

... ATHLETICS ...

We may say now that hockey is practically over for the winter of 1911. With us it has been a most successful season our team winning four of the five games played. The team was light and fast, probably the fastest in the province outside of the senior league. It is regrettable that we were unable to arrange a play-off with the Victorias, the intermediate champions of the P. E. I. Hockey League.

St. Dunstan's 4 Lennox Island 1.

On Wednesday January 25th our hockey team, accompanied by sixty students as rooters, journeyed by special train to Summerside. That evening our boys crossed sticks with the dusky aggregation from Lennox Island. This match had been looked forward to with great expectancy both by the collegians and by the backers of the Indians. And the interest was not confined to those immediately concerned, but Summerside also was eager to see the battle between Saints and Redskins. Hence it was that a large crowd gathered to witness the game.

From beginning to end it was a most exciting game, both teams playing fast hockey. But the superior combination of the Saints told, and had it not been for the great defense of the Micmacs the score would have been much larger. At half-time the game stood 2—0 in favor of the College boys. In the second period the play was more even and hard fought, the Indians having braced up considerably. Their only tally was made in this half by Michael Thomas, the famous long distance runner. The Saints succeeded in adding two more goals to their credit and the game ended—St Dunstan's 4, Lennox Island 1. For the winners all did good work and it is difficult to say who shone most, but mention should be made of Dougan and Marois who played a particularly strong game from first to last. The two McNeil's as usual played their positions well. Butler in

goal was not called upon to do much work but he stopped a couple of scorchers and deserved the applause given him.

For the Indians Jacob Sark and Thomas were the stars, while John Sark played his usual reliable game. The Indians are fast skaters and good stick-handlers and with some practice should develop into a very fine team. The teams lined up as follows:

St. Dunstons		Lennox Island
Butler	Goal	P. Bernard
Marois	Point	Lewis
W. McNeill	Cover Point	(Capt.) John Sark
(Capt.) B. McNeil	Rover	Jacob Sark
Dougan	Centre	Mich Sark
Sweeney	L. Wing	Thomas
Meahan	R. Wing	Knockwood
Referee—E. Blake.	Judge of play—G. Deegan.	

Georgetown 2 St. Dunstons 1.

Our second expedition was to Georgetown and Montague on Wednesday February 15 h. It was the privilege of the writer along with Rev. Fr. J. B. McIntyre and W. E. Cameron to accompany the team. We played in Georgetown Wednesday night. The game was started very late, at 10 p. m., the hour being due to the late arrival of our train which in common with the other trains of the P. E. I. R. is not noted for its punctuality.

The game was certainly fast all through neither side attempted any combination. In the first half there was no scoring, the defense of both teams doing good work. Shortly after the second half opened Smith of Georgetown scored on a lift. Ten minutes later Jenkins added another. For the remainder of the game it was all St. Dunstons. Six minutes before time B. McNeil, on a pass from Marois netted the puck for the Saints. There was no further scoring, the game ending 2—1 in favor of Georgetown.

We do not wish to "squeal," but the reader will know what our boys had to contend with when it is known that the game was played in an extremely small rink—100 by 35 feet. It was simply impossible to play combination and for one unaccustomed to the three foot wire nets used as goals it was most difficult to score.



ST. DUNSTAN'S SENIOR FOOTBALL 1910-1911

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Our lining up was the same as in the Indian game. The Georgetown was as follows: Goal, Longuel; Point, Yoston; Cover Point, F Walker; Rover, A Walker; Centre, (Capt) Smith; Wings, Lavers and Jenkins. Brennan of St. Dunstans refereed.

St. Dunstans 9 Montague 7.

The day following we wended our way to Montague and that night we played their fast septette. The game started with a rush by Montague, who had things their own way for a few minutes scoring the first two goals. Then the collegians woke up and tallied twice. The play was fast, the forwards on both sides playing like whirlwinds. Gradually the superior skill of the Saints became evident and the score grew until at half time the play stood Saints 5, Montague 3. In the second half the exhibition of fast, clean hockey was shown, the teams being very evenly matched. However the Saints retained the lead until the end when the score was 9—7 in our favor.

Dougan, Sweeny and B. McNeil starred for the Saints. The Montague team is composed of fast snappy players and if they practised combination would make a powerful seven. Dougan of the Saints was injured shortly before the end of the game and was replaced by Conroy. Montague lined up as follows: Goal, Annear, Point, Parkman, Cover Point, McGregor Rover, McLean, Centre, McIntyre, Wings, Collins and Campbell (Capt) F. L. Brennan refereed and J. B. D. Brennan was Judge of play.

St. Dunstan's 5, Lennox Island 1.

Our second battle with the Redskins took place in Charlottetown Arena on March 10th. The personnel of both teams was the same as in their previous match with the exception of Sam Bernard who replaced Louis at point.

For the first eight minutes play was very even, neither side scoring. But at the end of this time the Saints were working harder and harder and time after time their forwards swept up the ice in pretty combination plays—only to be foiled by the splendid defense of the Indians. At length Dougan succeeded in getting one past Bernard with a nice wing shot. McNeil duplicated the trick shortly after, and just before half time our speedy rover added still another. In the second half fast play was impossible owing to the heavy ice, and all the scoring was done on individual rushes. In this period the Saints scored

twice and the Indians once. The latter goal was made on an end to end rush by Capt. John Sark. The score at the end of the game, 5—1, is a good indicator of the play. Both teams indulged in considerable rough work and the judge of play had his hands full. Jimmie Williams of New Glasgow refereed and Arnold Ra tenbury was judge of play.

St. Dunstons 10, Prince of Wales 4.

On March 17th we brought our hockey season to a close by defeating the swift seven of our sister college. The P. W. C. men, smarting under their defeat in Football at our hands last fall were determined to retrieve their lost laurels, and for some time had been endeavoring to arrange a game. The result of the game was indeed a disappointment to them.

The game itself was fast but rather rough. The first half was very even, the score see-sawing until at half time it was 4—3 in our favor. But in the second half the Saints were more aggressive and scored almost at will. Had it not been for the strong, heavy defence of P. W. C., the score would have been much larger. However it must not be imagined that P. W. C. was altogether outclassed, for they put up a strong game throughout although unable to score oftener. The game ended S. D. C. 10, P. W. C. 4. All the Saints played their usual strong game while for P. W. C. the stars were McQuarrie and Saunders.

"Toby" McMullan and W. Gillespie handled the game to the satisfaction of both teams.

All the interest in hockey was not centered in the first team for under the auspices of the All Star Hockey League three very strong inter-class teams played a series of six games. The teams composing the league were the Mohawks, Hoboes, and Perfects. The last named team held the inter class championship last winter, but this year their coveted title was wrested from them by the brave Mohawks. Even the poor Hoboes defeated the erstwhile perfect Perfects. It seems that the old vim and fire so noticeable in "ye olden days" in the Perfects was lacking, and Capt. Joe C. MacDonald could not incite his followers to such a frenzy as last year's peerless Chieftain was wont to do; however his reputation as a goalkeeper remains unsullied.

The victorious Mohawks won three games and tied one. The Hoboes won one, tied one and lost two, while the Perfects won one and lost three.

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