Curling Ready for ... Hockey

Saturday

Trotting

On the Ice at Hull

Note and Comment

The iccal curling clubs have everything in readiness for the entertainment of the curlers from Scotland, who will be with us to-morrow. The Granites are making an effort to attract visitors, explaining that they will welcome newcomers, pointing out that there is a large gallery for the accommodation of spectators.

While Mooney Gibson draws a big salary from Pittsburg and plays baseball before big crowds in the summer, he performs in the winter at his home town in London, Ont., without remuneration and before a handful of spectators. The only similarity is that Mooney generally turns up a winner. His winter pastime of course is curling. He is an officer of the Western Colts' Curling Association and a star player of the London Thistles.

Maccording to a despatch from Reno, Nev., the Jarbridge Commercial Club of

the excuse is taken as lame as was his effort. A two-dollar boxer would have done much better. The exhibition drew \$3014. Brown's share was \$305.60, Attell's \$3154.90, the club's \$1902.80 and the state's \$350.70. Dan Morgan, manager of Brown, collected a third of Brown's earnings. Now the state athletic association wil start an investigation as to the honesty of the bout. Altho Brown was badly battered by the featherweight champion. many acknowledged that Attell was not doing his best and permitted his heavier opponent to land many blows he could

Free Admission to Curling. The Scotch curlers play their opening game to-morrow at the Granite Club, starting at 8.15, when the public is cordially invited, admission being free of charge. There is room in the galleries which extend round the rink to accommodate 500.

Granites Win District Cup. Aberdeens were no match for the Granites in the final game Saturday night for No. 1 district cup. They played on Granite ice, Ormerod (Aberdeen) drawing Holland. These two were even for a few ends, when Holland pulled about for a long lead Beatty (Granite) for a few ends, when Holland public alread for a long lead. Beatty (Grantte) counted five the first end, but thereafter Dr. Walters did well, but falled to pull down the lead. The game ended the 13th and with Granttes so far ahead that Aberdeens had no chance.

Chaucer Elbott, the manager of the St. Thomas Canadian League team, was at the Junction on Saturday night to referee the bockey match, and had something to week.

The various curling clubs of the city Say about basefull.

Chaucer says he has things in good shape for the opening of the season, and predicts that he will have a winning scotch curlers are playing. Citizens who are not members of any curling club not last year's team will be signed up again, altho there are several, notably Wright, Gurney and Kopp, who are holding out. In order to guard against being left in the lurch by the fallure of any player to turn up, he is getting lines on other players, and says that the men who don't sign up will, if they do agree to other players, and says that the men who don't sian up will, if they do agree to come off their perch later, have to fight for their fob against a new man.

Harry Howick, the St. Thomas pitcher, was the first to sign his contract. He received an increase in salary.

Chaucer has signed up Pitcher Jack, and Speed Johnston of Rhode Island, both recommended by Shortstop Torgue. He is endeavoring to secure Pitcher Currie, recommended by First Baseman Gurney, a catcher recommended by Glad Graney

recommended by First Baseman Gurney, a catcher recommended by Glad Graney and Catcher Had Craig of the Marjon Club of the defunct Ohio State League. James Taylor, Famous Oarsman, Dead James Taylor, Famous Oarsman, Dead PITTSBURG, Jan. 20.—James Taylor, sr., died yesterday at the home of his daughter in Oakland. Taylor was for years an oarsman of international reputation, being a member of the famous old championship Tyne crew of England, which invaded the United States in 1876. Fig. was the father of John T. Taylor, the local A.A.U. commissioner, and James B. Taylor, swimming instructor at the P.A. A. He was 74 years old.

Hank O'Day, who has quit umpiring to canage the Cincinnati Reds, has two oung pitchers named Bagby and Prough, who have become a source of merriment among the Porkville hammer-throwers. O'Day, incidentally, has requested the Cincinnati critics to refrain from the annual winter custom of claim. off the penmant. "The Reds will play ill on the dlamond, not indoors." de-ares Hank. "and nothing can be gained idle predictions."

