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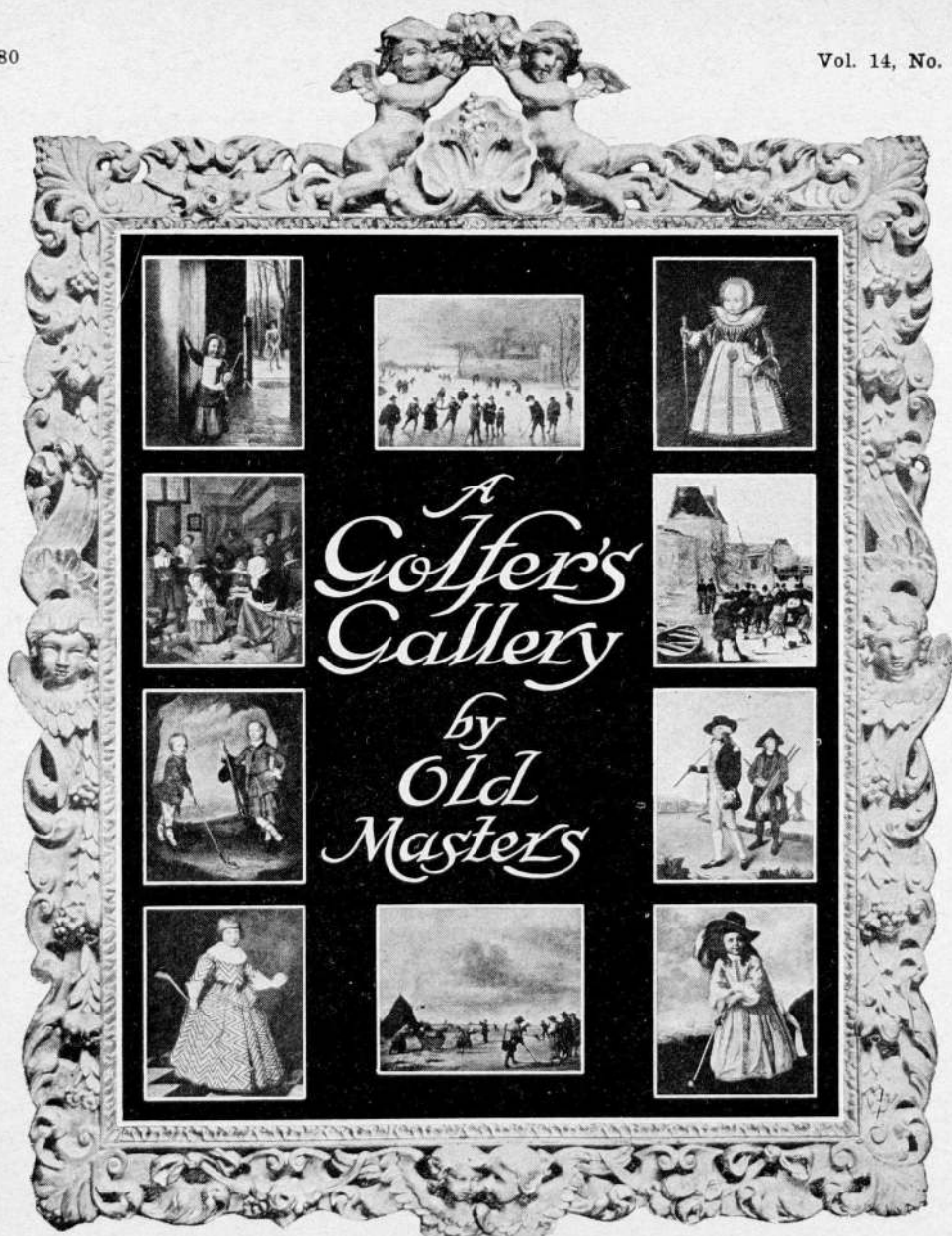
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High Standing of Canadian Golf is Now Recognized. It is a fine thing for amateur golf in Canada, and a fine tribute to amateur golf in this country, that next year for the first time the famous Lesley Club matches will be played here. The leading amateurs of New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, are always chosen to take part in this competition which ranks as one of the big events in American golfdom. It is no secret that the decision to stage the competition in this country, next season, is largely owing to the fine showing made in the recent matches by Ross Somerville, Canadian Amateur Champion, who was an inspiration, especially in the singles, and the team which he captained so well and which as a result, made such a creditable showing. The high standing of Canadian amateur golf, now so much in evidence, has for the first time been recognized by an outstanding association of leading U.S. golfers.

The Lesson of the Walker Cup Matches. In the press and in the golf clubs throughout the Old Country they are still busily and sadly discussing the Walker Cup team debacle. Your Britisher is not disposed to silver-coat a bitter pill, whether along sporting or other lines and it is freely admitted that the Walker Cup matches were not a defeat but annihilation and in the lurid language of one writer, a "complete butchery". The reason generally given by the British experts, and rightly so, too, for the U. S. supremacy to-day in the amateur realms of golf is the superiority of Bobby Jones and their players generally, with the irons. In recent years, in England and

Scotland, the long driving fetish has held sway to the great detriment of the short game. It is now generally admitted that this is all wrong and that it will be necessary to get back to first principles and award to iron play its proper place and proper quota of marks. For instance. Instead of say, giving ten marks for a 275-yard drive, let that sum be given to a 175-yard iron shot placed within two or three yards of the pin.

"The iron" certainly has entered into the Britisher's golfing soul. Incidentally, this Walker Cup lesson might very well be taken to heart by Canadian golfers. On our courses, too, long driving has of recent years been featured and glorified altogether beyond its value. There used to be a trite saying that "the game of golf, commences one hundred yards from the green," and that is as true to-day as it was half a century and more ago. Young players especially, should break away from the fatal idea, that a smashing long tee-shot or a "whale of a brassie" through the green are the Ultima Thule of the game. They're not.

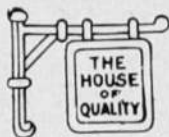
Public Golf Courses, a Great Factor in the Game. A list of the municipal and public golf courses in the United States with statistical information, published by the Public Links Section of the United States Golf Association, makes most instructive reading. It is not pretended that the record of such courses is complete, but notwithstanding, there are 230 listed with a large number of new ones under construction. This is certainly a remarkable showing considering it is, comparatively speaking, only a few years ago that the first municipal course was launched, with some fear and trembling, in the U. S. By States these public links are in operation as follows: One each, Delaware, Maryland, Mississippi, North Dakota, Utah, West Virginia. Two each, Alabama, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Virginia, Washington. Three each, District of Columbia, Louisiana, Massachusetts, New Jersey, North Carolina, Oregon, Connecticut. Four each, Nebraska, Colorado, South Dakota. Five each, Georgia and Tennessee. Six, Missouri. Eight each, Iowa and Kansas. Nine, Minnesota. Eleven each, Pennsylvania, Florida and Texas. Twelve each, California, Ohio and Wisconsin. Thirteen, Indiana. Sixteen, New York State. Eighteen, Michigan. Twenty-six, Illinois.

It is rather remarkable that Illinois should boast the greatest number of public links, namely, 26, compared with New York, 16. Generally speaking, the daily fee charged on these public courses is \$1.00 and in every case they are reported "self maintaining." In a few cities, however, the very modest fee of ten cents per round is all the players have to pay.

Some of these links are kept up in a manner not excelled by the most prominent clubs. For instance. The cost of operating the Warren G. Harding Memorial Course in Los Angeles last year was \$58,000. But as 117,705 rounds of golf were played this liberal expenditure was more than met by the receipts. Literally millions of rounds of golf are now played every year on the public links of the United States.

In Canada there are now nearly a score of municipal courses listed as follows by Provinces: British Columbia, 2; Alberta, 4; Manitoba, 2; Nova Scotia, 1; Ontario, 8; Quebec, 1; Saskatchewan, 1. This is not counting community and pay-as-you-play courses which are rapidly every year becoming more popular. Next season Windsor, Kitchener and other progressive cities are seriously thinking of launching municipal links. In Canada, as in the States, such enterprises have always proved to be self-supporting and never a tax on the taxpayers.

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George Ayton, golf professional at the famous Biltmore Forest Country Club, Biltmore, N.C., in renewing his subscription for 1929:—

“The ‘Canadian Golfer’, I must say, is the best magazine that comes into my shop.”

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Mr. Isaac H. Weldon, prominent figure in the pulp and paper industry of Canada, president of Provincial Paper, Ltd., and a director of other similar concerns; financier, farmer and philanthropist, who had been suffering from heart trouble, died at his residence, 2 Cluny Drive, Toronto, Oct. 18th, greatly mourned and regretted. He was a member of the Summit and Lakeview Golf Clubs, Toronto.

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Many golfing friends in Toronto and elsewhere will sincerely sympathize with Dr. Adam A. Beatty, a director of the Rosedale Golf Club, in the sudden passing of his wife, who was greatly beloved in Rosedale and other centres in Toronto. As a slight tribute to her memory the annual match between teams chosen by the President and Vice-President and the annual dinner at Rosedale were postponed for a week.

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Mr. George S. Lyon, Toronto, eight times Canadian Amateur and nine times Canadian Senior Champion, renewing his subscription for 1929: “Congratulations on the continued excellence of the ‘Canadian Golfer’”. There isn’t anywhere another golfing publication to compare with it.” Praise from Mr. Lyon is praise indeed and perhaps hardly necessary to state is deeply appreciated by the Editor.

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Mr. Norman M. Scott, the well known Montreal golfer and an executive of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, has joined the new brokerage firm of W. C. Pitfield and Company with head office in the Royal Bank Building, Montreal. The “Canadian Golfer” and golfing friends throughout Canada will join in wishing Mr. Scott and the new firm an unbounded success—and it is bound to be that.

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The opening of a new golf course at Hendon, England, was interrupted by an aeroplane crash, in which two young women were badly injured. Miss Sicele O’Brien, daughter of Sir Timothy O’Brien, a noted flier, and the first woman in England to operate an air taxi, was the more seriously hurt. Her passenger and companion, Mildred Katharine Leith, half-sister of Lord Burgh, also suffered severely. An exhibition match between two amateurs and two professionals had gone eight holes, when a Moth plane flying low over the

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course suddenly developed trouble. The engine stopped and the little craft came spinning down and was wrecked on the sixth tee. The players, aided by spectators, dragged the young women, both conscious, from the ruins. The injured girls were sent to a hospital, after which the golf match was resumed. The professionals' nerves were apparently less affected by the interruption than were those of the amateurs, and they won.

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Mr. J. Ross Stewart, Secretary of the well known Aetna Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn., writes:

"It is a pleasure to renew my subscription to the Canadian Golfer, which magazine I read regularly from cover to cover.

"This summer I had the opportunity to visit Bigwin Inn and the pleasure of playing the course many times. What struck me most was the remarkable foresight of Mr. Charles Shaw who could visualize a golf course in the solid hardwood bush. To be playing down the long sixth just about the time that the morning boat passes is a sight to be remembered."

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The financial editor of the Toronto Globe correctly says:

"Several members of young golf clubs betray a certain lack of understanding of their position by complaining to The Globe (the "Canadian Golfer" has also received complaints) that assessments have been made upon them while their shares were fully paid. They are right in supposing that there cannot be a levy on the strength of a stock which is fully paid. The levy is upon them as members of the club, not as stockholders. The increase in pay-as-you-play clubs has made it rather difficult for the younger and inadequately financed clubs to get enough new members to allow them to keep pace with the need for maintenance and improvement and so recourse to assessments has been had. If a member does not want to pay his assessment there is only one recourse, and that is to resign as a member. If he remains a member he has to accept the responsibilities of

membership as described in the by-laws and regulations of a club. After resigning, his holding of the stock (non-assessable) would not make him open to any other call as he would have fulfilled all his obligations by paying it up in full."

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The Toronto "Star" tritely remarks:—

"Yet always the young player is coming and the old one is going. If you ask a golfer of thirty what sort of game he is playing his invariable answer is 'Punk' or the even less elegant 'rotten.' You know very well that he doesn't quite mean it, but he can afford to talk like that because he is confident of doing a great deal better than he has yet done. But if you ask a man over sixty what sort of game he is playing, he nearly always tell you that he is at the top of his game, probably never played better. Thus he jollies himself along. He does not want to admit that his game is slipping, for if it starts going he may never get it back. While a young player usually accepts all the handicap he can get, an old player is often touchy about it. If he begins losing his handicap rating he fears the skids are under him and he is on his way."

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Mr. Eustace Storey, a member of the British Walker Cup team, formerly captain of the Cambridge team, spent several weeks in the States after the Walker Cup matches in Chicago. He was invited over to Morris County to take part in the invitation tournament played there every fall. He was successful in winning the event and returns home not without some satisfaction. Jimmy Standish, of Detroit, was his opponent in the final at Morris County.

