

NEWS OF SPORT.

SUSSEX IS NOT IN IT; MONCTON IS ADMITTED.

Provincial Hockey League at Last Evening's Meeting Barred the Kings County Metropolis Out of the Series---Schedule Arranged---International Hockey---Other Sport.

HOCKEY.

Provincial League Meets.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Hockey League was held in the Royal Hotel, last evening. There were representatives present from the following teams:—Mohawks, Neptunes, Sackville, Fredericton, Moncton and Sussex. President J. D. Chipman of St. Stephen, presided. Applications from Moncton and Sussex, for admission to the league, were received. It was decided to admit Moncton, but Sussex, for some reasons that the executive would not make public, was denied. The Marysville and St. Stephen teams have withdrawn from the league.

As was stated before, the Marysville team has amalgamated with the Trojans of Fredericton, and the St. Stephens were unable to make satisfactory arrangements with regard to a rink. It is to be regretted that these teams are not in the league as they were composed of good gentlemanly players, and the games in which they figured were always interesting. However, it is expected that Moncton will give a good account of itself as it is understood that they will have a strong team on the ice. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, J. D. Chipman; president, E. L. Rising, vice-president; C. H. Allan, secretary-treasurer; George Blizard, official referee; C. H. Allan and George Blizard.

It was announced at the meeting that F. G. Spencer had offered a trophy, the conditions being that the cup will have to be won for three years before it becomes the property of the club winning it.

It was also decided that the executive of the league should provide a pennant to be presented each year to the winning team.

Retiring President Chipman kindly offered to supply the pennant for this year. Both offers were unanimously accepted and votes of thanks were passed.

J. D. McKenna, who represented the Sussex team, protested vigorously against their exclusion from the league. The schedule of games is as follows:—Mohawks v. Neptunes, St. John, January, 6; Sackville v. Mon-

ton, Moncton, Jan. 10; Mohawks v. Fredericton, Fredericton, Jan. 10; Neptunes v. Moncton, Moncton, Jan. 14; Sackville v. Fredericton, Fredericton, Jan. 19; Sackville v. Mohawks, St. John, Jan. 20; Moncton v. Neptunes, St. John, Jan. 20; Sackville v. Neptunes, Sackville, Jan. 24; Fredericton v. Neptunes, St. John, Jan. 27; Mohawks v. Moncton, Moncton, Jan. 30; Mohawks v. Sackville, Sackville, Jan. 31; Neptunes v. Fredericton, Fredericton, Feb. 1; Neptunes v. Mohawks, St. John, Feb. 3; Fredericton v. Sackville, Sackville, Feb. 8; Fredericton v. Moncton, Moncton, Feb. 9; Moncton v. Fredericton, Fredericton, Feb. 16; Sackville v. Neptunes, St. John, Feb. 17; Moncton v. Mohawks, St. John, Feb. 17; Moncton v. Sackville, Sackville, Feb. 23; Fredericton v. Mohawks, St. John, Feb. 24.

Come High.

Brandon, Man., Dec. 12.—United States hockey clubs are anxious to secure Joe Hall, the fast rover of the Brandon hockey team. Hall has received the following letter from Calumet, Michigan:

Joe Hall, Brandon,—Will pay you seven hundred dollars for season, and position, to play for Calumet. Can you come at once? Answer.
(Signed) HOD STUART, Captain.

Hall has the matter under consideration. This is the fourth offer that he has had this season.

CURLING.

Hampton Club.

Tuesday evening the Hampton curling club received a report showing thirty-three members enrolled. It was decided to set apart two evenings each week for skating. R. A. March resigned as president, but on being pressed, decided to continue in the office. The question of amalgamating the Hampton Curling Rink Company and the Hampton Curling Club, the removal of the rink and club house to a more central site, its enlargement to provide a broad skating circle around two curling rinks, and the placing of the whole on a sound business basis was taken up and a

committee appointed to confer with the company. A pair of Dover's patent curling handles have been received by the Carleton Curling Club from Mr. Dover, of the Truro Club, to be competed for among the members for points.

THE RING.

Fight Next Tuesday.

A Trisco special says: Betting on the approaching encounter between Jimmy Britt and Battling Nelson, which is scheduled to be held at Mechanics Pavilion in San Francisco on Dec. 20, indicates that Britt will be a warm favorite on the night of the mill. The price quoted now is 7 to 5 in favor of Britt. Few wagers have been made thus far, but it is expected that the speculation will be heavier later on. Britt has a great following among the California sports and they are sure to back him for the limit.

Britt is working hard for the combat. He is well pleased with the weight question and thinks he will have no trouble in reducing to 132 pounds at 6 o'clock, the scale agreed upon. Had Britt been forced to get to 130 pounds, which Young Corbett had to make when he met Nelson, Britt's friends in all probability would not have been as confident as they are at present. Britt tips the beam near 139 pounds, but it will be easy for him to take off the extra seven pounds. Britt's final week's training will consist of plenty of road work. He will be compelled to do this in order to develop his wind, which is not at all perfect. Britt says that it is his intention to force the mill from the start. Nelson now weighs 134.

Murphy vs. Dougherty.

Tommy Murphy, of New York, who is regarded by many as the coming featherweight champion of America, will fight Danny Dougherty in Philadelphia tomorrow night. Dougherty was once bantamweight champion and is now a remarkably clever featherweight.

Fights Last Night.

