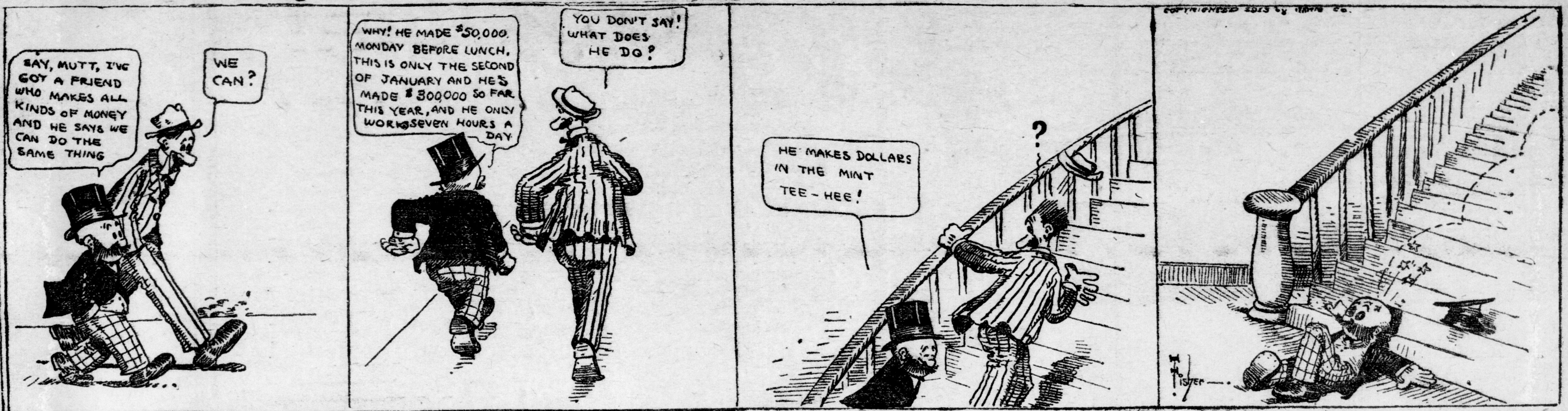


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SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTS

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HUSSARS, A. M. C., ORIENTS
WINNERS IN CITY LEAGUE

Three Fast Games at Simcoe Rink Last Evening Witnessed by Large Crowd—London City Hockey League Gets Off to a Good Start.

The London City Hockey League got away to an auspicious start last evening before a large crowd of local fans at the Simcoe street rink. First Hussars, Army Medical Corps, and Orient Club teams were the winners, while Hymans, Meds, and Seventh Regiment teams were defeated. All the games were well played and keenly contested. The crowd was given plenty of opportunity to cheer, and each team had a number of rooters present. The ice was in splendid condition, and the brand of hockey dished up was unusually handled all three games, and his work was good at all times. He handed out numerous penalties for minor offences, and gave the players to understand that they were to play hockey, and all attempts at rough work were to be severely dealt with.

The First Game.
The first Hussars and the Hyman team met in the first game, the former winning out in the most closely contested struggle of the evening by the score of 5 to 2. The half-time score was 3 to 1 in favor of the Hussars. The first half of the game was played with the Hussars a man short, and as a consequence a fine of one dollar was imposed on the team. Lee Waiden was the player who failed to turn up, but it transpired later that he had given his ankle a twist and was unable to play. He is somewhat of a "sore" today, but it is believed he will be all right for Friday night's game. In the second half, the Hussars put "The Orient" on its feet, and the game continued with seven men on each side.

Hussars Speedy.
The Hussars showed superior speed and better team play than the Hyman team. The forward line played together well and was given splendid backing up by the defense. The Hyman team had only been on the ice once before the game and this accounts in a measure for their defeat. When they have had a little more practice together they will form a winning combination, and the rest of the teams in the league will have to travel to beat them.

