# Hockey Wanderers, Ottawa ana Quebec Win · Checkers Third Day of Tourney

## WANDERERS WERE BETTER THAN LOCALS

### Had No Trouble Trouncing the Torontos at the Arena.

Wanderers head the parade, and they are rightly leaders. The Montreal squad played our world champion Torontos off their feet last night, and were easily as good as the 5-to-2 score would indicate. It was always Wanderers, Odie Cleghorn, Roberts and Hyland making a systematic attack, while the blue shirt front line found four men and the goaler to get by when they got up. It was perfect hockey for the winners, while Torontos didn't play their best game.

Harry Holmes was the biggest hindrance to the Wanderers, and it was his wonderful saving that stopped a lop-sided score. He never showed to better advantage, time after time turning aside shots when the defence had been beaten. Jack Walker got a shaking-up right at the start, when he hit big Prodgers, and he was away below his last year's form for the rest of the night. Frank Foyston went from bell to bell and was the best of the locals. Hornet Wilson buzzed around in lively fashion and ran Foyston a close second. Harry Cameron opened up several times, but seldom got help.

For stick-handling, effective backchecking and heady hockey, that Wanderer forward line is equal to anything on skates. They never made a mistake last night, and, when Torontos managed to break up a rush, they hustled back, and the blue shirts bumped into four men, that were hard to pass. It was "safety first," and wonderfully managed at that. To our mind, Sprague Cleghorn is the most useful defence man in the league. He uses his body at all times, and the old gray matter works overtime. Brother Odie is a marvel with the stick. He had class sticking out all over him last night. Roberts and Hyland finished up the best forward line imaginable.

It was lively at all times, but Wanderers, with their condition and perfect team play, kept the Toronto forwards out, and never made a pass too late or too early. Three men were strung out across the ice, and the puck-carrier took the rubber far enough in to give the man that received the pass a grand chance. There wasn't a flaw anywhere. Goldie Prodgers is strong at the individual work.

The game opened with a rush, and Torontos carried the puck up. Foyston was first to show, and he slammed one at McCarthy that was hard to keep out. Wanderers got straightened away, and Holmes did some quick clearing. Marshall and Cameron were successful for three-quarters of the period and it was not until after fifteen minutes of strenuous play that Roberts slipped one past Holmes. The defence had broken up the rush, but were tangled up, and Roberts closed fast and batted it in. This was the only score in the first period.

Wanderers were the aggressors at the opening of the second round and Sprague Cleghorn was away alone. He pulled Marshall over into the corner, then dodged him and beat Holmes from well out. Holmes stopped shots with his chest, feet and stick for the next few minutes as the Toronto forwards couldn't stop the fast Wanderers, and they kept boring in until Cameron broke up a rush and was away flying, alone. He carried it in close, but Prodgers stopped him. Harry circled in time to intercept a pass and shovoo one past McCarthy from close in. There was no further scoring before the rest.

For the first 15 minutes of the final period the Wanderers made a show o. the Torontos and Roberts, O. Cleghorn and Hyland let out link after link, and it was the fastest skating and passing that Toronto fans have viewed in many moons. Three goals were the result of this grand work and it remained for Cully Wilson to add the last for Torontos. He closed in fast from the side to bat in a pass that Walker sent across the goal mouth. The final was 5 to 2 for Wanderers and they earned it handily.

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**The Teams.**

| Torontos. | | Wanderers. |
|---|---|---|
| Holmes | Goal | McCarthy |
| Cameron | Point | S. Cleghorn |
| Marshall | Cover | Prodgers |
| Foyston | Centre | Hyland |
| Wilson | Right | O. Cleghorn |
| Walker | Left | Roberts |

Referee—Dr. Billy Wood.
Judge of play—Lou Marsh.

—Changes.—

First period—Stevens for Prodgers, McGiffin for Wilson, Prodgers for Stevens, Wilson for McGiffin.

Second period—McGiffin for Walker, Walker for McGiffin, Kendall for Roberts.

Third period—Roberts for Kendall, McGiffin for Walker, Stevens for S. Cleghorn, Walker for McGiffin, Baker for Prodgers, S. Cleghorn for Baker, Wilson for McGiffin, Prodgers for Stevens, Stevens for Prodgers.

—Penalties.—

Minors—Prodgers (2), Wilson (2), McGiffin, Roberts, S. Cleghorn, Prodgers.

