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HANDY WITH IRONS.

Fredericton Curlers Beat Montreal Men with the Latter's Own Weapons.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—Both St. John Thistle Rinks won in their first appearance in the centenary bonspiel yesterday in the club cup granites competition, J. S. Malcom defeating Rook of Prescott, 20 to 14, and J. P. Shaw defeating Murdie of Prescott, 15 to 6.

In the same series Peterboro defeated Campbellton.
Fredericton rinks won by default from Quebec, and will meet the Thistles in the semi-finals.

Last night in the single rink championship Skip Malcolm of St. John, beat Skip Dalton of Kingston, 18 to 10. Skip Shaw of St. John, did not play.

In the Granite Club Cup Moncton beat New York 18 to 17.
Fredericton rinks furnished a surprise by entering the cup competition for Irons and winning two games last night.

Skip James Tibbitts beat Skip Williamson of Heather, 12 to 11.
Skip Thos. L. Fowler beat Skip McCall of Caledonia, 15 to 13.

The Fredericton players never used the iron till they came to Montreal. (The clubs beaten by Fredericton are two of Montreal's best.)

The Fredericton rinks were as follows:
D. B. Winslow, J. A. Winslow,
A. E. Massie, W. A. B. McLellan,
C. H. Allen, F. P. Hatt.

T. L. Fowler, skip, Jas. Tibbitts, ship.
Montreal, Jan. 23.—(Special)—
Montreal's big curling bonspiel proved as enjoyable on its second day as upon the occasion of its opening.

Indeed it is probable that by reason of many curlers having become more thoroughly acquainted with each other and fraternizing to a more considerable extent, it was even a better day.

There was one odd feature in last night's play.
Fredericton, a club devoted to granite play, having an off night in stones, started in to play with iron.

They played in the Caledonia rink against Montreal, Mr. T. L. Fowler's rink facing that of Mr. McCall. The latter is a strong organization but went under to the men from the east. This was a big surprise.

The Fredericton rink showed great form and fairly made a runaway match of it in the beginning. However their local opponents showed good staying powers and made a smart finish, but the match was then lost.

Fredericton also won their second game at iron, Skip Tibbitts beating Skip Williamson of the Heather Club.
In the club cup competition granites the Thistles of St. John and the Fredericton club are regarded as likely competitors.

They are drawn to meet each other in the semi-final for the trophy.
In the club cup granites, the Thistles of St. John defeated Prescott, score 35 to 20.

Fredericton won from the Victorias of Quebec, by default.
In the single rinks, granites, the Thistles of St. John, defeated Kingston, 18 to 10.

THE GRANITE COMPETITION

Montreal Herald, Tuesday.—The roar of the "granites" was heard at the local rinks this morning, for the opening matches in the club competition for granites were a feature of the morning's play in the bonspiel.

Matches were scheduled at all of the local clubs, and everywhere the sheets of smooth ice presented a scene of life and activity. Besides those who were actually engaged in the morning's matches, a large number of the local curling enthusiasts, including many ladies, turned out to see the play.

On the Montreal sheets the competition for the club cup for the clubs competing were the Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; the Terra Nova Club, from St. John's, Nfld.; the Boston, and the Chatham, Ont. The play between the first two clubs was very interesting all through on both rinks, and by 11 o'clock there was a big muster of onlookers, while quite a score of ladies were tempted out into the rink itself to watch the play.

The excitement showed itself in the shouts and exhortations to the curlers, and to play the wrong shot at such a time was almost the unpardonable sin. The second rink between the players skipped by E. J. Rowe and Herbert Jaques, on the twelfth end showed Country Club 11, Terra Nova 9, but the latter drew two at the next all-important end and made it 11 all, 2 tie.

Skip I. Syme, on No. 1 rink, had been taking his men along in great style, bursting with excitement, and shouting commands in the stentorian voice of a stock-broker in the "pit." He was great fun in himself and was enthusiastically cheered when, at the eleventh end, he sent the opposition flying by a wonderful shot. His men finished up 15 against 5, and thus won the game for the Terra Nova Club by that number, their other rink tying.

At the Thistle club, the Peterboro, Ont., and Campbellton, N. B., curlers met in the club competition for Granites. The result was a draw, each club winning one match. In points the Peterboro's came out five stones to the good.

In the Granites competition Mr. F. E. Matthews' rink of Campbellton, defeated Mr. T. Rutherford's four from Peterboro by 19 to 15. In return Mr. W. G. Ferguson's quartette from Peterboro, won from Mr. A. A. Andrews of Campbellton, by 13 points to 4.

