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An Ignoramus' Tirade Against Golf A couple of rather indignant golfing friends, one in Toronto and the other in Galt, recently by the same post, sent the editor a clipping from the "Sunday World" containing a golfing tirade in "Here and There Ramblings" of that journal, the effusion of one, "Peter Quince." "Peter," apparently, is not eligible for any Golf and Country Club in his vicinity and writes a lot of twaddle about a game of which he is admittedly profoundly ignorant, and about its devotees, with whom apparently, he is not even on speaking acquaintance.

Here are some choice "Peterisms:"

"Some may think it (golf) is not so useless a fashion as that of wearing furs on a boiling hot summer's day, but opinions differ."

"A friend of mine once told me he liked golf because it made him so thirsty."

"One hears much less about golf these days than was heard up to, and including the war."

"Golf never was anything but a fad or fashion anyway. For some years we have endured its undeserved pre-eminence as a 'so-called' game with much impatience, and now that some of its erstwhile votaries seem to be turning their backs upon it, we gladly seize upon the opportunity to administer a long-reserved 'rap' in passing."

And so ad nauseam to the extent of a vaporous half column or so.

For the benefit of "Peter Quince" it may be stated that notwithstanding the golf clubs of Canada have sent over 3,000 of their members to the front of whom

over 200 have paid the supreme sacrifice, the number of golfers in the Dominion exceed to-day by several thousands the total before the war.

That instead of it being a decadent game it is more virile now than ever and tens of thousands of busy men and women seek needed rest and relaxation on the links from the mental and physical strain of worrying war-time activities..

That instead of hearing much less about golf these war times than heretofore, one hears a great deal more. The columns of the leading daily papers alone bear eloquent testimony to this statement.

Instead of golf being "out of fashion," it is the very reverse, if the vogue of a game means being "fashionable." Over twenty new clubs have been organized since the war (not to mention the launching of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, with a membership of over two hundred of the leading men in Canada), and there is not a club of any prominence that has not fully maintained its membership and in the majority of cases added to it. Not a solitary club has gone out of existence from one end of the Dominion to the other, the past four years. Moreover, the golf clubs of Canada have raised more money for patriotic purposes than any other branch of sport, either amateur or professional.

These inanities of "Peter Quince" are perhaps hardly worth noticing but, unfortunately, he represents to some extent a certain ignorant following which likes to scoff at a game the benefit and charm of which they mentally and physically are not sufficiently equipped to appreciate and enjoy.

Just (to use a Peterism), this "reserved rap in passing." Quince is a sour and acid fruit, and golf is evidently a question of "sour grapes" with Peter of that ilk.

Should Golfer Have Dull or Quick Brain? "What is the best kind of brain for a golfer to have" is the very interesting question asked by a writer in the New York Evening Post:

Many argue that the individual with highly developed artistic tastes makes the best exponent, while others have argued that the only brain of any use to the golfer is one of extreme dullness. It has been said that the genius of art, literature, or any other pursuit which demands the power to create by means of a great imagination, could never hope to excel on the links for the reason that this particular type of intellect makes every nerve in the body a fibre of extraordinary susceptibility. Unless it were such, he would be unable to render tangible his feelings and inspirations. Each nerve is like an open wound which for its own comfort's sake communicates the correct impression to paper; if it fails it causes him mental pain, and certain it is that a person of this disposition would suffer too many harsh rebuffs at golf ever to settle down and play methodically, which he must do in order to rise to excellence.

Those who contend that dullness is necessary to good play, hold out very little hope for the successful business man, for the simple reason that he thinks too quickly, too perspicaciously and altogether too much. It is a soothing reflection for the great army of duffers, who even if they have not yet risen to fame in art or commerce, can take much heart of grace from their constant fozzling. The worse they play, the cleverer they are; tender and sympathetic ought to be their attitude toward the unfortunate soul who reduces his handicap year after year, and so indicates his steady degeneration to a condition of brainlessness.

But to revert to the serious side, golf requires, and in many instances, develops a particular kind of intellect, which declines to be thrown off its balance by either success or adversity. The person who has the power to cultivate that temperament has gone far on the road to success, but the theory that a sluggish, stolid brain is the great desideratum for the game is disproved by the personality of many famous golfers.

Some "Chick" Evanisms Worth Remembering Hundreds of Canadian golfers last month took advantage of the opportunity to witness one of the greatest exponents of golf "in action." Mr. Charles Evans, Jr., has a very warm spot in his heart for everything Canadian and British and is as popular on the links of Great Britain and this country as he is on the courses of his own native land.

It was a very gracious thing for him to spare time at the beginning of the season to give a couple of Exhibition Red Cross matches in Winnipeg, and it was a very courteous act on his part last month to again visit Toronto and Hamilton.

His visits to Canada were not only instrumental in raising some \$5,000 for patriotic purposes but his appearance at the links was of great educational value. To watch the U. S. open and amateur champion play a round or so is of inestimable advantage alike to the novice, the average and expert player. Here are a few essentials which Mr. Evans lays down as the A B C of golf:

FIRST—Learn to grip the club in the fingers, never in the palm.

SECOND—Use square stance for full shots; open for half and shorter.

THIRD—Learn to let your clubhead form its right angle with its imaginary line, so that neither heel nor toe is off the ground.

FOURTH—In swinging, make the descent and ascent the same on both drawing back and follow through.

FIFTH—Cultivate the FORWARD PRESS.

SIXTH—PRACTICE and again PRACTICE.



Mr. W. J. Waugh, of Hamilton:

"I enclose cheque which please credit on my subscription account. The 'Canadian Golfer' is growing better every month."

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Mr. John Hall, Toronto, the former well-known cricketer (he was for many years secretary of the Canadian Cricket Association), now a keen follower of the Royal and Ancient writes the "Canadian Golfer:"

"You know that I love to see and have any opponent enjoy my company as well as the game, but it is not often that your opponent appears to thoroughly realize that a great share of your pleasure comes from seeing that he is happy in the companionship, even if it be only for a day."

And that is the true spirit of golf and of friendly golfing competitions.

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War's fateful telegram—"killed in action"—awaited Mr. W. A. Buchanan, Hon. President of the Lethbridge Golf Club, editor of The Lethbridge Herald, and Liberal-Unionist M. P. for Lethbridge, Alta., on his return to his home August 30th after a trip overseas with the Canadian editors. On August 24th, as the Canadian field forces were making their gallant advance, his brother, Lieut. Roy W. Buchanan, youngest son of Rev. William and Mrs. Buchanan, now of Lethbridge, but formerly residents of Ontario, fell a victim to German bullets.

This idea of The Royal Canadian Golf Association setting apart a day this autumn on every course in the Dominion for the purpose of raising funds for patriotic purposes, cannot be too warmly supported by every golf club, director and official and by every golfer. The minimum aimed at should be an average of at least \$100 per club, or a total well onto \$15,000. "Swing" to it.

Any club or any player that does not support such a Patriotic Day is a "shirker" and has no place in Canadian golfdom. But there won't be any, rest assured of that.

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And here is a real novelty for backyard play that has been proved quite feasible. It's a driving machine. The drive is made from a mat in the usual way, but the ball is captive in that it travels along a wire and hits a small target twelve feet away. When the target is forced back it sends an arm at the side forward. A loose ball, which rests in an inclined runway is forced up the runway by the arm and the harder the hit, the further the ball travels up the incline. Markings on the runway indicate the number of yards the ball would have gone if driven from a tee in the regular way. The "drive" ball has a brass eyelet attached, which keeps it on the wire. Altogether a very ingenious and useful contraption.

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This scare about scarcity of good hickory for golf shafts and another advance in the price of clubs as a result, is all "moonshine," according to Mr. Wm. Burke, the U. S. expert, who for the past 22 years has devoted his entire time to golf club and shaft making. Mr. Burke writes: "There is an ample supply of hickory shafts in this country now ready for use, and a supply for next year and the next and the timber stumpage for this purpose is, if anything, on the upgrade rather than on the decline. Within the past few days I have had offerings of between five and six hundred thousand squares for shafts from the best hickory growing region in the country. I can truthfully estimate offerings for golf shaft purposes to me in the last six months at between three and four million pieces."

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Herbert Strong, the pro. at the Engineers' Golf Club at Long Island, N.Y., and Alex. Herd, of St. Andrew's, are the "hole-in-one" champions of the world. They have each nine to their credit. The great and only John Henry Taylor runs them a close second with eight. The longest hole ever made in one was the 17th at Henley-on-Thames, 330 yards. This remarkable feat was accomplished by Mr. A. C. Lapp. Our own Canadian champion, Mr. George S. Lyon, has twice made holes in one—the Hawthorn and Railway holes at the old Rosedale golf course, both some years ago. Harry Vardon has never made a hole in one; neither has Francis Ouimet and a host of other star golfers. So, after, all perhaps Lloyds bet of 20,000 to 1 against the feat will average up pretty well in the long run. But don't take it on just now in Canada; wait till the "Hole-in-one" epidemic here has subsided a bit.

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After all, the highly successful United States Association, is not exactly the first venture along senior lines. Mr. F. W. Kennedy, the secretary of the Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto, one of the best players and one of the best informed men in Canada on golfing matters, writes the "Canadian Golfer":

"Apropos of the Canadian Seniors' Association it may be of interest to you to learn that about the year 1900 a Mr. A. K. Rodgers, of Glasgow, presented a trophy to be played for annually; it was open to golfers who had attained the age of 50 years. The trophy was styled the 'Dodgers' Trophy' and the competition developed into quite an important event in the Scottish golfing season. It was played on handicap terms and was held on many of the most prominent courses in rotation. It was undoubtedly the first competition of its kind. Knowing that you are on the executive of the recently formed Canadian Seniors' Golf Association I thought that this might be of interest to you."

All of which is very interesting. It will be noticed that this pioneer Scotch senior competition had the same 50-year age limit as The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association. The U. S. Seniors make their limit 55 years.

Many Canadian officers have pleasant recollections of the golf course at Folkestone on the south coast of England, which presents the last chance for a round of the links before crossing to France and Flanders for the big round of all. Recently the British authorities decided to commandeer the course for production purposes, but the officers of the municipality were enabled to show that this would work a very great hardship indeed in the case of soldiers and visitors and the beautiful links have been spared. As throwing some light on the value of a well run municipal golf course, during this Folkestone controversy, Mr. Collins, the responsible official, stated that he had been looking up the figures of the links and he had found that before the war between five and six thousand visitors made use of the course every year. This means that a great deal of money was brought into the town, amounting perhaps to £40,000 or £50,000 per annum. These are illuminating figures for municipal authorities in the big centres of the Dominion to ponder over.

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“Camouflage” is a word put upon the tongues of everyone by the war. It may be said that it is a very expressive word so far as golf and golfers are concerned. For instance, as pointed out by Mr. A. W. Tillinghurst, the well-known golf architect and golf writer when you miss an absurdly easy putt and then glare at your caddie, what is it but camouflage? When you develop an excruciating attack of lumbago when you are five down; or when you laugh boisterously as you shake hands with the fellow who has just trimmed you by ten and eight; or when one speaks kindly of the green committee when he has just lost a new ball in the rough—What? Camouflage. You may persist in whaling away with your mid-iron when you know in your heart that it is all you can do to get there with a brassie; you may pick up a stone and roll it away disgustedly thereby intimating that it was the sole cause of a socketed mashie shot; you may cuss the green when your putts are ever short; you may cuss the greens when your putts run away over; you may cuss the greens on general principles; but it is all camouflage, and you know it, and so does everyone else.

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There are a lot of really first-class golfers in the West, many of whom learned the game in Scotland and England. After the war it is a moot question whether it would not be in the best interests of the game for the Royal Canadian Golf Association to hold the championship meeting occasionally west of Port Arthur. There are a number of courses now or in the making of quite championship calibre in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, not to mention British Columbia. Why should the East always have the honor of the premier events? It is to say the least, a bit selfish. The golfers of the West can make out a strong case in favor of a moveable feast in the future when it comes to deciding upon a course for championship honors. The golfing pendulum is surely swinging Westward, and Western golfers in the years to come will undoubtedly demand, and will be entitled to much more liberal treatment at the hands of the governing body of golf in the Dominion than they have received in the past when it comes down to a question, especially, of the selection of links for major events. Lambton, Toronto, has already been awarded the first championship after the war, both the men's and women's. Then the claims of, say, Winnipeg, should certainly be recognized. Western golfers would do well to start the agitation going right now.



EXHIBITION GOLF AT ST. ANDREWS

In a Snappy Match over the Algonquin Course Albert Murray and Woodward win.

(Special Correspondence, "Canadian Golfer.")

THE exhibition game of golf at the Algonquin Hotel Links, St.-Andrews-by-the-Sea, N. B., in aid of the Red Cross, given by the well-known pros., Charlie Murray, of The Royal Montreal, Albert Murray, Kanawaki, A. Woodward, Country Club, St. Lambert, and John Peacock, the popular Algonquin coach, came off the afternoon of August 17th before an appreciative gallery of some three hundred devotees of the ancient and honorable sport.

Charles Murray and John Peacock were pitted against Albert Murray and A. Woodward in a four ball match (best ball), which resulted in the latter winning by a score of 5 and 4.

The lowest individual score was made by the Kanawaki crack, who turned in a 74 against a par of the course of 72, which under the prevailing high wind was remarkable; C. Murray had, however, played the like in the morning "look over the course." A. Murray's drive from No. 5 tee, a long carry over the trees, to the left and from a bad lie to the green, holing out in four, elicited rounds of applause from the spectators. John Peacock holed out the only two of the day, which he had to his credit at No. 15, and at which the audience showed their pleasure. The accurate and steady play of the St. Lambert representative was remarked upon on all sides.

The visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the course, its beautiful situation, natural hazards and its possibilities generally. They no doubt thoroughly appreciated the difficulty of pitching dead on most of the greens, which is a feature of the Algonquin Course.

Expressions of pleasure were heard from the guests of this beautiful resort, for a very entertaining afternoon, and at the good work done by pros. generally in their Red Cross "drives." Some \$400 was raised for the R. C. F.

The best ball score of Albert Murray and Woodward was 72, which shows the class of classy golf they were playing. Best ball of Charlie Murray and Peacock was 77.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE R.C.G.A.

MR. FRANK A. ROLPH, President of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, who has been for some months in Washington in connection with important Imperial war work, writes under date of August 22nd:

"The August number of the "Canadian Golfer" is just to hand. As a friend of that dear old sportsman, George S. Lyon, I appreciate very fully the article appearing in this number, referring to the presentation made to him by his many friends, and also summarizing some of his great victories at golf. I do not know of any more loveable character than cheery George Lyon, and I hope he may long be spared to enjoy with us the fascinating and healthful game of golf.

Considerable enthusiasm is shown by the Washington clubs in connection with any Red Cross or Patriotic movement. During my stay in Washington I enjoyed many delightful games of golf over the attractive links of the Columbia Country Club at Chevy Chase. They had one Red Cross tournament day while I was there in the shape of an exhibition match in which Mr. "Chick" Evans took part. The Club realized on this day over \$3,000.00.

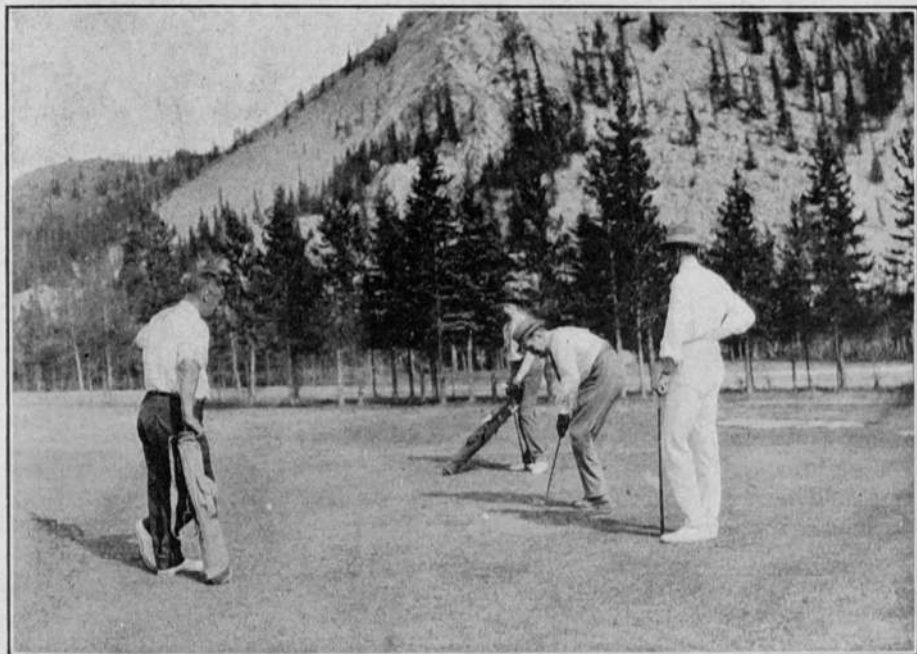
I much appreciated the courtesy and hospitality of Dr. W. S. Harban, Vice-President of the United States' Golf Association and Vice-President of the Columbia Country Club. He is a most enthusiastic supporter of the ancient and honorable game."

THE PRINCE AT PLAY

Interesting Snap-Shot of Royalty Putting at Banff, Alberta.

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, Prince Arthur of Connaught, who has spent recently several strenuous weeks touring Canada from coast to coast, on his way home from an important political mission to Japan, found time from inspecting Military Camps, visiting Convalescent Hospitals and receiving and replying to civic and other addresses without number, to engage in a game of golf now and again and to take in one or two hunting and fishing trips.

Among the golf courses he visited was Banff, "on the roof of the world," which has been recently taken over by the Dominion Government and which is being converted into a first-class 18-hole links of regular championship calibre. Herewith His Royal Highness "snapped" putting on one of the greens of Banff the Beautiful.



Prince Arthur Putting on the Links at Banff.

