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The first matinee of the Regina Driving Club, which was held on Saturday afternoon was in every way a pronounced success, and the heavy programme of really interesting racing was enjoyed by a crowd of between three and four hundred people who assembled on the reservoir. The next meeting of the club will be held on Saturday afternoon next.
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ROARIN GAME IN FULL BLAST

Players from Manitoba and Saskatchewan Curling --Fourth Annual Bospiel Opens at Regina

Curlers are here from many places to attend the bospiel which is now in full swing at the curling rink and the auditorium, which has been requisitioned for the greatspiel.
Most of the curlers arrived by Monday evening when the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan branch of the R.C.C.C. was held in the dining room of the Wascana hotel. About 45 rinks were entered. Owing to the absence of the president of the association, vice-president Rosborough occupied the chair. Secretary B. B. Ferguson read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved.
Mayor Smith, who was present in a neat speech welcomed the curlers to the city, and in doing so referred to the spirit of friendliness and sociability which the game engendered amongst those who took part. He trusted the visitors would get a fair share of the prizes as well as enjoy themselves while in the city.
Mr. Carson, of Winnipeg, who was present with a rink, also spoke, after which the draw was proceeded with. The competitions and prizes for the bospiel this year are as follows:
Grand Challenge
First prize—Silver cup, value \$250, and four gold watches, value \$100, presented by Whitmore Bros., of Regina.
Second prize—Four brass gong chiming, value \$80, presented by the City of Regina.
Third prize—Four eight day mantle clocks, value \$60, presented by the City of Regina.
Fourth prize—Four gentlemen's gold watch chains, value \$40, presented by the Branch.
Saskatchewan Cup
First prize—Silver cup, value \$125, and four diamond set curling stone pins, value \$100, presented by His Honor, Lieut.-Governor Forger.
Second prize—Four gold watches, value \$80, presented by the branch.
Third prize—Four solid gold curling stone chains, value \$30.
Fourth prize—Four sets military hair brushes, value \$20.
Drewry Cup
First prize—Silver cup, value \$150, and four gold watches, value \$100,

presented by E. L. Drewry, Winnipeg.
Second prize—Four gold watches, value \$80, presented by the branch.
Third prize—Four silver watches, 15 jewels, value \$50, presented by the branch.
Fourth prize—Four gold plated bedroom clocks, value \$25.
Calgary Brewing Co. Trophy
First prize—Silver cup, value \$100 and four pairs curling stones, value \$100, presented by the Calgary Brewing Co.
Second prize—Four oil paintings, value \$50, presented by Wright Bros.
Third prize—Four curling stone tobacco jars, value \$25.
Fourth prize—Four pairs gold plated candlesticks, value \$20.
Visitors' Cup
First prize—Cup, value \$50, and four ladies' gold bracelets, value \$60, presented by Messrs. Whittier Bros., jewellers, Regina.
Second prize—Four ladies' gold watch chains, value \$40, presented by the branch.
Third prize—Four silver mounted biscuit jars, value \$25.
Fourth prize—Four Scotch pebble brooches, value \$15.
Pharoah Shield
First prize—Shield, value \$60, and eight suitably engraved lockets, value \$100.
Second prize—Eight gold mounted fountain pens, value \$50.
President's Cup
First prize—Silver cup, value \$60, and four pipes in cases, value \$25, presented by Canada Book & Drug Company.
Second prize—Four pipes in cases, value \$20, presented by the branch.
Third prize—Four pipes in cases, value \$15, presented by H. N. Kelly, Regina.
Special Prize
Grand Aggregate—Four gold lapelle buttons, engraved, value \$20, presented by L. T. Macdonald, president of the Regina Curling Club, will be awarded to the rink making the best record in the actual number of games played in the three open events of the Bospiel. No defaults to count.

GOVERNMENT TO DISCUSS SEED DISTRIBUTION

Provincial Ministers go to Ottawa to Talk Over the Scheme--Dominion May Finance and Province Distribute

Hon. J. A. Calder and Hon. W. R. Motherwell leave for Ottawa today to discuss with the Dominion government the question of supplying and distributing seed wheat to the needy farmers of this province. This matter has been referred to the local government by the federal authorities, and on Saturday, Wes. Spiers, colonization agent, and W. D. Scott, superintendent of immigration, Ottawa, were in the city and met Mr. Motherwell by appointment to talk over the preliminary features of the undertaking, which Mr. Motherwell told the West, he regards as the biggest scheme the government has had to face. Nothing has been agreed to so far, but there is a probability that the Dominion government will be asked to finance the project and the local government will be asked to assume the responsibility of distribution of the grain. Both governments expect to be able to make a definite announcement in a couple of weeks. It is anticipated that there is sufficient wheat at present in the province to supply the demands, but the most of the good seed oats have been shipped to the head of the lakes and it will be necessary to re-ship them back. This is without doubt an important matter and one which affects the farming interests of the country very vitally, and it is hoped that the solution of the question will be reached at an early date.

