

CANADIENS AND OTTAWAS WIN

Frenchmen Beat St. Pats 4 to 2 and Champions Outscore Hamilton by 2 to 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Second Series Standing.
Won. Lost. For. Agt.
Canadiens 1 0 9 5
Ottawa 1 1 5 6
St. Patricks 1 1 12 12
Hamilton 2 4 12 12
Next games—Wednesday, Canadiens at Hamilton; St. Patricks at Ottawa.

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—Scoring their second victory in the second half of the National Hockey League schedule, which started last Wednesday, Canadiens defeated St. Patricks of Toronto, on Saturday night by 4 to 2. Canadiens held a noticeable edge all through the game. In the third period, Canadiens eased up and St. Patricks outscored the local team by 2 to 1.

St. Patricks were outscored and outgeneraled by the Canadiens, while the Canadiens were weak in the shooting. Time after time they broke through Canadian defense and shot without results, while Canadiens shot at every opportunity and from all angles.

The game was marred by an almost steady procession of local players to the penalty bench for minor offenses, while most every man of the Canadiens' team being penalized at one time or another, while only Cameron, Randall and Cleghorn were punished on the Toronto team.

In the first period Cleghorn and Laidlaw went to the ice in a fist fight and both were penalized for a major foul. In this affray Cleghorn injured the muscles of his back and was forced to retire shortly after serving his penalty.

With a better supply of substitutes

Canadiens made more frequent changes than their opponents and thus gradually wore them down.

The line-up:
St. Patricks—Goal, Forbes; defense, Cleghorn, Cameron; center, Noble; wings, Dye, Denney; spares, Randall, Smylie, Stewart.
Canadiens—Goal, Vézina; defense, Corbeau, Munmyer; center, Lalonde; wings, Hite, Berlinguette, spares, O. Cleghorn, Arbour, Wilson.

OTTAWA 2; HAMILTON 1.

HAMILTON, Jan. 30.—Hamilton and Ottawa battled at top speed for 60 minutes last night in the fastest hockey game that was ever witnessed here. The Senators coming out victorious by a score of 2 to 1 after being on the defensive the greater part of the last period. There was not a dull moment throughout the game and the Tigers made a much better showing than they have in any previous affair on their home ice.

This was a weak spot on either team, although Joe Malone was not as effective as the Tigers at the part of the game. There was a hard matter, but he was closely watched by the visitors, but at that time many chances through failing to take passes as accurately as he usually does. There was more competition in the Ottawa net, but they could not get the "breaks."

The line-up:
Ottawa—Goal, Benedict; defense, Gerard, Boucher; center, Nightingale; wings, Denny, left wing, Carpentier; right wing, Lockhart; defense, Carpentier, Couture; center, Malone; right wing, "Lefty" Cullen; left wing, Kosh; sub, Matte, Carey, Prodiges.

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With Kelly On Defense, Alerts Look For Victory

London Intermediates Play Railroad City Granites in St. Thomas To-Night

One of the most important games of the season, as far as the local intermediates are concerned, will be played to-night in St. Thomas, when the locals tackle the Railroad City fast sextet on their own ice.

The boys feel they have a hard battle on their hands, but their improved playing against Ingersoll and with Kelly back in the same should give them courage to go in and win.

A large crowd of fans is accompanying the team and for their benefit the Alert management have arranged to accommodate the crowd, which leaves at 7:30 p.m., returning as soon as possible after the game.

It is hoped that hard ice is provided, as the local team always performs better on a hard surface than when the ice is soft and sticky.

Ontario Minters Enthusiastic Over Coming Season

New Managers for Three Clubs; Want Battle Creek Franchise Moved

BRANTFORD, Jan. 29.—A meeting of the club owners of the four Ontario clubs of the Michigan-Ontario League met here over the week-end for the purpose of preparing for the coming season and to discuss matters that will be dealt with at the league's annual meeting on Wednesday next.

Representatives of the clubs were enthusiastic over the coming campaign, while no one seemed to be pointing managers for Kitchener, Hamilton and Brantford clubs were directly made, while no one seemed to be pointing managers for Kitchener, Hamilton and Brantford clubs were directly made.

It seemed to be a foregone conclusion that Battle Creek's franchise will be reached by railroad connection, more easily than in the past, and the matter of Montreal and Ottawa being admitted to the circuit was discussed, but nothing definite was given out at the conference.

Acadians Defend McCallum Trophy

Defeat Nationals on Saturday Night by 42 Pins

The Acadians added another scalp to their string on Saturday night when they defeated Dick Catalano's much-touted Nationals by 42 pins. This is the fourth time the Acadians have successfully defended the McCallum trophy since bringing the Dominion championship to London, the other teams being Saunders of Toronto; Glidden Varnish of Toronto and St. Catharines.