Putten in goal, and Parkinson at point, form an unusually strong defense combination, while the rest of the team looks strong. Wilson, Thorne and Crowley were particularly good.

The two McPhillips, Wells and Broughton played a nice game for the Hussars, while Campbell in goal, also gave a nice exhibition. "Pete" McLean has been ill for some time, but he demonstrated in the second half that he has not lost any of his former ability, and he will likely become a fixture at center for the Hussars.

The goals were scored by the following: Broughton, 2; McPhillips 2; McLean, Wilson, Thorne. The teams were as follows: Parkinson, point; Wilson, cover; Crowley, rover; Brown, centre; Thorne, right; Aitken, left.

A. M. C. 15, Meds 2.
The Army Medical Corps team outclassed the Meds in every department in the second game and won easily by the score of 15 to 2. The half-time score was 6-2. This is surprising when it is considered that the Meds had Harry Lecky, of last year's Intermediates, Beattie MacArthur, Acheson, and McQueen, on their line-up. The A. M. C. team is practically the junior team of last year. Buchanan, Bryce and Watts are the only exceptions, but both Bryce and Watts have played O. H. A. for a couple of years, while Buchanan is one of the fastest youngsters available for this year's Junior O. H. A. team. The A. M. C. outskated, outplayed and outscored their rivals at all stages of the game. They showed better condition and played better combination. The Meds were puffed down the ice with dazzling speed, and ran in on the nets like angry hornets. Bill Callahan, in goal for the Meds, had one very busy night, and if his defense players had been a little more solid the score might have been reduced to half what it was.

The Meds' weakness seemed to centre in their inability to get the combination working. There was absolutely no team play, and their style of play was mostly confined to individual work. They also lacked condition and practice, and their defense was painfully weak.

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Three Members of the London Intermediates' Forward Line

AMBROSE McAVOY,
Brilliant Rover.LELAND S. WALDEN,
Fast Right Wing Man.Photo by Evans & Hastings Studio.
DAVE REID,
Clever Centre Man.

CURLING NOTES

The Menhenick bonspiel is in progress at the Thistle Rink this afternoon and evening. All the entries were in by 1 o'clock, and play was started shortly after. There are a large number of entries, and, judging from the early games, the competition for the Menhenick prizes will be keen.

An organization meeting of the house committee of the Thistle Bowling and Curling Club was held on Tuesday evening, the following were appointed on the committee: P. Fetterley and C. K. Bluet, chairman; W. J. Lashbrook, chairman of the ice committee; James Gray, chairman of the green committee, and President R. D. McDonald, of the Curling Club, and President A. A. Langford, of the Bowling Club.

The official opening of the Thistle Club will be held on the evening of Friday, Jan. 17. This date was decided upon at a meeting of the house committee last evening.

The London Club are holding the first of their weekly bonspiels at the London Club rink this evening, prizes having been donated by Mr. Thomas Gillean, who will skip one of the rinks. The members will turn out in large numbers to open the season at the rink, and the games will be interesting.

Four rinks of Thistle Club curlers enjoyed a friendly game at the Thistle Rink last evening. The ice was in splendid condition, and the players had quite a bit of fun during the evening.

The Thistle Club will hold a club bonspiel on Monday night next. This will be the first club bonspiel of the season, and all members wishing to participate are asked to enter early.

TWO GOOD GAMES IN
ST. ANDREW'S LEAGUE

Two good games were played in the St. Andrew's Church Senior Boys' Basketball League on Tuesday evening. Capt. Little's team losing to Capt. Smith's by a score of 21 to 16. It was the first win of the season for Capt. Smith. The other game was closely contested, Capt. Wilfred Anderson just missing out a victory from Clair Slater's team by the score of 14 to 13. The games were the first played in series B of the schedule.

The standing of the league is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	For	Agst.
Anderson	3	0	66	66
Little	2	1	50	37
Slater	1	3	61	69
Smith	1	3	81	66

NEW HAMBURG 5, PRESTON 3.
Preston, Jan. 8.—In a fast and exciting game in the Junior O. H. A. series tonight New Hamburg defeated the locals 5 to 3. At half-time the score was 1 to 1.