SCOTCH CUBLERS ABRIVE T. A. A. C. SHUT OUT TO-MORROW FOR WEEK

Committee's Arrangements in De- Crimson Team, With Light Fast tail For Entertainment of the Distinguished Visitors.

invitations to the Scotch curlers and the above mentioned visiting curlers to dinner in the club house at 6.15 o'clock. In the eyening the Scotch team will play a friendly game, six rinks a side, with the Queen City Club.

The Massey-Hafris Co., Limited, have invited the visitors to look over their works on Friday morning. They will be conveyed to the Lakeview Rink on Harrison street for luveleen with the Lakeview

son street for luncheon with the Lake-ew Curling Club and in the afternoon ill play a game against three rinks om Lakeview Club and one rink from Toronto University Curling Club. In the evening some members of the Scottish team will visit Zelland Lodge and others will be entertained at dinner and curling by the Parkdale Curling Club in their own club rooms in Parkdale.

Their Last Day.

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Saturday will be speut at the Victoria Club on Huron street. In the afternoon the visitors will meet rinks from the West Toronto (two rinks). Aberdeen, Scarboro and Oshawa Clubs and the Victoria Club will entertain at dinner the above meetinged players and the the above mentioned players and the visitors from Scotland. The final game of the Toronto series will be played with the Toronto Curling Club in the evening.

The game this afternoon at the Excelsion Standard for 5.30, between St. Andrews and Varsity, may be played earlier, as the teachers want the games decided in time for the dinner of the dinner land. ive rinks a side.

The visitors will be entertained privately on Sunday, 28th, and leave for Hamilton on Monday morning.

During their stay in this city the Scottish team will make the King Edward Hotel their headquarters. Toronto curlers' committee consists Chaucer Elliott's St. Thomas Team.

Chaucer Elliott, the manager of the St. cretary, Mr. E. T. Lightbourne of the cretary, Mr. E. T. Lightbourne of the Toronto Curling Club, will have charge of all details of arrangements during the

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Forward Line, Were Too Much For Classic City Boys,

London, Chi, without removeration and seminary the control of the second of the control of the c Saturday night's game at Ravina Rink The committee having in charge the ar-angements for entertainment of the scotch curling team annuanced the tol-the peculiar record which senior O.H.A.

According to a despatch from Reno. Nev., the Jarbridge Commercial Club of that intellectual centre has made an offer of \$100,000 for the Johnson-Flynn fight. Promoter Curley has had \$000 expense money wired to him to come and look over the ground. He will arrive at Reno on Feb. 4. At that rate the Flynn-Al Williams bout would have a commercial value—that is before any one viewed the same.

They are panning the Abe Attell-K.O. Brown bout that took place Jan. 18 in New York. Attell gives as an excuse for his poor showing that he was doped and the excuse is taken as lame as was his an excuse is taken as lame as was his an excuse in the same and the series of the T. Eaton Co. Limited, and will afterwards entertain the mat lumcheon.

The Johnson-Flynn will be staton, who will have them shown thru the departmental stores of the T. Eaton Co. Limited, and will afterwards entertain the score 3-0. Burnell made the next tally and the score stood until he score 3-0. The line-ups were again by a clear shot from a face-off at quarter ice, just before the gong sounded. Final, score 5-0. The line-ups were as follows:

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Hockey Gossip

The large crowd who witnessed the Preston-Eaton game were loud in their praise of the Preston team. They certainly deserved it, as the brand of hockey served up was worth going a long way

them back in the running for their district. Next Saturday's game at the Excelsior Rink between Eatons and Parkdale will put the group in a pretty good light, and, as T.A.A.C. still have to meet Eatons and Parkdale, they figure they have a good chance.

The game this afternoon at the Excel-

Maple Leafs and Rangers play an Intermediate O. H. A. game at the Ravina Rink this evening, and, as there is considerable rivalry between these two West Toronto teams, a good game is assured. The old rivals bet on Saturday after-noon at the Riverdale Park Rink, when Geo. Matheson Company defeated the Im-perial Varnish Company by 3-2. The game was fast and exciting at all times and was witnessed by a large crowd.

