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## FIGHTING THE WHITE PLAGUE

(London Daily Telegraph.) An important step in the crusade against consumption has been taken by the local government board. They have decided that the time has arrived for the compulsory notification of pulmonary tuberculosis, and an order is being issued giving effect to this. It was last night issued to localities throughout England and Wales, in accompanying circular the board state that the feeling is general that notification is an almost insurmountable preliminary to the effective control of the disease, and they have received numerous replies to this effect from local bodies. They point out that the notification issued in 1908, after it will be the duty of every practitioner, with certain exceptions, to notify every case of pulmonary tuberculosis occurring in his public or of his private. In this connection it is admitted that the notification is not a voluntary arrangement with the city, but represents a general principle which the practitioner is placed in a somewhat position with his patient, notification is not a statutory duty, and feel sure that the duty now will be loyally and efficiently discharged by the medical profession, and which has responded so readily to the demands of the public knowledge and experience.

**OBJECT OF NOTIFICATION.** The primary object, it is understood, in giving notification is to enable the local authority to assist in the eradication of disease, and accordingly certain orders are offered in the way of guidance, though still far higher than that of any other notifiable disease. The statistics from pulmonary tuberculosis have shown a marked decline in the last thirty years. In 1881 the death rate of 10,000 of the population was 18.25; it was 15.90, in 1901, 12.64 and in 1903. The decrease has coincided with a marked increase in local administrative activity, including greatly improved arrangements and more satisfactory conditions for the sick. It is impossible to estimate the influence of the notification on the decline of the disease, but it is believed that the notification has been a factor in effecting the reduction. It is information obtained by means of notification local authorities will be taken action in individual cases, and preventive measures, and under existing acts local authorities empowered to provide sanatoria, and, moreover, may provide for the use of dispensaries or out-patient hospitals, treatment in an institution, or the circular states, which is not desirable, and in some respects extending, the poor law and hospital regulations already issued, comes into operation on January 1 next.

health, to supply such medical assistance, facilities, and articles as may be necessary for detecting pulmonary tuberculosis, for preventing the spread of infection, and for removing predisposing conditions. The local authorities are also empowered to appoint any necessary additional officers, and in considering in what ways they can best aid in the control, treatment, and prevention of the disease, they should carefully take account of existing agencies. Apart from the actual treatment of cases the board urge the great importance of full use being made of already existing powers in preventing over-crowding, and securing the removal of any prejudicial conditions.

**POSITION OF PATIENTS.** Notification, it is acknowledged, is capable of association with disabilities and discomforts involving no hardship to an adult suffering from an infectious disease such as typhoid fever, but is intolerable, in many instances to phthisical patients. Tuberculosis of the lung is usually a chronic disease, not disabling the patient, it may be, from pursuing his ordinary work while the ability to convey infection is limited and intermittent, and infection can be prevented by the patient himself, when not incapacitated, practising elementary precautions. It is this difference from the infectious diseases already made notifiable which is the basis of the board's administrative policy in regard to pulmonary tuberculosis. The fact that the patient may be trained to the point of ceasing to be a source of infection and thus be subjected to no disability, should be made clear to him in the interests of society and of himself, and it is for this reason the board say, that education must occupy an important place in the campaign against the disease. The circular adds that it is unnecessary and undesirable that notification should involve publicity, and no doubt is entertained that that pain or annoyance to patients or their friends will be avoided in the measures taken by local authorities, and their officers. Strong emphasis is laid on the necessity of regarding as strictly confidential documents for whose custody the medical officer of health is personally responsible, any records which may be kept in relation to persons notified. The remainder of the circular deals with the directions regarding the duties of medical officers under the new order, which also makes provision for effective co-operation between sanitary and local education authorities as regards the inspection of school children.

Some men imagine they can get what they want only by fighting for it.

