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SPORTING MATTERS

CURLING.

THE MAGNETIC CUP.
In the Curling Curling rink Tuesday night the final match in the bursarial Fredericton and the Thistles of St. John met tomorrow in the semi-final round for the granite championship. Fredericton lost this afternoon to Caledonia of Montreal in the single rink championship.

Following are the scores:
Caledonia. Fredericton.
W. McEwen, D. B. Winslow,
J. W. T. Nicholson, W. McEwen,
C. H. Allen,
W. R. Hughes, 15-7. J. Thibault, 5-8.

The victors for St. John and Fredericton were recorded in this morning's play in the big bursarial in the Granite Club cup. Fredericton rink skipper by James Thibault and J. J. Fowler defeated the Brockville rink skipper by D. W. Downey and J. E. Chrysler; skip Thibault was 7 up and skip Fowler ten. In the single rink championship the veteran St. Lawrence skip, David Guthrie, was defeated by skip J. P. Shaw of the Thistles of St. John. The scores follow:

Granite Club cup:
Fredericton. Fredericton.
W. McEwen, D. B. Winslow,
J. A. Winslow, A. E. Massie,
F. P. Hatt, F. P. Hatt,
James Thibault, 15-7. T. L. Fowler, 16-14.

Total, 31.
Brockville. Brockville.
Dr. Mohr, W. A. Gilmour,
H. R. Boulton, C. B. Cossitt,
R. Craig, G. J. Mallory,
D. W. Downey, 8-5. J. E. Chrysler, 6-14.

Total, 14.
Single rink championship (Granites):
St. John Thistles. St. Lawrence.
F. P. Burpee, A. McInnes,
F. Watson, James Young,
W. A. Shaw, Jas. Morrison,
F. P. Shaw, 13-8. D. Guthrie, 7-7.

HOCKEY.

A TIE GAME.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 23.—The Royal Canadian Regiment team and the bankers played hockey yesterday afternoon at the open air rink at No. 3 military depot. Each side scored four goals.

ST. FRANCIS, 7-DALHOUSIE, 5.

ANTAGONISM, N. S., Jan. 23.—The first game of hockey of the Intercollegiate League was played here on the evening of January 21st between the Dalhousie and St. Francis Xavier teams. A large number witnessed the game, which was spirited and cleanly played. St. Francis team won by a score of 7 to 5. The best feeling prevailed throughout the game.

Learnment, formerly of the Dalhousie College team, was one of the Dalhousie wings.

THE WINNERS LEAVE.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—The Thistle Hockey Club, of Kenora, winners of the Stanley cup, and championship of Canada, left for Ottawa today, where they will have an exhibition match tonight with the capital team. Afterward they will proceed to Toronto and Chicago, where matches will be played. As the result of the victory of the Kenora team, it is announced that

Black Nineteen members have been enrolled. The club will hold a series of races in the near future. All the speedy ones in the city are members and the races held will be under the colors of the new organization. A six hour race is to be held a week from Monday next. Representatives of the club will be sent to compete in races in other cities, and racers from Montreal and other places will probably be brought here occasionally.

AQUATIC

THE POSTPONED RACE.

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—Word has been received by Captain Barker, vice-president of the Argonaut Club, that Harvard University team, who competed against Cambridge in England last fall, would like a race with Argonaut eight at Cambridge next May.

WRESTLING

MAUPAS DEFEATED IN WRESTLING MATCH.

LEWISTON, Me., Jan. 23.—Before the largest crowd that ever witnessed a wrestling match in this city, Paul Sweeney of Manchester, N. H., defeated Emil Maupas of New York tonight.

Both styles of wrestling were used. The first fall, Graeco-Roman style, was won by Maupas in 38 minutes with a side roll and further arm hold. Sweeney won the next two falls, catch-as-catch-can style, the first in five minutes and five seconds with a body hold, and the second in 25 minutes with a half Nelson. Maupas weighed 173 pounds, while his opponent weighed 225.

It was announced that Steurs, the Belgian, would wrestle Sweeney here next week.

SHIPPING.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 23.—Ard, str Ulunda, from Liverpool via St. John, N.B. Sid, str Beta, Hopkins, for Kingston, J.

HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 23.—Ard, str Numidian, from Glasgow, and cleared for Boston; Oceano, from Demarest, West India, and Bermuda; Nanna, from Liscomb (to complete loading for New York).

Sid, str A W Perry, Hawes, for Boston.

British Ports.

BELFAST, Jan. 23.—Ard, str Bengore Head, from St. John, N.B.

INISHTRAHULL, Jan. 23.—Passed, str Bengore Head, from St. John, N.B. for Belfast.

LIZARD, Jan. 23.—Passed, str Almeria, from St. John and Inishtraahull via Halifax for London.

QUEENSTOWN, Jan. 23.—Sid, str Ivernia, from Liverpool for Boston.

GLASGOW, Jan. 23.—Ard, str Sicilian, from Boston.

Foreign Ports.

SALEM, Mass., Jan. 23.—Ard, str Ruth Robinson, from Stockton for New York; Willie Lawry, from St. John, N. B. for do.

PORTSMOUTH, N.H., Jan. 23.—Sid, str Mabel E. Goss, for St. John, N.B.

SAUNDERSVILLE, N.S., Jan. 23.—Sid, str Golden Rule, from Yarmouth, N.S. for New York.

CITY ISLAND, Jan. 23.—Bound south, str Navigator, from Halifax, N.S.; str Minnie Skauson, from Providence; Charles W. Alcott, from Lloyds Neck, N.J. for Norfolk.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Ard, str York, from Bremen.

Cid, str Helen, from San Juan.

DELAWARE, Breakwater, Del., Jan. 23.—Ard, str bark Freeman, from Philadelphia for Boston; str Maria O. Teel, from Providence for Norfolk.

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YORK FOR PORTLAND: schs George W. Wells, from Battureaux for Boston; Henry W. Camp, from Norfolk for do; Gardiner G. Deering, from Philadelphia for Portland; Geo. P. Hudson, from Seaport for Coal port.

Miscellaneous.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Jan. 23.—The sch H. R. Emerson, from Weehawken for St. John, N. B., before reported with rudder head gone, was towed to the head of the harbor today and her rudder will be unhooked by a diver tomorrow and a new rudder stock be made here.

Shipping Notes.

The Battle liner Plates sailed yesterday from St. Vincent for Liverpool.

Sch William D. Marvel, from South Amboy for Lynn, anchored off Long Point light last night, after her vessel had been blown to pieces during the heavy gale. John Anderson, one of the crew, who had been struck on effects of the collision, was brought ashore for treatment, but his injuries are not considered dangerous.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Str Florida, from New Orleans, previous report, ad ashore at Hoganas, has been floated and arrived at Copenhagen yesterday.

Axim telegraphs that the cargo of kerosene, or some portion of it, from the wrecked bark Star of the East, reached Halifax yesterday from the Nova Scotia Baldwin, Spys and Greenings.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Str Manchester Exchange, from Manchester, which grounded in this harbor, was floated with assistance of tug. She proceeded undamaged.

Str Oceano, from Calcutta, which foundered in the harbor, was floated yesterday and is expected to proceed around about 20 minutes.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 21.—Showing signs of trouble, the schooner, 13 of the crew of the bark Medbor, which foundered near Sapelo two weeks ago, reached Savannah yesterday from the quarantine station, where they had been detained because of berli berli among them. Two of the crew had died.

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LOCAL NEWS

A train load of immigrants ex. str. Numidian passed through the city this morning at one o'clock from Halifax. The immigrants were bound for western points.