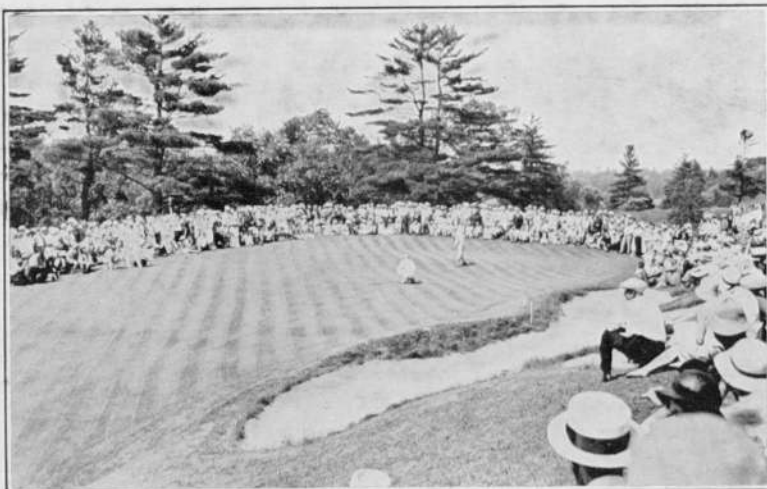


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### Municipal Golf a Very Important Factor in the Game.

The United States Golf Association has of late years taken a keen interest in municipal golf and has a special committee looking after the wants of the players on public courses. In 1922 there were less than one hundred municipally operated courses in the United States. In 1930, 191 cities and park commissioners reported a total of 291 courses with an annual total of nine-hole rounds in excess of eighteen million. Certainly a wonderful record.

Under the jurisdiction of the Public Links Section of the U.S.G.A. there are played annually:—

The Amateur Public Links Championship for the James D. Standish Cup.

The Amateur Inter-City Team Competition for the Warren G. Harding Trophy.

These competitions are held during the first week of August and are open to amateur players who are not members of nor enjoy the privileges of a private club maintaining and supporting its own golf course. The U.S.G.A. has very graciously extended the privileges of playing in these events to members of Canadian municipal courses.

Municipal courses in the States, to-day, many of them, vie with private courses in providing splendid links and club houses for their patrons. For instance, at Long Beach, Calif., the cost of operating last year was \$60,000. But as 153,000 rounds were played, the revenue was in excess of expenditure. There are a large number of these municipal courses with annual revenues

exceeding \$40,000. Then too, there are quite a number operated at as low a figure as \$3,500 to \$8,000.

There are now over a score of municipal courses in Canada and it is about time a Public Links Championship was inaugurated here too. As a matter of fact, the Western Ontario Municipal Clubs have taken action to form an association and arranged for a tournament at London July 29th. The promoters should, and no doubt will, receive the support of the civic authorities and the endorsement of the Royal Canadian Golf Association. Public links to-day are a great factor in the game, permitting tens of thousands to play golf who otherwise on account of the cost, would be denied the opportunity of doing so. Without exception these links are self supporting. In fact in many instances, they are revenue producers for the city in which they operate.

**"The Passing of Pee-Wee Golf."** As predicted by the "Canadian Golfer" last year, "pee-wee" golf has come a bad flop this season. In fact, vide reports from all parts of Canada, it has virtually disappeared, and

tens of thousands of dollars have been lost to the unfortunate owners of outfits which last year plastered every corner lot in every city and town. It was a passing craze in which millions of dollars were invested on this Continent and which made fortunes last season but which has entailed very serious losses this summer. It was rather a pretty fad and incidentally, provided much needed work for many men, girls and boys besides being quite a source of revenue to municipalities which charged quite substantial license fees. All said and done, "the passing of the pee-wee" with its attractive setting and brilliant lights is rather to be regretted. It brightened up many a hideous corner lot anyway, if it did nothing else.

**The U.S. Official Ball Has Few Friends.** It really would seem as though the United States Golf Association had made one of its very few mistakes, because it is a particularly well managed institution, when it banned this season the 1.62 ball and made the larger and lighter ball, known as the balloon ball, the official ball.

At the Canadian Open Championship this month the contestants were permitted to use either ball and the result was that with the exception of Wiffy Cox, of Brooklyn, every player used the 1.62, or the ball authorized by the Royal and Ancient and the Royal Canadian Golf Association. It was a "wash-out" for the new ball.

All the leading players when asked their opinion of the new ball stated that it was very hard to control in a wind and moreover was not so reliable on the putting green. They thought that the U.S.G.A. had been ill advised to make the change and that another season would have to change back to the 1.62 ball or a ball not so large or light as the "balloon". In several State championships, players as in Canada, are permitted to use the 1.62 ball and are eagerly grasping the opportunity to do so.

The R.C.G.A. certainly took the sensible stand when its officials decided to "hasten slowly" and watch developments carefully before making any ball changes. The balloon ball is not popular either with scratch or handicap players and there is a rapidly growing sentiment in the States for its recall—so intense that it looks as though the U.S.G.A. will be forced to recognize the growing wave of protest which is sweeping the country from Coast to Coast.

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

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The death is announced in Collingwood, Ontario, of the Rev. John O'Brien, popular parish priest. He was a very keen golfer.

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Congratulations to the world's oldest golfer and incidentally the world's richest man, who on July 8th celebrated his 92nd birthday. The programme mapped out for Mr. Rockefeller included his bit of golf, a little work with his secretary, a motor ride in the estate and a dinner in the evening. Only members of the immediate family were invited to dinner. A birthday cake was cut with all honours.

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Many golfing friends of Mr. J. Montgomery Lowndes, Toronto, a former president of the Mississauga Golf Club, and Mrs. Lowndes, will sincerely sympathize with them in the tragic death of their son, Mr. E. R. Lowndes, who broke his neck whilst diving in Preston Lake, near Aurora. Mr. Lowndes was a very prominent young Toronto business man. Much sympathy, too, will be extended the bereaved young widow.

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Word comes from Ottawa that Mrs. W. G. Fraser, three times U.S. Lady Champion and once Canadian Champion, is playing wonderfully fine golf this season. She is hitting a very long ball, indeed, and playing her approach shots and putting as well as she did in the zenith of her career. It is hoped Mrs. Fraser will be amongst the entrants next September in both the Canadian Ladies' Close and Open Championships.

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Mr. C. A. Bogert, of Toronto, is in receipt of a cable from Colonel Popham, hon. secretary of the British Seniors' Golf Association, stating that if any members of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association are in London this summer he would be very glad to arrange games for them on well known Metropolitan courses—certainly a very kindly invitation. Col. Popham's address is, care of Carlton Club, London, S.W.1., England.

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Last month at the Hamilton and District Championship 109 ladies entered for the event. The same day over in Toronto 154 took part in the Toronto Ladies' Championship, whilst at London, Ont., at the Invitation Tournament there were 55 entrants. Then in Montreal the first Quebec ladies' field day brought out 164 players. In all in these four events all held the same time 582 "ladies faire" competed. A few years ago there were not that number of women golfers in the whole of Canada.

"Fraser's International Golf Year Book" is bigger and better than ever this year. The publisher, Mr. George E. Fraser, of Montreal, is to be heartily congratulated on the 1931 edition—easily the most comprehensive and complete compendium of golf clubs, golf records and statistics published in the world. That's a pretty broad statement but not exaggerated one iota. The Canadian office is 1070 Bleury St., Montreal, U.S. Office Grand Central Terminal Building, New York City. The price of the book is \$2.50.

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In commemoration of his 40 years of continuous service with the Hamilton Bridge Company, Mr. Walter B. Champ, its president and general manager, was made the recipient of a silver cigar and silver cigarette case by the board of directors, and a silver tray from the staff. The gifts were suitably inscribed, and were presented by F. M. Ross and W. E. Phin, on behalf of the board of directors, and by R. K. Palmer, on behalf of the staff. Mr. Champ is a well known and popular member of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club.

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One of the newest clubs at Victoria, B.C., where they play golf all the year round, is the Gore Vale Golf Club. Only ten minutes from the centre of the city by tram car, this club has a particularly interesting 9-hole course of 3,442 yards, made up as follows: No. one, 504 yards; No. two, 190 yards; No. three, 310 yards; No. four, 385 yards; No. five, 375 yards; No. six, 250 yards; No. seven, 450 yards; No. eight, 490 yards; No. nine, 488 yards. The par is 37 and it takes a bit of doing. Gore Vale has all the hall-marks of a very successful club.

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Mr. H. F. Skey was last month appointed to the managership of the important branch of the Bank of Montreal at King and Yonge Streets, Toronto. The last three years he was one of the agents of the bank at New York. Previous to that he was manager at London and Winnipeg. When in London he took a particular interest in the golfing activities of the London Hunt Club, occupying all the important offices in connection with that well known Ontario club. His return to Canada will be especially welcomed in financial and golfing circles.

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And here is the latest hot-weather offering. It comes from Girard, California:—

"Whatever may be said of J. E. Priddy, a golfer, it must be admitted he is original.

"Tiring of spending upon caddies to find balls which I hook or slice," said Priddy, "and noting the numerous white butterflies flitting about the St. Andrews Golf Club grounds, where I play, I determined to make use of my knowledge as a chemist.

"You know ants, bees and the like are attracted by certain odors. I experimented until I found a formula which would draw these white butterflies, and saturated my golf balls with it. Now when I drive one into the rough I sit down and wait until they find it for me."

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Mr. Donald D. Carrick, former Canadian Amateur Champion, outstanding boxer and brilliant all-round athlete, who recently graduated with honours from the Law School of Harvard University, has again taken up his residence in Toronto and will enter for Osgoode Hall next term. He is articulated to Mr. Bicknell, of the firm of Blain, Bicknell, White and Bristo. It is understood that "Don" will take only a general interest in golf and boxing from now on which from a Canadian sporting standpoint is most regrettable. He intends to devote nearly all his time to his legal studies. It is to be sincerely hoped when he is called to the Bar at Osgoode he will decide to practise his profession in Canada and not in the United States. This country can ill afford to





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The death in Montreal this month of Mr. James Tod McCall, president of Drummond McCall & Co. Ltd., removes one of the prominent men of Canada. The Boys' Farm and Training School at Shawbridge, the Royal Victorian Order of Nurses, the Montreal General Hospital—of which he was for a number of years honorary treasurer, and at the time of his death was honorary president—benefitted considerably through his generosity. Religious and social organizations—notably the Burns and other Scottish societies—never appealed to him for help in vain. Mr. McCall was a very prominent member of both the Royal Montreal and Mount Bruno Golf Clubs.

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An interesting and interested visitor to the Canadian Professional and Canadian Open Championships this month was Mr. Peter Ferguson, of Edinburgh, Scotland, father of Davie Ferguson, the well known professional at the Weston Golf Club. Mr. Ferguson is an enthusiastic follower of the Royal and Ancient game and a first-class player, too. Although pleading guilty to being 63 years of age he recently went round the famous Braid Hills course in Edinburgh in 72. This is the course where Tommy Armour and other celebrities learned their game and Mr. Ferguson in his time has played with all of 'em. He is very pleased with the courses in Toronto and is greatly enjoying his visit here.

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Mr. Lyman Root, Toronto, for many years general manager of the Sun Fire Insurance Company, and known from Coast to Coast in Canada, recently retired from "the Sun" but last month decided to again take an active interest in the fire insurance business and in collaboration with Mr. Walter P. Thomson, the well known chartered accountant of Hamilton, has formed the firm of Thomson and Root, adjusters, with offices in the Insurance Exchange Building, Toronto St., Toronto, and Bank of Commerce Chambers, Hamilton. Mr. Root has for many years been very prominent in golfing circles in Toronto, having occupied executive offices in the Mississauga and other clubs. He is also a charter member of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association. Many golfing and other friends will join in wishing the new firm every success in their chosen field. They are both outstanding insurance men and especially well equipped as adjusters and expert advisors on all insurance matters.

## Veterans Show That Hot Weather Has No Terror for Them

WHO says that "golf is a young man's game?" On July 1st with the thermometer 100 in the shade, Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, ex-M.P., who is one of the oldest active golfers in Ontario and who is in his 76th year, took part in the field day at the Brantford Golf and Country Club and at the end of the 18-hole round over a hilly and testing course was as fresh as the proverbial daisy, and, incidentally, captured in competition with a large field of entrants, one of the nett prizes (88-18-70).

Then the following day, Mr. George S. Lyon, who only last week celebrated his 73rd birthday, also in a blistering heat which caused many fifty-year-olders to scratch their entry, went out over the long and testing Royal York course in 79, to qualify for the Ontario Amateur Championship with fifteen other players, many of them in their teens. Under the torrid heat conditions which prevailed, Mr. Lyon's feat in collecting a 79 must be put down as one of the most remarkable performances in his long and brilliant career on the links. Both Messrs. Lyon and Cockshutt are outstanding members of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association.

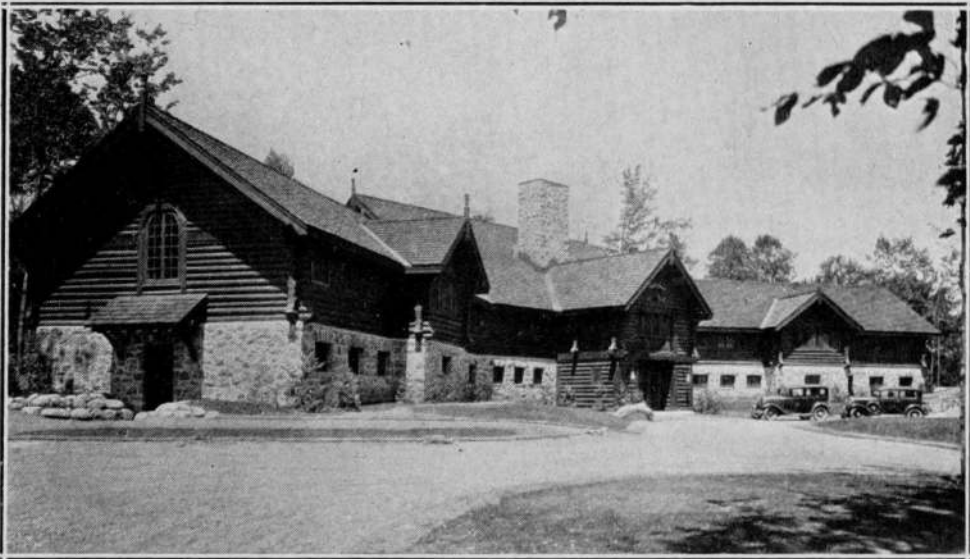
## "Lovely Lucerne-in-Quebec"

Magnificent 18-hole Course Officially Opened up in Connection with This Outstanding Playground. Pipers and Champagne Figure in a Most Unique and Interesting Opening of the Links and Log Pavilion.

(By the Editor)

**G**OLFING history was made in Canada on Saturday, July 4th, when one of the finest 18-hole courses on the Continent was formally opened at Lucerne-in-Quebec, that marvellous 80,000-acre resort in the valley of the Ottawa, sponsored by the Canadian Pacific Railway and within easy train and motor distance of Montreal and Ottawa.

Here in the years to come the Seigniory Golf Club will hold sway over one of the most picturesque and sporting links, in Canada. Mr. Stanley



The most artistic sports club house of the Seigniory Golf Club, Lucerne-in-Quebec.

Thompson, the well-known Toronto golf architect, was commissioned to build the course at an expense of some \$150,000 and he builded well. Out of a wilderness of rock and tree and shrub he carved out undulating fairways and emerald-like greens and evolved a course which already has few equals anywhere and which in a year or so when whipped into shape will be worthy to stage any championship. These links at the Laurentian foothills have a charm and character all their own in addition to providing a superb test of golf. Altogether a combination alike alluring and satisfying. From many a vantage point a superb view is had of the lordly Ottawa River, whilst magnificent trees encircle the course and add to the beauty of the surroundings. Nature certainly has been lavish in her gifts to this favoured spot—where Joseph Papineau, famous French-Canadian of a century or so ago held lordly sway in this his historic Seigneurie.

Not content with a course of championship calibre the Seigniory Club has also provided its members with a sports pavilion built of logs which is not only most artistic but is equipped with every convenience found in the most modern golf club house—charming lounge rooms, artistically furnished, wide verandahs and up-to-date locker rooms. The pavilion is built on a hill adjacent to the first tee, overlooking to the south a blue stretch of the Ottawa River and facing the pine clad slopes of the Laurentian Mountains to the North.

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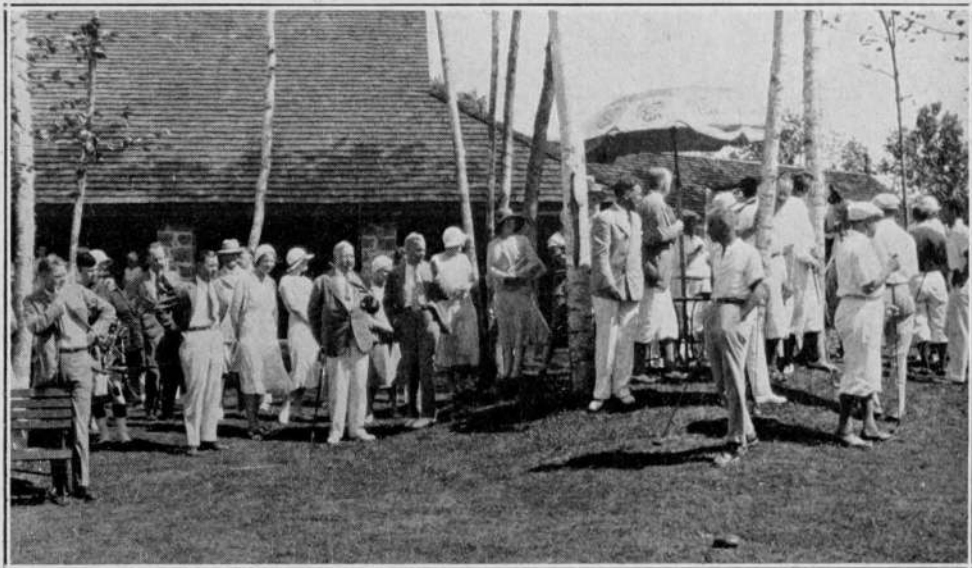
The formal opening of both the sports pavilion and the course on July 4th was quite a picturesque affair. Headed by pipers from the famous Black Watch, Montreal, officials of the club and guests from all parts of Canada and the States paraded from the beautiful log chateau to the pavilion. Here the ribbon guarding the entrance was cut by Mr. E. J. Hunt, of Montreal, vice-president of the club, who has a charming log cabin overlooking the first tee and who in a few appropriate words pronounced the building open. Short speeches followed and then Mr. Hunt, accompanied by Mr. Alan H. d'Egville, secretary of the club, sallied forth to the first tee where a particular unique ceremony was conducted. Opening up a bottle of champagne Mr. Hunt proceeded to sprinkle the tee with the wine, immediately afterwards driving the first ball and proclaiming the 18-hole course opened. That baptism of champagne was certainly a pretty "touch" to a very pretty scene and ceremony.

Quite a number of well known golfers participated in the opening tournament. The prizes were afterwards presented in the evening at the historical ball held in the old Seigneurie Manoir. R. de Serres, Jr., of Montreal, was the winner in the members class, with Colin Rankin, of Montreal, second, and J. I. Rankin, of Montreal, third. A. Chaput, of Montreal, was awarded first prize in the visitors' contest, with D. Reese, of New York, second, and Dr. E. Pope, of New York, third.

This ball, by the way, was a brilliant affair attended by some one hundred and fifty gaily garbed ladies and courtiers. Several of the costumes were quite historical and the dignified panelled ballroom on the second floor of the old Papineau mansion, the scene years ago of many a stately minuet, provided

an ideal setting for this outstanding wind-up of a most delightful and long to be remembered day.

The Seigniory golf course, carved out of the wooded Laurentian Hills, has a length of 6,275 yards, although this can be increased to over 6,500 yards for championship events. There are five sporting one-shot holes, a good balance of two-shot holes, the backbone of any well laid out course, and three superb three-shotters, No. 4, "Panorama", 480 yards; No. 7, "Azelia", 530 yards, and No. 16, "Deer Glade", 470 yards. Mr. Thompson in his layout has cleverly taken advantage of wooded ravines and gullies and has shaped his tees and



A few of the many spectators surrounding the first tee at the opening of the Seigniory Golf Club and course.

greens to harmonize with the surroundings. Brooks and boulders, too, have been used to advantage as hazards. There is not a poor hole in the whole ensemble—"the technique is perfect". The vistas opening up from many of the tees are really ravishing. From No. 4, for instance, appropriately named "Panorama", the whole of the Ottawa Valley spreads out like a fan. But from No. 4 is only one of the many of the beautiful views to be obtained of valley and river and little French-Canadian villages and pine and spruce clad slopes. The "Kodak-as-you-go" sign could be hung up all over these beautiful links which have been so planned as to give pleasurable as well as good golf—not too hard for the high handicap golfer but affording the scratch player every opportunity to produce the best that is in him.

The Seigniory Club already has a membership of one hundred and fifty. The president of the club is Mr. C. L. Burton; vice-president, Mr. E. J. Hunt; captain, Edward M. Deems; chairman of the green committee, Mr. S. Owens; secretary, and a particularly capable secretary, Mr. Alan d'Egville. Cal Taylor, a product of famous Carnoustie, is the well equipped professional, whilst Harold Marsh, formerly professional at the Burlington Golf and Country Club, is the sports director at Lucerne.

In planning your golfing outing you can make no mistake in including the Seigniory Club, in Lucerne-in-Quebec, in your itinerary, placed as it is in one of the most wonderful playgrounds in the world, with hotel facilities and

cuisinè unsurpassed, with boating, fishing, tennis and other sports by way of good measure, and a swimming pool recently opened which is the wonder of the Continent. It has been called "Lovely Lucerne" and the appellation fits, and fits well.

## London Hunt Stages Successful Ladies' Tournament

**M**RS. HECTOR COWAN, of Sarnia, won the Women's Invitation Golf Tournament played at the London Hunt and Country Club last month, when she turned in a gross score of 91 for the 18-hole competition. Mrs. George Little, of London, also had a 91, but the award was made to Mrs. Cowan, who had a better score on the first nine. The tournament was a decided success with ninety-two women golfers from all sections of Western Ontario competing.

Mrs. Russell Neilson, of Sarnia, turned in the best nett score with a 71, having a gross of 107, and a handicap of 36. Second best gross was won by Mrs. George Little, of the London Hunt and Country Club, while Mrs. Allan McLean, of the London Hunt Club, had the best gross for the first nine holes with a 47, and Mrs. E. L. Williams, of the same club, had the best gross for the second nine, with a 46.

Mrs. A. Dumoulin, of the London Hunt, had the best nett for the first nine holes with a 37, while Miss Betty Farncombe, of the same club, had the best nett for the second nine with a 36.

The two team prizes were won by the London Hunt and Country Club with Mrs. George Little, Mrs. E. L. Williams, Mrs. Emerson Nichols and Mrs. Claude Brown as members of the team winning the gross prize, while Mrs. C. Windsor, Miss Betty Farncombe, Mrs. A. McLean and Miss A. Ross were members of the team winning the nett prize.

In the driving competition, Mrs. W. A. Jenkins, of the London Hunt and Country Club, had the best aggregate drives in the silver division, with a distance of 531 yards, or an average of 177 for three drives, while Miss G. Coates, of London Hunt Club, won similar honours in the bronze division, with an aggregate distance of 509 yards, or an average of 169 yards.

Mrs. W. V. Roche, of Thames Valley golf course, won the honours for individual driving. Miss Cook, of Sarnia, was first in the putting and approaching competition, with Mrs. W. McGregor, of Essex, second, and Mrs. E. Davis, of London Hunt Club, third. Miss Anne Ross, of London, won the sealed holes prize. Weather conditions were ideal, and following the tournament the prizes were presented to the winners.

## Miss Mackenzie Stars in Cleveland Tournament

**M**ANY of the leading women players of America participated in the invitation tournament of the Kirtland Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio, last month. Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto, worthily represented Canada in the classiest kind of a field.

The newly crowned Ontario Lady Champion played very fine golf indeed to reach the semi-finals, where she met Miss Mary K. Brown, the well known expert both in tennis and golf. After a very stubborn match the Canadian ace registered a 2 and 1 verdict against Miss Brown.

In the final she met Miss Virginia Van Wie, of Chicago, who has played several times in the Canadian Ladies' Open and who was runner-up in the American Open in 1928 and has many State and other championships to her credit. Miss Virginia all through the Cleveland tournament was simply at the top of her game. She won the qualifying round with a par 77 and in her subsequent matches was par or better on two occasions.

In the morning round of the final the Chicago star recorded a 39 to be 4 up at the turn. Then Miss Mackenzie staged a wonderful comeback to win four holes in a row, starting with the 13th to fall just short of tying the match at the 18th, Miss Van Wie winning 1 up and she was rather lucky at that. Miss Mackenzie this year is playing one of the best games of her notable career and in the Canadian Open Ladies' Championship at Rosedale, Toronto, next September, has a very good chance indeed to bring the championship back to Canada—since 1926, when she won it, the title has rested with U.S. players.

Here is some interesting inside news on

## Tommy Armour's win of the British Open



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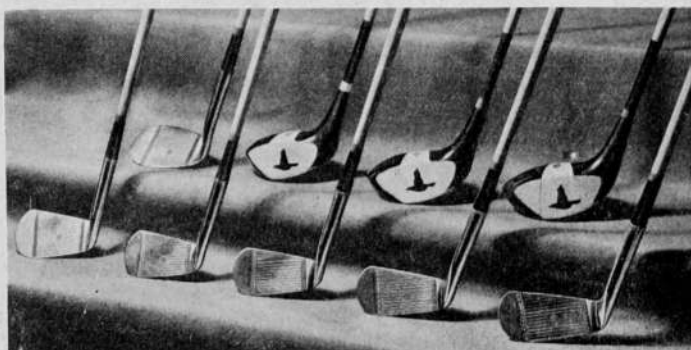
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## Kay Wins Canadian Championship

With a Record Equalling Score for Rosedale of 67 Clinches the Title. Plays First Nine Holes in the Afternoon in 30. Tom McGrath is Once Again Runner-up.

**S**INCE coming to Canada in 1923 Andy Kay, professional of the Lambton Golf and Country Club, has been very much in the spotlight. He has always figured well up in the Canadian Open and in 1925 had the honour of tying for third place with Walter Hagen. He has won the Ontario Open and many big tournaments, but until this month has never annexed a major event.



Andy Kay, who wins Canadian Professional Championship with a record score.

He was in great form, however, on July 6th at Rosedale, Toronto, when the Canadian Professional Championship was staged and delighted his many friends by winning this important fixture with the very fine score of 138. In the morning Kay carded a 71 on the difficult Rosedale layout but it was in the afternoon that he started the fireworks. Out in a dazzling 30 he came back with a 37 for a total of 67, or 5 under par. It was this wonderful 30 for the first 9 holes which won Kay the coveted championship and the honour of being acclaimed Canada's leading professional in 1931. This score of 30 is by way of being a bit of a record in a championship, although Aubrey Boomer in winning the French Open at St. Cloud in 1929 had a 29 for 9 holes finishing the 18 holes in 61. The St. Cloud course, however, is much shorter than Rosedale. The lowest score for nine holes ever made in a British championship goes to the credit of the well known Scottish amateur, C. B. Macfarlane. Playing with "Chick" Evans in the British Amateur at Sandwich in 1914 he did the first 9 holes in 31. Evans was out

in 36, or par, but found himself in the hopeless position of being 5 holes down to Macfarlane.

Kay's 67 ties the scores made by Archie Compston and MacDonald Smith in the Canadian Open at Rosedale in 1928, they both compiling this figure.

