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ST. MIKES PASS UP CITY TITLE GAMES

Will Not Play T.R. and A.A. —Gooch Signs—Practices and Hockey Gossip.

It now looks as if the city championship games arranged between St. Michaels and T.R. & A.A. will not take place. St. Michaels realize that the senior O.H.A. campaign this winter will be a strenuous one, and are not willing to take any chances of their players receiving injuries. The first game was fixed for Friday night, but the Saints have passed up and will not play at all.

St. Michaels are trying to bring New Edinburgh back again, and if successful will stage a contest on Friday night at the Arena.

Jack Gooch turned out with T.R. & A.A. last night and signed to play with the senior champions this winter. This sets at rest the many rumors that Gooch would be found with other local clubs.

St. Michaels arrived home from New York yesterday morning, and T.R. & A.A. got back from Cleveland during the afternoon.

Toronto Canoe Club Juniors had their best workout of the season last night and Manager Bob Wilson had two squads working in fast style throughout the hour. C.C.C. play in Stirling Road Christmas afternoon and will leave on the 8:40 train Thursday morning. Twelve players will make the trip.

Both the local pro clubs are right in the pink for the opening games and should just about start out with a win each. The Toronto pro will play the Canadiens here, while the Ontarios go to Montreal to play the Wanderers. The Toronto pro will start Christmas on Friday, Jack Marshall allowing them to go home for Christmas.

The following were the O.H.A. registrations yesterday:—W. J. Adair, E. H. Anderson, J. A. Trublock, Thos. Swan, C. Cooke, W. E. Swan, Hugh J. Barritt, E. W. Wain, C. B. Uffelman, A. E. Schiess, C. E. Savers.

Clinton (intermediate)—M. Conner, I. J. Wain, Thos. R. Mitchell, Wellington, J. L. Johnson, P. M. Draper, G. C. Cook, W. L. Johnson, R. J. Martin, J. O'Donnell, Carl W. Dwyer, R. J. Rumball.

Niagara Falls Tecumseh (intermediate)—J. Woodruff, Ben Hill, J. C. Souther, Thos. J. Holland, Cote, G. D. Gray, C. F. Swazey, Jr.

Whitby (intermediate)—Bert Smith, Charlie Blanchard, A. E. Juba, F. J. McIntyre, E. E. Watson, Frank Rice, Chas. Lavery, F. J. Walters, John Mowat, George E. Rice, Dave Mowat.

Georgetown Juniors (junior)—Irvin Erb, J. L. Clayton, Frank Mervin, Alf. Bennett, George Karges, Wilfried Scharr, Henry C. Krug.

Brantford Juniors—Norman A. Weir, F. Cassidy, L. V. Sumner, H. T. Byrnes, H. Kenneth Wood, R. Cahill, Healey Burgess.

The date of the opening game in the junior O.H.A. grouping, in which the "Pro" play, has been changed from Jan. 1 to 2. The date was changed to have played in Fort Hope on New Year's morning, but it was thought wise to change the date.

Both Lesueur and Shaughnessy were gunning after players for Ottawa last night but until a late hour last night they had not succeeded in getting either Dion or George, to both of whom the Cornwall boy who was sought in Toronto, has just given a trial with Ottawa, as the Senators are in desperate need of two good forwards.

Cap. MacDonald, the Maritime player who gained the reputation last year of being a player of the rough house type, has been released by Sydney. Harry, who was signed this season, has also been released.

Billy Nicholson, the ex-Tecumseh goalkeeper, is in Montreal. He expects to get an N.H.A. berth.

Parkdale Juniors will practice with T.R. & A.A. from 5 to 6, and Thursday from 11 to 12.

Fred Doherty, the Maritime Pro League player, has about decided to play with the Ontarios.

Tom Wall, chief stockholder in the Ontario franchise, forecasts the formation of an Ontario circuit, including Toronto, Ottawa, and Montreal. He says hockey has just become to be a big business enterprise and predicts a brilliant future for the professional game.

