# Twenty-Nine Teams Enter Western Ontario Secondary School Hockey Series

## GROUPS ARRANGED, CONVENERS NAMED

Eighteen Schools Entered in M.-O. Moguls Senior and Eleven in Junior.

FINISH MARCH 13

Big Season Predicted With Huge Number of Teams Ready To Go.

With 29 teams entered, the Western Ontario Secondary Schools 1925 hockey series is ready to get under way. The entries have all been concluded and the groups have been drawn up and conveners appointed.

By arrangement, the seniors will end their groups by January 30, and the play-offs have been ordered to be completed by March 13. The junior groups will end January 30, and the finals by

March 13. In the junior section, the local group consists of London Technical, London Central, De La Salle, London East, with A. N. McKillop, of London East, as convener, while there are only two entrants in the local senior group, London Central and St. Thomas C. I. The convener is Mr. Arnold, of London Central.

The following are the groups:

SENIOR.

First Series.

First Series.

1.—Chesley vs. Owen Sound. Con-

vener,
2.—Guelph, Galt, Stratford. Convener,
Mr. A. Robertson, Collegiate Institute,
Stratford.
3.—Woodstock, Simcoe, Convener, Mr. R. Willcock, Woodstock College, 4.—London Central St. Thomas. Convener, Mr. Arnold, London Central Windsor-Walkerville Technical and Petrolia in the second series.

Completion date for this series, January 30, 1926.

Second Series.

Second Series.
5.—Winners of 3 vs. Petrolla.
6.—Winners of 4 vs. Windsor-Walkerville Technical.
7.—Winners of 2 vs. winners of 1.
Completion date, February 13, 1926.
Third Series.
Winners of 7 a bye

Third Series.

8.—Winners of 7, a bye.

9.—Winners of 5 vs. winners of 6.

Completion date, February 27, 1926.

Finals.

10.—Winners of 8 vs. winners of 9.

Completion date, March 13, 1926.

JUNIOR.

First Series.

Group 1.—London Technical, London Central, De La Salle, London East.

Convener, Mr. A. N. McKillop, London East C. 1.

Group 2.—Parkhill, Strathroy, Watst.

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Strathroy C. I.
Group 3.—Paris, Woodstock College,
Ingersoll, Tillsonburg. Convener, Mr.
R. Willcock, Woodstock College.
Group 4.—Goderich, Seaforth Stratford. Convener, Mr. G. A. Robertson,

ford. Convener, and Stratford C. I.
Group 5.—Wallaceburg, Glencoe, Convener, Mr. C. G. Yorke, Glencoe H. S.
Group 6.—Wallaceburg, Tara, Convener,
Mr. D. Brown Wiarton H. S.
Completion date of this series, Jan-

a.—Winners of 2 vs. winners of 4.
b.—Winners of 1 vs. winners of 4.
c.—Winners of 3 vs. winners of 6.
Completion date for the second series
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Completion date for the second series,

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Completion date for finals, March 13,
1926.

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The regulations governing the competition, junior and senior, are as follows:

1.—Playinug rules O. H. A.

2.—Eligibility same as for all other activities in the W.O.S.S.A., that is for junior any student who has not passed his 18th birthday to Septemberl, of the school year is eligible. See further rules on page 15 of the W.O.S.S.A handbook.

year.

3.—Group dates and playing schedules to be arranged by the conveners, and at the time of meeting, each group will determine whether it plays on the basis of home and home games with points to count or the number of games won against those lost.

4.—Awards: Junior—in addition to the medals, a new trophy, presented by

ed in a senior game cannot again play junior.

6.—Reports: The group winners will not be determined unless report cards are completed and signed by the official and sent to the W.O.S.S.A. secretary within four days following the match.

7.—Officials: Officials in all cases will be appointed and agreed upon by the convener and representatives at the time of the making up of the schedule. In the final match, the W.O.S.S.A. will appoint the officials.

8.—Protests: All group protests will be dealt with by the group committee and its convener. All intergroup protests will be dealt with by the W.O.S.S.A. and protest must be accompanied by the sum of \$10, which, if the protest is allowed, will be returned to the team awarded the lecision otherwise it will awarded the W.O.S.