Prince Arthur, like his father the Duke of Connaught, most beloved of Canadian Governor-Generals, and his sister, Princess Patricia, whose name will be always associated with the gallant regiment which bears her name and has carried her silken flag to victory on so many blood-stained fields in France and Flanders, is an ardent follower of the Royal and Ancient and never misses an opportunity to have a round of the links.

MAKES ANOTHER RECORD

MR. GEORGE S. LYON, the amateur champion, who has been spending a couple of weeks at Beaumaris, fighting his old opponent, the hay fever, whilst there placed another record to his credit. Playing with Mrs. Riddell, of Toronto, in a four ball match against Mr. H. T. Fairley, captain of Scarborough and Miss Bowes, of Baltimore, he notched a 65. Incidentally Mr. Fairley got a 68 and he and his partner won the match.

"HOLE-IN-ONE" COMPETITION

"Everybody's Doing It." Five More "Oneers" Recorded on Canadian Courses.

THIS Hole-in-One performance promises to become epidemic a la the Spanish influenza. Five more "oneers" have to be recorded the past month on Canadian courses, and here they are:

In a four ball foursome, played on the Digby links between Mr. Nichols and Dr. W. F. Reid, Secretary of the Club, against Mrs. Reid and His Worship Mr. F. Nichols, Dr. Reid negotiated the eighth hole in one, and thereby put Digby, a charming Nova Scotian summer resort on the golfing map. Congratulations.

It is a "far carry" from "Down by the Sounding Sea" to Victoria, British Columbia, but at the United Service Golf Club course there on the Pacific coast Lieutenant Caven decided to get into the "one and only game." He chose the 6th for his shot from tee-to-cup. He is the first candidate from Victoria, and therefore thrice welcome.

Rosedale players have quite a penchant for this "hole-in-one" habit. Two players from there in the past three seasons have turned the trick, and now along comes Mr. John B. Keeble. The 18th hole at Rosedale is 170 yards, with a mighty tricky plateau green, backed up by a steep hill. Mr. Keeble's tee shot ran up this hill, then decided to come down again and make a bee-line for the cup, where it gently nestled. Frank Freeman, the Rosedale pro., was Mr. Keeble's opponent and he gathered in a 2. A combined score of 3 for a hole like the 18th at Rosedale is certainly a record.

Another summer resort is responsible for the fourth "oneer" of the past few weeks. Near Jackson's Point is the Eastbourne golf course, and here Mr. F. J. Rutherford joined the elect by holing the fourth hole in one.

Lakeview, Toronto, has figured already in this season's "one-shotters." Mr. R. A. Mackie got a year's subscription a couple of months ago and now here is Mr. C. E. Lanskail, a member of the same club. Playing with Mr. B. D. Sawtell, he successfully negotiated the 3rd hole, 165 yards, with a tee shot, and has the honour of being the lucky "thirteenth" to score a hole-in-one this season in the Dominion.

The total of "oneers" so far in 1918 already exceeds that of 1917 by "one," and the last round of the season hardly started.

THE PRESS AND THE GAME

ONE of the most noticeable circumstances recorded this season in connection with the Royal and Ancient game in Canada, is the amount of space the leading papers are devoting to it. A year or so ago, golf items in the sporting pages of the Canadian press were rare indeed. To-day, every journal of prominence, features golf more or less. Golfers are now numbered by the tens of thousands in the Dominion, and a baseball fan has nothing on a golfer when it comes to reading about the game and keeping tab on records and incidents and the doings of the star players generally, both amateur and professional. In the States, the Brooklyn "Eagle," the New York "Sun," the New York "Times," and other prominent publications, have now their own golf editors who devote their entire time to the chronicling of happenings on the links. It's getting to be the "universal game" all right on this continent, and the newspaper that does not devote more than passing attention to it lags superfluous, from a sporting standpoint.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF ALGONQUIN

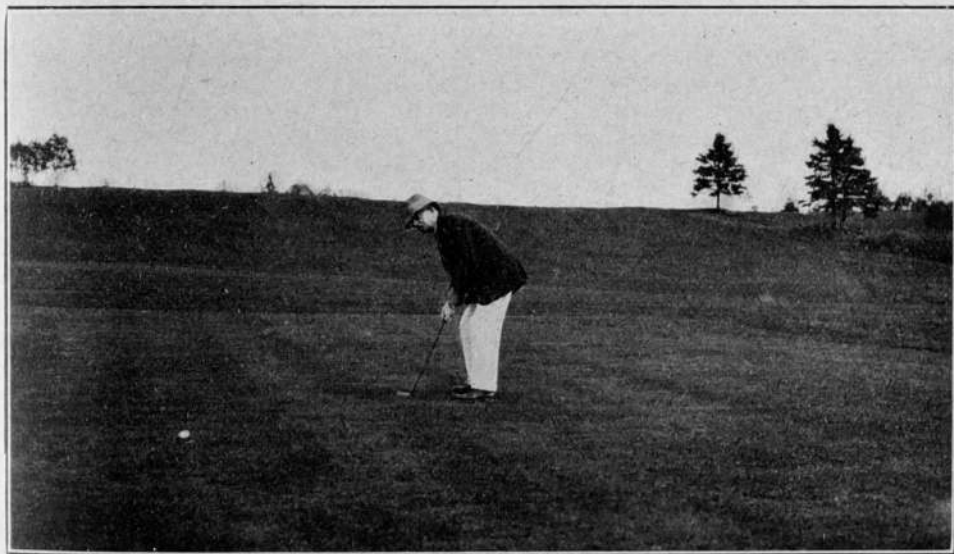
Former Canadian Amateur Champion Annexes Premier Honour

(Special Correspondence of "Canadian Golfer.")

THE principal golfing event of the Algonquin Club, St. Andrews, N.B., is the club championship, and this season it was won by Mr. Geoffrey H. Turpin, of the Royal Montreal Golf Club, amateur champion of Canada 1913, when at the Toronto Golf Club he defeated the late lamented Captain Gerald Lees, of the Royal Ottawa 1 up.

The final four out of the eight who qualified for the cup were: Mr. Turpin, 163; Mr. M. V. Swords, 168; Mr. Geoffrey Wheelock, 174; Mr. W. Allan Black, 182.

The match between the ex-amateur champion and Mr. Swords was closely contested, Mr. Turpin winning 1 up. Mr. Wheelock, who has been putting up a splendid brand of golf, unfortunately, owing to an accident, had to default to



Lord Shaughnessy, President of the C.P.R., and Hon-President of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, "Snapped" the other day putting on one of the Perfect Greens of the Algonquin Golf Club, St. Andrews, N.B.

Mr. Black and this robbed the finals of much of their interest. The younger finalist put up a plucky game but could not hold his more seasoned opponent, who won quite handily.

Mr. Turpin will have his name inscribed on the championship cup and wins besides the silver medal; the runner-up being awarded a bronze medal.

The ladies' championship was annexed by Mrs. H. B. Robinson, of Montreal, who played excellent golf throughout. The runner-up was Miss F. M. Greene. Silver and bronze medals rewarded the fair finalists, Mrs. Robinson also having her name inscribed on the championship cup.

The season at St. Andrews has been a most successful one and goodly sums were raised for patriotic purposes.

The day after the championship, Mr. Turpin turned in a splendid 73, or within one of par of the course. The amateur record of the links is 72 made

by Mr. W. V. Booth, champion in 1915, a young American, who going over with the first drafts of U. S. troops has since paid the supreme price. May it be many years before his golfing colours are lowered at fair St. Andrews. The professional record of the course is 71, held by the local pro., John Peacock.

A very large number of prominent people from all parts of the United States and Canada have been seen on the Algonquin links the past few months. One of the most notable was Lord Shaughnessy, President of the C.P.R., who recently has taken up the Royal and Ancient game quite enthusiastically like his confreres in the House of Lords, the majority of whom play the game. Lord Shaughnessy, by the way, is the Hon. President of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, that very representative body of golfers recently organized at The Royal Montreal Golf Club, of which club His Lordship is a member. He is also Hon.-President of the well-known Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, B.C.

Lord Shaughnessy finds a round of the links a great relaxation and rest from his many world-wide activities.

"CURIOSITIES OF GOLF"

Story of a Little Golf Ball and a Large Palm Tree.

MR. FREDERICK PAUL, the brilliant editor of "Saturday Night," Toronto, who, by the way, like nearly everyone of prominence now-a-days in the journalistic and literary world is a follower of the Royal and Ancient, writes thus entertainingly to the "Canadian Golfer:"

"Reading your "Curiosities of Golf" in the August number reminds me of a curious incident that happened on the Havana course in the winter of 1916. There was an important tournament on in which a lot of well-known American players were taking part, and it was getting down to the finals. The course has on, and around it, numerous palm trees of large size. The same sort that we in this country nurse along in our green houses until they are about three feet high or so when they usually lie down and die for us.

These, however, were a foot or two in diameter at the butt, and as is given to these old stagers, are sometimes hollow. One player landed an iron shot into one of these palm trees and the ball failed to come out. Finally a caddy was booted up and it was ascertained that the ball was not among the palm leaves, but had fallen into the hollow trunk. What was to be done? One player claimed that the ball was out of bounds. This was disputed as the tree was distinctly in bounds. Another claimed that it was a lost ball. Another contended that the ball was not lost for they all knew where it was, only it could not be reached. No rule could be found to govern the case, and the last I heard they were still chewing the rag over it. Perhaps they prevailed upon the management to cut the tree down. In any event it was creating a very warm argument on a very hot day."

And here is another curious happening contained in a despatch from Lake of Bays, Muskoka, the latter part of last month:

"An interesting incident occurred in a golf match here this morning between Harry S. Scott of the Detroit Evening News, and E. G. Powell of Ridley College, St. Catharines:

"In playing the ninth hole Mr. Scott made a record of three for that hole in a remarkable way. His third shot was a 70-yard pitch to the green, and in full flight the ball dropped into the cup and remained there. The flag had not been removed and evidently prevented the ball from bounding out. No occurrence of the sort can be recalled by any of the numerous golfers here."

CASCADE GOLF CLUB

Popular Royal and Ancient Organization at Little Metis Beach has Most Successful Season

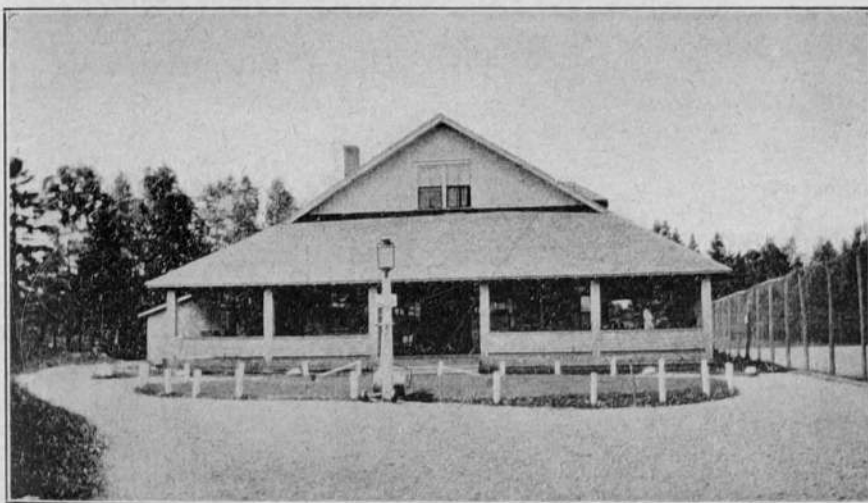
(Special Correspondence of "Canadian Golfer.")

THE CASCADE GOLF CLUB, of Little Metis Beach, Quebec, is nearing the end of a most satisfactory season. The course has been greatly improved and has been kept in splendid condition. The following competitions were held and all were closely contested:

July 27th—Cascade Hotel Prize for men, won by Mr. Harold M. Redpath; runner-up, Mr. Sam. Baylis.

July 29th—Cascade Hotel prize for ladies, won by Miss Helen Yuile; runner-up, Miss Louisa Molson.

July 31st—Seaside Hotel prize for mixed foursomes, won by Mr. E. M. Wilson and Mrs. Brophy; runners-up, Mr. Ian Nichol and Miss Hutton.



The Pretty Little Club-House of the Cascade Golf Club, Little Metis, Quebec.

August 4th—Fleet Trophy, won by Mr. C. C. Holland; runner-up, Mr. W. de M. Marler; consolation, J. N. Laing.

August 5th—McCuaig Cappon Cup, won by Miss G. Hodgson; runner-up, Miss Hutton.

August 22nd—Boule Rock Hotel Cup, won by Mr. Harold M. Redpath; runner-up, Mr. R. E. McDougall.

August 23rd—Turrieff's Hotel prize, won by Mrs. Jones; runner-up, Miss Louisa Molson.

On August 15th an exhibition match in aid of the Canadian Red Cross was played between Albert Murray, Kanawaki Golf Club, Montreal, and A. Woodward, Country Club, Montreal, vs. Chas. Murray, Royal Montreal Golf Club, and Mr. E. A. Maenutt, Royal Montreal Golf Club.

This match was closely contested and was won by the R.M.G.C. pair by a small margin. The best individual score was Charlie Murray's 75. This match brought in a handsome amount for the C. R. C., some \$500. Mr. R. E. McDougall, of the R.M.G.C., has the lowest score over this course this season, a 72.

The annual meeting was held August 23rd, when the following officers were elected for 1919: Honorary President, Mr. Sam. Baylis; President, Mr. W. de M. Marler; 1st Vice-President, Dr. Smythe; 2nd Vice-President, Mr. J. N. Cowans; 3rd Vice-President, Mr. E. M. Wilson; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Harold M. Redpath; Assistant Secretary, Mr. Stuart Merrett; Committee, Messrs. N. S. Dunlop, T. Hutchison, B. B. Stevenson, C. C. Holland, McGee and Archdeacon MacKay.

The Cascade course, it might be mentioned, is quite a sporting one of 18 holes with a length of over 5,000 yards. It has been the "nursery" of some of the best golfers of the Montreal district, who visiting Little Metis in their youth have learned their game first here. The club was established in 1900 and was one of the first summer resort courses laid out in Canada. Mr. C. B. Grier, of Montreal, with a 69 has the amateur record of the course. Miss Florence Harvey, twice lady champion of Canada, now serving as a motor driver with the Scottish Women's Hospital Unit, was a visitor to the links a couple of seasons ago and stated that many a good sized city in Canada has nothing to equal them. She was especially enthusiastic about the fairways and the scenic attractions.

In the words of Miss Harvey:

"Few more beautiful views can be found than these from the upper fields, over farm land, dense woods, with the white patch of a daisy field here and a yellow splash of a wild buttercup patch there, and beyond it all the deep blue of the St. Lawrence with the curious mirage so easily mistaken for the other shore. For a perfect setting for a teeing ground, one needs only to go to the ninth, climbing the path through the trees up to the top of the big rock and there you find it surrounded by silver birches—with just enough cut away to give you clean space to drive from the edge of the steep rock."

"SHE HIT THE CLUBHOUSE"

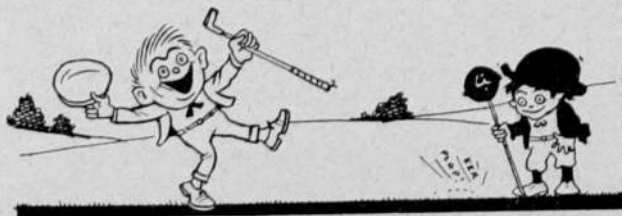
(*Toronto Globe.*)

"**B**RINGING with her all that winsome charm of naturalness that makes all who meet her love her, Miss Phyliss Neilson-Terry has come to spend a few last precious holidays in Toronto, and is staying with Mrs. W. S. Hodgins in Russell Hill road. Miss Neilson-Terry, who has been resting some time at her little cottage on Long Island, has also been off on a fishing trip with Col. and Mrs. Philip Prideaux.

"To the question: 'Did you catch any fish all by your lonesome?' there was a rueful—

"'No, not one, I hung out my rod and line quite all right, but I never caught anything except the bottom of the lake. But'—the fleeting moment of pensive regret over fisherman's luck changed, like a flash, to a ripple of laughter—'we did have the loveliest time playing golf this morning,' and curling herself, lithesomely, into a corner of her hostess' sofa, this lovely English girl, with wide visions and simple tastes, plunged into a vividly amusing description of the game—the sixth of her life.

"'I—I hit the clubhouse,' she said, with the air of a child not more than half sorry for being a little bit naughty. 'Nobody ever did it before, they said, and the caddies were adorable—they laughed like anything.'"



SASKATCHEWAN PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Very Large Fields Take Part in the Blue-ribbon Golfing Event of the Big Grain Province. Mr. Cuthbert of Moose Jaw wins Championship; Saskatoon the Men's Team Event for Fourth Year in Succession.

(Special Correspondence, "Canadian Golfer.")

THE second week in August saw the opening of the annual golf championship of Saskatchewan—the province of many acres, of many good golfers. The Wascana Country Club witnessed the staging of this interesting event, and President J. D. Turnbull and his energetic board of directors, with the local pro and staff of green keepers for a week previously had worked at high pressure to get the 18 hole course in first-class shape for the "big show," and



A Group of Well-Known Saskatoon Golfers Taken at the Tournament.

Back Row (left to right): Major (Dr.) Young, H. A. Bruce, Vic Butler, H. R. Williams, Dr. Scroggy. Front row: Rev. W. C. Clark, A. Middleton, A. A. Weir, F. Miley, Mrs. H. A. Bruce, Mrs. C. Vanatter, W. S. Darling. Seated: C. D. Mitchner, R. G. Perraim, Chal Clark, A. G. Buchan, Miss E. McDonald, W. Kinnear (pro.).

that they had succeeded in accomplishing this was the unanimous verdict of the hundred and more golfers who participated. Especially were the greens in most excellent condition. The fairway was perhaps hardly up to "concert pitch," owing to the dry season, there being many "cups" and "cracks," which had a nasty tendency to punish the second shots and affect the medal fees.

