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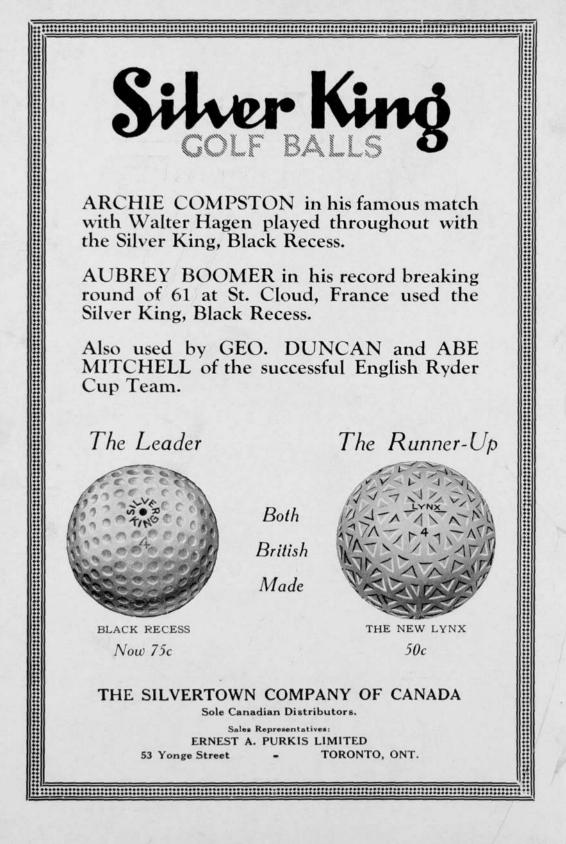
All here are golfers—strangers, natives, all The sons of science, idleness and war, Who can wield a club or hit a ball, Professor, soldier, student-lad and Tar And country laird, attracted from afar, With some mis-chancy writer to engage; Whilst oft the rag and spirit-chafing jar Provokes to sudden bet and smothered rage Which twice another round will quietly assuage. —Blackwoods (1819).

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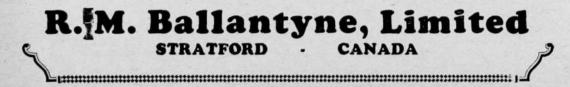
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Witness Record Gathering of the Golfing Clans.

Jasper Park Will In connection with the Canadian Amateur Championship at Jasper Park, Alberta, the Western Canada Golf Association has also decided to hold its championships over the same beautiful course, which is sponsored by the Canadian National Railways, on the same dates, namely, August 19th

to the 24th. As the Western Canada Championship to-day ranks only second to the Canadian Amateur in importance, it will readily be seen that Jasper will witness the most notable amateur field of golfers ever gathered together in Canada. All the Eastern and Western stars will be there and many experts from the United States and there will be a great tussle for premier honours.

Jasper is accounted one of the finest courses on the Continent, but not content with this standing and reputation, the C. N. R. authorities, many of whom are keenly interested in golf, are expending a good deal of money this season in bringing the fairways and greens right up to super-championship calibre. The week of August the 19th will witness the greatest gathering of the golfing clans ever recorded in the Dominion. "Jasper with its jewel-like setting" is going to make golfing history this record season in the history of the Royal and Ancient game. Make no mistake about that.

The Vexatious Is there going to be a serious "mix-up" after next year in Question of regard to the ball to be used in Championships in Canada, the New Ball. Great Britain and the States? Hard on the heels of the decision of the Rules of Golf Committee of St. Andrews to make

no change at present in the specification of the ball now in use, namely, 1.62 in diameter and 1.62 in weight, comes the pronouncement of the United States

Golf Association that after January 1st, 1931, the authorized ball in that country shall be not less than 1.68 inches in diameter and not more than 1.55 oz. in weight. In other words, a larger and lighter ball, which unquestionably the rank and file of golfers do not want either in this or any other country.

It is to be devoutly hoped that the golfing powers that be in Great Britain and the United States will "get together" before 1931 and iron out their differences in reference to a Big Ball or a Small, Ball or else there will be "confusion worse confounded".

On Canadian courses especially will there be a vexatious situation if the dual legislation goes through. Here we have always followed the rulings of the Royal and Ancient, but our proximity to the U. S. makes it almost imperative when it comes to the question of a ball to use here in Championships, the same weight and size as the players across the Border. In the interest of the game it is imperative that there should not be a different ball authorized in any one country. If such action is taken it will deal a fatal blow to International golf and amity.

### THE RENFREW GOLF CLUB, RENFREW, ONT.

M ESSRS. Cumming and Millar report that the Renfrew course is now well under way, with most of the fairways and greens roughed in and some of the seeding done. This new course, nestled in among the hills to the west of Renfrew, some four miles, is shaping up in splendid style and without doubt will eventually become known as one of the sportiest and most beautiful from a scenic point of view of any in the district.

The organization behind it comprises some of Renfrew's most energetic business men headed by Mr. H. A. Jordan, of the Renfrew Machinery Co., with Mr. M. T. Duggan as Secretary.

Already sufficient capital has been subscribed to complete the course in every respect, build the club house, equip both club house and course and possibly leave something over for running expenses.

Truly a most enviable position for a golf club.

The enthusiasm of the prospective Renfrew Club members is such that even at this early date they are thoroughly enjoying themselves playing over a few temporary fairways.

Messrs. Cumming and Millar have taken advantage of every topographical feature that the site provides, the consequence being that there is not a single uninteresting hole on the course.

The tentative card is as follows :----

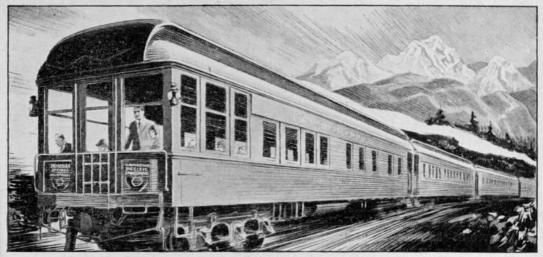
No. 1, 475 yards, par 5; No. 2, 395 yards, par 4; No. 3, 420 yards, par 4; No. 4, 400 yards, par 4; No. 5, 175 yards, par 3; No. 6, 520 yards, par 5; No. 7, 440 yards, par 4; No. 8, 130 yards, par 3; No. 9, 440 yards, par 4; total 3395 yards, par 36.

The two short holes are worthy of special comment, both of them being so constructed that a slip will cause loads of trouble, and a well placed ball landing on the pin much elation.

Weather permitting this interesting little course should be put in commission around midsummer and in the meantime Mr. George Daniels, superintendent of construction is making it possible for prospective members to enjoy themselves playing over a fairly well-kept temporary course.

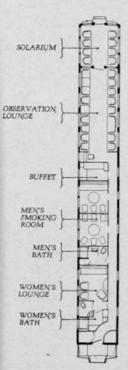
The following are the officers of this very progressive club :---

President, H. A. Jordan; Secretary, M. T. Duggan; Treasurer, D. E. Stone; Directors, Dr. J. J. McCann, I. E. Pedlar, J. L. Murray, Dr. H. R. Hynes, F. D. Vickers, Leslie Fraser, J. Cameron, E. Roy Sayer, and J. P. Carswell.



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(The Editor is always glad to answer questions about the Rules, and other golfing matters, but owing to so many of these requests coming in every month, he must ask in future that a stamped-addressed envelope be enclosed with all such communications, otherwise they will not be answered.)

Mr. F. Gordon, of the Kellogg Company, one of the best and most popular players at the London Hunt Club, London, Ont., was a few months ago promoted to the important agency of the Company at Sydney, Australia. In renewing his subscription for 1930 he writes :-

"I certainly do enjoy getting the "Canadian Golfer" every month. Will send you later on some news in connection with golf in Australia.'

### The Chicago "Daily News" very tritely and truly states :-

"American golf is now on a par with, if not superior to, British golf. The reason is clear. More Americans devote much time to the game than is the case in Great Britain. And, while in Travis' day golf in the United States was played mostly by men who took up the game in middle age, American teams in International matches now consist of players who learned the game in boyhood and in that respect are on even terms with their Scotch and English rivals.'

A framed picture in colours of the pretty club house of the new Ava Golf Club, Brantford, was recently sent to Lord Dufferin and Ava, who is the Hon. Patron of the Club which is named after him. His Lordship from his seat at Clandeboye, Ireland, writes Mr. S. Alfred Jones, K.C.:-

"I was so very pleased to receive the picture of the club house, which looks perfectly charming. I am so delighted with it and am very grateful to you for sending it to me."

Miss Glenna Collett, first American ever to reach the finals of the British Women's Golf Championships, is home again with high praise for Miss Joyce Wethered, the British girl who defeated her for the title. "She is a great golfer," Miss Collett said. "I had my best round of the Tournament on the first nine and had her five down at the turn in the morning. She refused to be discouraged, however, and her steady, consistent game proved too much for me."

An extraordinary golfing test is being arranged for a wager of £400 between Dr. Robert E. Moore, a well known New Yorker who frequently plays at Chantilly in France, and Dr. Fernand Suarez de Mendoza, of Paris. Dr. Moore has bet that he can drive a golf ball from Paris to Berlin in 7,000 strokes. This feat would necessitate Dr. Moore taking little more than 10 strokes to the mile or making average drives of 170 yards, including all such obstacles as hills, villages and towns which would have to be negotiated with care or else skirted. There is no time limit laid down, though Dr. Moore, who certainly must be classed as an optimist, states that he expects to accomplish the feat in about two weeks. Should he lose his ball he may use another without penalty and if the ball falls in an inaccessible place he can drop another.

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also without penalty. Dr. Moore is training daily for the attempt, which he expects to make in August. Altogether rather a stupid but interesting stunt.

Davie Ayton, one of the famous golfing brothers of that name, the St. Andrews professional, had what is probably one of the most unique experiences recently ever recorded in golf, when playing over the Old Course at far famed St. Andrews, Scotland. He took a mashie for his second stroke at the first hole. The ball looked as if it were going to fall short when a sea gull rose suddenly from the fairway. The ball struck the sea gull, rebounded over the burn and landed on the green, giving Ayton an easy chance to score a 4 instead of probably ending up in the burn with a six or seven as a result. It certainly was a "birdie" hole all right.

The Canadian Golf Tour de luxe which is scheduled to leave by special train from Toronto August 12th "across Canada" is the outstanding trip of 1929. The tour is sponsored by both the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway and is under the auspices of the "Canadian Golfer" and under the personal supervision of Mr. Stanley Thompson, the well known golfer and golf architect. The tour will embrace the Canadian Amateur Championship at Jasper Park and all the leading golf centres right through to Victoria, B.C. This is without question the finest golfing tour ever arranged on this Continent. Particulars gladly supplied from the "Canadian Golfer", Brantford, Ontario, or the Tours Manager, Major Inwood, Room 2007 "Star Building", Toronto. Immediate reservations are strongly advised.

Mr. J. H. Riddel, Toronto, manager of the Eagle Star and British Dominions Insurance Co., Ltd., and a well known member of the Scarboro Golf Club, has recently returned from an extensive business trip to the West and is very enthusiastic about the golf clubs and golf generally there. In the course of an interesting letter to the Editor he says:—

"I had a game at the Edmonton Golf and Country Club and I think it would be an excellent course at some future time for a championship event. They are a very enthusiastic crowd of golfers out there and are exceedingly pleased that the Amateur Championship is going to be played this year in the Province of Alberta. I think that this is a good thing for the game generally, that events of this kind should be scattered over the country and not confined to the Provinces of Ontario and Quebee."

### A despatch from New York :---

"Bobby Jones left to-day for his home in Atlanta after a week in New York on legal business with four rounds of golf on the side. If he can get together a kit of tools he will return to tune up his game for an effort to win the Open Golf Championship for the third time June 27-29. His big bag of clubs, including the 'only driver he can use' and his famous putter, 'Calamity Jane', was stolen last night. After a friendly foursome at Queen's Valley, in which the Atlanta lawyer bettered the course record with a score of 71, he went to the apartment of a New York friend for an equally friendly round of bridge. While Bobby was doubling two no trump, some one visited the automobile in which the members of the foursome had left their golf bags and made away with the equipment of the champion. The New York yolice department is full of good golfers and they are all on the lookout for the missing clubs."

It is quite probable that next year women golfers will inaugurate International competitions along the lines of the Walker Cup matches for men. Mrs. David Gaut, of Memphis, chairman of the Women's Committee of the United States Golf Association, who has the matter in hand is confident of its success. It is believed teams will enter from Canada, France, Great Britain and the United States. It is understood that the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union is heartily in favour of such an International competition. Such matches would do very much for women's golf in all the countries mentioned. Championship golf can only be developed by championship competitions. There is no other Royal Road to success in the Royal and Ancient.

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The raising of the age limit of the caddies from 16 to 18 years as recommended by the Pacific Northwest Golf Association has been flatly sat upon by the United States Golf Association. The governing body of golf in the U. S. rules:—

"This question of raising the age limit of caddies from 16 to 18 years has been considered twice before during the past year by the executive committee of the United States Golf Association, and each time it was decided to make no change. And that still stands."

In Great Britain and in Canada as in the States the age limit is 16 years. If after that age, a caddie carries clubs for hire he becomes professionalized. And rightly so, too.

### CANADIAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB TAKES UP GOLF ENTHUSIASTICALLY

THE Canadian Business Women's Club, vide the Toronto Telegram, is commencing to foster sport in earnest. For some years this club has looked after the interests of the business women in general, but it is only within recent years that the executive has realized that sports for business women are conducive to health and happiness. Bowling, swimming, badminton, tennis and golf are now numbered among the interests of the Business Women's Club. The golf tournament to be staged by this club this summer is for the Mabel Stoakley Trophy. Miss Stoakley has been for the past two years president of

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the club and her sincere efforts and hard work have kept it up to the standard set by the original president, Miss Mary McMahon. A series of matches, with time for the busy working girls to play off each round, has been arranged for the club members, and these games may be played at any recognized club as long as certified cards are handed in. This quite novel and extremely fine competition will last throughout the summer and in the fall the final match will be held after the elimination rounds have all been decided. And do not think these business women cannot play golf either. Some of them are new at the game but they take to their sports with the same whole heartedness that has made them a success in down town offices. Just ask any business man who has one of them for an energetic secretary—he will tell you—unless he is afraid that admission might cost him an increase in salary.

MONTREAL

### U. S. RYDER CUP TEAM COMPLETES TRIP

### ABLE from London, June 2nd :---

Walter Hagen and his United States Ryder Cup team were given a great sendoff from Waterloo station early this morning as they left for Southampton to board the Leviathan for the trip home. Hagen, as spokesman for the party, told the crowd of admirers, mostly in evening dress, that he would not be back to defend the British Open title next year. The great professional star said he had had a wonderful time and was sorry to leave.

The United States Ryder Cup team's final fling of its 1929 invasion of Saturday found native-born British professionals more than holding their own. Hagen avenged in small manner two previous one-sided defeats by Archie Compston when he downed the famous British pro one up in a 36-hole match at Blackwell Park, Birmingham. Against this triumph for the visitors, however, Britons could point to Henry Cotton's 6 and 5 victory over Horton Smith at Coulsdon Court and Abe Mitchell's triumph in a 36-hole medal competition at the opening of the new Selsdon Park golf course at London. In this latter event, Ed. Dudley and Johnny Farrell of the United States were second and third, respectively.

Hagen was forced to come from behind twice to win the home hole 24 hours after he had lost, 8 and 7, to Compston at Moor Park. "The Haig" started badly, and was four down at the end of the first nine holes. Here he electrified the gallery by pecking away until he had squared the match at the 18th. At the 20th Hagen was one up, the first time in two days that he had led the big Britisher. Compston, however, soon squared the match and then went one up by the time the 27th was reached. At the 31st Hagen got down in four to square the match.

The next hole was halved, but the American's three on the 33rd gave him the hole and a lead of one up. Compston, however, squared the match on the next hole, the 35th was halved in 5's, leaving them all square going to the home hole. Here a pond lies between the tee and the green. Compston's tee shot found marshy ground on the edge of the pond. Hagen sent his approach putt dead and holed for a par three, hole and match.

Although first place in the Selsdon Park tourney went to Abe Mitchell with 145, Dudley, who finished second with 146, provided the chief thrills with a sensational 66 on his second 18. This mark set a new record for the course.

### "BEWARE OF FALSE IDOLS"

G OLF's charm is being imperiled by two false idols, according to Mr. Robt. Gardner, former president of the Chicago District Golf Association, former member of the U. S. Walker Cup team, and United States National Amateur Champion in 1909 and 1915, who spoke at the meeting of the Midwest Greenkeepers' Association held at Great Northen Hotel, Chicago.

Standardization of golf course design and maintenance and the strenuous efforts being made to eliminate the element of luck, Gardner named as the two factors that, in his opinion, were inclined to take zest from playing.

In designating the condition of the greens as the most important item in greenkeeping Gardner stated that as putting put the premium on skill rather than on the "lucky breaks" it was essential that a golf course to rank high must have its greens in such condition that a stroke rolled exactly as it was played. He cited the excellent condition of Skokie's greens as the deciding factor in the U. S. G. A. award of the event to the Glencoe Club, although parts of the course were obviously of old-fashioned design. As a member of the U. S. G. A. course selection committee Gardner spoke with authority on the necessity of first class greens.

To-day's tendency with bunkers, he stated, is to make them pretty, rather than penalties for poorly played shots. He cited numerous instances where the effort to provide a picture instead of placing emphasis on penalizing poor play had resulted in traps that shots would roll, through or that shots could be played out of with practically no loss of distance or direction. He pronounced traps around greens that allowed playing out with a putter, as one of the grave errors in design and as deadly to one of the game's most exacting and satisfying shots.

The old style architecture had the virtue of making a trap mean a penalty, remarked Gardner.

He also expressed the opinion that except in the case of tees on short holes, the players were penalizing their budgets by their demands in tee maintenance because the general idea is to-day that the tees must run the greens a close second in evenness and condition which was not necessary.

Still a few left—but very few—of the handsome little Red Books of the Rules, 1929 Edition, revised and corrected to date. Single copies 25c; one hundred copies or more, 20c per copy. Order early. Business Department, "Canadian Golfer," Brantford, Ontario.



He missed a short putt. If you have a full blooded Indian chief acting as caldie, as golfers have on the new eighteen hole course at Banff, Alberta, you may be tomahawked with a mid-iron if you miss a short putt. Within full view of the Banff Springs Hotel, Chief John Hunter, of Stoney Tribe, was on this occasion about to impassively slay the local professional, W. Thompson, but restrained himself in time.

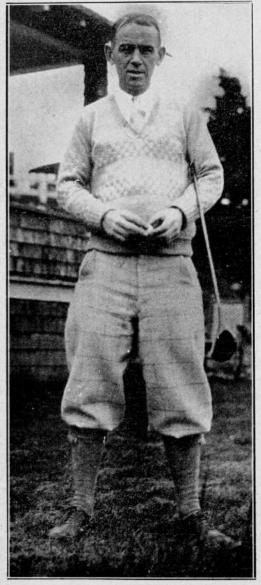
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Keeping his eye on the ball. Chief John Hunter, full blooded Stoney Indian, who is one of the Indian caddies at Banff, the famous resort of the Canadian Pacific Railway, studies this strange white man's madness.

# THE MANOIR RICHELIEU TO HAVE NEW GOLF CLUB HOUSE

THE construction of a new golf club house for the Manoir Richelieu Golf Club course at Murray Bay has been announced by Canada Steamship Lines. The general



A clever professional—Neil Young, who this month returned to the Manoir Richelieu, to again take up professional duties there.

lines of the new club house will follow the domestic French-Canadian architecture of the Murray Bay country. It will be situated on a high promontory looking out across the course towards the river and as a background it will have the Laurentians.

In order to provide space for the new club quarters, which will be built at the end of this year's playing season, it has been found necessary to construct a new hole to take the place of the present No. 1 hole which is a short one of one hundred and seventyfive yards. Herbert Strong, golf architect, has prepared plans for changing the present twelfth hole which is six hundred yards in length, to a "dog's leg" of about five hundred and forty yards. This offers interesting possibilities as players on second shots will have to carry a pond.

To replace the present No. 1 hole a new hole will be constructed using the present No. 12 green. Players will appreciate these changes for, at the present time number 12 and 13 are six hundred and five hundred and fifteen feet long respectively. There will be a short hole intervening between these two. Upon completion of these changes the present number 2 hole will be No. 1.

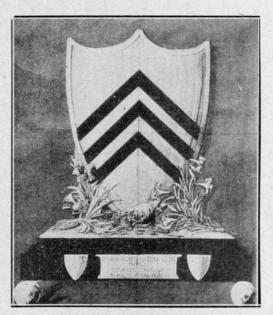
The course is in extremely good condition this year, the fairways and greens have wintered well and now, after five years of scientific care, the Manoir course can be said to have thoroughly matured. The experience with turf and grass in the building of the Manoir Richelieu course is proving invaluable to landscape gardeners who are at work on the grounds of the Manoir Richelieu. In the construction of the Manoir Golf Course it was found that many local grasses and bent could be employed which were quite equal to the best imported seeds and the landscape gardeners at the Manoir Richelieu are finding the Murray Bay grasses perfectly adaptable for lawns.

Neil Young, the club professional, commenced his duties on June 1 after spending the winter season with the

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Ormonde Beach Club, Florida. The annual invitation tournament will be held on July 13, when the Manoir Richelieu Golf Club Shield will be



The artistic Manoir Richelieu Shield, which will be played for next month.

played for. The opening of the new Manoir Richelieu on June 15, with accommodation for six hundred persons, brings many golfers to Murray



Bay for the first time and will undoubtedly make new enthusiasts for this course in the world's oldest mountains.

### THE MANITOBA AMATEUR AND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

M R. BRUCE BOREHAM, Secretary of the Manitoba Golf Association (P.O. Box 1391, Winnipeg), has issued the following detailed information in connection with the Manitoba Amateur and Junior competitions:

### Manitoba Amateur

To be played at Winnipeg Golf Club, Winnipeg, commencing Wednesday, July 24th. Open to amateurs with handicaps of 18 and under, who are members of clubs belonging to the Manitoba Golf Association. Entries may also be accepted, at the discretion of the Tournament Committee, from amateur players who are not members of clubs belonging to the Association.

Qualifying Round (18 holes) on Wednesday, 32 players returning the lowest scores to qualify for Championship Flight. Remaining players divided into flights of 16 according to score. (In case of a tie in Qualifying Round for last place in any flight, the last nine holes of play will determine.)

First and second rounds of all flights will be played on Thursday. Third round and semi-finals of all flights on Friday. Championship and other finals on Saturday. All matches 18 holes except finals of championship flight which will be 36 holes.

Free Press Trophy will be held for one year by the club from which the winner is entered.

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Prizes will be awarded to the winner; the runner-up and the defeated semi-finalists in the Championship Flight, to the winners in the other flights, and to the winner of the Qualifying Round.

Entrance fee, \$3.00. Entries accompanied by entrance fees to be made through Secretaries of Clubs from which players are entering and to be forwarded so as to reach the Association Secretary not later than noon, July 22, 1929.

### Manitoba Junior Championship

To be played at Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg, on Saturday morning, August 31, 1929, 18 holes medal play. Open to all boys under 17 years of age, excepting those who, after attaining the age of 16 years, have failed to retain their amateur standing.

Prizes: The winner's name will be engraved on the Matt Thompson Trophy and in addition he will be awarded a prize. Prizes will also be awarded the runner-up and winners of various age classes.

Entrance fee, 50c.

Entries, stating age, to reach Association Secretary not later than Thursday, August 29th, at 5 p.m.

