

A. C. BOYS ADOPT RULES

A Little out of the Common to Govern Hockey Match

This Evening — Ice Worms, Deadly Weapons and Armor Plate in Action.

This evening the A. C. Co. hockey teams will play a match on their rink just below the big freight shed on First avenue. The teams are made up from the store and office men and the warehouse men respectively, and judging from the rules of the game posted in the A. C. office today the game will be an exciting one, and may call for the presence of the coroner.

- Following is a copy of the rules:
- The team shall consist of seven players on each side, and two ambulance corps. Each team shall also carry 14 substitutes.
 - The game shall consist of four ten minute plays with an intermission of five minutes between each play.
 - Goal, points and cover points, shall be permitted to carry knives, axes, bludgeons, armor plate and Metral-leuse rifles, not to fire more than six hundred shots per minute.
 - Forwards shall not be allowed to use weapons other than fists, shoes, skates, teeth and finger nails. All other devices are positively prohibited.
 - There shall be in attendance to prevent trouble among the spectators and players, and also to prevent the ice being destroyed by flames, 42 members of the A. C. Fire Co. That they may be known to each other, each must wear in plain view his citizen's badge and one length of fire hose. Chief Paterson of the ambulance corps must be present with assistants and apparatus.
 - The trophy to be contested for consists of one handsome loving cup of solid 18-karat block tin, suitably inscribed and filled with ice worms as described to "hopeasters" by Jack McQuesten, Chris Sonnicksen and other sordoughs.
 - The captains of the teams shall agree on referees at least one week before the game, to allow them sufficient time to arrange their earthly affairs. It is also understood that a suitable coning tower shall be erected upon the First avenue freight shed for the referees and that no player be allowed more than one consecutive shot at the time of each decision.
 - To prevent trouble between the players and spectators the wives of all married players shall not be allowed inside the rink during the process of execution, but, as an alternative, may be admitted, providing they will submit to being chained down and gagged.
 - G. Frederick Russell shall be hobbled.
 - With the exception of the foregoing rules the game shall be governed and refereed according to the regulations adopted in the year 1882 by the North Pole Hockey Association.

January Weather Report.
The following report of the temperature observed here during the past month is furnished by Sergeant Major Tucker and will be found interesting for purposes of comparison and general information. The complete report for January of 1900 is also given. It will be noticed that no registration above zero is recorded in either case:

JANUARY 1901.		JANUARY 1900.	
Below Zero	Below Zero	Below Zero	Below Zero
1	39.0	1	32.0
2	38.0	2	40.0
3	36.0	3	35.0
4	24.0	4	32.0
5	32.0	5	30.0
6	35.5	6	28.0
7	32.0	7	25.0
8	32.0	8	18.0
9	50.5	9	9.1
10	37.5	10	7.5
11	37.5	11	8.5
12	35.0	12	22.5
13	36.5	13	39.0
14	64.5	14	49.5
15	68.0	15	51.5
16	66.5	16	38.0
17	63.0	17	46.0
18	49.5	18	46.5
19	47.0	19	45.5
20	35.5	20	9.5
21	33.0	21	30.5
22	22.0	22	25.0
23	4.0	23	25.0
24	5.5	24	31.5
25	9.0	25	45.5
26	12.5	26	50.5
27	15.0	27	31.0
28	15.0	28	18.0
29	12.0	29	21.0
30	11.0	30	11.0
31	10.0	31	2.0

Credit Where Due.
While, as a rule, all persons who commit indiscretions and run away are put in the same class, there are some cases in which less blame and stigma should attach than in others, and it seems that the case of Constable James Allmark is one of this class. 'Tis true that he went away rather than face the result of an indiscretion, but it is also true that when he reached Circle City

he showed by his actions that his error had been of the head rather than of the heart, for there he went to work at honest toil and kept at it until he had returned every cent of the shortage which had resulted from "a night out," and, not until he had returned every cent and could come back with a clear conscience on that score did he return.

His superior officers in the service say that for nearly ten years Jimmy Allmark has been a most efficient and trustworthy policeman and they are further inclined to the belief that the little purifying to which he has been subjected as the result of his mistake will result in his being a more faithful and efficient member in the service than ever before.