A field of no fewer than eighty players, one of the largest ever recorded, teed up for the qualifying round on the first day of the medal play. The first of the draw got away at 1.30 in the afternoon, the rest of the field stringing out all the way until 3.30.

So large was the field in fact that the course became badly "gummed up" at several points on the links, particularly at the short water holes.

The semi-finalists of the championship round last year turned in the best scores for the qualifying round, Cuthbert, Weir, Bruce and Anderson. Cuthbert notched an 83, topping his score of the team match play in the morning by three strokes; Anderson an 86 and Weir and Bruce 87.

After some capital golf the semi-finals of the championship got down to Cuthbert, Moose Jaw, vs. Buchan, of Saskatoon; Anderson, Regina, vs. Weir, of Saskatoon. The latter has always loomed large in the Saskatchewan championship. He has been in the semi-finals the last four years, and in 1916 was runner-up to Bruce, of Saskatoon; and in 1917 to Cuthbert of Moose Jaw. This year it was generally hoped that he would land premier honors, after such a plucky fight on the quartette of previous occasions, but Anderson proved a little too good for him, after a gruelling fight, and his team mate also went down to defeat to Cuthbert.

This left the Regina representative and the Moose Jaw crack, who had won the title last year, to fight it out to the finish.

And they did, in a ding-dong match of 36 holes, played in a down-pour of rain during both rounds.

The championship was won on the thirty-fifth green and the finish came about when a seemingly perfect putt from about six feet from the hole resulted in the ball wavering on the edge of the cup. An eighth of an inch further would have meant a halved hole and the thirty-sixth green would have been necessary. But the fates were against Anderson, and the match was concluded amidst hearty congratulations for the conqueror and sincere expressions of sympathy for the man who had lost a fine game. It was one of those matches very much worth while winning. It was a match which was an honor to win and no disgrace to lose.

The perfect weather that had attended all the efforts and games of the golf tournament since its inception Tuesday morning suddenly deserted both golfers and course on the last day (Saturday), the day on which real golfing weather was most ardently desired. The morning was cold and stormy, a day not at all suited to golf. The afternoon was far worse, for a cold hard rain was falling from the time the players took the course until the end, excepting for a brief respite between the ninth and thirteenth holes. Considering the nature of the weather, the class of golf played by the contestants was remarkable. In many instances the men played the holes in par.

The reason for Cuthbert's win can be ascribed to his superiority in putting. Anderson's play on the greens, especially in the afternoon, was not up to his usual standard. This is one of the Regina man's strong points, and it proved his undoing. On the thirteenth and fourteenth holes in the afternoon match, he missed two easy putts, which would have made a big difference in the result.

On the other hand, Cuthbert played his usual heady, strong scientific game. The weather didn't bother him and he took to his arduous task with the same nonchalance that marks his playing in a practice game. Cuthbert has style and uses little effort to win his games. His approaching and putting were high-class all through, as was also his driving. He fell into difficulties at the twelfth hole, but this didn't bother him, and coming to the thirteenth he again played par golf.

Both rounds were followed by a large gallery of spectators.

The feature of the match was the wonderful rally made by Cuthbert in the morning round. He was at one time four down and then promptly annexed the following four holes. The final score was 2 and 1.

Mr. Cuthbert is a very fine player indeed, with a whole lot of good shots in his bag.

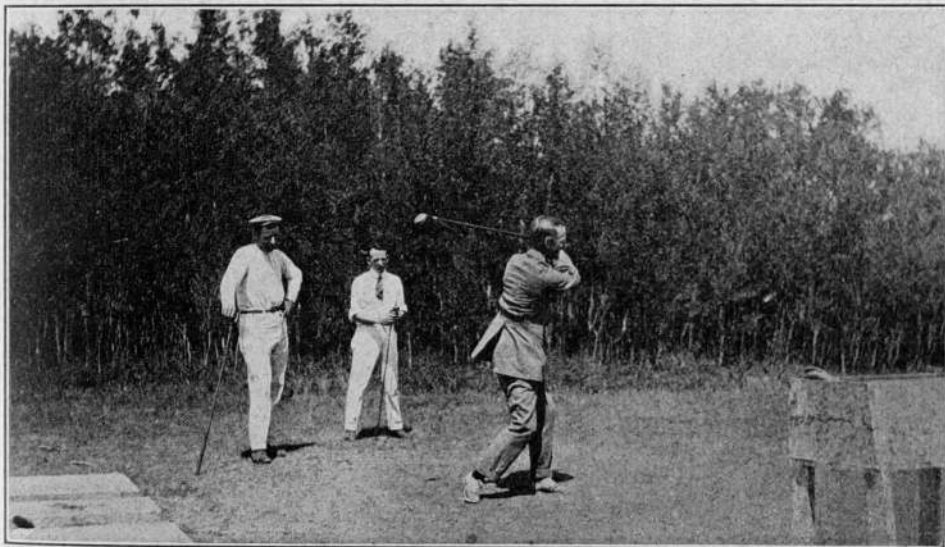
Mrs. Kingsley, of Regina, won the ladies' championship by defeating Mrs. Hunt, of Moose Jaw, three up and two to go. Following up her brilliant victories

of Wednesday when she defeated Miss McDonald and Mrs. Van Atter, both of Saskatoon, the Regina lady succeeded in defeating her Moose Jaw rival quite handily.

Mrs. Bruce, of Saskatoon, the lady champion of 1917, was unable to defend her title owing to a broken ankle.

Despite cold and wet, there were some really good score cards turned in by the contestants in the team matches. Saskatoon's first team proved the winner with Regina's first team a good second, whilst Moose Jaw's first and Wascana's first tied for third place, with the second Wascana team and the second Saskatoon team tied for fourth place.

The Moose Jaw team was expected to walk off with premier honors, but in some unaccountable way H. C. Hope of Moose Jaw, was badly off his game and his score of 105 put his team out of the running. J. Cuthbert of Moose Jaw (the provincial champion), was in great form and his score of 80, considering weather conditions, was regarded as even better than par golf.



Three Saskatoonians Who Figured in the Tourney: Mr. J. Walton, Mr. H. A. Bruce and Wm. Kinnear, the Saskatoon Pro.

President J. D. Turnbull, who turned in a score of 84 for the second Regina team, was roundly congratulated. He has been working like a navy for the past week helping to get the course in the best possible shape and his achievement was popular with all attending the tournament. H. S. Henderson for the first Regina team with a score of 82 played fine golf. In the ladies' team match two teams were entered, the Regina Golf Club being defeated by the Wascana club by seven strokes.

This is the fourth year in succession that Saskatoon has won the team championship—certainly a most enviable record.

Other results of this most successful tournament were as follows:

Second Flight—Froom of Regina, won from Miley of Saskatoon.

Third Flight—Rev. W. C. Clark of Saskatoon, won from J. Kelso Hunter of Regina, on the last green.

Mixed Foursomes—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLeod of Regina, were the winners. Mrs. Holloway and C. Wentworth Clark, runners-up.

In the Open Handicap Weir, of Saskatoon, won the low gross score, and Wakeling of Saskatoon, the low nett score.

The annual meeting of the association was held on Thursday evening, August 8th, at the Assiniboia Club.

An invitation was extended by the Saskatoon City Golf Club to have next year's tournament on their course, and the invitation was unanimously accepted.

The officers for 1919 are as follows: Hon. President, Sir Frederick Haultain, Wascana Country Club; President, J. D. Turnbull, Wascana Country Club; Vice-President, N. C. Byers, Saskatoon; Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, Geo. D. Underwood, Saskatoon. Executive: A. Sullivan, Moose Jaw Golf Club; A. G. Buchan, Saskatoon Golf Club; A. F. Angus, Regina Golf Club; W. C. Gordon, Qu'Appelle Golf Club; Jack Wood, Swift Current Golf Club; Lorne Johnson, Wascana Country Club; G. O. Hettle, Saskatoon Country Club.

In order to standardize handicaps it was decided to adopt the Calkins system for calculating handicaps, based on par, and all the clubs affiliated with the Provincial Association will be required to adopt this system. This will greatly simplify the handicapping in future tournaments, in addition to giving the members of every golf club a handicap which will be accepted on any golf course in the Dominion.

A donation of \$100 was voted to the Canadian Red Cross.

CHIP SHOTS

The 1918 tournament was one of the most successful in the history of the association. Too much praise cannot be accorded the Regina golfers for the admirable manner in which they looked after the comfort and enjoyment of all the entrants.

In the fourth flight Mr. Justice Brown and Judge McKay got into the semi-finals, being defeated respectively by Mr. Sutherland and Mr. Creamer.

Among the interested spectators of the play on Friday, August 9th, was the Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior. He was accompanied by Senator Laird and other notables. The Minister is a member of The Royal Ottawa and has recently taken up golf.

A jolly dance was held at the Assiniboia club on the Friday night of the tournament. It went with a great "swing" and "carry through."

The 1918 tournament should have been held at Saskatoon, but owing to the Saskatoon club installing a water system and making new greens the venue was changed to Regina. It may here be noted that the Saskatoon greens were opened for play August 17th (the first green only being sown May 27th), and all are wearing wonderfully well. They should be in fine shape for the 1919 tournament.

Mr. W. Laidlaw of Saskatoon, who won the 1915 championship is now a resident of Montreal, having left for the Canadian metropolis a couple of months ago. He is a very fine type of the Scottish player and will be very much missed in the West.

On the day of the championship final, playing with Kinnear, the Saskatoon pro., Mr. Weir of Saskatoon, who was defeated in the semi-finals, made a new amateur record for the Wascana course, a cliniking 76.

Herewith the card:

Weir:

Out	4,3,6, 4,5,3, 5,6,4—40
In	3,5,7, 5,2,3, 3,4,4—36—76

Kinnear:

Out	4,3,6, 4,4,4, 5,6,5—41
In	4,5,6, 5,3,3, 3,4,5—38—79

Mr. Weir had eleven holes in par and two one under par.

Chief Justice Sir Frederick Haultain presented the tournament prizes at the Assiniboia Club Friday night. This interesting function should have taken place at the Wascana Country Club, but the heavy downpour of rain caused a change in the programme.

Mr. C. Wentworth Clarke, of the Wascana Club, was one of the hardest worked officials of the tournament. He and President Turnbull make a plus pair.

The Saskatchewan Champion Cup has now been played for eleven years. The winners have been: 1908, W. S. Gray; 1909, J. H. Young; 1910, D. Ritchie; 1910, 1911 and 1912, G. F. Donaldson; 1913, W. S. Gray (for the second time); 1914, G. F. Donaldson (for the fourth time); 1915, W. Laidlaw; 1916, Henry Bruce; 1917, and 1918, J. H. Cuthbert.

E. H. Brinkworth, the popular pro of the Wascana Club, came in for all sorts of compliments for the perfect greens he had prepared. "Brink" is some golfer, too, and one of the features of the tournament was his match with his brother pro., "Bill" Kinnear of Saskatoon, which drew a big gallery. 'Twas a gran' match. Kinnear was in great form, driving a beautiful ball and made the local man play his very best to win. At the turn the visitor was three up and the supporters of Brinkworth were wondering whether or not he would be able to regain the lead. But he did.

Kinnear won the first two holes and the third went to Brinkworth. Saskatoon's representative won the fourth and the fifth was Brinkworth's. The sixth was halved and the seventh went to Brinkworth. The eighth was also halved and Kinnear won the ninth. The tenth was halved and then Brinkworth came into his own by winning four straight holes, going into the lead one up. The fifteenth was halved and Brink won the sixteenth. Just to show that he wasn't beaten Kinnear won the seventeenth, but he could only tie the 18th and the game was over.

HERE'S A SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

Dear Editor:

Perhaps you or some of your readers can decide whether I am playing golf or just a bad imitation. You see, it is this way. I get "off" my woods. Can't play 'em at all. Make a tee shot to the right or left or short; then carefully top the second with a brassie. When I do not top I slice, usually into the bush. I still persist and hit a "bum one" again. Then I chuck that brassie back into the bag in place of breaking it up as should be its fate, take out a nice little iron of medium weight and away goes the ball not too high and with a direction and a length that I can seldom attain with a driver or a brassie. In my present form I would make an average of nine poor, or at least indifferent drives, with the wood, in the eighteen holes. Nine shots to the bad, not to speak of the added disadvantage of finding myself at any time in the rough with a poor chance of a good second. Average, we will say, one brassie shot per hole, fifty per cent of little or no account. That puts me another nine shots to the bad, or eighteen in all. Now, with the use of that little iron I told you about, I would not miss getting well away over four times in the eighteen holes, utilizing the iron in place of driver and brassie at all times. In other words, I would be fourteen shots to the good.

Under these circumstances am I therefore justified in leaving my wood safely reposing in the locker, or better yet, disposing of them to mine enemy, in order not to be led into temptation, or am I not? My "carry through" with the wood is certainly rotten. With my irons, if not perfect, it is sufficiently good to accomplish all that I set out to do. I now arrive at the point. If golf is a game that is to be won by utilizing clubs that give the best results I am playing golf. If it is not, and I must perforce use the woods, then it is some other sort of a game. Do not tell me that I should persist with the wood. It can't be done. If I did and played for a ball a hole, as is my custom, I would be obliged to own a golf ball factory to supply the demand.

Yours,

"A SOUL IN AGONY."

Toronto, September 10th.

[A very nice question, which ought to call for most sympathetic treatment. Personally speaking, recommend taking "Punch's" advice, proffered on another equally vexatious occasion—"Don't." Ed. "Canadian Golfer."]

VANITAS VANITATUM

He was a multi-millionaire,
Possessed of gifts beyond compare;
With all the power that wealth could bring,
To purchase almost everything.

Beneath his sway were legions bold,
Who did whatever they were told;
While many a man of high renown
Would tremble 'neath his awful frown.

And yet, forsooth, with all his wealth,
He had to take up golf for health;
And there upon the links he knew
At last he'd met his Waterloo.

For scheming brain nor ruthless hand
Availed him ought, you understand;
The only thing that counted—well
Was play, he COULDN'T—aint it Hell.

—W. Hastings Webling.

U.S. OPEN AND AMATEUR CHAMPION

Once Again Delights Large Galleries of Canadian Golfers. Partnered with Mr. George S. Lyon wins both his Exhibition matches at Hamilton and Toronto and is instrumental in raising some \$4000 for Patriotic Purposes Registers a Splendid 71 at Scarborough.

IT was a very gracious act indeed upon the part of Mr. Charles Evans, jr., the stellar golfer of the continent, to spare time from his multitudinous activities for the Red Cross on the links across the border to once again visit Ontario and play here for patriotic purposes. He has this reward. The golfers of Canada, rest assured, deeply appreciated the compliment. Incidentally his visit to Hamilton and Toronto, August the 23rd and 24th, have added many hundred more to his long list of admirers—and he has 'em by the tens of thousands both in the United States, Canada and "The Isles Beyond the Sea," in addition to some \$4,000 in cash for patriotic objects.

It was a flying visit the U. S. open and amateur champion made and as usual it was a case of VENI, VIDI, VICI. Partnered with the greatest Senior of them all, the Canadian amateur champion (they have never been beaten when paired together), he won both his exhibition matches, although at Hamilton it was a very tight squeeze, indeed.

The beautiful links at Ancaster was Mr. Evan's first objective. Thanks to Mr. J. A. Macfadden, of Toronto, who motored the champion over from Buffalo, he arrived here an hour or so before the game was scheduled to come off.

Vouchsafed beautiful weather and idyllic conditions generally the Hamilton event was a huge success from start to finish. There was a very large gallery indeed. The fairgreens and greens were alike in perfect condition and fair Ancaster generally was looking its fairest—and that's about the fairest thing in America as regards golf links. Previous to the match Lt.-Col. Myler, President of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, and "a right good president, too," auctioned off in a clever manner the various privileges for the day. Mr. R. R. Moody paid \$200 for the honor of caddying for the U. S. expert, whilst \$100 apiece were contributed by Messrs. A. W. Cutten, of Chicago, P. M. Yates and H. L. Frost, of Hamilton, for acting as "bag-man" for Messrs. Martin, Lyon and Adams.

Four official scorers paid \$15 each, whilst Col. Myler "sold" himself for the Refereeship for \$50, or a total of \$610 for the official privileges generally. Not a bad start for the afternoon.

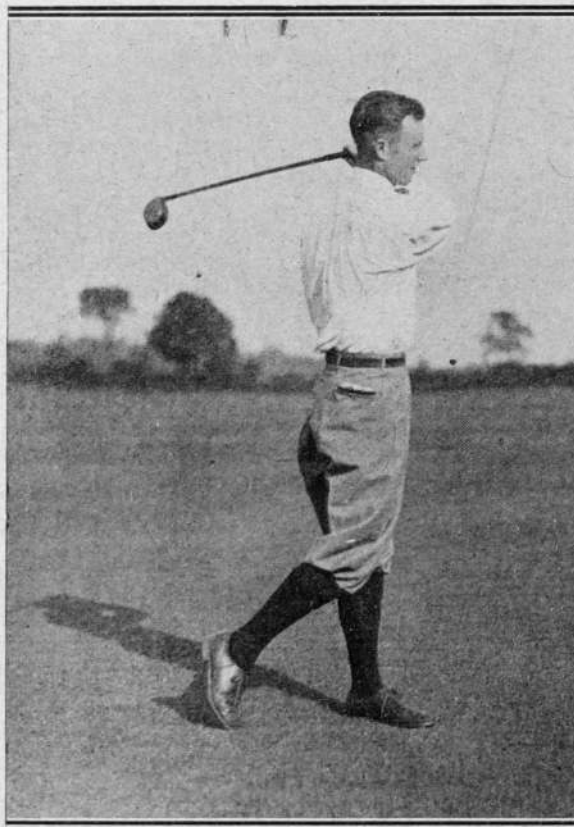
The match was Mr. Evans and Mr. Lyon versus Mr. F. R. Martin, of Hamilton, ex-amateur Canadian champion and Mr. A. A. Adams, champion of the Hamilton club.