For two clear days before each Tournament commences, all entrants are to have free the privileges of the Course on which the Tournament is to be held, but only on production of a certificate from the Manitoba Golf Association that they have duly entered in the competition.

The members of a Club on whose course the Tournament is being held, shall on the days on which such Tournament is being played, except when finals are being played, and or on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, as approved jointly, by the Manitoba Golf Association and the officers of the Club in question, have free the privileges of other Clubs, members of the Manitoba Golf Association, but only on production of a certificate issued by the Manitoba Golf Association and countersigned by the Secretary of the Club on whose course the Tournament is being held.

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## DATES AND CONDITIONS OF U.S. AMATEUR

THE "Canadian Golfer" is in receipt of the following official announcement from the United States Golf Association :---

The competition for the Amateur Golf Championship of the United States, will be played on the Pebble Beach Course of the Del Monte Golf and Country Club, Del Monte, California, beginning Monday, September 2nd, when the Havemeyer Cup and four medals will be competed for under the Rules of the

United States Golf Association.

The winner of the competition will be the Champion Amateur Golfer for the year, and the cup will be held for that year by the Club from which the winner shall have entered.

The winner shall receive a Gold Medal.

The runner-up shall receive a Silver Medal.

The other semi-finalists shall receive bronze medals.

The player making the lowest score in the 36 hole qualification round will receive a special prize.

The conditions of play for the Amateur Championship will be as follows:

Monday, September 2-First Qualification Round. Eighteen holes to be played by each contestant.

Tuesday, September 3—Second Qualification Round. Eighteen holes to be played by each contestant; the thirty-two players having the best scores for the 36 holes of the first and second qualification rounds to qualify for match play. Draw to be seeded.

Wednesday, a.m., September 4-Eighteen hole match play round-1st round.

Wednesday, p.m., September 4-Eighteen hole match play round-2nd round.

Thursday, September 5-Thirty-six hole match play rounds-3rd round.

Friday, September 6-Thirty-six hole semifinals.

Saturday, September 7-Thirty-six hole final.

In the event of a tie or ties for the 32nd place on Tuesday, the contestants so tied shall continue to play until a lead by strokes at any hole has been gained.

In drawing for match play rounds, the draw

will be seeded from a ranking list to be prepared by the Committee, ranking the leading twenty players. The first eight names on such ranking list will be seeded in the draw.

In the event of a halved match, the players shall continue to play until one of them shall have won a hole which shall determine the winner of the match.

All entries are subject to the approval of the Executive Committee of this Association, and any entry may be rejected by the Committee. All disputes shall be settled by the Executive Committee of this Association, whose decision shall be final.

Any player who fails to appear promptly at the first tee when his name is called by the Committee shall be disqualified unless reasons satisfactory to the officials in charge of the Tournament be given.

Any person paying his entrance money shall be considered thereby to have submitted himself to the rules of the Association both as to restrictions enjoined and penalties imposed. On these conditions alone he is entitled to enjoy all the privileges and advantages of the Association Competition.

All score cards in the Medal Play Round must be kept in strict accordance with "Rule 5, Special Rules for Stroke Competitions." Competitors failing to comply with the requirements of this Rule will be disqualified.

The privileges of the Club House and the Grounds are extended to all competitors in the Championship for one week previous to the Tournament.

The pairings and starting times for the Qualification Round on Monday, September 2nd, will be announced through the press and posted in the Club House. On Tuesday, September 3rd, the starting times will be reversed.

All eligible competitors shall enter directly for the Championship and not through the Secretaries of their respective Clubs. An entrance fee of \$5.00 must accompany each entry and must be delivered to The United States Golf Association, 110 East 42nd Street, New York City, not later than Tuesday, July 23rd, 1929.



Cyril Tolley, British Amateur Champion, who has entered for the U.S. Amateur Championship at Del Monte, Calif. It is quite possible that Mr. Ross Somerville and one or two other prominent Canadians will go on from the Canadian Amateur Championship at Jasper Park, Alta., to the U. S. Championship at Del Monte.

Already the U. S. G. A. announces the entering of three prominent British amateurs, Cyril Tolley, former British Amateur Champion and twice French Open Champion, E. F. Storey, runner-up in the British Amateur in 1924 and a visitor to the U. S. and Canada (as was also Tolley) with the Walker Cup team in 1924 and also in 1926, and T. A. Brown, holder of the French Amateur Championship.

### BRAVO! HAGEN

[ ] NDER this heading "Golf Illustrated", London, pays the following tribute to Walter Hagen :---

Walter Hagen first, Johnny Farrell second, Leo Diegel third. Well done, America! We had hoped for a British victory in this year's Open Championship. We were confident before the Ryder Cup Match; we were very optimistic after it. Naturally, we are disappointed. But we would tender to Walter Hagen our heartiest congratulations and our unstinted admiration. He has before now won the distinction of being hailed unanimously as a very great golfer; he deserved and won a similar distinction last week; and we have little doubt he will earn and win a repetition of that distinction in the future. His performance in the Championship that has just been concluded is probably the best in his whole career. He faced a field comprising a greater aggregate of international talent than any golfer has faced before; he triumphed over it, and triumphed with six strokes to spare. He battled successfully against the vagaries of our climate: deluge, calm, and gale all came alike to him. He was the master-golfer, the supreme artist, with steeled nerves and a physical condition that was perfect—he was Walter Hagen. Before the Championship commenced we indicated to our friends that in our considered opinion 294 would win. Hagen knocked two strokes off our estimate, and we verily believe that but for the gale on the last day Mr. Jones's record of 285, made at St. Andrews in 1927, would have been in jeopardy.

### THE AVA GOLF CLUB, BRANTFORD

### Is Formally Opened by an Exhibition Game Participated in Miss Ada Mackenzie, Miss Hudson and Messrs. Lyon and Lewis. Pretty Club House and Course Comes in for Much Praise.

THE Ava Golf Club, Brantford's third and very successful club, was the scene of an animated gathering on May 24th, when the three noted Canadian golfers from Toronto, Miss Ada Mackenzie, Miss Hazel Hudson and Mr. George S. Lyon were cordially welcomed by officers and members of the club to the pretty club house. Mr. R. H. Reville, president of the Ava Golf Club, made an exceedingly happy introductory speech, warmly welcoming these noted players to the club and expressing the appreciation of the members that Miss Mackenzie and Mr. Lyon, former golf champions, and Miss Hudson should so honour the club. He then called on His Honour Judge A. D. Hardy, who also expressed gratification that the club should be so honoured by such noted players and referred to the influence of Mr. R. H. Reville and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jones in creating and maintaining such an enthusiastic club spirit. He extended the hospitality of the club house and grounds to the visiting players and hoped that this occasion would be but the happy forerunner of similar events. Mr. George Lyon received a warm ovation and in a brief but highly eulogistic speech complimented the officers and members of Ava Golf Club in their splendid club house and excellent course. From the standpoint of an experienced golfer, he pronounced the

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course in fine condition, and thought that the club should be very proud of both club house and links. He then ran up the ensign which fluttered bravely in the breeze, when the National Anthem was heartily sung. Three rousing cheers were given for the King followed by three lusty cheers for the veteran golfer, Mr. Lyon. The exhibition foursome, composed of Miss Ada Mackenzie, Miss Hazel Hudson, Mr. George Lyon and Mr. John Lewis, was keenly followed by a large and enthusiastic gallery of some three hundred, which lost no detail of the play. Miss Mackenzie and

Mr. Lyon were paired together and especially played good golf. They were the winners by several points. Officers and members of the Brantford Golf Club and Arrowdale Club were invited guests.

Tea was served during the afternoon, at an attractively arranged tea table, presided over by Mrs. R. H. Reville and Mrs. R. V. Woffindin. The tea committee was composed of the following ladies: Mrs. S. A. Jones, Mrs. C. W. C. Westaway, Mrs. Hilton, Mrs. H. S. Farrar, Miss Gibson, Mrs. G. W. Harper, Mrs. M. E. Moore and Mrs. C. R. Rutland.

### MISSISSAUGA, TORONTO HONOURS MR. JOHN HALL

ISSISSAUGA GOLF CLUB, Toronto, honoured Mr. John Hall by tendering him a complimentary dinner at the club house on the occasion of his 75th birthday, and presenting him with a handsome radio set. Mr. Hall in his younger days was a celebrated cricketer and was for many years the Hon. Secretary of the Ontario Cricket Association. Like his famous associate, Mr. Geo. S. Lyon, Mr. Hall gave up cricket some years ago to take up enthusiastically with the game of golf and still thoroughly enjoys a round of the beautiful Mississauga course, which, by the way, he "discovered" twentyfour years ago whilst taking a drive in the neighbourhood, and a very fortunate discovery it was too. Mississauga was formerly the happy hunting grounds of the Indians who used to pitch their tepees in days lang syne, on the picturesque banks of the Credit River which cuts through the course and adds so much to its attractiveness and sportingness. Now the links are surrounded by the attractive homes of Mr. Hall and other prominent Torontonians who have converted the locality into one of the most charming on the outskirts of Toronto.

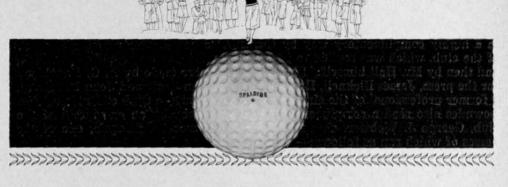
A Tournament was staged by Mississauga in honour of Vice-Captain Hall's 75th anniversary which brought out an entry list of over 200 players. Mr. Hall was not able to be present during the day owing to an attack of neuritis from which he has been suffering for a couple of weeks, but he came over to the club house in the evening to attend a dinner in his honour and be the recipient of a handsome batteryless radio set of highboy type, which the club presented to him. Although he is at an age when most men prefer leisure, Mr. Hall is still active and plays a good game of golf, his score being usually in the early nineties and sometimes dips down into the eighties. Handsome prizes were put up for competition included among them being a set of fine golf clubs donated by Mr. Frank Battersby, of London, England. The prize winners were :--

Best gross score-1, W. J. Thompson, 75; 2, A. G. Donaldson, 80.

Low nett scores-1, Ed. Maguire, 95, 32, 63; 2, Jeff Smith, 97, 32, 65.

Best scores of senior players, low gross-1, Jess Applegath; 2, Wm. Radcliffe and Joe Forrester; low nett, Bud Fisher.

The dinner was held in the men's lounge room, which was prettily decorated with flowers. An orchestra was in attendance. President Jess Applegath



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presided and in opening the proceedings made a few felicitous remarks regarding the interesting nature of the occasion and the affectionate regard in which Mr. Hall was held by every member of the club. After the captain, Frank Harris, had presented the prizes won during the Tournament, ex-President J. Monte Lowndes welcomed Mr. Hall, who arrived at this stage of the proceedings. Then came the presentation of the radio set which was neatly performed in a highly complimentary way by Crown-Attorney J. McFadden, a director of the club, which was replied to first by Wm. Denton on behalf of Mr. Hall, and then by Mr. Hall himself. Short speeches were made by A. G. Donaldson for the press, James Bicknell, Hugh Johnston, John Scott and John Pritchard, a former professional of the club now with the Wanaka Club of Buffalo. Mr. Lowndes also read a complimentary poem composed by an ex-captain of the club, George J. Webster, now residing at Hollywood, California, one of the verses of which ran as follows:—

> When I first knew Johnnie he was the big gun Of cricket in the old home town.
> When he said you were out, that's just what you were, And his voice was a smile or a frown; I said, can it be that a boy so wee Can make these big men play,
> But I soon got to know that his heart was big, 'Twas the giant of a heart, I'll say!

The radio set was later carried down to Mr. Hall's home, not far from the club, where quite a number of his associates gathered and spent the evening installing it and reviving memories of the early days of the club's history.

Golfing, Masonic (Mr. Hall is a very prominent Mason) and other friends throughout Ontario will join in wishing the genial Mississaugian many more years of happiness and health in which to enjoy "the game of games" he loves so well—a sentiment in which the Editor of the "Canadian Golfer", an old cricketing and golfing acquaintance, begs leave to be heartily associated.

### BUFFALO'S POPULAR INVITATION TOURNAMENTS

### Many Canadians, Both Men and Women, Will Participate in Them.

SCORE or so of the leading lady golfers of Canada are taking part the week of June 29th in the Ninth Annual Women's Invitation Tournament at the beautiful Country Club, Buffalo, N.Y. The ladies generally concede that this is the most interesting Tournament of the whole golfing season and invitations to it are considered a very great honour indeed. The event now attracts all the leading lady golfers of both the United States and and it really takes on a regular International Championship complexion. In the past Miss Ada Mackenzie and other prominent Canadians have done very well indeed at this Tournament and to a Canadian, Mrs. Mulqueen, Toronto, then Miss Sydney Pepler, who made such a good showing last month in the British Ladies' Championship at St. Andrews, Scotland, goes the credit of winning the event for the first time. This was in 1921 when Mrs. Mulqueen not only won the championship but also the driving competition and the first prize for approaching and putting. Since then, however, the field has been greatly stiffened up, Miss Collett and other ranking stars of the U.S. generally being amongst the entrants.

The men of the Buffalo Country Club have also this year extended an invitation to the Canadian Amateur Champion, Mr. Ross Somerville and some twenty other outstanding Canadians to participate in their annual Invitation

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Tournament the dates for which are July 18-20. Mr. Ralph Connable, formerly of Toronto, is the chairman of the committee having the event in charge so the Canadians participating are sure of a royal welcome. Nearly every one invited has accepted so this Tournament, too, this year will take on an International aspect.

### THE "CANADIAN GOLFER" TOUR DE LUXE

R EPORTS coming in from all parts of Ontario and Quebec indicate that the golfing tour across Canada by special C. P. R. and C. N. R. train, August 12th to September 11th, is going to be a huge success. Many prominent players, both men and women, have already booked their accommodations. The itinerary, starting from Toronto is by way of Winnipeg, Jasper, Vancouver, Victoria, and home by way of Revelstoke, Field, Lake Louise, Banff, Regina, Winnipeg, and Fort William, lasting 29 days. All the principal courses will be visited en toure, and a great golfing reception awaits the tourists, who will number some one hundred and fifty. This tour will do much for golf in the West and will be a liberal golfing education for the Easteners.

The Tour is under the auspices of the "Canadian Golfer", and will be given personal supervision by Mr. Stanley Thompson, of Stanley Thompson & Co., Ltd., Golf and Landscape Architects, of Toronto, and the officials of Canada's two famous railways, the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National. Every provision will be made for the luxurious comfort and entertainment of members of the Tour. Special cars will be allocated for men travelling alone and a baggage car for heavy baggage will be open at all times.

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### WELL EARNED PROMOTION ACCORDED "SANDY" WEIR

M R. A. A. WEIR, formerly joint manager of the grain department of Solloway, Mills and Company, has been appointed manager of the Winnipeg office of the company, succeeding Col. M. W. McDowell, who has resigned to enter business for himself. Mr. Weir is well known not only in Manitoba golfing circles, but in Montreal and Toronto, where he has more than once played in the Canadian Championships, always with credit to himself.

The "genial Sandy", who is, of course, a Scotsman, reached the semi-finals in the Canadian Amateur Championship at Toronto in 1926, where he was put out by Ross Somerville, who eventually won the Championship. He has Western golf titles by the half dozen or so to his credit and is altogether a "golfer of credit and renown."

Eastern golfing friends (including the Editor of the "Canadian Golfer") will join Western golfing friends in extending hearty congratulations to one of the most popular golfers in Canada on his well earned promotion in Winnipeg.

### LAMBTON TOURNAMENT WON BY MISS ADA MACKENZIE

ISS ADA MACKENZIE, of the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club. three times Canadian Open Champion and the present holder of the Canadian Close Championship, turned in a consistent 84 at the Lambton Club's invitation tournament for lady members of Toronto Clubs last month,

and finished four strokes in front of Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, of the Toronto Golf Club, who was in turn one stroke ahead of her clubmate, Mrs. E. W. Whittington, who had 89.

That the opportunity to play under tournament conditions was appreciated by those eligible was shown by the fact that a large number of ladies participated in the two medal events, one for players with handicaps of 27 and under and another one over the short course at Lambton for those with handicaps of 28 or over. There were over 60 competitors in each

event. In the event for the larger handicapped players C. L. G. U. handicaps prevailed, and this resulted in more than half the field turning in nett scores better than par for the two rounds of the 2,043-vard nine-hole course. Mrs. J. H. C. Waite, of Brampton and York Downs, turned in a gross 88, while Miss G. J. Fowlds, of the Ladies' Club, won the nett score prize with a 57, 13 under par.

Miss Mackenzie in her round of 84 had two birdies, nine holes in par, six in one over par and one on which she was two over. Mrs. Gouinlock did not have a birdie on her card, but she had ten pars, six holes in one over, and two in two strokes over. Mrs. Whittington had three birdies, seven pars, four in one over, three in two over and one in which she exceeded par by four strokes. It was this hole, the sixteenth, that prevented her occupying second place. This par 5 hole cost her a nine.

The prize winners :-

Long course-Best gross, silver division, Miss Ada Mackenzie, Ladies' Club, 84; bronze division, Mrs. F. A. Rolph, Toronto Golf, 96.

Long course-Best nett, silver division, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf, 79; bronze division, Miss Isabel Suckling, Ladies' Golf, 86.

Short course-Best gross, Mrs. J. H. C. Waite, York Downs, 88. Short course-Best nett, Miss G. J. Fowlds, Ladies Club, 57.

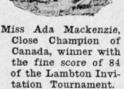
Special prizes for birdies, donated by Mr. John Westren-Mrs. S. G. Bennett (3), Mrs. E. W. Whittington (3), Miss Ada Mackenzie (2), Mrs. D. A. Reid (1), Miss Maude Smith (1), Miss Cecil Smith (1), Mrs. A. B. Fisher (1), Miss Betty Wadsworth (1), Mrs. L. Porter (1), and Miss Isabel Suckling (1).

Driving-Aggregate for three drives, Miss Ada Mackenzie, Ladies' Club, 199-200-203-602 yards; longest individual drive, Mrs. S. G. Bennett, Lambton, 207 yards.

Putting-Mrs. E. W. Whittington and Mrs. M. L. Adams, tied with 36.

### THE PERTH. HURON AND BRUCE LEAGUE

"HE second annual meeting of the Perth, Huron and Bruce League was held Wednesday, June 5, in the clubhouse of the Walkerton Golf and Country Club, Walkerton, Ontario, with representatives from the six clubs entered in the League, namely, Listowel, Maitland of Goderich, Seaforth, Hanover, Kincardine and Walkerton. J. A. Schinbein, of Listowel, 1928 president, presided.





The minutes of the last annual meeting and the constitution as drawn up by last year's executive were adopted. It was decided to again play in two groups with the first three mentioned clubs in one group and the latter three to form the other group. Each group will play home and home matches with ten resident players to a team, and group winners will meet for the W. A. Johnstone Trophy, which was won last year by the Kincardine Golf and Country Club.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year :---

W. A. Johnstone, of Listowel, Honourary President; H. G. Wright, of Kineardine, President; J. A. Schinbein, of Listowel, Past President; J. C. Greig, of Seaforth, Vice-President; D. D. Mooney, of Goderich, Secretary-Treasurer; R. G. Savage, of Listowel, Jas. Donaldson, of Goderich, N. A. Doubt, of Hanover, and Dr. J. P. McCue, of Walkerton, Executive.

The first games to be played in group 1 are Listowel vs. Seaforth to be played in Listowel.

Group 2, Hanover vs. Kincardine, to be played in Kincardine. All group games must be played by September 1 and trophy matches by September 15. The Association is doing very much for golf in the Counties of Perth, Huron and Bruce.

### THE NEW COURSE AT BAYVIEW, TORONTO

THE new Bayview course in Toronto upon which construction was commenced last fall by George Cumming and Capt. Melville Millar was completed the end of May and turned over to the maintenance staff.

Weather conditions being favourable it is possible that at least some of the holes may be put in commission some time in July and the others in August.

Messrs. Cumming and Millar were very highly complimented by the directors of the company upon the speed and thoroughness in construction and also upon the excellent layout of the course.

While adverse weather conditions necessitated a great deal of extra work and extra expense the course was finished well within their estimate.

As a result of the completion of this new course Bayview membership is being greatly augmented.

## NEWS OF THE MIDDLE WEST

Mrs. Douglas Laird, Well Known Winnipeg Player, Wins the City and District Championship, Mrs. S. H. Forster, Runner-up.

M ANITOBA and the Middle West the first two weeks in June enjoyed the most delightful weather and as a result the golf courses everywhere are in the best of shape. Both fairways and greens are in the pink of condition—in fact never better in the history of the game.

The golf course at Killarney, Man., was the scene of much activity on Victoria Day, being crowded all day. The first Tournament of the season was played, W. J. Carson handing in the best score, 84. A. J. Middleton beat R. Burrows, V. David beat C. Curll, C. David beat F. A. Kent, W. J. Carson beat W. J. Schnarr, R. Shreenan beat J. G. Kellett, M. McLaren beat W. Little, F. E. Stevenson beat W. N. McNight, R. M. High beat W. A. Mc-Knight, W. Stevenson beat W. H. Richards, G. Bailey beat M. H. Teskey.

The course was in splendid condition. June, 1929

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In the four-ball best ball competition, the Telephone System beat the civil servants by two points. Singles were played in the morning and the games were closely contested.

Mrs. Fred Hart won the ladies' opening competition at the Niakwa Club, Winnipeg. There were 27 entries.

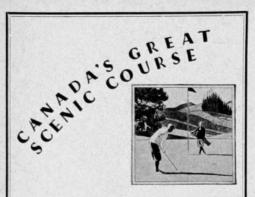
The ladies of the Southwood Golf Club, Winnipeg, enjoyed a satisfactory field day this month with a large entry competing. Mrs. F. W. Tisdale and Mrs. A. I. Brooking won the morning competition, a two-ball foursome, with a nett 76. Miss Thompson held the lucky number at luncheon and won a box of golf balls donated by Donald McDonald, the professional.

Mrs. Hagerman won the driving competition in the afternoon, and Miss M. McKenzie was successful in the approaching and putting event. The improvements to the club house attracted attention and much favourable comment was heard among the ladies.

"Ronnie" McIntyre, who recently arrived in Moose Jaw, has taken the honours of being the first in that city to make a hole-in-one. The shot was made in a game with J. V. Cook on the 17th hole, a distance of 268 yards. He was given a big hand from other members of the Moose Jaw Golf Club.

Mrs. A. Snell won the Eclectic competition held at the St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg, with a score of 68. Mrs. Snell had a 98 minus a

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At the re-organization meeting of the Russell Golf Club, Russell, Man., the following were elected for the current year: Hon. President, J. A. Glen, M.P.; President, A. M. Pratt; Vice-President, E. Lucas; secretarytreasurer, Miss Angus. The greens have been put into shape and some keen competition is assured. The club has again entered in the Free Press Tournament and the players will no doubt give a good account of themselves. At a meeting of the Ladies' Golf Club the officers for 1929 were elected. President, Miss Ethel Robinson; Vice-president, Miss Sadie Angus, and Secretary-treasurer, Miss Lillian Fraser. A club draw has been made and play will start at once.

The Virden (Man.) Golf Club opened its season last month with a battle between teams under President George Clingan, M.D., and Vice-president S. L. McBain, the former winning by six points. Dr. Fryer, the Free Press district winner, turned in a 41 and 38 for the eighteen holes, total, 79, which is a record for the course. The ladies provided a delightful tea.

