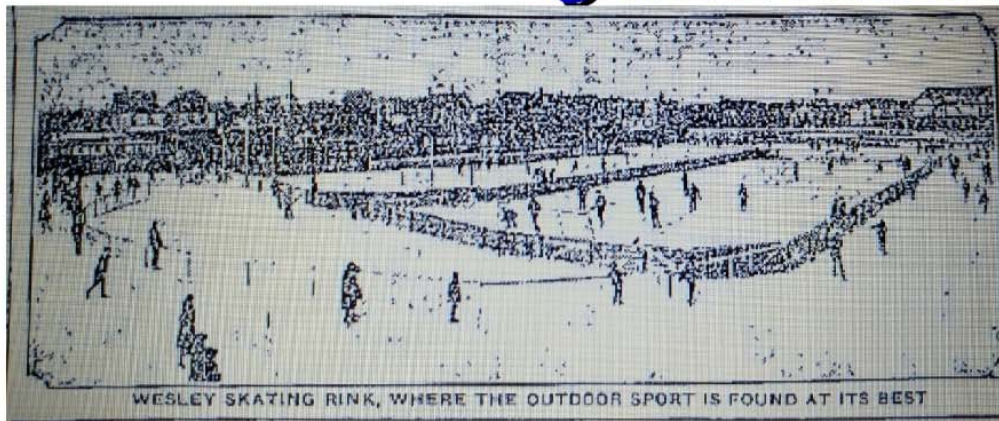


THE WESLEY (COLLEGE) SKATING RINK 1897-1913.

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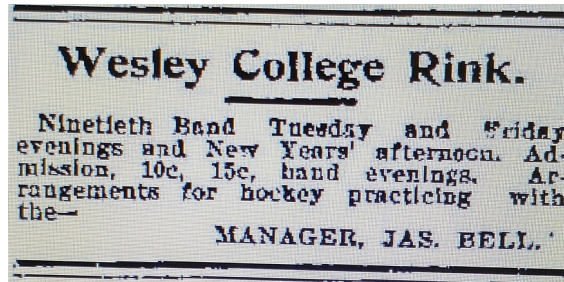
Articles and reports
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Tribune & Free
Press.



CHAPTER 1.

TIME-LINE OF THE RINK 1897-1913.

The following Time-line of Rink Managers have been found through the help of articles and rink adverts placed at the time, in the Winnipeg Daily Tribune and the Winnipeg Free Press.



The first advert found whilst researching was this one from the Winnipeg Free Press of the 29th December 1900.

1897-1900 Under the control of Wesley College.
1900 James Bell.
1901 Adverts for rink but no named proprietor.
1902 James Bell & (Angus McIvor)¹.
1903 James Bell & (Angus McIvor).
1904 James Bell & Angus McIvor.
1905-10 Mr McIvor.²
1910 Wesley College Athletic Association.
1911-13 T.S Mace³.

Through the help of the invaluable newspaper archives of the time, I have been able to piece together a time-line

for the Wesley (College) rink. From its first flooding of Wesley Park in 1897 to its sad ending of fire then demolition in the July of 1913. The following articles include changes to its structure and some improvements it made for the comfort of its patrons, they also show you how popular the Wesley rink was, whether you were a skater, hockey player or just spectator.

1897-- The Wesley College rink was first poured over winter on Wesley Park and every winter till 1958⁴.

1900:

Dec 1900 WESLEY RINK.

The rink at Wesley College has been again placed in operation. Mr Sharp has constructed a new sheet of ice under a roof 14 feet wide all around the hockey rink.

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- 1 Although not named in rink adverts, Angus McIvor was a partner as an article names them as managers of Wesley rink when they donate a trophy to be competed for.
 - 2 James Bell would build and run the Arena Rink.
 - 3 Change of ownership 24th November 1910.
 - 4 The Wesley rink that this book details only lasted till July 1913.

A hearty welcome is extended to all skaters and spectators who desire to attend.

Wesley College opened its new skating rink last evening, there being a large number of skaters in attendance. The rink is very much larger than any of the indoor enclosures, and will afford excellent facilities for the young people of the West end to enjoy the great winter sport.

A practice game took place last evening between the Montreal-Molsons and the Dominion Bank.

I found the first mention of the Wesley College Rink in an advert in the Winnipeg Free Press dated 29th of December 1900.

The advert read, Ninetieth Band Tuesday and Friday evenings and New Years afternoon. Admission 10c, 15c. Band evenings. Arrangements for hockey practising with the Manager Jas Bell.

In the City and General section of the same issue a Ladies Hockey Match was advertised as to be played on the Wesley College rink this afternoon, it also stated that there were only a limited number of invitations issued.

Other rinks⁵ that were advertising at the time included the Auditorium, Citizens and McIntyre rinks, those being reported as the `three main venues`.

Wesley rink would also become popular as a meeting place for the organizing and reorganizing, of not only hockey clubs

but hockey leagues as well.

An example of one such meeting was reported in the Daily Tribune of December 1900.

SHAMROCKS REORGANIZED.

A meeting of the Shamrock football club was held last evening in the Wesley College rink to reorganize as the Shamrock Hockey club. The following were elected officers: Patron, Mr Alex McDonald; Honorary President, Nixon Breen; President, H. Boxer; 1st Vice-President, W. E Bray; Secretary-Treasurer, Geo Thompson; Committee W. Breen⁶, W. Jones and H. Hilton.

The first practice is called for Christmas morning from 9 o'clock to 10.30 on Wesley College rink. All members are requested to be on hand.

1901.

An advert from the Winnipeg Free Press archives dated 21st of March.

Wesley Rink
Corner Portage Avenue and Balmoral St.
Skating every afternoon and evening.
Band Thursday night.
Hockey every night.

With the growth of hockey in the Winnipeg region it brought with it, the problem of obtaining suitable ice time not only to play the game, but to practice too.

One such example is this report from November 1901.

The employees of the Martin, Bole & Wynne company will shortly hold a meeting for the purposes of organizing a hockey team for the coming season. Last year they had a first class team and they expect that they can put on an aggregation on the ice this year that will be even stronger than that of last year.

Owing to the entrance of the C.P.R hockey team into the league this year, they were unable to secure the McIntyre rink for practice purposes and for the holding of their games, and this fact is responsible for their non-organization as yet.

5 The Brydon rink had burned down during the summer of 1900.

6 Billy (William) Wright Breen.

They have however, been successful in securing the Wesley College rink and will take the necessary steps to get into the game at the earliest possible opportunity.

The Wesley College Skating rink opened for 1901/02 season on the 6th of December, and the attendance was reported as being very large. The ice was in “Splendid shape for good skating and an enjoyable nights skating was spent”.

10th December 1901 SKATING.

The Wesley College rink is now in full swing for the seasons skating, both afternoon and evening, and the 90th band will be in attendance on Tuesday and Friday of each week. The rink is 213 feet in length and 103 feet wide, and a splendid sheet of ice is offered to the public. The centre of the ice 180 by 75 feet, is at all times reserved for hockey.

The rink is lighted by electricity and there are comfortable waiting rooms for both sexes, and skating parties will find ample accommodation.

1902

The Wesley rink would hold Skating Carnivals and Band Benefit concerts throughout the season.

A Grand Carnival held in the January of 1902 had the “Skaters would use the outside sheet of ice and the costumed skaters were able to have access to the hockey sheet in the middle”

The advert had James Bell and Angus McIvor as proprietors of the rink, they would in December, at the beginning of the following season donate a trophy to be competed for among the hockey teams that played at the rink⁷.

1903 January.

Although the Wesley rink was managed by Bell and McIvor it was still owned by the College and therefore every year the Wesley College rink committee would sit down and discuss their seasons rink hours.

Rink hours for the 1902/03 season as follows:

College hockey, Wednesdays 4-6 other days till 4.

Team practice, Friday 4-5.

General skating, everyday but Wednesday 4-6.

Ladies hockey, Saturday 3-4.

The following articles show the preparation that went into getting the rink shipshape for the oncoming season.

It also shows the first inkling of Mr Bells future, without the restraints of the College.

21st October 1903 SKATING---TO REBUILD WESLEY RINK.

Mr Bell, who was last year proprietor of the Wesley rink, has decided NOT to build a new one in the North end this year, instead he will again have charge of the Wesley ice.

He intends to build this winter on much the same principle as last, but allowing a wider belt for skating and smaller hockey ice. The smallness of the sheet, however will be atoned for by a tent covering, ensuring better ice and more protection for the players from the weather.

30th October 1903 WESLEY RINK TO BE GREATLY ENLARGED---NEW STRUCTURE WILL BE COMMODIOUS---BUILDING TO BE RUSHED.

The site of the old Wesley rink will this winter have a much better and larger building erected on it, yesterday a contract was signed by the Wesley College authorities and J. Bell, the former proprietor of the rink, by which the latter is to erect a large one to replace the one torn down last spring.

7 More information can be found in the Wesley Cup chapter.

The new building which will be much larger and better appointed than the old. There will be a sheet of hockey ice 200 x 180 feet, surrounded by a sheet of skating ice 20 feet wide. This will afford about twice the former facilities for skating which was much needed as the narrow strip in use last year was constantly crowded to its utmost capacity.

The new building will be entirely closed in which will also add much comfort of the skaters. It is also to be well lighted and large comfortable waiting rooms are to be provided.

Work will be commenced in a short time and the rink will be ready for skating at the beginning of the season.

The news has been received with the greatest of pleasure by the students as the prospect of being without a rink was anything but a pleasant one, the Wesley rink having come to be one of the indispensable features of College life.

November 1903 GREAT DEMAND FOR ICE.

The Wesley rink is proving a godsend to the smaller teams and ice there is in great demand, already as many teams have applied as can be accommodated with the best hours, and oceans of others are considering the prospects of Wesley ice.

The rink is now almost completed and will be much superior to last year. Both hockey sheet and skating belt are large.

The hockey ice is 200 feet x 80 feet and the belt around it 20 feet wide. The hockey sheet will be completely covered in by a canvas roof. Poles 25 to 30 feet high around the sheet will support strong cables, which in turn will be interwoven with smaller cables and over the whole, a heavy canvas will be stretched, giving all the advantages of an ordinary covered rink.

The sheet will also be well lit up, which was sadly lacking last year. Over the waiting rooms are six large club rooms, several of which have been spoken for by clubs. The Proprietors hope to throw open the whole rink next Saturday, a first class band they state will be engaged for the season.

WESLEY RINK SKATING PRICES ANNOUNCED.

The Wesley Skating rink ticket pricing for the 1903/04 season:

Gentlemen's tickets \$8; Ladies \$5; girl's under 12 \$3; boy's under 12 \$5.

The regular price of single admission will be 25c for Men and 15c for Ladies.

Commutation tickets will also be issued, Ladies eight for \$1 and Gentlemen five for \$1.

The following articles from November 1903 emphasise the problems hockey clubs had to face finding decent ice time.

GARRY'S WANTING TO BE PROMOTED TO SENIOR DIVISION FROM INTERMEDIATE.

Rumours denied that the Garry's will disband like the Shamrocks because they (Shamrocks) could not get rink accommodation for practice.

The Garry's have said "We have made an application for membership in the senior series of the Western Canada Hockey Association, and I have every confidence that our club will be taken in. It is stated in some circles that the two senior teams already in the series do not want us, as it would take away two practice nights a week from them. Now to get over that difficulty we have made a proposition that if we are admitted and the clubs cannot give us accommodation at the Auditorium, we shall use the WESLEY RINK".

The issue of lack of ice is also noted in an article written at the end of November entitled "Inactivity in hockey game" and read "Unusual tardiness characterises organization and practice so far this season. The apparent quietness in Winnipeg hockey circles is noted by the public, which is wondering what the trouble is this season. The prime cause is the scarcity of ice, the Auditorium and the WESLEY being the only rinks whereon clubs of various leagues can hope to have accommodation".

The influx of teams having to use Wesley rink could well have been a major factor in the refurbishment of the site.

This may have been a reason why Mr Bell did not pursue his plans to build a rink in the “North End”⁸.

Maybe the College allowed Bell & McIvor more of a free reign over their College site, to let them build their “Commodious Building”.

Whatever was agreed on during the signing of the contract in October we don’t know, but the work done on the Wesley rink certainly raised it’s profile as a venue.

Bell and McIvor would have a packed diary for rink accommodation which in turn caused the competition for the new Wesley Rink Cup go from five teams and a ten game schedule in the first year, to twelve teams and a thirty game schedule in it’s second.

The next article shows more improvements being made to the rink and the ice time given out to teams.

Mr Bell, Manager of the Wesley rink, has now got the canvas cover over the hockey sheet and everything shut in for the winter. The hockey sheet is a splendid spread of ice, and being protected from the weather should not crack as in former years.

The canvas is 15 to 20 feet above the ice and though this will to a small extent interfere with very high lifting, it is a minor matter when compared with the advantages the covering gives.

The lights are not yet all in, when finished these will comprise of two six whirls and two three, with fifty along the sides, many of which will be provided with reflectors.

A large number of teams are using the ice for practice and all hours up to ten o’clock are now taken up with some after. The Garryshave an hour three times a week and though they have not begun work yet, they will be on the ice probably Monday.

The following teams who have definitely taken practice hours so far are:

GARRYS--- Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 6.30 to 8.

ROVERS --- Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 to 9.

FREE PRESS--- Tuesdays and Saturdays, 6.30 to 7.30.

CRESCENTS--- Tuesdays and Fridays, 6.30 to 7.30.

MAPLE LEAFS--- Thursdays, 8 to 9.

SCHOOLS--- Mondays, 8 to 9 and Thursdays, 7 to 8.

ASHDOWNS--- Thursdays, 9 to 10.

WELLINGTONS--- Thursdays, 10 to 11.

WESLEY--- Every evening 4 to 6.

From 8 to 9 on Wednesdays has been reserved for the matches in the Hardware League and from 8 to 9 on Mondays and 9 to 10 on Wednesdays matches in the Wesley Cup series will be played (which will start in a month or so).

December 1903.

The Wesley rink has lost its cover for a few days, but owing to the mild weather the loss is not disagreeable. In the end it will be a gain, the cover having been taken off to make alterations in the cable and pulley system supporting it, which will allow of it being raised much higher. When on again it will range from 26 to 16 feet above the ice, which should prove amply sufficient for hockey purposes.

The management of the Wesley rink have opened a refreshment counter in the waiting room for the convenience of patrons, on New Years day the whole rink will be devoted to skating.

8 November 1903. New rink for North End being constructed on King St near Selkirk. Under the management of Messrs Rowe and Jackett. The Citizens rink had gone out of business and this rink would replace it. The rink will be along the lines of the Wesley and will be covered with canvas.

1904

Test games to be played at the Wesley rink. MAPLE LEAFS vs Palaces and KENNEDYS vs Crescents for admission to the Junior League.

DECEMBER 1904.

Wesley rinks opening for the present season took place on Saturday evening, Messrs Bell and McIvor had prepared for their patrons a good sheet of ice. About 400 lovers of the sport turned out, and for two hours skated hard and fast. Owing to the clemency of the weather the opening of the rink was delayed some two weeks later than last season.

The Citizens band has been engaged by the proprietors and will play every night from now on.

Several well-known skaters were observed getting limbered up, including players on the Victorias and Rowing Club hockey teams. Tommy Code the racer was also there getting into form for the races to take place later.

The Wesley rink from appearances, will be better patronized than ever this year, a number of hockey clubs having made terms with the proprietors for practice and games.

The rink is well lighted, the hockey ice being roofed with canvas in the same manner as last year.

The Hockey Arena of the Wesley rink is kept busy with teams practising there these nights.

Manager Bell has already given ten teams practice hours for the year.

Schedule for the Manitoba Junior Amateur Hockey League has been drawn up with games played at the Auditorium. Manitoba and WESLEY RINK.

The Wholesale Hardware Hockey League. After last years defunct season they are back in business and looking at the WESLEY RINK to hold their games. The schedule has been prepared, however pending final fixing of the time by the rink Management.

The league has no trophy to battle for yet, the silverware emblematic of the Championship going to the Merrick-Anderson club when they took the Premier honors a couple of years ago.

The officers of the league, however have approached the heads of the different firms represented in the league, and hope for favourable replies.

The league is having neat little booklets printed containing the schedule, officers of the league and various clubs and constitutions.

1905

OCTOBER 2nd.

Mr McIvor, who managed the Wesley rink last year has a project in hand to erect a large skating rink in the North End, which will it is said, be almost as large as the present Auditorium. It will be rushed to completion and it is hoped to have it ready for the opening of the season.

OCTOBER 19th.

Mr McIvor has a gang of men getting the Wesley rink into shape for the winter.

OCTOBER 26th.

James Bell who ran the Wesley rink during the past few seasons is erecting this new rink⁹ situated corner of Bannatyne and Emily Streets.

This was a strange situation were McIvor was all ready to erect a new rink and a few weeks later the project was being taken over by James Bell, he would make the Arena rink into one of the most popular rinks of the Winnipeg area.

9 ARENA RINK.

NOVEMBER 29th.

Wesley rink is again the first to open for the season, there was a splendid sheet of ice and one of the largest crowds which has ever been present on this ice. Unfortunately owing to the heavy wind the canvas covering fell and the skaters were obliged to confine their efforts to the outside ring.

DECEMBER.

The Kennedys of the Intermediate and Junior leagues and the Maple Leafs of the Junior series will again practice at the Wesley rink.

Schedule of games for the Manitoba Hockey Association Intermediate series were drafted, with the WESLEY RINK hosting some `B` series games with teams: FREE PRESS, PALACE, KENNEDYS and SELKIRK.

Manager McIvor of the Wesley rink is endeavouring to awaken interest among the hockeyists of the Boarding Houses of the City, and he has put up a Cup for competition. It is now on view at the rink, and is of a pretty design.

The competition is open to all Boarding houses of the City and the rules are that the first team making an application will become the holder of the trophy and the other teams will challenge for it. The games will all have to be played at the Wesley, and arrangements will be made to have suitable hours for the matches. The loser is to pay for the use of the ice.

DECEMBER 26th.

The Kydds Boarding house defeated the Donley Boarding house to win the newly donated trophy by Angus McIvor, Manager of the Wesley rink.

1906

FEBRUARY 20th RINK ADVERT FROM THE WINNIPEG DAILY TRIBUNE.

WESLEY RINK
Cor Ellice and Balmoral
Skating Afternoon and
Evening
BAND EVERY NIGHT
Phone 2650 A. McIvor Prop.

NOVEMBER.

Angus McIvor elected Vice-President of the Maple Hockey Club, who at their annual meeting have decided to play intermediate.

November 20th.

Wesley rink will throw open its doors for the first time this season, a week ahead of opening last winter.

Wesley rink has recently undergone a number of changes, the interior has been painted, while the entrance has been rearranged.

A new refreshment booth has been erected and other changes made purporting to add comfort to the patrons.

November 26th.

Wesley rink sees record crowd attend on Saturday night. Yet again the Wesley rink becomes the first one to open its doors for the skating season. It was reported that 1300 people were on the ice and something like four or five hundred were turned away.

The crowd started coming soon after 7 o'clock and at 8 the rink was practically taxed to its capacity, and outside the door, the road was a mass of struggling humanity trying to work their way into the rink. Manager McIvor had to put up the FULL HOUSE sign before the crowd could be dispersed.

The Ice was in splendid shape, and though there was a little jamming on account of the large crowd, nearly everybody had an enjoyable skate. The centre ice was used for the first time this season and it proved of great assistance in making room for the large crowd.

It was in the waiting rooms that the patrons suffered most, as it was so crowded many couples got separated not to be seen together again for the evening.

The allotting of hockey hours at the Wesley rink has been completed, the Grain Exchange team was the last to complete arrangements, their hours having been fixed between 9 and 10 on Monday and Friday nights. The Maple Leafs and Ashdowns had already completed arrangements and had both secured three hours a week each. Other teams practising at the Wesley are Eatons and Zions.

December 8th 1906 **FELL THROUGH THE ROOF.**

Hockey players at Wesley rink look forward to all sorts of blessings, but they hardly expect a man to drop through from the clouds into their midst.

An employee of the rink named Aleck Thomas, of 339 Furby Street was up on the canvas last night clearing off the snow. The instrument he was using was an iron shovel, prohibited by the management of the rink. The shovel pierced the canvas and Aleck followed it swiftly to the ice, where hockey was in progress.

He was picked up unconscious and Dr Campbell called. The doctor found him badly injured about the head and ear but no bones broken. Kerr, Bawlf and Co's ambulance was called and he was conveyed to St. Boniface hospital, where he was admitted in an unconscious condition.

This morning however he had regained consciousness and is doing well, though pretty badly bruised by the fall.

Wesley rink was still a popular venue, it hosted a wide range of hockey teams and held games for a number of different leagues including the Wholesale Hardware League, Grain Exchange and Mercantile Hockey leagues.

1907

March 14th The Final for the C. W. Gordon Cup was played at the Wesley rink between teams representing Grace and Young churches.

November 16th The Wesley rink is again the first rink to open for the season, no wonder business is booming for Mr McIvor.

The Wesley rink will be open for skaters tonight and a band will be in attendance. A lot of repairs have been put in the rink, including a new canvas.

WESLEY RINK

Will be open for Skating tonight,
Band in attendance. Balmoral
street, corner of Ellice.

The only other skating venues in use at the time were the Red and Assiniboine Rivers.

The Arena rink did not open on Saturday night as was announced but Manager Bell expects to open in a few nights and the Auditorium rink is still in use by the Roller Skaters, but the floor will be taken up soon.

The Western Junior Hockey League was formed and some of the games to be played at the Wesley rink.

The City Amateur Junior Hockey league was reorganized and also chose Wesley rink as a venue for some of their schedule.

After a number of years of playing and practising at the Wesley rink the Maple Leafs team move their practices to the Arena rink.

1908

January 1908 saw the opening game of the City Amateur Junior League between the Maple Leafs and the Rustlers.

It also saw the opening game in the Intermediate series of the Manitoba Amateur Hockey League when the Young Liberals met the Wesley's.

The Boarding House Cup was still up for grabs and Skaters attending the Wesley rink could still watch a game of hockey being played in the inner sheet of ice.

Although the Mercantile League games were now being played at the Auditorium, the Wesley was still kept busy with games from the Intermediate and Juniors, the Anglican Hockey League and games arranged for the employees of Winnipeg's largest department store at the time T. Eaton's.

SKATING

Wesley rink open for skating to-
night

BAND IN ATTENDANCE

NOVEMBER 16th 1908 WESLEY RINK OPENS---MANY SKATERS ENJOY FIRST NIGHT OF THE SEASON ON STEEL BLADES.

With the first real touch of winter, lovers of the steel blades can always rely on the management of the Wesley rink throwing open the doors at the earliest possible moment. The auspicious occasion this season was on Saturday night, when skaters were given their first opportunity for a night on the ice.

Opening night on Saturday was probably the best in the history of the Ellice Avenue rink. In every way it was a success notwithstanding the fact that there have been only a few days of real frosty weather. The ice however considering every feature was in excellent shape and to the tuneful selections of the band the skaters had a merry time.

There was a large crowd present, in point of numbers excelling any previous opening, providing cold weather continues it will only be a matter of a couple of days before the ice at the Wesley is in mid-season shape. The rink will likely be open from now on with a band in attendance each night.

NOVEMBER 28th 1908.

The new WINNIPEG RINK will probably open next week as the work on the handsome structure is nearing completion.

1909

The Eatonia Hockey League formed and the schedule of games to be played at the Wesley rink (see chapter 3).

In the Intermediate League Schedule the Free Press games to be played at the Wesley.

The Free Press League games played at Wesley rink with the following teams involved: Delivery boys, Business office, Newsroom and Pressroom.

WESLEY RINK
Open for Skating Tonight
Band in Attendance
J. McIVOR, Prop.¹⁰

NOVEMBER 17th 1909 WESLEY RINK OPENS---LARGE CROWD OF ENTHUSIASTS
ENJOY FIRST SKATE OF SEASON.

Ice skating was ushered in last night when the Wesley rink opened for the season.

An exceedingly large number of skaters were present and while the surface was not all that could be desired it was much better than anticipated.

A band was in attendance and a splendid musical programme furnished. That skating will be more popular than ever this winter was borne out by many enthusiasts who attended last evening and the fact they stayed till the last band.

Skaters in Winnipeg had a great choice of venues for their 1909/10 Winter season:

The Ampitheatre.

The Auditorium.

The Winnipeg Arena.

The Arena.

Manitoba Rink.

Assiniboine Rink.

The Wesley Rink.

Wesley Rink--- Managed again this year by A. McIvor, who rents the ground from Wesley College, has a clientèle all its own and in its way is one of the most popular places in the City. The students of the Colleges are allowed free use of the ice every afternoon and they make full use of this privilege every day. In the evenings the West Winnipeg band plays lively music and attracts good crowds of skaters. The centre of the rink is boarded off for hockey players who are able to practice while skating is going on.

Among the clubs that use the hockey enclosure are Wesley College, Manitoba College, Garrys(Intermediates), Dominion Express, Eatons, Boys Own and several clubs in the Commercial League.

1910

The Wesley Rink proved ever so popular with the T. Eaton company and its employees, not only did they organize hockey games and their own League, but they even arranged their own EATONIA CARNIVAL.

The 1909/10 Winter season was Angus McIvors last as Manager/Proprietor of the Wesley rink. The Management of the Wesley College Athletic Association would be taking over the running of the Wesley. Whether McIvor jumped or was pushed we will never know, but through my research I think he saw the decline of Wesley rink as a venue and never wanted to renew his lease!!!. The hockey clubs and leagues of Winnipeg had a greater choice of venues now.

The Auditorium, Ampitheatre and Arena rinks would hold the major games, although Wesley rink would still hold games for the Eatonia and Commercial Hockey Leagues, Junior `B` games and various challenge matches, the pure number of reports from the games had drastically dropped from other seasons gone by.

¹⁰ I am not sure if this was a typing error having J. McIvor as Prop, as mentioned in other articles A. McIvor was still manager. Could it have been a son perhaps!!!!?.

Okay my theory is that he saw the decline of the business, Teams and Leagues migrating to the bigger more luxurious arenas and decided not to renew his lease.

When the Wesley rink was demolished in 1913, reports said how the rink was probably burnt down on purpose as it was such an "Eyesore".

Maybe lack of investment from the College or McIvor left the rink way behind the more modern rinks.

I have found no articles mentioning the modernisation or refurbishment of the Wesley rink since the change of their canvas cover in 1907, apart from the statement at the announcement of the change of ownership, that the "Rink is undergoing extensive and adequate repairs.

Here is an advert from November 24th 1910.

THE WESLEY RINK

Will be opened under the Management
of the Wesley College Athletic Associ-
ation. Applications for hours to be ad-
dressed to the secretary of the associ-
ation at Wesley College or phone 1026.

DECEMBER 3rd 1910 NEWS OF THE COLLEGES-- WESLEY.

There is general satisfaction felt among the students that the Athletic Association has decided to run the Wesley rink this year. Last winter the rink was leased and there was a good deal of discontent among the students. The executives have already commenced the work of getting the ice in shape and it is expected that there will be skating this coming week.

Here is another advert this one from December 6th 1910.

THE WESLEY RINK

is being opened under the manage-
ment of the Wesley College Athletic
Association
Applicants for hockey hours phone
Sher 126 or write to the secretary of
the association at Wesley College.

The 1910/11 season at Wesley in Hockey was rather non existent, this is purely based on games that were reported, and for this season I found only four, a junior league game, a Sunday School game, a friendly and the Wesley Ladies match against the North End Technical School.

This does not mean there were plenty more but I can only go on the information I have found.

Maybe most of the hockey activities around this time were more College based ie.. inter-class or inter-college games.

Here is another advert stating yet another change in Management.

The Wesley College had only taken over running the rink in November 1910 and here in this advert from February 1911 we have a T.S. Mace as Manager.

WESLEY RINK

79 Cameron Highlanders Band.
The Largest and the Best Sheet
of ice in the City.
Under New Management. Ca-
terer to Hockey Matches.
T.S. MACE, Manager.

1911

JANUARY 1911.

The heavy fall of snow last week put the Wesley rink out of business. The weight of the snow was too much on the canvas covering and the result was the roof caved in.

The hockey teams (College) have suffered most as they have done very little practice on this account. However the damage has been repaired and the rink is now as good as ever.

MARCH 1911.

A number of "Toba" students were disappointed on Wednesday when they journeyed to the Wesley rink to enjoy a skate.

During the night the high wind had gently lifted the canvas roof and the ice was buried deep in snow and debris, however they enjoyed the walk and it is hoped that the rink will soon be repaired.

NOVEMBER 1911.

The College rink will be opened on Monday afternoon (20th). The new stretch of canvas was put up on Friday and everything is in readiness for the opening of the new season.

The students have tried a new way of running the rink this winter and though they have retained the same Manager J. Mace¹¹, they have nothing to do with the running of it.

They have all the same privileges as in other years and they have the ice certain hours every day, there is no change as far as this is concerned, but the innovation is this that the manager takes full responsibility on his own shoulders and assures the executive that the rink will be run to their entire satisfaction.

The Wesley rink was opened for skating this week and the students are making the most of the opportunity, a large number of tickets have already been sold and the prospects are that this will be the biggest year in the history of the rink.

The students have special hours everyday from four to six o'clock and the innovation is very popular with the students of the red and blue.

Arrangements have already been made for Carnivals and Skating parties, but nothing has been done in Hockey as yet, but practises will be started some time this coming week.

Special practice hours have been reserved, and the enthusiasts are promising to turn out in large numbers.

The Wesley rink was still a popular Skating venue that is for sure, but i think as long as the College students had their skating privileges and the rink was still readily available for hosting skating parties and carnivals, hosting hockey games and practises other than for College use, were never a feature like they were back in the days of Bell & McIvor.

I know that a lot of games played at the Wesley rink were probably never reported on, but going on the decline of reports available, over the last few years of its existence, I believe it tells me that the quantity and the standard of the games being played at the Wesley rink were quite low.

However one major coup that the Wesley rink did pull off, was a game that was played on Christmas Day morning 1911 featuring the Married men versus the single men of the "Old Amateur Maple Leafs Club".

This game¹² featured hockey stars such as the Jackson and Penwarden brothers, Flett and Rollo, Galbraith and McIntosh, with Magnus Flett keeping it together as referee.

I can only think they chose this venue as a remembrance of their early years.

And remember they had won the Wesley Rink Cup twice.

1912

11 T.S. Mace named on rink adverts!!!.

12 The game report is featured in chapter 5 xii.

WESLEY RINK
CARNIVAL
FRIDAY FEB 16
Prizes on Exhibition at Eatons
T.S. MACE Mgr Sh998

PUBLIC SKATING
WESLEY RINK
SATURDAY AND MONDAY
Band in Attendance
Ladies 15c Gents 25c
SHER 998 T.S. MACE, mgr.

The 1911/12 winter season saw very little hockey or it seems that way, going by the lack of newspaper reports.

Even the regular challenge matches had almost dried up.

The Church, Mercantile, Hardware and various other league games that had once been played at the Wesley rink were now being played elsewhere.

1913

The 1912/13 Skating season was ushered in on Saturday when the Wesley rink yet again threw open its doors first for the start of the regular skating season.

The other rinks Winnipeg, Auditorium, Amphitheatre, Arena and a new rink located in the Granite Curling clubs old quarters on Ellice Avenue would soon be doing business.

I could only find reports of a few hockey games played at the Wesley for this season, but the rink still seemed pretty busy hosting a number of Skating Carnivals.

Below are a few examples of the various adverts placed in the Daily Tribune and Free Press.

Compliments of the Season
FROM THE
WESLEY RINK
NOTED for the Best and Largest Ice in the City, Skating
Afternoon and Evening, 79th Cameron Highlander Band.
Phone Sher 998 T.S. MACE. Mgr.

Wesley Rink Carnival
WEDNESDAY, 29th JAN
Prizes for Races and Costumes
Phone Sher 998 G.S. Mace mgr.

WESLEY RINK
CARNIVAL
THURSDAY FEB 13
PRIZES COSTUMES AND RACES
Largest and Best Ice in the City
BAND EVERY NIGHT
Phone Sher 998 T.S. Mace, Mgr.

The last newspaper report for a hockey game at this Wesley (College) Rink would be on February the 21st 1913, quite appropriately the game would be between two College teams, the Wesleys being beaten by the Agricultural College by 4 goals to 2.

In my search for information about the Wesley rink, the last article I found, before its fire and eventual demolition was from the 27th of February 1913.

GRACE SKATING PARTY.

The young people of Grace church are holding a skating party tonight (Thursday) evening at Wesley rink commencing at 8 o`clock. After the skating those taking part will repair to the church for refreshments. All young people of the church are invited to attend.

Who would have known that when they closed the doors of the Wesley College Skating rink at the end of the 1912/13 season, that that would have been it.

It would be seven years before a new rink the "ICEDROME" was built on Wesley College grounds¹³.

JULY 19th 1913 WESLEY RINK GUTTED. THE WINNIPEG FREE PRESS.

Fire of unknown origin broke out in the Wesley College rink, corner of Ellice avenue and Balmoral street at 9 o`clock last night, gutting the eastern end of the building and doing damage to the extent of \$600. The fire which started in the interior of the building had gained considerable headway before it was discovered and by the time the reels answered the alarm turned in from Welland Court, the flames were leaping many feet in the air.

The blaze spread with startling rapidity and from the North eastern corner of the rink they soon enveloped the whole end of it and for a time it looked doubtful whether the western part of the building could be saved. The flames however rapidly subsided under the steady streams of water poured upon it and by 10 o`clock the fire was under control.

It is thought that the buildings were fired purposely as the RINK IS AN EYESORE to the surrounding residents.

JULY 19th SATURDAY WINNIPEG TRIBUNE. OLD WESLEY SKATING THREATENED BY FIRE.

Considerable interest was taken in a fire which at 9 o`clock last evening threatened to utterly destroy the Old Wesley Skating Rink---- Much to the pleasure of the surrounding residents who for a long period have been wishing the place could be destroyed on account of its unsightliness.

The fire had been burning for a considerable time before the alarm was turned in, and it is thought at first that efforts of the fire brigade to have it would be unavailing, they were successful in saving a greater portion of the place.

The damage was \$600. It is believed possible that someone anxious, that an eyesore be removed, had applied the necessary flame to THIS ROTTEN OLD BUILDING.

JULY 24th 1913. THE WINNIPEG FREE PRESS. CITY AND GENERAL---- WESLEY RINK BEING DEMOLISHED.

The work of tearing down the Old Wesley Rink, which was damaged by fire on Friday last, was begun yesterday. Fire Commissioner A. Lindback issued the order Tuesday morning for its demolition as a fire hazard.

The College has no intention of rebuilding the rink on that site.

JULY 24th 1913. THE WINNIPEG TRIBUNE.

A. Lindback, Provincial Fire Commissioner----" Within the past two weeks, I have ordered the demolition of the Wesley Rink building, the buildings opposite Ashdowns warehouse on Bannatyne

13 Grand opening Saturday 20th November 1920

avenue, Bensons old livery barn, opposite the Grain Exchange and a number of other dangerous fire traps within the City.

We are determined to clean the City up, and free it from the element of danger which exists in many of the older frame buildings here”.

Such a sad end to this once very popular Skating and Hockey venue.

CHAPTER 2.

THE WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1903-1910.

WINNERS.

1903 ROVERS

1904 FREE PRESS

1905 MAPLE LEAFS

1906 MAPLE LEAFS

1907 UNKNOWN

1908 ST. BONIFACE

1909 CLIPPERS

1910 UNKNOWN

The Wesley cup series was the brainchild of Messrs Bell and McIvor the rinks proprietors, to help maintain a healthy competition between the practising teams of the Wesley rink.

The following articles were published in the Winnipeg Tribune and Winnipeg Free Press.

6th December 1902 THE WESLEY RINK CUP.

The management of Wesley rink has donated a cup to be competed for among the hockey teams that play at the rink. The trophy must be won two years in succession before becoming the property of any one team. The trophy is of silver 18 inches high, with ebony base and is surmounted by crossed hockey sticks and a puck.

The clubs at present playing at the rink are:- Wesleys, Rovers, Ashdowns and Marshall-Wells, the C.P.R. and Schools are negotiating for hours and it is likely that others will also be in the series. After all the clubs have secured hours, a series of games for the rink championship will be arranged and the cup will go to the winners.

NEW TROPHY OFFERED.

The latest thing in the way of trophies for the exponents of hockey is the Wesley Cup, donated by Messrs Bell and McIvor, proprietors of the Wesley skating rink.

Mr Bell in conversation with a Free Press reporter, stated that they have decided to offer a valuable silver tankard for competition by all teams who use the Wesley rink as a place of practice.

The idea is to form a league of all teams now using the rink with as many more as can be induced to enter into the competition. A meeting will be held in the near future, at which the formation, rules and schedule of games will be drawn up and the league formed.

It is desired to get as many teams as possible to compete for this prize and as the rink offers exceedingly good facilities in the shape of ice and space, the inducements are such as would merit any of the junior teams joining in the contest.

It is expected that the inaugural meeting will be called some time next week or as soon after as possible, so that the business can be gone over and a schedule prepared in order that play in the series can commence immediately after Christmas.

The donors also announce that the club who win this cup twice in succession will become actual owners thereof.

WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The first year consisted of five teams:- ROVERS, ASHDOWNS, MARSHALL-WELLS, WESLEY COLLEGE and C.P.R.

The following schedule of games was arranged between the teams competing for the Wesley Cup at the west end rink.

Ashdowns vs Rovers Jan 2.

Marshall-Wells vs Wesley Jan 5.

C.P.R vs Ashdowns Jan 9.

Wesley vs Rovers Jan 14.

Ashdowns vs Marshall-Wells Jan 14.

C.P.R. vs Rovers Jan 23.

Wesley vs C.P.R. Jan 28.

Marshall-Wells vs Rovers Feb 4.

Wesley vs Ashdowns Feb 6.

Marshall-Wells vs C.P.R. Feb 12.

Unfortunately due to missing articles or non reporting of games, some of the seasons are missing games, some games were rearranged due to ice availability or other issues.

The following text is a collection of articles advertising the games with team information, also the reports from the games played.

In some cases I have included both reports from the Tribune and the Free Press, if I have found them to contain useful reading.

THE WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1903.

1st January 1903 OPENING WESLEY CUP SERIES.

A match will be played on Wesley rink tomorrow evening at eight o'clock between the Ashdown and Rover clubs. This game will be the first in the Wesley Cup series. The players are:

ROVERS

M. McMaster

Boswell

H. Hill

B. Hill

Drew

Bastedo

M. Litchfield

GOAL

POINT

COVER

FORWARDS

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ASHDOWN

C. Rutley

C. Higgins

B. Sinclair

W. McKenzie

R. Whatmouth

T. Munro

W. Cameron

3rd January 1903 ROVERS DREW FIRST BLOOD.

If the articles supplied in the Wesley rink hockey series continues to be up to the standard of the opening game last night, the race for the Wesley cup bids fair to rival the other fast series in popular interest.

A team from Ashdowns hardware establishments met an aggregation who play under the nom de hockie of the "Rovers" is a very good name but "Blue Streak" would be more in line with the play. Some of the Rovers, notably Drew at centre and Litchfield as rover, showed no disposition to rover whatever, but getting the puck they invariably made a bee line for the Ashdown goal.

The score at the finish stood 5-1 against the hardware men. Very fast play was the main feature, a number of side features were three Rovers in a row sitting on the fence and two Ashdowns opposite for too assiduous roving.

Rough play was rampant and could not be checked. One of the Rovers took to the fence four times at the request of referee McIvor.

Combination was poor on both sides, but some dashing individual play was seen. The general opinion was that the hardware men lost because the goalkeeper could not stop the hot shots.

The following players lined up:

ASHDOWNS

Rutley
Higgins
Sinclair
McKenzie
Cameron
Whatmouth
Munro

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
LEFT-WING
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING

ROVERS

McMaster
Boswell
N. Hill
Litchfield
Bastedo
Drew
B.Hill

The next game of the series will be played on Monday Jan 5th when Marshall-Wells Co plays Wesley College.

6th January 1903 CRESCENTS LOST TO HARDWARE.

The Wesley College seven funk'd in the Wesley Cup hockey series yesterday and as a result the donors of the cup admitted the Crescent club into the series. This club had previously asked admission, but had to be refused.

They were ready to play last night and met the Marshall-Wells aggregation in a lively tussle for a win.

The game ended with a score of 6-1 in favour of the hardware men.

Following were the players:

MARSHALL-WELLS

Wyatt
Wilson
E. Pratt
W. Clark
McKenzie
Murphy
Fred Pratt

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
RIGHT
CENTRE
LEFT

CRESCENTS

Young
Kemp
R. Marshall
T. Marshall
Tate
Kean
Appleyard

Mr Pomeroy made an efficient referee.

9th January 1903 C.P.R. DEBUT TONIGHT.

The C.P.R.s make their first appearance tonight at 8pm when they meet the Ashdowns aggregation in the Wesley Cup series. They will line up as follows: GOAL, Popham; POINT, McCallum; COVER, H. Robinson; ROVER, A. Hanna; CENTRE, Ripple; LEFT, F. Luff; RIGHT, S. Fairclough; Bell and Pace will be spare men.

10th January 1903 ASHDOWNS TEAM WON.

An interesting game of hockey was played in the Wesley Cup series last evening, the competing teams being the C.P.R. and the Ashdown seven. The hardware men won out a close game by the score of 3 goals to 2. At half time it was a tie one all. The Ashdown players were faster skaters, but the Railroaders played a strong defence game. The teams were as follows:

ASHDOWNS

Wilson
Boswell
Sinclair
Scroggie
Whatmouth
Munro
Cameron

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS
*
*
*

C.P.R.

Popham
McCallum
Robinson
Fraser
Ripple
Fairclough
Luff

Referee Mr McIvor.

14th January 1903 AT WESLEY RINK.

A match in the Wesley Rink Cup series between the Crescents and Rovers will be played to-night at 8.30. A band will be in attendance for skaters.

15th January 1903 ROVERS TIED CRESCENTS.

The fourth match in the Wesley Rink Cup series was played off last evening, the Rovers seven tying the score with the Crescents in a finish of 1-1.

The game was fast, hard and clean with the exception of a couple of mix-ups. At the call of half-time no goals had been scored and both teams settled down to work in earnest when play was resumed.

The Rovers were first to score, but just before call of time the Crescents in a dash past the Rover defence sent a shot which the umpire, who was a Crescent man declared a goal.

The Rovers talk of protesting as a number of bystanders claimed the shot ran wide of the goal.

The teams were:

ROVERS

McMasters

Boswell

N. Hill

Litchfield

Leavons

B. Hill

Johnson

Sam Boswell was referee.

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

RIGHT-WING

CENTRE

LEFT-WING

CRESCENTS

Kemp

R. Marshall

T. Marshall

Wardell

Appleyard

Kean

Craig

19th January 1903 TONIGHTS GAME.

The Marshall-Wells and Ashdown teams meet tonight for the Wesley Rink Cup. A band will play for the skaters.

20th January 1903 ASHDOWNS LOST TO MARSHALL-WELLS.

The Ashdown seven went down before the Marshall-Wells aggravation in the Wesley Rink Cup game last night to the tune of 4-1. The presence of Barney Holden and Harry Gordon of the Shamrocks on the Ashdown team acted as a spur to the husky M.Ws who redoubled their usual vim and vigor and played hockey with the foregoing result.

The players were:

ASHDOWN

Wilson

S. Boswell

B. Holden

Scroggie

Sinclair

H. Gordon

Fulthrope

C.W. Pomeroy gave satisfaction as referee.

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

LEFT

CENTRE

RIGHT

MARSHALL-WELLS

T. Pratt

E. Pratt

W. Clark

A. Dewar

W. Harkness

J. Murphy

D. McKenzie

23rd January 1903 ROVERS TEAM SELECTED.

The following players will represent the Rover hockey club in their match with the C.P.R.s in the Wesley Cup series tomorrow night.

GOAL, H. McMaster; POINT, J. Boswell; COVER-POINT, N. Hill; RIGHT-WING, B. Hill; LEFT-WING, F.L. Drewe; ROVER, W. Clements; CENTRE, D.M. Litchfield; SPARE MAN, E. Johnston.

24th January 1903 ROVERS TIE FOR WESLEY CUP.

One more win for the Rovers in the Wesley Rink Cup series and the coveted trophy will be theirs.

Their game with the C.P.R. seven last night resulted in a victory for them by the uneven score of 10-1.

The Rovers and Marshall-Wells team are tied for the cup and the next match between these promising youngsters will decide the fate of the cup.

Last nights teams lined up as follows:

| ROVERS | | C.P.R.s |
|------------|--------|------------|
| McMasters | GOAL | Popham |
| Boswell | POINT | Robson |
| N. Hill | COVER | Fairclough |
| Clements | ROVER | Luff |
| B. Hill | RIGHT | Hanna |
| Litchfield | CENTRE | Lobdell |
| Drewe | LEFT | McCallum. |

28th January 1903 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The Crescents and the C.P.R.s meet in the Wesley Cup series tonight. A band will play for skating.

29th January 1903 A PLAYER WAS HURT.

The game at the Wesley rink last night between the C.P.R. and Crescent teams was marred by a rather severe accident to Love of the C.P.R team who got a nasty cut on the eye, and his absence materially weakened his team, the score standing 9 to 1 in favour of the Crescents at the close.

4th February 1903 WESLEY CUP CHAMPIONSHIP.

The championship of the Wesley series will be settled* tonight when the Rovers and the Marshall-Wells team will play off for the trophy in Wesley rink between 9 and 10 o`clock, neither team has been defeated in the series and indeed Rovers have not been beaten this season although entered in several series. Consequently a splendid game is expected, both teams play excellent hockey.

The teams will be:

MARSHALL-WELLS- Pratt, goal; Wilson, point; Pratt, cover-point; Clark, Harkness, McKenzie and Murphy, forwards.

ROVERS- McMaster, goal; Boswell, point; Hill, cover; Hill, Drew, Litchfield and Clement, forwards.

*As the Crescent team still had a game to play, the Championship was not going to be settled after this game.

5th February 1903 ROVERS STILL UNBEATEN.

The match between the Rovers and Marshall-Wells team last night at Wesley rink was a remarkably fine exhibition of fast hockey, such has probably not been witnessed in that rink this season.

Both teams were in excellent condition and put up a splendid game. From the first the Rovers played an aggressive game and in less than fifteen minutes had two goals in their favor, scored by B. Hill and Clements.

For the balance of the first half their opponents had the best of the play and succeeded in obtaining one goal, scored by J. Murphy. In the second half the play was of a most sensational nature and in addition to an exhibition of fine hockey there were one or two displays of bad temper, such as often arise from too enthusiastic checking.

The rushes of the Rovers forwards were a sight to gladden the eyes of their numerous admirers and rooters who lined the rink, their opponents, though lacking this put up a plucky fight.

The only goal scored this half was put in by Clements after a beautiful rush and combination play by the Rover forwards. At the close the score stood Rovers 3 Marshall-Wells 1.

The teams were:

| ROVERS | | M-W |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| McMasters | GOAL | F. Pratt |
| Boswell | POINT | J. Wilson |
| N. Hill | COVER-POINT | E. Pratt |
| Clements | FORWARDS | W. Clarke |
| F. Drewe | * | J. Murphy |
| Litchfield | * | L. McKenzie |
| R. Hill | * | W. Harkness |

Referee-- William Logan.

With one game remaining, that of the Crescents vs Rovers poised, that if the Crescents seven win, it will make an interesting three cornered tie for the cup, with Crescents, Marshall-Wells and the Rovers all on the same points.

The Wesley Cup League standings on the 20th February 1903 were as follows:

| TEAM | W | L | TP |
|-------------------|---|---|----|
| ROVERS | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| CRESCENTS | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| MARSHALL-WELLS | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| J.H. ASHDOWN & Co | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| C.P.R. | 0 | 4 | 0 |

23rd February 1903

On Wednesday night the Crescents and Rovers play at Wesley rink in the Wesley Cup series. The match is expected to be a good one as it depends the fate of the teams interested.

If the Crescents win the Rovers, Crescents and Marshall-Wells teams will be even, if the Rovers win they get the cup. Both teams are confident.

25th February 1903 **WESLEY CUP SERIES.**

The Rovers and Crescents meet this evening in the Wesley Cup series, if the Rovers win they take the cup, if they lose the Crescent, Marshall-Wells and Rovers are tied for the cup.

26th February 1903 **ROVERS TAKE WESLEY CUP.**

The final game in the Wesley Cup series was played last night at the Wesley rink between the Rovers and the Crescents. The Rovers won after a brilliant game which was played before a large and interested audience.

The score at half-time was 2-0 in favor of the Rovers. In the second part they put up three more goals while the Crescents were only able to add three, making the Rovers victors and possessors of the Wesley Rink Cup by a final score of 5 to 3.

Mr Little refereed the game and the champions names are as follows:

Goal, McMasters; Point, Boswell; Cover-point, N. Hill; Left-wing, Grieve; Centre, Litchfield; Right-wing, B. Hill; Rover, Clements.

THE 1ST YEAR OF WESLEY RINK CUP.

Unfortunately throughout the researching for this book I have come across a few problems in trying to paint the full picture of this cup competition.

Apart from the non-reporting of games, missing editions of newspapers and poorly printed issues, I have tried to piece together as best as I can the Wesley Cup Series.

In the latter years the reports from the games were few and far between, sometimes just giving a result. There is nothing more frustrating than being unable to put together the full story of this cup competition, but maybe with your help, someone out there might have information to help with the missing pieces to the puzzle.

Getting back to this first year of the Wesley Cup, three of the ten scheduled games have no record of results but through the standings given on the 19th and 20th of February and after the Rovers win reported on the 23rd of January stating they had two wins like Marshall-Wells, I can conclude that the following 3 results were to be true.

1. The opening game resulted in a win for the Rovers against Ashdowns.
2. Crescents beat Ashdowns.
3. Marshall-Wells defeated C.P.R.

The last two games being played between the 4th and 19th of February.

The most interesting issue of this series was what happened to the game played between the Rovers and Crescents (15th Jan). It was reported to end a tied game, although there was controversy over the tying goal by the Crescents, but I found no reports that mention any official protest being lodged. Anyhow whether the game was made to be played again because of an upheld protest or just made to be played to a result, the game between the Rovers and Crescents became the deciding game of the first Wesley Cup Series.

WESLEY CUP FINAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

| | WON | LOST | POINTS |
|----------------|-----|------|--------|
| ROVERS | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| MARSHALL-WELLS | 3 | 1 | 6 |
| CRESCENTS | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| ASHDOWNS | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| C.P.R. | 0 | 4 | 0 |

THE WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1904.

14th December 1903 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

A meeting of the hockey clubs, which will compete in the Wesley Cup series will be held this evening in the Wesley rink.

This series last season proved an interesting contest and this year it promises to be much more exciting owing to the increased numbers of clubs entered.

One representative from each club is requested to be on hand to assist in arranging details of the competition.

The following are the teams: ROVERS, CRESCENTS, PHARMACY, COLLEGE, FREE PRESS, SCHOOLS, WELLINGTONS, FROST & WOOD, GAULTS, OGILVIES, E.S. HARRISON AND Co and ASHDOWNS.

15th December 1903 WESLEY CUP ARRANGEMENTS.

Delegates from the various hockey clubs entered for the Wesley Cup series met last evening at the rink to discuss preliminaries for the competition. Those present were:

ROVERS: D.M. Litchfield.

GAULT-OGILVIE: J.S. Marks and Bert Nicol.

FREE-PRESS: A. Cairns.

SCHOOLS: W.J. Finlay.

E.S. HARRISON: G.E. Perrie.

FROST & WOOD: A.H. McKAY and W.E. Hall.

CRESCENTS: T.C. Marshall.

PHARMACY COLLEGE: S.J. Hall.

MAPLE LEAVES: S. Jackson and H. McIntosh.

The Wellingtons and Ashdown teams were not represented.

Owing to the large number of clubs practising in the rink this season, all of whom are eligible, it was decided to form the teams into two divisions and the winners of each to play off for the possession of the cup.

A double series of games will be played.

The teams were grouped as follows:

FIRST DIVISION: ROVERS, CRESCENTS, ASHDOWN, GAULT-OGILVIE, FREE PRESS and PHARMACY COLLEGE.

SECOND DIVISION: FROST & WOOD, WELLINGTONS, E.S. HARRISON, MAPLE LEAVES and SCHOOLS.

A schedule for each will be submitted at a meeting to be held at the rink tomorrow evening and it is likely the first games will be played on Saturday night.

17th December 1903 **SCHEDULE FOR WESLEY CUP SERIES.**

Clubs fix dates for a big local hockey season. First games to be played on Saturday night.

Delegates from the different clubs in the Wesley Cup hockey series met last night at the rink and drew up a schedule for the seasons games.

The following schedule was adopted.

The games to be played on Mondays from 9 to 10 and two games on Saturdays from 8 to 9 and 9 to 10:

SERIES A:

DEC 19 Free Press vs Ogilvies.

JAN 2 Ashdowns vs Free Press.

4 Ogilvies vs Rovers.

9 Pharmacy vs Crescents.

16 Free Press vs Pharmacy.

18 Rovers vs Ashdowns.

23 Crescents vs Ogilvies.

30 Ashdowns vs Pharmacy.

FEB 1 Free Press vs Crescents.

6 Pharmacy vs Rovers.

13 Crescents vs Ashdowns.

15 Rovers vs Free Press.

FEB 20 Pharmacy vs Ogilvies.

27 Rovers vs Crescents.

29 Ashdowns vs Ogilvies.

SERIES B:

DEC 19 Harrison vs Wellingtons.

21 Frost & Wood vs Maple Leafs.

JAN 2 Schools vs Telegrams.

9 Harrison vs Maple Leafs.

11 Schools vs Wellingtons.

16 Frost & Wood vs Telegrams.

23 Wellingtons vs Maple Leafs.

25 Harrison vs Frost & Wood.

30 Maple Leafs vs Telegrams.

FEB 6 Frost & Wood vs Schools.

8 Harrison vs Telegrams.

13 Frost & Wood vs Wellingtons.

20 Schools vs Maple Leafs.

22 Wellingtons vs Telegrams.

27 Harrison vs Schools.

18th December 1903.

In the schedule of games for the Wesley Cup, the Ogilvies were given as one of the competitors, this should have been the Gault-Ogilvies as these two clubs have amalgamated for the Wesley Cup games, in any other matches they play independent of each other.

21st December 1903 **WESLEY CUP SERIES OPENED. FREE PRESS DEFEATED OGILVIE-GAULTS. WELLINGTONS WON FROM HARRISONS.**

The first two games in the Wesley league were played on Saturday night, both being rather one-sided in the score. The first was between the Free Press and the Ogilvie-Gault combination in the `A` series and was easy for the former, they winning in a walk. The second game was between the Wellingtons and Harrisons, which was won by the Wellingtons.

The bunch that represented the Free Press in the game against the Ogilvie-Gaults demonstrated their ability as hockey players, when they succeeded in defeating their opponents by a score of 11 to 1, the game was all Free Press throughout. The forwards played well together and had the defence of their opponents guessing.

The Ogilvie-Gault team played hard but seldom made many gains, being kept on the defensive most of the time. Brown in goal made many stops for them and Johnston and Bell on the forward made some good runs.

The score at half-time was 5-1, Kirby, Finlay and Syme did all the scoring for the winners.

Mr Tyser was referee and the teams were:

| FREE PRESS | | OGILVIE-GAULT. |
|------------|-------------|----------------|
| Boyce | GOAL | Brown |
| O`Hearn | POINT | Caslett |
| Samson | COVER-POINT | Marks |
| Syme | ROVER | Johnstone |
| Finlay | CENTRE | Bell |
| McCurdy | LEFT-WING | Chapman |
| Kirby | RIGHT-WING | Nicol |

The second game between the Wellingtons and E.S. Harrisons was in the `B` series and was much closer than the score of 7-1 in the Wellingtons favor would indicate, as the Harrisons had a whole lot of play but their forwards were poor shots and missed many chances to score. For the winners J.H. Riley and Jordan did the best work, the latter scoring the majority of the goals. For the losers Warren played a hard game, but got poor support. Dunning also played well at times, but he was very much inclined to be rough which marred the play a lot. T. Peer was referee and the teams were:

| HARRISON | | WELLINGTONS |
|----------|-------------|-------------|
| Campbell | GOAL | Jones |
| Tiffin | POINT | Brown |
| Telfer | COVER-POINT | H.J. Riley |
| Warren | ROVER | J.H. Riley |
| Dunning | CENTRE | Dunderdale |
| Robinson | LEFT-WING | Jordan |
| Lawrence | RIGHT-WING | Bole |

22nd December 1903 MAPLE LEAFS WON-DEFEAT FROST & WOOD SEVEN IN WESLEY CUP.

The Maple Leafs defeated the Frost & Wood seven in a game in the B series of the Wesley Cup matches last night by the score of 6 to 1. The winning team easily outplayed their heavier and older opponents.

S. Boswell refereed. The line-ups were:

| MAPLE LEAFS | | FROST & WOOD |
|-------------|--------|--------------|
| Wilson | GOAL | Grierson |
| Penwarden | POINT | Cooper |
| McIntosh | COVER | Tysoe |
| Jackson | ROVER | Burnett |
| H. McIntosh | CENTRE | Sibbald |
| Benson | LEFT | McKay |
| Cadham | RIGHT | Fox |

1st January 1904 FREE PRESS vs ASHDOWN.

The following members of the Free Press hockey club will form the team to play against the Ashdowns tomorrow evening in the Wesley Cup match: Goal, BOYCE; point, JOHNSON; cover-point, SAMSON; forwards, SYME, HABKIRK, FINLAY and McLEAN.

The match is scheduled for 9 o`clock at the Wesley rink.

2nd January 1904 **WESLEY CUP GAMES.**

Fixtures for this evenings play-Two fast games.

At Wesley rink tonight the games to be played in the Wesley Cup series will be Schools vs Telegram 8 to 9 and Ashdowns vs the Free Press 9 to 10. The band will be in attendance and skating will go on as usual.

4th January 1904

The Rovers and Crescents play a game in the Wesley Cup series tonight starting at 9 o`clock.

4th January 1904 **GAMES FOR THE WESLEY TINWARE- THE SCHOOLS AND FREE PRESS WINNING SEVENS IN CUP MATCHES.**

The Schools defeated the Telegram seven by a score of 3 to 0 and the Free Press won from the Ashdowns by a score of 4 to 3 in the games for the Wesley Cup at Wesley rink on Saturday night. The Schools had but little difficulty in winning over the Telegram in the first match.

The teams were:

| SCHOOLS | | TELEGRAM |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Williams | GOAL | Nix |
| Grundy | POINT | Pomeroy |
| Riley | COVER | Harstone |
| Finlay | ROVER | Shibley |
| Robinson | FORWARDS | Wilkinson |
| Lake | * | Harkness |
| Straing | * | Hanley |
| Referee- Jack Boswell. | | |

The second match was much closer, eleven minutes extra play being required to break a tie.

The team line-ups as follows:

| FREE PRESS | | ASHDOWNNS |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Boyce | GOAL | Baird |
| Johnson | POINT | Sinclair |
| Samson | COVER | Ford |
| Symes | ROVER | Scroggie |
| Habkirk | FORWARDS | Munro |
| Finlay | * | McKenzie |
| McLean | * | Speers |
| Referee- Sam Boswell. | | |

5th January 1904.

The Rovers defeated the Ogilvie-Gault seven in a Wesley Cup match at Wesley rink last night by a score of 5 to 0.

8th January 1904 **PHARMACY COLLEGE MEETING.**

A meeting of the Pharmacy College hockey club will be held in the College this evening when business of importance will be discussed.

All members and friends of the club are requested to be present, a meeting of the executive will be held later in the evening to select a team to play the Crescents on Saturday evening in the Wesley Cup series.

9th January 1904 **HOCKEY-WESLEY CUP GAMES.**

In the Wesley Cup series tonight Pharacy plays Crescents and Maple Leafs play Harrisons. The first game is called for eight and the second for nine o` clock.

11th January 1904 **WESLEY CUP GAMES.**

In the Wesley Cup series two games were played Saturday evening, the Crescents and Maple Leafs as a result going up two points each.

The Crescent-Pharmacy match was a good exhibition of hockey and fairly even, but the former proved the superior shots and had also enough of the bulk of the rushing to secure success and won out 5 to 1.

The teams were:

CRESCENTS

| | |
|---------------|----------|
| Miller | GOAL |
| R. Marshall | POINT |
| F.C. Marshall | COVER |
| Appleyard | ROVER |
| P. Kean | FORWARDS |
| Boulton | * |
| Hamilton | * |

PHARMACY

Colcleugh
Agnew
C. Hall
Carson
Johnstone
R. Hall
Martin

The Maple Leaf-Harrison game was a stubborn contest and was anybody's match until the final whistle was tooted by Sam Boswell who refereed. The score was 2 to 1 in favor of the Canadian emblems.

The teams lined up:

MAPLE LEAFS

| | |
|-------------|----------|
| McMaster | GOAL |
| B. McDonald | POINT |
| Penwarden | COVER |
| Jackson | ROVER |
| Benson | FORWARDS |
| H. McDonald | * |
| Cadham | * |

HARRISON

Tansy
Baird
Telford
Dunning
McCallum
Tiffin
Perrey

12th January 1904 **SCHOOLS WON AGAIN.**

Another fast game was layed in the Wesley Cup series last night when the Schools and Wellingtons met and after one of the most exciting contests yet played the ----- Schools succeeded in winning by the score of 4-3.

The game was fast and clean throughout. The Schools were much the lighter but they were faster skaters and played better combination than their heavier opponents, and well deserved their win.

The Wellingtons depended on individual rushes which did not work as the forwards of the Schools always followed back well and generally overtook their opponents before they reached the goal.

For the Schools little Pat Lake, though the smallest player on the ice, put up a whirlwind game, Riley at cover-point also put up a strong game.

For the Wellingtons Dowler was the star of the team, his rushes being always dangerous. Riley and T. Dunderdale were also conspicuous.

