Hockey Three Teams Tied For N.H.A. Lead — Curling Finals for District Cup — Walking Handicap Too Big For G. Goulding

DOWNED THE SENATORS PLAYED GRAND HOCKEY

Torontos Outclassed Ottawas in Clean and Fast Game at Arena.

Playing brilliant and clean hockey from bell to bell, the Torontos downed Ottawa 8 to 5 at the Arena last night and pulled the Senators off the top rung of the ladder. It was one of the fastest games of the season and the Torontos simply left the Capital City squad standing still in the first period.

The Blue Shirts paid attention to their knitting, checking cleanly and hard. They combined prettily at all times, and Randall and Cameron have seldom played better hockey. Old Bill Nicholson had a large night. He stopped shot after shot from hard angles.

The Senators looked anything but a top-notch outfit. Gerard was the only man to play up to advance notices and he was the best man for the visitors. Little Sammy Hebert was in the Ottawa net and the Torontos found him weak on long, hard shots. Shore and Merrill were easy to fool and the good two and three-man combination of the Torontos fooled them time after time.

Torontos outskated the visitors in all three periods. The locals had a 4 to 1 margin in the first period and led 7 to 4 at the end of forty minutes. Keats, Noble and Skinner played sterling hockey, and Denneny was a whirlwind while he was on the ice. It was unselfish passing, combined with close checking and the playing of the puck, that gave Torontos their victory.

Torontos eased up a bit in the closing session. They played three men back for a part of the time, but soon went again to the attack. Ottawa played their best hockey in the last period. They were hopelessly outclassed in the first two stanzas.

For the first few minutes it was end to end hockey, but Torontos soon stopped Ottawa with close checking and went up the ice two and three abreast. Keats shot over from close quarters, but soon made good by coming round from behind the net to shove in the rubber. Randall and Cameron rushed time after time, only to fail by hard luck. Randall hit the post with one of his efforts. Skinner set ball up the side and Denneny closed rapidly to the goal mouth to hat in the rebound. Cameron, Skinner and Denneny went up together and Cameron passed over to Corbett, who counted. It was a pretty goal. Torontos skated rings around the visitors and they looked poor. Lowery intercepted a pass at the side, closed and netted one for Ottawa.

Cameron was uncorking a rush every minute and he went the distance each time. It was sparkling hockey and the crowd enjoyed it. There was no further scoring during the first period, but Torontos had a big margin in the play. Frank Nighbor was a big disappointment. The Torontos checked him close and he seemed to lack pep. His poke check must have been left in Ottawa.

Torontos had just about as big an edge in the second period. They kept up their pretty combination and the defence was working like a machine. Gerard got the first goal of the period by slipping a long one from the side pass Nicholson. Cameron opened up a rush and counted from the side. Hebert was weak on the long ones.

Noble went the length of the rink by himself and worked round the defence to beat Hebert. Skinner shot from the side and Keats batted in the rebound. Ottawa managed to get the next one. Nighbor batted in a rebound. Gerard was the only Ottawa man to show anything. His checking was good and he rushed well.

Each club scored a goal in the third session. Keats batted in a rebound from Skinner's shot and Shore counted from between Randall's legs. Torontos easily earned their victory. Ottawa had practically no team play and their defence was not of the best. Torontos will beat many a club if they continue with the same brand of hockey that they played last night.

The teams:

Ottawa (5)—Goal, Hebert; point, Merrill; cover, Shore; centre, Nighbor; right, Darragh; left, Boucher.

Torontos (8)—Goal, Nicholson; point, Cameron; cover, Randall; centre, Keats; right, Skinner; left, Noble.

Referee—Dr. Billy Wood.

—Substitutes.—

Ottawa—Gerard, Lowery, Kendall and Fournier.

Toronto—Denneny, Briden, Couchlin and Kyle.

The Summary.

—First Period.—

1. Torontos	Keats	3.00
2. Torontos	Denneny	6.00
3. Torontos	†Denneny	1.00
4. Ottawas	Lowery	1.00
5. Torontos	‡Keats	3.00
—Second Period.—		
6. Ottawas	Gerard	2.00
7. Torontos	Cameron	2.00
8. Torontos	Noble	3.00
9. Torontos	Keats	3.00
10. Ottawas	Gerard	4.00
11. Ottawas	Nighbor	4.00
—Third Period.—		
12. Torontos	Keats	3.00
13. Ottawas	Shore	13.00

†From Skinner.
‡From Cameron.

N. H. A. Hockey This Week at Arena—Canadiens vs. 228th Batt.—Saturday Night.

MILVERTON WINS GROUP.