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The Kerrobert Golf Club (Sask.) has reorganized for the season and the following officers and committees were elected: Hon. President, W. C. Lorimer; President, A. E. Neville; Vice-President, T. E. Greer; Secretary, F. W. Moore; Captain, B. R. Johnson; green committee, J. Auld, G. E. Bartlett, J. M. Hanbidge; membership committee, Mrs. L. Snell, Dr. Smith, W. H. Chrysler; entertainment committee, S. R. Greer, J. E. Rodney, Mrs. S. R. Greer, Mrs. J. M. Hanbidge, Mrs. P. Leitch; draw committee, D. McIntyre, Phil Clark, Mrs. F. J. G. Barber, Mrs. J. B. McGregor.

It was moved that the club affiliate with the Provincial Western Canada Golf Association. A new course was discussed and Mr. Johnson and Mr. Greer were appointed to investiJune, 1929



gate the advisability of laying a new one.

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A most successful opening of the Souris Golf Club, Souris, Man., took place on May 24th, after the games the ladies' section of the club entertaining to tea on the club verandah.

The match committee has arranged a list of competitions for the first half of the season, including both a ringer and a round robin contest for the season, a handicap twosome for both men and ladies, a par competition, a ladies' choice mixed foursome, a flag tournament and a driving and putting competition. The qualifying round for the club championships will be held on July 25.

The ladies' section of the Tisdale Golf Club, Tisdale, Man., held opening day competitions on May 24. About fifteen ladies took part. Mrs. J. R. Homer won the draw competition and also the sealed hole competition. After the game the ladies were entertained at afternoon tea.

Never did the interest in golf run higher in Tisdale. The membership this year is nearly doubled. The links have been greatly improved, and the new oil sand greens lend an added improvement. A man has been employed to work full time on the course for the summer.

The first major tournament of the Winnipeg 1929 season was brought to a conclusion at the St. Charles Golf Club the first week in June, when the Ladies' City and District event, which was keenly competed for by a large number of entrants, was brought to a successful end.

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On the final day Mrs. Douglas Laird, one of the best known lady golfers of the West, who has also competed with success in Eastern events, showed the way to the field of 42 ladies when she turned in a card of 95 to win the silver medal division. Mrs. Laird played consistently good golf throughout the three rounds. She scored a 96 at the Winnipeg Club on Wednesday and a 92 at Elmhurst on Thursday for a gross aggregate of 283. Mrs. S. H. Forster finished second in this event.

The lowest nett score in the silver medal section was turned in by Mrs. J. Beveridge with a 253.

Mrs. R. M. Simpson clinched the championship of the bronze medal group when she carded a 102 at St. Charles to record a 317 aggregate. Mrs. S. C. Ligertwood captured the bronze medal nett event, coming from behind in the last round to take a close decision.

This was the initial fixture of the Manitoba Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union and was successfully carried out under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Alves, secretary of the local body of the C. L. G. U. The presentation of prizes was made at the conclusion of the Tournament at the St. Charles Club in a most charming manner by Mrs. J. G. Cory, President of the Manitoba Association.

### GORDON TAYLOR PLAYS WELL AT NIAGARA

G ORDON TAYLOR, Jr., of the York Downs Club, Toronto, Ontario Junior Champion, took part in the Invitation Tournament at the Niagara Falls Country Club, Niagara Falls, N.Y., this month and made a particularly good showing. With the excellent score of 223 for 54 holes he tied for premier honours with Duane F. Tower, of the local club, and Frank Watters, Jr., of the Wanakah Club, Buffalo. On Saturday Taylor had the remarkably fine score of 70 in one of his rounds which is par for the course, but in the play-off he lost his putting touch and Tower with a 75 won out, defeating Taylor by six

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strokes, and Wattles by eight strokes. The young Toronto expert won golden opinions at Niagara Falls during the Tournament.

The Editor of the "Canadian Golfer" was a visitor to the course on the day of the play-off. After a lapse of some years he found both the links, which were laid out by Nicol Thompson, of Hamilton, and club house greatly improved. The location of the club house on the Lewiston Heights is one of the finest in New York State. Toronto can be seen across the river and lake on a clear day. It is a wonderful panorama and the members of the Niagara Falls Club are justly proud of their magnificent property and its environment. Several prominent residents of Niagara Falls, Ontario, and St. Catharines, Ontario, belong to this outstanding New York State club.

### THE FRENCH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Is Won by Horton Smith, but Aubrey Boomer Makes Golfing History by Returning a Card of 61 for the Third Round.

V HEREVER golfers foregather. and they are foregathering by the tens of thousands from Coast to Coast, these sparkling early summer days, the wonderful score made by the slim young British professional, Aubrey Boomer, in the French Open Championship, is being discussed. To negotiate a 6500-yard course in 61 shots is a feat never before recorded, although Walter Hagen had a card of 62 in the Florida West Coast Open six years ago, but the course was 300 yards shorter than that at St. Cloud, where Boomer registered his record-making round. Hagen's 62 was previously generally looked upon as the best score in a Championship. Boomer was on the British Ryder Cup team which visited Canada in 1927, but he never got into his stride here, his best round being a 73 at the Royal Montreal course. He was runner-up in the British Open in 1927 and has three times won the French Open and twice the Belgium Open.

This score of 61 although a record in a major championship, has been excelled on several occasions. George Duncan in the Championship of Lucerne, some years ago, had a round of 56. Mr. C. C. Aylmer, the English International player, did the Ranelagh course near London in the same figure. Eugene Lafitte negotiated the links at Biarritz in 59, and James Braid, the celebrated Scottish profes-



Aubrey Boomer, who makes golfing history during the French Open Championship.

sional, also had a 59 over the Hedderwick course near Dunbar. The lowest card on an 18-hole course recorded in the United States goes to the credit of J. L. Black, who returned a 58 over the 6000-yard course in California.

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However, none of these scores can be compared with Boomer's glittering 61 as none of the courses had a yardage approaching St. Cloud, where he performed his great feat. Boomer has unquestionably made golfing history. It is doubtful whether his 61 will ever be equalled in an Open Championship.

The record breaking card which deserves to be framed in every club house in the Empire :---

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Previous to Boomer's sensational 61 Horton Smith, the young American professional who failed dismally in Great Britain, had the spot-light all to himself in the Championship. He started off with a round of 66, followed this up with another 66 and then put on a 70 and 71 for the amazing total of 273 or 15 under an average of fours. Smith, who celebrated his 21st birthday during the Championship, was an easy winner, leading Boomer by 5 strokes notwithstanding his marvellous 3rd round of 61. In 3rd place was G. Sarazen, 285, and in 4th place Johnny Farrell, 290.

# GUELPH'S NEW COURSE IS GOING TO BE "A CORKER"

### DESPATCH from Guelph, June 3rd :--

A "A promise that he would have several of the world's most noted golfers visit Guelph on the occasion of the opening of Arthur W. Cutten's 18-hole golf course in a year's time was made by Chick Evans before he left the city for Chicago on Saturday, after inspecting the work on the new links, which is going ahead rapidly under his supervision. Expressing himself as delighted with the progress being made on the construction of the course, the famous United States golf star seemed confident that the million-dollar recreation centre would be thrown open to the public by July, 1930, and went further to say that the links would be second to none on the North American continent.

"In referring to the layout he had drafted, Evans did not hesitate to say that the course would be as stiff to navigate as could be found anywhere. He declared that the first nine holes, which are now well under way, will be as tricky as any he knows, and he has played on 700 or 800 courses during his brilliant golfing career. "Even the greatest golfer will have every club in his bag out before he gets around," he smilingly asserted.

"Fred Rickwood, pro of the Orillia Golf Club, who is directing the actual work on the grounds, was equally as enthusiastic about the outlook, stating that he wouldn't be surprised if the new course brought the Canadian Championship to Guelph in three years' time. 'One year after I finished the Summit course in Toronto the big match was pulled off there,' stated Rickwood, 'and this course will be a better one than anything in Toronto'.'

### TWO CANADIANS QUALIFY FOR U.S. OPEN Mr. Ross Somerville, Canadian Amateur Champion, and "Jimmie" Johnstone, of Rosedale, Demonstrate That They are Front-rank Golfers.

JAMES JOHNSTONE, long hitting Toronto professional of the Rosedale Golf Club, qualified June 10th to compete for the United States National Open golf crown to be contested for over the Winged Foot course of Mamaroneck, N.Y., starting June 27. Numbered among the large field of 222 contestants who played in the 36-hole qualifying round for the New York District, Johnstone put together scores of 77-78 to gain entrance to the choice ring of 28 who may compete for the prized Championship from the New York District.

Mr. Ross Somerville, of London, Ont., brought the Canadian qualifying quota up to two men when he registered two steady rounds over the Detroit Country Club course at the Michigan automobile city. The Canadian Amateur Champion had a 77 card in the morning and improved that score by four strokes in the afternoon for a 36-hole tally of 150.

Some of the nation's finest golfers fell by the wayside during the day as more than 900 golfers in 19 cities scattered from coast to coast, sought to qualify for the championship. Some upsets were to be expected but the experts hardly had counted on seeing the failure of such stars as Jess Sweetser, former U.S. and British amateur champion; Jess Guilford, the one-time "Boston seige gun", who also is a former national amateur titleholder; Watts Gunn, now of Pittsburg, who was runner-up to Bobby Jones in the national amateur of 1925; Mike Brady, veteran Winged Foot pro., who as long ago as 1911 was runner-up in the national Open, and Jimmy Farrell, elder brother of Johnny Farrell, who is to defend his title at Winged Foot.

However imposing this list of the fallen seems, there were a number of fine performances by other stars to balance the picture. Lighthorse Harry Cooper, runner-up to Tommy Armour in the national Open of 1927, and formerly of Hamilton, Ont., now a professional at Buffalo, was in great form at Pittsburg and covered Oakmont's difficult course in 143 strokes.

At Salisbury Plains, N.Y., where Jimmy Johnstone played, Willie



Mr. Ross Somerville, Canadian Amateur Champion, who qualifies for the U.S. Open, a very high honour indeed.

Klein, East Williston pro., made a record-breaking 66 on his first 18 to lead the Metropolitan District field with a 36-hole total of 146. Four amateurs, Eddie Held, Eddie Driggs, Maurice McCarthy, intercollegiate champion, and George Voigt qualified at Salisbury.



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("Carry Canadian Pacific Express Travellers") Cheques Good the World Over" At Chicago, where Jock Hutchison led the field with a fine score of 144, five first-rank stars discovered at the end of the day that they had been playing only for fun. The list of those who failed to qualify included Charles Chick Evans, amateur champion in 1916 and 1920 and Open titleholder in 1916; Abe Espinosa, Willie Hunter, Gus Novotny and Eddie Gayer.

Throughout the United States on June 10th nearly one thousand amateurs and professionals endeavoured to qualify for the 130 vacant places which outside of a chosen 23 who did not have to qualify on account of their showing in last year's championship, entitles the successful player to compete in the U.S. Open Championship starting June 27th. Ross Somerville and Jimmie Johnstone in qualifying have thus demonstrated that they are golfers of front rank calibre. They are both to be heartily congratulated. May they follow up their good work in the Championship the end of the month. It will be noticed that several of the finest players in the United States failed to qualify.

### Somerville and Johnstone Have Good Pairings

The United States Golf Association has very promptly released the list of pairings (153 contestants) who have qualified for the U.S. Open Championship next week at the Winged Foot Golf Club, Mamaroneck, New York. As previously recorded, two Canadians, Mr. C. Ross Somerville, London, Ont., Canadian Amateur Champion, and Jimmie Johnstone, professional of Rosedale, Toronto, Canadian professional golf champion 1926, qualified in a field of nearly 1,000 of the most prominent U.S. amateurs and pros. to compete in the championship-the biggest golfing event in America. Only 18 amateurs qualified for the fixture which makes Mr. Somerville's success in doing so all the more remarkable and gratifying from a Canadian standpoint. Mr. C. Evans, Jr., several, times Open and Amateur Champion, Jess Sweetser

and many other former U.S. champions failed "to make the grade."

The Qualifying Round in the U.S. Open is 18 holes next Thursday, the 27th, and 18 holes next Friday, the 28th. Mr. Somerville has been paired each day with that sterling U.S. professional, Ed. Dudley, of Wilmington, Del., whilst Johnstone draws Harold Long, of Denver, one of the outstanding pros. of Colorado. Both Canadians have been given favourable starting times alike on Thursday and Friday and it looks as though the U.S. officials have rather gone out of their way to honour the Canadian representatives.

Among the galaxy of stars competing, well known on Canadian courses, are Messrs. Bobby Jones, who as a boy tied some years ago for runnerup honours in the Canadian Open at Hamilton, and George Von Elm, who had the best amateur score (294) at Rosedale last year in the Canadian Open. Then there is Willie Macfarlane, Harry Cooper, Al. Watrous, former Canadian Open Champion. MacDonald Smith, also a former winner of the Canadian Open, as were too. Bill Trovinger, C. W. Hackney, and T. D. Armour, not to mention Leo Diegel, the present champion and twice previously the winner of the Canadian premier event. Diegel, by the way, is the only player to have his name inscribed three times on the Cup. Then there is also Bill Mehlhorn, Wilfred Reid, Johnny Farrell, Gil Nicholls, Joe Turnesa, Gene Sarazen, Walter Hagen, Jim Barnes, Jock Hutchison, and Arthur Ham. All these aces have taken part in the Canadian Open on one occasion or more and with more or less success. and the winner at Winged Foot next week can certainly be picked from this list of a dozen or so. An Open Championship with such a field of front-rank amateurs and professionals is, however, a gamble to which the proverbial uncertainty of a horse race can't compare, but there are two players who figure and will figure until the last putt is made on the evening

of the 28th in a most outstanding manner in the betting. And their names are Bobby Jones, four times Amateur Champion of the United States, twice Open Champion of the



"Jimmie" Johnstone, professional Rosedale Golf Club, who earns fame by qualifying for the U.S. Open.

U.S. and Great Britain, and Walter Hagen, the recently crowned British Open Champion for the fourth time and twice Open Champion of the United States. Tens of thousands of dollars will be placed on these two players, generally accounted and rightly so, too, the golf world's greatest amateur and greatest professional. 

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### "OUR HOLE-IN-ONE-CLUB"

Mashies and Irons are Already Doing Deadly Work from Tee to Tin. Tom Ross' Wonderful Performance.

JUDGING from the way they are already tumbling in this month there is going to be a record number of "one-shots" registered this season throughout the Dominion. Here is a choice little list received at the office of the "Canadian Golfer" this merry month of June up to and including the 10th :--

"Tom" Ross, the popular professional of the Wascana Country Club, Regina, Sask., came very nearly making a world's record when he holed out his tee shot on the 18th hole of that sporting course. The length of this hole is 325 yards-yes, 325 yards. R. R. Burton and A. C. Ladd, two well known Englishmen, have 330 yard holes-in-one to their credit and in the States the well known amateur, J. G. Anderson, registered the feat at a 328 yard hole at Brae Burn. So "Tom" is well up among the world-leaders and easily holds the Canadian record. Congratulations. That he was playing fine golf apart from the 18th is demonstrated by a card of 68-par of the course, 70.

The public golf courses of Canada are very much in evidence this month. Playing over the Glen Stewart course, Toronto, Dr. R. E. Davidson negotiated the well-bunkered 9th hole, 120 yards, in one. He was playing at the time with Messrs. H. G. Chinn, J. N. Chinn and George Keeley.

On June 10th playing over the Municipal Course at Medicine Hat, Alberta, with Messrs. Lorne Laidlaw and J. H. Yuill, Mr. S. C. Taylor bagged a "oneer" at the 4th hole, 141 yards.

The Edmonton Public Course comes across with two one-shotters. Mr. E. E. Wood, manager of the Otis-Fensom Elevator Co., got "his" at the tricky No. 4 hole, 170 yards, whilst Harvey Day, Jr., chose the 17th, 150 yards, for the performance. He is holder of the Edmonton City Championship and once before made a hole-in-one. Besides scoring his second ace, Harvey turned in a nifty card of 68 for the round, which is five strokes under par for the course. His card showed three birdies and two eagles for the round, while he was one stroke above par on only two holes.

Our old friend Langara, Vancouver, B.C. "Another transgressor," writes Mr. McCadden, manager, "Mr. Barney Glazer made our 16th in one on May

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26th. You have my sympathy." (Thanks, but we don't want it! We're financially "busted" anyway.—Ed. C.G.)

And then the Windsor Public Course, Winnipeg, gets into the picture. Mr. J. D. Lee found the tin from the tee there 'tother day, at the 130-yard 10th.

Mr. L. W. Peters, a member of a well known St. John, N.B., golfing family, playing with Colonel A. Mc-Millan on the course of the Riverside Golf and Country Club, where the Maritime Championships will be held this season, negotiated the 15th hole, 190 yards, in one.

The oldest golf club in America is next heard from. The famous 15th hole, "Hawthorn", 105 yards, on the North Course of the Royal Montreal Golf Club, was chosen by Mr. H. R. Little, a well known member of Dixie, for the stunt.

From far-away Salmon Arm, B.C., comes tidings of a "oneer". Playing with Mr. C. F. Kearns over the picturesque course there Mr. C. C. Barker recorded an ace at the 140 yard 6th hole.

Mr. L. A. Walsh playing with the President, Mr. A. L. Smith, put the charming Calgary Golf and Country Club in the picture when he negotiated the 200-yard 8th hole in one.

At the Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg, playing with Mr. C. H. Shannon, Mr. A. W. Gibb turned the trick at the 175-yard 16th hole.

Dr. Adam Beatty, one of the best known members of the Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto, celebrated his arrival at Canadian Senior golfing maturity (to which eminent Association he has just been elected) by holing his tee shot on the 6th hole. "The Doctor's partner, Mr. P. G. Blatchley," writes Mr. E. C. Bowyer, Secretary of Rosedale, "informs me that it was the most perfect spoon shot he has ever seen." Good work! Dr. Beatty sailed last week with the Canadian Senior Golf Team to play in the International Matches there. May he duplicate his "wonder" shot on historic Auld St. Andrews.

Once more Victoria, B.C., the city of one-shotters. Playing in a fourball match with Messrs. S. O. Halls, R. Dunn and A. Laurie, Mr. Wm. Wilkie secured an "eagle" at the 135yard 16th hole on the Uplands course.

Playing over the Marine Drive Golf and Country Club course at Vancouver, B.C., with Messrs. James E. Dye and J. E. Stephenson, Mr. W. G. McLachlan registered a golfer's greatest ambition at the 90-yard 14th hole, when he sank his mashie shot.

At the Country Club, Guelph, whilst playing with Messrs. W. V. Bagg, R. Hartrey and R. D. Bright, Mr. Jack Pursell, of Toronto, made a one at the 7th hole, 110 yards.

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Total "Holes-in-One" in Canada this season up to June 10th, 31.

The Canadian Golfer is often asked by Secretaries of clubs the awards offered by firms in Canada for registering "one-shots". Here they are and please keep a copy of this list and save unnecessary correspondence :---

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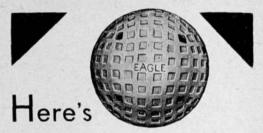
Dunlop Tire & Rubber Goods Co., Toronto—Souvenir trophy if feat is performed with Dunlop ball.

W. H. Whitaker Co., Ltd., 8 Colborne Street, Toronto—One dozen balls if feat is made with an Ayres Ball (limited to Clubs belonging to the Royal Canadian Golf Association).

Ellis Bros.—Set of bon-bon dishes (ladies only belonging to a club affiliated with the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union).

In addition the Mercury Mills Co., Ltd., Hamilton, Ontario, award the lady golfers who registered before June 15th and who make a "hole-intwo" a set of lingerie and hosiery.

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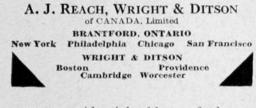
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ness or residential address of player must be given before any of these awards can be made.

### ALLISS WINS GERMAN CHAMPIONSHIP

OR the fourth successive occasion the German Open Championship has fallen to Percy Alliss, the former Wanstead professional, who is now attached to Wannsee, Berlin, where the Championship was played. It was the sixth of the series, the titles in 1911 and 1912 being won by Harry Vardon and J. H. Taylor respectively. The record for the course is 68, set up by Alliss and equalled by Mr. Thomas A. Torrance, who won the German Amateur Championship in 1927. There were 47 competitors, representing some half-dozen countries. The winner of the championship, if a professional, receives a gold medal and £125 cash prize, while a further £275 is divided among those occupying the next nine places. At the end of 36 holes Horton Smith, fresh from his wonderful victory in the French Open, led the field by a stroke. The feature of his play all day was his steadiness. He was consistent, and there was little fault to find with his driving, approaches, or putting. Percy Alliss, who had led in the morning with an excellent 70, was second. Walter Hagen, playing with Smith, also showed good form, but he encountered trouble in the afternoon at the 12th hole, where he took a six. Smith did this in an "eagle" three. On the second day the heat was most oppressive, but the golf was good and the competition never lacked interest. Showing fine form

and again returning 70, Alliss once more took the lead in the morning, Horton Smith requiring 73, and as these two players each did 74 in the afternoon, they finished first and second respectively. No other competitor seriously threatened Alliss, though Farrell, with a fine 71, and Walter Hagen, with 72, made good running at the end. Mr. Cyril Tolley was the leading amateur. Leading returns:—

| P. Alliss               | 70 | 71   | 70 | 74-285 |
|-------------------------|----|------|----|--------|
| Horton Smith (U.S.A.)   | 71 | 69   | 73 | 74-287 |
| J. Farrell (U.S.A.)     | 72 | 72   | 74 | 71-289 |
| W. Hagen (U.S.A.)       | 72 | 72   | 74 | 72-290 |
| E. Dudley (U.S.A.)      | 73 | 73   | 70 | 75-291 |
| A. Boomer               | 73 | 70   | 72 | 79-294 |
| S. Brews (South Africa) | 75 | 73   | 78 | 75-301 |
| B. Jersombeck (Wannsee) |    | 78   | 77 | 81-304 |
| J. Turnesa (U.S.A.)     | 74 | 79   | 75 | 79-307 |
| Mr. C. J. H. Tolley     |    | 77   | 76 | 80-308 |
| E. Roberts (Stockholm)  | 78 | - 79 | 76 | 75-308 |

Alliss' notable victory prevented the Americans making a clean sweep of all the principal European Championships, they having previously won the British and French Open Championships.

### THE RUN-UP AND PUTT

(By Olin Dutra, Professional at Brentwood)

HERE lies the secret of good scoring in so far as every truly great linksman is equipped with the art and skill of "boiling down" three shots into two from a few yards off the green.

In my estimation Walter Hagen is one of the best exponents in this department of the game. Truly, he is uncanny and reaches the bottom of the cup from off the green in two strokes with monotonous regularity, the one big reason Hagen is able to break down his opponent's defense and completely subdue him in match play, and there is no doubt in my mind that Hagen is truly the greatest match player in the world.

After carefully observing the styles of some of the country's foremost golfers and making a careful survey of the most orthodox manner in which to become efficient in these two departments, I shall endeavour to convey a few suggestions to the reader. Truly, there are many styles but I will endeavour to instruct you in the style most orthodox and easily applied to the average golfer.

First of all the run-up shot and the putt are closely related. The former may be played with various types of irons but under ordinary circumstances up to a distance of twenty yards from the green the best results are had by employing a straight-faced iron, a number three or four. In this stroke one should use a narrow stance, which means the feet are fairly close. the knees are relaxed, as knee action is very important. Do not confuse this with a body sway as sway is practically ruinous to good direction. The head is held very still and the ball placed back of the center-line nearer the right foot, the hands are slightly advanced of the centre, which insures the hitting of the ball on the down swing. The arms are now held in close to the body and the club head is taken back away from the ball on a line inside the direction line and the stroke is made through the ball toward the hole with a crisp but smooth stroke of the right hand. Here I might add that the slightest attempt on the part of the golfer to raise or "scoop" the ball with the wrists will prove disastrous.

