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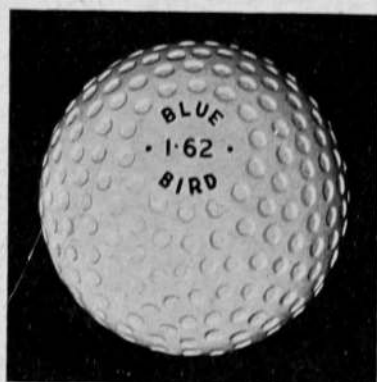
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Modern Business Methods in Flotation of Golf Clubs

There has recently been organized by prominent business and professional men of Buffalo and Bridgeburg a most successful organization, the "Erie Downs Golf and Country Club," which has acquired a very fine property near Bridgeburg, Ontario. In an interview Mr. Wilbur J. Wright, of Buffalo, the Secretary, thus describes how the club, which has a large membership,

was so expeditiously launched:

"There should be nothing remarkable about our plan," he said, "we simply used every day business practices. A golf club embraces three units: Property, Construction and Membership. The first two cost money, the third provides the capital. If you undertake the first two without providing means of payment you are headed for trouble as sure as any business would be that did the same.

Now there was no question but that another private golf club was needed in Buffalo and vicinity, provided it was close in and not too expensive. There are at least a thousand or more golfers and prospective golfers in and around Buffalo who would like to join a private club if it was easy to reach, and not too expensive, thoroughly high-class and above all, if they were protected against financial difficulties.

The Canadian side offered many distinctive advantages in starting a new club. First, it was much closer than any other property that could be secured for golf purposes. Moreover it could be secured at a very reasonable figure that would not burden the club with a heavy fixed carrying charge. Again, there were a considerable number of business and professional men over there, as well as summer cottagers, who were eager to support such a club. These factors, coupled with the fact that the International Bridge is certainly going to become a reality in a year or two, combined to make it very attractive, because when that Bridge is opened it will be but a few minutes run over there.

So much for the property. Then to make sure that there would be no possibility of financial obligations maturing which could not be met, we made a contract with the owners of the property and those interested in the construction work, to pay them from the proceeds of the sale of membership shares, work to start when \$20,000 or more of the club's stock had been applied for by prospective members. Once the work was started, title passed to us and completion of the course, water-system and Club House is guaranteed this year. Under this contract there is no obligation for construction which the Club will have to meet, except as revenue comes in.

So much for construction. That left us with the most important element yet to be provided for—members. That is where most new clubs fall down. They assume people will flock to join. But they don't. We knew we had a fine proposition with a wonderful future. We knew we had a club that was going to be of championship calibre—built at such reasonable cost that the small fixed charges would permit of modest dues. But the public had to be told that—and sold on it. That takes more time than any of us or our members can give; so how were we to handle this most vital element of a club, members, without which there is no club? How to get them? Not fifty or a hundred, or two hundred, but four hundred. We did what sound business sense dictated. We engaged the services of an experienced, well-trained sales organization, which had specialized in campaigns of this sort. We investigated them carefully and found they had earned an enviable record of success in golf club work. They came to us very highly recommended by the directors of the Marlborough Golf and Country Club in Montreal for which club they secured 450 members in four months at \$300 and \$400 each. They call on only such men as are approved by the board or executive and present the invitation in a dignified, intelligent manner. They make a success of their work because they concentrate on it exclusively, eight hours a day, six days a week and many evenings. The slight cost of this service is offset ten-fold by the savings we effect.

As a result of their efforts, supported by the active efforts of our own members, we are confident our membership will be closed this season by June.

These policies, simple business procedure, are apparently new in the golf world, but that they are appreciated is proven by the inquiries coming into our office at the Statler Hotel and the success we have achieved thus far."

The "Canadian Golfer" gives this interview prominence because it believes that the successful Erie Down methods might well be adopted in other cities and towns in Canada contemplating forming golf clubs. Golf to-day is "big business," all said and done, and business methods can to advantage be introduced both in the formation and the subsequent running of golf clubs.

The Campaign for Better Observance of Etiquette and Rules

The campaign launched last month by The Royal Canadian Golf Association, for the better observance in Canada of the Etiquette and Rules of Golf is bearing fruit. Many clubs throughout the Dominion are issuing special appeals for their members to secure the official books of the Rules and to make themselves thoroughly conversant therewith. It is an acknowledged fact that very many Canadian golfers are persistent breakers of both the Rules and the Etiquette and owing to the crowded condition to-day of all the leading courses, fatal accidents are bound to occur unless a stricter observance of the Rules are insisted upon by Club Executives. It is really a very serious question. All Canadian golfers, scratch and handicap players alike, cannot be urged too strongly at this the opening of the record 1924 season, to make it an especial point to conform to the rules upon every occasion, and also to strictly observe the etiquette of the game. The ordinary rules of courtesy, that make life worth living, are largely the rules of golf. There is a reason for every rule and for every usage.

And here are two or three points that in competition this season Canadian golfers would do well to "learn, mark and inwardly digest." The Royal Canadian Golf Association, unlike the United States Golf Association, but following the example of the Royal and Ancient of St. Andrews, the premier authority of the golfing world, does not allow the use of steel shafted clubs and does not allow the use of the Scheneetady putter. In common with the R. and A. and the U. S. G. A., the R. C. G. A. insists on the stymie being played in all competitions under its jurisdiction and also bans any corrugated, grooved or slotted clubs, the faces of which bear any lines, dots, or other markings, made for the purpose of putting

a cut on the ball and particularly any clubs having upon their faces any slots or lines exceeding 1/16th of an inch in width, or less than 3/32nds of an inch apart, measured on their inside edges. Golfers throughout the Dominion would be well advised to closely conform to these decisions or they may find themselves disqualified in an important competition which they might otherwise have won.

**The Vital
Question of
Good Greens
and Suitable
Grasses**

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an invaluable article by Mr. George H. Clark, Dominion Seed Commissioner, Ottawa. It should be carefully read by every green-keeper and by members of all Green Committees. In a personal letter to the Editor, Mr. Clark writes:

"My interest in this matter of greens is a personal one. The study of turf development on many kinds of soil has been a hobby with me since I first was appointed on the grounds committee of the Ottawa Lawn Tennis and Bowling Association nearly twenty years ago. In order to learn how to identify the species of grasses that formed the ideal patches of turf on the bowling greens, putting greens and fairways, I adopted the practice of cutting out a very small piece of the sod, transplanting it in my garden, permitting it to grow to mature size, and then confirming its identity by consulting a botanist more expert than I have ever been, and finally tracing down the countries and localities where seed of those particular kinds are produced in quantity for commerce.

Unfortunately the most desirable forms of turf grasses are the creeping forms which spread by underground stems or surface stems which root at the joints. These will withstand the close cutting of putting greens, whereas the upright growing grasses of all kinds will not long withstand such close cutting except under excessive compost dressing, which renders green keeping unnecessarily expensive. Most plants which have this creeping habit of reproducing themselves are not prolific seed producers. Again, it is difficult to differentiate between the seeds of these forms of grasses and the seeds of closely allied forms of the same species which do not have the creeping habit and which produce seed freely.

Our Mr. W. H. Wright at Toronto (Post Office Building, Adelaide Street East), is one of the good botanists of Canada. During the past two years he was located at Calgary, where he did a great deal to assist in the development of golf turf on the golf courses about Calgary and at Banff. He is now at Toronto spending a good deal of his spare time in the study of the difficulties in turf development on the many Toronto greens. He understands the practices that are giving good results on the best Toronto golf courses, and I am sure that he would be pleased to co-operate with you and others, mainly for the good of the cause."

MAY DISCARD GOLF COATS

ONE may safely surmise that British golfers will soon give up their custom of wearing coats while playing the ancient game and take up the American habit of substituting the less restrictive sweaters and jerseys.

The reason is this: The Prince of Wales has done it. Whatever he does is the thing that "is done." Heretofore he has always kept his coat on while playing golf, so in consequence has almost every one else of any social aspirations, no matter what the weather.

But recently there appeared in the newspapers photographs of the Prince golfing at Biarritz in slacks and sweater instead of the usual knickers and coat to match. The sweater was one of truly Bulgarian boisterousness of color, woven of many hues and its stripes interlarded with various designs.

Doubtless the future week-ends will find a smaller garb adorning the shoulders of the aristocratic amateurs on all the best courses. In the past those who wore pullovers usually wore them under their coats, the only exceptions having been Cyril Tolley and Roger Wethered, two of the best amateurs in Britain, who learned how to get along without their coats while golfing in America. Their example has never been popularly followed, but that of the Prince is certain to be.—New York "Times."

[In connection with the above paragraph, it is interesting to note, that the Duke of Connaught, whilst Governor-General of Canada, was often seen on The Royal Ottawa golf course, sans coat, so it will be seen the Prince is only "following in the footsteps" of His Royal Grand Uncle.—Ed. "Canadian Golfer."]



(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 stamped-addressed envelope be enclosed with all such communications, otherwise they will not be answered).

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W. A. Alexander, of Chicago, a pioneer of the game, says that an employee who golfs is worth \$500 more a year to his concern. He advocates that employers share the expense of teaching the game to their entire working staffs, that golf adds alertness, frankness, refinement, generosity and urbanity to a man.

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A cable from London:

"Among the competitors in a women's golf championship tournament held at Portrush, Antrim, yesterday, was Mrs. Hezlet, aged 77, who entered the event to maintain her record of having played in every one of these tournaments since they were instituted 31 years ago. The 'Daily Mail's' correspondent says the old lady gave a spirited display, being beaten by only four up and three to play. She is the mother of a famous golfing family."

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The "Canadian Golfer" is in receipt of a letter this month from a prominent Western amateur, who is seriously considering the step of joining the professional ranks. Every season now amateurs in Canada and Great Britain are taking up golf as an occupation and in many cases they are not ill-advised in doing so.

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And here comes still another golfing publication, "Irish Golf," which has just teed off on the first round at celebrated Portmarnock, County Dublin. A very creditable magazine it is too, one that will undoubtedly appeal strongly to the thousands of golfers in the Emerald Isle. Ireland has many golf clubs and many fine courses and players, and "Irish Golf" should not want for a sympathetic constituency, now and in the years to come.

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Mr. John I. MacCracken, K.C., President of the Ottawa City and District Golf Association, writes:

"Knowing your desire to keep your subscribers fully informed on all golf matters, I desire to let you know that the next meeting of the Ottawa City and District Golf Association is to be held at the Rivermead Golf Links on the 9th of July next. These meetings have been very successful in the past, and there is every prospect that the entry list from the clubs in Ottawa and surrounding Districts this year will be very large."

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Twenty-three insurance companies, vide "The Western Golfer," carrying rain policies, recently made a report that ought to engage the attention of club executives and sportsmen generally. Their statistics proved summer showers almost always fall between two and nine p.m. It was a cardinal principle with Walter J. Travis, throughout his tournament career, to make a morning start as early as he could, especially on qualifying days.



THE NEW MEN'S STORE AT SIMPSON'S is a rendezvous for golfers. Here, in short order, the new or the experienced golfer may be outfitted from top to toe with the smartest of golfing togs And immediately below in the basement he will find playing equipment in a most complete variety.

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Mr. T. H. Yull, of the Federal Advertising Agency, London, Ont., President of the very energetic Kiwanis Club of that city, which boasts a particularly large and representative membership, writes under recent date:

"You will be interested and pleased, I am sure, to learn that London's Municipal Golf Course is now a certainty, and that I am likely to get my first taste of that ancient vice, having been one of the charter members. Our Kiwanis Club, at which you spoke not long ago, turned in no less than forty-five memberships, and thus you will appreciate how convincing your talk must have been."

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Mr. C. H. L. Knuth, Manager of the Weston Golf Club, Toronto, writes:

"We had a visit recently from the Dominion Seed and Fertilizer Officials, and they have given us an exceptionally clean bill of health, as regards our course, etc. In this respect we would like to say that we have received great assistance from Guelph and the Seed and Fertilizer Departments of Ottawa. They have made seed and fertilizer tests, analyzed our soils and have advised on the reason for the poor quality of some of the grass plants we submitted to them, and we can strongly recommend any club in difficulties or otherwise, to communicate with them."

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And here are the dates of the most important Canadian fixtures still to be played: Amateur Championship of Ontario, Toronto, June 19th-21st; Open Championship of the Pacific Northwest, Vancouver, June 20th-21st; Open Championship of Ontario, Toronto, June 23rd; Amateur and Open Championship of Quebec, Montreal, June 21st-22nd; Amateur Championship of Pacific Northwest, Vancouver, June 23rd-28th; Canadian Amateur Championship, Toronto, June 30th-July 5th; Canadian Open Championship, Montreal, August 1st-2nd; Maritime Provincial Championships, Yarmouth, N.S., July 28th-Aug. 1st; Western Canada Amateur and Open Championships, Saskatoon, August 11th-16th; Manitoba Amateur Championship, Winnipeg, August 20th-23rd; Manitoba Open Championship, August 27th, 28th; Seniors' Tournament, Toronto, Sept. 3rd-5th:

Canadian Ladies' Open Championship, Hamilton, Sept. 15th-19th. Canadian Ladies' Close Championship, Toronto, Sept. 22nd-26th.

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Canadian golfers who sometimes complain of heavy entrance and annual dues should live in California if they want to experience a real "expensive touch." Mr. H. F. Gardner, the well known Vancouver golfer who recently removed to San Francisco, writes the Editor:

"I have found business men here very nice and one meets with the greatest of decent treatment. But one misses one's friends when the week end draws nigh. So far I have not joined any course for the reason that so far I have been so much away and for the other reason that joining a club here is an awful wrench for a man's pocket. Why in the club nearest us they want \$3,500 for an entry fee, and there are some heavier than that."

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Golfing friends throughout Canada of Mr. W. M. Southam, of the Ottawa "Citizen" were extremely sorry to hear of the passing, last month, of Lieut. W. H. C. Southam, who was injured in a motor car accident on returning from Oshawa to Stanley Barracks, Toronto, and never regained consciousness at the General Hospital, Toronto, where he was for three weeks after the accident. Lieutenant Southam was a particularly fine young all-round athlete, like all the Southams of Hamilton and Ottawa. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Southam, and a most promising life has been cut short at the early age of twenty-two.

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Mrs. F. Rous Mallory, formerly Secretary of the Ladies' Section of the Lambton Golf and Country Club, Toronto, now residing in London, under recent date writes interestingly:

"Out at Sandy Lodge the other day, I picked up the 'Canadian Golfer,' and it made me a little bit 'homesick for home,' so I thought I would write and ask you to put me on your list of subscribers, so I could keep in touch with Canadian golf. The Ladies' Championship started yesterday with the play of the International teams, England coming out the winner. I saw Miss Joyce Wethered play about two weeks ago, and she is playing wonderful golf. Miss Cecil Leitch doesn't seem to be back yet to her former form."

In view of the subsequent Championship results, Mrs. Mallory certainly diagnosed very correctly the respective form of Miss Joyce and Miss Cecil.

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The Governor-General, Lord Byng, of Vimy, who last week took a few days away from affairs of State to enjoy a well earned little rest at the residence in Brantford of Col. Harry Cockshutt, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, thoroughly enjoyed, with three of his staff, a round or so of the links at Brantford, Galt and Hamilton. His Excellency is a very enthusiastic devotee of the Royal and Ancient, and enters with zest into an 18-hole contest. During his visit to Brantford and vicinity, some of the local golfers were honoured by an invitation to join the Government House party. Two of His Excellency's aides, Captains Burnet-Stuart and Erskine, are very good players indeed. The former is a graduate of the far-famed St. Andrews Links, and has a particularly typical St. Andrews style. Both drive very long balls and use their irons crisply and well.

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Mr. S. B. Chadsey, Manager of the Massey-Harris Co., in Brantford, left last month on an extensive business trip in South Africa. Mr. Chadsey, who is an ex-Director of the Brantford Club, intends to play on some of the noted South African golf courses. It will be perhaps news to the followers of the game in Canada to know that there are over one hundred and fifty golf courses in South Africa, Pretoria and Johannesburg each having two courses of championship calibre. There are many very fine players in South Africa. Our own former Canadian Lady Champion, Miss Florence Harvey, is now living at Pietermaritzburg, Natal. Another very fine lady player there is Mrs. J. Gibb, who as Miss

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E. Maud Titterton won the British Ladies' Open Championship in 1908. She has all sorts of South African championships to her credit. Mrs. Gibb lives in Johannesburg.

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Mr. G. W. McLaughlin, who has completed thirty-eight years of continuous service with the Robert McLaughlin Carriage Company and the General Motors Corporation of Canada, has decided to retire. He will summer in Muskoka and will then go abroad. Although he has worked hard for so many years, Mr. McLaughlin is still in what is usually regarded as "the prime" in the business world, and there are many other business men who will learn with interest of his intention of dropping out and planning to enjoy life. So much has been written and said of the business men who have made themselves so indispensable to their business that they cannot let go, and of the others who have found that they did not want to let go, that Mr. McLaughlin's decision will be regarded by many as something of an experiment. Mr. McLaughlin entered his late father's carriage factory in 1885, serving his apprenticeship as a trimmer, and ultimately becoming vice-president of the General Motors of Canada, Limited. He has been a liberal supporter of golf in Oshawa, in which club he has held many offices, and is also much interested in the beautiful Muskoka Lakes Golf and Country Club.

GOLF IN HALIFAX

"Ashburn," the New Course, is a Most Attractive One, with an Artistic Club House

(By Tom Otto Murray).

THE formal opening of the club house at Ashburn, of the Halifax Golf and Country Club took place last month. This event will long be remembered by those who had the privilege of attending the auspicious opening of what must be considered a remarkably attractive club house. Last August the formal opening of the golf course took place when His Excellency, the Governor-General, Baron Byng, of Vimy, drove the first ball from Number One tee and declared the course opened. Since that day the contractors have been busily at work on the remodelling and extension of the old Duffus' house toward its conversion into the club house.

For the season of 1924 the Halifax Golf and Country Club commenced play about the end of the past month on nine holes of their new course at "Ashburn." Five more holes should be ready for play about the 1st of August. Contract has been placed for the completion of the last four holes and it is hoped to have these holes ready for play by the end of the present season. In any event the entire 18 holes will be played on beginning the season of 1925.

In addition to the property at "Ashburn" the Halifax Golf Club has retained the old course at Collins Field for use this year. Collins is a very attractive spot and a very excellent course.

The club has an enthusiastic membership of 500 members who are more than delighted with the magnificent course and beautiful and comfortable club house at "Ashburn." Playing privileges are extended to all visiting golfers who are always cheerfully received.

President, F. St.C. Harris, the Directors, and the members of the Halifax Golf Club are to be congratulated on their success in establishing such a delightful and charming spot at "Ashburn" not only for their own pleasure, but for the happiness of visitors as well. In "Ashburn" Halifax golfers need not be ashamed of their efforts to do something for the good of their community and the advancement of the exhilarating game of golf.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs. Leonard Murray, President of The Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, writes
Delightfully of the Ladies' Open Event at Portrush—Very Little Chance
of any of the British Women Stars Competing in the Canadian
Ladies' Open This Year

THE Editor is in receipt of the following most interesting letter from Mrs. Leonard Murray, Toronto, President of The Canadian Ladies' Golf Union, who is spending the summer in Great Britain, but who will, however, return in time to look after the Ladies' Open and Close Championships next September at Hamilton and Mississauga, Toronto, where her well known executive abilities will be so invaluable, as the ladies this year are in complete control of both these major championships for the first time:

"True to my promise, I am writing you my impressions of Portrush, its famous links, and the British Ladies' Championship of 1924. Would that it were some one better qualified than I!

I am prejudiced at once in favour of Portrush because I soon felt the benefit of its wonderful air. Situated on the extreme north of Ireland, this small peninsula (its narrow neck only a few hundred yards wide), terminates in a bold headland from which can be seen miles of most magnificent coast scenery. About two hours from Belfast, you travel through a really beautiful country, made none the less interesting by the glimpses of peat bogs one gets from the windows of the railway carriage. On arrival in Portrush you quickly realize that the small fishing village of which we had heard many years ago, has now blossomed into a fashionable summer place, visited with delight by the people of many countries. Its bright, healthy streets, swept by the Atlantic breezes, its good looking shops and hotels, its royal golf links, bathing places, promenades, tennis courts, and bowling greens; but above all the grandeur of the land and sea view from Ramore Hill, combine to give Portrush a high rank among summer resorts on this side of the water.

But you want to hear about the Championship. Interested as I was in it, Portrush itself, the Giants' Causeway, and the ruins of Dunluce Castle were all enjoyed by me with the greatest pleasure and delight.

The Portrush course is a splendid test of golf for first-class ladies' not so much because of its length (6,600 yards), but because direction is even more important than ability to hit the ball far. Judgment is called for at every shot, for the line to the hole that is right for a player of the length of Miss Wethered or Mrs. Cautley may be quite wrong for one who, though accurate, does not hit the ball so far.

Every kind of a shot is needed, and there is something definite to be done with all of them. On the outward journey some of the holes have turf of the kind generally considered inland, but the billowy stances of the seaside links are there all the time, so that you have to play many long shots with one foot higher than the other, or the ball higher (or lower), than either. There are a good many blind shots onto the greens, when you have to play high, dropping shots, at range which gives every advantage to the player capable of getting the length with an iron and so putting stop on the ball, rather than taking a brassie, which may get the length, but end in running over the green.

The holes, on arrival, looked like being fives, the second a six, but it was amazing how the best players reached them off in fours, particularly those who, like Miss Wethered, could take irons for the second shots over the hills.

It did not take me long to feel the intense excitement that prevailed with regard to the probable meeting in the fifth round of Miss Cecil Leitch and Miss Joyce Wethered. I had



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watched both play with the most intense interest, and anticipated a far closer game than it finally proved to be. As you know, the first seven holes were halved, two of which should certainly have been won by Miss Leitch if her putting had not failed her. Her tee shots are as fine as ever, and her irons are good, but I am sure that Miss Leitch herself would be the first to admit that her putting is not up to form.

Miss Wethered seems to have reached that pinnacle of perfection where no shot really fails her, and in her match with Miss Leitch I saw her make only one bad shot, when at the third (short hole), she hooked her mashie from the tee, and was out of bounds.

Miss Doris Chambers, the 1923 title holder, and another favourite with Canadians, came through to the fourth round, when she was put out by Miss Cecil Leitch, four up and three to go. It was a great pleasure for me to see her play in the first three rounds, and play them well, as, if you remember three years ago, when Miss Chambers was in Canada, she was most certainly off her game. Mrs. Cautley, the runner-up and Champion of Kent, played pluckily, and though outclassed by the winner, she showed that she is a most skillful player, with a sound knowledge of the game, and a temperament admirably suited for championship golf. Mrs. Cautley came to the front some years before the war, when as Miss B. Hawtrey (the late Sir Charles Hawtrey was her cousin), her powerful driving first attracted attention. In the Kent versus Surrey match early this season, she beat Miss Wethered on the last green, so you can readily see that the final had plenty of interest, despite the fact that "the draw from the hat" did not allow it to be between Miss Leitch and Miss Wethered.

One of the surprises of the week was the beating of Mrs. Macbeth (Miss Muriel Dodd), by Miss Eleanor Helme, who thus became one of the semi-finalists, the other being Miss Mollie Gourlay, present French Champion, and a young player who will doubtless go far. A little bird told me that at one time Miss Helme was an exceedingly bad putter, and knowing too well what it was costing her, she set to work in dead earnest to overcome this dangerous weakness, with the result that to-day Miss Helme's strength lies in her wonderful and almost uncanny work on the greens. It was a great pleasure to meet so many well known golfers, amongst others being Mrs. Cutbell, formerly Miss Rhoda Adair, who came through to the fourth round, when she was beaten by Miss Helme. Mrs. Cutbell asked after so many Canadians, and wished to be especially remembered to Miss Florence Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Austin.

The officials of the L. G. U. were most kind, and at the presentation of prizes made a reference to my visit. In replying to a call for a speech I begged the L. G. U. to send out in the near future a team of players, and attempted to point out the advantages to be gained

by all. While on this subject I may as well tell you that my efforts to get British players to come to Canada this summer are not meeting with success. Every one has a good reason, which has to be recognized, but there is certainly a great longing on every one's part to come, and before long I think it will be realized. Miss Wethered has at least promised that she is coming at the first possible moment. By the way, she is such a nice girl, so unassuming, so considerate to strangers like myself, and I hear, so willing to help any golfer needing pointers. Her smile is quite delightful, lighting up an otherwise very serious countenance.

Of course, I could not help learning a lot in many ways. I am convinced that two rounds every day (which is always done here), is a hardship, but that the 36 hole final is a good thing. I am more convinced than ever that a qualifying round is a wise course, if only for the reason that it is hard luck to come a long distance, and only play one round!

Of the younger coming players, I must mention Miss Phyllis Read, Miss Phyllis Lobbett, and Miss Dorothy Fowler, all of whom you will hear from. The two former were both put out by Miss Doris Chambers.

The only entry from the Overseas Dominions was Miss Cicely Lascelles (L. G. U. hdep. 5), a charming little person from the Royal Melbourne Club. Miss Mollie Gourlay beat her in the fourth round on the home green, so you can easily see that she put up a great fight against a fine player.

In Portrush lives the famous Hezlet family. Mrs. Hezlet (over 70 years of age), entered the Championship and was only beaten by Miss Tyne, another Portrush player, by 4 and 3. Her daughters, Mrs. Cramsie and Mrs. Hutton, were both beaten also in their first rounds, by Miss Helme and Miss Janet Jackson. Mrs. Ross, formerly Miss May Hezlet, did not enter.

The International Matches played just before the Championship I did not see, arriving too late, but as you probably know, England, under the captaincy of Miss Doris Chambers, carried off the shield.

I am now in Belfast, staying with some old friends, and trying to rest after the rushing about I did in Portrush. I cannot tell you how glad I am that I have at last seen a British Championship.

My thoughts will be with you all next week in Welland, and the good time every one will be having. I hope it won't be too hot. I wish some of Ontario's heat could be transported here—I have been frozen ever since I arrived!

With kindest regards to all friends.

Yours very sincerely,

ELLA W. MURRAY.

Cherry Vale House,
Ravenhill Road,
Belfast, May 26th.

A U. S. OPINION OF HAVERS

W. D. Richardson, "The American Golfer."

WHEN Arthur Gladstone Havers, British Open Golf Champion, and Jimmy Ockenden, the French Open title-holder, stepped aboard the Franconia, homeward bound, a few days ago, they carried away among their other possessions, a goodly number of American dollars, an infinite amount of American good-will and not a little added prestige to their already great reputations as linksmen. They were both glad and sorry to leave America—glad to get back "home" after a somewhat arduous four months' campaign; sorry to part with their many newly-made friends.

In spite of his usual reticence, Havers declared that both he and Ockenden had enjoyed a "royal time" and that the hospitality they had received at the hands of American golfers would remain forever in their memories.

"Yours is a grand big country," said Havers. "We have enjoyed every minute of the time we've spent in America and we hope to come back in the near future, don't we Jimmy?" turning to his travelling-mate, Ockenden.

"Righto," said Jimmy.

Since his defeat of Gene Sarazen in the return match staged at the Cedarbrook and Westchester Biltmore courses, Havers has been in a gleeful mood. His triumph in that match—especially noteworthy because of his sensational "come-back" in the final half—was in the nature of an unexpected windfall of success. That, together with his victory over Bobbie Jones, the American Open Champion, on the latter's home course at Atlanta, provided good and sufficient balm to offset other misfortunes. It was sufficient to restore self-confidence that was waning through failures in California, in San Antonio, in Florida and in the North and South. It was sufficient to send Havers back home a greater golfer than when he came in December.

There were only two occasions when Havers showed what he actually could accomplish in the way of long-hitting for which he is justly famed. That was at the eighteenth in the morning round at Rye when he passed Sarazen by sixty or seventy yards and at the fourth hole in the afternoon, when he lashed out a mighty smash that ran to within a yard of the brook—a hit that must have travelled considerably over 325 yards.

THE QUEEN OF THE LINKS

Miss Joyce Wethered Once Again Romps Through a Representative Field and Wins British Ladies' Open Championship After Defeating Miss Cecil Leitch Decisively in Fifth Round

IN the British Open Ladies' Championship last month at Portrush, Ireland, Miss Joyce Wethered justified the opinion of all the recognized critics of the game and went through



Miss Joyce Wethered and the British Ladies' Championship Cup.

a representative field in commanding fashion to win the Championship in the finals from Mrs. Cautley, by a 7 and 6 margin. The outstanding event of the Championship was of course the match between Miss Joyce and Miss Cecil Leitch, but the younger Champion had no trouble in disposing decisively of the older expert by 6 and 4.

She is unquestionably to-day the world's most finished and accomplished woman golfer. She has a most delightful style and the ideal golfing poise. Miss Wethered comes of a very high-class county family, all keen golfers. Her brother is the Oxford star, Mr. Roger Wethered, 1923 British Amateur Champion, and by the way, this is the first time in the history of golf that a brother and sister have ever won two major Championships. Miss Wethered is only 23 years of age (Miss Leitch celebrated her 33rd birthday last month), but she already has to her credit the British Open Championship twice, 1922 and 1924; the English Ladies' Close Championship four times, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923; runner-up in French Championship, 1921; besides District and County events by the score.

Miss Wethered has been dubbed "the Harry Vardon of Woman's golf," she having an upright swing very like that of the great Master. In her match with Miss Leitch in the fifth round she was out in 41 to her opponent's 43. On the five holes played on the home trip, she had a score of 20 to Miss Leitch's 24. She had little difficulty in disposing of her other opponents from the first round on. The following were the results in the last rounds of the Championship:

FOURTH ROUND.

