

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1905

In the Sporting World.

COMMERCIAL MEN PLAY

HOCKEY AT THE VICTORIA.

A Hot Game Saturday Night--Nelson and Corbett Tomorrow--Curling---World's Record 16 Pound Hammer M. P. A. A. Sports Postponed.

HOCKEY.

Commercial Men Play.

A battle royal was waged at the Victoria rink, Saturday night. The worthy knights of the grip, from the Royal and Dufferin hotels played a game of hockey, at least that is what they called it. Each septette went on the ice with the determination to win, but one team came away with a feeling they had lost something.

A large sleigh took the party to the rink, and when the trunks were opened up the following array of samples was disclosed to view:

Dufferin, 2	Royal, 1
Potter	Goal
Graham	Point
Ansley	Cover
Smith	Centre
Wilson	Rover
Lake	R. W.
Loughheed	L. W.
A. Abbinette	Mgr. B. Myers

The referee was Noel Lee of the Victoria hockey team and strange to say he escaped unhurt. The Dufferins were the winners by a 2 to 1 shot. Ansley scoring twice for Dufferins, and Crowe once for the Royals. The winners were entertained at the Dufferin by Manager Campbell.

Odds and Ends.

Potter had arranged Fairbanks snow as a rampart and with the assistance of the Gold Dust Twins, he scoured the puck from the net nearly every trip.

Graham was on his uppers most of the game, but played well.

Ansley made a clean sweep of all that came his way much to the "Infant's Delight."

Smith of Halifax was as much at home as he would be on the ice in his native harbor.

Wilson showed up well, although he was heard to remark, "I 'Kant Krack" that Dufferin defence as I'd like to."

Lake claimed that his opponents hadn't "Auto" bump him so much.

Loughheed, at times seemed to think he was curling as he endeavored to make a "Toe" shot.

Davis said he simply "hat" to play well.

Read endeavored to throw a wet

blanket on the proceedings by trying to knockout all who came his way.

McNichol played like a horse and his "stock" went away up.

Crowe claimed he didn't play better "caws" things looked too black.

Huber and Corver starred for the Royals, they were strong on the start, but their finish came quick.

Victorias Are Champs.

Montreal, Feb. 27.—The Victorias of this city defeated the Quebec team by a score of 8 to 3, Saturday night, thus winning the Canadian amateur hockey league championship.

Rough play characterized the game and a free fight among the players in the closing minutes, brought the crowd to their feet. Moran, the Quebec goal keeper, refused to leave the ice, when ordered off for striking. Then the players of both sides mixed it up and sticks as well as fists were used before order was restored.

Sackville Is Courteous.

The Sackville hockey team have signified that they will not accept the ruling of the goal judge giving them a goal which they considered they were not entitled to. The Moncton team might very well take a lesson in courtesy from them. Their action in the game with the Mohawks was not the most gentlemanly possible, and has not earned many friends for them. At the same time it might be remarked that the Sackville team had nothing to lose in giving away a goal, as a lead of one is as good as a dozen. However it shows a disposition to be fair, which was wanting in the Moncton team.

Sussex 3; Chatham 2.

Chatham, N. B., Feb. 27.—The most hotly contested hockey match ever played in Chatham, took place Saturday night, between the Miramichi's of Chatham and a Sussex team, which the latter won 3 to 2.

The Ladies' Game.

The prospects are that a large crowd will go to the Queen's rink on Tuesday night, to see the hockey match between the ladies of this

The U. N. B. H. L. Games.

A summary of the N. B. H. L. games for the season of 1905 is given below.

Jan. 6, Neptunes 2, Mohawks 1.
Jan. 10, Sackville 4, Moncton 0.
Jan. 14, Moncton 2, Neptunes 1.
Jan. 19, Sackville 6, Trojans 0.
Jan. 20, Sackville 9, Mohawks 1.
Jan. 21, Moncton 2, Neptunes 1.
Jan. 24, Sackville 10, Neptunes 3.
Jan. 30, Moncton 12, Mohawks 3.
Jan. 31, Sackville 11, Mohawks 0.
Feb. 8, Sackville 7, Trojans 0.
Feb. 9, Moncton 7, Trojans 2.
Feb. 10, Mohawks 2, Neptunes 1.
Feb. 16, Moncton 2, Trojans 1.
Feb. 17, Sackville 3, Neptunes 2.
Feb. 17, Mohawks 4, Moncton 3.
Feb. 23, Sackville 2, Moncton 1.
Feb. 23, Neptunes 2, Trojans 1.
Feb. 24, Mohawks 2, Trojans 1.

