General News from the Sporting World.

THISTLE CURLING CLUB HAS SPLENDID HISTORY.

Organized in 1874, it is Thirty Years Old that the St. Andrews Club won again by 2 points. and Every Year Has Been a Front Ranker in the Roarin' Game --- Its History and Records.

sport in St. John. Probably in no of St. John, N. B., as established on other line of ice sport, have there been so many directly interested, as in the old Scottish game. Although not the oldest club of its kind, the Thistle Curling Club has always.

"Article II.—This club shall continuous the presidency of the club, he presented a silver cup, for competition among its members. The Wizard Oil Cup was presented by the moting of the noble game of Curling. "Article II.—This club shall continuous the Klondwike, was the winner at the Klondwike."

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At this meeting Rev. D. Watters hard fought battles, with most of als and Royal Caledonia medal.

L. D. J. Girvan, Walker C. Frith the clubs of the Maritime Provinces, but the game which probably creates organization are Robert Mills James Guthrie and Geo. Morrison, the greatest interest, is the game Ur. were elected members, and a con- with the parent club, chiefly because stitution and by-laws adopted / The it brings out the strength of both following are Articles I & II. of the clubs, and also in late years they

constitution.

"Article I.—This club shall be a season."

Their Record.

The Thistle Club record, against foreign clubs is as follows:

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the play, and the semi-finals and finhad to be held over till the

next season, Fredericton won in the In 1888, the bonspiel, was held at St. John. About twelve clubs took part in it. This time the winner

was decided by the majority of

In 1889, the bonspiel was held in Halifax, but bad weather held the

teams there about a week, and it

could not be finished, so the finals

were not played until 1890 when

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Sonspiel games are not included.

Outside Games.

1 | points. St. Stephen's were the win-In January, 1878, five rinks of Pictou and the Thistles met at St.

the Thistle club went to Pictou, (N S.), and took part in the tournar home with them. S.), and took part in the tournament there. A number of the curlers broke through the ice, of Pictou Harbor, and had a narrow escape from drowning. They also lost some of the stones.

In 1890, the winner was decided by the club having the largest majority. This time the cup found its way back to the donors. In 1891, the bonnessel was held a the stones.

In 1884, two rinks from the Thistle club, went to the Montreal carnival, and won second place in the bonspiel getting a fine gold medal. In 1886, Hon. David McLellan, a member of the club, presented to this club, a silver cup, known afterwards as the McLellan Cup. wards as the McLellan Cup. the winner.

The Thistles put this cup up for competition, open to clubs of the Maritime Provinces. Jan. 17th 1886, Maritime Province Association was formed, and it was decided that each club should play at points, and the two leading clubs at points would play off. Pictou and Truro were the leaders, so these two clubs played off, at New Glasgow, Pictou

In 1895, the same district plan was adopted.

piel of each province, met at Truro. Truro and the Thistles being the

participants. Truro won by two

In 1894, the same course was pur-

Truro and the Thistles met at Moncton. Truro again winning score 41 to 27. Truro has still possession of the cup, as it has not been played for since.

When the late Mont McDonald re-Curling has always been a popular known as the Thistle Curling Club tired from the presidency of the

Kemedy and R. R. Duncan. Their reason for forming this club was, the St. Amtrew's cub membership and also a second team, whether under the amount of the production among base and having only two sheets of outdoor ice, could not accompeted, the totals being St. ameeting, held at J. & R. Milligan, president, James Knox vice-president, James Knox vice-president, James Knox vice-president, James Knox vice-president, James Knox Wince-president, James Knox Wince-president, P. R. Disbrow, setting any regular open competition, the were not successful in whining any regular open competition. However, they won the west had any negular open competition, the were not successful in whining any regular open competition. However, they won the was need to pay we work all sits members, At a meeting, held at J. & A. A. A. Hall was, been decided. The Neptunes will at the time Root was beading with the time Root was beading with the time Root was beading will be the thomas and also a second team, whether under the name the promotes have eached the spenses, Competent to the representably to pay whether great on the Potential matches and also a second team, whether under the name the promotes have seeding will be the Mohawks and also a second team, whether under the name the promotes have seeding to pay from least of the time Root was beading will be the Mohawks and also a second team, whether under the name the promotes have seeding to pay from least the time Root was beading will be the time Root was beading will be the time Root was beading will be provided to pay seed the time Root was beading will be provided to pay seed the time Root was beading will be provided to pay seed the time Root was beading will be provided to pay seed the time Root was beading with the time Root was beading will be provided to pay seed the provided the provid

1880; Robert Thomson, 1881; Wm. C. Whittaker, 1882; James Shaw, have played a series of three games 1883; Andrew Malcolm, 1884; Alexander Millar, 1885; Robert R. Barnes, 1886; Edward L. Whittaker, 1887; George Morrison, Jr., 1888; Frederick R. Titus, 1889; Alexander Macaulay, 1890; Enoch W. Paul, 1891; Jos. K. Dunlop, 1892; Mont. Mc-

Dizzy Headaches Are Caused

ST. JOHN MAY HAVE EIGHT HOCKEY TEAMS THIS YEAR.

Meeting of Hockeyists Last Night Was Well Attended and Prospects Are Good For a Boom in the Game === The association on whose track the race was run, guilty of connivance Six Day Race Ends Tonight.

HOCKEY.

time.

