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CURLING

The Buchanan Cup

On Friday next, the Red and White divisions will compete for the Buchanan cup. This promises to be a very close contest.

THE BONSPIEL

The Bonspiel list closes to-morrow. A large number have already signed, but many have not yet done so. They should do so without delay.

WILLIAMS WIN

The big annual match Williams vs. World, which always creates much interest, was played last week and resulted in a win for the Williams by 8 points.

The teams were:

Williams	The World
W. R. Warren	J. R. Bennett
W. Shirran	A. Donnelly
W. F. Joyce	J. Peters
W. H. Duder 16 (sk.)	T. Winter 8

FOOTBALL PRESENTATION

The Football cup and medals will be presented at the C.C.C. armory to-morrow evening, at 8 o'clock. The band will be in attendance.

C.L.B. INDOOR SPORTS

Association Met Last Night and Finalized Arrangements for Season

The C.L.B. Athletic Association held a meeting last night, when arrangements for the usual indoor sports were finalized and various other winter games were discussed.

CURLING POSTPONED

Events Called Off on Account of Funeral of Hon. J. S. Pitts

In consequence of the funeral of the late Hon. J. S. Pitts, the Red-White curling match for the Buchanan cup, set down for to-morrow, has been postponed until Friday.

The Ambulance Class, under the direction of Dr. Chayer, held their first meeting at Government House on Tuesday last. Mrs. Davidson having very kindly placed the spacious ball-room at the classes' disposal. About thirty-seven ladies are taking the course among them being Mrs. Davidson, Lady Horwood, Mrs. Browning.

HOCKEY VOTING CONTEST.

Here is an Excellent Chance for all interested in the Lively and Struous Game of Hockey to Record their Votes as to Who is the Most Popular of our City Players.

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against Eddie Smith, who was probably the greatest referee that ever lived; but I believe he made a mistake in stopping that fight with Wolgast in the 44th round. I know that if we had fought to a finish, I could have whipped Wolgast.

FOOTBALL TEAM COMPOSED OF BROTHERS

A Novelty of the British Sporting World

London, Jan. 20.—A football eleven made up entirely of brothers, is a novelty of the British sporting world. The brothers, who live in Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire, are all footballers of experience, except one. They range in age from 18 to 43 years, and have issued a challenge to any other team of brothers in England for matches. They are the sons of Charles Charlesworth.

THE RING.

Carl Morris drew down something over \$5000 for three months' engagement in the ring last year. Nice money for appearing in the ring.

K. O. Brown has been forced to pass up several bouts on account of stomach trouble. He has offers to meet Ad Wolgast, Joe Mandot and Joe Azedo.

What, you here again! Battling Nelson says he will enter the ring once more and tackle Young Togo in Evansville, Ind., on Washington's Birthday.

It is said that Willie Ritchie has tucked away \$50,000 since he won the lightweight title from Ad Wolgast.

Bombardier Wells is not discouraged over his recent defeat by Carpenter and is planning to take another fling at the game.

George Rodel, the Boer heavyweight, and Tom McMahon are billed for a ten-round bout to be pulled off in Albany at the end of this month.

SUPERSTITIOUS.

Regarding the Naming of Fast Racing Yachts

New York, Jan. 19.—In naming the famous cup defender Defiance the management of that syndicate has followed the custom established in 1893 of giving cup defenders names having eight letters. C. Oliver Iselin started this custom and followed it so closely that it has become a superstition that a cup defender must have eight letters in its name.

First there was the Vigilant, followed by the Defender and Columbia. These three yachts outsailed the two Valkyries and the first Shamrock. When the second Shamrock came the managers neglected to adhere to the custom and chose Constitution as the name of the new defender. That yacht was not the success she was expected to be, and she was outsailed in the trial races by the Columbia, which yacht later successfully defended the cup. In the last series of races in 1903 the Reliance, another eight letter word, was the name of the new yacht.

Previous to the eight letter superstition such names as Puritan, Mayflower, Volunteer, had been used by the Eastern yachtsmen interested in those vessels, and before that any euphonious name was chosen.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To the Manager of the Prince's Rink.

Dear Sir,—Sorry I have to approach you through the Press to ask the reason why those six large lights are not turned on during the League Hockey matches. Also to request you to have them turned on for they are necessary for the safety of the players, who are playing hockey for the love of the game.

If the rink cannot afford to allow us these lights which as a player I can assure you are quite necessary and which my face would prove to you after the Feildian-Crescent match, please start a public appeal on the door, asking the spectators to drop a penny extra towards the lighting of the rink and thereby afford the players more light and safety.

A special request was made to you, sir, before the Crescent-Victoria match to have those lights turned on and although made up our respected and beloved Referee Higgins you have completely ignored that request by not having them turned on at any game this season.

Again I question if any up-along team would play without them and if they won't, why should we? Before long you will have every player kicking for more light.

Come along, Sam, Cecil and Nix and let us all Hunt for more light.

—CHAS. S. R. THOMAS.

Jan. 27, 1914.

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NO CARNIVAL.

Manager Donnelly of the Prince's Rink informs us that there will not be a gymkhana or carnival this winter. Last year's was a success but it is felt that one a season is too many and people would soon tire of them. Next year one may be held on a different scale from last season's.

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ACADEMY BOYS FORM LEAGUE HOCKEY TEAM.

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