# BIG FIELD ASSURED FOR CANADIAN OPEN

(Special Despatches Canadian Golfer)

INNIPEG, Man., June 11.—Entries for the Canadian Amateur Golf Championship to be played over the Jasper Park Lodge course, Jasper, Alberta, August 19 to 24, will close on August first, according to an announcement made to-day by C. E. Harvey, President of the R. C. G. A. Positively no entries will be accepted after that date, Mr. Harvey said, and it will be necessary for those desiring to play to have their entries in the hands of B. L. Anderson, Secretary of the R. C. G. A., 510 General Assurance Building, 357 Bay St., Toronto, Ont., before August 1. Players entering the Canadian Championship must have a certified handicap of ten or less. Figuring on this



Putting on the fifth green, Jasper Park Golf Course, where the Canadian Amateur and Western Championships are to be held next August. Jasper is a worthy rival of the celebrated Gleneagles Course in Scotland. Jasper has in fact been aptly christened "The Gleneagles of America."

basis, it is believed that about 100 players will tee off in the qualifying round of the major event at Jasper in August, the figures being arrived at as follows: Eastern Canada 20, Manitoba 15, Saskatchewan 10, Alberta 20, British Columbia 20, and the United States 15.

A much larger entry list is expected for the Western Canada Amateur Championship which will be played over the Jasper course at the same time. This event is open to players with a registered handicap of 16 or less. Entries for this event should be in the hands of Innes Mackenzie, Winnipeg, Secretary of the Western Canada Golf Association, not later than August 14, though in special circumstances post entries will be accepted at Jasper.

Another special despatch from Winnipeg, June 10th :---

"C. E. Harvey, President of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, was the guest of honour of the governors of his own course, Elmhurst, at a dinner, Saturday night. The governors of the Winnipeg Golf Club were also guests. During the course of the dinner, Mr. Harvey outlined the plans for the Canadian Amateur Championship Tournament which is to be played over the Jasper Park Lodge course, August 19 to 24. In reply the governors of the two clubs promised Mr. Harvey the full support of their clubs and pledged themselves to a united effort to assist in making this year's Tournament one of the most outstanding in golfing history of Canada. "Prospects for a record entry list are becoming brighter every day. The golfers' special train from Eastern Canada is likely to be filled, according to latest reports.."

#### British Columbia Will be There

Winnipeg, Man., June 13.—At least five and possibly seven Provinces will be represented in the Inter-Provincial Team Match over the Jasper Park Lodge Golf Course on August 19, according to information received by C. E. Harvey, President of the R. C. G. A. under whose direction the match will be played at the same time as the Canadian Amateur.

The British Columbia Golf Association, which has never been represented in the Inter-Provincial Match, will join Quebee, Ontario, Manitoba, and Alberta this year. In fact, enthusiasm has reached such a pitch in the Pacific Coast that permission was asked to enter two teams. This request, of course, was refused as the rules allow only one team from each Province to compete. Considerable interest is being shown in Saskatchewan also, where the Western executives of the R.C.G.A. are using their influence to bring about the formation of a team. The Eastern executives are bringing pressure to bear upon the Maritime Golf Association to enter a team.

"The entry of British Columbia has given the R.C.G.A. much satisfaction," Mr. Harvey said. "Some of the strongest players in Canada live on the Coast, where all year golf is possible and the British Columbia team can certainly be regarded as a dangerous contender for the honours.

"We who are endeavouring to promote golf from the realm of sectional to national competition," said Mr. Harvey, "believe that the Inter-Provincial Match provides the ideal avenue to accomplish that purpose. It is one thing for a player to represent himself, but a much higher honour for him to represent his Province and we believe only the very best golfers will find places on these Inter-Provincial Match teams. If that is the case, the standard of competitive golf provided by these matches will be of the highest and a truly national tone will be given to the Tournament, it will also have the effect of consolidating the union of golfers throughout the country.

"We began two years ago with three teams, increased it to four last year and now we are sure of five and hopeful of seven. We believe it is not too much to expect that in a year or two we will have all nine Provinces represented in this special event of the Canadian golfing calendar."

### CANADIAN SENIOR TEAM SAILS

THE Canadian Senior golf team, headed by the nine times champion, Mr. George S. Lyon, sailed for Liverpool on June 19th by the C.P.R. S.S. Mount Royal. A most attractive golfing programme has been arranged for them in Great Britain. They will stay over at Liverpool for a day or so before proceeding to London to have a game at famous Hoylake, the home of Mr. John Ball, eight times Amateur Champion of Great Britain.

The team has been invited to participate in the British Senior Championship at far-famed Sunningdale on the 10th and 11th of July and also have been invited to spend a day at Addington, one of the most beautiful courses in the London District, as the guests of Mr. Baker, who visited Canada last year with the British Seniors. Other friendly games will also be arranged for them.

The triangular International Championship, Great Britain, the United States and Canada, is staged at historical St. Andrews, July 5th and 6th. This will, of course, be the outstanding event of the tour.

The following is the Canadian team—at the last, two or three prominent Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal players were unable to make the trip. The Hon. Martin Burrell will represent the President of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, Mr. C. A. Bogert, Toronto, who regretfully on account of important business engagements, was not able to accompany and play on the team. The golfing end of the tour will be in the hands of Messrs. Lyon and Robinson.

George S. Lyon (Captain), Lambton Golf and Country Club; George L. Robinson, Lambton Golf and Country Club; F. R. Martin, Hamilton Golf & Country Club; F. G. James, Hamilton Golf and Country Club; T. Frank Matthews, Lambton Golf and Country Club; Dr. Cecil Chapin, Brantford Golf June, 1929

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### DATES ARRANGED FOR NORTHERN ONTARIO TOURNAMENTS

THE Executive of the Northern Ontario Golf Association met on Saturday, June 8th, 1929, and the following were present: Geo. W. Lee, North Bay; Ben Merwin, Sudbury; D. Miller, D. H. Pickard, Haileybury; A. King, Cochrane; H. Brigham, Timmins; P. H. Soderson, Clarke, Davis, Iroquois Falls; E. Little, Secretary of the Association, Iroquois Falls.

The dates of play for the Northern Ontario Tournament were decided upon as August 8, 9 and 10, with the best 16 to qualify and then consist of 18 hole match play with a 36-hole to decide the winner. There will also be a Consolation series.

A resolution was passed to be forwarded to the Secretary of each club asking them to communicate with the Secretary before the Annual Meeting if it was the desire of any club to change the method of play for any tournament.

### BRANTFORD GOLF CLUB'S JUBILEE YEAR

Is Successfully Inaugurated by the Holding of the Ontario Ladies' Twentieth Championship. Once Again the Misses Smith Meet Together in the Final, with a Reversal of Championship Honours.

O NCE again, at the Ontario Ladies' Championship at Brantford, the week of June 3rd, which by the way, was possibly the most successful Tournament ever held by the Association during its twenty years of existence, was the unique sight witnessed of two sisters fighting



Miss Jean Haslett, Hamilton, the particularly able President of the Ontario Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, which conducted the Championship so successfully.

for premier honours in the final. Last year at Windsor the Misses Smith, of Toronto, famous figure skaters and all-round young athletes, battled for the Championship and again at Brantford this year. Miss Cecil, the defending champion, is generally conceded to have a "slight edge" on her sister, Miss Maude, but the latter young lady decidedly played the better game in the final test and well deserved to win from her sister two up. Both these charming and unassuming young. champions have a sound game in their bags and should go far, very far in the years to come.

The Misses Smith are not the only sisters who have been called upon to oppose one another in a Championship final. In 1907 Miss M. Hezlett (who won) and Miss F. Hezlett, fought it out in the English Ladies' Championship at Newcastle, County Down. A quarter of a century ago the Hezlets were the most famous golfing family in Great Britain. Mrs. Hezlet was a fine player as were all her children. A son is Major Hezlet who is still very prominent in the golfing world. He has twice visited Canada with the British Walker Cup teams and is very popular on Canadian courses with players and galleries alike as he is a most genial Irishman. And all the world loves a sporting, high-class Irishman.

This Ontario Ladies' Championship very appropriately marked the opening ceremonies in connection with the Jubilee year of the Brantford Golf and Country Club. Fifty years ago, on the hills dominated now by the extensive buildings of the Brantford General Hospital overlooking the city beneath, then a very small place indeed, Mr. A. Robertson, manager of the Bank of British North America, and a few other enthusiastic Scots resident in Brantford, in those early days plied the long-faced drivers and long-faced irons and putters over a 6-



Two charming young sisters, noted golfers and figure skaters. For the second year in succession they fought it out in the Final for the Ontario Ladies' Championship. On the left Miss Cecil, who won the event last year. On the right, Miss Maude (Jim), who this month at Brantford defeated her sister, 2 up.

more or less in conjunction with the Little did those pioneers of the Royal

hole course. It was a very crude lay- Toronto Golf Club (1876) it marked out with a shed for a club house but the beginning of golf in Ontario. and Ancient Game fifty years or more ago in Ontario ever realize the many tens of thousands of adherents that were destined to follow in their footsteps.



Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro Golf and Country Club, Toronto, who took Miss Cecil Smith to the 19th hole in the semifinals.

But to return to the Ontario Ladies' Championship, marking as it did, most appropriately the "stepping-tee" in this Brantford Jubilee. There was a splendid entry of over 120 leading women golfers of the Province with the regrettable exception of the many times former champions, Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto, Mrs. Gordon Ferrie, Hamilton (who did, however, compete in the Qualifying Round the first day, which she promptly annexed), Mrs. Whittington and Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen, who made quite a reputation for herself recently in the British Open at St. Andrews, Scotland, going to the fourth round before being eliminated by Miss Glenna Collett, the U.S. star.

As properly befitting a Jubilee, all through Championship week in contra-distinction to last year the weather was ideal, barring one or two days during which nasty cross-winds unquestionably penalized more or less medal scores. The course on the banks of the historical Grand River, was in superb condition—a veritable emerald green from the first tee till the eighteenth green. A bit heavy in spots but lending itself to bold play through the fairways up to the greens.

In the Qualifying Round Mrs. Gordon Ferrie, of Hamilton, played exceptionally fine golf to register an 84 -a card which was not excelled throughout the Championship and that was quite a remarkable perform-To Miss K. Bishop, a young ance. Brantford player, who is a newcomer in championships, went the credit of the second best gross score, a most commendable 87. Other good cards were: Mrs. Sidney Jones, Toronto, 88; Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto, 88; Mrs. Gouinlock, Toronto, 90; Miss Maude Smith, Toronto, 90; Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto, 91; Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton, 91; Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro, 91; Miss Hazel Hudson, Toronto Ladies, 94.

As a result of this Qualifying Round, which also determined the Club Team Championship, won by the **rep**resentatives of the Toronto Golf Club, Mrs. Sidney Jones, Miss Cecil Smith, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, and Miss Maude Smith, the following sixteen players qualified and played down for the Championship: Miss C. Smith, Toronto Golf Club (Champion 1928); Mrs. B. H. L. Symmes, Toronto; Miss M. Hunter, Glendale; Mrs.

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M. K. Rowe, Toronto; Miss C. Bishop, Brantford; Mrs. H. K. Stevens, Waterloo County; Miss E. Ellis, Hamilton; Miss M. Thomson, Paris; Miss Maud Smith, Toronto; Mrs. W. S. Hunt, Sarnia; Miss Hazel Hudson, Toronto; Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton, defeated Miss Marion Thomson, Paris, 8 and 6.

Miss Maude Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated Mrs. W. S. Hunt, Sarnia, 3 and 1.

Miss Hazel Hudson, Toronto Ladics, defeated Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf, at 20th hole.



Prominent members of the Executive of the Ladies' Section of the Brantford Golf and Country Club, which this year is celebrating its Jubilee. Reading left to right, Mrs. Gordon Duncan, President; Mrs. N. D. Neill, First Vice-President; Mrs. H. Howie, Second Vice-President; Mrs. S. Alfred Jones, Hon. Vice-President.

Mrs. Gouinlock, Toronto; Miss Mary Donald, Burlington; Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Toronto; Mrs. Sidney Jones, Toronto; Mrs. W. G. McLeod, Toronto.

Miss Catharine Bishop, Brantford, defeated Mrs. H. K. Stevens, Waterloo County, 4 and 3. Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated Mrs. B. H. L. Symmes, Mississauga, 5 and 4. Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto Golf, defeated

Miss Mary Hunter, Glendale, 3 and 1. Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro, defeated Miss

Mary Donald, Burlington, 5 and 4. Mrs. Sidney Jones, Toronto Golf, defeated

Mrs. W. G. McLeod, Lambton, 7 and 6.

Second round :---

Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton, defeated Miss Katharine Bishop, Brantford, 2 and 1. Miss Maude Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated Miss Hazel Hudson, Toronto Ladies, 2 and 1. Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated

Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf, 9 and 7.

Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro, defeated Mrs. Sidney Jones, Toronto Golf, 4 and 3.

Semi-final:-

Miss Maude Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton, 5 and 3.



Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton Golf and Country Club, defeated in the semi-finals by Miss Maude Smith.

Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf, defeated Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro, at 19th hole. Final-Miss Maude Smith defeated Miss Cecil Smith 2 up.

One of the most interesting matches in the first round was that between Miss Hazel Hudson, the long driving young player of the Toronto Ladies' Club, and Mrs. Gouinlock, a brilliant player from the Toronto Club, who took Miss Hazel to the 20th hole before acknowledging defeat. Miss Hudson, who is a protege of Miss Ada Mackenzie's, and a pupil of Lew Cum-

ming, professional of the Ladies' Golf Club, Toronto, is destined in the near future to be heard from. Mrs. Gouinlock, as a result of this match, went into the Championship Consolation, where she eventually won the "Canadian Golfer's" first prize by very steady and consistent golf. Mrs. Gouinlock, too, is, comparatively speaking, a young golfer who has a rattling good game in her bag. She, like Miss Hudson, has all the hallmarks of a coming champion.

Unquestionably the feature match of the championship was the one staged in the semi-finals between Mrs. J. H. Riddel and Miss Cecil Smith, last year's Ontario Champion. Mrs. Riddel is the ranking player of the Searboro Golf Club, Toronto. Last year she tied with Miss Ada Mackenzie in the Toronto City Championship, but lost to the many times Canadian and Ontario Champion in the play-off. Mrs. Riddel learned her game in Scotland in the Glasgow District, coming to Canada some twelve years ago. She knows the game from tee to green and installed herself as a very great favourite indeed during the Championship. The first hole at Brantford was never a favourite with her from the Qualifying Round to her ultimate finish. She picked up in her match in her semi-finals with Miss Cecil, but then on from until the 9th she played the steadiest kind of golf, notching 35 for the next eight holes to establish the commanding lead over her young opponent of three holes. Then on the 10th and again on the 15th her mashie went more or less back on her from over approaching the greens. All square eventually at the 18th Miss Cecil registered a long putt on the extra (19th) hole to account for Mrs. Riddel, who missed the cup from a shorter putt to again square the match. A very large gallery followed this intensely interesting semi-final.

In the other bracket Miss Maude (Jim) Smith had accounted in the semi-finals for Miss Edith Ellis, a particularly promising young Hamilton player, by 5 and 3, so once again the "Sisters Smith", last year's Champion and runner-up, fought it out in the final.

And a very interesting final it was, too, notwithstanding that to some extent it lacked inter-city or inter-club interest. They are such charming young golfers and they do play such a clean-cut game that a large following witnessed the play at every hole every one of which was more or less divided until the 16th. At the dog's leg 17th Miss Maude registered a win and then at the 18th came the climax of a well fought match. Miss Cecil here outdrove her sister by forty yards or so and had decidedly the edge on making a par four. Miss Maude hesitated for a minute or so about taking wood or iron. Fortunately she took her brassie and with one of the best shots of the round reached the green, hole high to the right. Miss Cecil was over the bank guarding the green, with an iron and coming back well over with her third, was short in her fourth and conceded the hole and the championship 2 holes down to her sister, who was the runner-up last year. Altogether a most colourful wind-up of a colourful Championship.

In the various Flight Finals which were productive of many interesting matches, the results were as follows:

Championship Consolation-Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf, defeated Mrs. Willo G. McLeod, Lambton, 4 and 3.

First flight-Mrs. C. R. Blackburn, Lakeview, defeated Mrs. W. S. Ware, Lakeview, 2 and 1.

Second flight-Miss Gertrude Robarts, Toronto Ladies, defeated Mrs. J. S. Mc-Caughey, Glendale, 3 and 2.

Third flight-Mrs. Victor Sifton, Toronto Golf, defeated Miss Margot Murray, Toronto Ladies, 5 and 4.

Fourth flight-Mrs. Fergus McKee, Summit, defeated Miss Margaret Smith, Essex County, 3 and 1.

Fifth flight-Miss Betty Wadsworth, Toronto Golf, defeated Miss Lillian Wicksom, Paris, 3 and 2.

Sixth flight-Mrs. T. Albert Brown, Lambton, defeated Mrs. C. Meyers, Toronto Ladies, 4 and 3.

Immediately after the Championship final on the spacious lawn in front of the club house, Miss Jean Haslett, of Hamilton, the extremely capable President of the Ontario Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Duncan, President of the Ladies' Branch of the Brantford Golf Club,



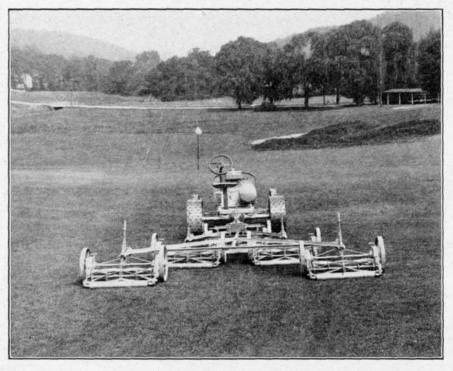
Mrs. Gordon Ferrie, of Hamilton, winner of the Qualifying Round, but who afterwards did not compete in the Championship, which she won in 1924 and 1925.

Mrs. Leonard Murray, Toronto, for ten years the President of the C. L. G. U., Mrs. Ralph H. Reville, the first ladies' President of the Brantford Club, and Colonel Brooks, President of the Brantford Club, presented the prizes for the Championship, Flights, and other competitions as follows:—

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lop Trophy, presented by the Dunlop Tirc & Rubber Co. Championship, runner-up, Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf Club, prize, presented by directors of the Brantford Golf and Country Club. Championship semi-finalist, Mrs. Riddel, Scarboro Golf Club, prize, presented by Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. J. M. Ferguson; semi-finalist, Miss Edith Ellis, Hamilton Golf and Country Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Championship Consolation, winner, Mrs. W. R. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf Club, prize, presented by Mr. Ralph H. Reville, "Canadian Golfer"; runner-up, Mrs. W. G. McLeod, Lambton Golf and Country Club, prize, presented by Mr. Kenneth Bunnell. C.L.G.U. ing and putting, Silver Division, 1st, Mrs. Ware, Lakeview Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; 2nd, Mrs. Eddis, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Approaching and putting, Bronze Division, 1st, Mrs. T. A. Brown, Lambton Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; 2nd, Miss Gertrude Robarts, Ladies' Golf Club.

#### Flights

1st Flight, winner, Mrs. Blackburn, Lakeview Golf Club, prize, presented by Ladies' Match Committee of the Brantford Golf and Country Club; runner-up, Mrs. Ware, Lakeview Golf Club, prize, presented by



The end of the hard-fought Final. The Misses Smith playing the 18th hole at Brantford which was won by Miss Maude in a par 4, giving her a 2 up victory. On the right "Freddie" Hunt, Brantford professional, who umpired the game.

Team Trophy, Club Team Match, winner, Toronto Golf Club, team, Mrs. Sidney Jones, Miss Cecil Smith, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Miss Maud Smith, prizes, presented by On-tario Branch C.L.G.U. Best gross score, winner, Mrs. Gordon Ferrie, Hamilton Golf and Country Club, prize, presented by Lieut.-Col. Brooks; second best gross score. winner, Miss Katherine Bishop, Brantford Golf and Country Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Best nett score, winner, Miss Mary Hunter, Glendale Golf Club, prize, presented by Mrs. G. G. Duncan. Second nett score, winner, Miss Gertrude Robarts, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Best nett score of Brantford players, presented by F. Hunt, professional Brantford Golf Club, to Miss Katherine Bishop, Brantford Golf and Country Club. Driving, Silver Division, 3 best drives, Miss Hazel Hudson, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; longest drive, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Driving, Bronze Division, 3 best drives, Mrs. Dutton Copp, Summit Golf Club, prize, presented by On-tario Branch C.L.G.U.; longest drive, Miss Mary Hunter, Glendale Golf Club. Approach-

Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. 2nd flight, winner, Miss G. Roberts, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L. G.U.; runner-up, Mrs. J. S. McCaughey, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. 3rd flight, winner, Mrs. Victor Sifton, Toronto Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U .; runner-up, Miss Margot Murray, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. 4th flight, winner, Mrs. Fergus McKee, Summit Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; runner-up, Miss Margaret Smith, Essex County Golf and Country Club. 5th flight, winner, Miss Wadsworth, Toronto Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; runner-up, Miss Wickson, Paris Golf Club. 6th flight, winner, Mrs. T. A. Brown, Lambton Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U.; runnerup, Mrs. Meyers, Ladies Golf Club, prize, presented by Ontario Branch C.L.G.U. Ontario Handicap Trophy, presented by the First Executive of the Ontario Branch C.L.G.U., winner, Mrs. Gordon Plaxton, Summit Golf Club.

During the Championship week the Brantford Golf Club Directors were the hosts at a most enjoyable dinner to the entrants at which speeches were made by Col. Brooks, President of the Club; Mrs. Lyle, Toronto, President of the C.L.G.U., a most welcome visitor; Miss Jean Haslett, President of the Ontario Branch of the C.L.G.U.; Mrs. Gordon Duncan, President of the Ladies' Branch of the Brantford Golf Club, and others. On the closing day Olmstead, Hamilton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. S. McCaughey, Glendale; handicap manager, Miss J. McFarlane; chairman of pars committee, Mrs. E. W. Whittington, Oakville; executive, Mrs. G. Ferrie, Hamilton; Mrs. M. Hendry, Hamilton, and Mrs. D. Coulson, Toronto.

In Miss Haslett the lady golfers of Ontario have not only an able execu-



Miss Haslett and the Committee presenting the prizes at conclusion of the Tournament on the putting green in front of the club house.

an afternoon tea was greatly enjoyed by over two hundred players and guests.

Altogether the Ontario Ladies' Championship marked the opening event in a thoroughly successful manner of the Brantford Club's Jubilee Year. Next September the men's section of the Club will endeavour to duplicate this success and it will be hard work to do so, with an Invitation Tournament and dinner for which invitations will be issued to many of the leading golfers and golfing executives of Canada.

During Championship Week the annual meeting of the Ontario Branch of the C.L.G.U. was held at the Brantford club house at which the following particularly capable executive was reelected:

President, Miss Jean Haslett, Hamilton; vice-president, Mrs. Ingersoll tive but a particularly graceful speaker, as was demonstrated at the presentation of prizes during the Championship.

In her interesting speech preceding the presentation of prizes, Miss Haslett referred to the fact that the women golfers of Canada should never forget the great work done for them in the past by Miss Florence Harvey, of Hamilton, a former Lady Champion of Canada, now residing in Natal, South Africa, who first instituted the Ontario Championship, and Mrs. Leonard Murray, of Toronto, for ten years the very capable President of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union. who only resigned the Presidency recently. Mrs. Murray was a particularly welcome visitor to Brantford the last day of the Tournament and assisted in the presentation of the prizes.