This completes the schedule with the exception of the postponed game between the Neptunes and the Trojans, which will be played in Fredericton.

SKATING.

Sports Postponed.

The M. P. A. A. championship sports to have been held in Queen Rink this evening have been postponed until Wednesday night because Price and McDonald, the Nova Scotia champion, who is entered for all the events, are sojourning at the city and cannot reach the city in time to compete. Price skated McDonald a match race in Westville Thursday night and the two skaters have since Friday morning been on the road with only Truro as the result of their efforts. It is expected they will reach the city tonight or tomorrow morning, but owing to the ladies' hockey match tomorrow evening Wednesday is the earliest date possible for the postponed championships.

At Verona Lake.

The national outdoor speed championships were held last Friday, by the Verona Lake Skating Association, on Verona Lake, at Coldwell, N. J.

Morris Wood, the national amateur champion, won every event, taking the half mile, the one mile, and the five mile races. He was not pressed in any of these contests. George D. Bellefleur, a Canadian skater, was second in the half mile. Philip J. Kearney, of the New York Athletic Club, was the runner up in the mile. W. H. Merritt, of St. John, N. B., was second in the five mile, and fourth in the one mile.

Price Will Skate.

Jimmy Price has accepted the challenge of Wright of Eastport and will skate him a series of three races in



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the Victoria rink here, providing suitable arrangements can be made with the rink management. Two of the races to be at half and one mile distances and the third to be mutually agreed upon. Price would prefer that the races should be skated this week.

CURLING.

See Shots.

The St. Andrew's club curlers will play against the Carleton club this afternoon and evening, eight rinks each.

Napoleon defeated 'President' Toddy, Saturday night for the oysters 18 to 8. It was a Waterloo.

Skip W. A. Stewart's Halifax rink was defeated by a rink skipped by Dr. Magee by a score of 18 to 11.

ATHLETIC.

Proposed New Club.

A correspondent, advocates the forming of a new club here. His proposal is as follows:—The proposed organization should build or lease and fit up a model winter club room to contain: (1) baths, including a small tank and showers; (2) a gymnasium with room and appliances not only for ordinary gymnastic exercises, but for indoor games, fencing, handball, basket ball, rowing machine, etc.; (3) a floor arranged as a theatre, for entertainments of all sorts, theatricals and club meetings; (4) reading and reception room, and a decent refreshment and smoking room, with kitchen attached; (5) a first-class billiard room; (6) committee rooms.

He goes on to say:—Only by united action can St. John men secure such a club, where, for a moderate sum if

the membership were large, all the benefits of an up-to-date club could be enjoyed. In the winter especially such an organization is necessary. Many members of the Union, the R. K. Y. C., the Neptune and other clubs, and a great many citizens who do not now have any club, would, I think, be glad to join the new organization even if the cost at first were considerable. Such a club would afford a real place of amusement and profit for many who now find the winters rather tedious.

World's Record Shot Put.

Medford, Mass., Feb. 25.—The world's record in the 16 lb. shot was beaten tonight by W. W. Coo of Somerville Mass., with a put of 49 ft. 11 inches. The officials, however, realizing that a new world's record had been made went over the distance again and re-weighed the shot but while the first measurement 49 ft. 21 inches was slightly reduced, the shot was found to weigh exactly 16 pounds.

Upon the announcement of the new world's record the crowd cheered lustily and Coo was warmly congratulated, one of the first to grasp his hand being the newly deposed record holder, Ralph J. Rose, of Chicago.

The students of the U. N. B. have elected P. C. Squires, track captain, for the season of 1905.

BOWLING.

Kings' Team Won.

