

# London Intermediates Play Three Games Within Next Five Days

## WALLACEBURG RESENTS STAND TAKEN BY A. A. U.

Glass Town Officials Term Ban On Boxing Harsh Measure.

### NO COMPLAINT MADE

State Full Reports of All Shows Published in the Papers.

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, Feb. 5.—The decision meted out by the registration committee of the A. A. U. of C. in Toronto outlawing boxing bouts held here, has been received with great surprise and indignation in the Glass Town, where efforts have at all times been made to uphold every kind of sport in a straightforward manner. Local fans are asking why should any town be subjected to the ruling of such an organization as the A. A. U. of C. against its wishes, especially small towns, which find it hard to make ends meet for the benefit of sport without having the burden of extra fees and percentages of the gate turned over to any organization from which practically no benefit is received.

To start with the Wallaceburg A. A. U. is purely an amateur body, and the boxing tournaments have been strictly amateur, and run on the same lines as those in London and St. Thomas. The proceeds have been devoted to a worthy cause—a fine building which was erected last fall in Steinbock Memorial Park, at a great expense for the use of all those taking part in the sports of the town.

Have Amateur Cards. This building, which is complete as far as the exterior is concerned, will before spring be fitted with shower baths, lockers, and every convenience for the players, and in order to get this work completed, the association has staged its boxing bouts, ignoring the fact that there might be other "powers that be" who would have to have their say.

Further, it may be stated that practically every man in Wallaceburg has taken part in these bouts has an amateur card either for lacrosse or baseball, and therefore eligible to take part in such bouts without having to procure fresh cards.

And still further, it must be stated that on no occasion has the W. A. A. U. withheld from publication the reports of its bouts, but details of which have been fully reported by special correspondents and transmitted to the various papers.

No Warning Received.

Therefore, it is perfectly clear that the Wallaceburg officials have not been trying to "put anything over" on the A. A. U. of C. No intimation has been received here that any complaint had been made, and it is felt that before such a decision was handed out by the A. A. U. of C., the Wallaceburg officials should have in all fairness been notified of the complaint and given an opportunity to make their reply. But as has occurred in other cases of amateur sports, in Western Ontario, they have been ignored and subjected to the ruling of boards upon which the western counties have practically no representation.

Under the circumstances local officials feel they have absolutely no charge to answer, in no way have they done anything to jeopardize the amateur standing of any of their men and in no way do they feel under any obligation to the A. A. U. of C.

### BRITISH RUGBY

Associated Press Despatch. London, Feb. 4.—In two rugby football games played today Llanelli defeated Cross Keys by 8 to 0, and Air Force defeated Exeter by 12 to 0.

## HAIR STAYS COMBED, GLOSSY

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Even stubborn, unruly or shampooed hair stays combed all day in any style you like. "Hair-Groom" is a dignified combing cream which gives that natural gloss and well-groomed effect to your hair—that final touch to good dress both in business and on social occasions. "Hair-Groom" is greaseless; also helps grow thick, heavy, lustrous hair. Beware of greasy, harmful imitations.—Advt.

## Arena Arranges Speed Skating

Patrons of the local arena will be treated to a special attraction Thursday night when four of Canada's outstanding speed skaters will perform here. They are E. Stephenson and Jackie Marr and Kathleen McRae and Elma Herman, all of Toronto.

The arena management is not making any increased charge for this special exhibition. The regular skating will continue after the skaters perform.

Jackie Marr, who is but 11 years old, will take on any youngster up to the age of 15 in speed contests, while Mr. Stephenson will give an exhibition of barrel jumping and figure skating. The other ladies will assist in the latter with solo and duet numbers of their own.

## HOCKEY MAY GET BETTER POSITION

Proposal Is Suggested as Result of Canada's Sensational Victory.

### NORWAY IS WINNER

Associated Press Despatch.

Chamonix, Feb. 4.—Canada's great national winter sport may assume a more important place in the list of Olympic games in future. Following yesterday's sensational contest, in which Canada defeated the United States by six goals to one, a proposal is being discussed today for a complete revision of the methods of scoring the Olympic winter sports in order to give hockey the position of importance which the admirers of this great game believe to be its due. The proposal came from an exchange of views and suggestions by the delegates to the Olympic committee, participants in this winter's sports, who talked over the subject at a banquet last night, presided over by Baron Pierre de Coubertin, president of the International Olympic committee. The baron came to Chamonix yesterday especially to see the United States and Canadian teams in the final hockey match. Once the game was over the two teams buried the hatchet and Captains Monroe of the Canadian team and Small of the United States cordially drank each other's health at the feast.

The hockey results were the subject of the speeches of the evening, and all the delegates, except the Swedes, expressed the desire that the points awarded in the game be raised above those for other events, such as fancy skating, bob-sledding and curling. Baron de Coubertin agreed with the suggestion, and the next international meeting some of the speakers put forward the idea of counting fifty points for the hockey finals and others suggested counting elimination games at ten points, the winners and the semi-finals at twenty-five points.