The Lambton ace did not have a walk-over by any means. Tom McGrath, unattached, who learned his game in Ireland, also had a 71 in the morning and then like Kay proceeded to burn up the course in the afternoon. Out in 33 he was home in 35 for a brilliantly collected 68 which put him just one stroke back of Kay. That sterling Ottawa pro, Ernie Wakelam, was too very much in the running with two excellent rounds of 70 and 71, for a total of 141. Another Ottawa player, young W. Smithers, assistant to Karl Keffer at the Royal Ottawa, playing very steady golf had 142. A very promising golfer is Smithers, who should be heard from in the years to come. Then on the 144 mark were those two slashing fine players, Bob Cunningham, of Mississauga,



and Jimmie Johnstone, of Rosedale. W. MacWilliams, of Thistledown, was another player to break into the sixties. He carded a 69 in the morning but had to be content with a 76 in the afternoon, which landed him in 7th place with Willie Lamb, three times the winner of the championship, and Arthur Hulbert, of Thornhill, all of whom had 145. Other good cards were turned in by A. Murray, Beaconsfield, 146; Geo. Cumming, Toronto Golf, 148; G. Brydson, Willowdale, 148; R. Borthwick, Toronto Golf, 148; Jock Brown, Summerlea, 149; Bert Tew, Lake Shore, 149; R. H. Green, Kingston, 149; D. Spittal, St. Andrews, 150; W. Spittal, Oakdale, 151; D. Ferguson, Weston, 151; A. McPherson, Marlborough, 152; F. Hunt, Brantford, 152; G. Elder, Hudson Ht's, 153; N. Thompson, Hamilton, 153; L. Robson, Islington, 153; R. Burns, Hampstead, 154; D. Russell, Woodstock, 154; J. Huot, Kent, Que., 154; D. Hutchinson, Humber Valley, 154; F. E. Lock, Burlington, 155; L. Cumming, Toronto Ladies, 155; R. Batley, Galt, 155.

The cards of Kay, McGrath and Wakelam:—

Par—

Out .....454 343 454—36  
In .....445 354 344—36—72

Andy Kay—

Out .....454 353 454—37  
In .....345 444 334—34—71  
Out .....443 333 343—30  
In .....444 455 344—37—67—138

Tom McGrath—

Out .....454 334 453—35  
In .....445 344 354—36—71  
Out .....334 443 453—33  
In .....354 445 344—36—69—139

E. Wakelam—

Out .....444 444 344—35  
In .....444 354 354—36—71  
Out .....444 342 463—34  
In .....445 354 344—36—70—141



Tom McGrath, who for second year in succession is runner-up for the Canadian Professional Championship.

McGrath was also runner-up last year for the championship at Burlington. Coming back with a record second round of 67 he just missed nosing out Lamb by one stroke, so history repeated itself in his case this month at Rosedale. A great finisher is McGrath. Rather hard luck to twice miss the championship by one stroke, two years in succession. The winning score at Burlington was 141. At Rosedale this year the golf was certainly of a much higher class than last year. Canadian professionals are steadily improving their game. The scores at Rosedale demonstrated that.

Altogether a particularly well run and interesting championship with thrills aplenty in the afternoon. The officials of the C.P.G.A. are to be heartily congratulated on such a successful and well run event, whilst Rosedale and its beautiful course came in for all kinds of well deserved praise. There was a good gallery in attendance which greatly enjoyed the play of the leaders.

## Quebec's Charming New Club House

Formally Opened Last Month With a Reception and Dance. Ancient Capital Has Now One of the Most Complete Club Houses and Courses in Canada.

THE charming new club house of the historical Quebec Golf Club, second oldest in America, was formally opened with befitting ceremonies on June 24th. Among the four hundred distinguished guests and members present were His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec and Mrs. Carroll, accompanied by Colonel D. B. Papineau, A.D.C., and Colonel J. D. Brosseau, A.D.C., the Prime Minister of the Province, Hon. L. A. Taschereau, and Mrs. Taschereau.

Mr. Leo T. des Rivieres, president of the Club, and Mrs. des Rivieres, Mr. A. R. M. Boulton, vice-president, and Mrs. Boulton, and Mrs. W. M. Dobell, president of the ladies' branch, welcomed the numerous guests. Tea was served in the dining room with Mrs. Rene Turcot, vice-president of the ladies' branch, Mrs. J. T. Donohue, Mrs. A. A. MacDiarmid, Mrs. Frank Carrel, Mrs. H. E. Huestis, Mrs. Harry Price, Mrs. J. V. Perrin, and Mrs. J. D. R. Tessier presiding. A special table was reserved for His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Carroll and the Prime Minister and Mrs. Taschereau, who had tea with Mr. and Mrs. des Rivieres, Mr. and Mrs. Boulton, Mrs. Dobell and Hon. W. G. Power, former president of the club, and Mrs. Power.

Following the reception, a buffet supper and dance were held, the committee in charge being Mrs. John M. Sheehy, Mrs. A. A. MacDiarmid, Miss Ida Donohue, Col. Cortlandt Fages, Mr. Placide Morency and Mr. Charles Lindsay.

The new club house was designed by Perry and Luke, architects, of Montreal, and Lacroix and Drouin, of Quebec, these firms acting in conjunction with a special committee of club members consisting of Sir George Garneau, T. L. des Rivieres, A. R. M. Boulton, C. E. A. Boswell and A. A. MacDiarmid, the last being chairman of the building and largely responsible for the success of the project.

The building is a Colonial type of architecture, one hundred and fifty feet long by fifty feet wide; and consists of three stories, of concrete and frame construction. Entered by a wide stairway, the appearance of the building is enhanced by the old-fashioned appearance, contributed by the large eaves over the top storey windows.

On the ground floor are located the men's locker room, having accommodation for 275 lockers; as well as showers and wash rooms. Conveniently close to it is a men's card room, seventeen feet wide and twenty-two feet long, with fireplace and loggia sixteen feet square.

On this floor are also the living-quarters for the caretaker, servants' rooms, room for grocery storage, and a furnace room of entirely fireproof construction.

The main entrance hall is on the second floor, which also includes the secretary and cashiers' offices, a dining-room which can accommodate sixty people, tap room, kitchen, and the lounge, seventy-six feet wide by forty-five feet long. The lounge has a wide open fireplace and is surrounded by a verandah sixteen feet wide and over a hundred feet long. As a result, the members will be able to enjoy the utmost possible comfort when it is either too hot or too wet to play.

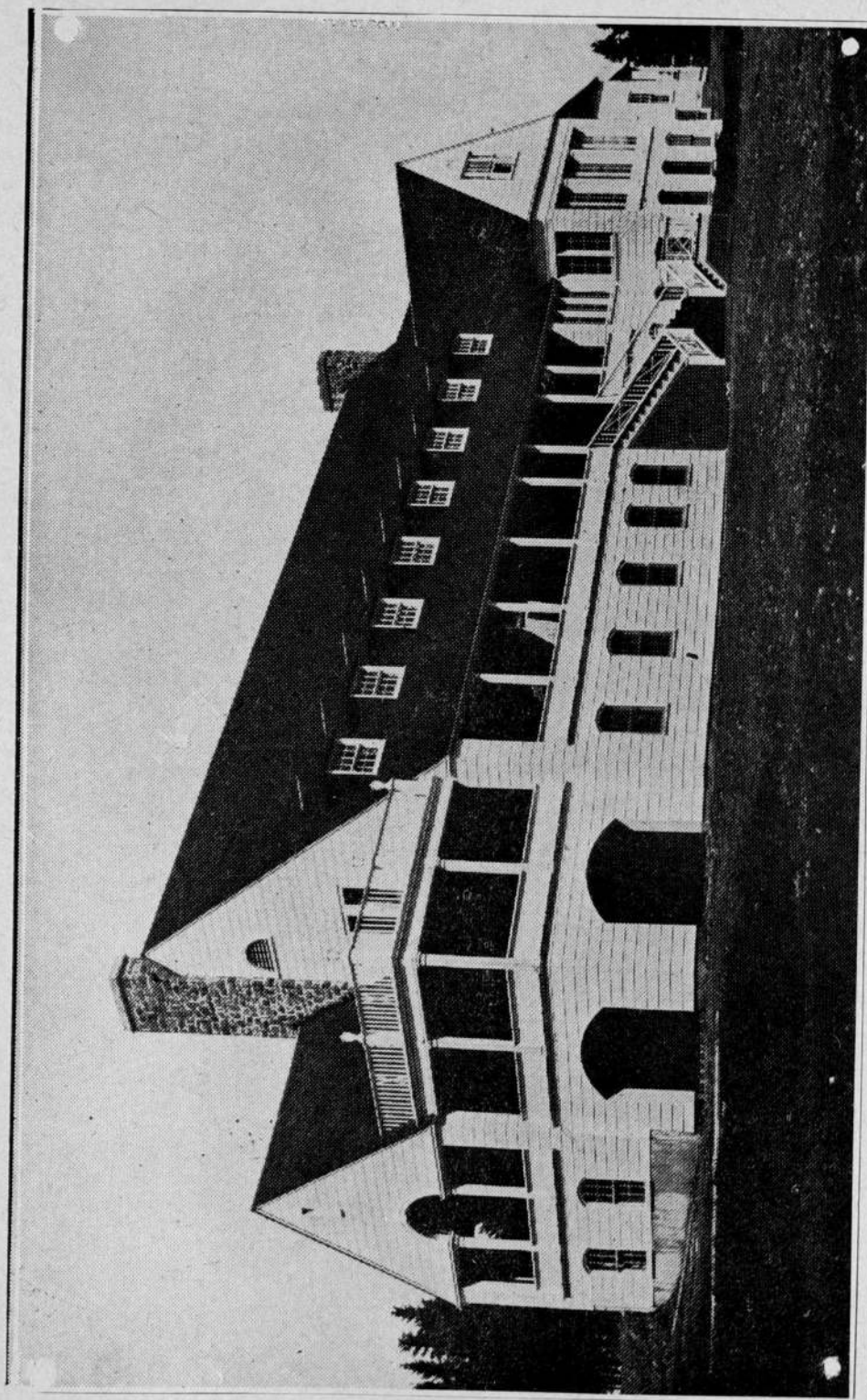
On the third or top floor of the building are located the members' bedrooms.

The quarters of the lady members of the club are also located on this floor. These consist of a locker room with accommodation for one hundred lockers, shower and wash rooms, and spacious rest and card rooms.

Adjoining the locker room is a ladies' verandah located over the main verandah, and this commands an unusually attractive view of the entire golf course.

The club is heated with a forced warm-air system of most modern design and is capable of warming the building in a few minutes up to a comfortable temperature at any time during the golf-playing season. It is also designed so that it may be used as a ventilating system for the locker rooms during periods of excessively warm weather. With these desirable features it provides a most suitable system for the club and the capital cost and maintenance are much less than for a steam or hot-water heating equipment.

There has been located, adjacent to the club house, a large water storage tank having 15,000 gallons capacity. This is set on a tower 75 feet high, which provides excellent water pressure through the entire club, together with a satisfactory protection in case of fire.



The new club house of the Quebec Golf Club, the second oldest club in America, formally opened last month. The building is of the Colonial type of architecture and is replete with every modern convenience. The interior decorations are particularly attractive.

The finished exterior colours of the building are green and white, which blend in a pleasing manner with the surrounding scenery.

The entire club house has been most attractively and suitably decorated under the direction of Miss E. M. Shuter, interior decorator, Montreal.

The Quebec Golf Club received its charter in 1874 with the late Mr. James Stevenson as president. The first course was on the Cove Fields, but it may be of interest to note that golf was played in Quebec in the early sixties by officers of the garrison stationed in the city. Beginning with a few holes, the club gradually expanded until

some years ago it moved to Montmorency, the links now being used by Kent Golf Club, and moved a few years ago to its present situation at Boischatel, where a very fine 18-hole course has recently been whipped into championship condition.

The Editor of the "Canadian Golfer" joins with many friends throughout the Dominion in extending hearty congratulations to Mr. des Rivieres, president of the club, his executive and members of the Quebec Golf Club on the completion of such a charming home—worthy in every way of one of the outstanding golfing organizations of Canada.

## Quebec Wins Historic Cup

Defeats the Royal Montreal for Trophy Which has Been Played for Since 1874.

ON King's Birthday at Quebec teams from the Royal Montreal Golf Club and the Quebec Golf Club, the two oldest clubs in America, competed for the Quebec Trophy, which has been played for since 1874, making it the oldest competition on the Continent.

Scoring by the Nassau system, the Quebec golfers turned in a victory by the narrow margin of 21 to 19, as follows:—

Royal Montreal	Quebec Golf Club
J. B. Mickles ..... 2	I. de S. Bosse ..... 0
J. M. Marler ..... 3	J. S. Ahern ..... 0
T. A. Arnold ..... 0	L. W. Campbell ..... 1
G. C. Marer ..... 3	A. W. Ahern ..... 0
F. M. McCrombie.. 0	H. H. Harding ..... 1

Alex. Hutchison .. 3	J. E. Boudreau ..... 0
C. R. Joyce ..... 0	J. de R. Tessier.... 3
K. G. Blackader.... 0	A. H. M. Hay ..... 3
L. G. Mickles, Jr.. 0	Carl White ..... 1
T. W. Lyman ..... 2	A. C. M. Thomson.. 0
W. W. Robinson.... 0	J. A. McManamie.. 1
W. G. Annable ..... 1	H. L. Stavelly ..... 0
E. C. Dean ..... 0	R. H. Benoit ..... 1
W. H. Wilson ..... 0	Byran Hall ..... 2
Alan Rogers ..... 1	David Rattray ..... 0
J. C. Paterson ..... 0	Maurice Samson .... 0
J. D. Baile ..... 1	Col. de R. M. Bell.. 0
L. G. Mickles, Sr.. 2	A. R. M. Boulton.. 0
E. R. W. Hebden.. 0	E. E. B. Rattray.... 1
A. D. Anderson..... 0	Frank Clark ..... 1
J. H. Birks ..... 0	J. E. Roy ..... 2
H. P. Douglas ..... 1	C. B. Bradley ..... 0
A. C. Dunlop ..... 0	Hon. Judge F. Roy 3
F. L. Wilkinson... 0	G. Power ..... 1
	19
	21

## Mr. J. H. Dowdell Again Wins Alberta Senior Championship

FOR the second year in succession Mr. J. H. Dowdell, of the Edmonton Golf and Country Club, is senior golfing champion of Alberta. A year ago Dowdell won the title in competition against the best veteran golfers of the Province at Calgary and last month he successfully defended his honours. His gross score for the 36 holes of play was 168—an 83 compiled at the Country Club the first day and an 85 carded at Mayfair on the second day. This total was eight strokes better than the runner-up, D. N. McLean, also of the Edmonton Golf and Country Club, and another pair of Edmonton golfers, J. Leslie Bell and C. L. Freeman, were tied for third place with scores of 177.

W. Ripley, of Calgary, also proved to be a "repeater" by winning the prize offered for the low nett score. A year ago Mr. Ripley finished in a tie with Dowdell for the low nett, and got the prize as the rules of the competition prohibit the low gross scorer from taking both souvenirs. Ripley carded 180

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for his two rounds, and his handicap of 40 gave him a nett total of 140. Dowdell was the runner-up.

The competition attracted the largest number of entrants since its inauguration six years ago, and was a pronounced success.

His Honour W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, honorary president of the Alberta Golf Association, and donor of the trophy emblematic of the Seniors' Championship, entertained the competitors at lunch at Mayfair at the conclusion of the tournament and presented the cup and a personal prize to Mr. Dowdell. Mr. Ripley was also the recipient of a prize as the low nett winner.

During lunch a general discussion of the conditions under which the championship is played took place, and two important resolutions were adopted. It was decided that in future all players under 55 years of age who are eligible to compete by reason of previous appearances, must make continuous annual entry, otherwise they will not be considered eligible until 55. That is, a player under 55 cannot miss a year and then enter the next.

It was also decided that in future a new system of handicapping, based on scores turned in during the seniors' competition would be effective.

George Webster, M.L.A., of Calgary, expressed the thanks of the visitors for the kindness and hospitality of the Edmonton golfers, and also paid a well-deserved tribute to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor for the interest he took in golf. Mr. Webster was appointed to take charge of the tournament when it takes place in Calgary.

H. Milton Martin, chairman of the committee in charge of staging the competition, and who had J. Leslie Bell and A. B. Donley associated with him, had all the arrangements complete, and the tourney was run off without a hitch of any kind.

## Marriage of the U. S. Lady Champion

**M**ANY Canadian friends will extend sincere congratulations and good wishes to Miss Glenna Collett on her marriage last month at Greenwich, Conn., to Mr. Edwin H. Vare, Jr., a prominent young Philadelphian. Miss Bernice Wall, prominent golfer, was maid of honour. Mrs. Vare has five times won the U.S. Ladies' Championship and twice the Canadian Ladies' Open—in 1923 and 1924. She is regarded and rightly so too, as the best woman golfer in America.

Mrs. Vare, who last month celebrated her 28th birthday, has had a brilliant career on the links. Besides winning the U.S. and Canadian Championships, 7 times in all, she has to her credit the North and South Championship at Pinehurst, 1922-23-24-27-30, Eastern Championship, 1922-23-24, French Championship 1925. She was runner-up for the British Ladies' Championship in 1929 and 1930, being defeated the former year by Miss Joyce Wethered, generally recognized as the world's greatest woman golfer, and in 1930 by Miss Diana Fishwick. The British Open is the only great woman's event that she has not annexed. She holds many course records and altogether is one of the world's outstanding woman players.

### Fair Bride Breaks Record

Despatch from Montreal, June 27th:—

"Mrs. E. H. Vare, Jr., the former Glenna Collett, left last night for Murray Bay and new fields to conquer. The outstanding United States woman golfer spent two days in Montreal on her honeymoon trip, and the two days proved long enough for her to set a record over the course of the Kanawaki Golf Club. Mrs. Vare negotiated the course in 80, three strokes over par, but better than the course has ever been covered by a woman golfer.

Mrs. Vare placed with C. C. "Happy" Fraser and Johnny Walker, two well-known local golfers, and posted a 43 going out and a 37 on the home nine. She will likely try her game against the colourful Manoir Richelieu course."

Despatch from Murray Bay, Que.:—

"Mrs. E. H. Vare, Jun., the former Glenna Collett, yesterday broke the women's mark of the Manoir Richelieu golf course, shooting 75, three under the women's par. Mrs. Vare, who is staying here on her honeymoon trip, recently broke the women's course record at Kanawaki, Montreal, with an 80."

## Youth Triumphs in Ontario Amateur

In Gruelling Final 19-year-old Phil Farley, of Toronto, Defeats 20-year-old Jack Nash, of London, Defending Champion, by 1 up. Stanley Thompson Wins Championship Beaten Eight Flight. Mr. George S. Lyon, "73 Years of Age", Qualifies with a 79.

**I**T is a good thing for the future of golf in Canada that the younger players are coming to the fore. In the British Columbia Championship a month or so ago, two players in their teens, Brynjolfson and Morrison, were in the final for the title and now this month Ontario repeated, when Phil Farley, of Toronto, and young Jack Nash, London, the defending champion, clashed in the final and Farley, who is the Junior Champion of the Province, was too much for "the older boy" by a 1 up margin. If Canada is ever really to produce an International golf champion, something she has not done up to date, it will only be via the junior route. The youngsters are in the golfing saddle this season in B.C. and Ontario and it is hoped that when their championships are played, the other Provinces will be found following suit.

The Royal York certainly provided a wonderful setting for this important Ontario amateur event, which attracts a field vieing almost with the Canadian Amateur. Here is, comparatively speaking, a new course worthy already of staging the biggest kind of a championship; a course which today ranks as one of the finest in Canada and in a year or so will not be excelled on the Continent. Its rolling fairways and superbly trapped and well placed and well kept greens are a pure delight, at the same time providing a thorough test of high-class golf.

The opening day found a record field of nearly one hundred and fifty of the leading players of the Province teeing off in this the 9th annual championship conducted by the Ontario Golf Association and considering the adverse conditions the first day, excessive heat, later on accompanied by heavy wind and torrential rain, the scoring was really quite good. The par at the Royal York is 72 but the

best the leading players could do was to get within four strokes of this figure. Jack Nash, of the London Hunt, the defending champion, carded a 76 and so did Fred Hoblitzel,



Phil Farley, of Cedar Brook Golf Club, Toronto, who now wears dual crown, Amateur Champion of Ontario and Junior Champion of Ontario. He is also Gold Medallist in Canadian Open Championship.

the Lambton ace, Nicol Thompson, Jr., playing under the colours of the Royal York, and L. Biddell, of the Lakeview Club.

The tie for the leadership set something of a precedent and ties were encountered all the way down the list. Four players, with 81's, tied for sixteenth and last place in the championship flight and in the one-hole play-off Alex McKee, of Summit, scored a four against fives by Darcy Doherty,

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of Lambton, the McGill rugby and hockey star; Doug Palmer, of the Royal York, and Fred Rea, of the Toronto Golf Club. The three losers went into the second flight and 84's had to play off for two places in this flight while the 86's had to play off for places in the third and fourth flight. Here were the sixteen qualifiers:—

	O.	I.	G.
J. B. Nash, London Hunt.....	37	39	76
F. G. Hoblitzel, Lambton.....	35	41	76
N. Thompson, Jr., Royal York....	35	41	76
L. H. Biddell, Lakeview.....	38	38	76
G. Taylor, Jr., York Downs.....	36	41	77
P. Farley, Cedar Brook.....	40	37	77
G. H. Wigle, Hamilton.....	35	43	78
R. M. Gray, Rosedale.....	39	39	78
Dr. J. A. Sullivan, Rosedale.....	40	39	79
J. G. Adams, Cedar Brook.....	40	39	79
G. S. Lyon, Lambton.....	38	41	79
Jack Cameron, Mississauga.....	41	38	79
F. Thompson, Mississauga.....	38	42	80
S. Thompson, Mississauga.....	37	43	80
A. Stollery, Rosedale.....	42	38	80
Alex .McKee, Summit.....	41	40	81
D. W. Palmer, Royal York.....	40	41	81
Darcy Doherty, Lambton.....	41	40	81

The team match was also decided during the qualifying round and this resulted in a remarkably close competition as will be seen by the following result, only six points deciding the winning team, Lambton, and the fourth team, the Royal York:—

Lambton		Rosedale	
F. G. Hoblitzel....	76	R. M. Gray .....	78
G. S. Lyon .....	79	J. A. Sullivan .....	79
Darcy Doherty .....	81	A. Stollery .....	80
Dr. G. Adams.....	82	R. Phelan .....	82

Total .....	318	Total .....	319
Mississauga		Royal York	
J. Cameron .....	79	N. Thompson .....	76
S. Thompson .....	89	D. W. Palmer .....	81
F. Thompson .....	80	W. F. Collins .....	83
M. W. Bidwell .....	83	J. Thompson .....	84

Total .....

One of the features of the day was the 79 made by the veteran Geo. S. Lyon, which let him in easily in the charmed circle of qualifiers, and also helped materially in winning the team match for Lambton.

The next two days at match play the weather conditions were much more favourable and some rattling good golf was the result. And this is what happened to the sixteen of "Ontario's best":—

First round—  
Jack Cameron, Mississauga, defeated Fred G. Hoblitzel, Lambton, 2 and 1.  
Alex McKee, Summit, defeated J. G. Adams, Cedar Brook, 3 and 2.  
Gerald Wigle, Hamilton, defeated George S. Lyon, Lambton, 3 and 1.



Jack B. Nash, London Hunt, defeated Dr. J. A. Sullivan, Rosedale, 2 up.

Len H. Biddell, Lakeview, defeated A. Stollery, Rosedale, 7 and 6.

Phil Farley, Cedar Brook, defeated Frank Thompson, Mississauga, 8 and 6.

Gordon Taylor, Jr., York Downs, defeated Stanley Thompson, Mississauga, 3 and 1.

Nicol Thompson, Jr., Royal York, defeated R. M. Gray, Rosedale, 2 and 1.

Second round—

Jack Cameron defeated Alex McKee, 5 and 3.

Jack B. Nash defeated Gerald Wigle, 6 and 5.

Phil Farley defeated Len Biddell 3 and 2.

Gordon Taylor, Jr., defeated Nicol Thompson, Jr., one up.

Semi-finals—

Jack Nash, London Hunt, defeated Jack Cameron, Mississauga, 3 and 2.

Phil Farley, Cedar Brook, defeated Gordon Taylor, Jr., York Downs, at twentieth hole.

Final—

Phil Farley defeated Jack Nash, 1 up.

It will be noticed in the first round two of the favourites, Cameron and Hoblitzel, were pitted against each other and the former husky Olympic hockey player, had slightly the better of the argument. All the other matches went pretty well per schedule, although the decisive defeat of Frank Thompson, twice Canadian Amateur Champion, who is now living in Chicago, by Phil Farley, the Ontario Junior Champion, came as a bit of a shock. The only match in the second round which was close was that between Gordon Taylor, Jr., and Nicol Thompson, Jr. The latter on his form was looked upon as a sure winner but he went out by a 1 down margin.

The semi-finals provided the thrills. Jack Nash had more or less the edge of Cameron on the incoming nine but the duel between Farley and Taylor was a hammer-and-tongs encounter which lasted until the 20th hole until the brilliant young Cedar Brooker, Farley, thrust the York Downs representative, Taylor, into the discard.

The final between the 19-year-old Farley and the 20-year-old Nash was a worthy wind-up to possibly the best championship ever staged by the Ontario Golf Association. Neither of the youthful but brilliant contestants were ever more than one hole to the good and it was not until the 18th green that Farley was acclaimed the winner by the narrowest margin possible—1 up. His victory over the defending champion was all the more impressive considering the gruelling struggle he had in the morning with Taylor. Farley is the first player ever to hold both the Junior and Ontario Amateur Championships. The "Canadian Golfer" stated last year that he had all the championship hall-marks. He demonstrated



Jack Nash, London Hunt, runner-up in Ontario Amateur Championship.

conclusively that he has at the Royal York this month. He well deserved the hearty congratulations showered upon him. He played the pluckiest kind of a game throughout three trying days and his superior brand of golf well deserved titular honours.

The results in the other flights were as follows:—

Championship beaten eights, semi-final—Fred G. Hoblitzel, Lambton, defeated George S. Lyon, Lambton, 3 and 2. Stanley Thompson, Mississauga, defeated A. Stollery, Rosedale, 4 and 3. Final—Stanley Thompson defeated Fred G. Hoblitzel, 2 and 1.

First Flight—

Semi-finals—J. M. Burns, Lookout Point, defeated M. W. Bidwell, Mississauga, 3 and 2. D. W. Palmer, Royal York, defeated Dr. G. A. Adams, Lambton, 5 and 4. Final—D. W. Palmer defeated J. M. Burns, 1 up.

Second Flight—

Semi-finals—Gordon B. Wurts, Thistle-down, defeated J. Heslop, Lookout Point, 3 and 2. P. Faulkner, Belleville, defeated Dudley Dewart, Royal York, 3 and 2. Final—P. Faulkner defeated Gordon Wurts, 1 up.

Mr. Stanley Thompson, unfortunately,

plays very little competitive golf now-a-days but that he is still very much "in the ring" was demonstrated by his defeat of Hoblitzel in the championship beaten eights. A really great golfer is Stanley if he only had time from his golf architectural duties to play more—possibly the best of all the celebrated Thompson family. P. Faulkner, of Belleville, was the only player outside of Toronto to register a victory during the tournament, he winning the second flight.

The four players who tied in the qualifying round, Messrs. Nash, Hoblitzel, N. Thompson, Jr., and L. H. Biddell, decided not to play off and break the tie.

Mr. L. M. Wood, president of the O.G.A., and his officials came in for all kinds of praise and deservedly so, too, for the smooth running off of this notable championship which will go down in Provincial golfing history as "the Triumph of Youth".