# Meet Saturday

Will Operate in 1926.

Special to The Advertiser.

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 16.—President T. J. Halligan of the Michigan-Ontario league has called a meeting of the league here Saturday, when he will make an effort to have the various club owners decide definitely what they intend to do about the 1926 season. Books of the league have been audited and a report will be made at this meeting. The league directors will then have their financial status before them and be able to proceed with a knowledge of just where they are. Halligan has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election as president, secretary and treasurer. The league owes him considerable in back salary, however, and it is not likely that he will quit until this matter has been adjusted to his satisfaction.

It is expected that the club owners will want to continue in 1926 with the exception of Hamilton, where Owner Billy Carroll is reported to be through. Some steps will have to be taken to replace Hamilton, if the other five cities want to continue the league in 1926.

Halligan holds the Flint franchise, the league having voted it to him because of his activity in keeping the Flint club going during the 1925 season. It was the unsettled status at Flint last year, due to Otto Powell's withdrawal just before the start of the season, that put the league in hot water and kept it here all year.

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### Hockey Rules and Problems

Some Discussion of Various Phases of Canada's Most Thrilling Game From a Referee's Viewpoins.

By LOU E. MARSH

Kicking the puck, throwing the stick, or making monkey-faces as an expression of disgust when penalized,

Mr. D. Brown whaton it.

Completion date of this series, January 30, 1926.

Note—The above groups after having met with the convency will declare the with the convence of a will declare the winder shall be on the basis of total points on the round, where more than two games are played, or where more than two games are played, or where more than two games are played, or where more than two games are contesting in a group, the teams are contesting in a group, the teams are contesting in a group, the teams are contesting in a group. The convence of the property of the

Listowel and Palmerston Are First To Mix in Group "A.'

Special to The Advertiser. Special to The Advertiser.

Palmerston, Dec. 16.—The schedule or group No. 11 of the O. H. A. was rawn up here today. The schedule is vivided into two sections, "A" and "B." he representatives from both Chesley and Dolmars on organization in the state of the state group, but the majority were for plit. Wiarton was not represented. ees the referees charged the group last

## COMPSTON AND MASSEY

and its convener. All intergroup protests will be dealt with by the W.O.S.

A. and protest must be accompanied by the sum of \$10, which, if the protest is allowed, will be returned to the team awarded the lecision otherwise it will remain in the treasury of the W.O.S.

3. Completion dates for group winners must be adhered to 10.—Birth certificates are required for all matches, and must be shown when requested by any team captain for any group, intergroup and final competitions.

11.—Duties of conveners: Immediately upon receipt of the scheme of the group to call a meeting and have, from each school, a representative determine the schedule, officials, etc., and send copy of same to the secretary of the W.O.S.S.A. who will carry through the work of the schedule, officials, etc., and send copy of same to the secretary of the W.O.S.S.A. who will carry through the work of the schedule, officials, etc., and send copy of same to the secretary of the w.O.S.S.A. who will carry through the work of the schedule, officials, etc., and send copy of same to the secretary of the w.O.S.S.A. who will carry through the work of the play of Charlie Lynch, young quarterback of the Dominion rughy.

### Terriers Hold First Practice at Galt Arena

Home Railbirds Get First Glimpse of Strengthened

Will Decide Whether League day night's game at Windsor, the Terriers had a stiff workout tonight at the Soper Park arena, and since it was their first appearance on the local ice, there was a large gallery of fans on there was a large gallery of fans on hand to give the wearers of the purple and white the once over.

The newcomers on the team, Clarence Boucher, defence man and playing manager of the team, formerly of Iroquois Falls; Lawrence Aurle, center of last winter's Sudbury juniors, and Joe Leclair, defence man, and forward, formerly of Iroquois Falls, made a big hit with the spectators, who were unanimous that Galt was much stronger than last winter, and was in the happy position of being well supplied with players, eleven being out to practice tonight.

HORNETS IN SHAPE.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Dec. 16.—With two victories and a draw registered in engagements with three of the best hockey sextets in Canada the Border Cities senior puckchasers will step on the ice Friday night prepared of do battle with Galt Terriers at the local arena. This clash starts the Big Six schedule on the long winter grind and the fans will be out in full force to witness the opening gun fired.

