponents as they liked. Canada's forwards were too strong for their opponents, the Yorkshiremen were of heavier build. The victory for the Canadians was not unexpected.

The Canadians have arranged the following extra matches: At Perth, Jan. 8; Bristol, Jan. 19, and Portsmouth, Jan. 24.

Sporting Notes.

Terry McGovern has been matched to fight Ben Jordan in London on Derby night before the National Sporting Club. A side bet of at least $5000 at even money will be made on the result.

A Detroit paper says that Sam Wagner of Chicago has leased the Windsor track for a number of years and contemplates holding a meeting of larger proportions than has ever been held on the Canadian course.

Willie Anderson, champion of the west and last year's champion of the United States, has been engaged as professional by the Onwentsia Golf Club of Chicago. Anderson is now on a visit to Scotland, but will return in time to assume his new duties in the spring.

Daniel J. Campau, president of the Detroit Driving Club, says that the Grand Circuit meeting will open at Detroit next season, despite reports to the contrary. Columbus is making an effort to start the ball rolling, but Mr. Campau feels sure that the stewards will recognize Detroit.

Dal Hawkins, the California pugilist, will sail for England on Wednesday to prepare for his battle in London with Jabez White, one of the best featherweight pugilists of Great Britain. In White the American will meet one of the cleverest boxers ever developed in England. White has met all the best men in his class, and outfought them all.

"B" Co., Q.O.R., baseball team will play their third match with the 9th Field Battery to-day at 8.30 p.m. The game promises to be a very exciting one. Both teams have been working hard this year and are old hands at the game, and it is expected that it will be hotly contested. All members are requested to be present, and to be prepared to use their lungs to the best advantage.

CHICAGO MANUFACTURERS AROUSED

May Proceed Against Coal Dealers and Coal Carrying Roads.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The directorate of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association held a meeting to-day to consider the advisability of instituting criminal proceedings against the coal dealers and coal-carrying railroads, charged with being responsible for the present fuel famine. Evidence gathered during a fortnight by the various members of the organization, which evidence is said to show the existence of a conspiracy to extort high prices from consumers, was considered at great length and the conference resulted in the appointment of a committee with instructions to continue the investigation and report at a future meeting.

Fell 600 Feet to Death.

Hurley, Wis., Jan. 5.—Three miners were killed in the Windsor mine to-day. They were descending into the mine riding on the skip, and lost their balance, falling 600 feet.

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HOCKEY ON ELECTION NIGHT

Varsity Beaten by the Ontarios at Port Hope, Score 11 Goals to 3.

MANY O.H.A. MATCHES DECIDED

Intermediates and Juniors Play at Markham, Richmond Hill, Woodstock, Paris, Etc.

Port Hope, Jan. 5.—Varsity's first game in their eastern tour resulted in defeat at the hands of the Ontarios of Port Hope in an exhibition game here to-night before a large crowd by a score of 11 to 3. The puck was faced at 8.30, and Housser scored the first goal for Varsity, in six minutes. Port Hope took the next two in six and two minutes, respectively. Wood, who played a star game for Varsity, scored next in four minutes. McMillan then added another for Port Hope in two minutes, followed by Housser for Varsity in four minutes. Bonicy, for Port Hope, scored in one minute, leaving the score 4-3 at half-time in favor of the home team.

In the second half Port Hope had decidedly the better of the game, scoring seven goals to Varsity's none. The teams lined up as follows:

Varsity (3)—Goal, Carruth; point, Evans; cover-point, Brown; forwards, Wood, Housser, Caulfield and Dillabough.

Ontarios (11)—Goal, Mercer; point, Roache; cover-point, Brown; forwards, Bonicy, Brown, McMillan and Masterson.

Referee H. Reid gave entire satisfaction to both teams.

Uxbridge 6, Markham 4.