It was due to the bloodhound instincts of Allmark that Sarga, the Greek who murdered his partner on Last Chance in June of '99, was brought to justice and is now serving his sentence.

CREEK NOTES.

Judge Barnes, of 26 below Bonanza, was in town on business yesterday.

J. J. Putrow, of 16 Eldorado, was in town on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willett, of 43 above Bonanza were in Dawson last Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seebohm visited Mr. and Mrs. Lamb on 8 Eldorado last Sunday.

Mr. Floding, foreman on 33 Eldorado is getting out a big dump this winter.

Mr. John King, of 60 above Bonanza, is putting an addition on his already large barn.

Business has increased very materially at Cormack's Forks since the tram hoist has been put in at 92 above Bonanza. Freighters say that where they formerly hauled 4500 pounds over the ridge road, they can take 6000 pounds up Bonanza.

Mr. Oksvig, of 17 above Bonanza, is getting out one of the largest dumps on that creek.

Mrs. W. A. Purdy, of Gold Hill, has been visiting with Mrs. Le Roller, of Dawson, for the past three weeks.

Mr. E. R. Allen's little boy on 7 below Bonanza was bitten by a mad dog last Monday.

Mr. King, of Gold Hill, made a business trip to Hunker creek last Tuesday.

Mr. Swan Swanson, of Gold Hill, while out riding last Wednesday in attempting to protect a lady from the attacks of a mad dog, was severely bitten in both hands. He was immediately taken to Dawson where the lacerated hands were thoroughly cauterized by Dr. Cassels.

When the sad news of the late national bereavement was telephoned to Magnet gulch, a number of the loyal subjects watched with great interest the movements of the Stars and Stripes that wave continually over the big Northrup plant on Magnet Hill. But they had not long to wait, for the instant the news reached the hill Mr. A. A. Northrup was seen to emerge from his cabin bareheaded and drop the great flag to half mast out of respect to the grandest woman who ever ruled over a nation.

Rev. Cook, of the Presbyterian church of Grand Forks, is preparing a concert for next Thursday evening at which the best talent of Dawson will participate. After the concert the ladies of the congregation will serve refreshments. Tickets to the concert including refreshments will be \$1.50. Everybody is cordially invited.

A 15-horse power motor is now sawing lumber at the rate of 5000 feet per day at the mouth of Boulder.

The Rival's Opinion.
"You say that everyone, even the most abandoned villain, has some good in him somewhere, do you? Well, I know a fellow who's an unmitigated scoundrel, without a single redeeming trait."
"Hello! I didn't know you had any rival for Miss Darlington's favor." — Harper's Bazar.

Her Love Songs.
The "Sonnets of the Portuguese," which were written by Elizabeth Barrett Browning, were never intended for publication, but when she showed them to Mr. Browning, whom she had married after they were written, he realized the fact that in them was sung the most perfect love song the world had ever heard, and he concluded such poems should not be hidden. Mrs. Browning was unwilling to publish them in her own name, and as he was fond of calling her his "Little Portuguese," it was decided to have them appear under this name. They are etrarchian in form and among the most beautiful of the language.

THEY TOOK CHANCES.

ALL WERE WILLING TO RISK THE CIRCUS POSTERS AGAIN.

Fay Perkins, the Jericho Postmaster, Tells the Arguments That Were Used, the Plots That Were Made and How the Decision Came.

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It was Moses Harper who begun it. Some one told him that a circus advertisement wagon was slowly but surely approaching the town of Jericho, and he let it be known that he would show up at the postoffice in the evening and have sunthin to say to interest the hull United States. Nobody could guess whether Moses had found a new way of gittin a hired man up at 4 o'clock in the mornin or was goin to experiment on growin broomsticks, and the crowd was holdin its breath when he showed up. Moses didn't lose no valuable time tryin to find out whether Porto Rico belonged to the United States or to a tobacco trust, but put on his spectacles and said:

"Citizens of Jericho—The tocsin has sounded, and we are here tonight to counsel together in the cause of morality. Last year, as most of you know,



"THE ALLURIN COLORS OF VICE AND DEGRADATION."

