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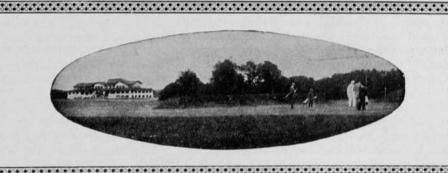
Then, too, with iron or brassie true,
They reach the distant green in two,
Or dare the traps of guarded green,
With magic shot from mashie keen,
To rest content by friendly flag,
Another hole in par to bag.

And then to watch them sure as fate,
Sink wiley putt, nor hesitate.
No matter what the length, or line,
With mystic might and perfect time.
All, all so far from us, old son,
But cheerio!—Ain't we got fun?

-W. H. Webling.







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The West and the Canadian Amateur Championship For the first time in the history of the Canadian Amateur Championship, the West played the part of the host this year and the hundred odd entrants will for a long time hold in fragrant memory the hospitality showered upon them from the first to the last day of a memorable week. The weather was

ideal; the greens of the Winnipeg Golf Course were in perfect condition and the fairgreens on the whole excellent; the large galleries were alike enthusiastic and non-partisan, whilst the whole details of a comprehensive Tournament were run off with a clock-like precision which left nothing to be desired.

Alberta had a wonderful representation of fine golfers. Saskatchewan, too, sent of its best. Ontario's contingent was not altogether what it should have been, but at any rate it had the virtue of quality and eventually contributed a champion and semi-finalist. The only "fly in the ointment" was the entire absence of any golfers from the Pacific Coast and the slim representation from the Province of Quebec—the birthplace of golf in Canada. British Columbians have only recently engaged in the Pacific Northwest Championship in which they have participated for some years and there is perhaps a valid excuse for their non-appearance. There is, however, apparently none for Quebec in sending

its Provincial Champion unsupported to uphold its honour on the field of golfing glory. Great Britain and the United States also had a few entrants and by large and small the field was a thoroughly representative one. As in Montreal in 1920, so in Winnipeg this year; the eventual outcome, as everyone hoped and desired, was a final battle between East and West and once again the East triumphed, but only after one of the most memorable struggles ever recorded in the history of the Canadian Amateur. The vanquished shared in the triumph of the victor, in providing one of the most thrilling wind-ups of a Championship that could possibly be chronicled. Mr. Frank Thompson of Mississauga, Toronto to-day wears the laurel, to the delight of thousands of admirers of undoubtedly Canada's most brilliant young golfer-with an International future ahead of him, but Mr. C. W. Hague of the Country Club, Calgary, by his clean-cut golf and his superb pluck exhibited throughout the 38-hole gruelling contest almost equally participated in the chief honours of the event. The runner-up in the 1921 contest was only separated from the Championship by a putt and such a narrow margin surely entitles him to especial recognition. Both Messrs. Thompson and Hague played Championship golf in a championship final, which, all said and done, is rarely seen in any country. Both have to-day an established Dominion-wide reputation. Both have all the attributes with which to attain even greater heights in the realm of the Royal and Ancient.

The Wisdom of Western and Pacific Coast Associations

Distances are so great in Canada that it is well-nigh impossible for many golfers, however willing, to travel hundreds of miles to attend a National Championship and, under the circumstances it would seem well advised if Territorial Associations were formed. For instance, a Western and a Pacific Coast Association might most appropriately be organized, of course,

under the jurisdiction of The Royal Canadian Golf Association.

This matter was seriously discussed last month at the Amateur Championship at Winnipeg and met with general endorsation. If such Associations are formed, and the trend of opinion is that they will be in the very near future, then it would be a capital idea for the Territorial Championships to be held before the Canadian Amateur event, and then the leading eight or ten players could be selected (with as many others as could afford the time and the money) to enter for the Canadian Championship.

This would appear to be the logical solution of a much vexed question. It seems inevitable, owing to the handicap of distance, that a championship held in the West will per se be attended principally by Western players. whilst on the other hand the conditions will be reversed when held in the East. This state of affairs, however regrettable, cannot very well be avoided under the untoward circumstances, therefore selected teams from the Territorial centres of the Dominion to participate in the Canadian Championship every year would seem to be a happy idea. It must not be forgotten that The Royal Canadian Golf Association is on record as favouring such Associations, working under the banner and harmoniously with the parent body.

Very **Great Golfers** are "George" and "Abe"

Duncan and Mitchell certainly did "breeze through" Canada in their exhibition matches, and showed leading amateurs and professionals alike how to "play the game." Somehow or other, the idea was rather prevalent that they were hardly up to the Vardon and Ray standard of last year. That the veterans had, in fact, a bit of the edge on them. To students and close followers of the game, that, of course, was nonsense. Vardon is undoubtedly

the past master of the game, and Ray unquestionably has a "punch and putt" in his bag which is spectacular, to say the least of it. But one is over fifty and the other is nearing that mark, whilst Duncan and Mitchell are in the thirties the golden age of golf. And youth, even middle-aged youth, must be served. Experts tell us that the Scot and the Englishman are to-day 2 to 3 strokes better than the Channel Islanders—both Vardon and Ray were born in Jersey—and their tour of Canada has proved that. Witness, just to give one instance, Duncan's 69 at Lambton, the most testing links in Canada, not to mention other course records he and Mitchell made. Here is a player who has never seen Lambton before and yet he goes out and beats any previous score. Leading professionals and amateurs have played Lambton by the dozen day after day; studied every approach shot; sized up every tricky shot to the hole on the green; and have been delighted to break into the seventies. Duncan notches a 69, a course record, only having once previously played over the links. After hearing of what wonderful scores Duncan and Mitchell made in Toronto, Montreal, Brantford and Winnipeg, "the first time of asking," one naturally asks what could these wizards of wood and iron do if they had a chance for a week or so to study local conditions? There is not a question but what they would be in the sixties, well in the sixties, on every course in the Dominion.

#### CANADIAN CHAMPION FAILS TO QUALIFY

After playing several very fine practise rounds at St. Louis, preparatory to the U. S. Amateur Championship at St. Louis, Frank Thompson, the Canadian Amateur Champion, on Saturday. September 17th, failed to qualify. He had a disastrous round of 87. The only other Canadian entrant. Biggerstaffe Wilson of Vancouver, B.C., also was unsuccessful in getting into the charmed circle of 64. The gold medal for the best qualifying score was won by an unknown young player "Rudy" Knepnerr of Sioux City, who made a dazzling 70. The U. S. Amateur Champion had a 73.

The British Amateur Champion, W. I. Hunter, and T. D. Armour, of Edinburgh, the winner of the Amateur medal at the Canadian Open, both qualified.

#### THE CHAMPION OF THE ANTIPODES

Joe Kirkwood, the celebrated Australian golfer, is in Calgary and other Western eities this month, playing exhibition games and giving exhibitions of his wonderful "trick" golf. It is understood that he has made more than his expenses as a result of prize money at the various Tournaments, and his other fees. It is nearly six months now since he left his far-away home. There is a rumour that he will return to the States next year and permanently reside there. A very likeable chap is Kirkwood and he has made hosts of friends on this tour, both in Great Britain, the United States and Canada.

#### A GREAT PERFORMANCE

The Caddies' Annual Stroke Competition and beanfeast at the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, took place recently. The rain interfered somewhat with the play, but not with the beanfeast. One little lad, aged 10, using nothing but a "spoon" established what is probably a record. His score, verified by his nearest competitor, was as follows: 15 plates of ice cream, 19 pieces of cake, 10 cups of coffee and a number of ham sandwiches. He is expected to recover.



"All Winnipeg is divided into three parts"—golfers, golf links and golfing hospitality.

There may be a more delightful place in the Dominion than St. Andrews, N.B., but the Senior golfers of Canada don't know where it is located.

The Stymie rule in the United States is different from that in vogue in Canada but at Apawamis this month in the International match the U. S. Seniors decided to adopt the Canadian interpretation of the rule. That is fine sportsmanship.

That the Lord Byng of Vimy, who is already winning such golden opinions on the right hand and on the left, intends to take an active interest in golf whilst occupying the Governor-Generalship is evidenced by the fact that he has already accepted the Patronship of both The Royal Canadian Golf Association and The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association.

It was rumoured that Mr. W. I. Hunter, the British Amateur champion, who is now in the States participating in the U. S. Amateur Championship, was about to turn professional and take a position here. Mr. Hunter denies this. He states, however, that he has been offered a lucrative position with a large textile firm to travel for them in the States and Canada, and is seriously thinking of accepting the offer. It would be a splendid thing if he could be induced to settle in Canada.

Mr. Wessell of Chicago, at the annual dinner of the U. S. Seniors' Golf Association a week or so ago at Rye, N.Y., at which the Canadian International team was present, threw out the gentle hint that the game of golf was now on such a permanent footing that it would be a good idea for well-to-do members to remember the Senior Associations in their wills by establishing funds for cups and competitions—a sentiment quite heartily applauded by the financial magnates and captains of industry present.

The appointment of Lt.-Col. Harry Cockshutt to the Lieutenant-Governor-ship of Ontario has been greeted with general acclaim from all parts of the Province. Lt.-Col. Cockshutt is a member of the Brantford Golf and Country Club, and the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, and has been a liberal supporter of the former organization. The government could not possibly have made a happier choice. The new Lieutenant-Governor's eldest daughter, Miss Margaret, is especially a very enthusiastic devotee of the game.

One of the marvels of golf in Canada is the Municipal Course at Kildonan Park, Winnipeg. Opened only a couple of months ago the receipts to date total over \$9,000. On one Saturday and Sunday over 1,000 players registered on the books, and teed off for the 18-hole round. Already the Park Commissioners of the golfiest city in Canada are talking of establishing a second course.

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It was a genuine source of regret throughout the Canadian golfing world that Miss Cecil Leitch, the British and French Woman's Champion, shortly after her arrival here was taken quite seriously ill with tonsilitis and had to cancel engagements in Toronto, Hamilton and other well known centres. The whole Canadian golfing public was eagerly anticipating welcoming her to and seeing her an the links here. It will be the devout wish of everyone that she will be thoroughly restored to health before her important appearances in the Canadian and United States Ladies' Championships. She will be easily the chief feature in both these important events.

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Miss Leitch, the British and French Champion, now on a visit to this country, is of the opinion that the greens on the Canadian courses she has so far played over are altogether too large. She contends that small greens make for more skillful pitch-up shots. That the greens here, in other words, are too easily negotiated from the mid-field. There can be no question that on many Canadian courses, committees have erred on the generous side. Incidentally, smaller greens would make for economy in up-keep and club officials generally will rather be inclined to back up Miss Leitch in her opinion. The ordinary golfer, however, does love a big green.

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George A. Philpot, the well-known British pro. under recent date writes:—
"It is common knowledge that the limitations in size and weight of balls which came into force on May 1st have not had the precise effect originally intended, and it is therefore not surprising to hear that the matter is to be discussed again by a reconstituted committee. This present summer's drought has been all against the so-called "standard" ball, but even so, there is a feeling abroad that a large light ball alone eventually will meet the case. The deliberations of the reconstituted committee will be watched with great interest, alike by the golfing public and golf ball manufacturers."

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The Mississauga Golf Club officers and members honoured alike themselves and the recipients when this month they conferred life memberships on Miss Ada Mackenzie, ex-Canadian Lady Champion, and Mr. Frank Thompson, Canadian Amateur Champion. The Royal Montreal Golf and the Hamilton Golf and Country Club are the only two other clubs in the Dominion which can lay claim to having produced both a woman and a man champion from their membership. Miss Mackenzie and the Thompson brothers have certainly put the interesting club on the historic banks of the river Credit on the golfing map.

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There was a time when bids from clubs for the holding of the Amateur and Open Championships of Canada rather went a-begging. But that time is past. Already there are two invitations in for the 1922 meetings—Hamilton for the Amateur and Kanawaki, Montreal, for the Open. Hamilton has previously had an Open, an International fixture and a Ladies' Championship, but never an amateur event. Kanawaki is a newcomer. No Canadian major event has ever been held there. Both courses are capable of staging in a most admirable manner the two leading Canadian Championship events. Hamilton has for the

past four years enjoyed an international reputation for possessing one of the best inland courses on the continent. The links there are a wonderful test of high-class golf and this year have been stiffened up and improved with many more bunkers and traps. Kanawaki, too, has been spending money most intelligently recently in bringing its fairways and greens up to standard from the plans of Donald Ross of continental renown. A better choice than these courses by The Royal Canadian Golf Association for 1922 could not possibly be improved upon. Their selection will meet with the unanimous approval of golfers both amateur and professional.



Brown—"Well Jones, how did the match go?"

Jones (who lost the match but won the Bye)—
"Oh fine, thanks. I won the Bye but my opponent won the other thing."

# RECORD GOLF IN WINNIPEG

Twenty-third Annual Canadian Amateur Championship won by Frank Thompson, the Brilliant young player of the Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto—Match goes to the 38th Hole—C. W. Hague of Calgary, Runner-up—C. P. Shaw, Weston Golf Club, and A. A. Weir Figure in Sensational Semi-finals—W. J. Thompson, Mississauga, wins the Best Gross Prize in Open Handicap—West defeats East—Manitoba wins the Inter-Provincial Match and Winnipeg Golf Club the Inter-Club Match—Consolation Prize goes to A. C. McWilliams of Calgary, and Vice-President's Prize to A. J. Wilson of Winnipeg.

H East is East, and West is West, and never the twain shall meet'' sings Kipling, but the Empire Poet Laureate would have had to admit that on the golf green at any rate this is not a true summing up of conditions. At Winnipeg, the week of August 22nd in the Amateur Golf Championship of Canada, the East for the first time came West and, although the East admittedly was not so well represented numerically as it should have been and ought to have been, and this, perhaps, at first created "a little rift within the golfing lute," there was eventually a perfect blending of a Dominion-wide Royal and Ancient spirit. As generally hoped, the finals in the Championship brought



A Typical "Thompson" Drive. The Champion getting off a screamer from the tee.

East and West together and in the gallery of well-nigh 2,000 enthusiasts there was throughout the gruelling 38-hole battle on the last eventful day, a really remarkable demonstration of impartiality. Perhaps 99 per cent. of that huge, nerve-on-edge following of the finalists, wanted to see the Western representative annex titular honours. That was only natural, but that did not for a moment influence the attitude of the gallery towards the Eastern finalist. The brilliant young Mississaugan was applauded as heartily or more heartily for every good shot he made as fell to the lot of his clever contestant from Calgary, and when he eventually sank the winning putt on the second extra hole of a nerve-racking

day was cheered and "chaired" in a manner which simply was a revelation to the Eastern representatives present. No such enthusiastic reception was ever accorded a champion on a course in the East. The wonderful Western spirit of fair play was every minute of the tense combat of skill and wit in evidence. There was an actual blending of East and West on the links of Winnipeg during the never-forgettable final in the Amateur Canadian Championship contest of 1921. The twain met and the twain were as one in the hour of victory and defeat—a defeat virtually a victory, all said and done.

In its history of well-nigh a quarter of a century, Canada's blue riband amateur golfing event had never before this year been staged in the West. At the annual meeting of The Royal Canadian Golf Association last year at Beaconsfield, Montreal, it will be remembered it was very wisely and very unanimously decided to hold the 23rd Annual Championship at Winnipeg, a cordial invitation having been received from the Winnipeg Golf Club to hold the

Tournament on its sporting course at Bird's Hill.

The selection was an admirable one. A year or so ago the Executive of the Winnipeg Club called in the services of the golf architect, Willie Park, of International fame, and he proceeded to bunker and trap the course and otherwise bring it right up to championship form. Faithfully the Winnipeg Club officials carried out the plans of Park, with the result that a high-class test of golf was provided the entrants for the 1921 championship. There are very few if any Eastern courses which can boast better greens than the eighteen at Bird's Hill. The turf texture leaves nothing to be desired, whilst there is a pleasing variety in construction. The monotonous flat green is nowhere in evidence. Instead there are rolling greens and angle greens-greens, in fact, of almost every variety. The fairways still require in some instances toning up, the Western sub-soil lending itself to cuppy lies, but this feature of the course is also receiving most intelligent consideration and treatment and in another couple of years or so the Winnipeg Golf Club will have fairgreens on a par with its greens and then the links will unquestionably compare with the best in the Dominion. The length of the course going out is 3,205 yards; coming in 3,081 yards, or the excellent total of 6,286 yards with a par of 72 made up of two thirtysixes.

# THE OPENING DAY OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Weeks of intelligent preparation upon the part of the energetic local executive which had the Championship in charge resulted in a particularly Blessed with well-run Tournament. perfect golfing weather throughout and with the attendance of leading exponents of the game from every golfing Province in the Dominion (with the exception of British Columbia) and a smattering of U.S. and British players, the picturesquely situated Bird's Hill course on Monday, August 22nd witnessed the opening rounds of a thoroughly representative championshipa championship which eventually in its semi-finals and finals was destined to make golfing history.

In all 124 entrants were on hand when the curtain rang up on the opening Monday morning. This total compared with 123 at Beaconsfield last year, so the West went the East just one better—another little jolt for a few pessimists who predicted that Winnipeg could not stage a championship meeting so successfully as the Eastern golfing centres, and would not secure anything like as large a field of players.

There was quite a radical departure in the play-off this year. There was no qualifying round, but the draw was arranged in such a manner, by match play, that by Monday evening 64 players were left in to compete for the championship proper, the defeated going into the Consolations. The change generally speaking, was voted a great success. And here is what happened

## RESULTS OF 1921 CHAMPIONSHIPS



## In Tabloid Form



#### AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP OF CANADA

Winner of the Gold Medal and Earl Grey Cup. . . . . Frank Thompson, Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto.

Runner-up (2nd Prize Silver Medal given by the R.C.G.A.) . . . . Charles W. Hague
Calgary Golf and Country Club

Semi-Finalists . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . G. P. Shaw, Weston Golf Club

A. A. Weir, Regina Golf Club

First Consolation (Silver Bowl, given by R.C.G.A.) ...... A. C. McWilliams, St.

Andrews Golf Club, Calgary

Runner-Up . . . . . . . . . . . . H. M. Stratton, St. Andrews Golf Club, Calgary

Vice-President's Prize (donated by Mr. Wilson, K.C.) . . . A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge Golf Club, Winnipeg

> 2nd, J. G. Crawford, Norwood Golf Club, Winnipeg. 3rd, Frank Holdsworth, Bowness Golf Club, Calgary 4th, Geo. Wheeler, Winnipeg.

#### CLUB TEAM MATCH

Won by Winnipeg Golf Club. Total 337 points.

The winning team was composed of J. T. Cuthbert (Captain), F. G. Hale,

A. Campbell, A. J. Stevenson.

#### INTER-PROVINCIAL MATCH

Won by Manitoba, score 848; Alberta, 855; Ontario, 889.

#### EAST vs. WEST

Won by the West, score 845; East, 889.

on the momentous first day:-

H. A. Bruce, Saskatoon, defeated L. W. Hicks, St. Charles, 7 and 6.

F. F. Tribe, Norwood, defeated A. Ferguson, Calgary, 3 and 2.

W. McMillan, St. Charles, defeated R. G. Williams, Regina, 5 and 4.

F. G. Hale, Winnipeg, defeated E. J. Townshend, Norwood, 4 and 2.

A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge, defeated R. Hen-

derson Norwood, 5 and 4.
G. P. Shaw, Toronto, defeated D. N. Kennedy, Edmonton, 4 and 3.

H. G. Wilson, St. Charles, defeated Frank Miley, Saskatoon, 2 up.

A. A. Adams, Hamilton, defeated H. S.

Galbraith, St. Charles, 4 and 3.

L. Hammill, Toronto, defeated J. W. Thomson, Elmhurst, 4 and 3.

B. O'Kelly, Norwood, defeated W. J. Miller, Brandon, 4 and 3.

D. N. Arnott, Aissiniboine, defeated H. L. McCulloch. Galt. 6 and 5.

J. W. Kelly, Winnipeg, defeated J. Manuel, Norwood, 6 and 5.

D. G. Mackenzie, Macleod, Alta., defeated H. S. Coulson, Toronto, 5 and 4.

C. P. Wilson, St. Charles, defeated G. M.

Black, Pine Ridge, at 19th hole. J. D. Miller, Saskatoon, defeated J. P.

Runciman. Regina, at 19th hole.

