# Launch New L.A.A. Tonight Mfrs. Opens Jan. 2 Guelph Honors Teams

## EXPECT TO LAUNCH NEW LONDON A. A. A. TONIGHT

Organization To Control All Queens Wants Fast Major Sports in London Has Fans' Backing.

Tonight at a meeting in the chamber of commerce the proposed constitution of the London A. A. A. will be preous clubs, and the slate of officers, selected by the committee, will also be

zations and social clubs of the city will be present, and whatever is done tomight will bear the representative stamp of the fans of London.

Will Help Hockey. This form of control for nockey especially, it is realized will produce the best results, both actually on the ice and in getting a big following of consistent boosters for an arena. Club management produced good box office results and good teams, but spread the results and good teams, but spread the responsibility only over one club instead of over the many as the new London A. A. will do. What applies to hockey also applies to other sports. Rugby last fall was an example of the unorganized state of London as regards athletics, and had it not been for the initiative of the players themselves. London would have gone through another autumn without any rugby.

Baseball made its own way last year and broke successfully into the O. B. A. A., but here again the following and interest was confined in a great measure to the clubs whose teams were represented.

# TAD JONES TO STAY

Because the Yale eleven turned out to be a fine fizzle instead of the great machine that was expected last Sep-tember, it was expected outside of Yale circles that Tad Jones, the Eli mentor, would less his to

blundered and floundered around this season through no fault of the coach. Losing to Princeton and Brown, Harvard had a bad season but Brown, Harvard had a bad season but not one of the crimson following had a frhought of holding Bob Fisher or the Haughton system responsible.

The Haughton system is a mighty influence at Harvard. There were kumors that Fisher would leave and that Percy Haughton, the guiding genius of Harvard football, would return to

of Harvard football, would return to Cambridge next fall to try his hand at developing a non-losing team. The stories were believed most every place, but at Harvard, where they drew the Roper Likely Absentee.

Bill Roper may not return to Princebon, because he is now laboring under
the presure of outside business, and
it is understood that he may be named

GII. Doble has done so much for Cornell that he is sure of his job, and Bob Folwell is regarded as a fixture at the Naval Academy as long as he wants to that the Para.

stay chere.
Major Daly may be relieved as the west Point coach, because he is due for other duties.
"Greasy" Neale is through at Wash-Ington and Jefferson. He blames friction with the faculty for conditions that proced him to look for a job elsewhere. Teale has had many offers of jobs, but Neale has had many offers of Jobs, but the wants to come to Columbia.

Washington and Jefferson is after Rnute Rockne, the capable director of athletics and coach at Notré Dame. Rockne has two years to go at Notre Dame, and it isn't quite possible that the Hossier University will allow a matter of dollars to come between him and his present Job.

### WOODSTOCK COLLEGE **ELEVEN EXPECT WIN**

oodstock, Nov. 28 .- The semi-finals Woodstock, Nov. 28.—The semi-finals of the play for the soccer championship of the "Wossa" League will be settled here tomorrow, when the London South Collegiate and Woodstock College meet there on the college campus in a suddendeath game. The students have a pretty strong team, have been practising faithfully for the past two weeks, and expect to win.

The winners will meet Windsor in the finals on Saturday. the finals on Saturday.

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Field Saturday

Sweep Off Snow and Cover Grid With Straw.

vesterday's fall of snow, there is about two inches of "the beautiful" on the football field at Queen's Stadium. Today the snow is being removed, and the field is being covered with straw, and if the university authorities are able to do so, they will secure enough canvas to so, they will secure enough canvas to cover the ground.

Everything possible will be done to keep the field in the best of condition for the big game with Edmonton on Saturday.

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Saturday.

Queens play better on dry ground,
and it is hoped that the weather will be
favorable. Tomorrow morning the sale
of reserved seats will confinence, and
already hundreds of applications have
been received from outside places.
Queen's graduates from all over the
country are anxious to get tickets for
the game.



declares that the six-man hockey idea has caught on at the coast, and declares that the penalty shot and kick the puck idea will prevail in the east pefore many years.