For the winners Jones had high game, with 247, with Ferris and McCullough following with 235 and 225. For the Nationals D. Catalano was high, with 214.

Acadians.
Wilson 182 183 173—538
Benedict 180 182 198—560
Hawkins 189 176 147—512
Macari 173 172 182—537
Karrys 207 204 167—578
Sanzone 189 187 187—563
Totals 946 879 968 2793

Nationals.
Catalano 146 214 194—554
Hawkins 189 176 147—512
Macari 173 172 182—537
Karrys 207 204 167—578
Sanzone 189 187 187—563
Totals 854 971 896 2731

CHIP STOPS JIM DUFFY.
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—George Chip, former middleweight champion, knocked out Jack Duffy, of Chicago, in the 10th round of a 15-round match here last night.

FIRE AT BLENHEIM
Old Nichol Mill Destroyed With Loss Estimated at \$10,000.
BLENHEIM, Jan. 30.—Fire early this morning of unknown origin destroyed the Nichol mill, an old frame building here, entailing a loss estimated at \$10,000. There was no insurance.

The building has not been used as a mill for some time, but partly as a storage for tobacco and lumber and partly as a carpenter shop.

The losers are Robert Nichol, Sr., Robert Nichol, Jr., John and Thomas Nichol, Morton Burke and the Blenheim Syrup Company.

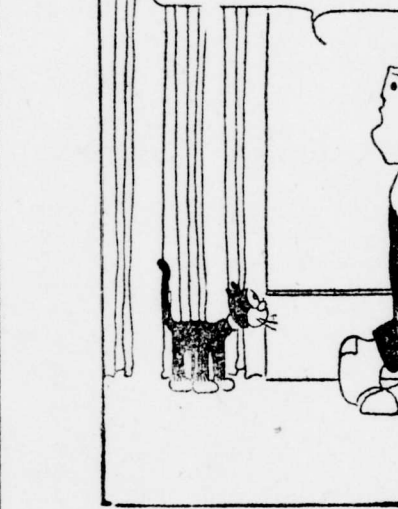
Owing to the structure of the building insurance companies would take no risk on it.

OLD-TIME STAGE DRIVER
OWEN SOUND, Jan. 29.—John G. Robinson, one of the earliest stage coach drivers of this district, died this morning, aged 81. He drove a stage on the Owen Sound-Georgian Bay routes in the fifties. He had been associated with the late J. J. Hill, railway magnate, in the early days, and his reminiscences were very interesting.

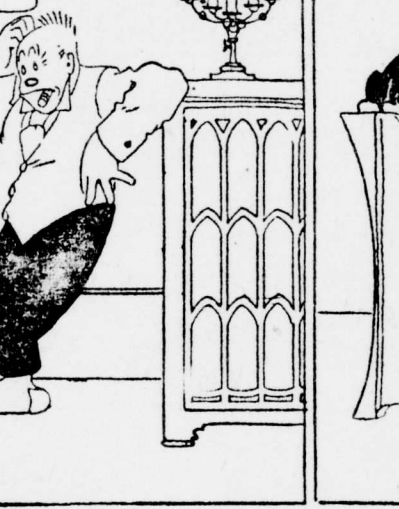
The late Mr. Robinson had lived in Owen Sound for more than 60 years. His funeral will be held here on Monday.

BRINGING UP FATHER.

BY GILLY: I WISH I COULD THINK UP A SCHEME OF GETTING OUT TONIGHT.



I CAN'T USE ANY OF MY OLD TRICKS AS MAGGIE IS ON TO THEM ALL. DINTY HAS BEEN WAITING AN HOUR FOR ME NOW.



HERE I'VE BEEN THINKING FOR THREE HOURS AND HAVEN'T HIT ON A GETAWAY IDEA YET.



SAY, DO YOU THINK YOU ARE GOING TO LAY HERE ALL DAY? GET OUT OF THIS HOUSE, I'VE GOT SOME LADIES COMING AND DON'T WANT THEM TO SEE YOU!



GRANITES BLANK KITCHENER SIX

With Parkes, Hiller and Box on Ailing List Champions Add Four Goals to Two, Scored Earlier, in Last Period

SENIOR O. H. A. STANDING.
Won. Lost. For. Agt.
Granites 5 1 18 12
Kitchener 2 3 14 14
Hamilton 2 4 18 26
Aurora Lee 2 4 16 15
Argonauts 2 5 20 20
This week's games—Tuesday, Varsity vs. Argos; Thursday, Hamilton at Granites; Friday, Aurora Lee at Kitchener.