Milverton, Jan. 24.—The intermediate O.H.A. Mitchell-Milverton game, played at Mitchell last night resulted in a victory for Milverton by 11 to 7. The play was clean and the referee gave satisfaction. Score at the end of first period, 5 to 3 for Mitchell; second, 7 to 6 for Mitchell; third, 11 to 7 for Milverton. The narrow rink considerably handicapped the visiting team. This gives Milverton the group. The teams:

Milverton (11)—Goal, Koebel; defence, Rocker and Hasenflug; rover, Meyers; centre, Bundscho; wings, Hobermel and Orr.

Mitchell (7)—Goal, Tuerr; defence, Elsorman and Lederman; rover, Sawyer; centre, Thorne; wings, Blowes and Gatenby.

Referee—Waghorne.

BANKERS BEAT COLLEGIANS.

Kitchener, Jan. 24.—In an exhibition game of hockey played here tonight between a banker's team of Stratford and St. Jerome's College septet the former won by a score of 11 to 0.

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N. H. A. RECORD

Teams.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
228th Batt.	6	3	66	48	12
Ottawa	6	3	49	39	12
Canadiens	6	3	49	34	12
Toronto	5	4	47	37	10
Wanderers	2	7	48	69	4
Quebec	2	7	41	73	4

—Games Saturday.—
Canadiens at 228th Battalion.
Torontos at Wanderers.
Quebec at Ottawa.

HOCKEY SCORES

N.H.A.

Torontos	8	Ottawa	5
228th Battalion	12	Quebec	4
Canadiens	10	Wanderers	2

O.H.A.
—Intermediate.—

Midland	5	177th Battalion	4
Brampton	8	Weston	6
Kitchener	6	Waterloo	2

—Junior.—

De La Salle	7	St. Andrews	0
Clinton	8	Mitchell	6
Kingston	7	Belleville	2
Aura Lee	25	Weston	5
Peterboro	8	Bowmanville	4

Beaches League.
—Junior.—

Broadview Y.	4	13th Club	1

—Midget.—

Century Rovers	4	13th Club	2

Exhibition.

Stratford	11	St. Jerome's Coll	0

HOCKEY GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY

O.H.A.
—Senior.—
Riversides at Queens (Kingston).
Dentals at T.R. & A.A., 8.30 p.m.
—Intermediate.—
Kitchener at Waterloo.
Blenheim at Bothwell-Thamesville.
—Junior.—
U.T.S. at U.C.C., 4 p.m.
Beaches League.
—Junior.—
St. Francis at 13th Club.
Parkdale A.C. at 228th Batt.
—Juvenile.—
Wesleys at St. Helens.
—Midget.—
Aura Lee C.C. at Central Y.
Clintons at Victoria.

Another Victory for De La Salle Juniors.

De La Salle juniors practically cinched their prep. college group when they shut out St. Andrews, 7 to 0, at the Arena yesterday afternoon. De La Salle outplayed the Scotchmen at every stage of the game. It was 2 to 0 in the first period and 5 to 0 at the second rest. The teams:

De La Salle (7)—Goal, Ryan; defence, Spring, Lynch; rover, Ingoldsby; centre, Lowery; right, Walshe; left, McCurry.

St. Andrews (0)—Goal, Harstone; defence, Randall, Beath; rover, McIntosh; centre, Gordon; right, Thompson; left, Yuill.

Referee—F. C. Waghorne.

Aura Lee Youngsters Score Twenty-Five

Aura Lee juniors walked into Weston last night and beat the town boys 25 to 5. Every player but the goalie of the winners scored goals. This is how the 25 were piled up: Dye 9, Hudson 5, Sullivan 3, McKay 3, Hughes 3 and Fox 2.

KITCHENER AGAIN.

Waterloo, Jan. 24.—The Kitchener intermediates proved too much for the Acadians in a comparatively slow game on the Waterloo rink tonight. At the end of the first period Waterloo promised an even struggle by a score of 1-all, but the Kitchener boys slowly led away until the final bell showed 6 to 2 in favor of the Kitcheners. Line-up:

Waterloo—Bowman, goal; Weber, right defence; Quinn, left defence; Coly, rover; Hannenburg, centre; Weselop, right wing; Jacobs, left wing.

Kitchener—Johnston, goal; Leroux, right defence; Karges, left defence; Shirk, rover; Klaehn, centre; Krug, right wing; Solomon, left wing.

Referee—Toad Edmunds, Stratford.

BRAMPTON'S GROUP.

