

Winter Pastimes

London's Hockey Club Defeats the Paris Champions.

The Game a Fast One From Start to Finish.

Progress of the St. Paul Bonspiel—Winnipeggers Away Ahead—Turf, Ice Races, Boxing, and Other Sporting Matters.

HOCKEY.

LONDON WON!

The hockey game between Paris and London at the Princess Rink last night, attracted nearly 1,000 spectators. It was a fast, stubborn contest, notable chiefly for close checking and occasionally brilliant combination playing. The defeat of the Southern Hockey League champions by the home team was cheered to the echo. The score stood 1-0 in favor of London at the end of the first half, and during the second half two more goals were made by the locals and one by Paris. There was an element of daring in the play of the locals that went far to achieve victory. Paris proved to be a fast, well-generalized team and London's success was most creditable. During the first half the puck was kept in the vicinity of the Paris goal, and shot after shot was made, only to be cleverly turned by Gray. When the game had lasted 15 minutes, Hobbs scored the first goal, after some clever passing. A close struggle continued for the rest of the half without changing the vic-tory. All of London's forwards did clever, hard work. In 10½ minutes, after half-time was called, Ewing made a shot on goal from the side and scored. He repeated the act a minute and a half later, and the excitement of the spectators doubled. The game became hotter, London being determined to take every advantage of the turn of fortune. But Paris resisted well, and played a good up-hill game. They made rush after rush for London's goal, and after 5 or 6 minutes scored. Ransell lifting the puck through at the top of the stakes, when close on goal. Johns had no chance to stop it. Throughout the game both Johns and Gray played brilliantly, and their work was, to a large extent, the feature of the game. Gilmore, the new captain of the Londoners, was all that could be desired.

Mr. H. B. Gordon, of London, gave satisfaction as referee. Messrs. Tunn, London, and Allen, Paris, were goal-judges. Messrs. Fred Boltz, London, and Sid Armitage, Paris, were time-keepers. The teams lined up as follows:

London.	Paris.
Johns.....Goal.....Gray	
Reid.....Point.....Hobbs	
Brown.....Center.....Ransell	
Gray.....Forward.....Brown	
Gilmore.....Forward.....Adams	
Hobbs.....Forward.....Maure	
Taylor.....Forward.....Taylor	

AT WATERLOO.

The Victorias, of Guelph, played their return O. H. A. game with the Waterloo Juniors last evening. The game was exciting from start to finish, and resulted in Waterloo defeating the visitors by a score of 12 to 8.

AT RIPLEY.

The first match at Ripley of the Huron and Bruce Hockey Association, between Lucknow and Ripley, resulted in a score of 5 to 4 in favor of the home team. Referee, H. Seller, Kincardine.

JACK GILMOUR.

Toronto Telegram: At last Jack Gil-mour has come out of his seclusion, and has decided to quit the hermit act. He is giving the public of London a treat in playing on his hockey team. "Blondine" is once more on the for-ward, and played in the game against Ingersoll, when London won 5 to 3. But where he shone most was on the Toronto Bank team. Those were the days of warm games, when the golden-haired accountant cried out to his team, "Polly up," as he sped off for ice, with the puck well in hand. From all reports he is still doing that now, and London hockeyists are delighted at hav-ing on their team a man of Gilmour's calibre.

CHIP REID.

Toronto Telegram: Chip Reid, known throughout the country for his ability to play football, is holding down point on London's hockey team, and doing it well. He skates well, is a good stick-handler, and has the weight and nerve to back it up. What more constitutes a good hockey player?

BASEBALL.

WORCESTER TAKEN IN. Worcester, Mass., Jan. 18.—The special committee from the Eastern League formally awarded a franchise for Worcester to Charles A. Marston, of Fall River. The unsuccessful applicant was Charles F. Rice, who owned the team in the New England League last year.

HAMILTON CLUB.

Hamilton Herald: The Hamilton baseball club has finally decided not to enter the Eastern League this year. President Stroud has figured the matter up one side and down the other, and has come to the conclusion that with a \$2,000 salary limit, heavy traveling and umpires' expenses and a proportion of

the league maintenance, he could hardly hope to escape a loss on the season. Mr. Stroud, however, is determined to furnish local baseball patrons with a good quality of ball this year, and arrangements are now under way for the formation of a six- or an eight-club league that will prove satisfactory to local fans. Saginaw, Bay City and Port Huron are anxious to come in again; and another proposition is under way that includes Sault Ste. Marie, and one or two other New York cities. Something definite will be made known in a few days, however.

FISTIC.

WHAT THEY BOX FOR.