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—(Special to The Free Press.)—"Youth will be served," said a well-known local sportsman as he watched the Kitchener machine collapse in the third period against Granites on Saturday night, and this time Granites won the game by 6 to 0, a score which in excess of their most ardent supporters believed them capable, but with all due respect to the winners, it is only fair to say that after the first period, when the locals secured a one-goal lead, the flow of goals was hitherto unbroken in the O. H. A. race, were only a shadow of their former selves, injured and exhausted by the first period. The victory of the O. H. A. champions enabled them to tie with Kitchener for first place, and served to show that it is entirely within the range of possibility that the losers may be either first or second in the league race.

KITCHENER CRIPPLED.
Kitchener's defeat was as decisive as the score indicates. As a matter of fact, it might have been worse if the Granites had not been overactive in the final period when they had only one goal to their credit. It was not until after the game that Manager Keenan, of the visitors, announced that his team had performed as a foregone conclusion, after the game that Manager Keenan, of the visitors, announced that his team had performed as a foregone conclusion.

Kitchener had been experiencing ill-fortune this season, and the loss of Trushinski and the illness of Coach Carroll making their task all the harder, but the climax was reached on Saturday night.

BULLETS MAY BE USED IN TRIAL

Two Fired by Bandits at Woodstock Recovered

BOTH OF .32 CALIBER
Revolver of This Caliber Said to Have Been Owned by Garfield

What is believed by the police to be an important point in the clearing up of the murder of Ben Johnson, storekeeper, of Woodstock, who was shot and fatally injured on the night of January 19, has been the finding of the two bullets fired by the bandits. The head of the victim the following day of the shooting when he underwent an operation, and the second bullet was found recently in the wooden floor of the Johnson's store. Both bullets have been identified as that of a .32-caliber.

GARFIELD'S PISTOL
When Norman Garfield and his brother, Denton, were arrested here on the night of January 21, and who are being held by the police, and who are alleged to be implicated in the murder of Johnson, two loaded revolvers were found in their room. The revolvers are said to be of a .32-caliber. In view of the fact that both the Garfields have been identified as the alleged slayers of Johnson, the identity of the bullets fired by the bandits and the finding of loaded revolvers in their room will undoubtedly be strong evidence in their trial.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN BROTHERHOOD'S FIGHT FOR CHARTER
OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Argument by counsel in a motion for judgment brought by the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, against the executive council of the Dominion Trades Congress to restrain that body from putting into effect a revocation of the charter granted to the brotherhood by the congress was heard by Justice Ross in the high court of the Supreme Court of Ontario on Saturday, his lordship deferring his decision.

The action was originally a motion for an interim injunction but later was changed to a motion for judgment.

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Three Champion Pitchers Here

Carmen, Harper and Thomas, of Tecumseh, Visit Manager Wetzel

With the arrival of Lefty Carmen, three of London's champion Mint League club pitching staff are now in the city. Jack Harper and Ad Thomas, of Tecumseh, and Lefty Carmen, of London, are now in the city.

ROACH GOOD SHORTSTOP.
In the early stages the visitors had the edge, but they were shooting from long range, and Coach, catching them with ease, looked like the best "short-stop" in the league. He was right through, caught Roach on the wrong side of the net and shot, but Roach went across the goal mouth with amazing speed and just managed to deflect the puck with his outstretched foot. The pressure was maintained for about 15 minutes by the visitors, and then Galt began to get their share of the shots. Finally Aggett, who incidentally played the best game of his career, showed the puck past the defense, drew Hainsworth out of the net and scored the first goal of the game.

In the second period the edge was with the locals, and the only goal was tallied by Jeffery, who uncovered a pass from Romeril at the goal mouth and gave Hainsworth no chance to save. Without Hiller and with Box and Parkes faltering, Kitchener were outclassed in the last session. Watson scored three goals on a pass from Munro and Romeril landing the last goal, also, as was Munro's front title, but majority of these have now five games and lost one. They are now in the matter of goals scored against, each having tallied 15 against Kitchener.

Previous to Saturday night many critics selected Kitchener as the title, but majority of these have now shifted their allegiance to the curlers. The Kitchener players, Galt, Jeffery, Watson, and others, are all veterans, more prone to injuries than the younger players, and in a series such as this, stamina is probably the main essential. Granites, on the other hand, have Romeril, Munro, Aggett and Jeffery players who have many years of hockey ahead of them.