Jonas Teachout, whose barn faces the highway a mile outside of this town, allowed the circus wagon to paste up pictures on three sides of the buidlin. How many tickets for the circus he got in exchange I do not know, and it has nuthin to do with the question. What I'm sayin is that them pictures, in my solemn belief, shocked the morals of this community fur worse than as if ten saloons had been opened in the town. The circus wagon is ag'in approachin. It is creepin along in its sly, insidious way, leavin the blight of destruction in its path, and if sunthin ain't done Jonas Teachout's barn will ag'in be enwrapped in the allurin colors of vice and degradation. I move that it is the sense of this meetin, and of the community in general, that Jonas be struggled with!

"It appears to me," says Deacon Spooner as Moses sat down, "that a p'int has bin made. When Moses talks of allurin colors of vice and degradation, I seem to see before me them pictures of wimen jumpin through paper hoops. However, I'd like to hear from Silas Lapham. I reckon he's interested in the moral welfare of this community."

"I ain't blamin Jonas 'tall," says Silas. "He got 12 deadhead tickets fur the use of his barn, and I don't believe anybody was the wickeder fur it. If a man can't gaze at circus pictures without goin away and stealin a bar'l of soft soap, then he ain't no man. Did any wife run away from her husband because of them pictures? Did any husband elope with the hired gal because of them?"

"That's a p'int, and I says it's a p'int!" exclaims the deacon as he hustles about. "Them circus pictures was on that barn fur two months, but what family was busted up through their influence? It's fur Moses to specify whar vice got its toehold."

"I ain't sayin that any families was busted up," continues Moses, "but I'm talkin 'bout the general influence on general morality. A circus picture is nuthin but a picture, but it suggests lemonade and peanuts and whiskey and poker and bein out late nights. They are like pizen ivy. You come across it in the woods, and it is fair to look upon, and it seems to be rooted in innocence and thrivin in morality. You handle it, and you begin to itch and scratch and find yourself pizened. Like a hydra headed sarpat, it lays in wait to work destruction to the unwary. I hope this meetin and this community air with me and that it will be decided to wrastle with Jonas Teachout."

"Moses didn't seem to make a p'int on the peanuts and lemonade," says the deacon as he scratches his ear, "but he was powerful strong on that pizen ivy bein rooted in innocence. I kin almost see whar circus pictures might influence me to go home and pound my old cow with a sled stake if she didn't keep her tail still while I was milkin, but I'm willin to hear more arguments. Enos Williams, you drive by that barn twice a day all summer. How did them pictures affect you?"
"Not much different from a huskin bee," says Enos. "I didn't feel no feelin's of wickedness stealin o'er me, but I did sort of make a fool of myself."

I found a soft spot in the barnyard and tried to turn a handspring, and fur about two hours they thought my neck was busted. I'm thinkin that hard cider has more general influence on general morality in this community than circus pictures."

"It's a p'int!" shouts the deacon as he waves his cane on high; "it's a p'int nobody kin git over! It's hard cider that's backin vice all over this county and b'istin innocence over the fence whenever they meet. However, it may be that circus pictures also have their influence. Moses, have you got any more arguments?"

"Of what use?" says Moses as he heaves a sigh and turns away. "Wasn't Sodam warned? Did Sodam heed it? When vice stalks rampant through every household in Jericho and innocence is driv' to the fields—to sit under a blackberry bush and weep, then remember what I have said here tonight. I ain't denyin that hard cider is bluin' in our morality, but when you add circus pictures to hard cider what do you do?"

"Yes, Sodam was warned, and Sodam fell," says the deacon as he shakes his head, "but I'd like to hear from Lish Billings on this matter."

"It's purty late," says Lish.

"How purty late?"

"Why, Jonas has rented his barn ag'in and got 21 deadhead tickets, and here's one he give me. How's that fur a p'int?"

The meetin stood appalled fur a minute, and then Deacon Spooner looks around and says:

"Jonas has got 20 tickets left, and that means he has 16 more to give away outside his family. Fellow countrymen, do you take it that this meetin has pledged herself?"

"No, no, no!" shouted the crowd.

"Is it the opinion of this meetin that Jonas Teachout ought to be wrassled with?"

