# SWEEPS WIN

Interesting Game in City League-Maples Take Four Points in St.

In the City League, on Black's alleys, last evening the Sweeps took three points from the Tigers. The victory places the winners as contenders for leading honors. The game was interesting wowing to the close race for the lead by these two teams and also the Braves and Ramblers. The following was the official score:

Match Tonight

The members of the hockey teams of the Army Service Corps and 26th Battalion will clash this evening in what promises to be an interesting match. It also will be a minute promise to be an interesting match. It also will be a minute promise to be an interesting match. It also will be a made and so the units have strong teams. The 26th have Smith and Fowler of last year's St. Johns, while the Army Service Corps have Rothwell, Merkle, Crossman, at goal, point and cover point, and their forwards are to be chosen from Edwards, Bridges, McGowan, Simpson and Barr,

Prof. Team for Hatte

official score:				
Sweeps-			Total.	Avg.
jenkins 84	95	90	269	89 2-€
McIlveen 84	85	111	280	98 1-8
Iarrison100	92	87	279	93
erguson 83	89	88	260	86 2-8
ullivan115	75	121	311	103 2-€
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466	436	497	1399	
Tigers-	5		Total.	Avg.

St. Peter's Y. M. A. League

In St. Peter's Y. M. A. League last evening the Maples took four points from the Maliseets. Both good and poor 376 394 380 1147

bowling featured the game. The following was the tabular score:

### Sport News of A Day; **Home and Abroad**

The yacht Defiance, built by the tri-city syndicate as an American cup de-fender, has reached the end of her short

Great World's Championship Match.

J. B. Hanson, of San Francisco, went unheralded to the biennial contest for the American checker championship in Chicago and won his preliminary skirmish with Hugh Henderson, of Pittsburg, the present champion.

Alfred Jordan, of London, the world's title holder, won both sides of the switcher in his tilt with Walter Cooper of Detroit; John Howe, Jr., a sixteen vear-old Chicago boy, earned a draw in the opener with Jordan, but lost the second match.

Tom Harrigan, Pennsylvania, charming the redericton Horses Seized by Customs.

Fredericton, Jan. 14—Customs officials have seized two horses recently purchased in Chicago by W. B. Hunt, claiming they were not properly inspected. They are Marion Dillon, with a record of 2.17½, and Roy Volo, with a trial of 2.17½.

BASEBALL

Donovan After Players

Manager "Bill" Donovan of the New York Americans, was in Detroit on Wednesday and discussed with President Navin, of the local baseball club

second match.

Tom Harrigan, Pennsylvania champion, won both sides of the dike from F. R. Carlson, of Chicago. California scored a gain when John Bradford, Pacific coast champion, twice downed "Tom" Patterson, of St. Louis. Harry B. Reynolds, of Syracuse, played two draws with Louis Ginsburg, star of the New York city checker players.

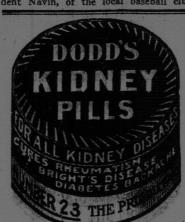
CURLING.
The McLellan Cup. Bathurst, N. B., Jan. 14—In the closest and most interesting curling matches ever played on Bathurst ice, Campbellton was defeated in their effort to lift the McLellan cup last night. The score was very close all the way through, the Bathurst defenders coming out at the last end with a lead of only seven points. The afternoon game was won by Bathurst defenders coming out at the last end with a lead of only seven points.

BASKETBALL.

junk, and she will be broken up mainly for the seventy tons of lead in her keel and the steel ribs in her frame. Parts of her top hamper, her spars, and some fittings will be turned over to the men who are now rebuilding Mr. Clark's Istalena. The yacht cost her builders about \$65,000. Reports say that as junk sae brought her owner \$6,500.

A Fairville League.

The first games of the season of the Fairville Baptist Sunday School Ladies' Basketball League were played last evening. Private Roy Stephens, of the 18th battalion, acted as referee. In the 18th battalion,



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