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According to reports from Galt the Terriers and their supporters are coming down here with little thought of anything else but victory. Their optimism is based on the strength shown in the contest with Grimsby Feach Kings the other night when the Big Six entry trounced the intermediate champions of Ontario in pretty fashion.

Fans Eager.

Border fans are equally confident that success will crown the efforts of the Blue and Gold ice artists. The Hornets have carved a big niche in the heart of local sportdom, as a result of the gameness and never-say-die spirit shown in the contests to date. A capacity house is assured.

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Captain "Paddy" Farrell will lead a well-conditioned sextet against Galt. The Hornets are in shape for a tall the as gruelling as that which might be expected in mid-season. Vast improvement in team-play has been gained by the Brown, Butterfield and Guest attacking front during recent drills. It is expected that the rival teams will start as follows:

Hornets.

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Hornets.

Goal.

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Goal.

Murray

Kentner.

Defence.

Boucher

Wentworth Defence.

Watt

Brown.

Center.

Aurie

Butterfield.

Wing.

A Gastnier

Guest.

Wing.

A Mimes

Two substitutes for each team will be selected from the following:

Windson,

Walsh, Corbeau, Boucher and Kirwan;

Galt, Albert Gauthier, G. Himes, Hoffman, Woods and Leclaire.

## INTERMEDIATE GROUP Knocking an opponent's stick out of his hands when he is not playing the nucleon actually receiving the stick out of

Kitchener Meets Stratford in Opener at Classic City Dec. 28.

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Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Dec. 16.—Meeting here to draw a schedule for group No. 10 of the intermediate O. H. A. series, representatives of the six teams decided that the group winners of 6. winners of 6. winners of 6. second series.

Why take a penalty for something which does not help your team to win victory?

AND OFFICE OF

Jan. 27.

Team representatives present were:
L. J. Long, Stratford; W. B. McCool,
Wingham: A. W. Dick, Seaforth; F. W.
Mutch, Clinton; R. C. Puddicombe, New
Hamburg; Irving Erb, Kitchener; H. J.
Bruder, convener, Stratford president.
Group A Schedule.

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Dec. 28.—Kitchener vs. Stratford.

Jan. 4—Stratford vs. New Hamburg.

Jan. 17—New Hamburg vs. Kitchener.

Jan. 14—Stratford vs. Kitchener.

Jan. 18—Kitchener vs. New Hamburg.

Group B Schedule. Jan. 18—Kitchener vs. New Haml Group B Schedule.

Dec. 30—Seaforth vs. Wingham.
Jan. 4—Wingham vs. Clinton.
Jan. 7—Clinton vs. Seaforth.
Jan. 11—Clinton vs. Wingham.
Jan. 14—Wingham vs. Seaforth.

### Grads Will Play Cleveland Girls

Double-Headed International Basketball Bill in Offing.

After tonight when the juniors return from their St. Marys trip, the Westervelt cagers are going to lay quiet until Jan. 16 when the Grads will open their international season, with their probable opponents being the Newman-Sterns girls of Cleveland, Ohio. On the same program there will likely be an exhibition between the Hylan Park boys of Detroit and the Westervelt O.A.B.A. juniors.

is customary for the convener of the group to call a meeting and have, from each school, a representative determine the schedule, officials, etc., and send a copy of same to the secretary of the w.O.S.S.A., who will carry through the second, third and final series.

\*\*WILL ELECT SECRETARY\*\*

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Wallaceburg, Dec. 16.—An early meeting of the Wallaceburg Amateur Athletic association is being called by President A. M. Lebel in order to distribute the position at the town of the position at the position at the recent annual meeting, having signified his inability of being unable to take the position.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Dec. 16.—The Journal this morning says that scouts of Queen's University were much impressed with the play of Charile Lynch, young quarterback of the Dominion rugby champions, in the eastern semi-final game recently. The Journal article concludes: "Consequently Ottawa may lose the sequently Ottawa may lose the sequently of the fistens to the outpourings of admiration that are coming from King-ston, he will be wearing the spangles of the tri-color, instead of that of the Country of the school of the Ottawa, Dec. 16.—The Journal this morning says that scouts of Queen's University were much impressed with the play of Charile Lynch, young the play of Charile L

Part of the conditioning exercises of the Stratford hockey team seems to be breathing threats.