Brampton, Ont., Jan. 24.—Brampton defeated Weston here tonight in the fourth game of the O.H.A. intermediate series, 8 to 6. The periods ended 4-2, 5-3 and 8-6. Harold Coulter, Weston's right defence man, was knocked out within five minutes of the start, and left Weston to continue the game with only five men on the ice. Weston's second goal was scored with four men on the ice. Brampton played individual hockey and scored most of their goals by this method. Graham, Brampton's rover, was the best man on the ice. The game was a hard, fast contest thruout. The teams:

Brampton (8)—Goal, McClure; right defence, Inglesby; left defence, Beacham; rover, Graham; centre, Clarridge; right wing, Robinson.

Weston (6)—Goal, Dicken; right defence, Coulter; left defence, Forbes; rover, Rowntree; centre, Barlett; left wing, Smith.

Referee—Bobby Hewitson of Toronto.

CLOSE ONE FOR MIDLAND.

Barrie, Ont., Jan. 24.—Midland intermediates tonight defeated 177th Battalion here, the score being 5-4. It was an evenly-contested game thruout, clean play and few penalties. Referee, Harvey Sproule. The teams:

Midland (5)—Goal, Scott; left defence, Beatty; right defence, Simpson; centre, McGill; rover, Chase; left wing, A. Semple; right wing, D. Semple.

177th Batt. (4)—Goal, Villiers; defence, Price and Ellis; rover, Nixon; centre, Edmond; right, Rumple; left, Dyer.

KINGSTON HAD THE EDGE.

Kingston, Jan. 24.—The 235th Battalion, Belleville, was defeated by the Kingston juniors in the junior O.H.A. fixture here this evening by a score of 7 to 3. The game was a fast, closely-contested exhibition, altho the locals kept the edge from the first. The line-up:

235th Battalion—Connolly, goal; Lynn, defence; G. Arnott, defence; Whalen, rover; L. Arnott, centre; Box and Green, wings.

Kingston juniors—Walsh, goal; Evans, defence; Hall, defence; Elmer, rover; Stinson, centre; Shewell, wing; Gratton, wing.

Referee—Dr. Laflamme.

VANCOUVER COMING.

Spokane, Jan. 24.—Vancouver outplayed the Spokane club here last night and registered its second victory within four days over the canaries, the score being 8 to 5. Vancouver now holds second place in the coast league. The teams:

Vancouver (8)—Goal, Lehman; point, Griffis; cover, F. Patrick; rover, MacKay; centre, Stanley; wings, Moynes and Roberts.

Spokane (5)—Goal, Fowler; point, Genge; cover, L. Patrick; rover, Lloyd Cook; centre, Mallen; wings, McDonald and Kern.

REYNOLDS BRIGHT LIGHT IN SOLDIERS' VICTORY

Lockhart Also Supplies a Sterling Brand of Hockey—Quebec Smothered.

Quebec, Jan. 24.—Tho the 228th Battalion defeated Quebec, 12 to 4, here tonight, the score is by no means an indication of the play. Lockhart's sensational goalkeeping, on the one part, and Quebec's sieve-like defence, on the other, were responsible for the discrepancy in the figures. Malone played great hockey for Quebec, and had he had any luck in front of Lockhart might have turned in about half a dozen scores. Reynolds made a big impression with Quebec fans, scoring three goals and showing class and finish to his work, which stamps him as one of the finds of the season.

The first period ended 5 to 0 for the soldiers, but in the second Quebec had the better of the play, tho outlucked, the period ending 8 to 2.

The game was the cleanest of the year, fast, open hockey being played, and, despite the one-sided score, the crowd stuck to the end. The line-up:

Quebec (4)—Goal, Moran; point, Ritchie; cover, Hall; centre, McDonald; right, Mummery; left, Crawford.

228th (12)—Goal, Lockhart; point, Prodgers; cover, H. McNamara; centre, Meeking; right, Oatman; left, Arbour.

Subs: Quebec—Carey, Malone. 228th—Reynolds, Beaudro.

Referee—C. Smeaton.

INDOOR BASEBALL

The win of the Livingston and Scott team of the indoor baseball league of the West End Y.M.C.A. last week had such an effect upon two of the members that they thought the other members could do without their services in the struggle against the fast Neilson aggregation. Their staying away made it necessary for the L. and S. players to cover the floor with only five men; this they certainly did to the best of their ability, and had it not been for the masterly placing of the Neilson hits they would have won the game.

Rocket Walker was there with his usual baseskiding, which added greatly to the interest of the game; every game in which he plays a few of the opposing players have their pins knocked from under them. The Neilson team, if they show the same pep and ginger for the next few games, will easily win the series, which will put them in line for the final contests for the championship.

The second contest saw the Federals and Disstons in battle, and it was certainly some fight. The Feds, winners of the first round, had a bone to pick with the Disston aggregation, for it was the only team which had the honor of beating them in the first series, they doing the trick three times. The Disston players not only wish to win again from the champs of last year, but if they wish to get out of the cellar position it was necessary for them to put another crimp in Scrutton's team.