Uxbridge, Jan. 5.—The first match of the O.H.A. No. 3 intermediate district was played here to-night, Uxbridge team winning by a score of 6 to 4. The names of the players were:

Markham (4)—Goal, E. Maxwell; point, H. Gee; cover-point, G. Sullivan; rover, H. Witcoak; forwards, A. Maxwell, F. Stubbs, R. Loree.

Uxbridge (6)—Goal, J. H. Chinn; point, J. Coombe; cover-point, G. H. Campbell; rover, I. Lott; forwards, Dr. Gilliland, E. C. Gould, F. Gordon.

Stratford Juniors Won.

Stratford, Jan. 5.—The first of the O.H.A. championship games was played here to-night between the junior teams of Stratford and Owen Sound, the former winning easily by a score of 13 to 1. The teams lined up as follows:

Owen Sound (1)—Goal, Hammond; point, McDonald; cover, Crookshanks; forwards, Maitland, Goodall, Pointer, Morris.

Stratford (13)—Goal, Keller; point, Bradshaw; cover, Forbes; forwards, Fraser, Lloyd, Grantin, Schweitzer.

Referee—R. T. Hamilton, Guelph.

Port Perry Intermediates Won.

Port Perry, Jan. 5.—The first match of the intermediate series in District No. 3, O.H.A., was played here to-night between Stouffville and Port Perry, resulting in a victory for the home team by 12 to 5. The teams:

Stouffville (5)—Goal, S. Weldon; point, W. M. Scott; cover, A. Graham; rover, C. C. Tamblyn; forwards, C. Armstrong, B. Sanders, W. Sanders.

Port Perry (12)—Goal, W. Hicks; point, H. Callaghan; cover, J. C. Dennison; rover, C. Dennison; forwards, G. Vansyckler, H. Anderson, J. Paquet.

Referee—W. W. Muir.

Penetang 6, Victoria Harbor 3.

Victoria Harbor, Jan. 5.—An exceedingly fast and exciting game of hockey in Group No. 1 junior O.H.A. was played here between the Penetang and home juniors, resulting in a victory for Penetang, the score being 6 to 3. The teams were as follows:

Penetang (6)—Goal, Ballie; point, Allen; cover, Beck; forwards, McBrine, A. McLaughlin, L. McLaughlin, Smyth.

Victoria Harbor (3)—Goal, Stewart; point, Turnbull; cover, L. McKinnon; forwards, A. McKinnon, Oulette, H. McKinnon and Kinnee.

Woodstock 4, Cimcoe 2.

Woodstock, Jan. 5.—The opening game in the O.H.A. intermediate hockey series was played here to-night, resulting in the locals' favor by a score of 4 to 2. At half time the score stood 2 to 1 for Woodstock. The ice was in good shape and a good attendance of spectators witnessed a very exciting game. Referee Cornell acted as referee. The line up was as follows:

Simcoe (2): Goal, Winters; point, Crib; cover, Austin; forwards, Coates, Elliott, Catt, Rowe.

Woodstock (4): Goal, Sy. Maltman; point, White; cover, Calster; forwards, McLennan, Young, Pascoe, McLurg.

Orillia Beat Coldwater.

Orillia, Jan. 5.—In a good, fast exhibition, Orillia Juniors defeated Coldwater in a championship O.H.A. game by 9 to 4. The score is no indication of the play, as the visitors were in the game all the time. Charlie Corbett, Orillia, made a good referee. Scott, W. Arnold and Colley were the stars for the visitors, and Harry Curran and Harry Jupp were prominent for the locals. The following was the line-up:

Orillia (9)—Goal, H. Bailie; J. McLean, J. Andrews, Gordon Pace, Percy Thomson, Harry Jupp, Harry Curran.

Coldwater (4)—Goal, A. Irwin; C. Scott, W. Arnold, John Colley, Cliff Orton, Sampson Quantrell, Herb Arnold.

Referee—Charlie Corbett, Orillia. Umpires—Harvey Corbeau and W. Mills.

Extra Time at Kingston.