MISS KIRKHAM LEARNED GAME IN MONTREAL

JAS. M. Patton, professional of the Rosemount Golf Club, Montreal, writes interestingly:—

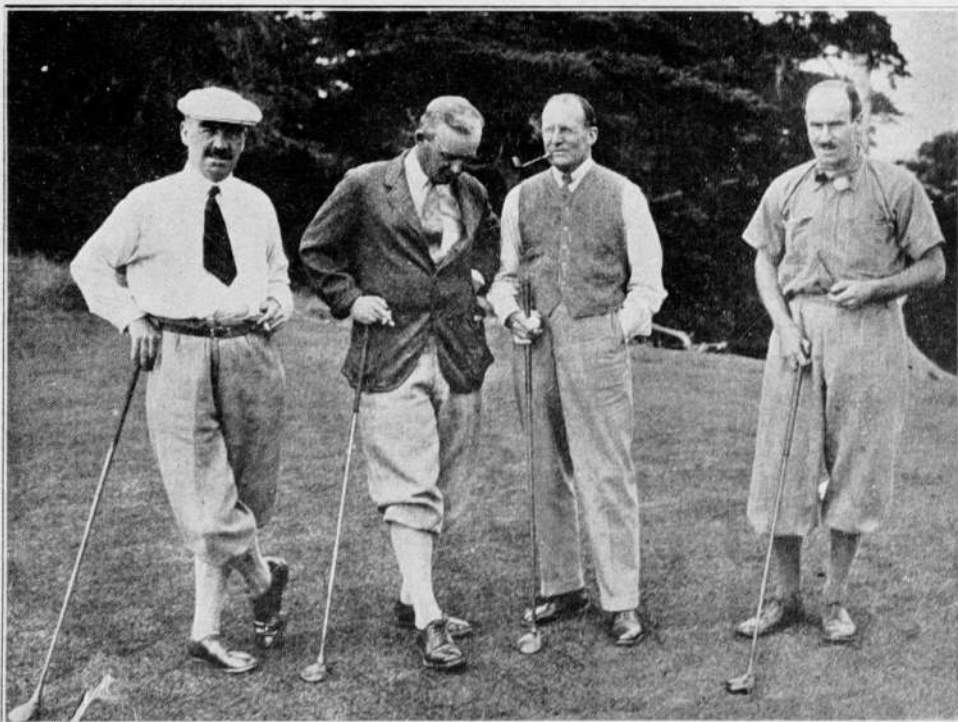
"You have an article in the October Canadian Golfer about Miss Marjorie Kirkham winning the Del Monte Ladies' Championship. I thought it would probably interest you to know that Miss Kirkham only went to the coast last year, previous to that residing in Montreal where she learnt all her golf.

"Miss Kirkham was a member of Rosemount Golf Club last year and was my pupil. She made quite a name for herself in and around Montreal in C.L.G.U. competitions, being her first year in tournaments. Besides numerous prizes she got the prize for greatest reduction in handicap in the Montreal district."

GAME OF GOLF STILL FAR FROM THE PEAK LOAD

THE saturation point does not seem yet to have been reached by any means in golf judging from the number of new courses which will be put into commission next season not to mention expansion and liberal expenditure on many of the older courses. Such a success has been achieved by the St. Andrews Club in Toronto that another pay-as-you-play course will be opened there next year. Then Toronto, too, will see the fine new York Downs course, financed more or less by the C. P. R. in connection with their new hotel, opened in 1929 bringing the total number of courses there up to the impressive figure of twenty-five. Galt next season will have two golf links. Brantford, which next year celebrates the 50th anniversary of the playing of golf in that city, has recently launched a third club. Kitchener is projecting an ambitious new 18-hole course in addition to the present 9-hole one which will probably be taken over by the city along municipal lines. At Ancaster, the Hamilton Club has just voted to erect a new \$135,000 club house. The Essex County Golf and Country Club, Windsor, will next season occupy its new \$1,000,000 club house and course. And so the impressive story goes throughout Ontario. And what is true of Ontario, is also more or less true of all the other Provinces.

Golf is still going forward by leaps and bounds in every portion of the Dominion. Every season there are substantial additions to the number of courses and club houses and every year thousands of new members are enrolled. The pessimist who predicted that the game was on the ebb, has another guess coming to him. The Royal and Ancient is not due for a slump. It is still far from its peak load.



At Cypress Point, California. Here is a noted quartette, photographed last month at the new Cypress Point Golf Course on the Monterey Peninsula, California, generally acknowledged one of the most sporting courses in the world. Left to right, Dr. Alister Mackenzie, of Leeds, England, internationally known golf architect, who played on the British Seniors' Golf Team in Canada this summer, and Mr. Robert Hunter, of Pebble Beach, co-designers of the course. Mr. G. C. Cassels, London (England), manager of the Bank of Montreal, particularly well known in Canada, and Mr. J. H. Bickerton, also of London, England.

ERIE DOWNS ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1929

MR. FRANK T. Pattison was elected president of the Erie Downs Golf and Country Club, Bridgeburg, Ontario, for the fourth consecutive season at the annual fall meeting and election of officers. During the Pattison regime this popular club, which boasts many Buffalo members from across the river, has flourished prosperously, and the directors made no mistake when they honoured the genial Bridgeburg Collector of Customs with the office for another term.

Other officers elected for the 1929 season were Herb Van Valkenburgh, vice-president; Charley Oremus, secretary, who also was chosen for the fourth consecutive year; Torben F. Groot, treasurer; Edgar Danahy and H. F. Van Valkenburgh, advisory committee on greens, and C. R. Oremus, managing

director. Frank X. Ernst was elected director to fill the unexpired term of Daniel McKinnon, who has moved to New York.

The office of managing director is a new one created this year. It invests Mr. Oremus with the power of complete supervision over the clubhouse, grounds and greens. He is already outlining plans for numerous improvements at the Downs for next season. Additional traps and bunkers will be built on Nos. 4, 5, 6, 13, 16 and 17 holes, while the fairways will be thoroughly top dressed and fertilized. Pipes are also being installed for fresh water from the river which will be a wonderful advantage to the course.

The directors authorized Mr. Oremus to spare no expense in putting the course in the best possible playing conditions, and the same applies to the clubhouse and grounds. The locker room will be enlarged, new lockers, showers and plumbing will be installed, while three new shelter houses will be placed about the course. A starting house also will be erected at No. 1 tee to take care of the Saturday, Sunday and holiday rush.

The membership has been filled, a long waiting list created, and all indications point toward a most successful season for 1929.

DUNCAN ROBBED OF MEDALS AND TROPHIES

THIEVES who entered the home of the celebrated Scottish professional, George Duncan, at the Wentworth Golf Club, Virginia Water, Surrey, England, stole many medals and trophies, collected in Great Britain, Canada and the States, including the British Open Championship medal which he won at Deal in 1920 and which was his most prized possession. Duncan on this occasion was 13 strokes back of Abe Mitchell at the end of the first 36 holes of the Championship, who seemed to have the coveted title securely tucked away. Duncan, however, came back with sensational rounds of 71 and 72 to lead the big field and win his first and only British Open event.

ACTIVITIES OF THE C. L. G. U.

Interestingly Described in the Annual Report of Mrs. Rowe, Honourary Secretary-Treasurer

THE following is the very interesting report presented by Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto, Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, at the recent annual meeting of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union:

Madam President and Members of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union:

When accepting the position of Secretary-Treasurer of the C. L. G. U. December last, upon the resignation of Miss Inez Allan, I did so with some degree of apprehension. The duties of the position were comparatively unknown to me and various matters arose which were difficult to overcome. If, therefore, I have failed to meet the expectations of any of our members, I must, under the circumstances ask your indulgence. I have steadily kept the objects of the C. L. G. U. in view, both National and Provincial and have done what I considered best in the interests of all concerned.

It has been my privilege to keep in close touch with the President and members of the Executive Committee, whose cordial cooperation I have had at all times, which has been most helpful.

In January, the President, Mrs. Murray, and I had the honour of attending an important conference in New York at the invitation of Mrs. E. H. Baker, Jr., President of the Women's Eastern Golf Association of the United States, when representatives were present from nearly every Woman's Golfing Association in the States—to discuss the holding of an International Cup team match between Great Britain, France, United States and Canada, somewhat on the order of the Walker Cup team matches for the men, which it is to be hoped will be made possible in the future, when finances warrant. A most interesting report on the subject was submitted to the meeting by Miss Fanny C. Osgoode, President of the Women's Golf Association of Boston.

On January 18th the semi-annual meeting, with the President in the chair, was held at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, preceded by a luncheon at which a most representative gathering of over two hundred golfers, members of the Union, were present, Quebec sending a large delegation which added much to the interest of the occasion. A delightful feature of the luncheon being the presentations made by Mrs. Leonard Murray on behalf of their numerous friends in the C. L. G. U., of a fitted travelling case to Miss Inez Allan, the retiring Secretary, and of a diamond monogrammed brooch to Mrs. Alex. R. Rodger, who resigned from the Executive Committee but was afterwards made an Honourary Member. You have already been advised of the business transacted at this semi-annual meeting.

Perhaps the most important feature of this year was the trip taken in April by a delegation consisting of Mrs. Murray, Miss Helen Paget, of Ottawa, Miss Evelyn Mills, until recently of Toronto, and myself to Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, during which the Alberta Provincial Branch of the C. L. G. U. was formed at a largely attended meeting of enthusiastic golfers held in Calgary. Mrs. J. P. Henley, of Edmonton, was elected President, Mrs. Leslie Bell, of Calgary, was elected Vice-President, and the other Provincial officers were appointed. While in Calgary we were most delightfully entertained.

We also had the honour of attending the semi-annual meeting and luncheon of the Manitoba Branch in Winnipeg and were the guests at a most successful dinner given by the President and officers of the Saskatchewan Branch in Regina, and at a most enjoyable luncheon at the Moose Jaw Golf Club given by the President of the Moose Jaw Club and members for us. Miss Paget and Miss Mills played numerous exhibition games and we attended many meetings. The cordial reception by the western golfers will long be remembered by our own delegation. Our thanks are due the C. L. G. U. and the C. P. R. to whom we are so largely indebted for this delightful trip and we must express our grateful appreciation of the extreme kindness and generous hospitality shown us at all places visited. The organization of our Provincial Branches cannot fail to create greater interest in, and a fuller development of the game amongst our ever-increasing number of players and we returned home convinced that substantial progress had been made by the C. L. G. U. in these three Western Provinces visited.

Since then I have pleasure in adding that four new clubs in Alberta have become affiliated with us, namely, Mayfair Golf and Country Club, of Edmonton, Bowness Golf Club, of Calgary, Jasper Park and Lethbridge Golf Club. We have also much pleasure in announcing that two clubs in British Columbia have also become affli-



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ated—Vernon Golf Club, Kelowna Golf Club and an application has recently been received from the Maple Ridge Golf Club, of Hammond, B.C. We are also pleased to report that Victoria Golf Club has rejoined the C. L. G. U., making in all four additional clubs from British Columbia.

The Saskatchewan Branch has added one new club, Elmwood Golf Club, Swift Current. For Ontario, Oxford Country Club of Woodstock has rejoined, and three new clubs, Dunnville Golf and Country Club, Fort William Country Club and St. Clair of Tecumseh. The Maritimes, Bridgewater Golf Club, Nova Scotia. From Quebec we have pleasure in announcing two new clubs, the Manoir Richelieu Golf Club and St. Patrick's Golf Club and an application from

the Kent Golf Club, Quebec, making in all a total of 171, besides the two applications, fourteen clubs have joined during the current year.

There have been five Executive meetings held during the year, when much business was transacted.

The C. L. G. U. throughout the Dominion is steadily increasing in importance and popularity, extending from the Atlantic to Pacific, so that we may fairly claim that our frequently expressed aspirations have been achieved and that the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union is to-day a truly National Organization.

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Rowe,
Secretary-Treasurer.

CANADA WILL PROBABLY HAVE 700 GOLF COURSES IN PLAY NEXT YEAR

THE golf season throughout Canada, with the exception of the Province of British Columbia, where golf is played more or less the year round, virtually came to an end October 31st. Generally speaking, all the professionals have been "signed off" and only a few hard-worked secretaries and greenkeepers are left in possession of the links, although some enthusiasts will, as usual, be found indulging in a round or so as long as the courses are not snow-bound. The season just closed was unquestionably the most successful in the history of the game in the Dominion. There are now slightly over six hundred clubs in Canada with a membership well over the 100,000 mark—probably 150,000 would be nearer the estimate. Next year will see dozens of additional courses opened up and it would not be at all surprising if by the end of 1929 there will not be nearly seven hundred courses in play.

THE LIABILITY OF GOLFERS

THE following compiled by "Commerce and Finance" makes interesting reading. It would seem that golfers are well advised to take out golfers' liability policies:

Lake Placid, N.Y. Miss Rosa Ponselle, dramatic soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, was unconscious for ten minutes, and barely missed losing the sight of her right eye on account of being struck by a golf ball while playing on the Stevens House golf course here this afternoon.