The Disston players were out in force and on the floor early, working out for the fray. J. Henderson, their new pitcher, proved his ability. His pitching, coupled with the way every player backed him up, was responsible for the defeat of the Feds.

The Feds worked hard, but for once their usual luck left them. This loss, together with the absence of their great hitter, Moriarty, thru sickness, paved the way to defeat.

Livingston and Scott 12, Neilsons 14.
Federals 13, Disston Saws 20.

League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.
Neilsons	3	0
Livingston and Scott	2	1
Disston Saws	1	2
Federals	0	3

The fight for batting honors is close, it being between the following players: Grau, A. Lancaster and Irwin.

Garden's Opening Bout Likely Darcy and Chip

New York, Jan. 24.—Grant Hugh Browne has gone to Montreal on business in connection with his race track interests, and arrangements for the opening of Madison Square Garden as the National Sporting Club of America are at a standstill. Mr. Browne intends to return to this city tomorrow night to complete all the details of the Garden deal and to sign up Les Darcy.

At present it is Mr. Browne's intention to open the club on March 5, with a bout in which Darcy will be one of the principals. Browne himself is said to favor Jack Dillon or Billy Miske as the Australian's opponent in the initial bout, but Tim O'Sullivan, Darcy's manager, prefers Al McCoy or George Chip. As Browne has stated publicly he considers McCoy a joke pugilist, indications are that Chip will be Darcy's rival. From a competent source it was learned Browne had offered Darcy a figure approximating $25,000 to box Chip in the Garden, with a considerable sum in addition for the moving pictures. O'Sullivan now has this offer under consideration.

Unless Browne offers Darcy an unprecedented amount, it is certain the wonder boy of Maitland will not box Dillon, Gibbons or Miske in his first appearance in this city. Both Darcy and O'Sullivan are decided on that point.

FALLS ARE WINNERS.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 23.—Niagara Falls tonight defeated Welland in one of the fastest games played here this season. Gilchrist for the home team starred, as did Brush for the visitors. The final score was 8 to 4. The line-up:

Niagara Falls (8): Goal, Swayze; right defence, Fisher; left defence, Frazer; rover, Shea; right wing, Gilchrist; left wing, Farrell; centre, Crowe.

Welland (4): Goal, Valincourt; right defence Godwin; left defence, N. Goyer; rover, Bomtray; right wing, F. Goyer; left wing, Brush; centre, Hinchy.

Referee: Burgoyne.

Al Demaree, ex-Philly, recently acquired by the Chicago Cubs, will be aboard the Cub special when it pulls out for California Feb. 20. Despite the fact that Demaree has been an enthusiastic member of the Players' Fraternity, and called a meeting of players here recently to agitate the strike movement, he says he will accept a contract tendered by President Weeghman. Demaree said he didn't think there would be any strike.

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G. GOULDING UNABLE TO OVERCOME HANDICAP

Toronto Champion Regained Half Lap in New York Walk.

Madison Square Garden, New York, Jan. 24.—Ted Medford defeated Joe Higgins by three yards in the special 600 yards race, and Dave Caldwell finished third. Don Scott, the southern champion, also started, but failed to finish in the first three. Time 1 min. 4 3-5 sec.

70 yards scratch invitation—Final heat won by Joe Loomis, Chicago A.A.; A. T. Meyer, I.A.A.C., second; Brooke Brewer, Maryland State College, third. Time 7 2-5 seconds.

One mile relay between Meadow Club, Philadelphia, and Millrose A.A., New York—Won by Millrose in 3 min. 37 1-5 sec.

70-yard dash, final—J. Killigrew, Holy Cross (9 ft. handicap), first; Brooke Brewer, Maryland State College, W.A. (handicap of 2 ft.), second; B. J. Wefin, jr., N.Y.A.C. (5 ft. handicap), third. Time 7 2-5 seconds.

Joe Ray, I.A.C., made a new American record in winning the 1½-mile scratch in 6 min. 45 sec. The old record, held by Tom Conneff, was 6 min. 46 2-5. J. Overton, Yale, second; Mike Devaney, M. A. A., third. Sid Leslie, L.I.A.C., and John Regan also started.

The first heat of the 70 yards scratch was won by Albert Meyer, I.A.A.C., with Brooke Brewer, Maryland, second. The second heat was won by Joe Loomis, Chicago A.A., and Frank O'Hara of Mass. Inst., second.

