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— AND REVIEWS.

MARYSVILLE PLAYS AT SUSSEX TONIGHT

Regularly Scheduled N. B. & P. E. I. A. H. A. Game at Dairy Town Tonight

The Marysville Hockey Club's squad left this morning for Sussex, where they will play the leaders in the western section of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Amateur Hockey Association in a regularly scheduled game tonight.

The Marysville team will have their regular lineup, it was said this morning.

Marysville and St. John Here on Wednesday Night

The Marysville team will return here from Sussex tomorrow and tomorrow night will play St. John at the Arctic Rink. The game was scheduled for St. John but was transferred here because St. John lacks a rink and it is expected the teams will prove most evenly matched.

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FREDERICTON, NEW BRUNSWICK

The McLellan Cup Hunters off Tonight

The Fredericton Curling Club completed plans last night for going after the McLellan Cup, indicative of the curling championship of the Maritime Provinces. Three rinks will leave here tonight for Bathurst.

In 1920 Fredericton won the trophy from Bathurst and one of the three rinks going to the North Shore town for tomorrow night's play is "identically the same as one of the three which helped to lift the cup in 1920. When Fredericton won the cup in 1920 they held it but a short time before Truro, which had held the trophy for long periods, stepped in and took it again. Later Bathurst won it back from Truro.

The Bathurst Club have defended the McLellan Cup against four challengers this season, their total scores being 179 against 116 for the challengers. Three of their games have been won by margins of 15 points, the biggest margin being 18 points in their first game. Truro is the only challenger preceding Fredericton to play three rinks.

Fredericton's skips are Fred P. Hatt, Judge Limerick and T. A. Belmore, and the other members of the rinks will be: H. B. Colwell, W. A. B. McLellan, William Walker, Eben Staples, S. A. Limerick, J. H. Ramsay, G. W. Birmingham, E. J. Myles and C. R. Barry.

ADAMS LEADS SCORERS

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 31.—Jack Adams is leading the Pacific Coast Hockey in scoring averages by several points, having 25 to his credit.

DEMPSEY-BRENNAN MATCH

New York, Jan. 31.—Jack Dempsey and Bill Brennan have been matched to fight on March 17, at was announced yesterday.

Big Scandal in College Football

Small Town Rivalry in Middle West Resulted in Stars of University of Illinois and Notre Dame University Being Rounded Up For Game—Carlinville's Sure Thing Upset and Taylorville, Beating Rivals at Own Game, Wins \$50,000.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—The bitter rivalry between two country towns, which became so acute that approximately \$100,000 was bet on a football game, was the real cause of the athletic scandal which resulted in disqualification last night of nine University of Illinois athletes and which threatened to reach into Notre Dame University.

A group of citizens of Carlinville, Ill., it was learned tonight, decided last night financially to "clean out" the rival town of Taylorville, Ill., by obtaining 10 college stars to play on their football team, and with victory apparently assured, to bet the limit on the annual contest between the two eleven.

But Taylorville learned of the plan, obtained nine college stars for its own team and not only defeated Carlinville, but won close to \$50,000 by covering every Carlinville bet made, thus beating the rival town at its own game.

Ten Notre Dame players were in the Carlinville lineup, according to statements by citizens of that town while the nine Illinois players who had last night played on the Taylorville eleven.

Gus Desch in the Lineup
In the Carlinville lineup, according to persons associated with the team, were Gus Desch, member of the American Olympic team and famous as a 440-yard hurdler; Chester Wynne, selected by some as All-Western full-back; and John Mohr, All-American selection of several football writers. All played on the Notre Dame eleven last fall.

The nine Illinois men involved, and who have been disqualified, are Larry Walquist, Jack Crangle, Joe Sternman, "Dutch" Kaiser, "Dope" Simpson, John Teuscher, D. A. Milligan, F. J. Gorman and P. T. Gray.

In 1920 Carlinville won from Taylorville, 10 to 7, at Carlinville. Taylorville at that time loudly boasted that the next year, with its team on its home ground, there would be a different story.

Several Carlinville citizens then conceived the "safe betting" idea of filling their lineup with college stars. Overtures were made to Notre Dame men, according to backers of the Carlinville team, and it was agreed to pay the 10 men \$200 each, plus their expenses, the total coming to \$2,700.

The persons who arranged things passed the word to their friends to bet the limit. These friends went to the bank, the family stocking and the cupboard to bring forth, in some cases, the savings of years. A special train was hired and a band taken along on the trip to Taylorville. Farmers from all the nearby towns arranged to join the pilgrimage, and in nearly every case a well-filled wallet was taken along. The clinching of the game became common gossip on the street corners, in the grocery stores, and wherever the citizens gathered.

Taylorville Learns of Plot
But each person who received the "confidential" information apparently passed it on to another friend, for gradually the word spread through Macoupin and Montgomery Counties into Taylorville.

At the same time Taylorville received word that Carlinville was ready to back its team with the "family jewelry" if necessary.

Consternation spread through Taylorville.

Carlinville at the idea of sending their team against Nationally known college players.

Then a few citizens decided to seek a little college aid themselves. Quietly the word was passed around not to fear Carlinville, that a means of defeating their rivals' plans had been found.

When the time for the game came a group of Carlinville citizens began checking up over in one corner of the field. They found that their citizens had bet close to \$50,000. Over in another section some Taylorville citizens reached the same conclusion.

When the Carlinville eleven came on the field the visiting rooters rose to cheer.

"What are we yelling for? That's the Taylorville team," said a Carlinville woman.

"O, no, that's Carlinville," replied a Taylorville policeman.

"I guess I know our boys, and not one of these fellows is from Carlinville," indignantly replied the woman.

