REAL HOCKEY TREAT FOR FANS TONIGHT WHEN JUNIORS MEET

Taylor's Hermits Stack Up Against Ingersoll at Westminster Rink.

That hockey fans will be given a real! treat tonight in the game between the London Hermits and the Ingersoll Junors is the belief of Manager A. T. Taylor. A practice of the local kids their home towns. The district tankard was held last night at Westminster rink, and the youngsters showed the 18 owing to the railway blockade. They best form they have displayed so far were postponed from January 15. this season. With a team of soldiers against them, the London Juliors played combination and showed good team work, which, if duplicated tonight, will mean the defeat of the cheese town

ggregation.

Lancaster, who showed good form at Lancaster, who snowed good form at the last game, is on the sick list, and will be replaced by Lamonde. "Doc" Cline will play centre. Cline's experience in hockey has been brief, but if he shows the same speed and pep he has in basketball, the centre forward speedy Work of Union Jacks
The chances of London winning in the junior district, O. H. A., are as good as those of any other team, despite the fact that the local boys have suffered one defeat. The junior O. H. A. group teams are about even in wins and losses. Manager Taylor is confident that the remaining games will all be victories for London.

Speedy Work of Union Jacks

Gave Them Victory.

STRATFORD, Jan. 17.—In a hard-fought, rather rough exhibition of pockey the local junior aggregation. up for tonight will be: Goal,

SEAFORTH, Jan. 17.—In an O. H. A. Junior game here tonight, Seaforth defeated Mitchell, 17 to 2. The game was fast, and the visitors played a strenuous one, but their defence was unable to hold out against the home team forwards. Reg. Reid was noticeably the

Score by periods:	5 to 1; 12 to 1.
Line-up: Mitchell.	Seaforth.
SmithGoal	nce Stewart
Davidson Defe	nce Hully
Walters Win	g Fox Reg. Reid
CookCent Referee—Eizerma	re Kerslake n of Mitchell.

ONTARIO TANKARD SCORES AT WINDSOR ing, but

WINDSOR, Jan. ard curling scores	17.—Ontario tank- at Windsor today
Were: Windsor. A. Langlois, T. Hanes,	Detroit. H. West, Dr. Robins,
I. A. White, J. Lyon, skip	Robert Kay, S. Stevenson, skip
Windsor. H. White, Lanspeary, Joseph Leroux,	F. W. Kerr, D. S. Duffield, Robert Kerr,
v. Cornwell, skip 8	C. Guiney, skip 22

Tankard Games Are Being Played Off At Harriston Today

Thousand Dollars in Prizes Goes to the Red Cross.

WIN AT STRATFORD IN FAST EXHIBITION

hockey, the local junior aggregation went down to defeat at the hands of uter; Gillies and Lamonde, defence; ne, centre; Norman, left wing; Light-the much-heralded Kitchener Union to, right wing, and Logan, substitute. Jacks tonight by a score of 15 to 2. The score, however, should not be taken the much-heralded Kitchener Union The score, however, should not be taken as an indication of the play, and the Jacks" will have to show better form EASY FOR SEAFORTH than they did tonight if they wish to carry away the silverware. Brickman was easily the best man for the visitors.

but seemed unable to score.

The First Score.

Brickman drew first blood for the visitors, after but a few minutes of play. Walsh reltaliated, however, and in less than a minute had passed Bowman. It was then see-saw from one end to the other, with some close checking, but before the period ended the "Jacks" had passed Malone for four more, and the period ended 5 to 1.

The second period was the most exciting and the locals held the visitors to two goals. This was Stratford's best in the second period was the most exciting and the locals held the visitors to two goals. This was Stratford's best in the second period was the most excited the second period the second goals. This was Stratford's best Lavelle also got one in this Tom Dodds ... The third period proved a heart-breaker, but it was not through the lack of effort on the Stratford boys' part. In this frame Kitchener secured eight goals, while the locals were held scoreless. The game ended 15 to 2.

The teams were: Kitchener—Goal, Bowman; defence, Brickman and Seiling; centre, Jamieson; wings, Clark and Berger; sub., Kelter-FLEMING JOINS AIR CORPS.
MONTREAL, Jan. 17. — Frankie mring, featherweight boxer chamn of Canada, has joined the Royal ring Corps. He will be trained at mp Borden, Ont.

borne.