White & Co. defeated Davidson & Hay

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St. Andrews (i): Goal, Fisnagan point. The Junior O.H.A. game this evening at the Excelsior Rink between Argonauts and Roscos will about decide the group.

Roscos showed considerable improvement the last time out and more ellipses. the last time out and may slip one over on the oarsmen.

hold their final practice on Tuesday night for their lockey match at the Excelsion Rink on Thursday night. Considerable money has been wagered on the game, and, as the players are always great rivals, some game should result.

The program for to-day at the Excelsion ink is as follows: 2.20 to 4.20—Upper Canada. 5.20-St. Andrews v. Varsity Juniors. 7.00 to 7.45—Argonauts. 8.15-Roscos v. Argonaut Juniors. 10.00-Eatons.

At the Ravina Rink to-day: 5.39 to 6.30-Varsity. 6.30 to 7.15-Toronto Canoe Club. 7.15 to 8.00-Sincoes. 8.15-Maple Leafs v. Rangers.

The hockey fans of Markham are so de The hockey faus of Markham are so delighted with the success of their Intermediate O. H. A. team that they are running an excursion to the city for their game against Eatons on Tuesday night at the Excelsior Rink. Markham have so far this season defeated all-comers, and look to have their group pretty well cinched. Eatons, however, have a chance and intend to give the villagers a battle.



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Hockey Results

O. H. A. . 5 Stratford N. H. A. Interprovincial. .7 Victorias Sherbrooke Exhibition. Riverdale Manufacturing League. Geo. Matheson.... 3 Imperial Varnish.

St. Marys Win From St. Andrews.

On Saturday afternoon there was a friendly game played between St. Mary's school boys and St. Andrew's Juniors. The boys of St. Marys bent their rivals by the score of 4 to 1. The feature of the game was the brilliant stick work of St. Mary's forward line. Crocker and Carpenter were the star players for their rivals. The score resulting at the end of the game, there was 10 minutes played over time in which St. Mary's boys shot three goals.

The line-up was as follows:

Markdale at Warton at Hanover.

Public Utility League.

Consumers' Gas, were defeated by the Bell Tel. Co. 6 to 1. The teams:
Consumers' Gas, were defeated by the Gentlement of the game, there was 10 minutes played over, Duncan; centre, Gerry: rover, Landon; left, Kennedy: right, Morley.

Bell Tel. Co. (6): Goal, Clarke; point, Joll: cover, Douglas: centre, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Douglas: Carle, Dyment; tover, Turner; left, Stringer; right, Dever, Dyment; tover, Dyment; tover, Dyment; tover, Dyment;

Hockey Games Scheduled for To-day

O. H. A. -Intermediate Maple Leafs at Rangers. Maple Leafs at Rangers.
O. A. C. at Berlin,
Hamburg at Baden,
Mitchell at St. Marys.
Listowel at Chesley,
London at Paris,
Woodstock at Ingersoll,
Watford at Sarnia,
—Junior—
Peterborg at Cobours,
Roscos at Angonauts. Roscos at Argonauts St. Andrews at Varsity. Galt at Preston. Woodstock at London. Midland at Orilla. Taylor v. Phillips.

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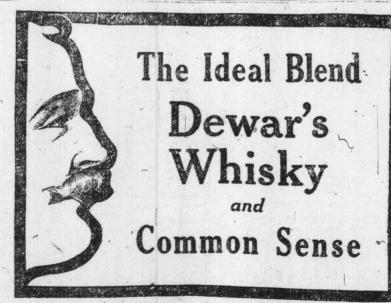
Bank of B. N. A v. Manufacturers,
PRESBYTERIAN. Chambers v. Erskine, St. Pauls v. Eglinton. INTERASSOCIATION.

Trinity at Wychwood. N. Toronto at Davisville. BEACHES. Withrow at Crusaders. M. Y. M. A.

St. Pauls at Central. MERCANTILE. Massey-Harris at Howland, Clinton at Crescents.