F. Thompson, Toronto, defeated A. Johnson, Alcrest, 6 and 5.

E. W. S. Macvey, Norwood, defeated J. G. Crawford, Norwood, 2 up.

T. Gillespie, Calgary, defeated C. M. Bawlf, St. Charles, 4 and 2

J. K. Weatherby, Minneapolis, defeated A. Willoughby, Regina, 7 and 6.

Dr. W. H. Reid St. Charles, defeated R. C. S. Bruce Norwood, 7 and 5.
T. C. Morrison, Calgary, beat W. J. Thompson, Toronto, 2 and 1.
W. D. Macfarlane, St. Charles, defeated

R. L. Fulton Norwood 5 and 4.

B. M. Wakeling, Saskatoon, defeated Jas. Ryan, St. Charles, 3 and 2

J. Hutcheon, Calgary, defeated T. G. Tyrer, Regina, 2 and 1,

Jackson Walton, Calgary, defeated Walter Hill, Regina 7 and 6.

M. C. Byers, Saskatoon, defeated F. L.

Patton, Pine Ridge, 2 and 1.
A. Sullivan, St. Charles, defeated C. E. Sanders, Winnipeg, 5 and 4

W, O. Reid, Canoe Club, defeated H. Stratton, Calgary, 3 and 2.

H. Black, Calgary, defeated Dr. W. W. Irwin, Moose Jaw, 5 and 4.
A. T. Lowes, Calgary, defeated C. Aldous,

St. Charles, 3 and 1

R. E. Unicome, Brandon, defeated C. H. Ackerman, Peterboro, 2 up.

C. W. Hague, Calgary, defeated A. McWil-

liams, Calgary, 6 and 5. Ben Morgan, Woodcote Park, Eng., defeated George Wilson, Winnipeg, 4 and 3.

H. G. Shaw, Pine Ridge, defeated W. R. Bawlf, St. Charles, 4 and 3.

K. C. Allen, Pine Ridge defeated A. E.

Cruttenden, Calgary, 2 and 1. J. L. M. Thomson, Assiniboine, defeated L. Johnson. Regina, 1 up.

J. T. Cuthbert, Winnipeg, defeated R. Macauley, Assiniboine, 7 and 6.

A. Macaw, Pine Ridge, defeated F. F. Fregeau, Duluth, 5 and 4.

C. E. Barthe, St. Charles, defeated D. B. Mulligan, Winnipeg, 1 up.

T. S. English, Norwood defeated C. Y.

Stanier, Pine Ridge, 6 and 5. J. A. Rogers, Saskatoon, defeated J. Bal-

four, Regina, 3 and 2.
Dr. A. H. Houston, Seattle, defeated A. Campbell, Winnipeg, 1 up.

G. A. Howson, Winnipeg, defeated C. G. Mitchener, Saskatoon, 4 and 3.

J. E. Johnson, Alcrest, defeated W. E. Browne, Norwood, at 20th hole.

A. A. Weir, Regina, defeated B. L. Anderson, Lambton, 4 and 3.

A. B. Alexander, Norwood, defeated R. L. Denison, Norwood, 3 and 2.

Matt Thompson, Elmhurst, defeated D. J. Graham, Assiniboine, at 19th hole.

A. J. Andrews, St. Charles, defeated W. J. E. Parker, Norwood, 1 up.

E. N. Whyte, Duluth, defeated A. M. Stewart, Saskatoon, 4 and 3.

Marcus Greer, Grand Mere, Que., defeated G. I. Mackenzie, Canoe Club, 7 and 6.

W. K. Chandler, Pine Ridge, defeated W. Laidlaw, Calgary, 2 and 1.

A. J. Stevenson, Winnipeg, defeated R. R. Dobell, Pine Ridge, 3 and 2. F. L. Bawlf, St. Charles, defeated J. Gor-

don, Elmhurst, 2 and 1.

H. E. Gow, Norwood, defeated W. McCurdy, Winnipeg, at 19th hole.

H. C. Macdonald, Edmonton, defeated F. C. Grant, Moose Jaw, 3 and 2 Douglas Laird, Pine Ridge, defeate 1 D.

Smith, St. Charles, 2 and 1.

W. J. Dromgole, Norwood, defeated C. P. Church, Regina, at 22nd hole.

G. D. Wood, Winnipeg, D. N. Finnie, Pine Ridge, J. W. Shaw, Winnipeg, W. G. Weather-stone, St. Charles, Winnipeg, S. H. McCulloch Calgary, C. H. R. Morphy, Ottawa, and L. H. Northrop, Pine Ridge, won by default.

The Winnipeg Championship, as is generally the case in all championships, provided a notable up-set the first day. This was the match, W. J. Thompson vs. T. C. Morrison. Fresh from winning the Invitation Tournament two days previously at Fort William where he defeated his younger brother, Frank Thompson, on an extra hole match, the elder Mississaugan was greatly favoured for premier honours. He drew T. C. Morrison, the recently crowned Amateur Champion of Alberta, A fine,

big, slashing player is Morrison, who learned his game in the home of golf and who has a tremendous "punch" off the tee, taking every advantage of his inches and brawn. The Toronto erack found in him a linksman with many fine shots in his bag apart altogether from his ability to get a great distance off the tee. The first three holes of the match were halved. Then came the fourth, a 329 yarder, where Morrison was over the green behind the embankment on his second, whilst Thompson was practically dead. The Calgary player with a clever pitch and run shot found the cup and the Torontonian, missing his putt, found himself one down, instead of one up as seemed almost a certainty. Quick to profit by the advantage at the 11th, Morrison, by sterling golf had increased his lead to 3 up. Thompson, playing the pluckiest some years ago, Thompson finds his "putting touch" woefully minus at times. One of these days he will "get going" with his putter and then any major event will be well within his grasp. Morrison had every reason to be gratified in pulling off the first important victory for the West. Barring that one topped drive at the difficult 17th he played golf of championship calibre to account for so formidable an opponent.

All the other favourites came through with flying colours. T. Gillespie of the Country Club, Calgary, runner-up in the Championship last year at Beaconsfield, accounted for C. W. Bawlf of the St. Charles Club, Winnipeg, 4 and 2. J. T. Cuthbert, champion of Manitoba, defeated R. Macauley of the Assiniboine Club, Winnipeg, 7 and 6. The winner was out in 38 and home in 37 for a well-



The Champion putting in the finals. This scene will give some idea of the big gallery which encircled every green.

kind of a game, made a bold bid to pull his opponent's lead down but although winning the 15th and 16th, he still found himself in the unenviable position of being two down and two to play. Morrison, faultering a bit, badly topped his drive at the 17th and gave Thompson a wide open chance which, however, he failed to take advantage of, as a result of poor putting, and the hole being halved, one of the foremost of the Easterners had to acknowledge defeat to the tune of 2 and 1. The Mississauga expert as in the Championship at Lambton in 1919, had to thank his defeat to poor work on the greens. A consistently good driver, and expert with all his irons and a master of the mashie-niblick, like "Chick" Evans

collected 75—the second best medal of the day, which greatly encouraged his many admirers, he ranking an easy favourite in the pool which took place at the club house, selling for "top money" viz. \$350. Frank Thompson of Mississauga, by many experts looked upon as the most likely contender for championship honours as a result of his magnificent showing in the Canadian Open at Toronto the beginning of August, had little difficulty in accounting for A. Johnson of Alcrest, 6 and 5. Percy Shaw of Weston, another Eastern entrant with possibilities plus, won from D. N. Kennedy of Edmonton, 4 and 3. C. W. Hague of Calgary, defeated A. McWilliams, 6 and 5. T. S. English of Norwood, Winnipeg, ac-

counted for C. Y. Stanier, Pine Ridge, Winnipeg, 6 and 5; Dr. A. H. Houston of Seattle won from A. Campbell of Winnipeg after a grinding game, 1 up; B. L. Anderson of Lambton, Secretary of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, was defeated by that sterling player, A. A. Weir of Regina, formerly of Weyburn, Sask., 4 and 3; Marcus Greer of Grand Mere, Amateur Champion of Quebec, accounted for G. I. Mackenzie of the Canoe Club, Winnipeg (brother of Miss Ada Mackenzie of Toronto, ex-Canadian Lady Champion) 7 and 6, and in doing so had the best card of the day, a 74 made up as follows: Out 343, 444, 466=38. In 534, 446, 343 = 36; H. A. Bruce, champion of Saskatoon, defeated L. W. Hicks, St. Charles, Winnipeg, 7 and 6; F. F. Tribe of Norwood, beat A. Ferguson. Calgary, 3 and 2; F. G. Hale, Winnipeg. defeated E. J. Townshend, Norwood, 4 and 2, and A. A. Adams, Hamilton, H. S. Galbraith, St. Charles, 4 and 3. L. Hammill of Mississauga, Toronto, won from J. W. Thomson, a strong Elmhurst player, 4 and 3; D. G. Mackenzie of McLeod, Alberta, a capital type of the best Scottish school, took the measure of H. S. Coulson of Mississauga, 5 and 4; J. K. Weatherby of Minneapolis beat A. Willoughby, Regina, 7 and 6; Jackson Walton, who recently won the Open Championship of Saskatchewan, defeated Walter Hill, Regina, 7 and 6; K. C. Allen of Pine Ridge, Winnipeg put out a particularly good man in A. E. Cruttenden of the Bowness Club who is looked upon as one of the strongest players in Calgary. He registered a 2 and 1 victory. Cruttenden, in practise play before the Championship, had some particularly good scores to his credit. R. E. Unicome, Brandon, beat C. H. Ackerman, Captain of the Peterborough Club, 2 up.

There were several extra hole matches. C. P. Wilson, K.C. of the St. Charles Club, Vice-President of the R. C.G.A., defeated G. M. Black of Pine Ridge on the 19th, as did also J. D. Millar of Saskatoon, J. P. Runciman of Regina. M. Thompson of Elmhurst,

one of the famous quintette of brothers. also had to go to the 19th to register a victory over D. J. Graham, Assiniboine. A 22-hole match was staged between W. J. Dromgole of the Norwood Club and C. P. Church of Regina, the former winning out eventually, after the closest kind of a struggle. Wesley McCurdy of the Winnipeg Club had Harry Gow of Norwood, formerly the well-known Vancouver player, dormie one and should have won the 18th, but his opponent laying him a stymie he decided to be generous and promptly knocked Gow's ball in for a half and then the latter proceeded most "ungenerously" to win the 19th. A 20-hole match between W. E. Browne of Norwood and J. E. Johnson of Alcrest was won by Johnson.

### THREE PROVINCIAL CHAM-PIONS TAKE "THE COUNT"

The second day of the Championship as a result of a morning and afternoon circuit of 18 holes each, witnessed the elimination of 48 would-be champions and the reduction of the field to 16 players who had withstood the threeround acid test. It was a fateful and a fatal day all right for three Provincial Champions bit the dust. A rude shock to the hopes of the West was the elimination of J. T. Cuthbert, the Manitoba Champion. He was Winnipeg's favourite son and deservedly so too, because apart from his intimate knowledge of the local course he has all the attributes of both a seasoned and high-class golfer. Cuthbert is a thorough master of the game, viewed at from every angle and at Beaconsfield last year created a most favourable impression. He, Gillespie and Hague measured up and measured up well, against the very best players in the East. With his intimate knowledge of course conditions in Winnipeg it was generally conceded that he stood the best chance of any of the entrants in making the finals at least. But he met his Waterloo early in the fight for premier honours, going down to defeat in the morning round at the hands of that sterling Bowness

player, S. H. McCulloch, who recorded a 2 and 1 victory at the expense of his vounger opponent. The victor over the Manitoba champion learned his golf at North Berwick and has many a trophy to his credit. By his deadly short work he early acquired a lead and Cuthbert could not oust him from his commanding position, although he made a gallant effort to do so. Just to demonstrate that he is capable of standing a 36-hole grind, McCulloch entered the fourth round by eliminating in the afternoon, C. E. Barthe of the St. Charles Club, 5 and 4- honours certainly enough for one day. He was naturally very much in the spot-light and was the recipient of all kinds of well-deserved congratulation.

The second Western Provincial Champion to come a cropper was H. A. Bruce of Saskatoon, a player of decided merit. F. F. Tribe of the Norwood Golf Club, who was among the Western visitors to Beaconsfield last July, took his measure, 3 and 1, only in turn to be put out of the running in the afternoon by F. G. Hale of the Winnipeg Club who, like Tribe, was also a popular entrant at Beaconsfield in 1920.

To even up things a bit an Eastern Provincial Champion was the third victim. W. K. Chandler of Pine Ridge accounted for Marcus Greer of Grand Mere—a much fancied entry for the ultimate championship. Greer had to admit a 2 and 1 defeat at the hands of the Winnipegger who in the next round was thrust into the discard by E. N. Whyte of Duluth, also by a 2 and 1 margin.

But not only was the morning knell sounded at the expense of a trio of Provincial Champions, but a Canadian runner-up in the afternoon was given his quietus. The feature match of Tuesday was undoubtedly that between Frank Thompson of Mississauga, Toronto and T. Gillespie of the Country Club, Calgary. Here was a contest, not only between representatives of the East and West, but youth vs. experience, and if you like, the Canadian school of golf vs. the Scottish. It was

generally conceded that the winner of this stellar game would almost assuredly have the best chance eventually to ''land the laurel.''

The largest gallery of the day followed this crucial match and were well



A particular good photo of Mr. Frank Thompson, Amateur Champion of Canada.

rewarded for doing so. Gillespie took the lead at the 2nd hole, but Thompson squared the game at the 5th. The 6th was halved but the short 7th went to the Torontonian. At the 9th (552 yards) he made this 2 up, sinking a 20-foot putt for a "birdie" 4 amidst much applause. Turning home he also annexed the 10th. The 11th, however,

went to the finished Albertan player. Thompson got this back at the 12th, the 13th was halved and then the end came at the long "Punch-bowl," the Mississaugan playing a most spectacular shot with wood, dead on the pin from the trees, registering a 4 and 3 victory over his doughty opponent.

The strong Calgary contingent, however, was still very much in evidence. Playing fine golf, Morrison accounted for W. D. Macfarlane of St. Charles and J. K. Weatherby of Minneapolis respectively, in the morning and afternoon rounds; C. W. Hague defeated W. G. Weatherstone, St. Charles, and R. E. Unicome, Brandon; Jackson Walton, J. Hutcheon of Calgary and T. M. Wakeling of Saskatoon, and H. Black, W. Reid, Canoe Club, Winnipeg and M. C. Byers, Saskatoon. Here was a very formidable quartette of Albertans capable, beside McCulloch, of giving any opponent a battle royal.

A. A. Weir of Regina was another Westerner who by his consistently clean-cut work was building up for himself an enviable reputation. During the day he defeated A. Johnstone of Alcrest, and M. Thompson. This latter victory was quite a feather in his cap because the Elmhurst expert, like all the "brothers," is a natural golfer and a hard man to beat at any time and on any course. Weir's stock was decidedly and deservedly so in the ascendancy, as a result of his showing thus far in the Tournament.

At the end of Tuesday's play the only Eastern entry in the running beside Frank Thompson was Percy Shaw of Weston. Quietly and unostentatiously he was playing golf-good golf, and incidentally accounting by handsome margins, for L. H. Northrop and A. J. Wilson, both of Pine Ridge. To some extent unheralded and unsung, the Weston golfer was demonstrating that he was not to be lightly considered when the semi-finals and finals were being discussed. Shaw formerly lived in the West and has many trophies to his credit there. It must not be forgotten, too, that at the Canadian Open at Ottawa in 1919 he was in 8th place

leading all the Canadian Amateurs and most of the pros. with 305 made up of 77,75,79,74. Anyone who can play medal golf of such calibre is a factor to be reckoned with in any championship. And Shaw was proving he was all that.

A particularly creditable double win was recorded by H. G. Wilson of the St. Charles Club, a member by the way, of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association. He ended the aspirations of two of the last of the Easterners, A. A. Adams of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, and L. Hammill of Mississauga. And that is pretty good work for a "Senior" now, isn't it?

One of the most remarkable episodes of a remarkable day of upsets and surprises was the match between B. H. Morgan, Woodcote Park, Surrey, and K. C. Allen of Pine Ridge. The Englishman is touring Canada as Chairman of the Council of the British Empire Producers' Association. That he is no mean golfer was demonstrated by a card of 73, the best handed in by any player during the day, and yet this remarkably fine score did not win for him, his opponent by a brilliant hole now here and now there, with some poor 'uns between, managing to scrape home with a victory on the 18th green. "And of such is the kingdom of Golf."

How the Tuesday score-board read: SECOND ROUND

- F. F. Tribe, Norwood, defeated H. A. Bruce, Saskatoon, 3 and 1.
- F. G. Hale, Winnipeg, defeated Wallace McMillan, St. Charles, 5 and 3.
  A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge, defeated C. R.
- Morphy, Ottawa, 4 and 2
- G. P. Shaw, Toronto, defeated L. H. Northrop, Pine Ridge, 7 and 5. H. G. Wilson, St. Charles, defeated A. A.
- Adams, Hamilton, 2 up.
- L. Hammill, Toronto, defeated B. O'Kelly, Norwood, 4 and 3.
- D. N. Arnott, Assiniboine, defeated J. W. Kelly, Winnipeg, 8 and 7.
- D. G. Mackenzie, Macleod, Alta., defeated C. P. Wilson, St. Charles, 6 and 5.
- Frank Thompson, Toronto, defeated J. D. Millar, Saskatoon, 5 and 3
- Tom Gillespie, Calgary, defeated E. W. S. Hacbey, Norwood, 4 and 2.
- J. K. Weatherby, Minneapolis, defeated Dr. W. H. Reid, St. Charles, 3 and 2.
- Tom Morrison, Calgary, defeated W. D. Macfarlane, St. Charles, 2 up.
- T. M. Wakeling, Saskatoon, defeated G. D.

Woods, Winnipeg, 6 and 5.

Jackson Walton, Calgary, beat J. Hutcheon, Calgary, 4 and 2.

N. C. Byers, Saskatoon, defeated A. Sulli van, St. Charles, 2 and 1.

H. Black, Calgary, defeated W. O. Reid, Canoe Club, 4 and 3.

R. E. Unicome, Brandon, defeated A. T.

Lowes, Calgary, 2 up. C. W. Hague, Calgary, defeated W. G. Weatherstone, St. Charles, 9 and 7.

Ben H. Morgan, Woodcote Park, Eng., defeated H. B. Shaw, Pine Ridge, 5 and 4.

K. C. Allen, Pine Ridge, defeated J. L. M. Thomson, Assiniboine, 8 and 6.

S. McCullough, Calgary, defeated J. T.

Cuthbert, Winnipeg, 2 and 1. C. E. Barthe, St. Charles, defeated A. Ma-

caw, Pine Ridge, 2 and 1. J. A. Rogers, Saskatoon, defeated T. S.

English. Norwood, 4 and 3. Dr. D. H. Houston, Seattle, defeated G.

A. Howson, Winnipeg, 2 and 1.

A. A. Weir, Regina, defeated A. Johnston, Alcrest 5 and 3. Matt Thompson, Elmhurst, defeated A. B.

Alexander, Norwood, I up.

E. N. Whyte, Duluth, defeated A. J. Andrews, St. Charles, 2 and 1.

W. K. Chandler, Pine Ridge, defeated Marcus Greerfi Grand Mere, Que., 2 and 1.

A. J. Stevenson, Winnipeg, defeated Fred Bawlf St. Charles, 3 and 2.

H. E. Gow, Norwood, defeated H. C. Macdonald, Edmonton, 3 and 2.

D. N. Finnie, Pine Ridge, defeated Douglas

Laird, Pine Ridge, 3 and 2. J. W. Shaw, Winnipeg, defeated W. J. Dromgole, Norwood, 7 and 6.

THIRD ROUND F. G. Hale, Winnipeg, defeated F. F. Tribe, Norwood, 2 and 1.

G. P. Shaw, Toronto, defeated A. J. Wilson,

Pine Ridge, 6 and 4. H. G. Wilson, St. Charles, defeated L. Ham-

mill, Toronto, 4 and 3. D. N. Arnott, Assiniboine, defeated D. G. Mackenzie, Macleod, Alta., at 19th hole.

Frank Thompson, Toronto, defeated Tom Gillespie, Calgary, 4 and 3.

Tom Morrison, Calgary defeated J. K.

Weatherby, Minneapolis, 5 and 4. Jackson Walton, Calgary, defeated T. M. Wakeling, Saskatoon, 5 and 3.

H. Black, Calgary, defeated M. C. Byers, Saskatoon, 7 and 6.

C. W. Hague, Calgary, defeated R. E. Uni-come, Brandon, 7 and 6. K. C. Allen, Pine Ridge, defeated Ben H.

Morgan Woodcote Park, Eng., 1 up.

S. McCullough, Calgary, defeated C. E. Barthe, St. Charles, 5 and 4.

#### WEDNESDAY WITNESSES REC-ORD-BREAKING GOLF.

The weeding-out process continued on Wednesday and the sixteen became four, and the four qualified to play in



C. W. Hague of Calgary, Runner-up in the Canadian Amateur.

the semi-finals at 36 holes on Friday for the privilege of playing in the finals on Saturday. This then, was more or less the crucial day of the whole championship.