Stars Swamp Carlinville.

Taylorville in the first half used the regular home town team. At the end of the half Taylorville led 10 to 0. Then, out on the field trotted nine stars from the University of Illinois. They had been held under cover for the first two periods.

Little Sternman ran circles around the Carlinville ends. Jack Crangle plunged through the line and Larry Walquist forward passed for big gains. The game ended with Taylorville winning, 16 to 0, \$50,000 in cash to the good and Carlinville out an equal sum.

Bert Wilson, grocery store owner at Carlinville tonight said that Carlinville had no hard feelings against Taylorville over the game. "We got beat at our own game," he said. "Perhaps we'll win next year."

"We certainly went the limit. There are 6,000 persons in this town and about the same number in Taylorville, yet the attendance at that game was close to 10,000."

"I guess everybody in this section of the State went."

Taylorville Manager's Story.

Taylorville, Ill., Jan. 30.—Charges that the Illinois football players who were barred from varsity athletics yesterday for participating in a semi-professional football game Nov. 27th, were hired, and that a large amount of money was bet on the game were verified in part today by Dick Simpson, manager of the Taylorville team.

Protesting that he did not want to get any college players in bad, Simpson asserted that he had hired the Illinois players when he learned that Carlinville, the opposing team, was "loaded with college stars who cost \$2700."

Simpson said he had been told that Carlinville backers had laid approximately \$30,000 in wagers on their team depending upon the star college players from Notre Dame for victory. This money, he said he understood, was lost when Taylorville captured the game after Simpson had secured the Illinois players for his team.

He declared he knew positively of one \$5,000 bet on the game.

TO DISCUSS PLANS FOR 1922 RACING

Provincial Tracks Will Be Asked to Send Delegates to Fredericton

Directors of the Fredericton Park Association at a meeting that was held at the Barker House last evening decided to invite representatives of various tracks in New Brunswick to attend a conference in Fredericton next month to discuss racing plans for the coming season.

Advocates of a Maritime Provinces circuit will thus have an opportunity to show what there is in sight in the way of real material for such a circuit and to clear the way for making plans for the 1922 racing season. So far nothing has been heard in the way of a call for a meeting of the Maine and New Brunswick Circuit, which last season gave the territory embraced therein the highest class racing it ever had. The executive officers reside in Aroostook county.

Until the reorganization of Agricultural Society No. 34 is completed it is not exactly certain on just what lines the Fredericton Park Association, which turned over the lease and assets to the exhibition organization, can function hereafter, but it is expected they will continue to stage summer racing and they may also be placed in charge of the racing programme at the exhibitions.

The following officers were elected for the Fredericton Park Association last evening:

President—P. S. Watson,
Vice-President—Harry Crotty,
Treasurer—T. V. Monahan,
Secretary—G. E. Howie.

Fights Last Night

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)
Philadelphia, Jan. 31.—George Chaney, of Philadelphia, knocked out Harry Carlson, of Boston, in the fifth round last night.

Canadian Lost London Bout.

London, Jan. 31.—Seaman James Hall, Imperial services champion, defeated George Spencer, Montreal, in a 15 round lightweight bout here last night.

Bouts at Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 31.—In the feature contest at St. Denis Theatre here last night Oscar Deschamps, a local lightweight, was given a newspaper decision over Redcap Wilson, New York, in their ten round bout. In the semi-final Benny Murphy, New York, was knocked out in the second round of the ten round bout with Joe Burns, local featherweight.

VANCOUVER BEAT SEATTLE, 3 TO 2

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 21.—Vancouver defeated Seattle 3 to 2 in overtime play last night.

Vancouver.
Lehman, Goal
Cook, Defence
Duncan, Forward
Mackay, Forward
Adams, Sub
Skinner, Sub
Parke, Sub
Tobin, Sub
Referee—Mr. Ion.

First period: 1—Vancouver, Duncan, 2-0.
Second period: No score.
Third period: 2—Seattle, Morris, 5-12;
3—Seattle, Morris, 4-48; 4—Vancouver, Skinner, 2-40.
Overtime: 5—Vancouver, Mackay, 3-02.

AMATEURS GIVING AWAY TO THE PROS.

Inroads of Professionals Put Western Hockey League Almost Out of Business

Regina, Sask., Jan. 30.—There has been another reorganization of the Saskatchewan Senior Amateur Hockey League due to the fact that the Moose Jaw Maple Leafs have dropped out of the league.

The action is said to have been caused by the inroads of professionals. Accordingly, Indian Head and Regina will complete the schedule. This is the third time this season that a schedule for the amateurs has been drafted.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 31.—Stanislaus Zyzsko defeated Dick Daviscourt in two straight falls last night.

Race Track Betting

Is Declared Legal

(Canadian Press by Leased Wire.)
Toronto, Jan. 30.—The divisional court of the Supreme Court of Ontario has dismissed the appeal of the Attorney General of Ontario in the cases against the Windsor Hockey Club and the Western Racing Association.

In these cases the local magistrate at Windsor dismissed the charges against these organizations of keeping a common betting and gambling house.

The magistrate's dismissal is therefore sustained.

BOWLING

"Ronnie" Staples won the weekly roll off at the Palace Alley last night with the three string total of 291, winning from "Doc" Kelly by one pin. Nine bowlers competed. The scores follow:

	1	2	3	Tot.
R. Staples	100	97	94	291
Kelly	84	111	96	291
A. Clark	85	89	93	267
Car	90	85	90	265
A. Styrant	93	75	87	255
S. Kierstead	78	86	88	252
Y. Simons	79	86	73	238
C. Johnston	70	83	85	238
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