## SCOTCH CURLERS

The Men of the Team and Some Facts About Each

(Montreal Star Glasgow Correspondent.) Of the members of the team, the captain, Colonel T. S. G. H. Robertson-Aikman, deserves first notice. He is colonel of the 4th Battalion Highland Light Infantry, of which His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General of Canada, is Honorary Colonel. He lives at "The Ross" Hamilton, is a member of the Hamilton Curling Club and has a record as a years.

Andrew Blair, who has done a great deal to organize the team, and is to act as secretary during the tour, is by profession a public works contractor in Glasgow, but he lives in Dunfermline, and is a member of Aberfoyle Club as well as of several others. He is one of the most popular and most capable of Scottish players and has been well known in his home and in Switzerland, for a long time.

A. C. Ridgill, wine merchant, Glasgow, and of the Glasgow Northern Club, is one of the most familiar figures in Scottish curling circles. He has been at the International Curling Championships at St. Moritz, and he assisted the Canadian rink which won the International Honorary at Villars in 1909. He is a T. B. Murray, farmer, Biggar, is a son of a famous curler, R. G. Murray, of Spittal, who was one of the best curlers in the Upper Ward of Lanarkshire. He is a member of the Biggar club, and he is a great recommendation, as the Biggar is one of the most famous of Scottish clubs.

James Telford, is a native of Moffat, though he is now a merchant in Newcastle, and is a member of the Newcastle club. He is known practically wherever curling is known and his rink has won on two occasions the Scottish National Club Championship at the Glasgow Ice Rink, in addition to many other trophies. Of Ex-Provost Gordon of Bathgate, it is hardly necessary to write in a Canadian paper. He was exceedingly popular as a member of the Scottish team which toured Canada in 1909-10 and when the Canadian team visited Scotland in 1909 he set himself to follow them wherever they went, to play with them and against them, and to see that they were hospitably entertained. He should be a favorite in Canada this season.

Major Campbell of the 16th Lancers, may now be found at the Cavalry Barracks, Norwich, or at the meetings of the Buxton club, but he is a Scot all the same, and a good curler as well.

Robert Allan, estate factor, Whitburn, is one of the best known public men in Louthgowshire, and is a member of most of the public bodies in the county.

James Hamilton, farmer, Kilmarnock, was the leading player in "Donald of Kilpatrick" rink, which won the Harrogate cup and other high honors at Glasgow last year. Robert Wardrop, of Wishaw, a member of the famous Ambleside Club is a decided acquisition to the Scottish side of the team. While a first-rate curler, he is likely to be remembered also as a fine story teller and the kind of man who makes all in his neighborhood happy. The two Patrick men, J. Guthrie Kennedy, contractor and James Templeton, for many years. Along with Mr. Blair, the secretary, James E. Bell, farmer, Glenafly and W. J. Brewster Grant, civil engineer, Glasgow, may be said to represent Perthshire in the team. As players they would all be a credit to any club.

The representatives of Grey Galloway, the country of Crockett and the Riders, are two worthy farmers, John Henderson and Hugh Solomon, both of Newton Stewart, and both members of the Penninghame Club.

William Brown, house painter, Glasgow, and Andrew Mitchell, master builder, Glasgow, are two of the best players on Glasgow's artificial ice rink. Both have been seen on the ice in Switzerland.

R. Connell, Master Joiner, Lockwood, and James Y. Keane, contractor and curling stone manufacturer, Johnstone, are a pair of first-rate curlers from Lockwood, no doubt.

Two players who have figured in many a contest and have taken high honors at Carabreck (the Scottish curling Mecca) on many occasions are Alexander Douglas, iron founder, Bathgate, and George Wolfe, manufacturer, Bathgate. They will assist Ex-Provost Gordon to uphold the honor of his team.

A quartette of good curlers—from the west this time—is John McLeod, auctioneer, Bridge of Weir; Belle Bennett, a worthy magistrate of the Burgh of Greenock; Alex. Aitkenhead, also a Greenock man, and Andrew Brown, of Hamilton. Pile has only one representative—James Cameron, farmer, Glaston, near Largo. He is an able player, but he stands for a large curling club, and so will require to miss none of his opportunities.

