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MINES HOCKEY LEAGUE AWAY TO A GOOD START

Crowd of 400 See First Local League Games. Good Hockey and Lots Of Interest.

The first matches in the Mines Hockey League on Saturday evening last attracted a large crowd, some 400 being present for the games, and all being well pleased with the brand of hockey shown.

The first game, Hollinger versus Dome, was won by the Hollinger, 2 to 1. It was clean, fast hockey, full of interest and closely contested. Mr. Fournier refereed the game satisfactorily. The Hollinger team included: McIntyre, goal; Jackson and Perry, defence; Kelly, Ross, Macdonald and Trottier.

The second game, Timmins vs. McIntyre was equally interesting and showed much classy hockey material. The Town won, 5 to 3. Mr. Frank McGuire capably handled the game. The line-up was as follows:—

McIntyre—Byrnes, goal; Keeley and Briden, defence; Moore, Korke, Jones, forwards; Anguignon and Bergeron, spares.

Timmins—Hoggarth, goal; Chamillard, Lilly, defence; Duggan, Garret, McCoy, forwards; Allard, Leblanc and Ladamme, spares.

The following is the balance of the Mines Hockey League schedule:—

Jan. 20—Dome vs. McIntyre; Hollinger vs. Timmins.

Jan. 25—Hollinger vs. McIntyre; Dome vs. Timmins.

Feb. 3—Timmins vs. McIntyre; Dome vs. Hollinger.

Feb. 10—Timmins vs. Hollinger; Dome vs. McIntyre.

Feb. 17—McIntyre vs. Hollinger;

Feb. 24—McIntyre vs. Timmins; Hollinger vs. Dome.

March 10—Dome vs. Timmins; Hollinger vs. Timmins.

The teams finishing first and second in the league to play off either sudden death game or a number of games to be decided on at a later date by the Executive.

In the list of games above, in each case the first-named match on each date is scheduled to be played from 7 to 8, and the second from 8 to 9.

SENSATIONAL STORY BY FORMER FALLS JUNIOR

Wilfred Allarie, formerly of Iroquois Falls, but now living at Duluth, Minnesota, was recently in Sudbury and North Bay in an effort to secure his playing certificate and transfer to Duluth. Last season he was suspended by the N.O.H.A. on the charge of having used his brother's birth certificate to qualify for the Iroquois Falls Junior team. The N.O.H.A. has shown no tendency to lift this suspension. While in Sudbury, Allarie told The Sudbury Star that he was being made the goat and so was going to spill what he knew. He claimed that Iroquois Falls people had treated his birth certificate with acid to erase the date and then changed it to suit. The acid, he says, proved too strong, and the paper was accordingly spoiled. Then, he claims, the use of his brother's certificate was resorted to. Last Spring Allarie was given every opportunity to tell all he knew about the matter. He was very earnest and emphatic in the story he told then, but it was a different story to that told now. He could not be turned from his story last year and perhaps he will be equally persistent in his present tale, but in view of his previous attitude it is not likely that any particular attention can be given to his present sensational story.

BOUND TO FIND THEM

Two small boys, staring in a barber shop, and seeing the barber singeing a customer's hair, one said to the other, "Blimey, Bill, he's looking for 'em wiv a light."

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Make yourself an honest man, and then you can be sure that there will be one less rascal in the world.—Carlisle.

HOW THE FALLS TAKE THE DEFEAT OF FRIDAY LAST

"A Hard Game to Lose," Says Broke Hustler in Last Issue.

The following is the Broke Hustler report in part of last Friday's game: Falls Couldn't Shoot

By winning on Friday night in the Falls, Timmins tied the score in the league. Each team has now won two games at home and one game away from home. Six games still to play, three at home, and three away.

Friday night's game was a hard game to lose. On the play the Falls should have won except for one thing, which is the most important thing in hockey—they couldn't shoot. As one man remarked "that team shoots goals the way I shoot ducks. I don't get any." That is the real reason for the narrow victory that Timmins pulled out.

Other things affected is but that is the real reason. Time and time again the nets were wide open simply inviting a score. There were enough chances to have won a dozen games but it was an off night on the attacking line. They simply could not find the nets.

Of course there were a couple of other features which affected the score. The first goal counted for Timmins, was put in by Shorty when trying to clear Cameron's shot, which Ted had stopped. Shorty tried to shoot the puck past the net to the back boards but landed it fairly in the net. It was one of those accidents that will happen. Timmins did not earn that goal.