Each of the Toronto teams has a defence man shy on eight in one eye. Fred die Lake of the rough house type, is almost blind in one eye as the result of an accidental blow he received in Pittsburg some years ago when playing against the Princeton University seven.

Jack Marshall of Toronto can just see accidental blow from Lake's stick in a game between Ottawa and Wanderers in Montreal in 1910.

With Goltie Rogers back with Quebec, it is just doubtful whether Munnery, the giant forward, will get much exercise this winter with Joe Hall playing the other defence position and Crawford

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ready to fall back on the defence whenever needed.

Owing to the lack of ice, the opening of the Montreal Hockey League, which was to have taken place Monday evening, has been postponed to Dec. 25.

Hamilton Herald: When Tom Phillips, the veteran hockey player and the daddy of them all when he was in the game, returns home tonight for his business trip he will be asked to coach the Hamilton Hockey Club's Intermediate O.H.A. squad. The H.H.C. executive decided at a meeting held last night to do the utmost to secure Phillips, for it is felt that all the red and white squad now needs is some coaching.

Art Ross and Harry Hyland, the two holdouts of the Wanderers Hockey Club, have both made terms with President Leichtenhein. Both of the players say they have made arrangements to join the team, which are quite satisfactory to them. They will likely turn in their contracts today. With these two holdouts in the game again and Warwick, a newcomer, reporting for practice, the Wanderers' roster is now complete. They will go into the game against the Ontarios next Saturday with fourteen men in uniform. Warwick, the new goalkeeper, played with McGill at one time. McGill, who was with the Montreal City League and gives promise of making a good forward.

Good—Cadotte, Boyes, Doney and Warwick.

DeWenon—Ross, Sprague Cleghorn, Atkinson and Leitch.

Forwards—Odie Cleghorn, Gordie Roberts, Drie Russell, Carl Kendall, Harry Hyland, F. O'Grady, Walter Miller and Percy Norton, the latter being an inter-provincial player of last season.

Parker, the former Varsity goalie, who tried out with the Vancouver pros, will play in the Coast City Amateur League this winter.

T. AND D. SUSTAINS HIAWATHA PROTEST

The Davenport Albions' Goal From Penalty Kick is Disallowed.

Hiawatha F.C. were awarded their protest at a meeting of the special T. and D. committee last night. It was on account of a penalty kick given Davenport Albions on Saturday, which enabled the latter club to win by a 2-1 score. The game was ordered to be played over again and it will likely take place next Saturday.

Hiawathas meet tonight in the Rhodes Avenue Presbyterian Church hall, when all members are requested to attend.

INTERMEDIATES PLAY AT HAMILTON

Home Team Defeats Preston in Fast Exhibition by Two Goals.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—The Hamilton Intermediates at the Albers rink tonight played a fast exhibition game with Preston. The score was 2 to 1 at half time. The teams lined up at the faceoff as follows: Hamilton (left to right): Martin; right defence, Palmer; left defence, Laylor; rover, McKewen; center, Weir; right wing, Cook; left wing, Montcrieff.

Preston (left to right): right defence, Sawmen; left defence, Walker; rover, Kinnear; center, Ploesner; right wing, Goshen; left wing, Muir. Hiawathas: center, McLean; forwards, Timmespeper, Kennedy, Johnson and Pauldy; rover, Hamilton.

Ottawa has yet another holdout in the person of Louis Lowery, 1st and Jacques Laviolette of Canadiens seem to be about as good as out of the N.H.A. now.

Canadiens have been after Lajoie, who played in the Montreal City League with him. Lajoie has not been able to land a team, but he is still in the game.

An Ottawa despatch says: Frank Shaughnessy, the new business manager of the Ottawa Hockey Club, is settling some of his baseball and football matters into the great winter game. He has the Ottawa out from 7 to 10 o'clock this morning and again from 7 to 8 o'clock tomorrow. They will be out twice also, and will continue to work until Friday, when they will lay out preliminary to the opening match on Saturday against the Quebec team.