JUAREZ STILL SNOWED UP.
Juarez, Jan. 8.—Today's races were declared off again on account of the frozen condition of the track, which is also covered with snow. A force of men are at work removing the snow, and it is thought racing will be resumed tomorrow.

TECUMSEHS BEAT
OTTAWA IN TORONTO

Were Superior to Senators in Every Department of the Game.

N. H. A. RECORD.
Teams. Won. Lost. For. Agst.
Canadiens 4 1 23 23
Quebecs 3 1 23 14
Tecumsehs 2 2 16 15
Ottawa 2 2 18 15
Wanderers 1 3 14 15
Toronto 1 4 21 27

Games Saturday—Toronto at Tecumsehs; Ottawa at Wanderers; Canadiens at Quebec.
Toronto, Jan. 9.—There never was a chance for Ottawa to beat the Tecumsehs at the Arena last night, and the Indians won by 4 to 1. The margin of victory was not large, but the Redskins held the Senators safe at all stages, always had the upper hand, and were never in danger of losing. They outplayed Ottawa all over the ice, and in all departments, with the possible exception of skating.

CANADIENS 4, WANDERERS 3.
Montreal, Jan. 8.—The onward march of the Canadiens was kept up tonight, when they defeated the Wanderers by 4 to 3. This was the first meeting of the two local clubs. The winners lined up with their regular team, while the Wanderers were without the services of Gordie Roberts, who is confined to his bed as the result of an accident at Toronto last week. His absence from the line weakened the chances of the Wanderers.

QUEBEC BEAT TORONTO.
Quebec, Jan. 8.—For the first time the Toronto and Quebec hockey teams met this evening. After Quebec's defeat on Saturday last, some Quebecers were doubtful of the result. Suffering from the sting of the defeat administered by the Toronto's sister team, the champions went on the ice with a determination to win, and they doubled the score on the visitors. Quebec 10, Toronto 5.

MITCHELL 5, LISTOWEL 4.
Mitchell, Jan. 8.—Mitchell defeated Listowel by a score of 5 to 4 in a Junior O. H. A. game here tonight. The teams:

Listowel—Goal, Denegar; point, Ringier; coverpoint, Bassett; rover, Wagon; right wing, Murphy; left wing, Ham; centre, Wilson.
Mitchell—Goal, Smith; point, Walther; coverpoint, Rogers; rover, Campbell; centre, Thorne; right wing, Coppitt; left wing, Buck.
Referee—Elzerman, of Mitchell.

PRESTON INTERMEDIATES BEATEN.
Preston, Jan. 8.—The first O. H. A. game played here this season was won by Elmira, who defeated the Preston Intermediates, last year's champions, by 3 to 2 in a fast game. Helmbecker scored all three goals for Elmira in the first half, the score being 3 to 1 at half-time. Elbertington and Walker scored for Preston. The teams:

Preston—Goal, Short; point, Pipher; rover, Ploethner; rover, Walker; centre, Elbertington; right wing, Elbertington; left wing, Smith.
Elmira—Goal, Rook; point, H. Welch; cover, Otto; rover, O. Welch; centre, Kehl; right wing, Helmbecker; left wing, Kappel.
Referee—George L. Zeigler, Elmira.

Juniors Will Play
in Watford Tonight

The London Junior O. H. A. team will journey to Watford this evening to play their first game in Junior group No. 7. A strong team will represent the red, white and black, the following players having been picked to form the line-up:

Acheson, point;
John Ross, cover-point;
W. J. McLean, rover;
Clair Slater, centre;
Bettridge, right wing;
Al. Moore, left wing.

Jimmy Orr, treasurer of the club, will go with the boys and look after them on the trip. The team will leave the Grand Trunk station at 1:40 and will arrive back at 12:14 this evening.