Stratford—Goal, Malone; defence. Walsh and Hoffman; centre, Morenz; wings, Elliott and Seebach; sub., Lavelle.

Goals—Brickman 5, Selling 4, Clark 3, Jamieson 3, Lavelle 1, Walsh 1.

Referee—Lightfoot, Stratford.

GASSELMAN'S RINK WINS PRIZE AT LONDON BONSPIEL

Ice Last Night.

Strong.	
The scores were:	
Branston,	Pollard,
McLaughlin,	Patterson,
F. Sage.	Moore,
Casselman,	Cameron.
Won 4, plus 25.	Won 1, minus 11.
Wortman,	T. Baker,
W. Anderson,	Aked.
C. B. McLean,	S. McKay,
Allen.	D. McDonald.
Won 4, plus 17.	Won 0, minus 18.
Routledge,	Crumbie,
Sergt. Anderson,	Martin,
Wood.	Sanders,
Shaw.	Tory.
Won 3. plus 9.	Won 0, minus 19.
D. McDonald,	Sutherland,
Banks.	Patrick.
E. Sage,	Turnbull,
W. T. Strong.	T. Gillean.
	Won 2, plus 1.
Won 3, plus 16.	Silverwood,
Quick,	Stone,
W. D. Manning,	Stevenson.
godgins,	A Wanless.
Coombs.	Won 3, plus 10.
Won 0, minus 27.	Won s, plus 10.

STRATFORD, Jan. 17.—In a hard- LOCAL SENIORS MUST WIN CONTEST WITH KITCHENER HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

> Line-up of London Team Will Be a Strong One.

The London Senior Hockey players Junior game here tonight, Seaforth defeated Mitchell, 17 to 2. The game was fast, and the visitors played a strenuous one, but their defence was unable to hold out against the home team forwards. Reg. Reld was noticeably the star, carrying the puck frequently the star carrying the puck frequently the star, carrying the puck frequently the star carrying the puck as tar. Every man was working hard, and was on the show his usual form. For the locals have rather hard luck and have lost two games so far. They have just got to win tomorrow.

The local star the running. For this reason it is believed that the game will be far the best of the season. The locals have rather hard luck and have lost two games so far. They have just got to win tomorrow.

The local team will line up with Shutter in goal; White, point; Sander-cock, the former Woodstock star, at cover; Rose of Sarnia, centre; Ruple, they have garned to this deep in the toth the sasturday night to keep in the puck frequently win on Saturday night to keep in the toth defence as a game to this gasturday night to the team.

Seiling, Brickman's mate on the defence as the best of the season. The locals have free hard the season. The locals have free hard the season. The locals have free the season. The locals have free the season. The locals have free th

WATFORD TRIMMED FOREST IN FAST GAME

WATFORD, Jan. 17.—In a fast ex-ibition game here tonight, Watford won asily from Forest by a score of 15 to 5. asily from Forest by a scot of the line-up was:
Watford.

For Welay Defence Lochead

CANADIAN JOCKEY WON HALF CARD AT HAVANA

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WATERLOO CURLERS ARE AFTER CUP CF **GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

Largest Crowd of Season on Defeat Drumbo and Will Play New Middleweight Is Four in Toronto Series.

HARRISTON, Jan. 17.—The annual bonspiel of the Harriston Curling Club will be held this year, commencing on January 23. In order to conform to war time conditions \$1,000 prizes in cash will be offered to be donated by the winners to the Red Cross Society of their home towns. The district tankard games will be played off here January 18 owing to the railway blockade. They were postponed from January 15.

Hive fuil rinks were on the ice at the London Curling Rink last night and keen interest was taken in the play afternoon defeated Drumbo for the district cup in District No. 6 and won the right to go to Toronto to compete for the governor-general's cup. Up to the sixteenth end the Drumbo men had the lead. The game was nip and truck throughout with both clubs curling Rink last night and compete the London Curling Rink last night and keen interest was taken in the play district cup in District No. 6 and won the right to go to Toronto to compete for the governor-general's cup. Up to the sixteenth end the Drumbo men had the lead. The game was nip and truck throughout with both clubs curling Rink last night and keen interest was taken in the play district cup in District No. 6 and won the right to go to Toronto to compete for the governor-general's cup. Up to the sixteenth end the Drumbo men had the lead. The game was nip and truck throughout with both clubs curling Rink last night and ferroon defeated Drumbo for the district cup in District No. 6 and won the right to go to Toronto to compete for the governor-general's cup. Up to the sixteenth end the Drumbo men had the lead. The game was nip and truck throughout with both clubs curling Rink last night and ferroon defeated Drumbo for the district No. 6 and won the right and stern on district No. 6 and won the right to go to Toronto to compete for the governor-general's cup. Up to the sixteenth end the Drumbo men had the lead. The game was nip and truck throughout with both clubs afternoon defeated Drumbo for the district No. 6 and won the right and the right and the r