One-mile walk—Dick Remer, N.Y.A.C. (with a 30-second handicap), first; J. H. Pearman, N.Y.A.C. (35 seconds handicap), second; G. P. Goulding (Toronto from scratch), third. Time 14 minutes 7 3-5 seconds. Goulding had picked up a half-lap, but was unable to gain the full lap, as Remer kept on and never gave him a chance.

600-yard novice—Won by N. Shaughnessy, J. Murray Jr., Fordham, second, and M. Enders, Meadowbrook Club, third. Time 1 minute 14 3-5 seconds.

70-yard low hurdle invitation scratch—Won by Robert Simpson, University of Missouri; John J. Eller, I.A.A.C., second; Joe Loomis, Chicago A.A., third. Time 8 1-5 seconds.

Simpson's time breaks the indoor record by 1-5 of a second.

Putting the 16-lb. shot—A. Fetter, Fordham, handicap 4 feet, won with 40 ft. 10½ inches; F. Onken, I.A.A.C., handicap 5 ft., second, 38 ft. 9½ inches; K. C. Witherow, University of Pennsylvania, with handicap 4 ft., third, 39 feet 9½ inches.

1000-yard run, handicap—Won by V. Whiteman, unattached, with 60 yards' handicap; B. Lechtman, I.A.A.C., 60 yards' handicap, second; S. Kneizner, Meadow Club, handicap 53 yards, third. Time 2 minutes 24 2-5 seconds.

300-yard final—Won by T. C. Breen, Westside Y.M.C.A., handicap 15 yards; L. White, Fordham, 13 yards' handicap, second; E. Perlman, Glencoe A.C., handicap 13 yards, third. Time 34 2-5 seconds.

Three-mile handicap—Won by K. Chested, Meadow Brook Club; J. Georgelo, Forest A.C., second; R. Greene, Boston A.A., third. Time 14 mins. 46 3-5 secs.

70-yard high hurdles invitation scratch—Won by Robt. Simpson, University of Missouri; Fred S. Murray, New York A. C., second; Arthur Engels, New York A. C., third. Time 9 secs.

Inter-city mile match relay race between Boston and Philadelphia—Won by Philadelphia by 25 yards. Time 3 mins. 32 secs.

East and west half-mile relay match race—Won by the East, by 15 yards. Time 1 min. 34 3-5 secs.

Lakeview Wins Final From Queen City Rinks

Lakeview won Group B of No. 1 District Cup competition yesterday on soft ice, at Victoria. The Holmes rink was up sufficiently to pull Ed Allan out of the hole and leave three shots to spare. Score:

Queen City—		Lakeview—	
H. G. Waterman, skip		R. Payne, skip	
T. R. W. Black		Geo. White	
Rev. S. H. Pickup		D. Clark	
W. M. Gemmel	15	A. W. Holmes	24
H. D. Paterson		A. Witchall	
V. E. Taplin		W. Purtell	
C. H. Kelk		Percy Litster	
C. A. Tobin	17	Ed Allan	14
Total	32	Total	38

Guelph Royal City Win Final at Galt

Galt, Jan. 24.—After playing until 1.30 this morning, then chartering a special car to go home, Waterloo curlers returned here this morning at 9 o'clock and in the final game defeated Guelph Royal City Club by 17 shots for No. 6 district cup. Galt won the cup last year and Waterloo the year before. Scores of contest:

Semi-final:			
Guelph R. C.—		Galt—	
J. Hoover	18	G. T. Hamilton	10
N. McDonald	20	J. Handley	14
Total	38	Total	24
Waterloo—		Ayr—	
F. Halstead	15	W. A. Reid	13
C. W. Snider	16	D. Reid	13
Total	31	Total	26
Final:			
Waterloo—		Guelph—	
C. Hemphill		H. H. Todd	
A. E. Devitt		W. G. Mahoney	
A. G. Haehnel		C. R. Barber	
C. W. Snider	19	N. McDonald	14
Lippert		H. McDonald	
T. Dalgleish		C. Butler	
F. Hughes		A. Smith	
F. Halstead	22	J. Hoover	10
Total	41	Total	24

BELLEVILLE WIN NO. 3.

Belleville, Jan. 24.—Belleville curlers today won out in the Central Ontario Curling League for district No. 3. Rinks from Campbellford, Cobourg, Colborne, Picton and Belleville competed in the first round. Campbellford defeated Picton and Belleville defeated Colborne. In the second round Cobourg defeated Campbellford and in the final game Belleville defeated Cobourg.

ST. KITTS LAWN BOWLERS WILL HAVE NEW GREEN AND HOUSE.

St. Catharines, Jan. 24.—The St. Catharines Lawn Bowling Club, which has for several years used the Welland House green, has purchased a new site for their green and clubhouse on Glen Ridge, a new restricted subdivision on the south side of the old Welland Canal.