The battle in New York last Tuesday night between McCoy and Sharkey was for a purse of \$20,000 and 50 per cent of all the gate receipts over \$40,000, which makes the size of the purse about \$30,000. The largest purse ever fought for was that for which Sullivan and Corbett battled in 1892. It was for \$45,000. Here is a list of the big purses for which pugilists have contested in the prize ring:

1895—Pearce beat Gulley, \$5,000.
1894—Spring beat Langan, \$5,000.
1895—Ward beat Cannon, \$5,000.
1890—Heyer beat Yank Sullivan, \$10,000.
1898—Morrissey beat Heenan, \$5,000.
1895—Mace beat Goss, \$10,000.
1895—Collier beat Aaron, \$5,000.
1893—Hollywood beat Keating, \$5,000.
1870—Mace beat Allen, \$5,000.
1876—Goss beat Allen, \$5,000.
1882—Sullivan beat Ryan, \$5,000.
1887—Kilrain (draw), Smith, \$10,000.
1889—Myer (draw), Mullins, \$10,000.
1893—Sullivan beat Kilrain, \$20,000.
1889—Cooper beat Bendorf, \$12,000.
1891—Fitz beat Dempsey, \$22,000.
1891—Slavin beat Kilrain, \$10,000.
1892—Jackson beat Slavin, \$12,500.
1892—Mullins beat Myer, \$30,000.
1892—Dixon beat Skelly, \$17,500.
1892—Corbett beat Sullivan, \$45,000.
1893—Dixon beat Pearce, \$27,000.
1893—Pitts beat Hall, \$40,000.
1894—Corbett beat Mitchell, \$30,000.
1897—Fitz beat Corbett, \$15,000.
1898—Sharkey beat Corbett, \$20,000.
1899—Sharkey beat McCoy, \$30,000.

DIXON WON.

New York, Jan. 18.—George Dixon proved his cleverness and hard hitting ability last night at the Lenox Athletic Club, where he met and defeated Young Pluto, of South Africa, in the tenth round of what was to be a 20-round bout. The knock-out came in the shape of a left swing in the stomach, which crushed the wind out of his opponent. Pluto was heralded as a world-beater by his friends, but although he is very clever in defensive work, and undoubtedly game, he was never dangerous. Dixon soon battered down the African's guard, and early in the fight demonstrated that he was Pluto's master.

RYAN VS. RYAN.

Australian Jimmy Ryan has accepted the challenge of Tommy Ryan, of Syracuse, to fight 20 rounds for the largest purse offered and a side bet of \$1,000.

THE SHERIFF HAS THE SAY.

Sheriff Thomas last evening notified the officers of the Galt House Athletic Club that the proposed 20-round fight between Joe Choyinski and Jim Hall, booked for Thursday night, could not take place.

TURF.

ON THE ICE AT BELLEVILLE. Belleville, Ont., Jan. 18.—The ice races yesterday afternoon were largely attended, and very keenly contested, despite a soft track. Only one race was finished when darkness came on. Following are the summaries:

2:50 class, purse \$100:
Royal L. b. g. A. Proctor.
Aurora.....4 2 4 1 1 1
Anna Gould, b. m., W.
Barnes, Port Hope.....2 1 2 2 2 2
Johnnie P. b. g. C. H.
Clarke, Toronto.....1 4 1 4 2 3
Maggie R., b. m., Abe
Johnson, Brantford.....3 2 3 4 4
Time—2:35, 2:31, 2:33½, 2:35, 2:27, 2:30.
2:25 class, purse \$100:
Harry Wilkes, b. g. I. Thoma.
mas, Belleville.....3 2 1 2
Col. Brock, b. g. D. Lake, Na-
panee.....2 3 4 3
Stratton, b. g. F. Miller,
Bath.....4 3 4
Looking Glass, b. g. S. G. Be-
netts, Port Hope.....5 2 1
Kittie R., m. A. Proctor, Au-
rorra.....1 1 5 5
Time—2:26½, 2:30, 2:27, 2:31.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Jan. 18.—Yesterday was the fifth day of the Crescent City Jackey Club's winter meeting.

First race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Belle of Memphis 1, Banish 2, Mizpah 3. Time, 1:23½.

Second race, handicap, 7 furlongs—Hardy Pardee 1, Sir Blaise 2, Beckon 3. Time, 1:31½.

Third race, selling, 6 furlongs—Dorah 1, Worcester 2, Miss Lizzie 3. Time, 1:16½.

Fourth race, handicap, 1-16 miles—Moroni 1, Mo'o 2, Mr. Johnson 3. Time, 1:52½.

Fifth race, selling, 1 mile and 20 yards—Flo 1, Lafayette 2, Kitty Regan 3. Time, 1:11.

Sixth race, selling, 1 mile—Sea Robber 1, Wilson 2, Ennomia 3. Time, 1:45½.

CURLING.

WINNIPEGERS WINNING. The Winnipeg curlers who have taken part in the St. Paul bonspiel have won in every event they have taken part in so far. They are expected to carry home several prizes.