**The Summary.**

—First Period.—

1. Wanderers....Roberts ..... 15.00

—Second Period.—

2. Wanderers....S. Cleghorn ..... 1.00
3. Torontos.....Cameron ..... 13.00

—Third Period.—

4. Wanderers....Hyland ..... 4.00
5. Wanderers....S. Cleghorn ..... 8.00
6. Wanderers....O. Cleghorn ..... 3.00
7. Torontos.....Wilson ..... 0.30

### ST. MARY'S DOWN STRATFORD.

ST. MARY'S, Dec. 30.—The O.H.A. intermediate game here tonight between Stratford and St. Mary's resulted in a score of 5 to 2 in favor of St. Mary's. Referee Munroe of London gave good satisfaction. Line up:

St. Mary's—Dresscher, goal; Adam, point; Tues, cover point; Ford, rover; Lavelle, centre; Foster, left wing; Wilson, right wing.

Stratford—Bart, goal; McArdle, point; Pletsh, cover point; Verner, rover; Bombreh, centre; Boles, left wing; Harvey, right wing.

VOTE RAMSDEN AND EFFICIENCY.

## N.H.A. RECORD

| Clubs. | Won. | Lost. | —Goals— For. | Agst. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wanderers | 2 | 0 | 16 | 8 |
| Ottawa | 2 | 0 | 8 | 2 |
| Torontos | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8 |
| Quebec | 1 | 1 | 9 | 11 |
| Ontarios | 0 | 2 | 7 | 15 |
| Canadiens | 0 | 2 | 10 | 12 |

Saturday games: Canadiens at Ontarios, Torontos at Quebec, Ottawa at Wanderers.

## ONTARIOS GAVE OTTAWA TUSSLE

### Made It Interesting at All Times — Rough at the Finish.

OTTAWA, Dec. 30.—Five thousand people turned out tonight to witness the local opening of the N.H.A. here. The Ottawa and Ontario teams formed the attraction, and after a sensational match the Senators won by 4 to 1, and thus tied it was the fastest skating and passing that Toronto fans have viewed in many moons. Three goals were the result of this grand work and it remained for Cully Wilson to add the last for Torontos. He closed in fast from the side to bat in a pass that Walker sent across the goal mouth. The final was 5 to 2 for Wanderers and they earned it handily.

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**The Teams.**

| Ottawas. | | Ontarios. |
|---|---|---|
| Benedict | Goal | Merrill |
| Shore | Cover | Gergard |
| Darragh | Right | Broadbent |
| Lesueur | Left | G. McNamara |

Referee—Riley Hern; judge of play, Harry Westwick. Summary:

—First Period.—

No score.

—Second Period.—

1. Ottawa.....Broadbent ..... 21.00
2. Ontarios....G. McNamara ..... 16.00

—Third Period.—

3. Ottawa.....Shore ..... 12.00
4. Ottawa.....Darragh ..... 4.00
5. Ottawa.....Darragh ..... 2.00

Penalties: Major fouls, Duford 1, H. McNamara 1.

Body-checking in hockey games has been practically barred by the Amateur Hockey League of New York, according to a decision reached by that body last week. After passing on the changes recommended by the rules committee, the executive committee discussed the checking proposition, finally arriving at a decision which to all intents and purposes does away with body-checking. It was decided that no player who is not actually playing the puck can be checked. As interpreted in the committee, this means that a man is playing the puck when it is within reach of his stick. A player coming down the ice who caroms the puck against the boards at the side must be given the right-of-way, according to the interpretation put on the rule by the commitee. He cannot be checked against the boards. This new rule, it is expected, will make the game faster and do away with some of the dangerous sides of hockey. Hard checking, which has been a feature in many games here, with the resultant shaking-up of players, will be abolished to a great extent by the new rule. Watching the new rule work will be an interesting side-line for Canadian hockey moguls this winter.

Woodbines will practise from 10.30 to 12 o'clock on New Year's morning at Kew Gardens.

## HOCKEY SCORES

N.H.A.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wanderers | 5 | Torontos | 2 |
| Ottawa | 4 | Ontarios | 1 |
| Quebec | 8 | Canadiens | 7 |

O.H.A.

—Intermediate.—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Marys | 5 | Stratford | 2 |

## QUEBEC NOSED OUT KENNEDY'S CANADIENS

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—Showing a surprising burst of speed half-way thru the second period of tonight's N.H.A. fixture at the Arena, Quebec overcame a three-goal lead and maintained the pace in the final period, assuming a lead, which they held to the finish, winning over the Canadiens by the score of 8 to 7. The teams:

Canadiens (7)—Goal, Vezina; defence, Dubeau, Laviolette; forwards, Smith, Berlanquette, Pitre.

Quebec (8)—Goal, Moran; defence, Mummery, Hall; forwards, Malone, Ritchie, Crawford.

Referee—Harvey Pulford. Judge of play—Johnny Brennan.