Frank Thompson especially had two hard opponents to tackle in the Amateur Champion of Alberta and the Open Champion of Saskatchewan, respectively, T. Morrison and Jackson Walton. There is no question at all but that Calgary thought and thought not without reason that one or the other of its representatives, because Walton is a Calgarian, would lower the colours of

the Torontonian. But as events proved the Eastern representative had a regular primrose path to tread and neither Calgarians figured seriously in the picture either in the morning or afternoon game.

Morrison the conqueror of W. J. Thompson, never gave a glimpse of the powerful game he put up against the elder brother. A prodigious driver, he was wild off the tees and his opponent was quick to seize the advantage of this delinquency. Out in 36, Thompson never gave Morrison a chance, and the end came at the 13th, the victor's card registering a decisive 6 and 5 defeat.

But even worse things were in store for Walton, Again Thompson played the first nine in 36, par golf and Saskatchewan's Open Champion found himself in the unenviable position of being 7 down at the turn. Winning the 10th the Mississauga was dormie 8 and then the end came at the 11th which was halved. It was decided to play the round out and the result was a new record of 71 for the Winnipeg course. It was generally reported that Thompson had a 70 to his credit, but this is not correct. At the 9th hole in trying to negotiate a stymie, Walton holed his opponent's ball. This counted a 4 match play, but Thompson went back and made the putt for a 5. The card: (Previous record for the Winnipeg course, 72)

Par Out	$\dots .444,435,345 = 36$
Thompson Out	$\dots .444,435,345 = 36$
	$\dots .444,445,334 = 36$
Thompson In	$\dots 435,544,343 = 35$
	Total Thompson71

Finer golf than this has never been seen on the Winnipeg course and rarely if ever at any Canadian Amateur Championship.

But there were other good matches besides the Thompson-Morrison-Walton encounters. C. W. Hague, another Calgary contestant, in the morning round had to play all the tricks in his bag to shake off that sturdy Winnipeg player, S. K. Allan. He eventually did so on the 17th green where he was two up. Then in the afternoon he met McCulloch of Calgary, the conqueror of the

redoubtable Cuthbert, and winner in Wednesday's morning round against Dr. Houston of Seattle, 4 and 3. He, too, he disposed of 5 and 4.

Weir of Regina, playing true to form had little difficulty in disposing of Whyte, Duluth, the last of the United Staters. He simply smothered him, 7 and 6. In the afternoon he had his work cut out against the Norwood player, H. E. Gow, formerly of Vancouver, but was equal to the occasion, notching a 2 up victory to get into the coveted semi-finals. Gow previously had beaten a fine young player in D. N. Finnie of Pine Ridge, who in the second round had defeated Douglas Laird, ex-champion of Manitoba.

Percy Shaw of Weston first of all lisposed of Hale of Winnipeg, a brilliant match player, 3 and 1, and then in the afternoon took into camp another Winnipegger, D. N. Arnott of the Assiniboine Club, who had been throughout showing fine form. He defeated him 4 and 2. In the morning round Arnott had accounted for H. G.

Wilson, 5 and 4.

So on Wednesday evening the following was bulletined:

#### FOURTH ROUND

F. Thompson, Mississauga, Toronto, defeated Morrison, Calgary, 6 and 5.

Shaw, Weston, Toronto, defeated Hale, Win-

nipeg, 3 and 1.

Arnott, Winnipeg, defeated Wilson, Winnipeg, 5 and 4.

Walton, Calgary, defeated, Black, Calgary,

Hague, Calgary, defeated Allen, Winnipeg,

McCullough, Calgary, defeated Houston, Seattle, 3 and 3.

Weir, Regina, defeated Whyte, Duluth, 7

Gow, Winnipeg, defeated Finnie, Winnipeg, I up.

#### FIFTH ROUND

F. Thompson, Toronto, defeated J. Walton, Calgary, 8 and 7.
G. P. Shaw, Toronto, defeated D. N. Ar-

nott, Winnipeg, 4 and 2.

C. W. Hague, Calgary, defeated S. H. Me-

Cullough, Calgary, 5 and 4.
A. A. Weir, Regina, defeated H. E. Gow, Winnipeg, 2 up.

#### THRILLS MANY IN THE SEMI-FINALS

Thursday was given over to the An-

nual Handicap Competition, East and West and team matches, and then came Friday, a day which was destined to provide all kinds of thrills for the edification of large galleries which followed the rival claimants for finalist honours—two Westerners and two Easterners insuring in any event a West vs. East contest for the Championship.

The Thompson-Shaw match was the big attraction, but friends of the favourite were destined in the morning to be subjected to all kinds of gloomy forebodings. For once the expert from the banks of the Mississauga seemed to have lost his grip. Especially was his putting touch lacking. Playing with great sang froid, Shaw early started to secure a lead and at the 8th was no less than four holes to the good. He lost the 9th, but still started the homeward journey with a comfortable 3 lead in his bag. Getting into serious trouble at the 10th he gave up the hole. The 11th was halved in par fours as also the 12th. The 13th, too, was divided. The 14th resulted in a couple of par fours. Shaw won the 15th and was again 3 up. The 102 yard 16th was divided and then at the 17th the Westonian again outputted Thompson and he was 4 up. At the 18th, Shaw was off to a bad tee shot and his opponent winning the hole, his morning lead was reduced to 3.

Rather an ugly position to be in, but the Thompson fighting blood never and nothing acknowledges defeat daunted nor discouraged the Mississaugan, after luncheon, proceeded to go out with the grim determination to pull that ominous lead down. And he did. Winning the first and second holes and dividing the 3rd and 4th he annexed the 5th on a stymie and the match was all square. Then followed a ding-dong match in which the breaks were certainly not all in favour of the plucky player from Weston. First Thompson was one up and then Shaw, until on the arrival at the 16th or the 34th of the gruelling struggle, the verdict was still "all square." The 35th proved the undoing of the Westonian. His approach here was weak and taking 5 to opponent's 4 he was one down. The 36th was halved in fours and a heart-breaking struggle was brought to a termination, Thompson winning from his fellow Torontonian by 1 up. Both victor and vanquished were loudly cheered by the gallery whose pent-up feelings could



Mr. A. A. Weir of Regina, Semi-Finalist.

hardly be restrained during the last few holes of this nerve-racking match.

But if the Eastern semi-finalists had staged an exciting duel, the Westerners in the other bracket were also providing all kinds of sensations for the edification of their loyal followers and well-wishers. In the morning they were playing splendid golf, both getting into the seventies. At the end of the 18th the Regina crack was one hole to the good and as still further showing the closeness of the contest, was also one

stroke better than the Calgarian. In the afternoon at the 20th hole, Weir further increased his morning lead and at the 22nd scored again, making him 3 up. Four halves were then recorded, but at the 26th, owing to poor putting, Hague dropped another hole and Weir was in the enviable position of being 4 up and 10 to go. But if there is any golfer in Canada who can come from behind and snatch a victory from a seeming defeat it is Hague of Calgary. He won the 27th and this seemed to give him added confidence to play the last nine and wipe out those lost three holes. A superb 4 at the 28th cut one off the total. The 29th also went to the Calgarian, but Weir won the 30th and was again 2 up and 6 to play. The 31st however, was taken by Hague. The 32nd was halved, and then at the 33rd he squared the match. The short 34th was halved in three. The tricky 35th was won by Hague, and he went to the 36th hole, therefore dormie one. Both had splendid drives to the home hole and both pitched nicely onto the green. Hague was slightly away on a 14-foot putt from a slippery lie above the cup. He guaged it almost perfectly and lay dead for a 4. Weir's only chance now was to go for a longish 3 to square the match. And he went for it in the pluckiest possible manner. Hit fairly and truly the ball went squarely into the cup, only by the perverseness of the Goddess of fate to trickle out again and rest on the lip. And Hague had earned the right to play off in the finals. It was a wonderful finish. Hague was cheered and Weir was cheered. Hague was congratulated on his plucky up-hill fight to ultimate victory and Weir's fine game throughout and nervy final putt was praised and talked about wherever golfers foregathered that evening.

WHEN EAST MET WEST AND EAST WON OUT BY THE NAR-ROWEST KIND OF A MARGIN.

And so on Saturday, as everyone had hoped and everyone had desired, in the final for the Championship, the East represented by Frank Thompson of the Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto, and the West represented by C. W. Hague of the Calgary Golf and Country Club, met to decide titular honours.

It has invariably been the case when hard fought semi-finals have marked the penultimate stage of a championship, that the finals have been more or less listless. After a week's heartbreaking grind, the finalists generally show traces of mental and physical strain. The deciding stages of a championship therefore, are usually the most uninteresting of the whole week. But not so at Winnipeg. The decisive match of the whole series was undoubtedly the most interesting. In the afternoon a gallery of some 2,000 enthusiasts were fairly on edge from first to last and the atmosphere positively pulsated with pent-up excitement. It was a fitting finale to a week of thrills many and upsets aplenty.

Showing the interest taken by Winnipeggers in golf and the deciding of a Canadian Championship even in the morning there was a large gallery present at the first tee when the finalists teed-up and from then on until the shades of evening were falling hundreds of enthusiasts, women as well as men, keenly watched every shot played in the record-breaking struggle which eventually was extended to the 38th hole.

At first it looked as though the brilliant young Mississaugan was going to treat Hague the same way as he had his fellow townsman Walton. Out in 37 he was 3 up. He also annexed the 10th and then the 12th, and it commenced to look like a runaway Championship. The Calgarian, however, is made of sterner stuff than the average golfer and instead of "breaking" as by all the precedents of the game he should have, he promptly pulled himself together and proceeded in the pluckiest manner possible to pull down that ominous lead of 5. At the 550 yard 15th he notched a par 5 to his opponent's 7. At the short 16th he played a beautiful mashie dead to the pin for a "birdie" 2 and followed this up at the 17th with a par 4 for another win.

Three winning holes in succession had he reeled off and halving the 18th found himself at the end of the morning round only 2 down—certainly a wonderful "come-back" from the desperately bad position in which he found himself going to the 13th. The medal score of the finalists:—

Thompson out.....445,435,345 = 37In .....444,457,364 = 41

Total-78.

Hague Out......454,444,466=41 In ......546,455,244=39

Total-80.

The thousand or so in the gallery in the morning was joined by another thousand or so in the afternoon. It was a perspiring, mosquito-bitten gallery (the pests were there in myriads) but it was an enthusiastically impartial gallery, and both players were given every incentive to play the best golf that was in them, hearty cheers greeting every good shot from the tee to the tin.

Western hopes rose high when Hague promptly with a par 4 to 5 notched the first hole of the afternoon, reducing Thompson's lead to 1 up. The 20th was divided in par 4's as was also the 21st. The 22nd went to the Torontonian with a par 4 to a 5. The 23rd was halved. At the 24th, Thompson flubbed his second shot and Hague being on the green it looked like a certain win for the Westerner. Thompson, however, with a beautiful mashie-niblick, laid his third dead. Hague studied a down hill putt carefully but over-ran and, failing to come back with a 4, lost what looked like a sure hole. Thompson 3 up. To many onlookers this seemed to be the turning point of the whole match. The short 25th was halved in par 3's. On the 26th, as a result of a stymie, Thompson had to be content with a half. The 27th (552 yards) was halved in 5's. Thompson out in 38, Hague 39. Starting for home with the useful lead of 3 holes the Toronto finalist seemed to be in a very sound position indeed. But then came a great reversal of form. Hague sprang into the limelight with a par 4 at the 28th and, after dividing the 29th, won the 30th. At the 31st (443 yards) he holed a superb "birdie" 3 off the edge of the green and squared the titanic struggle. Another brilliant putt for a par 4 on the 32nd and, amidst tumultuous applause the imperturbable Calgarian for the first time during a whole day's racking struggle, found himself out in front of his meteoric opponent. The



Mr. G. Percy Shaw of Weston, Toronto, Semi-Finalist.

hopes of the West rose high. By all the laws of the game Thompson was now the man who should crack. But he, like Hague, proved that he too possesses the unruffled golfing temperament so essential in the making of championship timber. Instead of breaking, he calmly proceeded to take the 33rd hole and

squared the match. The short 34th was halved in a 3. The 35th saw all the breaks go against Thompson. A wellplaced drive to the left commanding the best pitch-up to the green was badly punished by rolling into a rut. The umpire was appealed to but as there was no local rule apparently permitting the lifting and dropping of the ball without penalty the Torontonian had to play it out which he proceeded to do in a most masterful fashion just reaching the edge of the green. Hague's second was in the rough to the right of the green. He played fairly well out. Thompson on his third was just over the hole for what looked like a sure 4. Hague, however, laid him a three-quarter stymie and instead of going to the 36th and deciding hole dormie 1, Thompson was still all level with his opponent. At the 36th, after good drives and approaches, both rimmed the cup for a 3 and a couple of 4's being registered for the fourth time in the history of a Canadian Amateur Championship, the finalists had to undergo an extra hole strain.

The huge gallery seemed to be feeling the tenseness of the situation even more than the contestants. At the 37th both were off to good drives, Thompson having a slight advantage in length. Hague was on the far left of the green on his second, whilst Thompson was short. His third, however, was dead and Hague taking two putts the hole was halved in a par 4.

And then came the 38th and the end of the long, long duel. Hague sliced his drive and just missed the bunker. He played his second from the edge of the rough and on his third over-ran the cup some 10 feet. Thompson's pitch was on the green and his third just missed the tin, resting a foot beyond. Hague was faced with a dead stymie. He carefully considered the situation and pluckily tried to negotiate it but failed and the Amateur Championship of Canada was retained in the East after one of the most sporting contests ever recorded on the links of the Dominion. The popular young Mississaugan was "chaired" to the club house by enthusiastic friends whilst the plucky Calgarian came in for almost an equal share of praise and congratulations. To lose such a Homeric struggle was virtually a victory.

The cards:

Thompson Out......544,444,355=38 In .............646,455,354=42

Total—77 (Extra holes 4 5)

The outstanding features of the Champion's game was the way in which he played his mashie-niblick shots to the pin with a back-spin which actually at times caused the ball to drop back.

Hague undoubtedly excelled on the greens. He is a player with a very compact style and is worthy to compete in any company. All the Western golfers are consistently long drivers and play every club with confidence. If they ever master that back-spin approach to the green, and there is no reason why they should not in short order, they will be the most formidable kind of opponents. Calgary and Winnipeg to-day, especially Calgary, can put ten men teams on a course, liable to take the measure of any city in Canada.

Mr. Frank Thompson is 23 years of age and it is very appropriate therefore that he should have won the 23rd Amateur Championship of Canada. Like all his famous brothers, Nicol (Hamilton), Matthew (Winnipeg), W. J. and Stanley (Toronto) he took up the game when very young and if it had not been for the war would undoubtedly ere now have been very much in the spotlight. Returning from bravely doing his bit overseas, at Lambton in 1919 he first made his appearance in a Championship. After closely watching his game there the "Canadian Golfer" predicted that within two years he would be the Amateur Champion of Canada—a prediction which Winnipeg made good. In 1920 at Beaconsfield, in the Amateur he made a fine showing, only being put out in the fourth round 1 up by Mr. C. B. Grier who afterwards won the Championship. Last September he was chosen on the all-Canadian team to compete in the International match against the United States and quite sprang into fame by defeating the renowned Bobby Jones, the champion of the Southern States. Last autumn he also broke the record for his home course when he played Mississauga in 69. This summer he made a new record for the Barrie course by notching a 66, and in the Toronto and district championship matches at Scarboro last June his morning score of 71 was the lowest of the tournament. At the recent matches at Toronto Golf Club for the Open Championship of Canada he stood first among Canadian amateurs with a 77 79 72 74 for a total of 302, this fine score putting him in 7th place pitted against some of the greatest professionals on the continent. At Washington, too, a few months ago he got into the finals at Chevy Chase Club and brought back the beautiful silver cup presented by the Vice-President of the United States for annual competition at this celebrated Invitation tournament. In 1919 the "Canadian Golfer." as previously stated, predicted that he would win the Canadian Amateur in two years' time. And here is another prophecy. Before 1924 he will have an International Championship to his credit.

Mr. Hague who is in the "middle thirties" was born in the United States, but to Calgary belongs the credit of perfecting his game. He has all the attributes of really a great golfer. He has won many Western competitions and all he requires is experience in major events to round out really the soundest kind of a game. It is to be sincerely hoped in company with many of the Western cracks he will make a point to be at the 1922 Championship in Hamilton next year. That course should suit his game to a nicety. He is well deserving of Championship honours and from his showing at Winnipeg he will not long be denied the acquisition of them. "Hague of Calgary," like his team-mate Gillespie, has made a name for himself in Canadian golfing annals.

Only three times before has a Canadian Amateur gone to extra holes. In 1901 W. A. H. Kerr defeated Percy Taylor at the 38th at Toronto. In 1910 F. R. Martin won from George S. Lyon at the 37th at Toronto, and in 1911 G. H. Hutton defeated the late lamented "Bert" Austin at the 39th at The Royal, Ottawa. The biggest "runaway" ever recorded at a Championship was in 1898 when Mr. George Lyon, who had only then been playing the game for two years, defeated his opponent 12 and 11.

Although the Championship proper was the supreme event of the week there were other interesting contests.

The following were the results in the First Consolation which was played over the beautiful Elmhurst golf, by many experts considered the best test of golf in Winnipeg :-

#### FIRST ROUND

L. W. Hicks, St. Charles defeated A. Ferguson, Calgary, default.

E. J. Townshend, Norwood, defeated R. G.

Williams, Calgary, 5 and 4. R. Henderson, Norwood, w.o.

D. N. Kennedy, Edmonton, w.o. H. S. Y. Galbraith, defeated Frank Miley, Saskatoon, default.

W. J. Miller, Brandon, defeated J. W.

Thomson, Elmhurst by default. H. L. McCulloch, Galt, Ont., defeated J. Manuel, Norwood, 6 and 5.

G. M. Black, Pine Ridge, defeated H. S. Coulson, Toronto, 2 and 1.

J. P. Runciman, Regina, defeated A. John. ston, Alcrest, 3 and 2

C. N. Bawlf, St. Charles, defeated J. C. Crawford, Norwood 2 and 1.

R. C. S. Bruce, defeated A. Willoughby, Regina, 1 up.

R. L. Fulton, Norwood, defeated W. J. T. Thompson, Toronto, by default.

Jas. Ryan, St. Charles, w.o. Walter Hill, Regina, defeated T. G. Tyrer,

Regina, 2 up. F. L. Patton, Pine Ridge, defeated C. E.

Sanders, Winnipeg default. H. Stratton, Calgary, defeated Dr. Irwin,

Moose Jaw, 2 up. C. Aldous, St. Charles, defeated C. H. Ackerman, Peterboro, at 19th hole.

George Wilson, Winnipeg, defeated W. R. Bawlf, St. Charles, default.

R. Macauley, Assiniboine, w.o.

D. B. Mulligan, Winnipeg, defeated F. E.

Fregeau Duluth, 2 and 1.

C. Y. Stanier, Pine Ridge, defeated J. Balfour, Regina, 4 and 2.

A. Campbell, Winnipeg, defeated C. D. Mit-

chener, Saskatoon, default.

W. E. Browne, Norwood, defeated B. L.

Anderson, Lambton, default.

D. J. Graham, Assiniboine, defeated R. L. Denison, Norwood, 3 and 2.

W. J. E. Parker, Norwood, defeatel A. M.

Stewart, Saskatoon, default

G. McKenzie, Canoe Club, defeated W. Laidlaw, Calgary, default.

John Gordon, Elmhurst, defeated B. R.

Dobell, Pine Ridge, 2 up.

W. McCurdy, Winnipeg, defeated F. C Grant, Moose Jaw, 6 and 5.

D. L. Smith, St. Charles, w.o.

C. P. Church, Regina, w.o.

#### SECOND ROUND

L. W. Hicks, defeated E. J. Townshend,

R. Henderson defeated D. N. Kennedy, 7

and 5. W. J. Millar defeated H. A. Y. Galbraith, 2

and 1 G. M. Black defeated H. L. McCullough, 2

and 1

J. P. Runeiman defeated C. Bawlf, 2 up. R. C. S. Bruce defeated R. L. Fulton, 4 and 2.

J. Ryan defeated W. Hill, 1 up.

H. M. Stratton defeated F. L. Fulton, 4

A. McWilliams Calgary, defeated C. Aldous, 7 and 6.

L. Johnston, Regina, defeated George Wil-

son, default.

R. Macauley defeated D. Mulligan, 5 and 4. A. Campbell defeated C. Y. Stanier, 2 up. D. J. Graham defeated W. E. Browne, 5

and 4.