## British Lady Champion Will Play in Canada and The States

IT will be exceedingly good news for Canadian golfers to hear that Miss Enid Wilson, the recent winner of the British Ladies' Open Championship and generally conceded to be a worthy successor to the famous Miss Joyce Wethered, will participate in the Canadian Ladies' Open Championship at Rosedale, Toronto. Miss Enid has just attained her majority and in honour of her notable victory in the British Open, her father, Dr. Wilson, who holds a Ministry of Health appointment in Manchester, has decided to give her a trip to America, next September, to enable her to participate in the United States Championship at Buffalo the week of September 21st and the Canadian Championship at Toronto the week of September the 28th.

Miss Wilson will unquestionably be the stellar attraction at both these outstanding championships. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Porter, of Wentworth, a very well known player. Miss Wilson is also the holder of the English Close Championship.

Tom Williamson, the Notts professional, also benefits by Dr. Williams delight in his daughter's victory in the Open. He has coached Miss Wilson for several years and the Doctor has recently presented him with a cheque for £100 in recognition of his services.

Note—Since the above was in type Mrs. Rowe, hon. secretary of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, has officially received Miss Wilson's entry.

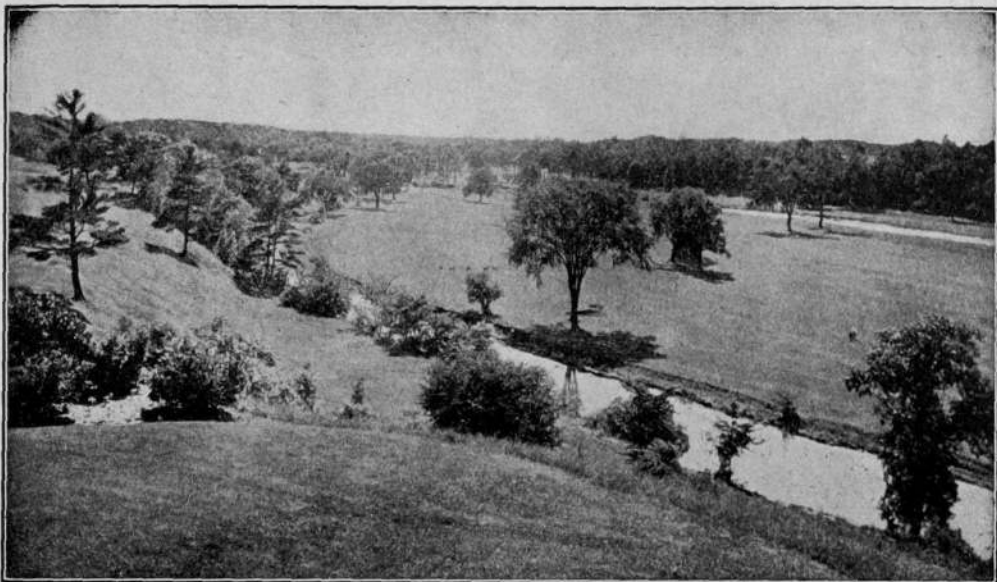
## Dates for Agua Caliente Tournament

**A**GUA CALIENTE, Baja California, Mexico, July 15th.—The third annual Agua Caliente "Open" golf tournament will be held next January 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15th, at the Agua Caliente Golf and Country Club, here. Announcement of the dates was made to-day by Wirt G. Bowman, president of the club.

The first day, Monday, January 11th, will be given over to the qualifying round of thirty-six holes, with the tournament, proper, to be held the following four days, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The purse will be \$15,000, of which \$7,500 will go to the winner. Details of the complete prize distribution will be announced later.

As in past tournaments, the leading golfers of the year will be exempt from qualifying. Those to be exempted will be the first thirty to finish in the United States "Open" Championship, held at Todolo, Ohio, recently, the thirty-two qualifiers in the 1931 championship of the Professional Golfers' Association, and all prize winners of the 1931 Agua Caliente Open. This latter group includes twenty-nine professionals and several amateurs. Following the custom in the past two tournaments, the field will be limited to about one hundred contestants.

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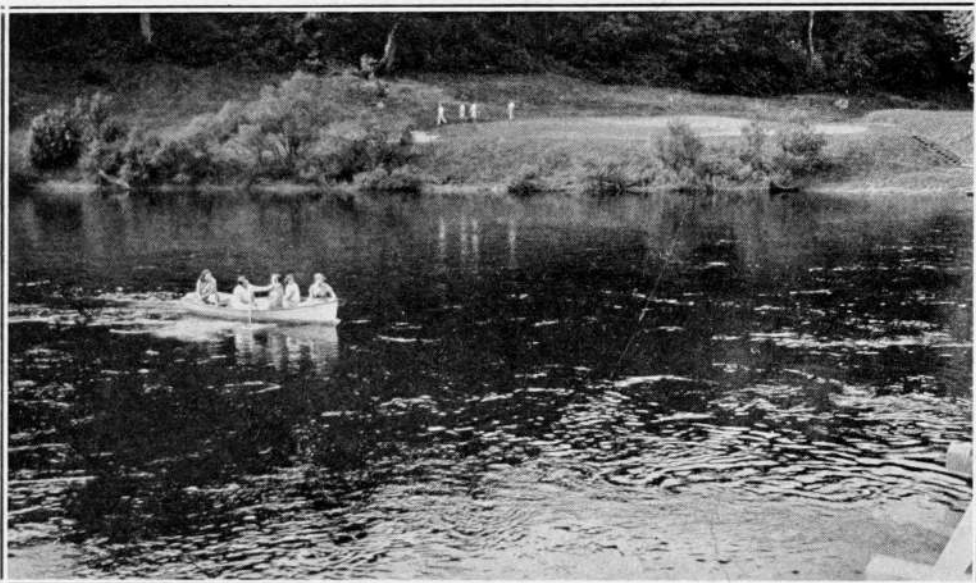
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and furnishes the climax of the winter golf tournament programme on the Pacific Coast.

Gene Sarazen, professional of the Fresh Meadows Country Club, Long Island, won the first "Open", held January 20-23, 1930. Sarazen set a course record of sixty-eight, three under par, in the final round. Horton Smith, New York professional, and Al Espinosa, Chicago, tied for second.

The second tournament, held last January, developed a great struggle for first money. John Golden, Connecticut professional, and George Von Elm, former national amateur champion, but now a professional, tied for low. They split the prize money, but played off for the medal, Golden winning.



The beautiful Binnekill river hole at the Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee, Pa. Carry over the water is 136 yards and is regarded as one of the greatest mental hazards in golf. A player once holed out in 52 shots dumping twenty balls in the water. The Annual Invitation Tournament for the famous Buck Wood Trophy will be held at Shawnee July 30-31-August 1, 1931.

## The Saskatchewan Seniors' Tournament

**S**IGNALIZING his first appearance in a veterans' meet since he attained "the age of discretion", H. S. McClung, of the Regina Golf Club, the youngest of 16 sportsmen participating in the fifth annual Saskatchewan Seniors' golf tournament July 3rd, wrested the championship away from Brig-General G. S. Tuxford, of Moose Jaw, who had held it for three out of the last four years. The younger Regina man brought the final match to a halt on the 15th green when he became four up with three holes to go.

To reach the concluding bracket, Mr. McClung defeated J. Kelso Hunter, Regina, in the morning, while the General won from Judge McKay, also of the local club.

Mr. McClung also won two dozen golf balls as a reward for turning in the lowest nett score and the lowest gross score during the two-day meet.

As compensation for his elimination at the Moose Jaw warriors' hands in the opening round of the championship, John W. Harrison, Regina, carried off premier honours of the handicap competition. In the final he was pitted against Judge Brown, a club mate, whom he conquered on the 18th green after a great finish.

The Regina Club made a grand slam of the three main events when A. C. Fromm defeated E. W. Miller, Fort Qu'Appelle veteran, in the consolation final. Judge MacDonald, Regina, and A. W. Irwin, Moose Jaw, won the president's prize, a special contest.

Although cloudy weather prevailed, conditions were good for golf, and the annual tournament was brought to a successful close late in the afternoon when the annual dinner

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and meeting of the Saskatchewan Seniors' Golf Association was held in the club house.

J. Kelso Hunter, formerly honorary secretary-treasurer of the association, was the popular choice for president for the next 12 months, when the election of officers took place. Thos. Miller, of Moose Jaw, was named vice-president, and T. H. Webb, of Moose Jaw, was elected honorary secretary-treasurer. Sir Frederick Haultain, Regina, will continue to be honorary president, while the following five members were elected to the board of governors for two years: Brig.-Gen. G. S. Tuxford, Moose Jaw; A. W. Irwin, Moose Jaw; Dr. G. P. Bawden, Moose Jaw; E. W. Miller, Fort Qu'Appelle, and Jas. Balfour, Regina.

It was decided to stage the 1932 tourney in Moose Jaw.

During the function, Sir Frederick Haultain presented the prizes as follows:—Mr. McClung, cup and miniature, also two dozen golf balls donated by Dunlop Company for lowest gross and nett score; Brig.-Gen. Tuxford, dozen golf balls; Mr. Harrison, golf bag; Judge Brown, half-dozen golf balls; Mr. Froom, golf bag; Mr. Miller, half-dozen golf balls; Judge MacDonald and Mr. Irwin, half-dozen golf balls each.

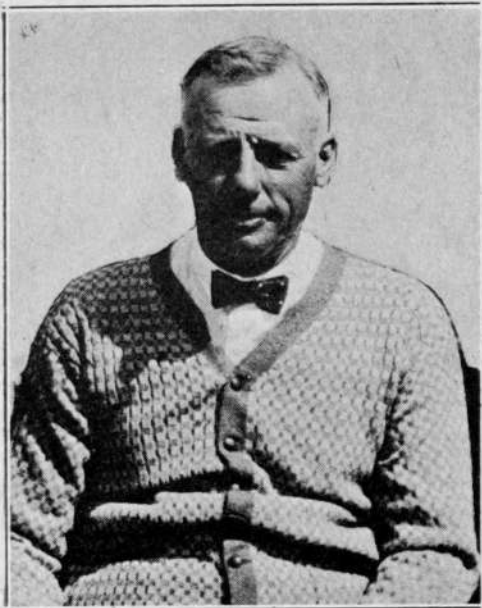
Championship event, semi-finals—General Tuxford, Moose Jaw, defeated Judge McKay, Regina; H. S. McClung, Regina, defeated J. Kelso Hunter, Regina. Final—H. S. McClung, Regina, defeated General Tuxford, Moose Jaw, 4 and 3.

Handicap event, semi-finals—Judge Brown, Regina, defeated D. D. Smith, Regina; J. W. Harrison, Regina, defeated Judge MacDonald, Regina. Final—J. W. Harrison, Regina, defeated Judge Brown, Regina, one up.

Consolation Event—A. C. Froom, Regina, defeated J. E. Parrott, Wascana; A. E. Risk, Regina, defeated A. W. Irwin, Moose Jaw; H. H. Kollman, Wascana, won from Jas. Balfour, Regina; E. W. Miller, Fort Qu'Appelle, won from O. W. Andreasen, Regina. Semi-finals—E. W. Miller, Fort Qu'Appelle, defeated H. H. Kollman, Wascana; A. C. Froom, Regina, defeated A. E. Risk, Regina. Final—A. C. Froom, Regina, defeated E. W. Miller, Fort Qu'Appelle.

President's prize event—Judge MacDonald and A. W. Irwin defeated J. E. Parrott and D. D. Smith by three strokes. (Four ball match, handicap, for golfers eliminated from other events.)

## Seniors' Northwest Golf Association 9th Annual Tournament



Mr. J. A. Byerly, Portland, Oregon, champion of the Northwest Seniors.

THE interesting programme of the Ninth Annual Tournament of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association has just been received. The event will be held on the Oak Bay Links of the Victoria Golf Club, August 11th-14th. There will be interesting competitions for players in Class "A", "B", "C" and "D", besides foursomes and bogey competitions and putting.

On Friday, the 14th, in the afternoon there will be the International match for the Nichol Cup, 18 holes, American members vs. Canadian members. Teams to consist of 15 players. Also an All America vs. All Canada match between teams of unlimited numbers. Four-ball matches, best ball. In the evening the annual dinner will be held at the Union Club.

This tournament brings out a big field of prominent Seniors from Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Ore-

gon, and Tacoma. The tournament committee is composed of Hon. G. H. Barnard, Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club; C. F. Swigert, Waverley Country Club; L. G. Pattullo, Seattle Golf Club; Judge P. S. Lampman, Victoria Golf Club; W. E. Burns, Jericho Country Club.

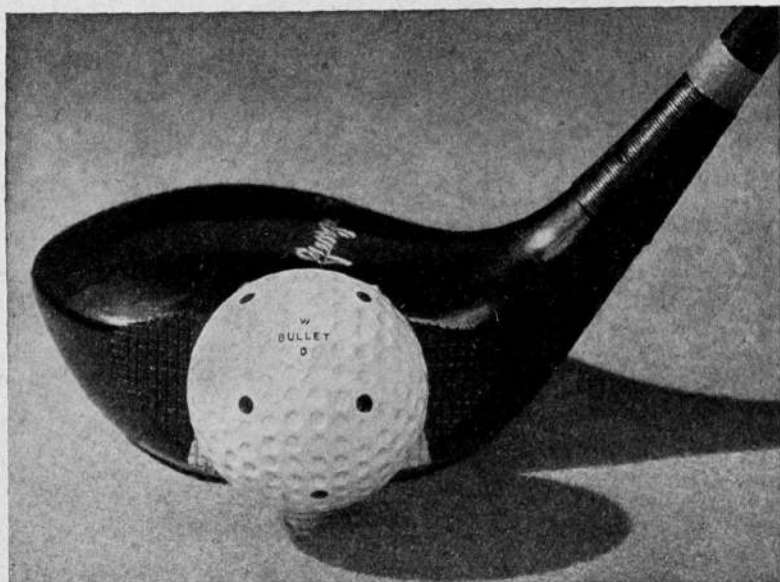
The present holder of the Grand Championship is Mr. J. A. Byerly, of Portland, Oregon, who will be on hand to defend his title next month on the sea-wind swept course at Oak Bay. He succeeded Mr. J. E. Wilson, well known golfer of Victoria, who won the Championship in 1928 and 1929, and will again be a dangerous contender this year. These Senior Championships participated in by a large number of U.S. golfers are always held in Victoria. There is a reason—

## Sherbrooke, Que., Stages a Fine Event

MR. GORDON B. TAYLOR, brilliant young Kanawaki golfer, Montreal, captured final honours in the handicap competition of the Province of Quebec Golf Association, held over the course of the Sherbrooke Country Club last month. Before emerging from a field of 40 as the final winner, Taylor was forced to defeat two fellow-townsmen in a three-hole play-off which followed the posting of three record-equalling scores by himself, Carroll Stuart, and R. Costello, of Marlborough. All three toured the fine Sherbrooke course in 78 strokes.

The handicap play ended a full day of golf, a sweep being held in the morning before the competition proper. Montreal golfers captured the major honours in the afternoon event, although Sherbrooke players were successful in carrying off most of the sweep prizes. All in all, it was voted an outstanding competitive day when players gathered for the presentation of prizes. President Murphy, of the Sherbrooke Country Club, presented the prizes and welcomed the visitors to the club. R. J. R. Stokes, chairman of the P.Q.G.A. handicap committee, responded to the president's remarks, pointing out the excellent condition of the course and its championship possibilities. Mr. Stokes intimated

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that the Sherbrooke course would be given very serious consideration by the P.Q.G.A. executive as the venue for an important event, and he stated that should the Sherbrooke Club apply for an event, it would probably be the scene of next season's spring or fall Open and Amateur tournaments. The arrangements were enthusiastically referred to by competitors and the course proved both attractive and difficult.

The leaders in the medal play follow: G. B. Taylor, Kanawaki, 40-38-78; R. Costello, Marlborough, 36-42-78; Carroll Stuart, Marlborough, 39-39-78; J. Archambault, Laval, 41-39-80; P. St. Germain, Laval, 42-38-80; R. M. Mickles, Royal Montreal, 39-42-81; J. B. Travers, Granby, 41-41-82; J. R. Colby, Royal Montreal, 40-42-82.

## Mrs. D. T. Croal, Kitchener, Wins Burlington Tournament

THE annual ladies' field day at the Burlington Golf and Country Club was a distinct success, with an entry of about one hundred golfers from Hamilton and District. Mrs. Croal, of Kitchener, led the silver division with a low gross of 92. Mrs. Charles Anderson, of Burlington, won the low nett in the silver division with 79, and the Burlington team of Mrs. Charles Anderson, Mrs. H. W. Sutton, Mrs. W. H. Montague, and Mrs. H. Morwick won the team prize.

The prize list—Low gross, silver division, Mrs. Croal, Kitchener, 92. Low gross, bronze division, Mrs. A. Donald, Burlington, 102. Miss Thornton, Woodstock, 102. Low nett, silver division, Mrs. Charles Anderson, Burlington, 79. Low nett, bronze division, Mrs. G. W. Drope, Burlington, 69. Putting, 18 holes, Mrs. Morwick, Burlington, 35 (first); Miss W. Robinson, St. Catharines, 35 (second), and Miss Dorothy Rice, Burlington, 36 (second). Longest drive, silver division, Mrs. Croal, Kitchener, 170 yards. Best aggregate (3), silver division, Miss W. Robinson, 571 yards. Longest drive, bronze division, Miss Piere, Kitchener, 185 yards. Best aggregate (3), bronze division, Mrs. Drope, Burlington, 488 yards. Approaching and putting, 1, Mrs. Jones, St. Catharines; 2, Miss Thornton, Woodstock. Obstacle golf, Miss Dorothy Rice, Burlington. Prize for best team was won by Burlington, Mrs. Charles Anderson, Mrs. H. W. Sutton, Mrs. W. H. Montague, and Mrs. H. Morwick. Afternoon tea was served to 125 ladies at the close of the day's activities, the tables being presided over by Miss Isobel Hooper and Mrs. Fred W. Paulin. Prizes were presented by Mrs. Paulin.

## Results at Manoir Richelieu Tournament

MURRAY BAY, July 10.—A Montrealer succeeded an American golfer as winner of the second annual invitation women's tournament on the Manoir Richelieu Golf Club course to-day, when Miss Sybil Kennedy, of Royal Montreal Golf Club, took the low gross honours with a score of 94 for the 18 holes. Right behind Miss Kennedy was her sister, Mrs. D. Wanklyn, also of Royal Montreal, who had a card of 97. Miss Madeleine Nicoll, of Beaconsfield, was third prize winner with a 102.

Miss Anita McCarthy, of Marlborough, Montreal, was the next prize winner, her score being 78. Mrs. R. C. Ronalds, of Beaconsfield, took the second nett award with an 82, while third prize went to Mrs. E. H. Rainville, of Laval-sur-le-Lac, whose nett was 85.

### Jack Cameron Wins Men's Event

Murray Bay, Que., July 12.—J. A. Cameron, now a member of Laval-sur-le-Lac Golf Club at Montreal, and formerly of Ottawa, yesterday toured the golf course here in rounds of 82 and 77, to succeed Hugh B. Jaques, of Whitlock, as winner of the fourth annual invitation tournament. Cameron's score of 159 for thirty-six holes was two strokes better than those of H. Bancroft, New York, and J. Watson Yuile, Royal Montreal, left hander, who tied for second position in a field of over sixty players.

Yuile appeared to have victory well in hand, approaching the eighteenth tee in the second round. He lost two balls from the tee, however, and had to play five before moving the tee, eventually sinking his ball for a nine, whereas Cameron had the regulation four.

F. G. Hoblitzel, noted Toronto tournament player, took two rounds of 83 each to finish in eighth place. A. L. Code, of Ottawa, took 94-86-180 for nineteenth place, and N. Kingsmill, Toronto was twentieth with 85-96-182.



## Bobby Jones Joins Spalding as "Living Laboratory" of Golf

**B**OBBY JONES, winner of the four major golfing titles of 1930, who announced his retirement from competitive golf last November 18th, and who has since been engaged in the production of instructional motion pictures, has become a member of the firm of A. G. Spalding & Bros. it was announced recently by Julian W. Curtiss, president of that firm. Jones has purchased a substantial block of stock, will become a member of the board of directors, and will devote much of his time to the business.

Jones' work will be product development. He will be directly connected with Spalding's research laboratories at Chicopee, Mass., where matched club sets, cushioned-neck steel shaft clubs and many other golf implements were devised. Jones will be a kind of living laboratory, for besides his work on design he will test out products on courses throughout the country.

Jones stated that the formation of this connection does not in any wise affect his retirement from competitive golf, but simply affords him opportunity to exercise and apply such knowledge as he may have acquired to the improvement of the implements with which the game is played.

Jones' affiliation with the sporting goods company was announced in a brief statement made public:—

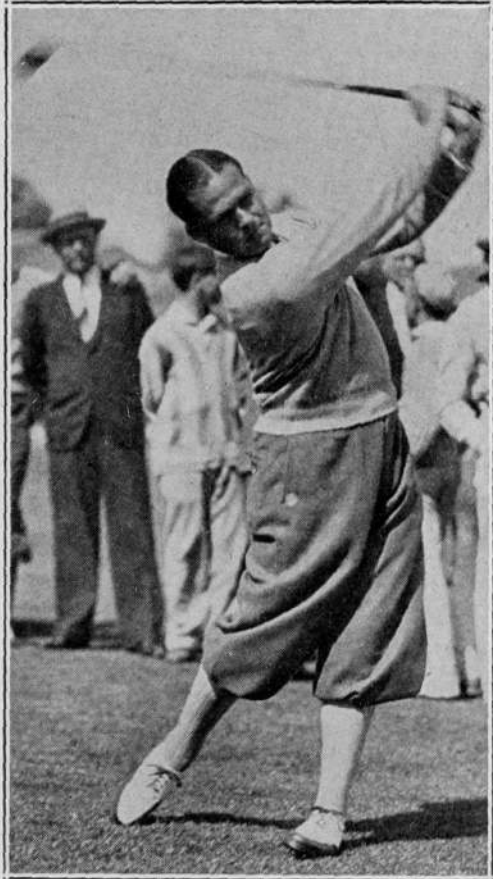
"With fifteen years of tournament experience in golf, I feel that I may have acquired some knowledge that may be useful to others interested in that sport. I have purchased stock in the firm of A. G. Spalding & Bros., will become a member of its board of directors and will devote a considerable portion of my time in the future to that business, particularly to the improvement of implements, balls, shoes and other golf equipment. My work will be both in the laboratory and on the links.

"This decision really makes official and places on a more intimate and permanent basis a relationship that has existed, though informally and purely in a friendly way for the past ten years.

"The game of golf has received remarkable impetus in the past ten years; not only has it gained in popularity, but the standard of excellence of play has been greatly broadened. More players, more and better golf courses, and better implements with which to play the game have all contributed to this result. Not the least important factor has been the tremendous improvement in the implements and equipment with which the game is played. The clubs are more carefully matched one with the other, improvements have been made in head and shaft construction, and machines have been devised that make it possible to test equipment in the laboratory under conditions similar to those encountered in actual play.

"I feel that the experience of these years proves that the game has by no means reached its peak and that in the next five years we may see developments and improvements quite as startling, purely through developments and improvements in the implements of the game. I think that this is a serious and important work and I am eager to take a larger part in it than I have been able to take in the past. The Spalding Company has kindly offered me this opportunity."

The co-operation Jones mentioned was explained by President Curtiss. "During many years Mr. Jones has brought valuable suggestions to us for the improvement of golf



Bobby Jones, who joins the directorate of A. G. Spalding & Bros. (from his latest photo).

implements. Since his retirement, Mr. Jones has been almost constantly in touch with us, advising on experiments begun months ago which we believe will result in real benefits to the game.

"It has become evident to both of us that Mr. Jones's place, the activity in which he can be most useful, is in this line of experiment. It is quite as evident that there is plenty of work for him in this field to justify his careful, thoughtful and continuous consideration. It is obvious that the final test of a golf club, or ball, or shoe is the use which a good golfer can make of it. Mr. Jones will be a living laboratory for golf implements and equipment, and I think that everyone will agree that the industry could have found no better one."

## The Manitoba Open Championship

**Eric Bannister With a Record-breaking Second Round of 65 for a Total of 144 Wins This Outstanding Western Event.**

PLAYING over the charming links of the Niakwa Golf Club, Winnipeg, Eric Bannister, clever St. Charles professional, and always a dominating figure in Western golfing

The pine-clad, rolling verdure of the delightful Niakwa course provided an admirable setting, while the brand of golf displayed by the many entrants, both amateur and professional, was in keeping with the scenic beauties that inspired it.

Carding a scintillating 65, which added to his previous round of 79—mediocre by comparison—brought his total up to 144, Bannister romped away with the field, seven strokes ahead of his nearest competitor, William Brazier, of Norwood, who needed 74-77 to compute his total of 151.

The shining 65 of Bannister, coming as it did after his rather ordinary morning round of 79, was the sensation of the tournament. Never before in the history of golf in Manitoba, and rarely in the history of golf anywhere in the world has such a score been registered in championship play. Bannister's card containing the record-shattering score reads as follows:—

Out .....	444	353	443—34
In .....	434	342	434—31—65

Truly a remarkable achievement, for the Niakwa course can hold up its head with any Canadian course, either from the standpoint of championship calibre or the stiffness of its hazards, both mental and physical. It is unfortunate that distance prevents this veteran English golfer from competing more often in tournaments in the East, for such skill as his would certainly make our eastern stars "step" to retain their supremacy.



Eric Bannister (on right), St. Charles Club, Winnipeg, winner of the Manitoba Open Championship. His last round was 65.

events, this month won the Manitoba Open Golf Championship, and the Tribune Cup, symbolic of it, with a sparkling score of 144 for the 36 holes of the tournament.

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Tied for second place were William Brazier, of Norwood, a former well known Ontario pro, with a card of 74-77-151, and John Lawrence, Dauphin, who had a superlative round of 73, followed by a less brilliant round of 78 for a total of 151. In the subsequent play-off for second honours Brazier succeeded in nosing out Lawrence with a 40 to the latter's 44.

The fourth place in this interesting tourney was won by Mr. Carson MacWilliams—a sterling amateur golfer who has won many Western championships. His card read 77-75-152.

The scores of the field, 159 or better, were:—

Eric Bannister, St. Charles, 76-95—144; William Brazier, Norwood, 74-77-151; John Lawrence, Dauphin, 73-78-151; A. C. MacWilliams, Elmhurst, 77-75-152; George Daniel, Niakwa, 73-83-156; Joe Land, unattached, 79-77-156; P. Brown, unattached, 81-75-156; Donald Macdon-

ald, Southwood, 79-77-156; George Cawkwell, unattached, 78-81-159; Dave Arnott, Assiniboine, 82-77-159; Ernie Palmer, Canoe Club, 78-81-159.

The tournament, which marks the revival of the Manitoba Open Championship—for many years dormant—was a great success, from every point of view. The committee headed by Messrs. Bruce, Harris and Woods was the recipient of a great many well-earned congratulations from players and spectators alike, for all were unanimous in voting that the tournament set a new "high-water mark" of success for Manitoba golfing events. The players were pleased with the course, the galleries were enthusiastic, the weather was delightful, and to cap everything, the brand of golf displayed, with Bannister's score a veritable beacon-light, was unexcelled.

All in all a most successful championship—a fact which augurs well for the future of this very interesting event. May it have every success.

## Miss Margery Kirkham

**Wins the Ladies' Championship of Quebec. Miss Eileen Kinsella Runner-up.  
Miss Doris Taylor Captures Qualifying Round.**

**O**NE of the rising young players of the Province of Quebec, Miss Doris Taylor, of Summerlea, Montreal, captured the medal from a large, representative field of 110



Miss Margery Kirkham, Canadian Close Champion and Montreal City and District Champion, who adds the Quebec Championship to her titles.

players in the qualifying round of the Province of Quebec women's golf championship, played over the course of the Beaconsfield Golf Club, the week of July 6th. Miss Taylor toured the 18-hole course in 81, which gave her a clear two-stroke lead over the nearest competitor in a field that included titleholders for almost a decade back.

