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## COLTS' CURLING TOURNAMENT

Opening Games of the Series  
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London Downed by Glencoe and  
Glencoe Defeated by Wood-  
stock.

Doings of the Ontario Hockey  
Association.

Collegiates Defeat the Military School  
Team—Oresen's Loss at Watford  
—Other Sporting News.

### CURLING.

#### GLENCOE DOWNED LONDON.

The first game in the colts' league was played yesterday morning at the Simcoe street rink, between London and Glencoe. The latter won in a very close game. London's second rink was eight points behind, but in the last five ends piled up twelve shots. This was not enough, five shots being necessary to win the game. The ice was in splendid shape. The score:

Glencoe	London
Rink No. 1— M. C. Campbell, Arch. Finlayson, S. J. McCreey, J. L. Luckman, skip.....	F. Sage, C. H. Tunc, G. H. Edmiston, G. C. O'Grady, skip.....
19	13
Rink No. 2— George Parrott, T. K. Pool, R. R. McKellar, G. C. McFarlane, skip.....	C. Ward, H. Finchamp, C. Graham, Alf. Robinson, skip.....
16	18
Total.....	Total.....
35	31

Majority for Glencoe, 4 shots.

WOODSTOCK WINS FROM GLEN-  
COE.

Glencoe and Woodstock played a game in the first round of group 3 for the Ontario tankard yesterday afternoon at the Simcoe street rink, and Woodstock won. Score:

Glencoe	Woodstock
Rink No. 1— M. Campbell, A. Finlayson, J. L. Luckman, J. McCreey, skip.....	F. J. Eure, A. J. MacIntosh, G. H. Edmiston, G. C. O'Grady, skip.....
13	11
Rink No. 2— G. Parrott, T. K. Pool, R. R. McKellar, G. C. McFarlane, skip.....	F. Horner, W. A. Karn, skip.....
13	11

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ents, and won out by a score of 5 to 2. Ashplant put up a great game for the Collegiate, and Gauthier for the Military boys. A little referred.

### RECORDS OF WARD AND GALLAGHER.

The coming contest, which takes place on Tuesday, proves to be a great drawing card. The sale of seats at the Grand Opera House today was the best that the London Athletic Club has had so far, and shows that the public realize that the management are doing all in their power to secure the best talent possible. Gallagher arrived today, and is in fine shape for his contest with Ward. He says he should be able to secure the decision from his man, and will do his utmost to give the people a good clean contest on Tuesday. He is aware of the man he is facing, and knows that he has a good hard man to meet, and for this reason has trained most faithfully, as the winning of this contest means much to him.

Andy Ward regards the matter in the same way. If he wins this contest, it will place him where he will be able to go against the best of them. He is a very ambitious young man, and wants to work his way to the top. He is but 24 years of age, having been born in Selby, England, on May 6, 1876. His height is 5 feet 5½ inches, and in condition he weighs 128 pounds. His record regarding the award is as follows: (w), Fred Gibbs, 3; (e), Jack Cawford (ex.), 3; (w), Lew Flint, 2; (w), Ward Hasted, 3; (e), Jack Cawford, 3; (d), Pat Kelly, 8; (w), Pat Kelly, 10; (w), Teddy Chandler, 10; (d), Tom Donald, 8; (w), Denny Gallagher, 6; (l), Joe Youngs, 14; (d), Jack Bennett, 9; (l), Frank Stockhouse, 2.

In the contest with Youngs, the latter weighed fully 150 pounds, and Ward broke his hand in the eighth round. In the decision he lost to Kelly most witnessed regarding the award is as follows: Ward is ready to meet any man in the country at his weight. He will arrive here on Monday noon, and is in fine condition for his contest with Gallagher. He has the advantage of youth, being four years younger than his opponent, and the advantage of a quarter of an inch in reach.

Denny Gallagher was born at Skilbreen, county Cork, Ireland, Feb. 1872; stands 5 feet 3½ inches, and in condition weighs 125 pounds. Gallagher has been engaged in upwards of 150 contests, the most important of which will be fought with Ward on Tuesday. The seventh, Ohio, during the war with Spain, as boss wagner, with rank of lieutenant. Following is his record: (k), Joe Phillips, 9 rounds; (k), Harry Sheldon, 10; (k), J. Jenkins, 13; (k), Billy Bland, 3; (k), Kid Griffin, 17; (k), Ed Kelly, 32; (w), Clever Miller, 10; (k), Jack Brady, 12; (k), Kid Connelly, 3; (w), Frank Machowski, 4; (k), Jack Williams, 10; (k), J. Jenkins, 13; (k), Billy Verone, (k), Ned Cartwright, 35; (d), Billy Whistler, 21; (k), Jack Powell, 5; (l), Oscar Gier, 40; (k), Kid Croft, 5; (l), Ed Bennett, 10; (k), Dave Seville, 20; (k), Jack Kelly, 7; (d), Dave Seville, 20; (d), Kid Broad, 6; (d), Emil Seaneis, 12; (l), Andy Ward, 6; (w), Bob Thompson, 10; (w), Nat Smith, 4; (d), Pat Kelly, 10; (d), Ed Bennett, 10; (w), Moore, 23; (l), Louder Campbell (foul), 6; (k), Kid Shook, 5.