Since the new hockey rules obtaining in the coast and prairie leagues had their initial try-out sufficient time has elapsed to afford a fear perspective of their merits and the opinions of the fans thereon. After listening in on a score of fan conversations around the city, we find that on the whole the new code has made a good impression. Naturally, there is considerable divergence of opinion regarding the sixman game now used in the coast we many eastern records may be a little bit better looking at the end of the instance of the fans seem pretty evenly feel to be a fine fizzle distead of the great machine that was expected last Septembered, however, that the hobbatied style was new to the majori, of feel performers at first, and it will kee a few weeks before the boys can be expected to give their best display under rules that are now more or less under familiar. Since the new hockey rules obtaining

Game Looks Faster.

On the surface, the six-man game appears faster. The truth is that the puck travels no faster and no farther than before—but the players do. When it men were on the ice, the rubber was more frequently passed forward to the front-line players, who then carried it in on the goal. With 12 men playing, the players usually carry the puck the whole way. This means more skating, more appearance of action, and quicker tiring out of the men, requiring more substituting. The game LOOKS faster, and after all, it is how it looks to the spectator that counts.

The one failure among the new rules was that which allowed substitutions only at whistle intervals. The long intervals between the whistles secured by the no-offside area and by allowing players to kick the puck, resulted in players being kept on the ice for considerable periods after they were all in Frank Patrick was quick to notice this shortcoming, and the rule in question has been dropped.

The big success among the innovations is the anti-defence game clause. Under the old conditions, after piling up the lead they did sarly in a recent Game Looks Faster.

for a responsible government position, according to a responsible government position. Roper is now priminent in Philadelphia polytics and has a good law practice.

The Tiger coach has established a system at Princeton that has shown results as good as those of Haughton at Harvard, and if he leaves Princeton to step into his shoes.

Johnny Heisman is sure of his job at Pennsylvania University, but Hugo Bezdek may step out of the athletic thair at Penn State and get back into professional baseball as the manager of the Philadelphia Nationals.

Gell. Dobie has done so much for Cormight that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and that he is sure of his job, and Bob and the principle of the principle

but the second and third periods would have been farcical.

The teams. by the by, seemed to get on to this new wrinkle pretty quickly, and only one penalty was imposed under the rule. Morris was benched in the final period for loading between center ice and his own blue-line. Kicking the Puck.

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The section which allows kicking of the puck, except into the net, appears to have rubbed the funnybones of some of the eastern critics, and some heavenborn genius in Toronto has accused Frank Patrick of making hockey a melange of soccer, lacrosse and other games. As a matter of fact the rule eliminated a lot of irritating stoppages whenever the rubber touched a player's skate, and speeded up play as a result.

The eastern hockey critics are nothing if not conservative. Let a thing be new and it is, ipso facto, as the lawyers say, N. G. They "view with alarm" in a style that warms the cockles of a Tory squire's heart, and the way they gird against anything in the nature of change makes the stoutest last-ditcher in the House of Lords look like a red-tied radical. They knocked the no-offside area idea when it was introduced here, but they are using it today, as they are using other ideas that were first worked out on the coast. In a year or two they will be using the penalty shot, allowing kicking of the puck and all the rest of it. But the boys must have their holler before they swallow anything that

"KING" CLANCY'S SON IS **NEW OTTAWA RECRUIT** 

promising youngster in the circuit.

The Ottawas have now signed up all of last year's players, except Frank Boucher, who was recalled by St. Patricks; Billy Bell, who reverted to Canadiens, and Morley Bruce, whom they passed up.

Smoke



# GUELPH C. OF C. IS

Winners of All Lines of Sports Given Banquet.