Kingston, Jan. 5.—The first of the O.H.A. matches was played here to-night before a fairly large audience. The K.B.C. Ramblers crossed sticks with the Frontenac team in the intermediate series. The teams looked condition, as was evident from their play, the at times the game was brilliant. In the first half the home team scored five points, while only three went to the visitors. The score at full time was five all. Half an hour's overtime was required to settle the result. The final score was: K.B.C.-Ramblers 6, Frontenac 7.

Prescott (7): Goal, Hannable; point, Tynier; cover, Hill; forwards, Easter, Farnham, Deleau, Callegham.

K.B.C.-Ramblers (6): Goal, Nicholson; point, Bond; cover, Van Horn; forwards, Oldrieve, Powell, Seale, Ashley.

Referee—Dr. Dalton.

Galt Lost at Paris.

Paris, Jan. 5.—Another hockey season was opened here to-night by a splendid game between Galt and Paris in the Palace Rink. The game was intermediate series of O.H.A. The Paris team were too much for their opponents and crowded their goal from the start. At half time they had two games to their credit, while Galt had yet to begin to count. In the last half Paris took three more, then Galt scored two within the last ten minutes, making the final score Paris 5, Galt 2. The players were:

Galt (2): Goal, Whitney; point, Lee; cover-point, Twaits; forwards, C. Dietrich, B. Dietrich, Robson, Bourne.

Paris (5): Goal, Fraser; point, Brown; cover-point, Kuhlman; forwards, Taylor, Munn, Kempthorne, Cline.

Referee—Hugh Jack of Brantford.

Richmond Hill 8, Aurora 7.

Richmond Hill, Jan. 5.—The first hockey match of the season in Richmond Hill was played to-night between the Aurora and Richmond Hill teams, in which the visitors were defeated by a score of 8 to 7. The game was a clean, fast exhibition, exciting to the call of time, and always in doubt. Glover and Simms were the pick of the home team, while Pringle, Sisman and Nelson were the best of the visitors. W. Clifford gave entire satisfaction as referee. The teams lined up as follows:

Aurora (7): Goal, Nelson; point, Webster; cover-point, Waites; forwards, Pringle, Browning, Sisman and McMahon.

Richmond Hill (8): Goal, Goode; point, Simms; cover, Boyle; forwards, Treach, Glover, Glass, Elliston.

Hockey Games To-Night.

The second game in the Senior Bank Hockey League series will be played to-night at Victoria Rink between Toronto and Imperial, while in the intermediate O. H. A. series St. Georges will meet the Wellesleys at the Mutual-street Rink. In the Lacrosse-Hockey League T. Eaton Co. team play Waverleys. The following are the scheduled games:

O.H.A.: St. Georges at Wellesleys.

Bank League: Toronto v. Imperial at Victoria Rink at 8 o'clock.

Lacrosse-Hockey League: Senior T. Eaton Co. v. Waverleys.

Western Ontario H. A.: Intermediate Guelph at Elora, Ayr at Galt, Milton at Preston.

Exhibition game: Varsity at Belleville.

Hockey in Mutual St. Rink.

The following are the fixtures at the Mutual-street Rink for this week:

Tuesday—4 to 6.30, Toronto Skating Club; 7 to 8, Wellington Hockey Club; 8.30 to 10, St. George Int. v. Wellesley; 10 to 11, St. George Senior.

Wednesday—3.30 to 4.30, Upper Canada College; 4.30 to 5.30, St. Andrew's College; 5.30 to 6.30, Varsity; 7 to 8, Marlboro; 8 to 9, Wellingtons; 9 to 10, Trinity; 10 to 11, St. George.

Thursday—3.30 to 4.30, Upper Canada College; 4.30 to 5.30, St. Andrew's College; 5.30 to 6.30, Varsity; 7 to 8, Wellesleys; 8 to 9, Wellingtons; 9 to 10, St. George; 10 to 11, Marlboros.

