

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Thistles Play St. Andrew's Today

First of Series in Annual Competition Starts This Afternoon—16 Rinks a Side.

The first of a series between the Thistles and St. Andrew's Curling Clubs will be started in both rinks this afternoon. Sixteen rinks a side. The following is the names of the St. Andrew's players, where and the time they play:

AFTERNOON PLAY

On Thistle Ice

Dr. Chignaw W. H. Logsdon
H. A. Lynam J. C. Barle
G. H. Peters E. A. Smith
W. A. Lockhart J. M. Macne

On St. Andrew's Ice

R. L. Riding A. R. Brerast
H. H. McLehman H. B. Dunn
G. H. McLehman F. M. Maunsell
W. A. Stewart A. L. Foster

On Thistle Ice

F. McArthur G. S. McDonald
G. F. Fisher J. K. Blackness
G. A. Kimball P. W. Coombs
R. A. Jones H. J. Hooper

EVENING PLAY

On Thistle Ice

W. R. Stewart D. W. Puddington
G. M. Robertson A. R. Melrose
A. H. Merrill F. G. Saucan
P. A. Clark W. K. Haley

On St. Andrew's Ice

H. W. Riding A. C. Page
R. R. Cummings R. A. Beattie
A. P. Patterson R. M. Robertson
S. B. Smith J. U. Thomas

THE THISTLE RINKS

The following is the make-up of the Thistle rinks, with time and place of play:

AFTERNOON PLAY

On St. Andrew's Ice

H. W. Kinnaman J. A. Lyle
R. E. Smith Don Cameron
R. S. Ritchie W. J. S. Myles
H. C. Ollive F. A. McAndrews

On Thistle Ice

T. A. Linton J. H. Stevenson
L. P. D. Thiley C. H. Ferguson
Jas Mitchell H. W. Cole
J. C. Chesley E. W. Willard

On Thistle Ice

Geo. Rivers E. C. Gilmore
A. G. McRitchie W. E. Deming
E. P. Howard R. E. Crawford
G. S. Bishop A. J. Macdonald

EVENING PLAY

On St. Andrew's Ice

A. C. Rockwell P. D. Holman
H. W. Stubbs David Currie
F. J. Lyle W. A. Shaw
J. A. Shaw I. A. Langstroth

On Thistle Ice

J. McMillan Walter Barnes
I. Langley A. W. Eley
D. C. Malcolm W. J. Currie
A. D. Malcolm F. Watson

Y. M. C. A. HI Y CLUB

ENJOY TOBACCO

The Y. M. C. A. HI Y Club and a number of their young lady friends, numbering twenty-five couples in all, took last advantage of the scrumptious brand of weather offered by the "weathermen" last night, and enjoyed several hours of tobogganing and skating at Rockwood Park.

Returning to the city about 10.30, they partook of a delightful refreshment and enjoyed a musical programme before dispersing for the night. They were accompanied by Miss Work Secretary Nelson F. Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald.

U. S. Golfers To Great Britain

Plans Are Being Made by Wm. C. Fowles, Jr., Former Title Holder.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 21.—Plans are being made by Wm. C. Fowles, Jr., former United States national title holder, for the trip of United States golfers to Great Britain next summer. According to Fowles, the most prominent golfers in the United States will be members of the team. Among them are Chick Evans, Francois Oulmet, Bobby Jones, David Hovon, Bob Gardner, Nelson Whitman, Max Marston and Bert Westmore.

Original Contract

Considered Valid

Charles B. Cochran Makes Statement Regarding Dempsey-Carpenter Fight.

London, Jan. 21.—The original contract for the Dempsey-Carpenter boxing bout is considered still valid by Charles B. Cochran, the English boxing promoter, a party to the agreement. It was declared in a statement authorized by his own office here this morning.

Mr. Cochran's associates said they had no knowledge of authority for Wm. Brady, of New York, to speak in Mr. Cochran's behalf.

The statement reads: "As far as Mr. Cochran is concerned, the original contract for the Dempsey-Carpenter fight holds. If Messrs. Brady or Richard have withdrawn, that is beyond our control, but it is true Mr. Cochran offers 100,000 pounds to stage the fight in London."

It was said that Mr. Cochran had not heard directly from Mr. Brady, but was inclined to believe the ruling of the New York State Boxing Commission as to a maximum admission fee to the fight might have caused him to "get out from under."