ST. THOMAS JUVENILES WIN O. B. A. GROUP
STRAITFORD, Jan. 29.—St. Thomas Orioles defeated Stratford Y. M. C. A. 37-16 in the second game of the juvenile O. B. A. series. The victory gives St. Thomas the group title. They played a better game than the locals and gave a fine exhibition, their shooting being particularly brilliant. Through and Chandler were the stars.

BRITISH FOOTBALL
LONDON, Jan. 29.—The results of league games played to-day follow:
FIRST DIVISION.
Arsenal 1 Sunderland 2
Middlebrough 2 West Brom 1
SECOND DIVISION.
Barnsley 2 Rotherham 1
Bristol 1 Leicester City 1
Southend 1 Port Vale 1
Leeds United 2 West Ham U. 0
THIRD DIVISION.
Gillingham 1 Bristol R. 0
Derby 1 Reading 1
Merthyr T. 7 Exeter City 1
Newport City 1 Notts County 0

ENGLISH CUP.
Results of second round games for the English cup tie are as follows:
Also included:
Derby 0 Cardiff 0
Bradford 0 Huddersfield 1
Grimsby 1 Blackpool 1
Southend 1 Fulham 1
Leeds United 1 Plymouth 4
Swansea 1 Plymouth 1
Bury 1 Wolverhampton 2
Derby 1 Sheffield Wed. 1
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Tottenham H. 4 Bradford City 0
Derby 1 Aston Villa 1
Preston N. E. 4 Watford 1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.
GLASGOW, Jan. 29.—Scottish League soccer games to-day resulted as follows:
Airdrieonians 0 Rangers 0
Ayr United 3 Aberdeen 1
Dunfermline 1 Hamilton 1
Clydebank 2 Dumbarton 1
Dundee 2 Dundee 2
Hearts 1 Morton 0
Motherwell 1 Partick Thistle 0
Queen's Park 0 Hibernians 2
Raith Rovers 3 St. Mirren 1
In Scottish cup tie replays to-day Falkirk tied with Alloa one each, and St. Johnstone defeated Johnstone by 2 to 0.

RUGBY UNION.
Rugby Union championship games played to-day resulted as follows:
Northumberland 15 Durham 13
Hull Kingston 2 Bradford 2

NORTHERN UNION.
Wakefield 5 Battery 5
York 2 Halifax 11
Hull 0 Hull 80
Leigh 0 Rochdale 5
Oldham 10 St. Helena Rec. 5
St. Helens 15 Warrington 2
Wigan 5 Wigan 3
Broughton 17 Bramley 5
Hunslet 17 Bramley 5
Barrow 3 Huddersfield 30

MEET AT COUNTY BUILDING.
The Westminster Township Council will hold its meetings this year in the county building. Formerly the meetings were held at Lambeth, but lack of hotel accommodations led to the removal of the meeting place to London. The first meeting to be held here will be to-morrow at 11 o'clock. Regular meetings will be held on the first Tuesday in every month.

DEATH OF W. H. KIPP
PRINCETON, Jan. 29.—W. H. Kipp died on Thursday at his home on the Governor's road, east, after a few days' illness, from pneumonia. He was 38 years of age, and is survived by his widow and four sons: Howard, Roswell and Lorne, on the farm, and Fred, a student at Western University. The funeral was held this afternoon to Princeton Cemetery.

FARM SALE IN DELAWARE
DELAWARE, Jan. 29.—Victor Jackson, second concession, has sold his 100-acre farm to John Thompson, South Delaware, for \$4,500.

LONDON AND DISTRICT SOCCER LEAGUE GETS O. F. A. AFFILIATION

Matter Was at First Deferred, But Request Is Granted at Saturday's Annual

TORONTO, Jan. 29.—The annual meeting of the Ontario Football Association took place to-day at the Carleton Hotel, Vice-President Brown, of Kitchener, calling the meeting to order. Prior to the opening up of business Mr. Brown spoke on the deep loss sustained to football, not only in the province, but throughout Canada, through the death of the late Tom Watson, president of the association, and asked the delegates to stand in silence as a tribute to his memory. Delegates attending included Toronto, Mitchener, Holland, Western, Elliott, Brown, Ottawa, Chalmers, Dunn, Peterboro, Sutcliffe, Hamilton, Dean, Mills, Windsor, Craig, Catharines, Mitchell, Reid, Sudbury, McEwan, Dowling, London, Morgan, Oshawa, Robertson. The secretary-treasurer's report was tabled, and showed a balance in hand amounting to \$515. The report was adopted.

Sanction was given to the affiliation of Windsor and Peterboro. Application was made from London for direct affiliation. Representatives from Western F. A. with whom London is in membership, asked for further information before the request was accepted. The request was accepted to the London, St. Thomas and Sarnia.