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### IMPORTANT CHANGE IN WESTERN GOLF TOUR SCHEDULE

N IMPORTANT change has just been announced by the C.P.R. and C.N.R. Passenger Departments in connection with the big Western Golfing Tour which they are sponsoring in connection with the "Canadian Golfer" and which is scheduled to leave Toronto on August the 12th. It has now been arranged that the special train will leave Winnipeg at 11 p.m. on the night of the 14th of August, instead of the 15th. This means that Jasper Park will be reached at 8 a.m. on the morning of the 16th instead of the 17th. This change, and a very desirable change, too, will give the entrants to the Canadian Amateur Championship an extra day's practice at Jasper. As a number of leading U.S. amateurs have signified their intention of entering for the Canadian event, on their way to the U.S. Amateur Championship at Del Monte, Calif., which is staged for the week of Sept. 2nd, it is very necessary that the Canadians thoroughly familiarize themselves with the difficult Jasper course by August 19th, the opening day of the Canadian Amateur.

### THE JEWELLERS OF ONTARIO

#### Present the Brantford Golf and Country Club with a Handsome Cup in Recognition of Hospitality and the Club's Jubilee Year.

THE Ontario Jewellers Convention was held in Brantford this month with a large attendance of members. A golf tournament was one of the features of the meeting. The following were the prize winners:--

Best nett, challenge eup, G. Hinton, Toronto. Best gross, challenge cup, J. B. Nash, London. Best nett, foursome, cups, N. Marshall, Toronto; C. S. Coulter, Toronto; J. S. Bliss, Niagara Falls; E. H. Newman, Brantford. Best gross, foursome, eups, Geo. Hinton, Toronto; A. S. Levy, Hamilton; F. Savauge, Seaforth; J. L. Young, Brantford. Best nett, first 9 holes, plate, J. S. Bliss, Niagara Falls. Best gross, first nine holes, clock, V. H. Dennis, Toronto. Best nett, second 9 holes, desk set, E. J. Shipp, Toronto. Best gross, second 9 holes, desk set, P. H. Walker, Montreal. Most strokes, 18 holes, tobacco pouch, F. R. Frey, Weston. Best score, first, blind hole, knife and chain, A. S. Levy, Hamilton. Best score, second, blind hole, knife and chain, F. J. White, Walkerville. Best score, third, blind hole, knife and chain, Chas. Young, Brantford. Highest score, first, blind, cup, P. Milnes, Toronto. Highest score, second, blind, E. H. Gunther, Brantford. Highest score, third, blind, cup, Jas. Watt, Vancouver. Best score 27 hdcp., cup, C. S. Coulter.

The climax of the convention came in the evening at the dinner-dance. Following a most enjoyable repast, R. L. McGill, immediate past president, presided for the presentation of prizes. Before reading the list and giving out the awards, however, he sprang a delightful surprise on the Brantford Golf and Country Club when he called upon Lieut.-Col. W. C. Brooks, president, and then asked S. H. Lees, Hamilton, to present to him, on behalf of the Jewelers' Association, a very handsome silver trophy. Mr. Lees, in making the presentation, thanked the president and directors of the club for their kindness and much appreciated hospitality in giving over the club premises for the convention. He hoped that the trophy might be put up for annual, competition.

Col. Brooks, in reply, extended a cordial welcome to the jewelers and then returned thanks for the cup, which, he remarked, was a very fine one. He gave assurance that it would be put up annually for competition. The gift was the more appropriate because, this year, the Brantford Golf and Country Club, one of the oldest on the continent, is celebrating its 50th anniversary.

### FAMOUS OTTAWA LADY GOLFER REMOVES TO TORONTO

THE ladies of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club on Thursday, June 13th, said au revoir to their fellow member, Mrs. Ronald Holmes (nee Helen Paget), who, as a result of her recent marriage, takes up her residence in the city of Toronto. The occasion took the form of an enjoyable dinner and bridge. Mrs. R. B. Veits, President of the Ladies' Club, occupied the chair, and pro-



Mrs. Ronald Holmes (nee Miss Helen Paget), well known Royal Ottawa golfer who will in future play in Toronto.

posed the health of Mrs. Holmes in a felicitous speech, closing with the presentation of a beautiful silver salver as a token of regard to Mrs. Holmes. The recipient made a brief but graceful acknowledgement. Songs and choruses enlivened the proceedings. At the close the ladies indulged in bridge.

Mrs. Holmes removal to Toronto will be keenly felt in Royal Ottawa and Quebec golfing circles. From girlhood up she has been an outstanding figure in golfing circles not only in the Capital but in the Province of Quebee. She won the Ladies' Quebec Championship in 1926 and 1927. The year 1925. however, witnessed her greatest triumph on the links when at Rivermead, Ottawa, she defeated Miss Ada Mackenzie 2 and 1 for the Ladies' Close Championship of Mrs. Holmes will be a Canada. great addition to the ladies' golfing ranks in Toronto and for that matter in Ontario. Heretofore she has always played for the Province of Many golfing friends Quebec. throughout Canada will heartily join in wishing her a happy mar-

ried life and golfing successes many now and in the years to come.

### GOLF A GREAT VOGUE THIS YEAR AT CHARLOTTETOWN P.E.I.

THE Charlottetown Golf Course now boasts since recent improvements and additions to be the finest course in Eastern Canada. On Saturday, June 8, the first of a series of matches for the McKinnon and McClure Trophy began, to be awarded to the golfer who succeeds in capturing the issue on two different occasions. The winner for 1927 was Charles McKinnon, and for 1928 Victor Saunders. Should either of these gentlemen win the match this year the trophy will be awarded them permanently. There are 18 double players (36 in all) in the draw.

"Tom" Tonks, professional golf coach, is to reach here on the 17th and will be at the course for a period of two weeks to give lessons to beginners and all others who wish to improve their play. Tonks comes highly recommended Interest in golf has greatly increased in this Province. The membership of the Charlottetown Club is now 310.

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|       | Yds. | Yds.  | Par  | Par   |
|-------|------|-------|------|-------|
| Out   | Long | Short | Long | Short |
|       | Tee  | Tee   | Tee  | Tee   |
| 1     | 375  | 349   | 4    | 4     |
| 2     | 311  | 283   | 4    | 4     |
| 3     | 528  | 490   | 5    | 5     |
| 4     | 497  | 457   | 5    | 5     |
| 5     | 198  | 170   | 3    | 3     |
| 6     | 450  | 424   | 4    | 4     |
| 7     | 147  | 118   | 3    | 3     |
| 8     | 376  | 326   | 4    | 4     |
| 9     | 443  | 402   | 4    | 4     |
|       | 3325 | 3019  | 36   | 36    |
| In    |      |       |      |       |
| 10    | 467  | 434   | 5    | 4     |
| 11    | 428  | 391   | 4    | 4     |
| 12    | 183  | 151   | - 3  | 3     |
| 13    | 470  | 440   | 5    | 4     |
| 14    | 407  | 380   | 4    | 4     |
| 15    | 372  | 333   | 4    | 4     |
| 16    | 384  | 356   | 4    | 4     |
| 17    | 220  | 187   | 3    | 3     |
| 18    |      | 394   | 4    | 4     |
| D     |      |       |      |       |
| Dist  |      | 3066  | 36   | 34    |
| Out   |      | 3019  | 36   | 36    |
| Total | 6683 | 6085  | 72   | 70    |

### WITH THE PROFESSIONALS Interesting News of the Men Who Do So Much for the Royal and Ancient Game, from Coast to Coast

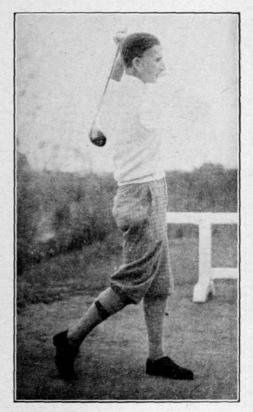
CRUTTENDEN, the RTHUR very efficient professional of the Summit Club, Toronto, who was runner-up to Willie Lamb for the Canadian professional title last July, was returned the winner of the second 36-hole medal competition of the Ontario Professional Golfers' Association this season, when he returned a total of 154 at Lakeview, Toronto. His rounds were 41, 38, 40, 35. Tied for second place, two strokes behind the winner, were Willie Lamb, of Uplands, and Davie Ferguson, of Weston, these three being the only players in the total of 31 competitors to break 80 on both rounds. Tied for fourth place, three strokes behind the winner, were Len White, of Glen Stewart, and Bob Cunningham, of Mississauga.

The scoring was higher than expected, there being but nine scores under 80 in the morning, two 77's, White and Jack Roberts, of Oshawa, and seven 79's, while in the afternoon Cunningham and Cruttenden tied for the best cards of the day with 75's. In addition there were three 77's, one 78 and one 79 in the second round, but at no time during the day was the record for the course, 72, set by Johnny Farrell and Clarence Hackney at the Canadian Open in 1923, threatened.

Just why the high scoring is hard to say. The course was in excellent shape, the weather was as near perfect as can be expected and the players felt in a scoring mood but while they played good golf most of the way practically every one ran into one, two or more bad holes and away went the hope of getting close to 72.

In addition to the regular prize money there was an additional \$15 for first place, donated by Mr. L. M. Wood, president of the O.G.A. and honourary president of the O.P.G.A., and a \$5 prize to the leading assistant, Gordon Brysdon, presented by Karl Keffer, of Ottawa. The association is steadily growing in numbers.

\* \* \* "Lal" Taylor, who is again this season professional, at the pretty Restigouche Golf Club, McLeod's Siding, New Brunswick, writes that the fairways and greens are in first-class shape having wintered well. The official opening of the Club took place



A. E. Cruttenden, Summit Golf Club, Toronto, runner-up in the Canadian Professional Golf Championship last year, who wins Lakeview Tournament.

on June 3rd and there was a large turn-out of members and guests. Tourists in New Brunswick would be well advised to include the Restigouche Club in their itinerary.

Jack S. Kelsey, the young Toronto pro who is at Sydney, N.S., this season, writes very enthusiastically of the Lingan Club and course in that city. The formal opening took place on June 5th with a large attendance, a number of new members having joined this season. He states the course is rounding into fine shape.

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There are a large number of particularly enthusiastic golfers in Sydney.

Jean Gassiat, of Chiberta, won the French national golf championship played at the Chiberta course with a total of 311 for 72 holes. Marcel Dallemagne, of Calbourg, was second with 315. The best score for 18 holes was 74, made by Julien Onengo, of St. Germain.

Davie Spittal, one of the outstanding golf professionals of the Dominion, who was appointed professional at the Royal York C. P. R. course last month, is also available for lessons at the pretty miniature course at the Old Mill, nearby, which was recently opened up. A fine instructor is "Davie". None better on the continent.

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Stuart Murray, a young English professional who came to Canada recently, has been appointed professional at Boule Rock Golf Club, a popular summer resort at Metis Beach, Que. He was formerly assistant to the celebrated young English professional, Harry Cotton, at Bechenham, Kent.

#### \* \* \*

Archie Kerr and Bill Bloor, assistant professionals with Willie Freeman at the York Downs Club, Toronto, have both been re-engaged for the summer by the clubs they were with last year. Bloor will start his sixth season at Eastbourne on June 25, while Kerr went to the Royal Muskoka Hotel on June 15.

#### \* \* \*

Harry ("Light Horse") Cooper, Buffalo golf pro, former Hamilton (Ont.) caddie, found himself \$300 richer after having run away from a field of 55 entrants in the New York State professional golf tournament at Syracuse, N.Y. Going out in par 72, on the morning round, Cooper came back with a 67, a new low for the course. Cooper was runner-up to Tommy Armour in the 1927 U.S. National Open. Eleven strokes behind the winner and tied for second money were George Christ, of Rochester, and Jim McGregor, of Auburn, with cards of 150 each. Charles McKenna, of Rochester, placed third with 152. Christ and McGregor received \$125 each and McKenna \$75.

#### \* \* \*

Despatch from New York, June 9: "Headed by Walter Hagen, Open Golf Champion of Great Britain, the last column of an expeditionary golf force returned from Europe to-day. With the four times' champion of Britain were Johnny Farrell, Open Champion of the United States, Joe Turnesa, winner of the Leeds Thousand Giuneas Tournament, Horton Smith, professional champion of France, and Ed. Dudley, who failed to win a foreign title but broke a course record while he was away. The players were given a rousing welcome. They speak most enthusiastically of their European tour."

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Sid Lingard, professional at the Riverside Golf Club, St. John, N.B., writes enthusiastically of the golfing prospects there this season. The Maritime Championships will be held there July 29th-August 2nd, and both time and money are being expended in whipping the course into championship shape. "I have one hundred new members to look after," Lingard says. "Our membership is now up to the limit. We are building the finest tennis courts and I think, too, we have the best course."

Joe Turnesa, one of the U.S. Ryder Cup team, who did very badly in the Ryder Cup matches and in the British Open, certainly redeemed himself in the Yorkshire "Evening News" Tournament. This young Italian player certainly looked all in, in the final, when the British pro., Herbert Jolly, was 3 up at the 33rd hole or dormie three. Then Turnesa, who has several times competed in the Canadian Open with, however, little success, pulled himself together and won the next three holes to become all square at the 36th and then proceeded to make an "eagle" 3 on the extra hole by holing out a 20-yard approach putt. Jolly followed with a 25-yard putt for a birdie four but it was too late. The two players had a big fight to reach the final, all the leading British and U. S. stars competing in the event, which was won for the first time by an American.

Tom Ross, professional of the Wascana Country Club, Regina, Sask., writes that the season has opened up most auspicuously. "We are rounding the course into great shape for the Saskatchewan Provincial Championship to be held here August 5th to the 10th. We expect to have a record Tournament."



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C. H. Reith, the new pro. at the Winnipeg Golf Club, is already showing midseason form. Over the difficult Bird's Hill course he turned in a 69 this month. On two holes he was one over par, but five birdies took care of these lapses. His card was as follows:

It is not generally known that Mac-Donald Smith, winner of the Canadian Open in 1926, runner-up in 1927 and also tied with Archie Compston and Walter Hagen for second place last year, owns considerable valuable business and residential property in San Francisco and Los Angeles and is rated among the world's richest professional golfers. He came out to the States from Carnoustie, Scotland, some twenty years ago as a young professional without the proverbial penny in his pocket.

Bobby Cruickshank, former Scotch amateur, now a leading professional in the States, writing for Golf Monthly, Edinburgh, Scotland, makes an interesting comparison of British and American golf links. He declares that while in England the seaside links are supreme her inland courses are not so good as those in the States.

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O. R. Waighorn, who was professional at Fredericton, N.B., last season, is this year at the Edmunston Golf Club, Edmunston, N.B. He writes:---

"They have fine golfing possibilities here. I have just successfully been rewarded after seeding the nine new greens. The weather conditions here have been most favourable for the courses. I like Edmunston fine and must say that it is the active spirit like the Edmunston Golf Committee possess that will make golf stand out in the Maritime Provinces. At present nine temporary greens are in play and the new ones



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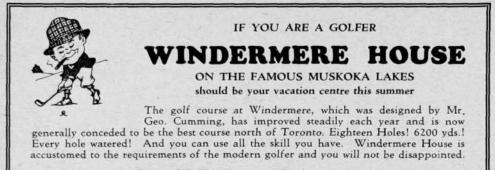
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will be in play by August 15th. A new club house has just been built and the appearance of the club is a treat to the golfer's eye.''

In place of H. Marsh, who has gone to Islesmere, Montreal, B. C. Gray has been appointed professional at the Laurentian Golf and Country Club. Ste. Agathe, Des Monts, a particularly popular resort club near Montreal.

Herbert Samways is the professional this year at the Golf and Country Club, Chatham, Ontario, and is in for a busy season as golf in Chatham is becoming increasingly popular.

# GREAT BRITAIN AND OVERSEAS

#### Interesting Happenings on the Courses of England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales and the British Overseas Dominions

**O**<sup>VER</sup> the new Ratho course near Edinburgh, James Braid beat Harry Vardon 5 and 4 in an 18hole match. Vardon won the fourth hole, but Braid secured the sixth and seventh to turn with a lead of 1. Afterwards he won the 10th, 11th, 12th, and 14th for the match.

In an interesting match over the Stockport Club's course at Torkington nine of the American Ryder Cup team, together with Jose Jurado (Argentine), opposed a team of amateurs representing the Lancashire and District Alliance. Each American played the better-ball of two amateurs, and the professionals were successful by  $5\frac{1}{2}$  points to  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , the issue resting with Walter Hagen, who defeated A. W. Smith and C. R. Darlington by 2 and 1 to give his side the victory by a margin of 1 point.

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Receipts from the Glasgow Corporation courses for the period from May 1, 1928, to March 31, 1929, show an increase of nearly £100 over the previous year, and the number of players has jumped from 189,773 to 233,955. The Linn Park course provided a revenue of £1,346, while Deaconsbank and Littlehill were also over the £1,000 mark.

For some weeks golfers on the Taconic Club links at Williamstown lost a number of balls in most mysterious circumstances. They were not balls that were sliced or pulled, but which, apparently, went straight up the fairway. The mystery was solved when a cow that used to graze near one of the greens was killed, for in its stomach were found 29 golf balls.

Despite a plebiscite taken among members of the Largs Routenburn Club on the question of Sunday play, which resulted in favour by 134 votes to 41, the town council have refused

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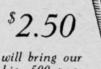
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For the second time Mrs. Saethon Williams, formerly a member of the Camberley Heath Golf Club, England, has won the South African Ladies' Open Championship.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, playing a sparkling game, won the Coombe Hill Golf Club's weekly cup recently. The Prince was his usual steady self off the tee while his irons were long and true. When he played recently with Walter Hagen, the farfamed United States pro. gave the heir to the throne a number of tips on how to correct a slice which was epidemic with the Prince's mid-iron. The Prince's strokes at Coombe Hill were ample proof that he profited from his impromptu lesson.

Possessed of service well beyond the retireable limit, Supt. J. McBrien, of the "Special" branch of Scotland Yard, has just completed 40 years in

the police force. He is known not only as a brilliant detective, but a keen golfer as well. For several years he has been captain of the Police Golfers' Society, and last year was captain of the Wimbledon Park Club. Superintendent McBrien holds fourteen decorations bestowed upon him by the late King Edward and other notables whom he has attended from time to time in his official position. He is a fine linguist.

After competing in the French Championship, George Duncan entered into an engagement with the Aga Khan for a three months' tour of Continental courses. The Aga Khan is a keen golfer, and has played much golf with Duncan during the past few years. It is a lucrative engagement.

#### When Johnny Farrell and Gene Sarazen played in an exhibition match at Rome, Signor Mussolini was one of the spectators. This was the first time the Duce had ever seen golf played.

Gautemala, Central America, is feeling "the golf urge" and Hugh Mc-Dermott, a clever young Edinburgh professional, who went out there a few months ago, is busy laying out two courses-an 18-hole and 9-hole.

Playing in the qualifying round of the club championship at Pollards, Hill C. Studer holed out in one at the 11th, which measures 308 yards. There are only four other cases of a hole of over 300 yards being obtained in one stroke.

The gate receipts at the Ryder Cup International totalled £1,810, and with £300 deducted as entertainments tax the Professional Golfers' Fund will receive £1,500 to augment the £1,000 already in hand to meet British professionals' expenses in the Ryder Cup matches. It is sought to raise £3,500 for the British team's tour in America in 1931.

### "THE GREATEST GOLFER IN THE WORLD" ("Golf Illustrated", London)

THE above words are not ours, although they express to a degree our sentiments. They were uttered by no less a personage and golfing genius than Mr. Robert Tyre Jones, and they were directed towards Miss Joyce Wethered. That was a couple of years ago, but abundant evidence was forth-

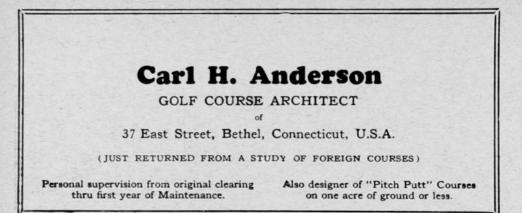
coming last week that she is worthy of a similar high tribute to-day. When a just allowance is made for the natural limitations of a feminine physique, Miss Jovce is beyond all arguments the greatest golfer in the world. A remarkable executive ability allied to a dogged temperament with a golfing brain that appears to be for ever packed in ice renders her supreme on any links. It is difficult to find an adequate adjective with which to qualify her position in women's golf. In competition with her sister golfers she is much further away out by herself than is Mr. Jones with his brother amateurs. We rate Mr. Jones to be three holes in eighteen holes the superior of the very topnotchers of amateur golf, and Miss Wethered is five holes in eighteen the superior of the first flight in women's golf to-day. In view of her victory in the final of the British Ladies' Open Championship over Miss Glenna Collett, at St. Andrews last week by only 3 and 1. this may read as a somewhat extravagant estimate.

But upon a close and reasoned examination of every round she played in the Championship, and of the final, it will be found that our estimate is not far removed from the truth. Before the final commenced, we gave it is our opinion that Miss Wethered would win by



Miss Joyce Wethered, the world's greatest woman golfer, with the Championship Cup which she won for the fourth time at St. Andrews, thus equalling Miss Cecil Leitch's great record.

8 and 6, realizing that she was meeting certainly the best player after herself in the whole field. Miss Collett went out in 34; she had never done it before, no woman had, and probably in a hundred consecutive rounds she would never do it again. Against this midsummer madness Miss Wethered found herself 5 down. In spite of that she wins by 3 and 1. Miss Wethered completed the first nine holes in 39—not good going for her; the next 9 holes in 38—just about the figures she had been returning all the week; the next 9 holes in 35—again, just about the figures she had been returning in match after match; and the next 8 holes in 37. Had Miss Collett played those first nine holes as she had been playing in her other matches, that is in a total nearer 39, what would have happened? We have no wish to be ungenerous to Miss Collett. She is a grand golfer, a stout-hearted fighter, and a splendid



sportswoman. She played as she has never played in her life in the match of her life, and that is an achievement of which she may be deservedly proud. But we cannot help feeling that she was confronted with the impossible.

So far as golf is concerned Miss Wethered should be made a national possession. She should be constantly on show where all our male (professionals included) and female golfers could go and watch her play golf. By following and assimilating her methods, and especially her mental attitude towards the game, British golfers could benefit in vast proportions. Her mental outlook when she is playing golf is more American than the Americans themselves. Her golf is a game of figures. Here is a hole and this is the correct figure. If the correct figure be obtained, the ultimate result of a series of correct figures will be satisfactory. If the opponent starts doing something extraordinary it cannot be helped. It certainly will not last, therefore, keep on with the correct figures. When Miss Collett went out in 34 was Miss Wethered worried? She probably was, but did she show it? Or, did she go on with the correct figures 38 in, 35 out, and still correct figures, with one exception, to a satisfactory conclusion? It may be a mechanical outlook, but that it is superior to the old rough-and-tumble-man-to-man fight is being proved day in and day out by the Americans. If we are going to retrieve wholly our position in International golf we must adopt the Miss Wethered outlook. Nothing else will suffice. We must banish Colonel Bogey, Correct figures, call it par or what you will, but only correct figures must be our future god of golf. Everything must be graded and rated from that standpoint.