D. Litchfield of the Rovers was referee and the teams were:

SCHOOLS

| | |
|-------------|------------|
| R. Williams | GOAL |
| C. Fowler | POINT |
| H.J. Riley | COVER |
| W. Finlay | ROVER |
| C. Fowler | POINT |
| H. Strong | LEFT-WING |
| R. Robinson | RIGHT-WING |

WELLINGTONS

A. Brown
H. Dunderdale
J.H. Riley
B. McIntosh
H. Dunderdale
W. Dowler
C. Jordan

The goals were scored in the following order:

First-half- Schools- FINLAY(2)

Wellingtons- RILEY

Schools- LAKE

Wellingtons- DOWLER

Second-half- Schools- FINLAY

Wellingtons- T. DUNDERDALE.

There seemed to be a bit of a typing error in this report, both the Tribune and the Free Press articles had the same errors regarding the team line-ups.

Pat Lake played and scored but was not on team line-up unless he was classed as a spare.

T. Dunderdale playing here at the age of 16, who knew how much of a star he was to become.

16th January 1904 SCHOOLS OUT OF WESLEY SERIES.

Teachers are opposed to the team playing therein the Schools hockey club, which entered in the Wesley Cup series this year, and after winning their first two games in the league has been forced to withdraw from the series.

Owing to the fact that a couple of teachers of the Collegiate, think that the boys are over-doing themselves, in playing in two leagues and besides some of the Wesley Cup teams it was thought, did not play the kind of hockey for school boys to be indulging in.

As the hockey team are short in their finances, they are holding an entertainment next Friday in the collegiate, in order to raise the money.

Although the teachers who are taking so much interest in them, have a big say in who shall use the assembly room and refuse to help the boys unless they keep out of the Wesley series.

Consequently this latter was the only alternative and they have sent in formal notice of withdrawal.

The players feel decidedly disappointed over the result.

16th January 1904 FREE PRESS vs PHARMACY.

The following team will represent the Free Press hockey club in their game with the Pharmacy College this evening at the Wesley rink. The game being called at 9 o'clock: Goal, Habkirk; Point, Penwarden; Cover-point, Samson; Forwards, Syme, Kirby, McLean and Finlay.

18th January 1904 ROVERS vs ASHDOWNS.

In the Wesley Cup series to-night the Rovers and Ashdowns clash sticks at 9 o'clock. The Rovers will have their regular intermediate team out.

18th January 1904 WESLEY CUP GAMES.

In the Wesley Cup series Saturday night two more games were played, the typo men being the winners in both cases. In the first the Telegram defeated Frost & Wood 3 to 1, the result was somewhat a surprise, the Telegrams team being considered much stronger than the score represents but they had to go for that. At half-time the tally was 1-0 in favor of the machinery men, but in the second half the Telegram ran in three goals.

The teams were:

FROST & WOOD

Grierson

S. Boswell

J. Boswell +

Tyson

McKay

Burnett

Cooper

Referee J. Habkirk.

+ Jimmy or John Boswell.

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

FORWARDS

*

*

TELEGRAM

Nix

Pomeroy

Stables

Shibley

Finn

Thomson

Harkness

In the second game the Pharmacists proved easy pickings for the Free Press, at half-time the Press had them 5 to 1 but in the second half the game was very even and both goalkeepers were given work, though Johnston a new man in goal for the druggists had the bulk of it, and made numerous whirlwind stops off Kirby and Finlay.

Hall put up a splendid game on the line and despite a bad jam he got in the side, figured continually in hot rushes.

The teams were:

FREE PRESS

Habkirk

Penwarden

Samson

Kirby

Symes

Finlay

McLean

Referee- D. Litchfield.

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS

*

*

PHARMACY

Johnston

Agnew

Carson

Hall

Martin

Laidlaw

Hull

This next report was from a challenge match between two Wesley Cup series teams.

20th January 1904 FOR SUPREMACY.

Tonight between 6.30 and 7.30 there will be a scene of chaos and revelry at the Wesley rink when rival pen wielders and typesetters will decide the political situation over the rubber disc.

The Free Press and Telegram will be competing teams and the game promises to be of the red hot order, both teams have made good showings in the Wesley Cup series.

The Press having a record of three straight wins, while the Telegram has been beaten once, added to which there is a rivalry compared with which the danger of a Japanese-Russian clash is a mere myth and Jeffries-Fitzsimmons talk as lunch counter milk unto farm cream.

Incidentally the general hospital will be enriched by a barrel of flour as a result of the match.

Reserved seats may be had at either printing office, the sale opening this morning at 9 o'clock and closing five minutes later. The game will be called at 6.30 sharp.

The teams will be:

FREE PRESS

Habkirk

D. Flett

Samson

Kirby

Finlay

McLean

Symes

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT
LEFT

TELEGRAM

Nix

McDougal

Harstone

Shibley

Harkness

Hanley

Wilkinson

23rd January 1904 THE WESLEY CUP GAMES.

In the Wesley Cup series two games are scheduled for tonight. At 8 o'clock the Crescents will meet the Zionists, the latter club filling the place of the Ogilvie-Gaults who have dropped out. At 9 o'clock the Maples and Wellingtons meet.

Below is a report about the Wesley Cup game between the Pharmacy College and the Free Press that was published in 'THE MANITOBAN'

PHARMACY- The Pharmacists did not prove such easy pickings for the Free Press team last Saturday night (16th Jan) as some of the typemen anticipated. After overwhelming defeat administered by them to the Crescents and the Crescents in turn defeating the Pharmacy team, it looked like a dead cinch for the newspaper men, but they were only four goals up, the score being five against one.

Considering that our boys (Pharmacy) have had very little practice and that two or three of them have never played hockey before, the result was very satisfactory when you come to think that the Free Press team is composed of men who have played hockey for years, to say nothing of one who has played in the noted Stanley Cup series.

At times the game was fast but our boys lacked training and combination and had hard luck in shooting, Hull being able to do the trick only once.

The following players represented the College: Goal. Johnston; Point, Agnew; Cover-point, Carson; Forwards, Laidlaw, Hull, Martin and Hall.

NEW UNIFORMS- Our hockey uniforms have arrived at last and they look exceedingly natty. The body of the jersey is purple in color with trimmings of gold on the bottom, neck and sleeves, and a monogram of a mortar and pestle on the front, also in gold.

We hope they may prove to be a good omen and the big score be on our side.

25th January 1904.

The Harrison and Frost & Wood hockey teams will play this evening in the Wesley Cup series on Wesley rink from 9 to 10 o'clock.

26th January 1904 **STANDING IN WESLEY CUP SERIES- FREE PRESS TEAM UNDEFEATED IN CUP SERIES- THIS WEEKS FIXTURES.**

The postponed game in the Wesley series between the Rovers and Ashdowns will be played on Wednesday night in Wesley rink.

It is quite likely that the Schools who signified their intentions of dropping out of the league owing to financial difficulties, will continue their schedule of games owing to the generosity of Mr Bell in helping them out of their difficulty. It is hoped that the Schools will see their way clear to continue their games as they have one of the fastest teams in the league and would no doubt be near the top at the finish.

The Wesley series are proving to be a most interesting series and some of the games are very fast. In 'A' series the Free Press have a good lead having not yet met defeat while in the 'B' series the Schools head the list with no losses and two wins.

Below is the complete standings of the teams of the two series:

| 'A' Series | PLAYED | WON | LOST | TO PLAY |
|--------------|--------|-----|------|---------|
| FREE PRESS | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 |
| CRESCENTS | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| ROVERS | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| ASHDOWN | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| PHARMACY | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| OGILVIES | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 'B' Series | PLAYED | WON | LOST | TO PLAY |
| SCHOOLS | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| MAPLE LEAFS | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| WELLINGTONS | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| TELEGRAM | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| HARRISON | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| FROST & WOOD | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 |

Wesley series- Monday 9pm Harrison vs Frost & Wood, Saturday 8pm Maple Leafs vs Telegram, Saturday 9pm Ashdown vs Pharmacy.

CRESCENTS 3 ZIONISTS 2

Two of the most interesting games of the Wesley Cup series were played on Saturday night.

The first game between the Crescents and Zionists the latter club filling the place of the defunct Ogilvies, proved to be a hard game, the score being two all, but the Crescents succeeded in getting the winning goal after about five minutes of extra play.

The Zionists were the strongest checkers but they lacked the team work of the Crescents and their shooting was rather wild. H. Norvalansky did the best work for them, his many rushes always being very dangerous. The Crescents excelled in their stick work and well deserved the win.

Percy Kean made some very fast rushes and his all round good work was a feature of the game, T. Marshall also played a strong game at point, blocking the goal effectively.

S. Boswell was referee and the teams were as follows:

| CRESCENTS | | ZIONISTS |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| Miller | GOAL | Tapper |
| T. Marshall | POINT | Bateman |
| R. Marshall | COVER-POINT | L. Norvalansky |
| Appleyard | FORWARDS | Kramer |
| Hamilton | * | H. Norvalansky |
| Bolton | * | J. Finn |
| Kean | * | T. Finn |

WELLINGTONS 2 MAPLE LEAFS 0

The second game was between the Maple Leafs and Wellingtons and it was a hard contest.

The Wellingtons had much the advantage in weight but the `Young Midgets` as the Maples are known played a hard game and gave their opponents the game of their life.

The Maple Leafs were without the services of their star centre forward and captain H. McIntosh which weakened the team to a great extent, nevertheless the boys played a gritty game throughout.

The first half ended with neither team having succeeded in scoring, but in the second half the Wellingtons notched two goals while the Maple Leafs failed to score.

For the winners Dowler, Riley and Dunderdale did the best work, W. Breen of the Rowing Club was between the posts for them and did good work.

For the losers Penwarden and McIntosh played a strong defence, while J. Jackson was the best of the forwards.

S. Boswell was referee and the teams were as follows:

| WELLINGTONS | | MAPLE LEAFS |
|-------------|----------|-------------|
| Breen | GOAL | Cooper |
| Leadly | POINT | Penwarden |
| Brown | COVER | B. McIntosh |
| Rielly | FORWARDS | J. Jackson |
| Dowler | * | Benson |
| Jordan | * | Cadham |
| Dunderdale | * | Jackson |

FROST and WOOD WON.

In the Wesley Cup series last night Frost & Wood put their hockey thermometer up another degree in spite of the cold weather, their first gauge registering a win over the Harrisons at the high temperature of 7 to 5, the teams were evenly matched. The teams were:

| FROST & WOOD | | HARRISONS |
|--------------|----------|------------------|
| Richardson | GOAL | Nero |
| S. Boswell | POINT | Egar |
| J. Boswell | COVER | Campbell |
| J. Tysoe | ROVER | Pritchard |
| Burner | FORWARDS | Chesley |
| Sibbald | * | Winkler |
| Fox | * | McCallum |
| | | Referee J.Black. |

1st February 1904 TWO WESLEY CUP GAMES.

Two more games were played in the Wesley Cup series Saturday night. The Maple Leafs and Pharmacists being the winners.

In the Ashdown Pharmacy game the play was very close, no goals were scored in the first half and it was early in the second before the Pharmacy poked in the first, then Ashdown evened things up.

Pharmacy scoring the final and winning tally near time.

The teams were:

| ASHDOWN | | PHARMACY |
|--------------------|-------------|----------|
| Mann | GOAL | Johnston |
| Sinclair | POINT | Agnew |
| Ford | COVER-POINT | Carson |
| Scroggie | ROVER | Hall |
| Fulthrope | FORWARDS | Martin |
| Donley | * | Laidlaw |
| Munro | * | Hull |
| Referee S. Boswell | | |

In the second game the Maple Leafs blanked the Telegrams 2-0. Play was close but the Leafs did the best work about the net and secured a goal in each half, while the papermen were unable to locate an open spot in the net.

The teams were:

| MAPLE LEAFS | | TELEGRAM |
|-------------|-------------|----------|
| McMaster | GOAL | Nix |
| S. Boswell | POINT | Pomeroy |
| McIntosh | COVER-POINT | Harstone |
| Jno Jackson | ROVER | Kramer |
| Beresford | FORWARDS | Harkness |
| Jas Jackson | * | Hanley |
| Cadham | * | Wikinson |

3rd February 1904 WESLEY CUP STANDING.

As the play down in the Wesley Cup series nears the finish, things are becoming very interesting.

In the `A` series the Free Press has attained a good lead of four straights with but one game remaining to play, though this will be their hardest contest against the Rovers on the 15th.

The latter have only played two games to date, both of which they have won, and it looks to be between these two teams for the championship of the series.

THE STANDINGS `A` SERIES.

| | PLAYED | WON | LOST | GOALS | |
|------------|--------|-----|------|-------|----|
| AGAINST | | | | FOR | |
| FREE PRESS | 4 | 4 | 0 | 22 | 5 |
| ROVERS | 2 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| CRESCENTS | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 6 |
| PHARMACY | 3 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 11 |
| ASHDOWNS | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 11 |
| ZIONISTS | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 19 |

In the `B` series things are more even. The Schools are yet unbeaten but have yet to meet the second place team, the Maple Leafs, while the Wellingtons are also strong factors in the race.

THE STANDINGS 'B' SERIES.

| | PLAYED | WON | LOST | GOALS | |
|--------------|--------|-----|------|-------|----|
| | | | | F | A |
| SCHOOLS | 2 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 3 |
| MAPLE LEAFS | 4 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 4 |
| WELLINGTONS | 3 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 5 |
| TELEGRAM | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| FROST & WOOD | 3 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 16 |
| HARRISONS | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 16 |

6th February 1904 WESLEY CUP GAMES TONIGHT.

In the Wesley Cup series tonight Pharmacists meet the Rovers and Frost & Wood will play the Schools.

8th February 1904 ROVERS 3 PHARMACY 1

The game in the Wesley Cup series on Saturday night between the Rovers and Pharmacy proved to be one of the fastest games of the series.

The Rovers succeeded in winning by the score of 3-1 but they had to go all the way to do so and the showing of the Pharmacy boys met against them was a very creditable one.

The first half was even up both teams scoring a goal, but in the second half Rovers tallied twice, they had their regular intermediate team with the exception that Finlay was in goal instead of centre.

They all played well together, Litchfield was the best of the bunch, he making many rushes, N. Hill played a strong game at cover-point, breaking up many well intended rushes.

The Pharmacy team all played well but the forwards missed many chances to score owing to their trying to get too close in before shooting, which would not work against such a heavy defence as the Rovers.

Hull and Laidlaw were the best of the forwards while Agnew played a strong game at point.

Barney Holden was referee and the teams were:

| ROVERS | | PHARMACY |
|------------|-------------|---------------|
| Finlay | GOAL | Colcleugh |
| J. Boswell | POINT | Agnew |
| N. Hill | COVER-POINT | Higgingbotham |
| Litchfield | ROVER | Hall |
| Horn | CENTRE | Martin |
| Drewe | RIGHT-WING | Laidlaw |
| B. Hill | LEFT-WING | Hull |

EASY FOR FROST & WOOD.

The Frost & Wood were scheduled to play the Schools at 9 o'clock Saturday evening, in the Wesley Cup series but owing to the latter having dropped out, the former took on the Great West Saddlery hockeyists for a game and it proved an easy victory for the implement men who won by a score of 9-1, the score at half-time was 3-1.

The teams were:

| FROST & WOOD | | G.W. SADDLERY |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| Grierson | GOAL | Smith |
| S. Boswell | POINT | Jones |
| J. Boswell | COVER-POINT | Corrigan |
| Burnett | FORWARDS | Rosenlat |
| McKay | * | Hycke |
| Sibbald | * | Lout |
| Tyso | * | Fogg |

15th February 1904 WESLEY CUP GAMES.

In the Wesley Cup series only one game was played Saturday night between the Wellingtons and Frost & Wood, the result being a tie game with a score of 1-1.

The Wellingtons had slightly better of the play but the strong defence of the Frost & Wood held the score down.

The Ashdowns defaulted their game to the Crescents.

The game which is scheduled for tonight between the Rovers and Free Press is postponed until Saturday night.

19th February 1904 CRESCENTS 3 ZIONISTS 2.

The Crescents and young Zionists had ----- game in the Wesley Cup series last evening, the former winning out by a score of 3 goals to 2.

The teams were:

CRESCENTS

Miller

T. Marshall

R. Marshall

Appleyard

Keane

Bolton

Hamilton

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

FORWARDS

*

*

ZIONISTS

Rosenstwick

Balmean

L. Narovalansky

Kramer

H. Noravalansky

T. Finn

J. Finn

22nd February 1904 FREE PRESS ARE STILL UNDEFEATED- CHAMPIONS OF `A` SERIES IN WESLEY CUP LEAGUE- THE ROVERS WORSTED 1-0.

The Free Press won the Championship of `A` series in the Wesley Cup league Saturday by defeating the Rovers in a close game by a single goal, the score being one to nothing in favor of the journalists. The game had been looked forward to for the whole series, the two teams being recognized as by far the strongest in the series and the game proved to be quite up to expectations, a veritable battle of the giants.

The Free Press had their full strength on for the first time this year, Dan Flett going to cover-point and Samson being moved up to rover, Kirby taking the right wing. The team worked much better than formerly and played a fast aggressive game, the line especially checking back hard and seldom allowing the Rover forwards to get away, Kirby and Finlay were the chief fireworks of the line and kept the Rovers defence guessing all the time. Symes held Hill down well and Samson at rover, though unused to the position did some especially effective bodywork.

The Rovers were short Drewe, but Smith the Wesley College crack who was `on` for the occasion, more than made up for his loss and was the most dangerous man on the line. Litchfield did not get in his usual good work, being checked too closely to do any great damage while the defence was too weak to hold the Press line.

Horn, as new man was played out by Kirby but proved altogether too easy and was allowed to retire on a plea of sickness, McGregor taking his place, though he looked ok to continue the game, his chief complaint being a few stars more or less.

The Free Press had pretty much the better of the game, keeping the play pretty well in the Rovers end of the ice, but it was near half-time before a hot shot of Finlays found the net. In the second half things were a little evener and Habkirk had a bad one or two to block, though McMaster at the other end had double the occasions to distinguish himself off Flett, Finlay and Kirby.

Time was called with the score still standing one to nil.

Mr W. Field made a very satisfactory referee, his chief work being at nailing offsidess. The teams were:

FREE PRESS

Habkirk
 Penwarden
 Flett
 Samson
 Kirby
 Finlay
 Symes

GOAL
 POINT
 COVER-POINT
 ROVER
 FORWARDS

*
 *

ROVERS

McMaster
 Boswell
 N. Hill
 Litchfield
 Smith
 B. Hill
 McGregor

There was some dissatisfaction over the result, owing to the hour allowed for playing the game having elapsed before time was up. The Rovers claimed that the extra twelve minutes should be played off and while both teams were ready to go on and finish, other teams were allowed on the ice at the end of the hour, stopping the game.

The whole trouble lies in the fact that the hour allowed by the rink for playing the game is too short, as a game requires an hour actual play and no provisions whatever has been made for half-time and stoppages for injuries etc...

With the exception of two or three games, none have been finished in the series and the Press-Rover game was only the ordinary conclusion. Should the Free Press agree to play the remaining twelve minutes the Crescents say they will claim the right to replay their game with the Free Press in which only twenty five minutes actual play occurred, and there promises to be things doing all along the line.

25th February 1904 **TELEGRAM WON.**

The Telegram defeated the Wellingtons last night in the Wesley Cup series by 5 to 1 in a good game, both teams were strong. The Telegram ringing in **BARNEY HOLDEN** while **BREEN** played with the Wellingtons.

The teams were:

TELEGRAM

NIX
 HOLDEN
 HARSTONE
 HARKNESS
 SHIBLEY
 HANLEY
 WILKINSON

GOAL
 POINT
 COVER-POINT
 ROVER
 FORWARDS

*
 *

WELLINGTONS

PEER
 BROWN
 BREEN
 RILEY
 DUNDERDALE
 JORDAN
 WICKWIE

27th February 1904 **MIX UP IN WESLEY SERIES.**

There seems to be something of a mix up in the Wesley Cup competition in `B` series where the drop out of the Schools created trouble.

The contest had settled down between the Wellingtons, Maple Leafs and Schools, but on the drop out of the latter, manager Bell disallowed their games played and the Telegram got back in the race. The latter bids fair to win out the series.

Tonight the Maple Leafs and Telegrams play and the winner will probably meet the Wellingtons for the championship of the series, where the champions will meet the Free Press, winners of the `A` series for the cup.

The Rovers and Crescents also meet this evening in `A` series.

WESLEY CUP GAMES.

The games in the Wesley Cup series at the Wesley rink tonight will be from 8-9 Maple Leafs vs Telegrams and 9-10 Crescents vs Rovers.

29th February 1904 TIE STILL UNBROKEN.

The tie in 'B' series of the Wesley Cup schedule is undecided as ever, the Maple Leafs and Telegram tried to play it on Saturday night, but to no avail, neither side being able to score.

The game was very rough, the Papermen using their bodies badly on the other fellows, shortly after one start Wilkinson put his small opponent Jackson clean out of the game with a deliberate slash on the head.

Jackson was replaced by McGregor of the Rovers.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

McMasters

Penwarden

S. Boswell

Cadham

Benson

Jackson

McIntosh

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

FORWARDS

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TELEGRAM

Nix

Harstone

Holden

Harkness

Wilkinson

Sampson

Hamey

In the second game the Rovers defeated the Crescents in a fairly good game by 3-1.

7th March 1904 WELLINGTONS OUT OF IT.

In 'B' series of the Wesley Cup league the WELLINGTONS and FROST & WOOD played off their tie game on Saturday evening, the latter finally winning out by a score of 4 to 1.

The Wellingtons were without the services of BILLY BREEN, which weakened them to a great extent. This loss put them out of the running. If they had won they would have been tied for first place in the series with the Telegrams and Maple Leafs.

B. McIntosh was referee and the teams were:

FROST & WOOD

HOAR

S. BOSWELL

J. BOSWELL

J. TYSO

J. BENSON

A. H. McKAY

C. BURNETT

GOAL

POINT

COVER

FORWARDS

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WELLINGTONS

PIER

SNYDER

H. J. RILEY

J. H. RILEY

DUNDERDALE

LEADLY

JACKSON

8th March 1904 JOURNALISTS WILL MEET IN FINALS.

Free Press and Telegram will play off for the Wesley Cup.

The winners of the two series in the Wesley Cup league were decided last night and the peculiar thing about it is the fact that they are the representatives of the Free Press and Telegram.

On Saturday night they clash to decide who will hold the cup for the ensuing year when the hottest game of the series is sure to ensue.

The last time these two teams met the Free Press got the better of it but by only one goal after the fiercest game played in the Wesley rink this year.

The first game last night was between the Rovers and Free Press being a continuation of the unfinished game of Feb 15th, thirteen minutes being necessary to complete the regular time.

The score at the beginning of play last evening stood 1-0 in favor of the Free Press, they having scored when the teams met before, and they very quickly made it 2-0 thereby clinching things.

The game was a fast one for the short while it lasted, but the Press bunch were the more aggressive and had the best of the play. Finlay got the only score off a nice pass from Kirby right in front of goal.

The teams were:

FREE PRESS

Habkirk
Penwarden

Samson
Finlay
Syme
Kirby

GOAL
POINT
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ROVERS

McMaster
J. Boswell
N.Hill
Litchfield
Ashton
Benson
B. Hill

TELEGRAM WON.

After the Free Press - Rover game Telegram and Maple Leafs of `B` series lined up to decide who should enter the finals with the Free Press.

The Telegram succeeded in winning by a score of 5-1. Though they played the better game they were by no means as much stronger than their opponents as the score would indicate, for the Maple Leafs though much handicapped in weight and size, had a big part to play.

The first half was characterized by some very good playing by both teams, the Telegram getting the only goal scored.

In the second half the Newspaper men ran in four more while the Maple Leafs tallied but once.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

McMaster
J. Boswell
Penwarden
Jackson
Benson
McIntosh
B. Hill

GOAL
POINT
COVER
FORWARDS

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TELEGRAMS

Nix
Harstone
Holden
Harkness
Shibley
Hanley
Wilkinson

The game was refereed by A. McIvor and his decisions did not meet with popular approval at all times.

The losers claim that two of the goals secured by Telegram were scored offside.

12th March 1904 WESLEY CUP FINAL TONIGHT.

The final game in the Wesley Cup series will be played tonight between the Free Press and Telegram teams, the winners of their respective series.

The game promises to be a fierce one from the word go. These teams met once before this season, the Free Press winning out 4 to 3.

The following team will represent the Free Press.

Goal, J. Habkirk; Point, F. Penwarden; Cover-point, D. Flett; Rover, A. Samson; Forwards, W. Finlay, G. Symes and H. Kirby.

14th March 1904 FREE PRESS WON THE WESLEY CUP.

DEFEATED TELEGRAM 3 TO 1 IN FINAL GAME---UNDEFEATED IN SERIES.

The Free Press won premier honors in the Wesley Hockey Cup series Saturday night.

Landing the championship of the league by defeating the Telegram septette in the final game, three goals to one.

The newspaper teams won out the two series, the Free Press not suffering a defeat all season beating out amongst other aggregations the Rovers 2-0.

As all the team are Free Press employees, they feel somewhat proud of their achievement.

Saturdays game was the second meeting between the newspaper men this season and again the Press succeeded in pulling out ahead.

Both teams were stronger than in their previous game. The Free Press having Dan Flett at cover where he made himself felt, while the Telegram had dropped Hanley, bringing in Barney Holden for the rover position.

The game was a very even one in point of play, but the Free Press excelled in system and were always dangerous about goal. While their opponents though they continued to keep a lot of play about centre, seldom got close in on goal, and had to confine themselves chiefly to shooting at long range, most of which Penwarden at point looked after easily.

The game was rather rough at times, but Fred Cadham who held the whistle kept the players down well and had a dozen men on the fence, Harkness, Holden and Samson being chief offenders.

The Free Press hit a winning gail at the start and their line proved altogether too fast and too tricky for their checks, Kirby, Finlay and Syme breaking away constantly.

The Telegram promptly proceeded to use their extra weight and for a few minutes some heavy body checking was indulged in. After about fifteen minutes play Syme followed up fast on a release got by the cover and sent in a neat one that found the net. The rest of the play to half-time was rather choppy, both sides playing a very careful game, and the intermission found the Free Press still a goal to the good.

The Telegram started out strong in the second and for a few minutes rushed matters, Shibley and Holden doing some long range work and Habkirk had one or two to look after.

Then the game settled down to end to end rushes and Nix at the other end had a couple of hot ones to block. After a nice rush of the Press line Finlay got alone on the side a moment and sent in a wicked one that struck the post and curled carefully in, ten minutes later Kirby shot wide, Harstone relieved but the irrepressible Finlay again got it and sent in a beautiful shot from the side that made fast tracks for the net and was not happy till it got their.

Just as he shot a Telegram man made a wild slash at him catching the little fellow fair in the mouth and fracturing some of his lower teeth. The wound was a very painful one but he bore it like a martyr. Luckily Fred Cadham could be not only a referee but a doctor, and furnished the preliminary attendance, Dr Chestnut responding to a call a few minutes later and attended to him fully. The wound will be a very awkward one for sometime but he is expected to suffer no permanent loss from it.

Harry Flett took Finlays place for the remaining few minutes. In a rush on the Press goal Harkness sent in a shot that Habkirk blocked but the umpire decided it had crossed the fatal line and the score was 3 to 1. No further results were bulletined in the minute remaining to play.

Fred Cadham as referee gave every satisfaction to both sides and had much to do with keeping the game as clean as it was. The teams were:

| FREE PRESS | | TELEGRAM |
|------------|----------|-----------|
| Habkirk | GOAL | Nix |
| Penwarden | POINT | Harstone |
| D. Flett | COVER | McDougal |
| Samson | ROVER | Holden |
| Kirby | FORWARDS | Harkness |
| Finlay | * | Shibley |
| Syme | * | Wilkinson |

From the five teams in 1903 to the eleven of the 1904 series. Wesley rink seemed to gain popularity from the teams new and old around Winnipeg. More and more teams and leagues were being formed which meant getting sufficient ice team was at a premium, something that Bell and McIvor were quite happy to tap into.

From a ten game schedule in the first year of the Wesley Cup series to tripling that in 1904, although great for rink business it did come with its issues.

Teams dropping out of the series would cause problems, but scheduling all of these extra games would prove to be a major cause for concern.

At the time, a game would be scheduled for an hour, say 8 to 9pm, no consideration was made for warm up, or any form of stoppages, like sending someone to the fence or an injury. All of this would eat into the playing time of the game.

As mentioned in some of the earlier hockey reports from this series, a lot of games never got to play hockey for sixty minutes, some ten to twenty minutes short of playing time.

If you were the first game of a double-header you had no chance, the teams from the second game were on the ice before you had even skated off.

But apart from the problems the Wesley rink had, the spectators still got to see some talented skaters on Wesley rink ice.

Tommy Dunderdale, Dan Flett, Billy Breen and Barney Holden plus many more skillful artists of the stick and puck would grace the ice, some of them competing for Lord Stanley's Cup itself.

Some made do with the Wesley Rink Cup.

THE WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1905.

23rd December 1904 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The Free Press hockey team are going to have to defend their honors represented by the Wesley Cup after all, as the management of the rink have finally decided that a series will be played for possession of the Mug.

All teams intending to enter must submit their names on or before Wednesday next, as a meeting will be held in the rink that evening to draw up a schedule and arrange other details.

30th December 1904 WESLEY CUP OPENING GAMES.

A meeting of the different delegates from the teams entered in the Wesley Cup series met Wednesday at the rink and arranged to play a schedule of games for the season.

Eight teams were represented and the league is to be divided into two series. The completed schedule was not adopted Wednesday but the following two games were fixed to be played Saturday night.

`A` series Free Press vs Merrick-Anderson.

`B` series Kennedys vs Wellingtons.

31st December 1904 SCHEDULE FOR WESLEY CUP.

Season opens tonight with one game in each of the two series.

A section

Merrick-Anderson

Free Press

Frost & Wood-Geo. D. Wood

Maple Leafs

B section

Kennedys

Wellingtons

Marshall-Wells

Gaults Ltd-Clark Bros Co

Season opens tonight with:

Free Press vs Merrick-Anderson (A)

Kennedys vs Wellingtons (B).

31st December 1904 WESLEY CUP SCHEDULE.

The Wesley Cup series as arranged at the meeting of the delegates from the several clubs entered on Wednesday night:

Series `A`

Dec 31—Free Press vs Merrick-Anderson
Jan 3—Frost & Wood, Geo D. Wood vs Maple Leafs
Jan 5—Merrick-Anderson vs Frost & Wood
Jan 7—Maple Leafs vs Free Press
Jan 10—Merrick-Anderson vs Maple Leafs
Jan 14—Frost & Wood vs Free Press
Jan 17—Maple Leafs vs Frost & Wood
Jan 19—Free Press vs Frost & Wood
Jan 27—Frost & Wood vs Merrick-Anderson
Jan 28—Merrick-Anderson vs Free Press
Feb 4—Free Press vs Maple Leafs
Feb 7—Maple Leafs vs Merrick-Anderson.

Series `B`

Dec 31—Kennedys vs Wellingtons
Jan 3—Gaults Ltd-Clark Bros Co vs Marshall-Wells
Jan 5—Wellingtons vs Marshall-Wells
Jan 7—Gaults Ltd-Clark Bros Co vs Kennedys
Jan 10—Wellingtons vs Gault Ltd-Clark Bros Co
Jan 12—Marshall-Wells vs Kennedys
Jan 17—Gaults Ltd-Clark Bros Co vs Marshall-Wells
Jan 20—Kennedys vs Marshall-Wells
Jan 24—Wellingtons vs Kennedys
Jan 27—Marshall-Wells vs Wellingtons
Feb 2—Kennedys vs Gault Ltd-Clark Bros Co
Feb 9—Gaults Ltd-Clark Bros Co vs Wellingtons.

The opening game in the series will take place tonight in the Wesley rink between the Free Press and Merrick-Anderson teams, starting at 8 o'clock sharp.

The Free Press line-up will be as follows:

Goal, Habkirk; Point, F. Penwarden; Cover, D. Flett; Forwards, H. Kirby, W. Finlay, Geo Syme and A. Laidlaw; spare, A. Samson.

5th January 1905 WESLEY RINK PRACTISES ADVERTISED.

Monday—7-8 MAPLE LEAFS. 8-9 GEO D. WOOD and FROST & WOOD. 10-11 MARSHALL-WELLS.

Tuesday—7-8 KENNEDYS.

Wednesday—7-8 FREE PRESS. 8-9 GAULTS LTD. 10-11 MERRICK-ANDERSON.

Thursday—7-8 KENNEDYS. 8-9 WELLINGTONS.

Friday—7-8 MAPLE LEAFS.

Saturday—7-8 FREE PRESS.

5th January 1905 WESLEY CUP GAMES.

The following games in the Wesley Cup series will be played tonight: Merrick-Anderson vs Frost & Wood-Geo D. Wood, and Wellingtons vs Marshall-Wells.

6th January 1905 KENNEDY VS GAULT GAME POSTPONED.

Merrick-Anderson 4 Frost & Wood & Co 3.

Wellingtons 10 Marshall-Wells 1.

6th January 1905 POSTPONEMENT.

A postponement has been made in the Kennedy-Gault game fixed for tomorrow night. The Free Press-Maple Leaf fixture will be the only match tomorrow night in the Wesley Cup series.

Two games were played in the Wesley Cup series last night, Merrick-Anderson registered a win against Frost & Wood & Geo D. Wood by a score of 4 to 3, while the Marshall-Wells was easy for the Wellingtons, the latter winning by a score of 10 to 1.

7th January 1905 WESLEY CUP.

The Free Press and Maple Leaf teams play in the Wesley Cup series this evening.

9th January 1905 MAPLE LEAFS ARE BEATEN BY CHAMPIONS.

The Free Press defeated the Maple Leafs in a Wesley Cup game at the Wesley rink on Saturday night by a score of 3 to 0, there was no scoring until about forty five minutes of play.

The teams were as follows:

FREE PRESS

J. Habkirk

D. Flett

A. Samson

H. Kirby

W. Finlay

G. Syme

A. Laidlaw

Referee H. Flett

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay

F. Penwarden

B. McIntosh

John Jackson

H. McIntosh

J. Cadham

Jim Jackson

Just prior to the game Siras Oliver of the Mailing department of the Free Press had his nose broken, being struck by a puck.

11th January 1905.

The Wellingtons won their third straight game in the Wesley Cup series at Wesley rink last night, defeating the Gaults team by a score of 3 to 0.

An indefinite postponement was made in the game between Merrick-Anderson and the Maple Leafs.

11th January 1905 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

In the Wesley Hockey series the Wellingtons won their third straight game in 'B' series last night defeating the Gault Ltd-Clark Bros Co by a score of 3-0 after a good game. The Merrick-Anderson-Maple Leaf game was postponed indefinitely.

12th January 1905 THIS WEEKS HOCKEY FIXTURES AT WESLEY RINK.

Thursday—Marshall-Wells vs Kennedys (WESLEY CUP).

Saturday—Free Press vs Frost & Wood-Geo D. Wood (WESLEY CUP).

13th January 1905 WAS NO GAME.

The game scheduled last night in the Wesley Cup series between the Marshall-Wells and Kennedys failed to materialize owing to the Marshall-Wells bunch not turning up.

The Kennedys won the game by default.

14th January 1905 WESLEY CUP GAME.

In the Wesley Cup series the Free Press hockey team meets the Frost & Wood-Geo D. Wood seven tonight.

The team which will represent the Free Press will be:

Goal, McLean; Point, Penwarden; Cover, D. Flett; Rover, Kirby; Right-wing, Laidlaw; Centre, Samson; Left-wing, Syme.

16th January 1905 **ANOTHER FREE PRESS VICTORY.**

The Free Press hockey representatives kept up their good work on Saturday night in a Wesley Cup game when they took the Frost & Wood-Geo D. Wood combination into camp and put it over them to the tune of 5-0

The half-time score was 3-0 and in the second half the newspaper players set up some, only tallying twice more. The machine men though outclassed played a plucky game and tried hard to score but their forwards seldom found their way past Dan Flett, the redoubtable cover-point of the Press and Mat McLean who had his first trial in goal, failed to get a chance to show his worth, as the puck neglected to come his way during the whole of the game.

J. Jackson was referee and the Free Press was represented by the following players:

Goal, McLean; Point, F. Penwarden; Cover, D. Flett; Forwards, Kirby, Samson, Laidlaw and Syme.

18th January 1905 **MAPLE LEAFS BEAT COMBINATION SEVEN.**

In a Wesley Cup game last night, the Maple Leafs defeated the Frost & Wood and Geo D. Wood combination by a score of 6 to 0.

The game between Gaults Ltd and Clark Bros combination and the Kennedys was postponed.

In the Wesley Cup series tomorrow night the Free Press seven will play the Frost & Wood and Geo D. Wood combination.

20th January 1905.

Kennedys and Marshall-Wells meet in the Wesley Cup series tonight.

21st January 1905.

Marshall-Wells defaulted to the Kennedys in a Wesley Cup game last night.

28th January 1905 **WESLEY CUP GAMES.**

The Free Press and Merrick-Anderson seniors will play a game in the Wesley Cup series at Wesley rink tonight between 9 and 10.

30th January 1905 **HARDWARE GAME.**

Last night at the Wesley rink the Merrick-Anderson team disposed of the Frost & Wood-Geo D. Wood combination in the cup series by a score of 3-0. The hardware men had the best of play throughout.

30th January 1905 **NO SCORE YET ON FREE PRESS TEAM.**

MERRICK-ANDERSON STRENGTHENED SEVEN, LATEST VICTIMS IN WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The Free Press hockeyists added another win to their list Saturday night when in the Wesley Cup series they administered a dose of whitewash to the Merrick-Anderson representatives, tallying three times while the hardware men had to be content with a goose egg, they failing to get the puck within hailing distance of the Press flags.

The Merrick-Anderson bunch imported a couple of crack players of the St. Johns College team to help them out and although they both played star games, especially Gannon in goal, who seemed to have his eye open for everything, they were unable to stop the onslaught of the Free Press forwards who were in splendid style.

The good work of the hardware defence was the only salvation they had, they putting up a splendid game.

Gannon in goal stopped a regular shower of shots, while Anderson and Call checked and blocked well, occasionally their forward line got away, but the puck seldom got past Dan Flett who played in great form throughout.

The Free Press defence again proved impregnable, not a goal being scored on them this year and the forwards worked well together, Kirby getting in some nice rushes while Samson used his weight to advantage.

The half-time score was 2-0 Kirby and Finlay working in a combination by which the latter tallied the first goal and shortly after Dan Flett took a rush the length of the ice, Finlay tallying on the pass.

Only one goal was notched in the second half Dan Flett doing the trick after an end to end rush.

J. Jackson was referee and the teams were:

FREE PRESS

McLean

F. Penwarden

D. Flett

H. Kirby

W. Finlay

G. Syme

A. Samson

**GOAL
POINT
COVER
FORWARDS**

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MERRICK-ANDERSON

J. Gannon

H. Anderson

B. Call

E. Martin

E. Brett

C. Screeton

T. Hesslan

2nd February 1905 WESLEY CUP GAME TONIGHT.

The Kennedys and the Gault-Clark combination play in the Wesley Cup series at Wesley rink tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock.

3rd February 1905 WESLEY CUP GAME.

In the Wesley Cup series last night the Wellingtons put it all over the Gault Ltd Clark Bros combination winning by a score of 6-0.

3rd February 1905 A HOT GAME TONIGHT.

One of the most important games in the Wesley series is on for tonight when the Free Press team play the Maple Leafs at 8 o'clock. These teams have met once already, and the Press puck chasers won out, but the Maple Leafs have strengthened up very materially since and there is likely to be some doings at the Wesley rink tonight.

6th February 1905 LOST FIRST GAME IN TWO YEARS---FREE PRESS CHAMPIONS DOWNED BY MAPLE LEAFS IN WESLEY LEAGUE SERIES.

The Free Press hockey team went down to defeat for the first time in two years on Saturday night, the speedy Maple Leaf bunch doing the trick, after the fastest game in the Wesley Cup series this year.

It required extra time to decide the winner, the final result being two goals to one.

As the score would indicate the game was clearly contested throughout, the checking was hard and both the defences were strong so that the forwards got few chances to break away.

The Free Press hockeyists secured their only goal shortly after play had started, Finlay scoring after a short run. After that neither team could score to within four minutes of time, although both goals had some narrow escapes, when in a scrumage in front of the Free Press goal Hamish McIntosh butted the puck in for the goal that tied the score.

The finish found the the teams still even, so goals were changed and play resumed, in a couple of minutes the puck got into another scrumage and finally found its way into the Press net giving the Maples Leafs the winning score, and making them a very happy bunch.

This win puts both teams on an even basis in the league as the last time they met the Press team defeated the Maple Leafs easily. It is quite likely that the two teams will have to play again.

The winners played a very creditable game throughout and well deserved their victory. The defence was in splendid form, Finlay in goal, handling all kinds of difficult shots. While Penwarden at point never played better, Harry Flett at cover proved a big source of strength although he was inclined to rough it a bit more than necessary.

The forwards all played a fast aggressive game, H. McIntosh and John Jackson being the most conspicuous.

The Press representatives did not play their usual game, the forwards being way off colour and showed lack of team work. Bert Hill was referee and he let pretty near everything go on both sides so that the teams roughed it nearly as they pleased.

The team lined up as follows:

FREE PRESS

McLean
Samson
D. Flett
Kirby
Finlay
Syme
Laidlaw

GOAL
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COVER
FORWARDS

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MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay
Penwarden
H. Flett
John Jackson
H. McIntosh
Jim Jackson
B. McIntosh

10th February 1905.

Wellingtons won the Wesley Cup game from Gaults Ltd in the Wesley Cup series last night by default.

27th February 1905 **THREE MORE GAMES IN WESLEY CUP SERIES.**

Only three games remain to be played and the Wesley Cup will have been decided for the year. The Free Press will clash with the Maple Leafs and the Kennedys and Wellingtons come together, the winners of these two games to play off for the Championship and Cup.

It is likely that the first two games may be played this week. It is doubtful in the final will be pulled off this week owing to the soft spell in the weather.

4th March 1905 **THE GAME FOR WESLEY CUP IS CONTESTED.**

The Kennedys and Wellingtons struggled at Wesley rink last night to decide the Championship of `B` series of the Wesley Cup Championship. At full time both teams had notched up two goals and it was decided to play off the tie soon, the ice was soft and the going heavy. The teams were:

KENNEDYS

Aikens
Grundy
Adshead
Pritchard
Lake
Johnson
Ashton

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

WELLINGTONS

Whinrey
Brown
Breen
P. Dunderdale
Gordon
H. Dunderdale
Davis

Referee H. Flett.

10th March 1905 **THE WESLEY CUP GAMES ARE NEARING THE FINISH.**

Tonight the final game in `A` series will be played when the Free Press and Maple Leafs clash. The game starts at 9 o'clock. Next Monday the `B` series final will be played between the Wellingtons and the Kennedys.

11th March 1905 **MAPLE LEAFS ARE CHAMPIONS OF `A` SERIES.**

The Maple Leafs won the Championship of `A` series for the Wesley Cup at Wesley rink last night from the Free Press by a score of 2-1, five minutes extra time was necessary. The half-time score was one all and no scoring was done in the second half, Bert McIntosh got a nasty crack on the face with the puck, breaking his nose, he retired.

The Maple Leafs will meet the winner of the Kennedy---Waelington match on Monday night.

W. Bellamy of Pharmacy College refereed the game. The teams were:

FREE PRESS

McLean
Samson
D. Flett
Kirby
Finlay
Symes
Laidlaw

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay
Penwarden
H. Flett
John Jackson
H. McIntosh
R. McIntosh
Jim Jackson

13th March 1905 HOCKEY NOTES.

The Wellingtons and Kennedys will play for the Championship of `B` series of the Wesley Cup at the Wesley rink tonight. The winner will take on the Maple Leafs for the Cup.

14th March 1905 KENNEDYS WILL MEET THE MAPLE LEAFS.

The Kennedys will meet the Maple Leafs in the final for the Wesley Cup at the Wesley rink on Friday night(17th). The Kennedys got a decision over the Wellingtons last night by a score of 4 to 2 and thereby won the Championship of `B` series. Billy Breen played for the Wellingtons. The score at half-time was 2-1. The teams were:

| KENNEDY | | WELLINGTON |
|----------------------|-------------|---------------|
| Aitken | GOAL | Tier |
| Grundy | POINT | Browne |
| Adshead | COVER-POINT | Breen |
| Pritchard | FORWARDS | J. Gordon |
| Lake | * | J. Tunderdale |
| Johnston | * | Trunderdale |
| Ashton | * | Sykes |
| Referee Wm. Bellamy. | | |

I also found another article which is so different to the one above, unfortunately the quality of the print has parts of it unreadable including the Kennedys team lineup.

I would believe the first game report, as the final was a matter of a few days away and would not of allowed enough time for a rematch.

Maybe the report was sent in by a disappointed Wellingtons fan, hoping to have the game replayed due to the ice condition.

HARD GAME IN WESLEY SERIES.

----- Wellingtons and Kennedys had a ----- close game last evening in a ----- effort to decide the Championship in `B` division of the Wesley Cup----- playing to a tie. The score when -----was up was 2-2 and it was decided not to play it off until some other ---- in the near future, to be mutually agreed upon. The ice was very heavy and tiring on the players. The teams were as follows:

| KENNEDYS | | WELLINGTONS |
|----------|------------|---------------|
| | GOAL | H. Whinney |
| | POINT | A. Brown |
| | COVER | B. Breen |
| | ROVER | T. Dunderdale |
| | CENTRE | J. Gordon |
| | RIGHT-WING | H. Dunderdale |
| | LEFT-WING | C. Davis |

17th March 1905.

The Kennedys and Maple Leafs will play the final game tonight at the Wesley rink for the Wesley Cup.

18th March 1905 MAPLE LEAFS WON WESLEY CUP.

The Championship of the Wesley Cup league was definitely settled last evening when the Maple Leafs, leaders of the `A` series met and defeated the Kennedys who won out the `B` series.

The game was hard and keenly contested and was decided by a score of 1-0, as a result the boys who wear the national emblem will hold the title mug for 1905.

The ice was covered with water and was very slushy which made playing very hard and the defence of both teams did not have much difficulty in stopping the rushes of the opposing forwards, this largely accounts for the low score. The only goal secured in the first half, Hamish McIntosh doing the trick in a pretty play.

The defence of the winners proved a regular stonewall, seemingly being right at home in the heavy ice and dished up everything that came their way. McIntosh and John Jackson were the best forwards. The Kennedys were unable to cope with their opponents on the heavy ice, not being able to use their speed which is their special strength. Ashton and Lake were their star performers. Tommy Code acted as referee and Charlie Dodd as judge of play, which proved very satisfactory.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay
Penwarden
Flett
John Jackson
H. McIntosh
Jim Jackson
Laidlaw

GOAL
POINT
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KENNEDYS

Aitken
Grundy
Adshead
Pritchard
Lake
Ashton
Johnston

WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1906.

27th December 1905.

A representative of each club which has practice hours at the Wesley rink, is requested by the management to attend a meeting, to be held on Tuesday next at the rink, to draw up a schedule of games for the Wesley Cup.

3rd January 1906 WESLEY CUP SCHEDULE.

Last evening in Wesley rink, representatives from the various hockey teams practising on that ice, met and drew up a schedule for the Wesley Cup League.

It was found necessary to divide the teams into two series. The winners of each to play off for the Championship.

Series `A` will be composed of the KENNEDYS, MAPLE LEAFS and ROBINSONS, while in series `B` will be found the FREE PRESS, NATIONAL TRUST and STREET RAILWAY teams. The games played on Saturday nights will begin at 8 o'clock, those on other evenings beginning at 9. It is the intention of the management to have appointed an official referee, but the choice has not yet been announced.

3rd January 1906 WESLEY CUP SERIES—SIX TEAMS ENTER—DATES ARE DECIDED UPON.

The schedule for the Wesley Cup was drawn up at a meeting of representatives of clubs last night. Six teams entered, the dates being as follows:

Series `A`

Jan 6 Kennedys vs Maple Leafs
Jan 13 Robinsons vs Kennedys
Jan 19 Maple Leafs vs Robinsons
Jan 27 Maple Leafs vs Kennedys
Feb 12 Kennedys vs Robinsons
Feb 26 Robinsons vs Maple Leafs.

Series `B`

Jan 8 Free Press vs Street Railway
Jan 15 National Trust Co vs Free Press
Jan 24 Street Railway vs National Trust
Feb 5 Street Railway vs Free Press
Feb 19 Free Press vs National Trust
Feb 28 National Trust vs Street Railway.

5th January 1906 **WESLEY CUP GAME.**

A good game is looked for tomorrow night at the Wesley rink when the Kennedys and Maple Leafs will play the opening game of the Wesley Cup series.

Both these teams in previous years have always been well matched and there is much rivalry between them.

The game will start at 8 o'clock.

6th January 1906.

The opening game of the Wesley Cup series will be played tonight, the Kennedys and Maple Leafs clashing, a great game should result. There will be skating as usual on the outside sheet of ice.

The band will be in attendance.

8th January 1906 **MAPLE LEAFS WIN—KENNEDYS BEATEN IN FIRST WESLEY CUP GAME.**

The first game in the Wesley Cup series was played at Wesley rink on Saturday night, when the Maple Leaf team won from the Kennedys by a score of 6 to 1. The teams lined up as follows:

MAPLE LEAFS—Goal, Finlay; Point, Penwarden; Cover-point, H. Flett; Rover, John Jackson; Centre, McIntosh; Right-wing, Cadham; Left-wing, Jim Jackson.

KENNEDYS—Goal, Culver; Point, Hill; Cover-point, Adshead; Rover, Pritchard; Centre, Lake; Right-wing, Ashton;

Left-wing, Colquhoun.

8th January 1906 **MAPLE LEAFS WIN.**

The opening game of the Wesley Cup series was played on Saturday night between the Kennedys and Maple Leafs, both teams were in fine fettle and dished up a fast brand of hockey.

The Maple Leafs, the present holders of the Cup, however outclassed their opponents and ran up a score of 6-1.

The defence of the winners was a regular stonewall for the light Kennedy forwards to buck against and the little fellows were unable to do anything against them.

Jim Jackson and McIntosh were the best of the winners, of the losers Adshead and Ashton were the pick.

The half-time score was 3-1 and the second period added three more for the Maples.

Charley Quinn was referee.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay

Penwarden

H. Flett

J. Cadham

Jim Jackson

John Jackson

H. McIntosh

GOAL

POINT

COVER

FORWARDS

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KENNEDYS

Culvar

Wickson

Adshead

Lake

Pritchard

Ashton

Calhoun

12th January 1906.

The Kennedys and Robinsons play a game in the Wesley Cup series tomorrow night.

15th January 1906.

The game scheduled in the Wesley Cup series on Saturday night was called off, Robinson & Co have dropped out of the league.

The Free Press also shows signs of wilting.

24th January 1906 **PUCKLETS.**

The Street Railway Co hockey seven and the National Trust team will play a Wesley Cup game at Wesley rink tonight.

25th January 1906.

The National Trust hockeyists were no match for the Street Railway representatives in their match at Wesley rink last night in the Wesley Cup series. The Railroaders won all the way by a score of 4 to 1.

25th January 1906 **PUCKLETS.**

The Electric Street Railway hockey seven defeated the National Trust hockey representatives in a Wesley Cup game last night by a score of 4-1.

The Railway players were much speedier than their opponents and the good work of J. Warren and Tom Dunderdale was too much for the other team.

The first half was well contested, the score finishing 2-1 but in the second period the winners showed their class and quickly ran in two more scores to nil of the Trust team.

Sam Boswell was referee and the winners lined up as follows: **DOLAN**, Goal; **PRATT**, Point; **WARREN**, Cover; **T. DUNDERDALE**, **McCOMB** and **H. DUNDERDALE**, Forwards.

26th January 1906.

The Maple Leafs and Kennedys will come together in a Wesley Cup game tomorrow night. If the Maple Leafs win it will give them the Championship of their series.

The Electric Street Railway company is leading in the other series.

27th January 1906 **PUCKLETS.**

The Kennedys and Maple Leafs meet in a Wesley Cup game at that rink tonight and the game promises to be exciting, as if the Maples win, it gives them the Championship of their series, but should the Kennedys win they will be on an even footing with their opponents.

There will be skating as usual on the outside ice.

29th January 1906 **KENNEDYS MAPLE LEAFS.**

The Kennedys sprang a big surprise in the Wesley Cup series on Saturday night, when they put it over the Maple Leafs, the present holders of the Cup to the tune of two goals to nil.

The game was the most interesting of the series. These teams met before in the early part of the season and the Maple Leafs won easily, but the Kennedys turned the trick on Saturday and so it is necessary to play another match to settle the Championship of their division and practically the honor of holding the Cup for a season.

This game will be played next Saturday night.

The score is a poor indication of the play as the losers had the better of the arguments. For the greater part of the game, the Maple Leaf forwards were rushing their opponents, but the defence was impregnable and the Maples had hard luck with their shooting.

There was a large crowd present and the game was decidedly fast and was not very rough.

There were eight minutes to play when play was stopped by the rink management, but it was decided to let the game go as it stood until next Saturday.

Sam Boswell was referee and C. Plaxton judge of play.

The teams were:

KENNEDYS

Culver

Wickson

Adshead

Pritchard

Lake

Ashton

Johnston

GOAL

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MAPLE LEAFS

Findlay

Penwarden

H. Flett

John Jackson

H. McIntosh

B. McIntosh

Jim Johnston

The decision just to let the score stand even though there was still eight minutes to play, could well have been caused by the problem touched in last years series, were the hour given by the rink management for a game was just that, an hour.

Maybe there was another game scheduled, highly likely, as why would they not play the eight minutes?.

As in this game, it was 2-0 and this result meant a deciding game needing to be played. The ending of the game must have been mutually agreed upon by both teams. It could well have caused a bit of confusion amongst the spectators, the following letter was sent in to settle one such issue.

HOCKEY-UNFINISHED GAME.

To the Sporting Editor of the Free Press.

Sir; How should bets go on last nights Maple Leaf/Kennedys game, which was called with eight minutes to play and the score 2-0 in favor of the Kennedys.

Ans; Bets go on the referees decision, if the game was ordered to be played over, bets would be off, but in this case it was apparently agreed to allow the game to stand, hence the man who bet on the Kennedys wins.

Sporting editor.

29th January 1906.

The Kennedys and the Maple Leafs will play off next Saturday night for the Championship of their district in the Wesley Cup series. The game is necessitated by the defeat of the Maple Leafs at the hands of the Kennedys on Saturday night.

The Kennedys surprised the Cup holders, winning out by a score of 2 to 0. Both clubs played good hockey, the defence of the Kennedys saving the day.

3rd February 1906.

The Maple Leafs and the Kennedys come together in a Wesley Cup game tonight at Wesley rink. It will just about decide which team will take the silverware. (reports were talking about how weak the teams in the `B` division are, and that it was a mere formality that the `A` division winner would be taking home the Cup). The game starts at 9 o`clock and a fast match is expected.

5th February 1906 MAPLE LEAFS 6 KENNEDYS 1.

The Maples Leafs have practically again landed the Wesley Mug, which is donated by manager McIvor for competition among the different teams that practise at the Wesley rink.

Saturday night the Maple Leafs and Kennedys met in the semi final game and the former team triumphed in good style, defeating the Kennedys to the tune of 6 goals to 1.

There is another series to this league but as the teams are hardly strong enough a class with the Maples, it is not likely that the game will be played and the Maple Leafs can store the Mug away for another season.

Saturday nights contest was rather a poor exhibition of hockey to watch. It was too much of a one team affair to be of interest.

The Maple Leafs were in fine form and had it on their opponents at every stage of the game. It was only the good work of the Kennedys defence that kept the score down.

It was a notable victory to the Maple Leafs in that they are junior leaguers although leaders of their series, while the Kennedys are playing intermediate, and are head of their series.

The two Jackson boys scored all the goals for the winners, Jim getting four and John counting the other two, Pat Lake secured Kennedys only goal. The half-time score was 2-1.

Ashton was the star of the losers, while Flett, the Jacksons and McIntosh were the pick for the winners.

Sam Boswell was referee.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

Sheppard
Penwarden
H. Flett
John Jackson
H. McIntosh
Jim Jackson
J. Cadham

**GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS**

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KENNEDYS

Culver
Wickson
McKay
P. Lake
Beliveau
Calhoun
Ashton

14th February 1906 **PUCKLETS.**

There will be a couple of hockey matches at the Wesley rink tonight, a boarding house game is on the card from 9 to 10 and after that the semi final of the Wesley Cup series will be played.

14th February 1906.

Two games will be played at Wesley rink tonight, from 9 to 10 the boarding house sevens from Rupert Street and one from 601 Balmoral Street will come together, following which the National Trust and Street Railway will play for the Championship of 'B' series in the Wesley Cup schedule.

The Street Railway hockey team defeated the National Trust seven last night in the deciding game of the 'B' series of the Wesley Cup league. The game was all in favor of the winners, the score being 5-0.

the Street Railway team will now meet the Maple Leafs in the final game.

The winners lined up as follows with the official referee Sam Boswell holding the whistle.

BORLAND, Goal; **PHILLIPS**, Point; **PRATT**, Cover; **J. DUNDERDALE**, **GOLDSTEIN**, **McCORBY** and **H. DUNDERDALE**, Forwards.

23rd February 1906.

The final game for the possession of the Wesley Cup will be played on Tuesday night between the Maple Leafs and Street Railway team.

26th February 1906 **SHIN PAD SHAVINGS.**

The Maple Leafs and the Street Railway hockey teams will play off the final game for the Wesley Cup at the Wesley rink tomorrow night starting at 8 o'clock.

27th February 1906.

The final game in the Wesley Cup series will be played at Wesley rink, starting at 8 o'clock tonight between the Street Railway and the Maple Leafs. A great game is expected, as both clubs are out to win. Sam Boswell will be referee.

28th February 1906 **MAPLE LEAFS ARE CHAMPIONS.**

The Maple Leafs won the Wesley Cup for the second year in succession last night when they defeated the Street Railway representatives by a score of 6-3 after a fast game.

Both teams had won their way to the final contest by winning out their respective series and last night were out to do or die.

The Maples line-up on paper looked very strong and when the teams first took to the ice it was just a guess as to how many goals the Maples would score, but the Street Railway seven proved a big surprise.

The first half was closely contested and the Maple Leafs finished ahead by a score of 3-2.

The second period was very exciting, the Street Railway men tying the score, but that was their last tally as the winners added three more goals.

For the winners Flett and the Jackson boys showed the best form, while of the losers Tom Dunderdale was the star, playing the best game on the ice.

Jack Warren played a splendid game at point.

Sam Boswell was referee and Mr Peer judge of play.

The teams were:

STREET RAILWAY

Dorland

J. Warren

Pratt

T. Dunderdale

Goldstone

McComb

GOAL

POINT

COVER

FORWARDS

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MAPLE LEAFS

Sheppard

F. Penwarden

H. Flett

John Jackson

Cadham

Jim Jackson

28th February 1906 MAPLE LEAFS CUP-WIN WESLEY MUG BY DEFEATING STREET RAILWAY SEVEN.

The Maple Leafs won lasting possession of the Wesley Cup by defeating the Street Railway seven at Wesley rink last night in a warmly contested game by a score of 6 to 3. This makes the second successive win of the Mug by the Leafs.

The game was evenly contested throughout, the Street Railway players putting up a splendid argument against their speedy opponents. Half-time score was 3 to 2 in favor of the Leafs, at times the game was rough.

The teams were:

STREET RAILWAY

Dorland

Warren

Pratt

T. Dunderdale

Goldstone

McComb

H. Dunderdale

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT

LEFT

MAPLE LEAFS

Shepherd

Penwarden

Flett

John Jackson

Cadham

Jim Jackson

Ashton

Referee-- Sam Boswell, Judge of play-- Peer, Goal umpires-- Lee and Walker.

WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1907.

22nd February 1907.

The T. Eaton and Ashdown hardware hockey teams will clash tonight in a Wesley Cup game at the Wesley rink. The last time these two teams met the result was a tie and this game is to decide the winner.

23rd February 1907 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The first game of the season was played last night when the teams from the T. Eaton and Ashdown wholesale clashed in a fast game. The score was 5-1 in favor of the Ashdown team, but it is no indication of the play, as both teams put up a fast game throughout, but the Hardware men were better goal-getters.

The half-time score was 2-1. This was the first defeat of the season for the Eaton team, they having previously won 13 straight games.

The teams were as follows:

EATON

Lockart

Lavallier

Newell

Corby

McIntosh

Rennie

Pickard

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

RIGHT-WING

CENTRE

LEFT-WING

ASHDOWN

Bell

Grieg

Rose

Teskey

Martin

Morrison

Ford

25th February 1907 WESLEY CUP GAME.

The second game in the Wesley Cup series will be played at the Wesley rink tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock, between the Maple Leafs and Eatons.

The band will be in attendance for skating.

26th February 1907 WESLEY CUP SERIES.

The second game of the Wesley Cup competition will be played at the rink this evening from 9 to 10 o'clock between the Eatons and the Maple Leaf club.

26th February 1907.

The second game in the Wesley Cup series was played last evening at the Wesley rink between the T. Eaton team and Maple Leafs, resulting in a win for the latter by 3 goals to 1. The half-time score was 2 to 1.

4th March 1907 PUCKLETS.

The Marshall-Wells and McCreedy Co hockey teams will clash in a Wesley Cup game at the rink tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock.

Unfortunately that was all I could find about the 1907 Wesley Cup series, only two results both losses for the T. Eaton team.

It did mention the Maple Leafs, who after winning the Mug for the second consecutive time last year, should have had 'Lasting Possession' of the Cup.

Maybe the Proprietors of Wesley Rink donated another, as it was to be played for another three years, or did the Leafs just let it play on?

Either way the reporting of the series certainly dropped off substantially, why?, could it have been the reporting of more important senior games or purely the amount of games being played at the same time.

The sports reporters of the day could not visit every rink and the reader probably was more interested in the Big game being played at the Auditorium than the match from the Wesley.

I did find an article in one of the newspapers asking their readers to submit reports from games they have attended.