W. J. E. Parker defeated G. I. McKenzie, 3 and 2.

J. Gordon defeated W. McCurdy, 3 and 1. C. P. Church defeated D. L. Smith, 4 and 2.

#### THIRD ROUND

R. Henderson defeated L. W. Hicks, 3 and 2 G. M. Plack defeated W. L. Miller, 2 and 1.

R. C. S. Bruce defeated J. P. Runciman, by default.

H. M. Stratto defeated J. Ryan, 3 and 2. A. C. McWilliams defeated L. Johnston, 7 and 6.

A. Campbell defeated R. McAuley, 5 and 4. W. J. E. Parker defeated D. J. Graham 5 and 4.

C. P. Church defeated J. Gordon, 1 up.

#### FOURTH ROUND

R. Henderson defeated G. M. Black 3 and 1 R. M. Stratton defeated R. C. S. Bruce, 3 and 1.

A. C. Williams defeated A. Campbell, 2 up. C. P. Church defeated W. J. E. Parker at 19th hole.

#### FIFTH ROUND

R. M. Stratton defeated Henderson, 2 and 1.

McWilliams defeated Church, 3 and 2.

#### FINALS

Carson McWilliams, St. Andrews, Calgary, defeated H. M. Stratton, St. Andrews, Calgary, 2 up.

#### FOR THE VICE-PRESI-PLAY DENT'S CUP

An added feature this year which proved very popular was a competition among the players put out of the Championship and First Consolation for a cup donated by Mr. C. P. Wilson, K.C. of Winnipeg, Vice-President of the R. C.G.A. The competion started on Wednesday morning over the Pine Ridge Course, sixteen qualifying to play off for the handsome cup. The following were the results:-

#### FIRST ROUND

A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge, beat A. Sullivan, St. Charles, 1 up.

F. F. Tribe, Norwood, beat A. J. Stevenson, Winnipeg, at 20th hole.

J. W. Shaw Winnipeg, beat Marcus A. Greer, Grand Mere, 3 and 2.

R. Y. Denison, Norwood, beat W. H. Mc-Millan, St. Charles, 4 and 2

T. S. English, Norwood, beat A. J. Andrews, St. Charles, 3 and 2

J. G. Crawford, Norwood, beat A. Macaw, Pine Ridge, 4 and 3.

W. K. Chandler, Pine Ridge, beat D. B.

Mulligan, Winnipeg, 6 and 5. E. W. S. Maevey, Norwood, beat H. Y. S. Galbraith, St. Charles, 5 and 4.

#### SECOND ROUND

A. J. Wilson beat F. F. Tribe, 4 and 3. J. W. Shaw beat R. Y Denison, 2 up. T. S. English beat J. G. Crawford, 4 and 2. W. K. Chandler beat E. W. S. Macvey, 6

#### SEMI-FINALS

and 4.

A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge, beat J. W. Shaw of Winnipeg, 4 and 3.

W. K. Chandler, Pine Ridge, beat T. S. English, Norwood, 1 up.

#### FINALS

A. J. Wilson beat W. K. Chandler, 3 and 2.

#### THE ANNUAL HANDICAP

The following were the chief scores in the Annual Open Handicap played on Thursday:

F. Holdsworth, Bowness, Calg. 91 less 18-73 A. A. Weir, Regina Club.....80 less 7-73 J. G. Crawford Norwood .... 84 less 11-73

W. J. Thompson, Mississauga 77 less A. Campbell, Winnipeg 82 less J. McDiarmid, Winnipeg 93 less	8 - 74 $18 - 75$
Dr. W. H. Reid, St. Charles 83 less F. Thompson, Mississauga 79 less	4-75
J. R. Weatherby, Min'apolis. 83 less F. H. Mitchell, Winnipeg94 less	18-76
A. J. Stevenson, Winnipeg 86 less A. Sullivan, St. Charles 88 less	12 - 76
A. J. Wilson, Pine Ridge84 less H. E. Gow, Norwood84 less	7-77
W. H. Johnston, Winnipeg 95 less McCulloch, Calg. G. & C. C 84 less	7-77
H. L. McCulloch, Galt 89 less H. A. Bruce, Saskatoon 85 less	8-77
B. L. Anderson, Lambton86 less J. P. Runciman, Regina C85 less	7-78
N. C. Byers, Saskatoon90 less F. G. Hale, Winnipeg86 less	8-78
W. R. Bawlf, Pine Ridge91 less J. R. Hutcheon, Calg. St. A83 less	578
F. F. Tribe, Norwood85 less G. P. Shaw, Weston Ont84 less	5-79
J. W. Shaw, Winnipeg91 less G. D. Wood, Winnipeg91 less	12 - 79
D. B. Mulligan, Winnipeg 91 less I. F. Brookes, Winnipeg 91 less	12-79
A. McWilliams, Calg. St. A86 less	3—80 6—80
Fred Bawlf, St. Charles88 less C. Aldous, St. Charles92 less	

It will be noticed that W. J. Thompson had the best gross, a 77, the only other contestants to get in the "seventies" being the Amateur Champion.

#### INTER-PROVINCIAL MATCH

The Inter-Provincial match resulted in a victory for Manitoba. The scores:

MANITOBA—J. T. Cuthbert 83, F. F. Tribe 85, H. E. Gow 84, W. H. Reid 83, K. C. Allen 89, D. N. Arnott 86, M. Thompson 82, F. G. Hale 86, D. Laird 87, J. W. Thompson 83 Total, 848.

ALBERTA—T. Gillespie 84, C. W. Hague 86, S. H. McCulloch 84, A. T. Lowes 89, T. C. Morrison 88, H. Black 86, J. R. Hutcheon 83, J. Walton 83, A. E. Cruttenden 82, D. G. Mackenzie 90. Total, 855.

ONTARIO—Marcus Greer 86, F. Thompson 79, W. J. Thompson 77, G P Shaw 85, B. L. Anderson 86, A. A. Adams 91, L. Hammill 101, H. S. Coulson 97, C. H. Ackerman 98, H. L. McCulloch 80. Total, 889.

#### WEST DEFEATS EAST

In the East vs. West team match the West won out by the comfortable margin of 44 strokes:

		WEST	EAST	
			F. Thompson?	
T.	G	Mackenzie84	W. J. Thompson Marcus Greer 8	86
			G. P. Shaw	

WEST	EAST
J. Walton83	B. L. Anderson 86
C. W. Hague 86	A. A. Adams91
H. A. Bruce85	L. Hammill 101
A. E. Cruttenden 82	H. S. Coulson97
S. H. McCulloch 84	C. H. Ackerman 98
A. A. Weir80	H. L. McCulloch 89
_	And the second second second second
Gross 845	Gross889

#### INTER-CLUB TEAM MATCH

The Winnipeg Golf Club won the team match. The scores:

Winnipeg Golf Club—J. T. Cuthbert 83, F. G. Hale 86, A. Campbell 82, A. J. Stevenson 86. Gross 337.

Calgary G. and C. C.—T. Gillespie 84, C. W. Hague 86, S. H. McCulloch 84, A. T. Lowes 89. Gross 343.

Calgary St. Andrew's—T. C. Morrison 88, H. Black 86, J. R. Hutcheon 83, H. M. Stratton 89. Gross, 346.

Calgary Bowness—J. Walton 83, A. E. Cruttenden 82, W. Laidlaw 96, D. G. Mackenzie 90. Gross 351.

Regina Golf Club—J. P. Runciman 85, A. A. Weir 80, C. P. Church 94, T. G. Tyrer 92. Gross, 351.

Norwood Golf Club—H. E. Gow 84, F. F. Tribe 85, T. S. English 87, E. W. S. Mac-Vey 96, Gross, 352.

Elmhurst Golf Club—Matt. Thompson 82, J. W. Thomson 83, John Gordon 94, T. S. Taylor 94. Gross, 353.

Pine Ridge Club\_D. Laird 87, K. C. Allen 89, D. N. Finnie 89, R. R. Dobell 89. Gross, 354.

Mississauga, Toronto—W. J. Thompson 77, F. Thompson 79, H. S. Coulson 97, L. Hammill 101. Gross, 354.

At the conclusion of the Championship Saturday evening the presentation of prizes was made on the putting oval in front of the Winnipeg Club House. Champions and runner-ups and winners of team and handicap events were all heartily cheered and the curtain rang down on the 23rd Amateur Championship of Canada—a Championship which was blessed with ideal weather, graced with a gallant galaxy of golfing stars and productive of some of the most interesting golf ever witnessed in the Dominion.

#### THE ANNUAL DINNER

In keeping with the successful character of the whole Tournament was the banquet tendered to the visiting golfers by the Manitoba Golf Association. This was held in the Royal Alexandra Hotel and was attended not only by the lead-

ing golfers of the city but by many prominent citizens, all Winnipeggers apparently taking a keen interest in the Royal and Ancient. A notable feature of this dinner were the decorations. On the initiative of the golfing members of the hotel a complete 18hole course was laid out. It stretched its whole length beneath those who sat slightly raised above it, at the head table. In every detail it was a perfect delight to the experienced eyes of those followers of the Royal and Ancient game who dined so joyfully at the "Royal Alex." The regulation type of country club house stood out in the cheering welcome of its illuminations. Through its lighted windows could be seen the regulation scenes appropriate to every reputable country club. The miniature golf course had everything that goes to the making of a real golf course. The ducks were in the lake, the ladies were on the verandah, the cars were parked, the hole flags had their pennants blowing in the breeze, the sand was in the boxes, and "Mutt and Jeff" were playing members.

Mr. T. K. Middlemass, President of the Manitoba Golf Association, made an ideal chairman. The speeches were brief but eloquent, the musical programme delightful and altogether from first to last the dinner went with a capital swing and follow through that left nothing to be desired.

The speakers of the evening were Mr. A. J. Andrews, K.C., Mr. C. P. Wilson, K.C., G. W. Allan, M. P. I. Pitblado, K.C., Winnipeg; H. C. Mac-Donald, K. C., Edmonton; B. L. Anderson, Secretary of the R.C.G.A., Toronto and Ralph H. Reville, Editor of "Canadian Golfer."

The keynote of the speeches on the commendably brief toast list was the success of the first Western championship, the excellent sportsmanship shown, the excellent golf played, and the enthusiastic tributes of the visitors to the management of the Tournament and the hospitality of the Winnipeg hosts.

CHAMPIONSHIP TEE SHOTS
The finalists were well looked after

by most competent caddies, the champion-to-be being most faithfully "chaperoned" by Mr. Koester of Winnipeg, and the runner-up by Mr. A. E. Cruttenden of Calgary.

The Canadian Amateur Championship is no longer a sectional affair. To win titular honours now it is no longer a question of defeating the best player in two or three cities. It is at last becoming Dominion-wide.

Percy Shaw, who with A. A. Weir, that cracking fine Regina player, put up such a game fight in the semi-finals some years ago was a resident of the West and in 1909 won the Alberta Championship. He has the Amateur record of Weston to his credit—a 67.

At the annual dinner Mr. B. L. Anderson, Secretary of the R.C.G.A. announced that the Association has now enrolled 106 clubs under its banner, compared with only 33 a few years ago. A wonderful tribute to the growth of the game in Canada.

Among the entries was C. H. Pilman of Sideup, England, the well-known Blackheath International rugby player. Mr. Pilman, who is holidaying at Kenora, developed typhoid during the week-end and consequently defaulted, much to the regret of all contestants, who had hoped to see the Old Country low-handicap man in action.

The inabilty of Col. Paul Myler of Hamilton, President of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, to attend the Championship was especially regretted. He is only now recovering from a serious illness. Mr. Geo. S. Lyon, too, was greatly missed, both on the course and in the club house. He has only once before missed an Amateur in 23 years, namely since 1898.

Ontario has now won the Championship sixteen times and Quebec seven times. It will not be long, however, before the West will breeze into the spot-light. There are half a dozen players there who can turn the trick. Twice only have they tried for it and twice have they furnished the Runners-up.

At the annual dinner Mr. B. L. Anderson, Secretary of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, made the announcement that invitations had been received for the 1922 Amateur Championship from the Hamilton Golf and Country Club and from Kanawaki Montreal, for the Open. Both will make ideal courses for the holding of these important eyents.

Mr. C. P. Wilson, K. C., Vice-President of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, and Mr. T. K. Middlemass, Vice-Chairman, were the head of the Winnipeg Committee which was altogether responsible for the smooth-running of the Championship throughout a strenuous week. Theirs the honour and the glory.

For the benefit of readers who want to compare the medal scores with the length of the holes and par, herewith the card of the Winnipeg course: No. 1 355 yds. par 4; No. 2 291 yds. par 4; No. 3 374 yds. par 4; No. 4 329 yds. par 4; No. 5 235 yds. par 3; No. 6 475 yds. par 5; No. 7 152 yds. par 3; No. 8 442 yds. par 4; No. 9 552 yds par 5. Total out 3,205 yds. par 36. No. 10 392 vds. par 4; No. 11 264 yds. par 4; No. 12 368 yds. par 4; No. 13 443 yds par 4; No. 14 352 yds. par 4; No. 15 550 yds. par 5; No. 16 102 yds. par 3: No. 17 340 yds. par 4; No. 18 270 yds, par 4. Total in 3,081 yds. par 36. Grand total 6,286 yds.

A bid is already in for the Championship to be held again in the West. Mr. MacDonald, K. C., on behalf of Edmonton, at the annual dinner put in the application. In the years not far distant the Country Club there should make an ideal setting for the premier event. It has a superb course which only wants to be whipped into shape to make it of championship calibre.

Heretofore the Canadian Amateur

has nearly always been held the first week in July. It is to be hoped in future this date will be adhered to. There can be no question but that the Eastern entrants anyway would have been double or treble the number if the Championship date had not been put so far forward in the golfing year. The holiday season is well-nigh over then. By all means in future stick to early July or late June.

The Champion had certainly in the upper bracket the hardest road to travel. Hague, to come through to the finals, had to dispose of McWilliams of Calgary, W. G. Weatherstone of Winnipeg, R. E. Unicome, Brandon, S. K. Allan, Winnipeg, S. H. McCulloch, Calgary, and in the semi-finals, A. A. Weir of Regina. Thompson on the other hand had to work his way through at the expense of such formidable opponents as T. Gillespie, runner-up in the Canadian Amateur, 1920; T. Morrison, Alberta Amateur Champion; Jackson Walton, Open Champion of Saskatchewan and Percy Shaw of Weston, the leading Amateur in the Canadian Open in 1920. Calgary especially will have every reason to remember the Mississaugan and his Winnipeg record. He disposed of that wonderful golfing city's four best players, Hague, Gillespie, Morrison and Walton. And that ought to be honours enough for any Eastern player.

The Canadian Amateur was first played for in 1895, or 26 years ago. It was won by T. H. Harley, of Kingston, who afterwards removed to the United States, and joined the professional ranks. George S. Lyon eight times has annexed the coveted honour: 1898, 1900, 1903, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1912 His brother-in-law, F. R. and 1914. Martin, of Hamilton, has two championships to his credit: 1902 and 1910; as has also W. A. H. Kerr, Toronto: 1897 and 1901. Other champions have been Stewart Gillespie, Quebec, 1896; Vere C. Brown (formerly of Toronto and Winnipeg, now of New York) 1899; J. Perey Taylor, Montreal, 1904;

A. Wilson, Jr., Montreal, 1908; E. Legge (of Toronto and Winnipeg, but who returned to Scotland during the war) 1909; G. H. Hutton, Montreal, 1913; W. McLuckie, Montreal, 1919; C. B. Grier, Montreal, 1920 and Frank Thompson, Toronto, 1921. There were no championships held during the war,

1915-16-17-18. Unlike the Amateur championships of Great Britain and the United States, the Canadian championship has never been won by an outsider, although in 1914, at Ottawa, Brice Evans, the long-hitting Bostonian, was runner-up to G. S. Lyon.

# ST. ANDREWS-BY-THE-SEA

Closing Notes of a Most Successful Golfing Season.

THE Championship event in this resort was played off the week commencing 22nd August, both ladies and men qualifying on the same day, which has not been quite satisfactory, from many points of view, and which will be altered next season, especially in view of the fact that the crop of would-be champions is rapidly increasing.

Mr. Alex. Wilson of Montreal, former Canadian Champion. met Mr. D. R. Forgan of Chicago, and in the finals, Mr. Forgan, after a hard fight, won one up on the necessary thirty-six holes, and on the part of the ladies, Mrs. Christopher Mitchell of Jamaica, B. W.I., was victorious over Mrs. Alec-Wilson, last year's champion of the course. Mrs. Mitchell may be heard of later in the Canadian Ladies' Championship at Rivermead.

The Algonquin Hotel prizes pulled

off the week of the 29th, resulted in a victory for Miss Winnifred Tait of Montreal, over Hon. Mrs. Redmond, also of Montreal, who is therefore runner-up.

Mr. J. Russel Forgan of Chicago, and Mr. C. R. Williams of Minneapolis, met in the finals, which resulted in favor of Mr. Forgan one up, ending the fixture season, which has been remarkable for there being only one postponement on account of weather or other cause.

Some fifteen events have been brought to a satisfactory conclusion in six weeks, a striking commentary on the ideal weather conditions prevailing at this popular resort this season.

Mr. D. R. Forgan, who won the championship, is one of Chicago's leading financiers. He is a member of the well known Forgan family of St. Andrews, Scotland, and is a very fine golfer indeed.

# YES, A CAPITAL IDEA

Mr. John E. Hall of Toronto, writes:

"I want to tell you of something that we are doing at Misissauga.

A few weeks ago Mr. Herman Fletcher presented a trophy to the Club, to be played for annually by members who had never taken less than 100 for 18 holes. This event proved to be highly satisfactory, and I suggested to Mr. Fletcher that we were going to carry out the idea further by arranging a handicap once each month for players of this class thus, a player whose best score has been 118, would receive a handicap of 18, or we could

take his three best scores and take the aver-

Then again next year we proposed for this class of players to arrange matches with other clubs amongst members with similar handicaps. The idea seems to be taking immensely and I would like to have your opinion on this innovation.

This new idea means that next summer we can send twenty or thirty men of this class, all good decent fellows, to play against twenty or thirty men of other clubs who have perhaps never played in matches before. You can readily see that this will create a great deal of enthusiasm."

## STILL ANOTHER ONE

Gananoque the Latest Ontario Town to get on the Golfing Map.

R. W. B. Mudie, of Gananoque, under date of September 12th, writes:-"You will be interested to know that the Gananoque Golf and Country Club has been formed here, within the neighborhood of \$10,000.00 subscribed in a few days. Most satisfactory grounds have been secured adjourning the town and an up-to-date Club House will be erected overlooking the famous Admiralty Group of the Thousand Islands.

"Great enthusiasm has been shown by both the island and local residents so that there

is no question of financial support being given.'

"The officers are: Honorary President, Dr. W. H. Nichol; President, W. T. Sampson; Vice-President, W. D. Sargent; Secretary, W. G. Johnston; Treasurer, L. S. Barr; Chairman Executive, Dr, C. H. Bird.

The club starts with eighty members and has an initial capital subscribed of \$10,000. A handsome new clubhouse and a number of cottages are to be built along the waterfront

next season'

Good luck to Gananoque golfers. May an unbounded success attend their efforts.

# PERISCOPE FOR OTTAWA

Says the Ottawa "Journal":-"Bunkers instead of trenches, golf balls instead of shells and golf bags instead of

that beloved pack, but the overseas members of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club are using one of the most practical inventions of the war to great advantage. It is a huge periscope, twenty feet high, at the seventh tee which enables those waiting to drive to make certain that the preceding players are well out of range before cracking the pill over the rise which shuts out all view of the fair-

way. "So far as is known locally, it is the only Karl Keffer. one in use on this continent. Karl Keffer, the club pro., who did his bit in the Engineers, brought back the idea from England where he had seen one in operation at Bexhill. Its adoption here has absolutely justified its use. The 7th hole on the Royal Ottawa course consists of a plateau running out to about 100 yards from the tee. There is then a drop of about ten feet, another long plateau, and a gradual slope down to the green which cannot be seen from the tee. The difficulty has always been to be sure that the pair or foursome ahead had played their second shots before the following players drove. Except for the first plateau nothing can be seen of the fairway or players. There was always a chance that someone playing his second shot below the rise might "stop one" behind the ear and the knowledge that this chance existed didn't help a man about to shoot his second if he were at all nervous of getting hit. Now all this uncertainty is obviated. The players on the tee can swing the 'scope about and cover all the area below the hill The instrument was constructed in the club workshops, stands about 20 feet high on a swinging pedestal which enables it to be turned about and its power of reflection is excellent. so excellent indeed that on several occasions a man has hit his ball, run to the machine and spotted his ball before it had come to rest on the lower slope."

