FOR THE GRAND CHALLENGE

Some Fine Exhibitions of Curling on Opening Day of Winnipeg Bonspiel.

THE SCOTCHMEN WIN THEIR GAMES

Playing for Sleeman Trophy and Guelph Tankard at Brampton.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—One of the largest, and what promises to be one of the most successful, bonspiels ever held in Manitoba opened this morning with play in the Grand Challenge. The weather is delightful, being bright, not too cold, yet cold enough to insure perfect ice. Over a hundred and eighty rinks sent in entries, and one hundred and seventy-one rinks were drawn in the Grand Challenge. Rinks are here from the Far West, from Lindsay, Ont., and intermediate points east, from St. Paul, Duluth, West Superior, and last, but not least, from Scotland. These latter have created a very good impression by their personality here, and their play will be watched with the greatest interest. They will come up against several cracks here, and will have to do some very fine work, if they take any trophies away. Bob Dunbar is again in evidence, and the Scotchmen who have already heard of his prowess are looking forward to seeing him play. Committees of the local curlers have been appointed to see that the visitors to the city are comfortably located, and to see that their stay here is made as pleasant as possible.

Some fine exhibitions of curling were given to-day in some instances, extra ends having to be played off in order to decide the winner. A splendid game was the Kerr-McKenzie contest at the Granite. The Scotch leader, the Rev. J. Kerr, kept even with the Thistle crack until about the eighth end, when the latter secured a four and pulled ahead afterwards. Perhaps the most interesting game was between Ritchie and Andrews of the Mordens, decided on the last end in favor of the Scotchmen, a result that was exceedingly popular. Whatlin of Fort William beat Patton of Winnipeg in a play off after a tie. G. D. Ritchie of the Scotchmen, beat Andrews of Morden 14 to 13. Ritchie winning with his last stone. Griggs of St. Paul, had an easy win over Dott of Pierson.

Flavelle of Lindsay, Ont., has not yet played. His opponent will be Morrison of Duluth. All the games to-day were in the Grand Challenge.

Scores at Brampton.

Brampton, Feb. 5.—The second draw for the Sleeman Trophy and Guelph Tankard was played to-day. Scores:

Preston—		Dundas—	
		A Ross.	
A Boor.		Dr Lawson.	
W Pickup.		D Bertram.	
W Kress.		C Collon, skip	12
M Hagey, skip	13		
Guelph—		London—	
J Irving.		A E Nasorot.	
R Maloney.		M E Holden.	
D McDonald.		A Talbot.	
R Dillon, skip	12	R Reid, skip	11
		Georgetown—	
Waterloo—		C C Roe.	
J Hortell.		F B Goodwillie.	
J B Snider.		S H McGibbon.	
W Hogg.		J C McKay, skip	15
E F Seagram, sk	21		
		Ayr.	
Guelph—		J Goldie.	
J Irvine.		C McGeorge.	
H Mahoney.		J Wiley.	
D McDonald.		Mr Anderson, sk	14
R Dillon, skip	15		
		Fergus—	
Barrie—		A E Nichols.	
J H Neelands.		J Graham.	
James Valk.		J Mennie.	
H J Grassell.			
J McStevenson, sk	17	T J Hamilton, sk	13

The first draw for the consolation was played with the following score:

Brampton.		Milton.	
M E Mitchell		O C Burgoyne	
Dr Lawson		R L Hemstreet	
E Thanburn		W I Dick	
W Adams, sk	24	D S Robertson, sk	15
Fergus.		Brampton.	
R Cow		M E Mitchell	
D W Richardson		Dr Lawson	
A Anderson		T Thanburn	
W A Richardson, s	28	W Adams, sk	12
Dundas.		Fergus.	
A Ross		E A Nichols	
Dr Lawson		J Graham	
C Collon		T J Hamilton	
T A Bertram, sk	14	John Minnie, sk	13
London.		Brampton.	
E Masuwt		T H Shields	
M E Holden		P Hollis	
A Talbot		J Laird	
Robt. Reid, sk	11	W E Milner, sk	18
Guelph Union.		Brampton.	
G McPherson		T H Shields	
T McMaster		P J Hollis	
A Robertson		J Laird	
W Spalding, sk	10	W E Milner, sk	15
Barrie.		Guelph Union.	
G G Scott		J Congalton	
P Love		J C Kriss	
A E Stapleton		A Mennie	
G Hogg, sk	11	A Congalton, sk	17
Pierson.		Barrie.	
A Boss		J Neelands	
W Pickup		James Vair	
W Cress		H J Grassett	
M Hagey, sk	21	Mr Stevenson, sk	11
Guelph Union.		Brampton.	
W. Spalding, sk	13	W. E. Milner, sk	15
Fergus.		Barrie.	
J. W. A. Robinson, s	13	McL. Stevenson, s	12
Fergus.		Brampton.	
W. A. Richardson, s	18	L. Sugett, sk	14
Brampton.		Barrie.	
R. N. Burns, sk	14	G. Hogg, sk	13