Norway made a runaway race of the last two ski events in the Olympic winter sports, winning first place in the entire series with a total of 134 points, 58 points to spare over Finland, which finished second. Great Britain has taken third place, displacing Austria by virtue of winning seven points in the bob-sleigh events and four points in the slalom, while the United States remains fourth with 26 points. Austria is fifth with 25.

Canada jumped from the bottom ninth position by her 6 to 1 victory over the United States hockey team.

## WYOMING SKATING ARENA SCENE OF BIG CARNIVAL

Special to The Advertiser.

Livestock, Feb. 4.—A very large number of enthusiastic skaters were at the rink for the grand carnival. Music was furnished by the reorganized town band. A number of prizes were won by various contestants as follows: Oldest skater on the ice, John A. McLean, youngest, Rhoden Case; best comic, best boy, Jean Brownlee; best skater, Vida Hawkins and Will Canton; best skaters under 15, Jean Rice and Glen Scharf. The boys' race was won by Glen Scharf and the girls' by Ellen Rice. The best couple prize was won by Helen Lee and Lorne McIntee; under 10, Jean Crabb and Cecil Case; gentleman skater under 10, Cecil Case; gentleman's race, nine times round the rink, L. McIntee; ladies', three times, Reta Ogilvie; bicycle, W. Canton.

Some very pretty costumes were noticed: Vida Hawkins, as a Valentine, in white decorated with flaming red hearts; Helen Lee represented the spirit of the snow; Reta Ogilvie made a sparkling and striking gipsy; Bill Canton was in gipsy costume also; Lorne McIntee played the part of Charlie Chaplin with ability. Many fancy dress costumes; others were presented as pierrots and dandies. A hot dog stall did a continuous business.

### S. S. CLASS HOLD TEA

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Livestock, Feb. 4.—Mrs. E. G. McDonald's Sunday school class held a tea and sale of baking this afternoon in Knox Church Guild room. The sum of \$35 was realized for the mission fund of the class. The committee in charge were Elsie Pirie, Irene Stewart, Mary Crawford, Gladys McLean, Vera Fletcher, Florence McIntyre, Alice McIntosh, Kathleen Arnold, Blyth DeBerges, Annie Crawford, Olive McDonald, Eleanor Campbell, Helen Davidson, Elizabeth Gibson, Marjorie Stewart and Leona Heimka.

W. O., SOUTH Perth Put Away.

## FORTY-FOUR RINKS ENTER BIG 'SPIEL

City of London Event Begins At Two Local Clubs Today.

### PLAY FOR THREE CUPS

This afternoon will see competition in the big City of London bonspiel getting under way at 1:30 at both the Thistle and London Curling Club sheets, with 44 rinks from all over Western Ontario entered. Three trophies, the McNea, Tecumseh and Bank of Toronto, are for competition, and it is expected the final winners will not be decided until Thursday.

In the first draw at the London Curling Club the following rinks will compete:

J. H. Ireland, Harriston, vs. Dr. Wright, Le C. C.  
N. K. Wanless, L. C. C., vs. E. Sage, L. C. C.  
F. Ashplant, L. C. C., vs. E. Shaw, L. C. C.  
J. Griffin, L. C. C., vs. T. Shash, L. C. C.  
R. Emslie, St. Thomas, vs. R. Brooks, L. C. C.  
J. B. English, Ingersoll, vs. A. Johnston.

The 4:30 draw at the London Curling Club will see the following quartets in action:

W. Lockwood, St. Thomas, vs. R. E. Bright, Seaford.  
W. Hynd, L. C. C., vs. J. C. Telford, Owen Sound.  
R. Hall, Seaford, vs. H. Hindmarsh, L. C. C.  
C. Chubb, L. C. C., vs. Dr. Willmott, Stratford.  
L. H. McKenzie, L. C. C., vs. J. Banks, L. C. C.

The first draw at the Thistle Club includes:

W. K. Cameron, St. Thomas, vs. W. Mills, Detroit.  
F. Sutherland, St. Thomas, vs. W. H. Smith, Owen Sound.  
W. Vair, St. Thomas, vs. H. W. Buckley, Stratford.  
A. Leckinger, Sarnia, vs. F. Elliott, Bright.  
J. H. Cameron, Mitchell, vs. B. O. Parker, Stratford.

At 4:30 the following rinks will compete at the Thistle Club:

F. Allen, Thistles, vs. W. Andrews, St. Marys.  
A. Ferguson, Thistles, vs. E. Moran, Thistles.  
E. Webb, Ontario Hospital, vs. T. D. McCullough, Thistles.  
J. Gilbert, Ridgeway, vs. A. Pratt, Plattville.

Dr. Robinson, Ontario Hospital, vs. H. Moffatt, Owen Sound.  
The ultimate winners in the same draws at the two respective clubs will play off in the finals.  
All three trophies are on display in the window of the C. P. R. ticket office on Richmond street.

### OWEN SOUND CURLERS PICK RINKS FOR 'SPIEL TONIGHT

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Owen Sound, Feb. 4.—A draw is being made tonight to pick teams to play in the local rink bonspiel tomorrow in the local rink. All players eligible for this contest are those who have not played longer than three years.