Our cotem is hardly correct in stating that this periscope on a golf course is the only one on the continent. The Country Club, Calgary, has for some time utilised a similar idea.—Editor.



"A Deep Student the Game"

## THUNDER BAY COUNTRY CLUB

Invitation Tournament Preparatory to the Amateur at Winnipeg a Great Success.

THE Eastern Golfers, who spent Friday the 19th August, at the Thunder Bay Country Club Links, which lie between the Twin Cities of Fort William and Port Arthur, had a most enjoyable day and had some interesting golf on their way to the Winnipeg Tournament.

A very interesting qualifying round of eighteen holes was played in the morning. The best card of seventy-seven being turned in by Mr. Frank Thompson, closely followed by Mr. J. Dix Fraser with a seventy-nine. W. J. Thompson, eighty-two; A. A. Adams, eighty-four; B. L. Anderson and M. Cochran, eighty-five.

In the afternoon the first twenty-four played down in flights of eight, nine-hole matches. The semi-finals of the first flight brought out some fine golf. W. J. Thompson had to hole a ten foot putt on the last hole to dispose of B. L. Anderson, who gave him a stiff fight, and J. Dix Fraser took Frank Thompson to the last hole, before calling quits. Mr. Fraser learned most of his golf at Thunder Bay and certainly demonstrated his ability on his old stumping ground, passing up several opportunities of coming out on top.

The Thompson brothers gave a fine exhibition of golf in the finals. "W. J." winning out on the extra hole.

Both got par fours on the first two good drives and perfect pitches to the green. Frank rimmed the cup with his third.

Frank topped his drive on the long five hundred and forty yard second, while "W. J." got about two hundred and sixty yards down the middle. Frank hit a screamer for a second and laid his spoon third within three feet of the hole, a grand recovery. "W. J's." second was well up but his mashie ran over and he laid Frank a dead stymic

with the odd, resulting in a half in par five.

The third was halved in par four. Frank drew first blood on the fourth when "W. J.'s" drive ran through the trap and down the side of the green which cost him a stroke. Frank one up.

The fifth hole was halved in four, both got long drives and played their seconds well on. The sixth also was halved, W. J. squaring the match at the short seventh when Frank over ran into the bunker. The eighth was also halved. Frank hooked his drive on the dog leg ninth and played a wonderful second over the trees onto the green for a half in four. Both having thirty-six for the nine holes.

"W. J." got his drive away in good shape on the extra tenth while Frank sliced his just into the rough, his approach was good but just slack enough to break away down the side of the green, while "W. J." was well on and down in four. Frank made a grand attempt to hole his fifteen foot putt for a half but just missed.

"Bold and fearless" H. S. Coulson won the second flight by not talking H. McCullough out of his game and not trying too hard in the finals with C. H. Ackerman winning two and one.

The third flight was won by A. G. Jeffrins, a local golfer.

Altogether the day was much enjoyed by the players and the large gathering, the match play keeping the interest up until the last. Handsome trophies were awarded the winners.



## WESTON'S NEW CLUB HOUSE

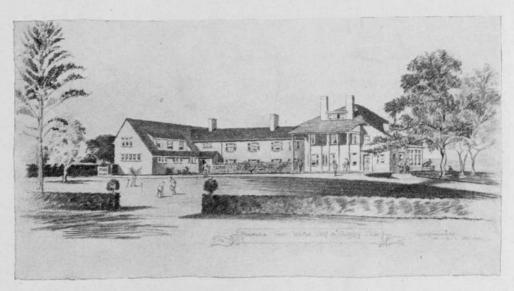
Formal Opening Attended by Five Hundred Members and Friends—A Most Artistic Building Alike from an Exterior and Interior Standpoint.

THE Weston Golf and Country Club Limited, on Saturday September 10th, under the most favorable auspices and in the presence of some five hundred members and guests, formally opened its beautiful new club house. The event was a memorable one in every respect and will long be remembered by all the participants.

The official address at the opening was given by Mr. Murray A. Stewart,

and 200 women members.

The formal opening of the beautiful new club house, a description of which has already appeared in the "Canadian Golfer," was made by Mrs. H. J. Church, wife of the first president of Weston, by turning a key to the door of the main entrance. She was then presented with a streamer of roses. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock and from 8 to 9 p.m., Miss Vera McLean,



An Early Victorian Study-New Club House of Weston Formally Opened this month,

vice-president, the president, Mr. Leslie R. Young, being absent on account of illness, much to the regret of everyone. Mr. Stewart briefly traced the history of the club from its inauguration in 1913, as a 9-hole course, to the acquisition of additional acreage in 1915, when they were established under Provincial charter, and to the accomplishment of an 18-hole course in 1919-20, with permanent quarters. The territory acquired was known as the Wadsworth Estate, of 300 acres area. They now had a membership-of 650 made up of 450 men

assisted by several prominent artists, entertained the 500 guests with an excellent musical program. Dancing occupied the balance of the evening.

The new course at Weston will not be ready until next season. The club owns 321 acres of land and approximately 70 acres has been put under cultivation for the new holes, which will be numbers three, four, five, thirteen, fourteen and fifteen. A large force of men were employed all last winter felling and hauling trees, blowing out stumps and grading. An unusual amount of work

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had to be done on the fairgreens, since about 55 acres was old pasture and weeds were abundant. Hardly a weed is now to be seen

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A most up-to-date irrigation system has been installed. Each green has two hose connections, the water being pumped from the Humber River and stored in a 50,000-gallon tank.

Seeding is now under way and so good was the soil found that on the greens the grass was nicely sprouted in four days. In all, 17.500 pounds of seed were used. The experts found, after analysis, the ground had almost sufficient humus, and only 400 tons extra had to be secured. In addition, the water from the Humber River was found to contain an unusual amount of vegetable matter, which also helped considerably.

Mr. George F. Clark, who is constructing the new course and who is keeping all details in his personal charge, has put no end of pains on the new greens, which he promises to be second to none in Canada. The feature of the work is that about \$15,000 has been saved through working on the basis of time and material over the contract system.

During the afternoon of this memorable opening of Weston's new club house, one of the most artistic in the

Toronto District, a four-ball match was greatly enjoyed by a large gallery. The pairs were Mr. John Haddon and George Cumming of the Toronto Club, and Mr. G. P. Shaw and Percy Barrett of Weston. The Toronto amateur especially had a fine score of 75, closely followed by Cumming with a 76, Barrett having a 78 and Mr. Shaw 81. The scores

Mr. Haddon—	
Out 4,3,4, 3,6,5, 4,4,4=3	37
In 4,5,4, 4,5,3, 5,5,3=3	
	_
	5
Cumming—	
Out4,3,5, $3,6,6, 5,3,4=3$	9
In	
	_
	6
Mr. Shaw—	
Out6,4,5, $3,5,5, 4,4,5=4$	1
In44,5, $3,5,5$ , $7,4,3=4$	0
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	31
Barrett—	
Out 4,4,6, 5,4,4, 5,3,4=3	19
In 4,4,4, 5,5,4 ,5,4,4=3	39

The future of Weston is assured. Its members to-day have one of the finest properties in Ontario.

# GOLF AND GAMBLING

A Vigorous Protest from a Well-Known Torontonian.

Editor, "Canadian Golfer."

May I ask that your influence be exerted to the utmost to resist the very demoralizing influence that the introduction of the gambling spirit among our golfers is sure to bring about. I am told in England and in the United States since the war especially the practice of wagering money between players has increased to an alarming extent.

Surely it is an evidence of a jaded sporting spirit when to give zest to any game cupidity has to be invoked and the mercenary trade instinct of a degenerate appetite stimulated by wagering money. So pronounced is the evil that a member of a very prominent Buffalo Club assured me a by-law was being introduced penalizing by expulsion any member playing any game for money or bet-

ting on the result of any game played in the club.

This is a wholesome move and I would be be glad to observe similar by-laws introduced in every golf club in Canada. We visit with the penalty of disqualification an amateur sportsman who receives money for services or plays for a money prize—what is the difference in fact from the player who wagers money with his opponent. I have heard of stakes as high as five dollars a hole. Let a stop be put to this evil practice and your journal can do much to influence golfing opinion of the best sort favorably.

Sincerely,

WALTER J. BARR.

Toronto, Sept. 1st, 1921.

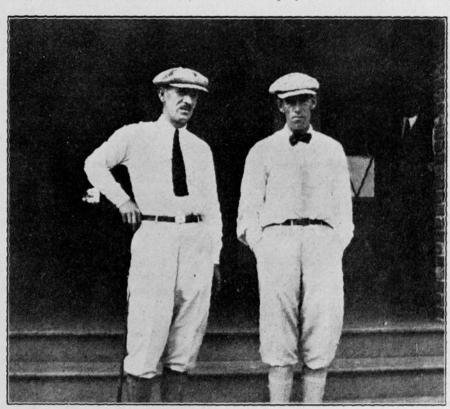
# CLEAN SWEEP OF CANADA

Duncan and Mitchell Win all their Matches in the Dominion—Closest Call
They have is at Winnipeg—Duncan Makes Course Records at Lambton
and Brantford—Britishers who are Royally Entertained, Create
a Most Favorable Impression.

P LAYING over strange courses every day and travelling hundreds of miles every week it goes without saying that the celebrated Britishers, Duncan and Mitchell must every once in a while meet with defeat, but

pearance was quite spectacular—a 12 hole victory being registered, the professionals having a four hole lead to their credit in the morning and winning eight more holes in the afternoon.

The play was notable for the number



Great Golfers Both.—George Duncan on right and Abe Mitchell on left, who are making a wonderfully Successful Tour of this Continent.

at that these have been very few.

As regards their Canadian visit they made a clean sweep. Their first appearance was at Scarboro, Toronto, where they played a 36 hole match, Aug. 24th, against two amateurs, Messrs. George S. Lyon, ex-amateur champion, and C. M. Jones, champion of the Scarboro Club. Their initial Canadian ap-

of "birdies." In the morning Jones took four to hole eight par five and three to hole fifteen par four. Lyon took two at hole two par three. Duncan took three at hole seven par five, and three at hole twelve par four. In the afternoon Jones took four at hole ten par five. Lyon took four at hole eight par five and three at hole eleven

par four. Duncan took three at hole six par four; four at hole eight par five; four at hole ten par five, and three at hole eleven par four. Mitchell took four at hole eight par five; four at hole ten par five, and three at hole eleven par four. Thus the total "birdies" for the day were: Jones 3, Lyon 3, Duncan 7 and Mitchell 5.

Duncan and Mitchell had a best ball score in the morning of 66 and in the afternoon a 67. Jones and Lyon in the morning had a 72 and in the afternoon 77. Duncan won the extra \$50 for making the best score of the day—a 70 in the afternoon which equals the amateur record of the course. Mitchell had a 71

The scores:

Morning Round

Mr. Jones-

Out.....4,3,3, 5,4,5, 4,4,5=37 In.....5,5,4, 4,4,3, 5,6,4=40=77 Mr. Lyon—

Out.....4,2,5, 5,3,5, 5,6,4=39 In.....5,5,8, 7,4,4, 4,4,4=45=84

Out.....4,3,3, 4,3,5, 3,4,4=33 In .....4,3,4, 5,4,4, 5,4,3=36=69 Mitchell—

Out.....4,4,4, 5,4,4, 6,4,4=39 In.....5, 3, 5, 4, 4,4= Afternoon Round

Mr. Jones-

Out. .4,4,3, 5,3,5, 7,5,4=40 In. .4,5,5, 6,5,4, 6,5,5=45=85=162

Mr. Lyon— Out . .4,4,3, 6,3,5, 4,4,4=37 In . .5,3,6, 5,6,4, 6,5,4=44=81=165

Dunean— Out. 4,3,3, 5,3,3, 4,4,5=34 In . . . 4,3,4, 5,4,4, 5,4,3=36=70

Mitchell— Out. 4,4,4, 5,3,4, 4,4,4=36 In. 4,3,4, 4,4,4, 4,4,4=35=71

(Note: Duncan and Mitchell both picked up in the morning round).

The next port of call was Brantford where the visiting experts were given a most cordial reception. In the morning they had as their opponents "Kern" Marsh, pro. of the London Hunt Club, and "Bob" Jolly, pro. of the Waterloo Golf and Country Club, Galt.

The new 9 holes of the course, in addition to the old 9, were played and considering the handicap of the new fairways and greens, Mitchell's 35-40 for a 75 was a very creditable performance. Duncan had a 37-40, whilst the London pro. with an 80 was well up with the leaders. The Britishers were up 6 and 5.

In the afternoon with two superb thirty-fours for a total of 68 (playing twice round the old course) Duncan created a record and picked up another \$50 bill. His play was of a most dazzling description. Mitchell, too, also provided a thrill or so in the opening round getting the first hole in 2. The distance is 325 yards and as the result of a screaming drive his ball landed within a few feet of the hole and a shade to the right side of it. With a magnificent putt he holed out, doing something which no player has ever achieved before and it is probable will not for a long time, if ever. The gallery gave him quite an ovation over the feat. His total of 33 for the first nine holes also set a new mark, and one which is likely to remain for an indefinite period. In the second round he got into trouble at the second and third holes and had to be content with a 41.

The Britishers' opponents in the afternoon were Nicol Thompson, the Hamilton professional, and Capt. C. H. Perkins, pro. of the Brantford Club. Thompson put up an excellent game, but had a lot of hard luck with his putts, the ball rimming the hole on more than one occasion. Perkins was under the handicap of having had little practice of late, he devoting nearly all his time the past two months to licking the new 18 hole course into shape but he gave his Hamilton confrere much valuable assistance. Mitchell and Duncan in the afternoon registered a 4 and 2 victory.

The scores:

Morning Game
Mitchell . . . . . 4,4,4, 4,3,5, 3,5,3=35
Mitchell . . . . . 5,5,4, 2,6,4, 4,6,4=40

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Duncan . . . . . 7,5,4, 3,4,4, 4,5,4=40

and Woodward 73. With a 75 and 71	46=4,4,6,6,4,6,4,6,4. nasand
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-baswbooW	Duncan. 4,4,3, 5,3,6, 4,5,4 = 38=76
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McLuckie—	
57-78-44, 6,6,6,4,6,6,nI	08
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Dancan—	04=4,6,6,4,4,4,7,6,4,,smixtoq
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of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, and	89
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for a total of 146 Duncan again won the special prize of \$50, Mitchell being 148.

On Sunday the beautiful course at Grand Mere, Quebec, was the scene of the exhibition match, and Mitchell and Duncan added another victory to their already long string when they defeated the combined efforts of Charlie Murray of the Royal Montreal Golf Club, and Dave Cuthbert, the local pro-

Duncan had the best aggregate for the day with 141, three under par, against 144 for Mitchell. Murray's total was 154 and Cuthbert had 162.

Mitchell had 37 going out in the afternoon round and needed 32 to beat the 70 for the low 18 hole round, which had been established by Dunean in the morning. He played par golf on the first three holes and then proceeded to click off four "birdies" on the next six holes, giving him a 69 on the round, which carried off the special \$50 prize given by Mr. George Cahoon, Jr. The scores, Mitchell and Duncan winning, 5 and 4:—

Dnnean-

 $\begin{array}{c} \mathrm{Out...5,4,4,4,3,3,5,3,4} = 35 \\ \mathrm{In...4,4,3,5,4,3,5,3,4} = 35 = 70 \\ \mathrm{Out...4,4,4,4,4,3,5,5,4,5} = 38 \\ \mathrm{In...4,4,3,4,4,4,4,3,3} = 33 = 71 = 141 \\ \mathrm{Mitchell} = \end{array}$ 

Out. . 5,3,4, 4,3,5, 4,3,4 = 35 In. . 5,4,3, 6,4,4, 4,5,5 = 40 = 75 Out. . 5,4,5, 4,3,4, 4,4,4 = 37 In. . 4,4,3, 4,3,4, 3,3,4 = 32 = 69 = 144

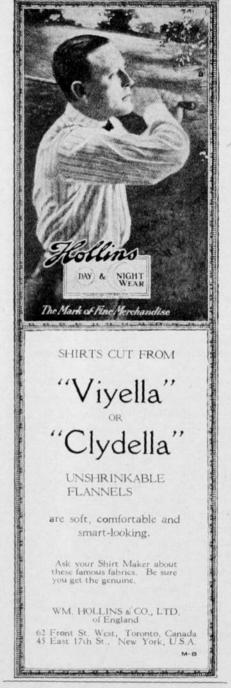
Murray-

Out..5,5,5, 4,4,5, 3,2,4=37 In..4,4,2, 5,4,5, 4,3,4=35=72 Out..5,6,5 4,5,5, 4,3,5=42 In..4,4,4, 6,4,5, 4,4,5=40=82=154

Cuthbert-

Out . . 5,5,4, 4,3,6, 4,3,4 = 38 In . . 4,5,4, 6,4,5, 5,3,5 = 41 = 79 Out . . 5,5,4, 5,5,5,5,3,6 = 43 In . . 3,5,3, 7,5,4, 5,4,4 = 40 = 83 = 162

Saturday, September 3rd, saw Duncan and Mitchell at the St. Charles Club, Winnipeg, where they had as their opponents the professionals, Eric Bannister of St. Charles, and Hugh Fletcher of Elmhurst, whom they de-



feated in a 36 hole match 7 and 5. The scores:

Abe Mitchell

First Round :

Out......3,4,4, 4,4,4, 3,4,4=34 In.....4,4,4, 4,4,3, 4,4,4=35=69

#### Second Round:

Out......5,4,5, 4,4,4, 4,3,4=37 In.....5,3,4, 3,5,4, 4,4,5=37=74 George Duncan

First Round :

Out........4,4,4,5,4,3,4,3,4=35 In......3,4,4,4,5,3,4,4,4=35=70

Second Round:

Out......3,5,4, 5,4,3, 4,5,3=36 In.....5,4,3, 4,5,3, 5,3,4=36=72 Hugh Fletcher

First Round:

Out..........3,5,4, 4,3,5, 4,5,4=37 In........4,5,3, 3,6,3, 5,4,4=37=74 Second Round:

Out......4,4,5, 5,4,3, 4,5,4=37 In.....5,4,5, 4,5,4, 4,3,5=39=76 Eric Bannister

First Round:

Out......4,5,5, 5,4,4, 4,4,4,=39 In.....4,4,4, 4,5,3, 4,4,5=37=76 Second Round:

Out......3,4,4,5,5,4,5,3,4=37 In.....4,4,4,4,5,3,5,4,5=38=75

The Britishers in the morning round had a best ball of 66 and in the afternoon a 65. The total scores of the four players—Duncan 142, Mitchell 143, Fletcher 150, Bannister 151.

Labor Day, two 18 hole matches were scheduled—the morning game at Elmhurst, the afternoon game at the Winnipeg Club where the Amateur Championship was held.

At Elmhurst, Fletcher again opposed them partnered with George Daniels of the Assininboine Club, formerly of Mississauga, Toronto. The Britishers again won, this time by a 6 and 5 margin. The scores:

George Duncan-

Out......4,4,5, 4,4,4, 4,4,4=37 In.....4,3,3, 4,3,5, 5,3,4=34=71

Abe Mitchell—

Out.......6,3,5, 2,4,3, 5,4,6=38 In.....4,3,5, 4,4,6, 4,2,4=36=74

Hugh Fletcher-

Out......5,4,6,4,4,4,5,4,4=40In....5,4,4,5,5,6,5,3,6=42=82

George Daniels-

Out......5,5,6, 3,5,5, 4,4,4=41 In.....4,3,5, 4,4,5, 5,3,5=38=79

Duncan and Mitchell had a best ball of 65.

In the afternoon going over to the neighboring course of the Winnipeg Golf Club, the Britishers had the hardest match of their whole Canadian tour when they met the Manitoba champion, Mr. John T. Cuthbert, and the home pro., Ernest Penfold. The amateur promptly proceeded to win the first two holes, but Duncan squared the match at the 7th and at the 9th he and his partner were 2 up. It was by this lead that they eventually won the match with 1 to play. The scores:

George Duncan-

Out......5,4,4, 4,4,5, 3,6,5=40 In.....5,4,4, 4,4,5, 3,4,4=37=77

Abe Mitchell-

Out......5,4,4, 4,3,4, 4,4,6=38 In.....5,3,4, 4,4,5, 3,4,4=36=74

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Mr. J. T. Cuthbert-Out......4,3,4, 4,3,5, 4,5,6=38

In.......5,5,4, 4,4,5, 3,4,3=37=75Ernest Penfold-

Out......6,4,4, 4,4,3, 4,6,6=43 $1n \dots 5,3,5,4,4,5,3,4,5 = 38 = 81$ 

Half a gale was blowing and Mr. Cuthbert's score of 75, two below Duncan's and only one above Mitchell's, was a particularly fine performance. Mitchell and Duncan had a best ball of 72-one over the record of the course made by Mr. Frank Thompson in the Amateur Championship last month.