New York City. It cost Harold Frankenstein, Manhattan leather merchant, \$2,132 yesterday, because he failed to shout "Fore!" loud enough while playing the fourteenth hole on the Broadmoor Country Club golf course. The ball that he drove struck Joseph Cestone, Jr., in the left eye. To settle the suit brought by the injured boy, Mr. Frankenstein paid \$1,600 in damages and \$532 for medical expenses.

Sacramento, Calif. A long drive that was made on the golf links at William Land Park may cost W. L. Rose \$20,210. A. L. Brown has sued Rose for this amount, alleging that Rose's ball hit him in the eye, causing a fractured nasal bone, suffusion of both eyes with blood, permanent impairment of eyesight and severe shock.

San Francisco, Calif. When motoring past the golf links at Lincoln Park yesterday afternoon, a golf ball driven by W. W. White crashed through the windshield of Mrs. Sadie Abrahamowicz's automobile, hitting her in the face and showering her with glass. She was taken to the Emergency Hospital for treatment.

White Plains, N.Y. Rocco Salerno has been appointed guardian ad litem for his son, Edward, so that a \$20,000 suit may be begun against the Oak Ridge Golf Club, where it is alleged that the boy, who was a caddie, broke his arm when he followed his employer's instructions to climb a fence and recover a ball.

WITH THE PROFESSIONALS

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

GEORGE AYTON, one of the famous brothers of Scottish golfing fame, formerly of the Kanawaki Golf Club, Montreal, now of the Biltmore Forest Country Club, Biltmore, N.C., together with his wife and family are spending two or three months in Scotland. The Biltmore Club, of which George is now the professional, boasts one of the most beautiful courses in the South and has a very large and representative membership. The club is well known by many prominent Canadians who visit the Carolinas. Ayton will make his headquarters at St. Andrews.

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Ernest Penfold, for many years professional at the Winnipeg Golf Club, now holding a very fine position with the Minneapolis Golf Club, St. Louis Park, Minn., is spending the winter months at his old home in Leatherhead, Surrey, England.

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Ned McKenna, one of the best professionals in Ontario, has been re-engaged for the season of 1929 by the Erie Downs Golf Club, Bridgeburg, Ontario. The course at the Downs is being whipped into great shape and Mr. Stevens, the greenkeeper, predicts that in 1930 it will be able to worthily stage the Canadian Open or any other major championship.

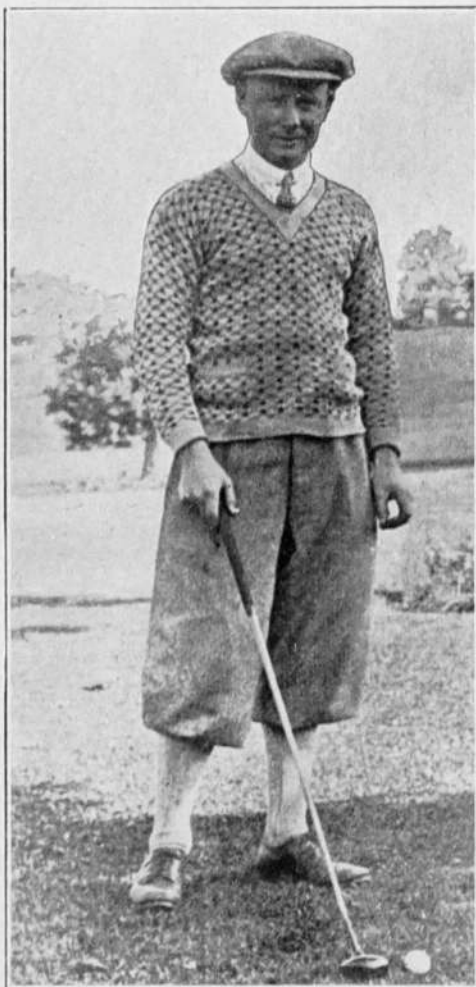
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Johnstone and Kay Make it "Four in a Row"

Since coming to Canada some six years ago, Jimmy Johnstone and Andy Kay, one a Scot and the other an Englishman, have been looked upon as possibly the two best professional players in Eastern Canada and as a result of the four challenge matches recently decided for an aggregate of \$2,000 or \$1,000 a piece, they undoubtedly have demonstrated that they are.

To take into camp on four successive occasions and on many diversified and testing courses, such out-

standing professionals as Bob Cunningham, of Mississauga, Willie Lamb (twice), Toronto Golf Club and Canadian Professional Champion, C. R.



"Jimmie" Johnstone, Rosedale Golf Club, who figured so prominently in Challenge Matches last month.

Murray, Royal Montreal, Canadian Open Champion 1906 and 1911, Ernie Wakelam, Brockville, Frank Locke, St. Andrews, Toronto, and Davie Spittall, Uplands, Toronto (twice), is no mean feat and stamps Johnstone and Kay as having class—plus.

The former, who was Canadian Professional Golf Champion in 1926 and

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1927, learned his game in Scotland, but after the war went out to South Africa, where he was runner-up in the Orange Free State Open and finalist in the Professional Championship of South Africa. Coming to Canada, he was for a brief time at Galt, Ontario, from there going to Rosedale, Toronto. Kay, who was born at Seaton Carew, England, won the Ontario Open in 1923 and was runner-up to Hurlburt this year. He was the first Canadian player to finish in the Canadian Open in 1924, 1925 and 1927, tying with Walter Hagen for third place in 1925. He has to his credit the course records at Lambton, Rosedale and Ancaster.

A great team are "Jimmy" and "Andy". Next season they are bound to be challenged again and again by budding aspirants for their match-play crown. It would certainly be interesting if a pair of westerners should throw down the defie to them. The West and British Columbia have some top-notch pros. Make no mistake about that. These challenge games at match play which are an innovation in Canada, are unquestionably "good for the game" from a professional standpoint especially so, and should be endorsed and encouraged by club officials and executives.

And this is how the Rosedale and Lambton aces over the 72-hole route picked up \$1,000 apiece:—

Defeated W. Lamb, Toronto Golf Club, and Bob Cunningham, Mississauga, Toronto, 1 up.

Defeated C. R. Murray, Royal Montreal, and Ernie Wakelam, Brockville, 11 and 10.

Defeated Davie Spittal, Uplands, Toronto, and Frank Locke, St. Andrews, Toronto, 8 and 7.

Defeated Davie Spittal, Uplands, and Willie Lamb, Toronto Golf Club, 4 and 3.

The winners played consistently good golf throughout the four matches, having several rounds in par or better to their credit.

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During the last meeting of the season of the South Wales Professional Golfers' Alliance, Bert Hodson, the ex-Welsh champion, went round the Tredegar Park course, Newport, in the remarkable score of 65. He went out in 34 and returned in 31. Crows paid close attention to one of the competitors during the competition, and on three occasions his ball was carried away.

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Walter Hagen, present holder of the British Open title, became the "unofficial world's professional champion" by beating Johnny Farrell, U. S. Open champion, by 5 and 4 at the St. Louis Country Club course in the fifth match of the series that decided the "unofficial" title. Previously,

Hagen and Farrell had each triumphed twice.

The match, which was witnessed by 1,500 persons, was over 36 holes and Hagen had the advantage from the outset. The British Open champion was only 1 over par for the morning, with a total of 72, while Farrell was 76. In the match play margin, Hagen led then by 4 up and this gave him a lead which eventually brought him the match.

In the afternoon round, Farrell was able to reduce Hagen's lead to 2 up. He took the third and fourth holes, but then lost the next two, and was 4 down at the end of the first nine. The next four holes were halved and Hagen took the fourteenth to end the match.

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"Jack" Fraser has just concluded a most successful professional season at the Maitland Golf course, Goderich, Ontario, where many Detroit and other visitors from Windsor and Border City points enjoy their summer's golf. He has left to spend the winter in California. The Maitland course next season will be greatly improved, as a result of plans drawn up by Mr. Stanley Thompson, golf architect of Toronto. Additional land has been purchased by the club and the course will be extended from 2,500 yards to 3,200 odd yards.

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A few favoured Canadian professionals are now flitting southward to spend the next four months in the pursuit of their professional duties at well known winter resorts golf clubs. As usual, C. R. Murray, Royal Montreal, and Karl Keffer, Royal Ottawa, will have good billets in Florida. So also will J. Cook, of Stratford, Ontario. Once again, John Peacock, of the Algonquin Club, St. Andrews, N. B., will be at Pinehurst, N.C. Nicol Thompson, of Hamilton, too, is again booked for the Bermudas. This season, he will be accompanied by Andy Kay, of Lambton, Toronto. It is also on the cards that one or two other Canadian pros may land winter jobs, which are much sought after both

here and in the States as they are alike a lucrative and enjoyable experience. Several other of the professionals who hail from the Old Country are planning to spend the winter in either Scotland or England.



"Andy" Kay, of Lambton, partner of "Jimmie" Johnstone in winning four Challenge Matches for \$2,000.

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Willie Gunn, pro at the Dunnville Golf and Country Club, Dunnville, Ont., is spending the winter at his old home in Winnipeg.

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"Golf Monthly," London:—

"I hear that Abe Mitchell's three years contract with Mr. Samuel Ryder (the "father" of the Ryder Cup Professional Matches between Great Britain and the United States), which expired a few days ago, has been renewed for a further term of three years. The arrangement was made just prior to Mr. Ryder's departure for South Africa, where he is making a three months' tour. I understand that the terms of the contract are precisely on the same lines as before, Mitchell receiving £500

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"Jimmie" Blair, of the Regina Golf Club, a particularly well equipped professional, writes that he has had a very successful season at the Regina Club. The game in Regina, as elsewhere, is becoming increasingly popular every year.

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Mrs. Graham Fair Vanderbilt recently opened a new nine-hole private golf course on her 50-acre estate at Manhasset, L.I., the former Frank Munsey estate. Gene Sarazen and Archie Compston played an 18-hole match on the occasion of the opening before a large list of distinguished guests. Sarazen defeated Compston on the 21st hole.

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And now Honolulu is in the golf picture. Nine prominent professional golfers have accepted invitations to compete in the first Hawaiian Open Championship Tournament, starting

November 29th. Those who have already accepted invitations are Bill Mehlhorn, Johnny Golden, Cyril Walker, Billy Burke, Al Watrous, Roland Hancock, Harry Cooper, Al Espinosa and Charlie Chung. It is quite on the cards, too, that Johnny Farrell and Leo Diegel will also make the trip. Tournament prizes will total \$5,000.

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Arthur Neve, professional at the Bigwin Inn course, Lake of Bays, writes that great improvements will be made on this sporting and popular course for next season. It is hoped to have the full eighteen holes in play next year and relieve the great congestion which hitherto has prevailed.

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Frank Ravell, who had a very successful season at the Barrie Country Club, has been re-engaged as professional for 1929 and Mrs. Ravell as stewardess of the Club.

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W. D. Richardson, golf editor of the New York Times, writes:

"Leo Diegel, playing professional at the Fenimore Country Club and the foremost professional golfer of the current year as a result of his victories in the Canadian Open and the P. G. A., is anxious to cut in on Hagen and Farrell, who have recently concluded a series of matches for the "unofficial" world's championship.

"Starting for the Far West Leo has issued a challenge to Hagen, Farrell's conqueror, for a match or a series of matches which will decide the official world's title. The combat, in case Hagen sees fit to accept, will take place on California soil sometime in the near future.

"As winner of the Canadian Open and of the P. G. A., I think I'm entitled to a match with Hagen," Diegel said.

"There is a great deal of merit in Diegel's contention for in winning the Canadian Open he defeated a field almost as brilliant as that which played in the United States Open Championship at Olympia Fields, and on top of that he defeated Hagen and Sarazen before tackling Espinosa in the final round of the P. G. A. event.

"According to Diegel, a match between him and Hagen would have much more of an official stamp on it than the Hagen-Farrell series had. "A match between Hagen and me is a natural one," said Leo.

'When Farrell won the Open he defeated Bobby Jones in the play-off. Then Hagen, who had held the British Open Championship, defeated Farrell in their series of three out of five matches, and I defeated Hagen in the P. G. A. A match between Hagen and me, therefore, would come as close to settling the world's championship as is possible.

"I have issued a challenge to Hagen and feel certain that he will accept it. I am willing to play him anywhere and under any conditions.'

"Before going to the Coast for the winter, Diegel will stop off in Detroit for a visit with his relatives. He will take part in all the California tournaments and not return to the East until it is time to set out with the Ryder Cup warriors who will invade Great Britain in the spring."

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Gordon Brysdon, who was one of the assistants at the Toronto Golf Club this season and who is becoming a good golfer, seriously thought this winter of giving up professional hockey and going South to follow up his golf. However, he has decided to "stick" again this winter to pro hockey.

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Willie Lamb, Canadian Professional Champion, assistant professional at the Toronto Golf Club, left this month to again take up professional duties at the Monterrey Country Club, Monterrey, Mexico. It is understood that Lamb does not intend returning to the Toronto Club next season. His services as head professional in any large club would be invaluable as he is a fine instructor as well as a most finished player.

