

"Whoever appointed him, or told him that he knew anything about hockey is worse than the poor fellow himself." A reckless slander directed to one of his own, since I was appointed by no less an official than Prof. John A. S., President of the O. U. A. A., and recognized throughout the City of Ottawa as an authority on sport. I merely cite this as an example of my friend's recklessness.

The reference to a mill pond and shinny would appear to be but a hazy reminiscence of my friend's suburban days.

It is not my intention to enter into a controversy. This is my first and last correspondence on the matter. I merely desire to point out one or more motives that may have prompted the article.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space in your inestimable periodical, I beg to remain,

Yours very sincerely,

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JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

On account of bad weather for about two weeks, we were unable to finish the hockey games. Our rink was in bad condition and we had to play off a game which would decide the championship. So we rented the Rideau rink on St. Patrick's Day, and the two teams played, the Frontenacs against Ottawa Valley. There was a little water on the ice, but no slush, but the absence of slush did not prevent the players from getting wet. There was always a cry when someone happened to fall. Each team had its supporters, and loud cheering came from both sides. The final score was 3 to 0 in favor of Frontenacs, a goal being scored in each period. The game was refereed by Fr. Senecal, Fr. Turcotte being time-keeper. The final standing of the league was as follows:—

	Won.	Lost.	Tied.
Frontenacs, Capt., S. Robert	9	3	..
Ottawa Valley, Capt. Provost	7	4	1
Rosedale, Capt., MacIntosh	4	7	1
Ottawa, Capt., L. Demarais	3	9	..

On Sunday, February 1st, the Small Yard team played against a picked team from Big Yard. The game had no more than started when the Big Yarders rushed up and had scored two goals. However, the Small Yarders were not discouraged, and when the puck