TORONTO HOCKEY.
—Senior—
Dominion Register at St. Martens.
United Brass at Athletics. Eurekas at Judeans. Davisville at Scotch Thistles. NORTHERN.

STANDING OF LEAGUE.



Eatons Defeat Preston After a Great Struggle

Eaton seniors defeated Preston internediates on Saturday night at the Excelsior Rink by 12 to 11 in an exhibition

The large crowd who turned out saw one of the best games of hockey played this year, and, as one follower of the game remarked, "It is doubtful if we will see a better one this winter."

Preston had on their full team and came determined to put up the game of their lives and they certainly did. Eatons had on their regular hne-up, with the exception of Bricker, their goal tender, who is laid up from an injury. Addison, the Algo net guardan, was substituted and covered himself with honors. He put up a real classy game and was loudly applauded for, his brilliant stops and quick clearing.

learing.

Herbie Matthews, the Eaton right ying, only played about ten minutes of the first half and Eltherington was dropthe first half and Eitherington was dropped to even up. The latter, however, came back in the second half and Walker, the Preston rover, was left off.

Both teams had their scoring togs on and the large crowd were kept on edge. The players soon got the fever from the crowd and the play was rather rough at times, numerous little sly pokes being taken at one another. Referce Marsh was on the job all the time and chased the offenders to the penalty box, handing out no less than 15 penalties, il of which went to Eatons and four to Preston. He handled the game in commendable style and by no means deserved the remarks passed by some over-zealous rooters. Preston claimed a goal about a minute before time was called and while the umpire raised his hand the referee refused to allow it, claiming that the puck did not go into the net. There were many different opinions expressed by the crowd as they left the rink, but the majority thought the referee was correct in his ruling.

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Right from the commencement of the game the coring see-sawed, but after 15 minutes of play Eatons broke away and by half time had the score 7—4 in their favor. They scored almost from the draw in the second 'half, but their lead was short-lived, as Preston came to life and with the advantage of the odd man, due to so many of the Eaton players being penalized, the score was soon tied. For the last ten minutes of play the game was very exciting and the outcome always in doubt. Eatons got it up to 12 to 10 and while Preston made their score 11, they could not get the other one necessary for a tie before the final whistle blew.

The game revealed the fact that the Preston team as so constituted, are ready right now for senior company and that they would give a good account of themselves no matter whom they played against. Their defence, Bowman and Bernhardt, are particularly good mental play their positions very effectively. They both rush well and also give their goal-tender good protection. In Short in goal Preston has a great stop. He is, however, a trifle slow in clearing after making a stop, something that a fast centre man like Meeking was quick to take advantage of, the result being several scores. On the forward line Eltherington, Rahn and Mulroy are all good, being excellent skaters and deadly shots. Rahn, however, tired badiy last night towards the close of the game, but otherwise played very effective hockey. Every man on the Eaton team tried hard, but the forward line did not work their combination play as often and as effective as in some former games. When they did combine some clever hockey was seen and it was also very productive in the matter of scores. The big store defence, however, played altogether too open a game and had they a slow scoring forward line they could not hope to win many games by the style they have adopted. The game revealed the fact that the

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Rankin plays a much better game at Rankin plays a much better game at rover than he does at point, but on Saturday night he was decidedly effective with his rushes. Jerry Laflamme was in the game all the time, while Meeking is playing the best hockey of his career. This player on Saturday night was the best man on the Eaton team; he played very unselfishly and scored many goals and would have notched a couple more had he been passed the puck. He played his position at centre perfectly and was always in front of the Preston goal rendy for a pass. rendy for a pass. The game was a great workout for the Euton team and will do them a lot of good in their coming struggle for the senior championship. They play their next game at the Excelsior Rink with the

next game at the Excelsior Rink with the Parkdale team and this game will have considerable, if not decided, bearing on the group winner.

On the game played Saturday night Preston are deserving of a return contest on their own ice and it is to be hoped the Eaton management will try and arrange to play the intermediate champions in their own town before the season closes. The teams:

Eatons (12): Goal. Addison: point, Rankin; cover, Hyland; rover, Laflamme; centre. Meeking; right, Matthews; left, Foyston.