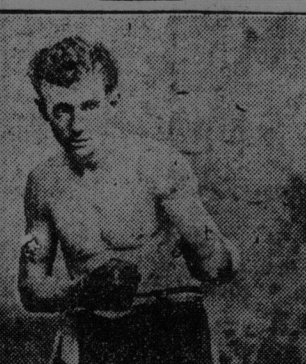
J. Fulton Lawrie, signs himself as a member of the St. Moritz Club, but he is a real Scot, and one of the best of the curlers who go to Switzerland.

John F. Ross, hotelkeeper, Arrochar, is another well-known Scots-Scot, and T. A. R. Sheriff is a well-known dealer in Glasgow, and a good curler as well.

This brings the strength of the team to thirty-two, which will allow the players to arrange themselves, for unofficial matches, of course, the team will play six rinks of five men each. Of the thirty-two men, eleven have been playing at different times—several of them by different names—during the tour. The team is in the International Honorary in Switzerland.

And to wind up—the team are to be accompanied by Pipe-Major William Ross, of Colonel Robertson-Aikman's regiment, so that they will have music wherever they go of the kind always associated with Scotland and Scotland. Besides, and this has been left to the dark moment—two of them are to have their wives with them, and several gentlemen friends are to be of the party, so that, while we believe that they are to devote themselves wholly to curling, we may be pardoned for hoping that the dominion curlers will not cancel any of their social engagements just yet. They had better—in the immortal words of the British Prime Minister, "Wait and See."

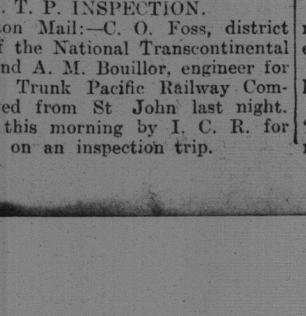
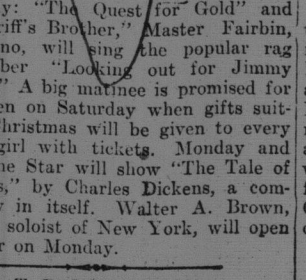
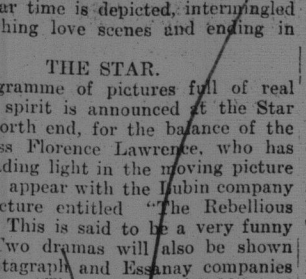
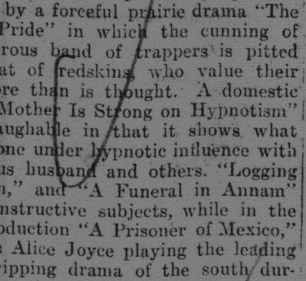
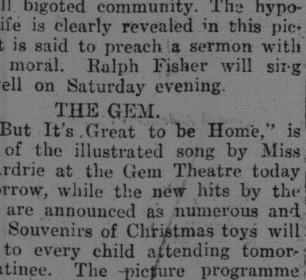
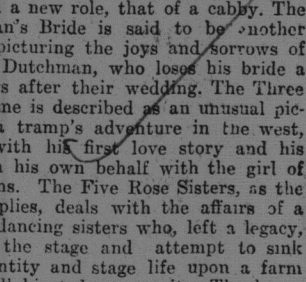
## IN THE RING—LIMELIGHT



Joe Philips of Providence, R. I., a scrapper little Italian boxer who is making such a stir just now.



Now from the Northland



## SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

### Hockey

Sussex Record.—Two well known local hockeyists, Percy Gourlay and George Fenwick have accepted positions in Springfield and will reside there in future. Both are excellent stick handlers and played on the local team for a number of years. They will be greatly missed by the home team this winter and their leaving will make a big hole in the forward line and defence.