Incidentally, if ever evidence concerning the luck of an eighteen holes match was required it was to be found in the final of the Championship last week. The Americans are right when they say that an eighteen holes match in first-class golf is a deliberate offering to the goddess of chance. And we are prepared to add that the quality of our amateur golf will not improve until we turn our Amateur Championship into either 72 holes of stroke-play, or 36 holes of stroke-play as a qualification for 36 holes of match-play. Under its present constitution our Amateur Championship is far more of a joke than a test; every page of its history bristles with the outrageous workings of fortune. A proper motto for every entrant should be, it is better to be lucky than a good golfer. In conclusion, may we express the hope that Miss Glenna Collett will make yet another attempt on our Ladies' Championship, and that if she does our younger women golfers will burnish up their games before she arrives. There is little doubt that without Miss Wethered in the field Miss Collett would have won this year. She is obviously a greatly improved player even since she was here last year, and there is no earthly reason why that

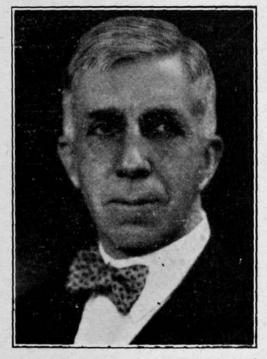
improvement should not only be maintained but increased. Miss Collett is only 26, and Walter Hagen has exploded the myth that American golfers are always done with at 30. So ladies of Britain, beware!

### CANADIAN OPEN-KANAWAKI-JULY 25th to 27th

F ROM enquiries and entries already being received by Mr. B. L. Anderson, Secretary of the R. C. G. A., the Open Golf Championship of Canada at Kanawaki, Montreal, next month (July 25th, 26th and 27th) is assured of

a record field of entrants. All entries with entrance fee of \$5.00 must be received by the Secretary, 357 Bay Street, Toronto, not later than Monday, July 15th. Amateurs are reminded that this year only players whose handicap is six or less will be permitted to enter-a very wise change as in the past the course has often been eluttered up with players who hadn't a chance to make any showing whatever. The entire field plays 18 holes on the 25th and on the 26th. All competitors within 20 strokes of the leader on Thursday and Friday shall play 36 holes on Saturday. The prizes amount to \$1,320 and in addition the "Canadian Golfer" gives \$50.00 to be divided \$35.00 and \$15.00 between the two leading Canadian professionals. The Association will present a gold medal for the best amateur score. This was won last year by Mr. George Von Elm, of Detroit.

Leo Diegel, the 1928 champion, will be on hand to defend his title, which he has won three times. So



Mr. E. P. Flintoft, prominent C.P.R. legal executive, President of the Kanawaki Club, Montreal.

will the former champions, T. D. Armour and MacDonald Smith. Gene Sarazen, Horton Smith (French Open Champion), Walter Hagen (British Open Champion), and a score or so of other top-notchers will also be at Kanawaki to compete for titular honours, the Canadian Open to-day ranking only second to the U.S. Open on this continent. Canada will be represented by all its leading professionals and several amateurs and it would not be at all surprising this year if the Canadian contingent does not give the leading U.S. entrants a "run for the money". It is also quite on the cards that Bobby Jones "himself" will enter for the event. He has stated that if at all possible he intends to do so.

The Kanawaki course is reported to be in superb condition for the Big Show. Mr. Flintoft, the President, and his Board of Directors are sparing neither time nor money in bringing the course right up to championship calibre and the entrants will have a chance to use every club and every shot in their bag if they want to get near par figures. All golfing roads will lead to Montreal and Kanawaki July 25th-27th.

### DISASTROUS CLUB HOUSE FIRES The Outstanding Club Houses of the Quebec Golf Club and the Beaconsfield Golf Club, Montreal, Fall Victims to the Flames. Fortunately no Loss of Life.

THE month of June witnessed two most regrettable fires which destroyed the club houses of Quebec, the second oldest golfing organization on the Continent, and Beaconsfield of Montreal, one of the outstanding clubs of Canada.

A despatch from Quebec June 10th: Four women narrowly escaped injury or death, and damage estimated at \$75,000 was escape before the flames claimed the building. Two men were slightly injured when they jumped from an upper story window.

The names of members who were in the club house at the time of the fire were:

W. E. Bell, K. C. Berwick, W. L. Davis, H. H. Davis, S. D. P. Larkin, J. B. Robinson, P. C. Schaeffer, G. H. Foronter, A. F. Schwob, T. C. Cronyn, H. P. Carr, H. L. Lyman, G. E. Jonston.

Shortly before 4 o'clock this morning, the assistant steward of the club, whose



The dignified club house of the Beaconsfield Golf Club at Pointe Claire, Que., destroyed by fire this month. The loss is approximately \$100,000.

caused, when fire gutted the club house of the Quebec Golf Club at Boischatel, seven miles from here, on Saturday night. Only the solid stone chimneys of the big club house were standing Sunday. Following a directors' meeting, Hon. W. Gerard Power, President of the Club, announced to-day it would be rebuilt immediately.

Four women members of the Club who were in the women's dressing-room on the upper floor of the structure were trapped for a few minutes when, as they tried to make their way downstairs, they met a column of smoke. They managed to fight their way out, and none of them reported any ill effects.

Despatch from Montreal June 10th:

The beautiful club house of the Beaconsfield Golf Club, which stood on a hill overlooking the course at Pointe Claire, was almost completely destroyed by fire which broke out in the kitchens at 4 o'clock this morning. Damage is estimated at approximately \$100,000. The fire is thought to have originated through faulty electric wiring. The 50 occupants all managed to quarters are near the kitchen, was aroused from sleep by the roar of flames and jumped up with acrid smoke in his nostrils. He gave the alarm to the other stewards, cooks and maids in the servants quarters. The few members who were staying at the club house were then aroused, and made their way in safety to the course outside.

Members and firemen, aided by the club stewards and neighbouring citizens succeeded in salvaging all the members' golf clubs from the locker rooms before the heat grew too intense. But the members who were living in the bedrooms on the top floor lost the greater part of their clothing and personal belongings.

All that remains standing of the club house are four brick walls and gallery of stone. The small part of the ladies' wing and the caddie master's office, which was separate from the main building, remain intact.

The course escaped except for the practice green immediately in front of the club house, which was damaged when the grass caught fire. With the ruins still smoking



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at their backs, the greensmen and groundsmen were calmly at work this morning.

Albert Murray, club professional, announced that play will continue as usual, and the ladies' club house, saved by the efforts of the firemen, will be open again to-morrow for the use of all members.

The older part of the club house was built in 1903, and the modern additions to the structure were completed in 1913. The structure was entirely protected by insurance. Club officers this morning give no exact estimate of the losses. No definite announcement as to re-building was made, but it was decided that temporary quarters will be built for the present season.

Beaconsfield was the scene last autumn of the Canadian Ladies' Open Championship and during its long and distinguished career the club has entertained entrants to many championships and visitors from all parts of America and Great Britain who will be extremely sorry to hear of the destruction of the beautiful club house. The charming Quebec club house was only recently built.

Extracts from an interesting letter received by the Editor from Dr. Fred Tooke, President of Beaconsfield:

"As you say in your letter, we will in future rise from our ashes and have a Beaconsfield if possible better than before. The membership to a man is behind its officers and directors, and we are putting up emergency quarters which should provide for every need, including kitchen and dining-room accommodation, showers and locker room, lounge, etc. They should all be completed within another week, showing what high speed, endeavour and co-operation ean do.

"I may add that over the week-end we had a splendid turnout of members who were all properly accommodated and cared for, and this in itself was a very practical evidence of how our membership was standing behind its officers and directors at this serious juncture."

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| (7 and 5)  | 1              | A. Boomer and G. Duncan   | 0              |
| Gene Sarazen and Ed.   |                | A. Mitchell and F. Robson |                |
| ward Dudley  | 0              | (2 and 1)                 | 1              |
| J. Golden and W. Hagen   |                | E. R. Whitcombe and T.    |                |
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| G. Sarazen   | 0              | A. Compston (6 and 4)     |                |
| L. Diegel (9 and 8)  | 1              | A. Mitchell               |                |
| W. Hagen   | 0              | G. Duncan (10 and 8)      | 1              |
| J. Turnesa   |                | A. Boomer (4 and 3)       |                |
| Horton Smith (4 and 2)   |                | Fred Robson               |                |
| A. Espinosa (halved)   |                | E. R. Whitcombe (halved)  |                |
| A. Watrous   | 0              | T. H. Cotton (4 and 3)    | 1              |
| Total  | 21/2           | Total                     | $5\frac{1}{2}$ |
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| Grand Total  | 5              |                           |                |

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### QUEBEC LADIES' FIELD DAY

### At the Royal Ottawa Golf Club Brings Out a Record Field of Entrants. The Former Many Times Champion, Mrs. W. G. Fraser, leads the Field with Miss Eileen Kinsella Runner-up.

THE Field Day of the Quebec Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, held at the Royal Ottawa Club, Ottawa, was an overwhelming success, no fewer than 130 of the leading players of the Province



Mrs. W. G. Fraser, a former U.S. and Canadian Lady Champion, who leads the field in Quebec Ladies' Field Day at the Royal Ottawa.

teeing up, a very strong representation of some 70 players coming from Montreal alone. The weather was ideal, the Royal Ottawa course right up to concert pitch and altogether it was a memorable opening of the women's golf season in the Ancient Province.

As was rather expected on her home course, Mrs. W. G. Fraser (formerly Miss Alex. A. Stirling), of Atlanta, Ga., winner of the U.S. Ladies' Championship 1916, 1919 and 1920, and Canadian Ladies' Championship 1920) led the field with a well compiled 38-45 for a total of 83.

In second place was Miss Eileen Kinsella, of Senneville, a very clever young player indeed, who had a card of 88. Other good scores (100 or better) were:—

| Miss Dora Virtue, Whitlock     | 42  | 47 | 89 |  |
|--------------------------------|-----|----|----|--|
| Mrs. Maude Ross, R. Ottawa     | .42 | 47 | 89 |  |
| Miss Evelyn Mills, R. Ottawa   | 42  | 48 | 90 |  |
| Miss Kate Robertson, B'sfield  | 45  | 48 | 93 |  |
| Mrs. Ronald Holmes, R. Ottawa  | 47  | 47 | 94 |  |
| Miss R. Wilson, R. Montreal    | 47  | 47 | 94 |  |
| Mrs. F. Ahearn, R. Ottawa      | 45  | 50 | 95 |  |
| Miss Frances Sharpe, R. Ottawa | 47  | 49 | 96 |  |
| Mrs. C. K. Bangs, R. Ottawa    | 47  | 51 | 98 |  |

Mrs. Ronald Holmes is the former well known Miss Helen Paget, who has always figured prominently in Canadian Championships.

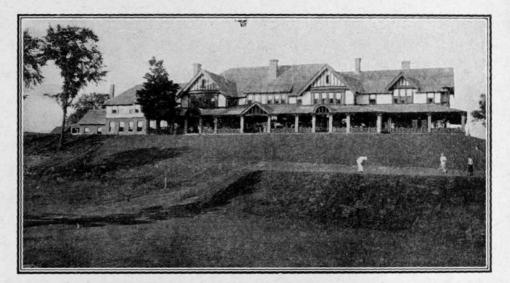
Eighteen clubs from the Quebec Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union were represented, including Whitlock, Royal Ottawa, Beaconsfield. Roval Montreal. Senneville, Laval Sur La Lac. Marlborough. Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club. Hampstead, Chaudiere. Cataraqui, Summerlea, Kanawaki, Rivermead, Granby, Forest Hills, Islesmere, and Mount Bruno.

In addition to Mrs. Fraser, the medallist, the following were prize winners: Best nett in the silver division, Miss Eileen Kinsella, Senneville, with 79 nett; best gross in the bronze division, Mrs. W. Garth Thomson, Kanawaki, with 97; best nett in the bronze division, Miss A. McCarthy, Marlborough, with a card of 70. Mrs. Edward Grand, of the Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club, won the special prize for the 36 handicap with a score of 112 and a nett 76.

The Quebec Branch officers of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union directed the match which was conducted with despatch throughout the day. The officers of the Quebec Branch of the C.L.G.U. are as follows: President,

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Mrs. T. Arnold, of Montreal; vicepresidents, Mrs. A. E. Mussen, of Montreal, Mrs. W. G. Fraser, of Ottawa, Mrs. F. T. Handsomebody, of Quebec City; honourary secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. P. Christian; chairman of the handicapping committee, Mrs. W. Garth Thomson, and chairman of the field days committee, Mrs. F. A. Mann. Mrs. S. V. Paterson, lady captain of the Royal Ottawa; Mrs. R. B. Veits, lady president, and Mrs. E. A. LeSueur, honourary secretary, worked untiringly to make the field day the undoubted success that it proved to be.



CANADIAN GOLFER

The dignified club house of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, where the Quebec Lady Championship was held. In the foreground the beautiful elevated 18th green.

# FINE SCORE BY W. J. THOMPSON, FORMER CANADIAN AMATEUR CHAMPION

J. THOMPSON, former Canadian and Ontario Amateur Champion, won the Sir William Mulock Trophy by turning in the low gross score, 71, over the Summit Club's course in the annual Spring Tournament of the Golf Association of the Toronto Bar, June 17th, in which over 120 players competed. In addition the qualifying round for the match play competition for the Hon. Wallace Nesbitt Trophy was played, the following qualifying in order: W. J. Thompson, J. W. Pickup, J. C. Thomson, J. E. Harvie, J. Grayson Smith, Holford Ardagh, D. J. Coffey, A. L. Lewis, R. A. Montgomery, R. W. Hart, Hugh Plaxton, W. J. Beaton, H. R. Frost, S. C. Gullen, W. R. Willard, F. S. Livingstone, Hugh Donald and Stan Beatty. Special prizes were won by Reg. Geary, K.C., Frank Hughes, K.C., M. B. Tudhope, K.C., E. J. Murphy and J. E. Tansey.

In the evening the annual banquet was addressed by Holford Ardagh, K.C., the retiring president, Reg. Geary, K.C., M. B. Tudhope, K.C., E. J. Murphy and others, while the prizes were presented by the new president, D. J. Coffey. The following officers were elected: Past president, Holford Ardagh, K.C.; president, D. J. Coffey, K.C.; vice-presidents, R. C. Donald, K.C., and W. M. Millikin; secretary, J. C. Thomson; treasurer, J. S. Beatty; captain, W. J. Beaton; vice-captain, Hugh Donald.

# GRACEFUL GIFT BY "TOMMY" ARMOUR

A N INTERESTING ceremony took place in the Edinburgh Western Club house at the Braid Hills, Edinburgh, last month, when T. D. Armour, who was on a visit to his native city, presented the club with the putter

with which he had won the American Open and the Canadian Open Golf Championships. The putter will be preserved as a trophy, and will be competed for annually.

A large gathering of members was present, under the chairmanship of Tom Robertson, the club president, who, in welcoming Armour back, mentioned that not only had Armour been a member of the Western before he went to America, but he had afterwards retained his membership, and had kept up his interest in the club all the time. In handing over the putter, Armour referred to the pleasure it gave him to be back once more at the Braids and amongst his fellow-members. Times without number he was asked in America where he had learned his golf, and who had taught him. He was always proud to say that he had learned to play on the Braids, and that his tutor had been Peter Robertson. (Applause.) He and Cruickshank were still referred to in America



Tommy Armour, who presents native city with his "championship putter."

as Scots. They had never given up their Scottish nationality, and were glad to come back to visit Scotland. He described the putter he was presenting as "one of his most cherished possessions". It was the club which, probably more than any other, had helped him to win his championships, and there was no finer resting place for it than at the Braids.

James Shand, the club captain, accepted the putter on behalf of the club, and in the name of all the members thanked Armour, who was cheered again and again.

# HAGEN AND HIS GAME WITH THE PRINCE OF WALES

THE Rev. Mr. Knowles, staff writer for the Toronto Star, had an interview with Walter Hagen at the Savoy Hotel, London. Here are some extracts :---

"Hagen frankly assured me and Mr. Ryder, of Ryder Cup benefaction, who was with us, that the two greatest honours of his life had come with this visit to England, the first being his fourth cabbaging of the British Open Championship, the other, his game with Britain's Prince.

"Hagen, when questioned about the Prince's Sabbath scruples, rather revised his original announcement, finally saying that he (Hagen) didn't think whatever the Prince did that he ought to golf on Sunday. He said he had lunched with the royal heir, that the lunch had the usual British embroideries not known in America, that His Royal Highness chatted away 'just like you would or any other ordinary man' and that he seemed anxious to kindle the torch at Hagen's superior flame trying certain shots over and over again under the American's tuition.

" 'He plays golf with his bean,' was Walter's irreverent description, 'and some of his tee shots were no shorter than mine. I should call the Prince a 90 player. That's good enough for anyone,' opined the master.''

### TOLLEY WINS BRITISH AMATEUR The Long-driving Oxonian Once Again is Crowned Amateur King of Great Britain. J. N. Smith, a Scottish Carpenter, Runner-up.

C YRIL James Hastings Tolley is the new commanding general of British Amateur golf. He won the title for the second time at Sandwich this month by defeating John Nelson Smith, Scottish carpenter from Fife, four and three to play, in the 36than Smith, but the Scotsman hit back by winning three straight holes.

Tolley's position was unassailable, however, and no matter how hard Smith hammered the big English star held his lead, and with a long putt won the 32nd to become dormie. The



The colourful Cyril Tolley, winner of the British Amateur, playing a shot from a bunker at Sandwich during the Championship.

hole final. The Scotch artisan played a dour, determined game and for 18 holes he held his opponent to level terms. Sturdy shouldered, big boned and with huge hands that seemed to handle the clubs like match sticks, Smith never let Tolley get ahead until the 19th hole.

Consistently outdriven, Smith nevertheless chalked the faces of his wooden clubs with a piece of blue clay he uses on other days for drawing lines in his carpenter shop, and smacked his own shots straight and true.

At the 22nd hole Tolley hit a fine iron shot to the green, and with this seemed to divest himself of the strain that was beginning to tell on both players. He then played great golf to the close. His performance over the next five holes was enough to break the heart of a less courageous man 33rd was carefully halved and the title was Tolley's.

Tolley won the Amateur Championship in 1920 by stopping R. A. Gardner, of Chicago, at the 37th hole. He has held the French Open title twice, in 1924 and 1928, and was a member of all British Walker Cup teams until last year, when he found himself unable to make the trip to the United States. His tremendous driving feats have made topics of conversation in many club houses all over the world. When the Amateur Championship was played at Troon in 1923 he drove on to the first green, 350 yards from the tee, and holed his putt for a two.

Tolley has announced that he will contest for the United States Amateur crown, to be played for at Pebble Beach, California, next September.

The Championship drew a record entry of 253, comprising all the leading British amateurs and some ten from the United States, none of them, however, of front-rank reputation. John Dawson, a young Chicago golfer, however, "threw a scare" into the British camp by playing consistently good golf which enabled him to reach the semi-finals, where he met Smith and was dormie 3 on the dour Scottish carpenter. Then he collapsed and the Scot won on the 19th hole to earn the right to meet Tolley. Phil. Perkins, the defending champion, was defeated during the 4th round by 1 up by Andrew McNair. He was generally thought to have an easy chance to retain the title, but a number of unexpectedly fine golfers were discovered during the Championship, which is a good augury for the future of British Amateur golf, which is sadly in need of rehabilitation.

### MISS ADA MACKENZIE REPEATS

### Outstanding Lady Golfer Again Wins the Toronto Women's Championship With the Fine Score of 163. Miss Maude Smith, Ontario Lady Champion, Runner-up.

F OR the fourth time in seven years, at the Summit Golf and Country Club, Miss Ada Mackenzie, of the Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club, annexed the Toronto City Championship. The many times champion was in great form the first day carding a superb 80—40 out and 40 in, over the difficult Summit course, which was in ideal condition for the event. This score easily led a field of some 120 entrants. Miss Maude Smith, fresh from winning the Ontario Ladies' Championship at Brantford, being in second place but seven strokes back.

On the second day's play Miss Mackenzie had an 83 for a total of 163. Miss Maude Smith collected an 86 which gave her a total of 173, giving her the runner-up honours. Other good cards (190 or better) turned in at this most successful and enjoyable Tournament were :—

Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf 90 86 176 Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto

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 Mrs. A. B. Fisher, Lambton
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 Miss Helen Reid, Rosedale
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 Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro
 93
 91
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 Miss Mary Millichamp, Rose 89
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The prizes were presented to the various winners in the decorated lounge of the club house, Mrs. A. B. Fisher, chairman of the Toronto Permanent Committee, presided, and was assisted by Mrs. J. W. Lyle, President of C.L.G.A.; Mrs. I. H. Weldon and Mrs. J. C. Moorhouse, president and vicepresident of the ladies' section of the Summitt Golf and Country Club, and Mr. W. J. Beaton, president of the club. Mrs. Weldon presented the prize she donated for the second best gross score for the two days, while Mr. Beaton presented the other prizes given by the club. The prize winners were:—

Gross scores—1, Miss Ada Mackenzie, Toronto Ladies, 163, possession of the beautiful Rodger Trophy for one year and a replica; 2, Miss Maude Smith, Toronto Golf, 173, Mrs. I. Weldon's prize; 3, Miss Cecil Smith, Toronto Golf, 176; best 18-hole gross for either day not included in aggregate score prize, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf, 89 on Thursday, Mrs. A. B. Fisher's prize.

Nett scores-1, Miss Gertrude Robarts, Toronto Ladies, 148; 2, Mrs. W. C. Hodgson, Thornhill, 152; 3, Mrs. J. C. Carrick, Cedar Brook, and Mrs. F. Stephenson, Summitt, 153. Best 18-hole nett on either day not included in aggregate score prize, Mrs. W. Lundy, Thornhill, 69, on Wednesday, prize presented by ladies' committee of Summitt Club.

Driving—Silver Division, aggregate for three drives—1, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Toronto Golf; 2, Mrs. Donald Ross, Rosedale. Best individual drive, Mrs. Fergus McKee, Summitt.

Bronze Division, aggregate for three drives—1, Mrs. Homer Smith, York Downs; 2, Mrs. H. Burnham, Toronto Golf. Best individual drive, Mrs. F. T. Large, York Downs.

Best score on miniature course-Mrs. R. V. Rittenhouse, Cedar Brook, 28, prize donated by Mr. Christopher Chisholm, of the Summit Club.

Murray Trophy for greatest percentage reduction of handicaps—Miss Ada Mackenzie, Toronto Ladies.

Mail and Empire Trophy for city interclub team championship of 1928-Toronto Golf Club.

### CALIFORNIA AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

### Nineteen-year-old F. C. Stevens, Jr., Stages a Remarkable "Come-back" in the Final Which was Eventually Won by Jack Neville.

C. STEVENS, Jr., 19 years old, of Pebble Beach and Los Angeles, proved the dark horse in the recent California Amateur Golf Championship, defeating Fay Coleman, Los Angeles star, in the semi-finals, only to lose to Jack Neville, Monterey Peninsula Country Club, 3 and 1, in the hard-fought finals. Those who saw the recent tournament at Pebble Beach agreed Stevens shows rare promise as a competitive golfer. He was 9 down to Neville at the conclusion of the morning round but fought his way back with eagles, birdies and pars to recover the first six holes in the afternoon. He finally lost on the 35th hole 3 and 1-a grand exhibition of game golf.

Jack Neville, of Monterey Peninsula Country Club, in winning from Stevens captured the California title for the fifth time. Some insist it was the sixth time, for way back in 1911, when Neville was a lad of 18, he won the last of the Del Monte championships that preceded the state tournaments. In 1912 he won the first official California Amateur title and repeated in 1913, 1919 and 1922.

Young Stevens promises to be heard from considerably in the next decade or so. He will be among those present in the National in September. His father, a Los Angeles capitalist, has purchased a home at Pebble Beach, and Stevens, Jr., with his bride, will spend the next few months assiduously cultivating the acquaintance of the tricky Pebble Beach layout.

McHugh and Coleman were the favourites when the tournament started. They tied for medal honours, McHugh later winning the playoff 77 to 79. But in the semi-finals, both were upset by super golf, Neville outparred McHugh 2 and 1, while Stevens playing superbly eliminated Coleman by an identical score. He had previously put out Harry Eichelberger, stellar Stanford freshman from Los Angeles, 3 and 2, in the quarter-finals, while Neville was blasting the hopes of young Lawson Little, Jr., of San Francisco, 1 up.