A 4 by Mr. Lyon at the first hole, immediately put the many-time champions in the lead. Mr. Evans was the only one to notch a 4 at the second. At the very difficult third, Mr. Martin got a very fine 4—the only one recorded, Messrs. Lyon and Evans being content with fives and Mr. Adams with an approximated 6. At the 500-yard fourth hole both the champions registered fours and again were 2 up. The fifth was split, so also was the seventh, eighth and ninth. Mr. Evans out in 38, Mr. Lyon 38, Mr. Martin 39, Mr. Adams 44.

At the tenth Messrs. Evans and Lyon increased their lead to 3 up, and the gallery looked upon the match as rather a foregone conclusion, but then Mr. Adams, whose first experience it was in "gallery golf," and who had had a lot of bad luck with his putts, got into his gait and from the 11th hole on played par golf with the exception of a 6 at the long 17th, which was counterbalanced by a 2 at the 16th or one under par. The Hamilton pair won the 11th, lost the 12th, split the 13th, won the 14th, divided the 15th, won the 16th, split the 17th

and going to the 18th the match which looked rather hopeless at the 10th hole had resolved itself into a regular battle royal.

And the home hole certainly provided a regular thriller. Mr. Martin played this "last chance" beautifully and was sure of an easy putt for a 4. But here the Canadian amateur champion pulled a favorite stunt of his—a long and perfect putt, which found the cup for a 4, and the "unbeatable combination" were returned winners of a thoroughly interesting match by 1 up. It was a splendid finish to a splendid match and the Hamilton amateurs are especially to be congratulated at putting up such a plucky fight against such formidable opponents. Mr. Martin bore the brunt of the match going out—Mr. Adams coming in. They played an "in and out" game which came within a putt of tying the match.



MR. C. EVANS DRIVING AT SCARBOROUGH.

The par of the Hamilton course is 36 going out (length 3165 yards), 37 coming in (length 3185 yards). Total par 73; total length 6350 yards.

After the match Col. Myler entertained the players, the officials and friends most delightfully to dinner at the Tamahaac Club.

As a result of this very notable and well managed match over \$1,400 was raised for the Red Cross.

A very graceful compliment was paid by the Directors of the Hamilton Club to the two champions when they conferred a life club membership upon them—a well deserved honour in every sense of the term.

And here is a particularly interesting incident. Mr. Lyon went to Hamilton the day before the match for a practice round. Going out Mr. Adams who

The scores coming in were: Mr. Evans 38, Mr. Lyon 37, Mr. Martin 40 (an approximate 6 at No. 12), Mr. Adams 37. Totals: Mr. Evans 76, Mr. Lyon 75, Mr. Martin 76, Mr. Adams 81. It will be seen that Mr. Lyon carried off the honors for the best score. Both he and Mr. Adams had par coming in. Herewith the official score of the match (which differs slightly from the previous published press report):

MR. EVANS.

Out 545, 444, 534—38
In 463, 444, 355—38

Total 76

MR. LYON.

Out 455, 444, 435—38
In 464, 344, 354—37

Total 75

MR. MARTIN.

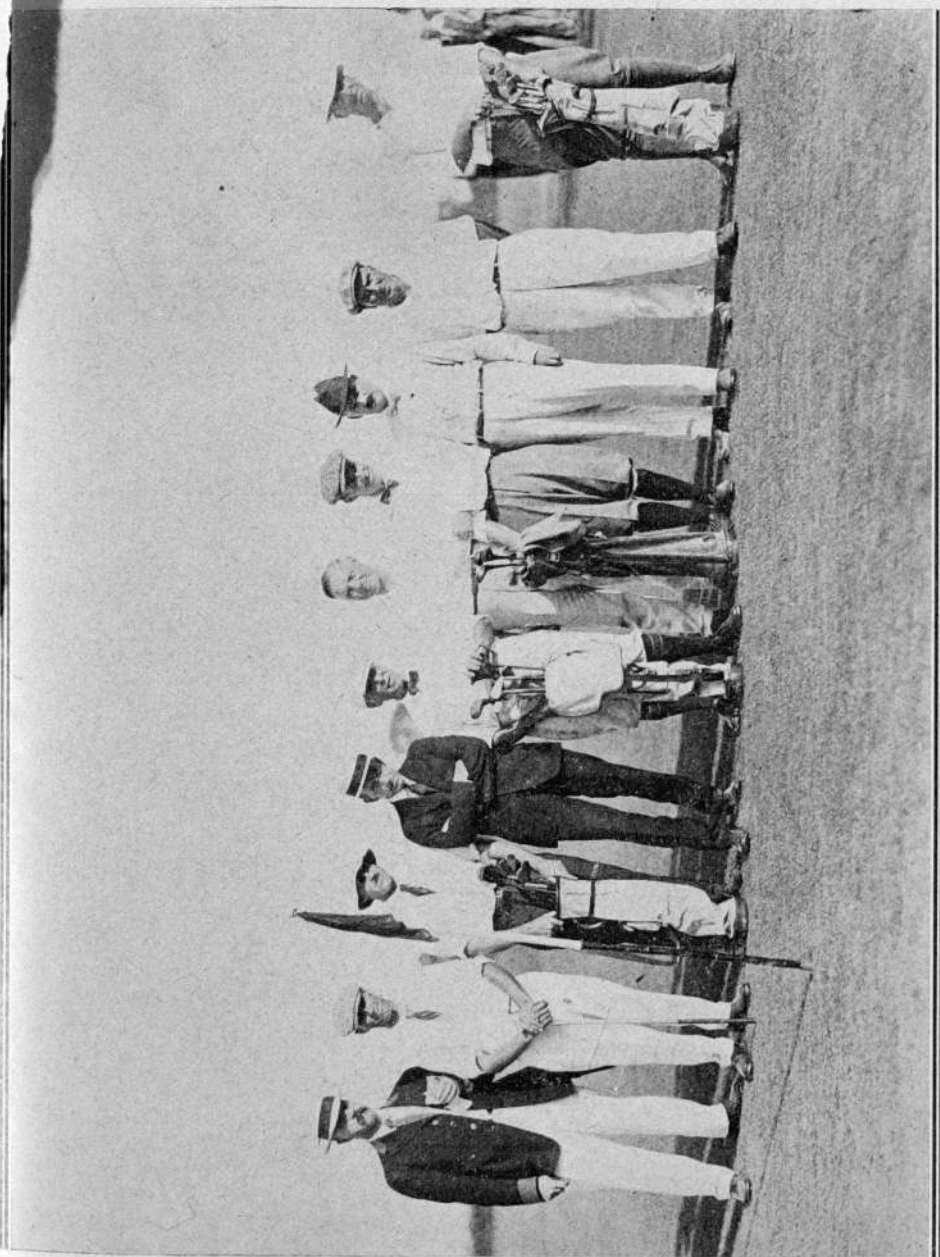
Out 554, 544, 435—39
In 556, 444, 354—40

Total 79

MR. ADAMS.

Out 556, 655, 534—44
In 554, 334, 265—37

Total 81



GROUP OF PLAYERS AND PROMINENT OFFICIALS SCARBOROUGH PATRIOTIC TOURNAMENT, AUGUST 24th.

Reading from left to right: Col. J. B. Miller, Vice-President of the Club, and umpire for the tournament; Willis Freeman, of Lambton; Mr. A. I. Lewis, caddy for Mr. Freeman; Mr. Frank Wood, caddy for Mr. Lyon; Geo. Lyon; Mr. W. Hyslop, caddy for Mr. Evans; Chas. "Chick" Evans, Jr., of Chicago; Mr. I. G. McConkey, President; Geo. Cumming, of Toronto; Mr. E. J. Northwood, caddy for Mr. Cumming.

was conferred on them by the President of Scarborough, Mr. T. A. McConkey, at a special luncheon at noon. The caddy and official privileges were auctioned off and brought goodly sums. In the morning Col. A. J. Carrick, M.P.P., paid \$100 so that his sons could caddy for Mr. Evans and Mr. Lyon, and Mr. C. C. Cummings and Mr. J. H. Lyons paid \$25 each to carry the clubs of Freeman and Cumming respectively. In the afternoon the privileges were auctioned, and in a pool auction, in which the last bidder paid the difference between the second last bid and his own, \$600 was paid to be Mr. Evans' caddy, Mr. W. Hyslop being the highest bidder and the caddy. In the same way Mr. Frank Wood became caddy for Mr. Lyon for \$300, Mr. E. J. Northwood for Cumming for \$100, and Mr. A. J. Lewis for Freeman for \$100. For the privilege of carrying the ropes and being marshals of the course 13 members paid \$10 each, and the Vice-President, Col. J. B. Miller, contributed \$50 as referee. Four balls used by the United States champion were auctioned off after the match to Mr. Richard Southam for \$100, while over 500 badges were sold.

In all, Scarborough raised by this most successful event—one of the most successful ever held on a Canadian Golf Course—over \$2,500; a record of which President McConkey, his Board of Directors and members generally have every reason to feel justly proud. Scarborough these days is very much on the golfing map.

In addition to the "big show" there were other interesting competitions during the day. The team match was won by Hamilton headed by Messrs. Fritz Martin and A. A. Adams, fresh from their "near" victory at Ancaster, against Messrs. Evans and Lyon the day previous. The other members of the winning team were Dr. McDonald and Mr. Hope Gibson—both sterling golfers.

Mr. F. W. Kennedy, of Mississauga, with an 81 was the winner of the best gross and Mr. Fred Plant, of Lakeview, captured the net trophy.

Altogether a Patriotic Day of absorbing interest which was brought to a most successful conclusion by a jolly dinner-dance in the spacious club house.

LAKEVIEW'S MUSICALS

Popular Toronto Golf Club Introduces Unique Patriotic Entertainments

MR. FREDERICK L. PLANT, the well known Toronto musician, member of the Lakeview Golf and Country Club writes the Editor:

"Lakeview Golf and Country Club has among its members many musicians well known in the profession. And it occurred to the directors to ask these members to invite their musical friends to the club for some evenings of music. The result proved gratifying in the extreme. A recital was arranged each week of July and August by one of these members.

Many of the best artists in the city were glad to visit the club and take part in these recitals. The club rooms proved charming as a setting for the recitals, and the singers pronounced the acoustics as excellent.

With the members and their friends grouped informally indoors and out, on the stairs and the porch steps, one had the impression of chamber music, such as we see the masters giving in some of the old world centres.

A collection for the Prisoners of War

Bread Fund was taken at each recital and it was estimated as an average that each recital would supply a prisoner in Hunland with bread for a year.

The enclosed programmes will show how thoroughly artistic the performers were, and all the members of Lakeview agree that no other feature of the club life in many years has been so charming."

The programmes enclosed by Mr. Plant are of a very high musical order indeed. Among the well known artists taking part were Miss Agnes Adie, Miss Winnifred Hicks-Lyne, Miss L. Ivey, Mrs. G. A. Daires, Miss Winnifred Parker, Miss Ruth Thom, Mr. Boris Hambourg, Mr. L. V. Dusseau, Mr. W. H. Plant, Mr. Gladstone Brown, Mr. L. J. Lugsdin, Mr. D. G. Caldwell and Mr. Gerald Moore. Lakeview's example is worth emulating another season by the larger clubs generally.—Editor "Canadian Golfer."

"MORT SUR LE CHAMP D'HONNEUR"

Lieut. Fleming Wright and Lieut. F. Stanley Schell, Well-Known Golfers and Athletes Killed in Action

THE glorious victories, which all branches of the Anglo-Saxon forces have recently been placing to their credit at the front, have unfortunately been attended by a heavy toll of casualties, especially among the leading young athletes of the Empire. And Canada, as usual, always to the fore, has paid the price in the loss of many of her bravest sons.

Few deaths of recent months have occasioned wider spread regret than that of Lieutenant Lindsay Wright, son of Mr. Henry Wright, president and general manager of the MacLaren Imperial Cheese Co., Ltd., of Toronto, one of the best known and most popular members of the Lambton Golf Club and in his younger days very prominent in canoeing and other amateur sports.

Lt. Wright, who was killed in action on August 28, was one of the finest athletes ever turned out in Toronto. He was a star in his school days at St. Andrew's College, being captain of the cricket, football and hockey teams and also captained the 24th Battery rugby team that played at Varsity Stadium just before they went overseas, his brilliant playing on that occasion being well remembered by Toronto football fans. Lieut. Wright also distinguished himself in France both with his battery and in the great Dominion Day sports, when he pitched his team to victory in the baseball championship and also won the tennis championship and captained the winning relay team, certainly a most wonderful record.

He played on the Aura Lee Junior O.H.A. team of 1914-15, which has been practically wiped out by the war. Lindsay Wright, Eden, Walker and McWhinney have been killed in action, Beverly Garrett is a prisoner in Germany, Basil Lepper has been wounded twice, but is still fighting, while Brock Batten was severely wounded and invalided home.

Not content with being an expert in the prominent sports above mentioned Lt. Wright was also very fond of golf and gave every indication of developing into a very strong player. He joined the Lambton Golf Club at the age of 14 as a junior member and became a senior member at 18.

He was 22 years of age, an old boy of St. Andrew's attending the college from 1907 to 1914, being a prefect for the last two years. In a tribute paid to him, the principal of St. Andrew's, the Rev. Dr. D.

Bruce Macdonald, said: "He was a splendid type of young manhood, who was loved by everyone at the college."

He had an enviable military career. He went to France as a gunner with the 34th Battery in November, 1915, a few months after enlisting, and was wounded on July 21, 1916. He was confined to a hospital in Birmingham for some time, and on his recovery was offered a commission and granted his lieutenancy in September, 1916. He returned to France about a year ago with the Trench Mortar Battalion of the First Canadian Division, with which he was serving at the time of his



Lieut. Fleming Wright, Trench Mortar Battalion, First Canadian Division.

regrettable death. A clean cut young Canadian in the best sense of the word has "Gone West," and many hearts are sad at his passing.

The bereaved family and friends have this great solace, Lieut. Wright died as he would have wished—gallantly fighting in the forefront for King and Empire "and how can man die better."

A particularly sad incident in connection with Lieut. Wright's death is contained in the fact that on the same day that he was killed in action Lieut. Travis, of the 2nd Canadian Division, engaged to one of his sisters, also was among the fatalities.

The tidings of August 26th, that Lieut. F. Stanley Schell, of Brantford, had heroically fallen in action came as a distinct personal loss to many golfing friends throughout Ontario where he was known on numerous courses.

A keen and clever motorist, when war broke out, he naturally fancied the flying branch of the service, and although past the age of 25 years, the limit generally accepted for flying men, he passed his preliminary examinations in a brilliant manner, and two years ago last New Year's Day left for England to complete his course in the British Aviation corps.

Subsequently he went to France, but later on found the aerial work unsuited to him. Instead of returning to Canada, he pluckily decided to enter the artillery, and eventually secured a commission in the Imperial service

with the 130th Battery Royal Garrison. He left England for the front some months ago, and now word comes of his gallant death in action.

Lieut. Schell was the second son of the late Mr. R. S. Schell, for many years manager of the Royal Loan Company, and Secretary of the Brantford Gas Co. He was educated in the Brantford public schools and at the Collegiate and was also for a short time at Toronto University. He was a very fine athlete, and was very popular in amateur sporting circles. Of recent years he took up the game of golf very enthusiastically, and at the time war broke out was looked upon as the leading

exponent of the game in Brantford having won three years in succession the Fitton silver cup, emblematic of the club championship.

He was also well known and very popular in golfing circles in Buffalo and Rochester having for five years been a member of the Lake Shore League which held its tournaments in these two cities. He always "played the game" fairly and squarely in all walks of life and

his heroic death will be mourned and regretted by many golfing friends throughout the Province and by members of the Old Lake Shore League.

To the bereaved mother and sister and only brother, Mr. Herbert Schell, a member of the Oshawa Golf Club, the sincerest sympathy of golfers generally will go out in the passing of their gallant son and brother. "Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori."



Lieut. F. Stanley Schell, 130th Battery, Royal Garrison



NOTES FROM GREAT BRITAIN

Interesting Items of the Royal and Ancient from Overseas.

GREAT BRITAIN has a boy golfing wonder in Laurance Ayton, jr., the 4-year-old son of Laurance Ayton, one of the best type of St. Andrew's golfers. The little chap has a wonderful compact, full swing with the wood and already can cut the ball with his mashie and make it stop charmingly. Expert judges predict early championship honours for this young prodigy.

golf in the evening. Some of the big munition plants have golf courses of their own and a round of the links is greatly enjoyed, especially by the girl-workers, who by the hundred participate in the game.

Wallasley, one of the best courses in the Liverpool District, was recently visited by a severe sand storm, completely burying the fourth hole and



The King of Spain Arriving at the St. Sebastian Golf Course.

The King of Spain, most versatile of sportsmen, recently took part in a tournament at St. Sebastian. He has recently taken up golf quite enthusiastically, and plays a very fair game indeed. The Royal and Ancient is becoming a popular sport in Spain.

A garden party was recently held in aid of the Nations' Fund for Nurses at St. James' Palace. One of the features was a putting competition, in which Col. Brown, V.C., and other celebrities took part.

Munition workers in England, many of them seek relaxation from their arduous duties by playing a round of

covering the third and fifth as well. It is stated that the fourth is irrevocably ruined. Many Canadian and American soldier-golfers know Wallasley well.

The American Officers' Club at the stately house of Lord Leonfield, in Mayfair, is one of the finest clubs in the world. Every American officer is made a member without fees of any kind. All the members have the freedom of twenty good golf courses.

J. H. Taylor, five times open champion, who is 47 years of age, will be seen but little on the golf courses this year. In accordance with the new law

demanding national service from every fit man up to fifty years of age, he now goes forward to army work pure and simple. Taylor has been put into a position under the Navy and Army Canteen Board to be trained as a superintendent of canteens.

