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Sportdom

MUTT AND JEFF—The Little Fellow Thinks Three Can Play at That Game.



QUITE SO. BUT THAT GUY WAS CHEATING ALL EVENING!

WHY, SPIRITS, I CAN NEVER BELIEVE THAT OF SAM!

BUT I KNOW HE'S CROOKED. I DETECTED THREE CARDS IN HIS HANDS THAT I THREW UNDER THE TABLE MYSELF.

SIX, SEVEN, EIGHT! THAT MAKES ME WINNER THREE BUCKS ON THE EVENING!

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BY BUD FISHER

Thistles Form Industrial
Curling League For Inter-
Rink Games; a New Idea

Eighteen Classifications Already Made and Some Entries in Each—Puts Zest Into Competition and Produces Strong Rink Spirit.

An industrial curling league was organized by the Thistles last evening at a big meeting held in the north end club rooms. The idea closely follows that suggested by some of the bowlers last year: that of classifying present members in professions and trades and new members as well, and thus adding zest to the competitions of the club, and a rink spirit often lacking.

There will be at least 18 classifications under the Thistle plan and probably as high as 20. Many of the classifications have entries in already, and the idea promises to go big, once it gets worked out.

The Thistle Club membership has been greatly augmented this autumn through the active services of a live membership committee, and it is intended that every member of the club who desires to do so, may come in under one of the classifications comprised in the T. I. C. League. It is the desire of the committee who have worked out the idea that every member desiring to play and who is not notified prior to December 20 should immediately communicate with Secretary Leland E. Barrie, 312 Wolfe street.

The league has been formed to develop the good old game of curling, as well as the good fellowship for which the Thistles are noted. It has been pointed out that a more pronounced esprit de corps could

be characteristic of rinks formed under certain industrial classifications, and this idea when laid before those interested in the game has been enthusiastically acclaimed. Already applications for membership in the T. I. C. have been made by the following: Bankers (2 rinks), James Church, C. P. R., Starr, Smallman & Ingram, Doctors, Travelers (2 rinks), Teachers, Printers, Hymans, McClary, Ford, Newspapers, Hellmuth, Rogers, Clergymen and Gentlemen.

The personnel of the league has not been definitely decided upon, since it may be a difficult matter to include all of those who wish to participate and confine the number of rinks to 20, which is the wish of the committee. However, further arrangements will be made room at this luncheon, and it is expected that this will be a fitting start to a successful season at the rink.

The committee which worked out the details of the league idea to date and which met last evening was comprised of the following: Alf. Talbot, A. E. Barbour, Howard Harry, Dr. J. Brown, C. L. Eddy, T. C. Margaret, Norman H. Keene and T. C. Benson.

Claims Goldie
Prodger Signed
But He Says Not

C. H. A. Report He Will Play For Them—Local Star Still Unsigned.

The Toronto Daily Star says: Goldie Prodger, the London pro, hockey player, and an official of the Canadian Hockey Association, hooked up on the long distance phone today. Prodger announced that there was nothing in the N.H.L. story that he was going to Hamilton.

Prodger said he would be in town to practice Saturday, said the C. H. A. official after the conversation. "He will be with the C. H. A. club."

About half of the foregoing is correct. The other half is rather wide of the mark.

One of the C. H. A. officials did call the local star yesterday, but what Prodger told him was that he had not signed up with any club yet, and all he knew was what he had heard from the Dundas club. He did not apprise him of the fact that he was sold to Hamilton, and the latter club hadn't been in touch with him yet.

Like most other people who are trying to puzzle out the pro hockey situation, Goldie is at a loss to know just what is going on or who is who in pro hockey.

R. C. R.'S TO BE GIVEN
WELCOME SMOKER
BY L. AND D. COUNCIL

Seven Teams Represented At Last Night's Meeting At "Y."

The London and District Soccer Association will hold a smoker at the creation rooms of the Grand Trunk cars, shops, with the R. C. R.'s as the guests of honor, on Saturday evening, December 4, at 8 o'clock. The smoker will be held at the meeting of the council held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. The date is not yet set, but it is expected that it will be held on Saturday evening, December 4, at 8 o'clock.