	Waterloo skips wo	on the district in
	1916. The scores are: Semi-finals:	
	Drumbo.	Galt,
	W. Binkley25	W. Caldwell11
	K. McLaren12	W. McGregor14
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	Total37	Total25
	Waterloo.	Preston.
	F. Halstead16	T. Parker 7
	C. Snider23	J. McKenna 6
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	Total39	Total13
	Finals:	Drumob.
	Waterloo.	R. Davidson
	C. Hemphill	A. Laurie
	L. Detenbeck A. Haehnel	A. Laurie
	A. Haennel	H. Baxter
		K. McLaren22
	C. A. Kranse	W. Klosz
	r. Dalgleish	G. Clark
R	nughes	J. Scott
	F. Halstead16	M. Binkley 8
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CUTTING OFF OF RACE MEETINGS CUTS REVENUE

Few of Hughie's Tigers O'DOWD THIRD Are In Unmarried Class AMERICAN TO

HONORS OFTEN DISPUTED

teenth to Hold Title of Class.

in that division.

The middleweight class in America has been productive of more disputes as to fille than any other division of pugilism. The only champions whose right to the honors was not questioned were Jack Dempsey, Bob Fitzsimmons, Tommy Ryan and Stanley Ketchel.

Despite the fact that none of the champions made a better record than Frank Klaus, and that he was the first American with a clear right to tack "world's champion" after his name, there has been a studied attempt to decry his claims to the laurels.

Jack Dempsey appeared to outclass the field, and got along swimmingly until Bob Fitzsimmons, the freckled fury of Timaru, arrived on the scene. This marked the end of Dempsey's reign, for Timeru, arrived on the scene. This marked the end of Dempsey's reign, for he never recovered from the effects of the beating he received from Fitz

Dempsey Was Set Back Before.

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These performances gave Klaus a valid claim on the American title, and he proceeded to clinch the world's championship by stopping Georges Carpentier, riddleweight champion of Europe, in nineteen rounds at Dieppe, France, June 24, 1912.

By way of good measure, Klaus heat Havana, Jan, 18.—Tommy Cummings, the Canadian rideer, won half of the card at Oriental Park yesterday afternoon. He finished in front with Thesieries in the finished in front with Thesieries in the fourth race, Lemshen's Pride in the fifth, and Brown Prince in the last. The card was without a feature, and the races were run over slow footing.

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—The cutting off of race meetings in the province will mean a loss of revenue amounting to \$200,000, but the provincial treasurer says the amusement tax will amount to \$500,000 without the income from the race track ticket tax.

These wonderful performances by Klaus made him indisputably the middleweight champion of the world.

Knocked Out in Home Town.

By an ironical turn of fate the new champion returned to his home town of Pittsburg, and was knocked out twice

Pittsburg, and was knocked out twice by George Chip, once in six rounds on October 11, 1913, and the second time in five rounds on December 23, 1913.

Chip decisively won the title, and when he was clipped on the chin by Al McCoy at the Broadway Sporting Club and knocked out in the first round in 1914, the championship went to McCoy. The champions and the period in which they held their title follow:

Middleweight Class. nip, once in six rounds

Middleweight Class
Name. Tenure of title. Years.
Tenure of title. Years.
George Rooke1868-1874 Tom Chandler 1801-1808
George Rooke 11868-1874
Mike Donovan 1874-1882
Title lapsed till 1884
Frank Dempsey 1884-1889
George la Blanche 1889-1891
Bob Fitzsimmons 1891-1897
Title lapsed, Fitzsimmons entering the heavyweight class.
Tommy Ryan, claimant 1897-907

Ryan retired undefeat-ed in 1907 ed in 1907. Stanley Ketchel, claim-| Stayley Ketchel, claim-ant 1907-1908 | Billy Papke 1907 | Stanley Ketchel 1907-1910 | Frank Klause 1911-1913 | George Chip 1913-1914 | Al McCoy 1914-1917 | Mike O'Dowd 1917 80 days

CAREY IS BEST IN OLD LEAGUE

Picked as Most Valuable Outfielder on Tener's List.