Toronto Beat Hamilton Thistles.

Four rinks of the Hamilton Thistles played at the Victoria yesterday, losing to the Toronto Club curlers by 1 shots, as follows:

Hamilton Thustles—		Toronto—	
Dr McConachie.		J G Whitacre.	
J Y Osborne.		S W Cosby.	
D B Dewar.		P S Maule.	
Dr Wardell, sk	20	A H Baines, sk	7
F Glassco.		A D McArthur.	
A D Braithwaite.		E C Hill.	
C W Cartwright.		F O Cayley.	
Dr Glassco, skip	8	John Paton, sk	19
F R Magin.		F M VanZant.	
H Gates.		E H Walsh.	
F J Howell.		Dr Dame.	
R R Bruce, sk	20	H Muntz, skip	11
Total	48	Total	37

Granites Won by 1 Shot.

The curlers have again resumed activity, and, besides the practicean d club matches, one City Trophy game was decided yesterday, when the Granites beat Prospect Park by a single shot. The Granites and Queen City play a trophy game this afternoon and evening. Thursday's score:

Granite—		Prospect Park—	
R J Conlon.		Dr Forfar.	
W J McGregor.		A Williams.	
C W Dill.		J Forbes.	
Dr Hawke, sk	15	A Matthews, sk	15
M Rawlinson.		L Archambault.	
H Williams.		J Poucher.	
H Walters.		Dr J C Carlyle.	
W C Matthews, sk	8	W F Forbes, sk	10
W J Moody.		Capt Wright.	
W H Blensdell.		C J Purkis.	
H T Wilson.		H Williams.	
J A Oliver, sk	14	J G Gibson, sk	19
A E Trow.		C A Leeson.	
A E Dalton.		W S Kerman.	
L A Hamilton.		George Forbes.	
C C Dalton, sk	12	Q D McCulloch, sk	15
W G Brown.		J Preston.	
Spencer Love.		T Carlyle.	
F Spalding.		R Lowden.	
J E B Littlejohn, s	14	H J Brown, sk	14
W Hyslop.		A Williams.	
F Britnell.		W W Ritchie.	
Jos. Irving.		W J Hynes.	
C Beech, sk	15	W F Lewis, sk	16
J Watt.		Dr Abraham.	
H J Child.		S D White.	
F M Holland.		Q D Day.	
J Hargraft, sk	14	Geo Anderson, sk	10
R M Wetherall.		L A Archambault.	
A Mackie.		C A Tobin.	
A F Jones.		A Walker.	
C Reid, skip	18	A E Wheeler, sk	10
Total	110	Total	109

Cricket in Manitoba.

Manitoba will have a pretentious cricket association in operation next summer. The organizers will divide the 17 clubs that have entered into districts, grouping them as conveniently as possible. All schedules will be arranged so as to finish by the middle of August, when a grand provincial tournament will be held at Portage la Prairie, which is most centrally located and also has perhaps the finest grounds in Manitoba. The affiliated clubs are:

Minnedosa—P. R. E. Elliott.
Indian Head—George Polie.
Portage la Prairie—A. H. Dickens.
Young Liberal Club, Winnipeg, Russell Cricket Club, Morden Cricket Club, Selkirk Cricket Club, C.P.R. Cricket Club, Winnipeg, Winnipeg Cricket Club, Souris Cricket Club, St. Paul's Industrial School, Grenfell Cricket Club, Moosomin Cricket Club, Rapid City Cricket Club, Belmont Cricket Club, Treesbank Cricket Club, Dragoon Cricket Club of Winnipeg.

Toronto Rowing Club.