Mrs. Macbeth beat Mrs. Thornton 4 and 3.
Miss Helme beat Mrs. Cutbell 3 and 2.
Miss Wethered beat Miss Jackson 6 and 5.
Miss Leitch beat Miss Chambers, 4 and 3.
Miss Thornhill beat Mrs. Bennett, 5 and 4.
Mrs. Cautley beat Mrs. Madill, 4 and 3.
Miss Kyle beat Miss Bastin, 4 and 2.
Miss Gourlay beat Miss Lascelles by 1 up.

FIFTH ROUND.

Miss Joyce Wethered beat Miss Cecil Leitch 6 and 4.
Miss E. E. Helme beat Mrs. Allan Macbeth, 2 and 1.

Mrs. Cautley beat Miss M. Thornhill 5 and 3.

Miss Gourlay beat Miss A. Kyle 3 and 1.

SEMI-FINAL.

Miss Wethered beat Miss Helme, 4 and 3.

Mrs. Cautley beat Miss Gourlay by 1 up.

FINAL.

Miss Wethered beat Mrs. Cautley 7 and 6.

(Note.—Elsewhere in this issue will be found some interesting impressions of this great Championship from the pen of Mrs. Leonard Murray, President of The Canadian Ladies' Golf Union.—Editor "Canadian Golfer".)

Previous to the Championship the annual International Matches were played, and England won her eighth successive victory. England defeated Scotland 9 to 0; Ireland 7 to 2; Wales 8 to 1. Ireland defeated Wales 8 to 1, and Scotland 8 to 1, whilst Scotland defeated Wales 8 to 1. Final placings, England, three matches; Ireland, two matches; Scotland, one match; Wales, nil. England's winning team was composed of: Miss Doris Chambers, Miss Joyce Wethered, Miss Cecil Leitch, Mrs. Allan Macbeth, Miss D. R. Fowler, Mrs. F. Cautley, Miss M. Gourlay, Miss G. R. Bastin, Miss Phyllis Lobbett.



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THIS month the "Canadian Golfer Hole-in-One Club" is graced by two fair lady golfers, and it is with the greatest pleasure that the Editor welcomes them to the Hall of Fame.

On May 20th Mrs. A. McAlister, a well known member of the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver—dear old Shaughnessy, with "oneers" by the dozen to its credit the past few years, playing with three members of the Club, notched a one at the 120 yard third hole, thus establishing her claim to being the first lady golfer in Canada in 1924 to record the feat.

Mrs. McAlister only had a margin of four days, however, because on May 24th Mrs. John W. Gorman, of Moose Jaw, also decided to earn fame immortal, holing out her tee shot at the twelfth hole of The Moose Jaw Golf Club. She was playing in a club match with Mrs. F. R. Nason when she found the tin from the tee. Hearty congratulations to both Mesdames McAlister and Gorman.

Mere man has also been much in evidence, since the last list published in the May issue. Once again The Royal Montreal. In a distinguished four-ball match the participants were Sir Henry Thornton, Mr. N. Reeder, of New York; Mr. W. H. C. Mussen and Mr. D. E. Galloway. Mr. Mussen is an old "Hole-in-One" offender (he has turned the trick three times in as many years), so nothing must do but Mr. Reeder, his guest, should be lured into following in his footsteps. And he did. At the third hole at Dixie the New Yorker gallantly and gracefully, to the unfeigned delight of his hosts, gathered a "one-shot" and

once again, but most willingly, a year's subscription to this great Family Golfing Journal goes across the border.

"Down by the Sounding Sea" in Yarmouth, N. S., dwells Mr. John H. Malcolm, a member of the Yarmouth Club and President of the Maritime Golf Association. Here is where the Maritime Provincial Championships are to be held, this year, so what more appropriate, than the President making a "Hole-in-One" and thus setting a good example to the contestants in the forthcoming championships? Mr. Malcolm proceeded on May 30th to set this good example. He chose the 7th hole for the feat. This hole is 110 yards across a brook to a green in a slight depression, under the windows of the club house. What better setting could be desired? And what better partners than the Vice-President of the Club, Mr. Seymour C. Baker and the Hon. Secretary, Mr. G. Lawson? Hearty congratulations.

Again Vancouver, but this time the Point Grey Golf and Country Club, where one of the younger members of the club, Mr. E. S. Meek, with a perfect mashie shot on May 31st, gobbled a one at the 10th hole. This is a record for the Point Grey course, as the second nine of the 18-hole course was only opened on May 24th.

On June 3rd Mr. J. S. McDiarmid negotiated the "Bog Hole," No. 16, on the Winnipeg Golf Club course with his tee shot. Messrs. G. A. Malcolmson, N. J. Breen and E. C. Barrett were "partners in crime."

Then the Municipal Course, Winnipeg, where Mr. F. M. Duncan gained fame by planking down a one at the 10th hole, his card being attested to by no less a personage than Mr. A. W. Puttee, a member of the Parks Board; Mr. C. R. McKay, Clerk of the course, and Mr. E. E. Macdonald. And that is evidence enough for half a dozen "Holes -in-One."

Weston, Toronto, reports a dual performance, Dr. E. A. Wessels, an old and valued subscriber of the "C. G." and Mr. E. S. Mathews on successive days recording the performance. Mr. E. S. Mathews chose the "Elmwood Hole" 170 yards, for the stunt, and Dr. Wessels the "Orchard Hole," 135 yards.

It's a poor "Hole-in-One" month when our old friend, the third at the Vancouver Golf and Country Club doesn't get into the limelight. That celebrated one-shot hole will be our financial ruin yet. Mr. L. B. Lusby is the latest to hole out at this hole from the tee, but he is just as welcome as any of the rest of 'em.

The celebrated Maganassippi Fish and Game Club in the Ottawa District has recently installed a course for the edification of its members who sometimes get tired of fishing, pronouncing the name of the club—and other things, and last month Dr. W. F. Mayburry, of Ottawa took an hour or so off and negotiated the fourth hole in one stroke. Dr. Fraser and Mr. Fred. Cook, of the King's Printery, Ottawa, although devotees of the rod and line (which is nothing particularly to their credit), are also golfers, and attest to the fact which makes it quite authentic.

Gull Lake, Saskatchewan, is heard from for the first time. Dr. Oliver Hart decided to put it on "the golfing map" and chose the fifth hole, measuring 191 yards, for the feat, which was witnessed by Messrs. C. B. Atkin, E. Busse and W. M. Atkin. Particularly pleased to enroll in our club a player from the Gull Lake Golf Club.

The Muskoka District for the first time this season is heard from. Mr. A. B. Davies, a member of the Weston Club, making an "ace" June 14th on the fifth hole, 145 yards, of the pretty Monteith Inn course at Rosseau.

The Highland Golf Club, London, is another club which so far has failed to record a one-shot performance, so on June 2nd Mr. T. Arthur Karn proceeded to hole out from the tee at the third hole, 115 yards. He was playing at the time with Dr. E. Spence and Mr. George Letheridge. Right here he is given a true "Highland welcome."

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS

The winner of the British Amateur Championship just completed at St. Andrews, Scotland, played throughout with a Spalding Golf Ball.

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It is with particular pleasure that the Editor credits Mr. James Buchanan with a year's subscription as a result of making the 11th hole in one on his beloved course at Kanawaki, Montreal. Mr. Buchanan is chairman of the Green Committee at Kanawaki and much of the splendid condition of that well known course goes to his credit. He was playing with Mr. J. D. Baile, Past President of the Club, and Mr. G. A. Morris when he joined "the immortals."

Souris, Manitoba, last year started a successful golf club and this month in the June medal competition Mr. George Sewell, Manager of the Union Bank and Secretary of the club, proceeded to notch the first "oneer" ever recorded in Souris. He chose the first hole, 100 yards, for his meritorious performance. He was playing with Mr. S. Lightfoot when he consummated the dark deed.

The ninth hole at the Macaulay Point Golf Club, Victoria, B. C., is a blind one of 150 yards over a belt of high trees and very difficult of negotiation. But Mr. C. Swayne, Editor of the "Victoria Daily Colonist," didn't find it so the other day, when he neatly rolled his ball into the cup as the result of a perfectly pitched tee-shot.

Our "reptile contemporaries" by the way, are rather putting "one" over us this month, as witness the following from Mr. T. C. Morrison, Secretary of the Calgary St. Andrews Golf Club, Calgary, Alta:

"While playing over our course Mr. Chas. O. Smith, of the Calgary "Herald," had the good fortune to hole out on the 14th, which measures 208 yards, in one stroke. Mr. Smith has done much for golf in the West, and his success was very popular. The new Alberta Liquor Act had just come into force a few days previous, and Mr. Smith was the victim of all the old customs. The President demanded his "bottle," also his caddie, while later Mr. Smith spent a busy evening pushing the 'bell' as each member entered. The weather was hot, a glorious day for a 'hole-in-one' under the new Act."

Oh! would that we had been there.

Total "Holes-in-One" in Canada to date, 33.

GOLF AS AN INVESTMENT

(From the "Financial Post")

"WITH the incessant broadening out of golf, shares of stock in the various clubs have been in keen demand and market values of the shares have enhanced considerably. During the past few years most golf club shares have been good investments. A club started in Montreal two years ago sold stock at \$400 a share. It will now fetch \$600 a share. Stock of some of the large clubs is worth up to \$1,000 or more a share. The increase in value is partially based upon the increment in the value of the land, but usually golf club shares rise in value when all the stock has been sold, when the membership is limited and business men are ready to pay the price to get into the charmed circle."

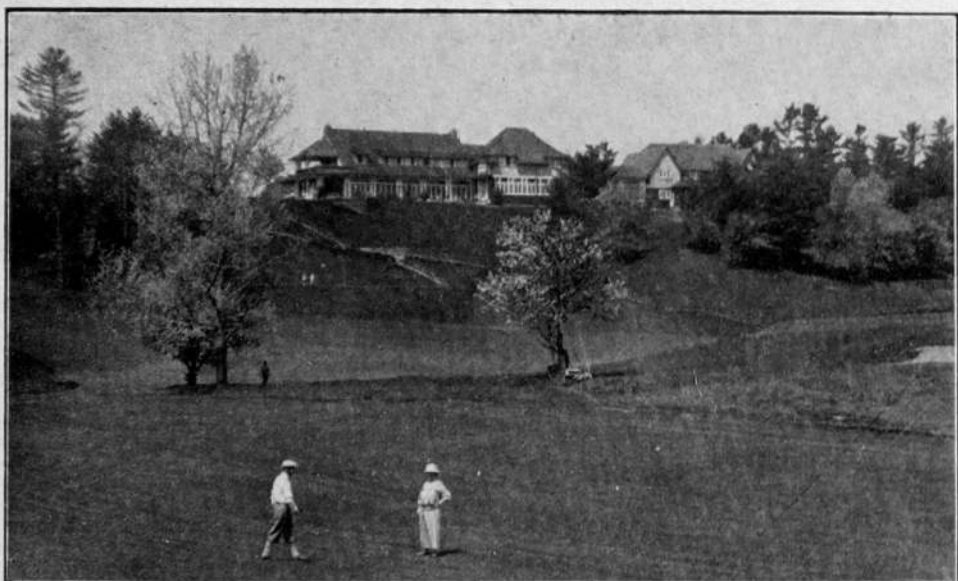
WINNIPEG REPORTS RECORD DRIVE

AND here is a record drive reported from Winnipeg, Mr. Matthew Thompson, one of the famous quintette of brothers (W. J. Thompson, Toronto, Amateur Champion; Frank Thompson, Toronto, ex-Amateur Champion; Stanley Thompson, Toronto, winner of the Qualifying Round at the 1923 Amateur Championship, and Nicol Thompson, Hamilton, ex-Canadian Professional Champion), driving from the eighteenth tee at the Elmhurst Golf Club, Winnipeg, "swatted" his ball 375 yards. This surely must be a record drive for Canada. The longest drive ever made in the world goes to the credit of E. C. Bliss, who, playing at the well known Herne Hill course in England, covered 445 yards in a tee-shot. Other authenticated long drives are: James Braid at Walton Heath, 395 yards; W. H. Horne at North Berwick, 388 yards; George Duncan at Colchester, 383 yards; Edward Blackwell (with a gutta ball), at St. Andrews, 366 yards; and "Freddie" Tait (also with a "gutta" and also at St. Andrews), 341 yards 9 inches. As the rubber-core ball has a very much longer carry than the old "guttie" (probably 50 yards or more), Blackwell's drive at St. Andrews was especially a marvellous one.

THE AMATEUR AT ROSEDALE

Scene All Set for a Record Week's Golf—Many Entrants Already Assured from All Parts of Canada and the States—Club House and Course Arrangements Will Be in Fine Shape for the Big Event

IT will only be a few days now before candidates for the 26th Amateur Championship of Canada will be teeing up at beautiful Rosedale, Toronto, for the 36-hole Qualifying Round, which will be played 36 holes on Monday, June 30th, or 18 holes on Monday and 18 holes on Tuesday, July 1st, depending upon the number of entries. In the latter event, the first two rounds at match play will be 18 holes each, and will be played on Wednesday; otherwise each round at



On the Fairway Leading to the 18th Green at Rosedale, the charming Club House in the distance.

match play will be 36 holes, commencing on Tuesday. Any competitor entering from another country shall enter through the Secretary of the recognized authority controlling golf in the country from which he elects to enter. A declaration signed by the Secretary, that the entrant is an amateur golfer, in accordance with the definition given, must accompany the entry. All entries shall be subject to the approval of the Executive Committee. The entrance fee is \$5.00, and must be received by the Secretary, B. L. Anderson, 18 Wellington St. East, Toronto, not later than Friday, June 27th. No entries will be received after this date. The Competition shall be played by holes, in accordance with the Rules of Golf, as approved by the Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrews and local Rules of the Rosedale Golf Club, as approved by the Royal Canadian Golf Association. In the event of a halved match, competitors shall continue to play until one shall gain a hole, when the match shall be won. Any competitor who is not present at the First Teeing Ground when his name is called shall be disqualified. All disputes shall be settled by the Executive Committee of The Royal Canadian Golf Association. The winner of the tournament shall be the Champion Amateur Golfer for the year, and the trophy shall be held for that year by the Club from which the winner shall have entered. The winner shall receive a gold medal and the Earl Grey Gold Cup; the runner-up, a silver medal.

The handicap limit is 12, and there is every indication of a record entry. Even from far-away Shaunavon, Saskatchewan, has come an enquiry for an entrance form. A good field of entrants from Buffalo, Detroit and other leading U. S. golfing centres is assured, in addition to Mr. W. J. Thompson, the present champion, all the leading Canadian amateurs, and altogether Rosedale will witness unquestionably the most interesting Amateur Championship ever staged in Canada.

Several commendable changes and alterations have been made to the Rosedale course, and the card now reads as follows: No. one, 395 yards, par 4; No. two, 480 yards, par 5; No. three, 380 yards, par 4; No. four, 160 yards, par 3; No. five, 385 yards, par 4; No. six, 200 yards, par 3; No. seven, 385 yards, par 4; No. eight, 465 yards, par 5; No. nine, 255 yards, par 3; out, 3, 125 yards; total par 35. No. ten, 285 yards, par 4; No. eleven, 405 yards, par 4; No. twelve, 455 yards, par 4; No. thirteen, 210 yards, par 3; No. fourteen, 445 yards, par 5; No. fifteen, 395 yards, par 4; No. sixteen, 110 yards, par 3; No. seventeen, 405 yards, par 4; No. eighteen, 315 yards, par 4; in, 3,115 yards; par 35. Total yardage 6,240 yards. Total par, 70.

As there are several water hazards to be negotiated, and as the course is well trapped, this par of 70 will be hard to equal, or even approach. It will be noticed that there are the regulation four one-shot holes, Nos. four, six, thirteen and sixteen, with a good balance of two-shot holes. The long holes are No. two, No. eight and No. fourteen. The latter is only 445 yards, but on account of the difficulties here it is properly parred at 5, instead of the regulation 4. At Kanawaki last year, Mr. Stanley Thompson headed the Qualifying Round with 149, closely followed by his brother, Mr. W. J. Thompson with 150 (the ultimate champion), and the ex-champions, Messrs. W. J. McLuckie and C. B. Grier, with 151. The qualifying score at Kanawaki was 164. It is not likely that this figure will be lowered at Rosedale as the course although not a long one, fairly bristles with difficulties.

Rosedale has a most dignified club house, with every facility for looking after the material comforts of the entrants and guests during Championship week. An up-to-date addition to the kitchens was made recently and this addition will provide the means of further enhancing the established reputation of the club along culinary and catering lines. In the Bungalow adjoining the club house, there will be accommodation for some twenty or more players. The course, too, is most accessible to the city, and competitors in the Championship will find no difficulty in motoring out to the club or taking the street cars within easy walking distance.

All golfing roads will lead to Rosedale the week of June 30th. The stage is all set for a record Championship and a record Championship unquestionably it will be.

INTERESTING SCOTTISH CASE

SHERIFF DUDLEY STUART has issued an interlocutor at Cupar allowing proof to be heard in the action brought by Barbara M'Leod, 15 Annfield Place, Dennistoun, Glasgow, against the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the burgh of St. Andrews, and Sheriff, Mohammed Emin, student, 83 North Street, St. Andrews, jointly and severally, for damages in respect of an injury sustained through being struck on the face by a golf ball. The personal injury, it is alleged, was caused by a blow from a golf ball, driven by a player from the first teeing-ground on the links of St. Andrews Old Course.

The Sheriff states that he does not think pursuer's claim can be dismissed without inquiry. It seems to him that liability might fall upon the defenders if they have failed to take such reasonable precautions as might lessen, if not wholly avoid, the risk of such an accident as befel the pursuer.

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OUR GREEN COMMITTEE'S PAGE

Many Valuable Suggestions and Hints About Compost, Humus and Creeping Bent

(By Mr. G. H. Clark, Dominion Seed Commissioner, Ottawa)

“I KNOW a green keeper by the size and character of his piles of compost. Each putting green of about seventy feet square should receive from ten to fifteen cubic yards of good compost each year, applied in small doses once a month. For heavy soils use fifty per cent. humus and fifty per cent soft, sandy loam, thoroughly mixed and including half a pound of sulphate of ammonia, and two pounds of high grade tankage per cubic yard. On dry, sandy soils the same mixture with alluvial loam replacing the sand will give good results. When applying compost to putting greens it should be thoroughly brushed into the roots of the grass, thus leaving a clean putting surface.

HUMUS.—The best source of humus for a green keeper's compost is well rotted stable manure. Virgin sod on old pasture areas along river flats, if plowed three inches deep or less if possible, piled in heaps as convenient for the first season, and hauled to the compost pile and mixed with manure the second year, will ultimately produce ideal compost. The fertilizer may be added to advantage while sifting the compost, preferably two days before application. It is desirable that the fertilizer be given an opportunity to dissolve and blend with the moist compost before application. To kill two birds with one stone, plow as shallow as possible areas in the rough where, because of excessively rich soil the grass is thick and rank, and use for compost. The area laid bare should be seeded with Canadian Blue and Hard Fescue.

ANNUAL POA.—That pale green grass we see in patches on the putting greens and fairways, with a leaf that is fairly broad for its short length and with very short seed stalks and a small spreading panicle of flowers, some of which lie flat on the ground and ripen seeds there even under the close cutting of a putting green, is the *Poa annua*. Some golf clubs leave patches of this grass in their fairways to mature, then collect with a lawn mower, cure on canvas, and mix the seed so obtained with their compost dressing for application on their putting greens. It is not often possible to purchase this seed in commerce.

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ing bent grass the plant produced from the seed might vary widely from the parent plant. Most golf clubs are now paying out less money for Redtop seed under the name of Mixed Bent and growing turf of Creeping Bent, Velvet Bent and Creeping Red Fescue in their nurseries. The stems of creeping bent, like the underground roots of couch grass, if cut up as a farmer would make cutfeed, will root at the joints, and if thickly sown and well covered with soil will produce a strong mat of turf more quickly than it may be obtained from seed.

SMOLLETT ON GOLF

I NEVER saw such a concourse of such genteel company at any races in England, as appeared on the course at Leith. Hard by, in the fields called the Links, the citizens of Edinburgh divert themselves at a game called golf . . . Of this diversion the Scotch are so fond, that when the weather will permit, you may see a multitude of all ranks, from the senator or justice to the lowest tradesman, mingled together in their shirts, and following the ball with the utmost eagerness. Among others, I was shown one particular set of golfers, the youngest of whom was turned four score. They were all gentlemen of independent fortunes, who had amused themselves with this pastime for the best part of a century without having ever felt the least alarm from sickness or disgust; and they never went to bed, without having each the best part of a gallon of claret in his belly. Such uninterrupted exercise, co-operating with the keen air from the sea, must, without all doubt, keep the appetite always on edge, steel the constitution against all the common attacks of distemper.—Tobias Smollett, writing in 1766.

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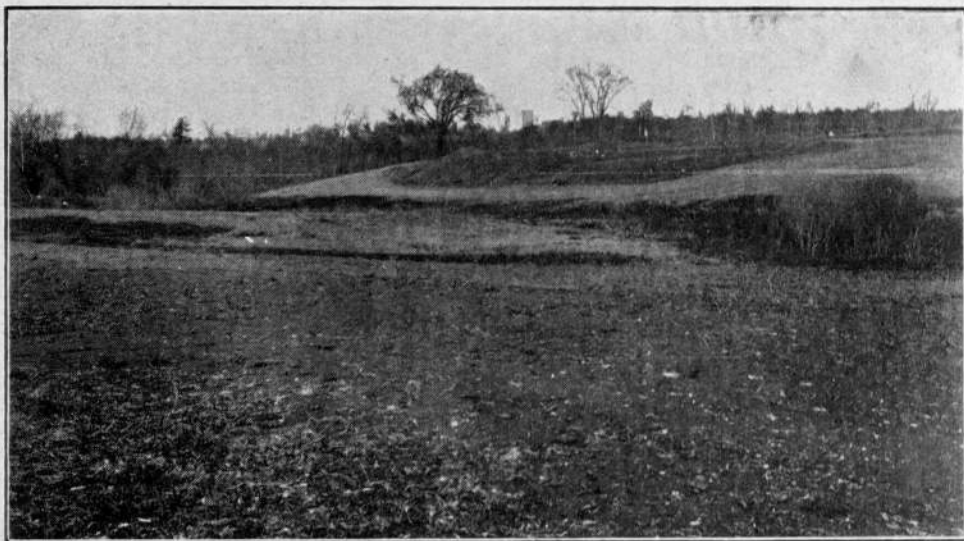
Windsor Park, the New Property Acquired by the Parks Board, Will Make An Ideal Links

(By Pearl Driscoll).

PICTURE a broad woodland park, with towering trees, a tortuous stream, and unexpected ravines dipping down into grassy dells!

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The 12th Green in the making at Windsor Park—Winnipeg's Second Municipal Course

There you have Windsor Park—newly purchased for Winnipeg's second municipal golf course and destined to be one of the finest all-round recreation centres in the West.

Amid much protest the Winnipeg Parks Board has just bought for \$75,000 this 131.5 acres of beautiful wooded land lying within a stone's throw of Winnipeg, between the municipality of St. Vital and St. Boniface.

The municipal golf movement, which started three years ago in Winnipeg, with the opening of an 18-hole course in Kildonan, has grown like wildfire until last year 59,000 players played over the course between April and November. The autumn brought rumors of increasing interest in the Royal and Ancient game for this year and the Parks Board saw itself hard put to handle the crop of new golfers who prefer the freedom of the municipal course to the restrictions of private club life. A committee was struck off to go into the question of extending golfing facilities, but there was a good deal of objection from the economically minded members of the Board and of the City Council on the ground this was no time to spend money on amusement.

Early in the year the lovely Windsor Park golf site, toward which the Board has cast longing eyes, came into the market. A private organization which had purchased the site two years ago and expended some \$30,000 in laying out a

course, found itself in financial difficulties, and the Parks Board seized the chance to make a bid for its acquisition.

There was a good deal of dickering, but finally an agreement was reached whereby the City could buy the land for \$44,000 and reimburse the private club for the \$31,000 put into ground improvements. There was an initial payment of \$40,000 required and the remainder, \$35,000, could be taken care of under agreements of sale.

By a stroke of sheer good luck the Parks Board had money available from the sale of a small mid-city holding. Half of Victoria Park (consisting of 1½ acres), was sold to the Hydro-Electric System last year for \$47,000. With the money obtained the Board replaced the intra city holding with another recreation centre, Norquay Park, containing 6½ acres, and paid off a bank overdraft of \$22,000. This year the remainder of the park was sold to the Hydro-Electric for \$49,000, which gave the Board money to meet the first payment on Windsor Park and left \$9,000 for improvement of the grounds.

Some objection was made to the purchase in the City Council on the ground the ratepayers should have the right to vote on the expenditure, but the Board set aside such objections by pointing out that the new undertaking would be self-sustaining from the start and would not require financial backing from the city. Permission was given the Board to acquire the land in the name of the City of Winnipeg by a motion of Council and the Board made the purchase by by-law.

Under the plans for operation Windsor Park will provide an 18-hole golf course to be opened possibly this autumn for public play at approximately 50 cents a game. In addition a set of 30 shale tennis courts will be built and equipped for public use at a fixed fee. Quoting fields, bowling greens and other sporting facilities will be added as the revenue allows, making the new park one of the finest municipal sport centres any city on the continent can boast.

It is estimated the golf course itself will become revenue bearing almost as soon as put in operation and should yield a gross revenue of \$10,000 for the first year. Basing figures on the returns at Kildonan course, which is now paying \$12,000 a year towards carrying charges of the property out of the green fees and miscellaneous revenue, the new golf course will pay its own way and leave a surplus.

Nor is there any apprehension felt on the score of depleting attendance at the first municipal course. The course is slightly more than three miles from the centre of the city, is within walking distance of the carline, and will draw its patronage from surrounding municipalities and private clubs as well as the fraternity of public golfers in Winnipeg, officials believe. The new course will give a further impetus to the game rather than divide honours with the older municipal course, they believe.

A good deal of credit for bringing the Windsor Park deal to fruition with such rare good fortune for the Parks Board is due to A. W. Puttee, chairman of the finance committee of the Board. Aided and abetted by his trusty lieutenant, J. H. Blackwood, secretary, he nursed along the scheme for adding Windsor Park to the city's golf facilities, from the first hint that the property was available. He was partly to thank for the advantageous price obtained and with fine diplomacy manipulated a deal with St. Boniface and St. Vital for a fixed assessment and partial tax exemption to safeguard Winnipeg against high taxes in the event of a jump in land values. And now the genius of George Champion, parks superintendent, will be called into play to convert the newly cleared land to grassy fairways and velvety greens. The task will not take long, however, and with gangs of men already at work the Superintendent is well on the way to having the course in shape for play, with a favourable season, in August or early September.

Long stretches of clearing, rough surfaced as a giant's arm, stretch into the heavily treed land and here and there a planted green shows its smooth, emerald surface. The whole course is mapped out, but some changes will be made before the final pattern of fairways and greens, which will make Windsor Park golf links, is imprinted on the land in playable turf and smooth carpeted greens.

In its embryo state the course gives promise of every thrill and every terror a golfer can know. There are long, broad fairways to invite the distance driver; there are thickets and stalwart trees hemming others in narrowly and threatening the man who plays off the line; there are gullies and a winding river hiding un-



The 18th Fairway from the Tee at Windsor Park—Winnipeg's Second Municipal Golf Club.

suspected dangers for the careless. Some of the holes are fair and kindly; others abound in hazards, but there is not one without its joy or its fear. Each hole bids fair to try the skill and tax the temper of the true hearted golfer who aims to play every hole well.

From the first tee the fairway spreads out fan shape for 100 yards, then takes a 15 foot drop to dabble in the Seine River. At this point the stream, of fair breadth, is fringed with brush and it will take a drive straight and true to land the ball on the tree girt green beyond.

Following holes take the player over the river four times, lead him through the tall timbers, where a stray shot means a lost hole, and lures him into the hazards of brush-grown ravines and deceiving contours of the land.

The accumulation of all golfing miseries, where a man cannot make up his mind what club to use, will not overtake the timorous golfer until he reaches the 12th, 13th and 14th holes. Teeing off from the 12th hole to an invisible pin will a good golfer take the safe course of two sure shots or dare the carry of a long ball across unknown hazards to a trap-bound green? On the left the fairway runs clear for 150 yards, but is skirted on the right with a shaggy gully. At 150 yards the hole crooks into a dog's leg leading across the gully and the green is barricaded with bunkers and trapped behind. The 13th hole has a fairly safe

fairway, but the approach to the green is patterned with pitfalls. Nature has woven a network of crevices on three sides and walled it round with woods to make the hazards doubly hazardous. The 14th hole is 110 yards of impudence. The fairway dribbles off from the tee for a few yards, then gathers itself for a leap into the deepest ravine on the course, with only one solace—that it is free of water. The green, treacherously narrow for a lofted mashie or niblick, perches on the summit of the farther bank and saucily tips toward the declivity.

With these three holes left behind the worst of the course is over, but there are still "rivers" to cross and baby mountains to scale before the golfer comes home over a comfortably easy 18th hole.

A FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLAR WIN

SUCH a conservative golfing authority as the New York "Times" estimates that the winning of the U. S. Open Championship this month will mean in dollars and cents alone, \$50,000 to the little Englishman, Cyril Walker. That is, now and in the years to come, his wonderful victory will mean that much to him. All the U. S. papers feature the marvellous nerve of Walker at the treacherous 16th, of the 70th hole of the gruelling round, where on the advice of his caddie he used a mid-iron instead of a driving iron, and landing 10 feet from the pin, sank his putt for a 3, which clinched the championship for him. Walker rewarded his caddie by giving him his cheque for \$500, which is the cash value of the U. S. Open. That surely must be the biggest caddie tip ever given. But the advice was worth it and ten times more. It was at this same treacherous 16th that Hagen "blew up" and threw away his chance to again win the golfing crown of America. Incidentally there are a few good caddies in the United States and Canada, but mighty few. In Great Britain, on the other hand, they are very often old professionals and fine players, and their advice is generally taken, and as in the Walker case, they have been the means of winning many a tight match for the players whose clubs they carry.

A GREAT FISHING CLUB

Which Has Also Recently Installed a 9-Hole Golf Course for the Edification of its Members

(*Special Correspondence, "Canadian Golfer"*)

Back in the wilds of Pontiac County P. Q., is one of the greatest fishing clubs on the continent, to wit, the Maganassippi Fish and Game Club, of which Mr. James Rosamond, of Almonte, is President, and Col. Geo. P. Murphy, C.M.G., of Ottawa, Honorary Secretary. The membership includes prominent citizens of Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, etc., and a few citizens of the neighboring republic.

To reach the Club preserve one has to take the C. P. R. to Deux Rivieres, and then cross the Ottawa River, which at this point is a dangerous stream, to the Quebec side. A few

years ago the crossing of the Ottawa at Deux Rivieres was extremely hazardous, owing to the swiftness of the waters and the turbulent rapids below the village. Now, instead of pulling upstream a mile along the Ontario shore and then shooting down a mile diagonally to the landing-place on the Quebec side one can cross expeditiously in the aerial of the Edwards Lumber Company, the "bucket" of which will easily carry twelve people.

The Club has two houses, the first being six miles from the Ottawa River and the other about five miles further back in the woods. There are from

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fifteen to twenty lakes accessible to the club-houses in which nothing but speckled trout, big fellows at that, are to be found. Doubles on the leader are a common thing and threes are not unusual. One well-known Ottawa man had four triples and one double in five consecutive casts in Ives Lake, and he still lives to tell the story. The members of the Club, animated by the best traditions of sportsmanship, never exceed their privileges. There is a limit to the quantity of fish which may be taken in a day, and the rule is strictly observed.

As a surcease from fishing the Club has built a sporting nine-hole golf course around the club-house at the

first camp, and here every morning after breakfast or after dinner these long evenings marathons have the call. Playing a round one morning last month in which members of the Royal Ottawa, Rivermead and Pembroke Clubs, including Dr. Minnes, Dr. Fraser, Mr. J. N. Brownlee and Mr. J. G. Forgie participated, the honour of making a hole-in-one fell to Dr. Mayburry, a well-known physician of the Capital. True, the distance was only seventy-five yards, but the feat was accomplished just the same and Dr. Mayburry has now the honour of being enrolled as a Canadian "oner." That evening there was more than one "round" at the doctor's expense.

A WORTH-WHILE COURSE

New Links and Club House of the St. Thomas Golf and Country Club
Unexcelled in Ontario—A Particularly Well Balanced Course
of 3,015 yards

(By the Editor).

DURING a recent and most enjoyable visit to St. Thomas, where I had the honour and pleasure of addressing the very virile Kiwanis Club of that city on the subject of golf, I took advantage of the opportunity after the luncheon to inspect the new club house and course of the St. Thomas Golf and Country Club.

The Royal and Ancient game has been played in the "Railway City" for many years, a club having first been organized there in 1909. This was known as the



The Very Attractive Club House of the St. Thomas Golf and Country Club. From the wide verandahs a splendid view of nearly all the holes on the course, can be obtained.

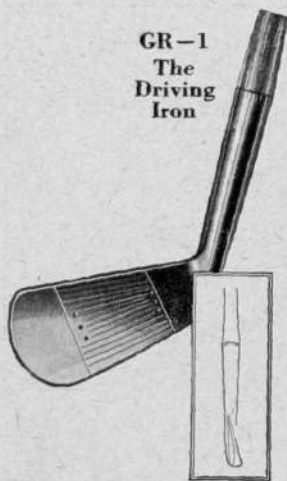
Elgin Golf and Country Club, and the members played over a property on the boundaries of the city, which to-day is being run more or less as a Municipal undertaking and successfully so, too. Some three years ago the "urge" for a better course and a better club house was felt and the club officials heeding it, were particularly fortunate in locating an ideal property on the beautiful road running out to Port Stanley, and about five miles from the city.

Mr. Stanley Thompson, golf architect, of Toronto, found the terrain very much to his liking, and had no difficulty in laying out an 18-hole course, consisting of two loops, the first and tenth tees and the ninth and eighteenth greens all being contiguous to the club house—the ideal golfing lay-out. Construction work on the first nine holes was started in 1922, and last June the members played for the first time over the new course.

In company with Dr. F. O. Lawrence, President of the club, Mr. R. M. Anderson, first Vice-President, and Lt.-Col. D. E. Gerrard, Hon. Secretary, I had the extreme pleasure of playing the nine holes, and found them particularly attractive and well balanced, calling for straight and careful play from the first tee to the last green. The fairways already are in very good shape indeed, whilst the greens are all well placed and for a second year possess a putting touch really quite remarkable. The first hole is a good get-away one of 220 yards. The

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second and third, 385 yards and 450 yards, respectively, are capital two-shotters. The 235-yard fourth is a very nice one-shot hole indeed. Number five is the longest on the course—520 yards, across a ravine to a particularly well placed green nestling against the far bank. Then comes "the gem of the collection," the 385 yard number six, where the formidable ravine has again to be crossed. Number seven is another character hole with an undulating green which leaves nothing to be desired. Again the ravine at the 160 yard eighth, which has to be very carefully negotiated to secure the regulation 3. Then the interesting 360 yard home hole for a total round of 3,015 yards, with a par of 36, and it



A Group "Snapped" on the Front Verandah of the Club House. Reading from left to right—Messrs. Wm. Glass, London; Frank Yull, C. P. R., Montreal; T. H. Yull (President Kiwanis Club), London; Dr. P. O. Lawrence, President, St. Thomas Club; W. L. Agnew, His Honour Judge D. C. Ross; R. W. Johnson, Jr.; Col. D. E. Gerrard, Hon. Secretary St. Thomas Golf Club; Ralph H. Reville, W. K. Cameron, R. M. Anderson, Vice-President St. Thomas Golf Club, and W. A. Gray.

requires a bit of doing, does this par of 36, as there are natural hazards aplenty and many cunningly placed traps.

The view from many vantage points on the links is entrancing, there being a wonderful sweep of wood and hill and dale. The club house is ideally placed on a high point approached by an attractive winding driveway. From the broad verandahs nearly every hole on the course can be seen. The club house itself is a most artistic one, both from an exterior and interior standpoint. There are well planned locker rooms and showers, bedrooms and other up-to-date arrangements, but the crowning glory of the building is the large lounge with its two ornamental brick fire-places. This room, which has a pretty little orchestral balcony, can accommodate one hundred and fifty or more for dinner-dances. The building, I am informed, was erected at a total cost of only \$14,000. It is equal or superior to many \$20,000 and \$25,000 club houses which I have seen in various parts of Canada. It is a lasting monument to the executive ability of the officers of the St. Thomas Golf and Country Club and the architect who planned it.

The full 18-hole course has been laid out but in the meantime the club has decided, and wisely decided, to confine its activities to the 9-hole loop with the

intention of making it unexcelled in Ontario. One of these days the full 18 holes will be put into play, and then St. Thomas will have a course fit for any Championship.

I was very glad to hear that this season the Executive is out to encourage the young members of the club, and a junior branch has been organized with Dr. H. P. O. King as Honorary President, and Harry Metcalf President. Monthly handicaps are to be played for a silver cup, donated by Mr. Don. Anderson, the Club Captain. Capital idea this, which could well be emulated by clubs throughout Canada.

A drive through the residential section of St. Thomas, with its charming residences and flower-bedecked gardens, and a glimpse at the busy mercantile thoroughfare—St. Thomas is one city anyway, where business conditions are bright and pessimism unknown, was a fitting wind-up to a thoroughly interesting and enjoyable little golfing jaunt.

SHAFTS OF CANE, ETC., ALSO BARRED

The Editor is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Henry Gullen, of The Royal and Ancient, St. Andrews, Scotland, in which he enclosed a copy of the following important ruling of the Royal and Ancient:

"The Rules of Golf Committee has decided that clubs with steel shafts and also those with built shafts of cane or other material are *not* permissible in Championships."

ONTARIO LOSES FINE GOLFER

Mr. F. G. Hoblitzell, of Sarnia, Has Taken Up His Residence in Detroit—
Will Keep Up His Golfing Connections with Canada

IT is with extreme regret that golfing friends throughout Canada will hear that Mr. F. G. Hoblitzell, who for some years has resided in Sarnia, has removed to Detroit, where he is associated with a very prominent New York investment house. Mr. Hoblitzell ranked as one of the best golfers in Ontario. In 1919 he represented Canada vs. the States in the International Matches at Hamilton, and in the singles had a very creditable victory to his credit when he defeated Mr. W. C. Fownes, of Pittsburg, Pa., ex-Amateur Champion of the United States 2 and 1. In 1920, in the International Matches, at the Engineers' Club, Roslyn, N. Y., he was paired with Mr. Norman Scott, of Montreal, and he and his partner defeated Messrs. Max Marston, present U. S. Amateur Champion, and Gardner White, 2 and 1. These performances show the great game which Mr. Hoblitzell is capable of playing.

Of recent years the Sarnia expert has not been seen in many competitions. In 1922, however, he won the Detroit District Championship in a very strong field indeed. Mr. Hoblitzell writes the Editor from Detroit.

"I regretted to leave Sarnia, being there a number of years, and making a lot of acquaintances. However, I hope to be able to compete in the various Canadian Tournaments and doing so will make me feel at home just the same. I hope to see you in Toronto, as I will enter from Sarnia for the Canadian Amateur. I haven't as yet joined any Detroit Club, but rather feel it will be the Detroit Golf Club if I do. I've started the season off pretty well for I managed to get first position and prize on the Detroit team. A couple of weeks ago we had a two-day meet medal competition of all 10 handicap players, and better for positions on the Detroit team, so I was rather fortunate in being on top."

The best of good wishes from Canadian golfing friends will be extended Mr. Hoblitzell for an unbounded success in Detroit, both from a business and golfing standpoint.

ONTARIO LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs. Hope Gibson, of Hamilton, in the Finals Defeats Miss Ada Mackenzie by one up—Miss Mackenzie Wins Qualifying Round with the Remarkably Fine Score of 85—Championship Consolation is Captured by Mrs. Phillips, of Oshawa—Welland Course comes in for Great Praise

ON the far-flung links of the Lookout Point Golf and Country Club, near Welland, the first week in June, was fought out, under the management of The Canadian

greens, and a vista from many a vantage point unequalled by any golf links on the continent. If it did nothing else, the 1924 Ladies' Championship of Ontario, brought to contestants and



The Presentation of the Ontario Championship Cup to the winner, Mrs. Hope Gibson, at Lookout Point, Welland. To the left are seen Mrs. Harcourt, Lady President of Lookout, and Mrs. A. F. Rodger, Acting President of the C. L. G. U.

Ladies' Golf Union, for the fourth time since the war, the Ladies' Golf Championship of Ontario. And no better setting could have been chosen for the staging of this quite important event. "Lookout" is one of the youngest of the 18-hole courses of Ontario, because it was only some three years ago, it came into being.

A glorious course, however, already, is this course of the favoured residents of the centre of "the garden of Ontario." A course of wide, sweeping distances—of hills and heights and ravines; of fine fairways and rolling

the many spectators alike, the realization that at "Lookout Point," seven miles or so from Welland, and twelve miles or so from St. Catharines, there is an inland golf links of championship calibre, absolutely unsurpassed in the Dominion.

The entries were not so numerous as at the 1923 Championship, largely owing to the fact that London, Brantford, Hamilton and Toronto, so centrally located, from a golfing standpoint, are always bound to attract record fields. This is noticeable in every golfing event, both women's and men's. But

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the sixty-odd entrants at Welland were most representative, although there were one or two absentees, especially Mrs. Mulqueen of Toronto (nee Miss Sidney Pepler), the Close Lady Champion of Canada, and the medallist in the Ontario Championship last year. "Lookout Point" would have been especially to her liking. It favours the player with a long shot in his or her bag, both from the tee and through the green, on many and many a hole.

As was generally expected, the finals resolved themselves into another most absorbingly interesting duel, between Mrs. Hope Gibson, of Hamilton, and Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto—opponents many times and oft. Mrs. Gibson won premier honours at London in 1921 (Miss Mackenzie that year did not enter. She was in Great Britain, playing in the Championship). Miss Mackenzie at Rosedale, Toronto, defeated her 4 and 3 and "repeated again" in Brantford last year, 2 and 1. But Welland was destined to see the squaring of the count. At the

sixteenth the match was all level, but the brilliant Hamiltonian on the short seventeenth, with a remarkably fine "explosion shot," from the difficult sandy trap to the left of the green, followed it up eventually with a firm putt of four feet or so, for a par 3 to her opponent's 4, and the eighteenth being divided, once again the Ontario Championship rests in Hamilton instead of Toronto, which two most important Ontario golfing centres have held it equally for the past few years. That cleverly placed and cleverly trapped seventeenth at "Lookout Point" made and unmade a champion. En passant, there are few better one-shot holes in Canada, than the unique second at Lookout Point and this well placed seventeenth.

Miss Mackenzie Wins the Qualifying Round

On Monday, June 2nd, the Qualifying Round of the Championship took place, and the following were the results:

	Out	In	G.	H.	N.
Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mississauga ..	45	40	85	2	83
Mrs. Hope Gibson Hamilton	49	44	93	4	89
Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto	51	47	98	14	84
Mrs. E. Whittington, Toronto	51	48	99	9	90
Miss D. Thompson, Paris	53	46	99	15	84
Miss W. Gage, Lambton	52	49	101	10	91
Mrs. Erie Phillips, Oshawa	52	50	102	22	80
Mrs. R. Murdoch, Humber Valley ..	52	52	104	7	97
Miss E. Nesbitt, Hamilton	51	53	104	5	99
Mrs. B. L. Symmes, Mississauga	51	54	105	12	93
Mrs. A. A. Werlich, Brantford	52	56	108	20	88
Mrs. F. Agar, Mississauga	53	57	110	16	94
Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, Toronto	59	51	110	17	93
Mrs. B. Hayes, Lambton	54	58	112	17	95
Mrs. F. Leeming, Brantford	54	58	112	20	92
Miss E. Mills, York Downs	59	55	114	19	95
Mrs. H. Cowan, Sarnia	59	57	116	13	103

	Out	In	G.	H.	N.
Mrs. E. E. Henderson, Hamilton...	56	61	117	11	106
Miss M. Farmer, St. Catharines	60	57	117	10	107
Miss K. Christie Lambton	58	59	117	15	102
Miss L. MacDonald, Toronto	56	61	117	17	100
Miss M. Walsh, Toronto	56	61	117	25	92
Mrs. E. E. Firth, Scarboro	65	53	118	19	99
Miss M. King, Lambton	65	54	119	17	102
Miss A. Farncombe, London ..	57	62	119	20	99
Mrs. Bryce Hunter, York Downs	61	58	119	22	97
Miss F. Heslop, Welland	61	58	119	36	83
Mrs. C. R. Blackburn, Humber Valley ..	61	59	120	13	107
Mrs. Edwin Hill, Lambton	64	59	123	20	103
Mrs. H. L. Johnson, Simcoe	60	63	123	28	95
Miss M. Millichamp, Rosedale	63	61	124	19	105
Mrs. Wm. Falls, London	57	67	124	24	100
Mrs. J. H. Ingersoll, St. Catharines ...	61	64	125	20	105
Mrs. F. Matthews, Lambton	68	59	127	18	109
Mrs. H. Hewitt, Brantford	65	62	127	23	104
Miss Edith Baker, Grimsby	65	63	128	31	97
Mrs. George Decks, Lambton	67	62	129	36	93
Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill	63	66	129	24	105
Mrs. Herbert Tilley, Lambton	69	61	130	18	112
Mrs. R. A. Robertson, Hamilton	66	66	132	20	112
Miss Maud Peterson, St. Catharines ...	67	65	132	24	108
Mrs. W. Buchanan, St. Catharines	67	65	132	21	111
Miss H. Lancaster, St. Catharines	71	61	132	22	110
Mrs. Lloyd Lott, Rosedale	63	70	133	24	109
Mrs. Ronald Harris, London	69	95	134	20	114
Mrs. J. M. Jory, St. Catharines	65	69	134	29	105
Miss Margot Murray, Lambton	68	66	134	36	98
Mrs. Jas. McGrail, Welland	68	67	135	34	101
Mrs. A. N. Hayes, Sarnia	67	72	139	21	118
Mrs. E. R. Dewart, Summit	77	62	139	34	105
Mrs. Hilton, St. Catharines	67	73	140	21	119
Mrs. F. A. Nançekivell, Brantford ...	76	65	140	36	104

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	Out	In	G.	H.	N.
Mrs. Pryse Park, Hamilton	70	72	142	36	106
Mrs. B. J. McCormick, Welland ...	72	71	143	36	107
Miss Ida Woodruff, St. Catharines ...	76	69	114	26	118
Miss Nora Warwick, Lambton	69	75	144	36	108
Mrs. D. H. Burns, Welland	80	67	147	36	111
Mrs. R. T. Moran, Welland	75	75	148	36	112
Miss M. Williams, Lambton	80	71	151	36	115
Miss Gertrude Ross, Grimsby	80	73	153	36	117
Mrs. A. L. Brooks, Welland	80	73	153	36	117
Mrs. F. Wellington, Welland	73	84	157	36	121
Mrs. George Watt, Brantford	87	74	161	36	125

The course at Lookout Point is the longest in Canada. From the back tees it is 6,734 yards, or slightly longer than the famous Willie Park course at Mount Bruno (6,643 yards), where the Canadian Open is to be staged next August. For the Ontario Champion-

ship this month, however, on some of the holes the tees had been put forward, still leaving, however, the testing length for the ladies to negotiate of 6,372 yards, which is equal or in excess of the majority of the full 18-hole courses in Canada. The C. L. G. U. representatives had parred this course at 84, and it will be noticed that the Champion, Miss Mackenzie, came within one stroke of equalling this figure. Her initial round of the links was a well sustained display of high-class golf. Her only serious mistake was at the third hole, where she took an 8 instead of the regulation 5. Notwithstanding this slip, however, she reached the turn only 2 down on par, and coming in bettered it by 1 stroke, which might easily have been 2 strokes, as her putt on the eighteenth was rather punished, the ball rimming the cup and hanging on the lip. Her card is well worthy of reproduction:

Par:

Out 6,4,5, 5,4,5, 5,5,4=43

Miss Mackenzie:

Out 6,4,8, 4,4,6, 4,5,4=45

Par:

In 6,5,4, 5,3,5, 5,3,5=41

Miss Mackenzie:

In 6,6,4, 4,2,5, 5,3,5=40

Total Par for the course..... 84

Total Miss Mackenzie 85

Mrs. Hope Gibson, who had the second best gross, took 49 going out, but steadied down coming in, carding a 44 for a total of 93, or 8 strokes back of Miss Mackenzie.

It will be noticed in the sixteen leading gross scores—85 to 114—which qualified for the Championship Flight, Toronto clubs were represented by 10 players; Hamilton by 2; Brantford by 2; Paris 1 (Miss Thompson, of Paris also plays for Brantford); and Oshawa 1. During this qualifying round the Club Team Match was also decided. This was won by the Toronto Club, whose representatives: Mesdames M. K. Rowe, Whittington, Ashworth and Miss Walsh, had a total score of 424. Hamilton came second with 446, followed by Lambton, 449; Brantford, 487; London, 497, St. Catharines, 506, and Welland, 520.

Mrs. Phillips, of Oshawa, with a handicap of 22, won the handicap prize with a net 80, with Miss Mackenzie and Miss Frances Heslop, of Welland, tied for second with 83. As no player can win two prizes, Miss Heslop takes second place. Miss Thomson, of Paris, and Mrs. Godwin, of Welland, with 84's, tied for the next place.

The Championship Flight

And this is how the draw came out for the final round in the Championship Flight of sixteen:

Mrs. B. L. Symmes vs. Mrs. E. W. Whittington.

Mrs. Barry Hayes vs. Miss Evelyn Mills.

Mrs. A. A. Werlich vs. Mrs. F. Leeming.

Miss Ada Mackenzie vs. Mrs. R. Murdoch.

Miss D. Thompson vs. Mrs. J. J. Ashworth.

Mrs. M. K. Rowe vs. Mrs. F. Agar.

Mrs. Hope Gibson vs. Mrs. Eric Phillips.

Miss W. Gage vs. Miss E. Nesbitt.

It will be seen that Miss Ada Mackenzie was in the upper half of the bracket and Mrs. Hope Gibson in the lower, and that almost from the first meant another final meeting between the many time champions.

There were no upsets the first day. Results:

FIRST ROUND.

Mrs. E. W. Whittington, of Toronto, defeated Mrs. B. L. Symmes, Mississauga, 4 and 2.

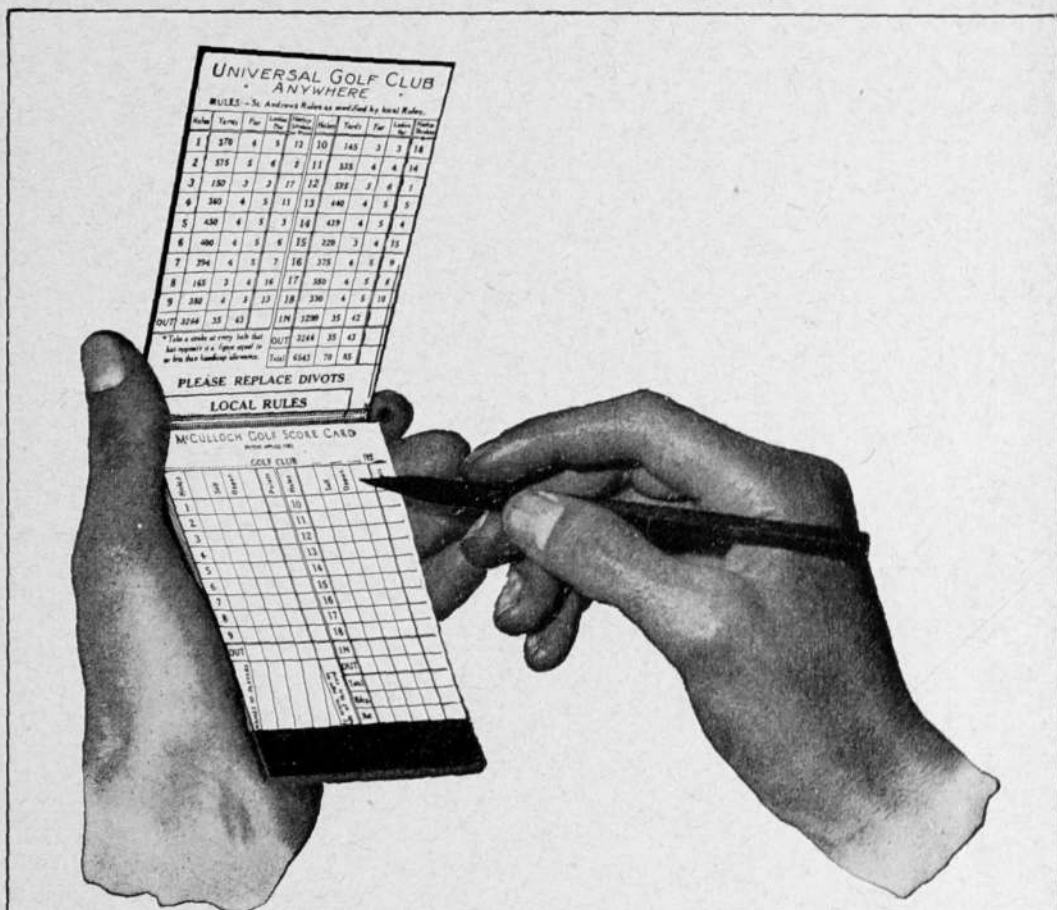
Mrs. Barry Hayes, Lambton, defeated Miss Evelyn Mills, of York Downs, 6 and 5.

Mrs. Werlich, of Brantford, defeated Mrs. Leeming, of Brantford, on 19th hole.

Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mississauga, defeated Mrs. R. Murdoch, of Humber Valley, 6 and 4.

Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, of Toronto, defeated Miss Dorothy Thomson, of Paris, 4 and 2.

Mrs. M. K. Rowe, of Toronto, defeated Mrs. F. Agar, Mississauga, 4 and 3.



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Mrs. Hope Gibson, Hamilton, defeated Mrs. Eric Phillips, of Oshawa, 8 and 7.

Miss Effie Nesbitt, Hamilton, defeated Miss Willo Gage, of Lambton, 2 and 1.

Continuing to play quite superlative golf, Miss Ada Mackenzie, who was out in 41, or 2 better than par, was 5 up on Mrs. Murdoch, the well known Humber Valley player, at the turn, and the end of the match came on the 14th green, 6 and 4.

Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, of the Toronto Club, played very fine golf indeed to account for such a strong, young player as Miss Dorothy Thompson, of Paris, 4 and 2.

Another good match was that between Miss Effie Nesbitt, Hamilton, and Miss Willo Gage, Lambton, the ex-Bermuda Champion, being defeated by the Hamiltonian after a hard fought game 2 and 1. Mrs. Werlich, of Brantford, and Mrs. Frank Leeming, of Brantford, were pitted against each other. The team mates had a battle

royal, the match not being decided until the 19th hole, where Mrs. Werlich, who is a player of much promise, eventually won out.

The second round of the Championship on Wednesday resulted as follows:

Mrs. E. W. Whittington, Toronto, defeated Mrs. Barry Hayes, Lambton, 5 and 4.

Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mississauga, defeated Mrs. Werlich, Brantford, 6 and 5.

Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, Toronto, defeated Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto, 2 and 1.

Mrs. Hope Gibson, Hamilton, defeated Miss Effie Nesbitt, Hamilton, 4 and 2.

Once again Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, of the Toronto Club, demonstrated her undoubted playing abilities by defeating by 2 and 1 such a fine tournament player as Mrs. M. K. Rowe, also a Toronto Club member. The other matches went as per schedule.

The third round found Miss Mackenzie pitted against Mrs. Whittington, whom she defeated 4 and 3, whilst Mrs. Hope Gibson accounted for Mrs. Ashworth 8 and 7. So once again the Final resolved itself into a duel between Miss Mackenzie and Mrs. Hope Gibson, as had generally been predicted from the moment the draw was first posted.

Mrs. Gibson Comes Into Her Own

Friday afternoon, June the 6th, was quite a fateful one in the annals of golf in both Canada and the United States. Some two hundred miles west from Welland at the Oak Hills Country Club, near Detroit, "Bobbie" Jones was battling hard, but battling unsuccessfully, to retain the Open Championship of America, one of the world's greatest golfing classics. And then three hundred miles east at Kanawaki, Montreal, a new Provincial Lady Champion, in young Miss M. Annable, was forging her way to the front, whilst at Lookout Point Miss Ada Mackenzie was making a gallant, but unsuccessful, struggle to retain her premier Provincial honours and make a record of recording three Championships "all in a row."

Friday afternoon at Lookout Point was bright and fair, but a heavy wind swept across hill and dale and conditions were decidedly not favourable for low scoring. Quite a large gallery followed with absorbing interest this third "final" struggle for Ontario golfing supremacy between the titleholder, Miss Ada Mackenzie, and ex-Canadian Champion, and the ex-titleholder and ex-Close Canadian Champion, Mrs. Hope Gibson.

It was a ding-dong match from first to last, but many were the good holes played, as witness the fact that Miss Mackenzie made two "birdies," and six holes in par, whilst Mrs. Gibson had 9 holes in par. And that is good golf. The match was all square at the 9th. The 10th and 11th were halved. Miss Mackenzie won the 12th, but Mrs. Gibson took the 13th. On the 127-yard

14th both were on the green, but Miss Mackenzie ran down a longish putt for a 2 and was 1 up. The fifteenth was halved with indifferent sixes, but Mrs. Gibson again squared the match with a 6 to a 7 at the 16th. Then came the tricky short 17th, where as previously



Mrs. Hope Gibson, Hamilton, who for the second time wins Ontario Championship:

described, the ex-Champion played a clever shot from the left hand trap, and with a par 3 became dormy one. Mrs. Gibson on the 400 yard 18th had a splendid drive and a corking fine brassie shot, which ran just over the elevated and rolling green. Miss Mackenzie was in the rough to her right with her drive, to the left and below the hole on her second, but played a good third to the green. She tried hard to find the cup, with a long putt for a 4, but was short and Mrs. Gibson had no difficulty in halving the hole in 5 and winning the Ontario Championship for the second time by the narrow margin of 1 up. Both victor and vanquished were heartily cheered and congratulated. Their record now is a couple of Ontario Championships each. Next year,

therefore, if they should come together again, it will be the "rubber game" with a vengeance. The cards:

Mrs. Gibson:

Out .. 7,4,6, 5,5,5, 5,6,6=49

In 7,5,5, 5,3,6, 6,3,5=45=94

Miss Mackenzie:

Out .. 6,5,7, 4,4,6, 6,6,4=48

In 7,5,4, 6,2,6, 7,4,5=46=94

Herewith the Championship details:

FIRST FLIGHT.

