

# STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Y. M. C. A. Seniors In Basket Ball

Games Arranged in House League—Open to General Public Every Wednesday Evening.

The Senior Basketball schedule that is being played every Wednesday evening looks very strong. The five captains are out recruiting for new material to strengthen the team, and great interest is being shown in the game this year among the Seniors. Friends are invited to see the games every Wednesday evening, and are assured of some real sport.

The schedule is as follows:

- First Series.**  
 Wednesday, Oct. 29—8:00, Nixon vs. Copp; 8:45, Thorne vs. Pendleton. (Ryan—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Nov. 5—8:00, Pendleton vs. Ryan; 8:45, Nixon vs. Thorne. (Copp—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Nov. 12—8:00, Copp vs. Pendleton; 8:45, Thorne vs. Ryan. (Nixon—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Nov. 19—8:00, Pendleton vs. Nixon; 8:45, Copp vs. Ryan. (Thorne—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Nov. 26—8:00, Ryan vs. Nixon; 8:45, Copp vs. Thorne. (Pendleton—bye.)
- Second Series.**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 3—8:00, Pendleton vs. Thorne; 8:45, Copp vs. Nixon. (Ryan—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Dec. 10—8:00, Thorne vs. Nixon; 8:45, Ryan vs. Pendleton. (Copp—bye.)  
 Wednesday, Dec. 17—8:00, Ryan vs. Thorne; 8:45, Pendleton vs. Copp. (Nixon—bye.)

### COMING TO ST. JOHN.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 28.—Mrs. C. W. Hart and son are leaving on Thursday for St. John, where they will take up their residence. Mrs. Hart's eldest son, Lieut. Gilbert Hart, has resigned his position with the Royal Bank of Canada and accepted one with the Burroughs Adding Machine Company at St. John. Mrs. Hart has made many friends since her return to Fredericton from the Southern States, and during the war has taken an active part in all work for the returned soldiers. Her departure is deeply regretted.

## Plans For Hockey League This Year

North Shore Towns Keen for Series to Include Fredericton and Marysville.

According to information received from a reliable source plans are already on foot for the organization of a senior hockey league this coming winter in the northern part of New Brunswick. While it is yet early to make announcements, the fact that a meeting is to be held here in the near future to consider the plan shows that some such organization will likely be formed this winter and that the men who are taking up the matter are not going to wait until it is too late before they have the organization complete. A considerable amount of correspondence has been carried on between interested parties in some of the North Shore towns and a league may be formed in which Newcastle, Chatham, Bathurst, Campbellton, Marysville, and Fredericton will be represented.—Fredericton Gleaner.

### THE GOLF BUG.

I spoke about the weather but he answered not a word. He looked across the distance like a man who hadn't heard. I thought the League of Nations was a topic he'd discuss. But he wasn't interested in our latest verbal fight.

He was cold and strange and silent till I mentioned golf, and lo! His eyes began to twinkle and his words began to flow!

He talked about his struggles with the royal and ancient game. He told of pros he'd been to and he called them all by name. He talked of shots he'd mastered and of holes he'd made in two. He praised the Vardon pivot and the Vardon follow through. He held me in a corner while he raved about his play. He was on his favorite topic and I couldn't get away.

### By Edgar A. Guest.

## Long Drive Theory Again Shattered

Golfing Tests Tried Out in England Showed That "Impossible" Drives Were Not Realized.

The theory that first class golfers can drive the ball "impossible" distances was upset again on Saturday at Sandy Lodge, England. The drives of Harry Vardon, James Braid, J. H. Taylor and Alec Herd were measured at the twelve holes which could not be reached from the tee, and with an almost complete absence of wind and on a perfect fairway, only once was 250 yards exceeded, while the best average—that of Braid in the morning—was a little less than 231 yards.

The four famous professionals played under medal rules in the morning, and every hole was completed by each man, the scores of Vardon and Taylor being pitted against those of Braid and Herd. The English pair, with 73 and 75 respectively, beat the two Scots, whose respective totals were 75 and 78. In the afternoon the couples were the same, but a four ball match was played. Braid and Herd winning by one up. Their best ball score was 70 against 71.

