

### RINKS ARE SELECTED FOR THE CHRISTMAS DAY CURLING MATCH

The Fredericton Curling Club is preparing for the annual Christmas Day match, President vs. Vice-President.

Present weather conditions appear to make good ice certain for Saturday. Monday night nine rinks a side were selected for the match playing morning, afternoon and night. The rinks are as follows:

MORNING

Chas. Burgess

John Neill, Skip

W. J. Carten

Dr. Crocker

G. A. Taylor

Gordon Coy

Walter Howie

T. A. Wilson, Skip.

Archibald Fraser

R. F. Randolph, Skip.

3. A. Limerick

Byron Kinghorn

J. Walter McKay

H. E. Fowler, Skip.

N. Dougherty, Skip.

Harry Wilson

A. M. Gilbson

W. A. Loudoun

H. F. McLeod

D. W. Burpee

W. Minto

EVENING

Dr. McKay

G. T. Feeney

J. B. Kinghorn

T. A. Belmore, Skip.

W. J. Glen

F. W. Porter

AFTERNOON

J. S. Allen

Dr. Dakin

President

Vice President G. R. Sinnot Gordon Boyd James Howie H. R. Babbitt

IGAREITES

MEDIUM"

C. R. Barry, Skip. C. C. Crocker A. A. Colter

S. L. Morrison L. C. Macnutt H. V. B. Bridges, Skip. A. G. Dustan

Clive VanWart W. T. Chestnut A. McM. Staples

T. L. Fowler, Skip. H. T. Logan W. T. Gerald

Dr. McGibbon J. E. Page H. B. Colwell, Skip R. F. Randolph Jr. H. A. Watson Rev. G. M. Young

Wm. Walker A. A. Shute, Skip. L. S. Morrison Albert Kitchen

J. H. Ramsay F. G. VanWart W. Limerick, Skip.

J. D. McKay J. McFadgen J. R. Walker C. W. Hall

W. A. McLellan, Skip. D. W. Olts G. H. McFarlane

H. W. Thorne W. R. Dunbar C. H. Weddall, Skip.

A. S. Sutton W. E. Little E. Staples

E. A. McKay S. D. Simmons, Skip.

F. A. Good G. G. Parker A. McElvaney J. E. Miles H. H. Hagerman Skip. E. Young W. A. VanWart G. C. McDowell A. S. McFarlane R. B. VanDine, Skip.

H. A. Smith J. A. Reid Geo. H. Clarke F. T. Thomas F. P. Hatt, Skip.

A clock strikes loudest at midnight. Methuselah lived nine hundred The luxury tax is gone. Good rid- years and never saw a "Safety First"

of pink shirts and purple socks would which to buy all the brilliant neckties to be said he didn't have but one shirt the merchants have in stock.

#### MONTREAL CITY LEAGUE LOOKS GOOD JUST NOW

FLAYER'S

IGARETTES.

Montreal, Dec. 21-That Montreal M. A. A. Will be represented in the Montreal City Hockey League by one of the strongest clubs that has worn the red and blue in many years is the general belief of City League followers. The Winged Wheel team meets Frank Shaughnessy's strong McGill outfit when the League series opens at the arena a week from Monday and by many are regarded as the team to beat.

The club, which is training diligently yesterday signed up the much sought after Harry Bell, brother of Billy Bell, who played professional with Wanderers. Harry Bell, is one of the best forwards in the city and played with M. A. A. A. a few years back, afterwards going to Sudbury. Jim Penny, Anderson, Herby Campbell, Devins and Josh Arnold, all former members of the champion St. Ann team, have thrown in their forces with the Winged Wheel, and in addition to these there are Walter Meldrun and Jupp, crack forwards of last season's club, Russell, Read, Allan, the two Sullivans, a Wes King and several other members of last season's team.

It is reported that both Vec Heney and Eric Parsons, as well as Anderson, will join forces with the Victorias, last year's champions, who have the club of last season intact. Parsons and Heney were two stars of last season's strong McGill club, but are not eligible to play with the sollegians this season

With Nationals and Shamrock, also far stronger than last season, and Loyola presenting a good club, competition is likely to be keener in the City League the coming season than ever before. National's have secured the two Lemarre boys, who formerly starred with Loyola, and Dave Laurendeau of last year's Laval team, as well as Dechenes

This league produced contenders for the Allan Cup last season and should do beter this.

'Tis said that thinking takes time. It's no wonder then that thinking is a ost art, for ther's not enough time to think and go to the movies too.

Again among the old-fashioned me A blue law prohibiting the wearing Girls have only four days left in there was the fellow of whom it used to his back. What has become of him?

Loss of Erin's PopJulation During the Past Half Century Has Had a Depressing and Devitalizing Effect-Exodus Was Arrested by the Great War-Emigrants from That Country are Well Equipped.

Special to Daily (Mail. Copyright 1920 that in fact every emigrant must be By Cross Atlantic News Service (By Hugh Curran)

Dublinu, Dec. 20-Emigration used to be described as one of the new flourishing "industries" in Ireland. This was certainly true for half a century prior to the great war. Before the famine period of 1846-47 the population was 8000000. The last census shower 4,390,219. The next census is due next year, but it is not certain hat it will be taken. In the present disturbed state of the country an accurate return would be impossible.

The loss of half of Ireland's population in almost half a century had a nost depressing and devitalizing effect. The outgoing of the youth of the country, male and female, in those years had the effect of leaving behind only those who were old and incapable of great effort, while the best brains and brawn of the virile men and women went to build up the other countries to which they turned their faces-United States. Canada, and

The question of the moment is whe her the process of "exporting" the rested by the war, is now to be re published are ominous. In the year 1900 emigration reached its high water mark of recent times when 45 288 persons left for various destina tions abroad. In the year 1914 in which emigration was not interdicted, the number had gone down to 20.314. In 1915 it was 10,659, in 1915 7,302, in 1917 2,111, and in 1918, the lowest or record, it was 980. The figures for the past ten months of 1920 which are now available show that there is distinct advance. In these ten months 12,752 persons have emigrated, an

provided with a passport and must pass through other tests before permission is given to leave the country, not for the most part emigrating in it will be seen that the emigration order to escape poverty at home "habit" has not yet been eliminated. There is no poverty in Ireland in the It must also be remembered that it is sense that it was known fifty or even an essential part of the Sinn Fein twenty years ago. Many are going out policy that young Irishmen and wo- to friends and relatives who have men should remain at home and do their share in the great work of re- and who have homes to give them and construction which is to be begun careers to place before them. In Irewhen the present political tangle has land they see at the moment only been cleared up.

ferent types and vastly better equip- men both here and in England, arise ped. They are better fed, better edu- and solve the difficulties which now cated, accustomed to a very much hold the land in turmoil and disorder

#### DEMPSEY NEEDS A SPECIALIST

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 21-Jack Dempsey expected to visit a specalist at Niles, Mich., to have his left ear examined, but found the physician out of the city. The ear was injured in the bout with Brennan.

Gauze stockings and galoshes look about as well together as a frock coat would look accompanied by a pair of

higher standard of living and in every respect calculated to make better citizens of the country which they adopt as their future home. They are "made good" in America or Australia chaos and disorder which may last The present emigrants are of dif- for years, or until such time as states-



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