Friday—3.30 to 4.30, Upper Canada College; 4.30 to 5.30, St. Andrew's College; 5.30 to 6.30, Varsity; 7 to 8, Wellesleys; 8 to 9, Trinity; 9 to 10, St. George; 10 to 11, Marlboros.

Saturday morning—9.30 to 10.30, St. Andrew's College; 10.30 to 11.30, Trinity University. Afternoon—4 to 6.30, Toronto Skating Club; 8 to 10, senior championship game, Wellingtons v. St. George; 10 to 11, Varsity.

Montreal Getting Desperate.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—At a meeting of the Montreal Hockey Club, held to-night to consider the Stanley Cup question, it was decided to ask the Provincial Hockey League to vote as to where Montreal would be allowed to play the Winnipeg Victorias two out of three matches for the cup, as ordered by the trustees. They agreed to the request of Montreal, and sent the following message to Ottawa and Quebec:

"Montreal requests telegraph vote on two out of three Stanley Cup matches. Wire vote and state if any objections to the procedure."

Morrisburg Won by 3 to 2.

Morrisburg, Ont., Jan. 5.—The first hockey match in the intermediate series of the O.H.A. in this section was played here to-night between Iroquois and Morrisburg. Score 3 to 2 in favor of the home team. It was stubbornly contested thruout. The teams were:

Iroquois (2): Goal, Barkely; point, Donaldson; cover, Services; forwards, Coulter, Lauder, Ross, Finn.

Morrisburg (3): Goal, Hummell; point, Scheck; cover, Doran; forwards, McLaughlin, Galer, Hummell, Malen.

Referee—F. R. Chalmers, Morrisburg.

Bank League Game To-Night.

The second Bank League game of the season is scheduled for to-night on Victoria ice, when Imperial faces the crack Toronto team. The players are:

Toronto: Goal, Fellowes; point, Grey; cover-point, McKay; forwards, Clemens, McCallum, Wylie.

Imperial: Goal, Saunders; point, Rolph; cover-point, Smith; forwards, Young, Cocurane, Keele.

Old Orchards 14, Weston A.C. 1.

The Old Orchards beat the Western A.C. in a junior Lacrosse-Hockey League game to-night on Old Orchard ice by 14 to 1. It was a good fast game and clean. Referee Booth sent four men to the fence for cross-checking and hooting the puck. The teams were:

Old Orchards (14): Goal, Stewart; point, Carpbell; cover, Sproule; forwards, Marshall, Fleming, Lapatnikoff, Clayson.

Western A.C. (1): Goal, Thayer; point, Scully; cover, Parker; forwards, Ware, Lynn, Hunter, Inglis.

Referee—J. H. Booth of the T. Eaton Co.

Stratford Player Leaves Pittsbug.

Pittsburg, Jan. 5.—Officials of the Western Pennsylvania Hockey League met at Duquesne Garden Sunday afternoon to consider matters pertaining to the league. The cases of several players who were fined for four week were under discussion.

Manager Walter Thompson of the Keystones reported that he had released Sweitzer, one of his wings, and Sweitzer had signed with Stratford. Sweitzer did not add any strength to the Keystones, who expect to have several star players in the game a week from Tuesday. The names of the players and the intentions of the Keystone management are being kept under cover.

Owing to the Frontenacs of Kingston changing their dates from the latter part of this week to some time next month, no hockey game is scheduled for next Friday night.

Montreal to Play Winnipeg.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—The Montreal Hockey Club will play for the Stanley Cup as the trustees have ordered. When the news was received here yesterday that the trustees had ordered two matches there was a good deal of talk and the officials of the club had many a talk during the hockey match at the Arena. The result was that a letter was written and mailed to Trustee Rees practically agreeing to his conditions. The matter will be finally settled to-morrow.

After the Puck.

W. A. Callaghan of Ottawa College has elected to play with his home team at Prescott, while A. M. Fink, who lives temporarily at Cardinal, wants a permit to play with Iroquois.