Both Duncan and Mitchell created a most favourable impression. They are most unassuming and it was a perfect delight to meet and entertain them. That their all too brief visit of Canada will be instrumental in greatly improving the game here does not admit of an argument. It is to be sincerely hoped that they will be seen on the courses here again ere long. They are unquestionably to-day the world's greatest match players.

In every city in Canada they were entertained to lunch and dinner, and Duncan quite made a reputation for himself in his replies to the toast of "The Visitors." It is understood that in winning the many special prizes offered for the best score, Duncan and Mitchell divide "fifty-fifty." The tour was in charge of Mr. Braid (himself a St. Andrews man) of Wanamakers, New York. He, too, made many friends whilst here.

During the Canadian tour Mitchell, who is generally reported to be the "Babe Ruth" of golf, was responsible for some very long drives, but Duncan was rarely much back of him. Both are exceptionally fine drivers.

In the 14 rounds played in Canada, Duncan had the splendid average of 72, whilst Mitchell had 731/2- pretty good going for absolutely strange courses. In each case in making out these averages two or three holes not played out have been liberally approximated.

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### Canadian Seniors Golf Association

Holds Most Successful Meeting at St. Andrews, N.B.—Mr. Geore S. Lyon Again Wins the Championship, with Mr. F. A. Parker, Runner-up— International Team Meets with a Severe Reverse at Apawamis.

THE Fourth Annual Tournament of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association last week at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea was an unbounded success. Although the majority of the members had to travel nearly eight hundred miles to make the fixture, there was a most representative attendance. Some of the leading men of Canada teed off the first day and remained throughout the competition. There was the keenest rivalry in all classes and the veterans, many of them, showed that they were capable of playing really first class golf. The links at St. Andrews are ideally located. The one drawback was the keenness of the greens, an unparalleled drought having been recorded this summer. A steamboat trip and picnic under the auspices of the C.P.R. to Campobello, motor rides and sea bathing were added attractions to a wonderful four days' outing. And the Seniors took part in all of these and demonstrated conclusively that to be fifty-five years and upwards is no deterrent to the enjoyment of a sporting holiday of a most diversified character.

For the fourth time in succession Mr. George S. Lyon captured the Shaughnessy Cup emblematic of the Championship of the Association. His score was 160. The Nesbitt Cup, which goes to the runner-up was won by Mr. F. A. Parker, also of Lambton. whilst the Baker Cup went to Mr. H. L. Putnam

of Kanawaki. Sixteen other cups were also competed for.

The chosen fifteen who afterwards took another long jaunt to New York to participate in the annual International match with the U. S. Seniors, in cold print did not make a very good showing, the victory of the U. S. Seniors being a sweeping one to the tune of 26 points to 2. That looks like a walkaway. But, as a matter of fact, it was not. Match after match was only decided by a hole. With any kind of luck, the Canadian Seniors should have had many more points to their credit. But the breaks went against them and a very bad defeat was the result.

The upset of the Canadian Senior Champion, Mr. George S. Lyon, was totally unexpected. He was pitted against Mr. C. D. Cooke, of East Harwich, New Jersey, who had not previously competed on an International team. He uses his irons exclusively, not having a wooden club in his bag. Lyon was outdriving him off the tee 40 to 50 yards but was falling down badly on the greens, undoubtedly due to the fact that he was suffering from a bad attack of hay fever, which affected his eyesight. That, however, does not detract from the really notable 2 and 1 victory of the man from New Jersey, who, despite the handicap from the tee, coolly and calmly stuck to his short game and eventually ended the struggle at the 17th green. Cooke, needless to say, was the hero of the day, but he took his honors most modestly. To beat a man of Lyon's calibre with irons only was undeniably a most remarkable performance on a long course such as Apawamis. The Canadian Seniors will never forget the hospitality extended them by the officials and members of the U. S. Seniors Golf Association. It was unbounded. The dinner the evening before the International match was a very brilliant affair indeed. The speech of the evening was that of the Hon. Martin Burrell of Ottawa. Americans are great judges of after-dinner oratory and they were unanimous in their opinion that Canada's ex-Secretary of State ranks with the best speakers they have in the United States.

So the beautiful Duke of Devonshire Cup, by a decisive margin, again

rests in the trophy room at Apawamis. But the Canadian Seniors are not downhearted. They were playing over a strange course after a long, tedious journey. The U. S. Seniors have, of course, 600 members to draw from, as against 300 in Canada, but man for man, there was very little difference in the play of the two teams. Local conditions were all in favor of the U. S. players. At Toronto next year these conditions will be reversed and there really should be a different story to chronicle. In the meantime, the cold fact has to be recorded that the Americans have 3 victories to 1, to their credit, and that this year they lowered the colors of admittedly the continent's greatest veteran golfer.

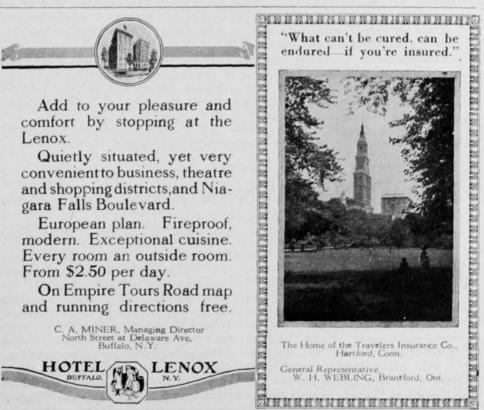
A detailed account of both the above notable events (The Canadian Seniors' Tournament at St. Andrews, and the International Match) will appear in the

October issue.

### WORTHILY HONOURED

Miss Ada Mackenzie and Mr. Frank Thompson Made Life Members of Mississauga Golf Club.

M. Frank Thompson, Canadian Amateur Champion, was deservedly welcomed and congratulated officially at a dinner dance given in his honour at the Mississauga Golf Club, and attended by nearly five hundred of his friends and admirers, Friday evening, September 2nd. President Monte Lowndes of the Mississauga Club, made a welcoming address and presented both Mr. Thompson and Miss Ada Mackenzie with an honorary life membership in the



Mississauga Club. Mr. Thompson was also the recipient of a handsome watch and chain.

Besides Mr. Thompson and Miss Mackenzie, the guests of honour were: Messrs, W. J. Thompson, F. Hammil and Harry Coulson, the remaining members of the team which represented Mississauga at the Winnipeg tournament, and Stanley and Nicol Thompson, brothers of the youthful champion.

A life-sized pertrait of Frank Thompson was unveiled. The cup, emblematic of the Canadian Championship was in a prominent place, richly decorated

with flags.

Mississauga's beautiful club house has been the scene of many notable gatherings, but none perhaps of so wonderful a character as that of the popular young champion's "Welcome Home." It was a never forgettable night.

The club house was transformed into a veritable fairyland, with flags, colored lights and autumn flowers. Strings of colored lights on the lawn in front of the club house made a picturesque setting which it would be hard to equal.

In making the presentation to the champion, Mr. Lowndes told the story of how the championship had been won on the 38th hole by the Mississauga player, and how proud his fellow-members were of his great achievement at Winnipeg. The president was in a humorous vein and made a big hit with his presentation speech.

The champion, who received a most flattering reception in extending his thanks, said he would much rather go out and play another 38 holes than make a speech. He gave credit to all those who had made it possible for him to win the honor for the club, particularly his brother, Nicol, and Jack Pritchard, the Mississauga pro. There were many explanations of how the championship was won, but he himself gave credit to the stymie on the 38th.

After the crowd had given three ringing cheers for the new champion, President Lowndes asked him to escort Miss Ada Mackenzie to the platform.

Miss Mackenzie, when she, too, was then presented with a life membership was taken completely by surprise, and in the course of a felicitous reply gave a brief account of her visit to Great Britain during the summer and the success that had attended her efforts to bring Miss Cecil Leitch, the British champion, her sister and Miss Chambers, to Canada this fall.

After the dinner a dance which lasted until midnight brought this

memorable Mississaugan event to a delightful conclusion.

### HAGEN AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT

Wins Western Open in a Most Decisive Manner with the Superlative Score of 287.

ALTER C. Hagen of Detroit, twice holder of the National Open Championship, climbed back into the ranks of the title-holders by winning a clean-cut victory in the Western open event at the Oakwood Club, Cleveland, August, 26th. His toal of 287, made up of superlative rounds of 71, 72, 73, and 71, was five shots ahead of that of "Jock" Hutchinson of the Glenview Club of Chicago,

who had 292. It was Hagen's second success in the Western classic, his previous win being at Milwaukee in 1916. when, with a total of 286, he was one stroke ahead of "Jock" Hutchinson and Geo. Sargent.

Hagen and Hutchinson took the limelight at the end of the third round. when a 73 by each put the pair in the lead by a two-stroke margin. Hagen's game was almost flawless. He drove

his long shots with the tigerish ferocity that characterized his game in the championship years, and his short work was remarkable. Time after time he sent his approach putts relling for the cup, and when they did not fall it was only by a margin of inches.

Hagen's four rounds of 71, 72, 73, 71, amounted to just three strokes over

par for the 72 holes.

He did not have a six or seven on any of his cards, and only 15 holes in five. Neither did Hagen have any wonder holes to make up for poor work, since he scored only one, two, that on the fourth in the morning round. This leaves him with 56 holes played in three or four.

Jim Barnes, the national open champion, was the big disappointment of the tournament. Off to a bad start in his putting on the first round, the tall Cornishman never solved the mystery of the greens, and wound up with a score of 304.



Hagen Comes Back

### OTTAWA AND DISTRICT

H. C. Monk Wins Championship—Over One Hundred Players Compete in a Thoroughly Enjoyable Event.

HE first Ottawa and District Championship held August 26th at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club was an unqualified success. Over 100 of the leading golfers of the city and district competed, and the event was generally conceded to have been the greatest in the local golfing history of Royal Ottawa golfers the Capital. scored impressively. The beautiful Gerald Lees trophy which goes to the club whose member turns in the lowest score was won by H. Carlton Monk (gross 160) and is emblematic of the championship of Ottawa and District. Brian Devlin won the trophy awarded to the runner-up, as he came second-C. R. Robertson with a sixteen handicap was winner of the net handicap with 137 for morning and afternoon rounds.

J. E. Caldwell, Senior of Rivermead, brought the colors of the sister club to victory when he won the 36-hole net handicap with 152 net. Among the juniors the play of Lorne Chamberlain one of the neophytes of the game, was of outstanding merit with a net score of 140. He is the son of A. F. Chamberlain, one of the leading players of the club. Col. H. J. Orde, former club champion, won the cup awarded for the morning round, 18 gross with 83, and J. J. Cowie the afternoon round with 85.

C. E. Read, Jr., won the net prize for the morning round with 67 among the juniors, and C. W. Tolley the afternoon round with 68 net.

Splendid arrangements reflecting immense credit on all the officers who conducted the tourney helped to hustle the hundred odd competitors through the exacting round of 36-hole medal play. Ideal weather conditions, which could not have been bettered, and the enthusiasm and keenness of competitors modified in considerable measure the exacting task. The morning rounds were slightly delayed but the afternoon play was started promptly and by eight o'clock in the evening all the competitors had completed their play. Many of the most prominent business and professional men of the city competed.

Kingston, Cornwall, Brockville and other outside points sent their quota and they were loud in their praises of the arrangements made for their play and comfort while guests at the Royal Ottawa.

At the conclusion of the Tournament Mr. Warren Y. Soper, Club President, entertained the contestants in a manner which brought fittingly to a close the most successful golfing day ever launched in the Capital. After the toast to "The King" had been proposed, the Hon, Martin Burrell was called on for a speech, and Mr. Code of Carleton Place, Mr. Cunningham of Kingston, Mr. Dwyer of the Rivermead and Mr. Jarman of the Hunt and Motor expressed their gratitude for their respective clubs.

### RECORD SCORES IN WINNIPEG

Well-Known Professionals Break Into the Sixties on Three Courses.

68

60

Winnipeg professionals are certainly playing fine golf these days, as witness another 68 made there on the difficult Elmhurst course. Playing with Mr. E.

H. Benson, H. C. Fletcher, the pro of Elmhurst, also negotiated a wonderful 68. His figures:

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#### HOLES-IN-ONE

Thirteen More One-Shot Feats Recorded Since Last Month, Making the Total to Date 45.

H, it is nice to be a golf editor and award annual subscriptions on the right hand and the left for "Holes-in-One," but would the golfers of Canada, for the balance of the season, please let up a bit? Here's the list since last issue, and after all said and done, it is a pleasure to award the magazine for such a widely-spread field of capable candidates:

And here once again is the fateful 3rd or Punchbowl hole of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club. Again a one-er has been recorded at this hole. this time Mrs. A. J. McPherson performing the feat. She was playing with Mr. and Mrs. Wyndham at the

At another Vancouver course, that of

Shaughnessy Heights, a few days afterwards Mr. N. J. Smillie, last year's chairman of the Green Committee of the club, proceeded also to make the tin from the tee. This also was on the third hole, a 120 yarder.

Dr. C. F. Riley, playing over the Glen Stewart Golf Club of Toronto. which is under the management of the Humber Valley Municipal Golf Club. made the 6th or "Ame's Hole," 165 yards in one. Congratulations to the

August 24th Mr. E. H. Hawkins jumped into the hall of fame among golfers at the Southwood Golf Club. Winnipeg, when he holed his tee shot at the 5th green in 1. The hole is 210 yards and slopes upwards and Mr.

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133 King St. East, Toronto, Ontario. Hawkins took his trusty driver to reach the green. He was playing with his wife at the time. Mr. Hawkins is naturally quite pleased with his feat, as this is only his second year at golf.

Playing in the monthly medal play Competition at Dixie, Mr. R. G. Hoerner, of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, at the well known short third, performed the one-shot feat. He was playing with H. A. Loyett, K.C.

Mr. J. L. Lewis, of the Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto, was recently a visitor to Ottawa and whilst playing with Messrs. S. M. Brown and T. N. Hay, of the Rivermead Club there bagged a "one-er" at the short but difficult 15th. Good work.

Mr. H. C. Small, of the Hunt Club, is another Toronto man who decided to accomplish the feat whilst away from home. Playing with Mr. J. C. Parker, of Rosedale, he pulled off the stunt at the second hole on the Windermere Golf and Country Club course, Muskoka.

And here is a new club heard from. Only this season a course was opened at Wetaskiwin, Alberta, so Mr. Archibald Roulstone proceeded to put it in the spotlight by recording a one at the long-ish 7th, 225 yards. He was at the time playing the best ball of Messrs H. B. Wilson and O. Roulstone. Very glad to forward a subscription for twelve months to a Westakiwin golfer.

The Editor is particularly delighted to award a yearly subscription to Mr. L. V. MacKenzie of the Summit Golf Club. Toronto. Mr. MacKenzie, who lost an arm fighting the battles of his

country in the great war, negotiated the 10th hole at Summit in 1. This hole is 182 yards and the elevation of the green is 35 feet above the level of the tee. A splendid shot forsooth.

Again the Brightwood Golf and Country Club, Dartmouth, N. S., is heard from this month. Capt. H. G. Lindsay, Superintendent of Pilots, Halifax, safely brought his ball into port in one at the 6th hole at Brightwood, August 31st.

On Thursday, Sept. 1st, playing over the Rosedale Course with Dr. E. B. Hardy, Mr. John A. Walker, of Toronto, notched a one-shotter at the fourth hole, and is receiving congratulations generally from his many friends as a result.

September 5th at the Maple Creek Golf Club, Maple Creek, Sask., Mr. F. G. Wheat joined the golfing immortals. The 8th hole on this course is 190 yards but Mr. Wheat found the cup from the tee. His "partners in crime" were Messrs. W. R. Shanks and Joseph Johnstone. Delighted to have Maple Creek represented for the first time.

Miss Frances Sharpe of Ottawa won't have to renew her subscription to this great golfing magazine for the coming year. She was visiting this month in Frederieton, N.B., and playing in a foursome with Mrs. Alex. Thompson against Mrs. P. Holden and Miss Margaret Price, negotiated the 4th hole on the sporting Fredericton course in one shot. Miss Frances is the third fair golfer this season to turn the trick.

Total One-shot-holes to date-45.

### OAKVILLE ON THE MAP

Charming Lake-side Resort Has an Attractive Course which gives Great Promise of Future Excellence—Membership Already Over 200.

A valued subscriber writes the Editor:—

"I noticed in the last number of the "Canadian Golfer" a short article regarding the incorporation of the Oakville Golf Club, and as we now are officially under way I thought you might be interested in a few more facts

concerning it.

We have a property consisting of approximately sixty acres running from the Oakville creek to the 6th line. On this property is being constructed a nine-hole course of about 3,100 yards. Messrs. George Cumming & Fry, the well known golf architects, are in charge of the work and have made remarkable pro-

gress already considering the time that has been spent on it. At present we are using a short nine-hole course with a very fair fairway and passable greens, and the construction of the permanent course is being pushed along rapidly.

A small farm house on the creek bank will be altered suitably to make a small club house. It is not the intention to go in for an elaborate Club House, as such would be quite unnecessary in a small town like Oakville, especially as the property is within a mile of the town.

Already a membership of about two hundred and twenty-five has been secured and a great enthusiasm is being evinced by a large

number of new players in the game. It is the intention of the Directorate to spend approximately Ten Thousand Dollars this year on construction. We are concentrating our efforts on securing a first-class nine-hole golf course to the exclusion of any other object such as an expensive Club House.

The Board of Directors is composed of the

following :-

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### A PROGRESSIVE CLUB

Cataraqui, Kingston, Ont., is Erecting a New Club House and Improving
Its Course.

A representative of the "Canadian Golfer" while in Kingston recently had the opportunity of visiting the Cataraqui Golf Club and playing over the

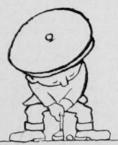
course, which is conveniently and beautifully situated about two miles from the centre of the city on the banks of Lake Ontario, where it is usually cool

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A new Club House is in the course of erection where a crew of workmen are busy on the first floor and when completed it will be ideally located, having an excellent view, but at present lacks foliage, which is almost necessary around a Club House. No doubt, however, some provision will be made for this later.

A course of thirteen holes is now in play several of which are quite flat, but there is enough short and tricky holes to make the present course most attractive. The greens are in very good

condition indeed, much better than the average new course.

This Club is fortunate in having as their professional "Jimmie" Newman, who appears to be a general favorite among the members, and they are very pleased of the fine showing made by him in the Canadian Professional Championship at Toronto. He came seventh out of a field of 45.

The Cataraqui Club is on the road to a great success. Give them a couple of years more and you will not know the place.

Here's to their future well deserved advancement and progress.

### ANOTHER COURSE IN LAURENTIANS

Gray Rocks Inn is a Very Sporting Links Along the Valley of the Devil's River.

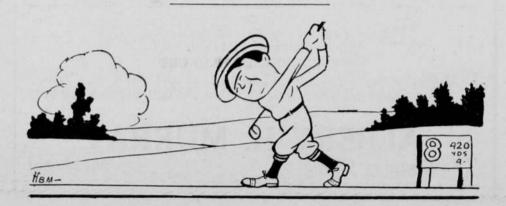
A N interesting golf course was put into operation this season in the Laurentians known as the Grey Rocks Inn. Although the Course was only laid out in the Spring of this year, it is in fair condition and gives promise of being the best and undoubtedly the most sporting in the Laurentian Mountains. The first holes on which all the hazards are natural, lie on the hillside along the valley of the Devil's River. The Course then gradually descends to rolling country. It ends with level and well bunkered fairways which give you a chance of opening

your shoulders and swinging into the ball. The length of the nine holes is 2,700 yards.

The season was brought to a conclusion with an interesting Competition in which the following competed in the finals:

Mr. M. David (scratch) Rochester, N.Y.; Mr. Simon (15 handicap) Rochester, ester, N.Y.; Mr. Weiner (scratch) Rochester, N.Y.; Mr. Carman (scratch) Montreal; Mr. John Long (15 handicap) Montreal.

Mr. Long won the event, Mr. Weiner being second-



### The Passing of J. G. Turnbull

Prominent Manufacturer of Galt and a leading figure in Ontario Golf Circles Succumbs After Brief Illness.

S HORTLY after playing in a match this month with his team at Stratford, Mr. John G. Turnbull, President of the Waterloo Golf and Country Club, Galt, was taken seriously ill. He was brought home at once, but slowly sank into unconsciousness and quietly slept away.