Maybe the hockey fan of the day had lost interest in the Wesley Cup and the Wesley Arena.

The Wesley rink would still hold hockey games for the next few years, but from the reports, or lack of them, the rink was being used less and less as a hockey venue, no wonder I suppose when you have the likes of the AUDITORIUM, ARENA and the AMPHITHEATRE on your doorstep.

The Wesley Cup, through my research was still being competed for in 1908, 1909 and 1910 but the reports from its games are few and far between (if anyone has information to fill the gaps, please contact me).

WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1908.

10th March 1908 ST. BONIFACE WON.

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played last evening, being the final for the Wesley Rink Cup between St. Boniface and the Wesley Rink club.

The teams lined up as follows:

ST. BONIFACE

Leveque

Tony Gingras

Decosse

Antonio Beliveau

Mondor

Couture

Referee-Sam Boswell

Judge of play- A. Gosselin.

WESLEY

Moncton

F. Penwarden

Monton

Score

Lee

Benson and Shepherd.

WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1909

27th March 1909 HOCKEY-- FINAL FOR WESLEY CUP.

The Montcalms and Clippers play the deciding game in the Wesley Cup series at the Wesley rink 9 to 10 tonight

29th March 1909 DECIDING GAME TONIGHT.

The Montcalms and Clippers play the deciding game in the Wesley Cup series at the Wesley rink 9 to 10 tonight.

30th March 1909 MEET TONIGHT AT WESLEY.

The final game in the Wesley Cup series scheduled to take place at the Wesley rink last night between the Monrealers and Clippers was postponed until tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock on account of the inability of the former team to turn out.

31st March 1909 CLIPPERS WIN CUP.

The Clippers won the Wesley Cup last night by defeating the Montrealers in the final game the score being 7-3.

The line-up was as follows:

CLIPPERS--- SCOTT, BROWN, BOWMAN, A. THOMAS, J. GERRITY, McINTOSH and P. GERRITY.

MONTREALERS--- PEARSON, W. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, MAXWELL, MOLENSKY, COUTURE and ULRICK.

WESLEY RINK CUP SERIES 1910.

9th March 1910 TIGERS DEFEATED CLIPPERS.

In the series for the Wesley Cup the Tigers defeated the Clippers at the Wesley rink yesterday. The score being 3 goals to 1. Cowan did some excellent work for the victors, while for the losers Benson and Garricy played well.

And that was it for the Wesley Cup that I have found. Please help me fill in any gaps if you can.

TEAMS THAT HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THE WESLEY CUP SERIES 1903 to 1910.

| <u>TEAM NAME</u> | <u>THE YEARS THEY COMPETED.</u> |
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| ROVERS | 1903*, 1904. |
| ASHDOWNS | 1903, 1904, 1907. |
| MARSHALL-WELLS | 1903. |
| CRESCENTS | 1903, 1904. |
| C.P.R. | 1903. |
| FREE-PRESS | 1904*, 1905. |
| GAULT/OGILVIE | 1904. |
| HARRISON | 1904. |
| WELLINGTON | 1904, 1905. |
| MAPLE LEAFS | 1904, 1905* 1906* |
| FROST & WOOD | 1904. |
| SCHOOLS | 1904. |
| TELEGRAM | 1904. |
| PHARMACY | 1904. |
| ZIONISTS | 1904. |
| MERRICK-ANDERSON | 1905 |
| KENNEDYS | 1905, 1906. |
| STREET RAILWAY | 1906. |
| T. EATON | 1907. |
| ST. BONIFACE | 1908*. |
| WESLEY | 1908. |
| CLIPPERS | 1909*, 1910. |
| MONTREALERS | 1909. |
| TIGERS | 1910. |

* WINNERS.

CHAPTER 3.

EATONS

& THE EATONIAN HOCKEY LEAGUE.

The T. Eaton Company Limited or commonly known as 'Eatons' were founded in 1869 when Timothy and wife Margaret Eaton purchased a dry goods store in Toronto for \$6500 and they developed the trading mantra of both quality with low prices, they also added a revolutionary new policy which is standard practice nowadays which is 'Goods satisfactory or your money back'.

At the time they were trading, most retailers would buy their stock from wholesalers, who in turn bought goods from the manufacturers and made their money by selling the goods to the retailers at a profit. Eaton cut out these middle men and would buy straight from the supplier, even if that meant travelling to the United Kingdom and Europe himself to purchase the stock.

This enabled Eatons to sell their items at a very reasonable price and undercut fellow retailers, probably causing the start of a retail price war between the other traders of the area. The 'Eatons Empire' begun!!!!.

1882- Four floor retail store in prime locality, along Yonge St, Toronto.

1884- First store catalogue¹ produced for the Toronto Industrial exhibition.

1903- Opened a Mail Order building in Toronto to supply the order demand.

The mail order side of the business would help the company expansion through the 20th century.

1905- Saw the Grand opening of the Winnipeg branch, Portage Ave at Donald St.

15th of July 1905. Saturday was an open day², to show the public of Winnipeg and the surrounding areas what 'Eatons' had to offer.

The landmark red brick building would be known to Winnipeggers as 'The Big Store'.

The store was five storeys and a basement and was fitted with a state of the art sprinkler system in case of fire.

As large as it was, Eatons future plans were to expand, so the building was built with the foundations and frame capable of carrying another three storeys, an expansion they did in 1910.

Over time other buildings were constructed to add to the Empire, by 1919, Eatons had 8000 staff.

The official store opening was the Monday morning 17th of July 1905 and it was performed by Timothy Eaton the founder who pressed a small pearl button and his little grandson Timothy Craig Eaton had the honours of opening the main doors.

I could not find records of how many customers they had that day, but it was reported that between twenty and twenty five thousand people passed through the store on the opening day.

Initial staff of 750 grew to 1200 within a few weeks of opening. Here is an example of the job adverts put in the local newspapers.

Wanted at Once
50 Experienced Saleswomen
25 Experienced Salesmen
25 Waitresses for Lunch Counter
12 Drivers Helpers.
Apply
T. EATON CO; Ltd.
Hargrave St. Entrance.

¹ It was published from 1884 to 1976. Additions were illustrations in 1887, Colour in 1915 and photographs in 1919.

² The store was open from 2.30 till 8 o'clock. Customers could not purchase goods till the official open day the following Monday.

Of the 750 staff, 250 of them were from their Toronto branch, to help train the Winnipeg staff in the principles of Eatons retail ethics. The trainers would be here for a year, after the year only 12 of the staff returned back east.

It did not take long for the companies sports and social club to get together and arrange a competitive hockey game between two teams of employees. The game was between the Mail Order department and the Shipping department (12th January 1906) only 6 months after store opening.

This game like so many others, were played at the Wesley rink.

The 1905/06 winter season would see a number of games played at the Wesley rink between the different departments of the store who could put up a decent side, they included: Mail Order, Shipping, General Office and even a Friday Bargain team.

The hockey sevens were not all men either, Eatons had Ladies teams too.

A game played at the Wesley in the March of 1906, involved Ladies teams from the General Office and the Audit Office.

The following reports are from games played at the Wesley rink, involving employees and teams from the T. Eaton Winnipeg store.

January 11th 1906 EATONIANS PLAY.

Two teams selected from among the employees of the T. Eaton Co. will play a game of hockey at the Wesley rink tonight.

There will be skating on the outside sheet of ice with the band as usual.

January 12th 1906 EATONIANS PLAY HOCKEY.

Teams from the Mail Order office and Shipping rooms of the T. Eaton Co. played hockey last night at Wesley rink, the former winning out after an exciting game by a score of 3 to 2.

N. Gailbraith refereed, the teams being;

| OFFICE | | SHIPPING |
|-----------|----------|------------|
| Pierce | GOAL | Poole |
| Dalziel | POINT | Fitzgerald |
| McCreary | COVER | Staples |
| Lawson | FORWARDS | Corley |
| Nicholson | * | Grant |
| Bjornson | * | Whorton |
| Remey | * | Carrick |

January 22nd 1906. DAILY TRIBUNE.

Teams representing the Mail Order department and the Shipping department played at Wesley rink on Saturday evening in their second game for the oysters. The latter won by a score of 5 to 0,

Bjornson had a knee badly injured and had to be carried off the ice.

A more detailed game report was in the same dated edition but this one from the Free Press. It reads;

EATON TEAMS PLAY.

Teams representing T. Eatons Co. Mail order department and the Shipping department played at Wesley rink on Saturday evening, in the second game for the oysters.

The puck was faced off at 8.25 and for a short time the game was fast and furious, indeed too fast for the Office boys, when the Shippers scored their first goal in four minutes. Immediately after the puck was faced, Nicholson was sent to the fence for rough play, and soon after the Shippers scored. Shortly after the game was resumed, Bjornson of the Mail Order team got hurt, but not seriously. At half time the score stood 4-0 in the Shippers favor.

In the second half the office boys held their own better, although the play became much rougher, Bjornson being sent to the fence twice.

After twelve minutes play the Shippers scored once more, making the score 5-0 which was the final tally of the evening.

As the bell rang for time, Bjornson was badly hurt on the knee and was carried off the ice.

The following was the line-up;

MAIL ORDER--- PEARSE, McCREARY, LAWSON, NICHOLSON, DALZIEL, RENNIE, BJORNSON.

SHIPPING--- PARK, GREY, FITZGERALD, WHARTON, GRANT, CARRICK, CORLEY.

Referee- W. GALBRAITH; Timekeepers, GREEN and McRAE.

January 26th 1906 PUCKLETS.

Eaton staff were out in force again at the Wesley rink last night when a hockey game was played, between the Mail Order department and an ALL STAR team from all the rest of the store called the FRIDAY BARGAIN TEAM.

The Mail Order boys, however made their opponents look like a very cheap bargain after they got through with them as when everything was counted up it was found that the Mail Orders had five goals while the Friday Bargains had found the net but once.

The supporters made things lively and exciting by their vigorous rooting.

February 3rd 1906.

The hockey team from the General Office of T. Eaton Co. defeated the Friday Bargain team in Wesley rink last night by 4 goals to 1. the game was closely contested.

February 16th 1906 EATON MEN PLAY.

T.Eatons clerks played another game of hockey at the Wesley rink last evening, when teams from the Mail Order department did strenuous battle with the stalwarts of the Shipping department, but all to no avail as the Shippers piled up a score of 6 to 4.

Grant and Corley played a fine game for the winners. The play was clean and fast throughout and free from roughness.

After the game the victors were tendered a banquet at the MARRIAGI by the vanquished, which did much to cement the good feeling existing among the employees.

The line-ups were;

MAIL ORDER--- PIERCE, Goal; McCREARY, Point; BJORNSON, Cover-point; RENNIE, Centre; DALZELL, Rover;

NICHOLSON, Right-wing; LAWSON, Left-wing.

SHIPPING--- PECK, Goal; GREY, Point; FITZGERALD, Cover-point; PARRICK, Centre; CORLEY, Rover;

WHARTON, Right-wing; GRANT, Left-wing.

February 21st 1906 PUCKLETS.

Two teams from the General Boarding house³ of the T. Eaton Co. played a hockey match at the Wesley rink last night, resulting in a win by the seen called the Stilsell house by a score of 5-3. there was a large crowd of rooters present, principally of the fairer sex.

March 3rd 1906 GIRLS PLAY FAST GAME OF HOCKEY.

Teams from Eaton's provide strenuous exhibition-- was quite rough.

One of the greatest hockey games of the season was pulled off at the Wesley rink last night, when two sevens composed entirely of the fair sex met in strenuous combat. The opposing forces were Eaton girls one team being from the General Offices and the other from the Audit Office.

The General Office representatives were jauntily clad in white sweaters and the Audit Office maidens sported red. The result after a closely contested game was a score of 2 goals to 1 in favor of the General Office exponents.

3 Maybe the training staff from the Toronto branch were boarded here for the time they were here in Winnipeg.

A big crowd of Eaton employees and others watched the game, and were hugely delighted with the clever exhibition provided by the girls. At times the pace was very fast and on such occasions enforced rests and much claspings of tumbled locks were the picturesque scenes provided in centre ice. According to some of the spectators, undue roughness prevailed and the referee was forced to exercise his authority on several occasions.

The winning team has already received several challenges from the girls in other departments of the Big Store.

Another version was posted by the Winnipeg Tribune.

GIRLS PLAY HOCKEY.

Maidens from T. Eaton Co. caused excitement, in what should go down in record as one of the greatest games of hockey ever seen in Winnipeg, the ladies from the General Office and Audit Office of T. Eaton Co. scampered over the ice at Wesley rink last night.

When referee Billy Field tallied up the count at the conclusion of the game it was found that the former had won by a score of 2 to 1, at half-time the score was one all.

If the vigor with which the Jauntily clad maidens went into the game counts for anything, then was the match a great one. In the excitement of the game many feminine traits were forgotten and at times the match assumed a really rough-house aspect in which the referee came in for his usual share of abuse, however he made many amends near the end of the game when the strain of the pace began to tell on the girls and his helping hand and arms were eagerly sought, much to the enjoyment of the packed house.

Miss Elliot carried off the honors for the winners, tallying both goals, while Miss Bond scored for the losers. There were many bumps and flying of skirts and locks, but the girls seemed to enjoy it.

The players were dressed in jaunty sweaters, with ankle length skirts. The winners wore white sweaters with black skirts, while the losers had red sweaters with black skirts.

The teams were:

AUDIT OFFICE

Miss Muirhead

Miss Hamilton

Miss Conley

Mrs Radford

Miss Walker

Miss Cant

Miss Bond

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

GENERAL OFFICE

Miss Halliday

Miss Sibbald

Miss Swain

Miss Tippet

Miss Elliot

Miss Valentine

Miss McGill

Referee W. Field; Goal umpires, Miss McClary and Miss Bellamy.

March 9th 1906 EXPRESS Co WIN.

The Dominion Express and T. Eaton Co hockey sevens met at Wesley rink last night, the former winning out after a great game by a score of 2 to 1.

The following article show their intention to play outside the restraints of just inter-departmental hockey games.

November 22nd 1906 EATON'S ORGANIZE.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting Tuesday evening in the Eatonian Club rooms, a hockey club to represent the T. Eaton Co Ltd was formed, with the following officers: Hon President, J.C Eaton; Hon Vice President, H. McGee; President, A.A Gilroy⁴; First Vice President, G.F Davey; Second Vice President Secretary, H. Keough; Treasurer, J. Cameron.

It is the intention of the club to apply for admission to the Mercantile Hockey League.

4 Mr Gilroy was the Wiinnipeg store Manager.

The 1906/07 season would see an Eaton's team not only be accepted into the Mercantile Hockey League, play inter-departmental games and as they practised at the Wesley rink, they would also be invited to play in the Wesley Rink Cup Series.

When the Mercantile Hockey League had been organized and drawn up its schedule, the Wesley rink would find itself hosting games from both A and B series of the league.

My research would find the T. Eaton Co hockey team play five of their `B` series games, with an excellent record of all five wins and posting forty one goals and conceding only three, not bad for their first season in the league and just missing out on winning the whole thing.

The T. Eaton club winners of the `B` series would play the winners of the `A` series who happened to be the Winnipeg Paint & Glass team, in a two game⁵, total score final for the Championship.

The first game ended 2-0 to the Paint and Glass side and although the Eaton's team would win the second game, it would not be enough, as the final score was 3-2 it still meant that the Winnipeg Paint & Glass team would be outright winners by the score 4-3 and take the 1906/07 Mercantile Hockey League Championship.

The following reports are from the games played at the Wesley rink that have involved teams from the T. Eaton Co for the 1906/07 season.

December 20th 1906.

The T. Eaton team defeated St Stephens Church team by a score of 4 to 2.

January 3rd 1907 EATON'S SCORE AN EASY WIN.

The opening games of `B` series in the Mercantile Hockey League were played at the Wesley rink last night, when teams representing the Eaton Co and the Hudson Electrical and the National Trusts and Grain Exchange played.

The teams in the first game were:

T. EATON--- Goal, LOCKHART; Point, LAVALLIER; Cover-point, NEWELL; Rover, PICKARD; Centre, RENNIE;

Left-wing, GRANT; Right-wing, McINTOSH.

HUDSON ELECTRICAL--- Goal, GRACE; Point, ELGAR; Cover-point, ELLIOT; Rover, McELROY; Centre,

POPES; Left-wing, McKEE; Right-wing, CONRAD.

The game start to finish was very much in favor of Eaton's aggregation, their combination being too effective for the Hudson's, as the score indicates being 11-0 in favor of the former players. The game was fairly fast and clean, only two penalties being handed out.

B. Quinn of the Winnipeg's acted as referee.

January 9th 1907 EATON'S WON.

The T. Eaton hockey seven won their second game of the season in the Mercantile Hockey League last night when they easily disposed of the National Trust team.

The game was played at the Wesley rink, and was fast hockey, the Eaton players scoring 8 goals to the nil of its opponents.

The teams were as follows:

EATON'S--- LOCKHART, Goal; JUDSON, Point; NEWALL, Cover-point; PICKARD, Rover; RENNIE, Centre;

McINTOSH, Left-wing; GRANT, Right-wing.

NATIONAL TRUST--- McNICHOL, Goal; J. SALTER, Point; R. SALTER, Cover-point; MITCHELL, Rover;

JOHNSTON, Centre; NIXON, Left-wing; MONDOR, Right-wing.

January 15th 1907 EATON'S WON.

5 Both games played at the Auditorium.

A Mercantile League game was played at the Wesley rink last night between the T. Eaton and Grain Exchange teams and after a fast contest the Eaton's players succeeded in winning out by a score of 5-1.

the score is no indication of the play as the Grain men had a whole lot of play but they were unable to do the scoring as well as the Eaton boys. The half-time score was 3-0.

The teams were as follows:

EATON'S-- LOCKHART, Goal; VALLOR, Point; NEWELL, Cover-point; PICKARD, RENNIE, GRANT and

McINTOSH, Forwards.

GRAIN EXCHANGE-- BARNHART, Goal; BOSSELLBERRY, Point; CARTER, Cover-point; JOHNSTON,

HALDERSON, GLENN and BARRY, Forwards.

January 30th 1907 EATON'S 8 NATIONAL TRUST 1.

The T. Eaton and National Trust hockey teams met in a Mercantile League game at the Wesley rink last night and the Eaton team won out handedly by the score of 8-1.

The game was a fast and clean one, the feature being good combination of the winners, who put up a winning game throughout.

The Eaton's are now leaders of their division of the league.

The teams were as follows:

EATON'S-- LOCKHART, Goal; VALLOR, Point; NEWELL, Cover-point; PICKARD, RENNIE, McIntOSH and

GRANT, Forwards.

TRUSTS-- McMICHAEL, Goal; J. SALTER, Point; MITCHELL, Cover-point; R. SALTER, JOHNSTON,

MONDOR, NIXON and MORRISON, Forwards.

Referee-- Morrison.

February 7th 1907 EATON'S WIN AGAIN.

The first !!!! game in `B` series was played at Wesley rink last night between Eaton's and the Grain Exchange, resulting in a win for the former by 9 goals to 1.

February 22nd 1907.

The T. Eaton and Ashdown hardware hockey teams will clash tonight in a Wesley Cup game, at the Wesley rink.

February 23rd 1907.

The first game of the season in the Wesley Cup series was played last night. Ashdowns defeating T. Eaton Co by a score of 5 to 1. The half-time score was 2-1. This was the first defeat of the season for the Eaton team, they have previously won 13 straight games in the Mercantile League and exhibition fixtures.

February 25th 1907 WESLEY CUP GAME.

The second game in the Wesley Cup series will be played at the Wesley rink tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock between the Maple Leafs and Eaton's.

The band will be in attendance for skating.

February 26th 1907.

The second game in the Wesley Cup series was played last evening at the Wesley rink between the T. Eaton team and the Maple Leafs, resulting in a win by the latter by 3 goals to 1. The half-time score was 2-1.

February 28th 1907 EATON TEAMS CLASH.

Two teams from the Eaton establishment clashed last night at Wesley rink. The Office team took a fallout off the Stores team by a score of 5 to 2. McNeill and Cock were the stars of the Office bunch and Grant was a particularly effective member of the Stores aggregation.

From the reports I had found playing at the Wesley rink.

Mercantile Hockey League.

| | P | W | L | GF | GA |
|-------------|---|---|---|----|----|
| T. EATON Co | 5 | 5 | 0 | 41 | 3 |

Wesley Cup Series.

| | P | W | L | GF | GA |
|-------------|---|---|---|----|----|
| T. EATON Co | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 8 |

The 1907/08 Season.

My research came up with only one game involving the Eaton Company hockey team playing at the Wesley rink.

I had found nothing to explain the reason for the lack of games involving the employees of Eaton's at the Wesley until I came across an article from the 12th December 1907 advertising the Mercantile Hockey League schedule.

It had been drawn up with the following teams; Eaton's, Ashdown's, Bell Telephone and Miller-Morse, it also stated where the games were to be played, the Auditorium, Arena and Manitoba rinks, no mention of the Wesley rink whom hosted the league last year.

Another article mentioned that the Eaton's team were now practising at the Auditorium.

Why the Wesley rink lost both the practising hours for the Eaton's team and the hosting of some Mercantile League games is a bit of a mystery to me.

Fortunately for the rinks business, the Eaton's would be back using the Wesley ice the following season.

As I had mentioned earlier, only one game was found during my search of the newspaper archives.

From the 14th March 1908 edition of the Winnipeg Free Press.

In the sports section of the newspaper they had a segment called 'PUCKLETS' this was a part of the sports column that included snippets of hockey information and contained results.

This one referring to the Wesley rink, reported that 'In an exciting game of hockey played Thursday night at the Wesley, the Engineers of the Eaton company were defeated by the Stables by one goal.

The 1908/09 Season.

The T. Eaton Co hockey team would again be involved in the Mercantile Hockey League with the same teams as last season, this time the games were scheduled to be played on Tuesday evenings at the Auditorium.

But at the Wesley rink, the EATON'S were back in business this time with their own EATONIA HOCKEY LEAGUE.

December 31st 1908 EATONIA LEAGUE.

Now that the Christmas rush is over the Eatonia Hockey League is beginning to show signs of activity.

Mr Gilroy has kindly donated a cup for competition, and with four strong teams, SHIPPERS, DISPATCHERS, GENERAL OFFICE and SALESMEN, the rivalry will be very keen.

The following schedule has been drawn up:

FIRST SERIES.

Jan 7 Dispatchers vs Shippers.

Jan 9 Salesmen vs General Office

Jan 14 Dispatchers vs General Office

Jan 19 Salesmen vs Shippers

Jan 21 Salesmen vs Dispatchers

Jan 23 General Office vs Shippers

SECOND SERIES.

Jan 28 Shippers vs Dispatchers
Jan 30 General Office vs Salesmen
Feb 4 General Office vs Dispatchers
Feb 6 Shippers vs Salesmen
Feb 11 Dispatchers vs Salesmen
Feb 13 Shippers vs General Office

THIRD SERIES.

Feb 18 Dispatchers vs Shippers
Feb 20 Salesmen vs General Office
Feb 25 Dispatchers vs General Office
Feb 27 Salesmen vs Shippers
Mar 4 Salesmen vs Dispatchers
Mar 6 General Office vs Shippers.

January 8th 1909 EATONIA LEAGUE.

The first game in the Eatonia Hockey League was played last night at the Wesley rink between the Shippers and Dispatchers, resulting in a win for the former by the score of 6-0.

At the end of the first half the score stood 1-0, but on resuming play the Dispatchers soon tired and their opponents scored at will.

For the Shippers Church, Grant and H. Clarke were the most prominent, while Morse and Malcolm were the pick of the losing team.

The officials were W. Pickard, Referee; and H. Keough, Judge of Play.

The teams lined up as follows:

SHIPPERS--- REAMAN, GRANT, CLARKE, CHURCH, NICKOLSON, JOHNSON and CLARKE.

DISPATCHERS--- HENDERSON, JOHNSON, OLSON, MORSE, MALCOLM, ELLIS and DOLMAN.

January 11th 1909 EATONIAN HOCKEY.

The second game in the Eatonian Hockey League was played at the Wesley rink Saturday night between the Salesmen and General Office resulting in a tie of two goals, ten minutes overtime was played without result.

January 15th 1909 EATONIAN LEAGUE.

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played at Wesley rink last night, when the Dispatchers and General Office clashed for the first time in the Eatonian Hockey League, the Office boys winning by the score of 6 to 2.

Squires scored the first goal for the Office boys in one minute on a pass from Rennie, and when the bell rang for the half, the Office boys were leading by the score of 5 to 2. In the second half some fast hockey was played, and the Dispatchers tried hard to score, but could not get the puck past Fretwell, who was playing a fine game in goal.

The Office scored one goal in this half, making the final score 6-2.

W. Grant, referee and Tweedle, judge of play, performed their duties very acceptably.

The teams lined up as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE--- FRETWELL, WARREN, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, McLEAN and RENNIE.

DISPATCHERS--- HENDERSON, JOHNSON, OLSON, MALCOLM, MORSE, ELLIS and DOLMAN.

January 20th 1909.

In the Eatonian league at the Wesley rink last night the Shippers defeated the Salesmen 3-2 in a fast game.

January 22nd 1909 SALESMEN DEFEAT DISPATCHERS.

The Eatonian Hockey League furnished another exciting game last night when the Salesmen defeated the Dispatchers by the score of 6-2. The score does not indicate the play, as the losing team had the better of the argument in the first half, but lost a number of chances to score through not passing the puck. At half-time the score stood 2-1 in favor of the Dispatchers, but they fell away in the second period and allowed the Salesmen to score four times.

For the winners, Edwards, Jamieson and Hanley played strong games, while Morse and Malcolm showed up well for the losers.

The officials were: W. Grant, referee; H. Clark, judge of play.

The Line-up:

SALESMEN--- CUTHBERT, HISCOX, SMITH, JAMIESON, BROCKEST, EDWARDS and HANLEY.

DISPATCHERS--- HENDERSON, DOLMAN, ARMSTRONG, MALCOLM, MORSE, ELLIS and OLSEN.

January 23rd 1909 EATONIAN GAMES.

The Shippers and General Offices clash for the first time tonight in the Eatonian Hockey League, neither team have been defeated and as both are putting up a good article of hockey, a fast game is expected. The teams will line up as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE--- KEOUGH, WARREN, COOK, SQUIRES, CREIGHTON, McLEAN and RENNIE.

SHIPPERS--- RALMAN, GRANT, CLARK, CHURCH, JOHNSON, NICHOLSON and BEMISTER.

January 25th 1909 EATONIAN LEAGUE.

The Shippers defeated the General Office in an Eatonian Hockey League game at the Wesley rink Saturday night by the score of 4 goals to 2. The ice was a little soft, so that the game was not as fast as it would have been otherwise.

The game started off fast, and after ten minutes play Nicholson scored, Squires evened up soon after, on a pass from Rennie, about three minutes before half-time Cook put the Office one to the good on a nice rush from centre. The half ended General Office 2 Shippers 1.

The Shippers carried the puck into General Office territory and after a few minutes play Grant slipped the puck into the net tying the score.

Church notched the next from a scrimmage in front of goal. Clarke soon put the Shippers one more to the good from a shot from centre ice, just before time Cook and Keough carried the puck down for what looked like a sure score, but Ralman made a good save. The game ended with the puck in General Office territory.

Harry Flett made a very capable referee and D. McIvor judge of play.

The teams lined up as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE--- FRETWELL, WARREN, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, McLEAN and RENNIE.

SHIPPERS--- RALMAN, GRANT, CLARK, CHURCH, NICKOLSON, BEMISTER and JOHNSON.

This is the league standings after the First series.

| | W | L | T | GF | GA | PTS |
|----------------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| SHIPPERS | 3 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 6 |
| GENERAL OFFICE | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 3 |
| SALESMEN | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 |
| DISPATCHERS | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 17 | 0 |

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|--|---|---|---------|
| League Standings 2 nd February 1909 | W | L | To play |
| SHIPPERS | 4 | 0 | 5 |
| GENERAL OFFICE | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| SALESMEN | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| DISPATCHERS | 0 | 4 | 5 |

February 2nd 1909 EATONIAN LEAGUE.

The General Office took second place in the Eatonian Hockey League Saturday night by defeating the Salesmen by the score of 7 goals to 4. The General Office played the better combination game, which figured largely in the result.

For the Salesmen Cuthbert in goal did fine work and also Henley and Edwards on the forward line. For the General Office, Keough, Warren and Rennie were the bright stars.

D. McIvor, as referee performed his duties very acceptably.

The teams lined up as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE--- FRETWELL, WARREN, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, McLEAN and RENNIE.

SALESMEN--- CUTHBERT, SMITH, TWEDELL, EDWARDS, BROKEST, HENLEY and WALLACE.

February 5th 1909 EATONIAN LEAGUE.

In one of the fastest games played in the Eatonian League this year, the General Office defeated the Dispatchers by the score of 7 to 4. The play was even throughout the first half, the score being 4 to 3 in favor of the General Office, but on resuming play, the Office forged ahead scoring three goals to the Dispatchers one. The final score being General Office 7 Dispatchers 4. For the Office, Squires, Rennie, Cook and Warren figured in the scoring column, while Malcolm and Moise (Morse!!) showed up for the Dispatchers.

The Officials were; Referee, Sam Boswell; Judge of play, Johnson.

The teams lined up as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE--- FRETWELL, WARREN, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, FRENCH and RENNIE.

DISPATCHERS--- HENDERSON, STONE, GREEN, MALCOLM, MOISE, OLSON and DALMAN.

February 15th 1909 EATONIAN LEAGUE.

At Wesley rink Saturday night the Shippers defeated the General Office by 4 goals to 3. At full time the score stood 3 all and five minutes extra time was played, the Shippers scoring the winning goal.

For the winners Nickolson, Church and Clarke played good games, while Keough and Warren played a sterling game for the Office.

The Officials were: S. Boswell, referee; W. Pickard, judge of play.

The teams lined up as follows:

SHIPPERS--- RAIMAN!!!!, GRANT, CLARKE, CHURCH, NICKOLSON, DAYTON and JOHNSON.

GEERAL OFFICE--- MALCOLM, WARREN, KEOUGH, SQUIRE, COOK, McLEAN and RENNIE.

Unfortunately that was it for the reports I could find concerning the Eatonian Hockey League for the 1908/09 Season.

Below is the league standings from February 15th 1909.

| | P | W | L | T | GF | GA | PTS | GTP ⁶ |
|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|-----|------------------|
| SHIPPERS ⁷ | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 7 | 8 | 5 |
| GENERAL OFFICE | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 20 | 16 | 4 | 4 |
| SALESMEN | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 14 | 2 | 5 |
| DISPATCHERS | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 6 |

Away from the Eatonian league business, here are two articles from the end of this hockey season.

February 27th 1909 WILL GO TO MORRIS.

The T. Eaton companies lady hockeyists are in receipt of a challenge from the ladies hockey team of Morris, inviting them to go out to that town and play a game. Preparations are being made for an excursion train to go by C.N.R to Morris at 6.30 on Tuesday night.

Two teams from the T. Eaton company will contend on the Wesley rink tonight at 8 o'clock. From these players the team for Tuesday will be picked, and it is expected that a strong aggregation will be organized for the trip.

The team will start back from Morris at 11pm.

March 3rd 1909 EATONIANS AT MORRIS.

It was Eaton night in Morris, Manitoba this evening, a regular invasion from the big Winnipeg departmental store taking effect.

Two hockey games were played, the Eaton picked team winning 5-3 while the Eaton ladies club met defeat 5-0.

March 13th 1909 HOCKEY GAME TONIGHT.

A friendly game of hockey will take place at the Wesley rink tonight when the Rosser hockey team clashes with the General Office hockey team of the T. Eaton Co ltd.

The teams line-up as follows:

ROSSER--- CORBETT, KELLETT, HOSSIE, BEWELL, GREEN, McFEE and MINAKER.

EATON'S--- FRETWELL, GRANT, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, RENNIE and MALCOLM.

The 1909/10 season was to see more of Eaton's at the Wesley rink.

November 25th 1909 ICE FOR EATON EMPLOYEES.

The Eatonian Athletic Association have secured Wesley rink for every Thursday evening from 7 to 10 o'clock.

Hockey will be played in the centre enclosure and skating will be indulged in by the employees round the circle. Skating will commence tonight.

The teams competing in the Eaton Hockey League are: MAIL ORDER, SALESMEN, EXPENSE and OFFICES.

The Mail Order (SHIPPERS) won the cup last year, but according to the line up in the different teams this season, they will have to struggle hard to retain it this season. The employees now number more than 2,000.

All skaters are looking forward to having a good time. The league will open in two weeks.

⁶ Games to play.

⁷ Also known as Mail Order.

January 7th 1910 PUCKLETS.

A fast game was played last night at the Wesley rink between two Eatonian clubs, the Mail Order and Salesmen, the former won by 6 goals to 1.

EATON LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

The schedule of the Eatonian Hockey League was drafted Wednesday. There will be four teams in the race for the handsome trophy donated by the firm last year and now held by the Mail Order team (SHIPPERS) as the Champions.

There will be eighteen games in the schedule, all of which will be played at the Wesley rink.

Jan 13-- No game.

Jan 20-- OFFICE vs MAIL ORDER; SALESMEN vs EXPENSE.

Jan 27-- MAIL ORDER vs EXPENSE; OFFICE vs SALESMEN.

Feb 2-- MAIL ORDER vs OFFICE; EXPENSE vs SALESMEN.

Feb 10-- No game.

Feb 17-- SALESMEN vs MAIL ORDER; OFFICE vs EXPENSE.

Feb 24-- EXPENSE vs MAIL ORDER; SALESMEN vs OFFICE.

Mar 3-- SALESMEN vs EXPENSE; OFFICE vs MAIL ORDER.

Mar 10-- OFFICE vs EXPENSE; MAIL ORDER vs SALESMEN.

Mar 17-- OFFICE vs SALESMEN; MAIL ORDER vs EXPENSE.

The first mentioned teams play from 8 till 9 and the latter from 9 to 10.

January 21st 1910 TWO EATONIAN GAMES.

At the Wesley rink last night, two games of hockey were played, between departments of the T. Eaton Co and both were of fast order.

The first encounter was between the Mail Order and Office and while the latter adhered in holding their opponents down to the half, when the score was two goals all, the Mail Order had matters all their own way of the finish and won by 5 goals to 2.

For the winners, Clark and Grant were the stars, while Warren, Squires and Tommy French played well for the losers.

The second game was a good exhibition of hockey, and was a good deal closer. It was between the Salesmen and the Expense men, and the former got the long end of a 6-5 score.

The winners well deserved the victory for they were the most aggressive.

W.H Pickard refereed to the satisfaction of all.

March 4th 1910 PUCKLETS.

In an Eatonian Hockey League game at the Wesley rink last night, the Mail Order team defeated the General Offices by the score of 3 to 0.

Unfortunately yet again due to lack of reporting of games from the Wesley rink and the Eatonian Hockey League it has left me with too many gaps to help speculate the league standings for the season.

The three league encounters I had found, funnily enough were all involving last seasons Championship winning side the Mail Orders or Shippers as they were known. And it seemed they were starting of the way they finished, with three wins out of three.

The first game was before the League schedule had been drawn up, so must have been a warm up game for both sides before the Eatonian season got under way proper.

Other interesting items that made the Wesley rink/Eaton's calendar were two Carnivals held at the by the T. Eaton Company for their employees, both containing highlight events of an ice-hockey game.

January 12th 1910 EATONIA CARNIVAL.

Fancy dress affair will be held at Wesley rink tomorrow night.

The Eatonian Athletic Association will hold a fancy dress carnival at the Wesley rink tomorrow night commencing at 8-15 for the amusement of the employees of the store and their friends.

Great preparations are in progress to make the evening one of the most enjoyable in the history of the association.

The rink is being decorated in an attractive style, with bunting and fancy lights. Special music will be played during the evening. Mr Gilroy who is keenly interested in sports for the employees, will act along with Messrs Harris, Beal and McLarty as judges.

One of the chief attractions will be a burlesque hockey game, each player representing a famous character in the worlds history.

A competition in graceful skating, made up of ladies and gentlemen will be an important event. A fancy dress parade and skating obstacle race will form the other items of the evenings programme. Valuable prizes have been provided for each event. Entries are confined to store employees only.

January 14th 1910 EATONIAN CARNIVAL.

The hockey match was started at 9-30. Mr John Cameron captained one team and Mr Gordon Dailly the other. The skaters were all dressed in fancy costume, and novices at hockey. When the umpire rung the bell for full time, the score stood 3 goals each.

February 23rd 1910 EATONIA CARNIVAL.

Enjoyable evening is promised at Wesley rink-- Valuable prizes.

The Eatonian Athletic Association will hold another carnival in Wesley rink tomorrow evening, commencing at 8-15, for the amusement of the employees of the store and their friends, preparations are being made to make this carnival a greater success than the one held in December last.

The first item of the programme will be a 'GRAND PARADE' round the inside enclosure of the rink, four prizes are being offered for this event. First and second for neatest and best costume and first and second for the most comic make-up.

After the parade a competition in graceful skating in couples will be held, with two prizes, first and second for style and general appearance.

The third competition in style skating for ladies only (single) should be interesting, first and second prizes are up for this event too.

An obstacle race will form the fourth event, the competitors will run through barrels, two prizes, first and second.

The fifth event will be a special race for the male employees of the store, one valuable prize.

Great interest is being centred in the last item, which will be a ladies hockey match between the Mail Order girls and the girls of the store.

February 25th 1910 EATONIAN CARNIVAL.

Ladies hockey match proves a feature.

Nearly 500 merry makers, over a quarter of whom were in costume, helped make the Eatonia Carnival last night at the Wesley rink, a pronounced success.

Preceding the Carnival proper, there was a ladies hockey match between the Mail Order department and the Store, which the Store won by the close score of 2to 1.

The 1910/11 Season at the Wesley rink would see the end of any relationship between the rink and the T. Eaton Companies sports and social club.

Both the highly popular Eatonian Carnival and the Eatonia Hockey League would be hosted by the Auditorium.

At the same time Mr Angus McIvor would not renew his contract with the Wesley rink, whether through his own choice or not, will remain unknown.

Maybe it was a good time to get out of the skating rink business, although still a popular place to skate, it was certainly being overlooked as a hockey game venue.

Not surprising really with the amount of better equipped hockey arenas available in the Winnipeg district at this time.

The T. Eaton Company hockey team did visit the Wesley rink in December of 1911 in an Intermediate League Exhibition game against the Norwood Club.

December 13th 1911 INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY.

In a hockey game last night at the Wesley rink the Eaton aggregation met the Norwood Club in an exhibition intermediate match. The Norwood boys were easy winners and won the game on a shut-out score of 4-0.

The pace was swift throughout and the game was the first meeting in the Intermediate League. If the speed is any index of the hockey that is to be put up this winter, there will be some fine excitement for fandom.

CHAPTER 4.

THE GAMES.

The following game reports and results are from the newspaper archives of the WINNIPEG TRIBUNE AND FREE PRESS.

The games were all played at the Wesley rink.

With over 400 in total, this is by no means all that had been played there.

The lack of reporting of games and also missing editions of certain newspapers, have collectively reduced the number of games that I was able to find whilst researching.

So the following games could well have been a small proportion of games that had actually been held at the Wesley rink.

The games that were played here, varied greatly, from a Charity match where a barrel of flour was donated to the local hospital to a full blooded Wholesale Hardware League game and all sorts of different skill levels between.

Don't forget the fairer sex too!! They had ice time as well. Some of their games were the roughest witnessed at the Wesley rink.

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December 6th 1900 COLLEGE TEAMS PRACTICE.

St. Johns and Wesley College teams held a hockey practice on the Wesley College rink yesterday afternoon resulting in a 5 goals to 0 win by the Saint's.

December 12th 1900 SKATING.

Wesley College opened its new skating rink last evening, there being a large number of skaters in attendance. The rink is very much larger than any of the indoor enclosures, and will afford excellent facilities for the young people of the west-end to enjoy the great winter sport.

A practice game took place last evening between the MONTREAL-MOLSONS and the DOMINION BANK teams.

December 29th 1900.

A ladies hockey match will be played on the Wesley College rink this afternoon. Only a limited number of invitations have been issued.

January 31st 1901 Brandon Western Sun.

In the afternoon the BRANDON boys played a picked team from the CARLTON school on the Wesley rink and the Wheat City chaps won easily by a score of 7 goals to 1, they were held down well in the first half when the score was 1-1, but broke away in the second.

The Brandon team was the same as that which played at night and the Carlton's were as follows; Goal, HOOPER; Point, MILLS; Cover-point, FLEMING; Forwards, MERRITT, HOGARTH, GANNON and HARGRAVES.

Referee-- Bert Toombs.

March 4th 1901 ROVERS 2 STRATHCONAS 1.

The Rovers and Strathconas hockey teams met in the Wesley rink Friday evening resulting in a win for the former by a score of 2-1.

The teams were as follows:

ROVERS— G. DUNBAR, Goal; H. NORDQUIST, Point; G. RICHARDS, Cover; A. MADDEN, B. FEWRELL,

S. BOSWELL, W. BURDEN, Forwards.

STRATHCONAS— W. WILLIAMS, Goal; G. CHASE, Point; F. HORRICKS, Cover; J. LORD, A. SAMPSON,

J. REGALL, G. KNIGHT, Forwards.

Referee— W. CUMBERS.

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Here we have an interesting set of articles from a game played at the Wesley rink. It has the Challenge, the acceptance, the game report and an irate letter from one of the teams.

January 9th 1902 A CHALLENGE.

The RETAIL SHOE CLEKS of the City are hard after the scalps of their opponents, employees of the AMES-HOLDEN Company and have issued a challenge to a game of hockey to be played on Friday evening at the Wesley College rink. It is altogether likely that the challenge will be accepted as their material for a good team is plenty.

January 10th 1902 CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

The Ames-Holden hockey team state that they accept with pleasure the challenge sent in by the Retail Shoe Clerks and will meet them at Wesley rink, this evening at 7-30 o'clock.

January 11th 1902 THE CHALLENGED WON.

The RETAIL BOOT and SHOE CLERKS team thought that when they challenged the Employees of the AMES-HOLDEN wholesale house to a game of hockey at the Wesley rink, that they would run against the real thing, but they did and did it brown.

The game was played at 7-30 at the Wesley College rink last night and was witnessed by a fair sized crowd. The Retailers went on to the ice with determination and confidence depicted on their faces while the Sons of AMES said nothing but did a great deal.

The game was hot from the start and its one peculiarity was the failure of the retailers to get the puck past HANSEN, who had a special knack of his own of swiping it out to OLESON on the side.

The Wholesale boys rushed things for a while and when time sounded the Retail boys realized that they had made a huge mistake and instead of being two ahead they were two behind, the score standing 3-1.

The winning team was as follows:

Goal, HANSEN; Point, REYNOLDS; Cover-point, T. RYAN; Forwards, GILLIS, H. TAFTE, LITTLE and OLESON.

January 13th 1902 RETAIL CLERKS.

To the Sporting Editor of the Tribune:

Sir-- we notice that in Saturday nights paper that the game of hockey played between the Retail Shoe Clerks and an alleged team from Ames-Holden, resulted in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of the latter. As a matter of fact, in the first place the score was 2 to 1. In the second place there were only two players from Ames-Holden Co... while the rest of the players were picked from the wholesales of THOMAS RYAN, KILGOUR-RIMER, CANADIAN RUBBER Co and WINNIPEG RUBBER Co. Then again six players of the retail team were from Ryans only while one was from another store. So you can see that it is like one retail store playing the combined wholesale shoe and rubber warehouses of the City.

Now if AMES-HOLDEN or the same team think they can do the trick again, we are open for engagements.

(signed) RETAIL SHOE CLERKS.

January 13th 1902 ST JOHNS WON AT HOCKEY.

The first game in the Junior series of the Intercollegiate league was played on Saturday between the St Johns and Wesleys. The game was played on the Wesley rink and resulted in an easy win for the Saints. They scored six goals to their opponents one. The Wesley's were heavier but were outclassed in speed and stick handling by the St Johns.

The winning team composed as follows:

Goal, MARTIN; Point, T. McKINNON; Cover-point, BOURNE; Forwards, PHIPPS, H. McKINNON, E. BRETT and N. LINDSAY.

January 18th 1902 THISTLES vs LELAND.

A game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink last night between the THISTLE hockey team and the LELAND HOUSE¹ team and the latter team were defeated by a score of 12-0.

The teams were as follows:

THISTLES--- Goal, NESBITT; Point, LOZO; Cover, JOHNSTONE; Forwards, LOCKE, NICHOLSON,

CUNNINGHAM and GORDON.

LELAND--- Goal, HERBERT; Point, SCOTT; Cover, SIMON; Forwards, TINGLEY, FAUSER, MULLALLY,

and SCARFE.

January 18th 1902 LIME KILNS vs STRATHCONAS.

Thursday, at the Wesley College rink a very fast game of hockey took place between the LIME KILNS and the STRATHCONAS. At half-time the score was 1 to 0 in favor of the Strathconas, but the Lime Kilns won and by the score of 4 to 1.

The teams were as follows:

STRATHCONAS--- Goal, W. CHASE; Point, G. CHASE; Cover-point, H. PHILLIPS; Rover, G. KNIGHT; Centre,

J. RIGGALL; Wings, F. WRIGHT and P. WRIGHT.

LIME KILNS--- Goal, W. WILLIAMS; Point, F. JONES; Cover-point, A. WARREN; Rover, S. ADAMS; Centre,

F. WARREN; Wings, J. WILSON and C. WATSON.

These two teams played four games last winter, of which the Lime Kilns took three while on New Years day they played to a draw 2-2.

January 20th 1902 THE SCHOOLS WON.

The Junior team from the MEDICAL COLLEGE and SCHOOLS played on the Wesley rink Saturday in a Junior league game and the Schools won by the score of 5 goals to 3.

The Meds had the advantage in weight, but the School boys were too speedy for them. At half-time the score was 2-2 but the Schools added three goals to their opponents one in the second half.

Fred Clarke of Wesley College was referee and the teams were as follows:

MEDICALS

RIDDELL
SCHWALM
CRAIG
GREIG
CRANSTON
McGAVIN
WALKER

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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SCHOOLS

FINLAY
ALDONE
FLEMING
SCROGGIE
RUTTAN
DUVAL
RILEY

1 The Leland Hotel.

February 1st 1902 TOBAS vs SCHOOLS

A game of hockey that was of a fast nature took place at the Wesley rink this morning in the Junior series between the junior teams from the MANITOBA COLLEGE and the SCHOOLS. The game was scheduled to commence at 10-30, but it was near 11 o'clock before it started.

The teams lined up as follows:

TOBAS--- Goal, ROSE; Point, WINKLER; Cover, HART; Forwards, McINNES, LANDER, THOMAS

and MUNDEIL.

SCHOOLS--- Goal, FINLAY; Point, FLEMING; Cover, FORD; Forwards, DUVAL, SCROGGIE, RILEY

and RUTTAN.

R. Oatway refereed the game.

The spectators were not so numerous as to crowd the rink, but what few were there thoroughly appreciated the game. The Schools team players were by a great deal lighter than the Tobas, but they played a splendid game, and during the first half both teams scored two goals and totalled the score at half-time 2-2.

Duval was hurt on the chin during the first half, and a delay was caused.

The second half saw some exciting hockey played and at time the score stood 4-3 in favor of the Tobas seven.

Winkler played a splendid game, while Rose in goal earned a reputation for himself.

February 3rd 1902.

M, B&W vs Bole hockey game, took place at the Wesley rink at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon between the BOLE DRUG Co seven and the seven from the MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE warehouse. Although the Bole people had the best of play the septette from the M, B&W Co succeeded in planting three goals to their opponents five.

The teams were as follows:

BOLE--- Goal, JONES; Point, BOYCE; Cover, BOLE; Frwards, J. McNEILL, DUMBLE, FINNAY and YOUNG.

M, B and W--- Goal, SMALL; Point, F. McNEILL; Cover, HALL; Forwards, LECKIE, SMITH, NEEVE and MARTIN

W. Litchfield refereed the game.

The seven from the M, B&W firm stood a good show of winning the game had it not been for the repeated rushes of FRED BOLE, who played the star game for the BOLE drug company.

February 4th 1902 A LADIES MATCH.

An interesting and closely contested game of hockey was played on the Wesley College rink yesterday afternoon between the Lady students of the College and the Former Lady students.

The people of the present defeated their sisters of the past by a score of 2 to 0. Mr Clark performed the highly dangerous duties of referee. The teams were:

PRESENT STUDENTS--- Miss METCALF, Miss POYNER, Miss ANDERSON, Miss ASHDOWN, Miss BELLAMY,

Miss STIDSTON and Miss CRISPLY.

EX STUDENTS--- Miss M. YOUNG, Miss PHILP, Miss STEPHENSON, Miss MULLINS, Miss ECHILN,

Miss JARRETT and Miss BARNES.

February 10th 1902 TOBAS WON.

The Manitobas and Medicals had a tight game in the Junior series of the Intercollegiate league at the Wesley rink Saturday morning. The Tobas won by a goal, the final score being 7-6.

February 10th 1902 **LELAND—CLARENDON GAME.**

Tomorrow night at the Wesley rink the CLARENDON hockey team will cross sticks with the seven from the LELAND HOUSE, and a warm game is expected.

February 12th 1902 **LELAND'S DEFEATED.**

The Leland House hockey team and the team from the Clarendon Hotel met at the Wesley rink last evening and in a hard and exciting game, the Clarendons defeated their opponents by a score of 4-2.

February 12th 1902 Free Press article. **PLAYING FOR OYSTERS.**

Teams representing the Clarendon and Leland hotels played a game in the Wesley rink last evening, the former winning by a score of 4-2, they meet again in the Citizens rink tomorrow evening and an oyster supper depends on the result.

February 19th 1902 **LELAND vs CLARENDON.**

The Leland and Clarendon hockey teams played to a tie at the Wesley rink last evening.

The teams were as follows:

LELAND— Goal, NESBITT; Point, SILVER; Cover, MULLALLY; Forwards, LENARD, GORDON, FANSON and
TINGLING.

CLARENDON— Goal, SIMPSON; Point, TELFER; Cover, RUTTLE; Forwards, ROLLS, C. O'CONNELL,

D. O'CONNELL and McVICAR.

The O'Connell brothers played a fine game, while Gordon and Lenard were always there.

February 24th 1902 **THE SCHOOLS WON.**

The Schools and St Johns junior hockey teams played on the Wesley rink this morning and the Schools won 5 goals to 1.

March 3rd 1902.

Hope Council has accepted a challenge for a game of hockey from Progress Council of the Royal Templars, and a game will be played this Monday evening in Wesley rink from 9 to 10. This is their first game of the season.

All Royal Templars should turn out and cheer on their respective favourites.

March 4th 1902 **HOPE ON!.**

A hockey match was played last evening between representatives of Hope and Progress councils of the R. T. of T., with the result that the Progress boys 'white washed' their opponents with a score of 8-0.

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December 9th 1902 **HOCKEY.**

The Matriculation class of Manitoba College is going about in a somewhat chesty condition since Saturday, when the hockey seven of that division of the institution trimmed the first year team at the Wesley rink in a ragtime finish by 8 goals to 5.

The Matrics played hockey which pleased the critics and gave their opponents a tired feeling. It was fast and clever and fairly burnt up the ice.

Dr McInnis acted as referee.

The teams were:

MATRICULATION

ROSS
DRISCOLL
FORDE
MONK
LAURIE
MITCHELL
MACDONALD

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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FIRST YEAR

BELL
CLIMIE
ROSS
FINLEY
THOMAS
CAMERON
JOHNSTON

December 22nd 1902.

The Wesley hockey team met the Bank of Commerce team on the Wesley ice on Wednesday evening last, when a very lively game was played, resulting in a victory for the Bankers by a score of 4 to 3.

January 12th 1903.

The Rovers team of the Wesley Cup series were the same team to play in the W,C,H,L Junior series match, winning 4-3 against the Garry's.

January 13th 1903 **THREE GAMES AT WESLEY.**

Hockey is booming in the Wesley rink. Three games last night had to be shortened to forty minutes play in order that all might be accommodated.

The first a closely contested game between the ROVERS and a team representing the STOBART Co, resulted in a tie with one goal apiece. Billy Logan presided over the game, which was clean and snappy, but scarcely up to Stanley Cup form.

The players lined up as follows:

ROVERS

LITCHFIELD
N. HILL
BOSWELL
McMASTER
B. HILL
McIVOR
HORNE

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
RIGHT
CENTRE
LEFT

STOBARTS

BARNES
DEVINE
GREEN
CLEMENT
PINGLE
PIRLE
NASH.

St GEORGES Church teachers vs the Bible Class played last evening, the former just doubling their opponents score, the final tally being 8 goals to 4.

A PLETHORA OF CLUBS.

Juvenile rinks are springing up on every hand, A sheet of ice on every vacant street corner, and one or two in between has its team of embryo Stanley Cup competitors, and the names of some of these juvenile aggravations are enough to disconcert veterans of the puck.

Blue Streaks, Whizzers and other names suggestive of very fast hockey, are among the ranks. Two rinks of less pretentious and portentous names, the MAPLE LEAFS and POINTS (from ARMSTRONG'S POINT) occupied second ice at the Wesley rink last night.

The following players represented the two aspirants for hockey honors:

MAPLE LEAFS

NEWALL
JACKSON
B. McINTOSH
GARRETY
CLEMENTS
H. McINTOSH
CADHAM

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
RIGHT
CENTRE
LEFT

POINTS

ELLIOT
BOLE
H. RILEY
F. RUTTAN
LEADLY
J. RUTTAN
LEWIS.

January 17th 1903 YMCA vs CRESCENTS.

A great deal of interest centers in the match in the Junior W.C.H.L. series to be played this evening between the Y.M.C.A and the CRESCENTS.

Both those teams are composed of particularly clever young exponents of the winter game and an exciting game is anticipated. It is to be played on the Wesley rink between 8 and 9 o'clock and it is likely that there will be a large attendance of the supporters of both aggregations. The team to represent the Y.M.C.A will be as follows:

Goal, FINDLAY; Point, MITCHELL; Cover-point, J. SALTER; Forwards, CLIKIE, HAYES, POLLARD and L. SALTER.

January 19th 1903 HOCKEY.

The Y.M.C.A team got away with the CRESCENTS Saturday night to the tune of 3 to 1. the game was a regular scheduled one in the W.C.H.L Junior series, and was played on Wesley rink.

A good crowd of each clubs partisans was on hand and did some strenuous rooting while their favourites mixed it up on the ice. Up to half-time the YMCA boys had the scoring business all their own, 2 to 0 in their favour, being the tally when they laid off for their rest. Next half each got one.

The goalkeepers on both teams put up gilt edged articles of puck stopping, while Climie, Hayes and P. Marshall loomed up most conspicuously in the fray, but every man was on hand when wanted.

The teams were:

Y.M.C.A.-- Goal, FINDLAY; Point, MITCHELL; Cover-point, J. SALTER; Forwards, CLIMIE, POLLARD, HAYES
and L. SALTER.

CRESCENTS-- Goal, KEMP; Point, P. MARSHALL; Cover-point, P². MARSHALL; Forwards, KEAN, WARDELL

GREIG and APPLEYARD.

Referee-- F. Boswell.

January 22nd 1903 THISTLES WON.

In a fast hockey game, played on Tuesday night at the Wesley rink between 10 and 11, the THISTLES of Pacific Avenue, won their second victory by defeating a ROSS STREET team by a score of 4 to 1. The teams were:

THISTLES

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| H. EAGER | GOAL |
| W. EMMONS | POINT |
| F. McCRADEY | COVER-POINT |
| A. BROWN | FORWARDS |
| H. ALLAN | * |
| J. EAGER | * |

ROSS AVENUE

McLEAN
SYBIE
COOPER
WALKER
COYLE
JENNINGS

January 28th 1903 STURGEONS WON.

On Monday a very interesting game of hockey took place on the Wesley rink between the STURGEONS and the FISH, the Sturgeons defeated the Fish by a score of 7-1.

The teams are as follows:

STURGEONS

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| GARRETY | GOAL |
| T. TOWMAN (capt) | POINT |
| P. SIMPSON | COVER-POINT |
| J. CADHAM | ROVER |
| H. McINTOSH | CENTRE |
| W. BRIGHT | LEFT-WING |
| D. ROLLO | RIGHT-WING |

Referee-- McIVOR.

FISH

B. McINTOSH
J. JOHNSON
V. MABB
S. BRIGHT
H. SCORER
N. MONKMAN
N. TOWNMAN

January 30th 1903 **DRUGGISTS DEFEATED GROCERS.**

The teams representing the JOHN-MARRIN Company, wholesale grocers and the MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE Company, wholesale druggists played on the Wesley rink on the evening of Jan 28 resulting in a win for the wholesale druggists by a score of 2 to 0. Another game will likely be played in the near future.

February 2nd 1903 **WESLEY'S 2 MANITOBA 1.**

A very keenly contested hockey match took place Saturday in the Wesley rink between the junior teams of Manitoba and Wesley Colleges. The respective players were:

| <u>WESLEY</u> | | <u>MANITOBA</u> |
|---------------|-------------|-----------------|
| DURNETT | GOAL | LARMOUR |
| DUNCAN | POINT | CLIMIE |
| MOORE | COVER-POINT | FORD |
| BELL | FORWARDS | FINDLAY |
| McLEAN | * | THOMAS |
| JOHNSON | * | LAWRIE |
| NAY | * | MITCHELL |

Early in the first half the 'Tobas rushed the attack and in a few minutes Thomas scored after a fine rush and a pass, then Wesley woke up and assumed the aggressive, after about ten minutes hard playing a shot from Bell tied the score.

During the remainder of the half the cover-points indulged in some lifting and the puck was in the crowd as much as on the ice.

After half-time the game waxed fast and warm, the referee was kept busy watching off-sides. Many splendid rushes were made by both forward lines but no goals were recorded until three minutes before time, when the Wesley forwards made a sensational rush, and after a pretty piece of combination work Johnson did the necessary making the Wesley's winners on a score of 2 to 1.

February 4th 1903 **INTER-IMPERIAL GAME.**

Teams representing the SALESWOMEN and SALESMEN of the Imperial Dry Goods Co will play hockey this evening in the Wesley rink between 8 and 9 o'clock.

The returns of the match in Montreal will be announced while the game is in progress.

February 5th 1903 **LADIES WIN OUT.**

An interesting hockey match was played last evening at the Wesley rink between teams picked from the Saleswomen and Salesmen of the Imperial Dry Goods Company.

After a warmly contested game the ladies won out by a score of six goals to two.

The teams were:

SALESWOMAN-- Miss COCKBURN, Miss HARRIS, Miss STEMSHORN, Miss TRACY, Miss ROLSTON,

Miss HUNTER and Miss BOYD.

SALESMEN-- COLBURN, CODE, SKINNER, HERMAN, BRYANT and FULLERTON.

The winners of the match intend to challenge the Saleswomen of CRAIG'S to a Championship game to be played next week.

February 9th 1903.

The Medical hockey team was defeated by the Manitoba's in the Intercollegiate series Saturday afternoon by 2 goals to 1, in an exciting match. The Meds put up a creditable game against their strong opponents, and at the end of the first half the score stood 1 to 0 in their favor.

Th 'Tobas evened the score in the second half and just at the call of time scored their deciding goal. W. Breen of the Rowing club was referee.

February 16th 1903 DECISION AGAINST WESLEY.

The Wesley's and School's hockey teams played a match Saturday in the Intercollegiate series, the score at the end of time being 2 all, there was a dispute then as to how the match should be decided, but before a mutual agreement was reached, Wesley's left the ice and referee Bright awarded the match to the School's.

February 18th 1903 TAILORS WERE TRIMMED.

An amusing game of hockey took place at the Wesley rink on Monday night between a selected team of Tailors and an aggregation of Hardware men. It was hot from the time the whistle blew to start until the lights went out. The stars of the evening were W. McClenaghan of the Tailors and H. Agnew of the Hardware men. Duncan Fisher and B. Parks also put up a good game.

Play resulted in a victory for the hardwares, the score at time, being 4 to 2.

The following was the line-up:

TAILORS

B. PARKS

J. SIMPSON

D. W. GRIFFITH

W. McGLENAGHAN

T. SLEIGHTON

J. GIBSON

M. CAMPBELL

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

FORWARDS

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ROVER

HARDWARE

J. DILBOUGH

R. A. GRIFFITH

J. McCLENAGHAN

G. AUGUR

H. AGNEW

Geo GEBBIE

Dunc FISHER

February 26th 1903 BUFFALOES WON AGAIN.

In a fast game of hockey last night at the Wesley rink the BUFFALOES defeated a team from the KEMP MANUFACTURING COMPANY by 6-1.

March 2nd 1903 EASY FOR MANITOBA.

The Manitoba juniors defeated the same department of the SCHOOL'S club Saturday morning at Wesley rink, by 10 goals to 3.

March 2nd 1903 TOBAS HAD A BIG SCORE Winnipeg Free Press.

The hockey match of the Junior Intercollegiate series, SCHOOLS vs MANITOBA was played at Wesley rink on Saturday morning, the play though scarcely of the nerve-racking variety sometimes witnessed in these matches, was in the matter of scoring highly satisfactory to the rooters for the white and purple.

The number of goals on each side will give an approximate idea of play of the respective teams, Schools 3 'Tobas 10.

March 7th 1903 JUNIOR CHAMPIONS.

St Johns junior hockey team won the Championship of the Intercollegiate series yesterday by defeating the Wesley's 4 goals to 3. The match was played in the Wesley rink and considerable interest was manifested in the series.

Five minutes before time was called the score was tied at three all. Brett however got in a good shot and won the match for St Johns.

March 9th 1903 MAPLE LEAFS 5 KENNEDYS 1

The Maple Leafs defeated the Kennedys at the Wesley rink on Saturday morning 5 to 1. John Jackson put up a strong game for the winners.

THE THISTLES WON.

The Thistles of Pacific Avenue secured another victory Friday night when they defeated the ROYAL hockey team at the Wesley rink, by a score of 8 to 4. It was a very good game and the goalminder of the Royals saved many a hot shot.

Allan and McCrady played a good game for the winners.

