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North Battleford And Battleford Women Meet At Curling

Special to The Star-Phoenix NORTH BATTLEFOKD, Sask., Feb. 26.—Inter-town games between the women curling enthusiasts of North Battleford and Battleford have been featured in the local rinks for the last two Saturdays. Playing on their home rink, the North Battleford was the victors. On the Battleford ice they were decisively defeated. The visiting curlers were entertained in North Battleford at the Dominion Cafe; and playing in the southern town, the North Battleford ladies were entertained at the North Home. The following North Battleford ladies took part in the games, Mrs. G. Heirlmeire (skip), Misses S. Nethery, M. Dugan, G. Williams; Mrs. E. McGregor (skip), Mesdames D. Anderson, H. Danis, and W. J. Thompson. Curling promises to be a popular pastime among the ladies of the city as a result of the recent reorganization of the club. The ladies have their own organization, and are given the privilege of playing four nights a week. Mrs. G. Heirlmeire is the newly elected president, and Mrs. G. McGregor the secretary. As a result of the inter-town games concluded on Saturday between the North Battleford and the Battleford Curling clubs, the northern town once again retains possession of the Brown Cup; Battleford having been defeated by only a small margin. The outstanding feature of the series of games, was Ted Powers' rink getting a seven ender in their game against W. McKenzie's rink. The north town skips included J. Pettapiece, F. Bernard, C. Fanset, Jim White, T. R. Beatson, Ted Powers, Geo. Edwards, H. Best, G. Weir, J. J. Tate, D. Anderson, and W. Riddell.

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