First Round.

Mrs. Hector Cowan, Sarnia, defeated Mrs. C. R. Blackburn, Humber Valley, 4 and 3.
 Miss Louise McDonald, Toronto, defeated Miss M. Farman, St. Catharines, 3 and 2.
 Miss K. Christie, Lambton, defeated Mrs. E. Firth, of Scarboro, 8 and 7.
 Mrs. E. E. Henderson, Hamilton, defeated Miss M. King, of Lambton, 2 and 1.
 Miss A. Farncomb, London, defeated Miss M. Walsh, Toronto, 5 and 3.

	First Round	Second Round	Semi-Finals	Finals
Mrs. B. L. Symmes Mrs. E. W. Whittington	} Mrs. Whittington 4 and 3	} Mrs. Whittington 5 and 4	} Miss Mackenzie 4 and 3	} Mrs. H. Gibson 1 up
Mrs. Barry Hayes Miss Evelyn Mills				
Mrs. A. A. Werlich Mrs. F. Leeming	} Mrs. Werlich at 19th	} Mrs. Ashworth 4 and 2		
Miss Ada Mackenzie Mrs. R. Murdoch			} Miss Mackenzie 6 and 4	
Miss D. Thompson Mrs. J. J. Ashworth	} Mrs. Ashworth 4 and 2	} Mrs. Gobson 8 and 7		
Mrs. M. K. Rowe Mrs. F. Agar			} Mrs. Rowe 4 and 2	
Mrs. Hope Gibson Mrs. W. E. Phillips	} Mrs. Gibson 8 and 7			
Miss W. Gage Miss E. Nesbitt		} Miss Nesbitt 2 and 1		

Results in Other Flights

But the Championship proper was not the only interesting feature of this very interesting week at Welland. They were many exciting matches in the various other flights, the results of which were:

CHAMPIONSHIP CONSOLATION

First Round

Mrs. T. J. Agar, Mississauga, defeated Miss Dorothy Thomson, Paris, one up.
 Miss Willo Gage, Lambton, defeated Miss Evelyn Mills, York Downs, 4 and 3.
 Mrs. R. Murdoch, Humber Valley, defeated Mrs. F. Leeming, Brantford, 5 and 4.
 Mrs. W. E. Phillips, Oshawa, defeated Mrs. B. L. Symmes, Mississauga, 4 and 3.

Second Round.

Mrs. T. J. Agar, Mississauga, defeated Miss Willo Gage, Lambton, 2 and 1.
 Mrs. Eric Phillips, Oshawa, defeated Mrs. R. Murdoch, Humber Valley, one up.

Finals.

Mrs. Phillips defeated Mrs. F. J. Agar two up.

Miss F. Heslop, of Welland, defeated Mrs. Bryce Hunter, of York Downs, at 20th hole.
 Mrs. L. S. Godwin, Welland, defeated Mrs. J. L. Johnstone, of Simcoe, 4 and 3.
 Mrs. M. Grayden, of London, defeated Mrs. Edwin Hill, of Lambton, 4 and 3.

Second Round.

Miss Louise MacDonald, Toronto, defeated Mrs. H. Cowan, Sarnia, 4 and 3.
 Miss K. Christie defeated Mrs. E. E. Henderson, Hamilton, 4 and 3.
 Miss A. Farncomb, London, defeated Miss F. Heslop, Welland, 1 up.
 Mrs. M. Graydon, London, defeated Mrs. L. S. Godwin, Welland, 5 and 4.

Third Round.

Miss Louise MacDonald, Toronto, defeated Miss K. Christie, Lambton, 7 and 6.
 Mrs. M. Graydon, London, defeated Miss A. Farncombe, London, 3 and 2.

Finals.

Miss Louise MacDonald defeated Mrs. M. Graydon 2 up.

SECOND FLIGHT.

First Round.

Mrs. William Falls, London, defeated Mrs. H. Ingersoll, St. Catharines, 3 and 2.



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Mrs. W. Buchanan, St. Catharines, defeated Mrs. George Deeks, Lambton, 2 up.

Mrs. H. Tilley, London, defeated Miss Edith Baker, Grimsby, at 19th hole.

Mrs. R. Harris, London, defeated Mrs. R. A. Robertson, Hamilton, 4 and 2.

Mrs. M. Millichamp, Rosedale, defeated Mrs. H. Hewitt, Brantford, one up.

Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, defeated Miss H. Lancaster, St. Catharines, 7 and 5.

Miss M. Peterson, St. Catharines, won by default from Mrs. F. Mathews, Lambton.

Mrs. L. Lott, Rosedale, defeated Mrs. J. M. Jory, St. Catharines, 6 and 5.

Second Round.

Mrs. William Falls, London, defeated Mrs. W. Buchanan, St. Catharines, on twentieth hole.

Mrs. R. Harris, London, defeated Mrs. H. Tilley, Lambton, 2 and 1.

Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, defeated Miss L. Millichamp, Rosedale, 3 and 1.

Mrs. E. Lott, Rosedale, defeated Miss M. Peterson, St. Catharines, 3 and 2.

Third Round.

Mrs. R. Harris, London, defeated Mrs. Wm. Falls, London, two up.

Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, defeated Mrs. L. Lott, Rosedale, one up.

Finals.

Mrs. Ronald Harris defeated Mrs. D. A. Reid, 6 up and 5.

THIRD FLIGHT.

First Round.

Miss M. Murray, Lambton, defeated Mrs. A. L. Brooks, Welland, 6 and 4.

Mrs. Pryse Park, Hamilton, defeated Mrs. E. R. Dewart, Summit, 3 and 2.

Mrs. J. McGrail, Welland, defeated Miss M. Williams, Lambton, 8 and 7.

Mrs. D. H. Burns, Welland, defeated Mrs. R. T. Moran, Welland, 8 and 7.

Miss F. Warwick, Lambton, defeated Miss E. Rose, Grimsby, 8 and 7.

Miss I. Woodruff, St. Catharines, defeated Mrs. F. A. Nancekivell, Brantford, 5 and 1.

Mrs. G. Hilton, St. Catharines, defeated Mrs. B. J. McCormack, Welland, 5 and 4.

Mrs. E. Muntz, St. Catharines, defeated Mrs. A. N. Hayes, Sarnia, 3 and 2.

Second Round.

Mrs. Pryse Park, Hamilton, defeated Miss M. Murray, Lambton, 4 and 3.

Mrs. J. McGrail, Welland, defeated Mrs. D. H. Burns, Welland, 4 and 3.

Miss M. Warwick, Lambton, defeated Miss I. Woodruff, St. Catharines, one up.

Mrs. E. Muntz, St. Catharines, defeated Mrs. G. Hilton, St. Catharines, one up.

Third Round.

Mrs. J. McGrail, Welland, defeated Mrs. Pryce Park, Hamilton, one up.

Mrs. E. Muntz, St. Catharines, defeated Miss M. Warwick, Lambton, 4 and 2.

Finals.

Mrs. J. McGrail defeated Mrs. Muntz 6 and 5.

On Tuesday afternoon the Driving and Putting Competitions provoked much interest. Prizes were given in both the C. L. G. U., Silver and Bronze Divisions, the former, handicaps of 20 and under; the latter, handicaps over 20. The results:

Driving, Silver Division—Miss Effie Nesbitt, Hamilton, 158, 156, 181—495; Miss Dorothy Thomson, Paris, 136, 181, 175—492; Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto, 165, 182, 142—489. Longest drive, Mrs. M. Graydon, London, 205 yards. Bronze Division—Miss M. Walsh, Toronto, 113, 160, 145—418; Mrs. J. McGrail, Welland, 128, 135, 142—405; Mrs. George Deeks, Lambton, 146, 126, 129—401. Longest drive, Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, 170 yards.

Approaching and Putting, Silver Division—Mrs. Werlich, Brantford, won from Mrs. H. Cowan, Sarnia, in play-off, both taking eight strokes in competition. Bronze Division—Miss Margot Murray, Lambton, nine strokes.

The presentation of prizes at the completion of the Tournament Friday afternoon marked a fitting wind-up to one of the most successful Championships ever held under the auspices of the C. L. G. U. Mrs. A. F. Rodger, of Toronto, presided in the absence of the President of the Association, Mrs. Leonard Murray, who is in England. She made a most charming little speech in which she referred to the regrettable absence of Mrs. Murray, and paid a gracious tribute to the wonderful Welland course and the unbounded hospitality of the

members of the Lookout Point Club. Every day had been a delight, and the experiences of the 1924 Championship would long remain a fragrant memory with the participants and officers of the C. L. G. U. Mrs. Harcourt, Lady President of the Welland Club, also



Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto, Twice Ontario Ladies' Championship and Runner-up this year.

made a most clever little speech, bristling with good wishes to the Champion and lady golfers of Ontario. Mr. L. B. Spencer and Mr. David Dick, of Welland, too, added congratulations and good wishes. The following is the official Prize List:

Championship Cup, presented by the Hamilton Club, to be held for one year, and a replica, presented by the C. L. G. U., Mrs. Hope Gibson, Hamilton; runner-up prize, silver pitcher, presented by Mrs. Leonard Murray, President of the C. L. G. U., Miss Ada

Mackenzie, Mississauga. Best Gross Prize presented by Madame Darte, Welland, cut glass set, won by Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mississauga. Best Nett Prize, presented by Mr. Brown, Welland, won by Mrs. Eric Phillips, Oshawa. Second Nett (tied for second time), two sterling silver bon bon dishes, won by Mrs. Godson, of Welland and Miss Heslop, Welland.

Semi-finalists, prizes (purses), by C. L. G. U., Mrs. E. Whittington and Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, both of Toronto Club. Team Trophy, presented by the C. L. G. U., and individual prizes, umbrellas, won by Toronto Golf Club, Mrs. M. K. Rowe, 98; Mrs. E. Whittington, 99; Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, 110, and Miss Margaret Walsh, 117. Championship Consolation, winner Mrs. E. Phillips, Oshawa, silver platter, presented by men of the Lookout Point Club; runner-up, Mrs. T. J. Agar, Mississauga, silver water jug, presented by men of Lookout Point Club.

First Flight, winner Miss Louise Macdonald, Toronto Club, silver salver; runner-up, Mrs. M. Graydon, London, copper and silver quaike; second flight winner, Mrs. R. Harris, London, umbrella; runner-up, Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, bon bon dishes. Third flight, winner Mrs. J. McGrail, Welland, silver cake dish, presented by Mr. L. B. Spencer, Welland; runner-up, Mrs. E. Muntz, St. Catharines, cigarette box.

Driving, Silver Division—Black leather purse, presented by Dr. Cowper, Welland, won by Miss Effie Nesbitt, Hamilton. Driving, Bronze Division, won by Miss Margaret Walsh, Toronto. Longest single drive, silver division, golf balls, presented by Col. Raymond, Welland won by Mrs. M. Graydon, London. Longest single drive, bronze division, leather bag, presented by Welland Ladies Committee, won by Mrs. D. A. Reid, Thornhill, Toronto. Approaching and Putting, silver division, half dozen Crown Derby cups and saucers, presented by Mr. David Dick, of Lookout Point Club, won by Mrs. Werlich, Brantford. Approaching and Putting, bronze division, prize presented by Ladies' Committee of Lookout Point Club, won by Miss Margot Murray, Lambton.

Tournament Chip Shots

The entrants are all singing the praises of the Lookout Point course, which they pronounce one of the most outstanding in Canada. The undulating greens were especially commented upon as unequalled in this country. The whole of the course was in superb condition, reflecting the greatest credit on the green keepers and the very capable professional, Arthur Keeling. In the club house, too, Mrs. Keeling, the Manageress, was un-failing in her attention to the players and other guests during Tournament week. They both came in for much praise.

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homes in Welland and St. Catharines were also thrown open to the contestants, and hospitality everywhere was unbounded.

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There is no question that the Championship will do much for golf in the Niagara District. The C. L. G. U. is well advised to give all clubs in the Province with an 18-hole course a chance to hold the annual Provincial Tournament.

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A most pleasing feature of the presentation of prizes was when Mr. L. B. Spencer, President of the Welland Club, came forward and asked the Champion, Mrs. Hope Gibson and the ex-Champion, Miss Ada Mackenzie, to accept with every good wish Honorary Out-of-town Memberships in the Club. Both Mrs. Gibson and Miss Mackenzie joined in the hearty cheers which followed this graceful announcement.

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Showing the testing character of the Lookout Point course, Arthur Keeling, the club's professional, and a very sound player indeed, has never made it in par figures. The course is parred at 74 and Keeling's best score is a 75. It is understood that the club is thinking of giving this season an Invitation Tournament in which any professional who can beat par will be given a very handsome prize indeed. The R. C. G. A. might well consider in the future holding either the Amateur or Open at Welland. The course is worthy of staging any major event.

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Mr. Frank Thompson, of Toronto, ex-Amateur Champion, refereed the finals in the Championship. He was not called upon, however, to decide any knotty questions. Both Mrs. Gibson and Miss Mackenzie are keen observers of every rule and every usage. Would there were more of 'em.

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During Championship week there was an exchange of telegrams between Mrs. A. F. Rodger, who in the absence of Mrs. Murray

was looking after the Ontario Championship, and Mrs. Beverly Robinson, Vice-President of Montreal, who had the Quebec Championship in charge. They were both able to report highly successful and enjoyable Tournaments.

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Miss Murray, of Lambton, Toronto, who won the Approaching and Putting Competition in the Bronze Division, is the only daughter of Mrs. Leonard Murray, President of the C. L. G. U.

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Miss Mackenzie's Qualifying Round of 85 is the best card ever returned in an Ontario Championship, especially when the exacting course at Lookout Point is considered. At Rosedale, in 1922, Mrs. Gibson headed the field with an 86 and at Brantford last year Mrs. Mulqueen (Miss Sidney Pepler), with an 87.

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Very pretty score cards in colours were got out especially for the Championship, and were taken home as souvenirs by many of the contestants. The front page bore this inscription, "A course with a real incentive." And Lookout Point certainly possesses that, as all the players will testify.

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The following was the yardage of the various holes as played by the ladies: No. one, 500 yards; No. two, 166 yards; No. three, 425 yards; No. four, 416 yards; No. five, 175 yards; No. six, 425 yards; No. seven, 367 yards; No. eight, 402 yards; No. nine, 340 yards. Out, 3,216 yards; par 43. No. ten, 558 yards; No. eleven, 342 yards; No. twelve, 235 yards; No. thirteen, 429 yards; No. fourteen, 127 yards; No. fifteen, 465 yards; No. sixteen, 442 yards; No. seventeen, 158 yards; No. eighteen, 400 yards. In, 3,156 yards; par 41. Total yardage, 6,372 yards; par 84. Certainly a well balanced, but difficult course for the best of players.

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Mrs. A. F. Rodger writes the "Canadian Golfer":

"As I think back over our week at Lookout Point, I realize more and more how much the hospitable Welland people did for us all. The locker room, for instance, fitted up so completely with comfortable verandah chairs, cosy cots for resting and cushions covered with gay chintz and the well-equipped writing desk—all so appreciated. Arthur Keeling, the efficient pro., gave up the whole week to look after the starting, whilst Mrs. Keeling

was quite wonderful serving such delicious lunches, not only to the golfers, but to the many visitors that were there each day. The gracious conferring of honorary out-of-town memberships on Mrs. Gibson and Miss Mackenzie was truly a very generous and thoughtful compliment. The attentions and hospitality of the local committees were unbounded. In fact, nothing was left undone for our happiness and comfort "both on and off the links." We shall all remember "Lookout Point and Welland for many and many a day."

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Standing on the top tees of Lookout Point, with a wonderful vista of flowering orchards, stretching for miles below, and the lake with its many steamers silhouetted against the sky, in the far distance, one felt like quoting the poet, who said:

"No pent-up Utica confines our powers,
The world, the boundless world is ours."

"DOWN BY THE SOUNDING SEA"

Many Golf Courses in Nova Scotia Well Worthy of a Visit from a Touring Golfer

"THE Morning Chronicle," Halifax, N. S., has just issued a particularly handsomely illustrated Tourist Edition, describing the many charms of Nova Scotia for a summer vacation. Golf is quite featured in this most creditable edition. A very fine description is given of the new course of the Halifax Golf Club at "Ashburn" (already described in the "Canadian Golfer"), and besides the following links are featured—all worthy of a visit from a touring golfer:

"Brightwood, on the Dartmouth side of Halifax Harbour, has an eighteen-hole course on land high above the harbour. Splendid scenery can be viewed from this course—in the distance are the beautiful Dartmouth Lakes, Sackville Hills, Bedford Basin, Halifax Harbour, George's Island and the City of Halifax, the open sea and the North West Arm, with the thick woods surrounding all sides.

Bedford, on lovely Bedford Basin, eight miles from Halifax, has a good nine-hole course.

Chester, one of Nova Scotia's most delightful summer resorts, on the H. and S. W. Branch of the C. N. R., has a nine-hole course about a mile from the town. From this course can be seen a splendid view of the bay with its 365 emerald coated islands and as one views the scenery he no longer wonders why so many people came from afar to make Chester their summer home.

At Yarmouth, the southern gateway to the Province, is the Yormouth Golf and Coun-

try Club, with spacious clubhouse and nine good holes located within easy reach by the tram cars. Arrangements for play may be arranged through the hotels.

Digby, another favored summer resort, also offers the lure of the golf links, built on a lofty hill, not far from the hotels. There is an interesting "dog's hind leg" of a hole to drive away the monotony of straight-away holes.

There is another golf club in the "Land of Evangeline"—midway between Kentville and Wolfville, called the "Kenwo," both towns sharing alike in the game and the name.

It is possible that the old course at Windsor will be opened this year.

Truro has a nine-hole course along flat country. There are one or two bits of wooded thickets, marsh and water-hazards; otherwise Truro has a very easy course.

'Abererombie' is New Glasgow's nine hole course. One drives from the first tee through an apple orchard. This course is an easy one, something like Truro's, but without the flatness.

Pictou's golf course is called one of the most beautiful in the province, and one of the most inviting in Canada. It is situated to the north of the town on high land overlooking Pictou Harbor and Northumberland Straits.

'Lingan,' in Sydney, on the Island of Cape Breton, offers another bright spot for the golfer. As one should never visit Nova Scotia without taking the trip to Cape Breton, 'Lingan' should appeal to every golfer.

Amherst has inviting links just outside the town and, certainly, from the golfer's standpoint, a trip through Nova Scotia would not be complete until the Amherst course is visited.'

MOST WORTHILY HONOURED

Mr. John E. Hall, Well Known Golfer and Famous Cricketer, Is Deservedly Made the a Life Member of the Mississauga Golf Club

By Mr. J. T. Clark, *Editor Toronto Star*

The Mississauga Golf Club did signal honor on Saturday night, May 24, to Mr. John E. Hall, the veteran vice-captain and original discoverer of the club by presenting him with a life membership on his 70th birthday.

President William MacMillan expressed the club's appreciation of Mr. Hall's service on an illuminated address, which said it was in recognition of many services he had rendered and was a mark of the high esteem and respect in which he is held by all officers and members of the club from the time of its discovery and organization. The birthday cake, with 70 candles, was the gift of Mrs. William Inglis and was cut by Mrs. MacMillan at Mr. Hall's request. After dinner, H. W. Crossin, a director of the club, showed slides of Mr. Hall in characteristic poses, made from pictures which he had been able to secure during the week while visiting Mr. Hall at his home on the Mississauga Road.

Mr. Hall is one of the best-known and best-liked men in sport in Canada.

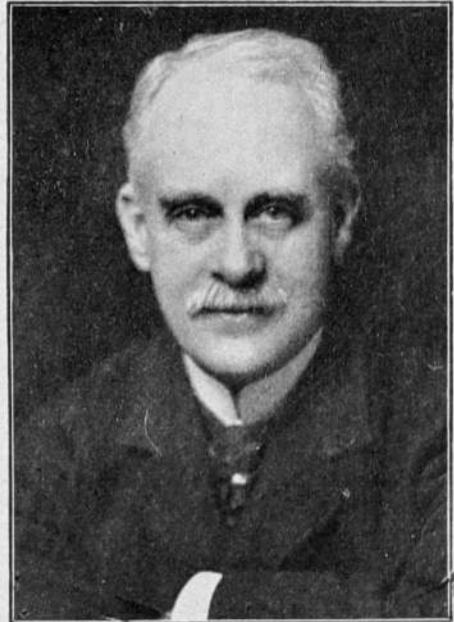
Forty-four years ago he joined the Parkdale Cricket Club, when they played on the south side of King street, between Close and Jameson Avenues, and was honorary secretary for many years.

He was honorary secretary of the Ontario Cricket Association for years, and for twenty years was honorary secretary of the Canadian Cricket Association.

For several years he was honorary treasurer of the Toronto Cricket Club, and is still a member.

Years ago he was secretary of the Parkdale Boating Club, and also secretary and life member of the Parkdale Curling Club. In this connection along with Thos. Thauburn, Esq., J. P. of Brampton, he gave a cup, which is still played for annually.

Along with Mr. R. O. McCulloch of Galt, also now a well-known golfer, he published "Sixty Years of Canadian Cricket." In Dickson's history of Upper Canada College he contributed



Mr. John Hall, one of Canada's Most Popular Golfers and Cricketers.

a cricket chapter. He was largely responsible for the cricket panels in the corridors of Upper Canada College.

In 1903 he took up golf, and soon became secretary of the Highlands Golf Club. In 1905 he was one of the four discoverers of the Mississauga Golf Club, and is the only member of the original four retaining membership in the club. He was its first honorary secretary, a director for four years, is still the club historian, and now at 70 years of age the club has paid him the compliment of electing him vice-captain and life member.

Mr. Hall was president of the Port Credit Bowling Club for the first seven years of its existence. Has been

a justice of the peace for several years, a past master of Mississauga Lodge A. F. & A. M., and a 32nd degree Scottish Riter.

On Friday night, May 23rd, at the regular meeting of Mississauga Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Port Credit, Mr. Hall was presented with an address, which had been prepared by Dr. John Henderson, past master, and was the work of D. C. Cotton. It was presented by Dr. A. H. McFadden, immediate past master. It set forth that the lodge had not been able to express its appreciation of his valuable services to Masonry and accepted the opportunity to do so upon the eve of his birthday.

[Mississauga Directors and members honoured themselves in their honouring

Mr. Hall, who is one of the best beloved men to-day in Canadian Amateur Sportdom. He is one of many famous cricketers who in later life have taken up golf and done so much for the Royal and Ancient game in Canada.

The Editor joins with hosts of friends throughout the Dominion in extending to Mr. Hall birthday greetings, coupled with the sincere wish that he may be spared for many, many years to tread the verdant fairways, which he loves so well and which now take the place of the cricket crease of which in years past, he was such an outstanding ornament.—“Ed. “Canadian Golfer.”]

POUNDING AWAY AT THE RULES

THE Captain of a leading Winnipeg Club writes the Editor that he is “pounding away at all the players to strictly observe the Rules and Etiquette” and in all matches and games in which he is a participant, insists on them being strictly observed. As a result he is becoming quite unpopular as a partner or opponent. He is, however, setting a noble example to the golf captains of Canada. Would that everyone of them courted similar “unpopularity,” which eventually is bound to be merged into respect. The captain of every golf club in the Dominion by virtue of his office, must set an example to his players in regard to the strict observance of the Rules and Etiquette.

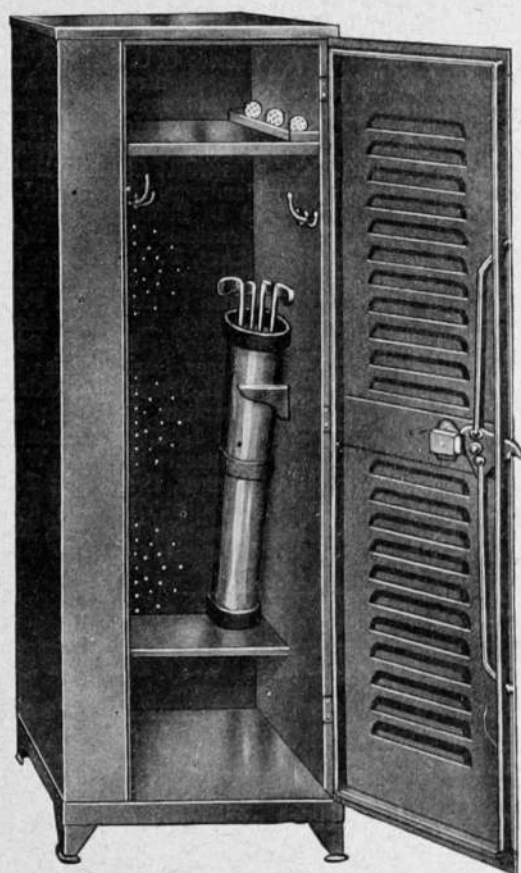
MANUFACTURERS AT PLAY

Delegates to Canadian Manufacturers' Association Annual Meeting in Montreal Stage a Tournament at Summerlea

MR. J. A. SCOTT, of Montreal, carried off the silver cup donated by C. Howard Smith, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, in the tournament held over the course of the Summerlea Golf Club, Montreal, this month. Seventy-five of the delegates to the convention took advantage of the half-holiday from the business affairs of the C. M. A. annual convention to compete in the contest, Mr. Scott turning in a card of 85, the lowest gross of the afternoon. His effort was four strokes better than that of Mr. Christie T. Clarke, who had an 89 for the 18 holes, while Mr. G. S. M. Davison was third with 90.

Mr. J. V. Stark, of Toronto, captured the prize for the lowest net with a 65, well in advance of the second lowest, turned in by Mr. E. D. Gordon, who had a 74 net, while Mr. A. G. Pierce had a 75. Mr. Stark thus became the recipient of the silver cup, donated by Mr. Norman Holland. Complete club bags were awarded the player finishing with the second best gross and the second best net, the awards being donated by Mr. P. E. Joubert and J. Eveleigh & Co.

Besides the competitors there was a gallery of some 200 delegates to the convention who took advantage of a delightful afternoon to spend the day at the course, many getting in foursomes



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after the regular competition was concluded. The tournament was preceded by a luncheon at the club, presided over by C. Howard Smith and E. Liersch, the entire programme being unanimously voted as the most successful event yet staged by the Association. The following took part in the tournament:

Charles R. Brown, Hamilton; J. A. McMahon, Hamilton; A. Whyte, Montreal; J. W. Seens, Montreal; Harry C. Hatch, Hamilton; Ronald R. Hart, Oakville; H. C. Kennedy, Montreal; W. P. McDougall, Toronto; Leslie Drake, Montreal; R. W. Watchern, Merrickville; Douglas S. Murray, Toronto; H. J. Heasley, Montreal; F. W. Evans, Montreal; H. R. Travers, Ottawa; Joseph S. Bliss, Niagara Falls; Luther W. Smith, Galt; W. S. Pepall, Toronto; Fred. F. Whitall, Montreal; J. C. Notman, St. Catharines; F. T. Baine, Hamilton; J. V. Stark, Toronto; R. Montague Davey, Montreal; A. D. Huff, Montreal; G. G. Mills, Toronto; A. R. Davis, Bridge-

burg; J. A. Scott, Montreal; A. Whitehouse, Montreal; F. W. Stewart, Montreal; F. J. Travers, Ottawa; B. W. Burtzell, St. Catharines; C. C. Holland, Montreal; M. L. Packard, Montreal; Fred. G. Clayton, Smiths Falls; Frank E. Mutton, Scarboro P. O.; A. G. Pierce, Montreal; H. T. Diplock, Montreal; Thomas Roden, Toronto; D. E. Hamilton, Montreal; Chas. N. Ritchie, Hamilton; W. L. Jamieson, Montreal; J. J. Sorber, Montreal; J. D. Robb, Montreal; Arthur H. Campbell, Montreal; R. J. R. Nelson, Halifax; W. H. Miner, F. L. Waldon, Winnipeg; G. Spence, Hamilton; N. E. Clousten, Granby; N. M. Yuile, Montreal; A. F. Moore, Quebec; T. G. Leonard, E. Tarte, Montreal; E. G. Rogers, Winnipeg; Howard Smith, Montreal; J. J. Harper, Garden Dale; G. A. Baker, Toronto; M. H. Brown, E. D. Gordon, Montreal; A. C. Howatson, Montreal; H. B. Brown, Hamilton; L. McLeod, Montreal; Chas. C. Howell, Montreal; G. E. Wight, Regina; J. F. Kitchen, Brantford; F. T. Bairn, Hamilton; Sir Alex. Bertram, Montreal; Roy Moodie, Hamilton; W. Leslie, A. Faller, A. E. Stevens, Montreal; C. Long.

PREMIER OF MANITOBA GIVEN "FIRST BALL"

A VERY unique trophy has just been presented to Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba, by the Southwood Golf Club, Winnipeg. The Premier drove the first ball at the official opening of the course last year and this ball has been artistically mounted on two silver golf sticks, the inscription on this artistic memento reading: The official opening of the Southwood Golf Club, May 24th, 1923, by Premier John Bracken. "The First Ball." This is a very unique idea and the Premier prizes the gift very highly indeed. He is, by the way, a very enthusiastic golfer and has the reputation of being one of the longest drivers at Southwood.

"DOUG" EDGAR A GOOD PROPHET

(W. E. Hicks, Golf Editor, Brooklyn "Times")

THAT the late J. Douglas Edgar, the professional golfer and twice Open Champion of Canada, was a good judge of the possibilities of a new player is demonstrated by the winning of the Southern Championship at Chattanooga, by Mrs. J. Dozier Lowndes, of Atlanta in defeating Miss Rosalie Mayer, of Atlanta, in the 36-hole final by 8 and 7. We recall a talk we had with Edgar in 1920 about the probability of the South developing a woman able to defeat Miss Alexa Stirling, then the National Champion. Edgar was then stationed at Atlanta.