In the finals of the Del Monte Championship for Women, always an **important companion** event of the California State Tournament, Mrs.



A brilliant young golfer-F. C. Stevens, Jr., of Del Monte, California.

Harry Pressler added a fourth major title to her collection, defeating Mrs. Gregg Lifur, fellow Los Angeles star. on the 19th of a brilliant and exceedingly hard-fought match. Mrs. Pressler, Western, California and Southern California titlist, was out in 35, one under men's par on the Del Monte Her 2 up lead was only course. obtained by men's birdies. Mrs. Pressler weakened on the long 13th for the first time and Mrs. Lifur soon evened the match, only to lose it after a desperate battle on the first extra hole which Mrs. Pressler played per-Mrs. Lifur trapped herself feetly. and lost hole, match and title.

## FIRST TOURNAMENT OF O.G.A.

### Is Held Over the Greatly Improved Course at Mississauga. Allan Swaith, Young Lambtonian, Only Player to Break Into the Seventies.

"HE Ontario Golf Association inaugurated the season most successfully June 14th, when the first Annual Spring Tournament was held over the newly re-built course of the Mississauga Golf and Country Club. One hundred and twelve players teed off but a large number did not return cards as they found the greatly stiffened-up Mississauga 18 holes but anything to their liking. In fact, only one entrant in the large field which comprised all the leading players of the Toronto District, broke into the seventies, and he was the young Lambton player, Allan Skaith, who with a consistent 39 going out and a 38 coming in for a 77 rather easily led the pack. It looks as though Lambton in Skaith has a particularly promising young player. The scores of the leaders, 85 or better :---

| Allan Skaith, Lambton          |      | 7-70    |
|--------------------------------|------|---------|
| F. G. Hoblitzel, Lambton       | 80-  | 4-76    |
| Stanley Thompson, Mississauga  | 80-  | 5-75    |
| P. Farley, Cedar Brook         | 80-  | 8-72    |
| A. L. Gooderham, Rosedale      | 81-  | 5-76    |
| R. M. Gray, Rosedale           | 82-  | 4-78    |
| Hugh Borthwick, Weston         | 82-  | 6-76    |
| Gordon Taylor, Jr., York Downs | 83-  | 4-79    |
| Don Carriek, Scarboro          | 83-  | 3-80    |
| H. S. Coulson, Lambton         | 84-  | 9-75    |
| L. Biddell, Lakeview           | 84-  | 6-78    |
| H. L. Lugsdin, Scarboro        | 84-1 | 13 - 71 |
| Nicol Thompson, Cedar Brook    | 84-  | 5-79    |
| L. M. Wood, York Downs         | 84-  | 8-76    |

The former Canadian Amateur Champions, Don Carrick, G. S. Lyon, W. J. Thompson, had cards respectively of 83, 86 and 89. Carrick only returned this month to Toronto after finishing his year at the Harvard Law School and has had but two or three rounds of golf this season. He was driving a long ball with accuracy from the tee, but was somewhat erratic in placing his second shots, and was unfortunate with several long drives. He plans to take part in the Ontario, Canadian and United States Amateur Championships before he returns to Harvard University.

The course of the Mississauga Club now compares favourably with any other in the Toronto District as a championship test. It was the first competition played over the lengthened and improved course. The old eighth has been eliminated and the old fourteenth lengthened across the river. A new hole, the fifteenth, has been built while the old fifteenth has been lengthened by the construction of a tee on the far side of the river and the total length is now close to 6,600 yards. The rebuilt course came in for great praise from all the leading players in the Tournament.

## CANADIAN PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

THE dates and venue of the last of the major championships for Canada have just been announced by Karl Keffer, Hon. Secretary of the Canadian Professional Golfers' Association, the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, Ottawa. The Canadian professionals will play for their Championship over the course of the Laval Sur Le Lac Golf Club, near Montreal, on Monday, July 22nd. This will be a splendid "curtain-raiser" to the Open Championship of Canada, which is staged for Kanawaki, Montreal, the following Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 25th, 26th, 27th.

The course at Laval is conceded to be one of the finest tests of golf in the Montreal District. The membership is largely composed of leading French-Canadians who are noted for their unbounded hospitality.

The present holder of the Canadian Professional Championship is Willie Lamb, pro. at the Uplands Golf and Country Club, who won the event with the fine card of 73-73—146. Runner-up last year was A. E. Cruttenden, of the Summit Golf Club, Toronto. Lamb will be on hand to defend his title at Laval and so will all the leading professionals of Ontario and Quebec, with possibly some entries from the West. The prize list is a particularly generous one.

### CANADIAN COLFER

The Assistants' Championship will be held in August in Montreal. Date and venue not yet decided upon. The Assistant Champion is W. Smithers, of the Royal Ottawa, who won the event at the Thistledown Golf Club with the quite remarkable score of 146. His second round of 70 is a record for Thistledown. Arthur Hunt, of Lambton, was runner-up.

# HULBERT WINS OAKDALE TOURNAMENT

RTHUR HULBERT, of the Thornhill Golf Club, Toronto, the Ontario Open Champion, and one of the most promising players in Canada, starred at the enjoyable Tournament staged by the Oakdale Golf and Country Club, one of Toronto's latest and most successful clubs, on June 10th. Over 30 professionals, members of the Ontario Professional Golf Association, were guests of the Oakdale Club and they generally reported the Tournament one of the most enjoyable ever staged for their benefit.

Hulbert won the competition with a score of 148 for the 36 holes while Willie Spittal, the home pro., was second, three strokes behind. Willie Lamb, of Uplands, and Jimmy Johnstone, of Rosedale, the Canadian professional champion and ex-champion respectively, tied for third place. seven strokes behind Hulbert The latter was in a seven-cornered tie for first place at the end of the first nine holes. Arthur Lindfield, of Islington, setting the pace with 36 but at noon. Hulbert shared first place with Lou Cumming, of the Ladies' Club, with 75's. Willie Spittal, Bob Cunningham, of Mississauga, and Dave Ferguson, of Weston, were tied for third place one stroke back. Hulbert went out in front with a 36 on the



Arthur Hulbert, Ontario Open Champion, who wins Oakdale Tournament with a fine score of 148.

third nine and held his own with a 37 on the final lap. Hulbert's 73 was the best 18-hole score of the day and Johnstone, after a bad start in the morning with a 44 came back on his second round with a 34, the best nine-hole score of the day. Par for the 3,085-yard course is 35. Hulbert's four excellent rounds were made up of a 38, 37, 36, 37-148. W. Spittal had 38, 38, 38, 37-151.

After the match the entrants were entertained most delightfully to dinner by the Oakdale Club, which also most generously donated \$150 towards the prize money. All the participants were loud in their praise of the Oakdale course. They were greatly surprised at the excellence of the fairways and greens of this "the baby" of Toronto Clubs.

### THE DUNDAS VALLEY GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

D UNDAS is the very last of the towns in Ontario to take up with the game of golf. If it had not been for its proximity to Hamilton with its four courses, unquestionably this well-to-do town would years ago have built a golf course. However, the residents this year decided, and decidedly most wisely, that Dundas should "get on the golfing map" and "get on" it has under the most favourable auspices.

The Editor of the "Canadian Golfer" this month visited the property acquired for golfing purposes by a number of the leading residents of the "Valley-Town" who are backed up by a number of Hamiltonians, in all some one hundred and more, and found that a most interesting location had been acquired, consisting of some 140 acres of rolling ground well wooded in spots and with a scenic environment absolutely unexcelled in Ontario. On the property is a farm house which can well be converted into a comfortable little club house in the meantime whilst there is quite an historical relic, in the original stone house of the first settler on the land, over 100 years ago, which the Directors have very wisely determined to keep and maintain with the necessary improvements as a caddie house and professional shop. It would be a crime ever to remove this old-time building.

Under the direction of Mr. Fred Henry, Landscape Designer, Hamilton, who has also recently been retained to make several improvements to the Chedoke Civic Course, Hamilton, work has been started in laying out a particularly well-balanced 18-hole course and is being rapidly rushed to a conclusion. Already fairways and greens for 9 holes are fairly well roughed out and it is expected by next month the members of the new club, which is to be known as the Dundas Valley Golf and Country Club, Ltd., will be able to play over these holes to fairly good advantage. Mr. Henry and his large staff are certainly making record time in clearing out trees and rough and whipping the course into shape. The following is the excellent and well-balanced yardage of these new and attractive links:—

Out—No. 1 hole, 450 yards, par 5; No. 2, 165 yards, par 3; No. 3, 440 yards, par 4; No. 4, 200 yards, par 3; No. 5, 385 yards, par 4; No. 6, 400 yards, par 4; No. 7, 350 yards, par 4; No. 8, 390 yards, par 4; No. 9, 245 yards, par 3. Out, 3,025 yards, par 34. In—No. 10 hole, 465 yards, par 5; No. 11, 340 yards, par 4; No. 12, 540 yards, par 5; No. 13, 365 yards, par 4; No. 14, 350 yards, par 4; No. 15, 130 yards, par 3; No. 16, 430 yards, par 4; No. 17, 190 yards, par 3; No. 18, 460 yards, par 5. In—3,270 yards, par 37. Total, 6,295 yards, par 71.

The officers of this particularly promising new club are: President, J. M. Campbell; vice-president, J. L. Grightmire; Hon. Secretary, R. M. Turcotle; Chairman Green Committee, T. M. Stock; other Directors, A. Smith, A. L. Shaver, J. W. Laurason, D. E. Knowles, T. Cochenour and A. C. Caldwell.

The Club will not only in the future be a source of pleasure to the residents of Dundas, both men and women, owing to its ideal location, but an asset to the town. In the years to come the course should attract many touring golfers who in increasing numbers are now every season making Ontario their objective.

# HIT DOWN THROUGH THE BALL

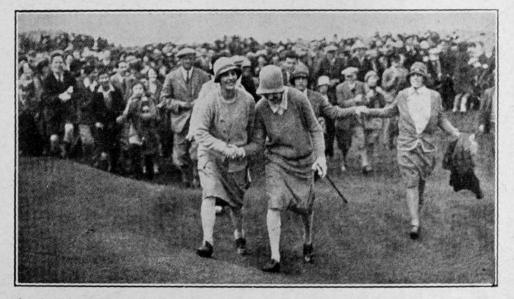
### (By Charles Herndon)

**I**<sup>F</sup> THE professionals can be said to have "secrets of success," then by far the most important one of them all is their habit of hitting down on the ball. Nothing else they do contributes more to their splendid games than this one thing. When they hit down with their wooden clubs it is not

## TWO NOTABLE PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS



This picture shows Leo Diegel, Canadian Open Champion, who was one of "the star turns" in the British Open Championship. His strangely effective putting style and excitable mannerisms kept the crowd amused. He led on the first day and finished third. He is seen in the picture with Bert Jolly (left), well known British professional.



Another picture—A particularly charming photo of Miss Joyce Wethered (on right) who is seen being congratulated by Miss Glenna Collett, U.S. Champion, at the little dip on the 17th green at far-famed St. Andrews, Scotland, where the English star won the British Ladies' Championship by 3 and 1 after being five down at the 13th hole—one of the most remarkable recoveries ever registered in Championship golf, either by a woman or man. very pronounced; but in their iron shots the downward hit is quite deeided.

By hitting down we mean the hitting of the ball on the downward sweep of the club, before the clubhead reaches bottom of the arc it describes.

In a proper downward hit, the lower edge of the club-face should either strike the ball at some point below its middle, or else be driven as a wedge between the ball and the ground. Aim at the crevice between the two. To gauge this hit to a nicety is no easy thing to do. It requires a good deal of practice to accomplish it with consistency. In the beginning the player will gash the ball, or chop into the ground behind it. The blow should be forward as well as downward, not a stab or a chop.

The beginner, after a few failures. might conclude that to strike the ball with the club while the club-head is moving parallel with the ground, or while it is ascending, is much easier. And so it is; but the easiest ways at the start are not always the best ways in the end. The parallel and ascending blows are also beset with troubles. The parallel blow isn't as troublesome as the ascending blow, but in neither is the flight of the ball so easily controlled as when we hit down through it. Furthermore, when we endeavour only to hit a parallel blow, there is a big chance of raising the body a little before the club-head reaches the ball, and the result may be a slightly ascending blow, and perhaps a cut across as well.

Striking the ball while the clubhead is still travelling downward has several advantages. Hitting down keeps the body down. With the ascending blow (by which we mean one in which the club-head strikes the ball after it has passed the lowest point in the arc it describes) there is seldom any back-spin; and, in most instances, there is a decided overspin, and very little control can be exereised over the flight and run of the ball. The ascending blow is a prolific trouble-breeder. Digging, skying, and slicing are frequent results of it; but the most prevalent evil effect of the ascending blow is topping.

By means of the downward blow back-spin can, with more certainty, be applied to the ball, which works against gravity and maintains the ball in the air for the maximum period of time, and, on alighting, the ball has little or no run. The ball flies straighter, with a high or low trajectory depending on the loft of the club and the degree of beat-down. The player is also in better balance, and it makes less difficult the playing of cuppy lies, for the ball may be hit before the ground is reached.

For the hit-down shot, the hands in the address are slightly in front of the ball. This automatically forces the club-face to strike the ball before it reaches the bottom of its arc. It also has the effect of lessening the loft of the club a trifle. This may be offset, if needs be, by laying back the face of the club in the address, or by using a more lofted club.

### PRINCE OF WALES AND THE HIPPO

H ERE is a new golf rule and a necessary one sometimes. The Prince of Wales, playing golf down in Jinja, Africa, in the Kitale-Kenya Colony, discovered that under a local rule, a player could lift out of a hippopotamus footprint, without penalty. This is the first time we have ever heard of the festive hippo figuring in the golf game. The Prince certainly has encountered some remarkable experiences on the golf courses of the world many of them tucked away in unheard of places.

### IN AND ROUND THE CLUB HOUSE Interesting Happenings on the Courses of England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales and the Overseas Dominions

A RTHUR YATES, of Rochester, N.Y., former New York State Amateur Golf Champion, and well known on Canadian golf courses, won the Amateur Golf Championship of Cuba. He defeated Norman Newton, local player, by 8 and 6, for the title. In finishing the round, Yates scored a 40-36-76, while Newton was 42-39-81.

J. H. Beavis, veteran English golfer, defeated G. W. West, young Bermuda star, 3 and 2, in the final of the annual Spey Royal Trophy Tournament at the Belmont Manor Club, Bermuda.

Six American golfers representing the Hamilton Hotel won the Hiram Walker Gooderham and Worts team trophy at the Belmont Manor Club, Bermuda. They scored a low total for the thirty-six holes of 940. William Tierney, of the Troy Country Club, Troy, N.Y., had the low total of 146 and the best round of 70. The other members of the winning team were P. C. Ford, Troy; Rodney Stincheliffe, Providence, R.I.; James Alexander, Short Hills, N.J., and Joseph Rustic and Glenwood Sherrard, Boston.

The 1929 season was officially opened at the Humber Valley Golf Club, Toronto's popular public course, on May 24th, when an exceptionally large number of members participated in the various competitions. The register showed that 374 players teed off on the long course and over 150 on the short course, while the tennis courts were filled to capacity all day. In the evening a largely attended dance was held in the club house. In the morning a men's sweepstakes was held, while in the afternoon a mixed foursome event, men's and ladies' driving, men's and ladies' putting were held. The prize winners in the various events were :---

Sweepstakes—Gross scores—1, James Strathdee, 77; 2, Harry Jacob, 83; 3, D. Cockburn, 82; 4, James Fraser, 85. Nett scores—1, J. Martin, 56; 2, Roy Tufford and H. Skey, 62; 4, J. R. Rothwell, 63; 5, James Hunt, 65.

Two-ball mixed foursome-1, Miss Phillips and T. Lobley tied with Mrs. Jacob and A. Vasey; 3, Miss J. Blake and Rae tied with Mrs. W. Cumming and James Strathdee; 4, Mrs. Whitcomb and H. Trickey.



Off to a good start. Gordon Taylor, Jr., Ontario Junior Champion, wins opening event of the 1929 season at York Downs.

Men's driving—1, George Rae; 2, Ben Gordon; 3, A. Vasey, Longest ball—J. Kean. Ladics' driving—1, Miss J. Blake, Mrs. W. Cumming and Mrs. Les Wright.

Men's putting-1, George Rae; 2, J. Fraser, E. Coutts, J. Strathdee and W. Taylor; 6, H. Jacob.

Ladies' putting-Miss Hill, Miss E. Gillies and Miss Senour; 4, Miss M. Blake, Mrs. Hartman and Mrs. T. J. Smith.

A feature of the men's sweepstakes in the morning was the fact that five of the nine prize winners were players under 18 years of age.

Thistledown, Toronto, had a most successful opening on May 24th. The President vs. Vice-President match



was won by the former team 31 matches to 24.

A. W. Palmer turned in the best gross score in the medal handicap staged in conjunction with the team match with 79 while the winners of the prizes for handicap scores in each of the three flights were:

First flight—1, A. R. Baby, 73; 2, D. W. Palmer, 75; A. Blyth, 76.

Second flight—1, M. W. Lapp, 76; 2, F. J. Bowley, 77; 3, W. B. Wurts, 80.

Third flight—1, R. Jarvie and C. E. Hill, 78; 3, A. E. Elmer, 84.

The holiday event at York Downs, Toronto, was a competition against bogey which was won by Gordon Taylor, Jr., who finished five up on the Colonel. George Boeckh was second, four up; J. R. Robertson, third, three up, and A. P. Boultbee, fourth, one up. Taylor, who won the Ontario Junior Championship, last year, was in great form. He should be heard from in Championships and Tournaments this year.

A large number of the members of the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club competed in the various events held on May 24th, a two-ball foursome in the morning with approaching and putting, driving and putting events in the afternoon. The prize winners were :---

Two-ball foursome-Gross scores-1, Miss Margot Murray and Mrs. Fitzgerald, 114; 2, Miss F. R. Robertson and Miss G. Robarts, 120. Nett scores—1, Miss A. A. Gallagher and Miss P. Fowlds, 99; 2, Mrs. T. Charlton and Miss I. Suckling, 100. Driving—1, Mrs. C. S. Eddis; 2, Miss G.

Driving-1, Mrs. C. S. Eddis; 2, Miss G. Fowlds.

Approaching and putting-1, Mrs. A. L. Anderson; 2, Mrs. A. Leslie.

Putting-1, Miss F. Pearce; 2, Miss H. R. Stowe.

The ladies of the Sarnia Golf Club are planning an Invitation Tournament to be held at Sarnia on July 11th. They have invited fifteen clubs,

and are doing everything possible to make the day a success, and hope to have a large field enter the competition.

Eleven prizes are being offered including low gross and nett for 18 holes, low gross and nett for first and second nine holes, putting, approaching and driving for silver and bronze division, and blind hole.

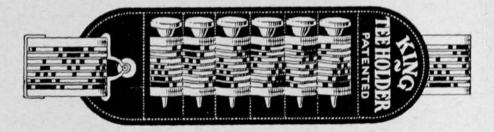
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Although there were quite a number of counter attractions Executive Day at the Searboro Golf Club, Toronto, brought out a large number of members and 78 competed in the annual President vs. Vice-President team match which was the big event of the day. Vice-President C. E. Edmonds and his supporters reversed the result of last year's match by defeating President W. J. A. Carnahan and his followers by the narrow margin of two points, although the President set a good example by winning from the Vice-President.

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That very promising young golfer, George Boeckh, the York Downs junior who won the final invitation amateur tournament of 1928, the Willie Park at Weston, last September, started in this season where he left off last fall when he won the annual invitation Tournament at Uplands, Toronto, from a field of 102 players, but it was not until he had played two extra holes against George Rae, of Humber Valley, that Boeckh was returned the winner and Rae the runner-up. The pair turned in 75's, six strokes over par for the 5.645-yard

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course, and one better than Dudley Dewart, of Summit, and Fred G. Hoblitzel, of Lambton.

The Uplands Tournament is proving more popular every season and this year's event was the most successful to date. The course has improved considerably since last year and the committee in charge left nothing to be desired. In addition to Boeckh and Rae the other prize winners were :---

Nett scores-1, D. R. Dewart, Summit, 72 -12-64; J. Kinnear, Bayview, 84-18-66.

Seniors-Best gross-George S. Lyon, Lambton, 81; best nett, John Westren, Lambton, 90-18-72.

Best gross, first nine-H. H. Holland, Weston, 38. Best nett, second nine-Harold "Hap" Watson, Humber Valley, 32, after play-off with W. J. Thompson and F. J. Smith, both of Uplands.

Team event-1, Lambton (F. G. Hoblitzel, 76; G. S. Lyon, 81; J. H. Firstbrook, 81, and G. B. Heintzman, 85), 323; 2, Summit (D. R. Dewart, 76; H. B. Morphy, 79; H. Bickle, 84, and L. D. Bickford, 87) 326; Humber Valley, 326.

Owing to the absence of the club president, C. D. Landell, the prizes were presented by his brother-in-law, W. J. Thompson.

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A strong finish by the stalwarts who supported Captain J. E. Proctor in the annual team match at the Rosedale Club, Toronto, enabled them to defeat Vice-President F. A. Reid's cohorts by 24 to 20 and as a result the winners were the guests of the losers at a dinner in the evening. The match marked the official opening of the season at Rosedale and the weather was about the best from a golfing angle that has been experienced this year and the close to 100 members who participated in the struggle found the course to be in better shape than at this time in any previous year. In addition to the team match there were medal competitions, prizes being given to the player turning in the best nett score and a kickers' handicap. The leading scorers in these events were:---

Best gross score—1, R. M. Gray, 82; 2, F. A. Reid, 85; 3, J. Dix Fraser, 87; 4, J. M. Massey, 88; 5, C. McCormack, and B. H. Cronyn, 89.

Best nett scores—1, R. E. Wakefield, 90-26—64; 2, James Anderson, 94-27—67; 3, A. L. MacDonald, 94-24 —70; 4, H. M. Robertson, 91-20—71.

Kickers' handicap—(nett 77), E. B. Thompson, W. H. Despard and H. M. Tandy.

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Despatch from Toronto, June 19th: Four young business men and a similar number of caddies escaped serious injury in a miraculous manner yesterday on the course of the St. Andrew's Golf Club, Yonge Street, when they were tossed to the fifteenth green and into the neighbouring traps by lightning which played across the entire course and forced every golfer into shelter.

The foursome included Gordon Reid, Gordon Moir, Glen Moir and J. B. Hulse. Some years ago Gordon Reid, while holidaying near Bala, was struck by lightning and tossed across a fence into a summer cottage. Reid said his experience yesterday was not as terrifying as his escape in the Muskoka district.

Raymond Noyes, of Oriole, Clifford Minister, of Lansing Village, Harold Gordon, of Maria Street, West Toronto, a lad who had

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been laid off at the Overland plant and decided to caddie for a few weeks, and another boy, who disappeared, were caddies who were accompanying Reid, the Moir brothers and Hulse.

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An error occurred in last month's issue in announcing the generous offer of G. S. Whitaker, Ltd., Toronto, in connecting with making a "Hole-in-One" this season in Canada. The offer should have read "one dozen golf balls to any golfer winning a hole-in-one on the course of a club a member of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, providing the player is using an Ayres ball". Secretaries of R. C. G. A. clubs will please take a note of this.

The dates of the popular Totem Pole Championship at Jasper Park, Alta., this season are September 7th to 14th. This is one of the most interesting Tournaments of the Canadian season.