The rinks and scores follow:
Campbellton, N. B., Peterboro, Ont.
W. Sprout, J. E. Fitzgerald,
D. McMillan, T. Brightman,
A. D. MacKendrick, H. Davidson,
F. F. Mathewson, T. Rutherford,
skip, 19 skip, 15

W. W. Mowatt, H. Foote,
D. J. Bruce, J. H. Connal,
A. A. Andrews, W. G. Ferguson,
skip, 4 skip, 13

SOME DEFAULTERS.
Montreal Star.—It was cold, cold in the Heather Rink today, and even the husky curlers from St. John and Fredericton felt the icy fingers of Jack Frost. No iron was visible on the ice, all the enthusiasts using the granite, no new fangled ideas for them. The matches got 9 o'clock were all carried out, but mid-day came round and the skips that were to play did not show up.

Whether it was the cold weather or the cars is not known, but the fact remains that three skips capitulated without a fight, Quebec was to meet Fredericton during the forenoon, but Quebec were not present. Ottawa defaulted to Ormstown, and St. Lawrence claim the match between themselves and English River.

THAW ON TRIAL.

Relatives of Accused Prominent in the Court Room--Sensational Scenes Before Court Opened.

New York, Jan. 23.—(Special)—200 with a policeman for each. Scenes approaching absolute disorder attended the opening of the trial of Harry K. Thaw today, charged with murdering Stanford White.

The most clashes were between the reporters, correspondents and police. Of newspaper men there are perhaps 200 with a policeman for each. Only 50 newspaper writers were finally admitted the remainder of space in the courtroom being reserved for 200 talesmen summoned as a special jury panel.

The trial before Judge Fitzgerald was scheduled for 10.30 a. m. and before that time the police lines had been extended from the corridor adjacent to the courtroom to include the first floor of the criminal court building.

The public was warned advance and not to attempt to get into the court and few appeared.

Quarrels with the police were quickly forgotten at 10 o'clock, when Mrs. Wm. Thaw of Pittsburgh, mother of young defendant appeared in the courtroom.

She was dressed in the customary black and veiled.

Following her came the Countess of Yarmouth, and Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie her daughters and Mrs. Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw's wife. Harry came next closely followed by May McKenzie, the actress, to whose home Evelyn Thaw fled on the night of the tragedy at Madison Square roof garden, June 25th, last.

The party of relatives was completed by Edwin Thaw, Harry's brother and Geo. L. Carnegie brother-in-law. The Countess of Yarmouth wore a modest dress and brown veil.

Mrs. Evelyn Thaw was dressed in gray with a hat and veil of the same color.

District Attorney Jerome appeared in court at 10.20 o'clock and when the talesmen arrived the room was crowded.

Justice Fitzgerald took his seat at 0.26 o'clock, and there was an electric stir when the two alienists, Doctors Carlos McDonald and Austin Flint, were brought into court and given seats inside the clerk's rail.

They were soon in consultation, and said that they had been engaged to give testimony whenever required.

DISAPPOINTING.

Announced that U. S. Consular Agency Here will Close March 31st.

St. John Telegraph.—While the United States Consular Agency at Fredericton is still open, it is to be permanently closed on March 31.

The order to close Fredericton and St. George agencies on December 31 has been revised, as applying to Fredericton, to extend the life of that agency for three months.

(If the above communication is correct it will be a great disappointment to Fredericton shippers.

The agency was closed January 1 for about ten days when at the urgent request of Fredericton business men it was re-opened, it was hoped, permanently.)

JAMES BAGLEY DEAD.

Well Known Citizen Succumbs to an Attack of Bright's Disease.

Mr. James Bagley, a well known citizen, passed away at his home on St. John street this afternoon after an illness from Bright's disease, complicated with a gripe. He has been in failing health for several months but had only been confined to his home for a fortnight.

The deceased gentleman was born in Kings County, Ireland, but he made his home in this city since 1861.

For the past twenty-one years he has been employed at the Queen hotel and quite naturally his circle of acquaintances was a large one. He was a man of quiet disposition and was thoroughly honorable and upright in all his dealings.

The late Mr. Bagley was sixty-two years of age, and is survived by a sorrowing widow, four sons, two daughters and three grandchildren. The members of the family are: Jas. at present in the New Hampshire lumber woods, Walter P. commercial traveller of Boston, John and Chas. at home, Mrs. T. W. Smith of Hyde Park, Mass and Mrs. G. M. Akerley of St. John.