Then ten seconds before time, Brydge went down with the puck, passed to Fahey, who passed it to Fluker, who passed in to Bill, in front of the goal and he netted the rubber. But the bell had rung. Cameron in the meantime, while the play was going on was down on the ice near centre. Everybody thought the bell had rung for Cameron on the ground that he was hurt. The referee explained later than he rang the bell for offside. Even if there was an offside, with the referee standing up at center ice, he would have had difficulty in picking out an offside immediately in front of the goal in the scramble of both teams. It looked very much like a bad decision. As Brydge, Fahey and Fluker were absolutely in line as they went down, Fahey passed back to Fluker and got out of the way. Fluker passed straight across to Brydge. Where the offside came in, no one but the referee can tell.

Not an Alibi

This is not mentioned as any alibi for the Falls team. There is no alibi for the Falls team. They did not play anything like their usual game. On the ice they at least held up their end, but in front of the nets they were appallingly short of their usual game. Shorty could not bat a puck into the open net. Even Percy Fahey, whose shot is famous in the north country, could not locate the corded barrier Friday night. Bill Brydge, too, was off from his usual fine shooting; in fact the whole team had lost all the pep of its attack. That is the reason Timmins won and not the one disallowed goal, although the one goal called back for alleged offside, would have tied the score.

Corbould and Boucher Good

The work of the defence was good. Corbould played a corking fine game, under rather harder circumstances than usual. The defence was pierced more on Friday night than in any game this season. In the previous five games only once or twice in a game did the Timmins forwards get through for a close in shot. Friday night they got through a dozen times. Boucher played a very fine game with steady consistent checking all the way through and only a couple of minor penalties. It is the best game he has turned in yet.

Scully's Great Game

The best man on the Timmins team was Jim Scully. He played an absolutely remarkable game. At one period of the game twice within five minutes our forwards had broken through the defence and were within touching distance of the net, when he threw himself down flat on the ice at the critical moment just in time to stop the shot.

Fournier the big defence man who for part of the game played on the forward line was also a tremendously valuable man. Two or three times when he went up the ice our boys seemed paralyzed. Though he did not score he got clean through the defence and it was only Ted's splendid work which prevented the tally.

Frank McGuire in the centre of their line played a corking game all the way through. He intercepted more passes and took the puck away from his rivals more times than the rest of the team put together.

The backchecking on both sides was off colour. Most of the dangerous attacks on the Falls goal were due to a lull in back checking. Several times three Timmins men went up the ice to meet our two defence men with not a forward checking back.

The Referee

There was a good deal of discussion after the game as to the referee. There is no question that he made some serious mistakes. Right at the start of the game Bill Brydge was put off for body checking Cameron. If the referee doesn't want to see body checking in a game he ought to appeal to the O.H.A. to have the rules changed to cut it out. There was never a fairer cleaner body check than Bill gave Cameron and yet he got a penalty for it. Later on in the game at the other end of the rink, Rooke got a penalty for a similar body check.

In the third period too, the referee put off men when the puck struck their skates and bounced off. The rule distinctly says that it must be a deliberate kick. There were half a dozen cases packed into a few minutes times, when a passed puck struck a skate and bounced off, the man whose skate was struck being sent to the penalty box.

Then the question of offside. The Brydge, Fahey, Fluker combination right up to the net with a score by Brydge, called back for offside, was as clean a piece of combination play as would be seen anywhere.

This is not Hockey

But the most serious action of the referee was in penalizing player after player of the same side for technical offences while men of their own side were in the box. At one time three men were off the Falls team for technical offences, any one of which alone might be perfectly correct but when a second man is put off for a technical offence and then a third man, it is absolutely contrary to the spirit of the rules. The rules are not drawn up with the idea of playing six men against three. To put a man off for loafing offside or for kicking the puck when there are already one or two men on the fence is simply ridiculous. It is not refereeing at all. That is the kind of refereeing that spoils hockey. It is not hockey at all.

Where was referee.

Right after the face-off the Falls was dangerous, and the puck landed in Scully's pads. Scully skated clean into the corner before he attempted to pick it out; in fact the referee picked it out. But Scully was not put off. Behan immediately after dropped his stick tripping Brydge and giving him a nasty fall, but got no penalty. A minute later McGuire drew his first penalty for shooting Brydge into the boards. The period ended with a combination attack of Queneil, Fluker and Fahey and a scrimmage in goal with shot after shot, Shorty missing two or three good chances.

BUSINESS COLLEGE NEWS

The latest enrollments at The Timmins Business College are Miss K. Burns, South Porcupine, Ont., Mr. Gerald Banning, Timmins, Ont.

Classes re-opened after the holidays on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, with a very good attendance.

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