George Whitted, outfielder of the Philadelphia Nationals, says he would not sign a contract he has received from the club until a full understanding had been reached between the Players' Fraternity and the magnates. Whitted declared that the principles set forth by the Players' Fraternity made it advisable for the players to uphold their organization.

Trainer Mike Daly Is Successful With Cuban Owner's Race Horses

Interesting Track Gossip From Oriental Park—Chris Fitzgerald May Prevent Apprentices From Carrying Whips.

Havana, Cuba, Jan. 24.—Cuban-owned horses have been very much in the limelight at Oriental Park during the past week. The stable racing in the name of Senor A. Lezama furnished several winners in Wenonah, Flechra Negro, Brobeck, Narcissus and Loyan Sanus. Senor Etchegoyhen's Moncrief has finished second twice and third twice. One of the important Cuban stables, that of Senor Samuel Tolon, has started out one horse, Sir Wellons, the colt that was purchased by W. F. Schulte. The best horse in this string, Imperator, is fast rounding, too, and is ready for a winning performance.

Senor Lezama's horses have shown wonderful improvement since M. Daly took them over a week or ten days ago, and the colors of this popular turfman should be seen in front quite frequently from now on. Senor Lezama is a very wealthy gentleman and is anxious to have horses capable of winning at Saratoga and the metropolitan tracks in the east. During the coming summer his trainer will, no doubt, be commissioned to anything that looks promising. Daly, by the way, has eight fair horses wintering at Bennings that he is handling for different parties. Kingly, a colt that showed splendid form on the Canadian circuit during the season of 1915, is among the number. Kingly started but once last season, in the Metropolitan. He came out of that race with a slightly bowed tendon and was immediately put by for the season. Kingly has never had a saddle on since then, but Daly reports his leg as good now as the day he was foaled and he expects him to be a good horse again this season. He also has a maiden three-year-old that has never faced the barrier which is highly thought of. This colt was bred in France and is by Sun God. When he leaves here in the spring for Bennings Daly will bring with him the best of Senor Lezama's string with him.

Senor Tolon has commissioned Trainer Eddie Rathman to be on the lookout for what he considers good material. Like other rich Cuban gentlemen, Senor Tolon wishes to purchase only the best, and he, too, has desires to see his colors at Saratoga. Rathman is well pleased with his new purchase, Sir Wellons, and has hopes that he may develop into a derby colt.

Just now much interest is being taken in the coming horse show which will be given by the Cuban Government the latter part of February. The show will be held at Oriental Park and will be under the management of Samuel W. Taylor, the well-known expert from the United States. There is no doubt as to the success of the show, as every mail from the United States brings assurances that people of the highest social position will be represented by the best horses in their stables. General Manager Taylor and a committee of prominent citizens of the United States which will comprise 83 classes, for all types of horses. This, together with the seventeen classes, which will be prepared by the local committee for Cuban-bred and owned animals, will bring the total up to 100, and the show will then compare favorably with those held annually in Madison Square Garden in New York and the Olympia in London, England.

The following well-known Americans have donated cups for special classes: Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Pierre Lorillard, jr., Alfred B. Mackay, John R. Townsend, J. R. Maxwell, George P. Urban, O. J. Gude, L. E. Waring, James Cox Brady, William A. Hazard, J. MacWhite, F. F. Field and R. A. Long. The Rider and Driver has also donated a trophy.

That the people of Havana are not behind hand is evidenced by the fact that trophies will be presented by President Menocal, the mayor of Havana, the governor, the secretary of agriculture, the Mayor of Marianao, General Jose Marti, William Lawton, Capt. W. F. Smith, the Polo Club and the Cuban-American Jockey Club. All of these have been promised, and there are numerous others who will, no doubt, follow their example. In connection with the show, there will be a drag hunt from some region in the neighborhood of Oriental Park, with the finish in the show ring. Coaches will be run from Havana to Oriental Park, and Walter H. Hanley, in addition to his celebrated harness horses and hunters, will bring down his mammoth nine-in-hand team of Belgian horses, each of which weighs a ton. Much interest is being taken in the show by society folk who are wintering at Palm Beach, and there is talk of a special train from the Florida resort direct to Havana for the show.

Christopher Fitzgerald, the presiding steward at Oriental Park, is thinking seriously of not permitting apprentice riders to carry whips. He claims that many accidents come as a result of young riders trying to use whips. Many of these little fellows are not strong enough to hold a horse together and whip at the same time, and invariably when they draw their "persuaders" their mounts swerve, and either lostle other horses, or, in the mix-up, cross their legs and fall. This very thing happened here a few days ago, when Jockey Sobel attempted to whip Dora Colins up to the leaders at the stretch turn. The mare is a big, heavy-headed horse, and when Sobel drew his whip she swerved and crossing her legs fell. Sister Riley and Brown Baby, who were directly behind her, also went down, and Sobel suffered painful injuries. Sobel is under contract to E. K. Bryson. The lad is doing well and will be up and about in a couple of weeks.