Preston (11): Goal, Short; point, Bow-Preston (11): Goal, Short: point. Bowman; cover, Bernhardt; rover, Walker; centre, Eltherington; right, Rahn; left, Mulroy. Referee, Lou E. Marsh.

Edgar Day in Hospital.

HALIFAA, Jan. 21.—Edgar Dey, the Ottawa hockey player, who came here to play with the Crescents, is seriously ill at the Infirmary, where yesterday ne was operated on for an abscess under the left breast muscle. The abscess resulted from an injury received while playing in the match at which he was arrested for assault on an opposing player. It is said assault on an opposing player. assault on an opposing player. It is said that the blow which caused this mjury was given to him at almost the same time that he struck his man and the ponce stepped in.

Brighton Hockey Club Organize. BRIGHTON, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Brighton Hockey Club has at last got into line and reorganized for the season, with the foilewing officers:

Hon. president, C. R. W. Proctor; hon. vice-president, R. J. Ross; president, Alf Gunyo; vice-president, Tom Lockwood; managor, R. B. Scripture; secretary, Wartington, 1988. Mari: Lear; treasurer, Ralph Cheer; cap-tain, Maurice Cheer; trainer, Ed Friend-From present indications, a successful

scason is assured. St. Pats Down Sherbrooke. SHERBROOKE, Que, Jan. 20.—in an Interprovincial League game to-night, St. Patricks of Montreal defeated the locals, 6 to 3.

Montreal Surprise Victorias. MONTREAL; Jan. 19.-Montreal sur-erised Victorias this evening in an Interprovincial League game at the Arena by defeating them, 7 to 5. The game was fast and interesting thruout.

The W. R. Brock squad defeated the hampion Aikenhead team 3 to 2 on Var-sity Rink Saturday afternoon. Hank O'Day has not forgotten his for-mer associates, the umpires. Hank is having a comfortable dressing room pro-vided for the umps under the new grand stand in Cincinnati and one which can be reached quickly, subjecting the arbitra-tors to a minimum of missiles and male-dictions.

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Jan. 31-8 p.m., A Co. v. B Co.; K Co.
v. L Co.; 9.30, C Co. v. G Co., E Co. v.
I Co.
Feb. 7-8 p.m., B Co. v. G Co., F Co. v.
K Co.; 9.30, A Co. v. C Go., I Co. v. L Co.
Feb. 14-8 p.m., B Co. v. C Co., E Co.
v. L Co.; 9.30, A Co. v. G Co.* (I Co. v. K Co.; 9.30, A Co. v. G Co.* (I Co. v. K Co.)

The manager of C Co. would like to see all the old members present early, so the games will get off on time. Any new members who are anxious to make the team are asked to turn out for practice on the above-named dates.

Public School Basketball. Results of the public school basketball games played in Central Y.M.C.A. Saturday afternoon are as follows:
Senior-Lansdowne v. King Edward-Won by Lansdowne by 50 to 25. Winners:
L. Wood, R. Lovell, M. Locke, J. Togin, I. Brodey.
Junior-McCaul v. Lansdowne-Won by McCaul by 60 to 17. Winners: S. Dickman, L. Krugel, S. Simon, O. Davis, M. Stelmworzel. man, L. Krugel, S. Simon, O. Davis, M. Steinworzel
Junior—Annette v. Jesse Ketchum—Annette won by default. Winners: C. Roberts, E. Shortt, J. Rugh, A. Collins, L. Murdock.

The senior game was fast and clean, all the boys showing strength. The Lansdowne boys could locate the basket almost every time. Locke played a great game.

game.

In the junior game the little fellows from McCaul shot all around their opponents.

Referees, Messrs. Vallentyne and Arm-

D. Chamberlain, who says he is a cricketer from Chicago, is in the city and would like to hear from one of the clubs. T. A. A. C. will leave on the 1.40 Grands Trunk for Kingston, where they play Queens a practice game this evening.



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