Toronto Rowing Club, Assurance at Liedkranz B, Liedkranz A at Sunshine, Munson at Q.O.R.B.C., Grenadiers at Indians, Q. O. R. at Highlanders.

9th Field Battery Bowlers Won.

The Ninth Field Battery bowlers defeated the G. Company Grenadiers, on Thursday night at the Armouries by 169 pins. The score:

G. Co. Grenadiers.		9th Field Battery.	
Corry	377	Finlay	461
McKee	483	Ryan	443
Stewart	534	Hill	464
Lang	378	Abbott	513
Cook	477	Pellow	606
Coombs	499	Straley	370
Total	2748	Total	2857

MONTREAL B.B.C. BROUGHT $5000

Dooley's Franchise Formally Transferred to Baltimore.

Baltimore, Feb. 5.—Edward Hanlon and Moses N. Frank agreed to-night to pay to Charles L. Dooley $5000 for the franchise of the Montreal Eastern League Baseball Club.

With the franchise Messrs. Hanlon and Frank secure all the Montreal players and the Canadian team will be transferred to Baltimore. The formal transfer was agreed to by President Patrick Powers, P. H. Hurley of Worcester and W. W. Price of Buffalo, who were appointed by the league and given plenary powers at the meeting in New York last week.

President Powers will call a meeting of the Eastern League to meet in New York next month, at which the transfer will be ratified and next year's schedule arranged.

Gardiner Failed to Name Terms.

Gardiner, one of Toronto's prospective managers, sent a non-committal letter that reached President Applegath yesterday. He did not name terms, but stated that he was anxious to manage from the bench, holding himself in readiness to pitch, when necessary. The directors are awaiting a letter from Ashenback.

The Tennessee Derby this year will be worth $7000. It will be run during the early part of the Memphis meeting. Maxine, Savable, Early, Tom Cogan, Onatas, Spencer, Reiff, Janeway and Sydney C. Love are among the colts eligible.

Danny Deane of New York won the decision from Dal Hawkins of Frisco in their 10-round bout at Boston Wednesday night. Dunne was on the defensive until next to the last round, when he became aggressive.

David Barrie, former local manager for Sir Thomas Lipton, and who was in charge of his yacht interests during the last races, arrived in New York from England yesterday. His suit against Sir Thomas for services had been dropped long ago, he said, and they were again good friends. Mr. Barrie said Shamrock III. it was expected, would be launched early in April and will be christened by the Duchess of Shaftsbury.

Dunlop Tires
HOLD THEIR IMPREGNABLE POSITION.

BOWLERS IN TENPIN LEAGUE.

Q.O.R. B.C., Munsons and Q.O.R. Won Their Scheduled Games.

Six games scheduled in the Toronto Bowling League were played on Thursday night on the city alleys, when some interesting contests were the order. At the Armouries the 48th Highlanders did not play up to their usual form, being defeated in their game against the Q.O.R. B.C., who still maintain the lead in the championship race. The Q.O.R., on their own alleys, vanquished the Indians by a good margin. Some good individual scores were made when Liederkranz A. defeated Liederkranz B. by 28 pins, Endicos, for the losers, putting in one individual score of 690. On their own alleys, Munsons beat Grenadiers by 55 pins, the best individual score in the city being put in by Collins, who made 700. Independents lost to Assurance by 25 pins, while Sunshine beat T.R.C. on the latter's alleys. The scores:

—On Q.O.R. Alleys.—

Q. O. R.—				
T. Keys	151	220	187	558
Lilby	203	205	189	597
G. Keys	168	189	228	585
Doherty	187	199	178	559
Darby	206	210	186	602
Heyes	196	184	187	567
Average, 577 1-3. Total				3464
Indians—				
Walker	173	158	177	508
Munson	148	195	202	545
Harrison	135	199	153	487
Archambault	201	222	213	636
Palmer	103	156	218	477
Lorsch	174	192	160	526
Average, 529 2-3. Total				3179

—On Highlanders' Alleys.—

Q. O. R. B. C.—				
Niblock	195	203	189	587
Alison	190	195	201	586
Armstrong	209	192	234	635
Edmondson	198	180	182	560
Meadows	204	184	181	569
Jennings	162	188	182	532
Average, 578 1-6. Total				3460
Highlanders—				
Selby	159	233	184	576
Grant	171	180	194	545
Black	150	157	173	480
Meade	224	196	152	572
Noble	191	199	182	572
Stewart	159	194	186	533
Average, 546 1-3. Total				3278