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"Billie" Freeman, of the York Downs Golf Club, Toronto, former Ontario Open Champion, left this month for the Barbadoes, British West Indies, where he has a lucrative winter position at a new 18-hole course there.

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"Golf Illustrated", London:—

"Young Henry Cotton is going to America in a fortnight's time for a three-months tour. We wish him well. Recent trips to the States have not been fraught with too much success from the British professional's point of view. It may have been the change in climatic conditions, or it may have been anything else, but the fact re-

mains that Havers, Duncan, Compston, and all the rest of them did not set the American courses on fire. But with Cotton we make bold to say it will be different. Here is a youngster of 21 going out alone, purely on a 'voyage of discovery'—the phrase is his own—and if he does not manage to get



Harry Cotton, brilliant young English professional who is making a tour of the Southern States this winter.

'into the money' he will at least see to it that his fine golf brain takes full advantage of the lessons of his wanderings. He wants to see things and to learn things, and he is just the man to do it. He sails for New York on the Mauretania on November 17, and will make straight for the Southern States for the winter golf programme there. He returns to England at the end of February. As we say, we wish him all the best that is going. He deserves it, if for nothing more than his pluck—if that is the proper word—in setting out on such a great adventure all alone and with nothing but the avowed intention of gaining that experience that British golfers seem to need so much."

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Outside of some half dozen fortunate ones, who left this month to take

positions in Florida, North Carolina, the Bermudas and Barbadoes, other leading Canadian professionals are making arrangements to open up indoor schools during the coming winter months, in the leading centres and thus employ their time profitably and well. There is no question that these winter schools are in the very best interest of the game. They teach "the young idea how to shoot" and they provide excellent facilities for golfers generally to keep physically fit during this "the winter of their discontent."

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With the 1928 golf season over, the professionals are commencing to prepare for their winter activities and at present it looks as if there will be three winter schools in Toronto. Jimmie Johnstone, of Rosedale, and Arthur Hulbert, of Thornhill, will be at the Granite Club, Archie Bloor, of York Downs and Eastbourne, will have a three-court school at the Clarendon, and Frank Freeman, of

Thistledown, and Lou Cumming, of the Ladies' Club, will open in a downtown building.

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The pro of a mid-western club has this sign prominently displayed in his shop:

"If you see anything in the golf line you want to buy and we do not stock it, remember we are always happy to get it for you."

It is obviously difficult to be prepared for all the golf-wants of members; such a sign stuck up where it will be seen will frequently give the pro a sale of unstocked goods, a sale he otherwise would lose.

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George Duncan a couple of weeks ago added the Surrey Open Championship to his long list of titles. He had rounds at Sunningdale, one of the most difficult courses in Great Britain, of 73 and 70, which placed him eight strokes ahead of Major Hezlet, well known in Canada, who was runner-up.

SHORTAGE OF HICKORY FOR HIGH GRADE GOLF SHAFTS EXPLODED

(Special Contribution to Canadian Golfer by R. E. Dickinson)

GOLF club manufacturers, professionals, amateurs, and the golfing public have heard only the substitutes side of the story, which has been unfair to hickory. Golfers and golf manufacturers are entitled to know all of the facts pro and con and to be allowed to choose their preference in the purchase of golf clubs.

Government report places standing hickory at sixteen billion (16,000,000,000) feet. The above is the amount of hickory stumpage standing in the United States, fifty per cent. of which is found in the districts producing best quality for golf shafts, as reported by the government.

It is further stated that the production of hickory for lumber has fallen off from 334,000,000 feet to 85,500,000 feet within the past several years, and it is also known that consumption of hickory for handles and other purposes has been reduced. The annual growth is perhaps equal to the amount of hickory used at the present time.

It is estimated that nine million (9,000,000) golf shafts are required per annum of all grades including substitutes. This represents only three million (3,000,000) feet of hickory.

Yet professionals and the golfing public are told there is not enough hickory to supply the demand for high grade clubs. Does not this report explode the false propoganda, which should be corrected?

Of course the quantity of shafts available at any time is governed by providing and preparing the raw material twelve months or longer in advance, and in this way temporary shortages may occur.

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In the Open Tournament, Olympia Fields, June 21-23, 1928, one hundred and thirty-three players used hickory shafts in iron clubs and a large number of these also used hickory in wood clubs. Only four played with steel shafts in both wood and iron clubs.

Jones, Hagen, Armour, Ogg, Cuci, Compston, Loos, Barnes, Boomer, Diegel, Bob MacDonald, MacDonald Smith are only a few of the leaders who use hickory in every club.

The personal opinion of practically all of the large golf club manufacturers is that no substitute has yet been found the equal of a high grade hickory shafted club.

Until recently, the industry of manufacturing golf dowels and golf shafts has not been big enough to establish facilities, methods of handling, standard specifications, including mechanical tests for stiffness and the adoption of uniform pattern and size. This is necessary in order to remove the human element in inspection, which creates difference of opinion as between inspectors and cannot be proven as to the merits of the shaft by either party. This can be understood and appreciated when it is known that a difference of only 1/32 part of an inch in the diameter of a shaft is the equivalent of approximately 15% in the stiffness.

A practice seems to have been pursued by some of the shaft manufacturers to match judgment with the buyers in making different sizes of shafts and leaving as much wood to make them stiffer, as the inspector will accept. Also

club makers who purchase dowels and inspect them before they are air seasoned to approximately 15% moisture contents cannot establish definitely the per cent. of first quality shafts that will be produced at a seasoned stage of 8%. This has had to do with accumulation of so many low grade shafts and dowels on the market.

Therefore, it is obvious that dowel, shaft and club manufacturers and also professionals, including the entire golfing public, should become interested in establishing standards and specifications for dowels and shafts.

The steel shaft practically reduces golf club building to an assembling proposition; it removes the craftsmanship, experience, individuality of manufacturing clubs and makes the professional wonder if the years of his apprenticeship in learning the trade were worth while in his chosen life's vocation.

A recent article in one of the trade journals on the subject of "Hour of Destiny of the Professional is Here" is one that the P.G.A. must take seriously.

When golf club manufacturing can be carried on with a few hundred dollars capital and without experience or knowledge of the game or business, through conditions that have come about within the past few years, making the requirements only that of assembling the material purchased ready to be put together, those of the golf club manufacturers who have spent one and two generations in experience and large amounts of capital invested in facilities, will have a question to solve that is of proportionate importance to their business as that of the professionals referred to.

The hickory shafted club to the golfer is representative of a "tailor made" suit. The purchaser is governed largely by the good looks, feeling and fit and has only limited knowledge of the raw material, and they both must be used before definitely discovering the actual quality.

To successfully manufacture golf dowels and shafts and inspect them as to the different grades and on an honest basis of value, one must have had experience, facilities and capital to carry the stock to allow air seasoning at least through the three spring, summer and fall months after the squares have been sawn from the previous winter felled logs.

Everyone knows that it is the nature of steel to vibrate when hit with a blow and no invention has yet proven that a steel shaft has the sweet feeling and fellowship, carrying the sportsmanship which is found in Mother Nature's seasoned hickory shafts.

A questionnaire has been sent to golfers, asking their preference as between steel and wood shafted clubs. With knowledge of many thousands of dollars that have been spent advertising that there was a shortage of hickory to supply the wood shaft demand, it seems that it would have been only fair to have added to this inquiry—"provided good quality hickory shafts could be obtained."

While there are large quantities of low grade shafts put on the market, on account of conditions that have been outlined, yet no reliable golf club manufacturer will deny that they are not receiving at this time, higher quality shafts than ever before.

It has been claimed that the change of climatic conditions, more seriously effect wood than steel shafts. This is not admitted; it is known that atmospheric conditions effect steel and also that the steel becomes crystallized over a long period, making them snap.

A recent record of one of the larger club manufacturers shows that of a lot of 212 clubs returned for repairs that 146 were steel shafted and 66 wood shafted.

A writer in a trade journal recently stated that 50% of all hickory shafts were kiln dried and their vitality sapped before attached to heads and challenged denial of this statement. It is to be hoped that this writer was honestly ignorant or misinformed.

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Robert W. Hunt & Co., Chicago, New York, and London, engineers reports No. 344, 344A, 344B shows wood shafts of standard quality to be 30% and more stiffer than steel shafts. A wood shaft with as much whip and no more resistance to deflection under the same weight as steel, would never be accepted to be used in a high grade golf club.

A final word to golfers. Have your clubs taken care of just as you have your gun kept clean. You pro. will tell you how, and the expense is nominal, or you can do it yourself and fifty per cent. of the shafts that warp will be kept dead straight.

“STAR” STAFF ENTERTAINED AT MISSISSAUGA GOLF CLUB

MR. Arthur Donaldson, a well known member of the Toronto “Star” staff, was the host last month at a particularly enjoyable Tournament at the Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto. No fewer than thirty-three members of the staff “starred” in the event which must be by being a bit of a golfing record for a newspaper in Canada.

Mr. Donaldson, who is a very enthusiastic golfer, donated a number of handsome prizes and incidentally with the fine card of 78 won his “own championship.” A dinner followed the afternoon’s play which was brightened by orchestral music and particularly brilliant speeches by the Rev. Mr. Knowles

and Mr. J. E. Atkinson, president of the Star Company. The prize winners at this snappy and bright event were:

Best gross scores—A. G. Donaldson, 78; John Porter, 90; F. Jackson, 94; J. T. Clark, 94; C. Pascoe, 94.

Best nett scores—Charles Good, 74; W. Argue, 76; Bob Reid, 80; B. Jackson, 80; K. McTaggart, 82; D. Johnston, 82.

Worst score—Vic Childs, 274.

Special prize to R. E. Knowles for using the most temperate language. Mr. Knowles had a nett 86.

Mr. Atkinson intimated that next season he would act the part of host at another Tournament for the Star's golfing family and so it would appear that in future it will be an annual affair. Other leading newspapers in the Dominion might well institute similar events as now-a-days they all boast golfers galore on their journalistic and mechanical staffs.

WHY MEDAL PLAY IS THE MORE DIFFICULT

(By J. H. Taylor, Five Times Open Champion Great Britain)

IT IS conceded by all classes of golfers, with a measure of agreement that places it beyond dispute that to play a successful medal round gives more genuine satisfaction and solid pleasure than any other form of ability the game offers. It is because this pleasure comes so seldom that it is often derided in favour of match play. The winning of a match undoubtedly provides a sense of pleasure that is manifested by personal ascendancy. A task is set us. We see it from every angle. We endeavour to study the failings and weaknesses of the opposition, and if we succeed in beating it down, we congratulate ourselves that we have done a man's job.

The one flaw is that we are apt to overlook the fact that the strength of the opposition may not have been up to the standard expected of it. If this is so, then I submit that the victory is severely discounted, and we may regard ourselves as having done an act less heroic than we might suppose. In medal play this flaw does not exist. We do not know the strength of the opposition. It is not so tangible, or personal, because it is wrapped up in a combination, and in these circumstances it is the unexpected that happens more often than not.

In medal play it is wise to remember that the strongest opposition may

come from the most unexpected quarter.

To be a successful medal player one must assume that every entrant is a potential winner. It is foolish to consider that only the few are to be feared. This is paying a poor and undeserved compliment to the remainder who have entered for the competition. Not one single wasted stroke can be afforded. This is self-evident, but if it be continually borne in mind, the wastage will not be so prodigious. Every stroke saved must be stored up in the granary of reserve. It must not be lightly released as a willing substitute for a loss. Bill Cosgrove, the old North Berwick caddie, when his master became 1 up, was wont to remark, "We maun tie a knot in that win"—a forcible suggestion that every medal player would do well to cogitate over. Provided the long game is at all tolerable and safe, it is round about the green that the strokes are frittered away.

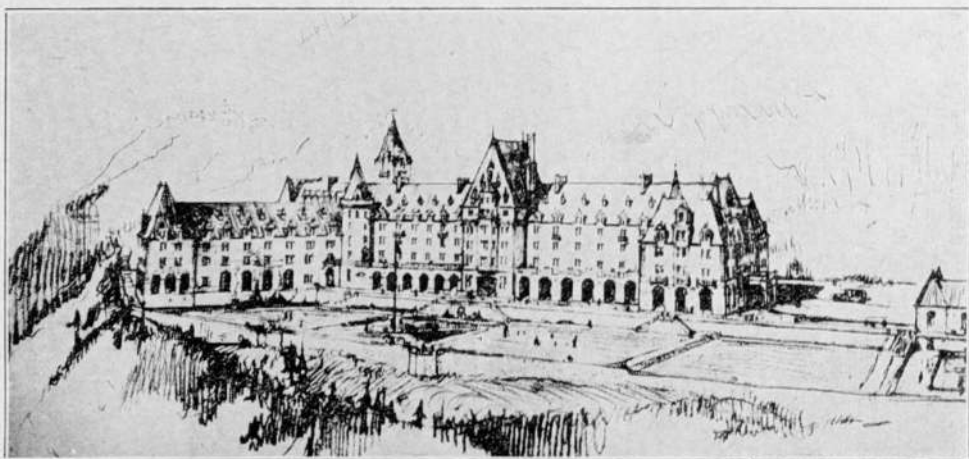
Concentration on the stroke up to and around the hole is the only means I know of whereby whole bushels of strokes can be saved.

