

# STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Saturday's Game Was Another Tie

Neither Team Was Victor in the Contest Between St. John High and the Rothesay Collegiate—Mud Was Ankle Deep.

Wallowing in mud ankle deep, the St. John High School and the Rothesay Collegiate played a hammer-and-tongs game of football on the Shamrock grounds Saturday afternoon, neither side scoring a point in both halves.

The game was one of the closest that has been played on the grounds this season, with sufficient prize, as each competition of the series has been as keen as the most enthusiastic could desire.

For the St. John High School the following were in the line-up: Ellison, McEwen, Williams, Atkinson, Johnson, Dalen, Jennings, forwards; Robinson, Tansley, Williams, quarters; Knight, Fraser, Gossell (captain), Hutcheson, halves; Turner, full-back.

In the Rothesay Collegiate line-up there were Black, McPhail, Pethick, Stevens, Gibson, Creer, Tucks, forwards; Crease (captain), Teed, Douglas, Skinner, halves; Taylor, Kitchen, McCready, quarters; Nasse, full-back.

Mr. Cooper officiated as referee in his usual capable manner, and after the game the teams "took in" the show at the Imperial Theatre, and later enjoyed refreshments at Bond's restaurant.

## Assist Directors Of The New Home

Leading Citizens Organize Themselves Into An Auxiliary Association to Assist Directors of Protestant Orphan's Home in Work Undertaken.

Yesterday afternoon a number of the leading citizens met in the Imperial Theatre rooms, where they organized themselves into an auxiliary association to assist the directors of the Protestant Orphan's Home in the work undertaken by that institution to establish a larger orphanage capable of housing the Protestant orphans of the whole province in one big building, or group of buildings.

Dr. Thomas Walker presided, and there were also present W. S. Palmer, T. H. Estabrook, Judge Forbes, J. King Kelley, F. A. Kinneer, David Hipwell, Clifford Price, Joseph Murdoch, William Watson, William Sanderson, D. S. Sheppard, C. T. Jones, Robert Willis, R. C. Thomas, I. Mercer, O. Duffy, Dr. Heine, William M. Campbell, R. W. Wigmore, M. F. Stanley, E. Elkin, M. P., J. Gossell Mitchell, T. H. Carver, W. H. Golding, Chas. Ledford, H. C. Rankine, C. W. Till, and Joseph Likely.

These gentlemen represented the citizens generally, as well as the different fraternal societies of the city, and a resolution was introduced at the commencement, organizing the meeting into an auxiliary as above stated.

The resolution was moved by William Campbell and seconded by J. King Kelley. In seconding the motion, Mr. Kelley commended the work that has been done by the British street institution for more than three score years and bespoke the hearty co-operation of the Protestant people of New Brunswick in forwarding the timely plans for increasing the facilities for the care of the parentless and otherwise dependent Protestant children.

In the election of officers, which followed, Stanley E. Elkin, M. P., was elected president, with William M. Campbell, vice-president, and Walter H. Golding, secretary. An executive representative of the different fraternal organizations in the city, was elected and comprises the following: T. H. Carver, Robert Willis, C. T. Jones, Dr. Thomas Walker, Isaac Mercer, William Sanderson, L. E. Rolston, Joseph A. Murdoch, F. A. Kinneer and F. B. Burpee.

During the meeting President T. H. Estabrook, of the Protestant Orphan's Home directorate, explained in detail the plans regarding the recently leased building in West St. John, formerly the Martello Hotel, and gave full credit to Messrs. Wigmore and Elkin for securing the building at such reasonable terms.

He stated that a budget of \$15,000 had been appropriated for the maintenance of the original building on Britain street, and in the new building in West St. John for the first period of the coming year, basing the occupation at 85 children—an increase of 40 over the present number. The Martello Hotel property has accommodation for over one hundred children. At the close of the general meeting, President Elkin called a short session of the new officers and executive, when plans for the future work were discussed.

## PERSONALS

Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson are leaving this evening for Toronto, Ont., where they will attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board to be held in that city Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 6th and 7th.

Mrs. Corbett of Woodstock and her daughter, Miss Alexa Corbett, are guests at the Lansdowne House, King Square. Miss Corbett has recently returned from a visit to Montreal and Boston.

Miss Fay Camber of Woodstock is visiting in St. John.

## Start of Junior Basketball Series

Seven Games Played Saturday Morning at the Y. M. C. A. — Teams Are Well Matched and Contests Were Close.