Gueloh, Nov. 28.—The annual banquet tendered by the Guelph Chamber of proved to be one of the mest successful of the many yet held.

forum committee, presided, and the clubs represented were the Taylor-Forbes football club winners of the W. F. A. championship of 1921-22, winners of the Guelph City League 1922, and finalists in Ontario for the Dominion cup; the Guelph Outfitters baseball club, winners of the junior championship of the O. B. A. A.; Red White and Blue football club, winners of the City Juvenile League for 1922, winners of Rotary cup 1920-21-22, and semi-finalists for Ontario juvenile championship 1922; Rotary cup 1920-21-22 and semi-finalists for Ontario juvenile championship 1922; Maple Leaf baseball club, runnersup for the Inter-County senior baseball league championship for 1922; the Guelph rugby club; Major C. R. Crowe, Guelph's representative on the Bisley team for a number of years, and Jack Purcell, runner-up for the junior Canadian tennis championship for 1922. Tribute was paid to all of these organizations and individuals by the various speakers of the evening, and the

## Sport Tabloids

West Point-Ohio State's University clitely declined an invitation to accept

track and field championships will be held in New York March 3 in the 102nd

New York—Walter Higgins, Columbia's star runner, won the individual honors by finishing first in the Intercollegiate cross country championship yesterday. Fig. time was 32.21 8-10. Syracuse pulsed a surprise by winning the team championship with 75 points. Yale—was second, and Massachusetts.

### **REGAN TO LOOK AFTER** CANADIAN STRING

Bowte, Md., Nov. 28.—(By Canadian Press.)—Frank Regan has been engaged to act as trainer for Mrs. L. A. Livingston's racers next year, it was learned here today. This string comprises mostly Canadian-breds, which will be campaigned over the tracks of the Dominion.

Chick Lang, Hamilton, Ont., crack jockey, who has been riding here, will again be seen in action at Jefferson Park, New Orleans, this winter. He will leave here at the close of the meeting under the care of Jim Arthur.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE.

Whist Between &

Commerce to the various sporting organizations of the city was held at the Royal Canadian Cafe this evening, and proved to be one of the mest successToronto Oaklands C. I. team is the other team remaining in the Interscholastic ful of the many yet held.

Mr. R. B. Robson, chairman of the forum committee, presided, and the clubs represented were the Taylor-Forbes football club winners of the W. F. A. championship of 1921-22, winners another year they will probably insist on the age limit being observed to the letter.

Some of the fistic champs are wishing they'd stuck more to vaudeville the Kearns won't look at the million dollar offer for Dempsey to meet Strangler Lewis in a mixed bout, and then take on two other heavies. He claims that a Lewis-Dempsey bout would draw almost a million dollars itself. Meanwhile Kearns will find more lucrative offers—on paper.

Toronto critics no sooner took their hats off to Queens than they began

Conacher proved Saturday that one outstanding star can be almost as great a source of weakness as of strength. Queens would not have won had it not been for Connie's fumble behind his own line. Probably they wouldn't have needed that touch if Conacher hadn't scored all Argos' points, which is a softer way

ganizations and individuals by the various speakers of the evening, and the cups and trophies won by them were presented.

A telegram of congratulation was read from President P. M. Kennedy of the O. B. A. A. to the Outfitters, and the Ontario champions were greeted with hearty applause.

Guelph has had a most successful year in all lines of sport, and on Monday next the ratepayers will have the opportunity to vote on a bylaw providing for a new athletic field and grandstand, and there is every indication that it will carry by an overwhelming majority.

Calgary Tigers have been torn between the desire to build a larger rink and called the present arena.