The hockey match which was to have been played in the Varsity rink last night between the Waverleys and the St. Albans, has been postponed until next Friday night, owing to the soft condition of the ice.

Cam McArthur, who played a crack game at point for Varsity a couple of years ago, has been located at Pittsburg for some time, and plays his favorite position on the Keystone team, while his brother Reg. is a member of the Victoria aggregation.

Secretary W. A. Buchanan has received applications for permits from Blind River to play McKay and Town. The former, a resident of Thessalon, intends to move to Blind River, while McKay, a former resident of Orillia, has lived in Blind River since Oct. 12. Their applications will be considered by the Executive.

A Toronto man has just returned from a visit to Pittsburg, where he saw Princeton and Yale University teams play a couple of matches. The former has a good team, but Yale was lamentably weak. Yale was permitted to play off-side without being subject to a penalty, the idea being to equalize the teams some. Buzzer Gordon is playing with the Keystones, and so is young Sweitzer, the Stratford youngster. Gordon is at cover, while Sweitzer acts as substitute. All the Pittsburg teams were strong.

New York State's Boxing Bill.

New York, Jan. 5.—A new boxing bill providing for first-class bouts between professionals or amateurs is to be introduced at Albany this session. The sport is to be governed with iron-clad rules, while the state will be the beneficiary, receiving a portion of the gross receipts in the same way as now from racing associations. The state is to be represented by a boxing commission of five persons, which will have power to regulate the sport. It is proposed to take the tax off trotting associations, leaving it only on running associations, on the ground that the money received from the former sport goes mainly to the support of country fairs.

Friendly Bowling Match.

A friendly bowling match was rolled on election night over the Liederkranz alleys, the result being as follows:

Liederkranz A.		Sunshine.	
Mills	536	Markey	553
Holtman	504	Dudley	504
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FIREMEN CLASH WITH CHIEF

Question of Union Among Employes of Department Promises to Provoke Serious Discord.

ONE THIRD OF FORCE ORGANIZED

Hamilton Has Blazed the Way and Toronto is Asked to Follow.

The Toronto Fire Department is wrestling with the union problem just now. It promises to provoke a good deal of discord. In fact it is commonly understood that 17 transfers announced by Chief Thompson to the Fire and Light Committee in his last report, were due to this trouble. About one-third of the force of 185 members are supposed to have joined the Firemen's union. The exact number Chief Thompson does not know. He is unqualifiedly opposed to such an organization and has told the men so. He thinks it calculated to prejudice discipline and the force understands clearly what his position is and he says emphatically that he does not propose to have the discipline of the force interfered with.

Organization Gaining Ground.

J. B. Huddleston, a stereotyper and organizer of the Dominion Trades and Labor Council, began the organization of the firemen some two months ago. Fireman Geo. Wilkes was made temporory president, but the position was made vacant by death a week ago. The organization seems to be gaining members right along, but Chief Thompson is of the opinion that the best members of the force are not yet affiliated with the union. Just what the outcome will be is uncertain. The men claim to have a precedent—Hamilton. That is the only fire department on the American Continent, so the chief understands, where there is a union, but Hamilton has had a union for over a year. There the force is composed of 40, and the men in Toronto use as an argument for their organization that the salaries of the Hamilton force were advanced a year ago to the figures now paid firemen in Toronto.

Chief Thompson admits that the men here are not drawing as much money as they should, or at least, not any more, but he denies that the city can be coerced like an ordinary corporation by a union of any kind. He does not think this is the way for the men to get their salaries advanced and he tells them so.

Plenty of Applications.

If the men contemplate a strike they should know that there are applications now in the chief's possession from more than 250 good men for positions on the force. Chief Thompson called Organizer Huddleston into his office recently and had a long talk with him on the subject. He explained his position and his unalterable determination to permit nothing to interfere with the firm spirit of discipline he has infused into the force. He said the organizer went out with the remark that he had never locked at the case in that light before.

Where the Chief Stands.