It may not be as spectacular as the long drive, but as a medium of obtaining the par figure it has the drive beaten into a nonentity. No one better realizes this, or exemplifies it with greater success, than Walter Hagen.

THE NEW MANOIR RICHELIEU

WORK has already commenced on the new Manoir Richelieu at Murray Bay, Quebec, and there are now more than five hundred men engaged in the erection of the new Manoir. Some details of the plans have been announced by T. R. Enderby, general manager of Canada Steamship Lines. There will be accommodation for more than six hundred (600) persons in the Manoir which will be of steel and concrete fireproof construction with three hundred rooms, each having bath or shower and practically all of which command a view of the river.

The building will be in the French Manoir style of architecture and with its grey stone colour and copper roof will blend harmoniously into the countryside. The wide, sweeping verendahs with their views of the river will be retained as in the old building which was destroyed by fire on September 12.



The beautiful new Manoir Richelieu Hotel now in course of construction.

Distinct character will be given to the new Manoir by the stone flagged terrace which will extend to the edge of the cliff and command a magnificent view of the river. The kitchens are to be equipped with the latest devices which will enable the Manoir to maintain its continent-wide reputation for excellence of cuisine. The new dining room will be constructed to accommodate very large parties and in addition there will be a grill room and private dining rooms.

The open air, heated swimming pool is to be built at the east end of the building as a separate unit together with a convention hall, casino and ball room. These will be joined to the main building by a pergola. The plans announced also embody a private right of way to the golf course with a bridle path on the outskirts of the links. The plans also include the construction of a new clubhouse in French Canadian farmhouse style in the vicinity of No. 11 fairway commanding a view of the mountains, Baie St. Paul, the golf course and the south shore. The remodelling of one or two fairways will be undertaken to add to the general attractiveness. Terraces and a lookout will be built at the base of the present flagpole.

A. S. Scott, a Canadian artist who has done extensive mural work, including paintings for the Hudson's Bay Company, has been commissioned to do several murals of an historic character depicting scenes on the lower St. Lawrence. The furnishings of the building will be in the French Canadian manner and the famous Murray Bay homespuns will be utilized wherever practicable.

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It has been officially announced that in future the Manoir Richelieu season would extend from June 15 to September 30. The architect for the building is Mr. John Archibald, of Montreal, the construction company is Wilde & Brydon, of Toronto, and the consulting engineer J. B. Carswell. The new hotel is to be on the same site as the old.

A PROBLEM FOR THE "GOLF LAWYER"

AND here is a knotty problem put forward by no less an authority than Harry Vardon:—

"A's ball is 3 inches inside the limit of the putting green. We know that for legal purposes the 'putting green' is all ground, except hazards, within twenty yards of the hole. So that A's ball is three inches inside the twenty yards limit.

"B's ball is two inches outside the demarcation of the putting green, and its line to the hole is obstructed by A's ball. The distance between them is only five inches, so that one's first impulse would be to say that the effect of the dead stymie could be annulled under the rule which says that when the balls lie within six inches of each other on the putting green the one nearer to the hole may be lifted until the other ball is played.

"But this regulation—the only one governing the stymie in putting—makes it clear that both the balls must be on the putting green before the one further from the hole can obtain relief from the stymie on the ground that they are within six inches of each other.

"In this case, only A's is on the putting green. B's is just off it. Therefore, the stymie rule does not govern the situation.

"We turn to the only other rule bearing on the point—the rule which says that, when the balls lie within a club's length of each other through the green or in a hazard, the ball nearer to the hole may be lifted until the other ball is played. But there is no solution to the problem here.

"It is expressly stipulated in the definition that 'through the green' is all ground on which play is permitted, except hazards and the putting green of the hole that is being played.

"In this instance, only the obstructed ball is in a position known as 'through the green,' and so its owner cannot claim to have the other ball lifted on the ground that they are within a club's length of each other.

"In short, although the rules intend that, when the balls are in such close proximity, the obstructed player shall have relief from the stymie either through the green or on the green—and do, indeed, grant him such relief under separate heads—they leave him stranded in the circumstances described. Nor has anybody yet discovered a clause under which justice can be done to him. He is in a kind of 'no man's land.'"

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MR. H. O. Hobson, late secretary at Stoke Poges, has been appointed to a similar position at Le Touquet. Mr. Dennett Barry, who has been secretary at Le Touquet for many years, is transferring his services to a new course near Nice, which is being laid out on a most elaborate scale.

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Robert Harris, the former Amateur Champion, won the Franklin Adams Gold Medal at the autumn meeting of the Royal St. George's Club, Sandwich, with 72, which was six strokes better than his nearest competitor. Ninety-two players took out cards, and the Sandwich Corporation Cup for the best handicap return was won by Lieut.-Col. S. Davenport (10), with 73 nett. Leading scratch scores: Robert Harris, 72; Hon. Denys Scott, 78; Col. J. T. C. Moore-Brabazon, 79; I. L. Snowdon, 79; Major J. S. Hughes, 80; Lord Charles Hope, 80.

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Miss Joyce Wethered, generally acknowledged the world's greatest woman golfer, but who of late years has dropped out of all individual championships, partnered with Mr. J. S. F. Morrison, won the Open Mixed Foursome Tournament recently at Worplesdon, by defeating in the final Mrs. Alex Gold and Mr. E. Noel Layton, the well known Internationalist, by the narrow margin of one hole. All the leading amateurs, both women and men, participated in the Tournament. The victory was largely the result of Miss Joye's fine play in the afternoon round which, notwithstanding atrocious weather, was followed by a gallery of one thousand enthusiasts or more. In partnership with her brother Roger, the ex-amateur champion, Miss Wethered also won this Mixed Foursome event in 1922 and again in 1923 and in 1927 partnered with Mr. Cyril Tolley. It is the closing important Tournament



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of the English golfing season. Miss Wethered, who is only 27 years of age, won the Ladies' Open Championship of Great Britain for the third time in 1925. Since then, unfortunately for the prestige of British golf, she has resolutely refused to take part in this or any other championship. There is a rumour, however, that she may again consent to enter for the event next year more especially as Miss Glenna Collett, the U. S. champion, and admittedly the best player the States has ever produced, has definitely decided to again in 1929 try and annex the title. Miss Wethered defeated Miss Collett in the third round of the championship in 1925.

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There was a curious incident on the Wanstead Club's course. While playing in a bogey competition, A. Reeve (handicap 15) holed his tee shot at the fourth, which measures

213 yards. As Reeve had a stroke to come at this hole, he was in the position of having won it in "nothing."

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The newly crowned English Women's Champion is Miss Enid Wilson, the strongly built 18-year-old daughter of a Derbyshire doctor, who last month at Walton Heath took into camp Miss Dorothy Pearson, of Tunbridge Wells, most decisively by 9 and 8. Miss Wilson is generally regarded as the outstanding young player in England and may yet reach to the heights of Miss Joyce Wethered.

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The Australian Amateur Championship has again been won by Mr. Len Nettlefold, the young left-hander from Tasmania, who was a competitor in the British Championship last year. In the final he defeated Mr. L. Keane by 4 up and 2 to play.

Oxford University made a good start to their term's engagements when they beat the Oxford and Cambridge Society team, which included last year's Oxford captain, R. H. Oppenheimer, at Southfield, Oxford, by 18 games to 11, with one halved. The Oxford team was largely composed of freshmen, and several showed remarkable form against Old Blues.

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In the course of one month the past summer over 35,000 games were played on the putting greens conducted by the London County Council, and something like £400 a week is being collected by the L. C. C. from this source. It is only three years

since the L. C. C. opened their first three greens; now they have 71 in operation. Throughout the country the putting green is regarded as a fruitful source of revenue by municipal bodies, and the demand it creates for equipment is becoming an important department with golf supply houses.

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Cambridge University won their first match of the term when they beat Wentworth Club at Virginia Water by eight games to five, with two halved. The visitors gained a lead on the foursomes, which were very close, and led at the end of the morning's play by two games to one, with two halved.

A MANY TIMES CAPTAIN IS THE PRINCE OF WALES

THE Prince of Wales has accepted the captaincy of the Royal Wimbledon Club. This is the fourth time the Prince, who is a keen golfer, has been elected as a captain of a golf club. He lent his patronage to the Royal and Ancient Club three years ago, and since then has accepted the captaincy of the Royal Mid-Surrey Club at Richmond and the Royal St. George's Club at Sandwich. It is interesting to note that His Royal Highness when in Montreal was a guest of the members of the French-Canadian Club, Laval-sur-le-Lac and very graciously permitted his name to be enrolled as Patron of the club and as a result this quite famous Montreal golfing organization very proudly sports the Prince of Wales' plumes on its programmes and stationery. The Prince has been the guest of many golf clubs in Canada during his frequent visits to golf courses throughout the Dominion, but Laval has been the only club to receive Royal recognition. Naturally the members appreciate the honour accorded them extremely.

SENIOR GOLF MATCHES NOTEWORTHY FROM AN INTERNATIONAL STANDPOINT

THE Canadian Women's Senior team which journeyed to Rye, N.Y., last month to take part for the first time in an International match with the Women Senior golfers of the United States, over the famous and difficult Westchester-Biltmore course, went up against a "tuff" proposition. It was not at all surprising therefore, especially as Mrs. Sidney Jones, of Toronto, their newly crowned champion, could not make the trip, that they met with a severe defeat. The U. S. Seniors number in their ranks two or three former nationally known players and champions, who are still capable of going round the stiffest kind of a course in the eighties. As a matter of fact or of age, Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, twice British Ladies' Champion, three times U. S. Champion and three times Canadian Champion, in a year or so will be eligible for membership in the U. S. Seniors' Society. And Mrs. Hurd is still one of

the world's greatest lady players. A return match will be played in Canada next year.

The U. S. Seniors, both men and women, have possibly twelve times more material to draw from than the Canadian Associations, and it seems hardly possible that this country will be able to compete very often on even terms with them. Some years ago the U. S. Men's Senior Association suggested that owing to the disparity in membership, it would be a good idea to play on a handicap basis for the Duke of Devonshire Cup, which is emblematic of the Senior Championship of America. The Canadian Association naturally declined to accede to such a suggestion. Any championship on a handicap ceases forthwith to become a championship. During the past eleven years the Canadian Seniors have only twice defeated the Americans. The score therefore stands, 9 to 2. It is not on the cards that the women can do any better—probably not as well. However, apart from the game itself and the mere winning of the event, these matches are to be commended and encouraged, along the lines of fellowship and amity between the two countries. They make for lasting International good will and friendships, amongst many of the leaders, both women and men, of Canada and the States.

NEWS OF THE MIDDLE WEST

Manitoba Branch of the C. L. G. U. Elects Officers for 1929

RE-ELECTION of the entire slate of officers with only one exception was one of the features of the eighth annual meeting of the Manitoba Branch of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union at the Fort Garry Hotel, Winnipeg. The meeting, which was in the form of a luncheon, was well attended.

Mrs. J. G. Cory, president of the Manitoba Branch, in her remarks pointed out to the gathering the wonderful strides the branch has made in the past few seasons, and the great success that all the tournaments had attained.

Only one change took place in the slate of officers for the coming year. Mrs. Hamilton Fleming, due to being unable to carry on her duties as vice-president, tendered her resignation. Mrs. M. A. Parker was named to fill the vacancy.

A full slate of officers elected follow:—President, Mrs. J. G. Cory; vice-president, Mrs. M. A. Parker; hon. sec.-treas., Mrs. J. W. Alves; chairman pars committee, Mrs. B. P. Pellenz; handicap manager, Mrs. W. Faulkner.

During the course of the meeting Mrs. J. G. Cory and Mrs. Hamilton

Fleming were each presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, for their splendid work during the past season.


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Mrs. C. W. McLachlin for the third time won the ladies' championship of the Dauphin Club, Dauphin, Man., not, however, before she was taken in the final to the 20th green by Mrs. G. H. Vassbinder. The game was bitterly fought from the first drive. Mrs. McLachlin was 2 up after the first nine but then Mrs. Vassbinder came back strong and squared the match at the 18th hole. The 19th was halved and then Mrs. McLachlin with a par 3 again annexed the championship. A large gallery followed the match, which created great interest.

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A pleasing function at the Brandon Golf and Country Club marked the closing feature of a most successful gathering and dance when President D. E. Clement presented the trophies to the winners and brought a splendid season to a close.

In the afternoon Mrs. A. R. Hunt won the club championship from Mrs. G. A. Davidson, 4 and 3. With it went the Clement Cup. The gold but-ton competition, decided among the



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winner during the season, finally went to Mrs. Dan Allen with a nett score of 86, while Mrs. Hurst finished with an 87. The following were the cups and honours won during the year, and presented by the club president: Men's club championship, E. Unicum; Philip cup, W. J. Miller; Cole cup, Dr. A. H. Hurst; Massy trophy, F. E. Houston; Vancouver ladies' club title, Mrs. A. R. Hurst; Cole cup, Mrs. G. A. Davidson; Reese cup, Mrs. A. R. Hurst; gold button, Mrs. Dan Allen.