—On T. R. C. Alleys.—

Sunshine—				
Hawley	161	244	161	566
Dudley	168	172	186	526
Duncan	170	163	192	525
Entwhistle	175	233	199	607
Cooper	184	129	197	510
Capps	168	256	193	617
Average, 558½. Total				3351
Toronto R. C.—				
Powell	163	174	155	492
Ewart	157	153	160	470
Fraser	162	154	172	488
Stretton	189	182	183	554
Boyce	153	220	165	538
Nelson	173	145	214	532
Average, 512 1-3. Total				3074

—On Independent Alleys.—

Assurance—				
O'Donoghue	139	179	218	536
Macdonald	168	200	157	525
Estswood	167	199	211	577
Knight	181	171	214	566
Johnston	214	172	182	568
Boyd	165	211	175	551
Average, 553 5-6. Total				3323
Independents—				
W. McDonald	174	124	192	490
F. McBride	224	227	185	636
J. McBride	154	155	194	503
O'Mara	173	165	174	510
Baird	201	195	188	585
Wilson	184	190	200	574
Average, 549 2-3. Total				3298

—On Liederkranz Alleys.—

Liederkranz A.—				
Belz	179	215	212	606
Marrer	205	215	226	646
Dawson	196	222	192	610
Holtman	209	161	197	567
Laing	159	176	168	503
Endress	257	212	221	690
Average, 603 2-3. Total				3622
Liederkranz B.—				
Power	198	175	170	543
Bruskay	188	199	199	586
Wallace	212	203	226	641
Patterson	201	237	204	642
Baird	221	203	151	575
Wilson	139	237	230	606
Average, 598 5-6. Total				3593

On Munson's Alleys.—

Munsons—				
Sutherland	171	199	214	584
Good	190	167	190	547
Collins	237	206	257	700
Napolitan	212	185	204	601
Wells	170	189	236	595
Watson	201	174	187	562
Average, 598 1-6. Total				3589
Grenadiers—				
Stitzell	183	188	163	534
Bryers	183	221	191	595
McPhen	189	225	203	617
Phillips	175	170	154	499
Craig	200	176	185	561
Long	203	179	146	528
Average, 555 2-3. Total				3334

Tenpin League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Q.O.R.B.C.	11	3	.785
Munsons	10	4	.714
Q. O. R.	10	4	.714
Assurance	9	5	.643
Independents	8	6	.571
Highlanders	7	7	.500
Liederkranz B	6	8	.428
Grenadiers	6	8	.428
Liederkranz A	6	8	.428
Indians	5	9	.357
Sunshine	5	9	.357
Toronto R. C.	1	13	.071

Games next Thursday: Independents at Toronto Rowing Club, Assurance at Liedkranz B, Liedkranz A at Sunshine, Munson at Q.O.R.B.C., Grenadiers at Indians, Q. O. R. at Highlanders.

WELLINGTONS OR THE SOO?

Senior Championship Hockey Match To-Night in Mutual Street Rink.

WINNIPEG VICTORIAS HERE TO-DAY

Stratford Juniors Won the Sudden Death Game From Woodstock.

The Sault Ste. Marie players make their league debut into senior company to-night at the Mutual-street Rink, when they face the champion Wellingtons. The Northerners have aroused a lot of curiosity, and a big crowd is sure to give them a welcome when the whistle starts them off in their first Senior O. H. A. venture. The Soo players are picked from all over Ontario. Scott played goal for Galt in 1901. Easson comes from Stratford. Macdonald is an old Mattiway boy. Ward, on the forward line, is from Rat Portage. Davey is a graduate from the Sault Ste. Marie Colts. Washburn came from the East, and Doc Sheppard is the old Varsity man.

The Wellingtons will use their regular line-up, and recent hard practices show that the iron Dukes do not underestimate the ability of the shooters from the Soo.

Additional interest centres in the match, as the Winnipeg Victorias, who made such a plucky stand for the Stanley Cup, will likely be spectators. They left Montreal last evening, and are due to arrive at 6.35 o'clock this morning. The Wellingtons have invited the Vics to stay over for a day, and they may accept. Of the fourth and deciding match, The Gazette said:

It was a great game, and might well rank as the best of the series. The conditions of ice were those which seemed to favor Winnipeg, but the shooting of the challengers was off-color, and they failed to locate the net with sufficient accuracy. It was well, too, that this was so, for Montreal's defence seemed to be a bit loose, and played a dangerously uncomfortable style of game, that was unpleasant to look at. However, the visitors' attack failed to penetrate the Montreal defence often enough.