"I am avowedly in favor of organized labor," explained the chief to The World, "but in this direction the idea is not feasible. This force is the representative of the whole people, regardless of their ideas on the subject of labor organizations. Therefore the men should avoid taking sides on that question. Suppose, as an example of the complications which might arise, we were called to extinguish a fire in a factory where there was a strike. A force of union firemen, in sympathy with union laborers on a strike, might easily lay themselves liable to the charge of permitting a factory to be destroyed because of that sympathy.

Has Talked With the Men.

"It is a question, in my opinion, that does not belong to a municipal department. I have talked with the men. I will not say that the recent transfers were based upon this objection, but I will say that there are other changes to be made. Our duty is to the public first. I have the interest of the force much to heart. I want to see their conditions improved. I think it is a right and a wrong way to advance one's interests and I don't consider a union the right way by a good deal in this case. Our spirit of discipline is too high to permit a retrograde movement and I will not be permitted if I can prevent it. There is plenty of good material for firemen in Toronto."

In the meantime the men assert that postal clerks are organized as well as many other classes of municipal and governmental service, for the purpose of advancing their interests, and they see no reason why they should not have any benefit that union organization confers on its members, and there you are.

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G. McC. Wilson returned to the city on Dec. 31. His many friends will regret to learn that on New Year's Day he was operated on for appendicitis by Drs. J. F. W. Ross and C. J. Hastings of Grace Hospital, where he is now lying in a very critical condition.

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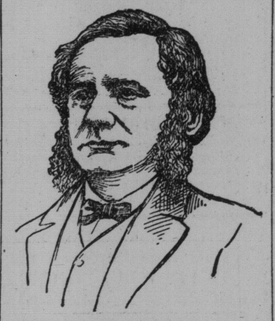

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

J. R. Chisholm Elected Mayor of Toronto Junction by Majority of Sixty-Four.

ALL OLD COUNCILLORS RE-ELECTED

With Four New Faces—Tie in Election to the Public School Board.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 5.—The municipal elections here to-day resulted in a change in the mayoralty, the re-election of all the old council and the election of four new faces to the council. J. R. Chisholm is mayor by a majority of 64, and he has with him a strong following in the council. The elected candidates, with their totals, are as follows:

Mayor—J. R. Chisholm 619, R. Armstrong 555.

Ward 1—M. Beatty 97, A. Hain 96.

Ward 2—J. Bull 144, W. Ford 140.

Ward 3—J. Wright 156, W. A. Baird 145.

Ward 4—W. W. Howell 173, W. J. Sheppard 157.

In the evening rockets were sent up from the corner of Keele and Dundas-streets, and a large crowd assembled in Kilburn Hall to hear the successful candidates speak. Ex-Mayor P. Laughton presided and introduced the mayor-elect, J. R. Chisholm, who said that he felt very proud, for the electors had elected him to the highest position in their gift. He referred to the opposition he had received from both local papers and felt the more proud because of his substantial majority. He said his policy would be one of permanent sidewalks and the paving of Dundas-street by degrees. He thought a new sewerage system would be required for the whole southern portion of the town and this matter would receive his consideration. He hoped to do business so as to merit a second term and did not expect to ask for a third.

Mayor Armstrong said he stood before them the defeated candidate of Toronto Junction. He had met the same fate which every candidate had met who aspired to a third term. He would take his defeat philosophically. He was relieved from a great burden and hoped that the change made would not be a hindrance to the town's progress. He said the town was bound to go forward and while defeated he would take the same interest in the town's welfare as he had always done.

The defeated candidates addressed the assemblage first and the victorious candidates afterwards. For the most part the speeches showed a desire on the part of the elected candidates to act in the interests of the town and work for its future development; but some invectives were indulged in which did not make the meeting harmonious throughout. The good nature of the audience, however, was shown by cheering the defeated candidates and giving them a good hearing.

In the new council are two druggists and two milkmen. As newly-elected councillor Wright said in his speech to-night the town will