

# CRESCENTS BLANKED

Capitals Trimmed them to Tune of 5 to 0  
in Opening Game of Provincial Hockey  
League---Moncton Defeated Marathons  
11 to 1

Fredericton is hockey crazy at the present time. This was amply demonstrated by the scene at the Arctic rink last evening, when fifteen hundred people assembled to witness the opening game of the provincial hockey league series when the Capitals, of Fredericton and the Crescents of Marysville crossed sticks.

The Capitals defeated and shut out their opponents to the tune of 5-0. Of course everybody who has had an inkling of what has been going on in hockey circles here during the past few weeks expected Fredericton to win hands down, the only surprise being that the score against Marysville was not larger.

The crowd at the rink was probably the largest that ever assembled to witness a game of hockey in this city—people of all ages, sorts and conditions were there, and had to almost fight their way into the building.

Marysville sent down a strong contingent of both sexes, and they "whooped her up" for all they were worth for the team from that town. People began to wander rinkwards as early as seven o'clock and Manager Keith and his staff had their hands full handling the enormous crowd. The jam in front of the rink continued for nearly two hours, and there was considerable grumbling and dissatisfaction expressed over the failure on the part of the management to provide an additional ticket seller. The greatest wonder is that somebody was not injured by the big crowd in the vicinity of the entrance.

## ANNOYING DELAY.

Nobody ever knew of a hockey game in Fredericton being started on schedule time, and last night's game was no exception.

The game was advertised to begin at eight o'clock, but it lacked ten minutes to time before all the players took the ice and the referee's whistle sounded.

Referee Percy Howard did not arrive from St. John until the evening train, but he was on hand at 8:30 o'clock. All the members of the Capital team were on the ice at least three-quarters of an hour before the game commenced. One member of the Marysville team was thoroughly up in the business of killing time, and was responsible for the delay. The unnecessary delay must have been very wearisome to the large crowd in attendance, and steps should be taken by the management to prevent a recurrence of this in the future.

A good brand of fast hockey was put up by both teams but the ice was soft and sticky and proved a great handicap. The Crescents put up a game battle and lost because they were up against a more formidable combination. They had not the ghost of a chance of winning and realized it from the first. The Crescents have had very little practice, but they have plenty of good material and are bound to give a good account of themselves before the season is over.

## SOME GOOD MEN.

Burns, who played on the wing for Marysville is one of the best players ever seen on the ice in this city. He worked like a Trojan all the way through, and if he had one half the support he should have had the Crescents would not have had a goose egg entered up against them.

Inch and Gibson also did good work in the Crescents' forward line, while Brown at goal proved himself a regular bulwark.

In the first half the Marysville players seemed to be very much afraid of their opponents and made little or efforts to resist their terrific onslaughts.

In the second half they shifted some of their players and bucked up considerably. The result was that the Capitals' only found the goal once in the second half, while in the first half they sent the puck into the cage four times.

For the Capitals Capt. Jack D. McDonald proved himself a wonder and amply justified the expectations that had been formed regarding him. He did the lion's share of the work, and acted the part of a general all the way through. He had splendid support from Music, Ranson, Stewart and Murphy, while Goal Keeper Morrison did the stone-wall act in Al shape.

There was considerable rough play during the game, but this was not a matter for surprise. Some hard knocks were exchanged, as is usually the case, but it was not found necessary to call any of the spare men into use.

Three of the Capitals and one of the Crescents were penalized for violating the rules and at times ill-feeling was shown against certain of the players by the spectators.

Considering the very sticky ice the game was a fast one, and proved quite conclusively that lovers of hockey will have no lack of sport during the present season.

Percy Howard of St. John officiated as referee, and managed to keep a firm grip on the players. His decisions were impartial and satisfied the spectators.

## THE GAME

The play was hot from the start, and during the first half the puck

was in the Marysville territory the greater part of the time. Doyle of the Crescents, after being previously warned by the referee, was sent to the bench two minutes for tripping. Burns got hold of the puck and made a pretty rush with it, but failed to score. After play had been in progress eight minutes Murphy got the puck in a pass from Dunphy, and shot the first goal, creating tremendous enthusiasm. Five minutes of sharp play followed, at the end of which Dunphy shot the rubber into the cage. A little later Capt. Inch received a whack from a hockey stick which made him see stars, and delayed the play for a short time. When play was resumed, Stewart, after a pretty rush scored for his team, making the result stand Capitals 3; Crescents 0.