The veteran tournament players of the Province, however, easily hurdled the first test toward the championship, qualifying among the low 32. In their number were Dora Virtue, Whitlock, the defending titleholder, who scored 83 for second place; Mrs. J. Dagenais, Laval, a former champion, who had an 85; Margery Kirkham, Forest Hills, Canadian women's closed champion, 86, and Eileen Kinsella, Senneville, 88. The only out-of-town qualifier was Evelyn Mills, Royal Ottawa, with 45-45-90.

The qualifying mark was 100 and four tied at the century mark for the last two places. In a play-off Helen Bernard, Royal Montreal, and A. Whitaker, Beaconsfield, won out over Mrs. F. W. Saunders and Mrs. J. W. Nicol, Beaconsfield.

The 32 qualifiers were:—D. Taylor, H. Bernard, K. Robertson, Mrs. W. S. Lighthall, Mrs. H. R. Pickens, Mrs. W. G. Thomson, D. Nicoll, Eileen Kinsella, M. Lockhart, Mrs. H. L. Burrows, J. Beer, Nora Hankin, M. Hankin, L. How, C. Beer, Mrs. J. Dagenais, M. Kirkham, L. Lessard, D. Napier, Mrs. J. P. MacIntosh, Y. Moisan, F. McNaughton, P. C. Abbott, L. Rolland, L. Blackburn, Evelyn Mills, D. Mowat, Mrs. D. S. Currie, M. Nicoll, M. Sewell, A. Whitaker, Dora Virtue.

There were many interesting matches in the championship flight. The upsets came in the quarter finals when Miss Evelyn Mills, of Ottawa, a former well known Toronto player, defeated the defending champion, Miss Dora Virtue, of Whitlock, and favourite to repeat, by 4 and 2. A few minutes later Miss Lockhart returned from the twentieth hole the victor over Mrs. J. Dagenais, of Laval, last year's runner-up and a former champion.

The defeat of the champion and the runner-up came as a climax to a day of thrilling competition in which sixteen survivors were reduced to four in two 18-hole rounds. The morning

round was productive of no surprises, the favoured eight coming through to the quarter final round, some of them by wide margins.

Miss Doris Taylor, of Kanawaki, who won the qualifying medal, fell before Miss Kinsella in the quarter-final. The match was a tense affair, the lead changing hands at almost every hole as the rivals shot par and sub-par golf. A lapse on the short seventeenth by Miss Taylor and a half on the eighteenth gave Miss Kinsella victory, 1 up.

In the semi-finals Miss Kinsella defeated Miss Lockhart 4 and 3, and Miss Kirkham Miss Mills 3 and 2. Thus once again the rivals, Miss Kirkham and Miss Kinsella, came together in the final and the Canadian Close Champion was just a little too strong for Miss Kinsella and eventually won the championship by a 3 and 1 margin. Both victor and vanquished over a rain-soaked course played particularly good golf. Miss Kirkham is today one of the ranking players of Canada and should be heard from in the Canadian Close and Open Championships next autumn. The results of this most interesting tournament:

Championship flight: Miss Margery Kirkham, Forest Hills, defeated Miss Eileen Kinsella, Senneville, 3 and 1.

Championship consolation flight: Miss Lorraine How, Whitlock, defeated Miss Adele Whitaker, Beaconsfield, 2 and 1.

First flight: Mrs. G. L. Bevan, Senneville, defeated Mrs. H. Hannford, Beaconsfield, 2 and 1.

Second flight: Miss Nora Smythe, Kanawaki, defeated Mrs. T. Dickson, Beaconsfield, 3 and 1.

Third flight: Mrs. C. Davie, Quebec, defeated Mrs. M. Deering, Islesmere, 3 and 2.

Fourth flight: Mrs. J. Arnold, Beacons-



Miss Eileen Kinsella, runner-up in the Quebec Ladies' Championship.

field, defeated Mrs. W. E. Baker, Forest Hills, 2 and 1.

Fifth flight: Mrs. J. W. Harding, Summerlea, defeated Miss Adrie Main, Marlborough, and 2.

## Canadian Advertisers Defeated by Detroit

**A** YEAR ago the Campbell-Ewald Company of Toronto organized an International advertisers golf tournament and invited a number of executives of their Detroit office to play golf at the Royal York and Lambton Golf Clubs, Toronto. A cup was put up for competition, which was won by the Canadians.

The return game was played at the Oakland Hills Golf and Country Club and the Tam o' Shanter Club, Detroit, on Saturday and Sunday, when the Detroit golfers were successful winning the cup.

Individual prizes were awarded to J. Strassburg, Detroit; J. Fred Woodruff, general manager of Campbell-Ewald, Detroit; Webb Taylor, Campbell-Ewald, Detroit; Chris. Brinke, Detroit; T. L. Denk, Detroit; Herb. Henderson, Detroit, and to Don Buhl, Detroit.

The Toronto golfers who won prizes were J. A. MacLaren, president of Campbell-Ewald, Toronto; Chas. Croucher, Consolidated Press; George Hague, Campbell-Ewald, Toronto; Dick Heustis, MacLean's Publications; W. J. J. Butler, The Mail and Empire, and Lew Brown, of Bridle and Golfer, who had the lowest gross of the Canadian players.

Al Watrous, the professional for the Oakland Hills Golf and Country Club, defeated Andy Kay, professional of the Lambton Golf and Country Club, Al Watrous having 143 and Kay 144.

It is understood that there will be a return match played in Toronto next year, but in the meantime the Montreal advertising men are considering challenging the Detroit golfers.

## Foursome Tournament at Thistledown Golf Club, Toronto

**D**R. W. B. WURTS and his husky son, Gordon, provided the fireworks at the Thistledown invitation foursome tournament Saturday, June 27th, when they scored a remarkable 76-111½—64½, to win the James H. Perrin Trophy. The father and son combination came in towards the end of the day and nosed out J. G. Hyland and S. F. Robertson, of York Downs, who were leading with a nett 67.

The event, which was the first of its nature in the Toronto District, was a decided success and will be looked forward to next year with anticipation. Sixty-two pairs, representing 15 of the Toronto clubs, entered. The scoring was good, with eight pairs playing better than their handicaps and four couples had better than 80's in the gross scores. Fred Hoblitzel and Fred Lyons had the low score of 74, going out in 35 and back in 39.

Prizes were presented for the three best nett scores and the best gross and were handed to the winners in the evening by the president of the club, B. T. Huston. The nett score prize winners were:—

1—Dr. W. B. and Gordon Wurts, Thistledown, 64½.

2—J. G. Hyland and S. F. Robertson, York Downs, 67.

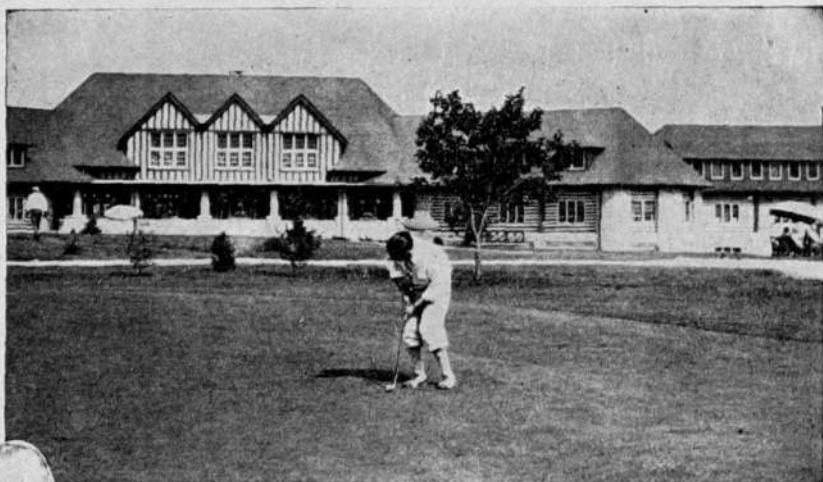
3—D. W. and A. W. Palmer, Royal York, 70½, after tie with J. W. Dunlop and H. W. Coo, Thistledown, 70½.

These foursomes (two players, playing the same ball) are very popular in the Old Country and they should be played more often in Canada. Mr. J. H. Perrin, secretary-manager of the Thistledown Golf Club, is to be heartily congratulated on putting up a trophy for annual competition amongst Toronto players for such a competition. The event was voted a great success by the many leading players who participated in it.



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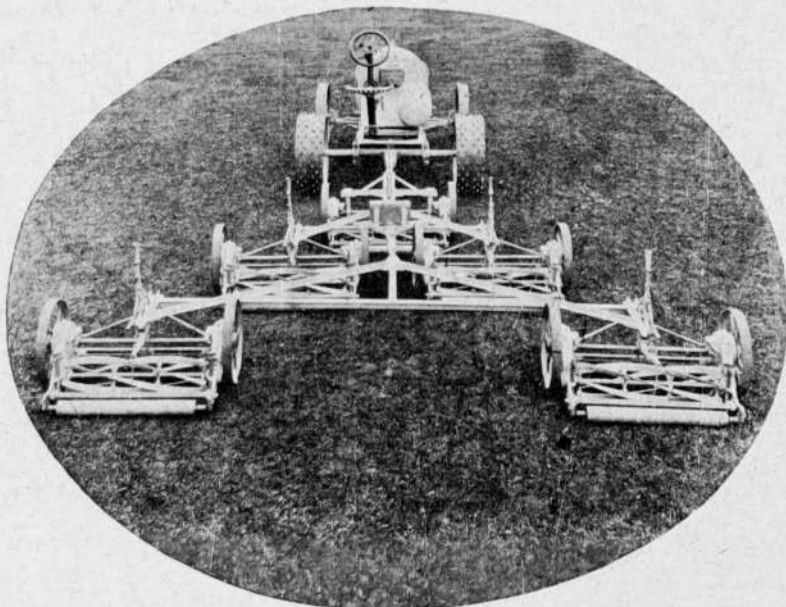
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## Montrealers Are Busily Breaking Course Records

**M**ONTREAL golfers are showing greatly improved form this season. Gordon B. Taylor, of Kanawaki, won the club championship this month and in defeating Gordon McAthey, last year's winner, established a new record for the course—a 65 in the morning round or one stroke better than Leo Diegel and Jim Barnes, who each had a 66 in the Canadian Open played at Kanawaki in 1929. Taylor was out in the amazing total of 30 for the first 9 holes. He carded a 72 in the afternoon for a total of 137 even then only defeating McAthey by 4 strokes.

Then Carroll Stuart, of Marlborough, semi-finalist in the Canadian Amateur last year, whilst playing at Senneville set a new amateur record for that course, a 68, par 72.

Redvers Mackenzie, the professional at Elm Ridge, carded a 69 recently on that sporting course or 4 strokes under par.



# The Alberta Ladies' Championship

Is Won by Miss Peggy Armour, of Jasper Park Lodge, Formerly of Perth, Ontario. Mrs. H. A. Lowe, Edmonton, Runner-up.

**P**LAYING steady golf from tee to green, Miss Peggy Armour, of Jasper Park Lodge (formerly of Perth, Ontario), last month won the Alberta Ladies' Championship, staged on the Mayfair course, Edmonton, by defeating Mrs. H. A. Lowe, of the Edmonton Golf and Country Club, 5 up and 4 to go. She succeeds Mrs. Roy H. Horne as titleholder, Mrs. Lowe having eliminated the former champion in the semi-finals.

Followed by a large gallery over the rolling Mayfair fairways, the finalists put up an interesting match all the way. Generally, both played their long shots well and also pitched with commendable accuracy. Nervousness was noticeable in their putting at odd times, but this only added to the uncertainty of the match, and on the whole the final was productive of a brand of golf worthy of a Provincial Championship.

At the end of the 18-hole morning round Miss Armour with a medal score of 87 was two up on her doughty opponent and playing the steadier golf of the two in the afternoon, eventually won a thoroughly interesting championship by the margin of 5 and 4.

Playing a sparkling brand of golf, Miss Buntly Malcolmson won the junior championship from Miss M. Race 4 and 3. Both players show distinct promise of developing into high class golfers and in a season or so will be serious contenders for bigger honours.

The following is the complete list of prize winners in this thoroughly interesting and well run championship:—

Championship, winner—Miss Peggy Armour, Jasper Park Golf Club; runner-up, Mrs. H. A. Lowe, Edmonton Golf and Country Club.

Medallist—Mrs. R. H. Horne, Edmonton Golf Club.

Championship Consolation, winner—Mrs. Gee, Edmonton Golf Club; runner-up, Mrs. S. A. Maddocks, Edmonton Golf and Country Club.

First Flight, winner—Mrs. T. O'Neill; runner-up, Mrs. W. A. Griesbach.

Second Flight, winner—Mrs. T. Vickers; runner-up, Mrs. E. C. Darling.

Third Flight, winner—Mrs. D. N. McLean; runner-up, Mrs. J. W. Heffernan.



Miss Peggy Armour (on left), Jasper Park Golf Club, winner of Alberta Ladies' Championship. Mrs. H. A. Lowe (on right), Edmonton Golf and Country Club, runner-up.

Annual Handicap, winner—Mrs. J. V. Cook; runner-up, Mrs. Patzig.

Team Matches, "A" team (scratch), winner—Edmonton Golf Club team: Mrs. Horne, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Gee, Mrs. Vickers. "B" team (handicap), winner—Mayfair Golf and Country Club team: Mrs. Griesbach, Mrs. Hoar, Mrs. Willson, Mrs. Johnson.

Handicap Foursome, winners—Mrs. I. W. T. McEachern and Mrs. L. V. Trimble;

runners-up, Mrs. J. Watson and Miss Carver.

Flag Competition, winner—Mrs. Darimont; runner-up, Mrs. Trimble.

Junior Championship, winner — Miss Buntly Malcolmson; runner-up, Miss Margaret Race.

The Championship was conducted by the very capable Alberta Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union. There were sixty-five entries in the Championship qualifying round, and a good entry in all the other events. The clubs represented were:—Bowness Golf and Country Club, Calgary; the Calgary Golf and Country Club, the Edmonton Golf Club, the Edmonton Golf and Country Club, the Highlands Golf Club, Edmonton, the Jasper Park Golf Club, Mayfair Golf and Country Club, Edmonton, and the Red Deer Golf Club.

The big feature of the tournament was an upset in the calculations when, in the semi-finals, Mrs. R. H. Horne, the medalist in the qualifying round, who has been champion for the last two years and was regarded as undefeatable, was beaten by Mrs. H. A. Lowe, two up, after a very close game. In the finals Miss Peggy Armour, of the Jasper Park Golf Club, defeated Mrs. Lowe five up and four to go.

When Miss Peggy got back to Jasper she received the congratulations of another

champion—Jimmy Rimmer, pro at the Jasper Park Lodge course. Rimmer is the holder of the Alberta Open title, which he won at the tournament held at the Country Club, Edmonton, last summer, when he had to rally in his last round to beat out Duncan Sutherland and Joe Pryke.

The tournament ended with a gay and informal dinner at the Mayfair club house, after which the annual meeting was held, the president, Mrs. J. A. Mackinnon, being in the chair. The following officers were elected for 1932:—

President, Mrs. J. B. Starky, Edmonton Golf and Country Club; 1st vice-president, Mrs. C. R. Bunn, Red Deer Golf Club; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. R. Hutcheon, Calgary Golf and Country Club; secretary-treasurer, Miss Sylvia Evans, Edmonton Golf and Country Club; chairman of pars committee, Miss Ethel Egbert, Calgary Golf and Country Club; chairman of handicap committee, Mrs. E. V. Johnson, Mayfair Golf and Country Club.

In order to hold the C.L.G.U. Provincial tournament in the same city and at the same time as the men's Provincial tournament, it was decided to accept the invitation of the Edmonton Golf and Country Club to hold the fourth annual tournament over their links next year, instead of going to the southern part of the Province.

## British Ryder Cup Team Defeats Western New York Pros and Michigan Pros

THE British Ryder Cup team the Sunday following the Canadian Open Championship journeyed to Buffalo, where at the Park Club they played in foursomes against a picked team of Western New York professionals. Large galleries witnessed the matches which resulted in a win for the Britishers 4 events to 1, as follows:—

Archie Compston and George Duncan defeated Clarence Doser, Buffalo, and Roy Fetler, Rochester, 2 up.

C. A. Whitcombe and Bert Hodgson defeated Bill Loomis, South Shore Club, and Roy McAuliffe, Erie Downs, 4 and 2.

E. R. Whitcombe and Percy Allis defeated George Christ, Buffalo, and C. McKenna, Rochester, 3 and 1.

Sid Easterbrook and A. Havers defeated Jack Gordon, Park Club, and Howard Holmes, Park Club, 2 and 1.

Walter Bemish, Genesee, and J. Heaney, Rochester,, defeated Abe Mitchell and Fred Robson, 3 and 1.

Percy Allis took the place of Bill Davies, of the Ryder Cup team, who was injured in a motor car accident in Toronto and was unable to play.

Previously the Britishers beat a side of American professionals in a series of four-ball matches at Detroit by eight points to seven. The side leading at the end of each nine holes scored one point, but counted as 18-hole matches each side won two matches and one was halved.

Easterbrook and Davies almost defeated Hagen and Watrous, the Americans doing the 18th in a birdie 3 to finish all square. Armour and Gamber, in defeating Mitchell and Robson by 6 and 5, went round in 68, while Charles Whitcombe and Hodson returned 67 in beating Robertson and Gray by 3 and 2. Duncan and Compston were the other successful Britishers. They defeated Hilgendorf and Pautke by 3 and 1.

## Spittal Wins Ontario Open

In a Play-off with Jimmie Johnstone and Arthur Hulbert Again Annexes the Title. Fine Golf by the Amateurs, F. G. Hoblitzel and Major Martin.

ONCE again has that sterling Scottish Canadian golfer, Davie Spittal, of the St. Andrews Golf Club, Toronto, demonstrated that he is to be reckoned with in high-class competitions. To be acclaimed Open Champion of Ontario is one of the most coveted of the season's honours. Davie annexed the title at Lakeview two years ago and last month at the Summit Golf Club again won the Championship, not, however, until he was forced to play-off with Arthur Hulbert, of Thornhill, and Jimmie Johnston, of Rosedale. All of these three well known professionals carded the sparkling scores of 144.

In the play-off with another fine round of 74 Spittal copped the championship once again, both Johnstone and Hulbert carding 75's.

A considerable sum was raised at the play-off for the widow and family of the late Norman Bell, a popular professional, who passed away recently after a protracted illness. The funds were collected under the direction of Mr. L. M. Wood, president of the Ontario Golf Association.

One hundred and two competitors, comprising all the leading amateurs and professionals of Ontario with the exception of the Canadian Champion, Mr. Ross Somerville, teed-up at Summit on June 23rd. The course was in superb shape, in fact, many of the players gave it credit for being the best playing course at the present time in the Toronto District.

It was a very classy field that set out in search of Ontario's titular honour, and classy golf, too, was played, especially in the afternoon when weather conditions were almost ideal. Par for Summit is 71 and previous to last month it had never been beaten but in the afternoon of the Championship four players shattered this testing figure, Spittal, Hulbert, Crutenden, the popular pro of Summit, and Major J. N. C. Martin, M.C., D.S.O., of Kingston, all returning cards of 70.

Major Martin was out in 39 and then proceeded to come home in a record-making 31. He had birdie twos on the 10th and 15th holes and a three on the par four home hole and played the other six to par figures. The



Davie Spittal (on right) who again wins Ontario Open. On left T. Grosart, his assistant at St. Andrews, who also made a good showing in the Championship.

Major, who is on the staff of the Royal Military College, Kingston, has a fine golfing standing in the Old Country. He was a member of the British Walker Cup team in 1928. He won the North Indian Championship 1922, 1924, and the Irish Open Championship in 1920 and 1923. The Major is an Irishman, having been born in famous Portrush in 1893. This is his first golf season in Canada.

Tied with the Major for a total of 147 for the 36 holes was that finished

amateur, Mr. F. G. Hoblitzel, of Lambton, who this season is quite at the top of his game. Other good scores besides the leaders and the two amateurs mentioned were, Nicol Thompson, Sr., Hamilton, 146; Lex Robson, Islington, 147; W. Lamb, Uplands, 148; A. Kay, Lambton, 148; Dave Ferguson, Weston, 149; Dave Noble, Simcoe, 149; A. E. Cruttenden, Summit, 150; R. H. Green, Kingston, 150; R. Cunningham, Mississauga, 152; W. MacWilliam, Thistledown, 152; Fred Hunt, Brantford, 153; D. McPhail, unattached, 153; G. L. Cumming, Toronto Ladies, 154; J. Armitage, Waterdown, 155; Mr. Joe Thompson, Chedoke, 156; Reg. Batley, Galt, 156; Geo. Cumming, Toronto Golf, 156; Mr. J. G. Nash, London Hunt, 157; Tom Grosart, St. Andrew's, 157; Mr. W. J. Thompson, Mississauga, 158; F. E. Lock, Burlington, 158; E. Trumper, Crestwood, 158; Mr. Phil. Farley, Cedar Brook, 158; D. Hutchison, Humber Valley, 159;

W. H. Freeman, York Downs, 159; Mr. J. Roberts, Oshawa, 159; Mr. G. Taylor, Jr., York Downs, 159; Mr. N. Thompson, Jr., Chedoke, 159; Mr. J. Walton, R. York, 160; H. Logan, Jr., Cedar Brook, 160; R. Sansom, Glen Mawr, 160; J. T. Lambie, Riverview, 160.

The deadlock for the title was the fourth in the history of the nine years that the championship has been held. In 1924 Willie Freeman and Mr. George S. Lyon had to play off before the former won; in 1927 Andy Kay, of Lambton, won after a tie with Nicol Thompson, of Hamilton, Jimmie Johnstone, and Lex Robson, of Islington, and then last year Gordon Brydson defeated Robson and Mr. C. R. Somerville, of London, Ont. The arrangements for the running off of the championship were simply perfect and the Summit officials all came in for unbounded and well deserved praise. It was a fine championship—fine golf and a fine course and that always spells success.

## The Inter-Club Championship of Winnipeg

**O**NCE more Niakwa is in the limelight. Not content with being the stage for the Manitoba Open Championship, and also having the final of the Winnipeg ladies' championship played over its interesting course, this sporting club carried off the inter-club championship held on the tricky Pine Ridge links, Winnipeg.

The winning team was composed of Messrs. Kennedy, McIntyre, Weir, and Gordon. The quartette played steady golf to total the score of 372 which considering the intense heat and the heavy wind was surprisingly low.

The Canoe Club team captured second place with 341, while third place went to the Assiniboine team with a score of 346.

The low score of the day was 79, being attained by Gordon Bain, of the Canoe Club, and Bobbie Reith, of Assiniboine—two seventeen-year stars, and C. Hodgman, of St. Charles. Despite the triple tie for low honours the prize went to Reith since he had come in with the least number of strokes. On the outgoing nine he totalled 43 but coming home he needed only 36 strokes.

The scores of the teams with 355 or better:—

Niakwa—J. Gordon, 84; Dan Kennedy, 85; R. McIntyre, 83; Alex. Weir, 80—332.

Canoe Club—G. Bain, 79; G. Henry, 91; E. Palmer, 82; F. Davies, 89—341.

Assiniboine—Dave Arnott, 86; Alex. Black, 86; George Caldwell, 92; Bobbie Reith, 79—343.

St. Charles No. 1—F. L. Bawlf, 83; K. Glass, 84; C. L. Hodgman, 79; G. Konantz, 100—346.

Norwood No. 2—Bill Booth, 88; W. Milne, 89; B. Woolley, 87; Ian Woolley, 82—347.

St. Charles No. 2—L. D. Bawlf, 87; Dr. P. Gallagher, 89; Reg. Hall, 95; Bill Muir, 82—353.

Pine Ridge—F. M. Boulton, 82; J. M. Campbell, 94; J. A. O. Gemmill, 88; F. G. Hale, 95—357.

Norwood No. 1—John Dillabough, 95; H. R. Parker, 92; F. F. Tribe, 87; F. Woolley, 80—354.

Elmhurst—Norm. Emery, 95; J. G. Fraser, 94; Carson McWilliams, 81; T. S. Taylor, 85—355.

## Walter Hagen Wins at Last

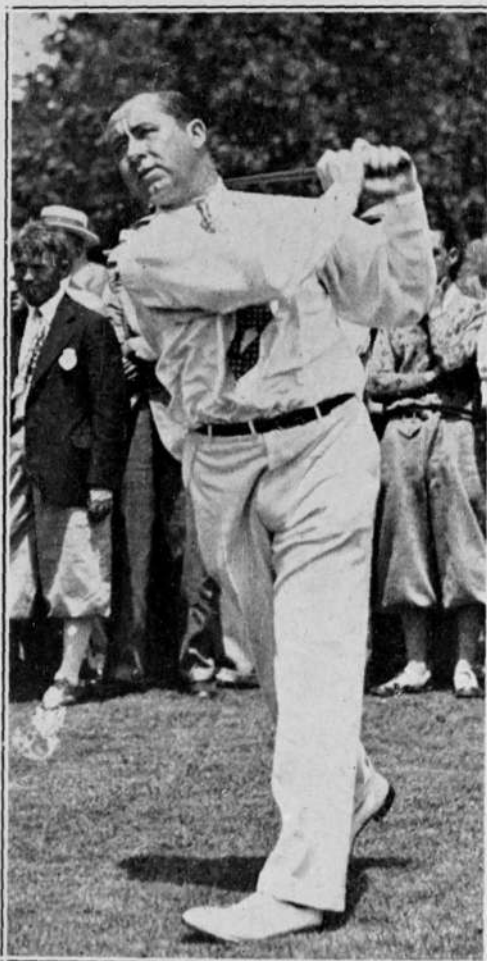
**Annexes Canadian Open Championship After Play-off with Percy Allis, who Makes Golfing History by Negotiating Last Nine Holes at Mississauga in 32. Jules Huot, Young French-Canadian Pro, Leads all Canadian Professionals and Wins "Canadian Golfer" First Prize, and Willie Lamb Second Prize. Phil Farley Wins Amateur Gold Medal After Play-off with Jack Nash. Record Galleries of 15,000.**

**I**T was a mighty good thing for the prestige of British golf that Percy Allis, former Sheffield caddie, now professional at the swagger Wannsee Club, Berlin, Germany, decided to come to America as a free lance and compete in the U.S. and Canadian Open Championships and several other money events. The members of the Ryder Cup team certainly made a sorry showing in all their matches and it remained for Allis to come to the rescue of Old Country golf and demonstrate that it is still capable of producing a really great player—something it has not done now for some years. Allis' last round in a driving rain at Mississauga, in the Canadian Open to tie with Walter Hagen for championship honours with a score of 282 was one of the greatest and pluckiest efforts ever seen on a golf course and the stocky young Britisher well deserved the plaudits of the big gallery when he accomplished what seemed the impossible and whipped the last four holes in 13 strokes, a three, three, four and a three, or three strokes under par. He knew he had to make these last fateful four holes in 13 to tie Hagen and he rose to superb heights and "done it."

Great is Percy Allis. At Mississauga this month he again put British golf on the map. His final 9 holes in 32 under most adverse weather conditions was unquestionably the greatest golf ever uncorked in the Canadian Open or for that matter, any other Open.

The incoming nine holes at Mississauga have always been considered harder than the outgoing nine, but strange to say Allis did not find them so. Here are his figures for the four

incoming rounds, 33, 36, 36, 32, or a total of 137. The par is 36 or 144 for four rounds. The Britisher therefore



Walter Hagen, who at last adds the Canadian Open to his many championships.

in the last four nine holes cut 7 strokes off par. Sensational, yes, but it was the last four holes, the 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18th, that Allis negotiated in such a marvellous manner.