"Well, I don't say she'll be able to beat Miss Stirling," he said, "but I am now coaching an Atlanta player, Mrs. Lowndes, who has the earmarks of a champion. She is a persistent student of the game, is never

satisfied with her style and is eager for correction, characteristics that are certain to make for a high grade of play. I never had a more receptive and appreciative pupil. By appreciative I don't mean one who merely says yes, yes, when I give a bit of advice, but one who conscientiously tries to get rid of a fault pointed out and is not satisfied until it is eradicated. If she is not heard of before long as a champion, I'll be badly mistaken."

Mrs. Lowndes two years later realized Edgar's hopes by winning the Southern Championship, the runner-up then being the same as last month, Miss Mayer. The margin then was 10 and 9. Edgar did not live to share in the success of his pupil, for he had been killed a few months before when struck by an automobile in Atlanta.

THE BRITISH OPEN AMATEUR

For the Second Time, E. W. Holderness Captures the Blue Riband of Amateur Golf—Kyle's Remarkable Defeat of Tolley One of the Features of the Championship

Once again has an Oxford man won the British Amateur Championship. Mr. E. W. Holderness who for the second time has captured the coveted honor, was born in India but was educated at the Old University on the ISIS and learned his golf there. It is a hopeful sign for British amateur golf that young Storey, the Cambridge Captain, put up such a gallant fight and came so nearly winning titular honors.

Great Britain of late years has developed very few amateur stars outside of Cyril Tolley, Roger Wethered and Holderness, all Oxford men who, the past five years, have won four championships between them. And Holderness is not so very young either, as he celebrated his 34th birthday last March. Holderness, unlike Tolley and Wethered, has never played in the United States, but already he has been urged to head the Walker Trophy team which is coming to the States and probably Canada, next September.

A very large and representative field teed-up at Classic, St. Andrews, for the championship, the week of May 26, all the prominent amateurs of England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland competing. The U. S. 'invasion' was represented by Mr. Francis Brown of Honolulu, the son of a Massachusetts father and a Hawaiian mother. That he is a good golfer is evidenced by the fact that in the first round he defeated Mr. Allan Graham, the runner-up in 1921. He, however, was put out in the second round by Mr. J. Birnie, jr., of Inverness, after a hard match. The following were the results in the last four and most important rounds:

Fourth Round—

E. F. Storey beat G. Victor Donaldson by 3 and 2; Capt. R. H. Jobson beat J. L. S. Vidler by one hole; I. Sidebottom beat J. L. C. Jenkins by 4 and 3; John Caven beat E. Martin Smith by 6 and 4; Capt. A. G. Pearson beat Lt.-Col. G. D. Hannay by 3 and 2; J. D. A. MacCormack beat Robert Scott, jun., by 5 and 4; R. H. Wethered beat C. Philip Leese by 7 and 5; Major C. O. Hezlet beat



Again wears the Bays—Mr. E. W. E. Holderness, who for the second time wins the British Amateur Championship.

Alex. Menzies by 3 and 1; C. J. H. Tolley beat Major C. Campbell by 7 and 5; Denys H. Kyle beat Harry Braid at the twenty-first hole; W. A. Murray beat Major W. F. C. McClure by 4 and 3; T. A. Torrance beat Carl Bretherton by 8 and 6; Robert Harris

beat Major J. G. G. Mellor by 7 and 6; W. Tweddell beat Colin C. Aylmer by 3 and 2; John Wilson beat D. E. B. Soulby by 5 and 4; E. W. E. Holderness beat O. C. Bristowe by 4 and 3.

Fifth Round—

Storey beat Jobson by 2 and 1; Caven beat Sidebottom by 2 and 1; MacCormack beat Pearson by 5 and 4; Wethered beat Hezlet by 3 and 2; Kyle beat Tolley by 3 and 2; Murray beat Torrance by one hole; Harris beat Tweddell by 2 and 1; Holderness beat Wilson by 3 and 2.

Sixth Round—

E. F. Storey beat John Caven by 2 and 1; R. H. Wethered beat J. D. A. MacCormack by 3 and 1; W. A. Murray beat Dennis H. Kyle by 3 and 2; E. W. E. Holderness beat Robert Harris by 2 and 1.

Semi-Final—

Storey beat Wethered by two holes; Holderness beat Murray by 3 and 2.

Final—

E. W. E. Holderness (Walton Heath), beat E. F. Storey (Cambridge University), by 3 and 2.

The sensation of the tournament was the defeat of Cyril Tolley in the 5th round by Kyle, 3 and 2 and the defeat of Roger Wethered, the 1923 champion, in the semi-finals, by the Cambridge Captain, by 2 holes. Wethered and Tolley were both prime favorites for titular honours. Tolley's defeat by Kyle was of the sensational order. The ex-champion was out in 35 and was still one under fours at the sixteenth where the match ended. Kyle was simply irresistible on the greens holing putts from "all over the lot". He is a native of St. Andrew's, although now living in London. He was given a regular ovation by his former townspeople at the end of his wonderful win over the long-hitting Tolley.

A FEW MORE GREATLY APPRECIATED LETTERS

THE following letters received since the May 10th Anniversary Issue are greatly appreciated by the Editor:

"Mr. W. R. Baker, C.V.O., Montreal, President and Founder of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, Hon. President The Royal Montreal Golf Club:

"Owing to my absence on a trip to the Pacific Coast I have only to-day received the May number of the 'Canadian Golfer,' and I desire to lose no time in congratulating you not only on this particular issue, which I understand marks the tenth anniversary of your magazine, but on the remarkable excellence of the magazine generally.

I have always said, and I repeat, that in my opinion the "Canadian Golfer" is the most interesting and best golfing magazine that I have ever come in contact with, and I only hope it is now beginning, in some measure, to repay you for the time, care and trouble that you have bestowed upon it.

With every good wish for its future, and with kindest regards."

Mr. C. A. Bogert, Toronto, President of The Toronto Golf Club:

"Let me join with the others in offering you, and those associated with you, my heartest congratulations on the success of the 'Canadian Golfer,' which I consider the most interesting journal of its character that is published. My best wishes for the future."

Mr. A. W. Austin, ex-President of Lambton, and ex-President The Royal Canadian Golf Association:

"You are doing great missionary work with the 'Canadian Golfer,' making it more attractive every year, thereby encouraging healthy exercise and making life better worth living."

Lt.-Col Miller, Whitby, ex-President of Scarboro Golf Club, Toronto, and Governor of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association:

"Just received May number of the 'Golfer.' Must add my congratulations and hope the magazine may have ever-increasing success in the years to come."

Mr. H. B. Bristol, Picton, many years President of the club in that town:

"You are to be congratulated on having made such an excellent magazine of the 'Canadian Golfer' in the ten years it has been published. I find I cannot do without it, as I get from it the golf news of Great Britain and United States as well as our own better and fuller than in any golf magazine I know of."

Mr. George E. Fraser, Montreal, Publisher of the International Golf Directory:

"Those letters of appreciation in your May issue are, I imagine, the finest any publication ever had. I think I told you the 'Canadian Golfer' is, some way or other, the only golf publication I ever actually read for the real enjoyment of it."

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Mr. E. Atherton Smith, of St. John, N.B., who has just returned from a thirty thousand mile round the world jaunt:

"I shall look forward with much interest to meeting you at the 'Seniors' at Toronto in September. Meanwhile doing my best to 'bat the ball' to more proficiency. That is what you are doing with the 'Canadian Golfer' 'day by day, month by month, in every way' for the interest and satisfaction of your subscribers.

You may justly pride yourself on such a healthy and promising 'ten-year-old.' Floreat!"

Captain Melville Miller, Secretary of the Islington Golf Club, Toronto:

"About the same time as May 'Canadian Golfer' reached me I also received several sample copies of other golfing magazines, but after perusing all of them I came to the conclusion that they had to take a 'back seat' in comparison with your May number. There is not an unreadable page between the covers, even the advertising being of sufficient interest to attract the attention of a secretary."

Editorial, Toronto "Globe":

"With its May issue the 'Canadian Golfer' celebrates its tenth anniversary and acknowledges congratulations from many distinguished golfers, including Sir Robert Borden and Harry Vardon. Reports which it has received show that the game is represented in every Province of Canada. Four years ago there were only 129 clubs, but to-day there are 352 clubs in the larger places, with more recently started which have not yet been completely organized. This means that there are nearly 400 clubs and probably 100,000 golfers in Canada. The magazine has kept progress with the game, and presents a well-bound, well-printed and readable anniversary number, copiously illustrated."

Toronto "Mail":

"The present season promises to be an outstanding one in Canadian golfdom, and a number of important events will be staged before the snow puts an end to the outdoor season, but one of the most important may be overlooked, owing to the rush at the start of the same. The 'Canadian Golfer,' the official publication of the various Canadian Golf Associations, celebrates its tenth anniversary this month, and Ralph H. Reville, of Brantford, who edits the newsy and bright monthly, as well as being an official of several bodies, such as the Canadian Seniors' Association and the rules of golf committee, is to be congratulated on the

success his effort has achieved. It is one of the best golfing publications that can be secured, and in the ten years it has been in existence has done much to popularize and strengthen the hold of the game in the Dominion.

In the current issue the Editor states 'The Canadian Golfer tees up this month on another journalistic round. There are bunkers ahead, of course, there will be many hazards to negotiate of a surety, but with the loyal support of many friends, in the future as in the past, there is little question but they will be safely encompassed and overcome.' His optimism is endorsed by all readers of the publication as well as all golfers throughout Canada."

Toronto "Star":

"The 'Canadian Golfer' has reached its tenth year of publication, and Ralph H. Reville, of Brantford, its Editor and publisher, is to be congratulated on the success of his magazine, which is one of the best golf journals published anywhere."

THE PASSING OF MR. T. HENDERSON

Outstanding Ontario Golfer and Prominent Business Man of Oshawa, Is Called Upon to Play the Last Game of All.

IT is with unfeigned regret that the Editor is called upon to record the passing in Oshawa, Ont., Tuesday, May 22nd, of Mr. Thomas Henderson, one of the best known golfers in Ontario, and a sterling citizen in every sense of that term.

Mr. Henderson's demise occurred suddenly, although he had been ill for almost two months and confined to his bed for some three weeks. Prior to his illness, borne with remarkable fortitude, he had always been in the best of health and his host of friends learned with deep regret of his serious condition.

Born in Musselburgh, Scotland, Mr. Henderson was educated there at the grammar school, coming to Canada in 1905, making his home in Oshawa.

While in Oshawa deceased was associated with his brother, Robert, forming the well known and highly esteemed firm of Henderson Brothers. Deceased had just commenced his fifteenth year as secretary of the Oshawa Golf Club, and prior to this year held the joint position of secretary-treasurer. His valuable services to the golf club were appreciated to the fullest extent and at the last annual meeting despite his earnest wish to relinquish this responsible task he was persuaded to continue.

His loss will also be keenly felt by the Board of Directors of the Y.M.C.A., Oshawa, of which he was president. The directors depended much upon his advice and organizing ability and his place will be hard to fill. Since Mr. Henderson assumed this office in connection with the Y.M.C.A., the institution has flourished. He devoted much of his time to the work.

He was one of the prominent and most active members of the Oshawa Curling Club, having represented the club in tankard and district games on several occasions. He also had the honour conferred upon him of being selected as a member of the Canadian curling team which visited the Old Country and toured Scotland during the winter of 1920 and 1921.

Mr. Henderson was a member of the Board of Managers of the Simcoe Street Methodist

Church, Oshawa, always taking a prominent part in the work. He was also instrumental in the organization of the Young Men's Club in connection with the church and was chosen as the club's first president.

He was a member of Cedar Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 270, also the Sons of Scotland, in both of which he took an active part. He was also a member of the newly organized Caledonian Society.

Out of respect for the deceased the official opening of the Oshawa Golf Club was postponed last month—a fitting tribute to one (who with his brother, Robert Henderson), was largely responsible for making this club one of the leading golf organizations in Ontario. The day of the funeral a wonderful tribute was paid to the late Mr. Henderson, the business houses in Oshawa closing and hundreds of the prominent residents of the city attending the services at the Simcoe Street Methodist Church. The pastor of the church, Rev. Mr. McBain, was assisted in the beautiful and solemn service by the Rev. C. R. de Pencier, rector of St. George's, and Rev. J. F. Maxwell, of the Presbyterian Church.

To the bereaved widow and three dear children, and also the three brothers, Robert, of Oshawa; James and Alex., of Scotland; and a sister, Miss A. Henderson, the sincere sympathy of golfing and other friends throughout Ontario will go out in their irreparable loss they have been called upon to sustain, in which expression the Editor personally desires to be associated.

For when the one Greater Scorer comes,
To write against your name,
He'll write not how you won or lost,
But how you played the game.

And the late Mr. Thomas Henderson "played the game," and played it to the limit, on the golf course, in business life, in church life, in social life and in his ideal home life. His place will indeed be hard to fill in his adopted city, a city which he loved so well.

GREAT BRITAIN AND OVERSEAS

Interesting Jottings from the Courses of England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales and British Dependencies.

Arthur Havers and James Ockenden made their re-appearance in England at Porters' Park in an auspicious fashion, Ockenden and Havers tying with a 72 in the medal round. In the afternoon they defeated the local pro, Bradbeer, and C. Wallis, pro of Vernlam, 1 up. Havers and Ockenden had a best ball of 68 and their opponents 69.

With a medal score of 156 Dr. H. K. Sparrow (Notts), won the Nottinghamshire amateur championship. He was six strokes ahead of W. Bambridge (Bulwell Artisans), who had a card of 162.

Many celebrated amateurs took part in the annual competition for the "Golf Illustrated" Gold Vase at Moor Park, Rickmansworth. Play was over 36 holes under medal conditions. Colin Aylmer (Ranelagh), won the trophy with rounds of 80 and 69, aggregating 149. He played below form in the morning, but in the afternoon his game was magnificent, and his score of 69 created a new competition record for the course. Aylmer's record round read:

Out ... 5,3,4, 3,5,4, 4,4,2=34

In 4,4,4, 4,4,4, 3,3,5=35=69

In the opinion of the local professional, Sandy Herd, the round was the greatest every played by an amateur in an important medal competition.

Roger Wethered, the Amateur Champion, played indifferently, as also did Cyril Tolley, a former Amateur Champion. W. A. Murray, the holder, finished second, two strokes behind the winner. Tolley was in third place, and Wethered in eighth place. There was a great surprise in the morning when the leading position was occupied by F. G. L. Fairlie, late of the Scots Guards, and a grandson of one of the pioneers bearing the same name, who instituted the championship belt in 1860 for the Open Championship.

The ex-Guardsman played splendid golf, a feature being his putting, for he took seven shots fewer on the green than the regulation "two per hole."



The "Industrial Prince"

Photo shows the Duke of York, second son of King George, taking part in an open golf match on a Wales course, where he lost out to one of the native golfers.

The Duke is one of the most serious minded men ever found in Royalty. Constantly on the go, going through factories, mills, mines, and industrial plants, he is constantly trying to learn more of the people who are the subjects of his father. He has endeared himself to all England by his thoroughly Democratic spirit, which was no better shown than at his wedding to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, where he requested all wedding presents should be in cash so he could distribute it to different philanthropies.

What must be a unique happening in first-class tournament golf occurred in connection with the play, at West Lancashire, when the Northern Section's Qualifying Competition for 23



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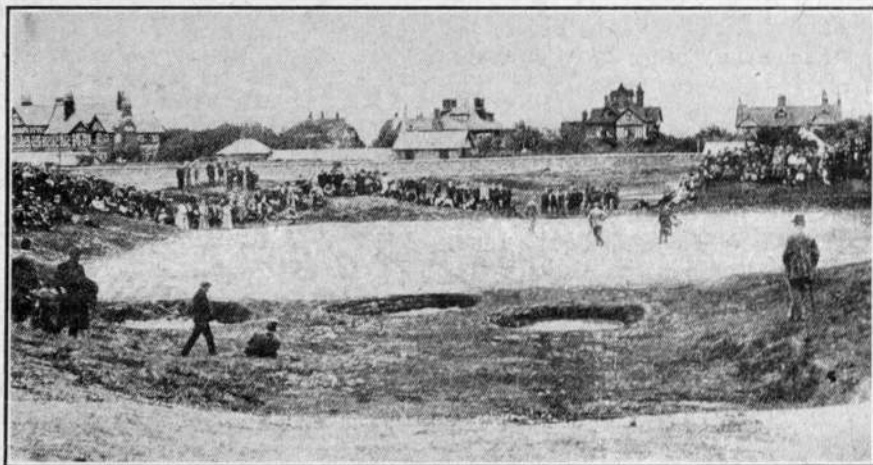
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places in the "Daily Mail" professional Tournament was carried through. A. Compston (Manchester), had, in practice on the previous day, done the tenth hole, measuring 135 yards, in one. Then, about mid-way through the first half of the real proceedings, C. Sayner (Doncaster), holed his tee shot, while just before the end of the first round, O. Sanderson (Bradford), completed

them he placed within a radius of five yards of the hole.

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The challenge four-ball match in which A. E. Phillips and Ted Ray Oxhey, opposed J. L. Scott and Alex. Herd (Moor Park), for £200 a side, with a silver cup for the winning amateur, was concluded at Oxhey, Phillips and Ray winning by 8 and 6. When



The Celebrated Ninth, or "Punch Bowl" Hole at Hoylake, where the British Open Championship is being played June 26th and 27th.

a trio of holed tee strokes at the same hole within less than 24 hours.

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There was a surprising result to the Army Championship at Hoylake, for Lieut. C. B. Ormerod, of the Royal Artillery, though five strokes behind the leader on the first round, had an excellent second score of 76 for an aggregate of 158, with which he won the title by two clear strokes from Capt. Thorburn (R.F.A.) Major A. G. Barry, Army Champion of 1922, and amateur-ex-champion, played indifferent golf, and finished ten strokes behind Ormerod. Lieut. Ormerod also won the Black Watch Challenge Gold medal, while Major Hughes and Capt. Thorburn tied for the Silver Medal.

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J. H. Taylor gave a wonderful exhibition of his mashie skill at Kensington recently. He played 50 shots to a hole measuring 140 yards, and 45 of

play opened Phillips and Ray held an advantage of 3 holes, secured at Moor Park in the first half of the 72 holes engagement, and at the end of the morning round they had another hole to their credit, and this, despite the erratic play of Ray, who, driving twice out of bounds on the way out, enabled his opponent to get back two holes. Then Ray found his best form, and with five 3's on the home journey he more than made amends for his outward mistakes. He and his partner had a better ball score of 70, Scott and Herd being a stroke worse. With such a commanding lead the Oxhey pair were in an almost impregnable position, and they played perfectly on the final round, to win as stated.

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The reconstructed course of the Cheltenham Club on Cleve Hill was opened with a match between George Duncan and Abe Mitchell. The course, which has been lengthened by some 50

or 60 yards, has been made more compact by bringing in three holes from the "country." The effect of the reconstruction is to increase bogey from 76 to 77. Mitchell won over 18 holes by 5 and 3. The feature of Mitchell's play was his remarkable putting, and he was round in 72 against Duncan's 76. In another game Mitchell and Duncan, conceding three holes start to Messrs. John Baker and H. S. B. Tubb, won by 2 and 1. The best ball score of the professionals was 69 and the amateurs 75.

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Tom Williamson, the Nottingham professional, beat Arthur Havers, Coombe Hill, the Open Champion, in an exhibition match at Retford, Nottingham, by 2 up. The match was evenly contested, the players being level at the end of the first round on the nine holes' course. Williamson had an approximate score of 70 and the Champion 75.

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An unsuccessful attempt to rob H. R. Howell (Glamorgan), of his title as Welsh Native Amateur Champion by C. Turnbull (Glamorgan), was made in the final match on the Radyr links on the 22nd inst. Howell won the thirty-six holes match by two up and one to play, and thus became Champion of Wales for the third time in succession.

Andrew Kirkaldy, one of St. Andrew's greatest veterans, has recently recovered from a severe illness and has been forbidden by his doctors to play any more golf.

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Commenting on the recent British Ladies' Open Championship at Portrush, a correspondent writes:

"Generally speaking, the length of the driving was considerably greater than one witnessed at Newcastle four years ago. There were some competitors, notably Miss Doris Fowler and Mrs. Cautley, the runner-up, who hit the ball every bit as far as the average low handicap male player can do; and their putting was in many respects superior. The iron play is not quite up to the standard of first-class men golfers—at least this is my opinion—and the power of recovery is inevitably, I suppose, much less. I should think that the average scratch golfer in Ireland could not give Miss Wethered more than three or four strokes in a round—if so many—and six or seven to her nearest rivals. Possibly, on a bad day, with a strong wind, the odds might be greater; for the elements seem to be more bitter enemies of the ladies than of men players of championship class. Even Miss Wethered seems to have difficulty in steering a straight course in a strong side wind, though with the breeze straight ahead she does not appear to suffer very seriously in length or power. She is a wonderful golfer, and for impertability I have never seen her equal, unless it was Lionel Munn. While playing she never smiles and seldom speaks. She even appears to be aloof from the whole proceedings. Such mental control is amazing in so young a woman—it would be remarkable even in an experienced man of the world—and of all the recollections which those of us who attended the Women's Championship of 1924 will carry with us, this will probably be the most enduring."

VANCOUVER GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr. J. N. Smillie, of Shaughnessy, Heads a Strong Field with a card of 152

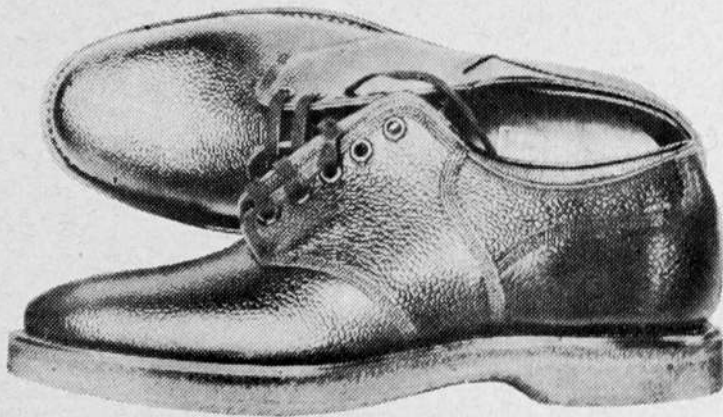
OUT of a field of thirty of Vancouver's crack golfers, Mr. N. J. Smillie, of Shaughnessy, proved victorious, with a score of 152 for thirty-six holes at Vancouver Golf and Country Club, and won the Vancouver City Championship.

Mr. H. A. Jones, B.C. Champion, and Mr. R. C. Herne, Point Grey, were tied for second place with 154, Jones winning the extra hole and capturing second place. Herne takes third

place, while C. A. L. Payne, J. D. Fraser and G. D. Donaldson were tied for fourth with 155.

Mr. Smillie is one of Vancouver's veteran golfers, and has twice been runner-up in this event. He has also held the Shaughnessy Club championship twice, and is an all-round steady golfer. He was two strokes behind the leader in the morning round, but whilst the others slipped a little, he repeated his morning performance and

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finished with two sterling seventy-sixes for a total of 152. His approaching was good and his putting perfect, and he showed his excellent ability by twice making the long thirteenth hole in four.

Mr. G. F. Donaldson, of Shaughnessy, turned in the best score for eighteen holes of the day when he led the first round with a seventy-four. Messrs. N. J. Smillie and R. C. Herne, of Point Grey, who won the up-country championship last year, were close seconds with seventy-sixes, while Messrs. H. A. Jones and Knox Walkem were next with seventy-sevens.

H. A. Jones, started the afternoon round with par thirty-six for the first nine holes, and led the field by one stroke, but had a run of bad luck in the second nine, taking forty-one to come in. Jack Fraser, Shaughnessy Club Champion, turned in a brilliant

seventy-five in the afternoon, the second best round of the competition. He had hard luck on the sixteenth hole in the morning, taking a seven as against his birdie three in the afternoon.

The scores of the leading sixteen players:

N. J. Smillie	76-76=152
H. A. Jones	77-77=154
R. C. Herne	76-78=154
C. A. L. Payne	78-77=155
J. D. Fraser	80-75=155
G. F. Donaldson	74-81=155
R. K. Walkem	77-79=156
A. C. Stewart	81-76=157
R. Bone	81-79=160
P. Traill	78-84=162
H. Sherwood	80-83=163
J. C. Thompson	80-83=163
G. D. Ireland	81-82=163
L. A. Lewis	82-81=163
G. L. Fraser	83-81=164
R. Gelletly	83-81=164
A. Bull	84-81=165

GENE SARAZEN MARRIED

A DESPATCH from New York, June 10th:

"The marriage of Gene Sarazen, Professional Golf Champion of the United States and former Open National Champion, and Miss Mary Catherine Peck, of Springfield, Mass, took place to-day at Briarcliff Manor. The couple will sail to-morrow on the Mauretania for England, where Sarazen will compete in the British Open Championship."

GOLF IN CAPE BRETON

VICTORIA DAY saw the formal opening of the golf season in Cape Breton, when the players under the captaincy of P. G. Hall, President of the Lingan Country Club, met and defeated the golfers who were members of Vice-President Dr. J. J. Roy's team.

There was an unusually large turnout of golfers on the holiday and the annual match was perhaps the most successful held at the Lingan Club in years.

In the afternoon Mrs. James Bruce and Magistrate W. A. G. Hill won the mixed foursome competition, this contest being also featured by a large field of players.

The Lingan course on the holiday was in wonderful condition for play-

ing. The large greens never looked so good at such an early date. The condition of the course speaks volumes for Nat Cornfoot, the popular pro at Lingan, and the new groundkeeper, George White.

Indications are that the Lingan Country Club will enjoy its greatest season in 1924. There are more people playing golf this year than ever before and the links are crowded daily, the golfers being loud in their praise of the condition of the course and the improvements that have been made to the club property in recent weeks.

The losers in the match on Saturday morning had to provide luncheon for the members of the winning team, and the new caterers at the Lingan Club served a very tasty meal.

WHITCOMBE'S GREAT SCORE

Twenty-eight-year-old British Pro Wins the £1000 Daily Mail Competition with a Dazzling Score of 289.

C. A. WHITCOMBE, of Lansdowne, Bath, who was among the leaders in the 1923 golf championship with a card of 302 last month at Deal, broke the British record of 72 holes over a championship course with an aggregate score of 289, winning the professional golf tournament for prizes totalling £1000 offered by "The London Daily Mail."

Four rounds were played over the Royal Cinque Ports course. Whitcombe twice set new records for the course, getting 70 when he "went crazy" and sank three chip shots and shooting a brilliant 69 in the final round.

The competitors included most of the well known British professionals.

British experts are acclaiming Whitcombe, who is 28 years of age, as to-day Great Britain's greatest exponent of the game. In 1922 he finished fifth in the Open, and in 1921 won the West of England Professional Championship. J. H. Taylor writes that he has no fear of an "American victory" in the Open at Hoylake next June 26-27, now that the Old Country is producing golfers of Whitcombe's calibre.

The leading returns in this important competition were:

C. A. Whitcombe, Lansdowne, £300, 70, 76, 74, 69=289; L. Holland, Northampton, £100, 77, 73, 75, 73=298; Abe Mitchell, North Foreland, £40, 74, 75, 80, 70=299; A. Compston, North Manchester, £40, 74, 74, 77, 74=299; T. Williamson, Notts, £25, 83, 71, 72, 75=301; P. Allis, Wanstead, £25, 75, 75, 76, 76=302; E. R. Whitcombe, Came Down, £20, 76, 77, 72, 78=303; George Duncan, Hanger Hill, £20, 76, 72, 76, 72=303; R. A. Whitcombe, Came Down, £20, 75, 76, 76, 77=304; W. B. Smith, Hadley Wood, £15, 78, 81, 76, 70=305; J. Martin, Milltown, £15, 78, 77, 78, 72=305; C. H. Reith, Yelverton, £15, 73, 77, 79, 76=305; T. Barber, Alderley Edge, £10 5s., 78, 76, 76, 76=306; G. Gadd, Roehampton, £10 5s., 73, 75, 81, 77=306; W. G. Oke, Fulwell, £10 5s., 73, 75, 81, 77=306; A. G. Kirby, Stoneham, £10 5s., 82, 74, 72, 78=306; G. Faulkner, Pennard, £7 10s., 75, 77, 79, 76=307; E. Ray, Oxhey, £7 10s., 80, 72, 78, 77=307. The following shared the £5 prizes: 308—H. C. Jolly (Foxgrove), R. C. Wilson (Croham Hurst), Harry Vardon (South Herts). 309—M. O'Neill (Dun Loag-

haire), J. J. Taylor (Crews Hill), W. H. Davies (Prenton), P. F. Weston (Western Park), E. Jarman (Stockport), James Braid (Walton Heath). 310—A. Herd (Moor Park), A. W. Butchart (Barassie), J. Adwick (Olton), P. Robertson (Braid Hills),



C. A. Whitcombe, winner of the "Daily Mail" £1,000 Tournament

W. Robertson (West Lanes.), J. H. Taylor (Mid-Surrey), T. Fernie (Tumberry, Rowland Jones (Wimbledon Park), C. McIvenny (Sudbury). 311—W. M. Watt (R.A.C., Epsom), F. Ball (Langley Park), W. Holly (Castle). 312—J. Rimmer (Bidston), O. Johns (Purley Downs), A. Seymour (West Essex), J. W. Gaudin (Alwoodley), A. Simpson (Knott End), J. Horn (Holyhead), A. Tingey, junr. (Frinton). 314—G. Charman (Prince's, Sandwich). 315—W. J. King (Leamington), L. Herrington (Abbeydale), H. Roberts (Stoke Poges), C. H. Corlett (Dorset). 316—C. Sayer (Doncaster), W. J. Leaver (Worsley), J. B. Batley (London Country Club), T. G. Renouf (Manchester), J. M. Stuart (Brough). 317—T. Walton (Lytham and St. Annes). 318—W. Brown (Broxbourne), J. Searth (Bolton).