Basketball among the Junior A and B schoolboy teams at the Y. M. C. A. got away to a good start Saturday morning, when seven games were closely contested. The teams in the league are well matched, and a close series of games are expected for the coming season. The scores made on Saturday were:

**Junior A.**  
Haley, captain (4), Williams, Mason, McRae.  
Stratton, captain (2), Gossell, Connolly, Murray.  
Sprout, captain (3), Mann, Humphrey, McAlpine.  
Thomas, captain (3), Sage, Robertson, Elphinstone, Mason (oppos).  
Langstroth, captain (2), Rockwell, Connolly, Gossell, Smith.  
Stewart, captain (2), Stratton, Tilson, Leggett, McAlpine.  
Cummings, captain (10), Armstrong, McBeath.

**Junior B.**  
Noble, captain (2), Webber, Plimpton, Copp, Atherton.  
Finlay, captain (3), Mackay, Seeley, Malcolm, McDowall.  
Humphrey, captain (4), Brown, Goodwin, Barker, Gunn.  
Wetmore, captain (1), Smith, Jarvis, Bishop, Smith.  
Barker, captain (4), McLaughlin, Archibald, McKinnay, Warwick.  
Robertson, captain (2), Howard, Cohen, Jenkins, Brown.

**EVENING ENJOYED AT FAIR VALE CLUB**  
Large Party of Members and Guests Attended First Social and Dance Held by the New Organization.

With the ground covered with snow and the pavilion aglow with lights shining through the windows a number of members of the Fair Vale Outing Club and their friends, about one hundred or more, motored to Fair Vale on Friday evening to participate in the Halloween festivities held under the auspices of the club.

The pavilion was decorated with spruce and fir intermingled here and there with Chinese lanterns, and upon the windows were pinned paper upon which was printed the black cat and not forgetting also the pumpkin in which was cut the figure of a face, the usual Halloween emblem.

About 8 o'clock the pavilion was well crowded and in the absence of a president, Major Frost, the guests were welcomed by the vice-president, Kenneth Spear, who in a neat speech stated that in the absence of the president it fell to him to welcome the guests of the evening. The entertainment would take the form of a dance and social which he hoped all would enjoy. He wished also to state that this being the first social given by the new organization and held in their own building would be but a forerunner of what might be expected. For some time it had been the desire of a number of residents of this village to have such a pavilion, and now that such hope has materialized there was no doubt in his mind but that great days of sport were in store for the Fair Vale Club. After applause the orchestra struck up and it took but a very few minutes for the dancers to get on the floor, the orchestra being kept busy until well on in the night when intermission was called to partake of refreshments of hot coffee, sandwiches, cake, etc. After this automobiles were boarded and the happy gathering left on their way to the city overjoyed with the evening's entertainment.

## THE KIND MOON.

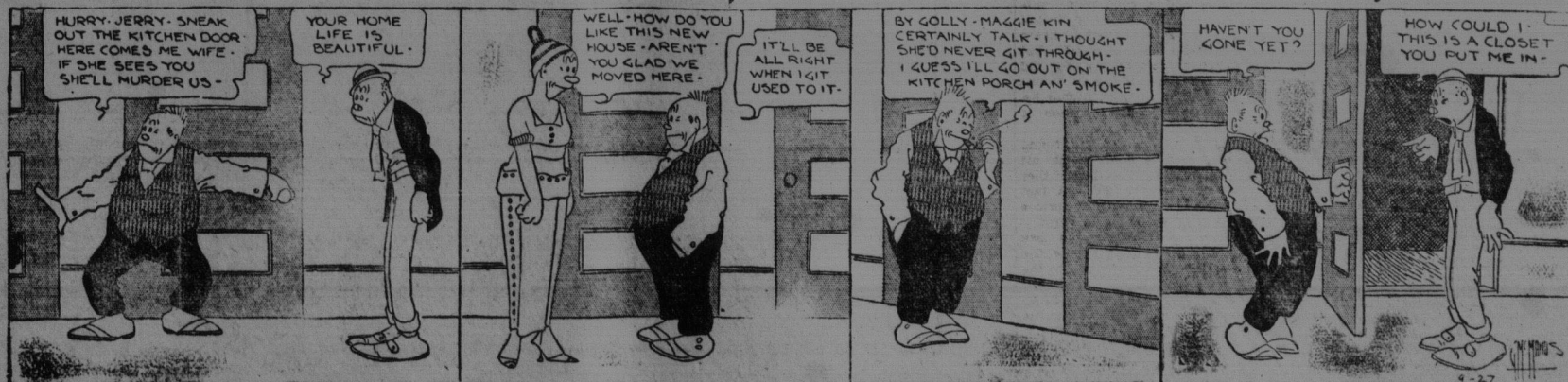
I think the moon is very kind  
To take such trouble just for me  
He came along with me from home  
To keep me company.

He went as fast as I could run  
I wonder how he crossed the sky?  
I'm sure he hasn't legs and feet  
Or any wings to fly.

Yet here he is above their roof  
Perhaps he thinks it isn't right  
For me to go so far far alone  
Tho' mother said I might.