This record shows that the men are of the best material, and should put up a very clever exhibition of the nation of the sport. The public may expect to get the full worth of their money at the show. The first event will go on the stage at 8:15, sharp, and there will be no waits or stops of any kind. The contest is of the management to make this one of the best bills of the kind ever given in the city, and they look for a banner house on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 29. The sale which opened this morning at the Grand Opera House, was the best of the season. Those wishing to secure good seats had better get them early.

### AQUATIC.

London, Jan. 27.—It is announced that Peter Doolittle, who sold the United States under the command of Capt. Archie Hogarth.

### WHEEL.

BIKE TIRES TO GO UP.  
Akron, Ohio, Jan. 27.—Official notice has been issued by the Diamond and Goodyear Rubber Companies of an agreement made with Theodore A. Dodge, of New York, owner of patents on single-tube bicycle tires. The agreement will, it is believed, result in an increase in the price of tires about 50 per cent.

### TURF.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.  
At Oaklawn, San Francisco, Flomora, Comorant, Persus, Midlove, Scotch Plaid and Sly.

### BASBALL.

#### TWO CLUBS DROPPED.

The conference of the National League magnates at Cleveland came to an end Friday, and it is announced that Cleveland and Louisville have been cut adrift. The men in attendance would not talk, but the dropping of these two cities was not denied. Baltimore and Washington would have met a similar fate, but the price will be considered. It is not thought the league will start with ten clubs, as before spring. President Johnson made a proposition for Cleveland, and it is thought that city will be a member of the American League circuit this year. Baltimore and Washington have been very badly, and the league groups have been leased for a year by the new club. This will bring about a legal fight. Providence is said to have agreed to enter the new organization, so the two cities mentioned, with Boston and Philadelphia, will form the eastern half of the circuit.

### NOTES OF SPORT.

The New York Clipper Annual for 1900 has been issued, and not only are all the many excellent qualities contained in former issues embodied in this, but it is increased in value by its careful and meritorious collection of all classes of records of sports, dramatic news, and all athletic information. The chronologic events are well collected, and the Clipper Annual is now the only reliable authority for sportsmen for records, etc. This issue is enhanced by illustrations of celebrated dramatic and athletic personages. It is excellently printed, and is a handy book to have on one's shelf. The price is 25 cents, to be procured from any book store, or from the Frank Queen Publishing Company, Clipper Building, New York.

Ed Corrigan has been reinstated by the Jockey Club.

E. C. Bald announces that he will compete in cycle races in Paris during the exposition there, but that he will never race in America again.

Detroit News: The sentiment in favor of a Michigan baseball league is very high, and it is now necessary to secure money to start the league and keep it going until after July 4.

Minard's Limestone Causes Disaster

## IMPORTANT MOVEMENTS

Developing in the North of Cape Colony.

Buller's Latest Casualty List Did Not Include the Spion Kop Engagement—Departure of Volunteers From London.

London, Jan. 27.—There are signs of important movements developing in the north of Cape Colony. Gen. French has succeeded in getting in touch with Gen. Gatacre, possibly presaging a combination of the two columns, and the commencement of a concentration of the forces, which is believed to be the groundwork of Lord Roberts' plan of campaign.

### BRITISH CASUALTIES.

The war office announces that the casualties reported by Gen. Buller yesterday occurred in the battalions of Gen. Lyttleton's brigade, which, so far as known at the war office, was not engaged in the capture of the defense of Spion Kop. It appears, therefore, that they are additional to the considerable casualties which Gen. Buller has reported as having occurred at Spion Kop.

### FAKE DISPATCHES.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The alleged Pretoria telegram re disaster to Buller, comes through Brussels, and does not receive much credit in this city.

### VOLUNTEERS LEAVE LONDON.

London, Jan. 27.—The last detachment of the infantry section of the London volunteers, numbering 134 men, were entrained this morning for Southampton, where they embark today for Africa. The route from Wellington Barracks to Nine Elms station was thronged with cheering spectators. The lord mayors and sheriffs accompanied the troops to Southampton. The battery section and ammunition column, completing the regiment, will leave on Feb. 3.

