

The Rockwood Review.

Rockwood pool players were defeated in their first match with the Yacht Club, but were successful in their return contest with the Bicycle Club.

The first Curling match took place on January 18th, with the following result:

Kingston	Rockwood
M Gamon	W Potter
T S Clark	J Dennison
T McGachan	Dr Forster
J Kearns-(skip)	Dr Clarke-(skip)

Mrs Peirce's many friends will be pleased to learn of her convalescence from a long and trying illness.

Master Harold Clarke's ice yacht "Velox," is being fitted out and promises to be a good deal faster than his former craft "The Cock O' the North." He is quite satisfied that this year he will be able to head the procession instead of bringing up the rear as in the past.

The liberated pheasants are still alive and apparently able to make a living. Some of them are occasionally seen feeding with domestic fowls, and no doubt if not destroyed by thoughtless hunters will get a foothold. There is no reason why with a little assistance they should not succeed. As these birds live largely upon insects in the summer the farmers should give them every protection.

Wild ducks, chiefly Golden eyes, are still with us and large flocks were seen flying about on January 19.

The Quinte Curling Association has recently been organized with the following list of officers:

President, W H Biggar, Belleville.

Vice-President—Dr C K Clarke, Kingston.

Secretary —W T Herrington, Napanee.

Directors — Messrs Dalton, McCammon, Bretnell, Robinson.

Schedule of Matches:

January 22nd, Rockwood vs Napanee at Rockwood

24th, Belleville vs Napanee at Belleville.

25th, Rockwood vs Kingston at Rockwood

29th, Belleville vs Kingston at Kingston

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February 1st, Napanee vs Kingston at Kingston

February 5th, Rockwood vs Napanee at Napanee

February 5th, Rockwood vs Belleville at Belleville

February 8th, Belleville vs Kingston at Belleville.

February 8th, Napanee vs Kingston at Napanee

February 15th, Rockwood vs Kingston at Kingston

February 15th, Belleville vs Napanee at Napanee.

The victory of R. M. C. Senior team over Frontenacs was not unexpected by those who had been following hockey matters. The game was one sided and rough, but at the same time a much better exhibition considering the state of the ice than some of the local scribes would admit. The Junior Cadets were a surprise to the Frontenac Juniors, but certainly earned their victory. Too much praise cannot be bestowed on Mr. E. S. Elliot for the admirable way in which he refereed the latter game. As a referee he has few equals, being quick-sighted, fair-minded and prompt to giving his decisions. He cannot be asked to officiate two often if the best interests of hockey in the city are to be served.

The Kingston rink is now an ideal one for hockey matches and would be difficult to improve on. The lighting has been improved and the galleries afford ample opportunity to watch the games with comfort and satisfaction.

Mr. John Marks has lost his pet crow. The cause of death was Ataxia, John should have been more careful of his tacks.