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On Thursday he played them in 4, 3, 3, 3, Friday 4, 4, 4, 3, Saturday morning 4, 4, 4, 5, and Saturday afternoon, 3, 3, 4, 3. Only once was he over par and that was his 5 Saturday morning. In all he took 58 strokes for these last four holes (6 under par), whilst Farrell required 64 and Hagen 66. Allis will always have in kindly remembrance these last four testing holes at Mississauga. He played them as they were never played before and never will be played again.

Coming to the nerve-racking home hole it must not be forgotten that Johnny Farrell partnered with Allis, also had a chance to tie Hagen. He, too, had a total of 279 on the 72nd tee and a birdie three would have

squared matters with the leader. But Farrell was not equal to the well-nigh impossible and his putt on the rain-soaked green was short, whilst Allis boldly going for his three hit the back of the cup and the ball dropped in. No pluckier putt or perfectly played putt was ever witnessed in a championship. "The putt's the thing" all right and that is where the other Britishers competing in the Championship were woefully weak. They were missing three and four-footers by the dozen.

And what a shout went up from the rain-soaked gallery of some four thousand excited enthusiasts when Allis rammed home that 12-footer on the 72nd hole! Hagen, himself one of the world's greatest and most daring putters, from an upstairs bedroom window in the club house heard the shout and saw the putt and knew that his score had been tied and that a play-off of 36 holes would be necessary. He took it all, however, philosophically. A good sportsman is "The Haig"—the victor of many a well-fought fight and still game.

The scores of the leaders:—

Percy Allis, Wannsee, Berlin, Germany:

444 443 443 345 534 333—67  
 443 343 455 455 434 443—71  
 443 443 465 345 434 445—73  
 433 654 455 245 533 343—71—282

Walter Hagen, Detroit:

342 443 355 245 523 545—68  
 334 544 443 345 434 434—68  
 452 445 544 344 634 434—72  
 543 444 444 345 436 544—74—282

It is rather interesting to note that like Abe Mitchell, who had a recurrence of his old illness of two years ago and was unable to play, and Billy Davies, another Britisher who was in a motor accident the day before the Championship and injured his arm, Allis came nearly not playing in the Championship. He wrenched his knee while playing in the States and a swelling set in. Dr. J. A. Sullivan, a prominent Toronto doctor and Rosedale golfer, was called in and recommended massage as the only chance to relieve the trouble. This was done

and Allis was kept fit throughout the gruelling week.

### Hagen Wins Championship in Play-off

Hagen and Allis both had engagements for the Sunday following the Championship, the one in Detroit and the other in Buffalo, so the R.C.G.A.

finishes and coming home with a 68 to his opponent's 70 just nosed out a notable victory by one stroke.

Allis' putting in the play-off was phenomenal. In the morning he sank a 30-footer on the 2nd hole for a birdie, and a 40-foot putt on the 11th for an eagle three. Then in the after-



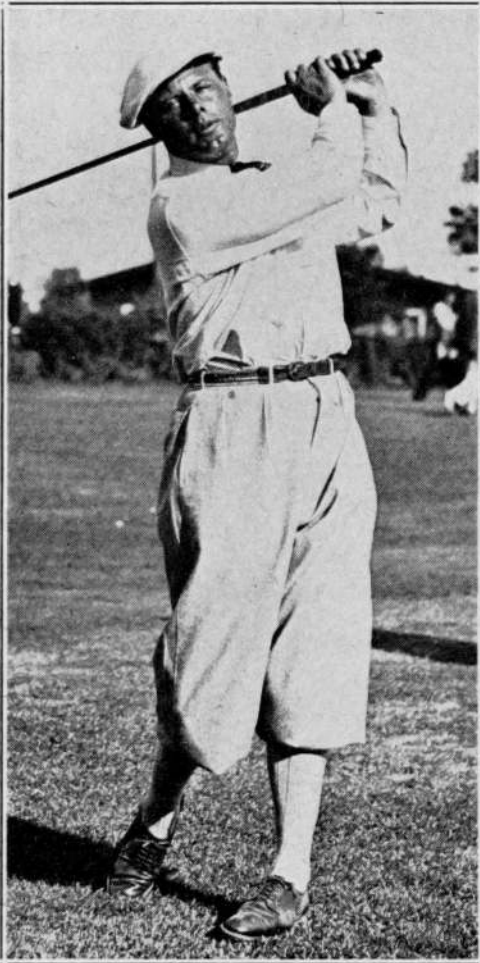
The presentation to Hagen of the Championship Cup after the play-off. Reading from left to right, Percy Allis, J. W. McFadden, president Mississauga Golf and Country Club, Walter Hagen, B. L. Anderson, secretary Royal Canadian Golf Association, W. H. Plant, vice-president Royal Canadian Golf Association.

decided that the play-off at 36 holes should take place at Mississauga on Tuesday, the 14th. Showing the intense interest taken in the battle for the title a gallery of four thousand enthusiasts thronged the fairways and followed the play, and Hagen and Allis did not disappoint their admirers but gave an exhibition of golf equal to anything seen during championship week. The morning round, thanks largely to his phenomenal putting and wonderful iron shots, the Britisher with a score of 72—par for the course, had a lead of one stroke over the U.S. ace. But in the afternoon Hagen staged one of his gallery

noon he sank a 30-footer on the 7th, and a 20-footer at the 12th, and on the 16th negotiated a 35-foot putt. On two other long putts his ball hit the back of the cup but hopped out, as bad luck would have it or the championship might have had a different ending.

It was a titanic struggle and victor and vanquished alike came in for tumultuous applause. The sympathy of the gallery was naturally largely in favour of Allis. Everyone was anxious to see the Championship won by a Britisher. The Americans have carried the cup across the Border now for thirteen years, whilst it has

never crossed the Atlantic, although Compston in 1928 at Rosedale should have turned the trick, but slumped in the final 9 holes and let Diegel slip in and beat him out. However, if a U.S. player was again to win the title



Percy Allis, British professional, whose wonderful golf was the sensation of the Canadian Open Championship.

then everyone wanted to see Hagen do so.

As an assistant professional at Rochester, N.Y., he first took a tilt at the title at Rosedale in 1912, or 19 years ago. He was absolutely an unknown then and did not go very far in the Championship, which was won by George Sargent. Hagen, who in the meantime had become famous, did not compete again until 1925 when at

Lambton he tied for 3rd place with Andy Kay with scores of 301. In 1926 he did not enter but every year since then has done so as follows:— 1927 at Toronto Golf Club, tied with Leo Diegel for 6th place with 293; in 1928 tied with Archie Compston and MacDonald Smith at Rosedale for second place, score 284; in 1929 with 292 at Kanawaki, Montreal, had to be content with 13th place; in 1930 at Ancaster, 6th place, score 280.

And now with a score of 282 and a play-off score of 141, he at last annexes a title which he has always desired to win but which in the past has eluded him notwithstanding six previous attempts. Hagen has now won all the world's principal Open Championships, the British (four times), the U.S. (twice) and now the Canadian, and by way of good measure in 1920 the French Open. He has won the U.S. Professional Golf Championship four times and lesser events literally by the hundred. Hagen, who is in his 40th year, is the most colourful figure ever to be seen on the links and with the exception of Bobby Jones the greatest golfer of the past two decades. In fact, many students of the game place him ahead of the great Georgian. Armour is the only other player ever to have annexed the triple Open crown. The recent winner of the British Open and winner of the Canadian title last year entered the lists at Mississauga a warm favourite to repeat but had to be content with fifth place with a score of 286.

The cards in the play-off:—

Hagen:

Out .....	543	543	443—35
In .....	355	624	544—38—73
Out .....	433	443	445—34
In .....	235	445	434—34—68—141

Allis:

Out .....	433	353	454—34
In .....	355	545	443—38—72
Out .....	443	552	344—34
In .....	354	544	344—36—70—142

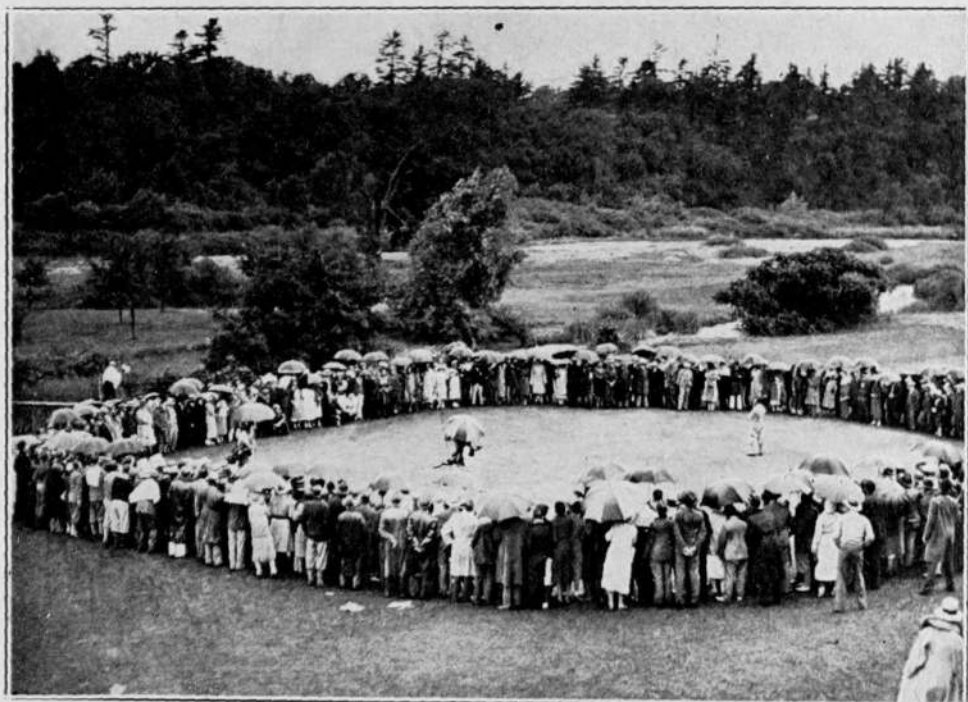
In all, Hagen played 108 holes in 423 strokes and Allis 424 strokes, or respectively 8 and 9 strokes under



fours—and that is a consistent brand of golf never before equalled in an Open Championship.

Immediately after Hagen had dropped his last putt the prizes to the winner and runner-up were presented by Vice-President Plant, of the R.C.G.A. and President James W. McFadden, of the Mississauga Club.

moment in Canada has been pleasant. There have been no officials running around telling us what we should do and what we should not do. Young Allis is going to be a great golfer. Every observer must be impressed with the quiet manner in which he goes about his business and the golf he plays. The lad has a future in-



The well placed twelfth green at Mississauga. Photo taken during the Allis-Farrell match on Saturday. Farrell is seen on the right.

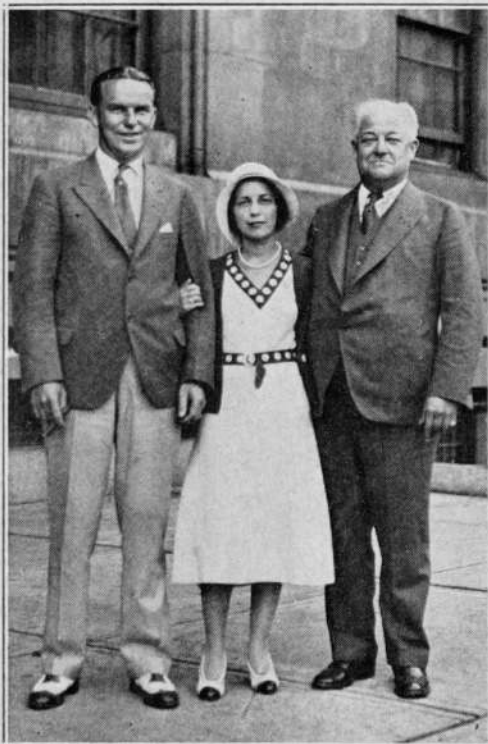
Hagen received \$500 and the Rivermead Trophy, and Allis \$300. In addition the two players will divide the gate receipts from the play-off and this will nett them, it is estimated, at least \$1,000 each.

Mr. S. B. Gundy, of Toronto, a former president of the R.C.G.A., in the absence of the president, Mr. Collyer, of Montreal, who during the Championship proper was indefatigable in his attentions to the smooth running of the event, also extended congratulations to the winner and runner-up. In his reply Hagen said: "I appreciate your kindly remarks. Every

deed. The play-off was one of the stiffest in all my twenty years of competition."

After the play-off, in his room at the club house, surrounded by many admirers, Allis stated: "The old flag is drooping a bit, that is all. Banks have failed in Germany and in the United States, but they have not failed in England. There are 5,000,000 golfers in the States, where the game has been booming, and we have only 2,000,000 in the British Isles. We are keeping the old flag up in the more important spheres, and we will keep it up in the golfing world."

Incidentally, Allis is 34 years of age and not 26 as generally reported in the press. He has an established reputation in Europe. He won the Welsh Professional Championship in 1920 and 1921. The Essex Professional Championship in 1923 and 1925, and the German Open Championship four



An interested spectator at Mississauga during the Canadian Open was Billy Burke (on left), recently crowned Open Champion of the United States after a 72-hole play-off with George Von Elm. Also in the picture his wife and Mr. J. H. Freedman, Brantford, Ontario, Canadian manager for A. G. Spalding and Bros. Ltd.

times. He has always figured well up in the British Open. He is no tyro at the game is Percy Allis. Not by any means. During his all too brief visit to Canada, he made friends by the thousand who in future will follow his career with intense interest. He is a splendid type of the Old Country school of professional golfer:—and there is none better.

Allis used a Dunlop ball all through his epoch-making rounds. He is booked to sail for home August 4th

but states he will again return to Canada and the States next year. It is understood that he has already received a most lucrative offer to take a position with a leading club in the U.S.

Immediately after the presentation, Hagen, who has done more to attract galleries to the Canadian Open than any other player, left by private plane for Rochester and in the plane was the Championship Cup which has for so many years evaded his best efforts "to lift". No one begrudges him its possession. He has been a great asset to Canadian golf the last seven years in his efforts, now crowned with a well deserved success, to add the Canadian Open title to his championship belt. Last year "The Haig" slumped a bit but this season he is "coming back strong" and hosts of Canadian friends rejoice that he is again once more very much in the picture.

#### Record Galleries in Attendance

Full details of the admissions to the Championship are not yet available but Mr. Anderson, secretary of the R.C.G.A., estimates the galleries as follows:—Thursday, 2,500; Friday, 3,000; Saturday, 5,000; Tuesday, play-off, 4,000, or a total of well nigh 15,000. This easily constitutes a golf attendance record in Canada. Toronto is still the hub of golf in the Dominion and can always be depended upon to patronize first-class golf. But even "good old Toronto" excelled herself this month.

#### Getting Down to Details

The 24th Open Championship of Canada at the Mississauga Golf and Country Club, Toronto, July 9th, 10th, 11th, will go down in history as the most brilliant golfing event ever staged in the Dominion. Everything conduced to make it so. The field was International; the weather, except unfortunately for the last closing two or three hours or so, was ideal; the galleries were of record proportions, whilst Mississauga provided a setting for this stellar event of the year which could not possibly have been surpassed. The links came in for unstinted praise from the large field of entrants representing the pick of Canada, Great Britain, the United States, France and Germany. The course on the picturesque banks of the Credit certainly made a reputation for itself this month. It was its first baptism of championship golf but in the future it should be often the venue of major fixtures as course and club house alike are admirably adapted for the staging of such events. With its winding river and amphi-

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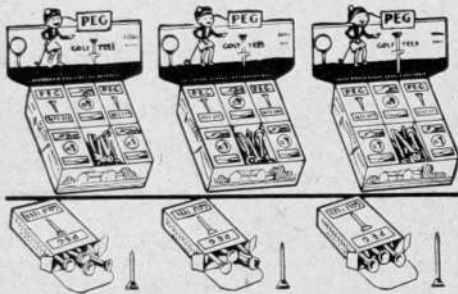
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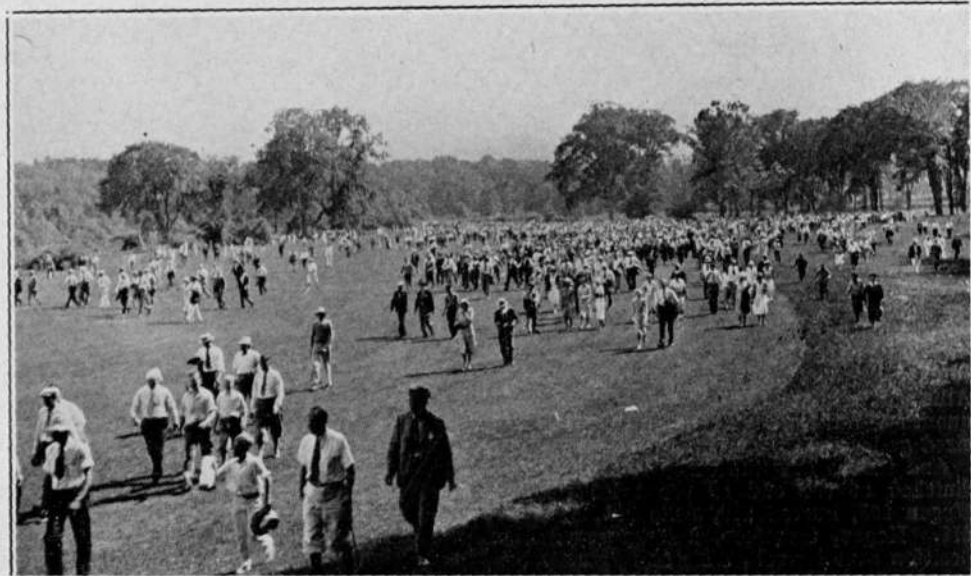
theatre of elm crested slopes, and links manicured most meticulously, Mississauga in the brilliant July sunshine was a picture and in the vernacular "made good, good and plenty" alike with players and spectators.

Mr. B. L. Anderson, the very capable secretary of the R.C.G.A., and his assistants were called upon to pair over one hundred players on the opening day. The field got away to an early start and there was never any congestion or delay. Mr. Frank Harris, captain, and Mr. John E. Hall, vice-captain of the Mississauga Club, were of invaluable assistance in the smooth running of the Championship throughout the week. The only absentees of note were Gene Sarazen, MacDonald Smith, a former Open Champion, Billie Burke, U.S. Open Champion, and George Von Elm, runner-up. The latter two, who recently had such a gruelling struggle in the U.S. Open, evidently as a result of their prolonged encounter decided at the last moment to cancel their entries, although both were visitors to Mississauga during the week. Von Elm has twice captured the Amateur Gold Medal in the Canadian Open (last year at Ancaster, a few days afterwards turning professional), whilst Burke has also played here and in 1927 at the Toronto Golf Club was in third place with 290, Armour on that occasion winning the Championship with 288.

The first day all the favourites came through with flying colours with the exception of Leo Diegel. Armour had a 68 and so did Walter Hagen and Wiffy Cox, whilst Johnny Farrell carded a 69. Diegel was well down the list with a 74. But the honours of the first day went to virtually an unknown to Canadian followers of the game, one who was the next two days to be very much in the spotlight. With only a handful of a gallery, Percy Allis, British professional, but with a lucrative berth in Germany, came breezing in with a par-breaking 67, made up of a 444, 443, 443, 345, 534, 333. This score set tongues wagging and Allis, it was generally admitted, would have to be reckoned with. The other Britishers did not measure up to the form which everyone hoped they would display after their mediocre showing in the States. Archie Compston, who was much fancied, had to be content with a 75, as had also Henry Cotton, looked upon as the best of the young English pros. This score virtually put them out of the running. Then C. A. Whitcombe, captain of the Ryder Cup team, returned a 74, as did Arthur Havers. On the 72 mark were Sid Easterbrook, Aubrey Boomer, an Englishman, but entered from France, and E. R. Whitecombe, whilst Bert Hodson, another Ryder Cup player, had a 73. Unfortunately Abe Mitchell owing to illness and Billy Davies, looked upon as the best of the Ryder Cup team by U.S. critics as a result of an accident, had to scratch their entries.

It was a bad opening day for the Old Country players. On the other hand, Canadians showed up well in front. Willie Spittal, of Oakdale, Toronto, headed the pack with a 70, or 2 under par. Then the young French-Canadian pro, Jules Huot, of the Kent Golf Club, Que., playing finished and fearless golf was one under par with 71. Willie Lamb, of Uplands, had a 72, and so did Andy Kay, of Lambton, recently crowned Canadian Professional Champion,

with a total of 136. As events turned out it was this superb second 68 round which eventually won for him the Championship. Johnny Farrell also picked up a 68 and forged into second place with 137. The best Armour could do was to card a 72 which put him on the 140 mark. Only one stroke back of the defending champion was Willie Lamb. The three times Canadian professional titleholder put together a glittering 69 and was thus with 142 at the end



This picture gives a vivid idea of the large gallery which followed Hagen and Allis in their play-off for the Championship. (Photo by Mr. Harry C. Siemin, A.R.P.S., Toronto.)

Gordon Brydson, of Willowdale, C. R. Murray, Royal Montreal, "greatest veteran of them all" who won the Championship 25 years ago and repeated in 1911, or 20 years ago, what a record! and A. J. Hulbert, Thornhill. Lex Robson, of Islington, and Bob Cunningham, of Mississauga, carded a 73. Altogether an encouraging start for the representatives of Canada in the classiest kind of company.

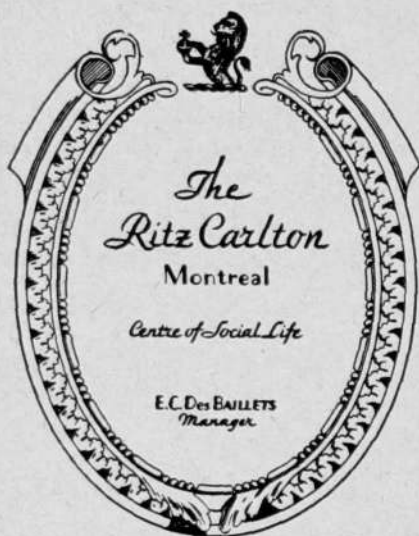
The first day at 18 holes is more or less a preliminary canter to test course conditions, to limber up, and keep out sufficiently in front to be able to stage later on a successful thrust. It is very rarely that the player leading the field the first round keeps up the pace right though a championship—Hagen, however, did so this year.

The second day, conditions stiffen up and a player can't afford at the end of the first 36 holes to be far back if he hopes to be anywhere in the running. The second round found the leader slipping a bit, Allis carding a 71, one under par, at that, to bring his total up to 138. Hagen duplicated his first effort and went out in front

of the second day in 6th place. Other Canadians well up were: W. Spittal, 144; Andy Kay, 145; J. Huot, 145; R. H. Green (Kingston), 146, and Lex Robson, 147. Jack Nash, of London, former Ontario Amateur Champion, was leading all the amateurs with a well put together 148.

As a result of the record-making 136 of Hagen's no fewer than 27 amateurs and professionals found themselves 20 strokes back of the leader and were thus eliminated from further play. Five 157's took the count. Ordinarily speaking, they would have qualified and also probably four 158's but Hagen's 136 did the trick and into the discard they went.

On the opening of the testing third day with 36 holes scheduled it looked as though the four leaders, Hagen, Farrell, Allis and Armour, were the only ones who could possibly annex the Championship. Diegel and all the Brits were definitely out of the hunt. Although four strokes back, it was conceded that Armour, the greatest garrison finisher in golf, might repeat his wonderful fourth round last year at Ancaster when



with a 64 he caught Diegel. Hagen and Farrell, however, were generally conceded to have the best show to capture the crown, Allis still being more or less of an unknown quantity, although now attracting large sized galleries.

And this is how the quartette of leaders finished at the end of the third round: Hagen 208, Farrell 210, Allis 211, Armour 213. Hagen, therefore, had improved his position over Farrell, Allis and Armour by one stroke. There was no change in the standing between Farrell and Allis, the former being still one stroke to the good over the Britisher the same as at the end of the 36 holes.

Then the acid test of the fourth and concluding lap of the three days grind. Hagen was one of the first of the favourites to come in and post his score. "The Master Showman" had faltered over the rain-swept fairways and rain-soaked greens and had to admit to a 74, his first round over par. This gave him a total of 282, but as reports came back that Allis had taken 39 for the outgoing 9, and Farrell and Armour 37, it looked as though this score of 282 would win comfortably. Armour was definitely out of it and so it was thought was Allis, whilst Farrell was still admitted to have a chance. But then on the last 9 holes through storm and stress, as recorded fully in the introduction to this article, Allis flashed home with an almost unbelievable 32 to collect 282 and tie Hagen, whilst Farrell with a 36 only failed by a stroke. It was a thrilling finish, a worthy ending to the most colourful championship ever staged in Canada.

But the three leaders did not furnish the only sensations of the last fateful 18 holes. M. Dutra, the California professional, also

found the rain apparently to his liking and carding a 68, nosed out Armour for fourth money by two strokes.

Ed. Dudley, with a 68 in the afternoon, finished sixth, his 288 for four rounds being equal to par. Three players came through with a rush to tie for eighth place at 292. They were Cyril Walker (former U.S. Open Champion), who scored 141 during the day, A. Boyer, of France, who scored 142, and Aubrey Boomer, also of France, who turned in a par equalling 144 for the day.

#### Huot and Lamb Leading Canadians

Everybody was so excited over the sensational finish between Hagen and Allis that very little attention was given either then or since to the quite remarkable performances of young Jules Huot, the first French-Canadian professional ever to feature in an Open Championship. Huot was not only out in front of all the Canadian professionals to capture the "Canadian Golfer's" first prize, but he was in 7th place (earning him \$50.00 from the R.C. G.A.) in the whole field of International stars, only Hagen, Allis, Farrell, Dutra, Armour and Dudley, all celebrities, having better scores than this very young French-Canadian pro from the Ancient Capital and this is certainly "going some".

Young Huot came to Mississauga, unheralded and unsung but with remarkable steady rounds of 72, 73, 72, 74 he collected a total of 291 and got right into the picture "the very first time". He learned his golf as a caddie under Frank Locke, who was for some years pro at the Quebec Golf Club, now at the Burlington Golf and Country Club. He should be heard from in the future.

Two strokes back of Huot in 11th place with 293 was Willie Lamb, the brilliant Uplands professional, who therefore won the "Canadian Golfer" second prize. He can always be depended upon to be in the money.

#### Farley and Nash Again Tie

The gold medal awarded by the R.C.G.A. to the leading amateur is always keenly contested for. As a result of the elimination after the second day only seven amateurs were left in the running, two former amateur champions being amongst the slain. The qualifiers to play the third day were Jack Nash, London, Phil Farley, Toronto, C. R. Somerville, Amateur Champion, London, Gordon Taylor, Jr., Toronto, Gordon Duncan, Jr. (a very promising young Brantford player), Nicol Thompson, Jr., Hamilton, and L. H. Biddell, Toronto. Somerville has more than once won the medal but this year with a total of 303 he had to bow to his teammate, Jack Nash, and Phil Farley, who each carded 301. Taylor finished up with 305, Duncan 313, Nicol Thompson 315, and Biddell 319.

It is extraordinary how young Farley and Nash are running cheek-by-jowl this season. They played off in the final early this month, it will be remembered, in the Ontario Amateur Championship, and Farley, who is also Ontario Junior Champion, won out by the close margin of 1 up. Now in the Open they again locked horns. The tie was played off at Mississauga on the Monday following the Championship and the Cedar Brook representative was quite too good for the London Hunt player, doing the 18 holes in 76, whilst Nash required 82. Nash was wild with his tee-shots and irons in the early part of the match and although steadying down after the 14th the result was never in doubt. In Farley, Ontario has a young player of brilliant promise. He is still in his 'teens and really a great golfing future stretches ahead of him. On the play so far this season he is the Province's ranking player.

