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THE SPORT REVIEW

THE LATEST TIDINGS OF LONGBOAT.

Intercollegiate Basketball Union—Winnipeg Opinion on the Hired Hockey Team of Edmonton.

Cambridge university rugby team defeated the north of Ireland by 11 to 0. The Australians drew with Aberstrogth, 18 all.

New Year's week will be a hard week for Longboat. Married on Monday and racing Dorando on Friday is a severe enough test for the best of them.

Simcoes want to get into the O. H.A. senior group composed of Osgoode Hall, T.A.A.C. and Kingston, the schedule for which was drawn up Monday night.

The first of the big league baseball teams to announce spring training plans is the New York American team. It will go to Macon, Ga., March 1st, for the first practice game.

The Inter-provincial rugby union is presenting the senior Tigers with coat sweaters, and the intermediates with caps. Parkdale will receive shields. The Canadian rugby union will give the seniors caps, while the juniors and intermediates will receive shields.

Winnipeg Saturday Post: If Edmonton's players are engaged for only the Stanley cup series that means something quite different, and spells poor sport instead of good. Rules or no rules, the fattening up of of a regularly organized team just for the sake of winning some special event is poor sport and shouldn't be countenanced wherever it takes place.

Stronach, the well-known outside wing of the Ottawa football club, has had operations performed on both his knees as the result of injuries received during the past season. It was in the Ottawa-Tiger game at Hamilton Stronach first suffered injury, being kicked in the left knee. The other was hurt in the Ottawa-Tiger game at Kingston.

"Tom" Longboat will not race Alfred Shrubb until the spring, so "Tom" Flanagan says. Flanagan has signed him up with Dorando at the Marathon distance January 1st. Longboat will be married December 30th, in Toronto. Longboat will meet J. J. Hayes at the Marathon distance in Riverdale rink in January. Longboat has sent $200 to his mother in Caledonia. Flanagan has received a sheaf of challenges from everybody who ever was, or ever hopes to be, a runner. Those are the outstanding features of the Redskin's career "since last we appeared."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Rev. Dr. MacTavish Writes About the Bar-room.

Kingston, Dec. 22. — To the Editor: A few days ago the Toronto Star contained an informing editorial entitled "Progress." That paper, I believe, has never been accused of being an advocate of temperance, and for that reason the editorial in question is all the more significant. The writer points out that there is now only one liquor license for every 1,694 of the population, and that it would be almost impossible to find one citizen of Toronto, not directly connected with the liquor business, who would advocate an increase in the number. He declares, also, that it would be equally impossible to find a part of the city that would tolerate the issuing of new licenses, or consent to the re-opening of any bar-room which had once been closed.

But perhaps the most striking paragraph is the following: "The opening of a new bar-room in any part of the city, especially in a residential locality, would be a detriment to the neighborhood, and would tend to lower the value of surrounding property. The converse of this is equally true. The closing up of bar-rooms tends to enhance property values in the neighborhood, as well as to promote sobriety, order, and law observance."

The editorial suggests one or two reflections. If Toronto has now only one license for every 1,694 of the population, and is in the midst of a campaign to still further reduce the number, surely Kingston must have altogether too many when she has one for every 575 of the population.

If Toronto, with her small number of licenses, is making such rapid progress, commercially and industrially, might not Kingston advance along these lines more rapidly if the number of licenses were reduced? The Star's conclusions are in accord with what the advocates of temperance have long maintained, viz., that the bar-room, apart altogether from its ruinous effects, morally, is an economic burden, a terrible incubus upon the community that maintains it. Truly has it been said, "The saloon is the heaviest clog upon progress, and the deepest disgrace of our age." Sincerely yours, W. S. MACTAVISH.

Prepare For Cough.

No one can question the wisdom of having a good cough remedy in the home constantly during the cold weather months. The one you can absolutely depend upon to give prompt and thorough results is the Diamond Cough Remedy. In bottles, 25c. and 50c., at Wade's drug store.

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A DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY.

Father McWilliams Thirty-Eight Years a Priest.

Canadian Freeman.

On Thursday, December 17th, an event of universal interest was duly observed at the archbishop's palace, of this city, on which day occurred the double anniversary of the ordination to the holy priesthood of two worthy members of the cathedral staff—the thirty-eighth anniversary of the Rev. C. A. McWilliams and the fourth of the Rev. J. J. O'Rielly, secretary to the archbishop. The interest of this very pleasing event was further enhanced by the fact that Rev. Father McWilliams is an old pastor of Father O'Rielly and prepared the latter for his first holy communion and for the worthy reception of the sacrament of confirmation. Father O'Rielly is one of the four priests of this diocese who were baptized and instructed in their early religious duties by Father McWilliams and whose young minds were directed by him to the sacred calling of the priesthood. The other three are the late P. C. O'Brien, whose early demise was so deeply regretted by both priests and people; Rev. Father Richard Carey, the energetic assistant of Rev. J. P. Kehoe, of Gananoque, and Rev. Father James Keeley, at present stationed at Carleton Place. Thirty-eight years of active and zealous pastoral duty is a long space of time and particularly when these years are spent, as is the case of Rev. Father McWilliams, in one of the most, if not the most laborious missions of this diocese. In addition to the four worthy priests mentioned above, ten sisters in the House of Providence and Hotel Dieu, this city, owe their religious vocation after the grace of God, to the good example, sound teaching and wise direction of Father McWilliams.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The Prices Paid at Various Centres.