—First Period.—

1. Canadiens....Pitre ..... 3.50
2. Quebec.....Crawford ..... 4.50
3. Canadiens....Berlanquette ..... 1.10
4. Canadiens....Smith ..... 0.10

—Second Period.—

5. Canadiens....Pitre ..... 4.57
6. Quebec.....Malone ..... 4.58
7. Quebec.....Crawford ..... 7.33
8. Quebec.....Malone ..... 3.20

—Third Period.—

9. Quebec.....Malone ..... 1.20
10. Quebec.....Malone ..... 0.10
11. Canadiens....Pitre ..... 4.20
12. Quebec.....Malone ..... 3.20
13. Quebec.....Malone ..... 0.48
14. Canadiens....Pitre ..... 4.52
15. Canadiens....Scott ..... 0.35

St. John's Hockey Club defeated the Waverley Boosters last night by 11 to 3. Scanlan and Flood starred for the winners.

The Dons' intermediate team of the Beaches League practise at Riverdale Arena on New Year's morning, at ten o'clock. All players and any fast hockey men wishing to try out are requested to be on hand sharp on time.

In the Beaches League, eastern section, junior and juvenile representatives of the following teams will meet at the home of Mr. Chas. Wilson, 170 DeGrassi street, on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, to draw up schedules for the season: St. Johns, Balmy Beach, East Toronto, Woodbines and Maple Leafs. Juveniles—St. Matthews, Balmy Beach and St. Johns. These clubs should be sure and have representatives present.

Vancouver scored its fourth straight win in the P.C.H.A. series Tuesday night when they defeated the champion Victoria septette 4 to 3 in a strenuous overtime battle. The teams played twelve minutes over the regular hour before McKay, the youthful centre of the Terminals, wound his way thru the Victoria defence for the winning goal. Victoria has lost all four games to date, the champions being beaten by the superior team play and condition of the mainland aggregation. Fred Taylor and McKay starred, figuring in all the scoring. Dubbie Kerr scored two of Victoria's goals. Lester Patrick contributed a tally on a long rush. The teams:

Vic orias—Lindsay, Gage, Patrick, Poulin, Dunderdale, Rowe, Kerr.

Vancouver—Lehman, Cook, Griffis, Taylor, McKay, Mallen, Neighbor.

Referees—Ion and Phillips.

**League Standing.**

| | Won. | Lost. |
|---|---|---|
| Vancouver | 4 | 0 |
| Portland | 2 | 2 |
| Victoria | 0 | 4 |

Following is the schedule of group four Northern League hockey:

Dec. 29—Linwood at Milverton.
Jan. 4—Listowel at Linwood.
Jan. 7—Milverton at Listowel.
Jan. 11—Milverton at Linwood.
Jan. 13—Listowel at Milverton.
Jan. 15—Linwood at Listowel.
Jan. 18—Milverton at Linwood.
Jan. 21—Linwood at Listowel.
Jan. 25—Listowel at Milverton.
Jan. 28—Linwood at Milverton.
Feb. 1—Milverton at Listowel.
Feb. 4—Listowel at Linwood.

A double schedule has been arranged on account of only three teams being in this group.

Commencing on January 9th the business section of the senior series of the Toronto Hockey League will play a double-header every Saturday until the middle of February at the Riverdale Rink. The schedule for the other groups will be ready Jan. 4.

St. Andrew's juvenile and midget teams practice at Dufferin Grove tonight.

The St. Paul's club have entered a team in the senior series of the Beaches League. They have for the last three years played junior. Y.M.C.A. having won it the first two years, and last year being successful in landing the junior All-Toronto championship. The line up for the coming season will be practically the same as it has been the last three years, and the club is looking forward to a good season in the new senior company. The championship series opens on Wednesday night with St. Pauls opposing Danforth H.C.

### ENGLISHMAN CHAMPION.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Walter Kinsella, former squash tennis champion of England, today won the professional title in that sport by defeating Stephen J. Feron, the American champion, in the third and last match of their series here. The scores in today's games, played at the Princeton club, were 10-15, 15-12, 15-7, 15-8.

Feron won the first match a fortnight ago and Kinsella the second a week later.

## FIVE PLAYERS ARE READY FOR FINAL

### Knock-Out-Contest in Checkers Narrows Down—One Toronto Man is Left.

At the end of the third day's play of the Dominion checker tourney, five of the eight possible players qualified for the final knockout contest. These are: Fulton, Jacobson and Irwin, Toronto; Moore, Parry Sound, and Garvin, Barrie.

In division one, Crawford, Barrett and Smith have yet to play off a triple tie to decide which two will enter the finals. In division two, Gibson of Grimsby, Small of Arthur and Teetzel of Chatham also play off to decide which one shall be the lucky man.

Today's play will start at 10 a.m. The play this year, owing to the preliminary contest, has been of the keenest interest to all competitors, and the fate of some of the best players was in doubt to the end.

As every member of the final tourney is a top-notcher the battle for this year's championship promises to be the hardest in the history of the Canadian Checker Association.