### The Ring

Attell's Eye On Title.—Striving for dual titles by fighters has become quite the fashion these days. Mike Gibbons started the craze. Now Abraham Attell is out for lightweight honors. Attell has beaten all the likely men in the featherweight class, and finds no more prospective victims in sight. Hence his recent signature to a contract to fight One Round Hogan on Dec. 18 at the Madison A. C. "It may seem strange to fight fans that I have jumped the featherweight hurdle and landed among the lightweight class, but really there was no other move to make."

### Baseball

Diamond Sparkles.—Nobody seems to be willing to state anything about the report that George Moriarty may be secured by the Red Sox from the Tigers. Still it is common talk. Fred Clarke has signed with Barney Dreyfus to manage the Pirates for three years. Fred announced that he will never play again, but will run his team from the bench. Clarke Griffith wants to secure Jack Knight to play first base for Washington, and is ready to offer the New York club a good stiff piece of money. Detroit has refused to waive on Kid Elberfeld.

### Bowling

Commercial League.—In the Commercial Bowling League on Brock's alley last night, Brock & Paterson Ltd. took four points from T. McAvity & Sons Ltd. The tabulated score was as follows:

Brock & Paterson Ltd.		Total.	Avg.
Ryan	77	85	101
Henderson	83	72	245
Paterson	83	80	92
Hay	80	88	85
Masters	88	83	91
		423	441

T. McAvity & Sons Ltd.		Total.	Avg.
McAvity	72	80	74
O'Brien	79	77	85
McAvity	85	80	98
Foran	70	72	210
Foran	89	83	106
		415	397

One game in the City League is to be played this evening when the Tigers are to meet the Swedes. The game in the Commercial League scheduled for this evening has been postponed.

### The Lesser Evil

A medico tells of two physicians in a certain town, the one elderly, with a long record of cures, the other young, with his record as a student. The elderly physician, it appears, was inclined to surrender some of his high work to the younger man. The younger man, who was a student, was asked to put a convincing argument before them, "in that case my fee is two guineas, payable now."

Whereupon there ensued a remonstrance on the part of the fathers; but the doctor was obliged to yield. Finally one of the men asked the other: "Well, what do you think I ought to do?"

"I think you had better pay him the two guineas," said the other. "The funeral would cost you more."

**OF INTEREST HERE.** La Marquise de Fontenay, in the Times some days ago wrote of a coming wedding which turns out to be of interest in St. John, as members of both of the families are well known here. The bridegroom will be Edward Cowles, son of the late David Cowles, who was president of the Peggotty Club and Paper company, which owns large lumber tracts and operates three large mills in this country. The bride will be Miss Vera Elliott, daughter of Sir Arthur Bowtell Elliott Bart, who is a cousin of Captain Gerald O. R. Elliott, assistant marine superintendent of the C. P. R., who is here for the winter season. The wedding will take place in New York.

**ENTERTAINED BY SENATOR ELLIS.** The members of the Glee Association, at the house of Hon. J. V. Ellis last evening in order to congratulate him on attaining his fiftieth year as editor of that paper, and were entertained by Senator and Mrs. Ellis. A programme of speeches, musical numbers, recitations was carried out, and supper was served. As the guests were leaving, souvenirs in the shape of "Glee Clippings," by Charles Dickens, a complete show in itself, Walter A. Brown, high tenor soloist of New York, will open at the home on Monday.

**G. T. P. INSPECTION.** Frederick Mall, G. T. P. district engineer of the National Transcontinental Railway, and A. M. Boulton, engineer for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, a company arrived from St. John last night. They left this morning by J. C. R. for Napadogan on an inspection trip.

**WOULDN'T HAVE IT.** A red-headed man met a bald-headed man in the street one day. The bald-headed man said to the bald-headed man: "Huh! they don't seem to have much hair where you come from." "Oh, yes," replied the bald-headed man, "there was plenty of hair, but it was all red and I wouldn't have it."

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