The teams lined up as follows:

THISTLES

PUGH
W. EMMONS
D. SHANNON
BROWN
McCRADY
EAGER
ALLAN

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS
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ROYALS

B. GRANT
L. JOHNSON
S. McDERMOT
BELL³
McIVOR
WILSON
ANDERSON

March 10th 1903 **GIRLS DEFEAT BOYS.**

The interesting spectacle of young ladies playing hockey was witnessed at the Wesley rink last evening. There were to have been two teams of the fair sex, but the Imperials failed to get a seven together, so the MINTOS not to be done out of a game, lined up against a team of boys from the MURVEY school, and the coy young maidens did nothing but clean the ice, not with their skirts, but with the surprised youths.

The score was 2-1 in favor of the girls, who really played excellent hockey.

The Mintos looked charming in red sweaters and dainty caps, all were fast skaters and they chased the puck in aggressive style. Miss Gertie Bruce who played rover was the star, while she was ably assisted by the others on the line. Miss Nesbitt in goal was a veritable stone wall. The players on the MINTOS team were as follows:

Goal, E. NESBITT; Point, EDNA BARKWELL; Cover-point, MAGGIE McGREGOR; Rover, GERTIE BRUCE; Centre, BONNIE DREW; Right-wing, GLADYS ALDER; and Left-wing, KITTIE McROBIE.

The referee was D. McRobie and Claude Borland was time-keeper.

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December 1st 1903.

In the Wesley rink tomorrow evening there will be a hockey match between the GALTS and the OGILVIES.

The game will commence sharp at 8 o'clock.

December 3rd 1903 **GAULTS WON.**

The hockey team representing the GAULTS Limited, put it over OGILVIES MILLING OFFICE seven by a score of 10 to 5 in a hot match at Wesley rink.

The teams were:

OGILVIES--- Goal, M. SNOW; Point, C. SOPER; Cover-point, L.H. REID; Forwards, F. MARKS, W. COSLETT

J. GLOUCESTER and H. BELL.

GAULTS Ltd--- Goal, C. HARRIS; Point, W. McGILLURAY; Cover-point, "BERT" NICOL; Forwards, ELMO

JOHNSTON, "PUSS" HOWARD, J. CHIPMAN and L. CALDWELL.

December 17th 1903 **SHOULDER DISLOCATED IN GAME.**

A hockey game between WESLEY COLLEGE and the DOMINION BANK took place in the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon, resulting in a score of 5 to 3 in favor of the former.

3 Could this be BELL & McIVOR the proprietors of the Wesley Rink?.

The teams were as follows:

BANK

SANDERS

TROW

RICHARDS

HASTINGS

BROUGH

PATTON

YOUNG

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

LEFT-WING

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

WESLEY

DIXON

WILSON

NOELANDS

SMITH

HARRINGTON

HOGARTH

LANDON

Referee-- W. Macfarlane.

Near the end of the second half, Trow was knocked down by a check, falling on his arm and dislocating his shoulder. He was assisted by the ice and medical assistance summoned.

January 5th 1904 VICS WON--JUNIOR GAME.

The VICTORIAS won from the CRESCENTS in a junior W. C league game at Wesley rink last night by a score of 11 to 2. The score at half-time was 6 to 1.

The teams were:

VICTORIAS

McDONALD

GETT

HAY

MORGAN

ELLIOT

McDERMOT

WHITE

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

LEFT-WING

RIGHT-WING

CRESCENTS

FINNEY

R. MARSHALL

T. MARSHALL

APPLEYARD

KEAN

HAMILTON

BOLTON

January 7th 1904 AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE.

At the Wesley rink last night the TELEGRAM had a walk over with the MOUNTED RIFLES, beating out the soldiers ----- . The soldiers claim that the Telegram men all wore coloured supple- ----- and that they could not get the ----- of their eyes, added to which ----- were under instructions to keep ----- skinned for cashel !!! all the time however experts say that the soldiers have a very poor team anyway.

The final score was Telegrams 9 Mounted Rifles 0.

ZIONISTS vs ROVERS.

At the Wesley rink tonight between the hours of 11 and 12, the ZIONISTS will make their debut, which seems so popular at this time of the year, when they will line up against the ROVERS juniors in the WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR SERIES.

The Rovers team will be: W. POPHAM, Goal; F. BOSWELL, Point; S. ----- Cover-point; W. FINLAY, Rover; TALLMAN, Centre; F. MCGREGOR, RIGHT-WING; L. JOHNSTON, LEFT-WING; and spare C. -----.

January 8th 1904 A ROUGH HOUSE GAME.

In the junior series of the Western Canada league the young ZIONISTS and ROVERS had a rough and tumble game last night at the Wesley rink. The Rovers succeeded in getting the large end of a 7-3 score.

The game was of the rough house variety throughout, the referee being altogether too lenient with the players, and if this kind of play keeps up, it certainly will spoil junior hockey. The Zionists were the worse offenders, it seeming to be their mode of playing to get the man instead of the puck.

The first half was very evenly contested, it ending 2-1 in the Rovers favor, but shortly after the second half began, Harry Norvalansky evened the scoring with a nice shot, this lasted for only a minute as Finlay got in a winning shot that put the Rovers ahead and from that time on they had the best of the play, scoring on four more occasions, McGregor, Johnston, Finlay and Tallman doing the scoring. For the Zionists Harry Norvalansky was the star of the team, he scored all their goals on individual rushes.

T. Finn and Relysky in goal also played well. The Rovers played well together and were better shots. Almo Johnston played a hard game and McGregor and Tallman also did good work.

T. Marshall of the Crescents was referee and the teams were:

ROVERS

W. POPHAM
S. BOSWELL
S. CARTER
W. FINLAY
TALLMAN
McGREGOR
ALMO JOHNSTON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

ZIONISTS

RELYSKY
NORVALANSKY
BATEMAN
CRAMER
H. NORVALANSKY
T. FINN
D. FINN

January 11th 1904 IMPLEMENT MEN SUCCESSFUL.

The FROST & WOOD hockey team have been getting quite prosperous of late, having put it over the MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE aggregation on New Years and defeated the GEO D. WOOD ambitious athletes at the Wesley rink on Saturday.

The GEO D. WOOD beat out their FROST & WOOD antagonists last year and were superbly confident of repeating the dose with interest this season, but it was a false prophet who foretold their result and the implement men won out easily blanking the hardwarers 5 to 0. Three goals came in the first half and two in the second, each of the line getting a tally, with a pair going to Charlie Burnett. For the winners, Boswell, Tysoe and Burnett were the illuminating arc lamps, while Trigg in goal for the Wood Company had ample opportunity to distinguish himself.

Referee-- W. Mitchell

The teams:

FROST & WOOD

GRIERSON
BOSWELL
TYSOE
BURNETT
McKAY
COOPER
SIBBALD

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS
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GEO. D. WOOD

TRIGG
FERGUSON
SCORE
PHILLIPS
LAMB
FOX
HODGSON

January 12th 1904 DRY GOODS MEN PLAY.

The boys of the firms of ARCHIBALD WRIGHT and JERRY ROBINSON met at the Wesley rink last night to decide their supremacy in the hockey business, and after one of the hottest games ever seen on the Wesley ice, the Archibald Wright representatives triumphed over their opponents by a score of 4-3.

Miller did great work for the winners, while Hooper was the star of the losers.

S. Boswell was referee, and the teams were:

WRIGHT

J. McMANUS
B. MILLER
L. OTTSON
A. JOHNSON
W. McMANUS
F. ANDERSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
RIGHT-WING
CENTRE
LEFT-WING

ROBINSONS

STONE
SENNETT
FOX
W. HOOPER
W. McLEAN
J. McDONALD

January 13th 1904 GAULTS DEFEATED OGILVIES.

The GAULTS Ltd and OGILVIE hockey clubs crossed sticks last evening at Wesley rink for the second time this season, Gaults winning by a score of 7 to 2.

The game was a very fast one, both teams showing better form than on previous occasions. Marks did the scoring for Ogilvies, while Nicol, Havard, Caldwell and Chipman divided honors for Gaults.

January 14th 1904 ROVERS vs CRESCENTS.

The Rover and Crescents meet in a Junior W.C League game tonight between the hours of 10 and 11 on the Wesley rink when a good game should ensue. The Rovers are short three of their best players, but will have a good representative team.

Finlay is unable to play and Carter and Tallman are out of the game owing to injuries.

January 15th 1904 CRESCENT JUNIORS WON.

The Crescents, in a fast game last night at the Wesley, beat out the Rovers in the junior series. The hockey was fast and clean throughout, but the Crescents proved to be superior stick handlers and skaters, besides having a much better combination than their opponents, and they had little difficulty in disposing of the Arrow men⁴.

Keans work especially was telling, while the defence was almost impregnable to the Rover line.

In the first half the Crescents started out strong and had most of the play, though they crossed over two to one against them, Johnston scoring twice on nice combination runs, while Hamilton sent in the Crescents count.

Shortly after the start of the second half Kean evened the score and a minute later put them one ahead, shoving through a hot block of Popham's off Boulton. Hamilton scored again on a similar block shot putting them 4 to 2.

The Crescents continued to batter the goal, but the Rovers picked up in a few minutes and took all kinds of chances to score, their line seldom got well away, however the Crescents forwards following back on their men well and checking closely. Kean was caught offside in front of the goal for a draw. He took revenge, for he got the puck, carried it straight into goal and scored the Crescents fifth. Then Boulton got a score from direct in front of the goal and Kean again scored on what looked like an offside, but was really alright.

A few minutes before time joy came for the Rovers. They had had several chances on goal without success until Johnston followed up, passed in a long shot, caught Marshall and scored from close in, leaving the tally 7 to 3.

Mr M. Banatayne made a most satisfactory referee and kept the teams down to hockey. A couple of men on each side were fenced for a minute, Sam Boswell being the worst offender and serving three sentences.

The Rovers were short two men of their regular team. This gives each of these teams a win and a loss in the series.

The teams lined up:

ROVERS

POPHAM

BOSWELL

CARLER

HORNE

McINTYRE

McGREGOR

JOHNSON

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

FORWARDS

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CRESCENTS

MILLER

R. MARSHALL

T. MARSHALL

APPLEYARD

KEAN

BOULTON

HAMILTON

January 15th 1904 WESLEY JUNIORS FAST.

In the opening match of the Intercollegiate Junior Hockey Series yesterday afternoon between WESLEY and MEDICALS, the Wesley team evidently considered it was up to them to take revenge for Wednesdays defeat, which they did by piling up a score of 6-0.

4 Maybe the crest they used on their sweaters.

The game was witnessed by quite a large crowd of spectators from whom both teams had vigorous support.

The game was fairly fast and the combination was somewhat better than that in the senior game, although the checking was not so severe. The game was just about as indicated by the score. The Wesley men were by much the faster team and scarcely ever gave the Meds, a chance at the net. Three goals were scored in each half.

The teams were:

MEDICALS

BLAKELY
SCHWALM
HART
McMILLAN
McDONALD
WALKER
McKINNON

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
FORWARDS
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WESLEY

BENNETT
WILSON
BURNETT
JOHNSTON
DUNNING
TESKEY
TRELEAVEN

Rose of Manitoba College, held the whistle and the goal umpires were Greig and Roblin.

January 21st 1904 FREE PRESS DOWNED THE HEARST ORGAN.

Challengers Are Out the Flour and Incidentally the Long Green.

The much vaunted Telegram hockey team went down and out before the Free Press seven last night in one of the most exciting games of the season, at the Wesley rink, the final score being 4 to 4 for the West's leading newspaper.

The game was the result of a challenge on behalf of the vanquished and as a result the hospital will receive a sack of flour at the expense of the HEARST ORGAN.

The game was a very rough exhibition of hockey, and though no scraps were on the ---, there was all kinds of swiping, slashing and tripping, with just enough offsides to add a pleasant variation to the undue work. Hanley and Harkness started the rough work at the beginning of the game and went unchecked, with the result that before ten minutes, nearly everybody was at it, some aggressively and some in self defence, and the rest of the game was something in the nature of a Donny-brook.

Nobody was injured to any extent, but most of the players are wearing marks today as a result. Little Finlay especially suffering from a badly smashed finger. The Free Press lined up without the services of their crack defence man, Dan Flett who was suffering from an injury to his shoulder received the previous evening, and the Telegram consequently decided that things looked rosy; and to keep up the color scheme began flourishing the long green to the extent of several hundred dollars, with the result that they, today have the mournful satisfaction of knowing that every cent of it was covered.

The Free Press proved a big surprise though their light and fast men were badly impeded by the rough and slashing tactics of the game, and had everybody been held down to cleaner hockey would have piled up a much larger score. Kilroy and Finlay especially put up ratching good games and each of them put two goals to their credit before the trouble quit, while their rushing and stick handling was superb, Kirby's Ottawa experiences stood him in good stead in the class of game played.

As far as the play went the game was very even both sides having turns at the rushing. The Telegram however proved poor shots and only two or three real hot propositions reached Habkirk in goal, Penwarden at point picking out most of them before they got close to the net. Nix at the other end put up by far the best game he has played this season, and stopped numerous fierce ones from Kirby and Finlay especially.

The Telegram played a well balanced game throughout while the Press defence was somewhat weak. When the teams lined up there was a howling crowd of about three hundred along the sides, and such a roar of applause was kept up throughout that Al Manning had difficulty in making his whistle heard.

After a lot of rough play, chiefly in the Free Press end of the ice, Wilkinson sent in a long one that went in between Habkirks legs and tallied one, five minutes later a long shot half way down the rink by Harstone was missed by Samson and Penwarden and unexpectedly dropped into the net for a second.

The Telegram grew confident, but had a bad stroke of apoplexy when Finlay a minute later sent in a close one on Nix.

Shortly before the half Kirby, who had been sending in a string of dangerous ones beat out Nix again and the teams crossed over 2 to 2. Harkness was the only man to adorn the fence in the first half.

The play was somewhat cleaner for the first ten minutes of the second half, a little talk of Manning's having a good effect, but then the effect worked off, and it was even worse than before.

After ten minutes play Wilkinson put Hearst's one up again on a side shot, but the Free Press always has something up its sleeve and in five minutes Kirby scored again. This was disputed by the Colored Men, but the decision went, the goal having been scored fairly and squarely, Kirbys shot hit Nix's skate and glanced off and behind the goal, passing through the net at the corner, the net being simply honey-combed with holes. On the rebound Finlay shot and Kirby shot again before the game was stopped. However, the Telegram protested the umpire and Howard Carper took his place.

The game was wild for a time with the tie on, Wilkinson, Kirby and Shibley having a turn in the woods. The final and deciding goal came to Finlay seven minutes from time, with a pretty shot, after he and Kirby had beat out the entire defence and got right in on goal.

Mr R. A. C Manning of the Rowing Club, made a thoroughly impartial referee, though he allowed somewhat too much rough work.

The teams lined up:

FREE PRESS

HABKIRK

PENWARDEN

SAMSON

KIRBY

SYMES

FINLAY

McLEAN

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

FORWARDS

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TELEGRAM

NIX

McDOUGALL

HARSTONE

SHIBLEY

WILKINSON

HARKNESS

HANLEY

Umpires--- Hunter and Nix.

January 25th 1904 **THEY CALLED IT HOCKEY.**

Wesley and Manitoba junior hockey teams met on Saturday afternoon and after an hour or so of fooling around with a puck on the ice and a free and varied use of hockey stick, it developed that the rubber had found its way into the Manitoba net twice and into that of Wesley only once.

The game was anything but fast on either side and could be called hockey only by courtesy.

February 1st 1904 **DARK DEEDS AT WESLEY.**

Two teams from a boarding house had a gay, gory, grumptious, goulting 'gontest' at the Wesley rink in the hours preceeding Sunday morning, the midnight hours being chosen for the dark deeds to be perpetrated.

The dark deeds never came off but instead a brand of hockey was wasted on the 'dessert' air compared with which a Stanley Cup mill was as warm bread and milk unto the proverbial oyster which is said to appear daily on some French bills of fare with "cuisine Francaise" at the bottom corner. Back files show that one of the aggregations calling themselves the Howling Yellows have twice defeated the Greens in former contests, but last night the Greens had their eye in and won by 6 to 2.

The Yellows are said to have been so conceited over their former wins that they persisted in eating pie and got so out of condition that they were an easy mark for their opponents, who took only soup under the impression that such food was just the thing to skate on.

A forward named Cann was responsible for five of the winners goals, which merely showed that he can-can do it.

The teams were:

PIE EATERS

KELLY
ELLIOTT
DALZELL
QUINN
TATE
THOMPSON
DANNY

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
FORWARDS
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SOUP SWALLOWERS

SHEGWIN
McKIM
READ
TEMER
CANN
DELLER
MANNING

Referee-- Unknown-- A dark horse.

February 6th 1904 GAULTS LIMITED SECOND VICTORY.

Interesting match between strong Mercantile teams at Wesley rink.

Gaults limited hockey team scored another decided success last evening in the Wesley rink when it shut out CLARK BROS, Wholesale stationers, the score at full-time being 10 to 0.

The first half contained some good, clean hockey on both sides, and the score 4 to 0 was no criterion of the play of the losing team. In the second half however, Clarks made a desperate effort to score, and the game was very rough. Gaults seemed more capable of holding their tempers and in doing so had no troubles in making things interesting around Clark's goal.

Seldom did the puck pass Howard at cover, who made some good stops. Johnston played a star game, as did 'Bert' Nicol, rover, while Caldwell and Chipman were all that could be desired on the wings. McGillwray made good use of his body in the first half while 'Dutchy' Harris made some beautiful stops, Mathewson, Brown, Morley and Underwood played good individual games for the Clark aggregation, while Lang in goal stopped many hot ones.

February 8th 1904 INTERCLASS GAME AT WESLEY.

A game of hockey beside which the intercollegiate games pall into insignificance, took place at the Wesley rink Friday afternoon between the first and third year classes of Wesley College. The obstreperous members of the first year started out by challenging the whole College, but were led to reconsider their action and limited their challenge to the third year, who promptly accepted it, and put it over the challengers to the tune of 4-2.

The following teams lined up against each other:

1ST YEAR

AIKENS
DUNCAN
McKIM
MAY
JOHNSTON
DURKIN

GOAL
POINT
COVER
FORWARDS
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3RD YEAR

FERRIER
OKE
SMITH
ROSE
ROTHWELL
RING

H. A Macfarlen acted as referee.

The game was pretty nearly all features—features mostly different from those seen in the intercollegiate and senior games. There was a minimum of rough play, probably because there was a minimum of ability to do rough work.

May was sent to the fence on one occasion for endeavouring to show an opponent a better mode of locomotion than by his own two feet. At a later stage of the game McKim was punished in the same manner for giving away to a mistaken impression that May would be more useful lying on the ice and taking steps to ensure the application of his usefulness in that position. The next game is being looked forward to with much interest.

February 11th 1904 A WIN FOR DRY GOODS MEN.

The STOBART and GREAT WEST SADDLERY company hockey clubs met last evening at the Wesley rink, the former winning by a score 4-2.

The following were the teams:

STOBARTS

BARNES
DEVINE
LAIDLAW
JORDAN
PINGLE
OXLEY
CAMSCCELL

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
LEFT-WING
RIGHT-WING

GREAT WEST SADDLERY

SMITH
JONES
CLARKE
CLUTE
HUYCKE
FOGG
CORRIGAN

February 12th 1904 OARSMEN AND ROVERS.

The second junior game was played at the Wesley, at full-time the score stod three all, and ten minutes overtime was played in an attempt to break the tie, but neither side could secure the necessary single and the game was called, still a tie.

The teams were:

ROWING CLUB

McVICAR
HARSTONE
G. ALDOUS
C. ALDOUS
PATTON
McMEANS
McINTYRE

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS
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ROVERS

POPHAM
S. BOSWELL
CARTER
TALMAN
DUNFIELD
McKENZIE

February 13th 1904 HOCKEY-- CONGDONS WON.

Hockey teams representing A. CONGDON and KILGOUR-RIMER Co., met at the Wesley rink Thursday night, the score being 8-1 in favor of the Congdon bunch. The star for the winners was J. C. Long in goal, who only allowed one shot to pass. Goddard was the star for the losers.

The following teams are:

A. CONGDON

J. LONG
E. TAYLOR
G. HUTCHINSON
F. BARDEN
E. WELDON
J. McCLOY
J. McKENZIE

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS
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KILGOUR-RIMER Co.

A. STRUTHERS
T. GILLIS
C. McMANUS
C. GODDARD
MURPHY
ROSENBECK
TEITLEBAUM

February 16th 1904 PHARMACY 5 DOMINION BANK 4.

The above teams played a match at Wesley rink Saturday afternoon, resulting in a victory for the students. At half-time the score stood 3-1 in their favor, but in the second half Macfarlane and Hastings rushed the game for the Bankers, succeeding in finding the net three times making the score 4 all, but the students were out to win, Higgingbotham scoring just before time was called. Hull and Martin played well for the Chemists while the defence played their usual strong game, but were without Colcleugh, their crack goalkeeper.

Teams were:

PHARMACY

BJORNSON
AGNEW
HIGGINBOTHAM
LAIDLAW
MARTIN
HULL

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
LEFT-WING
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING

DOMINION BANK

TROW
McFARLANE
PATTEN
PROUSE

February 17th 1904 **HARDWARE MEN PLAY.**

Two teams picked from the SHELF-GOODS and HEAVY-GOODS employees of the GEO D. WOOD company played a friendly game of hockey at the Wesley rink last night, resulting in a win for the shelf-goods men by the score of 5-1.

The teams were as follows:

SHELF GOODS

D. A FERGUSON
H. H. TRIGGE
F. SCORER
F. FOX
T. HODGSON
J. FEIR
A. RICHARDSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS

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HEAVY GOODS

A. WOOD
G. CARRUTHERS
E. IDLER
D. DERBY
E. PHILLIPS
W. WATT
W. STEVENS

February 20th 1904 **GAULT BROS LOSE.**

A team of hockey players from J. ROBINSONS beat the GAULT BROS team last night at the Wesley rink by 3 to 1. The game was well played, both teams doing some good combination work. McCamman of Robinsons received a heavy bodycheck and had to retire from the game. Allman and Johnstone did good playing for the losers, while Gosselin starred for the winners, Benson and Moran scored the three goals which won and Allman scored the Gault boys only goal.

WESLEY vs ST JOHNS.

At Wesley rink this afternoon St Johns and Wesley hockey teams meet at 5 o'clock.

The following are the men of the teams:

WESLEY--- McLAREN, LEWIS, MOORE, JOHNSTON, NAYSMITH, DUNNING.

St JOHNS--- GANNON, ADAMSON, HASTINGS, BOYD, McLORG, MORTON, BUCH.

H. P. Davidson is down for referee.

February 22nd 1904 **WESLEY JUNIORS EASY VICTORY.**

Wesley and St Johns juniors played their second game at the Wesley rink on Saturday afternoon, resulting in another success for the former by a score of 6-0.

The play was just about as indicated by the score, the Wesley men having it about all their own way.

Hogarth played for Wesley, this being his first appearance on the ice since breaking his collar bone at the beginning of the season, there was very little rough play, Beech and Moore each getting a term on the fence.

The line-up was:

WESLEY

McLAREN
HOGARTH
MOORE
JOHNSTON
St JOHN
DUNNING
LEWIS

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS

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ST JOHNS

GANNON
ADAMSON
HASTINGS
BOYD
McLORG
MORTON
BEECH

H. P. Davidson of Manitoba, made a most efficient and impartial referee.

February 23rd 1904 GAULTS LIMITED WIN ANOTHER--DRY GOODS HOCKEY TEAM LANDS CLOSE MATCH OVER GEO D. WOOD HOCKEYISTS.

In a hotly contested game last evening in Wesley rink, the hockey team of the Geo D. Wood Co, wholesale hardware, were defeated by Gaults Ltd seven.

The first half was good clean hockey, the score being 1-0 in favor of Gaults. In the second half however, the checking was very close, which spoiled the good combination play usually put up by the Gault boys.

The Gaults were also minus the service of Chipman, their crack right wing, which weakened the team considerably.

At full-time the score stood one all, but Gaults were still fresh and in two minutes overtime Caldwell on a good pass from Allman made a pretty play and scored the winning goal.

The forwards for both teams played a good hard game, especially Allman and Johnston, while J. D. Brown played a star game between the posts for Gaults.

The winning team was:

BROWN, Goal; **HARRIS**, Point; **NICOL**, Cover-point; **HOWARD**, Right-wing; **JOHNSTON**, Left-wing; **CALDWELL**, Centre; **ALLMAN**, Rover.

February 26th 1904 BOARDING HOUSE GAME.

Teams from **NEWBURY'S** and **BIRTON'S** boarding houses on Elgin Avenue competed for mastery at the Wesley last evening and the former won out by a score of 9 to 5.

March 3rd 1904 ASHDOWNS 2 CHRIST CHURCH 0.

The Ashdown juniors defeated Christ Church Boys Brigade in a fast game of hockey at Wesley rink last night by the close score of 2-0. For the losers Doidge and Andrews played very fast hockey while for Ashdowns, Reeves in goal and Adamson at point did not give the puck a chance to pass by them. Simpson scored both games (goals) for the Ashdowns.

B. McIntosh acted as referee.

CLOSE JUNIOR RACE.

Wesley, Manitoba and the Schools are the three leading teams in the series and each has to play the other two.

The first of the games will be played today, when Wesley and Schools meet. The other two, which are postponed games will be played Saturday and Monday. On Saturday at the Wesley rink, Wesley will meet Manitoba and on Monday afternoon at the Auditorium Manitoba plays the Schools.

March 4th 1904 WESLEY JUNIORS EASY WIN.

The Wesley hockey team took a stronger hold on the Junior Championship of the Intercollegiate league last night when they easily defeated the Schools by a score of 8-0. The Tobas are the runners up and Wesley has already defeated them. The Tobas have yet to play the Schools and also Wesley, and in order to tie for first place will have to win both games.

The game yesterday was a great disappointment to many as it was expected the Schools would make a much stronger showing, but they evidently had their off day as they put up the poorest game they have played this year.

Wesley also played strong, especially the forward line and they earned all the goals they tallied.

Robinson of the Schools got a nasty cut in the mouth and was replaced by Winckler. The score was 6-0 at half-time and 8-0 at full-time.

W. Brown was a very efficient referee and the teams were:

SCHOOLS

AITKENS

CULVER

WICKSON

PRITCHARD

LEWIS

ROBINSON

ASHTON

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

FORWARDS

WESLEY

McLAREN

MOORE

HOGARTH

JOHNSTON

ST JOHN

DUNNING

LEWIS

March 8th 1904 JUNIORS MADE SENIORS GO.

The senior and junior teams of the SCHOOLS met last night at the Wesley rink and the juniors gave the seniors the game of their lives, the latter getting the better of it by only 2 goals, the score was 6-4. At one time the juniors were two goals to the good, but they could not stand the pace. Both teams were short several of their regular players.

WESLEY LANDED THE CHAMPIONSHIP-- JUNIOR HOCKEY TEAM WENT THROUGH INTERCOLLEGIATE SERIES UNDEFEATED.

Wesley land their first hockey championship yesterday when the juniors closed theor season by defeating the Manitobas in a fierce game 2-1. The team has a unique record of having gone through the season undefeated, having put all their eight games to their credit, with the remarkable total of 34 goals for to only three goals against them.

Yesterdays game was a postponed one from last month and being the end of the series and a most important, all the rink was lined with several hundred spectators when referee Irwin blew his whistle to line up.

Had Manitoba won they would have been tied with Wesley and a play off necessary.

Both teams had very strong ----- and the article of hockey put up was of a splendid order for a -----.

The Manitobas played ----- than their opponents and was slower all round, and the Wesley line broke through constantly on speed and fine stick handling. The defence with St John and having showed up particularly well with the others, while the Tobas defence saved the day continually. Wesley rushed strong in the first half and for the first fifteen minutes had the play well about the Toba nets and Rose had several bad situations to clear, after five minutes ----- scored out of a scrimmage, and shortly after Lewis sent in a long one that found the corner of the net.

As they grew very fast and rough and ----- took to the fence, W. Irwin showing him a few minutes ----- . Near the end of the half Jack ----- rushed and shot passed Burnett and ----- McLaren getting his ----- of it in the net and the ----- over 2 to 1 for the red and blue.

----- in the second half ----- the aggressive for ten minutes and gave McLaren several ----- sending one clear over the ----- . Then for the balance of the game, Wesley again took the majority of the play and a lot of end to end rushing ----- without results.

Play was very rough at times, Jack Grant ----- going to the fence twice and Johnston once, Wesley at one time playing five to seven, but they ----- and with the minority gave ----- calls.

Fifteen seconds after time was up, and before the ----- had succeeded in catching the ----- notice to advise him of the ----- shot, tying the score. ----- on the information of the ----- that they had called time ----- before did not allow the goal and the Wesley's were declared winners.

The teams were:

WESLEY

McLAREN
MOORE
HOGARTH
JOHNSTON
DUNNING
LEWIS
ST JOHN

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
FORWARDS

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MANITOBA

ROSE
FINDLAY
J. GRANT
McINTYRE
McMILLAN
LAWRIE
W. EWART

Mr F. M. Irwin, of the Meds, made ----- referee and held the men -----

The Manitobas will very likely protest ----- on the last goal ----- play continues until the ----- They lodged no ----- yesterday, but say that ----- protest the game should they do so it is understood Wesley will lodge a counter protest against Grant who is a senior.

The final standings of the Intercollegiate Junior Series 1903/04

| | P | W | T | L | GF | GA |
|----------|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| WESLEY | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 3 |
| MANITOBA | 8 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 9 |
| SCHOOLS | 8 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 20 | 17 |
| StJOHNS | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 36 |
| MEDICALS | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 11 | 20 |

March 14th 1904 STOBARTS WON.

On Saturday night at 6-30 in the Wesley rink there was a very interesting game of hockey between two teams representing STOBART SONS & Co and GAULT BROS; which ended in favor of Stobarts, the score being 5 to 1.

After the game the Stobart team, their officers and supporters repaired to Fort Garry Cafe where they wound up a very successful season.

March 19th 1904 LADIES PLAY AT WESLEY.

An enthusiastic crowd of spectators, a flutter of skirts and screams and a nine to nil score were the feature of a whirlwind hockey game at the Wesley yesterday afternoon, when two teams of girls from the Collegiate institute met to decide supremacy in other realms than lores and looks.

That education has a negative effect upon ability to play hockey was amply demonstrated by the fact that FORM A was able to so badly defeat the more highly developed intellects of the FORM 111 ladies.

The game arose from a rivalry that has been brewing all winter regarding the relative hockey abilities of the forms and attracted a goodly crowd of spectators every one of whom went away satisfied. For the winners Miss Bruce did most of the scoring, though all played well, while Miss Fernier for the Threes did the chiefest at keeping down the score.

The teams were:

| FORMS 11 | | FORMS 111 |
|------------------|----------|------------------|
| Miss THOMPSON | GOAL | Miss DUNFIELD |
| Miss BROWN | POINT | Miss HOWARTH |
| Miss M. McGREGOR | COVER | Miss FERNIER |
| Miss BRUCE | ROVER | Miss F. DUNFIELD |
| Miss E. BROWN | FORWARDS | Miss NAPPER |
| Miss C. McGREGOR | * | |
| Miss JACK | * | |

Mr Harrington of Wesley, did good work as referee and managed to keep the game going, though a good deal of his time had to be spent in assisting the fallen to rise, a feat he did not seem ill-disposed to perform.

March 22nd 1904 ICELANDIC CHAMPIONSHIP.

A fast game of hockey was played at the Wesley from 9 to 10 o'clock Saturday night between the VIKINGS and BUFFALOES, there was a large turn out of spectators to watch the game, and it was well worth seeing.

Both sides showed good form and played desperately as this match was the deciding game for the ICELANDIC CHAMPIONSHIP.

It has taken seven games to decide the competition this year, two games going to the Buffaloes, two were a draw and Saturdays night match making three wins for the Vikings.

The game was a fierce struggle and after ten minutes hard work ————— Erickson found the net for the winners by a swift shot from the side, it only took two minutes more for the Vikings to score again, Alex Johnson doing the necessary.

Now the play became furious and the referee had his hands full in keeping the game from becoming rough.

Wilson made a grand run down the ice and passed to Alex Johnson who again located the net, this ended the first half with things looking pretty blue for the Buffaloes.

The second half opened with Benson of the Buffaloes securing the puck from the face off and losing to C. Halderson, who made a dash nearly scoring the fourth. There were no more games made in this half, both sides checking too hard, and the whistle blew with the tally still 3 to 0 in favor of the Vikings.

The teams were:

VIKINGS

J. HALDERSON

T. ROLSTON

C. JOHNSON

C. HALDERSON

W. WILSON

A. JOHNSON

-. ERICKSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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BUFFALOES

W. DOLMAN

J. JOHNSON

M. JOHNSON

T. JOHNSON

L. FINN

A. ALBERT

W. BENSON

Sam Boswell acted as referee.

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December 10th 1904

Team representative of ROBINSONS and FORT ROUGE played the first hockey match of the season at Wesley rink on Thursday night. Fort Rouge won by a score of 5 to 2, at half-time the score being 4 to 0.

The following few articles contain the eligibility of the Maple Leafs and Kennedy's to join the Junior Amateur Hockey League of Manitoba.

To prove their worth in the league, these two teams had to play a "TEST GAME".

Maple Leafs would play Palaces and the Kennedys would meet the Crescents, both games being played at the Wesley rink.

December 8th 1904 TEST GAMES WILL BE PLAYED NEXT WEEK.

The proposed test games between the Palaces and Maple Leafs and the Crescents and Kennedys, which were billed for the latter part of this week, to decide the eligibility of the Maple Leafs and Kennedys to the junior league will not take place until early next week.

Both the Palaces and Kennedys asked for postponements of the games and this was accordingly conceded.

Each match will likely only last a half hour and will be played on Wesley rink. Immediately after the test games a meeting of the league will be held and the schedule for the season drawn up.

December 14th 1904 JUNIOR LEAGUE MEETS MONDAY.

Schedule will be drawn up and organization fully completed.

Test games will take place Friday night.

A meeting of the junior hockey league will be held on Monday night when the schedule for the season will be drawn up. On Friday night the test games between the Palaces and Kennedys and the Maple Leafs and Crescents will take place, and one of the most important matters at the Monday meeting will be to decide on the eligibility of the Maple Leafs and Kennedys to the organization.

When this matter is disposed of, the fixing of the schedule will be an easy matter.

The test games will take place in Wesley rink, the first of which will start at 8-45 o'clock. The second will start immediately at close of this match. Both games will last only one half an hour, it being thought that that time will be necessary to decide on their form.

December 17th 1904 **MAPLE LEAFS TO PLAY IN JUNIOR LEAGUE (DAILY TRIBUNE).**

By holding the Palaces down from scoring the Maple Leafs hockey club won their spurs in the junior hockey league last night. The match was a test game, and a satisfactory report will be made for the admittance of the Maple Leafs.

The match was played in the Wesley rink, and went forty minutes. The Maple Leafs claimed a goal in the first half, but this was not allowed, the final score standing a draw. The Maple Leafs showed wonderful speed, their ability to go up and down the ice rapidly, atoning in a large measure for their lightness. They also showed good combination, a feature which the palaces failed to star in to any great extent.

The Crescents and Kennedys were also to have played, to decide on the eligibility of the latter, but the Crescents failed to get their team out and the match was postponed until next Tuesday night.

The teams lined up as follows in last night's game:

MAPLE LEAFS

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| CULVER | GOAL |
| PENWARDEN | POINT |
| B. McINTOSH | COVER-POINT |
| J. JACKSON | ROVER |
| W. FINLAY | CENTRE |
| J. CADHAM | RIGHT-WING |
| H. McINTOSH | LEFT-WING |

PALACES

P. ELLIS
R. GREY
J. LAWRIE
HADDOCK
FRASER
TOBIN
BARRY

Referee A. McIvor.

December 17th 1904 **MAPLE LEAVES MAKE GOOD (FREE PRESS).**

The Maple Leaves, aspirants for the junior league membership, made good in their test game with the Palaces at the Wesley last night. Though the game was declared a draw, no goals being scored by either team, the Maple Leaves practically deserved a win, as they claim that in the first half they scored a sure goal which was not allowed.

The Maple Leaves are composed of rather a light bunch of players, but they make up for the weight in speed and by their playing last night should make a good showing in the league. The boys have played together since they were little fellows, and have now worked themselves up to junior standing. The two McIntosh's and Jackson showed good form while the reliable Frank Penwarden let nothing go past him at point.

The Palaces played a hard checking game, but had very poor combination.

Mr McIvor was referee and the teams were:

MAPLE LEAVES

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|-------------|------------|
| SCULLY | GOAL |
| PENWARDEN | POINT |
| B. McINTOSH | COVER |
| J. JACKSON | ROVER |
| FINLAY | CENTRE |
| H. McINTOSH | LEFT-WING |
| J. CADHAM | RIGHT-WING |

PALACES

ELLIS
GRAY
LAWRIE
HADDOCK
FRASER
BARRY
TOBIN

December 21st 1904 **KENNEDYS MAKE GOOD (FREE PRESS).**

The Kennedys won their right to junior standing last night, when at the Wesley rink, they succeeded in defeating the Crescents by a score of 4-2.

This was the test game to determine whether the Kennedys were speedy enough for junior company and as the Crescents played fast hockey in that league last year, the showing of the aspiring team was very satisfactory as they won the game on their merits.

The score at half-time was 3-2 in the Kennedys favor, and they scored the only goal in the second half. Pat Lake showed up in a very conspicuous manner for the winners, and Ashton also played good hockey for the Crescents, Bolton and the Marshall family of hockeyists were the pick of the bunch.

W. White was referee and the teams were as follows:

KENNEDY S

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| AITKEN | GOAL |
| GRUNDY | POINT |
| ADSHEAD | COVER |
| PRITCHARD | FORWARDS |
| LAKE | * |
| LEWIS | * |
| ASHTON | * |

CRESCENTS

WATSON
R. MARSHALL
J. MARSHALL (Jack)
T. MARSHALL (Tom)
HAMILTON
BOLTON
APPLEYARD

With the admission of the Kennedys and Maple Leafs to the Junior League makes it a seven club affair, so that owing to the inability to get ice, the teams will not be able to play a double series as originally planned.

December 21st 1904 **SEVEN CLUBS FOR JUNIOR LEAGUE (DAILY TRIBUNE).**

The Kennedys showed the necessary class in their test game with the Crescents at the Wesley rink last night, and will be admitted as a member of the Junior league.

The Kennedys won by a score of 4 to 2. They have a light and fast forward line, and a strong defence.

W. Whyte was referee, and the teams were:

KENNEDYS

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| AITKENS | GOAL |
| GRUNDY | POINT |
| ADSHEAD | COVER |
| PRITCHARD | ROVER |
| LAKE | CENTRE |
| ASHTON | RIGHT-WING |
| LEWIS | LEFT-WING |

CRESCENTS

WATSON
R. MARSHALL
J. MARSHALL
T. MARSHALL
APPLEYARD
HAMILTON
BOULTON

Referee Billy Whyte.

Summary:

First half-- 1, Kennedy LAKE
2, Crescents T. MARSHALL
3, Crescents BOULTON
4, Kennedys PRITCHARD
5, Kennedys ASHTON.

Second half-- 6, Kennedys ASHTON.

SEVEN CLUB LEAGUE.

With the admission of the Kennedys and the Maple Leafs to the junior league will now embrace seven clubs. A meeting of the league will be held tonight at which organization will be completed and a schedule for the season drawn up.

The meeting will be held in the office of J. H. Cadham in the McIntyre block at 6 o'clock.

Owing to the difficulty in securing ice, a single schedule will be played making six games for each club.

The games will be played at the AUDITORIUM, MANITOBA and WESLEY RINKS⁵.

December 23rd 1904 **JUNIOR LEAGUE FIX SCHEDULE.**

Games are announced in the younger branch of the Manitoba League, season pens next Wednesday with VICS opposed to MAPLE LEAFS.

5 Six games were scheduled to be played at the Wesley rink.

Seven clubs compose the MANITOBA JUNIOR AMATEUR HOCKEY LEAGUE they are as follows:

CRESCENTS, PALACES, STRATHCONAS, ROWING CLUB, VICTORIAS, KENNEDYS and MAPLE LEAFS.

December 27th 1904 GLADSTONES WIN WITH ONLY SIX PLAYERS.

Playing six men to seven, the Gladstones won the second game in the series against Robinsons at the Wesley rink yesterday morning. The match was a hard one, the score being 1 to 0.

Roche was referee and the teams lined up as follows:

ROBINSONS

EGGERTSON

CAMPBELL

HOOVER

JULLINSON

McDONALD

SENNETT

DAVIS

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT

ROVER
FORWARDS

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GLADSTONES

IRVINE

SMITH

FITZGERALD

IRVINE

NASH

BUCHARD

December 29th 1904 TROPHY FOR WHOLESALERS.

Heads of firms of Hardware League approached to present cup.

Strict residence clause observed in the rejuvenated hockey organization.

The WHOLESALE HARDWARE HOCKEY LEAGUE is probably on a better basis this year than ever before in the history of the organization. Last season this league was defunct, but this year, owing to the energy displayed by a few of the more enthusiastic hockeyists in the different houses, the league is doing business again with greater prospects of success than ever.

The clubs composing the league are as follows:

MARSHALL-WELLS, GEO D. WOOD, JAS ROBERTSON, MERRICK-ANDERSON and J. H. ASHDOWN.

The officers are: President, W. B. TOWERS; Vice-president, T. J. MOLLOY; Secretary-treasurer, R. DAVIDSON; Executive committee, A. AUGER (Ashdown), D. J. HUMPHREY (Merrick-Anderson), T. D. VAN EVERY (Marshall-Wells), H. H. TRIGGE (Wood), W. E. TAMBLING (Robertson).

The league will play a double schedule of games, all of which will be pulled of at the Wesley rink.

A definite time has not been set for each match, last nights opening contest being played during the practise hour of the Merrick-Anderson seven.

The schedule has been prepared, however pending the final fixing of the time by the rink management.

The league has no trophy to battle for yet, the silverware emblematic of the championship going to the Merrick-Anderson club when they took the premier honors a couple of years ago.

The officers of the league, however have approached the heads of the different firms represented in the league, and hope for favourable replies.

Next season it is thought that the league may be on a much sounder basis and that more satisfactory arrangements can be made.

The league is having neat little booklets printed containing the schedule, officers of the league and various clubs and constitution.

It is proposed at the end of the season to hold a banquet at which the trophy will be presented to the winning club and the year dittingly closed.

The constitution of the league stipulates that the secretary of each club must provide the secretary of the league and the other teams with a list of players eligible to play.

All players must be bona-fide employees of the respective houses fifteen days prior to their eligibility to play.

Protests must be filed within forty eight hours after playing of the game, and the executive in turn must be called to consider the same within another forty eight hours.

December 30th 1904 **HARDWARE LEAGUE OPENS THE SEASON.**

The Wholesale Hardware Hockey League got away to a good start Tuesday night when the opening game of the season was played between sevens representing Merrick-Anderson and Marshall-Wells. The final score was a tie 4 all, the match was played at Wesley rink and was hotly contested throughout.

December 31st 1904 **PLAYED TO A TIE.**

The James Robertson Co Ltd and the J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co played a closely contested game of hockey at the Wesley rink last evening. The game was fast and the checking very close and when time was called the score was 0-0.

The regret of the teams was that the rink management could not be prevailed upon for an extra ten minutes to decide the game.

January 5th 1905.

A very unfortunate accident occurred on Wesley rink last evening when Earl Duffin a Wesley College student had his shoulder dislocated. The accident occurred during a practice hockey game of the students. It will be some time before Duffin will be able to get back at the game and as he is one of Wesleys best senior players he will be much missed by the team.

January 6th 1905 **KENNEDYS EASY WIN FROM THE OARSMEN.**

The Kennedys easily defeated the Rowing Club in a junior game at the Wesley rink last night, the Oarsmen had difficulty in getting together a seven, and when the smoke of battle cleared away, had the short end of an 8 to 1 score.

The tally at half-time was 3 to 0.

Les Robinson was referee. The Kennedys played a fast consistent game.

The teams were as follows:

ROWING CLUB

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|----------------|-------------|
| DUFF | GOAL |
| KELLY | POINT |
| PATTINSON | COVER-POINT |
| SAM DELMAGE | ROVER |
| BILLY FINLAY | CENTRE |
| GERRY ALDOUS | RIGHT-WING |
| ROBERT MANNING | LEFT-WING |

KENNEDYS

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|-----------|
| AITKENS |
| GRUNDY |
| ADSHEAD |
| PRITCHARD |
| LAKE |
| ASHTON |
| JOHNSTON |

Summary--- First half- 1. Kennedys (LAKE) 2. Kennedys (LAKE) 3. Kennedys (ASHTON).

Second half- 4. Kennedys (PRITCHARD) 5. Rowing Club (FINLAY) 6. Kennedys (ASHTON)

7. Kennedys (LAKE) 8. Kennedys (PRITCHARD) 9. Kennedys (PRITCHARD).

Lake 3 goals, Pritchard 3 goals and Ashton 2 goals.

The following report was the Free Press version with some player differences.

KENNEDYS EASY WIN---- The junior hockey game between the Kennedys and Rowing Club at the Wesley rink last night proved quite a fizzle as the Rowing Club had a hard time to scrape a team together and when they did, the bunch proved easy to the Kennedys, who put it over the Oarsmen by a score of 8-1 The Kennedys played a fast game throughout. The half-time score was 3-0, Les Robinson of the Victorias was referee and the teams were:

KENNEDYS

AITKENS
GRUNDY
ADSHEAD
PRITCHARD
LAKE
JOHNSTON
ASHTON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

ROWING CLUB

DOWLER
KELLEY
PATTINSON
FINLAY
DULMADGE
WRIGHT
STEAD

January 12th 1905 KENNEDYS WON EASILY.

The Kennedys put it all over the Maple Leafs in a junior league game at the Wesley rink last night, the score being 4-0 in their favor.

The teams were:

KENNEDYS--- Goal, AITKENS; Point, S. GRUNDY; Cover-point, A. ADSHEAD; Rover, J. PRITCHARD; Centre,

L or D. LAKE; Right-wing, H. ASHTON; Left-wing, ALMER JOHNSTONE.

MAPLE LEAFS--- Goal, F. FINDLAY; Point, P. PENWARDEN; Cover-point, B. McINTOSH; Rover,

JOHN JACKSON; Centre, H. McINTOSH; Right-wing, J. CADHAM; Left-wing, J. BENSON.

H. Flett, Referee.

January 16th 1905 WESLEY WINS FROM ST JOHNS.

The intercollegiate hockey series was opened Saturday morning with a junior game at the Wesley rink between the Wesleys and St Johns.

Wesley won by a score of 5 to 2, the score at half-time being 4 to 0.

The game was somewhat rough, six penalties being inflicted on Wesley players for actions outside the code while two St Johns players were penalized.

Wesley seven won on their merits, their combination work was far superior to that of St Johns, who practically depended on their individual work.

Johnston of Manitoba College was referee, and he had his hands full.

The teams lined up as follows:

ST JOHNS

GANNON
FULLER
BOYD
CALDWELL
BANNERMAN
BISHOPRIC
MORTON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
CENTRE
ROVER
LEFT-WING
RIGHT-WING

WESLEY'S

AITKENS
GRUNDY
TRELEAVEN
DYKE
PRITCHARD
JOHNSTON
B. HOGARTH

GAME IN HARDWARE LEAGUE.

At the Wesley rink Friday evening the Jas Robertson company defeated Geo D. Wood & Co in the second game of the league⁶ by a score of 3 to 2.

Mr Harkness acted as referee and the line-ups were as follows:

G. D. WOOD Co.

T. HODGSON
D. A. FERGUSON
H. H. TRIGGE
S. A. FOX
J. FEIR
W. WATT
H. G. PHILLIP

GOAL
POINT
COVER
FORWARDS
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ROBERTSON Co.

A. SCRIMES
W. E. TAMBLING
L. McKENZIE
D. A. CROTHERS
E. M. ELLIOT
A. EMMONS
T. LECKLE

BOARDING HOUSE GAME.

The spectators at Wesley rink Saturday evening were treated to one of the swiftest and cleanest games of hockey that it has fallen to the lot of admirers of the game to witness so far this season, when two teams picked from those who appense their appetites at 61 Adelaide Street, struggled through a game that was nerve racking in its pace and were satisfied only when the score stood 11-7 in the Heavy eaters favor, and the referee decided that further strife was unnecessary.

The two teams boasting in the names of 'HEAVY EATERS' and 'LEAVE NOTHING'S' were lined up by referee McManus and collided in the following order:

HEAVY EATERS

J. McMANN
LONGMORE
GOOD
BOX
CAMPBELL
T. McMANUS
A. N. OTHER

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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LEAVE NOTHINGS

JOHNSTON
DALZELL
McCORMICK
McKENZIE
THOMLINSON
BOSSOMS
SMALE

Johnston in goal for the Leave Nothings proved a veritable stone wall and his abilities as goal-minder proved no small factor in holding down the score.

Campbell rushes were irresistible and his try-out in this game left no doubt as to his chances for catching a place on this all-star aggregation. After the game a note of defiance was sounded, challenging any team which has applied for admission and has been accepted to the Boarding House League to a game, the losers to put up the peanuts, popcorn or crackerjacks.

January 17th 1905 MERRICK-ANDERSON WIN HOCKEY FIXTURE.

In the Wholesale Hardware Hockey League last night the Merrick-Anderson seven defeated the J. H. Ashdown septette at the Wesley rink by a score of 3-0. The game was very fast, Moore scored the first tally for the winners, and Humphrey the other two. The teams were as follows:

ASHDOWN

PETERS
McDONALD
TOWERS
FORD
McROBIE
AUGER
MAITLAND

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

MERRICK-ANDERSON

CAIL
MALEY
SREATON
MARTIN
HESSIAN
MOORE
HUMPHREY

January 20th 1905 PHARMACY 4 MANITOBAS 2.

The Pharmacy hockeyist's got a good start in their first game of the Intercollegiate junior league yesterday afternoon defeating the Manitoba's at the Wesley rink by a score of 4-2.

The Pharmacy boys all played a consistent game throughout and they used their extra weight to advantage. The Tobas played a plucky game, but were weak in the rush line.

The teams were as follows:

PHARMACY

McKAY
ROBALT
BELLAMY
MARLIN
HALI
McMULLEN
BEIRNES

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

MANITOBA

BELL
WINKLER
KELLY
WINKLER
FRANK
McMILLAN
SKENE

January 21st 1905. (Tribune).

JAMES ROBERTSON and MERRICK-ANDERSON played a game in the Wholesale Hockey League at the Wesley rink last night, the score being 1 all, the game was rough but hotly contested.

SHORTHAND MEN TOO FAST FOR COMMERCIALS.

The shorthand department of the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE defeated a seven from the COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT in a game at Wesley rink this morning by a score of 8 to 3. The half-time score was 4 to 0.

H. Wood played a remarkably good game for the Commercial, while Foreman in goal also covered himself with glory.

The combination of the Shorthand department was much superior to that of their opponents.

A. Fitzgerald was referee and the teams were:

SHORTHAND--- LAURIE, Goal; FITZGERALD, Point; LENNIGAN, Cover; V. WOOD, Rover; BUCHANAN

Centre; GRIERSON, L-W; BERLIN, R-W.

COMMERCIAL--- FOREMAN, Goal; GILMAN, Point; GRIERSON, Cover; HAMELIN, Rover; HENDERSON

Centre; H. WOOD, L-W; McMILLAN, R-W.

January 23rd 1905 HARDWARE LEAGUE GAME. (Free Press).

The JAMES ROBERTSON Co and MERRICK-ANDERSON Co team came together Friday night at the Wesley rink in the fourth game of the Wholesale Hardware Hockey league, the game was rather rough on account of the heavy checking, but both the teams put up a good article of hockey. Each team tallied a goal in the first half and failed to add any more in the second half leaving the game a tie at the finish.

The Robertsons were at a disadvantage, their goalkeeper being away and having to take Crothers off the forward line to fill the place. The line up was as follows: CROTHERS, Goal; COLLINS, Point; McKENZIE, Rover; LECKIE, Centre; EMMONS, Right-wing; ELLIOT, Left-wing; TAMBLING

WESLEY JUNIORS WIN.

In the intermediate game between the WESLEY and MEDICAL teams played on Saturday morning, the Methodists won out by the comfortable margin of a 5-1 score.

The first half was closely contested but the second was all Wesley.

The teams were:

MEDICALS--- Goal, ROSS; Point, SWEET; Cover-point, BLAKELY; Rover, HUMPHREYS; Left-wing, McMILLAN;

Centre, McKAY; Right-wing, DUNN.

WESLEY--- Goal, AIKINS; Point, GRUNDY; Cover-point, TRELESVEN; Rover, PRITCHARD; Right-wing, NAY;

Centre, DYKE; Left-wing, B. HOGARTH.

January 27th 1905.

The St JOHNS defeated the MEDS in a junior game of the intercollegiate series at the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon by a score of 3 to 1.

The teams were:

MEDICALS

ROSS

SWEET

BLAKELY

HUMPHREY

McMILLAN

McKAY

DUNN

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

ST JOHNS

GANNON

MONTGOMERY

BANNERMAN

CALDWELL

BISHOP

MORTON

BISHOPRIC

January 28th 1905 COMMERCIALS WIN THE SECOND GAME.

The Commercial departments of the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE turned the tables on the Shorthand department players in a hockey game at Wesley rink this morning, the score was 5 to 3. At half-time it stood 4 to 1, the game was rough at times and several stops were necessary for minor mishaps.

The Commercials showed good combination, the Rapid Writers and Desk Men have now a win apiece and the third and deciding game on which hangs an oyster supper will likely be played with six men a side.

The teams were:

| SHORTHAND | | COMMERCIAL |
|------------|------------|------------|
| LAWRIE | GOAL | FOREMAN |
| FITZGERALD | POINT | GILMAN |
| BUCHANAN | ROVER | HENDERSON |
| V. WOOD | CENTRE | McMILLAN |
| BURLAND | LEFT-WING | WINTERS |
| GRIERSON | RIGHT-WING | H. WOOD |

Referee M. Faul.

WHOLESALE HARDWARE LEAGUE.

The JAMES ROBERTSON Co Ltd defeated the J. H. ASHDOWN Co Thursday at Wesley rink in the sixth game of the league by 1 to 0 after playing twenty minutes overtime, the game was fast throughout and the teams well ----- the defence being strong on each team.

During the first half, Robertson's had nearly all the play, but in the second half both teams took their share, and when time was called the score stood 0-0.

The rink management were kind enough to allow the teams to play off the tie, and after twenty minutes hard work, Emmons broke away and found the net with a long shot from cover.

Mr Mowatt acted as referee, and the teams lined up as follows:

| JAS ROBERTSON Co | | J. H. ASHDOWN Co |
|------------------|----------|------------------|
| ----- | GOAL | AUGER |
| ----- | POINT | McROBIE |
| McKENZIE | COVER | RUTLEY |
| CROTHERS | FORWARDS | FORD |
| L----- | * | POLTRAS |
| EMMONS | * | TOWERS |
| ----- | * | VINCENT |

January 30th 1905 HARDWARE MEN WIN.

At the Wesley rink on Saturday evening, representative teams of the MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE Co and WINNIPEG PAINT & GLASS Co met in a hockey match.

The game was fast and interesting throughout but the hardware men proved themselves the better team and when time was called were three up, the score being 4-1.

This was Miller-Morse combinations first game of the season and no doubt they will further display their capabilities on the ice during the remainder of the season.

OPERATORS PLAYED TO A TIE.

Saturday nights hockey match between the Brokers Operators and the Operators of the C.P.R. at Wesley rink, was hotley contested throughout. Percy Bowman was at the rink side and coached his contingent well, although the C.P. boys were short a man to within ten minutes of time. They held the 'Chalk Chasers' down to 3-3, when the lights were turned out, the game had not gone its full course, and the tie will be played off this week. Duff of the C.P. assisted the Brokers, owing to Bowmans sprained wrist.

January 31st 1905 **THE OPERATORS AT PLAY.**

Another report of the Operators hockey game of Saturday has been handed in, it is as follows:

An exciting game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink Saturday night after 10 o'clock, between the **BROKER OPERATORS** and the **C.P.R. TELEGRAPHERS**.

Owing to a lack of previous arrangement, there was a shortage of umpires and also time. The play lasted about 35 or 40 minutes and was played without half-time. The final score was decided upon as a tie 3-3, but the '**CHALK SLINGERS**' as the brokers designate themselves, claim that they were not allowed a goal that they scored.

Being confident of being able to 'Mark Up' a few on their opponents, however they decided to let the game go as a tie and play it off some night this week at the Auditorium.

The **C.P.R.** men after about twenty minutes play awoke to the fact that they were playing six men to seven, and claim that this was the reason that they did not put the 'Chalk Slingers' out of business entirely.

Harry Sauls for the **C.P.R.** played a great game in goal, stopping many shots, but anyone familiar with Harry would wonder how a pant button could find the net with his body between the gate posts.

Glenn and Stewart for the brokers, put up a great game and the most of their scores were the result of the combined rushes of these two.

The tie will be played off some time this week at the Auditorium and much interest is displayed among the telegraph fraternity over the result, both sides claiming to be able to do each other up with ease.

January 31st 1905 **GREAT GAME IN WHICH THE JEWELLERS SHONE.**

It has just leaked out that there was held at Wesley rink on Friday night last a mix up that was said to be a hockey match between the front and back departments of the **D. R. DINGWALL** jewellery store.

The following were the players:

BACK--- **MISS BROUGHTON**, Goal; **NEIL**, Point; **GODDEN**, Cover-point; **H. WATT**, Rover; and the following

forwards, **W. DINGWALL**, **F. DINGWALL** and **JOHNSTON**.

FRONT--- **MISS McCOMB**, Goal; **HILL**, Point; **NEWMAN**, Cover-point; **COOK**, **EGINSON** and **GRIVY** forwards.

The score was 17 to 0 in favor of the Front Gentlemen and Ladies, the result largely being the inability of Watt to keep from falling on the ice and kicking goals for his opponents. **W. Godden** for the losers also ably managed to play all positions on the team except the one he was drawn for.

February 1st 1905 **THEATRE USHERS WON.**

The **USHERS** of the **WINNIPEG THEATRE** and the **BELL TELEPHONE** Company's team had a lively rough and tumble match at Wesley rink last evening and Manager Walkers representatives won out by a score of 5-2.

February 3rd 1905 **KIDS vs LOGANS.**

The '**De Kids**' hockey team have accepted a challenge from the '**De Logans**' hockey team for tonight at Wesley rink. The game will commence at 10pm sharp and promises to be a fast one as '**De Kids**' are out this year stronger than ever and '**De Logans**' although just organized, have some fast men.

February 4th 1905 **"DE KIDS" WON THE OYSTERS.**

The game between the **LOGANS** and **DE KIDDS** last night was a good brand of hockey. From the drop of the puck there was something doing.

Drummond in goal for '**De Kidds**' made many good saves, **Quinn** at point was strong and **Cann** was by all odds the most dangerous forward.

For the **Logans**, **Campbell** and **McKenzie** played strong aggressive hockey and shot after shot were directed hot on the goal. **Dalziel** at defence showed good form.

At the close, the game stood 3 to 1 in favor of 'De Kidds' after which all repaired to the residence of Mrs Logan, 61 Adelaide St, where an oyster supper had been kindly prepared by the hostess and the Logan hockey team.

Supper, speeches and 'Auld Lang Syne' concluded a jolly good evening.

February 4th 1905 **COMMERCE TEAM WON.**

In an exhibition game of hockey played at the Wesley rink on Thursday evening, the **BANK OF COMMERCE** seven defeated the **WESLEY INTERCOLLEGIATE** team 3-0.

The bankers were strengthened by the prescence of Verner Gordon on the forward line, he now being a Commerce employee. The Wesley's were short Smith, their strongest player.

February 6th 1905 **GREENSHIELDS MEN PLAY.**

The **OFFICE** and **WAREHOUSE** hockey teams of the **GREENSHIELDS WESTERN Ltd**, played a friendly game of hockey Saturday afternoon at Wesley rink. The score was 5-2 in favor of the Office men.

The teams were:

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| CUNNINGHAM | GOAL | BARKER |
| COLLETT | POINT | OVENS |
| SCHULTZ | COVER | MULVEY |
| SHANNAN | FORWARDS | McKEOWN |
| MACINTOSH | * | ZIMMERMAN |
| JOHNSTON | * | SLOCUM |
| GALLAGHER | * | KNOWLAND |

Mr Stuart M. Campbell refereed in a very satisfactory manner.

February 7th 1905 **SPEED SKATERS WILL PLAY IN HOCKEY MATCH.**

Three⁷ fast hockey games are billed for the appetites of the hockey fans at the Wesley rink tonight.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock the employees of **DUNC. CAMERON'S TAILOR SHOP** and **McCULLOCH & BOSWELLS REPAIR SHOP** will clash in what is expected to be a record game.

The match will be featured in that two of the fastest skaters now on the continent will figure in the match, **JACK McCULLOCH** and **OLAF RUDD**.

JIMMY BOSWELL, another skater of some prominence will also chase the puck.

February 8th 1905.

McCULLOCH & BOSWELL vs **D. CAMERON** played a tie game, the score one all, last night at the Wesley rink. The feature was the playing of **JACK McCULLOCH** and **OLAF RUDD**.

February 10th 1905 **MAPLE LEAFS 1 STRATHCONAS 0**

The Strathconas and Maple Leafs played a very close game in the junior league series at the Wesley rink last night, the latter winning out by one goal which they secured just five minutes before time was up, this being the only score of the game. Hy Nesbitt who usually plays rover for the Strathconas, was unable to play on the account of sickness and they were somewhat handicapped without him. Both teams played good clean hockey, and it was anybody's game almost from the start. In the second half both teams started out determined to win, and the last fifteen minutes especially was fast.

Both goals were in danger a number of times and both goal keepers made some splendid stops. About five minutes before time was up Bert McIntosh the Maple Leaf right wing secured the puck after a short scrimmage close to the Strathconas goal and put in the winning shot.