A well contested match at Candle Pines, was played in Richey's alleys, Saturday night, when A. King's team defeated C. Nichol's by 4 pins. The score was as follows:—

Capt. A. King	89	92	80	261
H. O'Brien	89	89	87	265
C. Cowling	87	87	73	247
A. Harding	84	80	86	250
H. Young	83	79	76	238
Total	438	437	427	1302

Capt. C. Nichol	81	87	78	246
T. McLean	82	88	74	244
J. Daley	80	83	73	236
T. Arnold	92	70	84	246
H. Dunca	84	76	88	248
Total	420	422	427	1269

The next match will be played next week between Capt. A. King and W. Woodley's candle pin teams. The exact date will be decided upon later. No word has been received from Fredericton yet.

THE RING.

Big Fight Tuesday Night.

Tomorrow night, Battling Nelson and Young Corbett will fight at San Francisco, 20 rounds for a decision. Both men are in good trim for the go. The betting is about even. Large numbers of New York sports have gone to the Pacific coast to witness the fight, most of them will back Corbett to win.

Corbett The Favorite.

Nearly all of the men of wisdom who follow the fortunes of the prize ring are getting ready to bet on Young Corbett to beat Battling Nelson.

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son on next Tuesday night at Princeton. Some of them assert they have received a mysterious tip from the coast that Nelson cannot win, that he will have a difficult time in making the weight and that for that reason he will not be strong enough to beat the Denver boy in his renovated condition.

If Battling Nelson goes down to defeat, he will have many thousands less to his bank credit than he has at the present time. The Dano is confident that he will defeat Corbett again and he intends to back his opinion with a side wager of \$5,000. Nelson has always been a heavy bettor whenever he fought. In fact, he always believes in placing a couple of thousand on his chances, for he says it makes him fight all the harder. He lost about \$20,000 when he was defeated by Britt and won \$5,000 when he defeated Corbett.

Championship of Maine.

Arthur Cote the Biddeford boxer and James McInnis met tonight in the Armory, Bangor, Maine. The go will be for the light weight championship of the state of Maine. Cote holds the championship now.

WRESTLING.

Before the King.

Georges Hackenschmidt, the great wrestler, is to appear before King Edward VII, upon his return from Australia, where he is at present fulfilling engagements in some exhibition bouts with Jacobus Koch, the German champion, and others. This has been arranged by Geo. Ashton, the King's own amusement agent, through the Russian Lion's business representative, C. B. Cochran, who is now in America.

CHESS.

An American Won.

Paris, Feb. 25.—The fourteenth game of the chess match between Frank J. Marshall of Brooklyn, and D. Janowski, of this city, was won today by the American, after fifty five moves had been made. The score of the match now stands: Marshall 7; Janowski 4; Drawn 3.

THE TURF.

Famous Derby Winner Dead.
The Duke of Portland's famous

Derby winner 'Donovan,' by 'Galopin,' and 'Isinglass,' winner of more money on the turf than any racer in England, recently met his death by running into a tree while under the influence of a fl. The horse was insured for \$40,000, and when his owner was apprised of the character of his injuries, he wired at once to put an end to the animal without waiting for the insurance company to examine him. The best horse sired by 'Donovan' was 'Volsquez.'

REV. E. A. WICHER ON WAR.

There was a large congregation in St. Stephen's church last evening when Rev. E. A. Wicher, B. D., preached on the Abolition of War, from Psalms 46-9.

He said there was a time when war was necessary to bring about and maintain peace. In the primeval days every man's hand was against every other man. The savage in the forest had no thought of peace, and self-preservation was the only law known to him. The old law of the survival of the fittest must now give way to a higher, nobler principle—the ethical principle of the survival of the best. He referred to those who are now at war, and characterized it as a great wrong. The absurd idea that war inspired courage and bravery and ennobled men was only a figment of the past. Canada was still a young nation and must choose between war and arbitration. He urged that war be discarded, and appeal be to arbitration that the kingdoms of the earth might become the kingdom of our Lord.

ALARMING REVOLT.

Constantinople, Feb. 27.—The insurrection in the province of Yaman, Arabia, is assuming alarming proportions. Almost the whole country southward of Sana is in revolt, and the towns of Kataba and Tala have fallen into the hands of the insurgent Arabs, whose forces constantly increasing. Defective transport renders the despatch of Turkish reinforcements most difficult. Great numbers of caravans are perishing on the road, while large numbers of troops are deserting.

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