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How the Winds Blow on the Naas

(Written Specially for the News.)

You've heard of the winds on the Naas,
And you'd like to hear how they blow,
As through every gully and pass
They hurry and skurry below,
Intent on a muster en masse
Heigh ho, how the winds blow,
Raising the dickens where'er they go!

With snarl and with growl, teeth a-gnash,
Down sweep the wing'd wolves on the fold:
The cottonwoods sway and go smash,
The cedars and spruce trees scarce hold,
Then on swirls the snow with a dash,
And white lies the wildering wold,
Heigh ho, how the winds blow
Things into cocked hats where'er they go!

'Way out in Naas mouth there is froth
Where, lashed into fury and fume,
The waves wage war in their wrath,
And spin-drift flies high like a plume:
Unlimbered, the great guns boom rath,
The white steeds are lathered in spume,
Heigh ho, how the winds blow,
Licking to fits wherever they go!

You've heard of the winds on the Naas,
And pictured a stiff little breeze;
But hail Leading Point as you pass
And just take a look at the trees—
The summer air stirs not the grass,
But the fires are combed out in the bise!
Heigh ho, how the winds blow,
Making the fir fly whether or no!

Naas River, B. C., 16 Jan., '13.

—Rev. J. B. McCullagh.

ABBREVIATED GAME FAILED IN TORONTO

Ed. Wettlaufer Says Professional
Sport Will Take Well with
Full Teams.

Vancouver, March 21.—Ed. Wettlaufer of Berlin, Ont., president of the Ontario Hockey Association, who is in the city on a business trip at present, is strong for seven men hockey. He says the National Hockey Association had a losing season in Toronto this year because the public there do not like the six a side game and he thinks that the professionals would have had a successful winter if they had used the full complement of men.

Before Ed. comes back this way again he will have made a trip to the Old Country. He has been selected to go with the Ontario lawn bowlers who will visit England this summer. The team will leave St. John, N. B., on June 6, and there will be about twenty-five in the party selected from Ontario and Quebec. Sir J. S. Willison is at the head of the contingent.

Wettlaufer thinks pretty well of the Quebec team, which will play Victoria for the world's championship next week, though he does not go so far as to say that they will win. He realizes

the strength of the coast hockey teams and also what a job it is to make the trip across the continent and keep in condition to play winning hockey. He says the Quebec team is not composed of stars, but is a hard working aggregation with every man on the team doing his full share of checking. In this respect the team somewhat resembles Victoria. Ed. looks for a great series at the capital next week.

LIPTON TO TRY AGAIN

New York, March 21.—New York Yacht Club members heard last night that Sir Thomas Lipton had in preparation a letter embodying suggestions with reference to still another challenge for the America's cup, and would probably despatch the missive within a day or two to the Royal Ulster Yacht Club, to be forwarded to the local club if the Irish yachting organization approved. No details were given as to the substance of Sir Thomas' reputed letter, but the belief was expressed that the challenge, if one were forthcoming, would not impose conditions such as caused the rejection of the last two challenges he has submitted, the supposition being that the British baronet would this time conform with the stipulations in the deed of gift.

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