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Br-r-r, feel that cold weather! I woke up the other morning and first thing was to run and get my red flannels. Believe me, they are warm... that is, except where the moths had their picnic last summer. Now I'm all ready to strike out into the cold, blistery weather and take in a hockey game or two.

This week was very quiet on the hockey front with only one Intermediate game while the juniors played two. Last Friday saw the Raiders marching through Dixie to the lopsided score of 7-2. Don't let the score lead you to believe that Dixie isn't a good hockey club. They are a fighting aggregation who never give up, but Kenny Blythe-wait's boys are just two strong. The Raiders seem to have everything down to a science — we even thought for a while there were strings attached to the coach. Friday's game saw a shake-up in the line-up as in the defencemen were playing forward and vice-versa. We think it was this change that accounted for the high score, for they had big, slamin' Max Bradbury on defence to stop them while speedy Patterson took over the offensive chores. Patterson (Scotty, that is) scored two goals with two assists. (That proves our point.)

Rene Martin must have read about the frogs legs in our column last week, because he sure was jumping around and collected three counters and two assists. Too bad Ken Nash has such a hard shot, as we like to see the goals scored. As it is now, we just see him start his shot, then the goalie pulls it out of the net. This accounted for four goals and three assists last Friday.

The next time you go deer hunting, Ken, why not leave the gun home and take along a hockey stick and puck. Maybe you'll have better luck. Tanglefoot Chappel seems to have a lot to do with the puck Friday, as he brought in four goals while he collected one assist. Jack Kemhead scored two and an assist and Haines and Junior Beaumont each got one. Nick Ferri said not to mention the fact that he didn't get a goal and only collected five assists, as he doesn't want his wife to know. Now, fans, you won't tell her, will you.

Legion Notes

THIS NEWS GATHERING business is getting more difficult each week. For news of the Branch we have practically nothing to offer again this week. Incidentally, if anyone has anything of interest at any time for this column, don't hesitate to let us have it, either phone, or bring it in to the Herald Office.

GLAD TO SEE Jimmy Dickenson out of Sunnybrook Hospital for a time, at least. Although released, his trouble has not been cleared up by any means, and his legs are still giving him considerable trouble.

ELECTION TIME WILL soon be here. And just for a change, when it does roll around, let's see every member of the Legion present to cast their ballot. Invariably, we hear remarks from different members complaining about various things. In a large number of these cases, the complaining party is the very one who didn't have the energy, or the interest, to walk down and cast a vote when the Branch 120 officers were elected. Our own humble opinion is that the payment of your yearly dues does NOT by any means give a member the right to consistently find fault with decisions made by your executive and approved by a majority at a general meeting of the Legion. On the other hand, certainly if a member is interested enough to attend meetings whenever possible, it is certainly his privilege and duty to do so. Constructive criticism is the best help any executive can avail itself of.

AND WHILE WE'RE talking of executives, we'd like to say that it is our opinion that 1949's group of officers have accomplished an excellent job. By that we don't mean that possibly they have been one hundred per cent right in all their decisions, we don't think any group of humans can be, but we do feel that they have consistently worked in the best interests of the Branch at all times, and have not stinted in giving freely of their time. We wonder how many realize just how much time goes into running this organization, which has long since passed out of the "small" class, and whose counterparts in many small cities and towns have paid managers who make a full-time job of running them.

1950 HAS SEEN MANY worthwhile advances in the Branch. The most pressing matter, that of the completion of the building and the payment for the same, has been brought to a successful close. It is expected that by the annual meeting, that, except for a very small part, the remaining debt will have been paid, and the club rooms will be absolutely free of any debt, or mortgage of any kind.

This past year, has seen, too, the inauguration of a number of "Friday evening socials, where the members can meet and have a pleasant evening with their wives and friends. Along with this, has been the continuation of such fine events as the annual Remembrance Day Supper, which has become an evening highly looked forward to by all.

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES have been extended, with the purchase of dart boards (and their regular replacements). This ultimately led to the establishment of a dart league, with a large number of entries. A room has been set aside (or possibly taken over) by the dart enthusiasts, so that they can play without bothering non-players. A number of decks of cards are available and also crib boards. It is also hoped in the near future to have ping pong equipment available, and thought is being given to the purchase of a billiard table.

ALL IN ALL, we think everyone in the Branch can give themselves a pat on the back for a very successful year... (but as we can't write about this for two weeks in a row somebody had better drop us some news or there won't be any column next week. Even the dart tournament, which is always good for an item, let us down, and decided to cease operations over the festive season).

James Nickell Elected To High Masonic Post

A former district man, James A. Nickell of Pontiac, Michigan, has been named twice illustrious master of Pontiac Masonic Council 3, Royal and Select Masters. He was elected and installed in ceremonies recently at the Masonic Temple in that city. Mr. Nickell is the son of Mr. John Nickell and spent his youth at Limehouse. His father has made his home in Eden Mills for the past year.

SPORTSMANSHIP IN "CANADA UNLIMITED"



Skier's standout moment!

In 1933, against all odds, a Canadian ski team blazed to Alpine victory!

Gusts of snow swirled around the mountains at St. Moritz, Switzerland. It was the day of the relay race in the International University Ski Championships. And for the first time Canada was competing... racing against many of western Europe's finest skiers.

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6.00 p.m. (Sat. only)
8.30 p.m. (Sun. & Holidays only)

Leave Milton:
7.35 a.m. (daily except Sunday)
1.00 p.m. (Sat. only)
6.35 p.m. (daily except Sun.)
9.15 p.m. (Sun. & Hol. only)

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Leave Georgetown:
12.15 p.m. and 4.45 p.m.

Leave Inglewood:
12.55 p.m.

Notices have been posted in Stewarttown and Glen Williams giving bus times from these centres.

GLEN WILLIAMS (daily except Sunday and Hol.)

Lv. Glen	Lv. G'town
8.30 a.m.	8.15 a.m.
10.30 a.m.	10.15 a.m.
1.30 p.m.	12.15 p.m.
3.30 p.m.	3.15 p.m.
6.30 p.m.	4.45 p.m.
8.30 p.m.	8.15 p.m.
10.30 p.m.	8.15 p.m.

GLEN WILLIAMS (Sundays and Holidays)

Lv. Glen	Lv. G'town
10.30 a.m.	10.15 a.m.
2.00 p.m.	1.45 p.m.
6.30 p.m.	6.15 p.m.
10.30 p.m.	10.15 p.m.

STEWARTTOWN (daily except Sunday & Hol.)

Lv. S'town	Lv. G'town
8.45 a.m.	8.40 a.m.
10.45 a.m.	10.40 a.m.
1.45 p.m.	1.40 p.m.
3.45 p.m.	3.40 p.m.
6.45 p.m.	6.40 p.m.
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