Lee Barrie of the Palaces acted as referee and lined the teams up thus:

7 Two of the games are from the Wesley Cup Series.

MAPLE LEAFS

C. CULVER
F. PENWARDEN
H. FLETT
JOHN JACKSON
B. McINTOSH
H. McINTOSH
JIM JACKSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
RIGHT-WING
CENTRE
LEFT-WING

STRATHCONAS

GILDAY
LITTLE
ARUNDEL
MALTBY
SHEA
LEVENS
GORDON

February 11th 1905 GREENSHIELDS WIN OVER NATIONAL TRUST.

A very exciting hockey match took place at the Wesley rink when the NATIONAL TRUST met GREENSHIELDS WESTERN Limited. Both of these teams are composed of very skilful stickhandlers and the game was fast from start to finish. At full-time the score stood 2 all after 2 1-4 minutes play the dry goods men shot the decisive goal, winning by a score of 3-2.

The teams lined up as follows:

NATIONAL TRUST

G.W. LEWIS
S. H. MITCHELL
J. S. SALTER
R. E. SALTER
PAT LAKE
H. L. NIXON
A. A. SIMPSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

GREENSHIELDS

W. DOANS
W. MULVEY
E. MUNTON
H. MACINTOSH
R. H. ZIMMERMAN
S. McEWAN
G. GALLAGHER

For the National Trust, Mitchell and Lake were most noticeable while Munton and Macintosh were most aggressive on the Greenshield team.

WESLEY COLLEGE NOTES.

On Monday a game of hockey was played between the BANK OF COMMERCE and the WESLEY SENIORS, when the smoke of battle cleared away the Bank were found to be leading by a score of 3 to 1.

Wesley stalwarts were: goal, BENNETT; point, BURNETT; cover-point, GRUNDY; rover, HOGARTH; right, LANDON; centre, DYKE; left, HOGARTH.

IN THE COLLEGE WORLD—MANITOBA.

'Toba juniors defeated Wesley at hockey last Saturday morning on Wesley rink by a score of 2-1, while not particularly brilliant, the play was of good quality throughout and the success of our boys well earned.

February 14th 1905 KENNEDYS 4 PALACES 3.

The Palaces and Kennedys played one of the most exciting games of the Junior Hockey League series in the Wesley rink last night, resulting in a win for the Kennedys by a score of 4-3.

The score when time was called was three all and seven minutes extra were required to decide the winners.

It was one of the best exhibitions of hockey seen in the rink this winter. Harry Flett made a very efficient referee and lined up the teams as follows:

PALACES

STILL
LAWRIE
GRAY
HADDOCK
TOBIN
KEAN
BARRIE

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
RIGHT
CENTRE
LEFT

KENNEDYS

AIKINS
GRUNDY
ADSHEAD
PRITCHARD
ASHTON
LAKE
JOHNSON

The first half was all Palaces, and ended with a score of 2-0 in their favor.

In the second half however the Kennedys got right into the game at the start and scored their first goal about one minute after play had resumed. The Palaces came back at them shortly after and scored their third and last goal.

The Kennedys went after it then with renewed vigor, and scored two more goals in quick succession, thus tying the score and this tie was not broken until seven minutes overtime had been played.

February 17th 1905 **JUNIOR HOCKEY TEAMS IN HARD FOUGHT GAME.**

The CRESCENTS lost their Junior Hockey League game to the KENNEDYS last evening at Wesley rink with the score a tie 3 all at full time, it required forty minutes⁸ for the Kennedys to register the deciding point.

The game was remarkably clean considering the closeness of the score and the exciting nature of the play.

Both teams showed great speed, and the spectators were treated to a splendid exhibition of the game.

The match was the one postponed from last week.

As a result of their win the Kennedys are now in line for Championship honors. The win was the second of the week for them. The teams last night were as follows:

CRESCENTS

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| WATSON | GOAL |
| GILBERT | POINT |
| MARSHALL | COVER |
| KEAN | ROVER |
| APPLEYARD | CENTRE |
| HAMILTON | LEFT-WING |
| BOLTON | RIGHT-WING |

KENNEDYS

AITKENS
GRUNDY
ADSHEAD
PRITCHARD
LAKE
ASHTON
JOHNSTON

Referee H. Flett.

February 18th 1905 **BOARDING HOUSES PLAY.**

Two teams from LOGAN AVENUE BOARDING HOUSES had a red hot argument on the Wesley ice last evening. The one captained by Dr Dorman finally winning by a score of 2-1. It was full of ----- and fun.

February 22nd 1905 **PLAYED TO A TIE.**

The MAPLE LEAFS and CRESCENTS played a junior league fixture at the Wesley rink last night and after a game which was productive of rather slow hockey. The score ended a tie, each team scoring a goal.

The game was late in starting, and as a result the teams only played about 35 minutes. The Maple Leafs scored the only goal of the first half, Bert Hill getting in a long shot which found the net.

In the second half the Crescents in a pretty combination play, tied the score, Hamilton doing the necessary.

The teams were only allowed to play about three minutes longer, so the game had to go to a tie.

The Maple Leafs had the better of the play but they were off in their shooting, Hamish McIntosh was the best of their bunch, though his brother Bert backed him up well.

Of the Crescents Bert Bolton and Appleyard were the pick.

W. J. Finlay was referee, and the teams were:

CRESCENTS

| | |
|--------------|----------|
| SHAW | GOAL |
| GILBERT | POINT |
| T. MARSHALL | COVER |
| H. KEAN | FORWARDS |
| F. APPLEYARD | * |
| HAMILTON | * |
| BOLTON | * |

MAPLE LEAFS

FINDLAY
PENWARDEN
HILL
J. JACKSON
H. McINTOSH
B. McINTOSH
CADHAM

8 The Free Press article quoted six minutes extra play.

GIRLS PLAY AT WESLEY.

Two teams of young ladies, the MAPLES and WESLEY COLLEGE GIRLS had a lively game at Wesley rink yesterday afternoon. There was some excellent hockey played, the Maples were finally victorious by a score of 3-0.

Miss Drewe found the net on both occasions and played a star game. Miss L. Marcy also put up a great game for the College girls.

The winning team was as follows: Goal, Miss McFARLANE; Point, Miss BROWN; Cover-point, Miss McROBIE; Rover, Miss DREWE; Centre, Miss C. McGREGOR; Left-wing, Miss M. McGREGOR; Right-wing, Miss COWELL.

February 23rd 1905 SCORE WAS TIED.

Hockey teams from LOGANS BOARDING HOUSE on Adelaide Street and KYDD'S on Elgin, crossed swords Monday evening on Wesley ice and after a fast hours play were unable to break the tied score, which stood 3 all.

The referee Stewart by name was unable to keep the opposing factions down to the rules which usually prevail at the game and as a result, considerable enmity was bred.

A conference it is understood will be held in the near future, as the score is in doubt, both teams claiming the game.

After the passage of arms, the teams were treated by hostess Kydd, to an oyster supper, where mid speech and song the utmost good feeling prevailed.

Campbell, McKenzie and McCormick, the Logan representatives were ever on the alert, their rushes always proving dangerous, while for Kydd's Quinn and Cann played well, the latter successfully tying the score.

Logans house was represented as follows: Goal, McMANUS; Point, WEAVER; Cover-point, DALZIEL; Forwards, CAMPBELL, McKENZIE, SMALE and McCORMICK.

February 24th 1905 H.B Co PLAYERS BEATEN.

An exciting hockey game took place Wednesday in the Wesley rink between teams representing the HUDSONS BAY Co and CAMPBELL BROS & WILSON.

The Royal shield men proved too strong for their opponents, defeating them by a score of 3-0.

The teams lined up as follows:

| <u>HUDSON BAY Co</u> | | <u>CAMPBELL Bros & WILSON.</u> |
|----------------------|------------|------------------------------------|
| BELLINGHAM | GOAL | ROBINSON |
| CAR | POINT | WHITTEN |
| TOGAN | COVER | ST MARS |
| NAIRN | CENTRE | DUFF |
| SMITH | ROVER | PERRY |
| ABRAHAM | RIGHT-WING | SHAW |
| HOSBOROUGH | LEFT-WING | JARVIS |

February 27th 1905 TWO BOARDING HOUSE SEVENS PLAY HOCKEY.

Two aspiring hockey sevens from Swanson's boarding house on Logan Avenue and Wilson's boarding house on Bushnell Street provided an hour and five minutes speedy going at Wesley rink on Saturday to the amusement of a good sized crowd and to their own satisfaction, there was no decision, although five minutes extra time was indulged in.

Neither side successfully found the nets in the first half and one score will go down in history for each seven in the second session. The match was a clean up affair and in this respect both sevens kept up their boarding house reputations.

F. Scone was referee and escaped with his life and two hockey sticks. The rival sevens have agreed to meet again on Saturday next at the same time and place, when they hope for a final settlement of their differences.

The teams were:

SWANSON'S

J. DESROSIERS
W. P. AGNEW
J. STEPHENSON
T. HOPE
G. CROSS
B. NIXON
C. MORGAN

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

WILSON'S

J. HUMPHREY
B. ROWLEY
W. MOORE
J. ELSON
F. RODGERS
E. WILSON
W. G. CODE

Referee F. Scone

March 2nd 1905.

Merrick-Anderson defeated James Robertson in a Wholesale league game after the carnival at Wesley rink last night by a score of 5 to 0.

The winners now lead the league.

March 6th 1905 LADY FACES PUCK; SWANSONS WINNERS.

Swanson's boarding house seven from Logan Avenue put the thing on Wilson's Bushnell Street septette at the Wesley rink on Saturday before these sevens met and played a tie game, one all and the match on Saturday night was accordingly of more than ordinary interest. All the scoring was done in the first half.

The feature of the game aside from the brilliant hockey was the presence of one of the lady boarders of the house who attired in hockey costume faced the puck and otherwise kept up the spirits of the Swanson stick-handlers.

She looked extremely cute in her natty costume and received probably more of the spectators attention than the hockey players themselves commanded.

The Swanson seven has received a challenge from the DAKOTA boarding house of Isabel Street and this will be taken up next Saturday night.

The teams were:

WILSON'S

HUMPHREY
ROWLEY
MOORE
ROGERS
NELSON
WILSON
CODE

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

SWANSON'S

DALROZIE
AGNEW
STEVENS
HOOPER
CROSS
MORGAN
NIXON

March 7th 1905 BOARDING HOUSE GAME.

For the second time this season the hockey representatives of the boarding houses of Swanson of Logan Avenue and Wilson's of Bushnell Street, met at the Wesley rink on Saturday night and as the first game resulted in a tie, it was a case of do or die with the teams on Saturday night to prove their supremacy.

The Swanson's bunch proved the better puck chasers, getting the big end of a 3-1 score. There was a large number of enthusiasts to cheer their respective teams, but the feature of the evening was the pretty mascot of the Swanson's, a nice young girl decorated up in all the colors to perfection. She started the game off by facing the puck with all the dignity of a Stanley Cup match.

The Dacotah House of Isabel Street are now hot after the Swanson's scalp, and a game has been arranged for next Saturday at the Wesley.

March 10th 1905 DOCTORS PLAY HOCKEY.

Wesley rink was the scene of a great game of hockey last evening between the HOUSE SURGEONS and the VISITING SURGEONS of the GENERAL HOSPITAL. The lively rooting of the nursing staff, who were present in force, added much to the interest of the game.

The visiting surgeons won by a score of 2-1.

The ambulance was not required.

The teams were:

HOUSE SURGEONS

| | |
|-------------|-------------|
| DR MYLKS | GOAL |
| DR AMOS | POINT |
| DR GILMOUR | COVER-POINT |
| DR GUNN | ROVER |
| DR PIERCE | CENTRE |
| DR CAMPBELL | RIGHT-WING |
| DR BROWN | LEFT-WING |

VISITING SURGEONS

| |
|--------------|
| DR WOOLIARD |
| DR VROOMAN |
| DR McNUNN |
| DR BURRIDGE |
| DR CLINT |
| DR HALFPENNY |
| DR FLETCHER |

March 17th 1905 PLAYED TO A TIE.

The SHAKERS and St ANDREW'S hockey teams played to a tie on the Wesley rink last night. The Shakers were the first to score and kept the lead until middle of the second half, when the saints got down to business and scored twice.

The game was tied twice during this half and stood 4 to 4 when the whistle blew.

E. Wilson acted as referee and the teams lined up as follows:

SHAKERS

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| BRADY | GOAL |
| CUTHBERT | POINT |
| ROSS | COVER |
| WOOD | ROVER |
| BERESFORD | RIGHT-WING |
| TUCK | CENTRE |
| HUSTON | LEFT-WING |

ST ANDREWS

| |
|----------|
| DUNN |
| SHARMAN |
| YOUNG |
| NELSON |
| MATHESON |
| HAMILTON |
| LOWE |

DRY GOODS vs STATIONERY.

The GAULT and CLARKE BROS and Co's hockey teams played their final game of the season on Wesley rink last night and it resulted in a win for the former by a score of 5-4.

It was a closely contested game, the score a half-time standing 3-1 in favor of the Clarke Bro's.

They failed to keep up their pace however in the last half, only scoring one more goal, while the Gaults piled up four.

Davis was the star of the Clarke team, while Stevenson in goal also put up a good game.

Allman and Johnson played well for the winners.

Browne, of the Wellingtons, acted as referee and lined the teams up as follows:

GAULTS

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| VAN HORNE | GOAL |
| SNOW | POINT |
| NICHOL | COVER |
| ALLMAN | ROVER |
| ATKINSON | RIGHT-WING |
| JOHNSON | CENTRE |
| CALDWELL | LEFT-WING |

CLARKE

| |
|------------|
| STEVENSON |
| DELAROCQUE |
| MATHESON |
| WAMKEN |
| DAVIS |
| DELTOR |
| PATTERSON |

March 18th 1905 ST ANDREWS WON.

A correspondent notes that the result of the game between St Andrews church and the Shakers on Thursday evening was incorrectly stated to have been a tie, as St Andrews scored during the five minutes overtime granted by the rink management.

March 20th 1905 BOARDING HOUSE GAME.

A team from SWANSON'S boarding house defeated a team from WILSON'S boarding house at hockey on the Wesley rink on Saturday by a score of 3 to 1.

The game was fast and interesting, but the losing team claim that the winners played picked men from the C.P.R.

Manager McIvor, of the Wesley rink stated on Saturday that next year he would offer a cup for competition among the boarding house teams.

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December 14th 1905.

During the evening a hockey match was played between teams representing ASHDOWN'S and CHRIST'S CHURCH, Ashdown's winning by a score of 4 to 2.

N. Galbraith of the Maple Leafs, refereed.

December 18th 1905 BUSINESS COLLEGE GAME.

Wesley rink has been the scene of several very interesting hockey matches between the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE and CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE teams this season.

The games were clean and fast and entirely free from roughness. One of the amusing features from an outsiders point of view was the generous applause given by the young lady 'rooters' of the respective colleges when a good play was made and their good natured squabbles as to which was the best player.

The line-up was as follows:

CENTRAL

W. BISSETT

F. NUNN

T. MAYNE

G. HARGRAVE

W. McFARLANE

R. MANSON

J. BROOK

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

WINNIPEG

R. D. CUTHBERT

H. ASHTON

E. NEWELL

A. J. McMILLAN

J. EMMA

H. BOWMAN

C. MURDOFF

Among the individual players, Capt. Ashton of Winnipeg and Capt. Hargrave of Central, deserve the title of 'Stars'.

McMillan showed considerable ability as a stick wielder and W. Bissett upheld the colors of Central in an able manner, both players proving themselves 'Professionals in Entryo'

Nine games have been played, of which six were won by Winnipeg and two by Central and one game disputed, as it was claimed that the puck did not go through the Centrals goal and though the referee decided in Winnipeg's favor, they allowed the game to stay 'disputed'.

R. J. Wilson, of the Kennedy hockey club refereed the games.

W. H. O` Sullivan, manager of the Winnipeg Business College is taking a lively interest in the matches and is creating great enthusiasm among his students.

BOARDING HOUSE TROPHY.

December 23rd 1905.

Manager McIvor, of the Wesley rink is endeavouring to awaken interest among the hockeyists of the Boarding Houses of the City and he has put up a cup for competition, it is now on view at the rink and is of a pretty design.

The competition is open to all Boarding Houses of the City and the rules are that the first team making an application will become the holder of the trophy and the other teams will challenge for it.

The games will all have to be played at the Wesley and arrangements will be made to have suitable hours for the matches.

The losers to pay for the use of the ice.

December 26th 1905.

By a score of 4 to 3 the KYDD Boarding house hockey club defeated the DONLEY Boarding house seven for the Cup hung out by the management of the Wesley rink yesterday morning.

The Kydd's now hold the cup, they are from 68 Dagmar Street, the Donley's are from 53 Ellen Street.

The Kydd boarding house seven, holders of the Wesley Cup⁹ are open to receive challenges from any boarding house seven in the City.

January 2nd 1906.

A real exciting contest resulted yesterday morning at the Wesley rink when the MAPLE LEAF juveniles and the USHERS¹⁰ played.

The game was of the rough-house variety and the boys flung their sticks around carelessly which made very bad feeling among the members of both teams.

The game resulted in a win for the Maple's by a score of 4-2.

January 4th 1906 PALACES 2 FREE PRESS 1

In the intermediate hockey series last night (Wesley) the FREE PRESS team was defeated by the PALACES 2goals to 1, after a hard struggle. As the score would indicate the game was closely contested, the result being in doubt until the timekeepers bell brought yells of triumphant glee from the supporters of the green shirted boys.

While both teams played hard aggressive hockey, they were weak in system of attack and an improvement will have to be made both in team play and shooting, if either one intends to be in the running for the championship.

The winners, having the pick of both the Palaces and Crescent teams have a likely line-up. Their forwards have ideas on combination but did not play effectively, probably owing to the close checking of the Free Press men.

Their cover-point Tom Marshall, is easily the star of the team.

It was evident the Free Press have material for a strong team, they have probably the heaviest line-up in the league, but none of the men were in proper condition for a hard game.

The two Flett's, Penwarden and Kirby showing good form at times.

In the first half the Free Press had slightly the better of the play and Kirby scored the only goal on a pretty rush. The second half started with a rush by the Palaces and Barry scored a quick goal.

The winning goal came shortly afterwards and was largely in the nature of a fluke, Gray the Palace point man lifting the puck the length of the rink right into the net. Owing to the miserable lighting the Free Press defence could not see the rubber and it rolled slowly into the net. The balance of the half was hard fought but neither team was able to score.

J. Pritchard of the Kennedy's was referee and the teams were:

FREE PRESS

HABKIRK

PENWARDEN

H. FLETT

D. FLETT

KIRBY

SAMSON

LAIDLAW

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

PALACES

SHAW

GRAY

MARSHALL

KEAN

APPLEYARD

L. BARRY

BOULTON

Umpires:- W. G. ALLEN and E. OXLEY

Time-keepers:- J. STEPHENS and C. TYLER.

9 Boarding House Cup.

10 Reported in the Tribune as the Usher's first defeat in two years.

January 4th 1906 STRATHCONA'S READY.

The Strathcona's are ready for their game with the Kennedy's tonight at the Wesley rink, which promises to be a fast exhibition of hockey. The Strathcona's have a line-up which they feel are capable of holding their own with any team.

The line-up: Goal, HOOPER; Point, FLEMING; Cover-point, MALTBY; Rover, NESBITT; Centre, LEVINS; Right-wing, SHIBLEY; Left-wing, ROLLO.

January 5th 1906 STRATHCONA'S 5 KENNEDY'S 4

Another fast game of hockey in the Intermediate series took place last night when the Kennedy's and Strathcona's met at the Wesley rink. Both teams were very evenly matched and it took overtime play to decide the winners, victory finally resting with the Strathcona's by a 5-4 score.

Both teams played real fast hockey and the large crowd in attendance saw a good game. The Kennedy's excelled in combination while the high commissioners were better individually.

The defences of both teams were the strongest points and Billy Hooper in goal for the winners carried off the honors of the evening by his brilliant work in the net. It was practically due to him that victory rested with his team. Maltby and Leavens also played strong games for the winners.

Of the losers Adshead was fast and sure and Pat Lake and Ashton also showed good form.

At the half-time count the Kennedy's led by a score of 2-1, but the second period found the Strathcona's playing stronger and the full-time score was four all. It took Leavens only three minutes over time to score the deciding goal.

The game was fairly clean until the latter part of the match when the boys got rather rough but referee Lorne Hannay¹¹ held them down well.

The teams lined up as follows:

KENNEDY'S

CULVER
WICKSON
ADSHEAD
LAKE
PRITCHARD
ASHTON
CALHOUN

GOAL
POINT
COVER
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

STRATHCONA'S

HOOPER
FLEMING
MALTBY
NESBITT
LEAVENS
ROLLO
SHIBLEY

January 9th 1906 JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE.

The opening game of the junior hockey league will take place at the Wesley rink tonight when the Maple Leafs and Crescents come together. The game promises to be a very interesting one as both teams are in fine condition.

There will be skating for the public on the outside ice as usual and a band will be in attendance.

January 10th 1906 MAPLE LEAFS WON.

The opening game of the junior hockey league series took place last night at the Wesley rink. The Maple Leafs and Crescents being the competing teams. The result was a victory for the Maple Leafs by a score of 4-1.

The game was a fairly good one for junior hockey and was well contested. The Maples forwards were too fast for the opposing line, which practically gave them their victory.

The winners played a strong game and they should be heard from before the finish of the season.

The half-time score was 3-0 and the second period resulted in each team tallying one.

Dan Flett was referee and the teams lined up thus:

11 Hannay, one of the Dawson City Seven who challenged for the Stanley Cup against Ottawa in 1905.

CRESCENTS

SHAW
GILBERT
KEMP
MARSHALL

KEAN

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
FORWARDS

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*

*

MAPLE LEAFS

FINDLAY
FAIRCHILD
SCORE
J. JACKSON
H. McINTOSH
JIM JACKSON
J. CADHAM

January 12th 1906 PUCKLETS.

The Kydd's boarding house hockey team were defeated last night at the Wesley rink in a friendly match with the representatives of the Street Railway Co. The score was 8-4.

January 13th 1906 IN COLLEGE HALLS-- WESLEY COLLEGE.

On Wednesday afternoon the skating rink (Wesley) was the scene of one of the bloodiest battles ever recorded in any history of any time. The occasion was the result of a challenge given by the students of the General course to those dreamers of the Philosophy course, to play a game of hockey.

The pace set was so fast that even the air was filled with smoke, when the smoke of battle had cleared away it was found that the General men had the big end of a score which stood 4-1.

January 15th 1906.

The Maple Leafs and I.A.C. come together in a junior game at Wesley rink tonight between 9 and 10 o'clock, there will be skating as usual on the outside ring.

January 16th 1906 BOARDING HOUSE CHAMPIONS CHALLENGE.

The Kydd's boarding house hockey team of Ellen Street will be pleased to play any other boarding house team of the City a game of hockey, for a silver cup which is donated by A. McIvor, of the Wesley rink and which they now hold.

The acceptance of the challenge may be made at the Wesley rink.

EASY WIN FOR THE MAPLES.

The junior hockey game at the Wesley rink last night between the Maple Leaf and I.A.C. teams proved an easy win for the former, the score being 6-1 in their favor.

The Maple Leafs led from the start and the Icelandic team had their troubles keeping the score down.

The half-time result was 3-1 and the winners notched three more in the second period.

Sam Boswell was referee and the winners lined up as follows: SHEPPARD, Goal; FINDLAY, Point; B. McINTOSH, Cover-point; JOHN JACKSON, H. McINTOSH, JIM JACKSON and J. CADHAM, Forwards.

January 17th 1906 WESLEY 7 ST BONIFACE 5

Yesterday afternoon on Wesley rink, St Boniface college made their initial appearance in intercollegiate hockey circles. Their opening game was the one in which they met Wesley's second team.

As St Boniface are putting in but one team, that in the junior series. They are an exceptionally strong for a junior team, however they were hardly as strong as Wesley's second team, as the score of 7-5 in favor of the 'red and blue' would indicate.

For a junior game the play was fast, both lines showing good speed and combination. St Boniface have a way of breaking away, the whole forward line being concerned that makes things dangerous for the opposing defence. As far as speed and stick-handling were concerned, they were much superior to Wesley.

The reason they lost the game was however due to the fact that they failed to get in upon goal, they shot from far out, this was the style of game in which Wesley shone particularly. For the winners, Culver at cover, bore the brunt of breaking up the opposing rushes and he certainly succeeded. Neff on the left wing was also especially effective. Both goal tenders had many opportunities to shine and both made several stops of shots that looked like counters. Conway playing at rover for St Boniface, certainly caused a lot of trouble for Wesley's defence, as he was fast and a very good stick-handler. Decosse who played right, also played a good game, as did Shea at cover.

St Boniface supporters some two hundred strong were seen marching down the street before the game in confident expectation that the rule 'that no admission be charged for junior games' would be adhered to, but were sadly disappointed on their arrival to find that the rink management wished to assess them twenty five cents a head, as most of them were but boys, they had to retrace their steps. However for a while they presented a unique sight at the rink door, their colors flying and all impatient to get in.

The teams:

| <u>WESLEY</u> | | <u>ST BONIFACE</u> |
|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| MCLAREN | GOAL | BARLIVEAU |
| H. DIXON | POINT | BEAUPRE |
| CULVER | COVER-POINT | SHEA |
| BARTLETT | ROVER | CONWAY |
| AIKINS | FORWARDS | DECOSSE |
| JOHNSTON | * | PICARD |
| NEFF | * | MONDOR |

| SUMMARY | MINS |
|----------------------------------|------|
| 1. ST BONIFACE.....CONWAY..... | 4.00 |
| 2. WESLEY.....JOHNSTON..... | 4.00 |
| 3. WESLEY.....AIKINS..... | ---- |
| 4. ST BONIFACE.....MONDOR..... | 7.00 |
| 5. WESLEY.....BARTLETT..... | 8.00 |
| HALF-TIME | |
| 6. WESLEY.....JOHNSTON..... | 5.00 |
| 7. WESLEY.....NEFF..... | 5.00 |
| 8. ST BONIFACE.....DECOSSE..... | ---- |
| 9. WESLEY.....NEFF..... | 7.00 |
| 10. ST BONIFACE.....CONWAY..... | ---- |
| 11. WESLEY.....JOHNSTON..... | ---- |
| 12. ST BONIFACE.....BEAUPRE..... | ---- |

January 18th 1906.

The challenge of the Kydd's boarding house hockey team, who now hold the cup donated by A. McIvor of the Wesley rink, has been taken up by two other houses. Mrs Small's boarders were the first to apply for a game, while the Iroquois Hotel team have also challenged.

January 19th 1906 INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY.

The Victoria-Rambler game and the Strathcona-Free Press games were played at the Auditorium, while the CRESCENTS¹² and KENNEDYS settled their differences at Wesley Arena.

KENNEDYS 7 CRESCENTS 4

The Kennedy's and Crescent's came together on Wesley ice, the Kennedy's taking the big end of a 7 to 4 score.

12 Article from Free Press dated Jan 6th 1906 reads The Palace hockey club, of the intermediate league have changed their name and will hereafter be known under the name of the Crescents.

The game was fast and clean, only three players being ruled off during the entire game. The teams:

KENNEDYS

CULVER
ADSHEAD
NICKSON
LAKE
PRITCHARD
ASHTON
BELIVEAU

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT-WING
LEFT-WING

CRESCENTS

SHAW
GRAY
MARSHALL
APPLEYARD
P. KEAN
BOLTON
H. KEAN

The following article is the more informative Free Press game report of the above match-up between the Kennedy's and the former PALACE hockey club.

KENNEDYS 7 CRESCENTS 4.

It started shortly after 9 o'clock, both teams very light, but they were speedy. The game was very clean, only three players being ruled off, as the boys devoted themselves to playing the game as it should be and it was about the fastest played at the Wesley rink this season. The stick-handling and skating of the players were superb and the shooting was also very accurate.

The score is a good indication of the play, the Kennedys having the better of the argument, but the Crescents were in the game all the time and pressed their opponents at nearly every stage. The Kennedys had a better combination than the North End team.

Little Pat Lake, as usual played the star game for the winners, by being altogether too fast for his opponents, Adshead also played a dashing game at cover-point, he being strong on checking and his many rushes helped the forwards a great deal.

Ashton and Beliveau did splendid work on the wings. Of the losers Tom Marshall was the star, he doing great work at cover-point, his blocking being particularly conspicuous.

Percy Kean on the forward line, showed good form, his pretty stick-handling being his strong point. Bert Bolton used his speed to great advantage on the wing.

The Kennedys secured the first three tallies of the match, and then the Crescents got busy and notched their first counter. The Kennedys came back at them for another tally and just before half-time the Crescents counted their second goal (4-2).

The second half was again in favor of the Kennedys, they getting three goals to two of the Crescents.

Charley Quinn refereed in a very impartial manner and the teams were as follows:

CRESCENTS

SHAW
GRAY
T. MARSHALL
APPLEYARD
P. KEAN
B. BOLTON
H. KEAN

GOAL
POINT
COVER
FORWARDS
*
*
*

KENNEDYS

CULVER
WICKSON
ADSHEAD
LAKE
PRITCHARD
ASHTON
BELIVEAU

BARRY
PHILLIPS

TIME-KEEPER
GOAL-UMPIRE

AITKEN
WILSON

January 20th 1906 PUCKLETS.

A hotly contested game of hockey took place at the Wesley rink last night between the Iroquois Hotel and the Kydd boarding house teams, resulting in a victory for the Iroquois by a score of 4-3. This is the first game in the competition for the Boarding House Series, which judging by the challenges received will be keenly contested.

The Kydd boarding house team got their trimmings from the Iroquois hotel seven last night by a score of 4-3. the Kydds fell down in the second half having the score 3 to 0 in their favor at half-time.

January 23rd 1906 PUCKLETS.

The MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE hockey team defeated that of the PHARMACY COLLEGE at the Wesley rink last night in a closely contested game, the score being 5-3.

Tonight at the Wesley rink the NORTHWEST LAUNDRY Co team will play a friendly game with the team of the MODERN LAUNDRY Co. The game will commence at 9 o'clock.

There will be skating as usual on the outside ice.

The junior game scheduled for last night between the STRATHCONA'S and MAPLE LEAFS at the Auditorium did not take place owing to the teams being unable to procure ice. The game however has been arranged to be played at the Wesley rink at 10 o'clock tonight.

January 24th 1906 MAPLE LEAFS WON ANOTHER.

The Maple Leaf hockey team are making a strong bid for the Junior Championship, having won their third straight game last night. The Strathcona's were the victims and the game was played at the Wesley rink, resulting in a score of 5-0 in favor of the Maples. The winners have a pretty fair defence but it is their forward line that is their strong point.

They are all young fellows but fast and aggressive players and they could easily class among any of the intermediate teams rush lines. Last night they rushed their opponents completely of their feet at all stages of the game.

The good work of the Strathcona defence was the only salvation for them that the score was not much larger.

The high commissioners forward line was lamentably weak and though they played a plucky game, they were not able to do anything of account against their opponents.

For the Maple Leafs, Bert McIntosh at cover-point played a dashing game, while his brother Hamish and Jim Jackson, on the forward line were very conspicuous in end to end rushes throughout the game.

For the Strathconas, Ford at cover-point, Craemer and Bradley on the forward line were the pick of the team.

Sam Boswell made a satisfactory referee, and the teams lined up as follows:

MAPLE LEAFS--- Goal, ELLIOT; Point, FINDLAY; Cover-point, B. McINTOSH; Forwards, J. JACKSON,

H. McINTOSH, JIM JACKSON and JOE CADHAM.

STRATHCONAS--- Goal, GILDAY(?); Point, ADAMS; Cover, FORD; Forwards, CRAEMER, POYNIZ, BRADLEY

and McKENZIE.

LAUNDRY MEN PLAY.

An interesting game of hockey was played at the Wesley last night between teams from the Northwest and Modern Laundries. An exceptionally fast exhibition of hockey was given, resulting in the Northwest team winning by 6 goals to 0.

The teams were as follows:

NORTHWEST LAUNDRY--- Goal, McQUATT; Point, RAVERLY; Cover-point, SANDERSON; Forwards,

ALDERSON, JOHNSON, HUSTON and STRATTON.

MODERN LAUNDRY--- Goal, MASTERS; Point, DAVENPORT; Cover-point, MUIR; Forwards, MATHEWS,

GINGRAS, McKENNY and OFFMAN.

The scoring was done by ALDERSON(3) STRATTON, SANDERSON and HUSTON one each. Sam Boswell made a satisfactory referee.

January 26th 1906.

The ST BONIFACE collegians hit their pace in their junior game with ST JOHN'S college at Wesley rink yesterday afternoon, winning out by the decisive score of 12 to 1. At half-time the score was 9-0. it was St Boniface all the way.

January 27th 1906 WESLEY COLLEGE.

The first of the hockey matches in the Class Championship series was played early in the week between the second and third years in ART'S, The third year confidently expedited a win but the 'Soph's' put up such a good argument that a tie was the result, score 3-3.

As time did not permit a play-off, the whole game will be replayed shortly.

The WINNIPEG PAINT & GLASS Co. hockey enthusiasts met defeat last night at the hands of the KYDDE BOARDING HOUSE aggregation in an 8-6 score.

The game was played at the Wesley rink.

January 31st 1906 KENNEDY'S DOWN SELKIRK.

Fish-town hockeyists beaten in intermediate game, the Kennedys registered a win over the Selkirk hockeyists in the intermediate game at the Wesley rink last night by a score of 6 to 4.

The visitors proved a husky aggregation, but Kennedys showed more speed and more polish in handling the stick and puck. Half-time score was 2 all.

A good crowd was out to see the match. Sam Boswell was referee and had the game well in hand, though the checking was hard at times. The teams were as follows:

KENNEDYS

A. F. CULVER
WICKSON
G. CULVER
PRITCHARD
LAKE
ASHTON
BELIVEAU

GOAL
POINT
COVER
CENTRE
ROVER
RIGHT
LEFT

SELKIRK

CAMBER
FISHER
LANGTON
COOK
LYONS
SMITH
SIMPSON

Referee Sam Boswell, goal umpires, Kennedys J. Wickson; Selkirk, McLeod.

SUMMARY.

First Half-- 1. Selkirk, COOK; 2. Kennedys, ASHTON; 3. Selkirk, LYONS; 4. Kennedys, ASHTON.

Second half-- 5. Kennedys, ASHTON; 6. Kennedys, BELIVEAU; 7. Selkirk, SMITH; 8. Kennedys, ASHTON;
9. Kennedys, LAKE; 10. Selkirk, LYONS.

The STREET RAILWAY team of the Wesley Cup Series put it over a scrub team by a score of 6-4 in a game at the Wesley rink last night.

February 1st 1906 MAPLE LEAFS JUNIOR CHAMPIONS.

Cinch first honors by defeat of Crescents last night.

The MAPLE LEAFS practically cinched the Junior Hockey League Championship by defeating the CRESCENTS in a hotly contested game at Wesley rink last night by a score of 1 to 0.

It was good hockey throughout and an appreciative crowd witnessed the efforts of the younger players.

The teams were:

MAPLE LEAFS

SHEPHERD
GALBRAITH
B. McINTOSH
JOHN JACKSON
H.M. McINTOSH
CADHAM
JIM JACKSON

GOAL
POINT
COVER-POINT
ROVER
CENTRE
RIGHT
LEFT

CRESCENTS

ELLIS
KEMP
KEAN
LECKIE
OXLEY
KENNEDY
GIBBONS

Referee- Barrie, Judge of play- Lee, Goal umpires- Maple Leafs, Porteous; Crescents, Miller.

February 2nd 1906 PUCKLETS.

On Wednesday night at the Wesley rink a hockey match was played between KYDD'S and WILLIAMS boarding houses, the latter playing under the emblem '7 MONKS' of MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE fame, and will did they uphold their colors, being always on hand to deliver the goods as is indicated by the score, which was 4-0 in their favor.

The Seven Monks who doffed their ecclesiastical gowns for the occasion were as follows: Goal, WEBERG; Point, ROBERTSON; Cover-point, PORTEOUS; Rover, MITCHELL (Capt); Forwards, ARMSTRONG, LAIDLAW and SMITH.

February 3rd 1906.

The boarding house hockey team from 127 KENNEDY STREET defeated that from 150 KENNEDY STREET last night on Wesley rink by 5 goals to 2. The stamp of hockey played was a worthy exposition of Canada's Winter Game.

The teams were:

VICTORS--BELLINGHAM, P. SMITH, BERNARD, CLARKE, HORSBURGH, SMITH and R. ELLMES.

VANQUISHED-- MOON, MERCEDES, JONES, WINFIELD (Capt), ROBINSON, FLANNIGAN and

O'HOOIHAN.

February 7th 1906 IDEAL 8 BANFIELD 1.

On Monday night at the Wesley rink, one of the most exciting games of hockey that has taken place this season was fought out, when the teams representing the IDEAL HOUSE FURNISHING Co. and the A. F. BANFIELD Co. struggled for supremacy.

This was the first time appearance on the ice of the Ideal team and judging from their work, they will be formidable opponents. They won out by a score of 8-1. A. Mclean was referee and J. St Mor's judge of play.

After the game the teams and their supporters sat down to an excellent supper at the Carlton.

Mr Fred Grundy, manager of the Ideal, presided and after the tables had been cleared, an excellent programme was put on, the following contributing; Messrs Grundy, Bert Parsons, Cops, Weldon, Sproule, Bell, J. Hall, Caldwell and Charles Parsons.

The teams were:

IDEAL-- Goal, McMULLEN(Capt); Point, WRIGHT; Cover-point, WELDON; Rover, HEPBURN; Centre, WATT,

Right-wing, WOODS; Left-wing, LIVINGSTONE.

BANFIELD-- Goal, SCOTT; Point, SMITH(Capt); Cover-point, HIBBARD; Rover, SWANSON; Centre, SIMPSON,

Right-wing, MONTEITH; Left-wing, TANNEY.

February 8th 1906 DRY GOODS vs STATIONERY.

The annual hockey match between the warehouse staff of GAULTS LTD, Wholesale dry goods and CLARKE BROS & CO. LTD, Wholesale stationers, took place last night at Wesley rink and an enthusiastic crowd including many ladies were present to cheer for their respective teams.

The teams lined up as follows:

GAULTS LTD

HARRIS

WREN !!!

ATKINSON

MITCHELL

DOERING

KENNEDY

CALDWELL (Capt)

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

CLARKE BROS & CO

STEVENSON

MATHESON

DELAROCQUE

DETLOR (Capt)

MACINTYRE

ELLIOT

PATTERSON

Referee, E. Johnston; Umpires, D. Mowat and Reicher (or Belcher!!!!); Timekeeper,
Mr Gollop.

Score 4-0 in favor of Clarke Bros & Co Ltd. During the first few minutes of play the game was rather erratic, but having got warmed up the Stationers managed to chase the puck through their opponents goal on three occasions.

A speedy combination between Patterson and Detlor was very noticeable, also pretty pieces of play by the wings Elliott and Macintyre, kept the game constantly on the 'qui vive'.

At half-time the score was 3-0 in favor of Clarks, Patterson being responsible for two and Elliott for the other one.

The second half opened with some strenuous work by Gault's Ltd forward line, and throughout the rest of the game the play was more even. Caldwell on the left wing for Gaults did some good individual rushing as did also Mitchell at rover, but they seldom passed Matheson, the tricky point of the stationery team. After a lapse of ten minutes Patterson scored another goal for the Clarks, after which the play was fast and furious for Gaults, but to no avail and the score remained 4-0 in favor of C.B & Co, until time was called.

After the match the winning team adjourned to Watson's Cafe, where they partook of a very sumptuous supper, at the conclusion of which a series of toasts, speeches and music by the members of the club wound up a very enjoyable evening.

February 9th 1906 PUCKLETS.

At the Wesley rink last night, the STREET RAILWAY hockey seven defeated that of the MARSHALL-WELLS Co. by a score of 6-1.

February 10th 1906 A C.P.R. GAME.

A warmly contested hockey match was played at the Wesley rink Thursday, when teams from the TRANSPORTATION and CAR SERVICE departments of the Canadian Pacific met in their first game of the season.

The game attracted much attention in railway circles, and all the contestants felt the results of the strenuous competition today. The game resulted 3 goals to nothing in favor of the transportation department.

The names of the men representing the departments in the game were as follows:

TRANSPORTATION--- R.J. LYDIATT; J. NELSON; WILKINSON; G. FORMAN; A. MAGUIRE; C.A. LYDIATT

and M. BIETTE.

CAR SERVICE--- J.A. BARRY; J.S. McNALLY; J. McMILLAN; W.J. MURRAY; J. ROBINSON; WHITE and

W. MARKINSKI.

February 16th 1906.

The DOMINION EXPRESS hockey team defeated a team from the IDEAL HOUSE FURNISHINGS Co. by a score of 4-2, after a hot contest last night at the Wesley rink.

February 17th 1906 IDEALS WON.

It was stated in yesterdays Free Press that the IDEAL HOUSE FURNISHINGS Co's hockey team was defeated by the DOMINION EXPRESS Co's team, whereas the shoe was on the other foot, the Ideal winning by a score of four to three. The winning team was composed of: Goal, McMULLEN; Point, PEARSON; Cover-point, WATT; Forwards, HEPBURN, GLENDENNING, LIVINGSTONE and WOODS.

February 22nd 1906 PUCKLETS.

A boarding house game was played at the Wesley rink last evening for the possession of the cup donated by manager McIVOR. The contestants were KYDD'S boarding house and a seven from 601 BALMORAL STREET.

The Kydd's won all the way by a score of 7-1. The winners are now open for challenges.

February 23rd 1906 PUCKLETS.

The meat dispensers of the J.Y. GRIFFIN Co. met in deadly combat last night against a combination from the GALLAGHER-HOLMAN MEAT Co., in a hockey match at the Wesley rink, there was a large crowd present from the respective establishments. The team with the jointed name had an easy win by a 14-1 score.

The R.A. ROGERS Co. hockey seven defeated the representatives from the A. McDONALD Co. by a score of 3-0 in a good game at the Wesley last night.

February 24th 1906 DOCTORS PLAY TONIGHT.

A hockey game of more than usual interest in pick-up games will be played tonight at the Wesley rink at 9 o'clock, when the doctors of the GENERAL HOSPITAL STAFF will play a team picked from the medical profession of the CITY.

Last year each team won a game and tonights fixture will be in real earnest. The teams will each be expected to furnish ambulances and special corp of nurses to attend to the injured.

The team representing the General Hospital will be: Goal, Dr MURDOFF; Point, Dr PIERCE; Cover, Dr A. CAMPBELL; Rover, Dr McDIARMID; Forwards, Dr's BROWN, HOPKINS and BAYLEY.

The CITY doctors have chosen the following well known practitioners to uphold their honor. They will draw for positions on the ice as each man is not fully confident of what place he can hold down. The team will be: Dr's GUNN, CADHAM, WOLLARD, VROOMAN, GILMOUR, McMUNN and BURRIDGE.

Dr England has been requested to referee and Dr E. W. Montgomery to act as judge of play.

February 26th 1906 HOSPITAL SURGEONS WON.

The annual game between the General Hospital house surgeons and a team representing the City Doctors, was played on Saturday night at the Wesley rink. After fifty minutes struggle the Hospital Doctors found themselves winners by a score of 5-1.

The game was entirely medical, all the players and officials being being Doctors and the hundred or so spectators being Doctors or Nurses. The first half was very even, each team scoring one goal. Dr Freddie Cadham doing the necessary for the City and Dr McDiarmid for the Hospital.

In the second half it was all Hospital and four goals were scored in twenty minutes, Dr A. M. Campbell and McDiarmid each scoring two.

The feature of the game was undoubtedly the work of Dr E.W. Montgomery as judge of play, he penalized players impartially for any offence, but experienced much difficulty in picking out the worst offenders.

For the City, Dr Woolard in goal, played a consistent game and Dr McMunn added weight to the defence, he incurred the displeasure of the judge of play a couple of times by falling down, for which he spent a couple of periods of reflection on the fence.

Dr Cadham, on the forward line found himself up against a tougher proposition than when he captained the VIC'S in Stanley Cup games but played a consistent game throughout, scoring the only goal for his side.

For the Hospital staff, Dr's Campbell and McDiarmid were easily the pick and were too fast for their opponents. The game was replete with humorous incidents and furnished much enjoyment for the players and spectators.

The penalties were as follows: McMUNN(3) CAMPBELL(1) GUNN(2) BAYLEY(2)
VROOMAN(1) CADHAM(2)

The teams and officials were as follows:

| <u>HOSPITAL</u> | | <u>CITY</u> |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| MURDOFF | GOAL | WOOLARD |
| McGILL | POINT | VROOMAN |
| CAMPBELL | COVER | McMUNN |
| McDIARMID | ROVER | GILMOUR |
| BAYLEY | CENTRE | CADHAM |
| PIERCE | RIGHT-WING | BURRIDGE |
| BROWN | LEFT-WING | GUNN |

Referee, Dr W. M Hart; Judge of play, Dr E.W Montgomery; Umpires, Dr's England and McGregor; Time-keepers, Dr's Rondeau and Andrew.

March 5th 1906 IN COLLEGE HALLS--WESLEY.

Another game in the inter-class hockey series was pulled off on Tuesday afternoon, when the juniors (3rd year) and the sophomores (2nd year) met in bloody combat, after the fray was all over it was found that the mighty thirds were the winners 6-1.

March 10th 1906 IN COLLEGE HALLS--WESLEY.

The inter-class championship in hockey has narrowed down to the finals. The third years worked their way into the finals on Tuesday afternoon by defeating Part 11 in one of the best games of the series by a score of 4-3.

March 13th 1906 CHURCH SEVENS PLAY.

CONGREGATIONALISTS put it over WESLEY by score of 8-2-- A hockey seven from Wesley and the First Congregational Churches settled their differences on the ice at Wesley rink last night, the latter winning out handedly by a score of 4 to 0. The hockey was hardly senior calibre but was interesting in many ways.

The winning team was composed of the following: Goal, C. SHANNON; Point, A. MUIR; Cover, G. WICKSON; Centre, P. THOMSON; Rover, J. WICKSON; Right-wing, C. WILLIAMS; Left-wing, G.P. MONACT.

March 15th 1906 DOMINION EXPRESS WON.

At the Wesley rink Tuesday night, the DOMINION EXPRESS Co. defeated the CANADIAN NORTHERN EXPRESS Co. in a hockey game by a score of 5 to 3. The play all through was fast, though considerably rough at times. It was no easy win for the Dominion's, the score being 2-1 against them five minutes before time was called.

For the 'PERRY'S' the two McDonalds and Lediard made the showing, the 'tall blonde' stopping many shots that looked like sure ones, Devlin, Burke and Moore, of the Clan Gordon did the needful and kept the ice clawed up in their vicinity.

Munton at goal, played a steady game, while Salisbury and Oxley where on the job when needed.

The only unfortunate incident in the game was in the last half when Sampson attempted to pull down the pillar of the temple, and Burke interfered, it looked like something doing for a moment, but was settled by arbitration.

Casson was the only man to decorate the fence, having made a face at the referee.

The teams were:

DOMINION--- MUTTON, Goal; SALISBURY, Point; CASSON, Cover-point; OXLEY, Rover; MOORE, Centre;

BURKE, Right-wing; DEVLIN, Left-wing.

CANADIAN NORTHERN--- LEDIARD, Goal; SAMPSON, Point; McDONALD, Cover-point; PORTER,

Rover; McDONALD, Centre; JOHNSTON, Right-wing;

McKEAGUE, Left-wing.

Referee- J. GARRITY.

March 17th 1906 IN COLLEGE HALLS--WESLEY.

The inter-class hockey championship has at last been decided and the lucky ones, Part 11 are wearing an eternal smile. Tuesday afternoon saw the deciding game, which by the way was the best of the series, between the third year and Part 11, after a hard struggle the Matrics won out by the narrow margin of 3-2.

RIVERSIDES vs CHRIST CHURCH.

CHURCH PLAYERS OUTCLASSED AT EVERY STAGE OF THE GAME.

An interesting game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink last night between the CHRISTCHURCH and RIVERSIDE hockey teams, resulting in a win for the Riversides by the score of 5-1.

The Riversides outclassed the Church boys at every stage of the game, their goal never being in any great danger.

For the losers S. BRANDON, J. SPEERS, and A.G. HAWLEY were the stars and for the winners, all the players shone.

The teams were:

CHRIST CHURCH

G. HAWLEY

B. WATTS

SPEARS

BRANDON

TAYLOR

BEAUMONT

DOIGE

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT

LEFT

RIVERSIDES

F. PALK

HARTSHORNE

O. MONTGOMERY

NUNN

MATTESON

ELLICE

C. MONTGOMERY

March 19th 1906.

On Saturday night at Wesley rink a seven from HINGSTON-SMITH took on a team from 92 ADELAIDE, the former going down to defeat by a score of 11 goals to 3 goals by the generous 92's. For the winners, Mitchell in goal and McComman at point were good and for the losers, Ryan was about the whole thing.

March 24th 1906 LADIES PLAY HOCKEY.

WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE BOYS ARE NOW TIED.

What proved one of the most interesting and fascinating hockey matches that has been seen on local ice this season, was played at Wesley rink this morning, when seven young ladies from the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE lined up against a like number of bashful youths from the same institution.

A decision was not reached, the score being 6 all at the end of full-time. This was the only regrettable feature of the game as the result leaves room for unlimited argument. Half-time score was 3-2 in favor of the Ladies.

The match was keenly contested and was not parlor hockey all the way either. The girls set a fast pace, Misses Drew and Hallen proving the most effective players.

For the boys, Young at rover and Marquis at left-wing, showed up strongly. Horseman of the boys was sent to the fence on several occasions for tripping.

The teams were:

LADIES

CREIGHTON

GALBRAITH

DREW

LORIMER

DAVID

HALLEN

LITZER

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

BOYS

GORDON

HOOPER

HORSEMAN

YOUNG

WILSON

FARQUSON

MARQUIS

Referee-- Mr Saul, Judge of Play-- Mr Gibson.

March 31st 1906.

The Silver Cup donated by Captain Thacker R.C.M.R for the winning team in hockey series, has been captured by Sergeant Head's team.

Two teams were picked and were captained by Sergeant-Major Square and Sergeant Head. The first two games resulted in a tie, so to decide the honors a third game was played at the Wesley rink and Head's men certainly came out 'ahead' by acting on the 'square' and gaining 3 goals to nil.

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December 4th 1906.

The third year team of Wesley College defeated the fourth year 3-2 at the Wesley rink yesterday.

December 10th 1906.

A well contested game was played on Saturday afternoon at the Wesley rink between the TRUSTS and CIVIC clubs, resulting in a victory for the latter by four goals to three. The teams were so evenly matched that it is somewhat (invidious) to name any single member as being a better player than the other, but Wyatt and Hooper for the Civics and Spangenburg and Mondour for the Trusts were exceptionally good.

Dr Finkelstein acted as referee.

December 15th 1906 **MILLER-MORSE WON.**

The first game of the season under the auspices of the Wholesale Hardware Hockey League was played Thursday at Wesley rink, when the MILLER-MORSE team (last years Champions) played ASHDOWNS.

The game was very fast throughout but the Miller-Morse boys played the better game and eventually won out by 2 goals to 0. The teams line up as follows:

MILLER-MORSE Co.--- H. WHINNERY, Goal; J.H. FOULDS(capt.), Point; F.N. ROWAT, Cover-point; A.A. ROSE,

Rover; H. KERR, Centre; E. THERRIN, Right; O. INGO, Left;

J.H. ASHDOWN Co.--- N. BELL, Goal; R. GREGG, Point; C. SCREATON, Cover-point; Ed MARTIN, Rover;

S. MORRISON(capt.), Centre; G.H. McROBIE, Right; W.J.

MORRISON, Left;.

Mr Tom Hodgson was referee.

December 18th 1906 CIVICS versus TRUSTS.

The return match between the Civic and Trust clubs took place on Saturday evening at the Wesley rink and resulted in a somewhat easy win for the Trusts by six goals to one.

In the first half of the game, honors were fairly evenly divided but in the second half the Trusts had it all their own way.

The play of Ray Salter and Mordour for the Trusts calls for special mention and the excellent play of Turner for the Civics was deserving of better results.

D. Finklestein refereed the game in his usual efficient manner.

December 20th 1906.

Two games of hockey were played at the Wesley rink last night and were hotly contested. The GRAIN EXPORTERS defeated the GRAIN-BROKERS by a score of 7-4 in the Grain Exchange League.

The T. EATON team defeated the ST STEPHENS CHURCH team by a score of 4-2.

December 21st 1906 MARSHALL-WELLS WON.

The MARSHALL-WELLS defeated the KEMP MANUFACTURING Co. in a Hardware League hockey game last night by the score of 2-1, after the best game of the season in this league. The game was played at the Wesley rink and was a hotly contested match from start to finish. The half-time score was a tie, one all.

The teams lined up as follows:

KEMP-- WLEDMAN, Goal; PATTERSON, Point; STOVEL, Cover-point; HUPP, Rover; PATTERSON, Centre;

ELLIOT and BERTRAND, Wings.

MARSHALL-WELLS-- SMITH, Goal; MILLER, Point; W. LEE, Cover-point; NASH, Rover; COOPER, Centre;

DAVID and GALUSHA, Wings.

December 27th 1906 TELEPHONE TEAMS PLAY.

An exciting hockey match was pulled off Christmas morning at the Wesley rink, when the RACK-ROOM and the INSTALLATION department, both of the BELL TELEPHONE Co. met in mortal conflict to settle a long existing feud.

The play throughout was of Stanley Cup style and sensational rushes were features on both sides, every effort individually being loudly applauded by the vast multitude present.

At half-time the result was still in doubt, neither team being able to find the net, though the call of time found the rack room down and out by a three to nothing score.

The teams were:

INSTALLATION DEPT

SPRINGATE

McROBIE

MURDOLF

YOUNG

LEE

ALCOTT

HOUSTON

GOAL

POINT

COVER

ROVER

CENTRE

LEFT

RIGHT

RACK-ROOM

TUFTS

O`BRIEN

McMILLAN

RICHARDSON

LEADLY

ROTHWELL

BROWN

January 3rd 1907 TRUSTS vs GRAIN EXCHANGE.

The National Trusts team and the Grain Exchange seven lined up as follows:

TRUSTS-- Goal, McMICHAEL; Point, MITCHELL; Cover-point, J. SALTER; Rover, R. SALTER; Centre,

JOHNSON; Right-wing, NIXON; Left-wing, MOUDON.

GRAIN EXCHANGE-- Goal, BERNHARD; Point, BRETT; Cover-point, CARTER; Rover, BOSSENBURY;

Centre, BALDERSON; Right-wing, BARRIE; Left-wing, MURPHY.

This game was a fairly good exhibition of clean, fast hockey and was free from penalties, resulting in favor of the National Trusts seven by a score of 5-3.
S.R. Laidlaw refereed.

January 5th 1907.

The MILLER-MORSE Co. and KEMP MANUFACTURING Co.'s team met at Wesley rink Thursday night in a Wholesale Hardware League match. The Miller-Morse team had the best of the game all through and finished out easy winners by 8 goals to 0.

January 7th 1907 SHOEMEN WON.

A friendly game of hockey was played Friday at Wesley rink, between the wholesale firm of CAMPBELL BRO'S & WILSON and the JAS McCREADY Co. Ltd.

The Shoemen proved too strong for the Royal Shield men and after a very exciting game won out, score 6-4.

The winners lined up as follows:

Goal, H. FOG; Point, A.J. MILLS; Cover-point, CHAS FORWARD; Rover, F.M. LOGAN; Centre, C.C. CONGDON; Left-wing, E. WELDON; Right-wing, H.E. WELDON.

January 11th 1907 MARSHALL-WELLS WON.

The MARSHALL-WELLS and GEO D. WOODS hockey teams had a battle Royal at the Wesley rink last night in a Wholesale Hardware game. At the call of time the score was a tie, each team having scored three goals and it took 25 minutes extra time for the Marshall-Wells to score the winning goal.

The game was a fast one and a large crowd was out to see the game. The teams were:

GEO D. WOODS Co.— LEACH, Goal; FERGUSON, Point; CORDINGLEY, Cover; Point, SCRIMES; WATTS,

WAUGH and DUNFIELD, Forwards.

MARSHALL-WELLS— SMITH, Goal; PRATT, Point; LEE, Cover-point; NASH, COOPER, DAVIDS and STOREY

Forwards.

Referee— Sam Boswell.

January 12th McCREADY Co. WON.

The JAMES McCREADY Co. and HUDSON ELECTRICAL Co. hockey teams played a practice game at the Wesley rink last night, which resulted in a win for the McCready Co. by the score of 11-5, after a good fast game.

The teams were as follows:

JAMES McCREADY Co.— H. FOGG, Goal; E. SMALL, Point; C. FORWARD, Cover-point; W. PEARSON, Rover;

F. LOGAN, Centre; F. HUESTON, Left-wing; E. WELDON, Right-wing.

HUDSON ELECTRICAL Co.— J. SMITH, Goal; F. McKAY, Point; J. HAT, Cover-point; J. BUCHANAN, Rover;

M. CONRAD, Centre; C. TURGEON, Left-wing; D. ELLIOTT, Right-wing.

January 14th 1907 INTERMEDIATE GAME TONIGHT.

The second game of the Intermediate Hockey League in "B" series is booked for tonight at the Wesley rink between the Lyceums and the Maple Leafs. Both are hot after the Championship and hockey of senior calibre is looked for.

Each team will put a strong line-up on the ice.

The Maple Leafs will likely have the same team as that which played the Shamrocks in the TEST GAME.

George Cronn, the midget forward of the LYCEUMS is playing fast hockey, while Hearn in goal is proving a valuable part of the team.

Bentley, another fast man, is considered a find. The game will be called at 6.45 sharp.

The Lyceums will line-up as follows:

HEARN, Goal; McNISH, Point; BENTLEY, Cover-point; SHIBLEY, LEAVANS, CRONN and O'CONNELL, Forwards.

This game was postponed, to be played on Saturday January 19th.

January 16th 1907 ST BONIFACE 4 WESLEY 3

In one of the most exciting games ever witnessed on Wesley rink, ST BONIFACE College defeated the WESLEY team by a score of 4-3 yesterday. The game was fast throughout and rivalled if not outclassed last Saturday's Senior game between "TOBA" and "MED'S".

The game was undecided until the last three minutes of play, but when Fred Bawlf rushed down the ice in the third of his magnificent attempts which counted for goals, the rooters broke into a cheer of victory.

Decosse in particularly distinguished himself at cover-point, in checking the rushes of the much heavier Wesley men, while Picard by his stick-handling showed up as an individual star, he scored one of the goals. The two Rochon's played a fast game and Kelly at goal stopped some shots that looked like sure points. Hebb was never missing when the puck was passed and showed up well with his initial attempt in fast company.

Wesley put up a fine game and during the first few minutes, played St Boniface off their feet.

January 17th 1907 PUCKLETS.

A Junior league game was played at the Wesley rink last night between the Maple Leafs and the I.A.C it was the first appearance of the latter this season, but they proved no match for the speedy Maple Leaf players who won by a score of eight goals to nil.

January 19th 1907 PUCKLETS.

CAMPBELL BRO'S & WILSON hockey team turned the tables on the McCREADY hockey seven last night at the Wesley rink when they defeated the Shoemen by a score of 3 to 2.

January 19th 1907 INTERMEDIATE GAME TONIGHT.

The MAPLE LEAFS and LYCEUMS will meet at Wesley rink tonight in the first game of the season in the Intermediate Hockey League. As both teams are strong, a fast game is looked for.

The Maple Leafs have several players that the senior teams have been trying hard to get, especially the Jackson boys, but they prefer to stay with their own team.

The game will be called at 8 o'clock and skating will be allowed for the one price of admission.

MILLER-MORSE WON.

GEO D. WOOD and MILLER-MORSE met in a league game last night at the Wesley rink. It was anybody's game until within a few minutes of time, when Miller-Morse got an extra spurt in scoring two games in quick succession and winning by a score of 3-2. The players were:

MILLER-MORSE

WHINNERY

ROWAT

ROSS

INGO

KERR

THERRIEN

IRWIN

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

CENTRE

RIGHT-WING

LEFT-WING

GEO D. WOOD

LEACH

CORDINGLEY

WATT

DUNFIELD

SCRIMES

WAUGH

PETHICK

Referee-- Sam Boswell.

January 21st 1907 **MEDICALS AND WESLEY TIE.**

The Medicals and Wesley juniors played immediately after the other junior game, which was late in starting.

They were only able to play half an hour, the score standing 1-1. The remaining time will be played off this week, either at the Wesley or Arena rinks, in the practise hours of one of the teams.

MAPLE LEAFS WON FROM LYCEUMS--NEARLY ALL SCORING DONE IN THE FIRST HALF--WINNERS PLAY WELL.

The Maple Leafs won their second game of the season in the Intermediate League series on Saturday night, when they easily disposed of the Lyceums by the score of 5-1.

The game was played at the Wesley rink and was only a fair exhibition of hockey. In the first half the play was so one sided, being practically all Maple Leafs, that it was very uninteresting, but in the second period the teams livened up a little and the play was much faster.

The half-time score was 4-0 in favor of the team of the National Emblem, but the rest seemed to give the Lyceums some life, as they appeared like a new team in the second half and gave their opponents a tough argument. Each team scored a goal in this period.

Though there were few players ruled off, the game was by no means as mild as a "Pink Tea Party" as the players went after each other in real "Donnybrook Style" at times and hard knocks were felt by many. The Judge of Play failed to penalize properly and the players had things much their own way.

MAPLE LEAFS TRICKY-- The winners have a great bunch of Intermediate players and on their own ice are pretty nearly unbeatable by any of the teams in the City. The combination of the winners was the feature of the game as time and again the whole forward line would swing down together and often the puck would pass across to every player before the shot on goal would be made.

The Jackson boys played their usual strong game, while Bert McIntosh did good work at centre and Joe Cadham held down his position to perfection. The defence was always steady and reliable.

It was the defence of the Lyceums that was the strong part of their team and much is true to them for the small score registered. Hearn in goal stopped innumerable shots and Shibley did excellent work at cover-point, in breaking up rushes of the speedy Maple Leafs.