Tomorrow they will lay out preliminary to the opening match on Saturday against the Quebec team. Favored by a hard sheet of ice, the Ottawa threw wide the spread trouble at today's work-out and went after it banner and tongue. The Ottawa was in a regular "come-back" date has been the great form shown by "Hammy" Shore. The stocky forward seems due for a regular "come-back" this winter. Merrill should rank as one of the best defence men in the N.H.A. and Alan Wilson continues to please the rink. Interest is great on the opening of the hockey season, and it is expected that the Quebec and Ottawa clubs when they lock horns Saturday night.

London Advertiser: Unless Jimmy Murphy, manager of the fronto Ontario, who last week sent a hurry up message for Harry Leitch to go to Queen City and work out with the team, comes across with a few more pieces of silver, Harry will remain in Toronto. After a couple of days' workout at the rink, Leitch and Lecky had a little palaver as to just how much the London star was to receive per month in his envelope. To say the least, Leitch was short, they failed to agree, Lecky kicked and arriving in London Saturday night.

To the Advertiser Harry Lecky stated that he will receive an amateur and member of the London O.H.A. Intermediates until he receives a salary that is worth turning professional for. It would be to laugh if I told the salary I was asked to pay," said Harry.

The ex-London O.H.A. star has a couple of offers from other professional teams, but he is not far from intending to stick to the amateur ranks.

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City Hall	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Daivey	189	166	170	505						
Olivian	189	192	206	570						
Polinton	154	192	180	426						
Spence	137	168	303	508						

Totals	827	889	901	2817						
Nat. Cash Reg.	148	193	189	530						
Rahelley	149	156	135	440						
McDonald	128	161	152	441						
Richard	147	171	150	468						
Biume	145	175	209	529						

Totals	765	856	815	2436						
Reliance Mill Co.	132	112	123	367						
Coor	113	124	133	370						
Browning	93	88	101	282						
Spangenberg	108	127	124	359						
Fisher	122	116	108	346						
Donovan	131	154	122	407						

Totals	696	642	680	2018						
Phillips Mill Co.	87	124	105	316						
Stewart	103	134	123	360						
McConnell	93	88	101	282						
Pearson	113	124	133	370						
Hume	112	97	94	303						
Flitzersald	119	102	110	331						

Totals	502	612	533	1648						
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PORT MCNICOLL A.A.

PORT MCNICOLL, Dec. 23.—An enthusiastic meeting in T. J. Nottingham's billiard saloon promoted the Port McNicoll Athletic Association, with the following officers elected: President, J. L. Simpson; vice-president, T. B. Corbett; executive committee, T. J. Belanger, W. H. Tisdale, A. Bourie, secretary, J. M. McConnell; treasurer, J. A. Davidson. A large sheet of ice has been provided for courtesy of the C.P.R. adjacent to their new downtown depot, and a senior and a junior team will be out for honors wearing the C.P.R. colors.

BANK LEAGUE OPENING.

The Bank League held a meeting yesterday afternoon, and it was decided to postpone the opening until New Year's afternoon, when Union will meet Toronto in the first game at 1:30, while Commerce stacks up against Standard in the second game at three o'clock. The official claim of the league will be usual during the settings to the opening, and they expect to get several of the important men in the banking world to officiate.

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DICK CARROLL PAYS TORONTO A VISIT

Federal Baseball League Has Still Vacancy—Can't Get Dufferin Park.

Cleveland did not post its forfeit and there is still a possibility of Toronto or Brooklyn getting the cherished vacancy in the Federal Baseball League. Dick Carroll of the Buffalo Outlaws, the old Toronto pitcher, was in the city yesterday, but he was merely en route to Montreal. It is understood that if the International is honored by opposition here the same will come from St. Louis interests, which will be merely represented locally.

There are two parks available, viz., Dufferin and Hillcrest. Mr. Orpen was asked last night if he had been approached as to Dufferin Park, and he replied in the negative. He said, however, that "No more outlaw horses or outlaw baseball for me."

The Buffalo News (Monday) said: Richard T. Carroll, the local promoter of the Federal League Baseball Club, got back this morning from the meeting of the league at St. Louis and was in high spirits. Magnate Bifulco and others, he said, were enthusiastic over the Federal League proposition, but that they all had to keep close-mouthed until the proper grounds, were all set, and that Cleveland was in the new league for keeps.