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In "Golfing" London appears this very complimentary tribute to the former Editress of the "Canadian Golfer":

"Hamilton, Ont., has presented sixteen beds and an ambulance to the Elsie Inglis unit recently despatched to Macedonia by the S. W. H. These are in memory of Madge Neill-Fraser, that popular Scottish golfer, who went out to Serbia in the early days of the war, and sacrificed her life while nursing the people of that unhappy country. Her work still lives, however, for large sums have been contributed to equip beds in memory of her name. Money has been sent by admirers in all parts of the globe, Canada having proved especially generous. Miss F. L. Harvey (the energetic hon. sec. of the Canadian L.G.U.), recently inspected the sixteen beds at the hospital camp in Macedonia, and expressed the hope that Hamilton would soon raise sufficient funds to increase the number to twenty. It will be remembered that Miss Harvey came over from Ontario some months since to offer her services to the S.W.H., and is now one of their drivers on foreign service."

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A wedding of great interest to golfers was celebrated recently between Miss Margaret Eden, daughter of the Bishop of Wakefield and Mr. Geoffrey Hoffman, R.A.M.C., of Bradford. The bride has been working as a V.A.D. at Wentworth House Hospital, Wakefield, while the bridegroom was until recently resident physician at St. Thomas' Hospital, London, and is now at King George Hospital. The marriage ceremony was undertaken by the Archbishop of York, assisted by Canon Welch, Vicar of Wakefield, formerly rector of St. James', Toronto. In golfing circles the bridegroom is well known having captained the Cambridge University team.

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"Golfing" has this to say of a former well known Canadian:

"Sir Gilbert Parker, retired from the representation of Gravesend, is one of the dandies of golf and plays in

gloves, but plays well all the same, and loves Strathfeffer, the mountainous Ross-shire course.

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Following the example of Taylor James Braid, also five times open champion, has taken up war work, and is now at a training centre for munition workers. Braid will be much missed at Walton Heath, where he was the mentor of Premier Lloyd George, as Taylor will be at Mid-Surrey.

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In a tournament on the Mid-Surrey Golf Club's course at Richmond, in aid of the Surrey Prisoners of War Fund, James Braid and Alexander Herd opposed J. H. Taylor and Edward Ray in exhibition four-ball foursomes. In the afternoon Braid and Herd won by one up, after turning all square and becoming two up with three to play; and in the evening the same couple won by a similar margin. The standard of play was particularly good. Scores:

Afternoon—Braid and Herd.—Out: 454434434—35. Home: 444443354—35.—Total 70.

Taylor and Ray.—Out: 464424443—35. Home: 445444566—36. Total 71.

Evening.—Braid and Herd.—Out: 444434335—34. Home: 434554354—37.—Total 71.

Taylor and Ray.—Out: 345434443—34. Home: 435454354—37.—Total 71.

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Golfers of the older generation will receive with regret the announcement of the death of Mr. William Doleman, the veteran Scottish golfer, who died at his home in Glasgow in his 80th year. He was contemporary with Tom Morris, old Wilbe Park, Bob Ferguson, Daire and Andrew Strath and Jamie Anderson, whose deeds are recorded at a time when golf was mainly a Scottish game. Unlike those named, Mr. Dolman played as an amateur. All the honours that could be won in the west of Scotland were gained by him in the days of the gutta ball. His last appearance in the championship was at Westward Ho in 1912, when he was in his 74th year.

"BEAUMARIS THE BEAUTIFUL"

Has Most Successful Season in its History—Another Wonderful Record
by the Amateur Champion—A Squirrel Story

(Special Correspondence "Canadian Golfer")

THANKS to the splendid article in the August number of the "Canadian Golfer," which greatly helped to increase the number of our guests Beaumaris Golf Club, Muskoka, has had the most successful season in its history.

J. S. Redman, the popular pro., has been kept busy from morning till night giving instructions. The majority of these pupils will join their local clubs on their return home—all of which is a splendid thing for the game.

Among other prominent visitors to Beaumaris last month were Sir Thomas and Lady White. The Finance Minister very kindly expressed his surprise and pleasure at the splendid results obtained by girl labor on the links saying he enjoyed his golf at Beaumaris more thoroughly knowing that in playing the game he was not helping to keep away able men for war activities.

We have had also with us the Canadian amateur champion, Mr. George S. Lyon, and as usual he has played some superb golf and per custom has made hosts of new friends.

Our annual meeting was held in August when the Secretary-Treasurer reported a very successful year and outlined a few improvements to be undertaken next year, which will make our course better than ever. A vote of thanks was passed and an increase in salary granted to J. S. Redman, the capable professional, who is largely responsible for the success of the "Golfettes" at the course this season.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mr. W. R. Mellon, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Chairman of Green Committee, Mr. G. W. Willock, Pittsburgh, and Messrs. R. Wardrop, J. H. Cunningham, W. H. Davidson and T. Baker, Pittsburgh; Ladies' Committee, Mesdames T. Baker and Wardrop, Pittsburgh; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. W. H. Hillmann, jr., Pittsburgh.

The following were the results of the season's principal competitions:

President's Cup—Mr. J. Murchie, Sharon, Pa.

Ladies' Championship—Miss E. Bowes, Baltimore; runner-up, Miss H. Baker, London.

Men's Championship—Mr. H. Small, Toronto; runner-up, Dr. D. Anderson, Toronto.

Ringer Cup, presented by Mr. C. M. Willcock, won by Major Hume Cronyn, M.P., London.

Ladies' One Club Match—Miss D. White, Woodstock; second, Miss H. Baker, London.

A Toronto visitor also writes:

"Mr. Lyon has been here for a week and has been playing his usual strong game. The other day he got a 62 and has nearly always been under 70. I thought perhaps you might like to have the details of his card:

Out	335433544—34
In	343334332—28

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62

For the last nine holes the champion played perfect golf and it was a treat to watch him. When making his 62 he was playing with Mr. Willock, of Pittsburgh, against Mr. Willson, President of Lambton, and J. H. Riddell, Scarborough.

During the round an incident occurred which may be of interest to golfers. While on the fifth green a squirrel was observed running along the fence at the side of the green with a golf ball in its mouth. Mr. Lyon heaved a log at the new exponent of the ancient game and it dropped the ball, but retrieved it again and finally after another missile had been thrown the ball was obtained. It proved to be a "Colonel" ball which had been lost the same day by a member of the Scarborough Club. Evidently the "Colonel" ball is a favorite of the squirrels.

Mr. Fairley was here for a few days and had a very interesting mixed foursome on Labor Day, playing with Miss Bowes, of Baltimore, against Mr. Lyon and Mrs. Riddell. The former couple won on the last green by one point after a close game. Mr. Lyon had a 65, Mr. Fairley 68.

The Beaumaris Links are in splendid shape and its condition is certainly a credit to J. S. Redman and his capable assistants, the golferettes. I hope to be able to send you some photographs later on, which may interest you."

MURRAY'S FINE SCORE

Royal Montreal Pro. Records a Superb Sixty-six.

THERE have been several record scores made on Canadian golf courses this season, but easily one of the best was recently registered by that sterling pro., Charlie R. Murray, of The Royal Montreal Golf Club. To break into the seventies is fair golf, or thereabouts. To get into the charmed circle of the sixties is an accomplishment rarely recorded. Murray has held the record of the premier golf club of the Dominion, a snappy 68, for some time (the amateur record is 70, to the credit of that very finished golfer, Mr. Geoffrey T. Turpin, amateur champion, 1913,) but a couple of weeks ago reduced it to 66. And this is how it was done:

542, 553, 335—35

434, 533, 342—31

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Total 66

The course at Dixie is not quite up to full championship measurement, the total yardage being 5,610, but it is extremely well trapped and requires the

placing of every shot. The card calls for a par of 72, but under the new standardized ruling it should be 70. It will be noticed that the Montreal crack gathered in seven threes and a brace of twos. The two at the 18th hole, 280 yards, was especially "some shot." The three at the 7th was another "corker." This hole is 425 yards. Altogether a very fine performance indeed by the twice open champion of Canada. Mr. Robert Howard, a member of The Royal Montreal, was the opponent privileged to see this sensational display of golfing ability. Percy Barrett, of Weston, Toronto, is another pro. who has been much in the limelight this season. Rather a strange coincidence. He, too, had the record of Weston with a 68 and a short time ago lowered this to a 66—a 35 out and a 31 in. or exactly the same figures as recorded by his brother pro. in Montreal. Incidentally Murray and Barrett would make a great pair in an exhibition Red Cross match. There are few finer exponents of the game on the continent.

A 200,000 TO 1 SHOT

That is the Experience of Lambton in Regard to Holes-in-One.

AND here is a very interesting statistical item in reference to holes-in-one. The short hole at Lambton, the well known Toronto course, is No. 12. It is 136 yards in length over a nasty little water hazard and well guarded by traps. It is in no sense of the term, however, a particularly hard one-shotter, as the green is a generous one and does not take a lot of negotiating. A couple of years ago Mr. C. Stanley Pettit, the chairman of the green committee, out of curiosity, checked up the records and found that over 11,000 games had been played at Lambton, not counting morning rounds and the rounds of many of the ladies,

who have the privilege of playing the men's course at certain restricted times. Four ball matches at Lambton are largely in the majority, but taking an average of three players per match this would mean at a conservative estimate that 33,000 and more tee shots were made at the short No. 12 and yet not a single hole-in-one was recorded that season. In fact, during the many years that the hole has been played, it has only twice been made in one—Mr. Henry Wright and Mr. J. C. Breckenridge having performed the trick. Talk about a hole-in-one being a 20,000 to 1 shot. At Lambton it figures out about 200,000 to 1.

THE CANADIAN SENIORS

Recently Formed Golf Association Registers a Superb Success—Nearly One Hundred Entrants Tee Off at Dixie—The Canadian Representatives Win for the first time Governor-General's Cup in Competition with Team from U. S. Seniors—Mr. George S. Lyon Annexes Another Championship and Captures Lord Shaughnessy's Cup—Other Interesting Events Run off—Mr. W. R. Baker, C.V.O., has the Honour of Founder Conferred Upon Him—Five Hundred Dollars for the Red Cross—Lambton Will Have Tournament in 1919.

THE Canadian Seniors' Golf Association's first tournament which took place over the charming course of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 16th, 17th and 18th, was an unqualified success in every sense of that term.

There was a splendid list of entrants—far more than had been anticipated, even by the most sanguine of the association's officials, they foregathering literally from Coast to Coast. Far away Vancouver was represented and then clear across the Continent from the historical old City of Quebec, and Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, came golfers of note. Ontario was represented by a splendid body of players, the leading clubs of that golf-loving province sending delegates. Montreal district, too, had its full quota, and altogether there was a record gathering of the Royal and Ancient clan. They all came to have a good time. They all had a good time. Even old Jupiter Pluvius was considerate of the Seniors. Each night he visited the course and bestowed his bountiful baptism, but until the last ball of the tournament proper had been putted he refrained from visiting the participants with his aqueous attentions. All of which was particularly kind of "J. P.", who has a nasty habit of often spoiling many a glorious out-of-door holiday.

The one sad note of this otherwise perfect golfing outing was contained in the fact that two of the most prominent members of the Seniors, both probable members of the International team, were called upon to mourn the irreparable loss of gallant young sons—the one receiving the fateful wire a few days before the opening of the tournament, the other after he had arrived in Montreal to participate in the various events. Suitable resolutions of condolence were passed by the Board of Governors in connection with the passing of these worthy sons of worthy sires.

There was so many outstanding feature of this outstanding tournament, that it is rather hard to particularise and describe them all.

There was, of course, the visit of a representative team from the United States Seniors'—the parent association, to play for the superb cup so graciously donated by His Excellency, the Governor-General. That alone marked an epoch in the golfing history of the Dominion. The Duke, it will be remembered, is the Patron of the Canadian Seniors.

Then there was the first playing for the championship of the association for a particularly handsome cup donated by the Hon-President of the Association, Lord Shaughnessy, and the appropriate winning of the trophy by that most representative of all senior golfers, Mr. George S. Lyon. And, most charming incident of all, perhaps, the presence of Lord Richard Nevill, His Excellency's representative to present the International cup, and of Lady Shaughnessy to confer the championship cup given by her husband.

The annual dinner on Tuesday night was another outstanding feature of the tournament, not to mention the attendance of Mr. Horace L. Hotchkiss, most loveable of Seniors, who, with Mr. S. Charles Welsh, of New York, another prominent U. S. Senior, graced the tournament from start to finish, and added

every Canadian Senior to their long list of warm golfing friends and admirers the Continent over.

The voting of \$500 by the Association to the Red Cross Funds was not the least satisfying and satisfactory feature of the annual meeting and the generous offer of the Lambton Directors to place its sporting course and capacious club house at the disposal of the Seniors for their tournament in 1919 was another announcement that was received with hearty applause and was made unanimous with the consent of the many friends of the Hamilton course, whose Directors also had most generously offered it to the Association for next year's meeting.

The unbounded hospitality of the directors and members of The Royal Montreal Golf Club extended to everyone without stint or limit, must too not be forgotten, in this first rather hurried review of the most notable golfing event ever staged in Canada. All the arrangements worked with clock-like precision. All the results were rewarded with a well-rounded success which left nothing to be desired.

As demonstrating the very great interest taken by the four score and more Seniors who participated in the tournament, the majority of them were not content to make it just a three days' outing, but decided to extend it into a week or so.

Saturday morning saw a large number of the players out practising on the course. The following day there was another large influx and there were very few who had not put in an appearance before Monday morning, when, at 9 o'clock the first of some nearly fifty pairs teed-off.

MONDAY'S PLAY.

The result of the first day's play was as follows:

Gross Hand'p. Net			Gross Hand'p. Net				
G. S. Lyon	74	3	71	Frank Reid	105	17	88
T. E. Merrett	85	10	75	Major Crowe	115	18	97
A. A. Wilson	95	12	83	A. D. Huff	101	22	79
Geo. T. Brown	83	9	74	A. E. Watts	106	18	88
J. S. Burchall	112	27	85	Chas. C. Hole	122	20	102
H. H. Williams	98	17	81	J. E. Hall	100	20	80
R. E. Gibson	108	24	84	E. L. Gnaedinger	104	20	84
A. E. Boothe	103	24	79	John Baillie	102	18	84
P. D. Ross	84	8	76	J. T. McCall	102	19	83
J. E. Caldwell	84	9	75	C. H. Peters	108	26	82
A. F. Riddell	99	17	82	J. G. Hay	106	23	83
J. B. Miller	106	18	88	G. S. Kilbourn	92	25	67
R. J. Copeland	97	20	77	L. C. Lawford	118	24	94
Frank May	105	24	81	W. C. Chisholm	100	24	76
Judge Weir	100	14	86	John Rennie	99	24	75
Judge Hardy	109	20	89	F. H. Kilbourn	104	23	81
W. L. Maltby	99	20	79	C. S. Sims	98	22	76
W. H. Grant	97	22	75	J. R. Cowans	103	23	80
Col. Moodie	98	18	79	A. T. Reid	92	19	73
Dr. Lockhart	95	18	77	Sir Geo. Garneau	110	19	82
Alfred Wright	94	12	82	S. C. Welsh	122	27	95
G. E. Moberly	89	16	73	A. J. Hodgson	96	25	71
A. B. Evans	91	12	79	O. N. Evans	105	26	79
J. Killmer	99	12	87	Jas. Walker	118	27	91
W. R. Baker	110	20	90	D. W. Campbell	114	27	87
F. A. Rolph	99	18	81	R. F. Ruttan	83	18	65
J. H. McGregor	90	14	76	John Poff	106	15	91
W. C. Hodgson	86	13	73	W. J. Waugh	112	24	88
C. C. Holland	90	8	82	W. K. Ross	95	12	83
W. R. Smythe	89	10	79	F. E. Curtis	128	24	104
J. R. Blake	103	14	89	Geo. Hope	141	27	114
Wm. Machan	94	11	83	W. I. Fenwick	103	19	84
J. A. Riordan	99	16	83	G. L. Staunton	102	18	84
A. B. Braithwaite	100	22	75	C. T. Gordon	107	18	84
C. E. Reid	107	17	90	W. H. Webling	107	27	80
S. A. Jones	121	18	103	H. W. Fitton	116	27	89
				O. W. Waller	114	19	95



A notable group at Seniors' Tournament, United States and Canadian teams with officials. Reading from left to right:

First Row—W. Clark, Rhode Island; G. S. Lyon (Canadian Captain); W. E. Truesdell (U. S. Senior Champion), New York; D. P. Kingsley (President U. S. Seniors), New York; W. R. Baker (President Canadian Seniors); Frank Presbrey (U.S. Captain), New York; Mr. Justice Pitney, Washington. Second Row—W. N. Machan, Montreal; Dr. McDonald, New York; H. L. Hotchkiss, Rye, N. Y.; Hon. Martin Burrell; J. W. Herbert, New York; J. A. Tyng, New York; F. A. Rolph, Toronto; E. A. Bernard, Montreal; Dr. Ruttan, Montreal; Third Row—W. H. Smythe, K.C., Toronto; Col. Moodie, Hamilton; R. H. Green, Toronto; D. Elmendorf, New York; J. H. Wessels, Chicago; J. H. McGregor, Toronto. Fourth Row—Hon. R. A. C. Smith, New York; J. H. Ottley, New York; F. Reid, Simcoe; W. H. Canterbury, New York; Col. Miller, Toronto; Dr. Ross, Kingston; L. H. Folsom, Boston.

CARDS OF MONDAY.

Herewith are some of the best cards:

Geo. S. Lyon, best gross—		G. S. Kilbourne, second best net—	
Out	5 5 3 5 4 3 6 3 5—39	Out	5 7 4 7 6 3 7 3 3—45
In	4 3 4 5 4 3 4 5 3—35	In	4 4 5 6 5 4 5 9 5—47
Total	74	Total	92
Dr. R. F. Ruttan, best net score—		Geo. T. Brown, second best gross—	
Out	5 6 4 6 3 2 6 4 5—41	Out	6 5 3 7 5 3 5 4 4—42
In	5 4 5 5 5 3 4 6 5—42	In	5 4 4 4 6 3 4 6 5—41
Total	83	Total	83

The champion's 74 was quite up to his best form, considering the rather heavy nature of both green and fairgreen, as a result of the copious rains of the past two or three weeks. There was not a bad hole in the whole collection of 18.