The Montreal team did well by putting Smith on. He did not figure in the scoring, but he did a lot of good steady checking, and kept Scanlan busy. Phillips went over to Gingras' side, and performed excellent service there. The presence of Bellingham was a distinct improvement to the team, and there was a finish about his play that was always encouraging.

Winnipeg was unfortunate in losing the services of Cadham near the end of the first half, as Dan Flett, who replaced him, tho a big man, was not by any means the good player Cadham was.

For this final match there was an attendance equal to, if not greater than, any attending the previous games. It was an enthusiastic crowd, and generously cheered its favorites. The north end was packed to suffocation, and there was no spare room in any other part of the house.

Port Hope Talked of Protest.

Belleville, Feb. 5.—Much interest was excited in this city by the fact that notice was yesterday received of a protest by the Port Hope Hockey Club of last Monday night's game between Belleville and Port Hope. It was alleged that during the progress of the match the Belleville Club allowed spectators to go on the ice and attempt to intimidate the Port Hope players; also that one of the Belleville players, J. Marks, was a professional baseball player. After a conference with the Belleville manager, however, the Port Hope gentleman who had charge of the matter, agreed to drop the protest, when it had been pointed out to him that his club had no grounds for their action.

Commercial League Games.

Games postponed in the Commercial League will be played as follows:

Feb. 9—Gutta Percha v. H. S. Howland; Canada General v. Rice Lewis.

Feb. 11—Rice Lewis v. Gutta Percha.

Feb. 12—Canada General v. W. R. Johnston.

Feb. 16.—W. R. Johnston v. Rice Lewis.

In the Northern League.

Drayton, Feb. 5.—A game of hockey, in the Northern League, played here to-night, between Palmerston and Drayton, resulted in favor of the latter by 7 goals to 5. Following are teams:

Palmerston (5): Roach, goal; Lawrence, point; Whitehead, cover; Best, Graham, Nelle, Delaine, forwards.

Drayton (7): Hudson, goal; Fair, points; Heffernan, cover; forwards, Kearns, Pollock, Garneau, Hood.

Referee—A. Valee, Palmerston.

Lucknow, Feb. 5.—Lucknow and Kincardine played their first round, which resulted in a well won victory for the home team. Referee McGillivray of Mount Forest gave the best of satisfaction, being strictly impartial and immediately punishing any offender on both sides. Both teams played hard to win, but Campbell in goal for the home team, saved many real shots. Sinclair of Kincardine sprained his ankle in the second half and Wood went off to even up. The score at half time was 5 to 2 in favor of the Sepoys, and ended 10 to 5. The players were:

Lucknow (10): Goal, Campbell; point, McCoyle; cover, McIntosh; centre, Wood; rover, Thompson; left, Peart; right, Boyd.

Kincardine (3): Goal, Roth; point, McKenzie; cover, Cleghorn; centre, Boyd; rover, Sinclair; left, Stewart; right, Fisher.

This Montreal Hockey Team Won.

Saranac Lake, N.Y., Feb. 5.—The feature of to-day's carnival was the hockey match between the Montreal and the Saranac Lake teams. Two thousand persons witnessed the sport. The Montreal seven won by 6 goals to 3, making five goals in the first half to one by the home team. The three-mile skate race was won by Baker in 10.18 4-5. Watson was second and Slater third.

The one mile junior event was won by Ayers in 3.42. Lary was second, Liscomb third.

Baker won the backward half mile in 1.58½. Watson was second, Slater third.

Girls Play Hockey at Port Perry.

Port Perry, Feb. 5.—A very interesting game of hockey was played here to-night between the Blues and Reds Girls' Hockey Clubs.

Blues (0): Goal, I. Anderson; point, E. Redman; cover-point, E. Ross; forwards, G. Smith, M. Gregg, A. Carnegie, N. Letcher.

Reds (1): Goal, G. Jamieson; point, C. MacLean; cover-point, A. Clarke; forwards, E. Carnegie, N. Letcher, G. MacLean, H. Jones.

Referee—Chas. A. Hiscox.

Thorold Leads the League.