### PRESIDENT MCKINLEY'S EXCUSE.

Dr. Garvin H. Clark, member of parliament, interviewed in Washington, is quoted as saying: "I am told on good authority that President McKinley's only excuse for not offering his services as a mediator in the Boer war is that the senate has not yet ratified the Hague conference treaty. I am also told that the United States Senate stands ready at any moment to ratify that treaty, and that the only reason action is not taken is because President McKinley does not want it ratified, that he may continue to have his excuse."

### VILD RUMORS.

The defense committee of the cabinet met at the war office this afternoon, Lord Salisbury presiding. There are reiterated rumors that the gravest kind of news from Natal is being concealed by the war office. It is even said that Gen. Buller's forces are in retreat. Lord Wolseley, the commander-in-chief of the forces, was also present at the meeting of the committee.

### DEFENSE COMMITTEE MEETS.

London, Jan. 27.—An important meeting of the defense committee of the cabinet was held at the war office this afternoon. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, came to London purposely to attend, and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, gave up other engagements for the same reason.

## PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

Interesting Ceremony at the Collegiate Institute.

With pupils, whose days in the Collegiate Institute have passed by and who no longer are subjected to its agreeable work or its irksome routine, according to varying dispositions, the associations to which they cling with most fondness are not of equations and ratios, or deductions or translations, but are rather of such pleasurable gatherings as that which was held in the assembly room yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

About 600 robust and intelligent pupils faced the school board representatives, who were to distribute the medals to the successful competitors in the field day contests, and for the young ladies to present the prize to the most accomplished essayist. The trustees were desirous, in all their addresses, to impress upon the pupils the value of muscular training, and the desire to afford opportunities for such development. A number of pupils afterwards expressed the opinion that the trustees' assertions would be more effective if they acted upon the suggestion made by Principal Merchant, that the board procure for the boys and girls of the Collegiate more suitable playing grounds.

The medals were presented by Trustees Macpherson, McRobert, Gillean, Regan, Ziegler, Police Magistrate Love, ex-Principal Merchant and Mr. Nicholas Wilson. In the course of their addresses thorough attention was paid, and was broken only by the approving plaudits that greeted some apt remark, or such laughter and applause as was caused when the police magistrate asked of one champion, "Were you ever up before?"

While the girls admired the boys who were strong of muscle and active of limb, the boys took such characteristics as matters of course, and displayed keen interest when Trustee English made a neat address, introductory to the presentation of Trustee Gillean's diamond ring, won by Miss Irene Love in the competition for the worstest essay.

### THE WINNERS.

Running jump—W. Willis, P. Williams. High jump—G. Schaeff, F. McCulloch. Mile bicycle race—W. Bradford, C. Carmichael. 100 yards dash—E. Brown (reversion), McMahon and Schaeff, 1 and 2.

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### Hop-step-and-jump—W. Holt, W. Skinner.

Mile bicycle race (P.S.)—A. Simon, W. McGuire.

Pole vault—W. S. Skinner, W. H. Holt (reversion), Schaeff, 2.

Mile bicycle race—A. McMahon, 100 yards dash (ex-students)—F. Clittick, W. Legatt.

220 yards hurdle race—E. Brown, F. McCulloch (reversion) Wells, 2.

Broad jump, open—A. Ellis, Ingersoll.

Half-mile bicycle race—W. Bradford, C. Carmichael.

Quarter-mile run—G. Ingram, M. Omond (reversion), A. McMahon, 2.

100 yards dash—A. Ellis (Ingersoll), W. Hefferman (Walkerton).

220 yards dash—W. Wells, P. Williams (reversion), W. Willis, 2.

Two-mile bicycle race—No medal awarded—A. McMahon finished alone.

100 yards dash, junior—W. Willis, W. Wells.

Two-mile run—G. Schaeff, G. Omond.

Two-mile bicycle race—Hefferman, D. Graham.

Two-mile bicycle race, handicap—D. Graham—No medal—McMahon, 2; Carmichael, 3.

School championship—A. McMahon.

The prize for the best essay, a diamond ring, was presented to Miss Love.

### LATE CABLEGRAMS

The Bank of Germany has reduced the rate of discount to 5½.

Official notification has been received of the appearance of the bubonic plague at Rosario, on the west bank of the Parana, about 230 miles by water northwest of Buenos Ayres. The government has issued a decree of absolute isolation.

A London cable to the New York World says it is understood that the House of Commons will be asked to appropriate \$75,000,000 to cover the war expenses up to March 31. This is in addition to the \$50,000,000 already appropriated. Politicians talk of multiplying these figures by two or three to cover the total expenses of the war.