The Juniors had a good stiff workout last evening, and should be in good shape for the game. Watford is reported to have a strong team, but little has been heard of it lately.

NEW HAMBURG WON.

New Hamburg, Ont., Jan. 8.—The game of hockey played last night at Wellesley, Ont., in the O. H. A. Intermediate series, resulted in favor of New Hamburg by a score of 5 to 4. The line-up:

New Hamburg—Goal, Beck; point, Kauffman; cover, Berlet; rover, Martyn; centre, Bowman; left, Otto; right, Forler.

Wellesley—Goal, O. Hammell; point, Ottman; cover, Staley; rover, Staley; centre, Ottman; left, Tent; right, Beaver.

FAST AGGREGATION
ARE THE BLUE BELLS

Held Final Workout Last Evening and Are Now Willing to Meet All Comers.

The Blue Bell Hockey Club held their final practice last night at the Westminster rink, and the team is certainly a fast aggregation.

The Blue Bells are ready to take on all comers in the amateur line. North W. H. Whitehead, care Bell Telephone Company.

The line-up for the coming season will be as follows:
Goal, Wylie; point, Dodd; cover, Cook; rover, Bettridge; centre, Leach; left wing, O'Leary; right wing, Penny.

CANADIAN EXPRESS
BEAT DOMINION

Fast Game at Westminster Rink Last Evening between Rival Express Companies.

The Dominion and Canadian Express teams played a fast and exciting game of hockey in the Westminster rink last evening, the latter winning out by the score of 9 to 3. The first half was close, the score at half-time being 1 to 1. In the second half Pete McLean, of the Canadian Express team, scored seven goals himself, and the Dominion team faded after that.

The teams were:
Dominion Express—A. Stilson, goal; N. Parson, point; R. Duffield, cover; G. Knapp, centre; W. Knott, rover; L. Day, right; G. Graham, left.
Canadian Express—P. McLean, goal; C. Blackall, point; J. McLean, cover; R. Blackall, centre; J. Andrews, rover; G. Craig, right; J. Tierney, left.

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we'll make them good,
for nothing.

The Live Oak Hall

OWEN SOUND HAS GOOD JUNIORS.
Warton, Jan. 8.—Owen Sound Juniors won an O. H. A. match from Warton here last night by 7 goals to 0. The half-time score was 3 to 0. The game was fast and clean.

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Finally Accepts Frank Farrell's Terms



FRANK CHANCE, former leader of the Cubs, who has signed a contract to manage the New York American League team for the ensuing three years. It is understood that he will receive the largest salary ever paid a manager, and that an additional share of the profits will bring his earnings for the three seasons up to \$100,000.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Frank Chance today signed a three-year contract to manage the New York Highlanders.

The contract was signed in the office of B. B. Johnson, president of the American League. Mr. Johnson and Frank Farrell, owner of the Highlanders, were present when Chance affixed his signature. The terms were not public. In fact neither Chance nor Farrell would give the slightest intimation of what the new manager was to receive. It is rumored that the salary will be \$25,000 and that the new leader will receive a percentage of the profits.

Immediately after making the announcement Mr. Farrell said that the Highlanders would train in Bermuda. This spot met with the approval of the new manager and the place was definitely selected. Chance announced that he would manage from the bench. He will don a uniform during the training trip and coach his men. He will also wear a uniform during the playing season and spend some of his time on the coaching line. Chance announced that Chance would be in absolute command of the team, as a matter of fact that he had already taken the reins. Chance will remain in Chicago until Saturday. Then he will return to Glendora, Cal., where his orange grove is located. He will come east in time to reach New York for the schedule meeting, which will be held on Feb. 11. Chance will remain in New York then until the team starts on its training trip.

Farrell appeared the happiest man in Chicago immediately after making the announcement that Chance had signed. "It's great," said he. "It's the best day's work I ever did. Didn't I tell you I would sign him?" he queried gleefully.