

# SPORT

Baseball—Football—Basketball—Bowling—Hockey—Curling—Boxing and Wrestling.

## VICTORIAS LOSE TO BERLIN'S CHAMPIONS

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—Last season's O. H. A. senior and intermediate champions met last night, and Berlin defeated the Victorias of Toronto by 5 to 2. The game was very fast for so early in the season, and it was due to the hard back-checking and superb work of the defence that the locals won the game. The Victorias substituted with Scott in goal and Davy on defence. Scott was the weakest man on the line-up. While the Victorias showed some combination, it was not working as smoothly as the local machine, the visitors depending

more on lone rushing, and that was easily stopped by the defence of the intermediate champions. In the first period Harry Meeking did not play his usual strong game, but came back stronger during the remainder of the contest. Aird proved to be a wicked shot, but was somewhat inaccurate. Berlin presented last year's line-up in the first period, but in the second Timm substituted for Solomon, and in the third period Hiller was given a try-out in Rockman's place. Victorias scored first and led at the end of the first period, while the

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## SARNIA'S GOOD TEAM IS BEATEN BY STRATFORD

STRATFORD, Dec. 29.—The local Northern League seniors opened the season brilliantly last night by defeating Sarnia 7 to 2. The superiority of the home team was best demonstrated in the first half, which ended 4 to 0. The last period was less spectacular, Sarnia back checking very effectively and holding the local forwards to individual efforts, in which Pietsch starred. For Sarnia McCart and Lesteur were the most dangerous men, developing a two-man combination that gave the home defence considerable difficulty. Stratford was without the services of Ramsay Rankin, and played a new man in Bombay.

## OTTAWA COLLEGE TAKES GAME FROM CRESCENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Ottawa College hockey team defeated the Crescent A. C. team of Brooklyn here last night 7 to 3. In the first period the Crescents successfully defended their goal for nine minutes, but fast play then gave the visitors five goals within four minutes' play. Ottawa added two more in the second period.

# BRANTFORD INTERMEDIATES LOST TO FAST PRESTON TEAM 9-4

### Visitors Were in Better Condition Than the Locals --Twelve Men Were Tried Out During the Game With Good Results.

Brantford's intermediate hockey team made its debut to the fans last night in an exhibition game with the renowned team of Preston. Although they lost by the score of 9-4, it cannot be said that they were outclassed, although it was clearly evident that the best team had won, and on its merits only. The Preston team is a well-balanced unit, that when going right, plays a combination game that is nice to see, while the Brantford boys, with the little practice they have had, looked good, as Manager Gould said after the game that he was well pleased with the result.

### THIRD PERIOD

In this period, the changes made were, Wicks back in goal, Tracey at rover, McArthur at centre, Sleming on the defence, while Cassidy replaced Gould on the left wing. Also in this period was the most scoring done. Butterfield scored two in quick succession, making it 6-2. Freeman, the speedy little left wing, and the fastest man on the ice, came across with one, making it 7-2, while A. Bowman duplicated the feat of his teammate. Cassidy was replaced by Dunstan. McArthur, after working his way through, put another goal to the credit of the locals. A. Bowman scored the last and ninth goal for Preston. Klercey followed with one for the Brants for the final score of the game 9-4.

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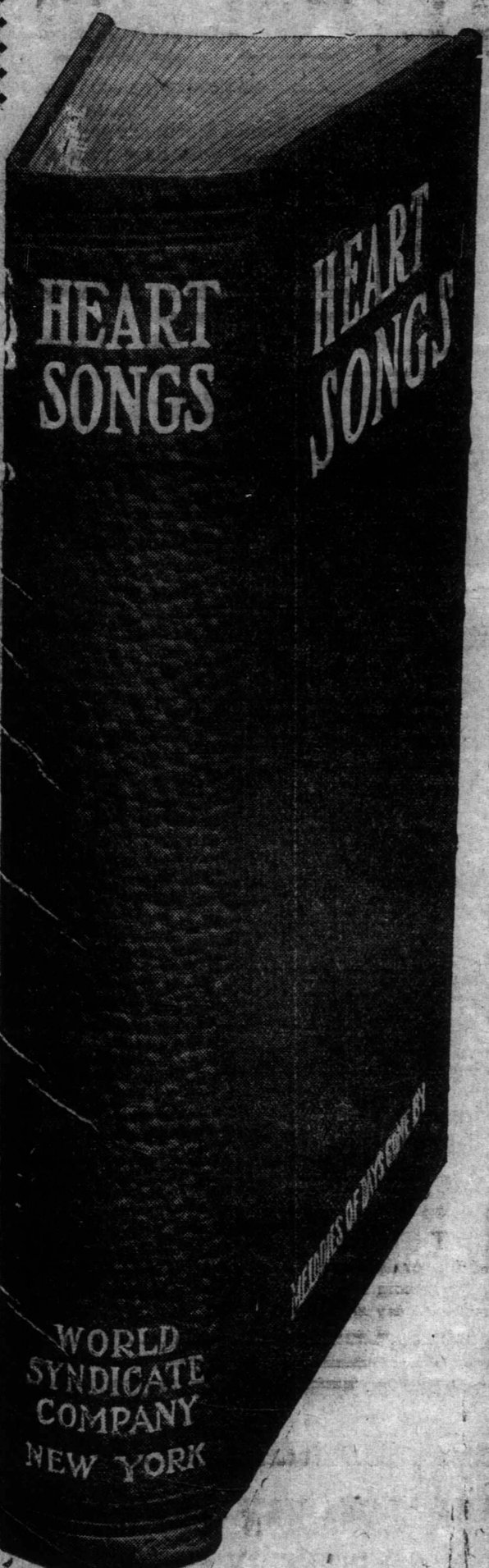
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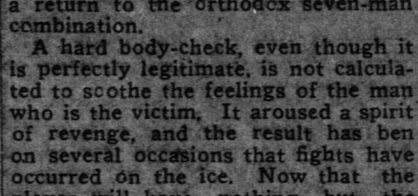
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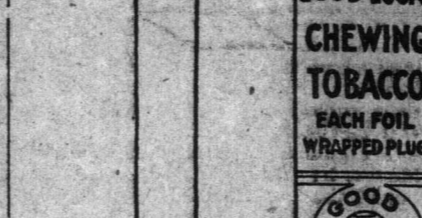
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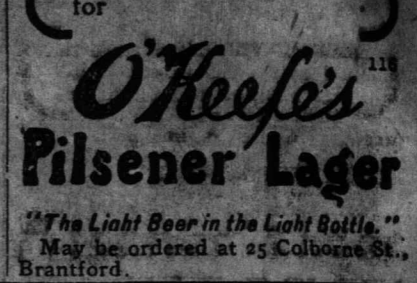
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