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Miss Vennard was the winner of the love lock competition in the ladies' golf finals at the Portage La Prairie Club. Mrs. W. P. Osborne was the winner of the club competition. Judging by the activities of the club during the season, it has been voted one of the best since its inception.

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The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Can-

adian National Railways Golf Club, in the Fort Garry Hotel, Winnipeg: Honourary President, W. A. Kingsland; patrons, W. G. Manders; R. Creelman, C. A. Cunningham, J. C. Hill, W. E. Duperow and Dr. J. M. Leney. President, F. M. Smith; vice-president, J. McRae; secretary, R. T. Campbell; treasurer, J. J. Devlin; executive, J. Rollason, J. Dunn, J. Jack, H. Hanes, H. Ford, F. Girling, W. McAuley, A. McFarlane, T. Harpley, W. McSparron, J. W. Kimball.

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At the annual meeting of the ladies' section of the Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg, held in the drawing-room of the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. Geo. D. Caldwell was elected president for the ensuing year. Vice-president, Mrs. W. B. Thomson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Alex. Philip. the committee comprises: Mrs. John Beveridge; Mrs. D. P. Allen, Miss Ruth Parlett, Mrs. C. E. Trimmer.

At the conclusion of the business part of the meeting, refreshments were served by the retiring executive. Mrs. Wm. Stubbs and Mrs. W. B. Thomson presided at the tea table.

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For the second year in succession George R. Dewar won the championship of the Portage Golf Club. He captured the major event by a score of 79, going out in 38, but a lost ball at the 15th hole on the inward journey cost him a 41. The Armstrong Cup was won by W. D. Card on handicap medal play with a score of 67. There was a large entry in this event, some twenty players taking part.

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Mrs. A. F. McConkey proved the winner of the Tyson Cup, emblematic of the championship of the Humboldt Ladies' Golf Club, Humboldt, Sask. This is the second time Mrs. Mc-

Conkey has had the honour of winning the trophy.

The Tyson Cup tournament were the final games of the season. The club members have had a very busy season and many enjoyable games have been played throughout the summer on the splendid course at Waldsea lake.

The qualifying rounds were as follows: Mrs. Grant won from Mrs. Haig; Mrs. Brandon won from Mrs. E. S. Wilson; Mrs. Dickson won from Mrs. Kepkey; Mrs. F. W. D. Thompson won from Mrs. Yoerger (by default); Mrs. McConkey won from Mrs. Bartle; Mrs. R. Burns won from Mrs. Wiggans; Mrs. Williseroft won from Verna Down. In the semi-finals, Mrs. Dickson defeated Mrs. Brandon; Mrs. McConkey defeated Mrs. Williseroft. Final game, Mrs. McConkey won.

KNOW THE RULES—AND ENFORCE THEM

THE penalty incurred by Miss Edith Cummings which resulted in the loss of her match with Mrs. Higbie, of Detroit, in the first round of the Women's National Championship at Hot Springs, again emphasizes the importance of knowing the rules. According to reports she waved her hand in front of the ball and the referee ruled that this was pressing on the line of putt. Although the hole was halved in five, it was awarded to Mrs. Higbie.

Miss Glenna Collett was once disqualified for pressing down the ground at the back of her ball in an eastern women's championship, and Frank Dolp, the present Western Amateur Champion, was disqualified in a tournament at Minneapolis. Some years ago Tom McNamara was penalized in an open championship at Brookline for brushing a leaf on the putting green with his cap, and it cost him real money. There have been numerous other instances in which well known players have broken the rules simply through lack of knowledge. These, while not excusable, do not compare with the countless violations by men who know the simple rules but refuse to obey them. It is hardly possible to go to a tournament of any size, outside of major championships, in which a number of players fail to hole all their putts. It simply is not golf. In the game of pocket billiards you have to put the ball in the hole before you count and concessions are unknown. There should be none in golf. Tennis players do not concede any strokes to their opponents. Each point has to be made. This we know is an old song but it is well to sing it over again, so that some may retain a little of the theme. Apart from the injustice to the rest of the players in the field, it is just as well to practice those short putts. Some day you may be called on to play them.—"Chicago Golfer."

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"OUR HOLE-IN-ONE-CLUB"

The Season of 1928 Closes With a Record Number of New Members, Representing Clubs from the Atlantic to the Pacific

THE curtain rang down October 31st on the Hole-in-One performances in Canada and the show was certainly a record one. Since May last 246 such feats were registered on courses from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The number of women and young boys and girls who chronicled the stunt was especially notable the past season. In 1927 the total number of oneers was 190. Six years ago they numbered only 63. The increase in the number of players and also no doubt the increased skill with mashie and irons, account for the imposing 1928 total. As a result of their prowess in addition to a year's subscription to the "Canadian Golfer", these fortunate aces received a number of quite valuable prizes donated by firms in Canada.

And here is the final chapter of the sad, sad story which has nearly bunkered financially the "C.G.":

To Mr. J. P. Levee, 1928 champion of the Elm Ridge Country Club, Dorval, Montreal, goes the credit of registering the first hole-in-one on that interesting course. Playing with Messrs. L. M. Fingard, captain of the club, and I. Glickman, he put a beauty over at the 5th hole, 185 yards, which nestled into the cup.

Mr. Levee did not hold the solo honours at Elm Ridge for long. A few days afterwards Mr. Fingard, the club captain, who saw Mr. Levee pull off the feat, decided to emulate him and he, too, notched a "one-shot" at the 5th. Quite a coincidence this.

Stratford, Ontario, is on the map this month, thanks to Mr. Ray Stevens. He qualified for membership in our exclusive club by negotiating the 7th hole, 120 yards, in one.

The North Bay Golf and Country Club, North Bay, Ont., where golf is immensely popular, is getting the habit. The latest to turn the trick there was Mr. Howard Morrison, manager of the Royal Bank, who whilst playing with Judge Leask, bagged a oneer at the home-hole, 135 yards.

Barrie, Ontario, too, is once more in the picture. Mr. John Webb, of the Barrie Country Club, whilst playing with Judge Wismer and Dr. G. Jameson, "got his" at the 2nd hole, 130 yards.

And now a lady fair, from far-away Rosetown, Sask. Playing in a ladies' competition, Mrs. W. L. Power joined the Golfers' Hall of Fame when she negotiated the 2nd hole of the Rosetown Club in one.

For the first time this season the Peterborough Golf Club reports the stunt. Mr. A. H. Stratton, the well known journalist of that city, playing with Mr. A. J. Reynolds, manager of the Bank of Commerce, after "ninety-nine years of sincere effort", succeeded in holding his tee-shot at the 12th hole, 133 yards. Hearty congratulations to "our reptile contemporary."

Mr. F. C. S. Robinson, of the Chedoke Civic Golf Club, Hamilton, playing with Mr. J. W. Knipe, sank his tee-shot on the 11th hole at Chedoke, a 100 yarder.

Playing over the Glen Stewart course, Toronto, Mr. Alfred Lawton, touched up the tin from the tee, at the 5th hole, 165 yards.

Mr. Norman Jessiman, of the Marine Drive Golf and Country Club, Vancouver, is a "double-ace" this season. Last August he made the 16th hole on the Marine Drive course in one and last month duplicated the performance, this time choosing the 11th hole, 160 yards, "to put another one over." Great work, Mr. Jessiman.

And here is a very notable addition to our Club membership. The Hon. W. C. Simmons, of Calgary, Chief Justice of the Trial Division of the Supreme Court of Alberta, whilst playing the course of the Calgary Golf and Country Club in partnership with Mr. Justice Clarke, against Mr. Justice Walsh and Mr. Thoburn Allen, negotiated the 210-yard 17th hole in one. His Lordship in order "to make the punishment fit the crime" will have to put up with a year's subscription to this great Family Golfing Magazine as a result of that uncanny two hundred and ten yard shot of his.

Playing over the St. Andrews "pay-as-you-play" course, Toronto, Mr. A. W. Tucker got a one at the 17th hole, 210 yards.

For the first time in the history of the Guelph Country Club, and that means sixteen years, a lady, Miss Helen Alexander, scored a hole-in-one, the 7th, 100 yards. Congratulations.

The 13th hole at the Gorsebrook course, Halifax, N.S., is 130 yards. Playing with Mr. J. D. Abraham, Mr. V. P. Mullock found the tin from the tee here.

Mr. C. W. Irwin, a well known member of the Lambton Golf and Country Club, playing the celebrated 7th hole, 201 yards, one of the hardest one-shot holes in Canada, carried the water hazard on to the green and the "pilule popped in."

The ladies are much in evidence this season—God bless 'em. Miss Sadie Wallace, playing the Bedford Golf and Country Club course, Bedford, N.S., made a oneer at the 3rd hole, 90 yards. Miss Sadie, by the way, this season won the Ladies' Championship Cup of Bedford.

Mr. A. O. Sanderson, chairman of the Green Committee of the Halifax Golf and Country Club, N.S., evidently "knows his greens". He chose the 16th, 140 yards, at Ashburn, to register an eagle.

Mr. W. Walkden, bridge engineer of the Canadian National Railways, Winnipeg, playing with Mr. G. H. Morse over the beautiful Windsor Park Municipal course, Winnipeg, engineered a perfect mashie shot



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over the Seine River to the 130 yard 10th green and joined the charmed circle of our "Hole-in-One Club."

And now Uplands Golf Club, Victoria, B.C., where a tidy little swat of 202 yards made by Mr. J. Davidson, from the 4th tee found the cup. Mr. C. A. Williams witnessed the feat.

Playing in a threesome with Messrs. F. B. Smith and J. J. Willyard, over the St. Clair Country Club course, near Windsor, Ont., Mr. T. H. Owen, of Detroit, negotiated the 12th hole, 200 yards, in one.

Two Ottawa performances. Mr. Harry L. Forbes, playing with Messrs. P. J. O'Connor, H. M. McCarthy and E. P. Gleason on the links of the Chaudiere Golf Club, turned the trick on the 17th elevated hole, 95 yards, whilst on the Rivermead course in the Capital City, playing with Mr. F. L. Poulin, Mr. G. A. Briggs got the 6th hole, 135 yards, in one.

Playing over the Shawinigan course, Shawinigan Falls, Mr. D. C. Davidson, manager of the Royal Bank, registered the feat at the 9th hole, 93 yards.

The first "hole-in-one" of the season at the Assiniboine Golf Club, Winnipeg, was made last month by Mr. T. S. Minton while

playing his first game as a member of a club. Mr. Minton is a crackle rifle and revolver shot, an expert cricket and tennis player, was champion boxer of his regiment and has been looking for something easy to finish off his career as a sportsman. Last month he was persuaded by some of his friends to join the Assiniboine Golf Club. On the following Saturday afternoon they took him out for his first game "to take him down." He made the first hole in rather a fluky five. At the second hole, after a few remarkable ricochets on the part of the ball, he made a four. At the third hole, 175 yards, surrounded by trees and drifting leaves, while his friends, the golfers, Scotch, were hunting for old balls to play from the tee, Mr. Minton dropped a new "Spalding" on the mat, and before he could be warned of danger ahead, hit it a whack on the nose. The ball took a terrible dive for the woods, changed its mind when half away there and swerved to the right, hit the green, took two or three hops and jumped into the cup for a "hole-in-one." The friends, the golfers, were taken home in a dazed condition but have now recovered and are taking steps to purchase ear muffs to be worn for the next six months.

The Royal Montreal, the premier golf club of America, reports two holes-in-one this issue. Mr. Julian C. Smith, president of the Montreal Tramways Company, playing with Mr. W. S. Hart, chose the 15th hole, 105 yards, for the 20,000 to 1 shot. So also did Mr. C. E. Saunders, of the Atlas Assurance Company. A hole made twice in one within a week or so, is quite a rare occurrence on any course.

The Victoria Golf Club, Victoria, B.C., also makes a dual bow this month. Here, too the same hole figures in the picture. Playing with Mrs. J. W. Lennox, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman found the tin from the tee on the 135-yard 2nd hole at Oak Bay. So, too, did Mr. James Forman, the well known B. C. golfer, whilst playing with the Hon. W. J. Bowser.

Mrs. W. T. Northgrave, of the Thornhill Golf and Country Club, Toronto, earned enduring fame when she negotiated the 5th hole of the ladies' course at Thornhill, 77 yards, in one.

Mr. Norman J. Smillie, playing with Mr. W. P. Powell, over the Shaughnessy Heights course at Vancouver, B.C., dropped a beauty over on the 10th green, 150 yards, and the ball sweetly sank into the cup.

Another Vancouverite, Mr. H. C. Seaman, playing the Point Grey course at Vancouver, got a hole-in-one at the 100-yard 11th hole.