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AS YOU WERE

Letters from Sarnia to the council of the London and District Soccer Association indicate that better support than was anticipated even may be looked for from that town. The Sarnia soccer enthusiasts are going to form a public school league, and intend to nurse it along once it is formed. St. Thomas also will be organizing soccer in the public schools. With London also looking after public school soccer and giving it every encouragement, there should be no dearth of talent for London and District soccer in the future years.

That is where soccer had fallen down largely in Canada. Some of the rural schools took up the game spasmodically and not in an organized way, but in the cities soccer has had very little real encouragement. If the game was played the youngsters had very little encouragement or chance for that matter to continue on in it, for once out of public school there were few teams to which they could go.

Now, however, with talent being steadily developed in the schools, and with good teams for them to graduate to soccer is on the right course to achieve an increasing prestige as a Canadian sport.

Reg. De Gruchy will referee the game in Sarnia Saturday between Northview and De La Salle. If the reports of the Hamilton-Sarnia intermediate game could be believed as they came from some quarters, then courage is not dead.

Willie Jackson wrote a column or somebody wrote it for him the night before the Dundas fight on the subject of a "campaign to clean up this bunch of lightweight right to Benny Leonard." He should have picked on any other nationality but a Scotch Wop to start out with.

A week ago both Welling and Jackson were hailed as the nearest contenders for Leonard's throne. Leonard said Welling's claim was a joke and Dundas put a smudge on Jackson's.

The latest in the Shag and Knott's new league materializes they will personally look after the Montreal end. Shag is going to take the business end and Lee will be his manager. As a harmonious arrangement it sits up like Ian B. Johnson and Charles Comiskey in a telephone booth with brass knuckles.

If Shag could get so much money when he was outside the box office, what's he going to do when he shuts himself in?

Montreal Herald: "The boys are turning up their toes. As days grow old and wane; And yet the hardy hockey pros Fight on and on." What If They Do? Fit on and on and on. But more of this anon. Just now no one they bother.

Torontos and Tiger Seconds Will Positively Play

TORONTO, Nov. 30.—Arrangements were completed today for a game next Saturday at Hamilton between Torontos, winners of the O. R. F. U. senior series, and Hamilton Tigers II, winners of the intermediate series in the same league. Liz Marriott has been selected as referee, and Billy Mallett, umpire. Officials for the game are Saturday between Argonauts and Toronto Varsity are Ben Simpson of Hamilton, referee, and W. J. Poulos, Toronto, umpire.

The net gate from the half game played here last Saturday between Argonauts and Toronto Varsity was \$56.31, which will be divided between local charities, which are not included in the 49 to 50 to be divided between the drive of the federation for community service.

T. W. R. Taylor President of 1921 Tillsonburg Bowlers

TILLSONBURG, Nov. 30.—Tillsonburg bowlers held a smoker and election of officers for 1921.

The bowlers are looking forward to big things next year, having added five more greens to the local lawn, thus providing ample space for tournaments. And flowering shrubs are being placed along the sides and ends. The club house will be modernized and gas attached for the ladies to supply the good "eats" at the tournaments.

The smoker was conducted by H. Spenceburg and A. S. Renelle, who spared no pains in making it a real success. About fifty turned out to enjoy the sport.

The election of officers, progressive euchre took up the evening, and many narrow ports were made by Chief Crichton, who had to play off for first prize, the chief winning with his last bowl. The booty prize fell to Arba Johnston.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. president, V. A. Sinclair; president, T. W. R. Taylor; vice-president, L. R. Short; second vice-president, T. C. Waller; treasurer, C. W. Conn; recording secretary, T. B. Howard; tournament secretary, A. S. Renelle; chairman home games, A. S. Renelle; chairman tournament games, W. S. McDonald and A. M. Hare.

FRANCE WANTS 1924 OLYMPIC.

PARIS, France, Nov. 30.—The French Olympic committee has sent an official request to the International Olympic committee that the Olympic games of 1924 be held in Paris. The International Olympic committee held in 1923 have

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CITY SOCCERITES
TO WIND UP YEAR
TOMORROW NIGHT

May Not Elect New Slate of Officers, But Offer Job To Council.