BRITISHER WEARS JONES' "CROWN"

Cyril Walker, Formerly of Celebrated Hoylake and Heretofore Never a Winner of a Major Championship, Annexes the Stellar Event of the American Golfing Year; Wins U. S. Open with the Remarkably Fine Score of 297

CYRIL WALKER, English-born professional at the Englewood Golf Club in the New Jersey sector, June 5th and 6th at the testing 6,880 yard course of the Oakland Hills Club, Birmingham, near Detroit, shook off the jinx that has pursued him unrelentingly for years in Open Championships, by winning the U. S. National title by three strokes from one of the greatest fields that ever contested for it. Walker did his last round over the Oakland Hills Club course in 75 strokes, giving him a grand total of 297 for the 72 holes at which the event was played.

Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Georgia, holder of the title by virtue of his victory at Inwood last summer, and one of the favourites to repeat, finished in second place with a total of 300, while William Mehlhorn, home-bred star from Normandy, Mo., was third, a stroke behind the brilliant young amateur. The next three were tied at 303. These were Walter Hagen, of New York, who "broke" at the sixteenth hole on his final round when victory seemed within his grasp; MacDonald Smith, of San Francisco, and Bobby Cruickshank, of the Shackamaxon Country Club, Westfield, N. J., who tied with Jones in last year's championship and then lost by a single stroke in the play-off.

The new Champion, says the New York "Times" expert golf writer, fought one of the greatest fights in the history of the National Open Championship to gain his brilliant victory. He was burdened over his entire last nine holes with the knowledge of what the other leaders had done and what was necessary for him to do.

The turning point for him came at the sixteenth hole on the last round, a treacherous waterhole which was made doubly treacherous by a deceptive wind. This was the hole that had

ruined Hagen's chances. As Walker left the tee going for it, he was reasonably certain of being crowned the new champion, but his margin was not of such dimensions as to enable him to afford any costly slips.

His drive was off to the right-hand side of the fairway, with a long carry between the ball and the flag. Leo Diegel, Washington professional, who was playing with him, was not quite as long off the tee, and, playing first, used a midiron and failed to carry the pond, the wind catching his ball at the end of its flight and carrying it down into Davy Jones' locker.

So far as Diegel was concerned, the loss of a penalty stroke made no difference, but a similar fate for Walker would have made a tremendous difference, both in his score and in his mental attitude. A mistake might have cost him the Championship then and there.

Walker calculated the distance for a long time, and then, after taking his midiron out of his bag of clubs, changed his mind and decided to use a driving iron. He again looked over the ground and switched back to the midiron. Paddy Doyle, Lake Champlain professional, who played with Walker in the team matches and in the first day's rounds, was standing close by. "Take your driving iron," Doyle muttered to himself, "and bang for the bunkers; a 5 is better than a 7."

Doyle's mental telepathy, however, failed to carry over to Walker, who took one long, lingering look at the flag, pivoted, and lurched into the shot. His ball rose gracefully from the soft ground and started straight for the flag. "It's right at the pin!" shouted Doyle. And so it was, not more than eight feet away, giving Walker a putt for a birdie 3. A great shout went up as he started the ball straight for the hole. On it came,

slowly, over the down-hill surface and into the hole.

That birdie 3, made under great stress, clinched the Championship for him. By this time his leading rivals

with which to win. He had passed the crisis, and having done so, proceeded to burn his bridges behind him.

His iron to the seventeenth green was reasonably close to the pin, and he



A Great Little Britisher—Cyril Walker, Winner of the U. S. Open Championship, with a score of 297.

for the honour, Mehlhorn, Hagen, Jones and Cruickshank, had all finished their rounds and not one of them was under 300. The last two holes are par 3 and 5. Walker had used only 289 strokes, leaving him ten strokes

proceeded to get his par. After a fine drive going to the final hole, he topped his second shot so that the ball ran only a short distance ahead, and left him with a long iron to get home. He accomplished the task easily, his ball

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rolling up to the left-hand corner of the green. After approaching a club's length short of the hole on his downhill putt, he ran down the putt for a par 5 and the Championship.

A great cheer went up as the ball hit that pin, and the new champion was enthusiastically acclaimed by the 10,000 spectators banked around the home green. He was hoisted on to the shoulders of his caddie, Gene Sullivan, while the battery of photographers clicked their cameras.

"This will be a great piece of news for my old father over in Manchester, England," said the 33-year-old diminutive star, who perhaps is the physically smallest champion the sport has ever known, and certainly the smallest that has ever won the American Open Championship. Walker, weighing only 120 pounds and possessed of slender wrists, is nevertheless one of the longest hitters playing to-day, as well as being one of the finest shot makers,

something that he proved to the satisfaction of those who followed him over the last nine holes of his journey to-day.

He owed his victory to his remarkable consistency, three rounds of 74, two over the difficult par, and a closing round of 75. Not in any Championship in recent years at least, perhaps never before, has any winner played with the gem-like consistency that was Walker's in the 1924 event, which was played on one of the most difficult of courses, both in length and in trapping.

According to those who saw him play the sixteenth hole, Walker's second shot to that hole was one of the finest ever seen in a Championship. There were many others made by him during the round, but none of them counted nearly as much as did that mid-iron shot that virtually assured him the trophy and an income roughly rated at \$50,000. His driving was tremendous, and not only long, but well

placed with uncanny skill, while his playing of his long irons, clubs that were so useful on the Oakland Hills course, was superb.

In fact, he left nothing to be desired in his play. Especially true was his putting touch. On only one green during the final round was he ever forced to take more than two putts, while on many of them he hit the cup with his approaches and deserved a better score even than the one he got.

Jones made a great struggle to keep the title for the amateurs, and lost none of his prestige by the fact that he was forced to surrender his title to Walker. In finishing second this year the Atlantan completed a cycle of three consecutive years in which he has been either first or second, and his scoring record for the five championships in which he has played is seventeen strokes better than that of his nearest competitor, Hagen.

There is scarcely a doubt that Jones would have come close to tying Walker in spite of the latter's brilliancy but for a bad and somewhat undeserved break against him at the tenth hole in the afternoon round. Up to that point he was two strokes ahead of Mehlhorn and was rated as one of the five remaining likely candidates for the blue ribbon, the others being Hagen, Cruickshank and Walker, following in the order named. There was one other in the field to be slightly feared at that point, Abe Espinosa, the Mexican star.

Jones, by virtue of a great tee shot and a putt for a birdie 2 at the ninth hole, turned in a 38 for a total of 260 to that point. Mehlhorn, taking a 4 at the same hole, when he sliced his tee shot among the spectators seated at the right of the green, had raised his grand total to 262. The amateur's tee shot going to the 424 yard tenth hole, was straight down the middle of the fairway, but his second landed on the back edge of the green and plunged down into a trap out of which he was forced to play an explosion shot. He finally ended up with a 6, and a very costly 6 it turned out to be. He lost another stroke to par on the short thirteenth and still another at the seventeenth.

The scores:

Cyril Walker, Englewood .	148	74	75	297
Mr. Robert T. Jones, Atlanta	147	75	78	300
William Mehlhorn, St. Louis	147	76	78	301
Walter Hagen, New York .	150	76	77	303
R. Cruickshank, Shaekamaxon	149	76	78	303
MacDonald Smith, New York	150	77	76	303
Peter O'Hara, New York .	155	74	76	305
Abe Espinosa	151	77	77	305
Mike Brady, Wingedfoot .	152	77	77	306
D. Robertson, Redford, Mich	149	77	81	307
Eddie Loos, Chicago . . .	154	75	78	307
Mr. Chick Evans, Chicago .	154	76	77	307
T. D. Armour, New York .	153	75	80	308
C. Hackney, Atlantic City .	153	78	78	309
Joe Turnesa, Fairview . .	154	78	78	310
Willie Ogg, Worcester . .	155	76	79	310
Gene Sarazen, New York .	154	80	79	313
W. R. Bourne, Echo Lake .	154	79	80	313
John Rogers, Dayton . . .	159	72	83	314
Johnny Farrell, New York .	155	77	82	314
Emmett French, Youngstown	158	78	79	315
James West, Far Rockaway	153	78	84	315
Tom Kerrigan, Siwanoy . .	152	89	74	315
Joe Kirkwood, New York .	157	80	78	315
Leo Diegel, Washington . .	150	82	84	316
John Golden, Paterson . . .	158	78	80	316
Jack Strait, Hartford . . .	156	81	79	316
Mr. Jesse Guilford, Boston .	158	79	80	317
W. N. Cox, Brooklyn	158	81	78	317
Otto Hackbarth, Cincinnati .	158	76	84	318
Jock Hutchison, Chicago . .	163	74	81	318
Lawrie Ayton, Chicago . . .	156	84	78	318
Charley Lorne, Columbus . .	163	75	82	320
Tom Harmon, New York . . .	162	81	77	320
P. O. Hart, Ohio	156	80	79	321
Jack Forrester, Hollywood	162	80	79	321
G. A. Nelson, Chicago	161	76	85	322
Joe Novak, California	161	80	81	322
George Aulback, Boston . . .	161	80	81	322
Fred. McLeod, Washington . .	157	80	86	323
Charley Hoffner, Phila. . . .	154	85	84	323
Cyril Hughes, Lancaster . . .	156	83	84	323
George Sargent, Columbus . .	163	77	84	324
R. W. Treacy, Illinois	162	85	78	325
Andrew Kay, Toronto	161	79	85	325
Jack Hendrick, St. Paul . . .	159	83	84	326
Richard Linares, Loud-beach	158	78	81	327
Dave Tuffelli, Worcester . . .	167	78	82	327
Wildred Reid, Detroit	162	83	82	327
Gene McCarthy, Memphis . . .	165	80	83	328
D. Hackney, Marrimae Valley	171	78	79	328
Frank Sprogel, Memphis . . .	163	85	81	329
Alex. Campbell, Cincinnati . .	158	89	84	331
Harold Long, Pontiac	165	83	85	333
Ben Lord, Glens Falls, N. Y.	166	84	87	337
Joe Devaney, Grosse Isle . . .	171	84	85	340
Mr. A. B. Sweet, Chicago . . .	169	87	87	343

It will be noticed that Mr. "Chick" Evans, as usual, was pretty well up in the front of the pack. The only Canadian entrant to finish, Andrew Kay, of Lambton, did very well indeed, con-

sidering that this was his first experience in a gruelling U. S. Open Championship, where former experience is an absolute essential.

ALL CONSTRUCTION RECORDS BROKEN

Islington Golf Club to be put in Commission This Month—Membership Already Round the Three Hundred Mark

MANY golf clubs have been constructed in and near Toronto during the past few years, but we think we are safe in saying that not one of them has been constructed and placed in commission in such a short space of time and at such low cost, considering the completeness of the course, as the Islington.

The first sod was turned on October 21st last, and by December 7th every tee, fairway and green had been roughed in ready for seeding this Spring.

On the 7th of April operations were resumed and although work was delayed to a great extent on account of the rain and cold weather, remarkable progress was made until it is altogether likely that at least eleven of the eighteen holes will have been placed in commission by the time this issue goes to press.

No effort has been saved to make the course as high class as any now under play, and the consensus of opinion seems to be that this has been accomplished.

While no organized membership drive has as yet been inaugurated, the Secretary, Captain Melville Millar, reports that the first issue of shares at par was over-subscribed within a week or two, the second issue at \$150.00 almost as fast, and within a short time the third issue at \$200.00 will be exhausted, bringing the list well up around the three hundred mark.

If each of those who have already subscribed will make an effort to induce one new member to join up between now and the first of August, it will be possible to close the list by that date.

No doubt when it is appreciated how accessible to Toronto the new club is, and what the chances are for a steady increase in the value of its stock it will not be long before there will be a waiting list.

The club house, which is well under way, will be complete in every respect sometime during July, when there will be an official opening of the course.

The water system serving every green and tee, was completed some time ago, and to the Ontario Wind Engine Company, of Toronto, who installed the system, is due much credit for the efficient manner in which they handled the contract.

From all reports the Islington bids fair to become one of Toronto's most popular courses and in all probability the least expensive of any now under play in or near the city.

A cordial welcome will be given all those who are interested in the Royal and Ancient game, and who may be desirous of seeing for themselves what can be accomplished in a short time if they will make it a point to drop in at the club at any time.

While so far the club has not appointed a professional for the current season, Mr. Hector MacDonald, for many years associated with one of the best known Scottish clubs, is in attendance, and available should any member wish to take advantage of his services.

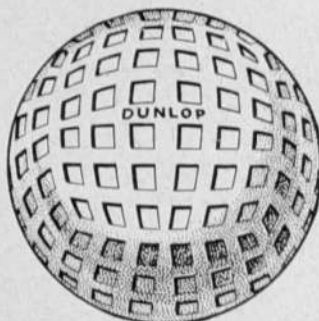
A meeting of the subscribers will be called within a few days, when all officers, committees, etc., will be appointed and the initial membership fee, which in all probability will be a very low one, will be decided upon.

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THE present links of the Quebec Golf Club will be taken over by the Quebec Railway Company and operated as a public course when the club moves into the new links at Boischatel, it is announced. This is good news from the second oldest golfing city in America.

Brantford, the home of the fourth oldest club on the Continent, will also next season have a public golf course. Last year the Parks Board there purchased a very suitable property, but owing to the civic cry for economy the Board was reluctantly this Spring forced to drop all idea of laying out a course. However, Mr. E. L. Cockshutt in a most public spirited way has come to the Board's assistance and has sent in a cheque for \$1,000, so that work can be started on the Public Course this summer. Next Spring the Board expects to have funds to complete the links. A very sporting little 9-hole course indeed, has been laid out by Captain Perkins, pro of the Brantford Golf and Country Club. All honour to Mr. Cockshutt for thus coming to the rescue of Brantfordites, who are anxious to play golf but cannot afford the luxury of a private club membership.

GOLF IN THE WEST

Manitoba Golf Association Has Arranged for a Very Fine and Comprehensive Programme for the Season of 1924

MR. G. INNES MACKENZIE, of Winnipeg, Hon. Secretary-Treasurer of the Manitoba Golf Association, sends in a most interesting programme of the events to be held the season of 1924. Here they are:

Manitoba Inter-club Championship, to be played at Pine Ridge Golf Club, Winnipeg, commencing on Wednesday, June 25th, 1924. Open to all clubs who are members of the Manitoba Golf Association. Teams to consist of four amateur players (members of the club which they are representing in the Tournament). 36 holes, medal play. Aggregate score of team to count.

Birks Trophy, to be held for one year by winning club. Prizes—Members of winning team, gold medals. Members of runner-up team, silver medals. Player turning in lowest score for 18 holes, silver medal. Player turning in lowest score for 36 holes, gold medal.

Entries (naming four members of team and four or less substitutes), to be forwarded by Club Secretaries so as to reach the Association Secretary not later than Saturday, June 21st, 1924. Entrance fee: Winnipeg Clubs, \$15.00 per team; other clubs, no entrance fee.

Manitoba Amateur Championship to be played at St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg, commencing on Wednesday, August 20th, 1924. Open to amateurs with handicaps of 16 and under, who are members of clubs belonging to the Manitoba Golf Association. Entries may also be accepted, at the discretion of the Tournament Committee, from amateur players who are not members of clubs belonging to the Association.

Qualifying Round (18 holes), on Wednesday, 32 players returning the lowest scores to qualify for Championship Flight. 32 players returning the next lowest scores to qualify for second flight. (In case of a tie in Qualifying round for last place in either flight, the last nine holes of play will determine).

First and Second Rounds (each match play of 18 holes), on Thursday; Third Round and Semi-finals (each match play of 18 holes), on Friday; Finals (36 holes), on Saturday.

Free Press Trophy to be held for one year by the winner of the Championship Flight.

Prizes—Championship Flight—Winner, gold medal; runner-up, silver medal; deftd. semi-finalists, bronze medals. Second Flight—Winner, silver medal; runner-up, bronze medal. Qualifying Round, winner, gold medal.

Entrance fee, \$3.00. Entries, accompanied by entrance fees, to be made through Secretaries of clubs from which players are entering and to be forwarded so as to reach the Association Secretary not later than Saturday, August 16th, 1924.

Manitoba Open Championship, to be played at Winnipeg Golf Club, commencing on Wednesday, August 27th, 1924. This tournament, as the name implies, is open to Professionals and Amateurs alike. 72 holes, medal play. 36 holes on Wednesday and 36 holes on Thursday.

Prizes—Winner, gold medal; runner-up, silver medal. Player turning in lowest score for 18 holes, gold medal. Cash prizes to at least six professionals and special prizes to first four amateurs. Entrance fee, \$5.00. Entries accompanied by entrance fee to reach Association Secretary not later than Saturday, August 23rd, 1924.

Manitoba Junior Championship, to be played at Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg, on Saturday, September 6th, 1924. Open to all boys under 18 years of age, excepting those who, after attaining the age of 16 years, have failed to retain their Amateur standing. 18 holes, medal play. Matt Thompson Trophy to be held for one year by winner. Prizes—Winner, gold medal; runner-up, silver medal. Special prizes for best scores in various age classes. Entries, stating age, to reach Association Secretary not later than Wednesday, September 3rd, 1924. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

Mr. Mackenzie writes:

"From the above program of the tournament of this Association for 1924, you will

note that we are making some effort to make the Association better serve clubs outside the City of Winnipeg, and for that reason we would like outside clubs to join and support us in any way they can. At a recent meeting we reduced the dues for clubs outside Winnipeg to an annual amount based at the rate of 5c per male paying member, as of June 1st, so you will see that a small club with a membership of say fifty members will only be called upon to contribute \$2.50. We are looking forward to more golf in Winnipeg than ever this year, and while the weather has been very backward the attendance at the public courses particularly has been phenomenal.

WINS METROPOLITAN

Mr. W. M. Reekie, Formerly Well Known Canadian Golfer, Captures One of the Big U. S. Amateur Events

A DESPATCH from Long Beach, L. I., June 15th:

"William M. Reekie, of the Upper Montclair Country Club, N.J., won the Metropolitan Amateur Golf title at the Lido Country Club when he defeated Eddie Briggs, of Cherry Valley, N.Y. State Champion, 2 up and 1 to play in the 36-hole final round match."

The Metropolitan ranks as one of the big Amateur Championships in the United States, second perhaps only to the U. S. National Championship and in winning it Mr. Reekie ranks as one of the golfing stars of the season. He learned his game in Scotland, coming out to Canada some years ago in the service of the Imperial Bank at Galt, for which club he played; also Brantford and Lambton. He never quite got into his true stride during his residence in Canada, although heading the Brantford team in the old Lake Shore League in Buffalo he romped away with the Individual Championship in a class field. Leaving the Imperial Bank he was for some four years in Rochester, N. Y., where he was rated the best player in that City and District. Then he went to New York with the important Bond House of J. P. Bonbright & Co., and joining the Upper Montclair Club in 1919 sprang into golfing prominence by winning the Lakewood Invitation Tournament, defeating the present U. S. Amateur Champion, Mr. Max Marston, on the last green after a most thrilling match. A year or so afterwards he annexed the New Jersey

Championship and also made a fine showing in several other high-class events, being rated as amongst the 15 leading amateurs in the United States.



Mr. W. M. Reekie, former well known Canadian Golfer, who won the Metropolitan Amateur.

This winning of the Metropolitan is the best thing he has done in the country of his adoption. The "Canadian Golfer" years ago claimed that he was possibly the best amateur who came to this country from Scotland. His record in the States has amply borne out this statement. He is a long driver, but it is his wonderful iron work that makes him a really great golfer.

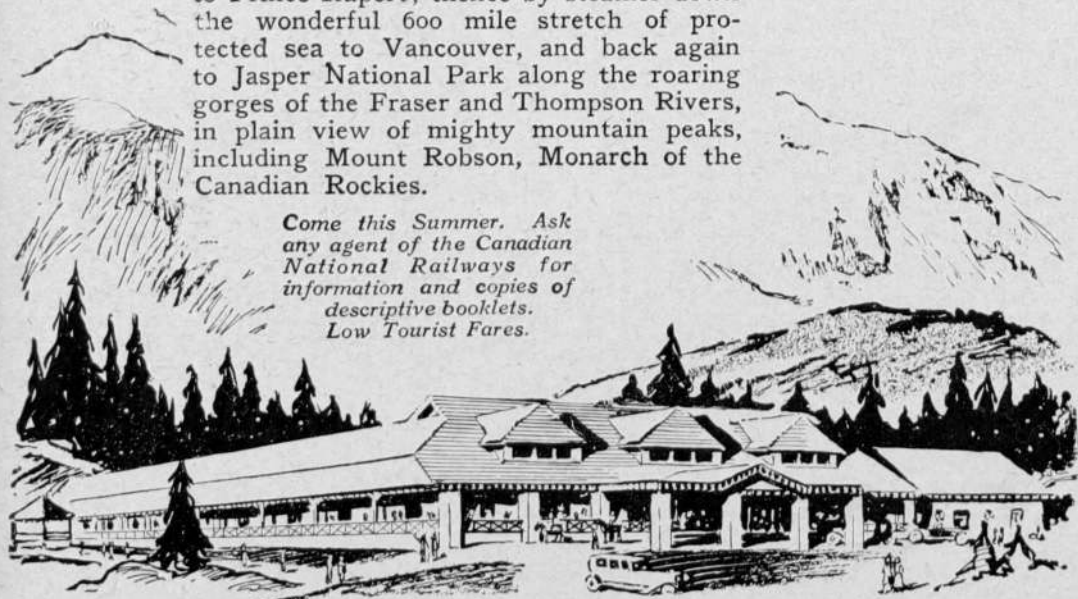
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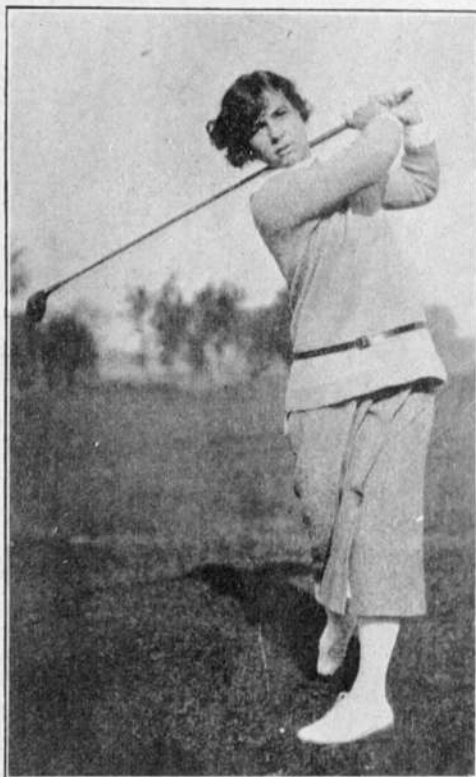
Highly Successful Event Extending for the First Time over Five Days—Miss Annable Wins Championship at the 19th Hole from Miss Helen Paget—Miss Sybil Kennedy, 1923 Title Holder, Leads the Qualifying Field with the Fine Score of 86

The Provincial Ladies' Golf Championship of Quebec, for the first time this year, was run along the same lines as the Ontario Ladies' Championship—a qualifying medal round and then match play in the championship and other flights. Heretofore the Ladies' Championship of Quebec has been limited to two days of medal play only and the women players of that Province were denied the undoubted advantage of improving their game by participating in match play at 18 holes, over a four days period. The change instituted this year by the Quebec section of the C. L. G. A. is unquestionably a wise one and will do much to improve the standard of golf in that province. Nothing like match play to develop a player's game. This is the method employed in all amateur championships both for women and men. Medal play for two days all said and done is for the professional golfer and a few of the top-notch amateurs.

The ladies of Quebec were very fortunate in having the beautiful course at Kanawaki placed at their disposal for their five days tournament. A testing course is Kanawaki, as the entrants in the Canadian Amateur last year will freely testify. It has a particularly well balanced series of long and short holes calling for skilful play both from the tee and through the green. It provides an ideal setting for a championship—few better in the whole of Canada.

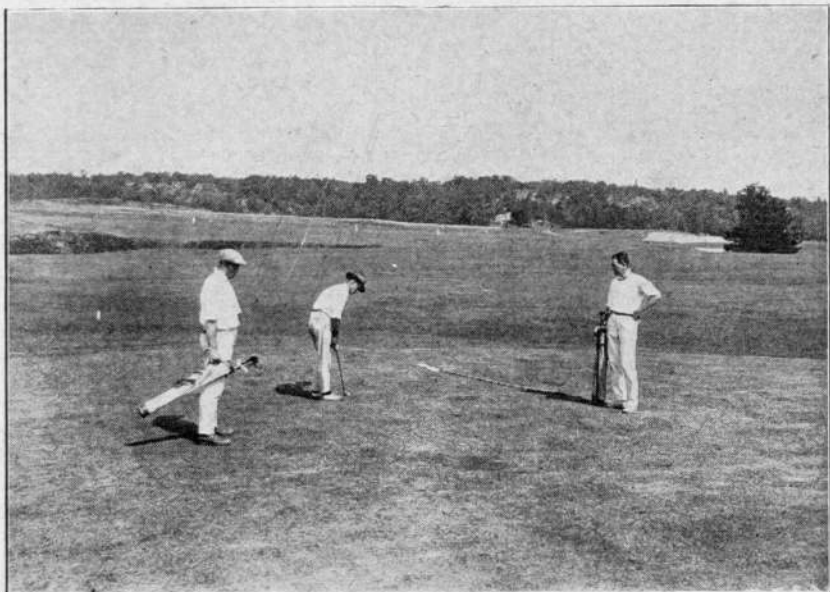
The Quebec Championship opened on Monday, June 2nd and the finals were reached on Friday afternoon, June 6th. The qualifying round on Monday was played under ideal weather conditions and with course conditions which left little to be desired. That the Quebec and Bermuda Champion, Miss Sybil Kennedy, of The Royal Montreal Golf Club, found Kanawaki very much to her liking,

was demonstrated by the fact that she returned a particularly fine card on the opening day of 86, made up of a 45 out and a 41 in. This total was within one stroke of the score of Miss



The Quebec Lady Champion, Miss Marjorie Annable, The Royal Montreal Golf Club.

Ada Mackenzie of Mississauga, who headed the same day the qualifying round, in the Ontario Championship at Welland. Back of Miss Kennedy, six strokes, was Miss Helen Paget of The Royal Ottawa, runner-up to Mrs. Hope Gibson in the Canadian Close Championship at Lambton, in 1922, whilst in third place was Miss Annable of The Royal Montreal. Of the sixteen players who qualified for the championship flight, all were Montreal play-



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ers, with the exception of Mrs. H. C. Foy, of Quebec City, the champion of 1922.

In the championship play-off, which followed, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, there were many interesting and close matches, the finals eventually coming down to representatives of The Royal Montreal, Miss M. Annable and The Royal Ottawa, Miss Helen Paget, who was runner-up last year to Miss Sybil Kennedy, but who this year defeated her in the semi-finals by 4 and 3. And a great match resulted in the final meeting of the

two "Royal" representatives, it taking an extra hole before Miss Annable clinched her right to be crowned the Lady Golf Champion of the Ancient Province of Quebec—the mother of golf in Canada.

The 1924 Quebec Champion is only 19 years of age but for some few years now she has been quite in the golfing limelight. She first came into prominence at the Ladies Amateur in Hamilton in 1920, when she was sixteen years of age. Here she qualified in a field of the leading lady players of Canada and the United States in 7th

place with a 90, four strokes back of Miss Ada Mackenzie, who lead the field and only one stroke more than the famous Miss Alexa Stirling, who subsequently won the championship. In the first round at match play she defeated Mrs. Goodearle, of Toronto, 7 and 5 and in the second round only lost to that seasoned player Miss Edith Bauld, many times champion of the Maritimes, 2 and 1. On that occasion the "Canadian Golfer" said:

"Miss M. Annable, of Kanawaki, Montreal, was quite one of the outstanding figures of the tournament. She celebrated her 16th birthday during the championship and has unquestionably a great golfing future ahead of her. She has a most delightful free, natural style with all her clubs, and with experience will undoubtedly be heard from in the years to come."