Grange's open field running will be truly tested out when he tries to dart through the Florida real estate agents.

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Siki was a victim of gunman's aim—and civilization.

POLLYANA-ING. One of the New York scribes who viewed pro football with even more facetiousness than most sat on the straw-strewn sidelines at a recent game and had to admit that the youth huddled there in blankets measured up well with those who engage in other sports, even to

All pro players are not Granges. They tackle the most jarring of games and get little pay for it. They may not play with all the abandon of their college days, but the spirit of the game manages There are many fine types of boys in the fighting trade-a calling that has been perhaps unduly maligned. But the public lumps them and probably will continue to do so.

INITIATIVE. Though the anti-defence rule is on the statutes, the referees in the Calder circuit are apparently ignoring it. They will continue to ignore it until some team transgresses too far and produces the sort of closeddoor hockey, which a few years ago threatened to kill the game. The anti-defence rule insists on not more than three of the defending side being in the defence area, but it would take a six-eyed referee to en-

force it. However, its very presence probably prevented coaches striving for perfection in defence systems, and proves that even in rule-making preventive measures are justified, even if the rules themselves be a Starting on the front page, the New York Herald-Tribune comments

on the first pro. hockey game in Gotham, Tuesday night, as follows:

Ghosts walked around the New Madison Square Garden while the ceremonial of dedicating for the third tifne Tex Rickard's concrete mammoth cave was going forward. They were slightly bewildered ghosts, and to those initiates who were able to recognize them seemed a little awed. Occasionally meeting one with another they would exchange brief words, gazing the while upward to the toplofty eminences of this vast and roaring arena. while upward to the toplofty eminences of this vast and roaring arena "I'd never have thought it," one might remark; and a second would

ly, "Hockey wasn't like this in our day."

The dedication was to hockey, the king winter spectacle of Canada, now for the first time enshrined in New York as a professional spectacle of major degree. As a dedication it was a somewhat ceremonial pageant, glittering with the starched bosoms of gentlemen in evening clothes, sparkling with the jewels worn by their richly-caparisoned ladies.

There were some starched bosoms at the first dedication of the new

Garden, which was for the beginning of the six-day bicycle race; and there were more for the Berlenbach-Delaney fight, which was made the occasion of the dedication of the cavernous amphitheatre as the "Temple of Fistiana," quoting Joe Humphries. But the glitter and glamor of last night's dedication sed both these affairs, principally perhaps because society has been

The game, the first played on its home ice by the New York Hockey club, was a benefit for the Neurological institute of New York. It was more than a hockey game. It was a function; and a most successful function it

The opponents of the New Yorkers were Les Canadiens, of Montreal, that colorful French-Canadian aggregation which has flashed so much spectacular hockey through Canadian championship tournaments for fifteen years. This report is not concerned with the game itself, but with the ghosts. They were the pale wraiths of the men who went before those twelve whizzing human meteors who flashed back and forth up and down that broad area of white ice last night.

The ghost of Hobey Baker, the greatest American hockey player, an amateur of Princeton and a warrior, who died in France in the uniform of an American flying officer, the ghost of Hod Stuart, hailed as the greatest of the Canadian professionals, who lost his life in a drowning accident long before the war; the ghosts of all the old-timers who made professional hockey in its beginnings; of Dickey Boon, who invented the poke check; of the Patrick brothers, Lester and Frank, now magnates in their own right; of Harvey Pulford, Mike Grant and Russell Bowle, who made the Montreal Victorias a hockey name to worship in the days when the game was still an amateur pastime, filled with frenzied enthusiasms excited by local pride; of Ernie Johnston, the "Big Moose"; of Riley Hern and Ernie Russell and the mighty Smith family, which had a team all its own, and which left the names of Harry Smith, Alf Smith and Tommy Smith engraved forever on the

TIA JUANA RESULTS St. Angelina, \$30.20, \$10.40, \$6, won.