Mickey Walker threatens to go on the stage. The 'footlights'—not to say the "foot-rail"—has lured most of the champs. Freckled Bob Fitzsimmons the "foot-rail"—has lured most of the champs. Freckled Bob Fitzsimmons the "foot-rail"—has lured most of the champs. Freckled Bob Fitzsimmons the "foot-rail"—has lured most of the champs. Freckled Bob Fitzsimmons the started early enough, the public never would have known Booth. Dempsey, apparently, is one champion whose personality makes a hit before the footlights, but the big boy doesn't like talking for money. Walker is well educated, speaks that had a rugby championship to her hockey and baseball conquests.

Galt may add a rugby championship to her hockey and baseball conquests.

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New York, Nov. 28.—Records compiled today tend to dispute the contentions of some folks that pitchers in the big leagues are going back. The records are not official, but they will be borne out when the official numbe borne out when the official numbers come out.

In 1922 there were more shut-out agames pitched than were twirled in 1921. The National League record for 1921 was 67 and in 1922 it was 75.

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And by this record those who have contended all along that the pitchers of the National were less formidable than those of the American League batter for have been given one more claiming that their contentions therefore have been given one more claimed that National League batters were more hefty with their sticks than their rivals.

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In April there were nine shutout games pitched on the last afternoon of the opening month. By May the older league's pitchers got better, or the batters worse, as you will, for in that month of blossoms the Nationals showed nine shut-out games to eight in the American League.

Then the American League pitchers buckled down to business, and during the state of the pitches with the states were sore of 1 to 0. This double-header shutout wasn't equaled all season by any other two teams.

MEDS '24, '25 AND '27

WIN FACULTY GAMES

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HURLERS IN MAJORS

NOT GOING BACK

June they blanked the opposing side in thirteen games, while the National pitchers were holding the enemy scoreless in an even dozen games. In July the Ban Johnson circuit showed nineteen shutout games to fourteen in the rival organization.

The National League hurlers apparently were going great guns in

an October date on the army football schedule, it was said. Williams probably Records Show More Shutouts will fill the date.

Records Show More Shutouts ahead by pitching fourteen shutouts in 1922 Than 1921.

**WOODSTOCK KIDS** 

START WORKOUTS

Good Prospects in View.

ALL SAINTS LEAD CHURCH

TENPINS

Carpetball League to Nov.

to the twelve that were twirled in the American League.

The Boston Americans and the Washingtons, incidentally, wrested the whitewash brush from the White Sox. Either as winners or losers, the Red Sox were mixed up in 23 shutout games in 1922. Washington was mixed up in 25 affairs in which one side or the other never saw the home-plate. In the National League the Bostons ran their total for whitewash games to seventeen. Pittsburg was mixed up in eighteen games in which one team or the other went scoreless.

An interesting phase in the figures is that Boston and Washington had a little record all their own one day. On Sept. ? Boston shut out Washington in the morning, 3 to 0, and then in the afternoon again smeared the Senators by a score of 1 to 0. This double-header shutout wasn't equaled all season by any other two teams.

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HE MAJOR'S PLAN IS COLD TURKEY NOW

## MFRS. LEAGUE DECIDES TO PADDLE OWN CANOE

Galt and Dundas Meet In Finals

Strathconas Drop Out and Rivals Play Home and Home.

Galt, Nov. 28.—Galt and Dundas will meet in the intermediate O. R. F. U. semi-finals, Strathconas having defaulted their home game scheduled for tomorrow. Galt and Dundas will play home-and-home games on orders of the O. R. F. U. although the Valley Town club wanted a sudden-death game. The first game will be played in Dundas Saturday next, with the return game here on Decembet 9, and T. E. Reid and Darcy Smith of Toronto will handle both games.

It is expected kinsman, the Galt It is expected kinsman, the Galt half back, who was injured on Saturday at Sarnia, may be able to

Intermediate Team Has Some Woodstock, Nov. 28.—The local junior O. H. A. players were out for their first worked workout last night. While the squad was not a very large one. Manager Jack Barr expects to have a large number out for road runs from now on. Mike Smith has been appointed trainer for the locals. Hockey prospects in the clay this year are about the best in a number of years, and the fans are standing behind the efforts being made by he new hockey association to bring out winning teams.