The horsemen held a meeting here on Monday last, and among other things it was decided to ask the racing secretary to put on at least once a week a race, the conditions of which called for maiden jockeys. It is presumed that this request is being fathered by some owner who has a non-winning jockey in his stable. Races in which all of the jockeys are inexperienced are a dangerous sort of a thing and it has been little short of a miracle that accidents have not occurred more often in events of this sort.

Jockey Dominick's yung brother, who is employed as an exercise lad here, met with a painful accident. The lad was riding a pony in the streets of Mariano and in crossing a street the pony lunged and threw the boy, who landed on his head. Young Dominick suffered a fracture of the skull as a result of his fall and he was rushed to one of the hospitals in Havana. He has been improving and is said to be out of danger by now. For a time, however, it was feared that the lad would not recover.

G. P. Burke, former trainer for the Alvarez-Lezama stable, has a promising apprentice named J. Petz, who gives every indication of developing into a good jockey. The American papers have got this lad confused with Pitz, an older rider, and who is not an apprentice. Burke will bring Petz to the States with him. He is still training Moncreif and one or two other horses for Senor Lezama.

Many prominent Americans have visited Oriental Park during the past ten days. L. C. Weldrig, treasurer of the Cincinnati Reds, accompanied by his brother, T. J. Weldrig, and his niece, Miss Eneking, spent several days at the course and was much delighted with the place. Mr. Weldrig was much interested with the baseball diamond they are constructing in the infield at Oriental Park. Mr. Edward Wilbern was another prominent Cincinnatian who was here for a few days. Charles Hornberger and Samuel Marienthal wrote Charles Lansdale, asking that reservations be made for them. They are expected here Feb. 10. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oxnard of California and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Oxnard of Savannah were also club house visitors. The Oxnards are racing enthusiasts and they pronounced the park one of the finest racing grounds they ever saw.

BASKETBALL

Two fast games of basketball were played on West End floor. A very good exhibition of the game was given for the opening night, and the league promises to be a good one. All the players are in fine condition and can go the full time without sagging. Spaldings, by superior team work, succeeded in winning their first game from Livingstone & Scott. The latter, however, were short two of their best players. The score:

Spaldings (42)—G. Fraser, 8; A. McCausland, 18; McGowan, 8; A. N. Smith, 2; N. Farrell, 6.

Livingstone & Scott (31)—Gerry, 10; Yeomans, 7; Menser, 8; Snyder, Walker, Grau, 6.

Referee—Ernie White.

The second game, between Neilson's & Firestones, was not so fast, the players showing lack of team-play which will be remedied before the league games next Saturday night. The score:

Firestones (20)—Coo, 5; C. Beilson, 9; C. Stone, 4; Egles, Newton, 2; Holden.

Neilsons (32)—J. Peer, 13; W. Aldred, 5; W. Lawrence, 10; McNabb, H. Cook, 4; Dickson.

The Military Basketball League last night, at the Exhibition Camp, the 208th won a good game from the 198th, 26 to 23.

TORONTO CRIBBAGE LEAGUE

The games last week resulted as follows: Davenport Albion beat Hammersmith, 19-17; Boot and Shoeworkers beat "A" team 20-16, and Windsor beat Overseas 25-23.

—Standing of Teams—

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Davenport Albion	3	1	.750
Boot and Shoeworkers'	3	2	.600
S.O.E. "A"	2	2	.500
S.O.E. Windsor	2	2	.500
S.O.E. Hammersmith	2	3	.400
Overseas	1	3	.250

—Individual Percentages Over 600—

Sparkes and Chadwick (D. Albion), A. E. Cameron ("A"), and E. J. Otter (Hammersmith), .666; Garrett (B. and S. Union) and Needham, and Sanderson (Overseas), .625, and May, Haines and Robinson (D. Albion) .611.

THE PLAYERS' FRATERNITY APPLY FOR UNION CHARTER.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Consideration of the application of the Baseball Players' Fraternity for a union charter was begun today by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. The council's decision may not be announced until the conclusion of its meeting Friday.

It was announced yesterday at Philadelphia that, by agreement of counsel, the trial of the $900,000 damage suit of the Baltimore Federal League Baseball Club against the National and American Leagues, and certain clubs and individuals, was put over until the April term.

SENIOR AND JUNIOR HOCKEY TODAY.