And so this is the story in brief—all too brief—of the greatest championship ever staged in Canada and Mr. Collyer, of Montreal, president of the R.C.G.A., and his executive and Mr. J. W. McFadden, president of Mississauga, his officials and staff, and the many brilliant players who took part in the event are all to be heartily congratulated. The whole week, which was replete with thrills went with "a swing and follow through" which left nothing to be desired, as 15,000 enthusiastic followers of the game will bear testimony to. 'Twas a golfing classic all right this 1931 Championship of Canada.

The scores of the prize winners:—

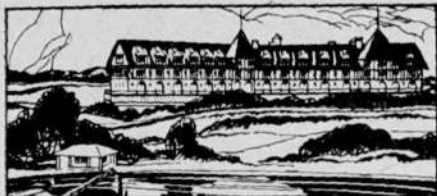
W. Hagen, Detroit....	136	37	35	36	38	282
P. Allis, Germany.....	138	37	36	39	32	282
J. Farrell, Q. Ridge....	137	36	37	37	36	283
M. Dutra, L. Beach....	146	38	32	32	36	284
Tommy Armour, Tam O'Shanter, Detroit..	140	36	37	37	36	286
Ed. Dudley, Con- cordville, Pa. ....	144	39	37	36	32	288
J. Huot, Kent, Que....	145	38	34	36	38	291
S. W. Cox, Brooklyn....	148	36	35	37	35	291
Au. Boyer, France....	150	38	34	33	37	292
Cyril Walker, Saddle River .....	151	37	34	35	35	292
W. Lamb, Uplands ....	142	39	34	35	35	293
Mr. J. G. Nash, L. Hunt.....	148	76	77	301		
Mr. P. Farley, Cedar Brook	149	72	80	301		

In the play-off for the Championship Hagen won from Allis 141 to 142, and in the play-off for the Amateur Gold Medal Farley won from Nash 76 to 82. Hagen also has possession for one year of the Rivermead Championship Cup.

Other scores were:—

Syd Easterbrook, England, 293; Clarence Gamber, For. Lake, Mich., 294; A. Kay, Lambton, 294; Horton Smith, New York, 294; Tony Manero, Norwood, N.J., 294; Tom Kerrigan, Siwanoy, N.Y., 295; Jimmy Johnstone, Rosedale, 296;

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falo, 314; L. Cumming, Tor Ladies, 314; Mr. N. Thompson, Jr., Hamilton, 315; J. Armistage, Waterdown, 316; K. Marsh, London Hunt, 319; Mr. L. H. Biddell, Lakeview, 319; S. Hancock, Meadbrook, 319.

Leo Diegel, Bert Hodson, Henry Cotton (from whom such great things were expected), and George Duncan, the three latter Britishers, picked up after the third round with scores respectively of 216, 225, 229 and 232 which put them out of the running. Diegel, four times Canadian Champion, is not at all in good health and played under a great strain. E. R. Whitcombe, another British Ryder Cup player, withdrew at the end of the second round with a score of 148.

### The Prize List

Walter Hagen, gold medal, Rivermead Cup and \$500. Percy Allis, \$300; J. Farrell, \$200; M. Dutra, \$150; T. Armour, \$100; Ed Dudley \$75; J. Huot and Whiffy Cox \$45 (each), Cyril Walker and A. Boyer \$25 (each), amateur gold medal, Phil Farley. "Canadian Golfer" first prize, \$35, J. Huot; "Canadian Golfer" 2nd prize, Willie Lamb.

In addition, Hagen and Allis will probably pick up \$1,000 each as a result of the gate money at the play-off for the championship tie.



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Mr. Donald Robertson, chief surveyor of the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa, playing with his clubmate, Mr. H. S. Chambers, "potted" his Spalding ball in one at the 6th hole of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club. This hole, Sandy, 150 yards, is a favourite "oneer" for the Royal Ottawa men, the feat having been accomplished twice last season. There was a special significance attached to Mr. Robertson's accomplishment, the day being the fifth anniversary of his marriage to Miss Lily McGee, one of the outstanding members of the ladies' club of the Royal Ottawa.

Hamilton is now in the limelight. Four wonder-shots are there recorded. It is with very great pleasure indeed that the Editor records the hole-in-one made by Mr. James Dobson at the Chedoke Civic Golf Club. This enthusiastic and veteran golfer, he is 70 years of age, bagged a "oneer" at the 7th hole at Chedoke, 105 yards. Certainly a notable feat. Mr. Dobson has been an outstanding member of Chedoke for many years. He is an old and very valued employee of the J. R. Moodie Company Ltd., Hamilton, and is receiving many well deserved congratulations alike from golfers and fellow employees.

Mr. O. D. Peat, while playing over the delightful links of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club at Ancaster, with Messrs. R. P. McBride, J. B. Carswell, and H. P. Frid, played his iron like an Armour to get an ace at the 165-yard 16th.

Mr. Chas. Anderson joins our "Hole-in-One Club" by negotiating the 190-yard 9th hole of the Burlington Golf and Country Club in less than two strokes.

Mr. Alan C. Christie, also of the Burlington Golf and Country Club, played a perfect shot to get the thrill of a lifetime at the 130-yard 16th hole.

Next we hie ourselves to Toronto, where mashies and brassies have been merrily clicking out aces much to the financial embarrassment of "This Great Family Golfing Journal".

Playing over the Toronto Golf Club, Mr. Graham Cassels, accompanied by Mr. Evan M. Begg, made the 4th hole, 189 yards, in one stroke.

Delighted to record the performance of the 100,000 to 1 shot by "Bert" Love, manager of A. G. Spalding & Bros., Toronto,

who has been whacking at the game for well nigh half a century or so. Playing with his son Mr. Love turned the trick at the 16th hole at Rosedale. It is rumoured, although this lacks confirmation, that Mr. Love was playing with a Spalding ball at the time and that his firm will reward him



Mr. James Dobson, of Hamilton (70 years old), who makes hole-in-one at Chedoke Civic Golf Club.

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At the tricky 120-yard 17th hole of the Summit Golf Club, where many a hope was blasted in the Ontario Open Championship last June, Alex McKee, the club champion, "tickled up the tin to the tune of one".

The Cedar Brook Golf and Country Club is the scene of another golfing feat. This was performed by Mr. T. E. Ashton, who "got his" at the 233-yard 17th. Some swat.

Two holes-in-one are the sad story of the Lambton Golf and Country Club. First, Mr. James Elder, a member of the Weston Golf and Country Club, while playing over the beautiful Lambton links with Messrs. Bruce, Whalen and Hathway, scored an ace at the 12th hole—130 yards in length.

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Then Mr. McCausland duplicated this performance by negotiating the same hole in one shot.

From the Uplands Golf and Country Club comes the rumour of another breath-taking performance. Major Keith found tin from tee at the 75-yard 3rd hole while Capt. A. J. McLatchy, Lt.-Col. C. J. Ingles, and Lt.-Col. W. T. Rogers looked admiringly on.

The scene shifts to the interesting Scarborough Golf and Country Club. Here Mr. G. W. Bowcock not to be outdone by his wife, who secured a two on the 14th hole, 220 yards in length, bettered her performance by one stroke, at the same hole a day later.

Humber Valley reports two, drat it! Mr. W. A. Miller joined the charmed circle by getting a one at the 160-yard 15th hole. Messrs. Stan Nurse and I. MacPherson witnessed the making thereof. Then at the third hole, 110 yards in length, Mr. Roy Tufford playing with three Japanese "Humber Valleyans", Messrs. G. Yajima, S. Hida, and R. Takagi, got an eagle one.

Mr. Robert Rosenthal, a student of McGill University, while playing over the pretty links of the Brockville Golf and Country Club, proved himself to be a "chip off the old block" when he duplicated the feat of his father by making a hole-in-one at the 6th hole—124 yards. Mr. G. H. Brooke, also a summer visitor to Brockville, likewise made a one on the Brockville course.

Mr. J. F. Christie is the very popular secretary-manager of the Muskoka Lakes Golf and Country Club and also a very good golfer. Whilst playing over their beautiful links at Port Carling he tickled-up-the-tin-from-the-tee at the 135-yard 14th hole. It is interesting to note that Mr. Christie completed the round in 66 strokes which equals the professional record and sets a new amateur record for the course. The previous amateur record was 67, which was also held by Mr. Christie. Mr. Christie was playing in a foursome with the club professional, W. P. Crompton, Mr. J. A. McDougall and Mr. Leitch.

Mr. J. Leach while playing over the charming course of the St. Catharines Golf Club sticks us for a year's subscription, for he sank his tee-shot at the tricky 135-yard 8th hole.

The 175-yard 9th hole of the Abitibi Golf Club, Iroquois Falls, Ont., held no terrors for Mr. J. P. Fahey, who coolly captured an eagle one there.

The home of the "Canadian Golfer" is now heard from. Mr. Frank D. Howell negotiated the deceptive 180-yard 4th hole of the Brantford Golf and Country Club in one shot.

Mr. J. H. McBride, of the Beaconsfield Golf Club, Montreal, Que., while playing in the Royal Montreal Regimental match at the Whitlock Golf Club "got his" at the 13th, 115-yard hole. Messrs. G. C. Findlay and

F. H.B. Tippet were playing with him when the feat was accomplished.

Jimmy Patton, popular professional of the Rosemount Golf Club, stole the limelight out at Laval-sur-le-Lac in the 36-hole medal play tournament of the Montreal Professional Golfers' Alliance when he holed out from the tee at the second hole, 153 yards, during the afternoon round. He used a mashie. This hole represents about one of the hardest one-shotters there are in the district and the Rosemount mentor was showered with congratulations for gaining that charmed circle reserved for golfers who make a hole-in-one. Incidentally he finished in 4th place tied with Bill Rogers, the consistent Islesmere representative, each with 150.

Mr. R. B. Wallace made a hole-in-one at the eighth hole, 155 yards in length, of the Granby Golf Club, Granby, Que. Congratulations, Mr. Wallace.

Mr. W. H. Miner, a member of the Granby Golf Course, Granby, Que., while playing over the picturesque links of the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, B.C., smashed out a "oneer" at the 150-yard 10th hole. Oh, these Granbians.

Mr. E. Draffin brought himself immortal fame when he "found tin from tee" at the 160-yard 9th hole of the Windsor Park Municipal Golf Course, Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg again. This time the Elmhurst Golf Club is in the picture, for on its sterling links Mr. John Hasler sank a one at the 145-yard 17th hole.

Playing in a foursome with Messrs. Frank Miley, Keith Thomson, and C. Mitchner, at the Riverside Country Club, Saskatoon, Sask., Mr. N. C. Byers scored the first hole-in-one of the season when his tee-shot at the seventeenth landed in the cup. The distance from the tee to the sloping green is 122 yards. This is the first ace that Mr. Byers has made in his long career as a golfer. He has been one of the leading players in Saskatoon for many years and also has the honour of being Saskatchewan's representative on the executive of the Royal Canadian Golf Association.

Mr. A. W. Irwin, of the Moose Jaw Golf Club, Moose Jaw, Sask., entered the golfer's Paradise when he holed out in one stroke on the 140-yard 12th hole.

Mr. J. R. Angus made a matchless mashie shot to sink his tee-shot at the 16th hole, 135 yards, of the Uplands Golf Club, Victoria, B.C.

Mr. C. R. Brown, of the Marine Drive Golf Club, Vancouver, B.C., accompanied by Dr. J. W. Welch, F. J. Jeffery, and A. L. McLellan, "didn't do a thing" with the 90-yard 14th hole, for he popped down a one much to the amazement of his partners.

Mr. G. D. Peacock put his club, the Maple Ridge Golf and Country Club, on the golfing map when he used his brassie with deadly skill to bag an ace at the 175-yard 5th hole of the Maple Ridge links, Port Hammond, B.C.

## The Winnipeg City and District Ladies' Golf Championship

**D**ESPITE the sweltering heat, and a gale of wind which swept over Winnipeg, Mrs. R. K. Bearsto, of the St. Charles Country Club, and a colourful figure in women's golf in the West, succeeded in capturing the women's city and district golf championship of Winnipeg with a 54 hole total of 274.

This annual tournament staged by the Manitoba Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union is a three day golfing event, and is played over three different courses, which makes the tournament a supremely interesting one. The three courses selected for this year's championship were Southwood, Elmhurst, and Niakwa, the latter being also the venue of the Manitoba Open Championship. All three links were of championship calibre, and provided an excellent testing ground for the lady golfers of Winnipeg.

The first day's golf at Southwood, saw Mrs. Bearsto early in the lead with a snappy 84. Mrs. B. P. Pellenz, the 1930 champion, who finally was forced to relinquish the title and accept the runner-up position, had a 92, thereby conceding an eight stroke lead to her doughty opponent, Mrs. Bearsto.

At Elmhurst, where the second day's golf was played, Mrs. Bearsto due to unfavourable weather, carded a 96, one stroke better than Mrs. Pellenz, whose 97 gave the former a nine-stroke lead.

The final of this most interesting tournament was held over the picturesque Niakwa links. Though the thermometer registered 91 in the shade, and a squall of wind almost swept the players from their feet, Mrs. Bearsto had a 94, for a total of 274. Mrs. Pellenz rallied all too late with a ninety-two, the best score of the day, for a total of 280, six strokes back of the leader.

Mrs. Bearsto not only won the right to call herself the lady golf champion of Winnipeg, but also captured the low gross prize in the silver division.

Other prize-winners were: Miss Lois McLaren, who won the low nett prize in the

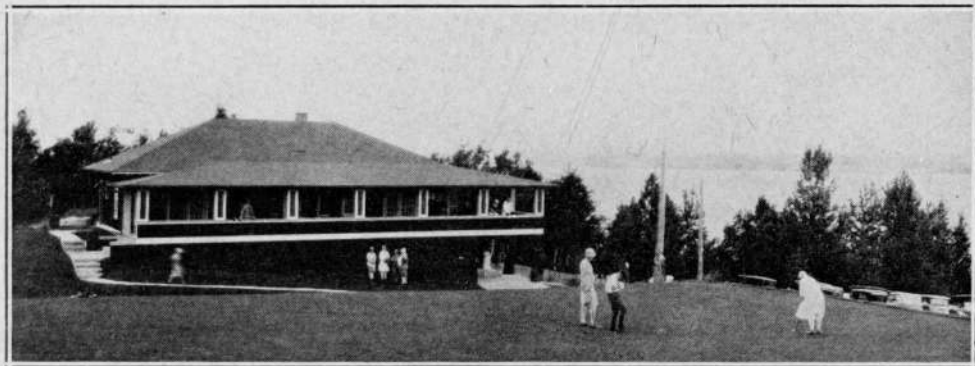
silver division with a total of 245; Mrs. J. Peterson and Miss Rosamond Northwood, who tied for the low nett prize in the bronze division, with 255; Miss Margaret Fletcher, who won the low gross in the bronze division with a total of 315.

Due to the splendid work of the executive, headed by the president, Mrs. Iman Salberg, the hon. secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Alves, and the handicap manager, Mrs. W. J. Faulkner, the tournament was a complete success, though the capricious weather made the scores slightly higher than they would have been had conditions been more favourable. Nevertheless the entrants with one accord voted the championship the "best ever".

## The Northern Ontario Golf Association

**T**HE annual tournament of the Northern Association will be played on the Haileybury Golf Course on August 6-7-8.

The Northern Ontario Golf Association was formed in 1926 and originally included Haileybury, Timmins, Iroquois Falls and North Bay. The Championship Cup was donated by Mr. Geo. W. Lee, chairman of the T. & N. O. Ry. Commission. Active membership now also includes Sudbury and



The pretty club house of the Haileybury Golf Club, Haileybury, Ontario.

Chapleau; courses are being constructed at New Liskeard, Kirkland Lake and Kapuskasing, who will eventually join the association.

The course at Haileybury was constructed in 1921, and is a nine-hole course of a very sporting nature. Natural formation of the ground has limited the necessity of constructing artificial traps and bunkers to very few. The pleasure of playing on this course is further enhanced by the charming kaleidoscopic view of Lake Timiskaming to the North and South. The fine new club house was completed in 1926.

Haileybury golf course is fast becoming popular with travelling golfers and deservedly so too, as it is one of the most picturesque in Ontario and both fairways and greens are well kept up and provide every facility for the thorough enjoyment of a good game. A very interesting programme has been arranged for the annual tournament next month, and Haileybury will be the Mecca of all the leading golfers of Northern Ontario. The club has a particularly good young professional in Percy Hitchen. The present holder of the championship is Mr. C. C. Oliver, of Iroquois Falls, who in the final last year defeated Mr. H. W. Teskey, of North Bay, the 1929 champion. The president of the association is Mr. Hugh Park, manager of the famous Nipissing Mines, Cobalt, and the secretary is Mr. "Dan" Miller. Mr. Geo. W. Lee, chairman of the T. & N. O. Ry. Commission, has from the start taken a very keen interest in the Northern Ontario Association, apart from donating the Championship Cup.

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## Southpaw Championship on Saturday, September 18th

THE second annual Southpaw Championship will be played at Bathurst Golf and Country Club, Toronto, on Saturday, September 19th. This year there will be two cups, the F. H. Clarence Trophy, which is emblematic of the Handicap Championship, and the G. H. Walters Trophy, which is for the low gross score, and is open to amateurs from all parts of the Province.

Last year this competition attracted seventy left-handed players from different clubs around Toronto and District, and some splendid exhibitions of golf were displayed. The F. H. Clarence Trophy was won by Stewart McClenaghan, of Lakeview Club, vice-chairman of the Ontario Liquor Board, while the low gross was made by F. B. Baby, of Thistledown Club, who turned in a card of 82. The par of the course is 72.

With the addition of the Walters Trophy this year it is expected that many more will enter the event, and as the condition of the Bathurst course is greatly improved over last season, it is likely that the scores will be lower. The maximum handicap allowed this year will be 20. Those desirous of obtaining further information regarding this event are asked to write the Secretary of Bathurst Golf and Country Club at Newtonbrook, Ontario.

In the United States the Southpaw Championship is quite one of the outstanding fixtures of the season.

## Meeting of Governors, Seniors' Association

Additional Class Added for Players "75 Years and Over". Arrangements Completed for Annual Tournament at Mt. Bruno Sept. 2nd-4th.

A MEETING of the Governors of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association was held at the St. James Club, Montreal, on June 19th. There were present the president, Mr. P. D. Ross, Ottawa; J. J. McGill, Montreal; Geo. L. Robinson, Toronto; J. L. McCulloch, Montreal; A. A. Hodgson, Montreal; Ralph H. Reville, Brantford, and A. C. Ashforth, secretary-treasurer, Toronto.

The president referred to correspondence exchanged with the captain of the United States Seniors' Golf Association on the question of the number of players to be included on teams playing in triangular tournaments in future. It was decided that teams visiting Canada from England should have twelve players, but if they wish to, they may increase the number to sixteen;

in the event of the Canadian Seniors and United States Seniors visiting England, arrangements are to be made between the two latter teams beforehand and a decision arrived at as to the number to comprise the teams.

A discussion of the programme of events took place, and it was decided to adopt the following schedule for the tournament at Mt. Bruno:—

Wednesday, Sept. 2nd: 18 holes medal play—4 ball—commencing at 9.30 a.m. Putting competition. Annual meeting at the Mount Bruno Country Club, at 6.00 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 3rd: 18 holes medal play—4 ball—commencing at 9.30 a.m. Putting competition. Annual dinner at the Mount Bruno Country Club at 7.30 p.m.

Friday, September 4th: 2 ball foursomes competition.

It was moved by Mr. J. J. McGill, seconded by Mr. A. A. Hodgson, that His Excellency The Right Honourable The Earl of Bessborough be communicated with and asked to accept the honorary position of Patron of the Association.

It was moved by Mr. Geo. L. Robinson, seconded by Mr. R. H. Reville that an additional class be formed, to consist of members of 75 years of age and over, and to be known as Class "E". The motion was carried. Mr. P. D. Ross informed the Governors that he would be pleased to donate a cup to be played for annually by members of Class "E", the winner to hold it for one year, and the Governors decided that the Association would present a miniature of the trophy to the winner each year. Mr. G. L. Robinson moved a cordial vote of thanks to Mr. Ross for his offer, which was appropriately seconded by Mr. R. H. Reville.

It was decided to leave until the annual meeting the question of giving special prizes rather than cups or trophies to the winners of the various events.

When forwarding the annual circular, mention is to be made that when members belong to two golf clubs, or more, they are requested to report their lowest handicap,

and also that a representative team will be sent to Apawamis to take part in the International match with the United States Seniors on the 9th of September. At the same time, enquiries are to be made as to whether members will arrive in Montreal by train or motor.

The following committees were appointed to look after the arrangements for the forthcoming tournament:—

Tournament Committee: Mr. Geo. L. Robinson (chairman), Mr. R. H. Greene, Mr. John Littlejohn, Mr. Geo. S. Lyon, Mr. J. J. McGill. Match Committee: Mr. Geo. S. Lyon (chairman), Mr. Geo. L. Robinson, Mr. P. D. Ross. Entertainment and Billetting Committee, to be known as "Montreal Committee": Mr. J. J. McGill (chairman), Mr. A. B. Evans, Mr. A. A. Hodgson, Mr. J. L. McCulloch.

The question of hotel accommodation and arrangements for bus service between the hotel and the Mount Bruno course were discussed and it was decided to leave these matters in the hands of the Montreal Committee.

After the meeting adjourned, Mr. P. D. Ross entertained the Governors most delightfully at luncheon at the St. James's Club, and later to a game of golf at the Mount Bruno Country Club, where the tournament will be held next month.

## Miss Ada Mackenzie's Fine Showing

**M**ANY of the leading women players of America participated in the Invitation Tournament of the Kirtland Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio, last week. Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto, worthily represented Canada in the classiest kind of a field. The newly crowned Ontario Lady Champion played very fine golf indeed to reach the semi-finals where she met Miss Mary K. Browne, the well known expert both in tennis and golf. After a very stubborn match, the Canadian ace registered a 2 and 1 verdict against Miss Browne.

In the final she met Miss Virginia Van Wie, of Chicago, who has played several times in the Canadian Ladies' Open and who was runner-up in the American Open in 1928 and has many State and other championships to her credit. Miss Virginia all through the Cleveland Tournament was simply at the top of her game. She won the qualifying round with a par 77 and in her subsequent matches was par or better on two occasions.

In the morning round of the final the Chicago star recorded a 39 to be 4 up at the turn. Then Miss Mackenzie staged a wonderful comeback to win four holes in a row, starting with the 13th to fall just short of tying the match at the 18th, Miss Van Wie winning one up and she was rather lucky at that. Miss Mackenzie this year is playing one of the best games of her notable career and in the Canadian Open Ladies' Championship, at Rosedale, Toronto, next September, has a very good chance indeed to bring the Championship back to Canada—since 1926 when she won it, the title has rested with U.S. players.

## Mrs. Mulqueen Wins Lakeview Tourney

**N**OTWITHSTANDING adverse weather conditions, 122 of the prominent lady players of Toronto and District took part in the invitation tournament at Lakeview, Toronto, last month. The weather was certainly responsible for the high scoring, only nine of the players breaking 100 on the stiff Lakeview course, which is parred at 79 and only one, Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen, of the Toronto Golf Club, bettering 90. The nearest that any player came to playing to her handicap was three strokes over.

Mrs. Mulqueen, despite two sevens, was out in 43, her score being considerably helped by an eagle three on the fourth hole. She played the last four holes of the outgoing journey in par figures, but coming home was one over on each of the nine holes. Her winning card was 89. Her club mate, Mrs. Whittington, finished second with a 90 and she made the finish a close one by gaining a stroke on each of the sixteenth and seventeenth holes, but she was unable to get a birdie on the home hole, which would have created a tie. Miss Cecil Smith, the city champion, and Mrs. C. S. Eddis, of Rosedale, tied for third place with 91's. Mrs. Newton Richardson, of Uplands, had the low nett score with an 82.

The team match was won by Thornhill by a margin of 11 strokes over the Ladies' Club. Rosedale was third.

## The Amateur Championship and Provincial Matches

IT is particularly interesting to record that at the Inter-Provincial Matches at the Royal Montreal for the Lord Willingdon Trophy on August 7th and 8th British Columbia will be represented by the following strong team: Jack Matson, Harold Byrnjolfson, Kenneth Black, Don Gowan, and F. J. Woods. The names of the Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan (probably) teams have not yet been announced.

The members of all these teams will take part in the Amateur Championship of Canada, also to be held over the Royal Montreal course August 10th to 15th. The qualifying round, 36 holes, for the Championship proper, will be held on Monday, August 10th, and the play-downs at 36 holes at match play will follow, the final being played on Saturday, August the 15th.

The following interesting announcement under date of July 15th has been made by the R.C.G.A.:

"At a recent meeting of the executive committee it was decided on account of present conditions it is advisable to raise the handicap limit set for the Amateur Championship from 6 to 8. Entries from players with a handicap of 7 and 8 will be accepted up to and including Monday, July 27th.

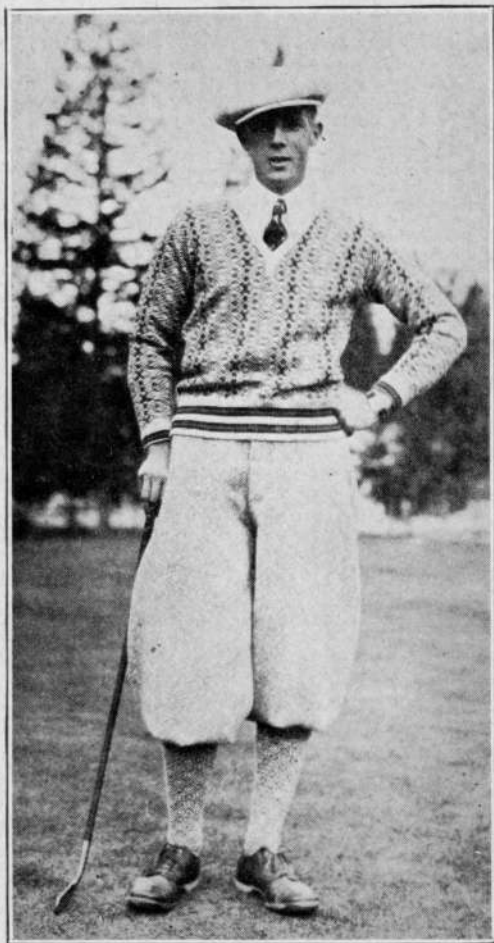
Players who have a Provincial handicap must give it. Players who have no Provincial handicap must furnish their club handicap certified by the club secretary."

This raising of the handicap will affect quite a large number of players and naturally increase the number of entries.

Ross Somerville will be on hand to defend his title and all the leading amateurs of the Dominion. In addition Mr. B. L. Anderson, secretary of the Association, has already received the following entries from the United States: Francis Ouimet (former U.S. Amateur Champion), Jesse Guildford (former U.S. Amateur Champion), Fred J. Wright, Joseph Lynch, Fred Coreoran, Arthur Ross, C. A. Crowley, W. C. Connolly, A. Perley Chase, P. A. Hendrick, H. F. Taylor, Jr., Jack McCarthy, A. V. Ellis, Jack Healey.

The Royal Montreal courses are reported to be in splendid condition and the Amateur next month in Montreal, like the Open this month at Mississauga, Toronto, will be a record both as regards entrants and galleries.

## Vancouver Golfers Make Good Showing in Pacific Northwest Championships



Freddie Wood, of Vancouver, who plays well in the outstanding Pacific Northwest Championship.

VANCOUVER golfers loomed quite large in the championships of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association last month in Tacoma. These championships attract all the leading players of the Pacific Coast and rank very high indeed.