Thorold, Feb. 5.—The leaders here scored the first shut-out in the N.D.H.A. in their match here to-night with Niagara Falls South by 13 to 0. The visitors were outclassed in all stages of the game and it was impossible to pass the stone-wall defense of the home team. This leaves the Thorold team leaders of the league, as they have not lost a game this season. The teams lined up as follows:

Niagara Falls (0): Goal, Williams; point, Dart; cover-point, Sleeman; forwards, McAvoy, Snider, Carr and Morris.

Thorold (13): Goal, A. Doherty; point, Mable; cover-point, F. Doherty; forwards, Lemon, Berry, Carter and Bennett.

Referee—Mr. Harry McAvoy of Port Dalhousie.

To-Day's Hockey Games.

The games scheduled for to-day are as follows:

O.H.A. Senior series—Wellingtons v. Sault Ste. Marie, at Mutual-street Rink, 8.15.

Intermediate series—Stratford at Listowel, Referee, W Coombs of Simcoe.

London at Paris.

Junior series—Penetang v. Midland, at Victoria Harbor.

Prescott at Kingston Ramblers.

Niagara District—Merritton at St. Catharines, Niagara at Port Dalhousie, Niagara Falls at Thorold.

Welland-Haldimand League—Port Colborne at Welland, Cayuga at Hagersville.

Toronto Lacrosse-Hockey League (senior)—Waverley v. T. Eaton Co.; Junior—Wellesley v. St. Albans, Waverley v. Marlboros, Old Orchard v. Shamrocks.

Those Stratford Juniors.

Woodstock, Feb. 5.—In the junior series of the O.H.A. Woodstock (Y.M.C.A.) and Stratford juniors played off a sudden-death game here to-night which resulted in favor of Stratford by score of 1 to 0.

Referee—Peter Layden, Paris.

Umbrella Bill McGuigan is working hard to help the passage of a bill in the Arkansas Legislature which will completely wipe out bookmaking and gambling at Hot Springs. McGuigan says he is working in the interests of the breeders of the country.

Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains, rust, dirt or tarnish — but won't wash clothes. 26

WINTER BOOK ON HANDICAPS

Hermis Favorite in Brooklyn and Suburban, Advance Guard Second Choice.

OUTSIDERS QUOTED AT 1000 TO 1

Jockey Buchanan Denied All the Privileges of Track at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Feb. 5.—Sol Lichtenstein has opened winter books on the Brooklyn and Suburban Handicaps here. For the Brooklyn, he makes Hermis the favorite at 6 to 1, with Blues, Advance Guard and Articulate at 10 to 1 each; Herbert, at 12 to 1; Gunfire, Goldsmith, Masterman and Bonnibert, at 15 to 1; Hero, Cameron, Major Daingerfield, Royal, Francesco, Hunter Raine and Ethics, at 20 to 1; Leonora Loring, Zoroaster, Injunction, Igniter, Col. Bill, Africander, Sombrero, Chilton, Irish Lad and Prince of Melbourne, at 30 to 1; and others ranging up to 1000 to 1, quoted against American and Hackensack.

Hermis, also, is favorite for the Suburban, at 4 to 1, with Advance Guard second choice, at 10 to 1., Herbert, Articulate and Blues follow at 12 to 1, with 15 to 1 against His Eminence, Gunfire, Masterman, Goldsmith and Irish Lad; Royal, Glenwater, Hunter Raine, Francesco, Bonnibert and Heno are at 20 to 1, with 25 to 1 against Igniter and 30 to 1 against Leonora Loring, Major Daingerfield, Zoroaster, Col. Bill, Africander, Sombrero, Chilton, The Huguenot, Yardarm and Prince of Melbourne. Lichtenstein quotes 40 to 1 against Disadvantage, Rechampton and Mackey Dwyer, and 50 to 1 against Andy Williams, Hernando, Ranald, Corrigan, Argregor, The Rhymer, Waswift, Onalas, Flocarline and Merry Acrobat. The extreme outsiders are Americano and Ordnung, at 1000 to 1.

Buchanan's Bad Ride.