WHEAT WILL SOON SOAR

Every Indication that Dollar Prices Will Prevail—Glut of Feed Grades is Over.

Farmers who are holding wheat in the four upper grades will profit immensely when the spring opens for the market will reach a record price according to the present outlook, and there is no hope for a larger visible supply. The information was given The West a few days ago by one of the leading grain exporters of the province, and he is of the opinion that holders will make a big clean up. Even the feed grades have gone up considerably during the last week and the market has become quite keen all round. There is really a scarcity of wheat for consumption and the mills must have all there is in sight and they will pay the price. The government is making a big mistake in not procuring what is needed to supply the farmers, and they must supply them in many districts, and the more they pay the greater the obligation upon those who are dependent upon them for their spring seed.
The money situation, as far as the wheat is concerned, is much improved, and the market will not slump again as it did early in the winter. The congestion of feed wheat which practically glutted the grain channels has eased off through eastern consumption, and the whole situation has very much improved.

HOSPITAL AID'S MEETING

Finances Show Good Balance--Officers Elected for Ensuing Year

The annual meeting of the Women's Hospital Aid Society was held on Saturday afternoon in the basement of St. Paul's church. The president, Mrs. Bole, submitted her report as follows:
To the ladies of the Hospital aid, Regina:
One year ago you did me the honor of electing me president of this society. I take this opportunity to thank you for the honor you then conferred upon me, as I retire to the position of president of such a useful and splendid organization.
The year of work opened by the ladies meeting to the bospiel, the proceeds of which netted \$75. I regret to say that our next venture was not a success. I refer to the contract with the Chicago Luceum Bureau for concerts, on which we lost considerable. A hall was given in April, which was a great success, both from a social and financial standpoint, resulting in a surplus of

about \$150 after all expenses had been paid. This was followed by a successful china shower, completed our efforts in securing a great many useful and beautiful pieces of China for use in the hospital.
The principal expenditure of the year was in connection with the erection of a laundry building at a cost of \$500. It has proven a most satisfactory way of handling the laundry obviating the difficulties under which we formerly operated.

In retiring I wish to thank the officers, the executive and the different committees for the hearty manner in which they have co-operated with me in the work of the aid, and sincerely hope and believe that it will be continued with the devotion that such a worthy cause demands.

(Sgd.) A. A. BOLE.
The report of the treasurer was very satisfactory, showing a balance on the right side of \$324.01. After the adoption of the reports, the election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted as follows:

Hon. Pres.—Madame Forget.
Pres.—Mrs. A. G. Snyder.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. McIlree.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. P. McARA.
Secretary—Mrs. A. D. Millar.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. F. Reynolds.
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McDonald, W. E. Moore, O'Connor, J. R. Peverett, Adam Ross, Rothwell, Sinton, J. C. Shields, J. M. Young, Angus Smith, and Miss Perry. Votes of thanks were passed to His Honor, and Madame Forget, His Worship the Mayor and the city council, and the city press.

Preserve Battle Fields

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Much interest has been aroused in connection with the conference of Canadian clubs on the proposal to establish a national park on the site of the Quebec battlefields. A number of presidents of Canadian clubs have promised to be present, and it is confidently expected that some scheme will be inaugurated which will guarantee the raising of the million dollars required.

A preliminary meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon for organization, and in the evening a mass meeting will be held in the Russell theatre, at which addresses will be delivered by Earl Grey, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. R. L. Borden, Speaker Sutherland and others.

Among those who will be present at the conference will be William Whyte, second vice president of the O.P.R., and president of the Winnipeg club; President Joseph Chisholm, K.C., of the Halifax and eastern Canadian club; President Earl of the St. John-Canadian Club, and the presidents of the Canadian clubs at Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Peterboro, Port Arthur, Portage la Prairie, Brandon and Saskatoon.

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