The forward line could not compete with their opponents at all, the wings being very weak, Maltby and Leavens worked hard in centre ice.

Harry Flett was referee and Percy Soliers!!!! was judge of play. The teams lined up as follows:

MAPLE LEAFS

| | |
|--------------|-------------|
| ELLIOTT | GOAL |
| PENWARDEN | POINT |
| ADSHEAD | COVER-POINT |
| JIM JACKSON | ROVER |
| McINTOSH | CENTRE |
| JOHN JACKSON | RIGHT-WING |
| CADHAM | LEFT-WING |

LYCEUMS

| |
|-----------|
| HEARN |
| O'CONNELL |
| SHIBLEY |
| LEAVENS |
| MALTBY |
| CRONN |
| BENTLY |

January 26th 1907 **FAST JUNIOR GAME.**

A fast junior game of hockey resulted at the Wesley rink last night in a junior league fixture between the LYCEUM and MAPLE LEAF teams. The game was very evenly contested and resulted in a tie, each team scoring two goals. The first half was in the favor of the Lyceums and they scored twice to nil of their opponents, but in the second half the Maples got busy and evened up.

The Lyceums had the better of play but were unable to score the winning goal. Boswell and Galbraith, the sterling defence of the Maple Leafs worked overtime for their team and their rushes were always of a brilliant nature.

Bert McIntosh was referee and the teams were as follows:

LYCEUMS-- EGAN, Goal; CRONN, Point; O'CONNELL, Cover-point; GARRITY, GRUNDY, PEARSON

and GRAY, Forwards.

MAPLE LEAFS--- ELLIOT, Goal; BOSWELL, Point; GALBRAITH, Cover-point; LEE, LAIDLAW, FORRESTER
and INGO, Forwards.

GEO. D. WOOD & CO. WON.

In a Wholesale Hardware Hockey League game played Thursday night at the Wesley rink, Geo. D. Wood & Co. defeated the KEMP MANUFACTURING Co. by a score of 3-2.

January 30th 1907 PHARMACISTS WON.

An interesting game of hockey was played between the employees of the GORDON-MITCHELL DRUG CO. and the COLLEGE OF PHARMACY, resulting in a one sided victory for the Schools, the final score being nine to one.

The match was pulled off last night on Wesley rink and was witnessed by a good crowd. W. Pearson, who played rover for the Gordon-Mitchell seven created some excitement by the introduction of what the audience considered Ottawa tactics, having played with that team in the East some years ago.

On the Pharmacy side the best showing was made by the Woodhull brothers on the forward line and W. Shore on the defence. The line up was as follows:

| <u>PHARMACY</u> | | <u>GORDON-MITCHELL</u> |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------------|
| MORAN | GOAL | BUCKLEY |
| HORN | POINT | JOHNSON |
| SHORE | COVER-POINT | HEARST |
| WOODHULL, C. | ROVER | PEARSON |
| WOODHULL | CENTRE | McLAUGHLIN |
| McLELLAN | LEFT-WING | HOBSON |
| TERRY | RIGHT-WING | DOLDGE!!! |

J. Phillips acted as referee. Next week these teams meet again, when the Graduates are determined to reverse the order of things.

February 2nd 1907.

An interesting event in the history of sport took place at Wesley rink on Tuesday evening when the Ladies of our second class met the Ladies of Wesley College in a hockey match.

At half-time the score stood 1-0 in favor of Normal. The result ended in a tie, score 2-2.

IT WAS AWFUL---McCREADY SEVEN DEFEAT NORES, ROBINSON & BLACK BY SCORE OF 12 TO 0.

A friendly game of hockey took place last evening at the Wesley rink between picked sevens from the firms of Nores, Robinson & Black and the James McCready Co. Ltd, which resulted in the Shoe men scoring 12 times to their opponents nil. The game as the score indicates was one sided and the defeated seven was fully justified in advertising their game under the heading "It will be awful" as it was. Their play was ragged and seemed to lack vim, while the McCready seven were in good shape, playing good fast and steady hockey.

The teams lined up as follows:

| McCREADY | | N, R&B |
|--------------|-------------|----------|
| F. SMITH | GOAL | WILCOX |
| C.B. FORWARD | POINT | HAWKER |
| W. PEARSON | COVER-POINT | LOWMAN |
| E. SMALL | ROVER | MARSHALL |
| F.M. LOGAN | CENTRE | DUDLEY |
| H. FOGG | RIGHT-WING | GORDON |
| F. HUESTON | LEFT-WING | DAVIS |

Referee F. Gardner.

February 11th 1907 MAPLES SMOTHER VICS.

The Maple Leafs are certainly a hard aggregation of hockey players to beat on their own ice, as on Saturday night at the Wesley rink they simply smothered the second team of the Victorias to the tune of 13-2 in an Intermediate fixture.

This was the first game for the Victorias in this series as they were placed in the other division but were changed on account of the teams in with the Vics not playing their games.

The game during the first half was a pretty good exhibition of hockey with the score 4-1 in favor of the Maples but the second half was an exhibition of how many goals the winners could notch d they ran into 1 of the Vics.

Phipps, Baker and Wickson for the Vics were the best performers, while the whole team played a good game for the winners, with the Jackson boys showing particularly good form.

Fred Score was referee and the winners lined up as follows:

PENWARDEN, Goal; H. FLETT, Point; ADSHEAD, Cover-point; JIM JACKSON, BERT McINTOSH, JOHN JACKSON and J. CADHAM, Forwards.

February 19th 1907 EASY FOR MAPLE LEAFS.

The tie game in the Junior League series between the second teams of the MAPLE LEAFS and LYCEUMS was played off at the Wesley rink last night and resulted in a win for the Maple Leafs by the score of 8 to 0.

The game during the first half was a fast exhibition of hockey and neither team could score, but in the second half the Maples played their opponents off their feet. The teams were as follows:

MAPLE LEAFS--- ELLIOTT, Goal; BOSWELL, Point; GALBRAITH, Cover-point; LEADLY, Rover; LEE, Centre;

THERIAN, Right-wing; FORRESTER, Left-wing.

LYCEUMS--- EGAN, Goal; ROBERTSON, Point; KELLY, Cover-point; MURPHY, Rover; PEARSON, Centre;

MONDOR, Right-wing; BIGGAR, Left-wing.

February 22nd 1907.

The MILLER-MORSE hockey team defeated the GEO D. WOODS seven in a Hardware League game at the Wesley rink last night by the score of 7-2.

February 23rd 1907.

The ELECTRICIANS of the BELL TELEPHONE Co. defeated the OFFICE DEPARTMENT 8-2 in a game played at the Wesley rink on Wednesday night.

The EMERSON hockey team will visit the City today and play a game against the NATIONAL TRUST team at the Wesley rink, the game is billed to start at 2pm.

February 25th 1907 EMERSON TEAM DEFEATED. (WINNIPEG TRIBUNE)

The Emerson hockey team paid a visit to Winnipeg on Saturday and went down to defeat before the National Trusts team at the Wesley rink by a score of 5 to 2 in the third and deciding game.

The teams were:

EMERSON

STEPHENS

WRIGHT

McLEAN

MUIRHEAD

TEMPLETON

J. McLEAN

GOOD

GOAL

POINT

COVER

FORWARDS

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TRUSTS

SHEPPARD

MITCHELL

J. SALTER

STANGENBERG

R. SALTER

MONDOR

NIXON

February 25th 1907 **EMERSON TEAM IN CITY. (WINNIPEG FREE PRESS)**

The Emerson hockey team, accompanied by several supporters arrived in the City on Saturday morning and in the afternoon played the return hockey game with the National Trusts team at the Wesley rink.

Previous to this game, both teams had won a game and this was the deciding contest, it was won by the City team after a good game by the score of 5-2.

The first half was very evenly contested, both teams scoring two goals, but in the second half the Trusts team were the more aggressive and notched three goals to nil of their opponents.

The City team entertained the visitors at the Dominion theatre in the evening and after the show gave a supper in honor of the Emerson team at the Carlton hotel, where a jolly good time was spent.

The teams lined up as follows: as the above article.

There is slight confusion for the venue for this game, in both newspapers(January 25th editions) they had the Wesley rink as the venue, but in the following days edition of the Free Press it read.

The Emerson hockey team visited this City on Saturday to play a return match with the Trusts. The game was played on the **FEDERATION RINK**, owing to the gale having played havoc with the awnings etc.... At the Wesley rink.

March 4th 1907.

The **WINNIPEG PAINT & GLASS Co.** hockey team won out in "A" series of the Mercantile Hockey League on Saturday afternoon at the Wesley rink, when they beat the **TELEGRAM** by a score of 4 goals to 1.

March 14th 1907 **THE C.W. GORDON CUP.**

The final for the C.W. Gordon cup was played at the Wesley rink on Monday night between teams representing **GRACE** and **YOUNG Churches**. The final score reading 4-2 in favor of the **GRACE** Church team who thus become the holders of the trophy for the current year.

The play was fast and clean. Only three penalties being given. The score at half-time was 4-0 in favor of Grace, but after the interval the **YOUNG CHURCH** team infused considerably more dash into their play and tallied two games.

Mr Neff acted satisfactorily in the dual capacity of referee and judge of play.

1907/08.

December 14th 1907 **WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE.**

It was decided to secure the Wesley rink for practice on Saturday mornings. On last Saturday morning a match was played with the **COLLEGIATE**, the game ending in a draw 1-1, for the Collegiate Messrs **MOFFAT**, **HILL** and **CALDWELL** were the stars, while **TURNBULL**, **INGLIS** and **McKAY** showed up well for the Collegiates.

December 16th 1907.

On Saturday morning between 11 and 12, at the Wesley rink, the **WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE** boys took the ice against the **CANADA BUSINESS COLLEGE** boys.

The game was a tight and fast one and at half-time the Canada Business College looked like winners, having scored one goal to nil, in the second half however the Winnipeg boys by a desperate effort evened matters and then just at call of time they managed to get the puck through again, making the final score Winnipeg Business College 2 Canada Business College 1.

December 20th 1907.

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played last night at the Wesley rink between the **VICTORS** and **RIVERSIDES**, resulting in a win for the former by a score of 3-1. Dalman, May, Halderson and goalkeeper Pearson distinguished themselves for the winners. The teams were:

RIVERSIDES--- HARLSTON, Goal; CAMPBELL, Point; MATHEWSON, Cover; HURON, Rover; MUNN, Centre;

MITCHELL, Left-wing; ALLEN, Right-wing.

VICTORS--- R. PEARSON, Goal; S. DALMAN, Point; P. MORRISSEY, Cover; C. HALDERSON, Rover;

J. MORRISSEY, Centre; W. CUANBERS, Left-wing; W. MAY (Capt.) Right-wing. Referee, A. Thomas; Judge of play, Hippo.

December 21st 1907 FAST HOCKEY GAME-- TECUMSEHS DEFEAT VICTORS IN JUNIOR SERIES.

A very fast and clean game of hockey was played between the Tecumsehs and Victors of the Western Junior League at Wesley rink last night, resulting in a win for the Tecumsehs by a score of 3 to 2, after thirteen minutes overtime had been played.

The contestants were all in fine form and it was impossible to pick anyone superior among them. The score at half-time was 1-1 and at full-time 2-2, after which ten minutes overtime was played neither side scoring.

The teams went on for more overtime, when the Tecumsehs scored in three minutes, winning the game by one goal.

The teams were:

TECUMSEHS

H. McCUTCHEN

B. WATT

C. CAMPBELL

J. BUD

R. NOCLAN

A. GIBBONS

R. SMITH

GOAL

POINT

COVER-POINT

ROVER

CENTRE

LEFT-WING

RIGHT-WING

VICTORS

R.J. PEARSON

G. BERBIS

G. DALMAN

C. HOLDERSSON

O. ERICKSON

P. MORRISSEY

H. MAY

December 26th 1907.

At the Wesley rink yesterday a Junior League game was played between the MONARCHS and RIVERSIDES, the former team winning by a score of 12 to 1.

January 1st 1908 DOMINION EXPRESS GAME.

An interesting hockey match was played last night at the Wesley rink, when the DEPOT staff of the Dominion Express company met the DRIVERS in a friendly encounter, the former team winning out by 5 to 4.

A good exhibition of hockey was given, the game keenly contested throughout. The Depot however had the stronger defence, A. Cann showing up very well.

An agreeable surprise to those interested in the game was the appearance of BERT SHARP in the role of spare to the Depot staff. The teams were:

DRIVERS--- WRIGHT, Goal; RICHARDS, Point; A. CANN, Cover-point; J. HOWES, McKEAGUN, McCONNELL

R. McDONALD.

DEPOT--- DOW, Goal; A. BOWES, Point; A. CANN, Cover; TROTT, ----- NEWELL, McMURCHY.

C. Manahan, acted as referee.

January 3rd 1908 PUCKLETS.

The M.S.D team will play their postponed Juvenile League game with VICTORS on Friday evening on the Wesley rink from 8 to 9 o'clock. The M.S.D team will line-up as follows:

Goal, R. FARNHAM; Point, J. LOEWEN; Cover-point, C. DUNFIELD; Rover, W. MOLLINSKY; Centre, R. EDGECOMBE; Left-wing, J. ULHRICH; Right-wing, C. WHITE.

January 6th 1908 **HOCKEY--- SILENT PLAYERS WIN AGAIN.**

A fast and very interesting hockey match was played at the Wesley rink between the **VICTORS** and the **DEAF & DUMB** hockey clubs of the Junior League, the Deaf and Dumb getting the long end of the score by 5-1.

The game was very rough all the way through, the chief offenders being the Victors. This is the third straight victory for the silent players, they only having one goal scored against them this year.

The feature of the game was the playing of **MOLISKEY!!!!** and **URICHS!!!!** for the winners and **DELMAGE** for the losers. Stanley Elliott made a very satisfactory referee and judge of play.

The winning team lined-up as follows:

Goal, **FARNHAM**; Point, **LOEWON**; Cover-point, **C. DUNFIELD**; Cover, **W. MOLISKEY**; Centre, **R. EDGECOMB**; Right-wing, **C. WHITE**; Left-wing, **J. ULRICHS**.

RAGS VS PAPER.

The annual hockey game between **GAULTS LTD DRY GOODS** and **CLARKE BROS & CO. STATIONERS** took place at the Wesley rink Friday night and resulted in a victory for the paper slingers by 3 to 2.

There was some chewing of the rag by the cloth bunch, owing to some of the decisions of the referee, who by alertness and marvellous control of the whistle, kept the crowd in laughter.

The stationer boys showed the best form in the first half, which closed with the score 2 to 0 in their favor, Cougner and Matheson being the goal getters. The second half was hardly started, however when Belcher opened the score for Gaults, Patterson returning the compliment a few minutes later from a hot shot close in. From this period the game livened up on both sides, with some brilliant individual work by Maclellan, Kennedy and Belcher for Gaults and Cougner and E. Matheson, Patterson and Newcombe for Clarks.

Nearing the finish Kennedy scored on a dandy shot from the wing, the last goal of an evenly contested game.

The line-up was as follows:

GAULTS LTD.

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| SINCLAIR | GOAL |
| ATKINSON | POINT |
| MACLELLAN | COVER |
| BELCHER | CENTRE |
| MITCHELL | ROVER |
| KENNEDY (capt.) | RIGHT-WING |
| BOTHWELL | LEFT-WING |

CLARKE BROS & CO LTD.

STEVENSON
G. MATHESON
R. NEWCOMBE
MCINTYRE
PATTERSON (capt.)
-. MATHESON
COUGNER

Referee, E. Elliott

Goal Judges, T. Malcolm and Scottie Mowat.

Time-keepers, Tim Riley and John Gibb.

January 8th 1908 (FP) GAMES AT WESLEY.

The Wesley rink was busy with hockeyists last night, the ice being filled from 7 to 11 o'clock. Teams from the office staff and the barns of the Winnipeg Electric Railway played a hotly contested game, the players from the barns winning by a score of 6-3.

One of the best games that has been seen at the Wesley, resulted between the Victors and St. Boniface in the Junior Western League.

The Victors were ahead by the score of 1-0 at the end of the first half but the St. Boniface boys won out in the last half by the score of 3-1.

The newly organized western team had its first practice last night and a hard workout was indulged in. The team will practice again on Thursday night and any inspiring players who are anxious to play are requested to be on hand.

January 8th 1908 (WT) HOCKEY.

At the Wesley rink last night skaters and hockeyists held full sway, particularly the latter, as a couple of games were played and the remainder of the evening was devoted to practice.

The ice was in first class condition and a pleasurable evening was spent by those present.

The Office staff and Barn teams of the Winnipeg Electric Railway clashed in a hockey game and after exciting play the latter won. There is more than a possibility that a league will be formed among representatives of the company.

The game in the Junior Western League between the Victors and St. Boniface was one of the best witnessed at the Wesley for some time, being close and stubbornly fought throughout.

The St. Boniface team, at the close of the game had the large end of a 3-1 score.

Besides these two games, Wesley Intermediates held their first practice last night and an excellent showing was made, another practice will be held Thursday night.

January 9th 1908 (WT) HOCKEY.

At the Wesley rink the Tecumsehs and Erins played to a tie last night in a Western Junior Hockey League game. The contest was replete with exciting plays and as the score of 1-1 indicates, the teams were evenly matched

January 10th 1908 (WT)

The first fixture in the City Amateur Junior Hockey League was played last night at the Wesley rink between the Maple Leafs and the Rustlers, the game was fast throughout and resulted in a win for the Maple Leafs by a score of 6-4.

January 10th 1908 (FP) MAPLES WON JUNIOR.

The opening game of the City Amateur Junior League was played last night at the Wesley rink. The Maple Leafs and Rustlers were the opposing teams and after a splendid exhibition of hockey the Maple Leafs succeeded in obtaining a victory by a score of 6-4. The score is a good criterion of the play as the Rustlers put up a fast article all the time against their more experienced opponents. It was the first game in the Junior league for the Rustlers and they made a favourable impression. The Maple Leafs, who are composed of nearly the same team which landed the honors last year, played good hockey all the time, Hamish McIntosh an old star, but who has been at the coast for a year, figured conspicuously for his team.

S. Boswell was referee and the winners lined up as follows: Goal, SHEPPARD; Point, ELLIOTT; Cover-point, LOWMAN; Forwards, H. McINTOSH; SAUL; LEE and A. N. OTHER.

PUCKLETS.

The Office and Upstair men of the John W. Peck played a hockey match at the Wesley rink last night and after a hotly contested game, the Office boys came out victors by a score of 9-7.

January 13th 1908(FP) PUCKLETS.

Baileys defeated the Notre Dames at the Wesley by the score of 3-1. R. Ching was the star performer for Baileys, while W. Daubin was one for the Notre Dames.

A keenly contested game was witnessed on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock in the Wesley rink between the employees of the Canadian Fairbanks company Office staff against the Warehouse. The game ended in a draw 4-4.

J. E. Bottrell acted as referee, Mr Crane as timekeeper and Mr McEvoy as doctor, among the players Bell of the warehouse team was easily the best on the ice.

January 13th 1908(WT)

The Notre Dames were defeated Saturday at Wesley rink by the Baileys, the score being 2-1.

A fast game was played Saturday at the Wesley rink between the employees of the Canadian Fairbanks Company Office staff and the Warehouse resulting in a tie 4-4.

The Dominion Express Septette were defeated Saturday night at Wesley rink by the McPherson Fruit Company after a good game of hockey. The score was 7-3.

January 14th 1908(FP) **MACPHERSON TEAM WON.**

A friendly game of hockey between the Dominion Express Co. and the Macpherson Fruit company, was played at the Wesley rink on Saturday night, resulting in Macphersons passing seven lemons to the Express Co and receiving three in return. O. Erickson and Sam Dalman played a good game for the winners, while F. Munton played a great game in goal for the losers. The following was the line-up of the two teams:

Dominion Express Co. --- F. MUNTON, Goal; RICHARDS, Point; A. CANN, Cover; W. CANN, Rover; J. BOWES,

Centre; KOUK, Right; TROTT, Left.

Macpherson Fruit Co. --- E. SMITH, Goal; H. CORRIGAN, Point; SAM DALMAN, Cover; STEVE DALMAN, Rover

O. ERICKSON, Centre; S. FINSON, Right; S. Warburton, Left.

January 15th 1908(WT) **WESLEY RINK SPORTS.**

A splendid sheet of ice was available at Wesley rink last night and skaters took advantage of this by turning out in large numbers. A full band was in attendance and the evening passed merrily away.

Those attending had the privilege of either skating or watching a hockey game.

The contest was a Western Junior League fixture between the ERINS and VICTORS, resulting in a win for the latter by a score of 5-3 after a hard fought battle. Play was close from beginning to end and the numerous partizans of each team were kept in an excitable state.

The rink will be open for skating this evening with a band in attendance. The Bank of Ottawa hockey team practice from 6 to 7 while the Tecumsehs of St. Boniface in the Western Junior League will occupy the inner sheet of ice from 9 to 10.

Manager McIvor for some time has been trying to make satisfactory arrangements with Miss Cummings, of Mineapolis for an appearance here and in all probability she will give an exhibition here during this month.

Miss Cummings has the reputation of being one of the fastest and best fancy skaters in the United States and a visit to Winnipeg would no doubt be full of interest.

January 16th 1908(FP) **VICTORS EASY WIN.**

The Victors defeated the Erins in a Western Junior League hockey game last night by a score of 10-1. The game was played at the Wesley rink.

Tecumsehs 5 St. Boniface 4. In the Junior league last night at the Wesley rink, the Tecumsehs defeated St. Boniface by 5 goals to 4. The game was very fast and at times the players were inclined to rough it, Campbell of the Tecumsehs having to retire shortly after starting the second half owing to a bad cut on the head.

The Tecumseh line-up was as follows: Goal, McCUTCHEON; Point, WHALE; Cover-point, KERR; Rover, BUDD; Centre, KNOWDEN; Left-wing, CAMPBELL; Right-wing, BISSETT. Referee, TONY GINGRAS; Judge of play, SAM BOSWELL.

January 17th 1908(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

An interesting hockey match was played at the Wesley rink last night between teams representing the Barns and the Office of the Winnipeg Electric Street Railway. The Barn team won by a score of 5-4.

OPENING INTERMEDIATE GAME.

The opening game in the Intermediate series of the Manitoba Amateur Hockey League will take place tonight at the Wesley rink, when the **YOUNG LIBERALS** and **WESLEYS** meet, both teams are new to the league, but they are reported to have exceptionally strong teams for their class. **PAT LAKE**, the former fast player of the senior Victorias is Captain of the Young Liberals. One admission fee will admit to skating and match.

January 18th 1908(WT).

The opening game in the Senior Amateur League took place at Wesley rink last night, the Young Liberals being defeated by the Wesleys. The score was 14-2, but play was much closer than the score indicates. The winners excelled in combination. **ASSELTINE** and **NEFF** of the Victors and **PAT LAKE** of the Liberals were the pick of the evening.

The teams were:

YOUNG LIBERALS--- **Hawe, Aldritt, Wickson, Pat Lake, Patterson, Cronn, R. Wickson.**

WESLEYS--- **Culver, H. McIntosh, Robinson, Asseltine, Noden, Neff, Noble.**
Jimmy Jackson was referee.

January 18th 1908(FP) **AMATEUR LEAGUE OPENING.**

The opening game in the Senior Amateur League took place last night at the Wesley rink when the Wesleys defeated the Young Liberals by a score of 14-2.

The game was much closer than the score would indicate, but the winners played better combination and were also better around the goals, the game was pretty fast for the opener.

The Wesley forward line showed great form, Asseltine playing a wonderful game, while Neff, another Wesley College boy

also performed in splendid fashion. Pat Lake was the best of the losers. The half-time score was 3-0 but in the second half the Wesleys ran in 11 goals.

Jimmy Jackson was referee and the teams were:

YOUNG LIBERALS--- **Hawe, Aldritt, Wickson, Pat Lake, Patterson, Cronn, R. Wickson.**

WESLEYS--- **Culver, H. McIntosh, Robinson, Asseltine, Noden, Neff, Noble.**

January 20th 1908(FP) **FIVE GAMES AT WESLEY.**

Five hockey games were pulled off at the Wesley rink on Saturday. Teams representing the Office and Warehouse of **CHRISTIE & HEUBACH** played first, the Office winning 2 to 1.

WHITLAS lost to **GREENSHIELDS** by a 5-4 score.

GAULTS LIMITED Office staff put it over the Warehouse team 10 to 1.

The **CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE** nosed out the **CANADA PEOPLE** 4 to 3.

BRIGHT & JOHNSTON won from the **DOMINION EXPRESS** 5 to 2.

January 20th 1908(WT) **BUSINESS COLLEGE HOCKEY--- CENTRAL AND CANADA TEAMS IN A HOTLY CONTESTED GAME.**

Teams representing the Canada Business College and the Central Business College met on Wesley rink Saturday evening last, between seven and eight o'clock. The game was the sequel of a long series of negotiations since before the holiday season, and was hotly contested, in fact enthusiasm came to the verge of pugilism on several occasions, but better judgement eventually prevailed. The 'CANADA' boys in their purple and white uniforms, looked well and fit and were the favourites from the beginning.

The 'CENTRAL' representatives were equally as quick skaters, but were outclassed in combination work, the final score standing: Ashdown block boys 4 goals, Maw block boys 2 goals.

Mr Richardson acted as referee.

January 20th(WT) FAST HOCKEY GAME--- TUPPERS AND COMBINED REAL ESTATE TEAM DO VARIOUS STUNTS AT WESLEY.

A game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink on Saturday afternoon between teams representing the offices of Messrs TUPPER, GALT, TUPPER & Co and F.W. HEUBACH Ltd.

The score sheet had not been discovered up to the time of going to press, but it will probably be reported in the next issue.

The teams lined up as follows:

| TUPPERS | | COMBINATION |
|----------|--------|-------------|
| EDWARDS | Goal | McLEOD |
| McDOUGAL | Point | HEUBACH |
| WILCOX | Cover | SMALL |
| KENNEDY | Rover | PATTINSON |
| McCAIG | Right | WATSON |
| HUGET | Left | MATHESON |
| HORTON | Centre | GALBRAITH |

The qualification of Kennedy, Tupperts star man was challenged on account of his being over the age limit, but the objection was over ruled by the judge. After every player had been sworn in by the preciding officer the game was commenced by Small, who was looking his prettiest in a last years costume made over to resemble as nearly as possible this years style scoring the first goal for the combine. After that it was a regular procession towards Edwards and he managed to stop everything that hit him but large and all as he is there were a few corners that he could not fill and the puck insisted on going through.

Pattinson, who once played with the Winnipegs, played a good steady for fiteen minutes but got tired and retired, much to the disappointment of the lady spectators. What the Tupper bunch lacked in speed they made up in style. It was a style all their own and has seldom been seen in Winnipeg before. Watson on the combined team enlivened the proceedings by playing the most of his game on his back and he made several sensational rushes in this manner. When the game was over he was escorted home in an ambulance. Galbraith, Heubach and Matheson all played their positions well and McLeod in goal for the winners made many sensational stops.

Horton and Huget played their best for the lawyers but seemed to lack speed and the opportunity to score.

The two teams were brought down to the INTER OCEAN after the game and were treated to a cherry a-piece at the expense of the firm of TUPPER & Co.

January 21st 1908(WT).

Gaults ltd, wholesale dry goods again scored a victory, this time over J. W. Peck & Co., wholesale clothiers, in a hockey game at Wesley rink, the score being 10-1.

Pecks went into the game very confident of winning, but were given a set back by the dry goods boys. Gaults forwards are still putting up a fast game and deserve great credit. L. Moffat, at cover-point played the star game for Gaults. Grey, cover-point for Pecks played the star game for the losers, he being the only goal-getter.

The line-up was as follows;

| PECKS | | GAULTS |
|---|------------|-------------|
| T. IKE | GOAL | C. SINCLAIR |
| W. GREY | COVER | L. MOFFAT |
| C. CURZINER | POINT | H. ATKINSON |
| J. REID | ROVER | F. MITCHELL |
| G. HYNES | CENTRE | L. BELCHER |
| B. GILL | LEFT-WING | B. BOTHAM |
| C. HEANY | RIGHT-WING | F. KENNEDY |
| Referee, McIVOR; Goal referee, W. ANDERSON. | | |

January 22nd 1908(WT).

At the Wesley rink last night a large crowd of skaters were in attendance. The ice was in good condition and two hockey games were pulled off in the inner sheet of ice. The first game was between the **DOMINION EXPRESS** and **AMES--HOLDING** resulting in a win for the former by a score of 2-1.

The second match was between the **VICTORS** and **TECUMSEHS** in a Western Junior fixture and though twenty minutes of overtime was played there was no scoring and it was decided to call it a draw.

January 23rd 1908(FP) **LIBERALS DEFEAT MAPLE LEAFS.**

In the Junior League last night at the Wesley rink the Young Liberals had no trouble in easily defeating the Maple Leafs, the score at full-time being 7 goals to 0.

Jas Jackson acted as referee and W. Pearson as judge of play.

The teams lined up as follows:

LIBERALS--- Goal, **BAKER**; Point, **NOROVLANSKY**; Cover-point, **ROGERS**; Rover, **LAKE**; Centre, **PRITCHARD**;

Right-wing, **HAY**; Left-wing, **WATSON**.

MAPLE LEAFS--- Goal, **SHEPARD**; Point, **BOSWELL**; Cover-point, **LOWMAN**; Centre, **ELLIOTT**; Right-wing,

McINTOSH; Left-wing, **BISSETT**; Rover, **LEE**.

January 24th 1908(FP) **BIG SCORE BY ST BONIFACE.**

The Wesley rink was the scene of a fast game last night in the Western Junior League, when the **ST. Boniface** team defeated the **Erins** by 10 goals to 2. Tony Gingras was referee and George Richards acted as judge of play.

January 27th 1908(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

The **DOMINION EXPRESS** Co team defeated the **BRIGHT & JOHNSTON** septette after an exciting game at the Wesley rink Saturday night, the score was 3 to 2.

January 29th 1908(WT) **HOCKEY.**

On Saturday night at the Wesley rink the **CODVILLE** hockey team put it over the **CAN.**

FAIRBANKS seven to the tune of 6-4 and at the Auditorium on Monday night the **J.D. McArthur Lumber Co** went down to defeat by the same team, the score being 8-3.

The **CODVILLE** Co lined up as follows for both games:

Goal, **HAYWARD**; Point, **W.A. McKAY**; Cover, **LEGGO**; Forwards, **RICHARDSON**; **GUY**; **DILTS**; and **A.H. McKAY**.

The above team is open for challenges by any Mercantile team in the City.

January 30th 1908(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

A hockey match was played between the **PRESS** and **MAILING** rooms of the **FREE PRESS** at the Wesley rink yesterday.

The result was 1_-0!!! in favor of the latter.

February 6th 1908(FP) **FREE PRESS GAME.**

A fast hockey game was played last night at the Wesley rink when teams from the **FREE PRESS** Business office and the **NEWSROOM** met to decide the long disputed question of supremacy. The game ended in a win for the Business office, the half-time score being 3 to 0 in favor of that team.

HARRY FLETT acted as referee and **O. HARRINGTON** as time-keeper.

The teams were as follows:

BUSINESS OFFICE--- FRANK POWERS; PERCY ALDERSON; JIM MACKENZIE; BILLY BORLAND;

W. McCURDY; R. MARKHAM.

NEWSROOM--- TOMMY WEEDON; BOB FITZGERALD; HARRY FITZGERALD; CAM THOMPSON;

BILL WHITE; BUSTER BROWN.

February 8th 1908(FP) **VICTORS 2 M.S.D. 1.**

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played in the Central Juvenile League Thursday night at the Wesley rink where the **VICTORS** defeated the **DEAF MUTES** by the score of 2 to 1, at half-time the score was 1-1.

Sam Boswell made a satisfactory referee.

PUCKLETS.

In a very hotly contested game at the Wesley rink last night, **GAULTS LTD** defeated **GIBSON-GAGE** by a score of 5-2!!

WESLEYS 12 SELKIRK 2.

In the Senior Amateur League last night the strong Wesley seven defeated the **SELKIRK** team by 12 goals to 2. The game was played at the Wesley rink and the teams were as follows:

WESLEYS--- Goal, CULVER; Point, SHEPPARD; Cover-point, ROBINSON; Forwards, --ANDON; NOBLE; NEFF;

ASSELTINE.

SELKIRK--- Goal, CUMBER; Point, E. PIERCE; Cover-point, MASSEY; Forwards, SMITH; R. PIERCE; CORK;

LYONS.

Referee--- W. Patterson; Judge of play, ---. Smith.

February 12th 1908(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

STOBARTS hockey team defeated the **GAULTS LTD** seven on Saturday afternoon at the Wesley rink by the score of 5-3. This was the first defeat of the season for Gaults.

February 15th 1908(FP) **JUNIOR GAME.**

A Junior League match was played at the Wesley rink last evening, between **ST. BONIFACE** and **TECUMSEH** teams resulting in a score of 6 to 2 in favor of the former.

Referee--- A. GINGRAS; Judge of play, HARRY FLETT.

February 17th 1908(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

A strenuous game of hockey between a seven from **DUGALD** and the **CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE** team took place on Wesley rink on Saturday afternoon. The game ended in favor of the Dugald boys score 6 to 2.

February 22nd 1908(FP) **MERCHANTS BANK 3 HOME 1.**

At the Wesley rink Thursday the Merchants bank defeated the Home bank by a score of 3-1. The game was hotly contested and some fast playing was pulled off. The Merchants team, although not in the Bank League, have some splendid material and with practice should develop into a good team.

The winners lined up as follows:

Goal, BRIDGER; Point, MACGLASHAN; Cover-point, MACNAUGHTON; Rover, JOHNSTON; Centre, CORBET!!

Right-wing, BALFOUR; Left-wing, HUXLEY.

Referee, Standish; umpires, Cotton, Si Mathew.

February 24th 1908(FP) PUCKLETS.

The CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE team defeated a team from the CANADA COLLEGE on Saturday evening at the Wesley rink by a score of 4 to 2.

C.P.R. GAME--- A fast and interesting game of hockey was pulled off at Wesley rink on Saturday afternoon between sevens representing the PASSENGER and LAND DEPARTMENTS of the C.P.R.

It resulted in a win for the latter by a score of 4 to 2. The half-time score being 2 to 0 in favor of the Land department. The game was ably handled by Mr Ellis.

February 27th 1908(FP) NEWSPAPER GAME.

A hockey game was played last evening at the Wesley rink between the MAILING and PRESS ROOMS of the FREE PRESS resulting in a win by a score of 2 to 0 for the former. The teams were: MAILING ROOM--- MAYCOCK, Goal; P. BOGT, Point; BROWN, Cover; MORRISEY, Rover; ROBINSON,

Centre; W. BOGT, Right-wing; STEVE, Left-wing.

PRESS ROOM--- HALFORD, Goal; W. BUCHANAN, Point; BOSS, Cover; BIGER, Rover; A. BOWEN, Centre;

PRENDERGAST, Right-wing; E. BOWEN, Left-wing.

February 29th 1908(FP) PUCKLETS.

The ST. BONIFACE hockey team defeated the BEAVER hockey team at the Wesley rink last evening by a score of six goals to one, referee, Jim Jackson; judge of play, Alme Samson.

YOUNG LIBERALS WON.

The final game of the Western Division of the Junior Series of the Manitoba Amateur League was played at the Wesley rink last night between the YOUNG LIBERALS and RUSTLERS, resulting in a win for the former team. The game counted for two, the first scheduled having been postponed and it proved about the best contest of the season.

It was anybody's game until time was called, when the Young Liberals had the big end of a 4-3 score. The half-time score was 1-0 in favor of the winners and the fight for supremacy in the second half was a battle royal, and the Liberals triumphed in the last few minutes of play.

The Young Liberals will play off with the MONARCHS, winners of the Northern Division, for the Junior Championship of the City. McIvor of the Wesley rink was referee and the winners lined up as follows:

LIBERALS--- Goal, B. McLEAN; Point, R. HAY; Cover-point, G. RODGERS; Forwards, G. CRONN; W. LEE; M. SAUL; and TURNER.

March 2nd 1908(FP) C.P.R. GAME.

The LAND DEPARTMENT and ENGINEERS DEPARTMENT played on the Wesley rink on Saturday afternoon, the result being a draw, one goal each. The game was fast and exciting throughout, every man played well, though perhaps BARRY of the real estate bunch and McDERMID of the mechanics were the most prominent.

The teams meet again on the same ice on Saturday next. The teams were:

LAND DEPT--- JACKSON; LANGRILL; WHITTAKER; BARRY; O`SULLIVAN; DAVIES; PERRIN.

ENGINEERS DEPT--- RODGERS; USHER; FULLER; McDERMID; JEFFERY; LAIRD; McCONBRAY.

March 3rd 1908(FP) PUCKLETS. The OSTRANDERS defeated the WOODBINE HOTEL team in a Boarding house hockey match at the Wesley rink last night by a score of 5-1. The Ostrandere challenge the team that holds the Boarding House Cup.

March 4th 1908(FP)

MOLSONS 2 MERCHANTS 1, was the result of a game played between these two banks at the Wesley last night.

March 6th 1908(FP) A BANK GAME.

An exciting game was witnessed last evening at Wesley rink when the HOME team met the TORONTOS.

The result was 3-2 in favor of the home. It was Torontos first time on the ice this season but they put up a creditable game. In three minutes from the start the puck was netted by READ for Toronto and again two minutes later also by Read.

Home getting down to work, Campbell their left-wing and star player, secured their first goal in 12 minutes after Torontos second victory. At half-time it was Toronto 2 Home 1, resuming, Campbell again netted for the home in the brief space of thirty seconds and after a hard fight, almost at the close, Campbell again got the net.

For the home, Read played strong and Nicholson, the point and Burland, rover did brilliantly for Toronto, Morgan at goal stopped several dangerous shots. Pringle at point was there all the time. Read the rover showed great dash. Cup Anderson, Teney, Woodman with MacDonald at centre responded in fine style to calls for Toronto.

Marsh Baker of the Dominion Bank was the efficient referee. The line-ups:

TORONTO

| | |
|-----------|--------|
| MORGAN | Goal |
| PRINGLE | Point |
| ANDERSON | Cover |
| READ | Rover |
| MACDONALD | Centre |
| WOODMAN | Right |
| TONEY | Left |

HOME

| |
|-----------|
| CARTLEY |
| NICHOLSON |
| REID |
| BURLAND |
| GRAHAM |
| SEVERN |
| CAMPBELL |

March 7th 1908(FP) BOARDING HOUSE CUP GAME.

What promises to be a swift game of hockey will take place this evening at 9.30 o'clock in the Wesley rink, when the OSTRANDERS will endeavor to win the Boarding House Cup from the ST. NICHOLAS seven.

The ST Nicholas won the cup last Saturday evening by defeating the ST BONIFACE seven (5-4) while the Ostrandere have only been defeated once this season. The Ostrander line-up are as follows: A. ROZETTE; J.C. CRANSTON; GEORGE BROOKS; BILLY HUTCHCROFT(captain); JOE STRATTON; BOBBY PATTERSON and A. MACKAY.

C.P.R. GAME.

The LAND department and the ENGINEERS department of the CPR meet again tomorrow afternoon on the Wesley rink to decide supremacy. A week ago a drawn game was the result after a keen and exciting struggle. Great enthusiasm prevails amongst the partisans of both teams and a good gathering of "Rooters" will be on hand.

The rivalry between the two departments is of the keenest possible kind, no matter whether the game be hockey, football or cricket.

Teams representing these offices last season played three goalless drawn games of football and in the fourth game only one goal separated the winners and losers. Both are about the same as last week and if the play is shown is only as good, there will be no kick coming from the spectators.

Tickets for the game can be had on application to W. S. Drake, of the Land department or A. M. Courbray, of the Engineers department. Percy Ellis will act as referee.

The teams will be as follows:

LAND DEPARTMENT--- JACKSON; LANGRILL; BARRY (captain); McDERMOTT;
O`SULLIVAN; PERRIN;

WHITTAKER.

ENGINEERS DEPARTMENT--- LAIRD; USHER; FULLER; McDERMID; JEFFRIES;
McCOURBRAY; CHIVERS.

March 9th 1908(FP) C.P.R. GAME.

The LAND department and the ENGINEERS department played on Saturday before a large crowd of enthusiastic supporters at the Wesley rink. The game was well contested and the issue was in doubt right up to the final ring of the referees bell.

No score was recorded until a few minutes after the interval, when McDermid tallied for the Engineers, to be followed 2 minutes later by an equalizer by Whittaker, almost immediately Barry put in another for the Land department, to the accompaniment of some ear-splitting yells from the latter supporters. Their joy, however was only temporary as McDermid pushed another past Jackson and two minutes from time Langrill muddled a shot by the lengthy Chivers which gave Jackson no chance and put the Engineers in a winning position.

The smiles on the Engineers faces were inches deep and their appearance was a perfect cure for sore eyes.

As regards the players, McDermid was easily the best man on the ice and was ably seconded in his efforts by Fuller and Chivers. On the other side, O`Rafferty Jackson, the Dublin cotton-top put up a marvelous display in goal and Langrill, but for his one mistake, was splendid throughout.

Barry was not on his best form, although on occasions he certainly made his presence felt. Teams were:

LAND DEPT--- JACKSON; LANGRILL; BARRY; McDERMID; O`SULLIVAN; PERRIN;
WHITTAKER.

ENGINEERS DEPT--- LAIRD; USHER; FULLER; McDERMID; JEFFRIES; CHIVERS;
McCOUBRAY.

March 11th 1908(FP) MOLSONS DEFEAT HOME BANK.

An exciting and keenly contested game of hockey was seen in Wesley rink Monday when the MOLSONS and HOME BANKERS were again matched.

At full-time no goals had been scored on either side and in the ten minutes overtime play the Molsons scored twice, winning the game. Mr Savage of the Traders bank was a satisfactory referee and Dick Dennison was a capable judge of play.

March 14th 1908(FP) PUCKLETS.

In an exciting game of hockey played Thursday night at the Wesley, the ENGINEERS of the EATON COMPANY were defeated by the STABLES by one goal.

March 20th 1908(FP) PUCKLETS.

A hard fought hockey game at the Wesley rink last evening between the MOLSONS and MERCHANT banks resulted in a score of 2-2. The Merchants played one man short for the last ten minutes, as one of their players broke a skate and the Molsons refused to drop a man to even up.

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December 29th 1908(FP & WT) HOCKEY-- MONTCALMS START WELL.

The Montcalms opened their Junior League season in good fashion, defeating the SILENT septette by 7 to 3. The game was played on the Wesley rink and was an excellent exhibition of hockey. The teams were as follows:

MONTCALMS--- J. PEARSON; J.C. SMITH; P. WALKER; R. EDGECOMB; F. COUTURE; J. McDIARMID;

A. SAMSON.

SILENTS--- CHING; DUNFIELD; DUNFIELD; MOLISKY; HEFFERON; WHITE; SMITH.

January 5th 1909(FP) **FREE PRESS GAME.**

The **NEWSROOM** and the **PRESS ROOM** played to a draw 3-3 in a Free Press League game last evening at the Wesley rink. The half-time score was 2-1 in favor of the latter. The teams were:
NEWSROOM--- PENNY; ROBINSON; HABKIRK; KIRBY; PARK; HANLEY; FITZGERALD.
PRESS ROOM--- E. BOWEN; DUFF; BROWN; P. MORRISEY; SAMPSON; A. BOWEN; WHITE.

January 8th 1909(FP) **ANGLICAN LEAGUE.**

The first two games in the Anglican Hockey League were played last evening at the Wesley rink. The first, that between **HOLY TRINITY** and **ST PETERS** resulted in a win for the former by the score of 6-2. The play was fast but while **ST Peters** were good individually the winners excelled them both in combination and shooting.

Like the first game, the one between **ST LUKES** and **ST MATHEWS** was a contest between individual ability and careful teamwork, resulting naturally in a win for the last characteristic. **St Mathews** then, won out 5-0 the half-time score being 3-0 while in the first period, two goals were disallowed that the winning team ran in. The line-up was as follows:

ST LUKES--- C. SINCLAIR; SINCLAIR; IVENSON!!; STEWART; CROSLEY!!; NASH and FINNIE.

ST MATHEWS--- Mc_ ENNAN; DUZNER; MITCHELL; ELLICE; FISKELL; WILCOCK and McNABB.

EASY FOR PECKS.

At the Wesley rink Wednesday night a fast game of hockey of **WHOLESALEERS** resulted in a win for the **JOHN W. PECK** seven, their opponents being the **R.J. WHITLA Co.**. The score at call of time was 5 goals to 1 in their favor. The Pecks were undoubtedly the better team and judging by the play they should give any other wholesalers a hard game.

January 14th 1909(FP) **DELIVERY BOYS WON.**

The **DELIVERY** boys defeated the **BUSINESS OFFICE** in a Free Press League game at the Wesley rink last night by the score of 6-4. This is the second game that the fast little team has won and their showing makes them look good for the championship.

DEAF BOYS WON.

The Deaf and Dumb institute defeated the **ASSINIBOINES** in a fast Junior League game played at the Wesley rink last evening, the final score being 3-0 and the half-time 1-0. The teams lined up as follows:

ASSINIBOINES--- TURNBULL; BALL; MOFFATT; BELCHER; COWEN; STEVEN and MAXWELL.

DEAF and DUMB--- FARANHAM; DUNFIELD; MOLENSKY; ULRICH; WHITE and W. BORLAND.

Referee-- Edgecombe; Judge of play-- Codville.

January 15th 1909(WT) **BETWEEN THE NETS.**

The **St. Mathews** hockey team appear to be going after a record, last week in the opening of the Anglican League they kalsomined their opponents by a 5-0 score.

Against **HOLY TRINITY** last night the **ST MATHEWITES** again triumphed, this time by a 3-0 count. The winners played an excellent game throughout and had the upper hand at all times. The match was played at the Wesley rink.

The **G.T.P.** seven won from the **CANADIAN FAIRBANKS Co.** at Wesley rink last night by a score of 6-1.

January 16th 1909(FP) **THE FREE PRESS INTERMEDIATE TEAM.**

The **MONARCHS** will visit the **FREE PRESS** on their own ice at the Wesley rink from 6 to 7.

The members of the Free Press hockey club have been badly bitten by the hockey bee in consequence of their inclusion in this league and the committee after much anxious thought, have selected a team which they believe will make a good showing in the opening game.

PENNY from the quill pushers department will be in front of the net, while **FITZGERALD** at point and **KIRBY**, the rover and captain, will be representatives of the Newsroom.

SAMPSON from the press room will look after cover-point and **BILLY BORLAND** will hold down left-wing, in the interests of the Business office, the other two positions, centre and right-wing will be filled by **WILSON** and **BRADEN**, two delegates from the speedy team of the Delivery boys.

The team will look like this:

PENNY--- Goal(Quill-pushers)

FITZGERALD--- Point(News-room)

KIRBY--- Rover(News-room)

SAMPSON--- Cover-point(Press-room)

BILLY BORLAND--- Left-wing(Business office)

WILSON--- Centre(Delivery boys)

BRADEN--- Right-wing(Delivery boys).

January 19th 1909(FP) **INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE OPENED.**

MONARCHS had easy win from **FREE PRESS** score Eleven to three.

The Intermediate Hockey League season was opened last night at the Wesley rink with a game between the Monarchs and the Free Press.

It was a disastrous debut for the representatives of this great family journal, the Monarchs living up to their name and winning out handily by the score of 11 to 3.

It was the first game for the Free Press team, which was picked from the Office League and was largely experimental.

The forwards did fair individual work but failed to hold their positions or their men properly, while the defence was helpless before the aggressive Monarch forwards. With practice together and one or two changes the Free Press team should be able to hold its own.

The Monarchs will undoubtedly make a strong bid for the Championship, they are a well balanced team and are as husky as most senior aggregations. They have a well defined combination and the forwards are all good shots, as Penny has reason to believe. The Monarchs were without Irwin, their regular goal-keeper and six men a side were played for a time and then **ELLDS!!!** went on to fill the vacancy.

The Free Press started out well, Leach securing the first goal, after that the Monarchs took up the attack and ran in eight strong goals. Leach then notched another for the Free Press, so that at half-time it was 8-2.

The second-half was more closely contested, the Monarchs adding three goals and the Free Press 1.

The checking all through was rather rough, Leach got a bad crack near the end of the first half and had to go off, but was back again in the second-half.

The line-up:

FREE PRESS

PENNY

FITZGERALD

SAMPSON

KIRBY

WILSON

LEACH

BRADEN

Goal

Point

Cover-point

Rover

Centre

Right-wing

Left-wing

MONARCHS

STEWART

STEVENSON

ELLDS

DULMADGE

OXLEY

GREY

O'CONNELL

Referee, Robertson.

January 20th 1909(WT) **WHITLA SEVEN WINS.**

At the Wesley rink last night R.J. WHITLA & CO.. defeated DEVLIN-RYAN Co.. in a fast game of hockey by a score of 9 to 8.

January 21st 1909(WT)

At Wesley rink yesterday afternoon from 2 to 3, Grades 7 and 6 of the MODEL SCHOOL played a hockey match, Grade 7 winning 3 to 1.

January 23rd 1909(WT) **CROMER HOUSE MATCH.**

The challenge hockey match between SCOTCH and ENGLISH teams from the Cromer house will take place at Wesley rink next Tuesday night at 10 o'clock.

January 25th 1909(FP) **TEULON TEAM WON.**

In a fast game of hockey the TEULON hockey team defeated the students from the CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE on Saturday afternoon in the Wesley rink by the score of 2-1, at half-time the score stood 1-0 in favor of the boys from the country.

H. MARTIN, the fast rover from Teulon scored the first goal for his team in the first half and WOOD scored the other goal in the second half. The students scored their only goal in the second half, BERT WOOD an ex student of the college, but now a member of the Teulon hockey team played a great game at right-wing for the winners.

The Teulon boys lined up as follows:

Goal, G. COUPLAND; Point, J. JONES; Cover-point, W. CHILDHERHOSE; Rover, H. MARTIN; Right-wing, BERT WOOD; Left-wing, A. PATTERSON.

Referee, M. FORSTER; Judge of play, C.L. NEWTON.

SILENTS 5 MONTCALMS 2.

In a fast Junior League game on Tuesday evening at the Wesley rink, the SILENTS defeated the MONTCALMS by the score of 5-2, thus putting them at the head of the league with two wins and one loss. The Silents have one more game to play against the Assiniboines.

The teams were:

SILENTS--- R. FARNHAM; E. DUNFIELD; C. DUNFIELD; W. MOLISKY; P. WALKER; J. ULRICH; C. WHITE.

MONTCALMS--- PEARSON; DECASE; SMITH; EDGECOMBE; COUTURE; SAMSON; McDERMOTT.

January 26th 1909(FP) **DELIVERY BOYS WON.**

The DELIVERY boys added the NEWSROOM to their list of victims in a Free Press League game at the Wesley rink yesterday evening, the details of the massacre being 6-1. These youngsters have now gone through the first half of their schedule without a defeat and say that they will have an equally good record at the end of the season.

January 27th 1909(WT) **SCOTS TRIUMPH.**

Cromer House hockeyists refight Battle of Flodden on ice.

After a two weeks period of severe training involving many a bruise and some casual pains, the Warriors of the Cromer House met on the Wesley ice last night and in the prescence of a cheering crowd, of both sexes, fought over again the Battle of Flodden Field. In this case the Scots came out victorius, but the Lion had not much to spare over the English Rose and when the sides counted their losses it was found that the Scots had made five successful assaults on their opponents nets, to the English four.

The lists were under the supervision of J. RICE, while Mr DAWSON seconded him. Not only was surprising speed shown by some of the heroes, but also nota a little combination and many new things in tactics, albeit involuntary, dazzled spectators at every turn.

McCULLOCH ended many a hand to hand engagement by swooping gracefully through it and some brave strokes at the puck were made from a reclining position. MITCHELL was the bright singular star of the Scots and on the English side, HANSEN at point and the HILLS and REYNOLDS divided honors more evenly.

In the first half England had the lead by 3-1, but in the second half Mitchell got away often enough, with the help of a lucky long shot by Murdoch, to nose out a victory.

The game was followed by a lunch at Kennedy Street.

The teams lined up as follows:

SCOTLAND

McCULLOCH

MITCHELL

TAYLOR

ANDERSON

GIBSON

MURDOCH

ADAMS

Goal

Point

Cover

Rover

Centre

Right

Left

ENGLAND

SHAKESPEARE

HANSEN

LEWIS

L. HILL

G. HARRIS

W. HILL

REYNOLDS.

SUMMARY.

1. Scotland, MITCHELL

2. England, W. HILL

3. England, L. HILL

4. England, W. HILL

SECOND HALF

5. Scotland, MITCHELL

6. Scotland, MITCHELL

7. Scotland, MURDOCH

8. Scotland, MITCHELL

9. England, REYNOLDS.

January 29th 1909(WT) BUCKEYES WIN.

In a Commercial Hockey League match at the Wesley rink Thursday night, the Buckeyes defeated the Dominion Express by a score of 4-3.

January 30th 1909(WT).

In the Junior League last night at the Wesley rink, the ASSINIBOINES won easily from the MONTCALMS, piling up ten goals to their opponents none.

In a fast game of hockey at the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon teams representing the 20th CENTURY CIGAR STORE and the EXCHANGE CAFE played to a draw, the score being 4-4.

January 30th 1909(FP) PUCKLETS.

In a fast game of hockey at the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon, teams representing the 20th CENTURY CIGAR STORE and the EXCHANGE CAFE played to a draw, the score being 4-4. HUNT and CAMERON were prominent on the Exchange septette while HEIRSHBURG starred for the 20th Century cigar store.

Last night the Wesley rink was the scene of a furious battle, when the SAINTS and the KNEES of last summers YMCA camp met, the game was resplendent with brilliant plays by both teams, but the Saints nosed ahead by 3-0.

February 2nd 1909(WT) INTERMEDIATE MATCH.

The FALCONS defeated the FREE PRESS in an Intermediate League game at the Wesley rink last evening by the score of 7-2.

The teams were as follows:

FALCONS--- BENSON; DALMAN; C. HALDORSON; W. HALDORSON; JOHANNSON; E. EREKSON;

STEVENSON.

FREE PRESS--- POWERS; MACKENZIE; HABKIRK; WILSON; WALKER; BORLAND; WHITAKER.

Referee--- A. SAMSON.

February 3rd 1909(WT) PLAYED TO A TIE.

The speedy hockey septette from the CITY HALL, that has gone two years without defeat, met its match Monday night at Wesley rink, in the CROMER HOUSE seven, the score being a tie 3-3.

Though the CIVICS admittedly had most of the shooting they had no monopoly of it and in speed and brilliancy the teams shared the honors. The guarding of the nets was very effective in both cases.

Cromer House obtained two goals in the first half and shortly after the second half was begun, the score stood 3-1 in their favor. The Civics however soon equalized and at the end were the stronger team.

The play was a trifle rough. Noble and Donald, Hooper, Smith and Miller starred on the ice and Mather in the nets.

The line-up was as follows:

| CIVICS | | CROMER HOUSE |
|---------|--------|--------------|
| LITTLE | Goal | MATHER |
| WYATT | Point | McBRIDE |
| RODGERS | Cover | JONES |
| HOOPER | Rover | RITCHIE |
| SMITH | Centre | COOK |
| SQUIRES | Right | NOBLE |
| MILLER | Left | DONALD |

Referee--- THOMPSON Judge of play--- GRIGG.

SUMMARY OF GOALS.

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|-------------------------|---------|
| 1. CROMER HOUSE, NOBLE | 1 min. |
| 2. CROMER HOUSE, DONALD | 19 min. |

SECOND HALF.

- | | |
|------------------------|--------|
| 3. CIVICS, HOOPER | 2 min. |
| 4. CROMER HOUSE, NOBLE | 5 min. |
| 5. CIVICS, SMITH | ½ min. |
| 6. CIVICS, WYATT | 4 min. |

February 6th 1909(FP) PLAYED A TIE.

In a fast junior hockey game played at the Wesley rink last evening the ASYLUM and the ASSINIBOINES played to a tie 2-2 for the Championship and the title will have to be settled next week.

The teams were as follows:

ASYLUM--- FRANHAM; DUNFIELD; C. DUNFIELD; MOLENSKY; WALKER; THOMAS and ULRICH.

ASSINIBOINES--- BAKER; W. TURNBULL, MOFFATT; BELCHER; BELCHER; F. MAXWELL; CALDWELL;

and BROWN.

February 9th 1909(FP) PUCKLETS.

The NEWSROOM defeated the BUSINESS OFFICE by the score of 4-1 in a Free Press League game, played at the Wesley rink last evening. The game was marred by a tendency of the players to rough it.

At the Wesley rink last night the WESLEY COLLEGE hockey team and a team from the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE met, the result being a draw, 3 goals each.

February 16th 1909(WT).

The FREE PRESS defeated the SELKIRK SEPTETTE by the score of 5-4 in an Intermediate League hockey game at the Wesley rink last evening.

BROWNS BUNCH WON--BOARDING HOUSE TEAMS CLASH IN WILD SCRAMBLE AT WESLEY RINK.

The BBB`s of 48 Harriett Street defeated the WRIGHT team of 356 Bannatyne Street in a fast and strenuous game of hockey at Wesley rink last night by a score of 3-1. The BBB`s lined up as follows:

Goal, KNAPTON; Point, CHAPMAN; Cover-point, CARRIGAN; Left-wing, LITTLE; Right-wing, MAWHINNEY;

Rover, LEE; Centre, STOREY.

February 18th 1909(FP) PUCKLETS.

The HUDSON BAY Co`s hockey team easily defeated the J.W. PECK team at the Wesley rink last night by 6 to 0!!!.

February 22nd 1909(FP) PLAYED TO A DRAW.

In a close game of hockey at the Wesley rink Saturday the UNIVERSITY students played to a draw with the COMMERCIAL BOYS from the SOMERSET SCHOOL, the score being 1 all.

March 3rd 1909(WT) PLAY TO A TIE.

Old country teams representing the CIVICS and CROMER HOUSE gave a good line of hockey at Wesley rink last night. The play was fast and well apportioned between the teams, though in the second half Cromer House took the lead in aggressive work. At half-time the score was 2-2 and at the last bell it was 3-3.

RICE, MITCHELL and SKINNER played a good game for Cromer, while ANDERSON, the Civics goalkeeper played a star game.

March 4th 1909(FP) FREE PRESS 3 C.P.R. 1.

The FREE PRESS defeated the CPR in an Intermediate City Hockey League game played at the Wesley rink last evening by a score of 3-1. This win puts the Free Press in second place, with the strong Monarchs well ensconced in first position.

March 8th 1909(WT) HOCKEY GAME TONIGHT.

Old country hockey teams from the CROMER HOUSE and CITY HALL will, at the Wesley rink, at 10 o`clock tonight settle the question of supremacy left undecided by the tie game a week ago.

March 9th 1909(WT) CROMMER TEAM WINS.

The CROMER HOUSE old country hockey team lowered the colors of a team composed of the compatriots at CITY HALL, in a fast game at Wesley rink last night, by a score of 3-2. The Cromers got their three goals in the first few minutes of play and the CIVICS got their two in a final spurt just at the close.

RICE was the fast man of the Cromers, while the kids of the Civic team starred in speed.

March 11th 1909(FP) ST JOHN GIRLS WON.

In a very good game of hockey played at the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon, the ST JOHNS COLLEGE scintillating septette of lady students administered a defeat to the WESLEY LADIES on their own ice, the score being 6-2. The game was characterized by heavy checking and a tendency to overskate the puck in the eagerness of the players to reach the opposing goal and the judge of play was rather lax in the handling out of penalties.

The winning team showed considerable speed and were in better condition than their opponents who, however, set a fast clip at the start.

The victors lined up as follows:

Goal, NORA MATHESON; Point, MISS KITCHEN; Cover, FANNY MORTON; Rover, ALLIE McKNIGHT; Centre, BESSIE LOWRIE; Right-wing, ALMA GILLESPIE; Left-wing, TANNIS MANNING.

Referee-- G. WHITING.

March 16th 1909(WT).

Hockey teams representing the ENGLISH and SCOTCH factions of CROMER HOUSE will play a return match at the Wesley rink at 10 o'clock tonight.

March 18th 1909(WT) ENGLAND and SCOTLAND-- INTERESTING GAME OF HOCKEY PLAYED AT WESLEY RINK.

England and Scotland, as represented by hockey teams from the Cromer House, met in friendly controversy at the Wesley rink on Tuesday night, when the Englishmen by the narrowest possible margin failed to get revenge for defeat early in the season by the same narrow margin.

ASHLEY scored the only goal in the first half, which went to Englands credit and W. HILL added the second in the second half, Scotland then got busy and MITCHELL, SKINNER, GIBSON and MITCHELL again scored on succession. L. HILL for England was the last to find the nets, the score standing 4-3. The line-up was as follows:

ENGLAND

LEWIS

MGEHAUSEN

HARRIS

ASHLEY

L. HILL

W. HILL

REYNOLDS

Goal

Point

Cover

Rover

Centre

Right

Left

SCOTLAND

McCULLOCH

TAYLOR

ANDERSON

MITCHELL

SKINNER

MURDOCH

GIBSON.

March 27th 1909(FP) BOARDING HOUSE CUP.

The final game for the Boarding House Cup was played at the Wesley rink last night and ended in a win for BRENNAN'S BOARDING HOUSE by 4 goals to 3 over the CLIPPERS.

The game was very keenly contested and was witnessed by a large number of followers of both teams.

BOARDING HOUSE GAME.

The TIGERS OF BANNATYNE AVENUE defeated the speedy CLIPPERS OF WESLEY RINK last night and won the Boarding House Cup by a score of 4-3.

W. Clark acted as judge of play and Frank Munton refereed to the satisfaction of both parties.

March 30th 1909(FP) PUCKLETS.

In a Boarding House game between the CLIPPERS and the CLEMENTS, at the Wesley rink last night, the former had a runaway victory scoring 8 goals to 1.

March 31st 1909(WT) OVERTIME NECESSARY.