The University Schools vs. Upper Canada College game at the Arena this afternoon should furnish the best argument of the group this season. Both teams won over St. Andrews after classy contested games. The game will start at 4 p.m. Tonight Dentals and T. R. & A. A. will face their second engagement of the season. In their previous game the first two periods were played without a score for either team, and hockey critics sized it up as the fastest event of the amateur season. Torontos will likely have Ack. Hunter on the defence and move Bud McLean to the forward line, which will give them a classy aggregation. Both teams have still a chance for the senior championship, and it should be a battle worth while. Prices are 25c and 50c, with boxes and rail seats reserved at a $1.00.

M. CAREY TO RETIRE AND PREACH FOR A PITTANCE

New Avenue for Star Ball Player to Go From the Diamond—Sporting Gossip.

Star ball players disgruntled over the contracts offered them, have frequently quit the diamond, or, rather, have threatened to retire for various reasons, like returning to the ranch, back to the chicken farm or to go into business with father, but it remains for Max Carey of Pittsburg to open up a new avenue of retirement. Max, sore over his Pittsburg contract, says he will accept a pulpit offer and will preach for one-fifth the salary he got in baseball. Carey hasn't got the Billy Sunday system, apparently. If he knows it, he plays it with reverse English.

The Rev. Maxumillian Carnarius—known in baseball as Max Carey—has sent his resignation to the Pittsburg Club. It is said that a small pastorate, paying not a fifth part of the Rev. Mr. Carnarius' present salary, is waiting for him, and that he is willing to sacrifice the big money. Jimmy Callahan, who regards this theological graduate as one of his best bets for 1917, will make every effort to hold him in baseball for at least one more season, and will probably suggest that he fill the pulpit between October and April, playing ball from April to October just for exercise and pastime.

How difficult it is to get swatters of class is shown by the hope-springs-eternal course of the major leaguers in dragging back, time after time, men who are bearcats with the bludgeon on the smaller circuits, but who have failed, not once, but sometimes often, when given opportunity to make the big show. Five champion batsmen have been bought or drafted by the majors for this season, and two of them are in the class mentioned. They are Doll Jacobson, who hit .346 for Little Rock in the Southern League last season, and Kenworthy, a .314 batsman in 200 games with Oakland of the Pacific Coast League. Jacobson has been up before, for trials by three clubs. He went to Detroit from Chattanooga in 1915, and was touted as the most valuable all-around player his league had turned out. He couldn't hit for the Tigers, and he didn't hit for St. Louis, to which club he was traded. He finished the season with a .211 mark, but with the remarkable record of 17 extra-base hits in the 38 safeties that he did get. Then he went back to the Southern League, and started right in where he had left off when he was winning the Rose Trophy, and clinched by earning him his short-lived chance in Detroit. Before Detroit got him he had trained with the Giants a time or two.

During a recent argument between Cincinnati baseball fans, the question arose as to the speediest pitcher. The name of Tony Mullane was connected with that of Amos Rusie and Walter Johnson. John B. Connolly, one of the oldest fans in that city, declared that Tony Mullane was the speediest pitcher the game ever developed. Unquestionably, the oldtimers say, Mullane had great speed in his earlier years. It is difficult, however, to make the admirers of Rusie's time believe Mullane pitched a speedier ball than their idol. Ned Crane, who won a championship for Toronto in the early 80's, had possibly as much speed as Mullane, Rusie or Walter Johnson.

When Peter O'Connor broad-jumped 24 feet 11¾ inches some years ago in Ireland everyone admitted that Pete jump, too—never been equaled on earth.

But on skis it is different. A ski jumper can make the best of our athletes look petrified. At the first glance it seems impossible to walk—let alone jump—with those two long, thin boards strapped to the feet. Yet it is no trick at all for a ski jumper to leap 100 feet! Oscar Gunderson at Modum, Norway, Feb. 18, 1912, jumped 163 feet! Gunner Anderson jumped 156 feet standing!

The ski jumper races down a long incline to a bank (or take-off) about four feet high. He springs right forward away into space, steadies himself in mid-air, still for the tenth of a second, then drops like a hawk on to the slope of the hill beneath. Here comes the real test, for the jumper must land erect and must not fall.

It is also hard to believe that a man can jump farther on ice skates than he can on the turf, but it is so. Edmund Lamy jumped 25 feet 7 inches on the ice of Saranac Lake, N.Y.

Thus it is seen that you can jump farther in the winter than you can in the summer.

With the signing of Bob Russell, all the Chicago White Sox regulars have affixed their names to contracts, President Comiskey announced yesterday. The Sox special will leave for Mineral Wells, Tex., March 9 or 10.

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