In the Ladies' Championship, Mrs. Vera Hutchings, of Vancouver, who won the event last year, met in the final Mrs. Brent Potter, of San Jose, former Northern California champion, but in a hard fought match at 36 holes had to bow to a 2 and 1 decision.

Mrs. Hutchings was 2 up at the turn of the morning round, being out in 38 strokes. She had won four holes to Mrs. Potter's two. On the second nine the record was reversed, the Californian winning four and her opponent two holes. They travelled the route in 87 strokes. Mrs. Potter is the first Californian woman to win the championship.

In the men's championship, Freddie Wood, of Vancouver, in a very classy field reached the semi-finals where he was defeated by Frank Dolph, the rangy Portland player, who eventually won the championship, defeating in the final Dr. Willing by the handsome margin of 8 and 7. This victory it is generally thought will place Dolph on the U.S. Walker Cup team

next year, replacing Dr. Willing, who is one of the U.S. ranking players.

## British Columbia and Alberta Will Send Strong Teams to Montreal

IT is very good tidings indeed that British Columbia will have a team in the Inter-Provincial Match at the Royal Montreal Golf Club August 7th and 8th. This is the first time that B.C. has ever sent a team East and its representatives are assured of a hearty welcome. This also means that the B.C. players will participate in the Canadian Amateur to be held at the Royal Montreal, the week following the Inter-Provincial. This will give a great fillip to the amateur event as British Columbia boasts some very fine young players indeed. The team will probably consist of Harold Brynjolfson, the recent winner of the B.C. Amateur Championship, and Bob Morrison, runner-up, both of Victoria; Fred Wood, who made such a splendid showing in the Canadian Amateur at Jasper in 1929 only being beaten in the semi-finals by Eddie Held, the eventual winner of the



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In 1929 at Jasper the B.C. team in the Inter-Provincial match was only defeated by two strokes by a very strong Ontario team headed by Ross Somerville and Don Carriek. That testifies to the calibre of the game of the Pacific Coast players.

### Alberta, Too

Mr. George Mackintosh, hon. secretary of the Alberta Golf Association, also writes the Editor that arrangements for sending a strong team to the Inter-Provincial match and the Canadian Amateur are well advanced. Alberta, like B.C., can field a strong quartette of young players.

## Under Terrible Weather Conditions

Miss Audrey McLeod, of Saint John, Again Wins the New Brunswick Ladies' Championship.

(By Mr. Frank N. Robertson)

THE 1931 annual tournament of the New Brunswick Branch C.L.G.U. is over and will go down in history as one of the greatest exhibitions of pluck, endurance, and good sportsmanship that has ever been recorded in amateur sport in this part of Canada.

Weather conditions could not have been worse. A high wind driving a stinging rain in great sheets across the fairways and greens soaked the players to the skin, the visibility was so bad one could not see 200 yards ahead, while those who were forced to wear glasses could hardly see the ball to hit it. Resin was used freely on the grips but even with that the clubs would fly out of the ladies' hands. Very few of the ladies wore spiked shoes and without them it was impossible to get a footing on the slippery grass, especially as the course is very hilly. The Westfield Country Club course is situated on the top of a high plateau overlooking the Saint John River which is about a mile wide here, and nearly all the fairways and greens are much exposed being in open country and much elevated in places. This made shelter impossible and the storm had full sway. It was a wonderful

sight to see these 70 ladies battling their way over the wind and rain swept hills and never giving up. Our course is only 9 holes and the first starters were in some time before the last starters got away, and there they stood at the first tee taking the wind and rain in its full force while waiting their turn to tee off for their second nine. They observed the rules and would not take shelter as it would mean disqualification. Their clothes were ruined, and the water was running off them but not one dropped out and all went around again to complete the 18 holes. I doubt if any 70 men would have stood up to the ordeal and been as cheerful and sportsmanlike as these ladies were.

I acted as starter and scorer for the meet and never in my experience have I ever been connected with any tournament that brought out such an exhibition of gameness and good feeling in the face of awful conditions as this meet did.

Shortly after Mrs. Dolan, of Fredericton, sent the first ball sailing down the fairway at 1 p.m. Tuesday, the rain started and it was after seven that evening when the last couple came in. Drenched but happy. Nine a.m. was the starting time Wednesday for the final 18 holes and for a time it looked as though the weather might clear but by 10 a.m. it had settled down to a wet drizzle with no wind. Again the ladies got soaked to the skin and again they only smiled and kept plodding on. You simply could not down them nor drown them. Wednesday afternoon the drizzle had turned into another real rain, but many went out again for the driving and approaching and putting competitions.

There were 72 entries for the meet and only two failed to show up at the first tee. After such a terrible first day, we expected many would drop out, but not a bit were they afraid of the weather and 69 went through the second day's play.

It was impossible for even our best golfers to make scores in such weather and as for the poorer players who went into the meet for the sport of it, their scores were far worse than their usual game.

Once again Miss Audrey McLeod, of the Riverside Golf and Country Club, Saint John, annexed titular honours with a score of 188—not bad going under the terrible weather conditions. She had rounds of 101 and 87. That last round was a fine display of nerve and skill.

Mrs. Colin Mackay, Riverside, was runner-up with 194; Mrs. George Madison, Moncton, took third place with 198, and Mrs. Leo Dolan, Fredericton, 200.

Mrs. A. A. Allan, Moncton, won the nett score award with 142. Riverside Club's team won the T. Eaton & Co. Trophy with an aggregate of 832; Westfield coming second with 841. Fredericton team was third with 858 and Moncton fourth with 859.

In the second division Mrs. P. Holden, of Fredericton, headed the field with 223, closely followed by Mrs. J. W. Hill, of Riverside, St. John, with 224. Miss C. O'Leary, of Richibucto, was in 3rd place with 228.

Capturing first place honours in team competition, first division, the Riverside four, St. John, wrested from Riverdale, Moncton, the Eaton Golf Cup, a handsome silver bowl. This team's 882 low aggregate topped Westfield by nine strokes. Second division team play brought forth a sensational rally by Fredericton No. 2 for victory and the Telegraph-Journal Cup.

Their score was 929, Fredericton No. 3 placing second with 946 after leading opening day. The winning team of this struggle was composed of Mrs. Murray, Miss Chestnut, Mrs. Holden and Miss Campbell.

Mrs. Ronald Jones, of Riverside, won the approaching and putting honours. A five-fold draw for second place was played off, Mrs. Dennison, Moncton, winning.

The champion, Miss McLeod, won the driving competition, with Mrs. Campbell Mackay, also of Riverside, in second place.

At the annual meeting the Riverside Golf and Country Club, Saint John, was awarded the 1932 championship. Mrs. Hugh Mackay, of Rothesay, president of the ladies' organization of the Riverside Golf and Country Club, was elected president of the Provincial Association. Other officers elected for the ensuing year were: Secretary, Miss Helen Sidney Smith, Saint John, Riverside Club; additional members of the executive committee, representatives of the various clubs, Mrs. G. W. Maddison, Moncton, Riverside Club; Miss Aurdey McLeod, Saint John, Riverside Club; Miss Agnes Puddington, Westfield Club; Mrs. W. H. Miller, Campbellton, Restigouche Club; Mrs. C. P. Holden, Fredericton, Fredericton Club; Mrs. Ronald V. Bennett, Sackville, Sackville Club, and Miss Christine O'Leary, Richibucto, of the Miramichi Club.

Various by-laws were considered. It was voted to have the clubs pick their teams entering in the Provincial meet previous to that event and to permit each club to enter one or more teams of four in both the first division and the second division.

The officers who handled the championship so successfully were: Mrs. Geo. L. Warwick, president of our Ladies' Association; Mrs. F. N. Robertson, secretary to the tournament; Mrs. W. D. Foster, treasurer to the tournament; Miss Agnes Puddington, captain, and the following match committee, Miss H. Dykeman, Mrs. D. J. Likely, Mrs. Geo. B. Oland, F. N. Robertson, starter and scorer.

# The Ryder Cup Matches

U.S. Team Wins Easily at Sciota by a Score of Nine Matches to Three.

(By the Editor)

CONSIDERING the handicap of heat and the handicap of the new and larger U.S. ball I think that the British Ryder Cup team at Columbus really showed rather good form in capturing three events out of twelve. It would not have been surprising if they had been whitewashed under "weather and ball conditions." As Abe Mitchell, who won his foursome match with Fred Robson said to me, "It's like playing in Africa." And it was.

Sciota, where the bout was staged, is a very testing course indeed and calls for every shot in the bag. It had been groomed perfectly for the encounter and the club officials had left nothing undone for the comfort alike of the Ryder Cup teams and the large galleries which followed the play. The spectators were most impartial, in fact, it struck me that any good play made by a Britisher was really more heartily applauded than that made by an American.

The first day the foursomes were played and this is what happened:—

Walter Hagen and Densmore Shute defeated George Duncan and Arthur Havers, 10 and 9.

Johnny Farrell and Gene Sarazen defeated Archie Compston and Billie Davies, 8 and 7.

Wiffy Cox and Billie Burke defeated Syd Easterbrook and Ernest Whitecombe, 3 and 2.

Abe Mitchell and Fred Robson defeated Al Espinosa and Leo Diegel, 3 and 1.

The U.S. therefore ended the first day with 3 matches to 1. The heat in the morning literally scorched up the Sciota course but in the afternoon a thunderstorm gave some relief and the Britishers showed greatly improved form in the concluding 18-hole rounds.

The singles on the second day provided some interesting matches but the final result was never in doubt. The U.S. captured six out of the eight events as follows:

Sarazen, United States, defeated Robson, 7 and 6.

Burke, United States, defeated Compston, 7 and 6.

Shute, United States, defeated Hodson, 8 and 6.

Davies, Great Britain, defeated Farrell, 4 and 2.

Hagen, United States, defeated C. Whit-

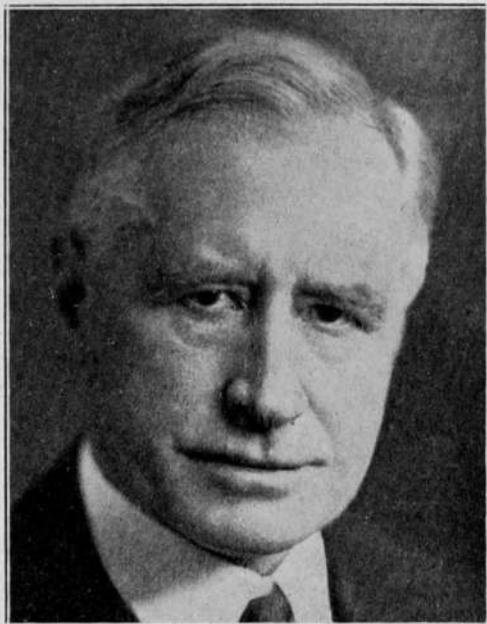
combe, 4 and 3.

Cox, United States, defeated Mitchell, 3 and 1.

Havers, Great Britain, defeated Wood, 4 and 3.

Espinosa, United States, defeated E. Whitecombe, 2 and 1.

With three victories in the foursomes and six in the singles the U.S. decisively

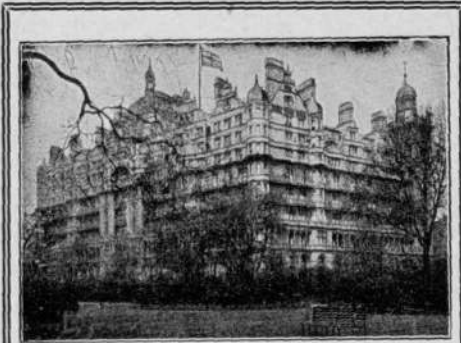


Mr. Albert R. Gates, business administrator of the U.S. Professional Golfers' Association, whose team brings back the Ryder Cup to America.

brought back the Ryder Cup to "the land and the home of the free" by a score of 9 to 3.

Davies played the stellar game for the Britishers and received congratulations many, on defeating the redoubtable Johnny Farrell, 4 and 3. He was generally picked as the best player on the visitors' team. He is a product of famous Hoylake. Havers, who accounted for Craig Wood also by a 4 and 3 margin, is the last Englishman to annex the British Open—eight years ago when he nosed out Hagen by a stroke. Since then he has not done anything of much account.

Without Percy Allis, Aubrey Boomer and Henry Cotton the British team was generally voted before their departure from the Old Country as not a representative one and it was freely predicted that they would



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be defeated. And "the prophets and I-told-you-sos" rightly sized up the situation. The team at Sciota was not good enough to win against the pick of the U.S. professionals even if the weather and other conditions had been more favourable.

The matches were extremely well run off and Mr. Albert R. Gates, of Chicago, business administrator of the Professional Golfers' Association of America, and the

officials of his association, not to mention the officers of the Sciota Club, came in for all kinds of well deserved encomiums. Mr. F. C. J. Pignon, the Press Club, London, the popular manager of the British Ryder Cup team, looked after the wants of his men in a very capable manner. His chief trouble was to keep them from being overwhelmed by hospitality. Among the scores of prominent people in the gallery was "Bobby" Jones. He followed several of the matches and was the cynosure of all eyes.

The sad story at Sciota:—

**FOURSOMES**

America	Great Britain
J. Farrell and G. Sarazen (8 & 7) 1	A. Compston and W. H. Davies .... 0
W. Hagen and D. Shute (10 & 9).... 1	G. Duncan and A. G. Havers ..... 0
L. Diegel and A. Espinosa ..... 0	A. Mitchell and F. Robson (3 & 2).. 1
C. P. Cox and W. Burke (3 & 2).... 1	S. Easterbrook and E. R. Whitcombe 0
<b>Total .....</b> 3	<b>Total .....</b> 1

**SINGLES**

W. Burke (7 & 6).. 1	A. Compston ..... 0
G. Sarazen (7 & 6) 1	F. Robson ..... 0
D. Shute (8 & 6).... 1	B. Hodson ..... 0
	W. H. Davies
J. Farrell ..... 0	(4 & 3) ..... 1
W. Hagen (4 & 3) 1	Charles Whitcombe 0
C. P. Cox (3 & 1).. 1	A. Mitchell ..... 0
Craig Wood ..... 0	A. Havers (4 & 3) 1
A. Espinosa (2 & 1) 1	E. R. Whitcombe... 0
<b>Total .....</b> 6	<b>Total .....</b> 2

The Ryder Cup record now reads as follows:—1927, won by the U.S., 9½ to 2½; 1929, won by Great Britain, 7 to 5; 1931, won by U.S., 9 to 3. The match at Sciota therefore gives the U.S. "the rubber". In 1933 the matches will be played in England. In 1926 an informal match was played which was won by Great Britain, 13½ to 1½, but this does not count in the records.

## Dainty Trophy for Lady "One-Shotters"

**T**HIS year lady golfers whose clubs belong to the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union have again a charming trophy offered for their prowess on the links. Ellis Bros., prominent Canadian jewellers and silversmiths, of 98 Yonge Street, Toronto, have arranged with the executive of the C.L.G.U. to present an authentic Sheffield reproduction salver to any member who this season makes a hole-in-one on a Canadian golf links. The conditions governing the presentation are as follows:—

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The prize will be sent prepaid to any address in Canada, on receipt of the score card initialled by the club secretary.

## Interesting Events in the Thunder Bay District

**D**ESPITE the fact that the golf season in Thunder Bay District is little more than a month old, a number of startling upsets have been provided in feature competitions so far. Jim Whalen and Cranford Gibbs, Port Arthur Country Club, registered two of these when they scored victories over Johnny Henry, district champion, in match play in the Country Club invitation tournaments. Whalen went through to win the championship flight of the Port Arthur Country Club event, but Gibbs fell before Bill Gibson, Port Arthur Municipal course star, who in turn was beaten by Mayor E. G. Murphy, Fort William, in the final of the Fort William Country Club event. The low scores being turned in by an even dozen of the leading golfers of the district promise interesting competition when the district title tournament is being played in September. Seventy-two golfers entered the Fort William week-end tournament, establishing a record for this type of event in the district.

An open professional's medal play competition has proved an interesting event in conjunction with the invitation tournaments being held by the four courses in Thunder Bay District. At the Fort William Municipal Links, some 500 persons followed the pros around the course. Charlie Nixon, Fort William Country Club, won the event, and strengthened his claim to the title when he shot a 75 over his home course in the second of the series, leading his nearest rival by six strokes. Nixon's in-coming card, with par, was:—Par: 435 444 443—35 Nixon: 444 435 434—35

## With the Professionals

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

Despatch from Miami Valley Club, Dayton, Ohio, June 22nd:—

“Big Ed Dudley, of Wilmington, Delaware, captured the Western Open Golf Championship by four strokes yesterday after giving the balloon ball four of the merriest rides of its stormy career.

Taming the larger pellet with an unusual and consistent brilliancy, Dudley toured the heavily trapped Miami Valley Golf Club fairways with cards of 69, 70, 70 and 71, to pile up a 72-hole total of 280, four shots lower than Walter Hagen, of Detroit, the runner-up. It was the fourth lowest total since the Western Open began way back in 1899, and four strokes under par for the distance.

Seventeen “birdies” rattled off the big fellow's clubs and gave him more than enough insurance for the eleven holes on which he required extra strokes over perfect figures.

Seven shots away from the new champion and three away from the “Haig” came Gene Sarazen, of New York, who lost his championship, and Jock Collins, Dayton's home-town pride. Olin Dutra, of Los Angeles, ranked fifth with 289, while Julius Ackerbloom, Little Rock, Ark., pro, landed in a sixth place tie with Bob Macdonald, Chicago, with 290.

Sixteen others shattered 300, including Mortie Dutra, Long Beach, Calif., 291, and George Von Elm, Detroit, 292.”

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After a lengthy illness, Norman Bell, former professional at the Thornhill and

Islington Golf and Country Clubs, Toronto, died June 21st in London, Ont. After an accident of a minor character some years ago, Norman Bell was stricken with a spinal complaint. At the time he was professional at the Thornhill Club. He appeared to regain his health, and accepted a position with the Islington Club, which he was compelled to relinquish.

Bell was one of three brothers who picked up the rudiments of golf about the Toronto golf course when it was located on Coxwell Avenue. Percy Bell is professional at the Bathurst Golf and Country Club, while William Bell is attached to a club in the United States. A fine clean-cut professional was Norman, alike popular with his brother pros and golfers generally. To the bereaved widow and three sons the sympathy of friends throughout Ontario will go out, in which expression the Editor of the “Canadian Golfer” begs leave to be associated.

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David Hutchison, recently appointed hon. secretary of the Canadian Professional Golf Association, announces that the annual match, sixteen Ontario pros against sixteen pros of Western New York, will be played next September in Toronto, date and venue to be announced later. This competition is for the Ward Trophy. The Americans won by a narrow margin in 1929 at Fonthill, Welland, and again in 1930 at Transit Valley. This year at Toronto the Canadians are confident of registering a win. Several of the Ontario professionals

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this season are unquestionably playing the best game of their career and the Western New Yorkers will have to field a fine team if they hope to retain the trophy.

George Elder, of Whitlock, and Jock Brown, of Summerlea, two of the leading

pros of the Montreal District, shared honours in the regular fortnightly tournament of the Montreal Professional Golfers' Alliance held at the Laval-sur-le-Lac course. The Whitlock pro took 75 in the morning, but came back strong in the afternoon to post a 72 for a total of 147. Jock

Brown, who won the M.P.G.A. title last year, was more consistent, getting 73 in the morning and 74 in the afternoon for his total of 147. Arthur F. MacPherson, of Marlborough, was third with 78-73—151.

In the afternoon round the pros played with amateurs of Laval-sur-le-Lac and among these Jaques Archambault turned in the best nett score with a 69. He had a gross of 76. L. Papineau had a nett 70 and Albert Rolland a nett 72.

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Fred C. Fletcher, professional at the Moose Jaw Golf Club, writes:—

“At last we are getting some rain in this district and our course is looking better than for the past two years. I built a new ninth green this year and we have had wonderful success with it as we are now playing it and it is just over five weeks since I seeded it. This is fast work for a

new green and it really is in very good shape.”

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Harold Marsh, who was professional at the Burlington Golf and Country Club last year, is the sport director this season at the famous Log Chateau, Lucerne-in-Quebec. He is admirably equipped for this important position at Lucerne.

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Freddie Hunt, the Brantford professional, who has made a very good showing this season in all the championships, on July 14th set a new record for the Brantford course. He was on his game with a vengeance, having 13 par fours and five birdies. The card:—

Par out .....	454	345	345—37
Hunt .....	444	334	344—33
Par in .....	443	434	454—35—72
Hunt .....	443	434	444—34—67

## Billie Burke, Former Caddie

**Wins U.S. Open Championship After a Double Play-off with George Von Elm, Former U.S. Amateur Champion. Poor Showing of the Britishers.**

THE U.S. Open Championship at Toledo, Ohio, witnessed the complete route of the British invaders, who found the hot weather anything to their liking. The new ball, too, was a handicap, although granted these two excuses their showing was anything but inspiring and it looks as though the Old Country players to-day are strokes back of the leading Americans.

Only one member of the British Ryder Cup team finished, W. H. (Billie) Davies, posting a total of 307. The only other Briton to stick the route was Percy Alliss, representing a Berlin club, with 315. France's entry, Auguste Boyer, wound up with 307.

Tommy Armour, fresh from winning the British Open and installed a warm favourite to win, was also off his game and was never in the picture.

Tied for first place in the championship at the end of the 4th round with 292 were Billie Burke, of Polish ancestry, former caddie but now professional at the Blind Brook Club, Greenwich, and Geo. Von Elm, self-styled “business man” of the game, a

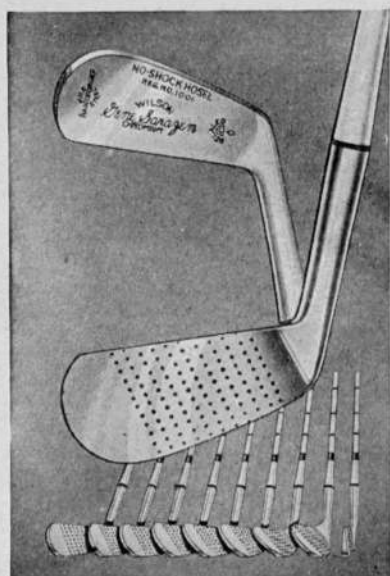
former U.S. Amateur Champion. Burke had steady rounds of 73, 72, 74 and 73, whilst Von Elm carded 75, 69, 73 and 75.

Burke and Von Elm had a two-stroke margin over the rest of the field. Leo Diegel, from Agua Caliente, came strong with a final 72, but it was only good to give him third place with a total of 294. In a triple tie for fourth place at 296 were Wiffy Cox and Gene Sarazen, of New York, and Bill Mehlhorn, of Pinewald, N.J.

Tied at 297 were Walter Hagen and Mortie Dutra, of Long Beach, Cal., both of whom tossed away golden opportunities on the closing round. The tie at 297 also included T. Philip Perkins, of New York, the former British Amateur Champion, who not only led all the amateur competitors as he finished with a fine par-breaking 70, but finished far in front of the nearest finisher among the disorganized British professional forces.

The play-off for the title between Von Elm and Burke, was of a most sensational character. At the end of the 36 holes they were again all-square with scores of 149. That meant an-





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other 36-hole grind. A despatch from Toledo, Ohio, July 6th, tells the tale of the finish of this gruelling fight.

"The greatest of United States golfing marathons, lasting five days and 144 holes, came to an end this evening on the battle-scarred links of Inverness, with Billie Burke, the Lithuanian-American boy from Connecticut, crowned as Open Champion of the United States, and occupant of the throne vacated by Bobby Jones.

Just when it looked as though Burke and his fighting rival, George Von Elm, of Los Angeles, intended to battle it out all week, black-haired Billie rallied to win by a single stroke with a final par-equaling

round of 71, his best and by far the most spectacular round of the struggle between these two. Burke finished the 36-hole play-off day with a score of 77-71-148. Von Elm wound up with a tally of 76-73-149.

They had been tied at the end of the regulation 72 holes of championship play at 292 each, two strokes ahead of their nearest rival, Leo Diegel. At the close of the first 36-hole play-off Sunday, they were again deadlocked at 149 strokes each, so that when they finished the last hole today, they were only a single stroke apart in their record-shattering duel, Burke with a grand total of 589 strokes for 144 holes, and Von Elm with 590."

## Western Ontario Public Golf Association

At a meeting held at the Thames Valley Golf Club, London, Ont., on July 15th, 1931, representatives being present from Arrowdale Golf Club, Brantford; Lakeview Golf Club, Sarnia; Pinelands Golf Club, Sarnia; Oakwood Golf Club, Grand Bend; Stratford Civic Golf Club, Stratford; St. Thomas Public Golf Club, St. Thomas; Mitchell Golf Club, Mitchell; Fairmont Golf Club, London; Roseland Golf and Country Club, Windsor; Dominion Golf Club, Windsor, and Thames Valley Golf Club, London, it was resolved:

First—That this meeting, representing eleven golf clubs in Western Ontario, form an association to be called "The Western Ontario Public Golf Association."

Second—That for the purposes of this association a public golf course or club defined as "where it is not necessary for a person to hold stock in order to obtain playing privileges or membership."

Third—That for the purposes of the association Western Ontario be defined as including Hamilton, Ont., and all points west of there.

Fourth—That the purposes of this association be to run tournaments for golfers defined in clause 2, to create an interest in public golf and to help the interest of member clubs in any way possible.

Fifth—That the annual membership fee in this Association be \$5.00 per club or course.

The following were elected officers of the association:—

Honorary president, Ralph H. Reville; president, E. V. Buchanan; first vice-president, H. J. Neal, Windsor; vice-president, H. G. Lewis, St. Thomas; secretary-treasurer, John Innes; executive committee, D. R. Nelson, Sarnia, Dr. Gillrie, Mitchell, F. C. Walker, Grand Bend, W. Y. Donaldson, Stratford.

The first annual tournament and championship of the association was awarded to the Thames Valley Golf Course, in London, to be played on Wednesday, July 29th.

## Great Britain and Overseas

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

SCOTLAND gained a thoroughly deserved and popular victory when they beat England by 6-3 and so repeated their success in the competition for the International Shield, which was theirs when the matches were last played in Ireland. The scores:—

SCOTLAND	ENGLAND
Mrs. Watson .....	0 Miss Fishwick
Miss Park .....	0 (19th) .....
Miss McCulloch.....	0 Miss Morgan
Miss Cameron	(2/1) .....
(5/4) .....	1 Miss Corlett
Miss Montgomery	(1 up) .....
(3/2) .....	1 Mrs. Gold .....
Mrs. Percy (1 up)..	1 Mrs. Porter .....
Mrs. Greenlees	Miss Rudgard .....
(7/5) .....	1 Miss Garnham .....
Miss Coats (5/4)..	1 Miss Rabbidge.....
Miss Burton (2/1)	1 Miss Holmes .....
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A remarkable incident marked the golf match between Sir William Sleigh, of Edinburgh, and J. Cargill Cantley, of St. Andrews, in the inter-city contest which St. Andrews Town Council won from the Edinburgh Corporation, 7 to 4, at St. Andrews, Scotland, recently. Sir William played his second shot to the first hole twenty yards short of the Swilcan Burn, which runs past the green. Cantley, having sliced his tee shot, played his second with a No. 1 iron and the ball, after carrying about seventy yards, fell on his opponent's ball. Both bounded high in the air,

Sir William's going onto the green about thirty yards away, while Cantley's fell short into the burn.

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Eric Martin Smith, the Amateur Champion, was a member of the Oxford and Cambridge Society team that beat Stokes Poges at Slough by 4 games to 3, with one halved. Martin Smith, in the first matches, was partnered by O. C. Bristowe, the International, and they halved the top game with A. D. Cave and R. H. Oppenheimer. Later Martin Smith and Bristowe beat R. H. de Montmorency and R. W. A. Speed by 3 and 2.