Owen Sound is to be represented in London tomorrow by three curling rinks. They will be composed of skip J. C. Telford, H. Lemon, W. Baker and D. McDonald. The other two skips will be H. R. Moffatt and W. H. Smith. Moffatt's lineup will be Capt. N. McKay, Dave Christie, L. O. Carson, T. H. Carson, F. Smith and R. A. McDougall will sweep for W. H. Smith. The three rinks look strong enough to bring back honours.

Gertrude Ederie, of the Women's Swimming Association of New York, established five new world swimming records during 1923.

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## M. A. A. Declares War On Rowdiness At Games

Hockey Sub-Committee Passes Resolution To Back Referee in Any Complaints Over Abusive Language.

No more evidences of rowdiness will be tolerated at games in the local Manufacturers' League, according to the hockey sub-committee of the M. A. A. A., who passed a resolution at their meeting last night to back up referees in putting down the lid on any display of abusive language directed at either the referee or players by any person in the rink.

The aim of the M. A. A. A. is to have all games conducted on a thoroughly sportslike basis, and with this end in view they will today inform the managers of each section in the league that the officials will back the referee in any complaint to the extent of summarily expelling any player who refuses hereafter to abide by this ruling to the letter.

Any spectator who forgets himself will be at once ejected from the rink.

The executive was unanimous in condemning this practice which has become more pronounced of late, with the tightening-up of the league rules.

After the last game Referee Legg handed in his resignation, but the officials did not accept it. They then called a meeting to arrive at some plan to remedy conditions, with the above result.

It was decided at the meeting to call off the Manufacturers' games scheduled for this week in order to let the London Intermediates have the arena for their game with St. Marys Wednesday.

This means that the M. A. A. A. schedule for the second series will have to be set back one week.

## CANADIAN CURLERS LOSE GORDON MEDAL

American Players Victorious in International Matches At Utica.

Associated Press Despatch.

Utica, N.Y., Feb. 4.—Tonight the local Collegiate hockey team outscored the London Central C. I. sextet, 3 to 0, to win the championship of the district in the W. O. S. S. A. hockey series. The victory, but only after a hard-fought battle, was the result of the sterling work of the local defence men.

The combination work of the St. Thomas boys, although not used consistently, was sufficient to out-general the London lads. This, coupled with the slight defensive work of the local back division, was largely responsible for the blanking suffered by the Forest City squad.

The team's defence, consisting of Bush and Evans; center, Mills; wings, Fitzmaurice and Reynolds; subs, Mills and Haldane.

Hawks—Goal, Gordon; defence, Taylor and Ruse; center, Penny; wings, McKay and Land; subs, Baker and Dunn.

Scott-McHale Victors. In the last tilt Scott-McHale swamped St. Andrews, 6 to 3. Black started the scoring in the first few minutes on a lone rush. Scott-McHale soon evened it on a long shot from center. In the second the shoemakers' started their favorite rushes on the Presbyterian defence, and managed to slip by Black and Johnston to gain the lead.

Adair was the best for the winners, while Black and Dalrymple were the scorers for the losers.

The teams: Scott-McHale—Goal, Renaud; defence, Bricker and Kirkpatrick; center, Pugh; wings, Adair and Bolton.

St. Andrews—Goal, Thompson; defence, Black and Johnston; center, Dalrymple; wings, Casselman and Appleyard.

Referee—Bill Lightfoot.

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## ORIOLES VICTORS AFTER OVERTIME

East End and Scott-McHale Win in Junior City League.

### ALL THREE TILTS FAST

Three fast games were witnessed by a large number of fans who turned out at Westminster Rink last night to see the Junior City League matches. In the first game Orioles defeated St. Andrews 6 to 3. In the second game the Orioles were inclined to get a bit rough, being by far the heavier team, and many penalties were dishied out by Referee Lightfoot, but this did not seem to lessen the fighting spirit of the young biscuit-makers, as they put all their heart into the match, and time after time it looked as if they were going to come out victorious.

Each team notched two in the third canto, and when the final gong sounded the score stood tie.

In the third game of the overtime, with both teams playing desperately, Woods scored, giving the Orioles the lead, which Perrins were unable to overcome.

Getzinger and Wilcox showed up well for Perrins, while Northey and Woods turned in the best game for the Orioles.

The teams: Goal, Hall; defence, Malone and Ellwood; center, Menell; wings, Wood and Northey; subs, Waugh, Needham and Norris.

Perrins—Goal, Howard; defence, Getzinger and O'Rourke; center, Howard; wings, Wilcox and McGonere; subs, Nopper, Wray and Hebrun.

Show Good Combination. The second tilt, between East End and Askin Hawks, began with the play divided evenly. The first period was a see-saw battle, with a combination and clean checking. In the last period the pace quickened, with East Enders time after time rushing the Hawks' defence, only to be turned back by the fine tactics of Gordon in goal.

But toward the end of the game a fast one slipped past him, giving the Easterners the goal, 2 to 1.

The teams: Goal, Biggs; defence, Bush and Evans; center, Mills; wings, Fitzmaurice and Reynolds; subs, Mills and Haldane.

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