Mr. Walter H. Reeves, the popular captain of the Belleville Golf Club, is certainly a "one-der." Last year he made a "hole-in-one" and last month playing over the course of the Bay of Quinte Country

and Golf Club made the tricky 8th hole, 160 yards, in an eagle 1. This is the first hole-in-one ever made over the Bay of Quinte course. Total holes-in-one this season, 246.

"Hole-in-One" Wins Big Oklahoma Championship

A despatch from Oklahoma City Nov. 4th:

Horton Smith, 20-year-old Joplin, Mo., professional, to-day won the annual Oklahoma City Open golf championship with a total of 288 for seventy-two holes. Smith's score was aided by a hole-in-one, which he made at the 119-yard second hole in the final round. This one shot was the margin by which he won.

Smith's scores were 70, 73, 72, 73 for the four rounds, the first two of which were played yesterday at the Lakeside course. The final thirty-six holes to-day were at the Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club.

Ed Dudley, of Los Angeles, finished second with 289 and Tom Armour, of Washington, D.C., was next with 292. Al Espinosa, of Chicago, followed with 294, leading Bill Melhorn, New York, who was 296.

(Ed. Note.—It is very rarely indeed that a one-shot performance figures decisively in a big championship. However, it has done so twice before. Way back in 1878, Jamie Anderson won the British Open at Prestwick, as a result of making the next to the last hole in one, whilst it is still fresh in the memory, that in 1921 at St. Andrews, Joek Hutchison did the 8th hole in one in the British Open and this enabled him to tie the score of Mr. Roger Wethered with a 296. In the play-off Hutchison won. So a one-shot has twice decided the British Open.)

Two Unique Ones in the Old Country

Two of the best "hole-in-one" stories come from Ireland and Scotland.

In one instance Arthur Powell, playing at Muskerry, Cork, sliced his drive to the ninth hole out of bounds. The ball hit the roof of a cottage, bounced back to the fairway, ran to the green, and disappeared in the tin. Distance, tee to green, 265 yards.

The other case occurred at the fourth hole (190 yards) on the New Galloway course in 1926. Here F. H. Byrde hit his drive over a wall, out of bounds. The ball struck a rock, rebounded to the green, 50 yards away, and ran into the hole.

Twenty-eight One-Shotters in One Club

London Observer:

When one reads that there are twenty-eight qualified members of the "One Club" at Stoneham, which is open only to those who have done a hole-in-one, one is inclined to congratulate Stoneham on the unusual

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facilities of its links. Not on customary putting greens does fortune distribute her favours in this easy fashion. The members will repudiate the word, but is there any transaction in which it is more difficult to adjudicate between skill and luck than the holing of a ball in one? The One Club might appoint an honorary committee of

mathematicians to investigate the problem.

(Ed. Note.—We are not quite sure that one or two of the clubs in Vancouver and Victoria could not come near this record. It might not be a bad idea for the "one-shotters" to get together and form a "One Club" in these two cities.)

KIND WORDS FROM THE "MASTER GOLFER"



HARRY Vardon, "the greatest golfer of all time," in sending in a cheque for a guinea, renewing his subscription to the "Canadian Golfer" for another year, writing from the South Heits Golf Club, Totteridge, London N., says:

"I enjoy reading your magazine very much indeed. There is always every month things of interest to read in it. Wishing the "Canadian Golfer" every success and with kind remembrances to many Canadian golfing friends.

Faithfully yours,
HARRY VARDON.

A GOLFING FEAST AT PINEHURST, N.C.

(Special Correspondence Canadian Golfer)

PINEHURST starts its 32nd season as America's winter sports centre with the most pretentious schedule ever offered. Golf will again be the big factor and to accommodate the ever-increasing number of winter golfers the Pinehurst Country Club is opening a new nine hole course, No. 5. This is in addition to the Pine Needles Course opened last February. It will be increased to 18 holes as fast as possible by Donald J. Ross, the architect. There are now nine golf courses in the Pinehurst centre with three more contemplated.

The golf schedule started out this year with the 24th annual autumn tournament on November 6-9, and the 9th annual Mid-South Open tournament, November 13th and 14th.

Other golf events through the season, including the historic North and South Championships in the spring, follows:

Nov. 20-24—13th annual Carolina Tournament. Dec. 4-7—8th annual Carolina Tournament for women. Dec. 18-21—7th annual season members' Tournament. Dec. 24-7—7th annual Father and Son Tournament. Dec. 26-31—26th annual Mid-Winter Tournament. Jan. 8-12—5th annual Mid-January Tournament. Jan. 28-Feb. 2nd—25th Annual St. Valentines' Tournament. Feb. 5-8—24th annual St. Valentines' Tournament for women. Feb. 21—25th annual Tin Whistle Anniversary Tournament. Feb. 23-27—9th annual Seniors' Tournament. March 1-7th—25th annual Spring Tournament. March 26-27th—27th annual North and South Open Championship, \$3,000 in cash prizes. April 1-5—27th annual North and South Championship for Women. April 6—8th annual team match, Pinehurst vs. Florida. April 8-13—29th annual North and South Amateur Championship. April 19-24—19th annual Mid-April Tournament.

A number of one-day and handicap events complete the schedule beside the usual Tin Whistle and Silver Foils events.

The tennis schedule includes the 5th annual Mid-South Tournament, October 29th to November 2nd and the 11th annual North and South Championship, April 8-13.

ANCASTER'S MAGNIFICENT NEW CLUB HOUSE

Hamilton Golf and Country Club Will Move Into Its New Quarters Next Spring. Mr. James Moodie, President, Turns the First Sod for the New Building

THE Hamilton Golf and Country Club's new club house is now on the way. The first sod was turned November 8th, when a very pleasing ceremony was held, signaling the beginning of extensive operations that will give the Ancaster club one of the finest buildings of its kind in Canada.

Before the ground was broken, Mr. James Moodie, president of the club, spoke briefly, his remarks being appropriate to the occasion.

Among those present were Messrs. James Moodie, president; Gerald Wigle, vice-president; Gordon Hutton, of Hutton & Souter, the architects; W.



Mr. James Moodie, President of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club, surrounded by a group of officials is here seen turning the first sod for the beautiful new club house at Ancaster.

H. Cooper, contractor; Captain Albert A. Adams, George D. Fearman, H. J. Stanbaugh, R. L. Smith, Norman Slater and others.

Work on the erection of the building is already actively under way. This handsome new club house to take the place of the old building is by no means a new thought, as, previous to the War, plans were drawn up and considered, but the advent of hostilities caused the scheme to be sidetracked. Since then at different times the matter was considered but nothing definite was arrived at until the spring of last year, when a Building Committee was formed for the purpose of obtaining plans, which were prepared and presented at a special meeting of the shareholders last January. This meeting was adjourned and a new Building Committee appointed, which at the adjourned meeting, held on October 19th last, presented plans prepared by Messrs. Hutton and Souter. The meeting authorized the Building Committee to proceed with the erection of the club house in accordance with the plans submitted. W. R. Cooper is the contractor for the building, which is of fire proof construction throughout. The contract calls for its completion by May 1st, 1929. The approximate expenditure including furnishings is \$132,000.

The men's locker-rooms, with a lower and a mezzanine floor, will be situated just above the 18th green and will contain over 400 lockers, ample shower bath accommodation and a snack-room adjacent. The ladies' locker-rooms will be placed at the west end of the building and will contain approximately 360 lockers and the usual locker-room accessories.

On the ground floor the dining-room and general lounge-room, occupying a space 80 feet by 32 feet, will be arranged and on the same floor will be provided a general cloak room and card room for men.

The second floor will be occupied principally by lounge-rooms for the ladies and men (separately) in each of which a fireplace will be provided. These rooms will lead to an open verandah on the south side, commanding an uninterrupted view of the ninth and eighteenth fairways.

The Hamilton club has one of the finest golf courses on the continent (18 holes and 9 holes) and this artistic and up-to-date club house will round out the property and place it in the very first front of Canadian golfdom. The president, Mr. James Moodie, his Board of Directors and members of the club generally are to be heartily congratulated on the forward step now taken.

THE VOGUE OF THE "REDDY TEE"

THE Reddy tee business is full of surprises. As an instance, Z. J. Loussac's drug store, Anchorage, Alaska, sent in a rush order for four sets of sterling silver Reddy tees. Presumably they want the sterling silver so that they can drive them in the ice more readily. However, these sterling silver Reddy tees are making a great hit for both men and women and they make a very handsome present.

A short while ago an order came from away down in Africa for 1,000 boxes of Reddy tees, rush, and so it goes right along, orders from all parts of the world, wherever golf is played.

Even in India, where they have an abundance of sand, in fact, probably too much, they insist upon using Reddy tees and orders are shipped to India at regular intervals. Sand, in so far as tee purposes are concerned, has certainly become a thing of the past and the golfers seem so glad to get these excellent substitutes that they do not object to buying their tees, where before they got all the sand they wanted for nothing.

WINTER WORK ON GOLF EQUIPMENT

(By Henry A. Miller, Greenkeeper, Barrington Hills Country Club)

QUITE often there is too little thought given to reconditioning maintenance machinery and equipment during the winter, when there is plenty of time for such work to be done. Many wait until spring, when all the work comes at one time. One can't spend much time in repairing machinery while it should be working. I might say this is not always because of neglect or any other fault of the greenkeeper, nor due to the poor condition of his club's finances, but it is merely because the club does not realize what it means to have its machinery properly reconditioned.

In many instances it will be found winter reconditioning of equipment is the least of the green chairman's thoughts and as a result the golfing season starts with a lot of grief for the greenkeeper and his staff. Machinery that has put in one season's work on a golf course should not only be put under cover awaiting another season's work, but should be looked over and put in first-class shape again.



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Quite often it will be found that the reels in lawn mowers, especially in tractor-drawn units, are blunt at the edge of each blade with one season's cut-

ting, and as a result the mowers do not cut the grass, but rather chew it off. This, of course, means the blade must be ground to an edge, with an angle that will cut and not chew. This should be done with a lawnmower grinder or lathe only, for if it is done by hand on an emery wheel it will be nothing but guess-work, and will never produce a true edge.

Next the bottom blade or bed-knife should be examined. If the blade is found to be worn thin, and full of grooves and dents it should be replaced.

Speaking of reels, I have found that it is not advisable to have reels ground back more than two times; that is for more than two seasons because of the rivets on the spider that holds the blades in the reels. These will hit the bed-knife holder if ground too far down and the result is not satisfactory. In this case, to have a satisfactory mowing unit, the reel should be replaced with a new one.

Another important thing is the reel bearings or stuffing boxes. If the reel has any up-and-down play, it will be impossible to get an adjustment to cut grass, and the bearings should be replaced.

The same conditioning should be given to the tractor or what ever power is used. A competent mechanic should overhaul the motor to make sure it functions properly.

Such is the method I use to have machinery ready to operate in the spring, when the time comes for the call of "fore," and the chairman asks are we ready to go.

BLIND BOY, 13, HAS HIGH GOLF RANKING

THIRTEEN years old, a sophomore in high school and blind, Barton Cooper, son of Lieutenant W. S. Cooper, of the United States Navy, is one of the best golfers on the San Diego, Cal., course.

The golf axiom "keep your eye on the ball," has not, according to The American Magazine, caused young Barton to fail at the game, for he has made 43, which is only four strokes over par. In addition, he is alert and active generally, operates a typewriter, plays a piano and meets all the requirements of his class in high school.

"It is worth any golfer's while to watch Barton get ready for a shot," says the magazine. "First, he carefully tees his ball. Next, he runs his hand down the length of the club, preparatory to setting the club head about an inch back of the tee. He is now ready to take his stance. At this point his caddy 'tells him the direction of the next hole' by placing his arm across the boy's chest and squaring his shoulders around until they are on a line with the hole. After Barton is all set, the caddy describes the slopes in the fairway and any hazards."

When the youth was ready for high school he attended a Braille school in Los Angeles and learned to use the typewriter. He was born in Alameda, Cal.

CENTRE BENCH BEST FOR LOCKER AISLES

MODERN locker-room practice demands a fairly broad bench down the centre of each aisle of lockers rather than narrower ones on either side.

Not only can a centre bench be almost twice as wide in the same available space as possible if a bench is provided on either side of the aisle, but there is the further advantage that a member faces his locker while dressing. This is easier than having to turn around to remove each article of clothing as needed.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM BERMUDA

(Special Correspondence Canadian Golfer)

THE entries of Miss Helen Payson, of Portland, Me., winner of the Canadian Ladies' Championship in 1927; Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Toronto, Dominion Champion in 1925 and 1926; and Miss Maureen Orcutt, holder of the Women's Metropolitan Championship and runner-up for the U. S. Women's Championship in 1927, have already been received for the second annual Bermuda Women's Championship which is to be held at the Riddell's Bay Golf and Country Club on Jan. 2-5.

All three competed in the event last year, Miss Payson being the winner after defeating Miss Orcutt in one of the early rounds and then defeating Miss Mackenzie in the final.