MONARCHS won great battle for Junior Hockey Cup-- By defeating the ASSINIBOINES last night the MONARCH Juniors won the TELEGRAM CUP which marks the third trophy held by them as the INTERMEDIATE CITY TROPHY and the ARBUTHNOT CUP are also in their possession. The deciding game was played at the Wesley rink on splendid ice and it required five minutes extra time before the match was decided. At full-time the score was 2-2.

DUFF scored the winning goal from a mix up in front of the goal.

The game was strenuous at all times and exceedingly fast.

March 31st 1909(FP) MONARCHS WIN ANOTHER TROPHY.

INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONS DEFEATED ASSINIBOINES AND CAPTURED THIRD CUP OF SEASON.

The Monarch Juniors defeated the Assiniboines 3-2 last evening at the Wesley rink in a game that was closely contested throughout. This makes the third hockey trophy now held by the Monarchs.

The Intermediate City trophy and the Arbuthnot Cup being also in their possession. A great deal of rivalry was exhibited by the teams, this being probably due to the fact that they were battling for the Telegram Cup, which was first one by the OLD LYCEUMS.

Both teams, too, were very closely matched for skill and weight, many of the players looking more like seniors than juniors for size. When the time was called the score was a tie 2-2 and it was only after five minutes of overtime play that Duff batted in the winning goal on a mix up in front of the net.

Belcher of the Assiniboines netted the puck in the first half after 23 minutes of strenuous play and this proved to be the only tally of the period. Belcher was also the first to score in the second half, but Delmage and Smith came back soon after for the Monarchs and evened matters up.

While the game brought out some pretty hard play, there was little actual roughness and Miller and Caldwell who came to blows in the first half were the only men ruled off. Delmage, Smith and Duff starred for the winners, while Moffatt and Belcher were the pick of the Assiniboine team. The ice was in remarkably good condition for this time of the year.

The line-up was as follows:

MONARCHS-- McRAE; EELS; SMITH; DELMAGE; DUFF; MARPLES and MILLER.

ASSINIBOINES-- BAKER; BALL; MOFFATT; BELCHER; MAXWELL; CALDWELL and FOWLER.

Referee-- D. McIVOR; Judge of play-- D. GRAY.

SUMMARY OF GOALS:

1. Assiniboines, BELCHER 23 mins

SECOND HALF:

2. Assiniboines, BELCHER 5 ½ mins.

3. Monarchs, DELMAGE 1 min.

4. Monarchs, SMITH 5 mins.

5. Monarchs, DUFF 5 mins overtime.

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December 16th 1909(WT) CIVICS CAPTURE OPENER.

City Hall Hockeyists win first game in Commercial League.

By a score of three goals to nil, the CIVICS defeated the DOMINION EXPRESS seven last night, at Wesley rink in the opening game of the Commercial Hockey League.

While no goals were scored in the first half, the Civics showed their superiority in the second period and when their opponents commenced to weaken, quickly scored the trio of goals.

The teams were:

CIVICS-- ALEXANDER; BOSSELL; NEILSON; HOOPER; WYATT; MILLER and FERGUSON.

DOMINION EXPRESS-- MUNSON; McNAB; A. CANN; J. CANN; McDONALD; DEVLIN and ROBB.

Referee-- T. WALKER; Judge of play-- D. CROWAN.

December 23rd 1909(FP) **CLIPPERS WON GAME.**

In a fast game of hockey played at the Wesley rink Tuesday for the boarding house, the **CLIPPERS** from the **CASICA RESTAURANT** defeated the **TIGERS** from **WRIGHTS BOARDING HOUSE** by a score of 7-2.

For the Clippers the two **THOMAS** and **P. MORRISSEY** were the pick. In the second half the Clippers played the Tigers off their feet.

December 31st 1909(WT) **TIGERS BEAT EXPRESSMEN.**

One of the fastest and cleanest hockey game of the season was played at the Wesley rink last night between the **DOMINION EXPRESS** and **TIGERS**, resulting in a win for the latter, score 4-2, ten minutes overtime being played to decide the winner. The Tiger forward line worked well together and their defence broke up many combination rushes, while on the other side **CANN**, **MUNTON** and **DEVLIN** were the pick.

The line-up was as follows:

DOMINION EXPRESS-- **MUNTON**; **ARMSTRONG**; **CANN**; **CAMPBELL**; **BOWES**; **DEVLIN** and **RUSSELL**.

TIGERS-- **RESTRICK**; **J.D. McDONALD**; **POUNDE**; **MORRISSEY**; **WAUGHN**; **WHITE** and **MORDEN**.

Referee-- **S. BOSWELL**.

January 8th 1910(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

The **RYAN-DEVLIN SHOE Co.** hockey team defeated the boys from **R.J. WHITLAS** in a keenly contested game at the Wesley rink Thursday evening by 5 goals to 2.

January 15th 1910(WT) **CLOSE HOCKEY GAME.**

GAULT seven defeats **PECK** team by two goals to one-- One of the fastest and closest games of the season was played at the Wesley rink last night between **GAULTS LTD** and **JOHN W. PECK & Co**, resulting in a win for the fast Gault seven by the close score of two to one, all the scoring coming in the first half. From the form displayed there is no doubt but that Gaults will make a good showing in the Mercantile League.

For the winners **COWAL**, **MITCHELL** and **GIBSON** starred. **RESTRICK** in goal for the losers was in good form and stopped many hot shots and the defence broke up a number of combination rushes, whilst the forwards were always on the aggressive. The teams lined up as follows:

GAULTS-- **SINCLAIR**; **GIBSON**; **KEELE**; **MITCHELL**; **COWAL**; **SALISBURY** and **EVANS**.

PECKS-- **RESTRICK**; **CUZNER**; **POUND**; **STEBMAN**; **WAUGHN**; **THOMAS** and **GIBBS**.

Referee-- **SAM BOSWELL**; Judge of play-- **MALOWE**.

January 26th 1910(FP) **PUCKLETS.**

An exciting game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink on Monday evening, between two of the **ASSINIBOINE** camp teams **OPEONGO** and **DAMPHINE**, resulting in an easy win for Damphine, the score being 6 to 1.

January 29th 1910(WT) **BUCKEYES WIN.**

In a Commercial Hockey League match at Wesley rink Thursday night, the **BUCKEYES** defeated the **DOMINION EXPRESS** by a score of 4-3.

PUCKLETS.

The Old Countrymen of the **DOMINION BANK** defeated the **CANADIANS** at Wesley rink yesterday after a hot game by 2 to 1. Marsh Baker was referee.

MANITOBA COLLEGE.

On Wednesday of the past week, an exciting game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink between the **ENGINEERING MATRICS** and their brethren of the purple and white in the same year. It was a closely contested game and as the result shows that the honors were equally divided.

January 31st 1910(FP) PUCKLETS.

A fast game was played at the Wesley rink between teams representing the **WAVERLEY HOUSE** and the **ABERDEEN HOUSE** for the Boarding House Cup, put up by the proprietors of the rink. The game was won by the Aberdeens, score 8 to 0.

February 3rd 1910(FP) PUCKLETS.

A Commercial League game was played off last night at the Wesley rink between the **DOMINION EXPRESS** team and the **MANITOBA GOVERNMENT TELEPHONE** seven. A good clean game resulted in a win for the former by 5 goals to 3.

February 7th 1910(FP) OLD STARS TO TURN OUT.

Teams representing **NICHOLAS & BAIN** and the **CODVILLE CO**, will line-up at the Wesley rink tonight at 9 o'clock for a real old time Stanley Cup match. **ED NICHOLSON**, the former star lacrosse player will figure prominently in the crack forwards, **DAN BAIN** the famous Victorian Cup player, will also figure in the line-up.

February 9th 1910(FP) HOCKEY-- FAST GAME AT WESLEY.

One of the most exciting games of the season took place Monday at the Wesley rink, the opposing teams being from the **CODVILLE CO LTD** and **NICHOLSON & BAIN**. The game resulted in a win for the Broker boys 5-2.

The play was fast and furious from the start, although marred slightly by rough play on the part of **ARCHIBALD** for Nicholson & Bain and **BOWSER** for Codville Co.. The latter had several penalties metered out to him.

The stars for the winners were **BAIN** and **ROLLO**, the former showing up in his old Stanley Cup style, he showed that he had lost none of his speed and his stick handling was nothing short of marvellous. **ROLLO** also made some brilliant dashes and figured heavily in the scoring. For the losers **MONSCRIPT** and **GUY** showed up to best advantage, mention should also be made of the brilliant play of **ED NICHOLSON**, the early day lacrosse player who played his first game for fifteen years and at point had his opponents heat to a frazzle.

CAMERON for Nicholson & Bain and **HAYWARD** for Codville Co both played well in the nets.

Several magnates of Eastern teams were present and it is understood Bowser has received a tempting offer from the **MONTREAL SHAMROCKS**.

HARRY FLETT made a capable referee.

The teams line-up as follows:

NICHOLSON & BAIN-- **CAMERON**; **NICHOLSON**; **NEWSON**; **BAIN**; **ROLLO**;

ARCHIBALD and **WHITE**.

CODVILLE CO-- **HAYWARD**; **BOWSER**; **RICHARDSON**; **MALONE**; **GUY**; **KNOWLES** and **MONSCRIPT**.

February 8th 1910(WT) IN STANLEY CUP FORM.

At Wesley rink last evening the **NICHOLSON & BAIN** team, headed by **DAN BAIN**, defeated the **CODVILLE** seven by a score of 6-2. Bain was the star of the game and showed some of his old Stanley Cup form by scoring three goals.

February 10th 1910(FP) PUCKLETS.

A fast but rough game of hockey, in the **Juvenile League** was played between the **BUFFALOES** and **M.S.D** at the Wesley rink from 7 to 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening. At half-time the score was 1 to 0 in favor of the **M.S.D** and at the end of the game the score stood 5 to 3 in favor of the **M.S.D**..

February 11th 1910(FP) **FREE PRESS BEAT TELEGRAM.**

A fast and exciting game of hockey was played last night at the Wesley rink between teams representing the circulation departments of the **FREE PRESS** and **TELEGRAM**. The Free Press won. The game was clean and very close, the half-time score being 4-2 and the final score 5-4. The teams were as follows:

TELEGRAM--- GEODMANSON; DICKSON; STEWART; EARLE; CROOK; MCLEAN and HERBERT.

FREE PRESS--- BOWEN; DUFF; BRADEN; KNIGHT; JOHNSON; MORRISSEY and S-----.

February 25th 1910(FP) **FREE PRESS TEAM WON.**

The **TELEGRAM** Circulation department team that got a severe trouncing from the circulation department of the **FREE PRESS** two weeks ago, was not satisfied and looked for more. They got all that was coming to them again last night when the Free Press men laid them flat to the tune of 5 to 1. The game was played at the Wesley rink and was a hot combat all the way.

March 3rd 1910(WT) **SENIORS DEFEATED.**

The Sophomores of **MANITOBA COLLEGE** yesterday defeated the **SENIORS** at the Wesley rink for the Inter-Class Championship. At the end of the sixty minutes of fast and even play, the count was 2 all and it was decided to play five minutes each way for a decision. **PATTERSON** scored for the Second year men in a couple of minutes.

March 3rd 1910(FP) **SOPHOMORES DEFEAT SENIORS.**

The Sophomores of **MANITOBA COLLEGE** yesterday defeated the Seniors at the Wesley rink for the Inter-Class Championship. At the end of sixty minutes of fast and even play the count was 2 all and it was decided to play five minutes each way for a decision.

PATTERSON scored for the second year men in a couple of minutes after a pretty rush, referee **SCHOFIELD** and judge of play **RIDDELL** handled the game well. This was the line-up:

SOPHOMORES--- NAISMITH; LOGAN; MILROY; **PATTERSON**; **NORTON**; **HOOPER** and **JENKINS**.

SENIORS--- **COLE**; **DONALD**; **RICHIE**; **MACKINNON**; **B. WARNER**; **MC FETTRIDGE** and **L. WARNER**.

March 8th 1910(FP) **NORMAL GIRLS WON.**

The game of the season took place last night when the ladies hockey teams from the **NORMAL** and **WESLEY COLLEGES** met at the Wesley rink.

When time was called the score stood 1 to 0 in favor of the **NORMALITES**. This places the Normal team at the head of the list, as **WESLEY** and **ST JOHNS** drew in their last game.

For the winners **MISS RATHWELL** was easily the star player, though all played a very steady game. The Normal team consisted of **MISS SEARLE**, **MISS JONES**, **MISS RATHWELL**, **MISS GREENWAY**; **MISS GRANT**, **MISS JAMIESON** and **MISS ROSS**.

March 12th 1910(WT) **WESLEY COLLEGE.**

PART 1 and **PART 11 MATRICS** met at Wesley rink this week; all season there has been a good deal of rivalry between these teams and they "had it out", at the finish of a most friendly game, the score stood 6 to 3 for the Part 11 men.

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December 17th 1910(FP) **WESLEY COLLEGE.**

Inter-Class hockey was started this week and three games were played on Monday afternoon, the **PART 11** defeated the **PART 1 MATRICS**, the final score was 7 to 3 and the winners captained by **J. HEANEY**, while **G. FERGUSON** had charge of the Part 1 players.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, **FIRST YEAR** and a team made up of **THIRD YEAR** men and **THEOLOGS** met in deadly conflict and when the smoke had cleared away it was found that the freshmen had won with the score of 8-1, **MCKAY** led the first year men on to victory, while **A. EWART** captained the losers. On Wednesday, second year was the opposing team against the victorious freshmen, **E. DUNFIELD** was in charge of the battle line.

December 29th 1910(FP) **GRAIN EXCHANGE LEAGUE.**

The **ELEVATOR** boys played the **BROKERS** Tuesday at the Wesley rink and defeated them by a score of 5-0. The game was fast and clean, the umpire having an easy time.

For the winners **BLAKE** played a star game and proved too good for the Brokers, as he smashed up their combination in great style. **GREENE** was a little off colour and did not come through with his usual number of goals, **R. BELL** also played well. For the losers little **REX** played the game of his life and showed that he could handle a stick with the best of them. The Elevator boys are after the scalps of the Commission team now.

December 30th 1910(WT) **JUNIOR HOCKEY MATCH.**

PREMIERS DEFEAT WANDERERS BY SCORE OF NINE GOALS TO ONE.

A fast and most interesting game of hockey was played Wednesday at the Wesley rink in the Junior League.

The opposing teams were the **PREMIERS** and **WANDERERS** and when the final bell was rung the score stood 9-1 in favor of the Premiers.

Play in the first half was very even, the score being 3-0 in favor of the Premiers, but after half-time the Wanderers were outclassed, their only goal being scored in the last minute.

While the Premiers all worked hard, special credit must be given to **ROSS**, **SEABORN** and **MORRISON**, the dashing forwards. For the Wanderers, **FONSECA** and **BUCHAN** put up a star game. **W. BELL** made a very efficient referee, he also acted as judge of play.

Following is the line-up:

| PREMIERS | | WANDERERS |
|-----------------|--------|------------------|
| THOMAS | Goal | FRASER |
| GOWLER | Point | POLLOCK |
| ELLIS | Cover | FONSECA |
| SEABORN | Rover | McKAY |
| NICHOLL | Centre | BUCHAN |
| ROSS | Left | HUGHSON |
| MORRISON | Right | McLEOD |

December 30th 1910(FP) **PREMIERS WIN.**

The **PREMIERS** and **WANDERERS** clashed Wednesday in a Junior League fixture in Wesley rink. The game was fast and clean throughout, good work being done by both sides. **ROSS** and **MORRISON** for the Premiers were undoubtedly the stars of the evening, while **FONSECA** and **POLLOCK** were the brilliant members of the Wanderers.

The first half was by far the most spectacular part of the game, both sides going strong and pulling off some fine work. The first half ended with the Premiers leading 4-0. in the second-half the Wanderers went to pieces and seemed unable to stand the fast pace, the game ending 9-1 for the Premiers.

The teams lined up as follows:

PREMIERS— Goal, **F. THOMAS**; Point, **G. GOWLER**; Cover-point, **E. ELLIS**; Rover, **D. NICHOLL**; Centre,

J. SEABORN; Left-wing, **A. ROSS**; Right-wing, **R.C. MORRISON**.

WANDERERS— Goal, **W. FRASER**; Point, **M. POLLOCK**; Cover-point, **W. FONSECA**; Rover, **J. McKAY**;

Centre, **E. BUCHAN**; Left-wing, **M. McLEOD**.

Referee— **W. BELL**.

December 31st 1910(FP) PUCKLETS.

A fast game of hockey was played at the Wesley rink on Thursday between the FREE PRESS DELIVERY BOYS, from the Portage Avenue depot and the NOTRE DAME DEPOT.

Fine combination and good shooting won the game for the Portage Avenue boys, the final score being 7 goals to 0.

The teams were:

PORTAGE AVE--- Goal, HALDERSON; Point, AUGUST; Cover-point, PROUT; Forwards, HOOPER, HATCH,

HIGGINBOTHAM and MORAN.

NOTRE DAME--- Goal, McLENNON; Point, MARLEY; Cover-point, WATERS; Forwards, WHITE, CAMPBELL,

WILLIAMS and BATHIE.

January 16th 1911(WT)

A fast game was played on Saturday in the Junior series of the Sunday School League, when ST MATHEWS blanked CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL by a 2-0 score at Wesley rink. The teams were:

CONGREGATIONAL--- McLELLAN, BRADEN, SCOMFORD, McVICAR, WRIGHT, WILLIAMS and

JOHANNASON.

ST MATHEWS--- J. LANGTRY, C. BROWN, W. LAUGHLIN, J. MORAN, J. ROBERTSON, OSSIE ORR

and H. GREEN.

February 14th 1911(WT) WESLEY COLLEGE.

On Wednesday the Wesley rink was the scene of a friendly game between the MATRIC SEVEN and a team from ST JOHNS COLLEGE SCHOOL.

The home team was captained by S. SHULTZ and though the play was fast, the final score was 6 to 0 for the visiting men of the yellow and black.

February 23rd 1911(FP) CENTRAL BEAT MARYLAND.

In the Intermediate Sunday School Hockey League, an exciting game was decided at the Wesley rink, when CENTRAL met MARYLAND. The game was somewhat exciting, the first half ending with Central in the lead by a score of 2-1.

During the second half both teams showed their ability to rough it. The Central outplayed their opponents, and increased their lead to 5-1 before time was called. For the winners CAROLL, BRADEN, HOOPER and McINTYRE played well, while JACKSON showed up for the losing team.

March 4th 1911(WT)

On Monday afternoon, Wesley rink was the scene of a hard fought battle between the LADIES OF THE COLLEGE and the seven from the NORTH-END TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

There were plenty of supporters for both sides and the game proved as interesting as it was exciting.

The team of "FAIR ONES" that represented the College was as follows:

Goal, MISS DUCKER; Point, MISS KERR; Cover-point, MISS HANEY; Forwards, MISSES FOX, NASON, McKENZIE and M. McKENZIE.

The final score was 0 to 0.

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December 1st 1911(FP) WESLEY LADIES PLAY.

The Ladies of Wesley College played a hockey match on the Wesley rink yesterday afternoon, when the JUNIORS held the SENIORS by two goals to one.

December 4th 1911(WT) HOCKEY AT THE WESLEY.

CHRISTIES defeated MANITOBA ASSOCIATION in a close game of hockey Saturday afternoon 4-3 in the Wesley rink. The teams were:

CHRISTIES--- DORSET, SMITH, PRICE, MATHESON, WHITE, BARRETT and PRIOR.

MANITOBA ASSOCIATION--- TAYLOR, POLLOCK, BURLINGHAM, WILSON,
BUCHANAN, LABISSE and

ANGUS.

December 26th 1911(WT) MAPLE LEAFS PLAY SPICY HOCKEY GAME-- BENEDICTS
DEFEAT BACHELORS BY A 4-3 SCORE BEFORE LARGE CROWD AT WESLEY.

There was fun and a spice of history on Wesley rink on Christmas morning, when the MARRIED MEN and the SINGLE MEN of the old MAPLE LEAF AMATEUR HOCKEY CLUB engaged in a friendly game. The game was fast in spots and indicated that in days of yore they knew how to play the game even as they do today.

When the curtain was rung down the score stood 4-3 in favor of the Married men.

Teams lined up as follows:

MARRIED

F. SCORER

H. GALBRAITH

S. PENWARDEN

JIM ROLLO

JOHN JACKSON

FLETT

F. PENWARDEN

Goal

Point

Cover-point

Right-wing

Left-wing

Centre

Rover

SINGLE

R. FORRESTER

N. LOWMAN

H. STARES

T. LETHED

BILL LEE

B. McINTOSH

JIM JACKSON

The match was refereed by MAGNUS FLETT.

December 26th 1911(FP) THIS WAS SOME GAME---MARRIED DEFEATED SINGLE MEN
FROM RANKS OF FORMER MAPLE LEAFS AMATEUR HOCKEY TEAM.

A very amusing hockey match was played at the Wesley rink yesterday morning between the Married men and the Single men, nearly all of whom were once members of the old MAPLE LEAF amateur team of a few years ago.

The game attracted a good crowd of followers of hockey and the contest was not without surprises, resulting in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the married men.

The players were: As in the above report from the Tribune,

February 15th 1912(FP) McGAVIN-LENNOX 3 STOBARTS 3.

One of the best hockey games of the season took place on the Wesley rink last night and the result is a fair indication of the run of play, the teams being evenly balanced.

For the McGAVIN-LENNOX boys, SPARROW and McDONNELL starred, while PENTLAND and STOREY were the pick of STOBARTS.

February 24th 1912(FP) FRIENDLY GAME.

A friendly but strenuous game of hockey was played between the employees of the HARGRAVE & CO COAL OFFICE and those of WINDATT & CO, in Wesley rink Wednesday evening, resulting in a win for the latter by a score of 7 to 2. The winners lined up as follows and are now out with a challenge to any coal office in the City:

Goal, WILLIAMS; Point, MUNNOCH; Cover-point, WOODHOUSE; Rover, CAMPBELL;
Centre, LANG; Left-wing, GROSS; Right-wing, RYAN.

March 12th 1912(FP) PUCKLETS.

The ACCOUNTS put one over the CONTRACTS in the first round of the MINTO CUP last night at the Wesley rink.

The shining light of the accounts was STEELE, who several times tested the contracts goal with hot ones. The contracts also put in some good work, but were outclassed by the winners, score 3-2.

The teams:

ACCOUNTS--- ARTNOTT, PARKINS, WARD, STEELE, WARTLY, LAWRENCE and CHAFE.

CONTRACTS--- HUGHES, BROWN, DEY, WARDROPE, STIBBARD, CLARKE and ANDERSON.

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February 12th 1913(FP) CITY HALL TEAM WINS.

All the electrical energy produced by the seven stars from the CITY LIGHT AND POWER DEPARTMENT, failed to show any effect on the Stanley Cup aspirants of the various offices of the City Hall, when these two teams met in a fierce hockey encounter last evening at Wesley rink.

A 7 to 1 score best tells the tale while it might not indicate the overwhelming superiority of the City Hall gang who in consideration for the wire puller, ground circuiting let them down easy at the same time maintaining their own dignity.

CALDWELL proved to be a good goal getter for the CITY HALL TEAM while FERGUSON was always on hand to take the pass and back checked very hard, DALGLEISH played a good game while STEWART the City Halls goal keeper played a star game in the nets, only letting one goal bulge the nets. LOOMER and TALLMAN were the stars for the LIGHT & POWER department, playing a very good game.

February 17th 1913(FP) RAILWAY TEAMS PLAY.

An interesting game took place on Saturday afternoon at the Wesley rink between teams from the ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT of the CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY.

After a fast game the score stood 4-4, for the BRIDGE DEPARTMENT the JOHNSTONES were easily the stars, while for the CONSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT, SMITH was the pick. The teams lined-up as follows:

BRIDGE--- MITCHELL, Goal; LESLIE, Point; H.L. JOHNSTONE, Cover-point; B.A. JOHNSTONE, Rover;

SIDLEY, Centre; RIMMINGTON, Right-wing; DYNES, Left-wing.

CONSTRUCTION--- HANKS, Goal; SMITH, Point; W.P. NOBLE, Cover-point; V.C. NOBLE, Rover; CLARKE,

Centre; GRAHAM, Right-wing; HIGGINS, Left-wing.

Referee-- VIC TAIT.

February 21st 1913(FP) AGRICULTURAL 4 WESLEYS 2.

The farmers won a well deserved victory over WESLEY, at the Wesley rink, playing their best game this season. Since the series opened the AGRICULTURALS have improved considerably and next year they should prove for the first time an important factor in the contest for honors.

HOPPER starred for the MAC, while HANEY and SCHEVING also showed up well. CHAMBERS was the pick of the WESLEYANS.

VIC TAIT, of Engineers and SCOTT of Schools handled the game satisfactorily. The play was rough, but both officials sent a lot of men to the fence.

The teams:

AGRICULTURAL--- McKAY, WALWORK, HANEY, BRUCE, HILL, HOPPER and SCHEVING.

WESLEY--- WILKINS, BRIDGMAN, HANSON, SCOTT, CHAMBERS, ALEXANDER and CROSS.

This game was to be the last hockey report I had found for the WESLEY RINK, I can only imagine that there were other games played here till the end of the 1912/13 season, but up till now, I have not been able to find anything.

On the night of July 18th 1913 a fire had took hold of the Eastern end of the building and spread rapidly, eventually when the "REELS" had answered the alarm, the rink building was gutted. Within a week the Wesley rink was gone, a sad end to a once very popular Winnipeg City skating venue.

CHAPTER 5.

THE ADVERTISED GAMES.

*This chapter covers games and hockey match fixtures that were advertised in the two local newspapers Winnipeg Daily Tribune and Free Press, but a result or report had not been found during my research. In the fixture list, the games in **RED** are the ones I have yet to find results, or information about, whether it be postponement or change of venue.*

The following advertised games, fixtures and additional snippets of interest are from the WINNIPEG TRIBUNE.

January 25th 1902 MEDICALS vs ST JOHNS.

At the Wesley rink today the MEDICAL and ST JOHNS hockey teams will play a game in the Junior Series.

December 18th 1903 The GAULTS LTD will play the BANK OF MONTREAL on Monday night in Wesley rink.

January 5th 1904 Schedule has been drawn up-- collegians prepare for Junior Intercollegiate Series: The fixtures.

A meeting of the collegians interested in hockey met yesterday and drew up the following schedule for the Junior Series of the INTERCOLLEGIATE HOCKEY ASSOCIATION.

Five teams are entered in the senior, viz., MEDICALS, MANITOBAS, WESLEYS, SCHOOLS and ST JOHNS.

A double series was drawn up requiring twenty games, these will be played at the WESLEY RINK on Thursdays, beginning at 5-30 and Saturdays at 1-30 and 5 o'clock.

The schedule is as follows: (referee)

JAN 14-- WESLEY vs MEDICALS (W.E. BROWNE). 6-0

JAN 21-- ST JOHNS vs MANITOBAS (A.L. SMITH). 1-1

JAN 23-- WESLEY vs MANITOBA (F.M. IRWIN). 1-3

JAN 23-- **ST JOHNS vs SCHOOLS (J. GREIG).**

JAN 28-- **MEDICALS vs SCHOOLS (MR BRETT).**

JAN 30-- **MANITOBA vs MEDICALS (A.L. SMITH).**

FEB 4-- SCHOOLS vs MANITOBA (MR LINDSAY). 3-5

FEB 6-- **MEDICALS vs ST JOHNS (H.P. DAVIDSON).**

FEB 6-- **WESLEY vs SCHOOLS (W.E. BROWNE).**

FEB 11-- **ST JOHNS vs MANITOBA (MR McLAREN).**

FEB 13-- WESLEY vs MANITOBA (F.M. IRWIN). 3-0

FEB 13-- **ST JOHNS vs SCHOOLS (J. GREIG).**

FEB 18-- **MEDICALS vs ST JOHNS (G. GRUNDY).**

FEB 20-- **MEDICALS vs SCHOOLS (A.L. JOHNSTONE).**

FEB 20-- WESLEY vs ST JOHNS (H.P. DAVIDSON). 6-0

FEB 25-- MEDICALS vs MANITOBA (MR McLAREN). 5-6

FEB 27-- MEDICALS vs WESLEY (MR LINDSAY). 3-1

FEB 27-- SCHOOLS vs MANITOBA (MR BRETT). 2-4

MARCH 4-- WESLEYS vs SCHOOLS (W.E. BROWNE). 3-0

December 8th 1904 Junior hockey game at the Wesley rink-- A junior hockey match will be played at Wesley rink tonight from 9 to 10 o'clock. Skating will go on at the same time. A band will be in attendance and as the ice is in good shape a large crowd is expected.

December 23rd 1904 Seven clubs compose the Manitoba Junior Amateur Hockey League; CRESCENTS, PALACES, STRATHCONAS, ROWING CLUB, VICTORIAS and the KENNEDYS & MAPLE LEAFS who had competed in the "TEST GAMES".
A schedule was drawn up and the games to be played at the AUDITORIUM, MANITOBA & WESLEY rinks.
I have found the reports of 5 of the 6 fixtures, the missing result was Feb 7th VICTORIAS vs ROWING CLUB.

February 4th 1905 Two aspiring sevens from GREENSHIELDS LTD play an exhibition game at the Wesley rink this afternoon, the SHORTHAND and COMMERCIAL departments of the WINNIPEG BUSINESS COLLEGE also contest for the oysters.

February 15th 1905 The MERRICK-ANDERSON and ASHDOWN hockey teams will clash tonight on Wesley rink ice, the game will be called at 10 o'clock.

December 23rd 1905 Schedule for the Manitoba Intermediate Hockey League drawn up with some "B" series games played at the Wesley rink:
FEB 8th STRATHCONA vs KENNEDYS.
FEB 15th KENNEDY vs PALACES.
FEB 22nd KENNEDY vs FREE PRESS.

January 8th 1906 Junior League schedule is prepared-- Eight clubs to play.
The Manitoba Hockey League schedule has been compiled at last. The season will open on Tuesday night when the MAPLE LEAFS and CRESCENTS play at the Wesley.
The league has eight clubs, divided into two series, with the LYCEUM, VICTORIA, WINNIPEG and KENNEDY teams in one group and MAPLE LEAF, CRESCENTS, STRATHCONA and ICELANDIC ATHLETIC CLUBS (IAC) in the other.

Four venues were used, WESLEY, AUDITORIUM, ARENA and MANITOBA.
6 games were scheduled to be played on Wesley ice, I have results for three of them and 1 that was postponed then played at the Auditorium. This must have happened at times, as I have a game result from this series that had been switched from the Auditorium to the Wesley.
The other missing results were:
FEB 15th STRATHCONA vs MAPLE LEAFS.
The "A" series game scheduled for January 29th WINNIPEG vs KENNEDY was called off after altercations between the Kennedy club and the rink management.

January 10th 1906 Arrangements were made this morning to play the Intermediate game between the FREE PRESS and SELKIRK at Wesley rink tonight between 10 and 11 o'clock.

January 18th 1906 In an Intermediate game the KENNEDYS and PALACES clash at Wesley rink at 9 o'clock.

January 26th 1906 The KENNEDYS and LYCEUMS play a Junior League game at the Wesley rink tonight between 8 and 9.

January 29th 1906 The FREE PRESS and CRESCENTS will play an Intermediate League game at the Wesley rink this evening.

The FREE PRESS hockey club had dropped out of the Intermediate series, therefore this fixture was accordingly called off.

February 1st 1906 MANITOBA and WESLEY meet in a Junior College League game at the Wesley rink this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

February 3rd 1906 To play College leaders-- An interesting hockey match will take place at Wesley rink next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock when the Wesley College seven, at present leaders in the Intercollegiate League, will line up against a strong combination composed of the employees of WESLEY RINK.

S. PENWARDEN will likely act as referee, while J. McLAREN will fill the place as judge of play.

February 10th 1906 The MAPLE LEAFS and the ICELANDIC ATHLETIC CLUB will play their Junior League game, postponed from last Tuesday night, at the Wesley rink tonight at 8 o'clock, there will be skating as usual.

The IAC team defaulted their game to the Maple Leafs. The Maple Leafs have now won their series.

February 14th 1906 To be played at the Wesley rink tonight from 9 to 10, the Boarding House sevens from RUPERT STREET and one from 601 BALMORAL STREET.

February 15th 1906 The KENNEDYS and CRESCENTS are scheduled to play an Intermediate League game at the Wesley rink this evening at 9 o'clock.

The STRATHCONA and MAPLE LEAF Juniors will come together in a league game at the Wesley rink this evening.

February 15th 1907 The SELKIRK Intermediate hockey team was scheduled to play the MAPLE LEAFS at Wesley rink last evening but failed to come.

December 24th 1908 The YMCA seniors will play a hockey match on Saturday afternoon at the Wesley rink.

January 13th 1909 Intermediate Hockey League Schedule.

C.P.R. membership accepted and after members agreed that any postponed games must be played off not more than five days after the last regular game.

The schedule was drawn up and games to be played at the following rinks:

SELKIRK, ARENA, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA and WESLEY.

Wesley had five fixtures, three of I have results for, the missing game results are for:

FEB 1st **FREE PRESS vs I.A.C from 6-7pm**

FEB 10th **FREE PRESS vs PREMIERS from 7-8pm.**

January 16th 1909 Mercantile Hockey-- The JOHN W. PECK hockey team play the McCREADY seven at the Wesley rink from 8 to 9 o'clock, Monday night.

The teams will line up as follows:

PECKS-- H. RESTRICK, C. CUZIER, A.D. WHITE(CPT) G.H. HUNTER, J. KERR, B. GIBBS and G. WEIR.

McCREADY-- C. MURRAY, J. RICE, R. McKINNON(CPT) C. CONGDON, E. WELDON, E. PICKERING and

H. FOGG.

March 13th 1909 Hockey game tonight-- A friendly game of hockey will take place at the Wesley rink tonight when the ROSSER hockey team clashes with the GENERAL OFFICE hockey team of the T. EATON CO LTD.

The teams line up as follows:

ROSSER--- CORBETT, KELLETT, HOSSIE, BEWELL, GREEN, McFEE and MINAKER.

EATONS--- FRETWELL, GRANT, KEOUGH, SQUIRES, COOK, RENNIE and MALCOLM.

January 14th 1910 In the Junior Hockey League tonight, YOUNG CHURCH BOYS CLUB meet ZENITHS at Wesley rink between 7 and 8 o'clock

January 21st 1910 JUNIOR HOCKEY.

WANDERERS defeat YCBC team 5-4 at the Arena rink, the Wanderers now leading the league and the next game will be played tomorrow night at the Wesley rink against the GARRYS.

February 17th 1910 HOCKEY GAME POSTPONED.

The hockey match scheduled for last night at the Wesley rink between the GARRYS and FALCONS, was postponed indefinitely.

December 23rd 1911 LADIES HOCKEY GAME AT WESLEY RINK.

There will be a hockey match this afternoon at the Wesley rink between the GOVERNMENT TELEPHONE LADIES hockey team and one from the INSURANCE UNDERWRITERS hockey teams. Play will start promptly at 3 o'clock.

The following advertised games, fixtures and additional snippets of information are taken from the archives of the

WINNIPEG FREE PRESS.

December 29th 1900 A ladies hockey match will be played on the Wesley College rink this afternoon. Only a limited number of invitations have been issued.

December 4th 1901 INTERCOLLEGIATE SENIOR GAMES.

Schedule drawn up and to be played in two series (Rink unknown!!!!).

A Junior series will be arranged to be played on Saturdays in the Wesley rink and these No Senior player will take part.

January 9th 1903 WESLEY GAME TONIGHT.

The C.P.R. and ASHDOWN teams will play at the Wesley rink this evening.

January 13th 1903 INTERCOLLEGIATE HOCKEY LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

Senior games played at the AUDITORIUM RINK, the Junior games will be played on the WESLEY RINK at 10.30am and 1.30pm.

Junior Schedule as follows:

Jan 31--- MANITOBA vs WESLEY 1-2.

Jan 31--- MEDICAL vs SCHOOLS.

Feb 7--- MANITOBA vs MEDICAL 2-1.

Feb 7---. ST JOHNS vs SCHOOLS

Feb 14--- ST JOHNS vs MEDICALS.

Feb 14--- WESLEY vs SCHOOLS 2-2¹.

Feb 21--- WESLEY vs MEDICAL.

Feb 21--- MANITOBA vs ST JOHNS.

Feb 28--- MANITOBA vs SCHOOLS 10-3.

Feb 28--- ST JOHNS vs WESLEY 4-3.

1 Final score was 2-2 but before a mutual agreement was reached on how the game would end, the Wesley team left the ice, so Bright the referee awarded the game to Schools.

**December 22nd 1903 THE SCHEDULE OF JUNIOR W.C.A.H.L PLAYING FIXTURES
ARRANGED AT A MEETING LAST EVENING.**

The Junior WCAHL has at last got down to business and is now all ready to start the season. At a meeting of the club representatives last night the schedule was drawn up, consisting of a single game with seven teams entered, making in all twenty one games to be played.

The GARRYS have of course dropped out and the YMCA were not represented at the meeting and have apparently quit the game for the year.

The following representatives were present: VICTORIAS-- W. -----?; CRESCENTS-- T. MARSHALL; ROVERS-- A. McIVOR; PALACES-- J. BARRIE; ZIONISTS-- -----?; ROWING CLUB-- H. BANNATYNE.

The schedule as drawn up is as follows: `A` meaning AUDITORIUM, `W` WESLEY and `C` CITIZENS rinks.

| | |
|---|------------------|
| Dec 30 th --- ROWING CLUB vs PALACES (C) | 1-5 |
| Jan 5 th --- VICTORIAS vs CRESCENTS (W) | 11-2 |
| Jan 8 th --- ROVERS vs ZIONISTS (W) | 7-3 |
| Jan 8 th --- BROOKSIDES vs ROWING CLUB (A) | 4-3 AET |
| Jan 12 th --- PALACES vs VICTORIAS (A) | Victorias won. |
| Jan 15 th --- CRESCENTS vs ROVERS (W) | 7-3 |
| Jan 21 st --- ZIONISTS vs BROOKSIDES (A) | 1-3 |
| Jan 26 th --- ROWING CLUB vs VICTORIAS (A) | Victorias won. |
| Jan 28 th --- PALACES vs ROVERS (C) | 3-2 |
| --- CRESCENTS vs BROOKSIDES (C) | |
| Feb 12 th --- ZIONISTS vs VICTORIAS (A) | Victorias won. |
| --- ROVERS vs ROWING CLUB (W) | 3-3 |
| Feb 15 th --- PALACES vs BROOKSIDES (C) | |
| --- CRESCENTS vs ZIONISTS (W) | Crescents won. |
| --- VICTORIAS vs ROVERS (A) | Victorias won. |
| Feb 23 rd --- PALACES vs ZIONISTS (C) | 6-1 |
| Feb 24 th --- ROWING CLUB vs CRESCENTS (W) | Postponed. |
| --- BROOKSIDES vs ROVERS (W) | |
| Mar 1 st --- CRESCENTS vs PALACES (W) | Postponed. |
| --- ZIONISTS vs ROWING CLUB (A) | Rowing Club won. |
| Mar 3 rd --- VICTORIAS vs BROOKSIDES (A) | 3-1. |

December 24th 1903 HOCKEY-- ROVERS PRACTICE GAME.

The ROVERS hockey club will have a hard practice match at the Wesley rink on Christmas morning at 9 o'clock. The teams which are those competing in the Intermediate and Junior series of the W.C.H.L. will line up as follows:

| INTERMEDIATES | | JUNIORS |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| McMASTER | Goal | POPHAM |
| J. BOSWELL | Point | S. CARTER |
| M.C. HILL | Cover-point | McGREGOR |
| D.M. LITCHFIELD | Forwards | E. JOHNSTON |
| B. HILL | | J. TALLMAN |
| F.T. DREWE | | SALTER |
| S. DULMAGE | | J. McKENZIE |

Spares--- C. LEUVERS and J. McKENZIE.

December 29th 1903.

The SCHOOLS and WESLEY COLLEGE play a friendly hockey game on the Wesley rink this afternoon at 1-15.

January 22nd 1904 **INTERCOLLEGIATE TOMORROW.**

In the Junior series at Wesley rink, WESLEY meet MANITOBA at 1-30 and SCHOOLS meet ST JOHNS at 5 o'clock.

February 25th 1904 **NEITHER TEAM APPEARED.**

The Junior game scheduled for last night at the Wesley rink between the ROWING CLUB 111 and CRESCENTS did not materialize, neither side putting in an appearance.

February 27th 1904 **JUNIOR GAME TONIGHT.**

In the Junior Western Canada League this evening the CRESCENTS and PALACES are billed to run up against each other at the Wesley rink. The Palaces are yet strong features in the race for the top, having lost only one game to the VICS, who lead with five straight wins. The Crescents are in fourth place with two losses and two wins.

March 1st 1904 **JUNIOR GAME POSTPONED.**

The Junior hockey game which was to have been played at the Wesley rink last night between the PALACES and CRESCENTS failed to materialize owing to the fact that manager BELL refused to give them a suitable hour to play and it was postponed until a later date.

The Crescents and Palaces felt very keenly about the matter and put in a strong kick, but Bell positively refused to give them their hour and there was nothing for it, but to call off the game.

When the schedule was drawn up, all the dates at the rink were arranged for between ten and eleven o'clock but despite this the teams claim that the ice last night was rented to another couple of "kids" teams.

As the teams could not wait until after eleven the game was postponed and will be played sometime this week at one of the other rinks, as both absolutely refuse to have anything further to do with the Wesley.

January 11th 1905 **ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE.**

To the sporting editor of the Free Press.

Having noticed the challenge of the BELL TELEPHONE employees to a game of hockey, I hereby accept the challenge on behalf of the IROQUOIS HOTEL hockey team to be played on Tuesday or Thursday night on the Wesley rink, hours to be arranged to suit both teams.

Yours truly,

W. HASSETT

Care of Iroquois Hotel

Winnipeg, Jan 9.

February 7th 1905 **JUNIOR LEAGUE GAME POSTPONED.**

The Junior League game scheduled for last night at the Wesley rink between the KENNEDYS and CRESCENTS failed to materialize owing to the teams being unable to get the ice at a suitable hour.

December 23rd 1905.

A schedule of games for the Manitoba Hockey Association Intermediate series were drafted, with the Wesley rink hosting some "B" series games as follows:

Jan 3rd FREE PRESS vs PALACES 1-2.

Jan 30th KENNEDY vs SELKIRK 6-4.

Feb 8th STRATHCONA vs KENNEDY.

*Feb 15th **KENNEDY vs PALACES.***

*Feb 22nd **KENNEDY vs FREE PRESS.***

January 5th 1906 **REVISED INTERMEDIATE SCHEDULE FOR WESLEY RINK.**

Intermediate League games "B" series.

Jan 3rd— **FREE PRESS vs PALACES 1-2**

Jan 4th— **STRATHCONAS vs KENNEDYS 5-4(act)**

Jan 18th— **KENNEDYS vs PALACES²**

Jan 29th— **FREE PRESS vs PALACES**

Jan 30th— **KENNEDYS vs SELKIRK**

Feb 5th— **STRATHCONAS vs PALACES**

Feb 16th— **KENNEDYS vs PALACES**

Feb 22nd— **KENNEDYS vs FREE PRESS**

Mar 2nd— **STRATHCONAS vs SELKIRK.**

January 8th 1906 **JUNIOR LEAGUE GAMES SCHEDULED FOR THE WESLEY RINK.**

The games scheduled for the Wesley were based the same as the Intermediate League with two series "A" and "B".

Three games from each series were lined up to be played at the Wesley.

Jan 26 **KENNEDYS vs LYCEUM (A)** This game was played at the Auditorium.

Jan 29 **WINNIPEG vs KENNEDY (A).**

Feb 27 **VICTORIA vs KENNEDY (A).**

Jan 9 **MAPLE LEAF vs CRESCENTS (B) 4-1.**

Jan 15 **MAPLE LEAF vs I.A.C (B) 6-1.**

Feb 15 **STRATHCONA vs MAPLE LEAF (B).**

February 10th 1906 **PUCKLETS.**

A Junior league game will be played at the Wesley rink tonight commencing at 8 o'clock, between the I.A.C. and MAPLE LEAF teams. This game was originally called for last Tuesday at the ARENA rink, but was postponed.

December 5th 1906 **HARDWARE HOCKEY—SCHEDULE OF WHOLESALE LEAGUE IS ANNOUNCED.**

The Wholesale Hardware Hockey League has drawn up the following schedule, to be played at the Wesley rink³

Dec 13— **ASHDOWN vs MILLER-MORSE 0-2.**

Dec 20— **KEMP vs MARSHALL-WELLS 1-2.**

Dec 27— **GEO D. WOOD vs ASHDOWN.**

Jan 3— **KEMP vs MILLER-MORSE 0-8.**

Jan 10— **MARSHALL- WELLS vs GEO D. WOOD 4-3 (act).**

Jan 15— **ASHDOWN vs KEMP.**

Jan 17— **MILLER-MORSE vs GEO D. WOOD 3-2.**

Jan 22— **MARSHALL-WELLS vs ASHDOWN.**

Jan 24— **GEO D. WOOD vs KEMP 3-2.**

Jan 29— **MILLER-MORSE vs MARSHALL-WELLS.**

Jan 31— **ASHDOWN vs MILLER-MORSE.**

Feb 5— **MARSHALL-WELLS vs KEMP.**

Feb 7— **ASHDOWN vs GEO D. WOOD.**

Feb 12— **MILLER-MORSE vs KEMP.**

Feb 14— **GEO D. WOOD vs MARSHAL-WELLS**

Feb 19— **KEMP vs ASHDOWN.**

Feb 21— **GEO D. WOOD vs MILLER-MORSE 2-7.**

Feb 26— **ASHDOWN vs MARSHALL-WELLS.**

Feb 28— **KEMP vs GEO D. WOOD.**

Mar 7— **MARSHALL-WELLS vs MILLER-MORSE.**

2 Nov 30th 1905 PALACES change name to SHAMROCKS (Free Press article).

3 All of the reports I did find of this league were played at the WESLEY rink.

February 25th 1908 WESLEY GAMES.

The following are the hockey games to be played at the Wesley rink during the balance of the winter:

Feb 25--- ST BONIFACE vs BEAVERS 6-1.

Feb 27--- WESLEY vs BANK OF OTTAWA.

Feb 28--- DOMINION BANK vs ST BONIFACE.

Mar 3--- BEAVERS vs DOMINION BANK.

Mar 4--- BANK OF OTTAWA vs ST BONIFACE.

Mar 6--- WESLEY vs DOMINION BANK.

Mar 9--- BEAVERS vs BANK OF OTTAWA.

Mar 12--- WESLEY vs BEAVERS.

Mar 13--- DOMINION BANK vs BANK OF OTTAWA.

Mar 17--- ST BONIFACE vs WESLEY St.Boniface won.

March 2nd 1908 FREE PRESS GAME TONIGHT.

The BUSINESS OFFICE will play a picked team from the MAILING and PRESS ROOM at the Wesley rink tonight at seven o'clock.

The following will be the teams:

PRESS ROOM--- HEFFORD, Goal; E. BOWEN, Point; ROBINSON, Cover-point; A. BOWEN, Rover;

MORRISON, Centre; SAMSON, Right-wing; VIGOR, Left-wing.

BUSINESS OFFICE--- POWERS, Goal; ALDERSON, Point; McKENZIE, Cover-point;

BORLAND, Rover;

McCURDY, Centre; THOMPSON, Right-wing; WALKER, Left-wing.

March 5th 1908 A GAME TONIGHT.

An interesting hockey match will be played at Wesley rink tonight commencing at 9 o'clock, between teams representing the OFFICE and CAR BARNS of the WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

This will be the last game of a series which these teams are playing and great enthusiasm is being displayed by all connected with these teams. The teams will be:

OFFICE--- MASTER, McCOMO, SNIDER(Capt), KNOX, SMITH, CLARKE and BOND.

CAR BARNS--- HENRY, PRATT(Capt), OUTHWAITE, ROCHE, MAYNARD, WEBB and AYLING.

March 7th 1908 BOARDING HOUSE CUP.

What promises to be a swift game of hockey, will take place this evening at 9-30 o'clock in the Wesley rink, when the OSTRANDERS will endeavour to win the Boarding House Cup from the ST NICHOLAS seven.

St Nicholas won the cup last Saturday evening by defeating the St Boniface seven (5-4). while the Ostranders have only been defeated once this season. The Ostrander line-up are as follows: A. ROZETTE, J.C. CRANSTON, GEORGE BROOKS, BILLY HUTCHCROFT(Capt), JOE STRATTON, BOBBY PATTERSON and A. MACKAY.

January 27th 1909 PUCKLETS.

The KILGOUR-RIMER CO and the JOHN W. PECK sevens lined up at the Wesley rink this evening from 8 to 9.

February 3^d 1909 PUCKLETS.

Two teams from JOHN W. PECK company, the TRAVELLERS and the HOUSE team, meet at the Wesley rink tonight.

December 7th 1909 **COMMERCIAL HOCKEY LEAGUE SCHEDULE DRAWN UP.**

Games scheduled for Wesley rink as follows:

Dec 15th— CIVICS at DOMINION EXPRESS 3-0

Jan 5th— **C.N.R at DOMINION EXPRESS.**

Jan 26th— H.E. LEDOUX at DOMINION EXPRESS 4-3 (BUCKEYES!!!!).

Feb 2nd— TELEPHONES at DOMINION EXPRESS 3-5.

December 31st 1909 **INTERMEDIATE SCHEDULE (MONARCHS, VICTORIAS, GARRYS, WINNIPEGS and FALCONS).**

For the guidance of those interested the rinks and hours of play are given below as follows:

VICTORIAS at Auditorium, Mondays 7 to 8pm.

GARRYS at Wesley rink, Fridays 7 to 8pm.

MONARCHS at Winnipeg, Wednesday 10 to 11pm.

FALCONS at Arena, Friday 10 to 11pm..

WINNIPEGS at Auditorium, Friday 7 to 8pm.

Games scheduled for the Wesley rink.

Jan 12— **GARRYS vs MONARCHS.**

Jan 21— **GARRYS vs WINNIPEGS.**

Jan 26— **GARRYS vs VICTORIAS.**

Feb 16— GARRYS vs FALCONS. (Game postponed).

January 5th 1910 **JUNIOR "B" SCHEDULE.**

The first named team in each instance is playing at home, practice hours in which games will be played are as follows:

ZENITHS— Wesley rink, Friday 7 to 8.

GARRYS— Wesley rink, Saturday 7 to 8.

Jan 14— **ZENITHS vs YCBC.**

22— **GARRYS vs WANDERERS.**

28— **ZENITHS vs GARRYS.**

Feb 5— **GARRYS vs ZENITHS.**

18— **ZENITHS vs WANDERERS.**

19— **GARRYS vs YCBC.**

January 6th 1910 **C.N.R. vs DOMINION EXPRESS.**

The C.N.R hockey team play the Dominion Express at the Wesley rink tonight at 9 o'clock.

The Railroaders will line up with STUART, FLETT, HAY, CRONS, DUFF, NICHOLS, DELMADE and spare SULLIVAN, players are requested to be at the rink at 8-45.

December 21st 1910 **GRAIN EXCHANGE LEAGUE.**

The Grain Exchange Hockey League was re-organized Monday night, three teams entering as follows: ELEVATORS, COMMISSION and BROKERS. It was decided to play one game every Tuesday from 9 to 10pm at the Wesley rink.

The Commission and Elevators play tonight. They line-up as followed:

| | | |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| COMMISSION | | ELEVATORS |
| D. CAMERON | Goal | J. SMITH |
| F. FOULDS | Point | W. BLAIKIE |
| G. McIVOR | Cover-point | D. DOHERTY |
| T. LAW | Rover | W. THOMPSON |
| H. SABINE | Centre | R. BELL |
| D. SCOTT | Left-wing | A. McGREGOR |
| C. NEILSON | Right-wing | W. GREENE |

Referee-- DOLLIE GRAY.

December 22nd 1910 *SUNDAY SCHOOL HOCKEY LEAGUE.*

The schedule includes MARYLAND who play their home games at the Wesley rink.

Intermediate Schedule.

Dec 27— MARYLAND vs DUFFERIN` AVE 8.30pm.

Jan 16— MARYLAND vs WESTMINSTER 8.30pm.

Feb 6— MARYLAND vs ST PAULS 8.30pm.

Feb 20— MARYLAND vs CENTRAL 8.30pm 1-5.

December 3^d 1912 *ST BONIFACE OPENS SEASON.*

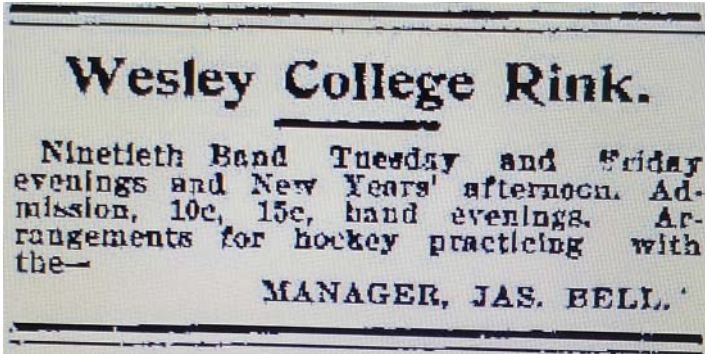
The two teams composing the St. Boniface hockey club will open up the hockey season, by playing a friendly game in the Wesley rink at 8 o`clock tonight.

CHAPTER 6.

A Time-line of the Wesley Rink newspaper adverts.

This chapter has illustrations of all¹ of the different styles of advert associated with the Wesley rink from the first one found in the Winnipeg Free Press of December 1900 to the last one from February 1913, also from the Free Press.

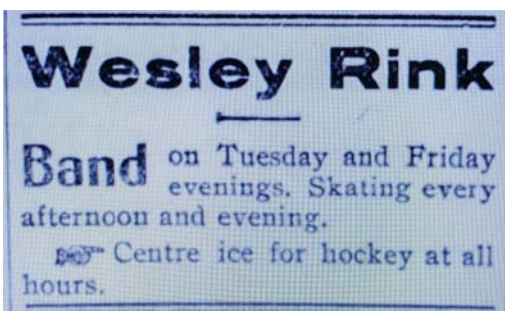
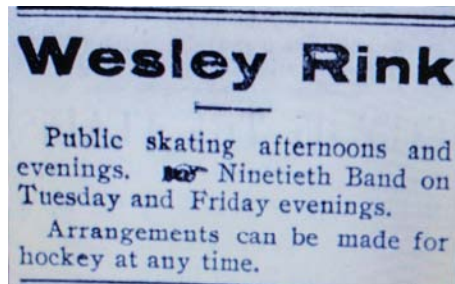
1900/01 WINTER SEASON.



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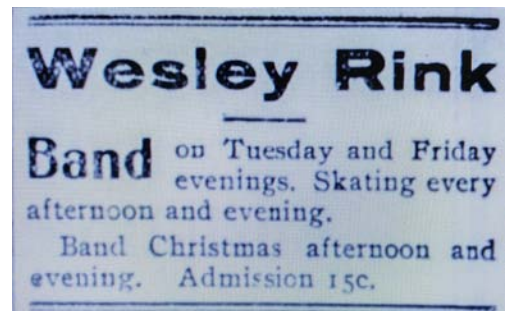
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December 10th 1901.
Winnipeg Tribune.



December 12th 1901.
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¹ All that I have found during my research to date.

*December 27th 1901.
Winnipeg Tribune.*

Wesley Rink

Band on Friday evening, New Year's afternoon and evening. Admission 15 cents.
HOCKEY AT ALL HOURS.

*Free Press
December 30th 1901.*

Wesley Rink
BAND
Friday evening, New Year's afternoon and evening, admission 15c.
Hockey at all hours.

*Winnipeg Tribune
December 31st 1901.*

Wesley Rink

Band Tuesday and Friday evening, New Year's afternoon and evening. Skating every afternoon and evening. Hockey at all hours. Admission 15 cents.

*Free Press
January 4th 1902.*

Wesley Rink

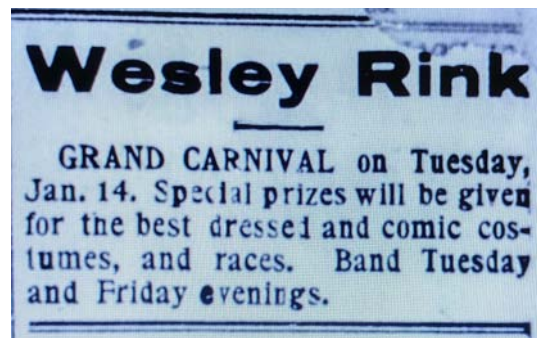
Public skating every afternoon and evening.
Band Tuesday and Friday evenings; New Year's afternoon and evening. Admission 15c. Hockey at all hours.

*Winnipeg Tribune
January 4th 1902.*

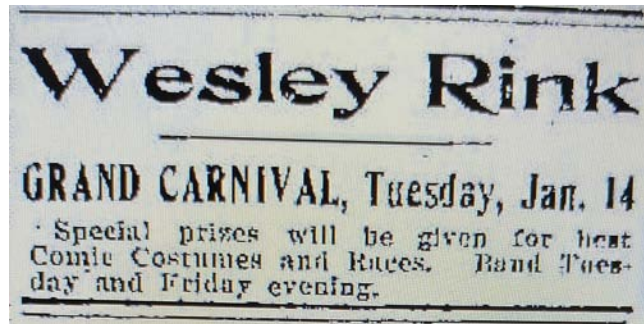
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Band On Tuesday and Friday evenings. Skating every afternoon and evening. Hockey at all hours. Admission 15 cents.

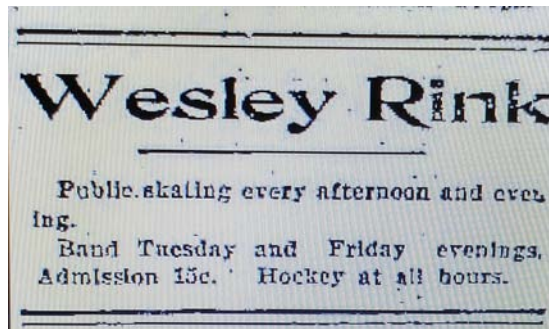
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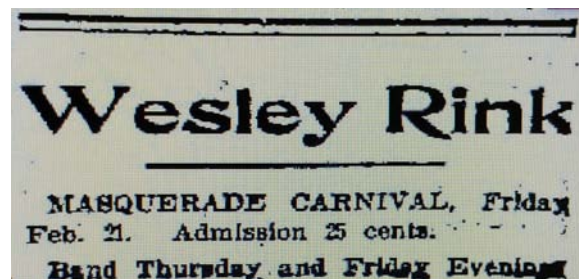
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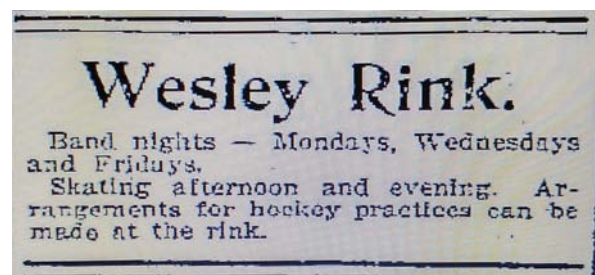


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February 19th 1902.



1902/03 WINTER SEASON.

Free Press
November 22nd 1902.



Winnipeg Tribune
November 24th 1902.

Wesley Rink
Is now Open for the Season.

THE BAND will be in attendance on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Hockey teams can make satisfactory arrangements for practice by applying at rink.

Free Press
November 25th 1902.

Wesley Rink.
BAND EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK.

Ice in good condition. There was a large attendance last evening.

Free Press
November 28th 1902.

Wesley Rink.
BAND EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK.

Arrangements for Hockey can be made.

Wesley Rink

Band every night.
Hockey teams can secure ice for practice by applying at rink.

Fancy Dress Carnival
will be held on December 12.
BELL & McIVOR, Props.

Winnipeg Tribune
December 2nd 1902.

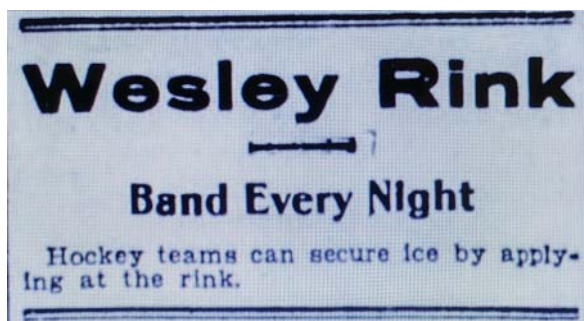
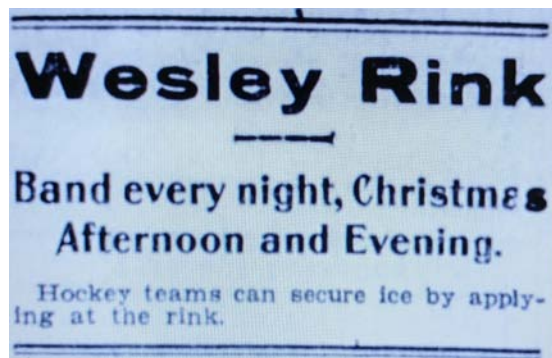
Free Press
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WESLEY RINK

Band every night, Christmas afternoon and evening.

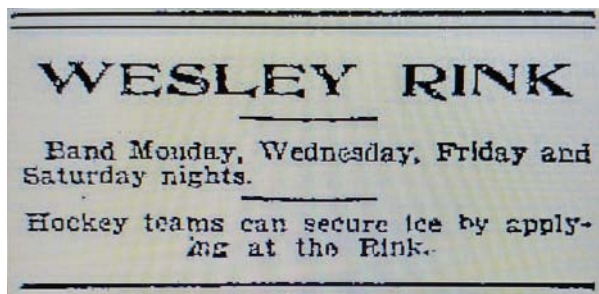
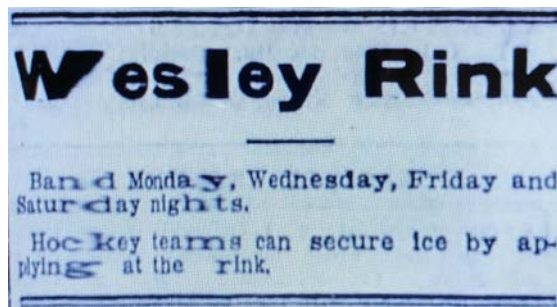
Hockey teams can secure ice by applying at the Rink.