"No, no, no!"

"Then I'm appealin directly to Moses Harper. Moses, will you withdraw them remarks about the blight of destruction, the allurin colors of vice and innocence weepin under a blackberry bush?"

"I might," says Moses after a little reflection, "but I want to be let down easy."

"It shall be done. I'm offerin the followin resolution to be voted on: 'Resolved, That circus pictures on a barn may or may not affect the moral standard of a community, but we are willin to chance it this year. All in favor or ag'in will manifest it in the usual way.'

The resolution was carried with a whoop, and the crowd piled over itself to get outdoors and look around for Jonas Teachout and beg fur deadhead tickets, and Moses Harper wasn't one of the last.

Looking for Trouble.
San Juan de Puerto Rico, Jan. 2.—Passengers who have arrived here on the Red "D" line steamer Sibilla, from Laguyara, December 30, say a serious revolution has broken out in the Maracaibo district of Venezuela. They add that the government troops have defeated the rebels and arrested 20 of the leaders. Another rising is reported to have occurred in the vicinity of the Orinoco.

The United States auxiliary cruiser Scorpion left here yesterday to join the Hartford at Laguyara.

Memorandum books, 1901 diaries, all kinds, at Zaccarelli's.

Fine fresh meats at Murphy Bros., Third street.

For Rent.
Office room in McLennan-McFeeley building. Heated with hot air. Apply McLennan-McFeeley store.

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E. C. HAWKINS, General Manager J. FRANCIS LEE, Traffic Manager J. H. ROGERS, Agent

CARIBOU "DONE" HIS MAN

In Four Rounds at the Savoy Last Evening

The Ebony-Hued Son of Ham Provoked a Quitter and Was Hissed by the Audience.

David and Goliath met in deadly combat last night at the Savoy. Goliath, who, by the way was a black man with a big streak of "yaller" running through him was represented by Collier, a Hercules of immense proportions whose bulk made Sinclair, his adversary, look like a child in comparison. An immense house witnessed the affair and standing room only was available for the late comers.

The contestants were matched to ten rounds, Marquis of Queensberry rules, with a clean break away. O'Donnell acted as referee and W. H. B. Lyons as official timekeeper. At 9:30 the principals entered the ring with all the pomp and circumstance of Roman gladiators, each with a retinue of bottle holders, sponge tossers and towel manipulators as well as deliverers of sage advice. The corner which was obliterated by the colored man was black with sons of Ham, who did the thinking for their principal, he being long of arm but short of gray matter.

The go lasted four rounds of heavy fighting, Caribou landing at will on his dusky opponent, driving in rights and lefts on the jaw, and rib smashing lefts for the kidneys and solar plexus. Collier swung his immense arms around like a windmill, landing several times by good luck, the impact of his blows visibly weakening Caribou, who, for his superior agility, thinking capacity and knowledge of the game, would have been crushed to the earth by the immense strength of his opponent.

The go all through, however, was Caribou's and in the second round he had his man where he wanted him. Up to the end of the fourth Caribou rushed his man giving him no chance to recover and driving him into a corner with heavy blows, where his huge bulk sank exhausted to the floor. At count of nine he regained his feet with Caribou after him, but here the call of time saved him from a knock out. At the commencement of the fifth Caribou jumped to the center of the ring, but Collier refused to budge, not lack of strength but from sheer cowardice. Yells of derision from the audience followed and O'Donnell of course gave the decision to Caribou.

Prior to the commencement of hostilities a likely looking pug from Atlin named Britton challenged the winner.

Rex hams and soft wheat flour; job lots, at S. Archibald.

To sell oats, hams and flour for cash see S. Archibald.

Notice.
Whereas the commissioner of the Yukon territory has created a new mining district known as the Clear creek mining district, which district is described as follows: All of Stewart river and its tributaries from Lake creek to Fraser falls, including Lake creek and its tributaries.
Now, therefore, the public is hereby notified that on the 26th day of February, 1901, a mining recorder's office will be opened at Barlow City, and all records and documents pertaining to the Clear mining district will be located there.
Dated, January 31st, 1901.
(Signed) J. LANGLOIS BELL, Assistant Gold Commissioner.