Mr. Brown's 83 was well put together. He is a particularly clever player with his irons and has for many years been looked upon as quite one of the steadyest players in Ontario.

Dr. Ruttan's 83 was a very popular contribution of the day. The former President of the Royal Canadian Golf Association has rarely played a better round of golf at Dixie.

Mr. G. S. Kilbourn of Lambton who resides in Owen Sound, with a 92, less 25, had the very excellent score of 67.

TUESDAY'S PLAY.

After a very heavy all night rain Tuesday morning fortunately, broke "fair and clear" and the worthy Seniors again had a glorious day of it. The "going," however, was very heavy and the conditions generally not so favorable for breaking into the seventies and eighties. However, some very good golf was played, as the following scores will show:

	Gross	Hand'p.	Net		Gross	Hand'p.	Net
Geo. S. Lyon	79	3	76	Major W. Crowe	115	18	97
P. D. Ross	88	8	80	L. C. Lawford	104	24	80
Sir Geo. Garneau	111	18	93	A. A. Sandeman	128	24	104
F. A. Rolph	108	18	90	C. C. Hole	110	20	90
T. E. Merrett	83	10	73	Geo. Hope	128	27	101
J. E. Caldwell	87	9	78	A. T. Reid	97	19	78
F. B. Miller	103	18	85	J. R. Cowans	104	23	81
A. F. Riddell	96	17	79	John Rennie	102	24	78
E. L. Gnaedinger	102	20	82	C. H. Peters	108	26	82
John Baillie	100	18	82	W. C. Chisholm	110	24	86
Frank May	108	24	84	J. E. Hall	99	20	79
W. J. Copeland	102	20	82	A. F. Rodger	92	11	81
J. H. McGregor	95	14	81	W. C. Hodgson	93	13	80
G. E. Moberly	97	16	81	O. W. Waller	106	19	87
Geo. T. Browne	86	9	77	H. W. Fitton	115	27	88
W. R. Smythe	90	10	80	G. L. Staunton	105	18	87
C. C. Holland	90	8	82	W. I. Fenwick	100	19	81
J. Killmer	94	12	82	C. S. Sims	101	22	79
R. E. Gibson	108	24	84	A. E. Boothe	104	24	80
A. D. Braithwaite	101	22	79	A. J. Hodgson	112	25	87
J. J. Morrison	110	22	88	J. S. Burchall	124	27	97
W. H. Webling	105	27	78	W. K. Ross	100	12	88
C. T. Gordon	99	16	83	A. A. Wilson	89	12	77
A. E. Watts	103	18	85	R. F. Ruttan	92	18	74
A. D. Huff	99	22	77	John Poff	104	15	89
Wm. Machan	101	11	90	J. A. Riordan	99	16	83
J. R. Blake	98	14	84	Frank Reid	100	17	83
F. H. Kilbourn	100	23	77	Judge Weir	95	14	81
T. Williamson	91	20	75	Judge Hardy	104	20	84
G. S. Kilbourn	102	25	77	J. G. Hay	107	23	84
J. T. McCall	102	19	83	H. H. Williams	93	17	76
C. E. Reid	97	17	80	J. J. McGill	100	23	77
S. A. Jones	109	18	91	R. H. Greene	97	18	79
W. H. Grant	90	22	68	C. S. Harding	96	20	76
				J. A. Young	116	27	89

CARDS OF TUESDAY.

Some of the best cards were:

George S. Lyon, best gross—		J. E. Caldwell—	
Out	5 6 3 6 4 3 5 4 5—41	Out	6 5 3 6 6 4 6 4 5—45
In	5 3 4 4 4 6 4 4 4—38	In	6 4 5 3 6 4 4 6 4—42
Total	79	Total	87
Net total for two days, 147; gross, 153.		Gross total for two days, 171; net, 151.	
Dr. R. F. Ruttan, best net score—		G. S. Kilbourne, second best net—	
Out	7 6 3 6 4 3 7 5 5—46	Out	5 8 4 7 6 5 6 4 8—55
In	6 4 6 6 4 3 6 7 4—46	In	4 6 5 4 5 5 4 7 4—47
Total	92	Total	102
Net total for two days, 139; gross, 175.		Net total for two days, 144; gross, 194.	
G. T. Brown—		T. E. Merrett—	
Out	6 6 4 9 4 3 6 4 4—46	Out	5 5 4 6 5 5 6 4 4—44
In	6 3 5 4 5 3 4 6 4—40	In	5 3 5 5 4 4 4 5 4—39
Total	86	Total	83
Gross total for two days, 179; net, 151.		Net total for two days, 148; gross, 168.	
P. D. Ross—		W. H. Grant—	
Out	6 5 3 5 5 6 6 4 4—44	Out	6 6 4 5 6 4 7 4 4—46
In	5 3 5 5 6 6 4 5 5—44	In	6 2 5 6 5 4 4 7 5—44
Total	88	Total	90
Gross total for two days, 176; net 156.		Gross total for two days, 187; net, 143.	

THE PUTTING CONTESTS.

During both morning and afternoon putting contests took place, and formed a most popular feature of the tournament.

The "clock" at Dixie is a very hard 'un, requiring the most delicate manipulation to record the regulation two per hole or a total of 24 strokes.

On Monday, Judge Weir and Mr. W. I. Fenwick tied with 25 and in the play-off the Kanawaki representative won first honours, Mr. Fenwick having to be content with second prize.

On Tuesday, Mr. Ralph H. Reville, Hon. Secretary of the Association, managed to get an average of two's and with a 24 won the first prize.

For second place with totals of 26, there were five ties, and in the play-off Judge Hardy proved the winner, Brantford thus securing both putting prizes on the second day.

THE ANNUAL DINNER AND MEETING.

The Ladies' Club Room of the Royal Montreal was placed at the disposal of the Seniors for the annual dinner on Tuesday night. Around the flower-bedecked tables assembled some eighty Seniors, all seats being occupied by a happy crowd of golfers, many of whom were renewing the friendships of many years' standing, and many of whom were making new friendships which too, will last for many years.

Mr. W. R. Baker, C.V.O., President of the Seniors, and President of the Royal Montreal, occupied the chair. On his right was Mr. Horace L. Hotchkiss, Founder and Honorary President of the U. S. Seniors, and on his left Mr. F. A. Rolph, President of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, and Mr. S. C. Welsh, of the U. S. Seniors. Mr. P. D. Ross, Vice-President of the Seniors, occupied the Vice-Chair, having on his right Senator G. Lynch-Staunton, of Hamilton, and at his left Sir George Garneau, of Quebec.

At the end of the long tables were Mr. G. S. Lyon, chairman of the Tournament Committee, and Mr. J. S. Burchall, Governor of the Seniors from Nova Scotia, and Dr. R. F. Ruttan, chairman of the Tournament Committee of the Royal Montreal and Mr. R. H. Green, Rosedale Golf Club, member of the Seniors' Tournament Committee. Others present were:

Col. Moodie, Mr. A. A. Sandeman, Mr. C. W. Meakins, Mr. A. J. Hodgson, Mr. John Baillie, Mr. H. B. Mackenzie, Mr. A. E. Watts, Mr. Frank Reid, Mr. Jas.

Anderson, Mr. J. M. Smith, Dr. Lockhart, Mr. W. H. Webling, Mr. C. T. Gordon, Mr. C. C. Hole, Mr. T. E. Merrett, Mr. J. E. Caldwell, Judge Hardy, Mr. A. D. Braithwaite, Mr. J. J. Morrison, Mr. F. Killmer, Mr. C. E. Reid, Mr. S. A. Jones, Mr. H. W. Fitton, Mr. W. K. Ross, Mr. G. E. Moberly, Mr. Geo. T. Browne, Mr. W. R. Smythe, Mr. J. H. McGregor, Mr. John Rennie, Mr. Jas. Walker, Mr. D. W. Campbell, Mr. F. H. Kilbourn, Mr. W. H. Grant, Mr. Frank May, Mr. R. F. Cope-land, Mr. H. H. Williams, Mr. G. S. Kilbourn, Mr. C. H. Peters, Mr. A. F. Rod-gers, Mr. A. T. Reid, Mr. A. Boothe, Mr. F. E. Curtis, Mr. J. E. Hall, Mr. J. J. McGill, Mr. R. H. Reville, Mr. W. L. Maltby, Mr. H. P. Pike, Mr. Geo. Hope, Mr. A. F. Riddell, Mr. J. T. McCall, Mr. J. G. Hay, Judge Weir, Mr. H. A. Hutchins, Mr. J. R. Blake, Mr. W. Maehan, Mr. A. D. Huff, Mr. C. C. Holland, Major Crowe, Mr. R. E. Gibson, Mr. J. A. Young, Mr. W. I. Fenwick.

After the enjoyment of a thoroughly appetizing menu and the toasting of the King and the President, Mr. Baker, who made a most able chairman, welcomed the Seniors to Montreal and dwelt upon the great honour that had been conferred upon the Association by the attendance there that night of Mr. Hotchkiss, founder of the U. S. Seniors' Association, and Mr. S. C. Welsh, of New York, also a prom-inent Senior, each of whom had done so much to encourage the Canadian Asso-ciation during its formative state.

Mr. Hotchkiss and Mr. Welsh, who both met with a most enthusiastic recep-tion, made most appropriate replies. Mr. Hotchkiss in a speech of very great feeling, referred to the international side of golf and the great good that would accrue to both countries as a result of the happy intermingling of the members of the Senior Associations twain. Other short speeches were made by those present, and then the annual meeting of the Association took place.

The report of the Hon. Secretary-Treasurer was of a thoroughly encouraging character, and it was unanimously decided to vote \$500.00 from the funds to the Red Cross.

Mr. Baker read appropriate resolutions of thanks to His Excellency the Governor-General, Lord Shaughnessy and Mr. Frank A. Rolph for so graciously donating cups to the Association.

On motion Lambton's generous offer for the 1919 tournament, presented by Mr. Frank A. Rolph, was unanimously accepted.

The final business, the election of officers, brought forth the very emphatic request from Mr. Baker that he be relieved from the cares of the Presidency. The Seniors, however, would not listen to such a resignation, as it was the unani-mous opinion that it would be nothing short of a calamity. Resounding cheers greeted Mr. Baker's decision finally to take office for another year. Other officers for 1919 were then all re-elected. The full board for the coming year therefore is as follows:

Patron—His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, K.G., Governor-General of Canada.

Honorary President—The Right Honourable Lord Shaughnessy, K.C.V.O.

President—Mr. W. R. Baker, C.V.O., President, The Royal Montreal Golf Club.

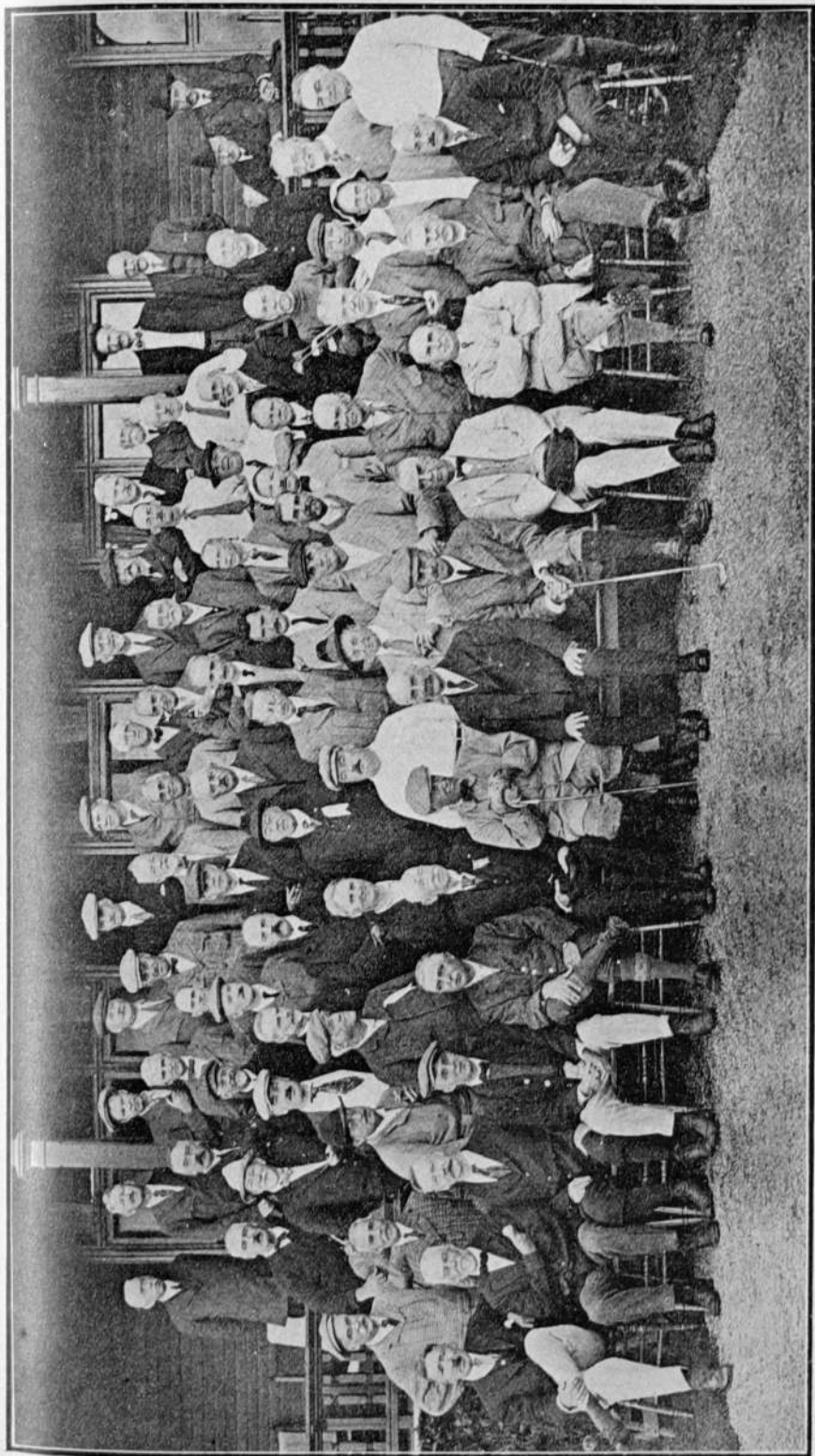
First Vice-President—The Hon. Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., Toronto Golf Club.

Second Vice-President—Mr. P. D. Ross, Royal Ottawa Golf Club.

Chairman of Tournament Committee—Mr. George S. Lyon, Lambton Golf and Country Club, Amateur Champion of Canada.

Hon. Secretary-Treasurer—Mr. Ralph H. Reville, Brantford Golf and Coun-try Club.

Board of Governors—W. R. Baker, C.V.O., The Royal Montreal Golf Club; H. B. Mackenzie, Kanawaki Golf Club; G. H. Napier, Beaconsfield Golf Club; P. D. Ross, The Royal Ottawa Golf Club; George S. Lyon, Lambton Golf Club; Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., Toronto Golf Club; Clarence A. Bogert, Toronto Hunt



A group of officials and well-known Senior Golfers taken at the gallery steps at The Royal Montreal Golf Club:

First Row—(Reading from left to right): R. H. Reville (Hon.-Secty.), Brantford; J. T. Burchall (Governor), Sydney, N. S.; H. H. Williams (Governor), Lambton; C. H. Peters (Governor), St. John, N. B.; Col. Moodie (Governor), Hamilton; H. L. Hotchkiss (Hon.-President U. S. Seniors), Rye, N. Y.; Geo. S. Lyon (Chairman Tournament Committee), Lambton; W. R. Baker, C.V.O. (President Canadian Seniors), Royal Montreal; P. D. Ross (Vice-President Canadian Seniors), Royal Ottawa; S. C. Welsh (U. S. Seniors), New York; Judge Hardy (Governor), Brantford; J. J. Morrison (Governor), Hamilton; C. C. Hole (Governor), Outremont, Mr. F. A. Rolph (President Royal Canadian Golf Association and Governor) is standing back of Mr. Baker. The other figures in the group are Seniors from all parts of Canada.

Club; Lt.-Col. Miller, Scarborough Golf Club; Geo. R. Hargraft, Rosedale Golf Club; Ralph H. Reville, Brantford Golf and Country Club; Judge A. D. Hardy, Brantford Golf and Country Club; Frank A. Rolph, President, The Royal Canadian Golf Association; Sir George Garneau, Quebec Golf Club; Lt.-Col. Moody, Hamilton Golf and Country Club; J. J. Morrison, Hamilton Golf and Country Club, Major Cronyn, M.P., London Hunt and Country Club, W. B. Lanigan, St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg, James T. Burehall, Lingan Golf Club, Sydney, N. S., C. H. Peters, Riverside Golf and Country Club, St. John, N. B., H. H. Williams, Lambton Golf & Country Club; Dr. J. W. Robertson, C.M.G., Rivermead Golf Club, Ottawa; John Dick, Cobourg Golf Club; C. C. Hole, Outremont Golf Club.

A hearty vote of thanks, moved by the Vice-President, Mr. P. D. Ross, to the directors and members of The Royal Montreal, replied to by Mr. W. L. Maltby, one of the most prominent and popular golfers of The Royal Montreal, brought a notable dinner and annual meeting to a close.

Then followed a most delightful musical programme contributed to by Mr. Cowan and Mr. McQueen young golfers of the Outremont Golf Club. The former has a wonderfully fine resonant baritone and the latter is a brilliant pianist—quite above the ordinary and both capable to a degree of entertaining the most critical hearer. Altogether a delightful wind-up to a long-to-be-remembered evening.

PLAY FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CUP.

Very few of the Seniors left for home Wednesday, although the Tournament proper had been so successfully brought to a conclusion.