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Smiling, \$7.40, \$4.40, second.

Krekzunas, \$3, third.

Time—1:41 3-5.

War Zone, Wrack Lane, Gold Crump,
Cote d'Or, Sing On, Hamp, Captain

Mack and Monopoly also ran.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs:
Old Sinner \$13.40, \$9.20, \$7, won.

Cuba, \$4.20, \$4, second.

Dumbfounder, \$4.60, third.

Time—1:14 1-5.

Full Moon, Omega, Waldout, Fleer,
Gratian, Midnight Bell, General Average, Jack Ledi, Twin Fox and Pat Carter also ran.

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THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs:
Archie Alexander \$7, \$3.40, \$2.80, won.
Frack Sand, \$2.80, \$2.40, second.
Miss Omond, \$2.80, third.
Time—1:13 3-5
Combustion, Cadmus, Old Blue, Kinetic, Fiesta, Cocksure, Bluedale, War Penny, False Alarm, Ginger also ran.
FOURTH RACE, mile and sixteenth:
Sunbow, \$5, \$3.40, \$3.40, won.
Praiseworthy, \$5.60, \$3.40, second.
Keala, \$2.80, third.
Time—1:49 1-5. Time-1:49 1-5. Tight, Quecreek, Ballot Car, Mint Julep.

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FIFTH RACE, 5½ furlongs:
Booze Bayer, \$26, \$11.60, \$4, won.
Star Dust, \$3.40, \$2.60, second.
Cockrill, \$2.60 third.
Time—1:07 3-5.
Kamehameha, Cleo's Rochester, Crossbow, Marie K., Walter DeB, also ran.
SIXTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
xJack Fairman, \$8.60, \$3.20, \$3, won.
Queen Catherine, \$3.60, \$4.40, second.
Brother John, \$5 third.
Time—1:12 3-5,
xJune Grass, Miss Emmert, Clermont
Jr., Fanny DeCoursey also ran.
x—Mrs. C. B. Irwin and C. Sawyer entry.

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SEVENTH RACE, mile and 70 yards: Civa, \$15.40, \$4.80, \$3.60, won.
Brotherly Love, \$3.40, \$2.60, second.
Darius \$4.40, third.
Time-1:43 4-5.
Billy Todd. Worthman, Wood Lady,
Scarecrow. Cypreme also ran.
EIGHTH RACE-4½ furlongs:
Quanah. \$16.60, \$7.80, \$4.20, won.
Little Shasta, \$6.00, \$4.80, second.
Picnic, \$5.00, third.
Time-54.

f.—Field. SECOND RACE, 1 1-16 miles: Halu, \$4, \$3, \$2.80, won. Sir Ralph, \$10.40, \$9.60, second. Servitor, \$4.60, third. Time—1:54 1-5.

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Fretwell. Meddling Mattie,

also ran RACE, 3 years, 6 furlongs:

THIRD RACE, 3 years, 6 furlongs:

Marionette, \$6, \$2.50, \$2.60, won.

Leatherwkood, \$2.40, \$3, second.

Noel, \$4.40 third.

Time—1:15 4-5.

Senor also ran.

FOURTH RACE, mile and sixteenth:

Sweeptona \$19.20, \$5.80, \$4.20, won.

Time—:54. Bill McCloy, Fort Churchill, Mr. Ruby, Queen Bess, Vanderburg, Great Finisher and Llanimp also ran. **NEW ORLEANS RESULTS** 

## FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs: Harry Carroll, \$4, \$3.40, \$2.80, won. Nervous Abie, \$4.60, \$3.20, second. fTarn Helm, \$4.20, third. Time—1:17 1-5. Alita Allen, Buttercup, Nine Sixty, Billy Mann, Jessie Dee, Hog Fire, Lady Shaw, fEmma G., Marie Baker also ran. f—Field.