Deceased who was in his 59th year was one of the best known men in On-

tario. having been prominently identified for many years with his brother, in the C. Turnbull Knitting Company which was founded by his father in 1858. He was a life - long resident of Galt, which he had seen grow from small beginnings into the beautiful, well ordered homeloving city it is to-day. He himself had done much to bring this to pass. He was essentially a community man and served his fellow citizens in the City Council, both as Reeve and Alderman. He was Chairman of the Suburban Roads Commission at the time of his death, an active mem-

ber of the Board of Trade, President of the Waterloo Golf and Country Club, a member of the Board of Managers of Central Presbyterian Church and an ex-President of the South Waterloo Automobile Association.

From early boyhood an enthusiastic follower of clean, manly sport, it was only natural perhaps that some fifteen years ago he should take up the game of golf, being largely responsible in 1907 for the formation of the Waterloo

Golf and Country Club, one of the most virile clubs to-day in Ontario. He filled in his time all the positions in the club which owed so much to his guiding hand and at the time of his passing away was rounding out a second term as President. He was a very good golfer, indeed, playing in the past many times at the head of his team. He was too a valued member of The Canadian

Seniors' Golf Association and his demise was feelingly referred to at the Annual Meeting at St. Andrews, N B, this month. He was also a very keen curl-

er.

The funeral at Galt on Thursday, September 8th witnessed an impressive outpouring of the love and esteem in which he was held by all classes of the community, Business friends, too, were present from Montreal, Toronto, Brantford, Woodstock, Stratford. Hamilton and Paris to pay the last tokens of respect to one whose worth and integrity were household words.

To the bereaved widow and the two daughters and son, the loving sympathy of friends not only in Galt but throughout Ontario, will go out, in which sentiment the Editor of the "Canadian Golfer" who knew him both on and off the links for many years, begs leave to be associated. His native city, the whole Province, is the poorer for the passing in the plenitude of his powers of John Graham Turnbull.

"After life's fitful fever he sleeps well"



The late Mr. J. G. Turnbull, President of the Waterloo Golf and Country Club.

### THE KINGDOM OF GOLF

(By W. H. Webling)

Scene: Locker Room, The Blankmore Country Club.

Time: After the Match.

"How did it go, Jim?"

"Lost on the last putt," replies Jim, evidently bursting with suppressed emotion. "I—""Too bad!" interrupts first speaker, and fearing Jim's going to lay him a conversational stymie, jumps into graphic account of how he personally had lost the first three holes, eventually winning out on the fifteenth. Pauses for breath. Jim seizes the opportunity to explain about that last fatal putt, but first speaker speedily loses interest, and dashes for the shower.

"Well, I know where all the balls go in the summer-time," quotes a pale looking young man, entering at the moment. "Lost three in the long, and two out of bounds."

"All new?"

"Nope. Three absolutely, one near, and two brunettes."

"Might be worse."

"Yep! I still retain my bag of clubs!"

Star player arrives, warm, but dignified. "Thanks, I managed to win out.
Mr. Blank, here, was rather kind to me, to-day."

"Kind be er-blowed," explodes Mr. Blank. "Had him one down the first round, then, by thunder, he starts shooting par golf, and first thing I knew we were shaking hands on the fifteenth! I told our captain he was playing me up too high! Poor judgment, I call it!" fusses Mr. Blank, as he pushes bell violently for steward.

"Has any one a cigarette?" pleads a tall, stoutish gentleman just entering. His requirements satisfied, proceeds to give lengthy discourse on the game just concluded, in which it appeared he had been fortunate enough to hold dear old Howler to a tie, after a really titanic struggle.

"Three down at the fifteenth," he proclaims oricularly, with exhaustive detail. "I drove into the bunker at the 16th, and just got out, you know. I then took my old snickersnee and laid a bird dead on the flag. Howler topped his second, ran over the green on his third and missed his putt. I holed out in four, which left him dormie two. I got the green on my drive, at the short hole, the sixteenth, you know, Howler followed suit. I was away, and I don't mind telling you, I had a long sloping



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putt to negotiate, but I slopped her down, and broke poor old Howler's heart. He missed his, which left him only one up! I hooked my drive at the home hole, cannonned off a tree, and dropped on the green! This finished poor old Howler, and the match was all square. Did the last four holes in 14. Not bad, eh what? I say, has anyone a match Thanks awfully, dear old chap."

Captain enters, beaming brightly on all. Evidently up.

"Well, how did you make out?" addressing the one who wins only once in a while, and that seldom.

"Lost!"

"Again?"

"Yes, my man was right on, played

a forty-three and a forty. I had him all even at the fifth, he—''

"Oh, well, we can't all win," interrupts the Cap, kindly, but somewhat absent-mindedly, and on hearing the suspicious popping of a cork from a secluded corner of the room, makes a graceful getaway, thereby loosing the loser's last alibi!

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# ANOTHER GOLF CLUB FOR WINNIPEG

City of Golfers Will Soon Have Its Twelfth Course in Commission.

OLF has made such rapid strides in Winnipeg in recent years that the clubs within easy reach by street cars are crowded and as many of the players cannot get out to the larger clubs in the country, a new club is being formed, to be known as the Windsor Park Golf Club.

Several business men, realizing the golf situation, obtained options on a splendid piece of ground only a few minutes' walk from the centre of the city and intend taking advantage to lay cut a fine club-house and two golf

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The land is especially adapted for a high class golf course, the small river Seine runs right across the property, the high, wide banks making a sporting element in the game which all players appreciate, the park-like appearance of the fine grown oak and elm trees along the winding tortuous stream will allow of this course being a feature in the immediate district of the city.

The 18-hole course will be 6,060 yards long, and the ladies' and beginners'

course, 1,760 yards long.

A bowling green and pavilion for followers of the less strenuous game will be built. The bowling green will be made the best in the district and suitable for the playing of championships and competitions.

Many tennis courts, to meet the requirements of this popular game, will also be made.

An attractive feature will be the large swimming pool, 80x50 ft., situated between the ladies' and gentlemen's locker rooms.

#### MISS LEITCH IS MODEST

Super-woman of Golf is Hopeful but not Confident in Reference to Her U. S. and Canadian Tour

(Golf Illustrated, London)

"When Miss Cecil Leitch, British lady golf champion, embarked on the White Star liner "Megantic" last Saturday, for a tour in Canada and the United States, she was wearing a plain navy blue costume. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Edith Leitch, and Miss Doris Chambers, the Cheshire County player. All three are to compete in the Canadian and United States championships.

Miss Cecil Leitch, when asked if she was confident, replied. "I am certainly hopeful, but confident, No!" She expects to be away about three months and whilst admitting that invitations to play exhibitions games had been showered upon her by American clubs, she had not fixed up any definite programme. It is her first trip across the Atlantic, but she does not think the change of the climate will affect her. She has no fear of American courses Miss Stirling, she said. did not find the British courses more difficult than in America, and, she added, "I think I shall

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In reply to other questions it would appear that Miss Leitch has made no special preparations. With the exception of a few duplicate clubs, her bag of clubs is the same that she always uses, and in every way she has undertaken the tour in her usual carefree manner, confident that when the time comes she will be the same iron-nerved girl that she has already proved herself.

The following correspondence has passed between Major Hutchinson, the Secretary of the Carlisle and Silloth Club, and Miss Cecil Leitch.—

Silloth, August 14, 1921

"Dear Miss Leitch,—I have been instructed by my committee to convey to you the Club's heartiest congratulations on the wonderful successes you have achieved in this and in former years. We assure you you take with you to Canada and America our very best wishes for your continued success, and the progress of your tour will be keenly followed by every member of this club.

"We hope to receive you back after a very enjoyable trip, and to show our appreciation

of your prowess to a fuller extent.

"There has been a very general request from the members that you should have received an official send-off, but the date of your departure being earlier than we anticipated, renders it impossible to fix a suitable date.

"We wish you God-speed, the best of health and the best of luck.

Yours sincerely.

W A. HUTCHISON."

"Monimail, Silloth, August 15, 1921.

"Dear Major Hutchinson,—I am in receipt of your kind letter, and must ask you to convey to the members of your committee my most grateful thanks for their congratulations and for their good wishes for success during my forthcoming tour in Canada and the States.

"Any success I may have met with is largely the result of the exceptional opportunities I had in my early golfing days of playing over a natural links under varying weather conditions. Again thanking you for your very kind letter.

Yours sincerely,

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A UGUST 15th to 19th witnessed the Annual Championships of the Saskatchewan Provincial Golf Association over the well-balanced course of the Saskatoon Golf Course, Saskatoon. There was a record number of entrants comprising 110 men and 20 ladies

The course was in splendid condition, the weather was propitious, the golf of a very high-class indeed, and altogether the Tournament was the most successful ever held in the Province. The Tournament lasted from Monday until Friday and there was never a hitch from first to last. The

following were the results:-

Open Championship— J. Walton, Calgary; Runner-up, H. A. Bruce.

Amateur Championship— H. A. Bruce, Saskatoon; Runner-up, C. P. Church.

Ladies' Championship—Mrs. A. M. Boyd, Saskatoon; Runner-up, Mrs. H. A. Bruce.

Men's Team Match, Regina Golf Club—Messrs. Runciman, Hugg, Tyrer and Weir.

Ladies' Team Match, Saskatoon Golf Club—Mrs. H. A. Bruce, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Skinner and Miss Berry.

Veterans-A. H. Gallup, Saskatoon;



Runner-up, Rev. Clarke.

Handicap, 1st Flight—T. G. Tyrer, Regina; Runner-up, W. Crozier, Saskatoon.

Handicap, 2nd Flight—T. Robinson, Saskatoon; Runner-up, G. Quincy, Melfort.

Men's 2nd Flight—G. M. Martin, Swift Current; Runner-up, N. C. Byers, Saskatoon.

Men's 3rd Flight—H. B. Adams, Regina; Runner-up, A. C. McDonald, Lemsford.

Consolation, 1st Flight—A. G. Buchan, Saskatoon; Runner-up, T. G. Tyrer, Regina.

Consolation, 2nd Flight—A. H. Gallup, Saskatoon; Runner-up, W. Adams, Saskatoon.

Mixed Foursomes—Mrs. Heaslip and J. Moore of Saskatoon.

As showing the quality of the golf played and the fine condition of greens and fairways, during the Championships the amateur record of the course was broken alike by Mr. Weir of Regina and Mr. H. A. Bruce of Saskatoon, each registering a par 72.

The Officers and Executive responsible for this exceedingly well-run

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# GOLF IN SCOTLAND IN THE MIDDLE AGES

(By Violet Henry-Anderson, Vancouver, B. C.)

To be penalized by law for prefering golf to archery was the fate of some of the early followers of the Royal and Ancient game. This was in the days when our ancestors, armed with primitive clubs and feather balls, disported themselves upon the "links" or tracts of land by the sea-shore where natural turf flourished.

Some interesting sidelights on golfing history are given in Professor James Macwinnon's recent book. "The Social and Industrial History of Scotland." Possibly the fact that this learned man was at one time a lecturer at St. Andrews University is sufficient explanation why he should touch upon the subject of golf; perhaps, in the hours when he abandoned cap and gown he also chased that clusive "white pill" over the historic links, and dreamed dreams of the days when King James played "gowf" on the same land.

He tells us that in the reign of James II., a fine was laid on the playing of football and golf, in order to encourage shooting with the bow at the parish church.—the penalty for neglect being twopence "to be given to them that come to the bowmark to drink." Evidently in those days what was one man's loss was another's gain! Imagine how quaint that must have been-to drink at the expense of those whose favourite sport was not yours! How many chuckles there must have been when the golfers were relieved of their pence and the patriotic archers "treated!" We presume that, after paying their fine, the players were permitted to resume their round.

We learn also that in 1599 A.D., at St. Andrews, to golf during the hours of worship "involved the payment of ten shillings for the first offence; twenty shillings for the second; the stool of repentance for a third; and for a fourth, deprivation of any office held by the culprit." Also that "to discover and apprehend such absentees the St. Andrews Session in 1574 direct-

ed a baillie, an elder, two deacons and two officers to perambulate the streets of the city and punish such delinquents "according to the acts of the kirk." Nor was St. Andrews the only city where such regulations were in force, for Prof. Mackinnon states they were also "adopted by the sessions of Perth, Glasgow, Aberdeen, etc."

It is evident from these facts that golf enjoyed considerable popularity in Scotland, though I know of no record of any golf club being then in existence. It was not until towards the close of the eighteenth century that the Roval and Ancient was founded. The golfer of the present day has comparative freedom, Sunday golf being commonly indulged in, and the matter of church attendance is left to his conscience and family opinion. No longer do baillies haunt the streets, or loiter at the first tee, as church bells commence to ring; no deacon or other officer emerges from the bunker, sand-dunes or "bush" to extract that fateful twopence, or to hale us before a magistrate to be relieved of ten or twenty shillings!

### AN UNPOPULAR MOVE

Mr. Browning, editor of "Golfing London," writing anent the Amateur Team World Championship it was proposed to hold in the States this month for the trophy donated by Mr. Walker, ex-President of the United States Golf Association, trenchantly sums up the situation thus:—

"To begin with, there would not be the slightest chance of our getting together a really representative team this year, and more so as the childishly elaborate conditions of the proposed tournament are not likely to commend themselves to players on this side. But the experience of the past few months has shown how little golfers care about these team encounters. In the amateur gathering at Hoylake, Britain was hope-lessly beaten in the International with America. Nobody cares a damn, because in the popular estimation the only thing that matters is the Championship itself, and that Britain triumphantly retained. Similarly in the Open. The Championship has gone to the States, and nobody regards it as the slightest consolation that the British pros had

the Americans licked to a frazzle in the International match at Gleneagles. The truth is that golf is essentially a game of individuals, and all the attempts to make a team contest of it are fore-doomed to failure. We have seen an example of this in the England vs. Scotland match which was dropped not so much because England seemed incapable of ever winning, as because players and public alike had ceased to take any interest in the affair. It seems to us that by far the most satisfactory form of International golf con sists in attacks upon one another's individual Championships, which alone appeal to the great mass of golfers on both sides of the Atlantic. '

#### LONDON and BRANTFORD

Twenty-six players from the London Hunt were defeated at Brantford this month 10½ points to 15½ points. Forty-three players from the Essex Golf and Country Club, Sandwich, visited London, September 10th, and London won 28½ points to 14½ points.

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Well-known U. S. Golfer, W. C. Fownes, Jr. Has Cancer of the Ear

CANADIAN golfers will be exceedingly sorry to hear that instead of competing as he had intended this week in the U. S. Amateur Championship at St. Louis, Mr. W. C. Fownes, Jr. of Pittsburgh is in the hospital undergoing an operation for cancer of the ear. As a result, all the Pittsburgh players have cancelled their entries at St. Louis.

Mr. Fownes is one of the best-known golfers on the continent. He won the U. S. Amateur Championship in 1910 and has numerous other events to his credit. In 1919 at Hamilton he captained the U. S. International team against Canada, but was defeated by F. G. Hoblitzell of Sarnia 2 and 1. In 1920 at Roslyn, L. I. he defeated Norman Scott of Montreal, in the States vs. Canada match. It is still fresh in the minds of every golfer how Fownes last May at Hoylake where he also captained the U. S. team, defeated "Chick" Evans in the British Championship by 1 up. Golfers in this country hope for a speedy return to health of "Captain" Fownes who has many friends in Canada.



Mr. W. C. Fownes, Jr., International Captain, who is seriously ill.

### GOLF IN BRANDON

PROGRESSIVE WESTERN CLUB IS GOING GREAT GUNS THIS SEASON.

Mr. A. J. Hatcher, Secretary of the Brandon Golf Club, writes:

We have had an excellent season this year. We have about 100 playing gentlemen and from 50 to 75 playing ladies. I am enclosing the schedule we have had for the men and I may say that it has been completed up to date without a hitch. Competition play has been very keen, indeed, and I am well pleased with the way our players have carried out the whole scheme. It was pretty ambitious for our bunch but I have kept the thing constantly before them and there has not been an idle moment.

Our pro., Jas. Pringle, has just about completed the development of the first nine holes. We have a very sporting course, indeed, and the comments of the various visitors as to the nature of the course are very gratifying to the Club in general: I feel quite sure that when we get the other nine developed we will have a course second to very few in the West.

We expect a visit from The Canoe Club, Winnipeg, for September 10th, and we had a long distance communication from Elmhurst, Winnipeg, this morning, asking for a date stating that about 35 players wished to come up. We have given them September 17th. We expect a visit from Devil's Lake, North Dakota, about the 20th. You will note that we are on the map, anyway.

Our Club Championship is in full swing now, one round having been played, and we expect very keen competition among at least eight of our players. The par of the course is a 76 and most of these fellows are playing around 80 to 84 all the time. I will let you have the results as soon as they are known.

(Note: The schedule referred to by Mr. Hatcher in the above letter is a very complete one indeed, comprising no less than 27 events from May 7th to October 15th.—Editor).

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Simcoe lady golfers won from Galt this month by a score of 7 points to 5.

Nineteen players a side, Scarboro, Toronto, defeated Oshawa, September 15th, 14 points to 5.

Work has been started this month on the course of the new club at Bala, Muskoka.

London golfers defeated Hamilton 11 points to 10 at London on September 14th. There were 21 players a side.

Weston lady golfers defeated a Lambton team last week by a score of 7 to 5.

A team of lady golfers from Mississauga visited Brantford Sept. 13th and scored a victory by 2 points.

With a 61 net ,Dr. K. Campbell won the Dobbs trophy in the handicap competition at Glen Stewart on Saturday, September 17th.

Percy Barrett, the Weston pro., this month made a 68 over his home course after taking no less than an 8 for the 17th. He had 5 "birdies."

A new club in the Montreal District is the Laurentian Golf and Country Club which is developing a course on the Grenier, St. Jeans and Durocher farms.

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pro. this month came nearly equalling George Duncan's record of 68 for the course. Out in 36 he was home for a 33, or a total of 69.

At Dellwood, Minn., September 6th, Abe Mitchell played some of the best golf of the town when he made a 65. He was out in 35 and made the return journey in 30.

Mr. W. E. Holderness, the well-known British golfer who was on the team against the United States at Hoylake, recently made the difficult Walton Heath course in 66.

Mr. J. A. Machado, a well-known member of The Royal Ottawa Golf Club and the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, is leaving this month with Mrs. Machado on a trip to China.

In an exhibition match, Sept. 8th at Kansas City, "Chick" Evans, U. S. Amateur Champion and "Bob" Mac-Donald, Metropolitan Open Champion, defeated Duncan and Mitchell 2 and 1.

A very successful Tournament was staged last week on the beautiful Willoughby Course at Georgetown, when forty pairs competed. The Georgetown course is one of the best laid-out in Ontario.

To show the enthusiasm in the game of golf in the West the greater part of the work on the new course at Wetaskiwin. Alberta. was performed by the members, of whom there are some seventy.

Fred Rickwood, the popular pro. of the Summit Golf Club, Toronto, shortly after the Open Championship at Toronto was seized with appendicitis and had to be taken to the hospital for an operation. He is now convalescing, many golfing friends will be glad to

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hear. A successful benefit was recently staged for him at the Summit Club.

Scarboro was visited by 25 golfers headed by W. J. Thompson, Sept. 7th and the home team registered a decisive win by 16 points to 5. The feature match was Thompson vs. Jones, the Scarboro champion, winning out.

Outremont, one of the oldest Montreal courses, will pass out of existence the end of this season, the insatiable builder being responsible for its extinction. Outremont is the "mother" of Kanawaki.

At Great Rock, N. Y., September 5th, Jim Barnes, U.S. Open Golf Champion, defeated "Jock" Hutchison, British Open Champion, 5 up and 4 to play, in a 36-hole match for a silver cup and a purse of \$2.000.

The Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club Course at Vancouver which has recently been lengthened and greatly improved, now has the capital length of 5,668 yards—3,198 out and 2,470 in There are five 1 shot holes eleven holes from 300 to 488 yards whilst the longest hole is 522 yards, The par of the course is 71.

A despatch from Montreal, September 1st:—

"Injured in the right eye while playing golf on the Lighthouse Point links at Metis Beach last Tuesday, Prof. Henry F. Armstrong, of the Faculty of Applied Science, McGill University, was brought to the Royal Victoria Hospital here, where an operation for the removal of the eye was performed. He was reported as doing well today.

Mr. G. Innes Mackenzie, brother of Miss Ada Mackenzie, ex-lady champion, last month put on a new record for the 9-hole course at the Canoe Club, Winnipeg—a 35.

Mr. H. M. Lambert of Montreal, General Manager of the Guardian Assurance Company, a member of The Royal Montreal and Canadian Seniors' left this month on a trip to Great Britain. Mr. Henry Joseph of The Royal Montreal and the Seniors has also left for England.

Leslie Reynolds, a caddie of the Carleton Place Golf Club, Brockville, a few days ago while searching for lost balls, saw a squirrel enter a hollow log. He investigated and discovered that the animal had secreted 41 balls in the log. Search of other hiding places in the locality resulted in the location of more than 50 balls.