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## BRINGING UP FATHER



## ALONG THE SPORT TRAIL

Saturday's football game between Rothesay and St. John was a mighty muddy affair, but it certainly proved that the school boys have the stuff that makes gridiron heroes. Playing in bad weather in a field ankle deep with mud is as good as any training a boy can get on the road to manhood.

By the same token, as the Irish would say, the games in the inter-scholastic league are certainly close and keenly contested. All the wins have been half-trigger ones, and though Rothesay leads at the present there is no telling when one of the others will wrest away the crown.

With the opening up of the weekly athletic series so popular in the Y. M. C. A. last year, the budding stars of the track and field can get in

some excellent practice under a capable instructor. As far as that goes, though, the only place a local athlete can train is in one of the gyms, at any time of the year, for the one athletic field at Moosepath is a back number as far as sport is concerned.

Basketball is taking up a lot of attention this year with the local athletes, and the beginners are starting to find out that it is not the quiet and easy game that it looks to be from the side lines.

Toronto Varsity, reputed to have the strongest backbone in Canada, did not stop the McGill aggregation Saturday, the Monksiders walking through with a good lead of thirteen points. Perhaps the high score was made possible through the encouragement of the fair coeds who occupied the centre bleachers.

## Athletic Programme Starts This Week

A programme of indoor athletic sports, to be held weekly, is being arranged for the Intermediate and Senior classes at the Y. M. C. A., and it is understood that the first meet will be held Thursday afternoon. Considerable interest is being taken by the boys and the events should be well contested.

## Pledging Their Strongest Support

New Brunswick Federal Representatives Answer Telegrams Sent by G. W. V. A. Regarding Outsiders Receiving Local Appointments.

In answer to the telegrams which were sent to every New Brunswick member of the federal legislature by the local Great War Veterans' Association, calling attention to the fact that officers commanding New Brunswick overseas units were unemployed while outsiders were receiving local appointments, A. E. Frame, secretary of the organization, received yesterday replies from all the representatives, expressing their hearty approval of the sentiments contained in the G. W. V. A. resolution and pledging their strongest support in the matter of securing appointments in the local districts for local officers.

Mrs. Willma Boer arrived in St. John recently and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Germain street.

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## McGill Defeats Husky Varsity

By the Good Margin of 16-3 in a Rattling Good Game at Toronto Last Saturday — 10,000 See the Game — Co-eds Cheer the Players.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 2.—It was no indecisive defeat that the McGill team gave to the University of Toronto in their intercollegiate Rugby fixture here on Saturday. The better team played the better football and the answer was 16 to 3. By quarters, the score was as follows:

McGill University ... 1 1 2 9-16  
University of Toronto ... 3 0 1 0-3  
The attendance was estimated at from 9,000 to 10,000 and the setting was typical of the days before the war. The centre section of the bleachers was reserved for "Co-eds," a feature not seen before the war. The young ladies did themselves credit in the matter of singing and cheering, and were loudly applauded by the male members of the rosters' chorus.

## First of Weekly Athletic Events

Were Conducted Last Week at the Y. M. C. A.—Good Time Made for Fifty Yard Dash — Events Continued Through Winter Season.

Under the direction of T. C. Armour, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., the weekly series of athletic events, so popular last year, were again introduced into the gymnasium curricula last week.

In the fifty-yard dash the St. John High School sprinters captured the honors, Pattison, of that team, covering the distance in 6.45 seconds. Others who did the distance in seven seconds flat were Ryder, Fritz, Curran and Wilson.

The Junior Employed Boys, as a team, won second honors, with G. Fitzpatrick making the good time of 7.15 seconds. McBeath, Howard, Lawson, Jarvis and Dalton were just two-fifths of a second slower.

A big class of the Junior A boys took part in the competition, the fastest sprinters being Connell and Ward, who made the good time of 7.35 seconds.

In the Junior B class, Plimpton, Finlay, MacKay, Corbett, Smith, Humphrey, McLaughlin and Belding tied for first honors at 8 seconds.

## High School Teams Play Basketball

Three Games in High School Basketball League Played Saturday — Competition Keen — Great Interest Taken.

Saturday afternoon the second attack was made on the High School Basketball League championship, when three games were played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

The spectacular game of the day was that played by the Thomas-Wilson aggregation, when, after a "touch-and-go" competition, the Thomas team secured the victory to the score of 6-2.

Following are the teams and scores: Curran (captain) (9), Smith, Williams, Holder, Hollies.

Pattison, captain (4), Potter, Johnson, Bond, Fowler.

Robertson, captain (7), Curran, Ryder, Stammers, Lee.

Jones, captain (4), Rockwell, Hayes, Field, Hart.

Thomas, captain (6), Brennan, Seccor, Wilson, Spangler.

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