Swimming Champs

Tuesday Evening

Was Postponed from New Year's—Large Number of Entries.

The Y. M. C. A. pool has booked a local association swimming championship meet, which will take place on Tuesday evening, 25th instant, at 8 o'clock.

This meet was postponed from New Year's morning, on account of the Sunday school rally.

Judging from the entries being received, this meet promises to be an interesting one. A great deal of swimming talent is concentrated in the Y. M. C. A.

Although no record-breaking is looked for, some fast time in the dashes is assured.

The meet is open to the whole membership, from juniors to seniors, and the following are the events:

35 yard dash—Juniors.

50 yard dash—Seniors.

Long plunge—Juniors and seniors.

50 yard back stroke—Juniors and seniors.

Pancie dive—Juniors and seniors.

Next dive—Juniors and seniors.

Canadians Get In

Stride Again

Edinburgh, Jan. 21.—Canadian curlers today defeated Cupar by 49 shots. Scores of Canadian rinks were:—

J. Mathieson, Wm. Macdonald, Robert Hicks, Peterboro, 21-18.

P. H. Douglas, Hamilton, 21-18.

J. A. Johnson, Balcar, 21-18.

W. C. Murray, Montreal, 21-18.

H. A. Adams, Manitoba, 21-18.

Total 131.

Defeated East Fifehire.

Edinburgh, Scotland, Jan. 21.—The Canadian curlers today returned their victorious tour of Scotland with a win over East Fifehire by 123 to 53. In individual scores were:

Robert Hicks, Peterboro, Ont., 18-10.

Ed. Culbert, Rainy River, Ont., 18-10.

W. F. Payne, Strathcona Club, 18-10.

Finlay, Man., 18-10.

John E. Thurston, Thistle Club, 18-10.

Montreal, 18-10.

W. H. Sample, Truro, N. S., 18-10.

Dr. S. T. White, Shelburne, 18-10.

N. B. HOCKEY

LEAGUE STANDING

Fredericton, Jan. 21.—The official standing of the New Brunswick Hockey League follows:

Won Lost For Against

Chatham, 4 1 30 13

Cambridge, 3 1 17 7

Fredericton, 3 2 15 12

Marville, 2 2 8 8

Chatham, 0 6 6 26

Chatham's defeat by Fredericton last night was the first game that they have lost in two years in the New Brunswick Hockey League, having won the Chestnut Cup last season.

Y.M.C.A. Boxing And Wrestling

Arrangements Being Completed for Grand Exhibition on Wednesday, 26th.

Arrangements are being completed for a boxing and wrestling exhibition to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium on Wednesday, the 26th, at 8 p. m. Some interesting bouts have been arranged, and a further announcement will be made shortly.

The object of this exhibition is to draw out material for the coming city and provincial championships.

Outside clubs are invited to participate in this exhibition, entries to be in at the Physical Director's Office not later than Monday evening, the 25th instant.

Quite a number of athletic clubs in the city are taking part in these two sports and this is an opportunity for these clubs to bring out their material and help to swell the entries for the championship meets later on.

All entries to be approved by the Y. M. C. A. boxing committee; only entrants with strict amateur standing will be allowed.

South End Rink

Skating Races

Charles Gorman Won Senior 440 Yards—Wm. Logan Captured the Boys' Race.

The fine weather and smart racing was the cause of a very large attendance at the South End open air rink last night.

At nine o'clock two races were called on. There were five entries in the 440 yards senior event, viz. Chas. Gorman, Frank Garnett, Murray Bell, Gordon Logan and J. Bridges. Gorman won the race by a few yards over Garnett, who captured second. Time 44 1-5 seconds.

Eight youngsters started in the boys' race which was won by William Logan, Walter Gayton 2nd.

"Lucky Strike"

Wins Matched Race

But Owner of Defeated Horse Not Satisfied and Another Race is Planned.

Special to The Standard

Woodstock, Jan. 21.—The matinee races postponed from yesterday were held this afternoon. In the matched race, for \$40 a side between Lucky Strike and College Swift, the former won. The owner of College Swift is not satisfied and another race between the two horses will take place next Thursday afternoon.