A despatch from New York, Sept. 6th:—

"Annual competitions for a silver cup between the open golf champions of the United States and Great Britain will be suggested to the United States Golf Association by the Soundview Golf Club, where Jim Barnes, United States champion, yesterday defeated Jock Hutchinson, holder of the British title, by 5 and 4. Officials of the club said to-day they hoped the trophy would be made as much of a fixture in golf as the Davis Cup is in tennis.

Wm. Kidd of Shaunavon, carried off the gold medal put up by Mayor Yule in the Open Championship event of the Elmwood Golf Club's Tournament at Swift Current, Sask. For the 36 holes Kidd and Dr. R. A. Ross each turned in cards of 162. Nine holes were played to decide the tie,, which the Shaunavon man won by one stroke, Ross taking 42 and Kidd 41.

Mrs. N. Wallis won the President's Cup Competition of the Norwood Ladies' Golf Club, Winnipeg, by winning two of the three events staged, Mrs. Macksey, the runner-up, being second in the same two events. Possession of the cup was decided by the lowest net aggregate of three rounds, Mrs. Wallis having a gross of 304 and Mrs. Macksey 306.

Australia seems to have a player of really championship calibre in Mr. T. E. Howard, who won the New South Wales Championship in a most commanding manner. During the Tournament he was turning in scores every day from 72 to 74. The Governor-General, Lord Forster, was an interested spectator in the large gallery which followed the finals between Howard and Eric Pope, the Runner-up.

A very lamentable incident occurred a week or so ago at the Seniors' Tournament at Apawamis. Mr. McCurd, a prominent New Yorker, concluded his game in the Tournament and was in the highest of spirits when he left the course. On his way home he was seized with a heart attack and died. The U.S. and Canadian Seniors at the Annual Dinner at Apawamis the night after joined in a silent toast to a gallant golfer and gentleman.

In a keenly-contested match played Sept. 8th over the course of the Beaconsfield Golf Club at Pointe Claire, Miss Doris Chambers and Miss Edith Leiteh, sister of the British woman golf champion, defeated Miss Kate Robertson and Miss Mollie McBride of the home club, four up and three to play. Miss Chambers was the best performer, finishing with an approximate score of 87, 42 out and 45 in. Miss McBride was the better of the local players, finishing the course in 89.

Yorkton, Saskatchewan instituted a golf club this season which is proving a great success. Mr. D. Wedderspoon, the Secretary, writes that the enthusiasm is unbounded. In the August monthly competition held, no fewer than 47 players participated. There were several scores in the eighties which shows that Yorkton golfers are certainly making rapid progress. The success of the Royal and Ancient in Yorkton is assured.

An interesting match which will probably take place after the Canadian Ladies' Championship, over the beautiful course at Mount Bruno, Montreal, will be a four-ball encounter between Miss Cecil Leitch, Miss Alexa Stirling, Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto and Miss Kate Robertson of

Beaconsfield, Montreal. Mr. Pease, President of the Mount Bruno Club, has extended an invitaion to these golfing stars to participate in such a fixture. It will certainly draw a record gallery.

With an entry list of no less than 75 the Manitoba Ladies' Golf Championship was run off at the Winnipeg Golf Club the week of August 29th. In this large field Mrs. G. McTavish returned the best gross score, closely followed by Mrs. C. E. Winks, Mrs. K. C. Allen and Mrs. E. Coke. In the match play which followed there were many close competitions in all the flights The championship was eventually fought out between Mrs. Douglas Laird and Mrs. C. E. Winks, the former proving victorious.

A despatch from Montreal, September 14th:—

"Miss Cecil Leitch, British woman golf champion again demonstrated her ability by a fine exhibition to-day over the course of the Beaconsfield Club here, playing against the club professional, Jimmie Black, and terminated all square with him Black conceded four bisques to Miss Leitch, which she used to good effect. She finished the round out and was home in 84. Miss Leitch showed by her play to-day that she is rapidly recovering from the attack of tonsilitis contracted on the voyage over. She was particularly good from the tee and revealed sound mastery of the niblick and brassy. It is in her putting that she shows some weakness. Her approach, however, is deadly. Distance and direction were obtained and maintained throughout her play.

The sporting editor of The Winnipeg Free Press, writing of the Duncan-Mitchell match at the St. Charles Club there, September 3rd, says:—

"The match failed by comparison with that of the Canadian Amateur final. It lacked the "atmosphere," the peculiar blend of sympathy and tension, that had reacted even more strongly on the spectators than it did on the players. There was nothing nerveracking in Saturday's display. The golf was too close to the flawless to kindle sentiments other than those of sheer admiration. It was superlative golf, without glaring signs of human frailty. Best balls of 66 and 65 for the first two rounds they had ever played over the course, with record-breaking scores, indicate the quality of play uncovered by the visitors."

Mr. C. E. Creighton Hon. Secretary of the Brightwood Golf and Country

Club, Dartmouth "N. S.::-

"We expected to have been on our new nine holes before this, but the weather has been so very dry, that the new turf has not grown as expected, consequently we will likely play on the old nine holes until late in the season, possibly for the whole season. Some of the new nine however, are getting very attractive. Brightwood is having an exceedingly good season this year, more interest being taken in the game than ever before. In addition to other improvements, the house committee have been able to give much better service regarding meals than ever before. They are developing the Country Club end of it to quite an extent. The house committee entertained the Directors and the representatives of the Club who went to Amherst, at dinner, at the Club House Brightwood, as reported in the "Canadian Golfer" last month, carried off both the Amateur and Professional Championships.

The final round for the Inter-club Championship between the Humber Valley and Glen Stewart Golf Clubs was played over the Humber Valley course on Saturday, Sept. 11th. Twenty-seven players completed the round over both courses and some very creditable scores were turned in. There was a tie for first place between John Innes and J. F. Christie, both of the Humber Valley Club, who turned in scores of 152 for the 36 holes. In the play-off Innes defeated Christie and won the President's cup, donated by Mr. Ralph Connable, together with the Challenge cup given by the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, to be won three years before becoming the property of the holder. Mr. Christie won the cup for second place given by Sir John Eaton. There was also a tie for third prize between Mr. J. K. Partridge and T. H. Glen both of Glen Stewart Club the former winning in the play-off. Glen Stewart and Humber are the Public Golf Clubs of Toronto.

Without any flourish of trumpets or columns of advance press notices, "Willie" Hunter, son of Harry Hunter the Deal professional, amateur champion of Great Britain, arrived in the States and, together with T. D. Armour and our own Canadian amateur

champion, Frank Thompson, will make a British bid for the U.S. Amateur Championship honours at the St. Louis Country Club this week. Hunter, who is a trifle below the average in both weight and height (weighing not over 145 pounds) uses a three-quarter swing only, which he keeps under fine con-He rarely goes beyond a half swing with his irons. He is a very fine mashie player and a consistently good putter. In winning the Amateur last May at Holylake, he averaged around 75 round after round, and easily played the most consistent golf of the record International field assembled upon that occasion.

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A golf incident possibly without parallel is reported as happening at the course of the Kirkfield Inn at Kirkfield. Ont., recently, when a match was decided on the last green in such an unexpected manner as astonished onlookers. The occasion was the final match for a picture donated by Mrs. J. Colin Forbes, between P. McGregor of Toronto and H. Dowie, of Hamilton. They were all square going to the last hole and Mr. McGregor needed to sink a long putt to win the match. He played the ball cleverly, but it rolled around the lip of the cup and apparently missed. At this instant a large grasshopper landed squarely on the ball from a distance and the impetus of its flight caused the ball to drop into the hole and decide the match in favor of Mr. McGregor. There was a large gallery present and they were naturally thunderstruck at the unexpected occurrence.

Quebec and Grand Mere last month for the first time played for a handsome cup donated by Sir George Garneau, for annual competition between the two clubs Grand Mere won rather decisively by 54 points to 12. The cup bears this inscription: "Quebec-Grand Mere Golf Trophy, presented to the two clubs by Sir George Garneau as an emblem of the good-fellowship which unites them, August, 1921." The cup was very much admired by all those who viewed it. At the dinner which followed the match Sir George, in handing over his trophy to the Grand Mere Club expressed the hope that no small shields or other devices be placed on the trophy, which is a perpetual one, to mark the winning club, but suggested that a leather-bound book be kept with the cup in which the particulars regarding each match might be written up, and the names of the players taking part be inserted—an excellent suggestion which will be carried out.

Some very creditable scores were turned in at the annual caddie match at the Scarboro Golf and Country Club. Nineteen caddies participated in the match for which valuable prizes were provided by some of the club members. After the competition the boys were entertained in the club house, where refreshments were served. The following were the scores:—

Gross H'd'p. Net J. Littler ..... 44 10 34 R. Bronson ..... 43 6 37 L. Bambridge ..... 48 11 37 D. Ormerod ...... 52 14 38 H. Kidd ..... 48 9 39 H. Trudale ..... 50 8 42 W. Littler ..... 42 54 12 H. Bambridge ..... 58 14 44 L. Flint ..... 12 45 57 R. Ormerod ..... 62 16 46 R. Kidd ..... 56 10 46 C. Carnegie ..... 62 14 48 S. Kidd ..... 65 14 51 D. Priestman ..... 63 12 51 W. Kemp ..... 66 14 52 L. Scott ..... 65 11 54 S. Adams ..... 66 12 54 L. Everent ..... 69 14 55 D. Dix ..... 69 10 59

A team of forty players from Mississauga, Toronto, headed by Chief W. J. Thompson, visited Brantford last week and were the guests of the local club. Incidentally the braves from the banks of the Credit were defeated by the Grand River Indians to the tune

of twenty points. The new 18-hole course was played over and the visitors were loud in their praises of both club house and course, which they pronounced unexcelled in the Province.

In addition to our own Amateur Champion, the following ex-champions and champions failed to qualify at the U. S. Amateur at St. Louis this week-Dave Herron, former United States champion, 84; Harold Weber, Inverness, former Ohio champion, 84; Cameron B. Buxton, Dallas, former Philadelphia champion, 84; Sherrill Sherman, the Utica champion, 84; F. C. Newton of Brookline, captain of the Massachusetts Lesley Cup team, 85; Chris Kenny, St. Louis, former Missouri champion, 85; J. D. Standish, Jr., Lochmoor, former champion of Michigan, 85; Robert McKee, Drake University, the present Western intercollegiate champion, 86; and Reuben Bush, the New Orleans champion, 91.

Ladies of the Summit Golf Club, Toronto, competed in a field day this month, when events were on the program for both novice and senior lady players. Mrs. F. W. Biggar had the best three drives, her total of 583 yards for three drives leading the field. After the competition the players were entertained at tea by Mrs. George Wilson. The results of the contests were as follows:

Best three drives, seniors, Mrs. F. W. Biggar, 583 yards.

Best three drives, novices, Miss Hetherland.

In the senior approaching, Miss Phyllis Stephenson, Mrs. Mulholland and Mrs. Angus were tied. Mrs. Angus won the play-off.

Novice approaches—Miss Schoffeld. Longest drive—Miss Evelyn Mills, 219 yards.

Putting competition—Mrs. T. Fenwick.

Reports from Quebec are to the effect that Grand Mere has one of the best golf courses in that Province. George Duncan at any rate thinks so,

as witness the following tribute he handed out to one of the Grand Mere officials. after playing over the links last month:—

"I can't really express to you how much I liked your course here, but it was a joy to play over it. It compares favourably with any course I've seen on this continent, including some of the so-called 'millionaire courses' in the United States. You must make your six new holes keep to the same high standard. What I liked particularly were your greens; they are real greens not excelled, in my opinion, on this side."

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Owen Sound expects to have its new course in full play next season, and will probably formally open the links with an invitation tournament.

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In writing of the Canadian tour of Duncan and Mitchell, Mr. Harold Hilton, editor of "Golf Illustrated" has this among other things to say:—

"It was interesting to note that in one of

the games Mitchell and Duncan were up against that wonderful old veteran. George Lyon, who has been termed the Johnnie Ball of Canadian golf, as he has won the amateur championship of his country on no less than eight occasions. George Lyon is now a matter of 63 years of age, but I expect that he is trying to hit the ball just as far as ever he did. If ever there was a golfer who rejoiced in his strength it is surely the most famous of all Canadian amateurs. When over there in 1912 with the late Norrie Hunter we played an exhibition game at the Lambton Country Club against George Lyon and another Canadian amateur. The old gentleman started off in great form and won the first two holes all on his own. His partner, however, was palpably nervous; he could not hit the ball fairly on the face of the club, and was a little despondent in regard to the fact. George Lyon attempted to comfort him by calling out: "Don't worry, Fritz, I can beat these two d-Englishmen on my own," and he was certainly doing it at the time he spoke, even if he could not eventually earry the contract through to the bitter end. I do not know whether the remark had any effect upon Norrie, but from that time to the end of the first round he played like one possessed, and we went in to lunch with a pocketful of holes in hand. But George Lyon is a great old sport, admired and loved by all with whom he comes in contact. He has certainly never lost a match through a natural lack of optimism."

### A LETTER FROM JOHN HENRY

In which he hands out great praise to the U. S. Professionals.

Mr. W. E. Hicks, sporting editor of the Brooklyn "Eagle" is in receipt of the following letter from J. H. Taylor, the Captain of the British Professional Golf Association and five time Open Champion:—

> Mid Surrey Golf Club, Richmond, England, July 7, 1921.

"I am moved to write you through the columns of The Broklyn Eagle to the golfers of America to express the sense of keen satisfaction that the visit of your team of professional golfers has given the golfers of these islands. And I am also right, I think, in saying that this sense has been intensified when we realize the wonderful success that they attained.

The mere fact that America paid us the great compliment of sending the team is in itself an epoch-making event, and the further fact that an American won our "open" with a fellow countryman as runner-up has demonstrated that the supremacy that we thought we held in professional golf is a myth.

Our self-complacency may have received a shock, but the jar will do a lot of good, if I

mistake not. I say this and it is but due to the winner that I say it. The golf that "Jock" Hutchison put up at St. Andrews was as great as any winner has furnished during the 28 years that I have competed. I cannot give it higher praise. And Tommy Kerrigan's performance was very little less meritorious.

Speaking on behalf of my brother professionals on this side—I am sure they will give me the mandate to do so—it has given us the greatest pleasure to meet, and to come into close personal contact with our comrades from your side, and we hope and believe that we have made friendships that will last. It is not too much to say that the visit has set up a high standard of international courtesy and good-will; and I trust I am not too sanguine when I express the hope that a return visit may be made next year by a British team to compete in your championship.

Such visits can do naught but good. They would set at defiance all the wiles of diplomacy and the errors of bungling statesmen and create in the hearts of the people a mutual love for each other and a desire that their representatives should contest, without fear or favor, rancor or jealousy, for supremacy in the realms of sport that is pure."

#### LADIES' GOLF UNION

Mrs. Leonard Murray Again Elected President of the C.L.G.U.

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—At a largely attended meeting last night of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, it was decided to hold both open and closed championships next year. The meeting was held in the Palm Room of the Chateau Laurier, and the Secretary-Treasurer's report proved very satisfactory, showing a large increase in membership. The finances are very satisfactory. The President's report of the work of the union was a resume of the details since re-organization. The presence of Miss Cecil Leitch added greatly to the interest, and she very kindly answered a number of knotty questions. The elec-

tion of officers resulted as follows:-President, Mrs. Leonard Murray, of Toronto; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Norwood of Winnipeg, Mrs. McGregor Mitchell of Halifax and Mrs. Beverly Robinson of Montreal. British Columbia and New Brunswick will be appointed later. The following is the Executive: Mrs · Hope Gibson, of Hamilton; Miss Nesbitt, Woodstock; Miss Ada Mackenzie, Toronto; Mrs. Hewitt, Brantford; Mrs. Sidney Jones, Toronto; Mrs. A. N. Mitchell, Toronto; Mrs. A. F. Rodger, Toronto; Mrs. R. K. Rowe, Hamilton; Miss Elmsley, Toronto; Mrs. Deeks, Toronto.

#### "A CORRESPONDENCE COURSE"

(Contributed)

C. Kimber of the celebrated Lingan Golf Club which is planted on the celebrated island of Cape Breton where they grow big men and soft coal, was at the Seniors' meet at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, and was rather disappointed that his team mate, Governor Jas. Burchell, didn't qualify for a place on the International team. He upbraided Governor James for his poor showing and, like a true golfer, Mr. Burchell blamed the condition of the greens. He didn't love the hard and

tricky trickles that flap and flop over the hard side hill greens at the C.P.R. links, and said he didn't have a chance to get used to the course before the match. A Sydney lady who was with the party heard the Governor make these excuses and gallantly corrected him by asserting that she had written him several letters explaining all about the course and advising him how to negotiate the greens. Our Senior friend Kimber apologized for Governor Burchell by suggesting that in that case it should be called "A Correspondence Course."

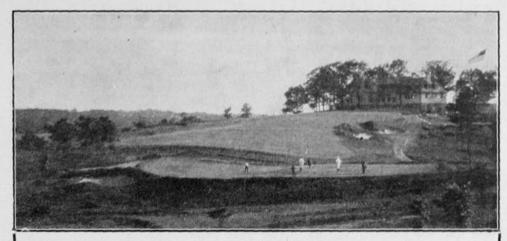
### AN EXTRAORDINARY COINCIDENCE

Winnipeg Free Press:-

Coincidence, like Scottish "thrift" (traducers call it "meanness") has formed the matrix of innumerable stories connected with the royal and ancient game of golf, but seldom has coincidence played so peculiar a part as in an actual occurrence in Winnipeg, the truth of which can be vouched for by T. K. Middlemass, president of the Manitola Golf Association. Here is the story, and as all

except the central character involved are well-known in local business and golf circles, the fact that there is nothing fictitious in it is substantiated:

Several weeks ago the provincial police took into custody a man in whose possession was found a beautiful gold medal bearing the inscription of the Troon Merchants' Golf Club. Troon, as all golfers know, is a town situated on the west coast of Scotland, which



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is the proud owner of one of the finest courses in the country. The captive could give no satisfactory explanation as to the manner the medal came into his possession, consequently the authorities turned it over to the president of the Manitoba Golf Association, who endeavored to discover its owner. After making several inquiries, he inadvertently mentioned the fact and the circumstances to Mr. John Shaw, a member of the Winnipeg

Golf Club, and a former resident of Troon. On showing him the medal, Mr. Shaw immediately recognized it as one which he had personally donated to the Troon Merchants' Golf Club in 1902, and which was won that year by Mr. Ernest Kreger, who is also now living in Winnipeg. Mr. Shaw. therefore, had the unique experience of repeating a presentation made 19 years previously, a matter of four thousand miles distant from the scene of the original ceremony.

#### FOR THE THIRD TIME

The Britishers Duncan and Mitchell Take the Measure of Hutchison and Barnes.

New York, Sept. 21.—George Duncan and Abe Mitchell, British golf professionals, to-day defeated Jim Barnes, United States open champion, and Jock Hutchison, holder of the British title, 5 up and 4 to play in a 36-hole match over the Garden City Club course. It was the third straight victory for the British pair over their opponents, who

lost each of the previous matches by one down.

Rain fell during the match. Mitchell displayed a spectacular putting game. The individual eards for the morning and afternoon rounds in which the bye holes were played, follow:—Mitchell, 76, 74—150; Duncan, 79, 75—154: Barnes 76, 77—153; Hutchison 83, 77—160.

#### PLEASED CANADA RETAINS STYMIE

Mr. B. L. Anderson, Secretary of The Royal Canadian Golf Association, is in receipt of the following interesting letter from Mr. Henry Gullen, Secretary of The Royal and Ancient, St. Andrews, Scotland:—

"Dear Mr. Anderson,—I am in receipt of your letter of the 2nd June. The Rules of Golf Committee desire me to say that they are very pleased to learn that your Executive Committee has rescinded your Stymie Rule and has reverted to the Rule as approved by the Royal and Ancient Club.

So far as this Country is concerned, the exact position is this: The delegation from the United States Golf Association which was received by my Committee last year, pressed for the Rule which is now in operation in the United States. My Committee could not accept this Rule as they knew that the Royal and Ancient Club would not agree to it.

Our present Rule was equally unacceptable to the United States Golf Association, and accordingly the Rules of Golf Committee left the Stymie Rule as before, and gave the United States Golf Association sanction to alter it in their Country.

The exact terms of the resolution are:—
''That the Rules of Golf Committee is
prepared to sanction the introduction by
the United States Golf Association or by
the National Association of any other

Country of such legislation with regard to the stymie as suits the conditions existing in the areas under their jurisdiction.....'

I trust that this explanation will clear up any dubiety you had in the matter.

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