The Qualifying Round

The scores made and the handicaps of the various contestants are as follows:

	Out	In	G.	H.	N.
Miss S. Kennedy, Royal Montreal	45	41	86	11	75
Miss Helen Paget, Royal Ottawa	49	43	92	7	85
Miss M. Annable, Royal Montreal	51	44	95	7	88
Miss K. Robertson, Beaconsfield	48	49	97	8	89
Miss M. McBride, Beaconsfield	46	52	98	8	90
Mrs. C. C. Ronalds, Mount Bruno	44	55	99	13	86
Mrs. R. J. Davies, Royal Montreal	46	53	99	18	81
Mrs. H. Irwin, Royal Montreal	50	50	100	17	83
Miss H. Bernard, Royal Montreal	51	52	103	12	91
Mrs. A. P. S. Glassco, Royal Montreal	54	50	104	19	85
Mrs. H. C. Foy, Quebec	50	55	105	15	90
Miss Iver Ross, Royal Ottawa	53	52	105	10	95
Miss D. Virtue, Whitlock	55	51	106	13	93
Mrs. W. M. Dobell, Quebec	58	58	106	19	97
Mrs. H. K. Pinhey, Royal Montreal	54	62	106	16	90
Mrs. T. M. Fairbairn, Kanawaki	54	53	107	20	87
Mrs. F. G. Woods, Beaconsfield	53	55	108	15	93
Mrs. E. T. Holland, Grandmere	55	53	108	24	84
Mrs. F. Sharp, Royal Ottawa	54	55	109	15	94

	Out	In	G.	H.	N.
Miss E. Kinsella, Country Club	57	52	109	17	92
Mrs. C. H. Allan, Beaconsfield	57	53	110	19	91
Mrs. M. MacIntosh, Royal Montreal	58	52	110	21	89
Mrs. P. D. Campbell, Royal Montreal	55	56	111	24	87
Mrs. A. R. M. Bolton, Quebec	55	56	111	24	87
Miss P. Abbott, Braeside	55	56	111	20	91
Miss L. Papineau, Marlborough	59	53	112	24	88
Mrs. S. B. White, Royal Montreal	54	58	112	16	96
Mrs. E. C. Miner, Beaconsfield	60	53	113	21	92
Mrs. F. Tooke, Beaconsfield	53	62	115	16	99
Miss G. Milroy, Royal Montreal	58	57	115	19	96
Mrs. S. C. Jones, Marlborough	55	60	115	22	93
Mrs. E. C. Mumford, Country Club	62	54	116	22	94
Miss G. Cantlie, Mount Bruno	58	59	117	24	93
Miss E. McCulloch, Beaconsfield	60	58	118	31	87
Mrs. J. W. Nichol, Beaconsfield	59	61	120	22	98
Mrs. H. O. Keay, Grand'Mere	67	54	121	24	97
Mrs. D. Dwyer, Whitlock	61	62	123	23	100
Miss J. McLachlan, Ottawa	62	61	123	21	102
Mrs. A. Herbert, Grand'Mere	61	63	124	25	99
Mrs. E. S. Gnaedinger, Kanawaki	63	62	125	24	101
Mrs. R. Henderson, Country Club	64	64	128	24	104
Miss K. C. Christie, Country Club	73	57	130	24	106
Mrs. Chillas, Beaconsfield	66	73	139	31	108

The ex-champion had a brilliant day with a gross score of 86. Her card read:

Out—6, 5, 3, 5, 6, 6, 5, 5, 4—45.
In—5, 3, 4, 4, 6, 5, 6, 3, 5—41.
Total—86.

Next to her came Miss Paget, of The Royal Ottawa, who had a 92. These two ladies thus occupying the same relative position which they did at the end of last year's event.

It was a splendid start for the tournament and whilst there were no startling surprises the standard of play always attracted the interest of the large gallery following the progress of their favorites.

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To The Royal Montreal went the honour of winning the team prize with a score of 380, made up as follows:

Miss Sybil Kennedy, 86; Miss M. Annable, 95; Mrs. R. J. Dawes, 99; Mrs. H. Irwin, 100. Mrs. Dawes won the prize for the best net score with a gross of 99, which, with a handicap of 18 reduced it to a net total of 81.

The Championship Flight

The sixteen successful players who qualified in this flight were drawn as follows:

Mrs. Iver Ross, (Royal Ottawa), vs. Mrs. E. T. Holland, (Grand'Mere); Mrs. H. C. Foy, (Quebec), vs. Mrs. H. K. Pinhey (Royal Ottawa); Miss Kate Robertson, (Beaconsfield), vs. Miss M. Annable, (Royal Montreal); Mrs. T. M. Fairbairn, (Kanawaki), vs. Miss M. McBride, (Beaconsfield); Miss S. Kennedy, (Royal Montreal), vs. Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco, (Royal Montreal); Miss D. Virtue, (Whitlock), vs. Miss H. Bernard, (Royal Montreal);

Mrs. C. C. Rolands, (Mount Bruno), vs. Mrs. R. J. Dawes (Royal Montreal); Mrs. H. Irwin, (Royal Montreal), vs. Miss Helen Paget, (Royal Ottawa).

The early morning rain had transformed the hard baked ground of the opening day, making the greens somewhat heavy and Mrs. Iver Ross playing against Mrs. E. T. Holland, started off under heavy rain laden clouds. The title holder, however, found the going much to her liking and playing brilliant golf ended her match with her club member, Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco, on the thirteenth green with a decisive victory of six and five. Mrs. H. K. Pinhey, of The Royal Ottawa, put up a valiant struggle against Mrs. Foy, of Quebec, a past champion, but the match ended against her by five and three. Miss M. Annable had to fight for her lead against Miss Kate Robertson, of Beaconsfield, twice runner-up in the Canadian Amateur, but was two up at the turn and won her match on the sixteenth, four up.

First Round Results: Miss M. McBride defeated Mrs. T. M. Fairbairn by seven and five.

Mrs. Iver Ross defeated Mrs. E. T. Holland three and two.

Mrs. H. C. Foy defeated Mrs. H. K. Pinhey, five and three.

Miss Sybil Kennedy defeated Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco, six and five.

Miss M. Annable defeated Miss Kate Robertson, four and two.

Miss Helen Paget defeated Mrs. H. Irwin five and four.

Miss D. Virtue defeated Miss H. Bernard, three and two.

Mrs. C. C. Ronalds defeated Mrs. R. J. Dawes, five and three.

The second round of the championship on Wednesday, resulted as follows:

Miss Sybil Kennedy, Royal Montreal, defeated Miss D. Virtue, Whitlock, 2 and 1.

Miss M. Annable, Royal Montreal, defeated Miss M. McBride, Beaconsfield, 1 up.

Mrs. H. C. Foy, Quebec, defeated Mrs. Iver Ross, Royal Ottawa on the last green, 1 up.

Miss H. Paget, Royal Ottawa defeated Mrs. C. C. Ronalds, Mount Bruno, 2 and 1.

The major thrills of the day were supplied by the ex-champion's match with Miss D. Virtue. Miss Virtue obtaining an early lead by winning the first two holes. The fortunes of the game continued in the balance, being

all square on the fourteenth. Miss Kennedy took the next two holes and clinched her victory on the sixteenth. Miss McBride carried her match with Miss Annable to the last green, which was halved in fives, advancing Miss Annable to the semi-finals by a victory of one up. The winners who went to the semi-finals were Mrs. Foy; Miss Annable; Miss Kennedy and Miss Paget.

Thursday provided ideal golfing weather for the semi-finals. Chief interest was centered 'round the match in which Miss Kennedy was eliminated from the championship by Miss Paget. The ex-champion repeatedly found herself in difficulty and the turn was made with Miss Paget two up. At the fifteenth Miss Kennedy landed in the ditch, Miss Paget reaching the green in three and being down in five, won her match four and three.

Miss Annable's match with Mrs. Foy, the 1922 champion, was exceptionally interesting, being carried to the final green before Miss Annable won by one up.

Miss Annable Wins Title

By a "birdie" three at the 19th hole Miss Marjorie Annable, Royal Montreal, became lady champion of the Province of Quebec, after a thrilling contest with Miss Helen Paget of The Royal Ottawa Club.

The players started out under unfavourable weather conditions, the clouds threatening to spoil the finale of the tournament, whilst a strong wind frequently annoyed the players, being largely instrumental in losing a vital stroke for Miss Paget on the seventeenth. Miss Paget led throughout the struggle and it was a hard match to lose. It was on the greens, however, where victory was decided for Miss Annable, who sank most of her putts in brilliant style.

The start of the match was not an auspicious one, both landing perilously near the ditch, but good shots placed them on the green and the hole was halved when Miss Annable missed a putt. The second went to Miss Paget, but the match was squared on the

short third, when Miss Annable holed a 20 foot putt for a brilliant "birdie" two. Miss Paget then gained her lead with a par four by virtue of perfect putting.



Miss Helen Paget, The Royal Ottawa Golf Club, who lost the Championship at the 19th hole.

With another five putt on the fifth Miss Paget found herself two up. A halved hole followed as was the sixth and seventh, both players doing badly with their putts. The eighth was a featureless half. At the ninth tee Miss Paget secured a clean drive while Miss Annable sliced to the woods. To clear the trees cost three strokes and the Royal Ottawa representatives' lead was increased to three. A topped drive and indifferent work through the green gave the Montreal player an oppor-



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tunity to reduce her opponent's advantage on this tenth hole. Miss Annable then put her iron tee shot at the 11th into the trap, while her opponent made a splendid drive straight to the green and once more was three up. The twelfth saw the beginning of the victorious rally, Miss Annable coming out of the bunker to within six feet of the pin, winning with a par three. She then made a magnificent drive at the 13th and placed her mashie shot 10 feet from the pin. The Royal Ottawa player had a good drive but failed to reach the green with her spoon and Miss Annable holed out for a "birdie" three. The long fourteenth was

halved in sixes, but Miss Paget went back to two up at the next, when Miss Annable, using a brassie, overran the green. An opportunity presented itself on the 535 yard sixteenth when the Royal Montrealer sliced into the rough, but Miss Paget also drove poorly, missed an easy-looking putt, taking an eight; Miss Annable won the hole. It was on the seventeenth that the wind proved troublesome, both players missed their putts by a narrow margin and halved the hole. The match was squared on the eighteenth when in making a magnificent effort to hole out, Miss Annable laid her opponent a stymie, which Miss Paget

failed to negotiate. At the "nineteenth" Miss Annable drove a tremendous ball followed by a brassie, which placed her 10 feet from the pin and she sank the putt for a "birdie" three, the hole and the match. It was a dramatic finish to a long up-hill battle for the provincial crown and both players were heartily applauded for their strenuous efforts.

The complete championship details at a glance:

	First Round	Second Round	Semi-Finals	Finels
Mrs. Iver Ross	} Mrs. Iver Ross 3 and 2	} Mrs. Foy 2 and 1	} Miss Annable 2 and 1	} Miss M. Annable 1 up at the 19th
Mrs. E. T. Holland				
Mrs. H. C. Foy	} Mrs. Foy 5 and 3	} Miss Annable 1 up	} Miss Paget 4 and 3	
Mrs. H. Pinhey				
Miss Kate Robertson	} Miss M. Annable 4 and 2	} Miss Kennedy 2 and 1	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Miss M. Annable				
Mrs. T. M. Fairbairn	} Miss M. McBride 7 and 5	} Miss Kennedy 2 and 1	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Miss M. McBride				
Miss S. Kennedy	} Miss Kennedy 6 and 5	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco				
Miss D. Virtue	} Miss Virtue 3 and 2	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Miss H. Bernard				
Mrs. C. C. Ronalds	} Mrs. Ronalds 5 and 3	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Mrs. R. J. Dawes				
Mrs. H. Irwin	} Miss Paget 5 and 4	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	} Miss Paget 3 and 2	
Miss Helen Paget				

In the Other Events

All interest was not confined to the championship flight for much good golf was displayed in the various consolation flights. The matches between the eight players eliminated in the first championship were particularly interesting, resulting as follows:

In the first round, Miss K. Robertson, runner-up in Canadian open, defeated Mrs. R. J. Dawes, 3 and 2. Miss H. Bernard defeated Mrs. E. T. Holland, 6 and 5. Mrs. H. Irwin defeated Mrs. A. P. S. Glasco, 3 and 2. Mrs. T. M. Fairbairn defaulted to Mrs. H. K. Pinhey. On the following day Miss K. Robertson, eliminated Miss H. Bernard, 5 and 4. Mrs. H. Irwin won from Mrs. H. K. Pinhey, 1 up on the 19th.

On Friday morning Miss Kate Robertson won the championship consolation from Mrs. H. Irwin, six and five.

The remaining consolation honors were also decided by Miss Sharpe winning the first flight from Mrs. M. MacIntosh, 3 and 2. In the second flight Mrs. T. Nicholl defeated Miss D. Dwyer, 3 and 2. Miss C. Lyall won the third consolation by defeating Mrs. Mumford, 4 and 3.

The silver division driving competition was held on the tenth fairway and was won by Miss Helen Bernard, Royal Montreal, with an aggregate

score of 525 yards for three drives. Miss Kate Robertson of Beaconsfield was second with 487 yards to her credit.

In the bronze division the best score was made by Miss D. Dwyer, Whitlock with an aggregate of 405 yards.

The approaching and putting competition was decided on Thursday, Mrs. R. J. Dawes winning the silver division and Mrs. A. R. M. Boulton, a very popular Quebec player, the bronze division.

The Prize Winners

Following the finals the prizes were presented by Mr. W. Garth Thomson, president of the Q. P. G. A., Miss Kate Campbell and Mrs. R. J. Dawes, the complete list being.

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Runner-up Prize presented by Mrs. H. B. Robinson—won by Miss Helen Paget, Royal Ottawa. Best Gross score—won by Miss Sybil Kennedy, Royal Montreal. Best Net score—Mrs. R. J. Dawes, Royal Montreal.

Special prize for best gross score, handicap 24 and over—won by Mrs. E. T. Holland, Grand'Mere.

Sealed Hole—won by Mrs. Ronalds, Mount Bruno.

Championship Consolation—won by Miss Kate Robertson, Beaconsfield.

Runner-up—won by Mrs. Hamilton Irwin, Royal Montreal.

First Consolation—won by Miss F. Sharpe, Royal Ottawa.

Runner-up—won by Miss M. MacIntosh, Royal Montreal.

Second Consolation—won by Mrs. J. W. Nichol, Beaconsfield.

Runner-up—won by Miss D. Dwyer, Whitlock.

Third Consolation—won by Miss C. Lyall, Beaconsfield.

Runner-up—won by Mrs. E. C. Mumford, Country Club.

Approaching and Putting, silver division—won by Mrs. R. J. Dawes, Royal Montreal.

Bronze Division—won by Mrs. A. R. M. Boulton, Quebec.

Driving Competition, silver division—won by Miss Helen Bernard, Royal Montreal.

Bronze Division—won by Miss D. Dwyer, Whitlock.

Longest Drive—won by Miss D. Virtue, Whitlock.

Team Prize—won by Royal Montreal.

Tournament Notes

A tie occurred for sixteenth place in the qualifying round between Mrs. F. G. Woods, Beaconsfield and Mrs. E. T. Holland, Grand'Mere, their score being 106. The draw decided that Mrs. Holland would enter the championship round.

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Following the presentation of prizes on Friday afternoon, the lady associate members of the Kanawaki Golf Club entertained most delightfully at tea. Miss Kate Campbell is the president of the Lady Associate members.

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The championship was a hard one to lose for Miss Paget who had already eliminated the ex-champion, and she deserves much credit for her plucky fight to recover the lead she lost on the 16th and 18th. The spectacle of seeing your opponent run down a 30 footer, which Miss Annable did on the 16th, is sufficient to un-nerve the best of tournament players. This followed by a stymie laid on the 18th, were too great a handicap to reverse in the extra hole.

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On the second day the greens were somewhat treacherous owing to the heavy morning rain and considerably handicapped the less experienced play-

ers. Otherwise fair weather favoured the contestants and the natural beauty of Kanawaki added much to the enjoyment of play.

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Mrs. Beverly Robinson, Montreal, Vice-president of the C. L. G. U., writes the "Canadian Golfer":

"The executive of the Quebec Branch of the C. L. G. U. are very grateful to the President of the Lady Associate members of the Kanawaki Golf Club, (Miss Kate Campbell) and her house committee for all they did during the week of the Quebec Provincial Championship for the competitors and visitors. All the arrangements at the

club house were so well carried out and the competitors enjoyed the privilege of playing upon such a beautiful course which was so kindly put at the disposal of the Quebec Branch, C. L. G. U. during the Tournament of the week of June 2nd, by Mr. W. G. Ross, president of the Kanawaki Club and his executive. J. M. Patterson, the new professional at the club did all in his power to assist those who were running the tournament and it was also very helpful to have C. R. Murray, of the Royal Montreal, at Kanawaki on Monday, the day of the qualifying round. The finals were refereed by Mr. W. Garth Thomson, president of the Quebec Golf Association, who, with Miss Campbell and Mrs. R. J. Dawes, presided at the presentation of the prizes."

RIDEAU HALL VS PARLIAMENTARIANS

Governor-General and Staff Play Members of the Senate and Commons at Rivermead, Ottawa

PARLIAMENTARY golfers played the Governor-General and staff from Rideau Hall at Rivermead, Ottawa, June 6th, and a most interesting match resulted. In the morning the Governor-General's team defeated their legislative rivals by 9 to 8, but in a foursome in the afternoon the Parliamentarians were victorious by 6 to 4. W. A. Boys, M.P., with three, Sir Henry Drayton with two, and Senator S. J. Crowe with three, were the chief scorers for Parliamentarians; while G. Burnett Stuart with three, Captain Hon. Francis Erskine with three, and Major Francis O'Connor, Major W. Gordon and Col. Edwards with one each starred for Government House.

The foursomes played in the afternoon were keenly contested. His Excellency and G. Burnett Stuart defeated Messrs. Dickie and Boys 1 to 0, Major O'Connor and Major Gordon won from Senators George Barnard and R. E. Green 3 to 0, while A. F. Sladen and General MacLaren lost to Sir Henry Drayton and Senator S. J. Crowe by 3 to 0. Major Gordon and Col. Edwards were defeated by Senator Willoughby and Senator Sharpe 3 to 0.

Morning Scores:

G. Burnett Stuart, Governor-General's, 3; C. H. Dickie, M.P., 0.

Capt. Hon F. W. Erskine, Governor-General's, 3; Gen. J. A. Clark, M.P., 0. His Excellency, Governor-General, 0; W. A. Boys, M.P., 3.

Major Willis O'Connor, Governor-General's, 1; Senator Willoughby, 0.

Col. Edwards, Governor-General's, 1; W. G. McQuarrie, M.P., 0.

A. F. Sladen, Governor-General's, 0; Sir Henry Drayton, M.P., 2.

General MacLaren, Governor-General's, 0; Senator S. J. Crowe, 3.

Total for Governor-General's, 9; total for Parliamentarians, 8.

Afternoon Scores:

His Excellency and G. Burnett Stuart, Governor-General's, 1; C. H. Dickie and W. A. Boys, 0.

Capt. Erskine and Major O'Connor, Governor-General's, 3; Senators Barnard and R. Green, 0.

A. F. Sladen and Gen. MacLaren, Governor-General's, 0; Sir Henry Drayton and Senator Crowe, 3.

Major Gordon and Col. Edwards, Governor-General's, 0; Senators Willoughby and W. H. Sharpe, 3.

Total for Government House, 4; total for Parliamentarians, 6. Grand total, Parliamentarians, 14; Government House, 13.

MARITIME CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dates of the Various Events Put Forward to July 28th-August 1st—An Interesting Programme Will Be Run Off

MR. G. LAWSON, Hon. Secretary of the Yarmouth Golf and Country Club, Yarmouth, N.S., where the Maritime Championships are being held this year writes:

"Since writing you last month it was found that the dates set for the Maritime Championship were going to conflict with the Summer Carnival being held in Halifax from August 4th to 15th, in conjunction with the

sion to a well trapped green under the windows of the club house.

No. 8, 480 yards, par 5. This hole follows slightly rising ground running along a roadway through the property. The green is on the brow of a hill with a fine view to the open sea.

No. 9, 470 yards, par 5. From a tee cut in the hillside, the fairway goes down over a flat to a well placed green opposite the club house.



View of Club House and Surroundings of the Yarmouth Golf and Country Club, where the Maritime Championships are to be staged next month.

visit of the British Cruiser Squadron going around the world and an ocean yacht race from an American port. Our dates have therefore been changed to July 28th—August 1st.

Our course measures 2,995 yards, with a par of 36, made up as follows:

No. 1, 510 yards, par 5. A fine long hole, with the green well placed on high ground.

No. 2, 230 yards, par 3. A good sporting hole across a valley of semi-rough ground, calling for a tee shot with a full carry of nearly 200 yards.

No. 3, 185 yards, par 3. Calls for an accurate tee shot along the crest of a hill, with a boundary on one side and rough on the other.

No. 4, 310 yards, par 4. This is a fine dog leg hole. The tee shot calls for a long carry across a valley with a second shot at right angles over a road to a well-placed green.

No. 5, 175 yards, par 3. Calls for a well-placed tee shot, as the green is trapped and the ground slopes off to the left of the line of play.

No. 6, 485 yards, par 5. From a tee on the brow of a hill the line of play goes down over a slightly undulating piece of ground to the plateau green protected by a high mound on two sides.

No. 7, 110 yards, par 3. A very nice mashie shot over a brook in a slight depres-

Beautiful views of the sea and the surrounding farm country present themselves from many of the tees and greens. The turf is soft and pleasing, very like many of the courses of Scotland. Thirty-six is a difficult par, and no player has as yet succeeded in getting down to it; but no doubt the coming Championship Tournament will look after that.

Our printed programmes for the Championship are not ready yet, but will be about as follows:

July 28th—Interprovincial Match, Nova Scotia vs. New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island. Match play, 18 holes.

July 29th—Qualifying Round, 36 holes, medal play.

July 30th—First and Second Round of the Championship; also second and third Division, Consolations and Desolation.

July 31st—Semi-finals; Press Competition; Driving, Approaching and Putting.

August 1st—Amateur Finals and Professionals' Match."

The officers of the Yarmouth Club are: President, Hon. E. K. Spinney; First Vice-President, Seymour C. Baker; Second Vice-President, Albert H. Hood; Secretary, John H. Malcom; Treasurer, G. Lawson.

GEORGE DUNCAN'S UNCANNY GOLF

With a Record-making Second Round of 66 over the Difficult Gleneagles Course, Fairly Swamps His Great Rival, Abe Mitchell

GREAT is George Duncan, the wizard Scottish golfer! He once in a while rises to heights unbeatable and unapproachable. He demonstrated this when in a whirlwind finish he won the British Open in 1920 at Deal, after two most indifferent first rounds of 80 each, which left him 13 strokes back of his great rival, Abe Mitchell. Then he came back with a 71 and 72 for a spectacular victory.

This month at glorious Gleneagles in the £1,000 Tournament he again rose to heights sublime when he defeated the great match player, Abe Mitchell, his team mate in Canada and the United States three years ago, by the crushing margin of 8 and 7. Previously an International flavour had been given to the Tournament by "Jim" Barnes, ex-U. S. Open Champion, defeating A. G. Havers, the British Open Champion, by 2 and 1. He was afterwards defeated by Duncan on the 18th green. A despatch from Gleneagles, Scotland, June 14th, thus describes Duncan's meteoric victory in the finals:

"George Duncan, veteran British golf professional, to-day defeated Abe Mitchell, another noted golfing champion, by 8 up and 7 to play in the deciding 36-hole match of the One Thousand Guineas Tournament.

This is the first time in his professional career that Mitchell has lost a 36-hole match. Duncan was invincible in to-day's play, however, reeling off frequent birdies and exhibiting a putting touch that was almost magic. He had a card of 66 for the first 18 holes.

Under bright blue skies 6,000 golf-loving Scots watched Duncan utterly crush his old comrade and rival. It was the first time in all their matches, whether of 18 or 36 holes, Duncan has come away with Mitchell's scalp.

Mitchell played a sure and steady morning round of 71, yet when he went into luncheon he was five down, Duncan having set a new low record for the course, which measured 6,340 yards, and is regarded as the finest inland course in the British Isles.

Duncan started out to-day with two birdie

3's on holes measuring 370 and 395 yards respectively. He followed with three pars and then another birdie, and Mitchell at the sixth was five down. Only once during the fore-



George Duncan, who makes a World's Record in Tournament Play against his Great Rival, Abe Mitchell.

noon did Duncan miss getting a par or better. This was on the short 16th, where he took four. The greatest of all the thrills he gave the gallery was at the 13th, 450 yards, where he laid his iron squarely on the green and dropped a long putt for a birdie three.

Both came home in 33, but Mitchell was unable to cut down the lead he lost, going out, when he required a 38 to Duncan's 33. Duncan was as brilliant after lunch as before, the audacity and accuracy of his shots and putts giving the Scottish gallery something to talk about through many long winter evenings."

"STOP PRESS" ITEMS

THE opening of the new Civic Golf Links at "Springbank," London, Ontario, one of the most beautiful Public Parks in Canada, took place on Saturday, afternoon, June 14th, and was an unqualified success in every particular. The club, which will bear the euphonious name of "The Thames Valley Golf

Club," starts with a membership of over 600 and is bound to become one of the leading civic courses in Ontario.

The Lady Championships of Toronto were most successfully run off over the beautiful links of Summit, Toronto, June 16th and 17th, with a magnificent field of over 100 leading players of Toronto, the only notable absentee being Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen, last year's champion, who on account of a family bereavement did not defend her title. As was generally expected, Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Mississauga, annexed titular honours with the fine score of 176. In second place was Mrs. Whittington, Toronto, 184; third, Mrs. Murdoch, Humber Valley, 186; fourth, Mrs. Agar, Mississauga, 191, whilst tied for fifth place with 194 were Mesdames M. K. Rowe, Toronto; Mrs. J. H. Riddel, Scarboro; Mrs. L. Forsythe, Lakeview. The Tournament, which was held under the auspices of the C. L. G. U., was a most thorough success in every particular.

Full accounts of both these interesting events will appear in the July issue,

FORGET THE DETAILS

Some Particularly Sound Advice from Stewart Maiden, Instructor of Two of the Outstanding Golfers of America.

STEWART MAIDEN, the celebrated Scottish-American, the instructor of two of the greatest U. S. golfers, "Bobbie" Jones, and Miss Alexa Stirling, gives the following valuable information alike to golfers and would-be golfers:

"I would suggest," says Maiden in 'Outdoor South,' "that if you are having trouble with this or that part of the swing—very likely mixed up with what you have read or what somebody has told you, about you faulty pivoting or wrist-movement or timing—I would suggest that you stop trying to make these various corrections of a slice or a hook, or whatever it is, in a full shot and take a mashie and go out with a few balls and play a large number of easy shots, say of fifty or seventy-five yards, at a pin in a green, or simply at a mark in a pasture. You probably have learned approximately how to hold the club and stand to the ball anyway. Now try to rid your mind of all the details and go out and hit the ball at the mark with as unoccupied a mind as if you were throwing the ball at it with your hand. You won't have to exert enough strength to complicate your stroke—just shoot the balls at a mark, over and over again.

You probably will be surprised at the distance you get when you are not hitting hard. And when you are hitting the ball cleanly and in good line, just move away farther—and keep on hitting the ball, and not thinking or caring how your hands or arms or hips or knees behave.

You see the idea. It is practice—PRACTICE. With the iron; with the wood—the same thing. Just go out and hit the ball at something, not so far away that you have to hit really hard, and not thinking at all about how you do it—just hit the ball.

It may surprise you to learn that the average man can hit a golf ball upwards of 200 yards with a brassie, without swinging hard or taking a full swing, just by hitting the ball. And it is almost certain to surprise you, how much better and cleaner you hit the ball when you are putting your mind on hitting it, and hitting it at something, than when you are trying to spread your mind over several details of the swing and aiming rather to swing in a certain way than to HIT THE BALL AT SOMETHING.

Imagine a baseball pitcher trying to pitch to a batter, and thinking all the time on turning his body just so far, and starting his swing from just such a point, and snapping his wrist just here and nowhere else. Ideally, the hitting of a golf ball with a club ought to be as free from mental mechanics as the throwing of a baseball with the hand. If we cannot have this ideal state, we must just try to approximate it.

The golf stroke is said to be the most complicated performance in sport, but there is no use making it more complicated. I repeat here with all possible emphasis what I have said a number of times—I do not believe any golfer can think of different parts of the swing while it is in progress and hit the ball properly. I know I cannot, certainly while engaged in a full shot. So I would leave you with this thought once more uppermost, and I hope it will continue uppermost, while you are playing practice shots, or match shots, or championship shots: Hit the ball.

And I want to say, too, that some surprisingly good results are possible with a rough and rugged style, if the player doesn't keep his mind on the method, but on hitting the ball. I hope you have a reasonably proper swing; it is easier to manage than a bad swing. But in any event, it now is time for you to fasten your mind on the one big point of golf—

Hit the ball!"

IN AND ROUND THE CLUB HOUSE

Interesting Happenings on the Courses of Canada, Great Britain and the United States.

IT was with the very greatest regret that golfers and other friends throughout Canada heard of the passing of Mrs. T. S. G. Pepler, of Toronto, wife of the well known member of the Toronto Golf Club and of The Canadian Seniors' Golf Association and mother of Mrs. F. J. Mulqueen, Canadian Close Lady Champion. Her demise came as a shock to friends throughout Ontario, as she was greatly beloved by all who had the inestimable privilege of her acquaintanceship. To the bereaved husband and family the sincerest sympathy goes out in this, their great sorrow.

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The death occurred in Toronto this month of the Hon. Mrs. A. S. Hardy, wife of the former Premier of Ontario, and mother of Senator Hardy, of Brockville, and Dr. P. Hardy, of Toronto. Judge Hardy, of Brantford, was a brother-in-law. The late Premier was a member of the Brantford Golf Club in 1873, or over 50 years ago, and he and Mrs. Hardy were amongst the earliest supporters of the Royal and Ancient game in Canada. Mrs. Hardy, during the dark days of the war, gave unstintingly of her time and money on behalf of the soldiers at the front. She was one of the outstanding women of her native Province and her demise will be sincerely mourned by many staunch friends throughout Canada.

Walker's Wrist Work

(Mr. Walter Camp).