The attraction, of course, was the arrival of a United States team from the parent Senior organization to compete for the International Cup presented by His Excellency, the Governor-General.

The Seniors from across the border had wired they would have twelve men; instead, however, they paid the Canadians the very great compliment of bringing eighteen. And a very representative eighteen they were, too. In addition to Mr. Hotchkiss and Mr. Welsh, who had been present throughout the tournament, the Hon. R. A. C. Smith, for many years Harbor Commissioner of New York, came to see his brother Seniors play off for the cup. So there were more than a score of U. S. Seniors on the course.

The representative visitors from the States were met by Mr. Baker at the station, and were motored to the course.

In a most sportsmanlike manner they decided immediately after breakfast to forego the usual procedure of having a round of the course to "feel it out," but instead, play the match and have friendly four ball matches in the afternoon. This decision immediately placed them en rapport with every golfer present, as experts generally concede that it is an advantage of a third of a stroke per hole to know a course. The wish under the circumstances was general that the plucky Americans should have the honour of recording the first win for the Governor-General's trophy—a wish, however, which by a small margin was not to be gratified.

Quite a gallery followed the leading match of the day between Mr. W. E. Truesdell, twice champion of the U. S. Seniors and Mr. G. S. Lyon, champion of the Canadian Association.

Mr. Truesdell is a very well known player indeed, having won many trophies at Pinehurst and at other tournaments in the States. Mr. Lyon, however with a 77 was too much for the doughty U. S. Senior who, driving a very long ball and approaching well, had much trouble on the putting greens, and allowed the Canadian champion to gather in three points. Mr. Lyon came home the last three holes in 3, 4, 3, which is wonderfully hard golf to beat. He had a medal of 77.

Mr. D. P. Kingsley, President of the U. S. Seniors, and President of the New York Life, had as an opponent Hon. Martin Burrell, Secretary of State, who pur-

posely came from Ottawa for the match, only arriving at Dixie Wednesday morning. Mr. Kingsley was too much for the Cabinet Minister and he evened the score for the States by registering a three point win.

Mr. Waldo, a prominent munition manufacturer of Bridgeport, and Mr. Brown, of London, had a ding-dong match, which ended in the Hunt Club representative getting a point. Canada 1 up.

But this was quickly wiped off by Mr. Tyng, a member of one of the old families of New York, who accounted for Mr. Ross, of the Royal Ottawa, by a point.

Mr. Justice Pitney, of the Supreme Court, Washington, one of the ablest jurists of the continent, and Dr. Ruttan, of The Royal Montreal, had a very happy match—all square.

Mr. Frank Presbrey, the famous New York publicist, captain of the U. S. team, known by golfers everywhere, was more generous to Mr. E. A. Bernard, of The Royal Montreal. He let his opponent win their match to the tune of three points.

But then along came Mr. Wm. Clark, of Rhode Island, celebrated both in the States and Great Britain in cotton circles with a three point win over Mr. J. E. Caldwell, of Rivermead, Ottawa, who had done such good work in the Canadian Seniors' tournament, and once again the International match was all square.

Dr. MacDonald, the celebrated alienist of New York however, conceded three points to Mr. Machan, of Montreal, and Mr. Elmendorf, traveller and lecturer of note, did the same thing for Mr. R. H. Green, of Rosedale.

Mr. J. W. Herbert, the well-known attorney of New York, also lost to Mr. McGregor, of Rosedale, by a point, and seven points for Canada were recorded.

Then came matches of varying fortune, but the sporting U. S. Seniors never regained that seven point lead, and Canada eventually won a most interesting and even match by four points. The score:

U. S. SENIORS—		CANADIAN SENIORS—	
W. E. Trusdell, New York	0	G. S. Lyon, Toronto	3
C. G. Waldo, Bridgeport	1	Geo. T. Browne, London	2
J. A. Tyng, New York	2	P. D. Ross, Ottawa	1
Wm. Clark, Westerly, R. I.	3	J. E. Caldwell, Ottawa	0
D. P. Kingsley, New York	3	Hon. M. Burrell, Ottawa	0
Frank Presbrey, New York	0	E. A. Bernard, Montreal	3
J. H. Ottley, New York	2	W. R. Smythe, Toronto	1
G. Wright, Boston	0	A. A. Wilson, Montreal	2
Justice Pitney, Washington	0	Dr. Ruttan, Montreal	0
J. W. Herbert, New York	0	J. H. McGregor, Toronto	1
G. P. Fiske, Morriston, N. Y.	0	C. C. Holland, Montreal	3
J. A. Flynn, New York	2	G. E. Moberly, Montreal	0
Dr. MacDonald, New York	0	Wm. Machan, Montreal	3
D. Elmendorf, New York	0	R. H. Greene, Toronto	3
J. H. Wessels, Chicago	2	F. A. Rolph, Toronto	0
L. H. Folsom, Boston	3	Frank Reid, Simcoe	0
W. H. Canterbury, New York	0	Col. Miller, Toronto	1
Otto Hockmeyer, Lowell, Mass.	1	Dr. Ross, Kingston	0
Total	19	Total	23

Canadian Seniors win by four points.

NOTE.—The Nassau system was used in scoring. A point for the first nine; a point for the second nine and a point for the match.

LUNCHEON TO GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S REPRESENTATIVE, THE TEAMS AND VISITORS.

After the match, Lord Richard Nevill, who had come from Ottawa to represent the Governor-General and present His Excellency's Cup, the teams and the United States visitors were the guests of the Canadian Seniors' Association at luncheon. This delightful event also took place in the Ladies' Club Room.

After Mr. Baker had proposed the usual loyal toasts, (including one to the President of the United States), he referred in glowing terms to the wonderful

results that would follow the bringing together of such representative men from both sides of the border in friendly rivalry and in all good fellowship, as were gathered together there that day.

The toast to the United States Seniors, received with all honour, brought forth a scholarly reply from Mr. Kingsley, President of the Association. His eulogistic reference to Canada and the war, and the part from now on the United States was destined to play in bringing about victory and a lasting peace, were enthusiastically cheered.

A very notable contribution to the speeches at the luncheon was that of the Hon. Martin Burrell, Secretary of State, who facetiously referred to the fact that he more or less represented a "golfing cabinet." He also touched upon the warm attitude towards the game assumed by President Wilson, Mr. Lloyd George and other statesmen. There was no reason at all, he declared, during the continuance of the war why golf should not be played. The game provided much needed rest and relaxation. It was decidedly not among the non-essentials. His references to the United States and her leading citizens present at the luncheon, were most apt and elicited the greatest applause.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES.

The luncheon was followed by the presentation of prizes, the recipients all being heartily cheered.

Lord Nevill first presented the Governor-General's Cup to Mr. George S. Lyon, the captain of the winning team. He referred to the very great delight it had given His Excellency to donate a golfing trophy for International competition between the Seniors of the United States and the Seniors of Canada, and hoped it would be the means of provoking much good feeling and friendly rivalry between the members of the two associations.

Mr. George S. Lyon, in accepting the cup on behalf of the Association, thanked the Governor-General for providing such a beautiful trophy for competition between the golfers of the two countries. Personally speaking, he was very glad that Canada had won it for the first time. He knew the calibre of the golfers of the States and he was afraid when they once got the cup over there it would never come back again (laughter).

Mr. Kingsley, President of the U. S. Seniors also, in a most appropriate manner, thanked the Governor-General on behalf of the U. S. Seniors, for his gracious gift.

Lady Shaughnessy, who had come into the Ladies' Reception Room and had heard some of the speeches at the luncheon, then presented, amidst great applause, upon behalf of her husband, the superb Lord Shaughnessy Cup, emblematic of the championship of the Seniors. A replica goes with this trophy, which led Mr. Kingsley to dryly ask Mr. Lyon if the whole of the prizes were going to be taken by him.

Mr. Baker then presented the other trophies of the Tournament as follows:

The Frank A. Rolph Cup for best net score for both days, Dr. R. F. Ruttan, Royal Montreal; gross score 175; net 139.

Association Cups for the best gross and best net scores, Monday and Tuesday, Mr. G. T. Brown, London, Mr. J. E. Caldwell, Rivermead, Ottawa, Mr. G. S. Killbourn, Owen Sound (member of Lambton Golf Club); Mr. W. H. Grant, Rosedale, Toronto; Mr. John Rennie, Rosedale, Toronto.

Association Cups for putting—Monday, Judge Weir (25), Mr. J. I. Fenwick (25). Tuesday, Mr. Ralph H. Reville (24), Judge Hardy, Brantford (26).

The Governor-General's Cup is a most dignified one and is an extremely fine example of the silversmiths' art. It bears the inscription:

*Presented by
His Excellency, The Duke of Devonshire, K.G.,
Governor-General of Canada,
to the
Seniors' Golf Associations of the United States and Canada,
to be played for annually
as an
International Trophy,
September, 1918.*

It was especially admired by the representative men of the United States' Seniors, who are accustomed to trophies of the highest order of art and merit.

The Lord Shaughnessy Cup is in every way worthy of being called a "Championship" one. It bears the simple inscription:

*Presented by
Lord Shaughnessy
to
The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association,
1918.*

The cup given by Mr. Rolph, President of The Royal Canadian Golf Association is also a very beautiful trophy. It becomes outright the property of the winner.

Three cheers for the Governor-General and Lady Shaughnessy, called for by a member of the U. S. team, were given with a will and the first Canadian Seniors' tournament was fittingly at an end.

It was the intention of the International team to end up the day with friendly foursomes in the afternoon and several jolly parties had got off from the first tee when a steady rain set in and a hasty return to the club house was in order.

An informal dinner at 7 o'clock and then motors and the train for New York, and the notable visit of the Seniors from the United States was all too soon over. It will long remain, however, a fragrant memory with the golfers of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, who appreciate to the uttermost the sacrifices their New York and other confreres made these strenuous days to leave their important duties to come to Montreal and play the first International match. They deserved to win, and win they will in no far distant year, when conditions (they couldn't however, have been more delightful or agreeable), will be devoid of world-war strife and anxiety.

NOTES OF A NOTABLE TOURNAMENT.

The staff of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, from the Secretary, Mr. Waterhouse down, were courtesy and attention alike to the visitors. Their unselfish services were greatly appreciated.

On the course C. R. Murray, the well-known pro. of the Club, gave his undivided time to the players. His advice, counsel and attention were simply invaluable. Much of the smoothness of the running of the whole tournament can be credited to him.

The Tournament Committee and members generally are under a deep debt of gratitude to Mr. R. H. Green, one of the members of the Committee, who literally gave up hours of his valuable time to the large score cards, arranging pairs and smoothing out difficulties generally—a thankless job admirably and ungrudgingly performed.

The Union Jack and Stars and Stripes were everywhere in evidence, everywhere entwined. On the large flag staff on the day of the International match the U. S. national emblem proudly threw out its folds to the breeze. The U. S. Seniors all saluted the flags with much reverence.

The course at Dixie was in superb shape. A special word of praise must be extended the greenkeeper's staff in regard to the putting greens. They were right up to concert pitch.

The presence of Mr. Horace L. Hotchkiss, the Founder of the Seniors on this continent, was one of the most delightful features of the whole tournament. His was the central figure of the three days' meeting.

The next International match for the Governor-General's Cup will be held at Apawamis, Rye, N. Y. Mr. Baker, President of the Canadian Seniors, will in the meantime retain the trophy on behalf of the Canadian winning team.

Mr. Presbrey and Mr. Lyon, captains of the United States and Canadian teams respectively, have decided that in future the International teams shall consist of ten men only a side. It is thought this number will make for a better match. And it should.

The committee of The Royal Montreal, under the Chairmanship of Dr. Ruttan, which acted with the Seniors' committee, was simply indefatigable in its efforts to look after the personal wants of every Senior. They are entitled to a most hearty vote of thanks.

The Hon. R. A. C. Smith, one of the United States visitors, was Harbor Commissioner in New York for many years and it fell to his lot to entertain Admiral Seymour, Lord Charles Beresford and other distinguished British naval men who visited the metropolis. He is most enthusiastic about Great Britain's navy and the work it has done in this war.

It was a very great regret to many of those present at the luncheon that owing to a time limit, more speakers could not have been called upon. Mr. Justice Pitney, for instance, is an after-dinner speaker of rare eloquence. Upon another occasion more time should be devoted to this phase of the re-union. *Golfina*, the goddess of the game, should not completely occupy the stage.

Nothing succeeds like success. The day after the tournament the Honorary Secretary received a letter from a prominent Toronto golfer making application for membership. He stated that his brother (a member), who had that morning arrived from Montreal, reported such a splendid time that he too wanted to become a Senior. There will soon be a waiting list alright. It's nearly there now.

Mr. Kingsley, Mr. Justice Pitney, Mr. Frank Presbrey and other prominent players from the States in conversation with the "Canadian Golfer," were loud in their praise of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, its course and the welcome extended them generally. The United States visitors are enthusiastic over the formation of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association and the International phase of Senior golf which has had its birth as a result of its organization.

Mr. C. C. Hole, one of the Governors of the Association, is a clever musician, and at the International luncheon presided at the piano with much acceptance in leading the patriotic anthems. At the annual dinner Mr. Maltby's singing of "Rule Britannia," and Mr. George Lyon's rendition of his perennial "Wild Irish Rose," were vocal features that were vociferously applauded. There is a lot of good music in the make-up of the Seniors, judging from the really capital way in which the choruses were rapped out. "Pedal basses" were very much in evidence.

The Canadian Seniors are fortunate indeed, in retaining Mr. Baker's services again for the Presidency. Few of the members realize the amount of detail and other work entailed in the working out of a tournament such as has just been so successfully carried through at Dixie. It calls for not days, but weeks of personal endeavour. Mr. Baker has for two or three months now given the Seniors' Association his undivided attention. And the results have amply justified that expenditure of skilled energy—an expenditure which only those closely in touch with the affairs of the Association can fully appreciate.



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THANKSGIVING-DAY GOLF

Royal Canadian Golf Association Asks Every Club in Dominion to Have Patriotic Event.

AT a recent meeting of the directors of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, the governing body of the game in the Dominion, it was decided to launch a big Red Cross campaign on the golf links on Thanksgiving Day. Every golf club in the Dominion will be asked to have some sort of a competition or event on that day, the proceeds to be devoted to the Red Cross.

The idea is an excellent one and should meet with the hearty support of golf club officials from coast to coast. In the United States, the United States Golf Association, the Western Golf Association, and other governing bodies have inaugurated big Patriotic Drives and it is about time that Canada followed suit. The majority of golf clubs have been doing their "bit" along these lines, but this action upon the part of the Royal Canadian Golf Association puts it up to every club to get into the giving game. On Thanksgiving Day the weather conditions are generally speaking ideal for golf and the response from the golfers throughout the Dominion should on that day result in the coffers of the Red Cross being benefitted to the extent of thousands of dollars. The answer to the appeal of the R.C.G.A. should be general. There should be no shirkers.

The "Canadian Golfer" cannot too heartily endorse this action of the R.C.G.A.

Some of the larger clubs have already started the ball rolling by booking in advance substantial personal subscriptions to this fund from members. One club has already in this way some \$2,000 in sight.

Don't leave it till Thanksgiving Day and the game on the links to raise a substantial sum for the R. C. G. A. Fund from your club.

Twenty-five thousand dollars should be easily raised by the golfers of Canada on Monday, October 14th.

Swing to it now!

SARNIA LABOUR DAY EVENTS

THE following was the result of an interesting 18-hole handicap competition held at the Sarnia Golf Club on Labour Day:

First, W. H. Norton Taylor, 43, 45=88; less 20=68.

Second, W. A. Watson, 42, 42=84; less 8=76.

Other scores:

E. L. McFarland, 55, 60=115; less 38=77.

H. W. Stuart, 56, 48=104; less 26=78.

T. C. McCobb, 52, 55=107; less 29=78.

F. L. Riggin, 43, 42=85; less 6=79.

Ross Hayes, 45, 43=88; less 9=79.

T. D. Garvey, 48, 46=94; less 15=79.

J. L. Buchan, 51, 50=101; less 22=79.

Geo. Parsons, 56, 57=113; less 34=79.

Dr. A. N. Hayes, 46, 43=89; less 9=80.

J. Coulson, 53, 42=95; less 15=80.

C. E. Stoody, 53, 50=103; less 23=80.

Other scores:

Dr. F. N. Sangster 81, L. M. McAdams 82, H. W. Watson 82, W. H. Dickie 82, R. S. Thrift 82, S. L. McKay 82, J. H. Archbold 83, W. J. Gilchrist 85, J. C. Markle 85, C. G. Heiby 85, F. Hoblitzel 86, W. J. Constable 87, C. E. Dodd 90, O. B. Mueller 96, T. F. McNamara 98, G. H. Gabler 110, Collie Parsons 137.

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NOTES FROM THE WEST

Elmhurst on Civic Holiday Successfully Opens Charming New Club House.

MR. C. C. Bawlf, the well known hockey player and golfer, has recently been visiting Minneapolis, and has been playing splendid golf in the "City of Hills." Playing at the Interlachen Country Club he had an especially good 77—38 out, and 39 in, which is good going on such a stiff course.

Mr. J. Fleming is the winner of the Carter Cup at the Assiniboine Golf Club, whilst Mr. W. Sadler, the runner-up, also gets a trophy. The best scores were: J. Fleming, 83; W. Sadler, 85; J. D. Lawson, 90; J. Rankine, 90; C. O. Bancroft, 93; J. A. C. Kelman, 93.