The necessary wherewithal, however, did not accompany the news for not attending the meeting and the Cleveland outfit was given until this afternoon to post the necessary money. In the meantime Mr. Carroll was contemplating further into the Toronto proposition, and left for that city this afternoon. So, it would appear that the interest of the Federal League is not quite as indicated. There will be no difficulty, however, in placing franchises in eight cities, as both Toronto and Montreal are still knocking at the door. Mr. Carroll expects to be back to Buffalo about mid-week.

Long Branch Bowling Club Officers Elected

The Long Branch Bowling Club, Ltd., held its second annual meeting on Monday night at the Merchants Hotel. The shareholders being well represented. The secretary-treasurer report was most satisfactory, the past season's operations proving most successful, both in sport and finance.

The club championship, with which goes the Tisdale Trophy, was won by Bert Dale (skip), Don Urrahar, William Harper (second), Don Urrahar (third). Two rinks under J. A. Harrison and Bert Dale made a good showing at the Burlington tournament, and the club also won the championship of the Lake Shore League with the same team. Under skips F. J. Martin and J. A. Harrison. The club shows a surplus in excess of \$600, with their grounds, clubhouse and equipment free of encumbrance, at the close of the second year's operations. The plan is to have the next year's business more than covered by the club, and the directors were heartily congratulated on their work. The meeting was a hearty vote of thanks also to the retiring president, Mr. Chas. Donnick, by whose devoted attention and management the foregoing happy outcome was made possible.

The officers for 1914 are as follows: President, J. A. Harrison; vice-president, T. A. Mitchell; secretary-treasurer, Albert Dale; directors, Walter Moore, E. J. Livingston, E. J. Halford and William Harper.

WEST END Y.M.C.A. BOYS' ACTIVITIES.

The past week in the West End Association has just closed one of the most successful times in the way of activities. The boys' division have been in a long time. These basketball games were brought to a close—a Junior Employed League, made up of eight teams; a Senior League of five teams; and a Senior School League of four teams, making a total of eighteen teams playing basketball. Boys that were not interested in basketball were given special attention on the different apparatus and the regular class exercise.

Winners of the different leagues: Senior Business Boys—won by E. Lyng's team, Junior Business Boys—won by Macdonald's team, Senior School Boys—won by R. B. B. Athletic events.—

One-lap run, 66 yards, senior school—1, F. Ivory; 2, G. Tyrell; 3, Irving.

160 yards potato race, junior school boys—1, W. Ball; 2, A. McClelland; 3, F. McGrath.

Swimming.—The boys' city swimming championships will be held in the West End pool on Dec. 29. This should represent a number of boys that are fond of the sport. Entry blanks may be had at the Y.M.C.A.

On New Year's morning the boys will swim for the titles of champions of different distances in the West End Association.

Basketball.—Detroit play West End a basketball game on Christmas night. The game should be a hummer. A good preliminary game is also being arranged for.

SAINTS' NEW LEADER.

DETROIT, Dec. 23.—Midge Craven, who grew up in Detroit, and has many friends here, has new managerial job. This St. Thomas club of the Canadian League, with which he played last season, is making his home in the Canadian Railroad City this winter. He is running a poolroom there.

Craven is one of the most popular men among ball players who ever wore a uniform. He is the king of "kidder" and a very witty fellow, who can't take life seriously, even for a minute.

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President Jas. J. McClaffey of the Toronto Baseball Club sends holiday greetings to his many friends in a handsomely designed Christmas card.

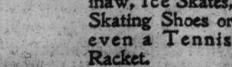
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HEARTS OF MIDLOTHIAN.

Hearts of Midlothian F.C. will play the Corinthian F.C. a friendly game on Christmas morning. All players and supporters of the Midlothian club are requested to meet at the corner of Broadview and Queen not later than 9:45. Kick-off at 10 am.

The American Bowling Congress championships in Buffalo next March will be rolled on 16 alleys.

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