### BOLSHEVIK ARE SUCCESSFUL IN COUNTER ATTACK

Paris, Oct. 28.—A wireless report from Bolshevik military headquarters, picked up by the station here, reports that the counter offensive against General Yudenitch in the vicinity of Petrograd had been successful. It further states the capture of Dmitrovsk, a town fifty-seven miles southwest of Orel, from General Denikin's

## City Basket Ball League Meeting

Called for Thursday Evening in Y. M. C. A. Rooms—Two Teams for Senior Series.

On Thursday evening, the 30th, a further meeting of the Intermediate and Senior City Basketball Leagues will be held in the Y. M. C. A. club rooms, at 7 o'clock sharp. At the meeting last week, four teams were assured for the Intermediate and two for the Senior. Since then the committee has been in touch with further clubs and expect to hear from them all on Thursday night, when the final decision is to be reached as to the number of teams that are going to take part this year.

### Intermediate League Games

The following is the schedule of the Basketball League formed last week in connection with the Inter Y. M. C. A. The four teams look very even and strong competition is expected during the schedule.

Tuesday, Oct. 29—8:45 P. M., Seely vs. Seely; 9:10 P. M., Malcolm vs. Urquhart.  
 Tuesday, Nov. 4—8:45 P. M., McKay vs. Malcolm; 9:10 P. M., Seely vs. Malcolm.  
 Tuesday, Nov. 11—8:45 P. M., Urquhart vs. McKay; 9:10 P. M., Seely vs. Malcolm.  
 Tuesday, Nov. 18—8:45 P. M., Urquhart vs. McKay; 9:10 P. M., Seely vs. McKay.  
 Tuesday, Nov. 25—8:45 P. M., Urquhart vs. Seely; 9:10 P. M., Malcolm vs. McKay.  
 Tuesday, Dec. 2—8:45 P. M., Malcolm vs. Seely; 9:10 P. M., McKay vs. Urquhart.

### The Robins Too Brisk For Swans

Heavy Birds Could Not Edge Away from the Light-Flying Robins.

In an exciting game on the Y. M. C. A. alleys, last night, the Robins finally flew away with the honors, capturing three points from their rivals, the Swans. Misses, of the Swans; Stack and Ramsay, of the Robins, pulled "century" strings. Tonight the Autos and Sparrows will meet. Last night's score follows:

McCann	99	76	96	261	87
Jones	89	91	83	263	87.5
Stack	82	81	100	263	87.5
Clusack	94	83	91	272	90.25
Ramsay	103	84	86	273	91
463 444 459 1323					
Swans.					
Wall	91	85	257	85.25	
McCurdy	87	92	86	265	88.13
Quigley	74	77	77	228	76
Maree	84	101	77	262	87.13
Evans	90	91	90	271	90.13
416 452 415 1283					

Not in the clamor of the crowded street. Not in the shouts and plaudits of the throng. But in the quietude of triumph and defeat.

The most I can do for my friend is simply to be his friend.—Thoreau.

### IMPORTANT CASE IN CHAMBERS

Bank of British North America Claims to Recover \$33,000 from St. John and Quebec Railway Company—Judgment Reserved.

The case of The Bank of British North America vs. The Saint John and Quebec Railway Co. was resumed yesterday morning in Chambers before Mr. Justice Chandler. The bank claims to recover \$33,000 under an assignment of a claim of Hibbard & Co., who were contractors to build the railway between Fredericton and Woodstock, and that the Railway Co. in 1916, when P. W. Sumner was president of the board, had improperly settled the claim without reference to the bank. It is also alleged by the plaintiff that there was fraud in the settlement, and that Mr. Gail, who was the treasurer of Hibbard & Co., had succeeded in getting \$17,000 for himself on a claim that was principally bogus and that the money should have been paid to the bank, and that the agreement was made between A. R. Shipps, who was solicitor for Mr. Gail, and R. B. Hanson, who was solicitor for the Railway Co. F. W. Sumner occupied the stand all morning and denied those statements and said that the directors had received no notice of the assignment of the claim of the Hibbard Company to the Bank of British North America. Judgment reserved. For Mr. Gail, K. C., for plaintiff; W. A. Jones, K. C., and T. M. Jones, for defendants.