The summary of today's racing was as follows:

Match Race

Lucky Strike, (Black) 2 1 1 1

College Swift, (Gallagher) 1 2 2 2

Time—31, 31, 31, 31

Class B Race

Queenie Patchen, (Dewitt) 3 3 1 1

Q. B. D., (Walker) 2 2 3 3

Merry Wino, (Poole) 1 1 2 2

Time—32 1/2, 32, 32, 31, 32.

Hockey Surely

Needed In St. John

Loyalist City Has Material But No Rink to Play In—Smaller Places Enjoy Sport.

The largest crowd that has ever witnessed a hockey match since the days of the old Capitals in 1908 turned out for the N. B. Hockey League game between Fredericton and Chatham at Fredericton Thursday night.

At Moncton the other evening over a hundred spectators saw the home team defeat Amherst in the Independent Hockey League.

Large crowds in Bathurst watched the home boys play their rivals from Campbell.

In St. John there is a rumor that hockey was once played here. Amongst documents stored in Dominion archives in the Post Office, there is an account of an exhibition game played between a picked team from St. John and a team from the neighboring tribe of Passamaquoddy. The game was played on the Marsh Creek, and was watched with opened eyes wonder by the local tribe of Malloctes.

It is not because there is not sport in the city, but because there are not those who have taken their place in the athletic field today.

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Arrange Curling Bonspiel Games

Sackville, Hampton, St. Stephen, Fredericton, Thistles and Others Will Compete.

Everything is about ready for the New Brunswick Bonspiel to be held here next week. The committee in charge held a meeting last night and decided on the following schedule:

Tuesday's Games

On Tuesday morning and afternoon the following rinks will curl in the single rink competition:

Rink No. 10, Sackville vs Rink No. 11, Hampton.

Rink No. 22, Thistles vs Rink No. 26, Carleton.

Rink No. 16, St. Andrews vs Rink No. 20, Thistles.

Rink No. 23, Carleton vs Rink No. 3, Fredericton.

Rink No. 12, Hampton vs Rink No. 17, St. Andrews.

Rink No. 13, St. Andrews vs Rink No. 19, Thistles.

Rink No. 15, St. Andrews vs Rink No. 7, Fredericton.

Rink No. 8, Sackville vs Rink No. 6, Fredericton.

Rink No. 24, Carleton vs Rink No. 5, Fredericton.

Rink No. 21, Thistles vs Rink No. 18, Thistles.

The following rinks drew byes:

Rink No. 1, St. Stephen vs Rink No. 4, Fredericton.

Rink No. 9, Sackville vs Rink No. 2, St. Stephen.

Rink No. 14, St. Andrews vs Rink No. 6, Carleton.

In addition to this play during the day there will be a start of the consolation rinks.

Double Rinks

The Double rinks competition will be played Tuesday evening as follows:

St. Stephen vs Thistles on Thistle ice.

Sackville vs St. Andrews on St. Andrews ice.

Fredericton vs Carleton on Carleton ice.

Hampton drew a bye.

TI meet Play

The time of playing decided on was Morning 10 o'clock, afternoon, 2.30 and evening at eight o'clock.

Charlottetown Won

From Sussex

Special to The Standard

Sussex, Jan. 21.—The Alhambra Rink was filled to capacity tonight with enthusiastic hockey fans when the Abegweit of Charlottetown crossed sticks with the Sussex team in a game in the Eastern Amateur League series. The Charlottetown boys won out in one of the fastest and cleanest games ever played here by a score of 7 to 5. In the first period each team scored two goals; in the second Charlottetown three and Sussex two, and in the third Charlottetown two and Sussex one, making the final count 7 to 5. George Coggon refereed to the entire satisfaction of both teams.

The lineup as follows:

Charlottetown GoalFinnegan

MorganPoint

WilliamsC. Point

MooreP. Radcliffe

RoddJ. Leclair

L. CampbellFriers

GordonR. Wing

CampbellSpare

McEachernJones

McEachernMiller

McEachernMcEwen

Local Bowling

WELLINGTON LEAGUE.

In the Wellington League series on G. W. V. A. alleys last night the Veterans won all four points from the Naahwaak team. The scores follow:

G. W. V. A.

Cannon . . . 78 86 77 241 801.8

Angel . . . 99 80 83 262 871.3

Lawson . . . 85 99 81 265 881.3

Clark . . . 90 86 92 268 891.3

Roberts . . . 80 77 78 235 781.3