The funeral will likely take place on Saturday at an hour to be announced later.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—(Special)—The dealings in stocks on the stock market were limited today to a dozen issues, some of which are not included in the active list.

The only prominent issues which figured in the dealings were: Mackay 73 1/2 to 73.
Rio, 47 1/2.
Detroit, United, 80 1/2.
Dominion Iron bonds, 80 to 79 1/2.

He kissed her under the mistletoe. He kissed her under the rose. He kissed her under the holly. And he kissed her under the nose.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Reports Read at Annual Business Meeting Show Past Year has been one of Progress.

The annual business meeting of the Brunswick Street Baptist Church was held last night in the vestry. The year of 1906 was reviewed and plans made for the present year. The pastor presided and Dr. H. C. Creed occupied the secretary's desk.

The clerk, Mr. R. H. Phillips, presented his report, which shows a membership of 570. Three only of the members of the church were removed by death during the year. The pastor gave a summary of pastoral services which included a statement of the various activities of his office.

Mr. F. W. Porter presented a detailed statement of the finances, of which the following is a summary:

RECEIPTS.	
From envelopes and collections,	\$2495 96
Special contributions,	261 00
Convention Fund,	267 16
Northwest Missions,	25 35
Victoria Hospital,	32 04
	\$3081 51
EXPENDITURES.	
Salaries,	\$452 81
Missionary and Benevolent,	1719 96
Fuel, Light, Repairs and Sundry expenses,	518 11
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1907	66 06
	\$3081 51

Of the above amount \$631.11 was contributed to the missionary and devotional work of the denomination. Taken with other amounts, the record of which is not kept by the church, the contributions for the work of the denomination amount to \$831.11.

RESIGNATIONS.
Mr. Richard H. Phillips, who for many years was the efficient clerk of the church, tendered his resignation, which was accepted with regret. Mr. R. B. Wallace was elected in his stead.

Mr. J. V. Lynn, who leaves this week for Calgary, Alberta, retires from the leadership of the ladies' class. Mr. Clifford Clark has been chosen as his successor.

NEW BUSINESS.
Mr. Havelock Coy submitted a report for the committee on church lighting, which recommended the installing of electric lights at an early date. The report was adopted, with the recommendation that electric lights should be installed as soon as conditions will permit.

Mr. W. G. Clarke submitted the report of the committee on church extension. At a meeting held in April last plans were presented for vestry enlargements, the estimated cost of which was \$6,700.00 and of organ removal \$1,300.00. At a subsequent meeting it was resolved that when 75 per cent. of the estimated cost of vestry enlargement has been pledged and 100 per cent. of organ removal the work shall be proceeded with; in no case, however, shall the organ be removed without vestry enlargement, and unless 25 per cent. of the amount is on hand. The committee was authorized and requested to draw up a circular and subscription list.

The salary of Mr. W. H. McKee, the church organist, was increased to the extent of \$50.00.

CHURCH OFFICERS.
Pastor, Rev. J. H. MacDonald.
Deacons, Wm. Cooper, J. W. Spurdin, J. T. Clark, Dr. H. C. Creed, Havelock Coy, W. E. Everett, R. B. Wallace.

Clerk, R. B. Wallace.
Treasurer, F. W. Porter.
Organist and choir master, W. A. McKee.

Curator, Havelock Coy.
Sexton, N. Inch.
Trustees, Havelock Coy, A. H. F. Randolph, Dr. J. W. Bridges, G. F. M. Coy, R. H. Phillips.

Finance committee, Dr. F. W. Barbour, F. W. Porter, Dr. C. C. Jones, W. E. Everett, F. B. Smith, W. G. Clark.

Tellers, W. E. Everett, G. L. Haviland, J. A. Thompson, G. A. Pringle, H. E. Harrison, Ray M. McGibbon.

Ushers, W. G. Clark, R. B. Wallace, G. L. Haviland, J. W. Harrison, Walter Burden.

The aggregate balance in the various treasuries at the beginning of the year is \$672.47.

ready published.
It is not the present intention of the colonial office to make the telegrams public, the official view being that it is a personal matter between the government department and its official, which is properly adjusted between them. Authorities incline to the view that the general interests will be best served by having the replies appear in a blue book at some distant period.

In the meantime it is being dealt with through the usual diplomatic channels of intercourse between power and power.

London, Jan. 23.—(Special)—The government here has heard from Governor Swettenham of Jamaica, concerning the incident involving the withdrawal of American warships from Kingston.

Absolute secrecy is maintained but the fact is elicited that during the night many telegrams were received, some of which deal with the incident. It is understood they confirm the main features of the affair as already published.