The City Soccer League meets tomorrow night at the Richmond Hotel to wind up the season and start afresh on a new one.

The organization made a very small beginning last spring, but rapidly grew, and at the end of the season had put soccer on a better basis than it has ever been in London. Still bigger things are in prospect for next year's league, which will have practically all the teams in the London and District Council, from the city and also have the backing of the higher executive.

Whether a new set of officers will be elected tomorrow night, or whether the executive of the London and District Council will be asked to take over City League affairs as well is not known. The latter plan is a good one in many respects, as it centralizes control, although keeping the affairs of the two leagues separate.

Last year there were eight teams which finished the season. Grand Trunks being returned champions, with Great War Vets runners-up. There will probably be twelve teams this year, if not more.

Oskee Neale's Player Has Record For Lowered Passes

MARIETTA, O., Nov. 30.—What is said to be a world's record for consecutive forward passes is believed to have been established by Don Whiting, coach of the Marietta College football team in the game with Boston College, November 20.

Coach "Greasy" Neale of Marietta made the announcement today following an investigation by Boston sport writers into past records.

Whiting completed seven consecutive forward passes for seven straight first downs. The eighth attempt was incomplete. He also holds several intercollegiate scoring records in basketball.

NEGOTIATIONS OPENED TO STAGE BIG FIGHT

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 1.—Negotiations were opened between Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, world's champion heavyweight pugilist, and Ad Thacher, Toledo promoter, today, with a view to staging the proposed Dempsey-Carpentier match in Toledo.

Thacher said that he would go before the commission for a permit for a decision bout if he can make "a satisfactory deal with Kearns."

STECHER WINS AGAIN.

Kansas City, Dec. 1.—Joe Stecher, world's champion heavyweight wrestler, successfully defended his title here last night by winning from Salvatore Chevalier, a Frenchman, in straight falls. The first came in 24 minutes and 40 seconds through a head, scissor and arm hold.

In a catch-as-catch-can bout Stecher won in straight falls, the first in 22 minutes 10 seconds, with a headlock, and the second in seven minutes, 35 seconds with a head-lock and arm hold.

HOBLITZEL NOT TO RETURN.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 1.—Carl Hoblitzel, who managed the Akron Club of the baseball fans of Georgia will get a chance to see a Northern college nine in action. The Harvard baseball team will go to Georgia next spring for their training. The Crimson will play Georgia Tech the third week in April.

MICKEY MACKAY OF
CHESLEY PROMINENT
IN CALGARY CHARGES

Former Northern Hockey Player Said by Patrick To Have Been Offered Money by Amateurs.

CALGARY, Nov. 30.—Charges that Mickey Mackay, former Calgary hockey star and now with the Patricks, was offered \$1,500 for the season this fall by five officials of the Calgary Hockey Club, that Eridon and Keats were also made offers; that Mackay was allowed the program privilege last season for \$1, that he might sell it for \$200, are some of the charges made in the affidavits produced by Frank Patrick, Calgary Hockey League manager, to substantiate his charges that the Alberta Big Four Hockey League, supposedly amateur, was really professional.

Patrick appeared before the Alberta Amateur Union yesterday and made known that he had affidavits from Mickey Mackay and others to the effect. He will produce the affidavits later.

Patrick produced so many documents and statements of such a serious nature against the Big Four that the amateur authorities gave the officials of the Big Four time to either declare that they were an out-and-out pro organization or else immediately clean up. In the meantime the Amateur Union will withhold the amateur cards of the Big Four players and will consider the action to be taken on the receipt of the Big Four League report.

Patrick promised to explode a bombshell into Alberta hockey circles, and he did. He had a pile of documents, among them many that will later cause a big upheaval in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. He is out to clean up the situation in the interest of the sport, and intends to attend the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association meeting at Winnipeg next month.

Denials by Winnipeg Players.