THOSE depressed duffers of tennis, golf, or baseball should consider the case of Cyril Walker, professional at the Englewood Club in New Jersey. Walker weighs only 120 pounds, yet he can crack out a drive that not even the more powerfully built Hagens and Sarazens can beat. His secret is the right snap of the wrist at the proper time just before the club head crashes into the ball. One of the secrets of acquiring the Walker trick of proper timing is correct thinking, for if you have worked out the proper method of making the shot in your mind the physical reaction to that correct thought is almost automatic.

The Seniors' North West Golf Association will hold its Second Annual Tournament at The Colwood Golf and Country Club, Victoria, B. C., August 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th. The special features will be the International Match, American members vs. Canadian members, Friday, August 29th, and the annual dinner at the Union Club, Victoria, the same evening at 8 p.m. The program of events is a particularly interesting one.

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Work was started this month on the new Erie Downs Golf & Country Club at Bridgeburg, Ontario. This promises to be one of the best 18-hole courses in Ontario. Creeping Bent is being used on all the greens.

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Mrs. Eric Phillips of Oshawa, who made such a fine showing at the Ontario Ladies' Championships at

Welland this month was tendered a most enjoyable dinner-dance by the Oshawa Club Saturday evening, June 14th.

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J. M. Patterson, the new professional at Kanawaki, Montreal, writes: "This is a lovely place and a real golf course. I like it here very much indeed."

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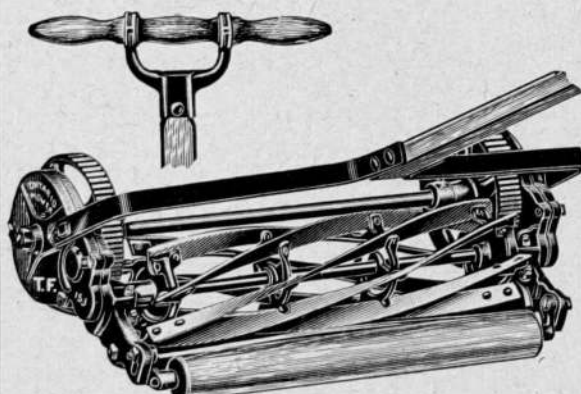
The pretty new club house of the Paris Golf and Country Club, Paris, Ont., was formally opened last month, when President Haire and his Executive and the Ladies' Executive were "At home" to an overflow gathering,

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when over thirty tables of bridge participated in a most delightful evening. The very charming new club house came in for all sorts of praise and approbation from visitors from Brantford, Galt and Woodstock. At the conclusion of the "Bridge," dainty refreshments were served, followed by speeches from Mr. Haire and Mr. C. B. Robinson, of the Paris Club. Cordial congratulations on the splendid work in giving Parisians such a fine new club house and course were extended by Senator J. H. Fisher, Mr. John Harold, ex-M.P., and Mr. Ralph H. Reville. The formal opening of the particularly interesting new 9-hole course will take place in July. Messrs. George S. Lyon, W. J. Thompson, Frank Thompson and other experts have very kindly consented to take part in this opening.

The Erie Downs Golf and Country Club recently completed a deal with Reeve Alfred Merryweather, of Bertie

Township, covering the purchase of 25 acres of property adjacent to the present course on the Dunn Farm. The additional land will considerably enhance the value of the club's present holdings. The deal has been in prospect for some time, an option having been taken two months ago.

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Andrew Kay, professional of the Lambton Club, has received an invitation to take part in a tournament given at St. Louis on August 14. William Mehlhorn is professional of the club, which is giving \$6,000 in prize money for the tournament. The invitations will be confined to twenty-four professionals of the United States and Canada.

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A team of twelve ladies of the Oxford Golf and Country Club played the ladies of the Brantford Golf and Country Club in a friendly game at Brantford, June 10th, the local ladies winning by 10 to 2.

The Oakville Golf Club's pretty course just off the Toronto-Hamilton Highway has a particularly interesting list of fixtures this season. On Thursday evening, June 12th, the members of the Vice-President's team, which were losers in the annual match against the President's team, were hosts at a very jolly dinner.

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A despatch from Atlanta, Georgia, June 18th:

"Miss Mary Malone and Robert T. Jones, former American Open Golf Champion, were married here yesterday, the ceremony having been postponed while Jones tried unsuccessfully to retain his title in the recent tournament at Detroit.

"Bobby" Jones is a graduate of Georgia Tech. and Harvard, thrice Southern Golf Champion, and runner-up once and semifinalist three times in the National Amateur Championship."

Many Canadian friends of the U. S. ex-Open Champion will extend heartiest congratulations.

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The May medal handicap of the Toronto Golf Club was won by Mr. Kenneth Marlatt, whose gross score was 91 and handicap 20. The other prize-winning scores were: D. S. Casels, 90-15=75; D. C. Ross, 86-11=75; Everett Bristol, 94-18=76; P. C. Tidy, 87-11=75; J. H. Scandrett, 94-18=76.

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S. D. Westbury is the professional this year at the pretty Windermere Golf and Country Club, Lake Rosseau, Muskoka.

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Mr. F. G. Hoblitzell, the former star Sarnia golfer, now residing in Detroit, writes that he expects quite a number of the best golfers in that city will enter for the Canadian Amateur at Rosedale, starting June 30th.

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Mr. Stanley Thompson, golf architect, Toronto, was in Manitoba and Alberta this month looking over no less than three prospective golf courses.

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The official opening of the Alcrest Golf Club, Winnipeg, took place last month under ideal weather conditions. The course was in very fine shape for

so early in the season, the temporary greens, which are in use being surprisingly good. The event for the day was a four-ball match between teams representing President Walter Faulkner and Vice-President Lou Rumford. A



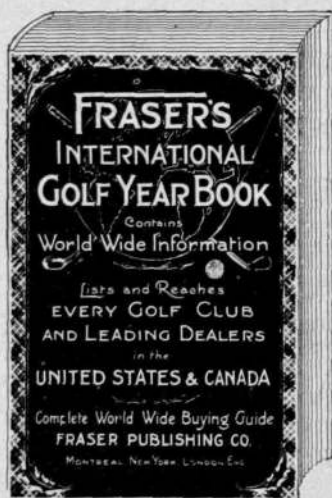
Mrs. "Bobby" Jones (nee Miss Mary Rice Malone), who this month was married to the great U. S. Amateur.

large number of members took part, and a most enjoyable afternoon's sport ended in honours being even. The interest shown in the affairs of the club augurs well for a most successful season for this popular club.

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In the Norwood (Winnipeg), Cup Competition that sterling golfer, Mr. F. F. Tribe had an excellent chance of setting up a new record for the course. After a very fine round of 35 for the first nine holes, however, he got away to a bad start on the second nine, and the best he could finish with was 78. Harold Parker and T. W. S. McVey

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also had good rounds of 81. The "B" Class cup went to C. J. Bodle, with a net 72, whilst there was a four-cornered tie in the "A" Class, between Messrs. J. E. Parker, F. Chisholm, P. N. G. Parry and I. Woolley, who turned in net scores of 72. Showing that he is in particularly fine form this season, on May 24th, notwithstanding disagreeable weather conditions, Mr. Tribe, who was runner-up in the Manitoba Amateur Championship last year, in the Medal Handicap Competition at Norwood had another very fine score card of 72, which is well worthy of reproduction:

Out .. 5,4,4, 5,3,4, 4,4,4=37

In 4,4,4, 4,3,4, 4,3,5=35=72

This easily won for him both the best gross and net.

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Mr. C. W. Rowley, superintendent of Branches for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has again this year donated a handsome trophy for competition amongst the staffs of the Winnipeg chartered Banks. This competition always produced the keenest interest amongst the Bankers of the Western Capital. The Committee in charge of the event is composed of: E. J. Townshend, Dominion Bank, Portage Avenue Branch; F. F. Tribe, Canadian Bank of Commerce; W. D. Tod, Bank of Montreal; A. J. Wilson, Union Bank of Canada.

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The Golf Club at Neepawa is the first of the small provincial clubs to join the Manitoba Golf Association. They have a membership of 82, and this season they built a commodious club house, made improvements on the course, and are doing their utmost to foster golf in the surrounding district. A. N. R. Still is the President, and A. C. Dunlop Secretary. Any Winnipeg golfers who happen to go to Neepawa are invited to play over the course.

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An exceptionally fine score of 77 was recently turned in by a 14-year-old boy, Vernon Althouse, at the Roy-aumont Golf Club, Winnipeg. Vernon should be heard from in the years to come in Western golfing circles.

Henry Robert Wenzler, known to the golfers of Dixie as Jack Wenzler, 21-year-old golf marvel from Memphis, Tenn., won the Southern Amateur Golf Championship at Louisville, Ky., June 14th, finishing 3 up and 2 to play over Nelson Giddens, also of Memphis, in the 36-hole finals. The Champion is a newcomer among major tournament players. He won impressively, marching straight on through various rounds and vanquishing in his swift rush to victory Perry Adair, winner of the southern title last year, and Frank Ryan, Metropolitan and New Jersey champion.

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H. Mulligan, for several years assistant professional at The Royal Ottawa Golf Club, is now professional at the Chaudiers Club, the Ottawa Club, which is registering such a great success this season.

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While playing over his home course, the Whitlock Golf Club, recently, Mr. Billy Darling equalled the course record, going out in 35 and returning in 38 for a 73—one over par. The only time that a 73 was attained previously was last summer, when Redvers Mackenzie, now pro at Marlborough, set the record. Mr. Darling's score, therefore, stands as the amateur record for the course. He was accompanied on his round by Miss Dora Virtue, of Whitlock, who made such a creditable record in the ladies' provincial tournament recently concluded at Kanawaki.

The Board of Governors of the Elmhurst Golf Club, Winnipeg, have approved, and caused to be started, a beautifying scheme drawn up by Col. J. N. Semmens. Quite a lot of work is involved, but visitors and members will agree, when the work is completed,

that Elmhurst, in addition to being probably the most sporting and popular course in Western Canada, will also rank amongst the most beautiful. The interior of the clubhouse is being freshened up and a new reception office built. Locker accommodation is also to be increased. The exterior decorations leave nothing to be desired. Immediately in front of the main verandah will be a 60 ft. circular putting green, surrounded by shrubs and flower beds. The carriage drives are being altered and improved and a four-avenue parking space provided. The first hole, which was formerly "blind," is being shortened to 300 yards, the tee being brought to the N. E. corner of the club house. The greens and fairways are in excellent trim, and the great number of

members and visitors that have played over the course during the past month speak very highly of the fare that Ground Superintendent Howie has provided for them.

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The opening event of the Southwood Golf Club, Winnipeg, was played last month, being as usual a match between teams representing the President and

The Pitch and Run

(By Jack White).

"THE pitch and run is an eminently safe stroke to play, more especially if the ground be at all in good running order, but the mashie niblick has replaced the light iron for the short approach and whether better scores are done in this fashion or no would be difficult to say. But at any rate for the ordinary golfer the excessive use of lofted clubs is to be avoided.

There are many chances that the ball will be hit either too high on the club face or half-topped along the ground, and in my opinion, the more simple pitch and run is the stroke best suited to the long handicap golfer.

The old Scottish way of playing the ball is to stand slightly more in advance of the ball with the hands in front of the club head. They are kept in this position as the blow is delivered, and, mark you, there is little need to strike the ball sharply. Rather strike it a smooth blow with the club-head following well through."

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Vice-President. The cold weather was responsible for some high scoring, but the match was an interesting one, resulting in a win for the President's side by the narrow margin of two points. W. E. Watson played the best golf of the day, with a gross score of 87, while R. A. Simpson won the prize for the best net score with a 74 card. In the afternoon a mixed foursome competition was played, the following being the best scores returned: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parkhill, 80; Mrs. W. B. Wilcox and W. E. Watson, 83; Mrs. E. J. Townshend and Premier Bracken, 87; Miss Saults and R. C. Robertson, 88; Mr. and Mrs. R. Morrow, 90; Mrs. Fisher and H. B. Wilcox, 91; Mr. and Mrs. C. Rice-Jones, 92; Mrs. Bracken and E. J. Townshend, 94.

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The first "Century" match of the season in Toronto was played June 3rd on the Mississauga course, Scarboro winning 25 to 21.

The St. Thomas Golf and Country Club, St. Thomas, have as professional this year C. Lindfield, a brother of Arthur Lindfield, Weston Golf Club, Toronto. He is giving particularly good service at St. Thomas.



A Most Unique Trophy

The trophy presented by "The Mail & Empire", Toronto, for the ladies' team championship of Toronto and District Golf Association is one of the most unique in the sporting world. It stands slightly over four and a half feet high. On a black base, fifteen inches high, there is a tripod composed of three hand-made clubs; a driver, a brassie, and a putter of regulation size; and between these is set a conical silver cup some eighteen inches deep. The cup is gold lined. Between the heads of the clubs, resting on the green baize top of the base, is a golf ball. Both in its design and construction the trophy is unique and beautiful, and reflects very great credit on the designers, Messrs. Ryrie Bros., Ltd., Toronto.

The Toronto "Mail" this year is giving a most beautiful and unique trophy for Team Competition amongst the lady golfers of the Toronto Club, which competition is exciting the keenest interest. The standing after the first four matches is as follows:

Toronto	15	10	16	16=57
Lambton	14	6	13	7=40
Rosedale	10	9	12	9=40
Scarboro	12	6	4	8=30
Mississauga	6	10	3	11=30
Weston	2	7	12	8=29
Humber Valley	1	4	9	12=26
Lakeview	8	12	0	5=25
Summit	8	9	7	0=24
Thornhill	4	7	4	4=19

It will be seen that the ladies of the Toronto Club are in a commanding position, having 57 points to their credit. Tied for second place are Rosedale and Lambton with 40 each.

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The Yarmouth Golf and Country Club, Yarmouth, N.S., following the example of many of the leading clubs in Canada, has sent out a special circular to its members calling attention to the need of the better observance this season of the Rules and Etiquette of the game. Good work.

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The Henley famous Blue Cross "Why Not" golf balls so popular this season in Canada, recently figured prominently on English courses, Harry Fernie using it in winning the Northumberland and Durham Open Championship when he put on a 74, 76, 71 and 72 for a wonderful total of 293, or 8 strokes better than the Runner-up, H. E. Pearse, of Wearside. Then on the Fylde Golf Club, Lancashire, P. Marsh, with a "Blue Cross," notched a record-breaking 67, made up as follows:

Out ... 4,2,5, 4,4,2, 4,4,5=34
In 5,3,4, 3,3,3, 3,3,6=33=67

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That Miss Glenna Collett, ex-Canadian and U. S. Lady Champion, is right on the top of her game this season, was demonstrated at Newton, Mass., this month, when for the third year in succession she won the Women's East-

ern Golf Championship over the stiff Braeburn Country Club course with the fine card of 163 for the 36 holes. She established a commanding lead the first day, when she negotiated the 18 holes in a superb 76, made up of a 39 going out and a 37 coming in, which established a new woman's record for



Miss Glenna Collett, ex-Canadian and U. S. Lady Champion, who for the third time in succession, wins the Women's Eastern Championship.

Braeburn—a score which, by the way, many good men players would envy. In second place was Mrs. Dorothy Campbell-Hurd, of Philadelphia, formerly of Hamilton, Ont., and three times Canadian Lady Champion. She was, however, with a card of 177, fourteen strokes back of Miss Glenna. Mrs. G. H. Stetson, champion of the Philadelphia District, was two shots from her townswoman, and Mrs. H. A. Jackson, of New York, finished in fourth position, their scores being 179 and 183, respectively.

A successful club has been started this season at Arnprior, Ont., with the following strong Board of Directors: President, J. S. Moir; Vice-President, R. A. Jeffrey; Sec'y Treas., Harold Short; Ch. Green Committee, W. W. Weed. Other Directors, D. A. Gillies, D. McLachlin, J. Brennan, Dr. Box, E. P. Keaney, Col. Johnston and Alec Reed. Here's wishing the Arnprior Golf Club an unbounded success now and in the years to come.

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In a very interesting match at Oakville, the home club defeated Georgetown 28 matches to 11.

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The Menu and Toast Card got out by the Directors of Scarboro, Toronto, for its "Executive Day Dinner" was one of the cleverest and most unique that the "Canadian Golfer" has ever received. Among the amusing "Rules" at this "18-Hole Dinner Handicap" were: "Only Spoon Shots may be made on the Third Hole," "All lost peas on the Ninth Hole must be returned to Steward; Members are not permitted to buy same from waiters"; "Replace all divots (and silverware)." Among the dishes were: "Olives—some stones on the fairway," "Celery—out of the rough," "Potatoes D'Auphine—not in the Century class," Ice cream—Caddies' Delight," "Demi-Tasse—Sleep's handicap."

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By defeating a team from the Hamilton Golf Club June 11th by 19 to 10, the Lambton Club won the annual home and home series by the small margin of one point, having lost the game at Hamilton on May 14 by 18 to

10. Each club was represented in the return match by thirty-one players and two of the matches were halved, while the majority of the others were close. The Lambton club secured a strong lead with their leading players, losing only two of the first thirteen matches and halving two others. Mr. Seymour Lyon, in defeating Mr. John

Lewis, had the splendid medal score of 73. One of the features of the match was the long driving of Mr. Hugh Reid, the well known International cricketer. He had one drive of 260 yards going to the 17th hole.

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Golfing friends of Mr. G. Innes Mackenzie (Hon. Secretary of The Manitoba Golf Association, and a brother of Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto, ex-Amateur Canadian and Ontario Champion), and Mrs. Mackenzie, of Winnipeg, will sincerely sympathize with them in the death of a young son, whom they had nursed for some considerable time, so carefully and hope-

fully.

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In the annual match, President vs. Vice-President, at Elmhurst, Winnipeg, the President's (Mr. C. E. Harvey), defeated the Vice-President's (Mr. W. M. Gordon), rather decisively.

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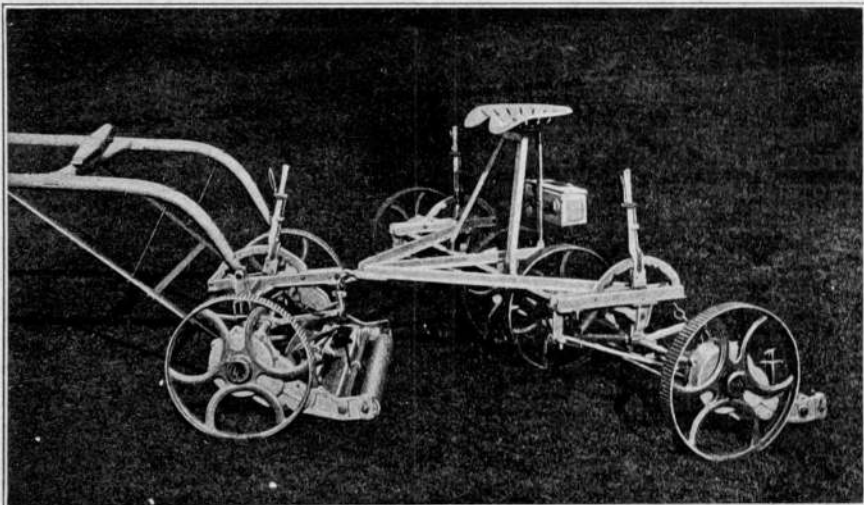
One of the handsomest golf catalogues that has come into the "Canadian Golfer" office for many a day is the 1924 production of The Burke Golf Company, of Newark, Ohio, of which Mr. Charles L. Millar, the Mappin Building, Montreal, is the Canadian representative. It is a superbly illustrated catalogue containing cuts of all

Cultivate Good Habits

(Grantland Rice)

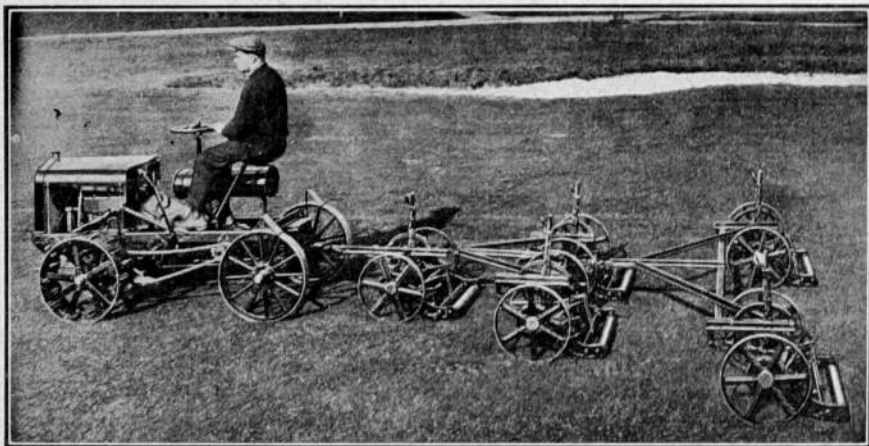
HABIT, especially the hurtful ones, is a faster starter than a greyhound. Before one knows it the habit is deeply imbedded in the system, where dislodgment is none too easy and simple a matter. The habit of head lifting can grow on one with stunning rapidity. The main idea is to catch it quickly and to suppress it before the germ has spread through the veins. Good golfers are good golfers largely because they have correct habits of swinging developed. They get the right swing into a groove through habit and keep it there through habit, not through any new planning or thinking at the start of each stroke.

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There are a number of very good golfers indeed with the Hydro Electric Power Commission in Toronto and the

number is continually growing. This year Mr. John Littlejohn, Secretary of the Commission, decided to present a very handsome sterling silver cup for competition among the golfing "Hydro-Lights" and this will be keenly com-



The Beautiful Sterling Silver Cup presented by Mr. John Littlejohn, for competition among employees of the Hydro Electric Power Commission, Toronto.

peted for during the season. Mr. Littlejohn writes:

"While the Commission has no course of its own to play on, our games will have to be played on the courses where the members belong, and we expect to have a very good competition. The result of this competition may mean there will be a club formed in the Hydro Electric Power Commission. At the present time the competition is only open to the Toronto staff, but if it succeeds, as I expect it will, it will spread throughout the province."

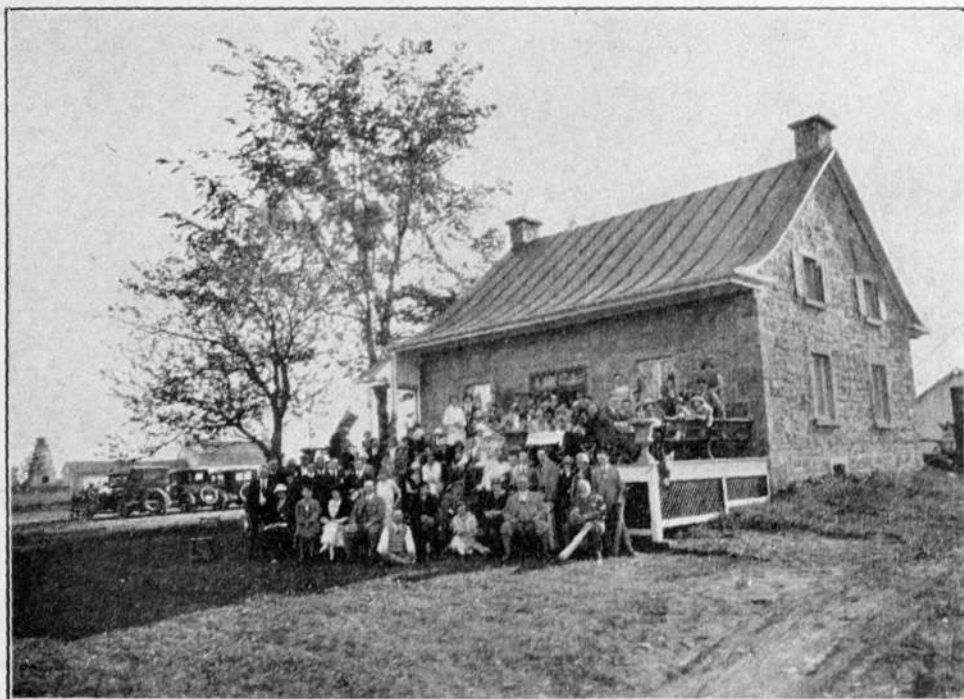
WANTED—Golf Professional for season 1924. Must have good references. Write, stating experience and wages wanted to Secretary, Golf Club, Campbellton, New Brunswick.

GOLF CLUB FOR ST. JOHNS, P.Q.

Club Inaugurated on June 8th, 1924, in Thriving Industrial and Military Town—Success Assured

ANOTHER Canadian golf club has seen the light of day. It is at St. Johns in the Province of Quebec. For some years the French Canadian of the smaller towns has interested himself in the Scottish game

The picture shown herewith was taken on date of inauguration and shows the quaint club house which has been made from the farm house. It is over sixty years old and of solid stone. The interior has been re-decorated and



The Quaint Club House of the St. John's Golf Club, Que., taken on date of inauguration, June 8th, 1924.

as a looker-on, but now has decided to get into the game in earnest. A most ideal property of 80 acres has been purchased at one mile from the town. Albert Murray, professional of the Montreal Country Club, has laid out the course which consists of nine holes. At a later date, it is the intention of the promoters to make an 18-hole course. Excellent natural hazards are provided by the winding-in through part of the property of Montgomery Creek. Four of the holes have natural water hazards, while two of the greens are surrounded by water on three sides. Numerous bunkers and traps will be built on the fairways.

improved and will answer the purposes of the club for the time being.

The distance from Victoria Bridge, Montreal, by the new improved highway via Laprairie, is 22 miles. This improved highway will also connect St. Johns with the State of New York at Rouse's Point, while the St. Johns, St. Albans (Vermont) highway is also being improved at the present time. These roads will render communications with Montreal and the New England States very easy. There are several points of interest around St. Johns from a historical viewpoint. For instance, Montgomery Creek above-mentioned was named after General

Montgomery, who made his headquarters on the very property now owned by the Golf Club for the siege of St. Johns while on his way to capture Quebec in 1775. The old trenches can still be seen on the farm adjoining the golf property. Fort Lennox is situated on an island called Ile-aux-Noix, 11 miles south. It stands practically on the International Boundary and is one of the most historical forts in America. It was built by Bourlamarque in 1759 and restored by the English in 1776. It has cost many millions. Twelve miles north of St. Johns is the old fort Chambly, which

goes back to the early days of the French Colony, having been built in 1665. The Royal Canadian Dragoons are stationed in St. Johns, being part of the permanent force of Canada.

The officers of the club are: President, Fred Laberge; Vice-President, George Savoy; Secretary and Treasurer, Lionel Robichaud; Directors, Henri d'Orsennens; Clifford Trotter; Charles Mailhot; Stanislas Poulin; (Doc) Lavasseur; Louis Regnier. His Worship Mayor Pierre Trahan is the Honorary President. The present membership is about 100.

GOLF FIXTURES FOR 1924

June 23—Open Championship of Ontario, Toronto Golf Club.

June 23, 24—British Open Championship Qualifying Rounds, Hoylake and Formby.

June 23-28 — Amateur Championship, Pacific Northwest Golf Association, Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, B.C.

June 24, etc.—Ladies' Invitation Tournament, Buffalo Country Club.

June 23-28—United States Public Links Championship, Community Club, Dayton, Ohio.

June 25—Long Driving Championship, Hoylake.

June 26-27—British Open Championship, Hoylake.

June 30 to July 5.—Canadian Amateur Championship, Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto.

July 1-2—Open Championship of France, La Boulie.

July 3, etc.—Open Amateur Championship of France, La Boulie.

July 7, etc.—Ladies' Open Championship of France, Le Touquet.

July 9—Ottawa City and District Championships, Rivermead, Ottawa.

July 14-15—Open Tournament for Shawnee Shield, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

July 21—Scottish Amateur Championship, Royal Aberdeen.

July 28-August 1—Maritime Provincial Championships, Yarmouth Golf and Country Club, Yarmouth, N. S.

July 31-August 1-2—Invitation Tournament, Buckwood Trophy, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

Aug. 1-2.—Canadian Open Championship, Mount Bruno Country Club, Montreal.

August 12-15—Western Junior Tournament, Briergate Golf Club, Chicago.

Aug. 11 to 16.—Western Canada Amateur and Open Championships, Riverside Country Club, Saskatoon, Sask.

Aug. 20-23—Manitoba Amateur Championship, St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg.

August 27-28—Manitoba Open Championship, Winnipeg Golf Club.

August 26-29—Second Annual Tournament, The Seniors' Northwest Golf Association, Colwood Golf and Country Club, Victoria, B.C.

September 1—British Boys' Championship, Coombe Hill.

September 1-5—United States Ladies' Championship, Rhode Island Country Club, Providence, Rhode Island.

September 2—Ireland v. Wales, Dollymount.

Sept. 3, 4, 5—Canadian Seniors' Tournament, Toronto Golf Club.

September 4-6—U. S. Western Open Championship, Calumet Country Club, Chicago.

September 6—Manitoba Junior Championship, Assiniboine Golf Club.

September 8—Irish Open Amateur Championship, Royal Dublin, Dollymount.

September 9-12—U. S. Seniors' Tournament, Apawamis, Rye, N.Y.

Sept. 12-13—Walker International Matches, Garden City Golf Club, Long Island.

September 14-20—American Professionals, French Lick Springs, Indiana.

September 15, etc.—Canadian Ladies' Open Championship, Hamilton Golf and Country Club.

September 16-17—British Girls' Championship, Stoke Poges.

September 20-27—United States Amateur Championship, Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia.

September 22, etc.—Canadian Ladies' Close Championship, Mississauga Golf and Country Club, Toronto.

September 24-27—Welsh Open Amateur Championship.

September 25-26—Canadian Women's Senior Championship, Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto.

October 6—English Ladies' Close Championship, Cooden Beach.

October 16-17-18—Fall Invitation Tournament, Shawnee Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.