The Thistle Curling Club was established on the 27th March 1874,by the following gentlemen, who were members of the St. Andrew's Curling Club. Robert Milligan James Knox Samuel Welsh, P. R. Disbrow, Andrew Malcolm, Archibald Malcolm, Uames Adam, W. C. Whittaker, Gen. D. B. Warner, D. D. Robertson, C.A. Armstrong, R. A. Courtenay, James Kennedy and R. R. Duncan. Their reason for forming this club was,the

The presidents of the club since its er leagues will also play on this organization are Robert Milligan, night, so that each hockey night will 1874-5-6; James Knox, 1878; Alexander Duff, 1879; Thomas Finlay, the matches will be under Mr. Spen-

THE RING.

Corbett ... Nelson Again.

Young Corbett may have another George Ketcham, of Toledo, Ohio, bership of over 80 members, and was in a flourishing condition. The members are all waiting patiently now for ice, to get into the roarin' game once more.

W. E. H.

at least a month or six weeks. Corbett has begun training once more. He ed.

"The story detailed by Starter of himself and will not try to burn Jordan of the Wichtta track who detailed at both ends in the full clared to the board that Mr. Ket-

In speaking of his recent fight with the time of Cresceus so that "the Corbett, Nelson said: "The pace I world's record would be broken." The

the been otherwise. I found out with the Wichita at that time.

CYCLING.

The Six Day Race.

stance of what is alleged to be foul the M. P. A. A. and make appli- moved. The plot covers six acres riding occurred this afternoon. Kee- cation for reinstatement and return and has been turned into a fine ball gan of Lowell, Mass., was the accused. Chief scorer Spooner made a formal complaint to the referee.

At the time Root was leading with Stol in second place. Keegan was third. When the curve at Fourth Avenue was reached it is allowed that the second place in the second place is a disposition among base ball way. The abandonment of its jurisdiction over base ball gives satisfaction.

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The Washington situation was not

The record for the hour is 2336 were discussed informally.

THE TURF.

George Ketcham Acquitted.

chance to fight Battling Nelson if was found not guilty of establishing Jos. K. Dunlop, 1892; Mont. McDonald, 1893; R. A. Courtney, 1894; W. A. McLauchlin, 1895; Dr. Geo. U. Hay, 1896; Frederic S. Whittaker, 1897; John A. Thomson, 1898; James Kennedy, 1899; David McLelland, 1900; Arthur W. Sharp, 1901; Alexander B. Holly, 1902; John A. Sinclair, 1903; Dr. Murray McLaren, 1904; William E. Raymond, 1905.

Last season the club had a membership of over 80 members, and was in a flourishing condition. The mem-

Nine times out of ten by constipation but can be cured quickly by Dr. than anything else. It is said that siderable corroboration in matters of Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Corbett was not in trim and all minor detail. We must, however, Butternut. For constipated headache that. He was in grand shape. There view the case before us wholly from and liver complaint use only Dr. is no doubt about it. He couldn't the evidence we have, asknowledged that the couldn't the evidence we have, asknowledged that the couldn't the evidence we have the constitution. have fought as speedy as he did had ing that the chief factor certainly

especially in view of the sweeping and unequivocal denial of direct and indirect participation made by Mr Ketcham, we must determine that the evidence to establish his connect tion with the fraud and intrigues lying at the foundation of his attempted record.'

While freeing Mr. Ketcham from

the charge, the board found the officials of the Southern Kansas Fair association on whose track the to establish a fraudulent record, expelling from the American Trotting association President C. H. Irwin and all the other officers connected in the second round that I could reach him with short arm punches besides Mr. Irwin were H. B. Amid-

Back to the Fold.

New York, Dec. 9:-The first in- ly comply with the requirements of from which the corpses have been re



RECEIVED THIS MEDAL.





This medal was awarded to Minard's Liniment in London in 1886.

ate to play ball in Havana during the training season. The cuban magnate has secured an abandoned Moncton base ballists will probab- graveyard in the heart of the city,

son, according to the custom universally followed. As St. John will be represented by two teams in this league, there will be a game among the gue, there will be a game among the seniors each Kriday night. The other leagues will also play on this night, so that each hockey night will have been accorded with a double header. All the several miles behind.

The directorates: Boston, St. Lousis, Philadelphia, and Detroit.

The foul strike rule came up for another tussle, and at the end of a long discussion it was found the magnates stood 4 and 4 on the laps. Their competitors were from a balk called on him, and as a constitute of the schedule were discussed informally. Pres. Farrell said he understood that he will be any unnecessary swing and twists that his club was to open in Bos- and side-step motions to first base

ATHLETICS.

Success to You, Boys. The Fairville Athletic club :is ar-

ranging to secure a hall for the winter months. Gymnasium apparatus will be installed. The club will give a concert and pie social in the Orange hall, Fairville on Monday next.

CURLING.

Lady Curters.

A meeting of the Moncton Lady terday afternoon. The following of-ficers were elected: Mrs. E. W. Givan president; Mrs. E. H. Allen, first vice Mrs. H. A. Peters, second Flor Newman, secretary: Miss Lou. McKenzie, treasurer.

Burke-O'Korron told me both of his parents were dead before he was born.
Calif.-What nonsense. What did you say?

Burke—I told him his father and mother must have been the happiest people in all the world, that they didn't know what a shpalpeen they had for a son.

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