The result of the first half was lively and considerable feeling was shown by the spectators particularly against Doyle, who was seen to check Stewart in the ribs with his stick. This accident caused another delay of ten minutes. The referee did not catch on to Doyle's game, but a short time after he caught Murphy trying to trip an opponent and he had a rest of two minutes. Music was penalized in the same manner at a later stage. Stewart shot the fourth goal for his team at the end of twenty-one minutes' play, making the score stand 4 to 0. The half ended with the puck in Marysville territory.

## SECOND HALF.

Marysville made a much better showing in the second half than in the first and only allowed their opponents to score once against them. The play was very fast and the Marysville defence players were kept constantly on the alert.

The ice kept getting worse all the time, and this made it very difficult to get in any combination work. Murphy scored his only goal twelve minutes after play commenced making the score stand 5 to 0. Stewart of the Capitals was penalized two minutes for tripping just before the end of the game. When the game ended the puck was dangerously close to the Marysville net.

Capt. McDonald injured his head very severely while leaving the ice, at the close of the game, by striking it against the iron frame of the gate. The shock stunned him and a physician had to be called to dress the wound inflicted.

"I don't think we made a bad showing with only three days' practice," said Capt. Inch at the close of the game. "We'll beat those chaps yet before the season's over."

The Fredericton Brass Band rendered several choice selections before and after the game.

| THE LINE-UP.                            |                  |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------|
| CAPITALS.                               | CRESCENTS.       |
| Morrison - - - - - Goal.                | Brown - - - - -  |
| Music - - - - - Point.                  | Brogan - - - - - |
| McDonald (Capt.) - - - - - Cover Point. |                  |
| Murphy - - - - - Right Wing.            |                  |
| Dunphy - - - - - Left Wing.             |                  |
| Stewart - - - - - Centre.               |                  |
| Ranson - - - - - Left Wing.             |                  |
|                                         | Burns - - - - -  |

**SUMMARY.**  
First goal—Murphy, 8 minutes.  
Second goal—Dunphy, 12 minutes.  
Third goal—Stewart, 14 minutes.  
Fourth goal—Stewart, 21 minutes.  
Fifth goal—Murphy, 21 minutes.  
Referee—Percy Howard.  
Goal judges—Jas. Tibbitts, William Cain.

Timers—J. S. Neill, Alex. Forbes.  
Penalty timer—Geo. G. Parker.

## MONCTON-MARATHONS

Easy Victory for Railway Town---A Rough Game

MONCTON, N. B., January 10.—In the N. B. Hockey league game here last night everyone but Wortman, the Moncton goal tender, scored on the Marathons, the total tally at the end being eleven for the Victorias, while the Marathons were fortunate in securing one goal, when the puck rolled over Wortman's stick.

The game was rough at times, and marked by heavy checking. The ice was soft, interfering with shooting. Play was practically all the time in St. John territory, and the excellent defence put up by Ellis at goal kept down the score. The remainder of the defence was weak. Of the forwards, Derouin and Morin were the only ones showing senior form. There were two penalties, both to Moncton players.

In the second half there was some excitement when Stoyles, in following up a lift, checked Patterson into the fence. Woolworth jumped on Stoyles from behind, cross-checking the Moncton player across the neck and knocking him down. Cushing gave Woolworth a dose of his own medicine and other players rushed in. Fisticuffs were indulged in and in the melee Clawson sustained a bad cut in the head by falling. Cushing was the on-head by falling. Cushing was the on-

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getting three minutes. Earlier in the game Crockett got a minute for slashing.

WHITMAN SENT THE TRUNK AND LETTER.

Husband of Murdered Woman Admits This in Statement He Gave Out.

NEWARK, N. J., January 9.—Theodore S. Whitmore, who was arrested here after he had identified the body of the lampblack swamp, near Harrison, N. J., as that of his wife, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Branigan, and held without bail on the formal charge of murder.

The hearing was set down for next Thursday afternoon. William Bartlett, a waiter, of Brooklyn, was held in \$5,000 as a witness.

After Whitmore had been led back to his cell, he gave out this statement, in which he declared that he sent the letter signed Lena, received by Mrs. Bessie Schmitter with the trunk, and that Fred Elliott helped him prepare the trunk. He reiterated that the last he saw of his wife was on Christmas afternoon and he supposed she had gone to Schenectady. He admitted that he had had a quarrel with his wife the day before, but they had made up again. Whitmore said he told Elliott, after his wife had gone that he was through with her forever.