The ice was in splendid condition for play yesterday, and the first event will be a two-rink competition for the Walker trophy, a solid silver cup valued at \$300, and eight gold medals valued at \$50 each, for the members of the winning rinks. The second event will be a two-rink competition for the Hotel Cadillac trophy, a \$250 silver cup. Eight gold medals valued at \$50 each, will be given the individual players of the winning rinks, winners in the first event being barred. The third event will be a single rink competition for

the Russell House trophy, a silver cup valued at \$175. The winners are to receive four Free Press medals, valued at \$20 each; competition is open to all regularly organized clubs in the United States and Canada. Each trophy is to become the property of the club winning it three times, or the greatest number of times in five years. George N. Matheson, of Sarnia, is to be the umpire.

TRIGGER.

LIVE BIRD MATCH.

A shooting match for \$25 a side took place at St. Thomas Monday at five o'clock. The participants were Ed. Boughner and Bob Emale on the one side and Joe Odell and Tom Donley on the other. Jim Haight was referee. There was a large crowd present. The score: Boughner, 10; Emale, 13; total, 23. Odell, 13; Donley, 17; total, 30.

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A "unicorn earman" in the London dialect, is a man who drives the car. This philosophical fact came out at a recent coroner's inquest.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve. Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order.

A club at Trarbach, which offered a prize of a barrel of wine for the best song in praise of Moselle wine, has received 2,149 compositions to choose from.

Parents Must Have Rest. A president of one of our colleges says: "We spent many sleepless nights in consequence of our children suffering from colds, but this never occurs now. We use Scott's Emulsion and it quickly relieves pulmonary troubles."

Perhaps home is all the dearer to some men because they are seldom there.

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HE STARTLED HIS PEOPLE!

Bishop Potter Says the Saloon Is a Necessity—That It Is the Poor Man's Club.

New York, Jan. 18.—Bishop Potter started the members of the Church Temperance Society at a meeting in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Monday night. In his address he said the saloon was a necessity under the present conditions.

Joseph H. Choate, in a speech, took the opposite view. The meeting was held to gather money for the proposed Squirrel Inn, a temperance establishment for the Bowery, where the working people can go and spend their evenings. Bishop Potter was to speak upon "The Church and Intemperance," but he confined himself almost wholly to saloons as a social necessity. "We may abuse it," he said, "we may utilize it, but it is a necessity, as far as social intercourse, relaxation and refreshment are necessities. The saloon exists because you and I have given our brother no better things. It is the truth. You may not like to hear it, but so it is. We who belong to the so-called favored classes have our clubs. But the poor man cannot afford \$100 a year for a club, and so he frequents the saloon. Let there be no mistake, the man who keeps a saloon defends it, and justifies it as the poor man's club. There are more poor than rich, more saloons than clubs. The man who keeps a saloon and who says it is the poor man's club, tells the truth. Can anyone blame the poor man because he leaves his squalid home, his squealing children and seeks in the brightly lighted, comfortable saloon the society of congenial companions.

The temperance people present were startled by such sentiments from Bishop Potter, but he was thoroughly in earnest. His address had the effect to cause the rich men present to go deeper into their pockets for funds to establish the Squirrel Inn.

FOOD FOR THE NAVY

Canada May Have a Chance to Compete—She Has the Supplies.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Mr. J. G. Colmer, of the high commissioner's office, wrote the department of trade and commerce recently in respect to food products of various kinds which were required by the Imperial army, and which Canadian manufacturers might tender for. Mr. Colmer in another letter received here yesterday, says that he has continued the inquiry into the methods by which food supplies are procured for the royal navy. He has learned that food products are obtained through the agency of brokers, who buy in the public market and by tender confined to manufacturers who have made application to tender, and who are financially sound. It is in connection with the latter class of supplies that Canadian producers might have an opportunity of supplying the navy in the manner indicated, and therefore Mr. Colmer made inquiry as to the kind of goods that are purchased in this way from the United States. He was informed that salt beef in casks, dried, evaporated vegetables in tins, preserved beef in tins, are bought in the United States. Mr. Colmer thinks it quite possible that Canadian firms might get a share of this trade.

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HE SHOT A BOY

Policeman Tried and Dismissed With a Lecture.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Police Constable Owen McCarron was tried yesterday before Judge Morgan on the charge of shooting a lad named George Smith. McCarron was on duty a few weeks ago in the West End, where a number of burglaries had been committed. He had regarded as suspicious actions on the part of Smith, who ran off on observing McCarron. The constable ordered him to stop, but Smith ran on, whereupon McCarron fired. He fired on the ground, he said in court, but the bullet hit Smith on the fleshy part of one of his legs and brought him down. The judge dismissed McCarron with a lecture.

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