Denial by three former Selkirk hockey players—Harry Oliver, Eusebio Brandow and Jocko Anderson—that they had been offered any inducement other than permanent position to come to Calgary, and stating that they would declare under oath that no present, bonus or other remuneration had been suggested, and that they did not expect to receive anything other than their legitimate salary for work was the feature of the morning session of the executive committee of the Alberta

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The Canadian Order of Foresters Carpetball League, which was discontinued during the war, has been reorganized with five of the local courts entered.

Bro. Strong, superintendent of the organization staff of the order, has presented a handsome trophy to the league, which must be won twice in succession, or any three times to become the property of the winning team.

Below is the standing of the teams to date:

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Ellipse	2	0	1,000
Middlesex	2	0	1,000
Defiance	1	1	500
London City	0	2	500
Orient	0	2	500

NEW YORK COMMISSION
REVOKES CLUB'S LICENSE

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The New York State Boxing Commission tonight revoked the permit of the Central Manhattan Boxing Club, which last night staged the lightweight boxing contest between Willie Jackson and Johnny Dundee, both of New York.

The commission announced it had taken this action because commissioners attending the contest had "witnessed instances of the boxing law, the laws of safety, and a complete disregard of the rights and comfort of ticket holders."

Little Doubt City
League Will Get
London Curlers' Ice

Meeting This Afternoon At Armories At 5:15—Rink Committee Reports.

Indications are that the City League executive will announce after this afternoon's meeting that they have made arrangements for the use of the London Curling Rink for the season. It is believed that the curlers are quite favorable to the proposal, especially as it is Northern League hockey that is being offered. Friday night will be the Northern League night, if negotiations for the rink are put through.

Very little remains now to be cleaned up by the league. It will be up to the individual clubs from now on to dig out and get their players mustered for the coming of ice. Some clubs have already announced a good strong list of men, strong enough to make a good sterling brand of hockey assured.

All the clubs, however, once the question of ice is settled, will get right down to hard work on the men they sign up.

This afternoon the representatives of the four clubs will deposit their Northern League entrance fees, which puts the stamp of the cold sounding circuit on them.

WOUNDED SOLDIERS RACE.

BRIDGE, Nov. 30.—A 12-mile bicycle race open only to soldiers wounded in the war was won by Luigi Tagliatti, who was injured in both legs. His time was 56 minutes.

London and Port
Stanley Railway

Time Table Effective September 1.

TO ST. THOMAS—	6:30, 7:15, 7:45, 8:30, 9:20, 10:20, 11:20 a.m., 12:20, 1:20, 2:20, 3:20, 4:20, 5:20, 6:20, 7:20, 8:20, 9:20, 10:20, 11:20 p.m.
TO PORT STANLEY—	7:15, 8:20, 9:20, 10:20, 11:20, 12:20, 1:20, 2:20, 3:20, 4:20, 5:20, 6:20, 7:20, 8:20, 9:20, 10:20, 11:20 p.m.

Daily except Sunday.
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ON THE ALLEYS

Teumessha took three straight from Roscoe's five in the City League last night. In the second game the Tecs rolled 200 or over with the exception of Martin. Adams rolled 227. The score:

Team	Score
McCormick	173
McGowan	131
Adams	207
Sheere	192

Team	Score
Totals	958
Roscoe's	132
Basine	179
Wright	148
Greeman	157
Sansone	156

Team	Score
Totals	774
Thistles Keep Ahead.	852
Glover	142
Bluet	130
Schelling	163
Foley	161
Barrie	194

Team	Score
Totals	851
Canadian Oil	148
Kronin	100
Elwood	120
Williams	101
Austin	119

Team	Score
Totals	668
London Bolt Works	203
Somers	179
Riako	130
Foley	120
Lattimore	130

Team	Score
Totals	760
Union Barbers	140
E. York	207
McDougall	168
M. McPalls	161
C. Slieth	179

Team	Score
Totals	856
PARIS, Nov. 30.—It is said the golf course at Monte Carlo is the most expensive in the world. It is laid out on a rocky mountain side 5,000 feet above sea level and cost \$500,000 to construct.	698

Team	Score
Totals	769

COSTLY GOLF LINKS.

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