In the intermediate line up it is expected that Harry King, Dutch Trump, Art Parker, A. Cohen and a number of newcomers will just about be fast enough to cop any district they may be placed in. The juniors are bound to be good. Nearly all last year's players who went clean through to the last round of the semi-finals are available; also a number of fast new boys on the line. One thing the local juniors will have this year is weight and size. This has been the undoing of most of the Woodstock team, in the past, but this season most of the boys are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the boys are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor as a regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor as a regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor are regular young giants. Tank Hyde, candidate for re-election to the sor as a proposal p Woodstock, Nov. 28.—The local junior O. H. A. players were out for their first workout last night. While the squad was not a very large one. Manager Jack Barr expects to have a large number out for road runs from now on. Mike Smith has been appointed trainer for the locals. Hockey prospects in the city this year are about the best in a

on Saturday at the annual convention allowed to use extra substitutes in the convention allowed to use extra substitutes in the allowed to use extra substitutes in the game on Saturday, and it is likely that the O. H. A. will grant them the necessary perm'ssion.

Referee—A. T. Taylor.

In a preliminary game New James' girls beat Aylmer girls rather one-sided exhibition. sary perm'ssion. Aura Lee's Turnout. All Saints lead the Anglican Church

Games This Week.
Wednesday—St. James at St. Marks.
Thursday—St. Davids at All Saints.

seniors. Gus Ryder, Aura Lee T. H. L. team, and Tracey Shaw of St. Helens; forwards, Megaffin, Wagner and Harrington. St. Helens; "Wee" Young, 166 171 205—542 team, and a former Aura Lee tunior player; Saunders and Jim Ray. 166 171 205—542 team and Young showed the 161 171 205—542 team and Young showed the 162 180—602 team and the practice.

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'Cap" Graham Is Again President of Circuit-Open On Jan. 2.

The Manufacturers' Hockey League decided at a meeting held in Brisco's store last night to retain its present independent status and not go under the wing of the proposed London Amateur Athletic Association, at

present anyway. "Cap" Graham, though he had held out for retirement, was again th unanimous choice for president. Jack Allen is vice-president. John A. Nash was elected honorary president, with M. Morrow as honorary vice-president. "Bud" Suddick will again fill the role of secretary.
The league opens on Jan. 2, with H. J. Jones & Sons against McCormicks;
Perrins against Bell Telephone.

WITH THE PUCK

CHASERS

J. Jones & Sons against McCormicks;
Perrins against Bell Telephone.

All contracts are expected to be in the hands of the executive at the next meeting on Dec. 12, and any players not on the payroll of the company they wish to play for on or before Jan. I will be ineligible to play in the Jeague during the first series.

A copy of the constitution will be away, the senior hockey teams are getting down to business at their workouts. Granites and Varsity, both of whom have heid the Allen Cup, are to meet in the opening game at the Arena on Saturday night. Both teams were out at practice yesterday. Granites worked hard for the whole half hour that they were out there, and all the regulars seem to be in splendid condition and series render the playing of interfer sames impossible, the title will go to the winners of the first series. All games will be played at Westminster Rink on Tuesday and Thurstream to be in splendid condition and the playing of the constitution will be second series render the playing of interfer sames impossible, the title will go to the winners of the first series.

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rather one-sided exhibition. Hayden starred for the locals. CARPETBALL LEAGUE

Aura Lee's Turnout.

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Aura Lee seniors had a big squad out last night, but their last year's players Left were consplexed by their absence.

Nearly all those out were boys who have been playing in the various outdoor M. Martin. Defense F. Nobbs leagues.

Early the root position of the locals.

A. Miller... Forward. (15) Hayden Black (2). Forward. (4) A. Bolton Pr. Thompson. Dehter F. Hardy M. Martin. Defense F. Nobbs leagues.

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