The ladies' section of the North Bay Golf and Country Club opened the season with a field day and a dance at North Bay, Ontario, on the evening of May 24th, and both events were very much enjoyed by all. The following officers are in charge for the season of 1929:—

Mrs. Dr. D. A. Campbell, president; Mrs. J. Taylor, vice-president; Mrs. H. J. McAuslan, secretary-treasurer; executive committee, Mrs. H. Shepherd, Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Mrs. A. C. Rorabeek, Mrs. D. H. Morrison, Mrs. T. Atkinson; captain, Mrs. C. Hammond; vice-captain, Miss Beth Gordon; house committee, Mrs. Dr. B. F. Nott, convener; Mrs. G. Armstrong; Mrs. E. J. Pipher, Mrs. N. J. Wootten, Mrs. L. S. Clarke.

A elergyman, playing against a golfer whose excavations and exclamations were both alarming, felt it his duty to make a protest.

"My friend," he said, "you might show a little more respect for the Cloth." To which his opponent replied, "Why? What do you think we're playing? Billiards?" TOURNAMENT at the New Manoir Richelieu at MURRAY BAY PROVINCE OF QUEBEC THE annual Invitation Amateur Tournament will be held on the Manair

will be held on the Manoir Richelieu Links on July 13th. Play will be open to all amateurs and will be for the Manoir Richelieu Golf Shield.

This shield was offered for the first time last season and carries the name of W. Darling, of the Whitlock Golf Club, the winner. Winners are presented with smaller replicas of the shield, and their names are inscribed on the original trophy.

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A. C. N. Gosling, who won the amateur championship of Bermuda last winter, led the field in the qualifying round of the club championship event at the Toronto Golf Club with an 81 while John Hadden was one stroke behind. Sixteen players with scores of 93 or better qualified for the match play in the first flight for the club title while the next 16 will play down for the second flight championship. The finals will not be reached until June 29th.

R. M. Ballantyne, Limited, Stratford, Ontario, are manufacturing a particularly handsome line of knitted sports wear for the present golfing season. This firm has a Canadianwide reputation as manufacturers of high-class garments. Drop round to your favourite "toggery" in your city or town and see the many smart styles Ballantyne has created in knitted sports wear. There is a garment for every sport and every purpose.

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Mrs. George A. Mackenzie, mother of Miss Ada Mackenzie, the celebrated golfer, was at Cranberry Portage, visiting her brother, Mr. W. T. Thompson, mine owner and topographical surveyor, when that place was destroyed by forest fires. Some anxiety was felt for the safety of Mrs. Mackenzie and her brother, but fortunately this was groundless.

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In Nova Scotia as well as in Prince Edward Island, the stores and business houses in the towns and cities have a Wednesday half-holiday beginning the first Wednesday in June and on to September. This Wednesday half-holiday is golf-day in the Maritimes, and all recreators rush to the golf links. At Antigonish, Nova Scotia, Wednesday, the 5th of June, the first of the weekly summer half holidays, the opening number was a match between teams captained by the president and vice-president. There was a large turn-out of members. The player with the lowest score at this club above 100 will be awarded this season the "Century" Challenge Cup.

Western Golf The Association. Chicago, has announced the dates of its three important championships. They are Western Amateur, Mission Hills Club, Kansas City, Mo., July 8th-13th; Western Open Championship, Ozankee Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 21-24; Western Junior Championship, La Grange Country Club, La Grange, Ill., Aug. 6-9. Canada is generally represented in this Junior Championship and probably will be again next August. The age limit is 15 and 19 inclusive. All entries must be in the Secretary's hands July 30th.

Ross W. Hayes, clever young Sarnia golfer, last month won the individual championship at the invita-

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tion tournament of the Indianwood Golf Club of Detroit with a card of 155 for 36 holes. Hayes nosed out William Courtney, one of Detroit's ranking players. As a member of the Sarnia Golf Club, Hayes at one time and another, has won every one of the trophies along the border.

#### Keep Your Eye on the Ball

There's a game much in vogue-It's called golf—and the play Is to ''swat'' a small sphere With a club, and they say Of the hints, ''How to Win,'' This is the chiefest of all: When you're making a stroke ''Keep your eye on the ball.''

In the great game of life It holds true, so we find, For the victor is one Who can focus his mind, And whatever he seeks, Be the prize great or small, When he's making his stroke Keeps his eye on the ball.

The men who make "hits" Are the ones who see straight, And their fortunes aren't left To blind chance and to fate. In life's game they will win Where the careless must fall, For they follow the rule: "Keep your eye on the ball." So whatever your purpose In life, keep your eye On the thing you would do. It is useless to try To conquer life's hazards

Unless you install This rule as your aim:

"Keep your eye on the ball." -Nixon Waterman.

The youngsters are playing great golf already this season and in the coming championships and tournaments are going to be dangerous factors. For instance, Phil Farley, the 17-year-old player of Cedar Brook Golf Club, Toronto, recently registered a 72 over this sporting course. The course record was previously held by the ex-amateur Canadian champion, Mr. W. J. Thompson, with a 73. Young Farley learned his golf around Cedar Brook. He started to play when he was thirteen years old. His mentor was Tom Cairns, the club pro. Cairns found him to have plenty of natural



ability, a real "yen" for the game, and the patience to put in hours and hours of lonely practice. And that is what counts.

Miss Maureen Orcutt, who is generally conceded to rank only second to Miss Glenna Collett in women's golf in the United States, recently won the Eastern Association Golf Championship played at Newton Square, Pa., for the second time. She had the very fine medal score of 241 for fifty-four holes, or four and a half strokes per hole.

The annual opening of the Maitland Golf Club, Goderich, Ontario, was held May 24th, with a record attendance. In the men's 9-hole medal competition, Rev. R. C. McDermid, Dr. Newton Brady and H. C. Williams came in with a score of 37. After the play-off the prizes were awarded as follows: Rev. R. C. McDermid, Dr. Newton Brady, H. C. Williams, C. Naftel, C. A. Reid and Geo. Jenner. In the ladies' competition : Mrs. Jas. Donaldson, Miss V. E. Williams, Miss Olive Allen and Miss C. Hays turned in the low scores. In the 2-ball mixed foursome Miss C. Hays and Geo. Jen-

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ner turned in a 43 for first place, with Mrs. E. D. Brown and C. L. Walker, Mrs. T. H. Mitchell and W. F. Saunders and Mrs. J. C. Robertson and F. R. Darrow, runners-up. Ladies' putting competition: Mrs. K. E. Naftel, Mrs. Jas. Donaldson, Mrs. H. C. Dunlop, Mrs. T. H. Mitchell, Mrs. W. F. Saunders and Miss C. Hays were the prize winners. The course is in excellent shape this season and the membership has increased considerably. Thirty-two players have qualified for the Lloyd Cup competition open to men players only.

At the very successful annual dinner dance of the club held at the Bedford Hotel, Goderich, the president, Mr. C. C. Lee, presented the prizes for the past season to the following:— Miss Bertha Fleming, Ellis Cup; Mrs. Geo. Downey, rose bowl; Jas. Donaldson, Lloyd Cup, and J. N. Flahiff, the Garrow Cup.

All the clubs in the Toronto District

are adding materialy to their membership this season. Cedar Brook enrolled no fewer than 58 members the past two weeks.

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An old Scottish doctor was a member of a golf club. No one knew his age and the old man made such a secret of it all the members were very curious. At last the good old soul died, and the club members deputed a fellow to attend the funeral, and warned him to be sure and read the plate on the coffin and note the age. The next day they gathered around him to hear his report.

"Did you see the plate?"

"Oh, yes."

"What was the age?"

"There wasn't any age. It just said 'Dr. Timothy McFarlane, Office Hours 9 to 11 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m.'"

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The United States Golf Association announces that the Eighth Amateur Public Links Championship of the United States will be held Aug. 6th-10th at the Forest Park Golf Course, St. Louis, Missouri. Entries accompanied by entry of \$5.00 must be received on or before July 22nd. Canadians playing on Public Links are eligible to enter and in the past several have done so.

Entrants in this Championship may accept their travelling expenses to

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and from St. Louis plus \$6.00 per day while there from the Sectional Association governing the district which they represent without violating the Amateur definition.

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The executive of the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club have deeided to postpone the annual 18-hole medal competition for the Eaton Gift Shop Trophy, open to players in the Province with handicaps of 25 and under, which was originally scheduled for June 18. The original date conflicts with the invitation ladies' tournament at the London Hunt Club.

The largest number of members in one day in the history of the Islington Club, Toronto, played on Saturday, June 8th, and in the qualifying round for the club handicap championship 78 players turned in scores, one out of five players with scores of 78 getting thirty-second place in the match play. Ross Gladwin and W. Adams with 81's had the best gross score, while Gladwin led the qualifiers with a nett 67 and J. I. Simpson was second with a nett 68.

The regrettable death is announced of Miss H. M. Neelands, B.A., of Toronto, formerly principal of St. Margarets College, Toronto. Miss Neelands was keenly interested in sport and was an active member of the Rosedale Golf Club and the Toronto Skating Club. She leaves her father, her sister, Ethel, and one brother, E. V. Neelands, of Cobalt.

Walter Hagen and Horton Smith played an exhibition match at the Erie Downs course at Bridgeburg, Ont., last week and were entertained by Billy Kelly and other Buffalo sport writers. Hagen told Kelly he never had enjoyed a trip as he did the last one to Europe, declared the English were perfectly wonderful to the American golfers and they found the same open-hearted reception and entertainment in France and Germany. Hagen and Smith could have remained

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for another month and been booked solid in exhibitions, had they cared to. Hagen will be absent from tournament play most of next year, and will not play in the British Open. He plans a tour of Australia.



The Dunlop Rubber Company reports an ever-increasing demand for the usual "Hole-in-One" Trophy pictured above.

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Any golfer making a hole-in-one this season with a Dunlop "Maxfli" gets this handsome trophy.

The Ontario Branch of the C. L. G. U. has announced the dates of the Ontario Junior Girls' Championship, one of the most colourful events of the season. The dates are Sept. 2-6 and the venue as usual the Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club, Toronto. The holder of the Championship is Miss Winnifred Robinson, of St. Catharines.

Mr. John C. Russell, 132 St. Peter Street, Montreal, reports a wonderful season for the famous Worthington lawn mowers, gang mowers, putting green power mowers and putting green hand mowers. Sales this year in Canada are 60% ahead of last year —a remarkable testimony to the "worth-while" Worthington products.



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Don Carrick, former Canadian and Ontario Amateur Champion, made his first appearance in a club competition at Scarboro and led the field in a ball sweepstakes with a 75, the lowest score recorded at Scarboro this season. The scores of the prize winners were: J. T. Parker, 89-20-69, and C. G. Robinson, 85-16-19; 3, E. C. Moore, 80-10-70; 4, D. Carrick, 75-3-72, and R. N. Grant, 90-18-72.

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More and more in Great Britain, Canada and the States leading amateurs are joining the professional ranks. A despatch from Columbus, Ohio, June 10th:

"Alfred Sargent, who led Ohio State University's golf team to a Big Ten Championship last year, has renounced amateurism and become assistant to his father, George Sargent, professional at the Seioto Country Club here. Young Sargent was one of the best golfers in the Big Ten last year. He qualified for match play in the national intercollegiate meet at Rye, N.Y., and was a constant threat in state tournaments.

"Another Ohio State golfer, Dave Ogilvie, Jr., of Cleveland, recently dropped out of school and turned professional. He is also assisting his father, who is professional at the Oakwood Country Club, Cleveland."

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A worried-looking patron entered the spooky atmosphere of a fortuneteller's establishment.

"Do you guarantee that I can talk with my dead wife?" he inquired.

"Absolutely," the seer promised.

"Then ask her where, in Heaven's name, she put my old pair of plus fours."

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The Hamiota Golf Club, Hamiota, Man., held a president vs. vice-president competition on the Thursday half holiday, 32 members taking part. The day was ideal for playing and the course and greens in splendid condition, making the event a very enjoyable one, and as both sides scored the same total strokes, nothing was left to be desired.

The social committee provided lunch at the Hospital Aid Pavilion, 36 members and friends enjoying the good things provided. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hood, of Virden, were visitors during the afternoon, and during lunch, were unanimously elected as honourary members of the club with full privileges.

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The recent purchase of a "Jacobsen" Power Mower by the officials of the Oxford Golf and Country Club. Woodstock, Ontario, to enhance and preserve the unique contours of the new greens by expert mowing, has been more than ordinarily satisfying. Since the commencement of reconstructions last year, enthusiastic executives have been co-operating with Benjamin Kerr, the professional, regarding improved course machinery -the last addition being a "Jacobsen Power Mower". Under the initial supervision of the Toronto distributor. Mr. Edward Tippet, great progress

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The United States Golf Association informs the "Canadian Golfer" that the eighth annual Public Links Championship will be held at the Forest Park Golf Course, St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 6-10th. Players on public links in Canada are eligible to enter.

There was a large number of entries in each of the several competitions of the annual field day of the Toronto Golf Club. There was a mixed foursome event in the morning with the five-club five-player team match being the big event of the afternoon. The prizes were presented during the dance in the evening to the following:

Mixed foursome-Mrs. C. A. Boone and Lewis Duncan.

Five-club team—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Bosworth, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. R. Sinclair and T. W. Lawson.

Driving-Men, aggregate, A. C. N. Gosling; long drive, H. A. Richardson. Ladies, aggregate, Mrs. Strathearn Hay; long drive, Mrs. Strathearn Hay.

Obstacle golf-W. G. More.

Putting-Men, Dudley Dawson. Ladies, Mrs. H. H. Burnham.

Approaching and putting-G. S. Lyon, H. C. Macklem and J. K. Cronyn, tied. Ladies, Mrs. H. C. Macklem, Mrs. Grant Fletcher and Miss Myriam Elmsley.

Clock golf—Men, R. C. H. Cassels. Ladies, Mrs. John Dick, Cobourg.

Whene'er I top one off the tee, The word I drop begins with D, And when I get to where it fell My usual comment ends with L.

Andrew Black is again the professional this season at the Saguenay Country Club, a popular summer resort elub at Arvida, Que., with a membership of 150 or more.

Maurice J. McCarthy, Jr., a senior at Georgetown University, smothered Paul Haviland, of Bridgeport, Conn., under an avalanche of pars and birdies to win the 36-hole final round of the Metropolitan Amateur Championship by 7 and 6, at Montelair, N.J. The youthful collegian turned in a brilliant 65 for the morning 18 holes.

C. McIlvenny, who used to be professional at West Middlesex, and is now engaged with the Port Elizabeth Club, South Africa, was the winner of the Transvaal Open Championship at Bloemfontein, with an aggregate of 291 for 72 holes.

The death took place at Richmond,

Va., of Mr. James Auchterlonie, of St.

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Andrews, Scotland, who was on a visit to his two golfing sons in the United States. Mr. Auchterlonie, who was 70 years of age, was the oldest of the celebrated St. Andrews golfing family, known throughout the golfing world.

J. B. Cordingley and J. Hawson, of the Brandon Golf Club, have qualified for the medal of the Manitoba Golf Association to the best scores turned in at each club in a match against par. The association offered a medal for province-wide competition, and a medal to each club affiliated with the association. Messrs. Cordingley and Hawson each finished three down on par, and if both men are not eligible for a medal, they will play off the honour. Other scores against par were: H. H. Henderson, 11 down; A. W. Kay, 7; Dean Smith, 9; Dr. S. O. McDiarmid, 12; D. E. Clement, 6; John Johns, 5, and W. J. Miller, 4.

The Pacific Northwest Seniors' Golf Association which always holds its annual Tournaments in Victoria, B.C., has suffered a severe loss in the passing of Mr. J. F. Lyon, of Tacoma, who was extremely well known on the Victoria golf courses. He was for many years British Consul at Tacoma. Mr. Lyon was a keen golfer, and never missed a Seniors' Tournament since its inauguration several years ago. He was a member of class "C" in that organization and was usually well up in the tourneys. Victoria links were his favourites and he made frequent week-end trips.

Thirty-six players belonging to the Royal Bank of Canada, Vancouver, B.C., took part in the recent field day staged on the Vancouver Golf and Country Club. The match was between the supervisers' department and other branches, the supervisers winning out by a score of 16½ to 10. Concealed handicap prizes were won by H. P. Wilson, R. Kennedy and J. Christie. In the concealed hole competition low scores were recorded by R. H. Baird, D. C. Ritchie, J. Howat and H. C. Sanis. High scores for concealed holes were registered by R. L. Roenigk and H. Stewart.

Mr. Greville K. Jack, a former well known London (England) golf secretary, has been appointed to the secretaryship of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club, succeeding Mr. W. H. Watts, who held the position for several years. Mr. Jack the past nine years has been engaged in hotel management in British Columbia which will prove of great asset in his new position.

The property formerly occupied by the Watrous Golf Club, Watrous, Sask., having been acquired by the Town some time ago and since been leased out for farming purposes, the premises had to be vacated by the golf enthusiasts and the club is now disbanded. Incidentally a company has been organized to build a sanitarium at Manitou Lake, and in addition are contemplating laying out a golf course in connection therewith.

Stratford is the latest city in Ontario to take up the question of inaugurating a public golf course. A strong committee of leading citizens has been named to secure all the necessary data before recommending a site to be purchased by the municipality. Stratford can make no mistake in endorsing such a project. The history of public golf in Canada both in the East and West, indubitably proves that such an undertaking will not cost the ratepayers a penny. In fact, in more than one city, public courses return a revenue to the municipality sponsoring them.

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# THE TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

June 27-29-U.S. National Open Championship, Winged Foot Club, Mamaroneck, N.Y.

July 4-Quebec Ladies' Field Day-Grandmere Golf Club, Grandmere, Que.

July 4—Annual Sedgefield Independence Day Invitation Tournament, Greensboro, N.C.

July 8-13-Western Amateur Championship, Mission Hills Country Club, Kansas City, Mo.

July 9-12-California Junior Championship, Del Monte, Cal.

July 11-13-Ontario Amateur Championship, London Hunt Club, London, Ont.

July 13th—Province of Quebec Invitation Tournament, Manoir Richelieu Golf Club, Murray Bay.

July 15-19-Women's Invitation Tournament, Westchester Biltmore Country Club, Rye, N.Y.

July 15-Quebec Ladies' Field Day-Mount Bruno Golf Club.

July 16-Ontario Open Championship, Lakeview Golf Club, Toronto.

July 18-20-Metropolitan Open Championship, I ido C.C., Long Beach, L.I. July 18.20—Men's Invitation Tournament, Buffalo Club (some 20 prominent Canadians have been invited to participate).

July 21-22-Province of Quebec Spring Tournament, Royal Montreal Golf Club, Montreal.

July 22nd—Canadian Professional Championship, Laval-sur-le-Lac Golf Club, Montreal, Que.

July 24-26-Metropolitan Junior Championship, Morris County Golf Club, Convent Station, N.J.

July 24-27-Manitoba Amateur Championship, Elmhurst Golf Club, Winnipeg.

July 25, 26 and 27-Canadian Open Championship, Kanawaki Golf Club, Montreal.

July 25-27 — Buckwood Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

July 26-28-Gold Mashie Tournament, Ocean Links, Newport, R.I.

July 29-Aug. 2—Maritime Championships, Riverside Golf and Country Club, St. John, N.B. July 29th, Inter-Provincial Match.

July 30-Aug. 3-Seventh Annual Women's Invitation Tournament, Biltmore Forest C. C., Asheville, N.C.

## THE TOURNAMENT CALENDAR-Continued

July 31-Quebec Ladies' Field Day-Sherbrooke Golf and Country Club, Sherbrooke, Que.

August 1-4-New York State Amateur Championship, Mohawk Golf Club, Schenectady.

Aug. 2nd-Maritime Professional Championship, Riverside Golf and Country Club, St. John, N.B.

August 3rd-Province of Quebec Invitation Tournament, Mt. Bruno G.C., Montreal.

Aug. 3-5-Annual Midsummer Golf Tournament, Del Monte, Cal.

Aug. 5-9-Washington State Women's Championship, Fircrest Golf Club, Tacoma.

Aug. 5-10-Saskatchewan Golf Tournament, Wascana Golf Club, Regina, Sask.

Aug. 6-9-Western Junior Championship, La Grange C.C., La Grange, Ill.

Aug. 6-10—Eighth Amateur Public Links Championship United States, Forest Park Golf Course, St. Louis, Mo. (Players on Publie Golf Courses in Canada are eligible to enter.)

Aug. 12-17—Seventh Annual Men's Invitation Tournament, Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C.

Aug. 19—Interprovincial Team Match in connection with Canadian Amateur, Jasper Park Lodge.

August 19-Quebec Ladies' Field Day-Beaconsfield Golf Club, Pointe Claire, Que.

Aug. 19th (Probable)-Saskatchewan Amateur and Professional Championships, Wascana Golf Club, Regina.

Aug. 19th, etc.-Western Canada Championships (in connection with the Canadian Amateur Championship), Jasper Park, Alta.

Aug. 19-24—Canadian Amateur Championship, Jasper Park Lodge, Alberta.

August 21-24-Western Open Championship, Ozaukee Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis.

Aug. 23-24—Fourball Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

Aug. 26-30-Manitoba Provincial Ladies' Championships, Niakwa Country Club, Winnipeg.

Aug. 26-Sept. 1-Western Women's Championship, Mayfield Golf and Country Club.

Aug. 29-30—Quebec Ladies' Championship for Junior Girls, Country Club, St. Lambert, Que.

August 30th-Province of Quebec Junior Championship, Beaconsfield G.C., Montreal.

Aug. 31st-Junior Championship, Manitoba Golf Association, Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg. Sept. 2-6—Ontario Junior Girls' Championship, Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club, Toronto.

Sept. 2-7-U. S. National Amateur Championship, Pebble Beach Links, Del Monte, Calif.

Sept. 3-6-Manitoba Junior Girls' Championship, Southwood Golf Club, Winnipeg.

Sept. 6th-Province of Quebec Open Championship-club to be decided.

Sept. 7-14-Totem Pole Championship, Jasper Park, Alta.

Sept. 7th-Province of Quebec Amateur Championship-club to be decided.

Championship—club to be decided. Sept. 9-10—City and District Ladies' Championship, Royal Montreal Golf Club.

Sept. 9-12-Manitoba Ladies' Senior Championship, St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg.

Sept. 9th—Province of Quebec, Assistants Pro. Competition, Rosemere Golf Club, Montreal.

Sept. 10-13-U. S. Senior Championships, Apawamis, Rye, N.Y.

Sept. 11-14—Canadian Seniors Tournament, Royal Ottawa Golf Club. (International Match with U. S. will be played Sept. 13th and the International Individual Championship Sept. 14th).

Sept. 14th—Province of Quebec Father and Son Tournament, Marlborough Golf and Country Club, Limited, Montreal.

Sept. 14-Ontario Fall Tournament, Oshawa Golf Club.

Sept. 16-Canadian Close Ladies' Championship, Scarboro Golf Club, Toronto, Ont.

Sept. 16-(Subject to confirmation) Junior Championship of Ontario, Lambton Golf Club.

Sept. 20-Ontario Parent and Child Tournament, Toronto Golf Club.

Sept. 20-21-Jubilee Invitation Tournament, Brantford Golf and Country Club, Brantford, Ont.

Sept. 23—Canadian Ladies' Open Championship, Hamilton Golf and Country Club, Ancaster, Ontario.

Sept. 23-Quebec Ladies' Field Day, Laval Sur le Lac Golf Club.

Sept. 27-28-Lesley Cup Matches, Toronto Golf Club.

Sept. 30-Oct. 5-U.S. National Women's Championship, Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham, Mich.

Oct. 2-4—Canadian Women's Seniors Annual Tournament, Marlborough Golf Club, Montreal.

Oct. 17-19-Fall Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.



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