The internment of the remains of the Duke of Teck, who died Sunday last at White Lodge, Richmond Park, Surrey, took place at St. George's Chapel, Windsor, this morning. It was a simple ceremonial. Fifteen members of the royal family were present, the Prince of Wales representing the Queen.

The Brazilian gunboats Juruma, Jutahy, Timbira and Tocantins, besides a force of troops, have been ordered to proceed to Acre to enforce the protocol agreed upon between Bolivia and Brazil, and to protect all citizens.

Some of the afternoon papers associate the departure today of the new Japanese battleship Shikishima with possible complications in regard to the situation in China, especially as it is announced that the Shikishima is endeavor to traverse the Suez Canal by diverting herself of her armament. Up to the present no ship of such size has traversed the canal.

The Washington Statue Association, request of which is to present to France a statue of Washington, has just received a concession from the municipality of Paris of a site for the statue on the beautiful Place de Iena, at the intersection of the Avenue de Iena and the Avenue du Trocadero.

## JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

P. Summers, of Belmont, has purchased a farm from the executors of the estate of the late Robert Nichol, consisting of 55 acres, being part of lot 13, con. 2, Westminster, for \$2,700.

### BIRR.

Birr, Jan. 27.—Mr. Berton Gilbank, who has been away teaching, is home, sick with inflammation of the lungs. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Rev. Mr. Fair, of Lucan, and Rev. Mr. Cozens, of this place, exchanged pulpits for two appointments last Sabbath, it being missionary anniversary.

Mrs. John Maxwell, who has been sick for some time, is not much improved.

Miss Sophia Hobbs, of Nissouri, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Becca Hobbs.

Mr. Shipley, of Underwood, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this neighborhood for the past month, returned home this week.

Mr. John Guest is on the sick list.

### NILESTOWN.

Nilestown, Jan. 27.—Peter, son of John G. McClary, has been ill.

The crisis in the case of Charlie Fletcher is passed. He is now on the way to recovery, if no relapse ensues.

Mrs. Norton, of Brick street, came here upon notice of her sister's husband's serious illness.

The Blythwood correspondent of the Leamington News writes: "Mr. J. C. Barrows, our popular merchant, has recovered from an attack of the grip. Mr. Barrows is an old Nilestown boy."

hence our pleasure upon his restoration.

Mrs. Caroline Moore and son Ernest, of Lyons, were guests at Mr. P. Barrows' lately. This young man is a rising farmer, and is negotiating for 50 more acres of land.

Mr. Peters, the new cheese maker of Thames factory, is a married man, and will be located right at the factory. The proprietor of the factory will erect a dwelling department.

Mr. Winder goes from Nilestown to the Pond Mills cheese factory for this season.

The official personnel of the Thames cheese and butter factory, with the exception of one of the directors who has moved out of the neighborhood, is the same as last season.

Mr. Charles Jackson struck his foot with an axe the other day, cutting it severely.

A thieves' gang have been operating along the 1st concession in Dorchester lately. They called on Charles Moore's house and bagged several fowls; they also took some chop that was already bagged. Going on to Mr. James Gilmore's they added to their spoil by taking more fowl.

Mr. D. McKerricher, of London, is health-restoring this way. The larger share of which mission he will enjoy at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Cartwright, of con. 1, Dorchester.

Mr. McKerricher used to be a prominent resident of this town. His family are now all grown to manhood and womanhood, and occupying various responsible positions in life. The eldest son, Arthur, is taking a course at McMaster University, Toronto.

Seeing and hearing Dr. McWilliam at the Reforming here, it was the consensus of opinion that his M.P.P. pellets, dispensed from Toronto, would be as distinguishedly meritorious as are now his medicinal compounds.

Mr. Sol Rolph is quite an expert in the dehorning line. He has five ox calls to attend now. After having accomplished this the aggregate number of head of cattle he has operated upon will be some 1,000, or thereabouts.

### A YOUNG GIRL'S DANGER.

How She Overcame It and Baffled Her Tormentor.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Miss Ida Hopkirk, of 184 Harbord street, this city, is a young lady who is exceedingly popular with a very extensive circle of friends, all of whom are rejoicing over her recent escape from a terrible danger. The story of her experience is deeply interesting, told in her own straightforward way.

Here is her narrative: "In 1896, I took a position in a downtown store. My work was not unusually hard, but I soon found I could not stand it, my health failed. I grew very thin, had splitting headaches continually, dizzy spells, and extreme weakness. My tongue was thickly furred, harsh and dry, every morning, and I arose tired and aching. I was dull and low-spirited all the time."

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