

New York Caledonians Bow, 14-4, in Finals—

Ardasley Captures Gordon Grand National Medal

Taking control with the opening stone, Ardsley, skipped by Dick Wells, turned back R. T. Terry's New York Caledonians, 14-4, yesterday at the Schenectady Curling Club to win the coveted Gordon Grand National Medal.

Bill Wood, Bill Nelson and Art Kemp completed the winning foursome as Ardsley skipped past Bob Crawford's Schenectady rink, 11-10, Saturday night in the semi-finals of the four-day bonspiel that opened Thursday with a field of 24 teams, largest ever in the history of the blue ribbon event inaugurated in 1869 in Buffalo and curled at Schenectady since 1914.

Ardsley earlier Saturday bested St. Andrews (Slebert), 10-1, in its march to the title captured last year by John Cary of the Schenectady Curling club. New York Caledonian squeezed past Albany (Rand), 11-10, in its semi-final outing after scoring an 11-3 quarter-final win over Nashua (Bickford).
Utica, skipped by Henry Del-

wo, won the Emmet Medal and Petersham, Mass., led by Art Haman captured the Mohawk Trophy, in the bonspiel's consolation events.

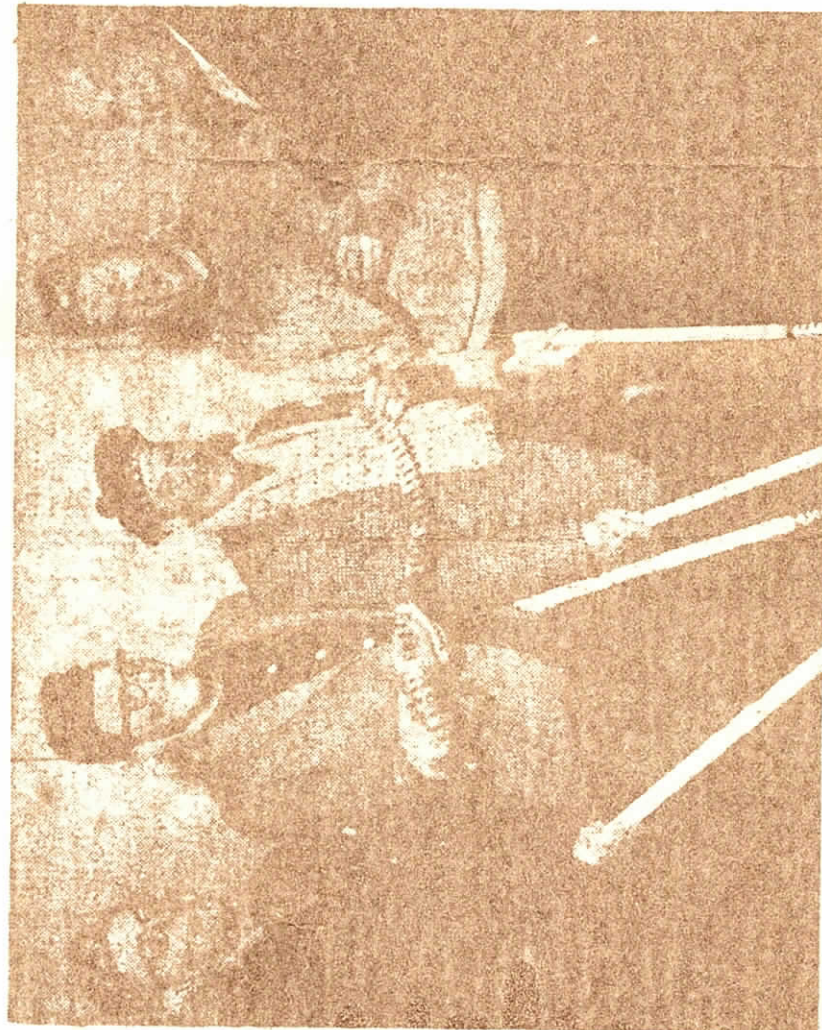
Utica breezed past Weston, Mass., (Freeman), 15-4, in the Emmet wildup, the victory also ending a string of Emmet successes for W. Lincoln Slebert, the defending champion who won the event three times.

The Delwo rink turned back Schenectady, skipped by Cary, 9-8, in one of the Emmet semi-finals. Weston trimming Wellsville, Mass. (Richardson), 10-5, in the other.

Petersham, a new club on the curling scene, captured its first title by turning back Slebert's St. Andrews rink, 14-12, in a close Mohawk Trophy final, not decided until the match referees measured the final stone.

Petersham beat Ardsley, 14-12, in its semi-final outing, while St. Andrews conquered Utica (Reed), 6-3, in the second Mohawk semi-final match.

Gordon Medal
Quarter-finals—Albany (Rand) beat Albany (Bennett), 13-3; New York Caledonian (Terry) beat Nashua (Bickford), 11-3; Ardsley (Wells) beat St. Andrews (Seibert), 10-1; Schenectady (Crawford) beat New York Caledonian (Clute), 16-3.
Semi-finals—New York Caledonian (Terry) beat Albany (Rand), 11-10; Ardsley (Wells) beat Schenectady (Crawford), 16-5.
Finals—Ardsley (Wells) beat New York Caledonian (Terry), 14-4.
Emmet Medal
Quarter-finals—Schenectady (Cary) beat Norfolk (Ruse), 8-7; Utica (Delwo) beat Petersham (Hamm), 10-5; Wellisle (Richardson) beat The Country Club (Pope), 18-8; Weston (Freeman) beat Petersham (Holland), 11-5.
Semi-finals—Utica (Delwo) beat Schenectady (Cary), 9-8; Weston (Freeman) beat Wellisle (Richardson), 15-4.
Mohawk Trophy
Quarter-finals—Utica (Reed) beat Albany (McAmman), 10-6; St. Andrews (Seibert) beat Nashua (Bickford), 9-7; Petersham (Hamm) beat The Country Club (Pope), 16-7.
The Country Club beat Schenectady (Crawford), 8-7.
Semi-finals—St. Andrews (Seibert) beat Utica (Reed), 6-3; Petersham (Hamm) beat Ardsley (Wells), 14-12.



WON THE FEATURE!—Ardasley foursome, above with Ralston Reid of Schenectady, former Grand National Club president, captured featured Gordon Medal in four-day Gordon Grand National Bonspiel at Schenectady Curling Club. From left at presentation are Dick Wells, skip; Bill Wood, Bill Nolan, Art Kemp and Reid.