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In winning the stroke competition from scratch, at Chislehurst, G. P. Jackson, the Oxford Blue, established a new amateur record for the course with 65, beating the previous record, held by the brothers Lister and Rex Hartley, by one stroke.

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C. G. Simmons created a new amateur record of 68 for the Willingdon course (near Eastbourne) when taking part in the first round of the Frazer Cup. He had a second round of 76, and, with an aggregate of 144, carried off the trophy.

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The St. George's Hill Club, Weybridge, has been purchased by a company formed of members of the

club and owners of houses on the estate. Sir Philip Pilditch, Bart., M.P., is the chairman.

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A remarkable feat of endurance on the links was accomplished by Comdr. C. R. Wace, who played 13 rounds on the Westgate-on-Sea and Birchington course in 17½ hours. Comdr. Wace started at 4.5 a.m., and played until 9.40 p.m. His rounds averaged about one hour and 20 minutes, and the 12th occupied less than one hour and 40 minutes. The course is 5,002 yards in length, and possesses a bogey of 69. Wace did the first seven rounds in just under seven hours, an average of one round per hour. His fastest round was the second, accomplished in 53 minutes. The lowest score returned by Wace, who is a handicap 4

player, was 74, while not one of his other dozen rounds accounted for more than 86 strokes, which represented his worst round of the day. For his 13th round, which was completed in darkness, Wace played a match against A. Read, a handicap 12 player, and, in spite of his earlier efforts, he won the match by 2 and 1. Altogether, Comdr. Wace played 234 holes (sinking all putts) in 1,019 strokes (or an average of under 5 strokes per hole), and walked nearly 45 miles in so doing. Conditions, except for the heat, were good. The player halted twice for baths, but took no meals, although a drink or so, and finished in wonderful trim except for foot blisters. The endurance record is held by Mr. Bruce Sutherland, who in June, 1927, played 14 rounds in just over 19 hours at Craiglockart.

## In and Round the Club House

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

The field day for Bronze Division players only of the Quebec Branch of the C.L.G.U. held last month at the Country Club, Montreal, attracted a large field of players. Miss Marion Taylor, of Summerlea, Montreal, was the winner of the major honours when she led a field of 180 golfers with a gross of 97 made over the testing Country Club course. The best nett honours went to Mrs. L. Hambrock, of Marlborough, with a card of 57-51-108-73. The second best gross honours were divided between Mrs. R. H. Vickers, of Summerlea, and Mrs. E. A. Martin, of Summerlea, both of whom turned in cards of 102. Mrs. Vickers went out in 49 and returned in 53 for a card of 102-73, and Mrs. Martin had 51-51-102-73.

The second best nett prize went to Mrs. Peto, of Kanawaki, with a 74. Mrs. Peto's card read 56-51-107-74. The special prize for 36 handicap players was divided between Miss Lois Burpe, of Islesmere, with 53-53-

106-70, and Mrs. H. Henderson, of Forest Hills, with 52-54-106-70.

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With ninety golfers taking part, a number of whom were from different parts of the Province and from Quebec, the annual golf tournament of the Bank of Nova Scotia was held last month on the Royal York golf course, Toronto.

The winner of the tournament was A. W. Palmer, who turned in a gross score of 85, defeating A. McD. McBain. The handicap was won by H. K. Stevens, who had a score of 70, and defeated H. J. Coon by 2 strokes.

After the match a dinner was held in the club house, at which the prizes were presented. The results were:—

Gross scores—A. W. Palmer, 80; A. McD. McBain, 88; A. G. McDonald, 92.

Nett scores—H. K. Stevens, 70; H. J. Coon, 72; C. D. Schurman, 72.

Putts on the round—G. L. Zeigler, 29; E. G. Spencer, 30; P. R. McMaster, 31.

Gross score on first nine—I. Ross, 46; F. W. Ross, 46.

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Gross score, second nine—James Brydon, 44; H. D. Burns, 45.

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Driving competition—E. E. King, 255 yards.

Sealed holes—E. J. Mabon, 13; R. P. Webb, 15.

Longest drive, seventeenth hole—F. V. Massey, 274 yards; R. G. Norman, 258 yards; W. K. Waters, 244 yards.

Low gross, 30 and over—A. L. Macdonald, 107; F. B. Hopkirk, 107.

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Mr. K. F. Wadsworth, of Toronto, playing in fine form, won the championship honours in competition with 23 players from various points in the Province in the annual Feed Manufacturers' tournament on the new Cutten golf course, Guelph, as part of a sports programme in connection with a convention at the O.A.C.

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Miss Cecil Smith, of the Toronto Golf Club, succeeded Mrs. E. W. Whittington, also of the Toronto Golf Club, as champion of the Tor-

onto Ladies' Clubs. Miss Smith won the championship with a total of 171. After the first round, Mrs. Whittington led Miss Smith by 5 strokes. Mrs. Whittington returned an 80 on the first day but played erratic and inconsistent golf on the second day finishing with a total of 175, while her younger opponent continuing in a consistent fashion finished with an aggregate of 171.

Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen, Toronto Golf Club, a former Canadian and city champion, finished in third place with a total of 176, while Miss Maude Smith, Toronto Golf Club, a sister of the champion, was fourth, and Mrs. C. S. Eddis, of Rosedale, made fifth place certain with a total of 180. There was a very large field of entrants.

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Mr. R. C. H. Cassels, K.C., Toronto, president of the Toronto Golf Club, is spending the summer in England and will play over a number of the well known courses there.

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Golf Limited, 46 Colborne St., Toronto, had a record year in 1930 but sales so far this season far surpass those of 1930. Golf Limited are distributors for the far-famed Toro mowers and equipment, Economy sprinklers, and other golf course requisites. They are also specialists in creeping bent stolons, grown in their own nurseries. A good firm for golf executives to get in touch with for all golf course requirements.

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Despatch from Hamilton, June 29th:—

"Arrangements have been completed whereby the big golf tournament to be held in conjunction with the union printers' baseball tournament here Aug. 16 to 23, will be held at the Dundas Valley Golf and Country Club. It is expected that well over one hundred golfers, representing about twenty major cities in the United States and Canada will participate."

A field of 56 players took part in the handicap competition at Summerlea, Montreal, July 7th. A. L. Bradley, of Summerlea, promising young university student, and Earl Robinson, of Senneville, outstanding scoring star of the International Hockey League, divided honours. Bradley took the prize for the best gross for players with handicaps of nine and under, and Robinson was the winner of a similar award for players with marks of ten and over, but in each case the winning score was the same. The rivals toured the Summerlea layout in 75 strokes.

In order to capture the first prize, Bradley was forced to play off with G. E. Fenwick, of Summerlea, and E. A. Innes, of Islesmere, both of whom scored 75's.

The prize for the best nett in the first division went to J. R. Colby, Jr., of Royal Montreal, whose 76 gross gave him a 67 nett. In the second division, two nett prizes were awarded, and these went to J. D. Cageorge, of Summerlea, with 79-12-67, and J. G. Bryce, of Marlborough, with 79-11-68.

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The Hamiota Golf Club, Manitoba, entertained 18 members of the Shoal Lake Golf Club and after concluding an 18-hole foursome match, lunch was served in the hospital aid pavilion, about 75 enjoying a fine lunch provided by the Hamiota ladies. A most enjoyable time was spent, prizes were given to the visitors making the lowest 9-hole score, Mrs. M. C. Markle winning the ladies' prize, and Messrs. Pollock and Morris tying for gents' prize.

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Miss Lucille Rolland, the diminutive Laval-sur-le-Lac player, deserves unstinted praise in winning the gross honours in the field day competition of the Quebec Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union at the Islesmere Golf and Country Club, Montreal. She carded a 94 total and led home such performers as Miss Marjorie Kirkham, Forest Hills, the Canadian

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Close titleholder; Miss Doris Taylor, who in the past represented Summerlea, but who is entered in competitions this summer from Kanawaki; Mrs. W. Garth Thomson, twice runner-up in the Canadian Women's Senior Championship; and other well known experts. It was one of the most popular victories registered in local competitive play for Miss Rolland is one of the most popular players in Montreal.

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The Montreal Branch of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy held its summer golf tournament at the Whitlock Golf Club. P. B. Yancey headed the class A golfers for low gross honours, while D. McD. Westbrook had the low nett. In class B, J. Bell took low gross honours and K. A. Creery had the low nett.

Among the mining engineers, H. B. Willmott had the low gross and R. D. Hearn the low nett. Sealed hole prizes, numbers eight and fourteen, went to P. B. Yancey and W. T. May.

W. G. McBride, of the Canadian Interseas Limited, presented the prizes at the conclusion of a successful tourney.

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Despatch from Tillsonburg, Ont., June 26th:—

The Tillsonburg Golf and Country Club held their official opening to-day, when the members and shareholders, together with their wives and lady friends, were entertained in the beautiful new club house just completed, and which replaces the one destroyed by fire last fall. The afternoon opened with a draw being made for a handicap nine-hole two-ball mixed foursome, by President S. G. Vance and Captain H. F. Johnston and the ladies' captain, Mrs. C. O. Thomson and vice-captain, Mrs. C. S. Hogarth.

The prizes were awarded for first and second low nett score to Miss Doris Weston and E. P. Carroll, 32, and Miss Marion Torrens and Claude Hayton, 36. Following the mixed contest, a gentlemen's contest for eighteen holes was played, and resulted in B. Burn, Jr., and Charles Minshall winning first and second respectively, the prizes being awarded for the lowest nett handicap scores, which were 64 and 65.

At 5.30 p.m., supper was served in the spacious club house to 125 guests by the president, Mrs. W. G. Pow, and her execu-

tive. After supper an enjoyable time was spent in progressive bridge and dancing."

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Cool and steady Dave Arnott, present Manitoba amateur golf titleholder, clipped two strokes off par at his home course, the Assiniboine Club, carding a sparkling 69. Dave equalled regulation figures with a 36 for the first nine and breezed home in 33, two under par. His performance is a new record for the remodelled Assiniboine Club.

Arnott's card follows:

Out .....	443	444	454	—36
In .....	344	543	334	—33—69

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A new picturesque golf course, situated on "One-Mile" Road, northeast of Emerson, Manitoba, was officially opened last month. It is a community enterprise and has been located on 80 acres of beautiful, well-treed, rolling property.

Residents of the town have expressed their pleasure at the splendid work done in the formation of the pretty course and give credit to the green committee, composed of President Sullivan, H. H. Wright, secretary, and A. D. Batchelor, chairman, for their efforts in establishing the community golf course.

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Despite weather which would have dampened the ardor of any but inveterate golfers, a big field turned out for the annual competition at the Willowdale course of the T. Eaton Golf Club on July 11th. F. C. Pollitt, of the Hamilton office, won the R. Y. Eaton Cup, emblematic of the lowest nett score, with 75. J. H. Morris, of Toronto, turned in an 83 for the lowest gross and the F. C. Boothe Shield. Below are the winners:—

First Flight—First nett, R. Y. Eaton Cup, F. C. Pollitt, 75; first gross, C. Boothe Shield, J. H. Morris, 83; second gross, J. M. Samson, 84; third gross, J. C. Thompson, 84; second nett, N. Corken, Montreal, 75; third nett, G. Thompson, 77; fourth nett, J. J. Davidson, 78; fifth nett, Bob. Friend, 78; sixth nett, C. C. Brooks, 79.

Second Flight—First nett, Harry McGee Trophy, T. Britton, 69; first gross, J. J. Vaughan Cup, W. G. Beamish, 69; second

gross, W. Morton, 92; third gross, H. Martin, 97; second nett, C. A. Barry, 72; third nett, R. Ware, 74; fourth nett, J. S. Collins, 75; fifth nett, J. C. Knott, 75; sixth nett, W. S. Miller, 77.

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"Highly successful," was the general comment on the ladies' invitation golf tournament, which was held at the Brantford Golf and Country Club July 7th. About 50 players participated. The team prize was won by Galt. The long driving of Miss Winnifred Robinson, St. Catharines, was the feature of the afternoon events. Mrs. E. C. Gould, president of the ladies' golf club, most cordially welcomed the players from the various cities and expressed the hope that the day had proved as pleasurable to the guests as the hosts. She presented the prizes, assisted by Miss Isobel Adams, to the following winners of the various events:—

Best gross score, 82, Miss Winnifred Robinson, St. Catharines; best nett score, 69, Miss B. McMurty, Galt; second gross score, 89, Miss K. Bishop, Brantford; second nett score, 74, Miss Snodgrass, Ancaster; best gross for first nine, 43, Mrs. Stevens, Galt; best gross for second nine, 47, Miss I. Hunter, Galt; best nett for first nine, 36, Miss I. Adams, Brantford; best nett for second nine, 38, Mrs. W. Cowley, London Hunt. Driving, silver division, longest drive, Miss Winnifred Robinson, St. Catharines, who had the remarkable total of 745 yards, made up of 250 yards, 250 yards, 245 yards; aggregate drive, Mrs. Stevens, Galt. Bronze division, longest drive, Miss B. McMurty, Galt; aggregate drive, Miss Thornton, Woodstock. Approaching and putting: Miss Marion Thomson, Paris, and Mrs. W. Robinson, tie; Miss Thomson, winner. Putting: First prize, Mrs. Wallace, Woodstock; second prize, Mrs. W. Robinson, St. Catharines. Team prize: Galt, Miss J. McCullough, 100; Miss I. Hunter, 96; Miss M. McMurty, 101; Mrs. Stevens, 92, total 389. Best gross for Brantford Golf and Country Club: Miss Katherine Bishop; best nett for Brantford Golf and Country Club, Miss Isobel Adams.

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Mrs. Andrew Kay, wife of the well-known Lambton professional, is not letting her husband have all the golfing honours these days. This month she won the third Eaton Gift Shop trophy match at the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club, defeating a

strong entry from clubs of Toronto. The match is a handicap, Mrs. Kay winning with a score of 96-25-71. Miss Ada Mackenzie turned in the low gross score. She had a card of 81. Miss Mackenzie was followed by Mrs. A. B. Fraser, Toronto Golf, 83, and Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, also Toronto Golf, with an 84.

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W. E. McCadden, Manager of the Langara Golf Links, Vancouver, B.C., writes June 29:—

Jock Fraser, star of the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club made a new record on this course to-day. Jock was playing like a book and had two eagles and one birdie on his card of 71. Langara is one of the hardest tests of golf anywhere, and birdies are rare, but eagles are seldom made. Charlie McCadden with a 72 has held this record for 3 years.

Jock was playing with Messrs. A. A. Nevison, Norman Van and Bill Main. His card:

Out .....	445	333	454—35
In .....	345	445	434 36—71

The par for the course is 72. The professional record is 70, made by Bill Barr of Quilchena Golf Club, Vancouver.

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A most successful two-ball four-some tournament was concluded at York Downs Golf Club this month under the auspices of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union with 266 members of the fair sex competing.

Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen and Miss Myriam Elmesley of the Toronto Club carried off the honours for the day with a gross score of 84, to be followed by Mrs. E. W. Whittington and Mrs. Ronald Holmes of Toronto Club, with an 88.

The prize for the first net score which was donated by the Board of Directors of the York Downs Club, was captured by Miss Douglas Gunn and Miss Audrey Jackson of the Ladies' Club, with a 71. The ladies' section of the York Downs Club donated the prize for the second net score, which was won by Mrs. W. E. Peppall of York Downs and Miss Ella Kidd of the Ladies' Club, with a 78.

Mrs. H. B. Henwood, President of the Ladies' Section of the York Downs Club, donated the prize for

the third net score, which was captured by Mrs. Kenneth Thorne and Mrs. L. D. McKellar of Weston.

Five players were tied for the putting competition, the first prize, which was donated by Mrs. John Hobkirk of York Downs, being awarded to Mrs. W. E. Hodgson of Thornhill.

The prizes were presented at the conclusion of the tournament by Mrs. Fisher, Chairman of the Toronto Permanent Committee of the C.L.G.U., who was assisted by Mrs. John M. Lyle, President of the C.L.G.U., and Mrs. H. B. Henwood.

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The Ontaritzi Golf Club, situated at Lake St. Joseph, near Quebec, was re-opened this month after a suspension of a number of years. The course is 18 holes and very picturesquely situated. The club was first started in 1920.

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In spite of inclement weather there was a large attendance of members of the ladies' section of the Islington Club, Toronto, at the annual field day. The special prize for the best showing in the various competitions was won by Mrs. Andrew Kay. First and second prizes were awarded on each of the three flights for each event as follows:—

Medal round—Mrs. A. Kay, Mrs. Morley Smith, Mrs. George Coyles, Mrs. M. Eagles, Mrs. C. L. Ralls, Mrs. M. Cunningham.

Driving—Mrs. W. L. Horn, Mrs. A. Kay, Mrs. C. Hawkins, Mrs. A. M. Rowland, Mrs. R. C. Berkinshaw, Mrs. A. Portch.

Longest individual drive—Mrs. W. L. Horn.

Approaching—Mrs. J. W. Rush, Mrs. E. L. Clarke, Mrs. W. C. Ryan, Mrs. George Carl, Mrs. Fraser Raney, Mrs. R. C. Berkinshaw.

Putting—Mrs. E. L. Clarke, Miss Eagleton, Mrs. M. Eagles, Miss E. Shanklin, Mrs. F. A. Lowe, Mrs. E. D. Henry.

Obstacle golf for all flights—Mrs. H. Bellinger and Miss E. Eagleton.

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Mrs. H. K. Stevens, of Galt, lowered the course record for ladies last month when she played over the Waterloo County Golf and Country Club course, Galt, Ontario, in 84 at the invitation tournament held at the club. Forty players from the London Hunt,

the Highlands Club of London, St. Thomas, Stratford, Woodstock, Paris, Kitchener, Brantford and Guelph took part in the competition, playing 18 holes in the morning and entering the driving and approaching and putting competitions in the afternoon. Other prizes went to Mrs. Wallace, of Woodstock, second best gross; best gross on first nine tied by Miss Janet McCulloch and Miss Kathleen Scott, of Galt, won by Miss Scott in the draw; best gross on second nine, tied by Mrs. Croal, of Kitchener, and Mrs. Copus, of Stratford, won by Mrs. Copus; best nett, Miss Bier, Brantford; second best nett, Miss B. McMurry, of Galt; long drive, Mrs. Croal; three aggregate drives, Mrs. H. K. Stevens; first approaching and putting, Miss J. McCulloch; second approaching and putting, tied by Mrs. Howitt, Guelph, Mrs. Copus, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Croal, won by Mrs. Howitt; best gross, local nine-hole players, Mrs. F. W. Hogg; second, tied by Mrs. H. K. Mackendrick and Mrs. J. E. Gardiner, won by Mrs. Gardiner; team prize to Galt, Mrs. H. K. Stevens, Miss Janet McCulloch, Miss Beatrice McMurry and Miss Kathleen Scott.

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W. Duncan was the principal winner in the annual golf match of the Thistle Curling Club, Montreal, held over the course of the Beaconsfield Golf Club, scoring a net 62. The second best net of 66 was turned in by R. C. Ronalds. C. C. Fraser, the noted Kanawaki player, was well up in the prize list, leading class A with a net of 68. H. D. Carr led class B with a 68 and J. L. MacCulloch was the class C leader with a 66. On the first nine, J. I. Rankin led in net scoring in class A, and W. Irving and D. C. MacPherson in classes B and C, respectively. On the second nine, H. T. Macfarlane, J. L. Wilson and J. P. Anglin were the winners. Keith Milne won in the sealed hole event. The President versus Vice-President battle resulted in a tense battle, the President's team winning by seven matches to six.



Despatch from Chicago, July 12th:

A pool of Chicago golfers has revealed that 320 out of 402 golfers voted in favour of a return to the golf ball which the U.S.G.A. discarded at the beginning of the year. There were only 82 supporters who voted for the new ball.

Of the 402 voters, 213 preferred to putt with the new ball. As against 189 who don't. As for the shot to the green, 195 liked the new ball better while 207 preferred the old ball. An overwhelming majority preferred the old ball for driving.

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Despatch from Kingston, Ont., June 29th:—

“Major G. N. C. Martin, of the Catarauqui Golf and Country Club, was the winner of

the 36-hole gross score in the invitation tournament held at the Catarauqui Club, with a card of 152. George Gaulkner, of Belleville, won the 36-hole nett score with 143. In the round of 18 holes F. Corrigan, of Ottawa, won the gross score with a card of 82, and three Ottawa players tied for the nett score. The Ottawa players were C. Booth, A. Booth and C. Martin, each scoring 72 for the round. These three players will decide the winner of the tie at the Rivermead course at Ottawa.

The afternoon gross score was won by George Matheson with a card of 81, and the afternoon nett went to A. M. Richards, of Ottawa, with a card of 70. A beautiful day greeted the players in the tournament, and a large field took the course.”

## The Tournament Calendar for 1931

July 25—Invitation Tournament, Quebec Golf Club.

July 30th—August 1st—Annual Invitation Buck Wood Trophy, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

July 31 to August 2—Mid-Summer Tournament, Del Monte, Cal.

August 1—Professional Exhibition Golf, Lucerne-in-Quebec Golf Club.

Aug. 4-8—Public Links Championship of U.S., Keller G. C., St. Paul, Minnesota.

Aug. 7-8—Inter-Provincial Match, The Royal Montreal Golf Club, Dixie, Que.

Aug. 10-15—Amateur Championship of Canada, The Royal Montreal Golf Club, Dixie, Que.

August 11-14—Ninth Annual Tournament of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association, Victoria Golf Club, Victoria, B.C.

August 17, etc.—Willingdon Cup Tournament, Banff, Alta.

August 17-21—Saskatchewan Open Championship, Riverside Country Club, Saskatoon, Sask.

August 17-21—Saskatchewan Amateur Championship, Riverside Country Club, Saskatoon, Sask.

August 17-21—Saskatchewan Junior Championship, Riverside Country Club, Saskatoon, Sask.

August 17-21—Saskatchewan Ladies' Championship (Saskatchewan Section C.L.G.U.), Saskatoon Golf Club, Saskatoon, Sask.

August 20—22, Annual Best Ball Four-some Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

August 21—Open Championship of Quebec, Summerlea Golf Club, Montreal.

August 22—Amateur Championship of Quebec, Summerlea Golf Club, Montreal.

August 24-28—Manitoba Ladies' Championship, St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg.

August 29—Manitoba Junior Championship, Assiniboine Club, Winnipeg.

Aug. 31—Second annual White Sulphur Springs Women's Championship, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Aug. 31-Sept. 5—U.S. National Amateur Championship, Beverly Country Club, Chicago, Ill.

September 2—Junior Team Championship, Province of Quebec, Marlborough Golf Club, Montreal.

September 3, etc.—Seniors' Tournament of Manitoba, Southwood Club, Winnipeg.

Sept. 2-4—Canadian Seniors' Annual Tournament, Mount Bruno Golf Club, Montreal.

September 4-7—Alberta Provincial Championships, Calgary Golf and Country Club, Calgary, Alta.

September 5-6—Provincial Father and Son Golf Tournament, Lucerne-in-Quebec Golf Club.

September 7-13—California State Championship, Del Monte, Cal.

September 8, etc.—Prince of Wales Tournament, Banff, Alta.

Sept. 12-19—Silver Totem Pole Tournament, Jasper Park, Alta.

Sept. 21-27—Women's National Championship U.S., Buffalo Country Club, Buffalo, N.Y.

September 22-24—Annual Tournament, Canadian Women's Senior Golf Association, Rivermead Golf Club, Ottawa, Ont.

Sept. 28-Oct. 2—Canadian Ladies' Open Championship, Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto, Ontario.

Oct. 5—Third annual Greenbrier Autumn Championship (for men), White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

October 5th, etc.—Ladies' Close Championship of Canada, Lambton Golf and Country Club, Lambton Mills, Ontario.

October 15-17—Annual Fall Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

## Stop Press News

### Somerville an Entry for U.S. Amateur

Despatch from New York, July 14th:—

For the first time in the tournament's history, sectional qualifying trials will determine the make-up of the field for the United States amateur golf championships, last of the big events for 1931 in which a successor to Bobby Jones will be named.

The United States Golf Association to-day made public the entry list of 525 golfers who will compete in 20 sectional events, July 28, to fill 150 places for the championship proper, the week of August 31 to September 5, at the Beverley Country Club, Chicago.

With the addition of two Britons, exempt from preliminary trials, the total entry list is 527 and the maximum field for Chicago 152. The British contenders are John De Forest and his brother, Alac. John was runner-up to Eric Martin Smith in this year's British Amateur Championship.

Ross Somerville, the former Canadian champion, is an entry, but he is obliged to compete in the sectional qualifying play at Detroit.

### Tolley is Awarded \$2,500 for Damages

London, July 15.—Cyril Tolley, British amateur golfer, has obtained \$2,500 damages and costs against a firm of chocolate manufacturers for alleged libel in connection with the use of his name in an advertisement.

Lord Chief Justice Hewart in Law Courts yesterday approved that amount, which the chocolate firm agreed to pay Tolley. The golfer won a verdict of \$5,000 in an action in July, 1929, but this verdict was upset in the Court of Appeals a few months later. Tolley took the case to the House of Lords, which reversed the appeal court judgment.

### British Seniors Regain Trophy

Swinley Forest, England, July 16.—British Senior golfers regained the Lord Derby Cup to-day from the United States in their annual encounter with the United States Seniors by winning 11 matches to five for the visitors.

The British veterans won eight of the twelve singles matches to-day after capturing three of the four foursomes yesterday.

Lord Derby, the donor of the cup, was present for to-day's play.

### Compston and McPherson Star at Montreal

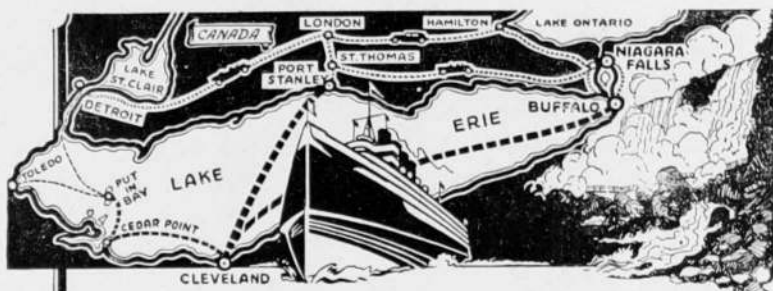
Montreal, July 17.—Archie Compston, giant Manchester professional, broke the course record of the Beaconsfield Golf Course here, with an amazing round of 66, four under par, this afternoon, to capture first prize of \$500 in an exhibition match between members of the British Ryder Cup team and professionals of the Province of Quebec.

Par bowed five times during the day as Britishers began to find the form which deserted them in both the Canadian and United States Open tournaments. Compston, Bert Hodson, Sid Easterbrooke and C. A. Whitcombe, of the British team, and Arthur F. McPherson, of Marlborough, Montreal, all played perfect golf to score a round of 69 or better.

Play was over 36 holes. Compston combined a morning round of 73 with his record breaking 66 for a total of 139. Only one stroke back came McPherson who added a brilliant afternoon round of 68 to a steady morning display of 72. Bert Hodson was third with 69-74—143. Eighteen players took part. McPherson came in for high praise.

A gallery of over 2,000 watched the Britishers turn in probably the best scores they have shown on their visit to North America. Compston, dressed in his usual fashion of brown tweed trousers, a blue shirt and a red bandana handkerchief around his neck, played golf as colourful as his person. The British team sailed for home the following day.

Fourth and fifth money was pooled and divided among three pros with 144 for 36 holes. They were Ernest Whitcombe and Sid Easterbrooke, of the British team, and Jock Brown, of Summerlea, Montreal. Their scores were: Whitcombe, 72-72—144; Brown, 74-70—144; Easterbrooke, 76-68—144.



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