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Prime beeves sold of 4½c. to 5c. per lb., pretty good animals at 3½c. to 4¼c., and the common stock, 2½c. to 3½c. per lb. Last week Messrs. Johnston and Besser, of Bonsecours market, bought seven extra steers at 6c. per lb., which was about the highest price paid here for Christmas cattle this season. Calves sold at from 3c. to 5½c. per lb. Sheep sold at 4c. to 4½c., and lambs at 5¾c. to 6c. per lb. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 6½c. per lb.

Toronto, Dec. 21.—A load of export cattle found a purchaser at $5.25, and the highest paid for butchers was $4.60. Medium cattle were steady with the demand poor. Lambs are somewhat better at from $5 to $5.75. Hogs are unchanged.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Cattle, receipts, 26,000; market steady to a shade higher. Beeves, $3.50 to $7.60; Texans, $3.50 to $4.35; Westerns, $3.50 to $5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.60 to $4.75; cows and heifers, $1.50 to $5; calves $6 to $8.50. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market generally 5c. higher. Light, $4.80 to $5.55; mixed, $5.20 to $5.80; heavy, $5.25 to $5.85, rough $5.25 to $5.40; good to choice, heavy, $5.40 to $5.85; pigs, $3.60 to $4.75; bulk of sales $5.30 to $5.70. Sheep—18,000; market, 10c. higher. Native, $2.50 to $4.75; Western, $2.50 to $4.75; yearlings, $4.50 to $6; lambs, native, $4.50 to $7.25; Western, $5.40 to $6.25.

Toronto Street Market.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—Wheat, fall, bush. 93c.; wheat, goose, bush., 90c.; oats, bush., 42c.; barley, bush., 48c. to 53c.; rye, bush., 70c. to 72c.; peas, bush., 87c.; hay, per ton, $12 to $13.50; hay, No. 2, $7 to $10; straw, per ton, $12 to $14; dressed hogs, $8 to $8.50; butter, dairy, 28 to 30c.; butter, creamery, 30c. to 33c.; eggs, new laid, 45c. 50c.; eggs, fresh, 30c. to 35c.; chickens, dressed, lb., 12c. to 13c.; ducks, spring, lb., 11c. to 13c.; geese, lb., 10c. to 11c.; turkeys, lb., 15c. to 17c.; cabbage, per dozen, 30c. to 50c.; celery, dozen, 30c. to 40c.; onions, bag, 80c. to 90c.; potatoes, bag, 65c. to 75c.; apples, barrel, $2.50 to $3.50; beef, hindquarters, $8 to $8.50; beef, forequarters, $4.50 to $6; beef, choice, carcase, $7.50 to $7.75; beef, medium, carcase, $5 to $6.50; mutton, per cwt., $6.50 to $8; veal, prime, per cwt., $8.50 to $10; lamb, per cwt., $8.50 to $9.50.

AMELIASBURG COUNCIL.

Showed Consecon That It Can't Be Trifled With.

Ameliasburg, Dec. 21.—The council held its last meeting, Tuesday night. It had granted $100 to build a concrete walk in the village of Consecon. Those in charge built a boardwalk outside the village to the station. The council refuse to give the grant and ordered the boardwalk taken up. A delegation was here from Consecon, but could not change the council and so will lose the grant. A delegation was here from Huff's Island, requesting a grant of $75 to repair the bridge from the island toward Belleville. The high water has flooded the bridge and they wish to build cement sides and fill in. The grant was refused.

A pigeon shoot was held here last week. Peter Bovay took the cup, and P. Russell the medal. There is one family down with small-pox in the township. Great numbers of whitefish and herring have been caught at Weller's Bay, and have been selling as low as $1 a hundred pounds. Mr. Mackenzie, manager of the bank, with his wife and child, are taking their holidays, and Mr. Norman, son of our worthy M.P.P., is here in his place.

A Caution To Dave.

"Please, mum, there's a candidate in the front yard wants to kiss the baby."

"Tell him there is no baby," directed Mrs. De Style, "And Hortense!"

"Yes, my lady."

"Don't you dare let the horrid creature kiss Fido."

The Last Chance.

To-morrow is the last day to do Christmas shopping and we're offering big values in fur and fur-lined coats, neck pieces, muffs, etc., at Campbell Bros., the store of quality.

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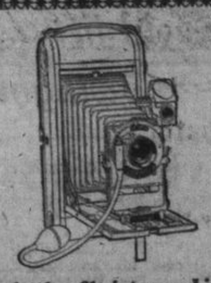

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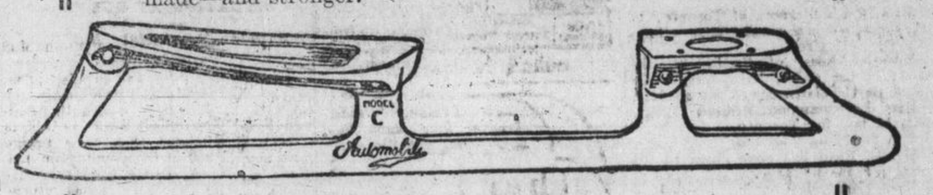

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