At the Norwood Golf Club Mr. C. J. Lee was the winner of the coveted Birk's trophy, winning out from Mr. MacVey, a handicap 2 man by 1 stroke. The latter had an excellent 78. The following were the best scores:

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
C. J. Lee	97	22	75
E. W. S. MacVey	78	2	76
J. A. Giles	98	20	78
A. G. Richardson	90	10	80
R. M. Balmer	88	8	80
H. Young	96	16	80
T. S. English	85	4	81
E. W. H. Armstrong	101	20	81
W. J. Dromgole	95	14	81
F. E. Bissell	104	22	82
A. G. Wilson	100	18	82
F. F. Carruthers	96	14	82
F. H. Lamar	100	18	82
R. Y. Kilvert	101	18	83
R. L. Denison	87	4	83
E. W. Phelps	88	4	84

In a match with the ladies of the Winnipeg Club the Norwood ladies were the winners with a score of 4 games to 2 as follows:

NORWOOD.		WINNIPEG.	
Miss Ferguson	1	Mrs. Kipp	0
Mrs. Balmer	0	Mrs. Hamilton	0
Mrs. Phelps	0	Mrs. Sterling	1
Miss Neeve	0	Mrs. Elliot	0
Mrs. Weatherston	0	Mrs. MacPhail	0
Miss Henshaw	1	Mrs. Garvin	0
Mrs. Clerihue	0	Miss Innam	1
Mrs. Smart	1	Mrs. Mitchell	0
Mrs. Ellis	1	Mrs. Alley	0
Total	4	Total	2

By the close margin of 21 to 20 Norwood defeated Elmhurst over the lat-

ter's new 18 hole course. Mr. English, of Norwood, scored a sensational victory over Mr. R. Robertson, of Elmhurst, by 1 up running down a wonderful 3 at the home hole 477 yards. The score:

NORWOOD.		ELMHURST.	
Pres. Bruce	1	Pres. Chace	0
E. W. S. MacVey	0	J. W. Thompson	1
A. B. Alexander	0	M. Thompson	1
T. English	1	R. Robertson	0
R. L. Denison	0	Middlemass	1
E. B. Eadie	0	E. W. Phelps	1
W. Craig	0	T. S. Taylor	1
D. J. Graham	1	E. G. Parker	0
R. L. Fulton	1	W. Johnson	0
E. T. Lowry	1	A. Montgomery	0
R. M. Balmer	0	B. P. Pelleny	0
W. J. E. Parker	1	F. P. Williams	0
A. J. Watson	1	B. G. Carnegie	0
J. C. Lamb	0	C. H. Bull	1
P. Wylie	0	Dr. Clint	1
W. W. Staveley	0	A. T. Hawley	1
Richardson	0	G. T. Koester	0
B. S. McKenzie	1	J. M. Leith	0
H. C. Grant	0	F. H. Reid	1
J. C. Hill	0	W. S. Boyd	1
J. H. Cuttley	0	J. E. Robertson	1
A. Ansell	1	L. Hewer	0
W. J. Dromgole	1	R. H. Tate	0
H. Adamson	0	W. J. Telford	1
J. E. Barlow	1	W. J. Webster	0
A. V. Darroch	0	H. D. McKenzie	1
H. Young	0	J. W. Blair	0
A. C. Simmons	1	C. N. Mitchell	0
W. T. Chisholm	0	J. L. Gunn	0
E. G. Hunt	1	J. B. Heatley	0
D. M. McDonald	0	J. H. Hunter	1
W. F. Minty	0	Dr. Banning	1
N. E. Brock	1	Dr. Fell	0
R. G. Kilvert	1	W. D. Thompson	0
S. L. P. Piggott	0	G. Farquhar	1
H. Ford	1	J. McCarthy	0
F. E. Bissell	1	W. B. Faney	0
W. Hatley	0	D. C. Coutts	1
S. W. Brownell	0	Sheardown	1
E. J. Whittaker	0	C. E. Chown	0
J. L. Dunlop	0	C. W. Veysey	1
J. A. Giles	1	A. D. Norman	0
G. W. Paterson	1	T. Taylor	0
F. H. Lomar	0	C. G. Lee	1
D. S. McKellar	1	H. C. McTavish	0
C. E. Winkes	1	G. A. Axford	0
Total	21	Total	20

The official opening of the commodious clubhouse of the Elmhurst course took place on Civic Holiday, August 5th, under the most favorable conditions, and the turnout of members and friends marked an epoch in golfing history in the west. Over one hundred

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cars were parked between the clubhouse and the entrance gate, and fully 500 people enjoyed a game. The premises were inspected from the basement to the attic, and nothing but praise was showered on Pres. Chace and the members of the council for the successful culmination of a very busy three months' work. The course was also in excellent condition; and, as a very prominent member of a neighboring club remarked, the Green Committee and Manager Howie deserved the thanks of all for providing what is undoubtedly one of the finest courses between Hamilton, Ont., and the coast.

In the morning 20 a side played in a match. President vs. Vice-President, and in this the players representing Pres. Chace were successful by 11 games to 9. Pres. Markle, of the Winnipeg club, had a very enjoyable game with the president. A sweepstake was run in conjunction with the match, and J. W. Kelly made his re-appearance among Elmhurst players a successful one with an excellent 88 less 10—78. W. J. Scott came next and Pres. Chace third. Scores:

J. W. Kelly, 88 (10)—78; W. J. Scott, 96 (14)—82; W. G. Chace, 101 (18)—83; B. P. Pellenz, 96(12)—84; J. A. Johnston, 115(24)—91.

In the afternoon, the ladies had their innings, when the Ligget trophy was won by Mrs. W. S. Boyd with an excellent 85 net. She will undoubtedly receive due recognition from the Handicap Committee, as Mrs. B. P. Pellenz, who was third, and had the best gross score, was 12 strokes behind the latest lady trophy winner. Leading scores:

Mrs. W. S. Boyd, 109 (less 24)—85; Mrs. W. H. McPherson, 116(24)—92; Mrs. B. P. Pellenz, 101 (4)—97; Mrs. W. J. Forster, 113 (14)—99; Mrs. G. T. Koester, 111 (10)—101; Mrs. Fitzpatrick, 110 (8)—102; Mrs. T. S. Taylor, 126 (20)—106.

In the twilight a ladies' pitching and putting competition resulted in Mrs. H. T. Hazelton winning with a score of 12.

When the light became too bad for golf, dancing was indulged in to the "wee sma' oors," and the natives of Bird's Hill were alarmed at the procession of cars round about 2 a.m.

The Norwood Golf club played a mixed foursome competition on the Civic Holiday in ideal golfing weather. The feature of the day's play was the splendid performance of the scratch players, Mrs. Balmer and Mr. Tribe, who did the first nine holes in 40, equaling the bogey of the course, and 44 for the second nine, giving them a gross 84, the best card returned by 6 strokes ahead of the next nearest, 90, which was made by three couples, who tied for second place, viz., Miss Ferguson and Mr. Fulton, Mrs. and Mr. Eadie, and Miss Sparling and Mr. Bruce. The details are:

Mrs. Balmer and F.F. Tribe, 84 (ser) —84; Miss Ferguson and R. L. Fulton, 93 (3)—90; Mrs. Eadie and E. B. Eadie, 101 (11)—90; Miss Sparling and R. C. S. Bruce, 102 (12)—90 tie; Mrs. Henson and H. D. MacKenzie, 106 (17)—91; Mrs. Barlow and J. E. Barlow, 106 (13)—93; Miss Neeve and J. M. Mahood, 109 (15)—94; Mrs. Smart and W. J. E. Parker, 111 (11)—100.

Mr. W. B. Lanigan, one of the most prominent members of the St. Charles' Country Club, and for two or three years its President has been appointed Traffic Manager for Canada for the C.P.R., with headquarters in Montreal. He will be greatly missed in Western golfing circles.

The autumn meeting of the Norwood Golf Club was an unbounded success. The club championship (36 holes), was won by that sterling golfer, Mr. F. F. Tribe, for the third time by 7 and 5 from Mr. T. S. English. The winner of the second flight was Mr. W. Craig; third flight, Mr. J. B. Johnson; fourth flight, Mr. J. C. Hill. There was a record number of entries.

The Patriotic Tournament under the auspices of the Manitoba Golf Association, Labour Day week, was a splendid success. There were no fewer than 167 entries and the various events were played off in flights at the St. Charles' Country Club and at the Bird's Hill course of the Winnipeg Club. Some \$350 was raised for patriotic purposes. Mr. A. Campbell of the Winnipeg Club, won the championship, with his teammate, Mr. C. M. Sprague, runner-up.

Red Cross at Montreal

SATURDAY, August 31st, a most interesting Red Cross exhibition match was staged at the Royal Montreal Golf Club course at Dixie, when Mr. Jerome Travers, many times amateur champion and once open champion of the United States paired with Mr. John G. Anderson, twice runner-up in the U. S. amateur, opposed Mr. G. H. Turpin, ex-amateur champion of Canada and Mr. James Hill, captain of The Royal Montreal, in a 18 hole match.

Notwithstanding most wretched weather, there was a large gallery and some \$1,600 was raised for the Red Cross.

Before the drive off Mr. W. H. C. Mus- sen, from an improvised rostrum on the Club steps, auctioned off the privilege of caddying for the players, and admirably filled his task. The honor of carrying Mr. Travers' clubs was knocked down to H. H. Vaughan, after some spirited bidding, for \$275.00. John J. McGill offered \$225.00 to caddy for Mr. Anderson, while W. R. Mc- Innes, vice-president of the C. P. R., bid \$100 for the post of Mr. Hill's caddy. The same sum was paid by Laurence Macfarlane, K.C., for Mr. Turpin's bag. With the exception of Mr. McInnes, who gracefully conceded carrying honors to Miss Hill, the successful bidders served as caddies throughout the match.

The visitors started well and won the first two holes. At the turn, however, the match was square. The tenth was won by Anderson, who sank a sensational putt for four. At the 11th, however, Hill, with a wonderful chip shot from the bunker, got a 2, but Anderson, nothing daunted, again holed a long-'un for the like. Travers sank a 20-foot putt for a 3 at the 12th and the visitors were again 2 up. Hill won the 13th with a par 3 and the remaining holes all being halved Messrs. Travers and Anderson won the match 1 up.

The medal scores were: Travers, 78; Anderson, 79; Turpin, 79; Hill, 77.

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GOLF AT DIGBY

THE finals in the competition for the Lour Lodge Cup were played on the links of the Digby Golf Club Labor Day with a great crowd to witness the event.

The contestants who had survived the games on Thursday and Friday entitled to play for the Cup were Mr. Wm. Mackenzie, of Kansas City, and Prof. Melbourne S. Read, Vice-Pres. of Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y., with Mr. Mackenzie leading for most of the time and finally winning with a net score of 82 for eighteen holes.

The putting competition on the fifth green, one of the most interesting events and under the direction of Mr. Jas. Harding, of St. John, proved a great success. The prize winners were Mr. E. H. Weeks, of Providence, R. I., first men's prize; Mrs. W. E. Tupper, first ladies' prize; Miss Mary Lynch, all comers prize; Clair Keen, the cad-

dies' prize; Mrs. F. W. Nichols, ladies' prize in the cup competition.

The prizes were in keeping with the game and consisted of golf balls and were presented by the secretary of the club.

The ladies of the Club served tea to a large number of guests. In reference to the game of golf, which is becoming more sought after each season by visitors who come to Nova Scotia, it is a pity that more of the business men of the town do not take a deeper interest in the game. Digby has good links; they have been proclaimed so by experts who have visited the town, but they can be made equal to any in the Dominion, as their situation is ideal.

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PRESENTATION TO MR. H. B. MACKENZIE

THE passing of the Bank of British North America (this representative institution is soon to be merged with the Bank of Montreal), was not allowed to go unobserved by the staff, who last month in Montreal gave a complimentary dinner to the General Manager, Mr. H. B. Mackenzie, and presented him with an illuminated address, accompanied by a handsome service of plate.

Mr. W. T. Oliver, first agent of the bank in New York, who acted as chairman, referred to the congenial and pleasant conditions of service, which prevailed in the bank, and the fact, that while Mr. Mackenzie had consistently maintained the dignity of his high position, he was always approachable and ready to consider any representations made to him.

Mr. J. J. Morrison, manager at Hamilton, and Dean of the bank by reason of his forty-five years in its service, made the speech of presentation.

Mr. O. R. Rowley, Superintendent of Eastern Branches, speaking on behalf of the staff, declared that the dinner and testimonial served as a feeble expression of their appreciation of Mr. Mackenzie's devotion to the interests of the bank, and the well-being of the staff, and paid tribute to his sympathetic and inspiring leadership.

Sir Herbert Ames testified to the pleasant relations which existed between the Montreal Advisory Committee and Mr. Mackenzie, and made some striking remarks regarding the latter's services to the bank.

In replying to the address and presentation, Mr. Mackenzie spoke of the happy as-

sociations he had enjoyed with the members of the staff, and added that if he were tempted that evening to give way to pride, it was because of the fact that as general manager he had been able to command at all times, both at the head office and branches, their loyal support and effective co-operation, which had contributed in a marked manner to the material prosperity of the bank, and had assisted in maintaining the high traditions of honour and fair dealing, both with customers and staff that have always been associated with the bank's name. He expressed grateful recognition of the support accorded him, and as for the kind and generous sentiments that had prompted the expressions of good-will, and the handsome presentation, he could only say how deeply he was touched, and expressed his most sincere and hearty thanks.

All the participants in the notable dinner and presentation are well known golfers. Mr. Mackenzie himself is president of the Kanawaki Golf Club, Montreal, and a governor of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association. Mr. J. J. Morrison, who made the presentation address is also a governor of the Seniors and a life member of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, of which he is the Hon. Secretary. Mr. Rowley is a member of Kanawaki and Beaconsfield, in fact there was hardly a member at the dinner who was not prominent in golfing circles.

Mr. Mackenzie, who is looked upon as one of the strongest men in the financial world of the Dominion will, it is understood, have a commanding position in the Bank of Montreal—Canada's premier bank.

The Passing of Mrs. C. J. Watt

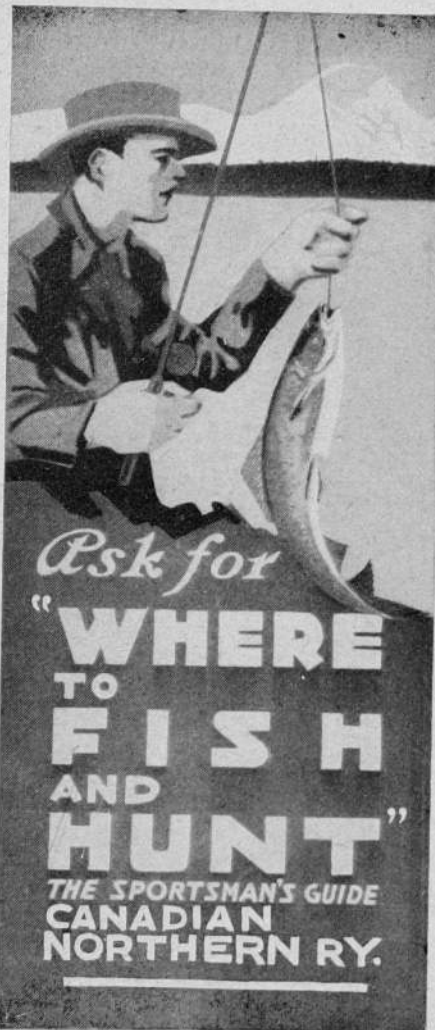
It is with very great regret indeed, that the "Canadian Golfer" is called upon to chronicle the passing away of Mrs. C. J. Watt, of Brantford, who, after years of suffering, borne with much patience and fortitude, slept peacefully away on the morning of August 24th. Mrs. Watt and her family have for many years been very prominent in golfing circles in the Telephone City and vicinity. She herself was president of the Brantford Ladies' Club and for some years a most indefatigable member of the Executive. Her husband too, was a Director and most painstaking Treasurer of the Brantford Club for a long period. Her brothers, Messrs. Reginald and Gordon Scarfe, also have served on the directorate (the latter is still on the Board), whilst her brothers-in-law, Mr. W. E. Phin and Mr. W. H. Webling, are actively identified with the game, the former a Director of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, and the latter Associate Editor of this magazine, and President of the Brantford Club. To the bereaved and loving husband and the brothers and sisters, the sincerest sympathy of golfing and other acquaintances will go out from all parts of the Province in their great bereavement. Mrs. Watt's memory will long be held in fragrant remembrance by many, many friends.

A Remarkable Match

Quite a remarkable match was played the other day at the Toronto Club, when Mr. B. L. Anderson, Secretary of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, partnered with Mr. Seymour Lyon, tackled the amateur champion and Mr. Dudley Dawson, champion of the Toronto Club. The second 9 holes in the morning round between the four players a three was made on every hole except the long hole, the 16th. Altogether on this round of 9 holes thirteen threes were registered, which surely must constitute a record. Mr. Anderson's and Seymour's best ball for this 9 was 30, and the best ball of the four

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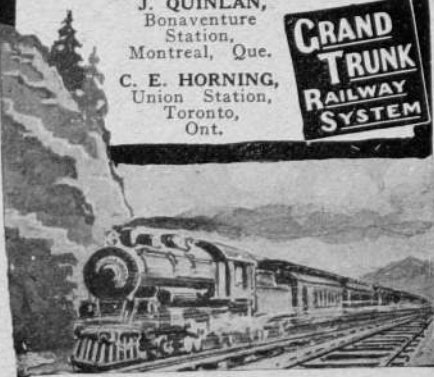
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players was 29. Incidentally, the Secretary and his partner defeated the champion and Mr. Dawson 4 up in the morning and 1 up in the afternoon. The best rounds were Mr. Seymour Lyon 75, Mr. George S. Lyon 77, Mr. Anderson 77, Mr. Dawson 79. A very high wind was blowing, which made the scores all the more creditable, not to mention the gathering in of those thirteen threes.

Old Tournament Revived

Niagara-on-the-Lake, which, before the military took possession of the place had one of the most interesting 18-hole courses in Ontario and yearly had a tournament which brought entrants from leading golf centres in Canada and the States, has again this season been able to play the game on an interesting 9-hole course. Once more has a tournament been held in a modified form, there being an excellent turn-out for the annual event Saturday, August 24th. Mr. Roy Buchanan, of the Toronto Golf Club, won both the gross and net prizes in this event putting up an excellent brand of golf.



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