The most valuable outfielder in the National League? National League?
Snep judgment suggests the names of Eddie Roush, George Burns, Benny Kauff or Walton Cruise.
But a perusal of the batting and fielding averages, suggested by one of the "deans," shows that Max Carey of the Pinates ranks higher than any of the rest as an all-around fielder.
Carey, in the first place, is the best base-runner in the National League. He has topped the list of cushion burglars for several years, and there is no outfielder in the circuit who has anything on him in the all-around use of speed.

thing on him in the all-around use of speed.

Roush, Cruise and others topped Carey in batting, but at that the Pittsburg flash batted only four points below 300, finishing the seson with a swatting mark of .296. And Carey bats both right and left-handed. The figures show also that he stood fifth in runmaking, though they do not show how many times he batted in runs or how well he worked at the bat in conjunction with the runners on the bases, an art in which he is highly proficient.

In fielding Carey topped all his rivals with a total of 440 put-outs, and he had two less assists than Casey Stenget of the Dodgers, who led his league, with 30. This proves that Carey's throwing arm cannot be rated second to any in the league, for two assists more or less do not matter. league, for two assists more or less do not matter.

Carey's temperament has been pointed to as a fault several times, yet under average conditions he would probably show no more signs of nerves than any other player.

He may not be the most valuable man playing the outfield, but he demands consideration from anyone who attempts to pick the man for the place.

EX-CZAR'S FAMILY HAS ESCAPED FROM PRISON

Unconfirmed Report Says Romanoffs Are Again Free.

LONDON, Jan. 17 .- Nicholas Roman-LONDON, Jan. I.—Nicholds Roman-off, the former emperor, and his family have escaped from their prison near Tobolsk, it is reported in Petrograd, according to a Referre dispatch from the Russian capital. The report, the

gripping the United States and her al-

Detroit Wouldn't Be Hurt Mu ch if United States Called All

Unmarried Men in Next Draft—In Fact, It Might

Help Club' Along Some.

Detroit, Jan. 17.—Provost-Gen. Crowder's suggestion that none but single men, without dependents, be taken in the next draft for the national army station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station that Crawford once guarded so clinched a job with the team on the final station can be made now for chose who become inocutated with the spirit to tickle the kaiser with a charge from a French 75 or carve him with a hand grenade and emilst.

This far eight men under reserve to the Detroit management have answered the call to the colors, five of the eight enlisting in various branches of the service. One of them, Nicholson, an outflelder, was depended upon to win the service. One of them, Nicholson, an outflelder, was depended upon to win to tickle the kaiser with a charge from a French 75 or carve him with a hand grenade and emilst.

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Claim Leadership.

Mike O'Dowd is the fourteenth American middleweight champion and the third American to win the world's title in that division.

will, if his plan is adopted, practically assure Hughie Jennings, a well-balanced aggregation in the 1918 pennant race.

If the order applies to all married men regardless of their financial status, or single men whose dependents would be provided for in the event that they were called to the colors, there isn't a man under reserve to the Detroit Club now who couldn't be spared without seriouswill, if his plan is adopted, practically well.

who couldn't be spared without serious-The middleweight class in America by effecting the playing strength of the

When you think you are about cured of one, another seems ready to take its London to St. Thomas.

What Can Be Expected.

The situation merely is cited to give the fans an idea of what can be expected in the event that Government officials establish a set standard in the next draft to deal with single men only.

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On and after Monday, January 14th, cars leave London week days only.

Cars marked with a star (°) run *6.10, 7.30, 10.00 a.m., *1.00, 1.30, *3.15, *5.15, 6.15, 8.30, 10.30 p.m.

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Timetable Effective Sept. 20.

TO ST. THOMAS—†5:20, †*6:20, 7:20, *5:20, 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—†*5:20, *8:20, *10:20 a.m. *1:20, *3:20, *5:20, *7:20, *10:20 p.m.

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