WAS IN WHITMORE'S COMPANY  
NEW YORK, January 8.—Search was made by the police today for Georgina Coop, who is wanted as a witness in the Whitman murder case. Various witnesses have said that Whitmore had been paying much attention to her before his wife's death and that she was seen in his company on Christmas day. Harry Dickenson told the police today that Georgina Cook went to Boston yesterday and is now in that city.

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## ICE BRIDGE LATE THIS YEAR.

Not the Slightest Sign of it Yet and it has Often Been in use by This Time.

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—The extremely mild weather Montreal has experienced so far is without a parallel for many years.

Today there is not the slightest sign of the ice-bridge forming, the main channel being absolutely free from even floating ice in any bulk.

Going back twenty years, the ice-bridge had formed and was in use by January 11th in 1887, by Jan. 1st in the following year, and in 1889 by January 18th.

On January 25th in the same year a sudden thaw caused it to break, but it had reformed by the 30th, and held good to the end of the winter. The dates by which it was in use in succeeding years were as follows: 1890, January 25; 1891, February 1; 1892, January 19; 1893, December 25th (1892); 1904, January 2; 1895, January 7; 1896, December 24 (1895); 1897, December 14 (1896); 1898, January 10; 1899, January 9, and 1900, January 25.

Ice merchants have so far done no cutting, save a few hundred feet at Black River, where the reality of the ice was very poor, and the large amount of scraping which had to be done rendered the work practically useless.

This morning some nine hundred men were set to work clearing snow from the streets. Last night's heavy fall was a boon for those who have been waiting for employment in this direction. Up to date the city has spent only \$5,000 in snow clearing, whereas by the same date last year over \$30,000 had been expended.

No record is now kept at the city hall of the snowfall, but returns from McGill University show that last night over eight inches fell.

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## BLOWN OUT TO SEA.

Vessel Sought For Twenty Days to Enter Halifax.

London, Jan. 9.—A tragic story is told by four survivors of the crew of the barquentine Fanny Breslawer, who landed at Milford Haven. The vessel, which was bound from Santos to Halifax, N. S., reached a point within twelve miles of Halifax, but was blown out to sea again. For twenty days she strove to enter Halifax, but failed. The Captain then, though rations were short, decided to make for home port in the island of Jersey. But he, the boatswain and an able bodied seaman died as a result of injuries and exposure about 27 miles off the Lizard. The vessel was extensively damaged, and the survivors, weakened by overwork and lack of food, few signals of distress. These were fortunately answered by a steam trawler.

## IS VERY FINE

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## MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON.

January 8.—The farmers are busy yarding their wood for the winter.

Miss Agnes Milton and Vera Dare and Frank Miller have returned to their studies at Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cronkrite are being congratulated on the arrival of another baby girl on the 23rd, inst.

Instructor Brown was home for the holidays.

Mr. Rogers has resumed his school at the Centre, while the school in No. 4 is closed for the winter.

Mr. J. C. Ferron is stopping for the winter at W. B. Cronkrite's.

The river is again frozen over. The pulpit of the United Baptist church was occupied last Sunday morning by Rev. A. A. Rutledge, and in the evening by Saunders Young, son of Rev. Saunders Young, who is home on his vacation from Wolfville, N. S.

Mrs. Joseph Oldham and R. L. Cronkrite have added the telephone to their residences.

At the Orange Hall on Jan. 2nd new officers for Hipwell L. O. L. No. 75 were elected as follows:

B. W. Akerley, W. M.  
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J. F. Freeman, F. S.  
F. R. Brooks, D. M.  
I. Patterson, Treas.  
W. K. Oldham, Chap.  
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## FELL INTO RAVINE.

robable Fate of Two British Columbia Miners.

VANCOUVER, January 9.—W. McDavies, aged forty, a Canadian, Burton City, near Nelson, B. C., and Norman Crisfield, aged twenty-five, an Englishman, who were working at the Millie Mack mine, fourteen miles east of Burton City, left the day before Christmas to spend the holidays in town. They have not been seen since. News has just reached here of a party who searched for them finding tracks to the edge of a precipice, and it is believed they fell into the ravine, bringing a spowslide after them.

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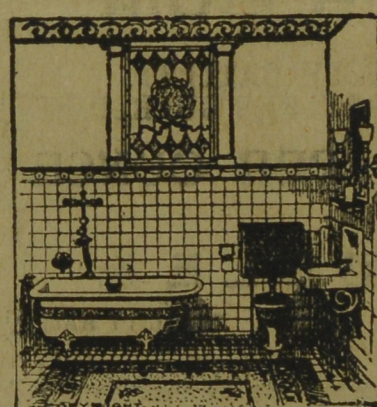
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