Gayly, \$3.50, \$3.20, second Boy From Home, \$4.40, third. Time-1:54 1-5. Reveillon Lugs, Wild Bill, Dobson, Runleg Generosity also ran. FIFTH RACE, 14 miles: Firetoma, \$1.20, \$2.50, \$2.20, won

The Foet, 30.50, 30, second. Guelph, \$3, third. Time-2:14 4-5. Wilkesbarre, Champignol, Frank Fog-Wilkesbarre, Champignol, Frank Fog-irty also ran.

SIXTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
George De Mar \$63.80, \$18, \$6, won.
Romp, \$5.80, \$3.40, second.
Johnny Campbell, \$3.80, third.
Time—1:17
Spats, Tony Beau, Huon Pine and
William Teil also ran.
SEVENTH RACE, mile:
Lucy Kate, \$11.40, \$4.20, \$3, won
Miss Claire, \$5.60, \$4.20, \$5.0 won
Golden Lynn, \$2.80, third.
Time—1:46 1-5.
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### HAVANA RESULTS

Needy, 10 (Valley), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 1 to 5, second.
Garish, 102 (McCann), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, third.
Time—1:09.
Sunny Girl, Virginia Goodwin, Mo-

Colfin, 104 (Geving), 3 to 1, even, out, Rose Cloud. 106 (D. Fisher), 8 to 5, Rose Cloud. 106 (D. Fisher), 8 to 3, to 2, out, second.
Winnie O'Wynn, 104 (McDonald). 2 o 1 3 to 5, out, third.
Time—1:45 3-5.
Laura Cochran, Della Robbia also ran.
SIXTH RACE, \$700, claiming, 3-yearslds and up, mile and 70 yards:
Clip. won.

Clip, won. Evening Star, second. Fictile, third. OTHER SPORT ON PAGE 15.

### Maroons Halt Pirates 4 to 2 In Better Game

Pittsburg Fails To Display Concerted Attack in Tilt at Home.

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Associated Press Despatch.

Pittsburg. Dec. 16.—Montreal subdued Pittsburg in a bitterly contested game here tonight 4 to 2. A fast pace was maintained throughout the battle, and the game was the best seen here this season. The opening period saw the Pirates tally both their goals, while the Maroons rang up but one marker. Pittsburg failed to display any concerted attack, most of their threatening being individual and unable to cope with the impregnable defence presented by Nobie and Munro. When the defence was cluded Benedict was a stone wall.

with the impregnance defence presented by Nobie and Munro. When the defence was eluded Benedict was a stone wall. Darragh, Milks and Conacher invariably served as the bayonets of the Pittsburg offensive, and their spurts down the ice created many furores. Nels Stewart was conspicuous by his breaking up of Pirate attacks.

The line-up:
Pittsburg—Goal, Worters: defense, Conacher and Smith; center, Milks; wings, McCurry and Darragh; subs, Cleghorn, Cotton, White, Berlinquette, Skinner, Spring.
Montreal—Goal, Benedict; defence, Noble and Munro; center, Stewart; wings, Seibert and Broadbent; subs, Lowry, Rothschild, Horne, Kitchen and Cain.

Summary.
First period—1, Pittsburg, Milks 3:03.
Pittsburg, White, 12:40; 3, Montreal, Second Pario Seibert, 2:00.
Second period—4, Montreal, Noble.
3:45; 5, Montreal, Kitchen, 7:30; 6,
Montreal, Munro, 6:35,
Third period—No score.

## REBOUCDS &

The junior O. H. A. season in Toronto is scheduled to open at the arena on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 26, with a double-header, Parkdale playing University of Toronto in the first game, while St. Mary's and Toronto canoe club meet in the second fixture.

Bolton has been added to O. H. A. intermediate group No. 5, and Shelburne transferred from junior group No. 13 to group No. 7. J. O. Adams of Brampton is convener of intermediate group No. 5 and junior group No. 7, and has called a meeting of the clubs to be held at the Royal Hotel, Brampton, today to draft schedules.

St. THOMAS IUVENILES

group No. 3 to group No. 1. Cornwall.
Brockville, Kingston and Beleville
will likely be put in section "A" of No.
1 group with Trenton, Cobourg. Port
Hope, Bowmanville and Oshawa in section "B."

