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The Daily Mail Sporting Section

News Of Sport At Home And Abroad.

THE CLASS OF PLAY PUT UP BY HALIFAX PROGRESSIVES.

How a Nova Scotia Newspaper Comments On Their Work In a Recent Match.

Yesterday we stated that the Halifax Progressives were coming to this city to try conclusions with a local team of hockey players. The subjoined criticism of the work of the visiting team, from a recent issue of the Halifax Chronicle will give our boys some idea of the bunch they will have to play against:

It is generally conceded that the Clippers and Progressives are the two fastest teams in the South End League and it was also generally expected when they met Tuesday night for the first time this season, their followers would be treated to an exhibition of good fast hockey.

The fans were doomed to disappointment.

The game was fast enough but good it was not, for extremely rough play and "goodness" do not go together.

The Progressives won out and fairly easily too, but it is safe to say that

if their opponents had adopted a gentler style of play, they might have won themselves. Feeling ran so high during the game that there were several fights, the real thing, with hard blows and all the other accompaniments.

Captain Grant of the R. C. G. A. who refereed, was just the man to handle the situation, for he dismissed three men from the ice for the rest of the game, and these three deserved their punishment.

The first period ended 2 to 0 in the Progressives favor. In the second each team scored a goal, and in the third, the Progressives scored another, making the total 4 to 1.

The Progressives' victory was partly due to the valiant playing of their goal-keeper, Wheby, who performed some prodigious feats. Reardon and Cogswell constituted a good defence. Monaghan was the star of the Clippers forward line.

POLICE WITH REVOLVERS GUARD HOCKEY PLAYERS.

Wild Time At Collingwood---Referee And Visiting Players Had to Run the Gauntlet---Bus Windows Wrecked.

In one of the wildest hockey games ever played in the O.H.A. Orillia intermediates, at Collingwood, eliminated the Collingwood team, last year's intermediate champions, from the running, reports the Toronto Star. Police with drawn revolvers were required to protect Referee Harvey Sproule, of Toronto, and the Orillia players from the mob at the conclusion of the first 10 minutes of overtime. The Orillia players and the official had to run the gauntlet of a crowd of hoodlums twice during the overtime. The crowd invaded the ice and punched and kicked at them from the ice to the dressing-room, and afterwards wrecked the windows in the bus which conveyed the visiting players and referee to the station.

The Game

The game was one of the hardest fought contests ever witnessed at Collingwood, and Collingwood was beaten 2 to 1. It required 20 minutes of overtime to decide the issue. At the expiration of the first hour the score was tied at 1 all. Neither team indicated the nets in the first half. It is the second time in fourteen years that the Collingwood intermediate

team has been defeated in a championship fixture on their own ice.

The Fight

At the conclusion of the first ten minutes of overtime, several sore "rough-necks" swarmed on the ice in an effort to "get" the referee and the visiting players, who, however, with the aid of the police, reached the dressing room in safety. Not content, however, this gentry attempted to storm the dressing room, but the police with drawn batons and revolvers were equal to the occasion, and terminated what threatened to be a serious riot. Orillia was accompanied by an excursion and two hundred supporters, and the two factions threatened to clash.

In making good their escape from the rink the bus containing the referee and the visiting team was bombarded by a couple of hundred at the outside of the rink. Missiles of all description were hurled in all directions and the windows of the bus were wrecked. A bottle was among the souvenirs of the mob's marksmanship which the bus carried away, but fortunately none of the party were seriously hurt.

AN AMATEUR WRESTLER DOES WELL IN BOSTON

Mr. William Goodland, an amateur wrestler, who has been living in Boston for the last couple of years, intends returning in April or May, for a holiday.

He is a member of the Boston Y. M.C.A.'s wrestling team, which travels all over the State of Massachusetts. Sometimes they travel to wrestling matches a distance of a hundred miles and stop overnight.

His team is going out to Harvard College shortly to wrestle the Harvard team, at the Hemenway gym., Cambridge.

Sam Anderson, who visited St. John's and lost to Olson is the instructor at Harvard, and the team is composed of strong-men.

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FREE FIGHT A FEATURE OF GAME AT NEW GLASGOW.

Police Had To Interfere Twice, Rushing On The Ice to Separate the Combatants.

New Glasgow, Jan. 21.—To the tune of eight goals to four the New Glasgow Black Fox team defeated the Halifax Socials in the Arena rink here, but it was not all hockey. The last period was punctuated by displays of pugilistic efforts that did not tend to increase the admiration of the audience for the combatants. Twice in rapid succession the police had to rush on the ice and separate the fighting players, the game closing with only four men on a side. The teams were fairly evenly matched as they lined up in the opening periods and gave a clean exhibition. O'Leary opened the scoring for the visitors after ten minutes' play. The home team almost immediately beat out Hague for three counts, "Mag" Macgregor gathering the first and Gregory the other two. In the second spasm the scoring was even, both teams tallying two each, Doran and Wilkie being responsible for the Black Foxes' counts, and Rattenbury and O'Leary doing the trick for the Socials. Penalties for tripping were given W. Macgregor and Carroll in this period.

home team managed between the love feasts to find the net on three occasions, Mag McGregor getting two goals and Wilkie one, while O'Leary came across with the Socials tally just as the final bell rang.

The game was in charge of referee R. McGregor and H. J. Grant, and they did their utmost to keep the players in line. They had little trouble until near the end when Gregory and Hague, the Halifax goal tender had a set to, with Mag McGregor and Myra taking a hand in. The atmosphere no sooner cleared than W. McGregor and Carroll hooked up for a free-for-all, and again the blue coats had to charge over the boards and cause peace to prevail.

While actual hockey was in progress Doran, Gregory and Wilkie bore the burden for the home team with Mag McGregor starring in single stunts. The Socials had to depend for their strength on Carroll, Rattenbury and O'Leary. The teams met again to-morrow night when perhaps in anticipation of a continuation of the vaudeville specialties a larger audience may be in attendance.

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