## Some Notes From Grand Circuit

Murphy Again Stands at Top of List of Winning Drivers With 56 Events to His Credit.

The returns for the season show that Murphy again stands at the top of the list of winning drivers. He won 56 events. Cox stands second with 32, and Geers third with 22. Valentine won 12, which does not include his sweep through the Great Western. Henry Thomas also won 12 with Laurel Hall horses, J. L. Dodge 11 with Periscope and Hollywood Kate, 208 1/4, and followed by the master of dollars and cents, Murphy is credited with \$84,265. Cox with \$78,098, and Geers with \$41,199.

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### CORPSE THAT SPOKE

Felt Quite Well But Had Rather a Sleepy Feeling.

Paris, Oct. 19.—A man named Laury has had an extraordinary experience. He was thought to be dead, and was taken to a hospital on Saturday, when his body was placed in the "cold room," pending removal to the Morgue.

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## WEDDINGS.

Donovan-Mullin. At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. D. J. MacPherson, last evening at eight o'clock Joseph H. Donovan of 235 City Road and Miss Nellie B. Mullin of Havelock, N. B., were united in wedlock.

Travelling difficulties seem to be the insuperable bar, but a few of the counties will doubtless feel aggrieved if the competition falls through, for in some districts provisional arrangements have been made. This applies particularly to the north, where several matches are already on the fixture list, and these will now have to be treated as friendly, unless the northern counties decide to hold a "local" championship competition among themselves.

## ONLY FRIENDLY GAMES.

The London Daily Express understands that there is good authority for believing the Rugby county championship competition will not take place this season.

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## THE COMMON CO. REGULAR MEETING

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Commissioner Bullock said the government by making lower wharf charges could not drive St. John out of business, and the preservation of the old market building on the West Side was discussed.

George S. Henderson and J. K. Watt, K. C., appeared on behalf of the Historical Society and urged the council to take measures to preserve the old market building on the West Side.

Mayor—Is there any way to white the building could be put?

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Mayor—Has the Historical Society any souvenirs it would exhibit there? Mr. Henderson said the Historical Society had some collections that would not like to put in a building that was not fire-proof, it would, perhaps, supply some exhibits—pictures.

Mr. Henderson also brought up the matter of putting the Old Burying Ground in better shape.

Commissioner Bullock expressed thanks to Mr. Henderson for bringing up the matter. He approved the suggestions in regard to the West Side building and hoped the Historical Society would make some collections that recommendations regarding the preservation of the graves of the Loyals in the Old Burying Ground.

He decided to consider the suggestions in committee later on.

An order was passed to pay the following additional accounts in connection with the celebration of the centennial of the city: The "Standard Limited" . . . . . 2 Trades and Labor Council, payable to P. Campbell. . . . . 250 The application of H. C. Groat, Esq., general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway asking that he make certain alterations and improvements at the West Side terminals for the more convenient handling of passengers and freight, was returned to the commissioner of harbors and rivers and public lands, the City Engineer and the City Solicitor with power to act.

The by-law providing for an increase in the harbor fees was read a second time. The new rates are: Number 15 cents per m. feet; grain 5 cents per ton; general cargo 10 cents per ton; horses 10 cents; coal 10 cents; sheep 2 cents; cattle 10 cents; and from harbor 5 cents.

Commissioner Jones—"I notice the papers that the government rates are less than the city's?"

Commissioner Bullock said he had no official notice but he would be surprised if the government is putting something over the trait forces the city to sell the harbor less than its worth. It had been limited that the government would not build the new grain conveyer on the West Side till the city agreed to the harbor being put in commission, but he did not know if it was so.

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