New Orleans, Feb. 5.—Optional and Optimo were the only beaten favorites to-day. Old Hutch was made favorite, and cleverly ridden by Gannon, landed the money. Buchanan, whose mounts were recently limited by the stewards to the horses owned by his employer, Sam Hildreth, had the mount on Telamon, who ran in the name of Mrs. S. C. Hildreth. Because of the horse's unsatisfactory work to-day, the stewards issued an order, debarring Buchanan from all privileges of the track. Miss Nunie was run up to $2000, and sold to H. Dunnin. Chickadee was run up to $1350, and sold to S. C. Hildreth. Weather clear; track fast on outside. Summaries:

First race, selling, 1 mile—Blue Blaze, 101 (Robbins), 16 to 5, 1; Eliza Dillon, 100 (Lindsey), 6 to 1, 2; Zack Ford, 103 (Donegan), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.43. Wissendine, Marion Lynch, Annie Lauretta, Lime Light, Maele Macie, Amadilda, Azua and Sir Gallen also ran.

Second race, selling, ¾ mile—Miss Hume, 104 (Lindsey), 11 to 5, 1; Jerry Hunt, 104 (Donegan), 20 to 1, 2; Optional, 99 (Robbins), 4 to 5, 3. Time 1.14 4-5. Frank Kenny, Miss Aubrey and Mollie T. also ran.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Henry McDaniel, 114 (Odom), 7 to 10, 1; Tioga, 109 (Lindsey), 8 to 1, 2; Birch Broom, 95 (Redfern), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.07 4-5. Right and True and Sapere also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, ⅞ mile—Old Hutch, 108 (Gannon), 3 to 2, 1; Harry New, 101 (Robbins), 14 to 5, 2; Honolulu, 110 (Odom), 13 to 1, 3. Time 1.28. Telamon and If You Dare also ran.

Fifth race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Chickadee, 101 (Fuller), 3 to 1, 1; Mosketo, 102 (Pollock), 4 to 1, 2; Beau, 99 (Lindsey), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.50 3-5. Optimo, Alfred C., Albert Lea, Scoapa and Flore S. also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Flintlock, 100 (Battiste), 4 to 5, 1; Benson Caldwell, 107 (Winchell), 11 to 5, 2; Ben Chance, 110 (Munro), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.42 2-5. Lofter also ran.

Oakland Summaries.

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 5.—Weather clear, track heavy. First race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Chanteur, 6 to 5, 1; Phyllis, 7 to 1, 2; Cassie W., 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.10 4-5.

Second race, 7-16 mile, 2-year-old maidens, purse—Bemenio, 1 to 2, 1; George Koester, 4 to 1, 2; Emila, 10 to 1, 3. Time .45.

Third race, ¾ mile, selling—Young Morello, 4 to 1, 1; Legal Maxim, 12 to 1, 2; Tommy Knight, 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.17¼.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, selling—Impetious, 10 to 1, 1; Philarchalds, 3 to 1, 2; Allistar, 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.48¼.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Berendos, 8 to 1, 1; Rose of Hilo, 25 to 1, 2; San Lution, 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.16⅘.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, selling—Alnilo, 10 to 1, 1; Doreen, 2½ to 1, 2; Col Ballantine, 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.48.

Straight Heats at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—About 800 were at the ice racing meet to-day. The 2.08 race was a fine piece of sport, but the 2.40 was somewhat tame. Summary:

2.40 trot and pace:

Commodore K., G. Powell, Orillia	1	1	1
Cutty Sark, R. Stewart, Aylmer	2	3	2
Leader Wilkes, F. X. St. Amour, Ottawa	3	2	4
Little Clin, J. Newton, Carp	4	4	3
Little Nell, C. Garrow, Ottawa	5	5	dr

Time 2.31, 2.30, 2.28.

2.08 trot and pace:

Looking Glass, A. L. Proctor, Uxbridge	1	1	1
Deveras, A. Wendling, Brockville	2	2	2
Mamie Abbott, J. G. Warnock, Ottawa	3	3	3
Marier, F. Willoughby, Montreal	4	4	4

Time 2.26, 2.25, 2.23.

Starting judge—Frank Smith, Buffalo. Judges—D. E. Wood, Smith's Falls; Dr. Gilpin, Dr. Harris, Ottawa.

To-Day's Program.

New Orleans entries: First race, ¾ mile—Orrature 112, Senator Morrison, Royal Deceiver, Orpheum 104, Double O, 101, Epidemic, Versifier, Josette, Caelana, Roll Call, One Bessie, Nowata 99.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs—Monos 114, Masterful 107, Whitmore 107, Dodie S. 106, Loka, Miss Quick, Miss Shanley, Kadie Gibbons 105, Quicksilver Sue 102, Dr. Clark 100, Florham 99.