Winnipeg Tribune
December 20th 1902.



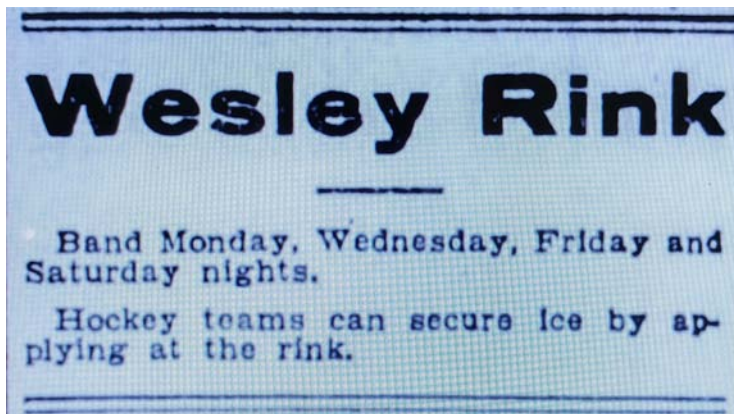
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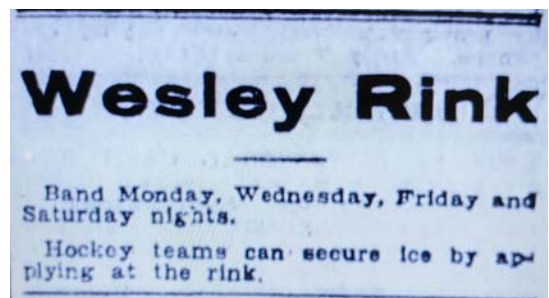


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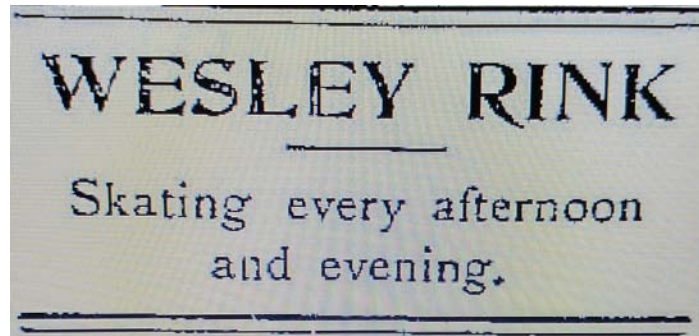
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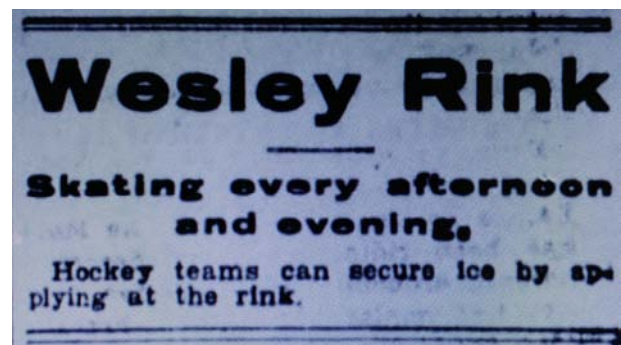
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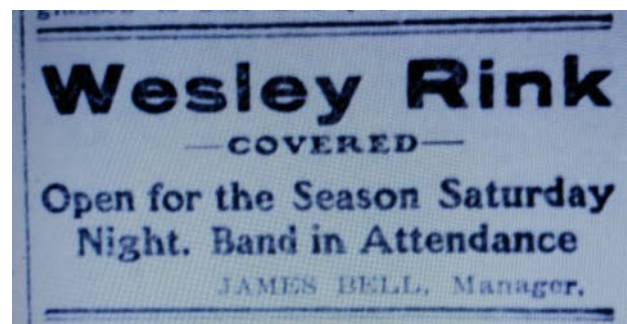


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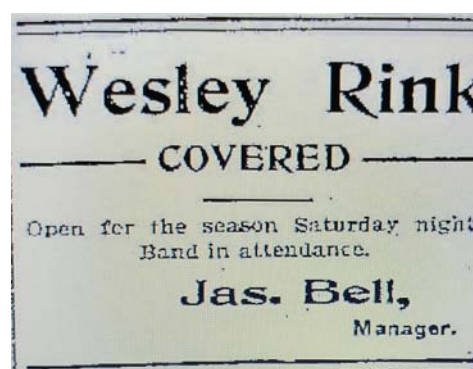


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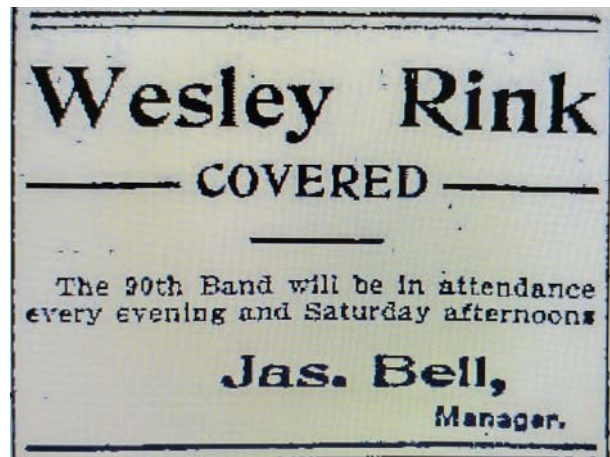
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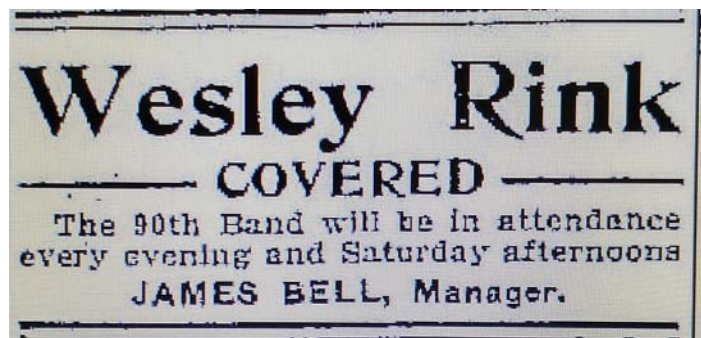
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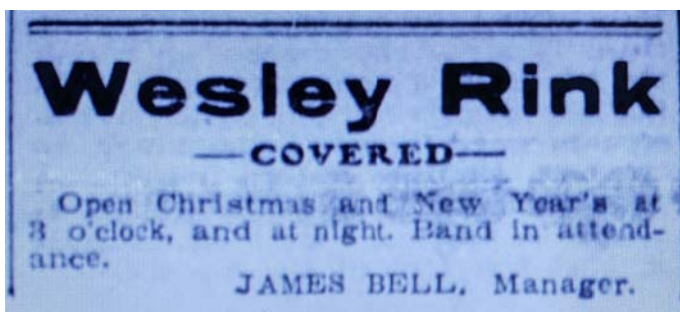
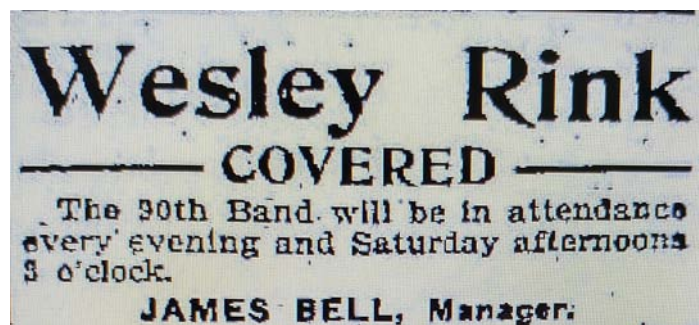
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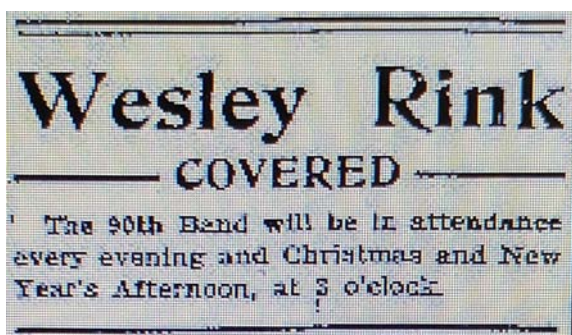
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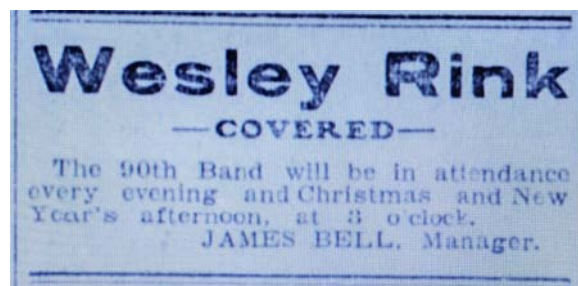


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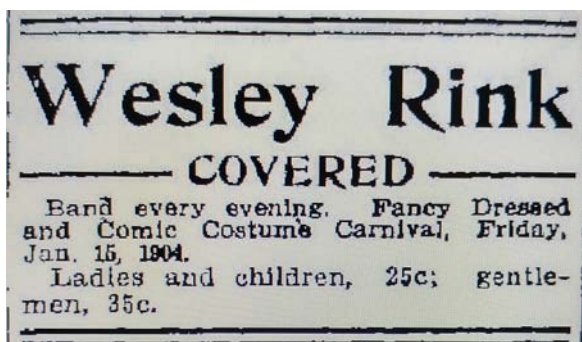
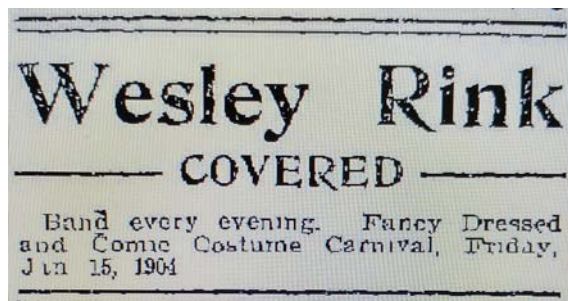


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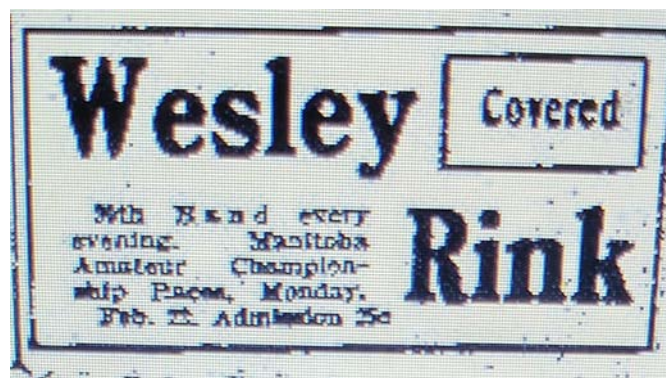
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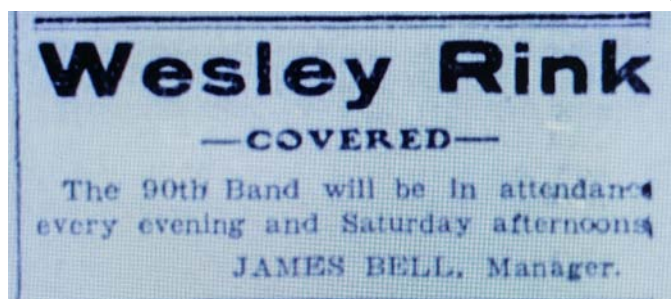
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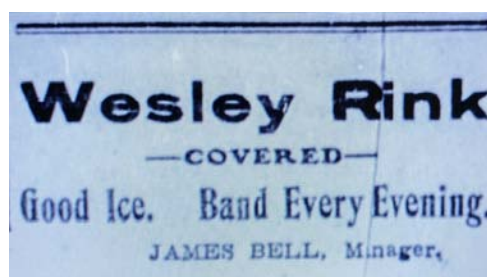


Free Press
January 23rd 1904.

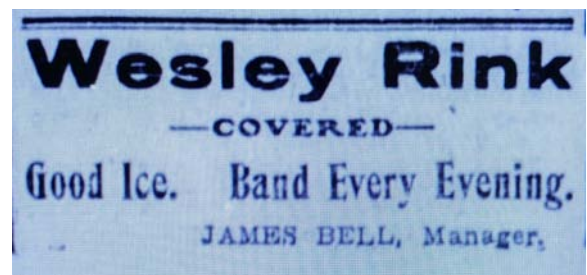


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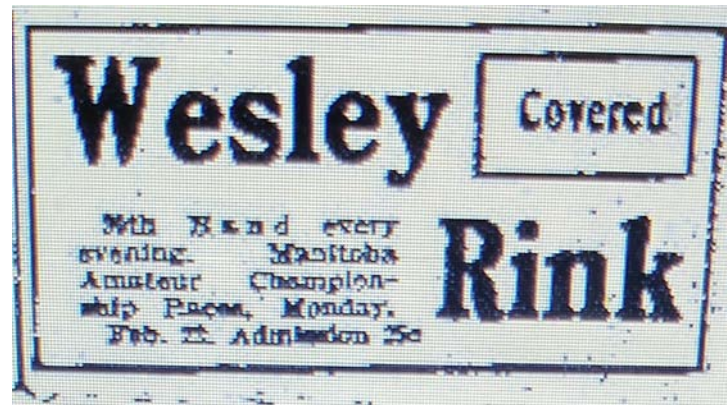
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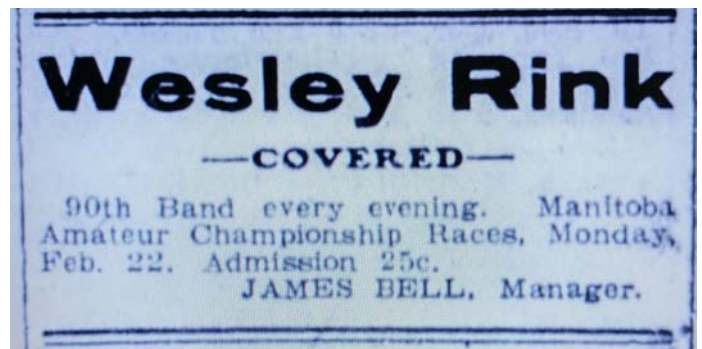
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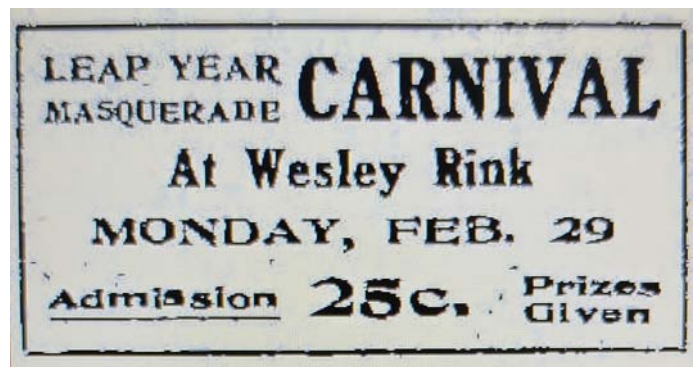
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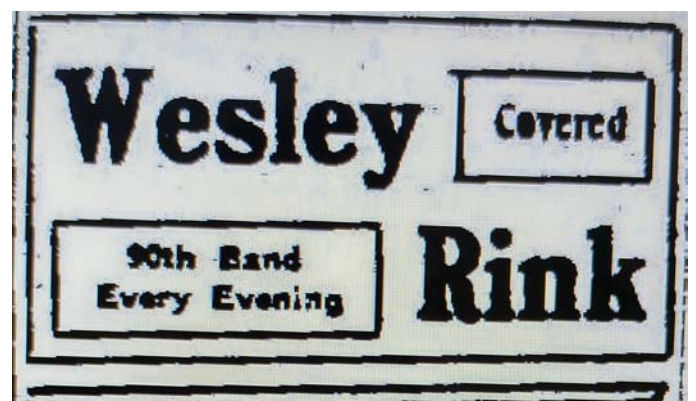
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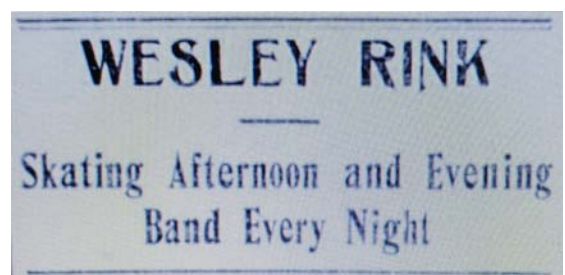


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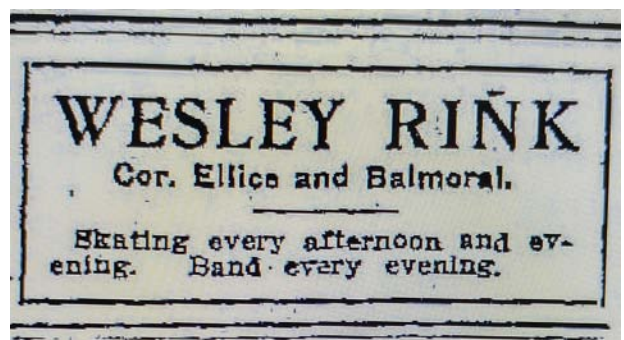


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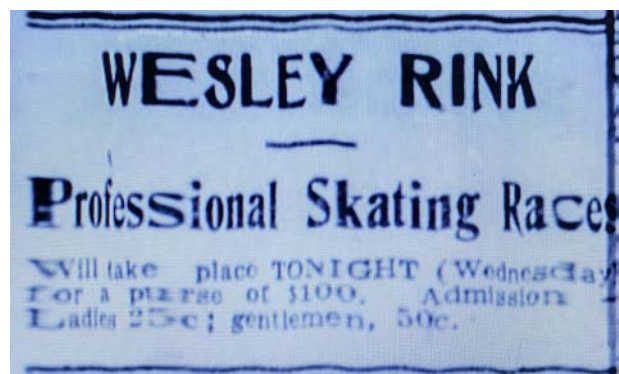
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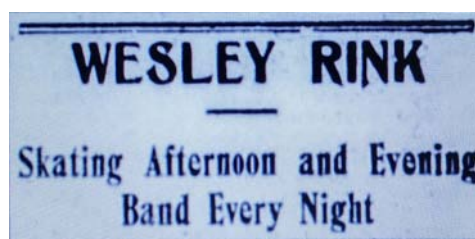
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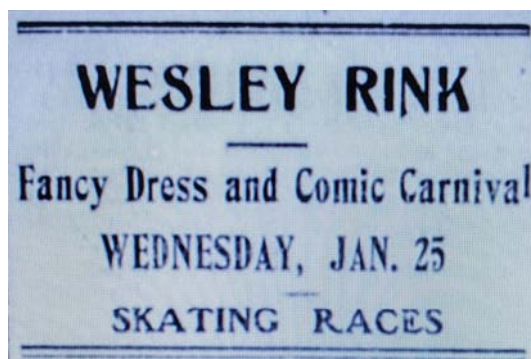
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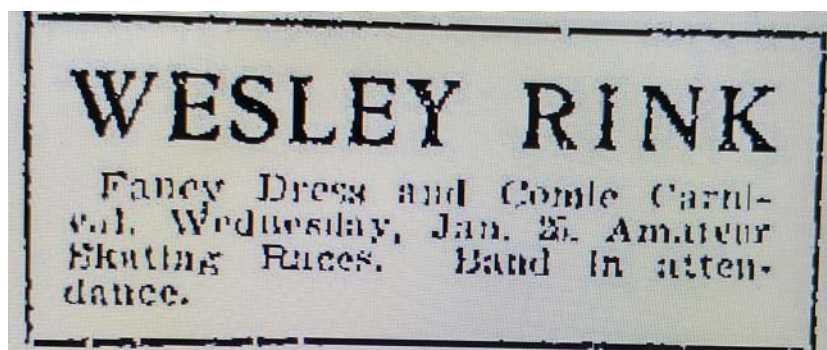
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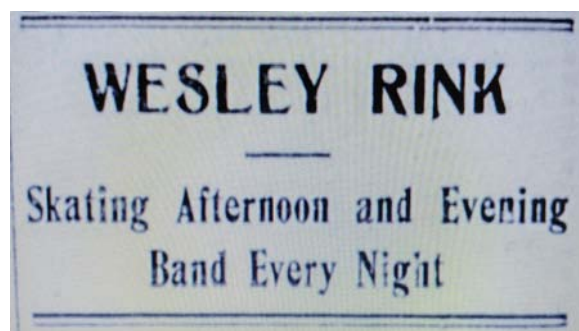
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January 21st 1905.



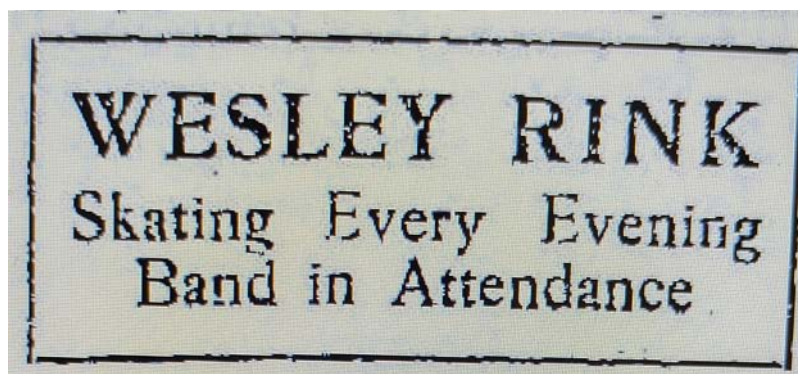
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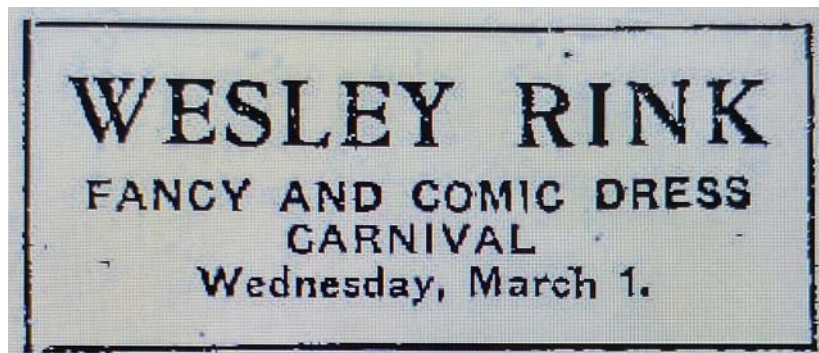
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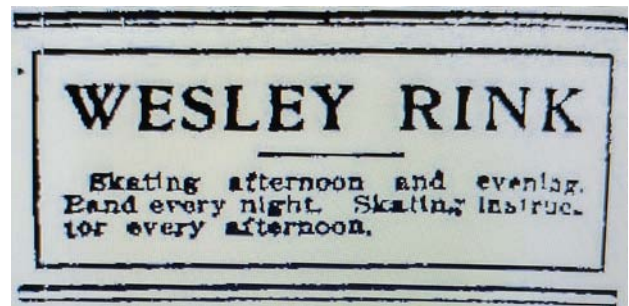
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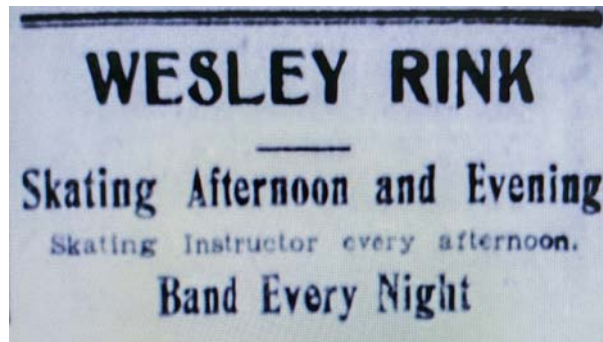
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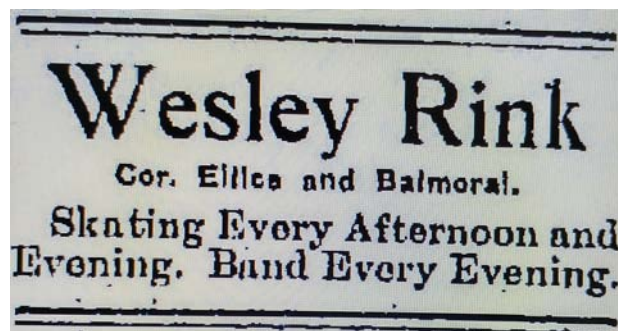


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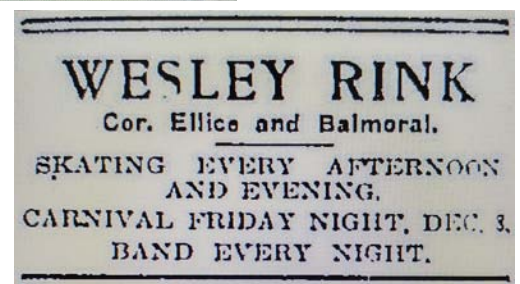
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November 29th 1905.



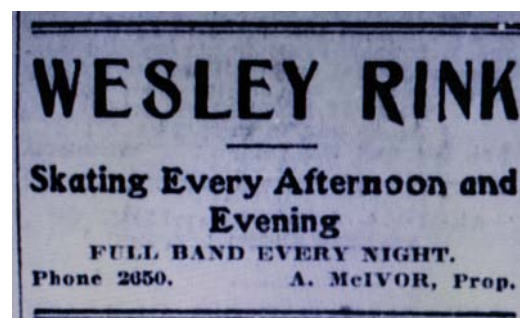
Free Press
December 2nd 1905.



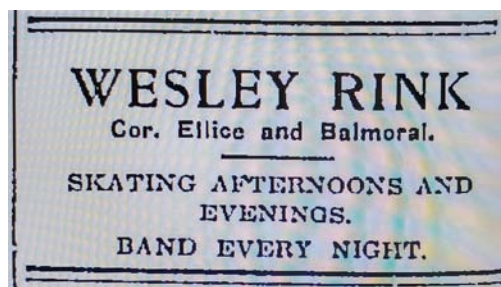
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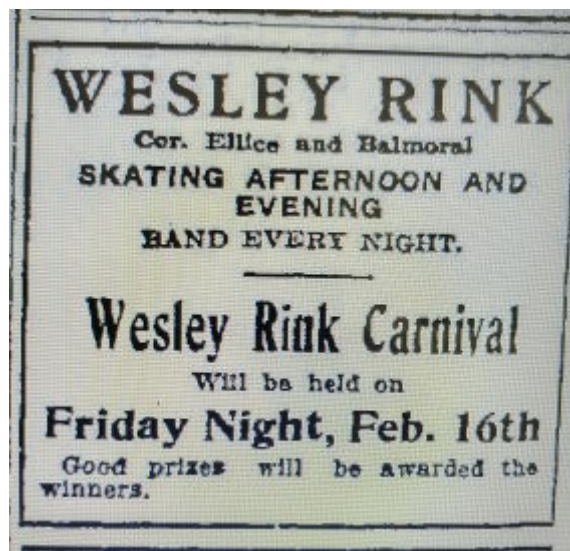
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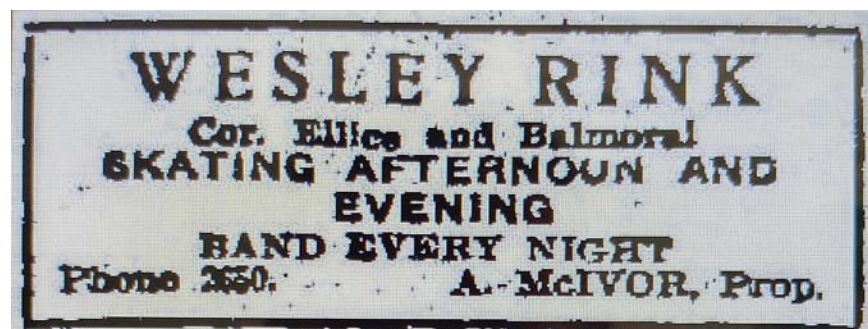
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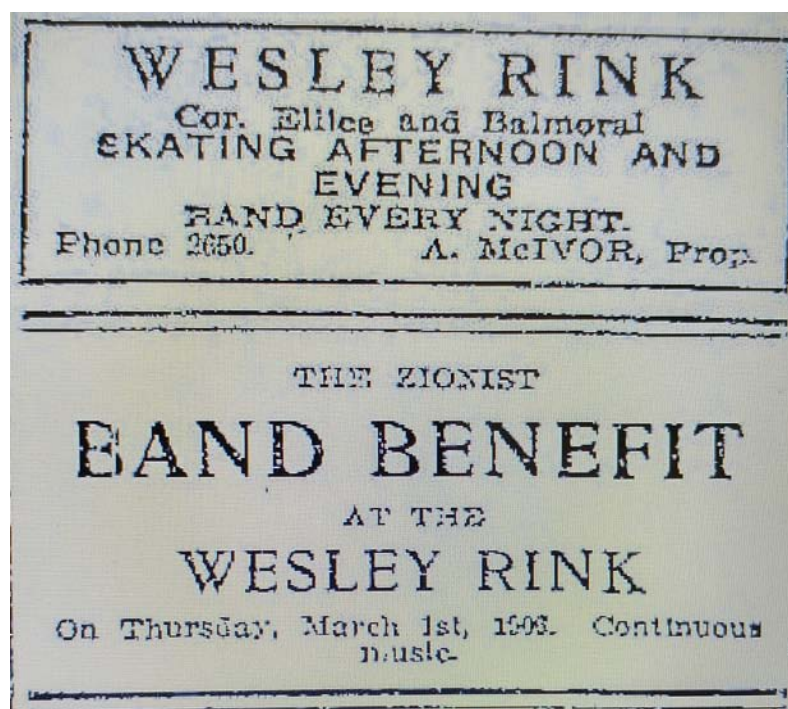
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February 8th 1906.



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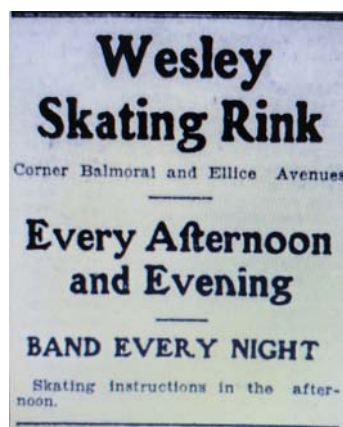
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March 1st 1906.



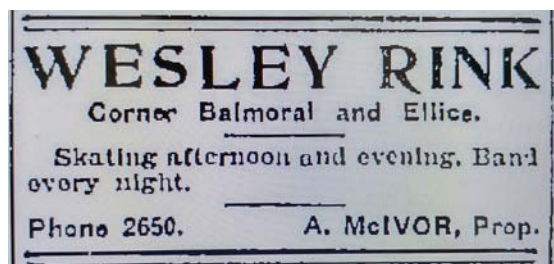
March 1st 1906 Free Press MUSICIANS BENEFIT.
The Musicians at Wesley rink will benefit from the proceeds from the skating at Wesley rink tonight.
Music will be continuous. The ice is in splendid shape.

1906/07 WINTER SEASON.

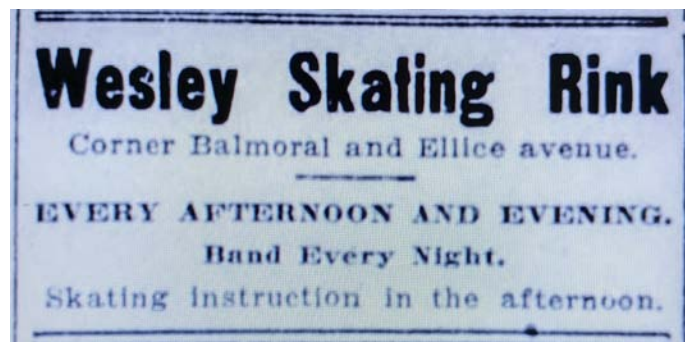
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November 22nd 1906.



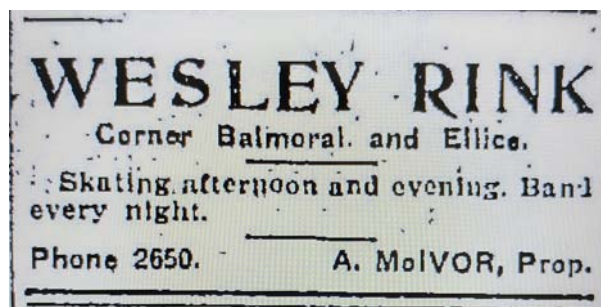
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November 27th 1906.



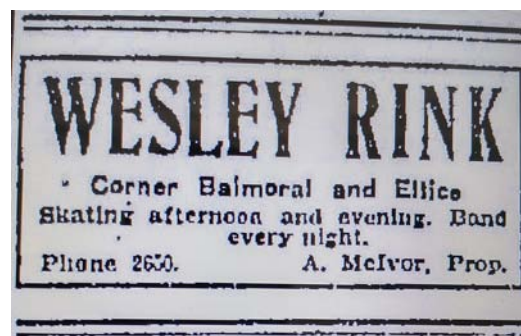
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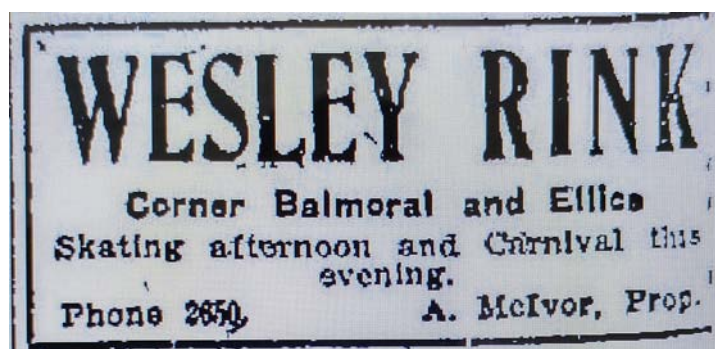
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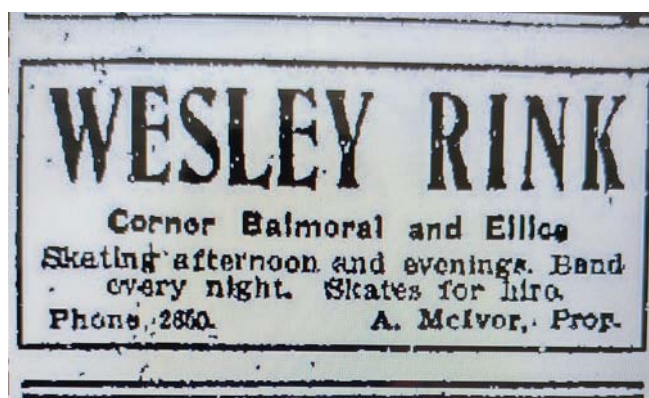
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Free Press
January 25th 1907.

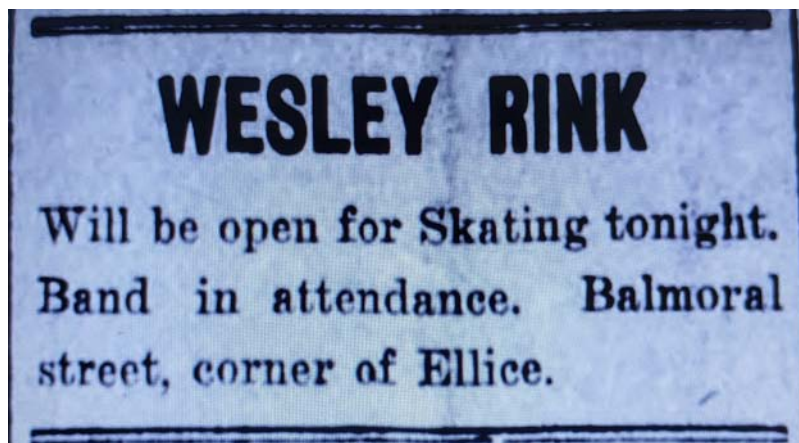


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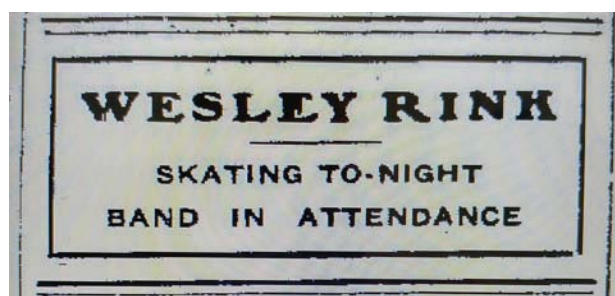


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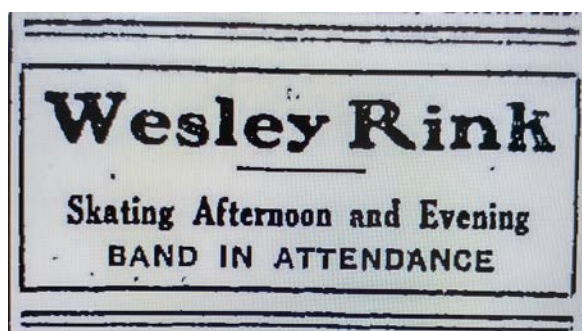
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November 16th 1907.



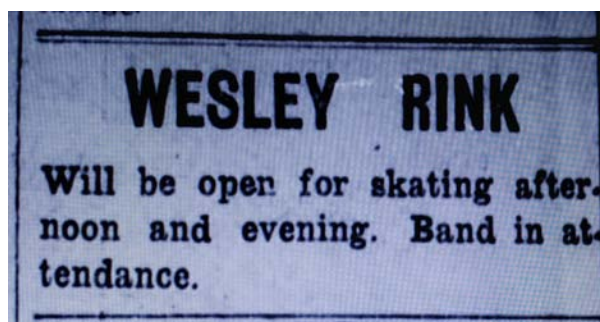
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December 4th 1907.



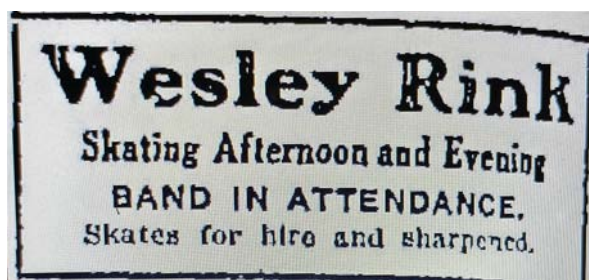
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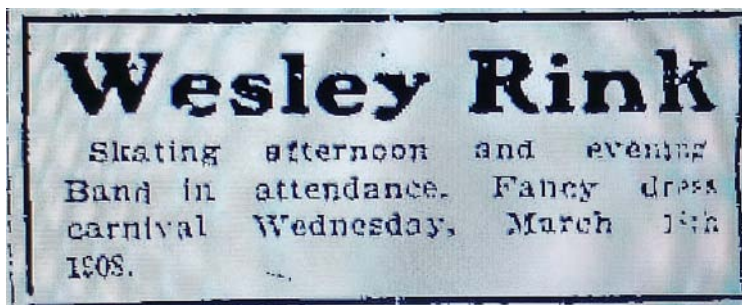
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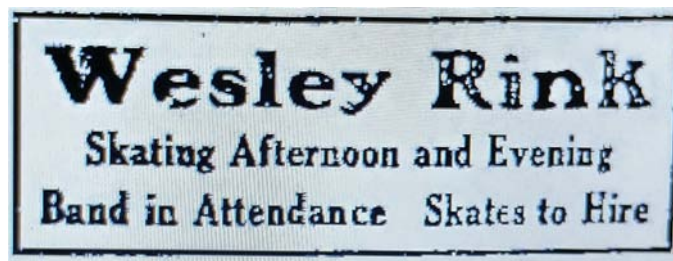
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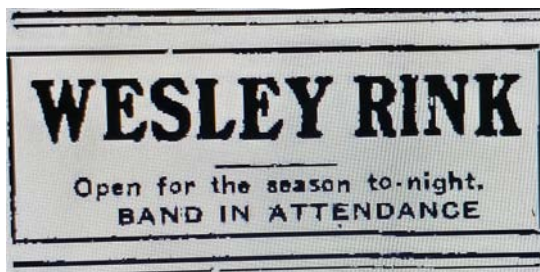


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March 21st 1908.



1908/09 WINTER SEASON.

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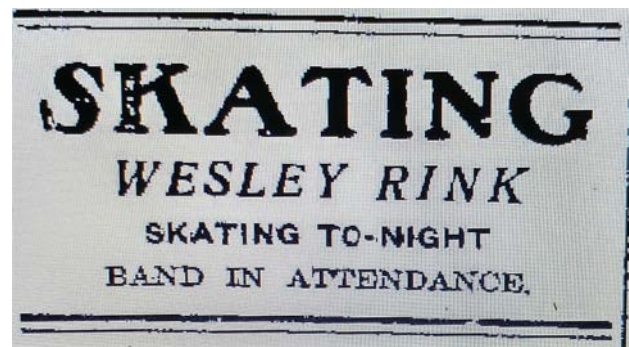
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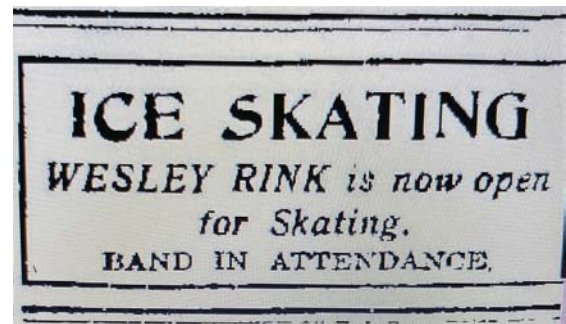
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November 25th 1908.



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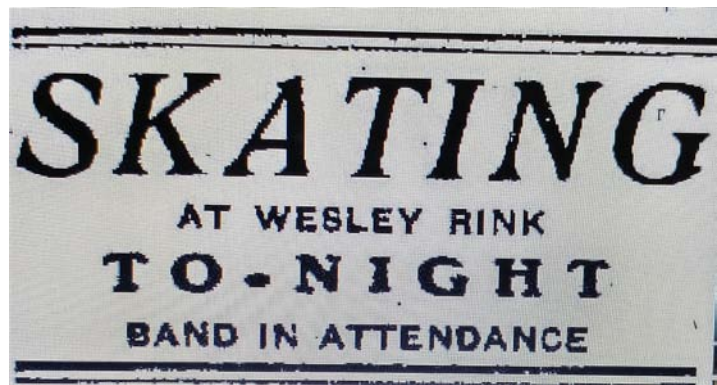
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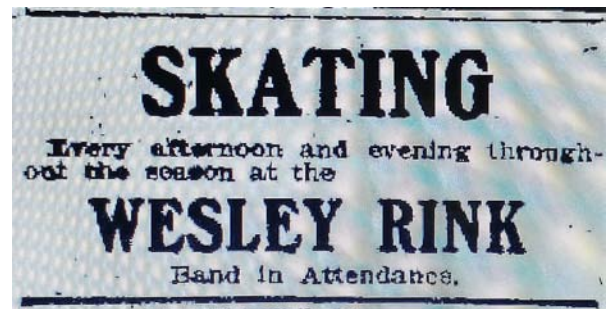
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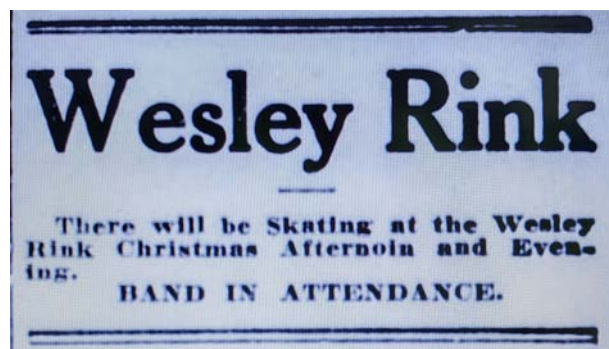
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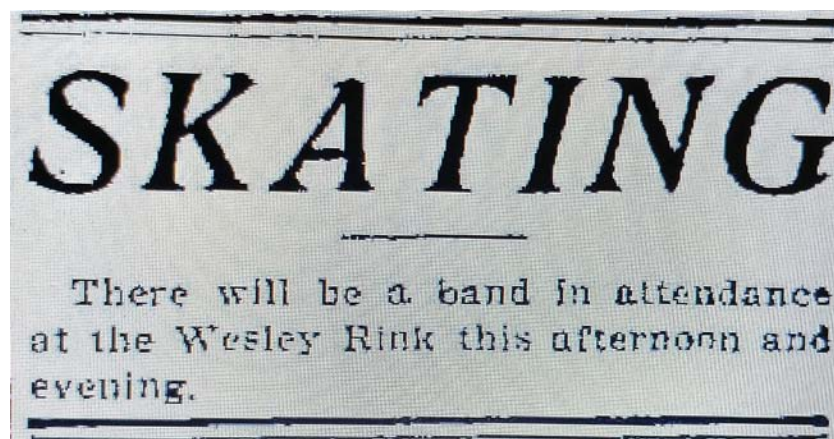
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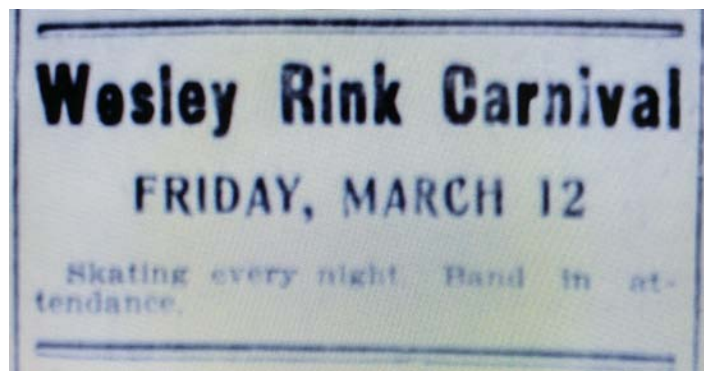
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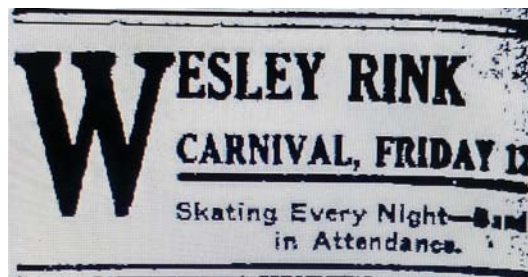
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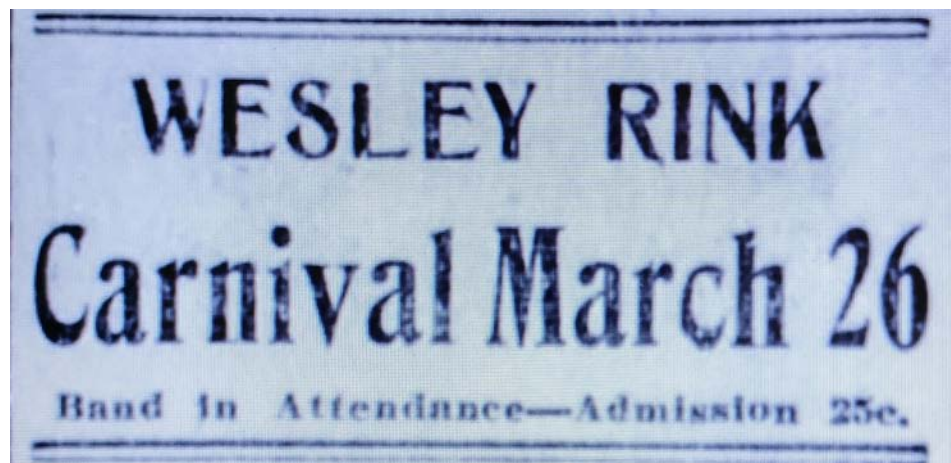
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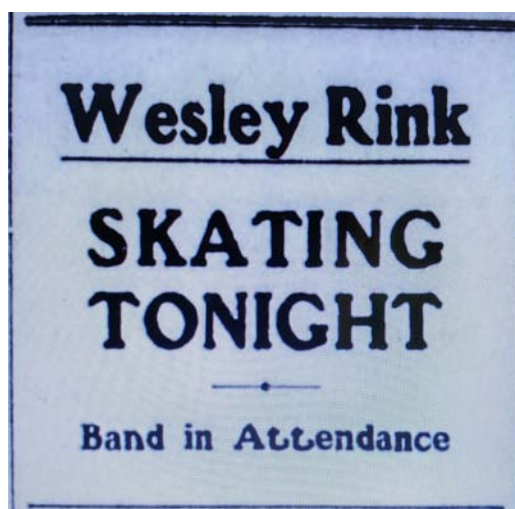


Free Press
March 26th
1909.



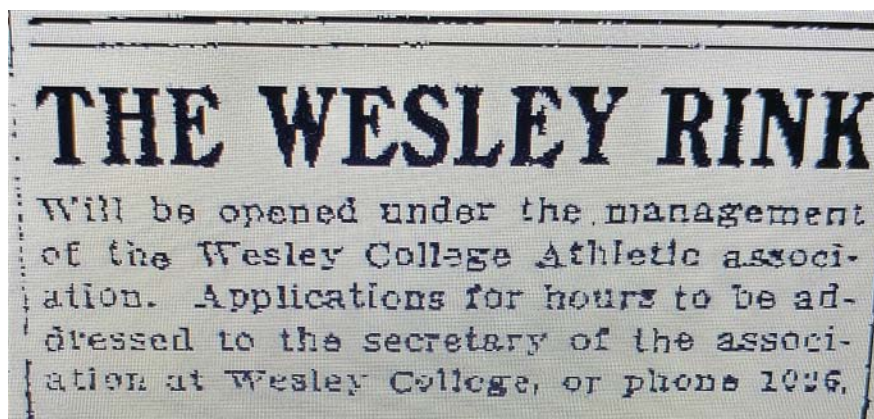
1909/10 WINTER SEASON.

*Winnipeg Tribune
March 15th 1910.*

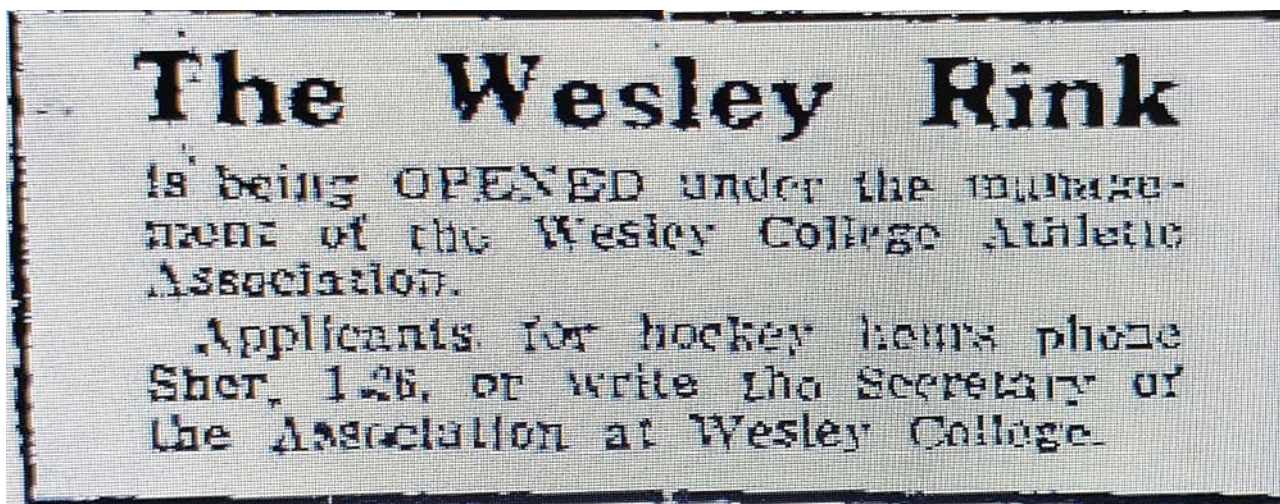


1910/11 WINTER SEASON.

*Free Press
November 24th
1910.*



*Free Press
December 6th 1910.*



Free Press
February 11th 1911.

Wesley Rink

79 Cameron Highlanders' Band.
The Largest and the Best Sheet
of Ice in the City.
Under New Management. Ca-
terer to Hockey Matches.
T. S. MACE, Manager.

1911/12 WINTER SEASON.

Winnipeg Tribune
December 21st 1911.

CARNIVAL !

WESLEY RINK—Friday, Dec. 22.
15 Prizes, will be shown at Eaton's
Wednesday and Thursday.
Veterans' Band in attendance.
Phone Sher. 998. T. S. Mace, Prop.

Winnipeg Tribune
December 26th 1911.

Skating---Wesley Rink

AFTERNOON AND EVENING.
Best Ice in the City
Admission—Gents, 25c; Ladies and
Children 15c.
Phone Sher. 998. T. S. MACE, Mgr.
Wesley Band in Attendance.

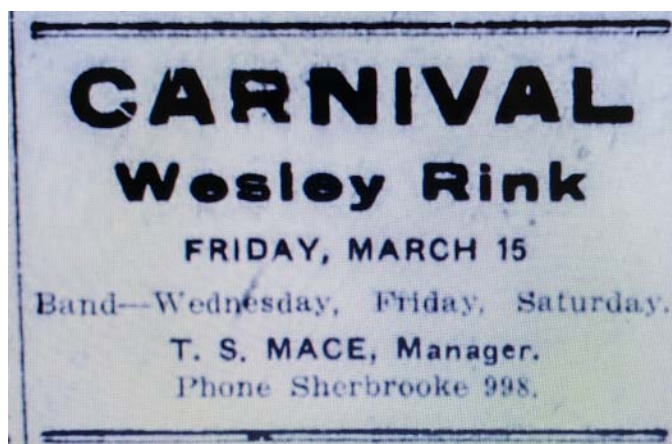
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WESLEY RINK

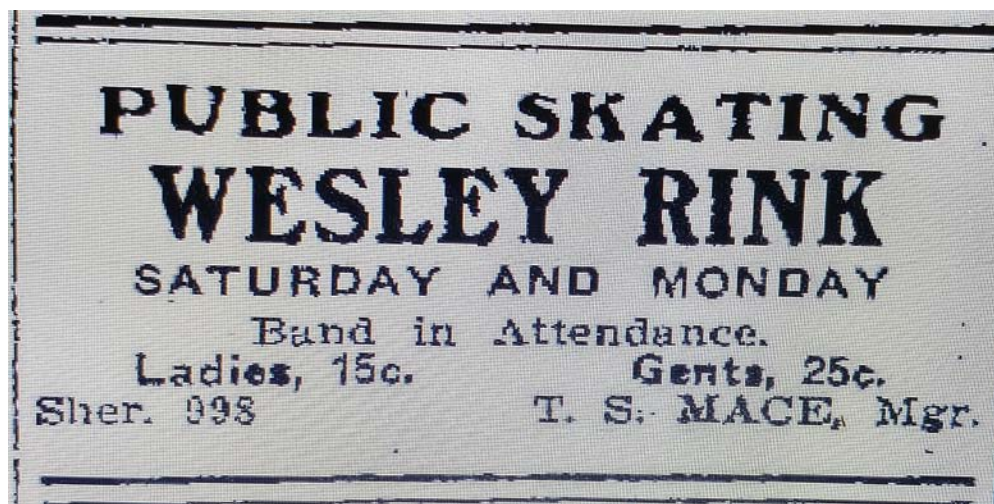
CARNIVAL

FRIDAY, FEB. 16
Prizes on Exhibition at Eaton's
T. S. MACE, Mgr. Sh. 998.

Winnipeg Tribune
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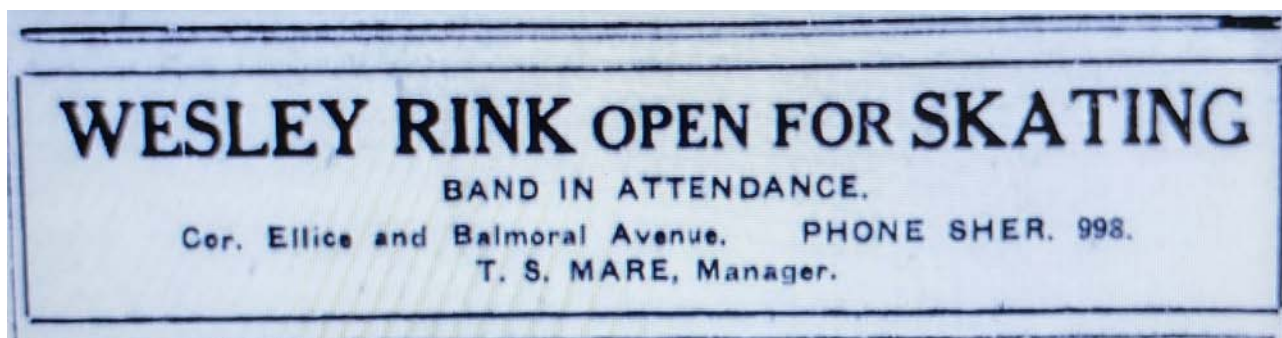


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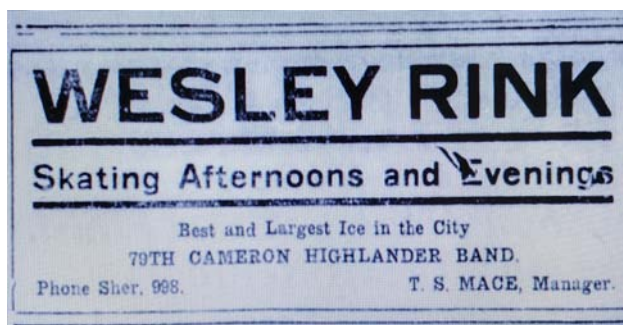


1912/13 WINTER SEASON.

Winnipeg Tribune December 4th 1912.

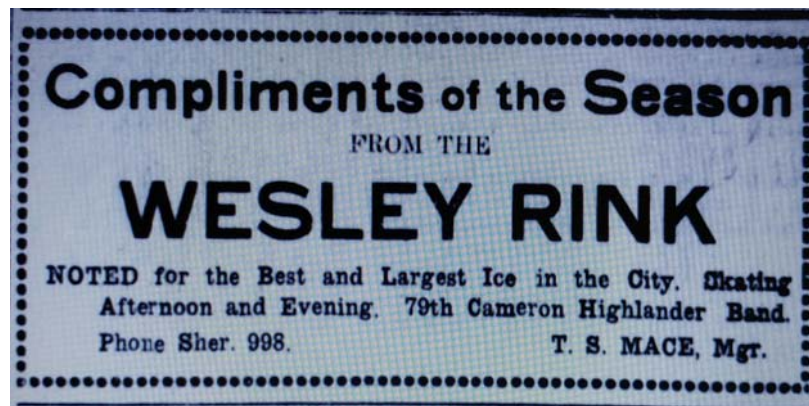


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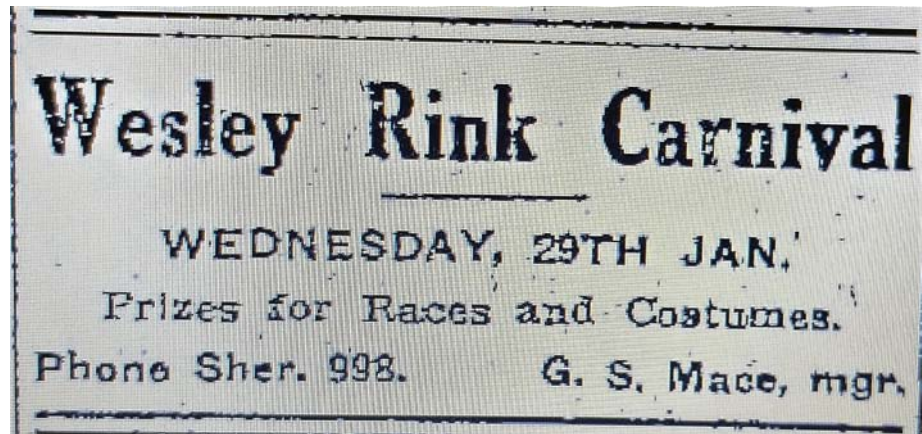


Winnipeg Tribune
December 30th 1912.

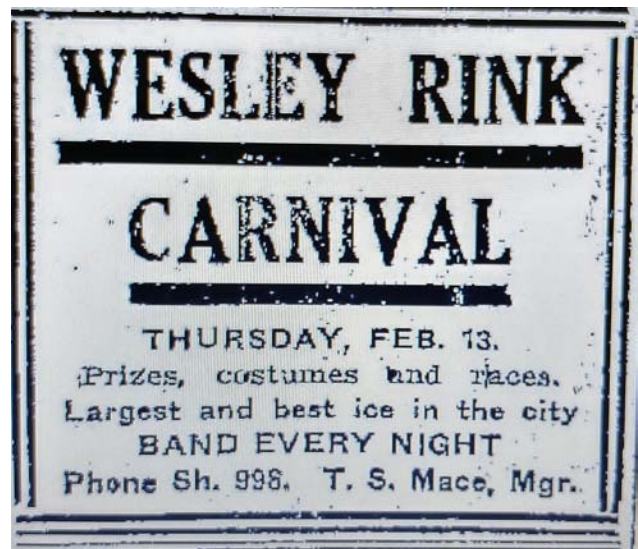
*NOTED for the BEST
and LARGEST ICE
in the CITY.*



Free Press
January 28th 1913.



Free Press
February 8th 1913.



So there we have it, the last advert I had found for the WESLEY RINK.

Just over five months later and it would be consumed by fire and demolished totally less than a week later.

A WESLEY RINK would open again but it would be over Nine Years before any Manitoban could grace its ice once more.