A cup was offered by Mr. Plenty, of Toronto, to be competed for by the various cities throughout the province, and was accepted by the association. The Ontario Junior Football Association asked for information regarding a working agreement or a direct affiliation. Delegates from all over the province were in favor of an affiliation, but not a working agreement, and it was decided to grant affiliation to the junior body when the application is tabled.

This means that the junior association will control all junior players throughout the province. Players will be registered by the juniors, but in outlying districts, where no junior organization exists, the existing senior body will do the necessary legislation, subject to the junior by-laws.

Willy-Oversley, of Toronto, made application for a grant towards the expenses incurred by A. Dierden, whose leg was broken in the Ontario cup final, and who is still disabled. The matter is under consideration.

GUELPH GIRLS WIN BUT BOYS LOSE
GALT, Jan. 29.—Guelph interscholastic basketball team to-day lost to the local squad by 40 to 13. In the first period the play was close, the score standing 15 to 9, but in the last half made it runaway of beautiful combination. Previous to this game the girls' team of two schools staged a closely contested match, Guelph girls winning out 9 to 4.

Guelph-Forwards, N. Bryden, H. Hewitt, J. Roberts; defense, D. Poultie, G. McMillan; spares, E. Smith, O. Crosby and G. Jackson.
Galt-Forwards, E. Pudson, O. Hindman, B. Oaks; defense, G. Keffer, I. Oaks; spares, I. Wilson, T. Ingal and M. McKenna.
Guelph-Forwards, Pequegnat, Hurst, Morton; defense, Young, Ryde; spares, M. Gibson and Gray.
Galt-Forwards, Graham, Warren, Raynor; defense, Roelofson, Lunn.

BRITISH COMMUNISTS GROUP AMALGAMATE
LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Daily Herald (labor organ) says that several British communist groups met behind closed doors at Leeds on Saturday, adopted resolutions and amalgamated three main British groups on the basis of the Third (Moscow) Internationale statutes. This organization will be known under the title of "The Communist party of Great Britain."

Thistle Club To Honor Keene Rink

North End Curlers Appreciate Merit of Victorious Quartet at St. Thomas

The Thistle Curling Club has taken up the matter of bestowing additional honors to Norman H. Keene's rink, winners of the Just Wright trophy, the first event at the St. Thomas bonspiel last week. A social evening has been arranged for next Friday night, when the committee will endeavor to show the appreciation of the members for the Thistle victory.

Keene's rink, composed of Messrs. M. Alkenhead, W. J. Anderson, A. Joe McEuffin and W. H. Rhodes, substitute, also tied with Skip Grenzen, of St. Thomas, for the number of total games won, during thespiel.

GALT DEFENDS TROPHY
GALT, Jan. 29.—While the bonspiel is on next week the Galt rink, which won McGregor cup last year will have the honor of taking it back, having successfully defended it against the challenge of Milton rink, who, however, was only barely out after an extra end of play, 16 to 15. Rinks: Milton, W. Chisholm, s. 15 R. Waller, s. 16.

HOCKEY AT DRESDEN
DRESDEN, Jan. 29.—The Dresden Curling Club hockey team met defeat this afternoon in a game with the D. D's, by a score of 3 to 1. The D. D's were only barely out after an extra end of the first half the score stood 1-1. In the second half they put up a very fast game, though the D. C. played a strong defensive, with good results.

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HOCKEY -in Brief

Results.
Granites, 6; Kitchener, 0.
SENIOR INTERCOLLEGIATE.
Varsity, 7; Queens, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Ottawa, 2; Hamilton, 1.
Canadiens, 4; St. Patricks, 2.

CITY LEAGUE.
Victoria, 5; Seattle, 3.
Edmonton Eskimos, 6; Dominions, 1.

JUNIOR O. H. A.
Baffin Vics, 4; Moosejaw, 2.
Duluth, 6; Port William, 3.

INTERMEDIATE O. H. A.
Varsity, 2; Milton, 1.
Junior O. H. A., 6; York, 0.

OTTAWA VALLEY.
Renfrew, 2; Pembroke, 1.

Games To-Night.
SENIOR NORTHERN.
Stratford at Exeter-Zurich.

JUNIOR NORTHERN.
St. Marys at Milverton.

COAST LEAGUE.
Seattle at Victoria.

INTERMEDIATE O. H. A.
Frontenacs at Belleville.

Paris at Brantford.
London at St. Thomas.

Tillsonburg at Ingersoll.
Owen Sound at Durham.

JUNIOR O. H. A.
Lawrence B. at Frontenacs A.

Wien at Cobourg.
by at Port Hope.

S. at St. Michaels.
s at Brantford.

Wien at Guelph.

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