Parry Sound has been transferred
from intermediate group No. 13 to
group No. 12, and Convener Frank Dovle
of Barrie will deal with the application
at the schedule meeting tonight.

Brandon Sun: It would not be surprising if the east regained the Alian
cup this winter. The rapid growth of
the game in Ontario and the enthusiasm
put behind the organization of the
various clubs has resulted in some
classy aggregation making their appearance. In fact, the large majority
of the players have already been approached by the pros.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, Dec. 16,—In one of the
fastest games of basketball seen here
dastet games of basketball seen here
for some time, the St. Thomas juvenile
sagers brought the local "Y" juniors
down to defeat by 38—30, in an exhibition game at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.
Without a doubt, it was one of the
fastest contests seen here for a good
time, and only by sheer hard work and
skill on the part of the players, were
the Orions able to defeat the "Y" outsit.

The teams:
St. Thomas — Langley, Mathews,
Clarke, Barnes and Downs. Subs.
Stewart, Lang. Smith, Mitchener, Martin and Holland.
Woodstock — Stevenson, Rankin,
Coulter, Wilson and Ratz. Subs, Sinclair Smith. Hall and Gibson.
Referee—R. Sedge.

Toronto Globe:
"There are no slow thinkers on the champions' line-up. They know inside the champions are to 'z,' and Coach they could step "There are no slow thinkers on the champions' line-up. They know inside hockey from "a" to 'z.' and Coach Carpenter thinks that they could step into professional company and beat the majority of pro. teams. This claim brings up the old argument regarding Granites. Many maintained that Granites at their best would have beaten any pro. team in existence. They were laughed to scorn, but since that time Bert Mc-Caffery. Dunc Munro and 'Hooley' Smith have all starred in the National league. Good and all as these players were, they were not superior to teammates like Hughey Fox, Jack Cameron, Beattie hamsay and Alex Romeril, not to say anything about the other stars who labored in the Granite cause."

Johnny Sheppard, the speedy little fellow, who did such good work with Victoria on the trip through the east, is making the railbirds sit up and take notice at the Edmonton practices. Sheppard is sure of a regular place on Duke Keat's rebuilt aggregation.

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FIRST RACE, \$600, claiming, 3-yearolds and up, 5½ furiongs:
Lydia Drew. 107 (Yerratt), 5 to 2,
to 5, 2 to 5, won.
Needy, 110 (Varley), 4 to 1, 8 to 5,
to 5, second.
Garish, 102 (McCann), 12 to 1, 5 to

When he came out of retirement.

Time—1:09
Sunny Girl, Virginia Goodwin, Momentum, Alazon, Altamour, Daville, Searchlight III., Black Art, Swim also ran.

SECOND RACE, \$600, claiming, 3 year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs:
Little Bat, 107 (Sporri), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, won.
Jim Daisy 108 (McGinnis), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second.
Chow Chow, 110 (Hunt), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, third.

The Port Arthur players say that Chow Chow, 110 (Hunt), 6 to 1. 5 to 2, 6 to 5, third.

Time—1:09.

Lumber Jack, Day of Peace, Zero, Noble Lady, Lura, Sea Board, Wise Bill, Edden Pine also ran.

THIRD RACE \$600, claiming, 3-year-pids and up, 5½ furlongs:
Fort Bliss, 105 (Jeffrles), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 3, won.

Gold Mark, 116 (Eisher), 5 to 2, 4 to 2.

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Gold Mark, 116 (Fisher), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second.

Trafalgar, 113 (Banks), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, third.
Time—1:08 2-5.
Spontaneous, Vodka, Recommendation, Balarosa, Super Lady, Theoden, Three Square also ran.
FOURTH RACE, \$800, claiming, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs:
The Abbott 110 (Jenkins), even, 1 to 4, 1 to 8, won.
Mount Shasta, 104 (Sporri), 2 to 1, 1 to 3, 1 to 5, second.
Frances Johnson, 102 (Holbert), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third.
Time—1:07 4-5.
Rock of Ages, Miss Babe, Mighty also ran.