Matty Matthews defeated Foster Walker in a six round fight last night at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

St. Louis, Dec. 15.—Monty Attell of San Francisco tonight gained the decision over Johnny Regan of New York after fifteen rounds of fighting before the West End Club.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 15.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., defeated Jack O'Keefe of Chicago here tonight, in eleven rounds.

Deathblow to Boxing.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—A death blow to boxing in Chicago was administered today by Mayor Carter. H. Harrison. To each club that has been conducting boxing contests of any kind, and to the chief of police, for enforcement Mayor Harrison has sent copies of an opinion by the corporation counsel which will compel even the Chicago Athletic Association to discontinue its exhibitions. Not only does the corporation council maintain that prize fighting anywhere within the state is a felony and that witnesses are guilty of a misdemeanor, but he

shows that by law, where the elation and exaltation of victory are only inducements for the boxers to perform before the public, such exhibitions are illegal, where the public is invited to attend, either by paying a fee or entering free of price.

About the Boxers.

Peter Maher is reported to be broke both physically and financially.

Walter Johnson and Bob Armstrong will meet for the second time in Haverhill Dec. 26. They box before the Merrimack A. C.

Jabez White, the English lightweight champion, is disappointed at the outcome of the Young Corbett-Battling Nelson fight, as he expected to get on a match in America with the former. White declares, however, that he will visit this country.

The betting men of San Francisco are already figuring on the Britt-Nelson fight. It is the consensus of opinion that the Britt-Gans affair and the Nelson-Corbett fight must be left out of the calculations. Betting is expected to open about 10 to 8 with Britt the favorite. The odds are not expected to go lower than 10 to 7.

THE TURF.

Trotter Meet.

(Fredericton/Gleaner Dec. 15.)

There was some talk going the rounds yesterday to the effect that Sheriff Sterling with Louise M. and John McCoy with W. H. Moody had a go up the lane and that the Sheriff had shown John the way in which the rear part of his sleigh was put together. Now the Sheriff has a fine mare. She is a corker to go and has proven her right of claiming a place among the best. The little chestnut stallion with a mark of 1.21 1/2 has still got a whole lot of speed left in him and he is still a long way from being all in. The Sheriff's mare has been kept in condition all summer and fall and this winter too for that matter. This is not so with the little horse that McCoy was driving. He has been having of some extra flesh that he collected during the summer and has not been started for some time.

According to Mr. McCoy, who ought to know something about the matter, the Sheriff met him on the "lane" and asked him to come up as far as Tennant's and try a brush down. Mr. McCoy explained to the Sheriff the condition of his horse and that he had not been started as yet this season, but Mr. McCoy was man enough to do all he could to give the Sheriff some sport so he said that he would accept the Sheriff's game offer and come down a part of the way at least. In Mr. McCoy's own words they turned around and went up as far as Tennant's and McCoy drove down "ahead" as far as the street that comes into the lane near the Hospital and they were moving a few. Then he says that he pulled up and the Sheriff was allowed to go by. He did not in any way try to speak in small terms of the Sheriff's mare. He said that she was a dandy and travelling real fast; but it was no race.

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as his horse was not in shape to go the distance. They simply had a little friendly brush that should have caused no talk at all. However, Mr. McCoy has this to say, that he is willing to come down any old track at all with any old horse at all that there is in this town with W. H. Moody, when he once gets him back into proper shape. And moreover when he does come down with the party that takes up his offer he will not stay behind so long that he will have time enough to read over the name plate on the back of the other fellow's sleigh more than two or three times.

Fast Mare Sold.

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RAISULLI IS AT IT AGAIN.

Tangier, Morocco, Dec. 16.—Raisulli, the notorious brigand chief who captured Ion Perdicaris, an American citizen, and his stepson Cromwell Varley, a British subject in May last, boldly raided a caravan within the town of Tangier today. The chief

had previously attacked another caravan five miles outside of Tangier, and took eleven prisoners and a number of mules. He then came into Tangier and repeated his exploit. In the latter case he released his prisoners as the men he was seeking were not among them.

TRIP WITH A LUNATIC.

Mounted Policeman Carried Him Over Frozen Wastes.

Ottawa, December 15.—The records of the Mounted Police Department contain the account of a rather remarkable journey made by an officer of the Mounted Police. It was a journey of 1,300 miles in the Northwest Territories, through the snowy wastes of winter. Corporal Field, of Fort Chipewyan received a summons to attend to a case of lunacy in the north country. He started on February 2nd with dog teams and it took him fourteen days to reach his destination. The object was to bring down a violent lunatic who, while engaged in mission work, had lost his head. On the way down the man became so violent that he had to be strapped to the sleigh. With great gentleness, although the lunatic bit, scratched and even spat in his face, the officer waited upon him and when he refused other food, made beef tea for him. Frequently the officer had to feed his prisoner with a spoon like an infant. He would ask for food but would not eat it unless it were placed in his mouth bit by bit.

Starting on February 18, by March 1st, after covering 700 miles, Corporal Field reached Fort Chipewyan. This was scarcely half the journey, however. On March 6th, the officer set out for Fort Saskatchewan, 600 miles distant. On this trip also dog teams were used and the same difficulty in handling the prisoner was encountered. On March 24th, however, they arrived at Fort Saskatchewan, having covered 1,300 miles through winter solitude. The demented man was safe and sound, not having sustained the slightest injury and was afterwards sent on to Brandon asylum.

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