### SOCCER NOTES.

Gunns and Dunlops meet, as ordered by the T. and D. Council, at Scarlett road, kick-off at 11 o'clock a.m. today. The line-up for Gunns will be: J. Clarke, S. Chadwick, J. Marshall, H. Heggarty, J. Rothwell, A. Robertson, A. Walker, R. Morgan, A. Ingram, R. Davey; reserves, R. Freeman, C. Thomson, P. Turner. This match will be played, snow or shine. Take Dundas car to Keele street, then Lambton car to Scarlett road subway, and walk north quarter-mile.

### BOSTON TERRIER CLUB SHOW.

The entries for the Boston Terrier Club Show, to be held in St. Paul's Hall on New Year's Day, closed with 85 Bostons entered. They are coming from all parts of the United States and Canada, and are most of them winners at all the big shows. This will be the largest specialty show ever held in Canada, and this enterprising club is to be congratulated on securing such a large entry, also on having secured the services of Mr. J. E. Carroll of Buffalo to act as judge.

### ATHENAEUM ASSOCIATION.

Great excitement prevailed on the Athenaeum Bowling Club's drives last night when Voddens and Athenaeums, who were tie for the leadership in the first series in the "A" League, rolled off for supremacy. The Cleaners, the receiving 60 pins handicap on the total, lost by 135 pins. "Bill" Vodden, known as the "George Stallings" of the bowling game, could not requisition enough "benzine" into the presses of his men so as to "suit" the majority of his rooters who were present in large numbers. Gillis of the Cleaners, high man with 610, followed by Alex. Johnston with 597. The following are the scores:

| Athenaeums— | 1 | 2 | 3 | T'l. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| McMillan | 175 | 215 | 192— | 582 |
| Johnston | 247 | 178 | 172— | 597 |
| Schilman | 181 | 192 | 184— | 557 |
| A. Sutherland | 162 | 192 | 211— | 565 |
| E. Sutherland | 179 | 200 | 194— | 573 |
| Totals | 944 | 977 | 953 | 2874 |
| Voddens | 1 | 2 | 3 | T'l. |
| Legge | 166 | 170 | 179— | 515 |
| Gallow | 166 | 147 | 162— | 475 |
| McGrath | 192 | 221 | 179— | 592 |
| Penoyer | 189 | 138 | 160— | 487 |
| Gillis | 191 | 193 | 226— | 610 |
| Handicap | 20 | 20 | 20— | 60 |
| Totals | 924 | 889 | 926 | 2739 |

Tonight at 10 o'clock closes the entries for the Athenaeum endurance contest. All bowlers wishing to shoot must be on the alleys not later than 11.15 p.m. New Year's Eve.

### ODDFELLOWS' LEAGUE.

| Rosedale— | 1 | 2 | 3 | T'l. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Elliott | 178 | 178 | 162— | 518 |
| Ross | 135 | 140 | 135— | 410 |
| Mirks | 173 | 135 | 129— | 437 |
| Williams | 146 | 160 | 184— | 490 |
| Doran | 145 | 132 | 131— | 408 |
| Totals | 779 | 743 | 741— | 2263 |
| Laurel— | 1 | 2 | 3 | T'l. |
| Trenwith | 132 | 139 | 169— | 440 |
| Duthie | 125 | 135 | 138— | 398 |
| Webster | 149 | 179 | 211— | 539 |
| Elliott | 160 | 149 | 123— | 432 |
| Easton | 137 | 160 | 163— | 460 |
| Totals | 703 | 762 | 804— | 2269 |

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All have the convertible storm collar, that can be worn either with lapels or buttoned close up to chin. Materials are in a variety of warm-colored brown mixtures and light and dark greys. All fully lined. Sizes 34 to 44. Reg. $11.50 and $12.35. Thursday ..... 8.50

—Main Floor—Queen Street.

## Bathrobes, $2.45; Sweater Coats, $2.95; Underwear, $1.19

Men's Bathrobes, heavy blanket cloth, some with lapel fronts and corded edges, others turn-down collar with tie string, three pockets; some have slippers to match, in stripes and conventional designs. Many colors, some bordered effects. Sizes small, medium and large. Reg. $4.50 to $6.50. Thursday .... 2.45

Men's Imported Underwear, "Britannia" brand, pure Australian wool, natural color. Shirts double breasted. Spliced knees and elbows. Sizes 34 to 46. Reg. $1.50. Thursday, a garment ..... 1.19

Men's High-grade Sweater Coats, in plain and fancy stitch, high storm or shawl collar, two pockets, colors include grey, with royal, grey with myrtle, cardinal with myrtle, purple and black, brown with royal, and a few plain colors. Sizes in the lot 36 to 42. Reg. $4.00 to $6.00. Thursday ..... 2.95

—Main Floor, Centre.

## $12.50 to $15 Lounging Robes, $8.75

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