FIFTH RACE \$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, mile and 50 yards:
Colfin, 104 (Geving), 3 to 1, even, out,

#### CHEESE TOWN COMPLETES HOCKEY ORGANIZATION

Ingersoil, Dec. 16.—Organization in connection with the local intermediate hockey team which has been entered in the O. H. A., has been completed. Following are the officers: Honorary president E. A. Wilson; president, Dr. Ralph Williams; committee, S. G. Heubrigs. A. O. Murray, F. W. Staples, W. R. Bignam, Fred Wurker; trainer. E. Cable; coach, Jos. Richardson; treasurer and manager, Gus Morelio.

## SENIORS IN FINE SHAPE FOR OPENING ICE FRAY

### Trophy Donated To Girls' Hockey

Mrs. Gordon Hunt Supplies Emblem For Local Hockeyists.

Mrs. Gordon Hunt has donated a trophy to the local girls hockey-ists for competition this winter, and the local officials have decided to the local officials have decided to turn it over to the league which they have been trying to form.

Not much progress has been made in the latter effort, and although communications have been sent out to Stratford, St. Marys, St. Thomas. Woodstock and Ingersoll, no replies have been received. Viewing this fact with an expert eye, the locals have come to the conclusion that Western Ontario is not very interested in girls' hockey this winter.

However, they are not giving up the ghost, and further efforts will be made to get a rise out of the aforementioned centers. Girls' hockey is in its infancy, but like everything else, it must get a start, and the locals are doing their best to get the game under way.

## South Girls Again

Floor.

The South Collegiate first year girls basketball team again copped the interschool championship, when they defeated the East girls on the South floor last night by a score of 26—10. The game was fast from start to finish, and there were many thrills and spills.

The home girls opened the scoring very early in the game, and continued to find the basket during the rest of the play. The game was exceptionally fast, and much talent for a senior team was shown by both teams. Marion Memurtry was the big scorer of the game, running up 10 points, while M. Moffat was the big scorer for the East aggregation.

The line-ups were as follows:

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Indications Point To Large Following of Fans Going To Stratford

#### SOMERVILLE OUT

There is every indication that the port for their invasion of Stratford on Friday night in their Big Six opener. The special train tickets and seat coupens went so fast yesterday that the allotment will probably be exceeded, and a good many will take a chance

on getting rush seats. seems to be if anything, intensified this year. It's a carry-over, and is added to by a sense of injured civic pride that Graham and Keeling should pride that Granam and Keening showld have chosen London as a place of residence in preference to paying their head tax by the banks of the Avon. This sense of injury may be telt by a very small majority of the Stratford citizenry; quite likely is, but as is usually the case, is voiced with such raucousness as to make it appear apparlments. unanimous.

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South Girls Again
Capture Cage Title

Down East 26-10 in SuddenDeath Game On Home
Floor.

The Londoners are not worrying over their test Friday night. They are in fine condition and able to go the route, and they are even modestly hopeful of winning. To the more rabid of the Stratford fans, this state of mind is nothing less than sheer conceit, but it will have to go at that.

With Gross and Somerville both out of the game, there will be no advantage to either side in the opener. The Indians pack around more experience, but the speed of the Londoners should offset that. The Indians do not appear as strong as last year, while the Londoners are stronger than they were in

Fifteen candidates turned out at the arena last night for intermediate practice and went through an hour's stiff workout. Several out-of-town players were on the ice and London's hopes of having a real entry in the series were raised from zero-way up.

The local officials appear well satisfied with the schedule, and state that they did not receive notice of the meeting, which accounts for their absence. In all probability, they will play their home games in Ingersoll, although that has not yet been decided.

They will practice regularly until the opening of the season, and, besides the workouts, may arrange for an exhibition before the opening game. Fifteen candidates turned out at the

#### CLIFF ABRAMS TO HANDLE GUELPH HOCKEY TEAMS

at.

The teams:
St. Thomas — Langley, Mathews,
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Clarke, Barnes and Downs. Subs.
Stewart, Lang. Smith, Mitchener, Martin and Holland.
Woodstock — Stevenson, Rankin,
Coulter, Wilson and Ratz. Subs, Sincleir Smith, Hall and Gibson.
Referee—R. Sedge.

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