Third race, maidens, ¾ mile—Aline Newman 100, Aqua 113, Rocky Rice, McGonigle, Nellie E., Alcom R. 110, Jicky, Miss Nancy 107.

Fourth race, handicap, 1 1-16—Brief, St. Tammany 97, Andgard 95, Adelante 94, Frank M. 93, Jena 92, Guatana 90.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—St. Cuthbert 109, Dr. Biddle, Sir Fitzhugh 105, Booster 103, Glen Rose, Ranco 102, Miriam W., Athlane 92, Brookston 90, Semper Primus 85.

Sixth race, selling, ⅞ mile—El Rey 115, Ed. L. Paul, Creston 113, Brown Veil, Ontimo, Morosi, Lady Alberta 105, Merin 104, Nyx 102, The Stewardess 99.

After the Puck.

The Commercial Hockey team have entered for the Markham tournament.

The St. Georges senior team to play an exhibition game to-night in Galt will be: Goal, Nasmith; point, Lang; cover, Lumbie; forwards, Webster, J. Hynes, J. Carmichael, Clemes.

The following players will represent the Waverleys in the Junior Lacrosse-Hockey match at Grand Central Rink to-night at 7.45 o'clock: E. Knott, W. Stump, H. Rosler, O. Quigley, R. Quigley, J. Murphy, C. Forbes.

The following Old Orchard Juniors will play the Junction Shamrocks to-night at the Junction rink: Goal, Stewart; point, Sproule; cover, Scholes; forwards, Clayson, Lepatinkoff, Fleming and P. Clayson. The Orchards are requested to meet at their own rink at 7 o'clock.

The following players will represent the Waverleys in the Senior Lacrosse-Hockey match with T. Eaton Co. to-night on Old Orchard Rink at 8.30 o'clock: E. Brown, Lalor, C. Nemar, S. Crocker, H. Smith, Dayman, Atkinson.

The Marlboros will play the return game at Niagara Falls to-night, train leaving at 4.30 p.m. The team will be: Goal, Gorrie; point, Belrose; cover, C. Earls; forwards, J. Earls (capt.), Birmingham, Reid and Ferguson.

The following players will represent All Saints to-night in a league game with the Broadviews of the Toronto Lacrosse-Hockey League, starting at 7.30 o'clock: A. Williams, A. Copp, H. Smith, G. McKeown, J. McKeown, F. Pyne, E. Nixon.

There will be no meeting of the O.H.A. Executive on Monday night, as previously announced. Secretary W. A. Buchanan has appointed Mr. Coombs of Simcoe to referee the Stratford-Listowell game, on the latter's ice to-night. The referee for the Wellington-Sault Ste. Marie hockey match to-night has not as yet been selected.

McGovern and Bernstein To-Night.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—The boxing arena in Industrial Hall, Philadelphia, will be re-opened to-morrow evening with a series of boxing contests, under new management. The ex-champion featherweight, Terry McGovern, will meet Joe Bernstein, the Ghetto champion, in the opening event. Besides the main bout on Friday night, Manager Eckhardt has arranged three strong preliminary bouts, the main one being between Eddy Cain and Bobby Thompson, the bicycle pugilist.

GRANDS NOT BIG ENOUGH

Crowds Came to See Stallions Judged —Eighteen Awards in Imported Clydesdales.

BREEDERS WILL BUILD ARENA

Horse Talks at Guelph to Be Subsidized—Protection Petition Deputation.

Following close upon the successful opening day of the Spring Stallion Show, the continuation yesterday proved a record-breaker, or a record-maker, whichever term is deemed most apt.

Grand's is a fine establishment, but there is a limit to its accommodation, and the limit was not only reached, but passed, the attendance being so large that many could get nothing more than a glimpse of the prize winners.

Yesterday's success cast the die for the early Spring Stallion Show, and it may now be expected to recur with that unfailing regularity that characterizes seasons and seaserpents and the medicine show. Just how much of the success of the show is due to Mr. Wade's zeal it is impossible to say, but it may be freely admitted that he was by common consent the life and soul of the whole affair.

In the aged Clydesdales the entries were so numerous that they were divided into two classes, and the following prizes were awar