It is expected that several other women stars from the Metropolitan, Boston and Philadelphia districts will also take part in the event, invitations having been extended to Mrs. Courtland Smith, Miss Martha Parker, Miss Helen Hicks, Miss Marie Jenney, Miss Rosalie Knapp, Mrs. J. L. Anderson, Miss Jane Brooks and Miss Glenna Collett, winner of the national championship; Miss Louise Fordyce, of Youngstown, Miss Fritizie Stifel, of Wheeling, W. Va., Miss Peggy Wattles, of Buffalo, Miss Edith Quier, of Reading, Mrs. H. B. Stetson and Miss Ruth Ann Perry, of Philadelphia, Mrs. E. H. Baker, Jr., and Miss Ruth Batchelder, of Boston, Miss Virginia Wilson and Miss Virginia Van Wie, of Chicago, Miss Dorothy Page, of Madison, Wis., and Miss Bernice Wall, of Oshkosh, Miss Dora Virtue, of Montreal, and Miss Helen Paget, of Ottawa. Mrs. O. S. Hill and Mrs. Miriam Burns Tyson, of Kansas City.

Two other Bermuda golf events will be held in advance of the Women's Championship, one being the first annual Bermuda Open Championship, which will be held at Riddell's Bay on Dec. 13 to 15 and the other the interscholastic-intercollegiate invitation tournament at the Mid-Ocean Club on Dec. 26-29. Among the entries already received for the Open

Championship is that of Willie Macfarlane, winner of the U. S. Open Championship in 1925. It is also expected that Joe Turnesa, runner-up to Bobby Jones at Sciota in 1926; Willie Klein, holder of the New York



The Hon. Charles McCrea, Ontario Minister of Mines, who is in Bermuda playing golf and recuperating generally.

State Open Championship; Tommy Kerrigan, who finished third in the British Open Championship in 1921; and Bobby Cruickshank, who finished second to Jones in the 1923 National Open, will take part in the Bermuda Open Championship.

The interscholastic-intercollegiate tournament is something new in the way of golf events. It is restricted to golfers attending preparatory schools and colleges and among those ex-

pected to play in the event are Phillips Finlay, of Harvard, and Gene Homans, of Princeton. Invitations have been sent to the golf captains of Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Union, Penn State, Georgetown, Amherst, Williams, Brown and Dartmouth, and of Choate, Hill, Lawrenceville, Peddie, St. Paul's, Hotchkiss, Taft, Tome, Guntery, Canterbury, Pawling, Browning, Manlius, Roxbury and Albany Academy.

The Bermuda Amateur Championship will be held at the Riddell's Bay Golf and Country Club during the week of Jan. 29. A. C. N. Gosling

will defend the title which he won last year by defeating F. H. Gates, of Montclair. In addition to these events there will be a seniors' tournament and also regular weekly events.

A large number of prominent Canadians, "golfers and otherwise," have made reservations at the principal hotels for the coming season. The Hon. Mr. McCrea, Minister of Mines, Toronto, is already here on a second visit. He has been ordered by his doctors a complete rest for the next few weeks, preparatory to the opening of the Ontario House next January.

HOLD YOUR ANNUAL MEETINGS EARLY

QUITE a change of recent years has been recorded in connection with the holding of annual meetings of golf clubs in Canada. There was a time when the majority of these meetings were held in March or even in April. Now, however, all the leading and most successful clubs balance up their books and prepare their forthcoming budgets at the end of the season's activities and hold the annual meetings in December or January at latest. There is no question this is the best method to pursue as it gives the new officers elected and the executive staffs of the clubs a splendid start for the next season. By all means hold your annual meetings just as soon as possible and have the decks cleared for the activities of 1929. It will pay you to do so.

GOLF ALL THE RAGE NOW IN GERMANY

(Special Despatch to Canadian Golfer)

DEL Monte, November 15th.—"Cypress Point is a fairy tale—an unbelievably beautiful golf course! I have never seen anything quite so fantastic in charm as the Monterey Cypress which give this seaside links much of its distinctive character. Cypress Point and Pebble Beach stand out as the two finest golf courses I have ever seen in the world, including the famous seaside courses of Great Britain, on the continent and along the Atlantic coast."

This interesting comment on two of California's most celebrated golf courses was made at Hotel Del Monte to-day in an exclusive interview with Herr Hans Samek, of Berlin, noted as the "Father of Golf" in Germany and head of the German Golf Association.

Herr Samek, one of the most interesting recent visitors at Del Monte has been spending several days on the Monterey Peninsula, playing all four of the championship golf courses in the Del Monte sector.

Golf Now "All the Rage" in Germany

Before the war, according to Samek, there was but one 9-hole golf course in Germany—The Berlin Golf Club. In 1914 an 18-hole links was cut out of the Royal Forest near Potsdam, but when the war came it was converted into a potato field. At that time Samek was one of the few Germans

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who had taken up the sport, his devotees mainly consisting of American dentists and American and English diplomats.

Following the war Germany began to take an interest in golf. It is said that it is largely due to Herr Samek's untiring efforts that interest in the sport increased. He helped organize the famous Golf and Land Club which now boasts a closed membership of 1,400.

Samek went to Ulstein, known as the "Hearst of Germany" and persuaded him to give more space to golf in his papers. Samek's untiring efforts have been rewarded, as there are now 40 courses in Germany and in another year he predicts there will be 80 different links.

Many excellent German players have been developed, although Herr Samek admits that as yet there are few women golf stars in Germany. The boys and girls are taking up the sport and its future appears bright, he states.

With Herr Samek at Del Monte is Dr. Charles T. Hartley, of Los Angeles. It was Dr. Hartley, who, while practicing in Berlin, first introduced Samek to the Scotch diversion. Dr. J. P. Collins, of Los Angeles, is the third member of the party.

KANAWAKI, MONTREAL GREATLY IMPROVES CLUB HOUSE

WORK is well on the way with the extensive alterations and additions to the club house at the Kanawaki Golf Club, Montreal. This work will be entirely completed in time for the opening next season and will provide Kanawaki members, both men and women, with accommodation equal to any in Canada. The new buildings and alterations with furnishings and equipment will entail an expenditure of close to \$100,000, the financing of which has been successfully arranged by means of a bond issue which was readily subscribed by the members. The attractions of the larger clubhouse, along with the really wonderful condition of the Kanawaki course, have already added to the popularity of the club, which now has a full membership with a very substantial waiting list.

A SECOND GOLF CLUB LAUNCHED IN GALT

A DESPATCH from Galt, Ontario:

"The definite announcement has been made here of a second golf course in Galt, to be known as the Galt Golf and Country Club, and will be located three miles south of the city on the Hamilton Highway, and people behind the new organization comprise many of the younger generation, who have become devotees of the game, and many of whom have been playing at Paris, since the River View Club, with a nine-hole course, offered membership.

110 acres have been purchased and an 18-hole course will be laid out by Stanley Thompson, of Toronto, who has been engaged to supervise laying out the course. He is now at work in conjunction with Sam Bradley, former groundsman at the Paris Golf Club.

It is hoped to have the links ready next Spring, and while a temporary clubhouse only will be erected just now, plans are under way for a permanent building. The provisional directors of the club are: Allan Arnold, president; R. L. Pollock, Russell McQueen, Russell Lashbrook, L. M. Winter, A. E. Williard and R. Scroggins.

Application has been made for a charter."

Mr. Bradley writes the "Canadian Golfer" most enthusiastically about this new club and course. He states that Mr. Thompson has given them a wonderful lay-out and that work has already been started on the property, which boasts some very artistic stone fences which are a great ornament. Two of the greens have already been laid and planted with creeping bent, which is found in abundance in the vicinity. It is hoped to have six greens to start with in the spring and the balance of the course in play later on in the season. The biggest part of the property has been in pasture for a number of years and there is good turf right now on the fairways. Altogether the prospects are very bright for another very successful club in Galt. The new course will be 18 holes with a length of over 6,000 yards.

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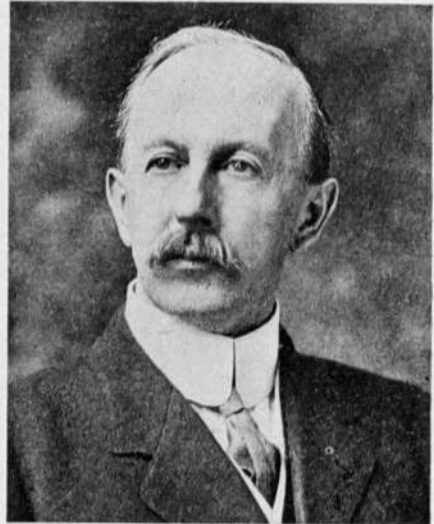
(By the Editor)

NOW, and in the years past, prominent English statesmen have entered the literary field and enriched it in a marked degree. In Canada this phase of the successful statesman's career has unfortunately not been much in evidence and it is therefore particularly delightful to find such a master of English as the Hon. Martin Burrell, a former Secretary of State and now Parliamentary Librarian at Ottawa, follow in the footsteps of many eminent Empire colleagues and issue in collected form at this appropriate season a series of essays and reviews which from time to time he has contributed to the Canadian press and which now appear under the tantalizing title of "Between Heaven and Charing Cross" (McMillans of Canada, Publishers, Toronto).

These semi-reviews or semi-essays, call them which you like, make most delightful and instructive reading.

They cover a diversity of subjects, a score or more or so from "A German View of Napoleon" to "Christmas Reveries" not forgetting, tucked in between a brilliant company, "Concerning Golf." Mr. Burrell is a well known devotee of the Royal and Ancient game and the acknowledged peer of all golfing after-dinner speakers. His scintillating speeches at the dinners of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association have for some years now been quite the outstanding feature of these notable annual events. They have been published in the "Canadian Golfer" and hugely enjoyed by readers alike in Canada, Great Britain and the States as testified to in letters received many times and oft from prominent followers of the game in all three countries.

The ex-Secretary of State brings to his charming essays a ripe and mellow scholarship, a critical judgment of men and affairs and a refreshing and subtle humour. "Betwixt Heaven and Charing Cross" stamps him as an essayist and reviewer, worthy to rank with the most distinguished in our language.



The Hon. Martin Burrell, Parliamentary Librarian, Ottawa.

THE ADVENT OF THE YELLOW BALL

(Metropolitan Golfer)

IT may not be long before yellow golf balls and yellow baseballs take the place of the white ones. From a gallery viewpoint the yellow golf ball is most satisfactory as it can be followed by the eye better than the white one. It can be seen just as easily on the fairway or green. When the right shade of yellow is found and adopted it will supplant the white golf ball and in a few years we will wonder why white ones were ever used, just as we wonder now why we never had rubbered cored balls long before the present generation.

We will turn to the yellow ball when the golfer can be convinced that it is exactly the same as the white ball on the inside. Of course they are the

same, with different paint. We are not accustomed to it, that is all. There was a slightly yellow tint on the old gutty balls and some of the old feather balls were made of yellow leather covering.

DAVIE BLACK WINS B. C. OPEN

**With Four Brilliant Rounds He Headed a Strong Field With a Total of 292.
Mr. Fred Wood the Leading Amateur**

(Vancouver Province)

DAVE Black, popular professional at the Shaughnessy Club, Vancouver, won the British Columbia Championship over his home course, when after two days' play he turned in the excellent card of 292 for seventy-two holes. Black well deserved the honour and the big end of the \$600 purse, for, after taking a 77 on the initial eighteen holes, he came back strongly to shoot two rounds of par 72s with a final 71, one under. Dunc Sutherland, of the Point Grey Club, Vancouver, was second with 305, with Phil Taylor, Victoria, third, two strokes worse. Black collects \$200 in cash, Sutherland \$150, and Taylor \$100. Capt. C. H. Perkins, of the Vancouver Club, fourth, gets \$75; Maurice Boxhall, of Powell River, won \$50, while Arthur Shepard, of Quilchena, earned \$25 for the last cash prize among the professionals.

Fred Wood, champion of the Vancouver Club, led the amateurs in low gross with a score of 317 for the four rounds. There was keen competition for this prize, Jack Perkins, also of Burnaby, shooting 318, while Monty Hill, finalist at the recent Jasper Park tourney, had a 319. Hill won the prize for low gross on the thirty-six holes played Friday with a 78 and a 76 for a total of 154.

E. T. Lowry took the prize for low nett on Friday's rounds with a nett 145. Noel Jones, of Shaughnessy, finished first with a nett of 142 but as he also won the low nett for 72 holes, he chose the prize for the latter. Jones shot 332 for the four rounds which, minus his handicap of 9, gave him a nett 296. Competition was also keen in this department, Ray Phelps having 297 and Dick Baker 298.

Phelps won the low nett prize for Thursday's play with a low nett of 143, while Dick Moore, also of Marine Drive, won low gross with 158.

President Percy Lewis of the Shaughnessy Club presented the prizes, stating that the directors were pleased to have had the privilege of entertaining the contestants in the championship tourney during the two days of play. Davie Black said that the pros had been greatly pleased with the success of the venture and he hoped that next year's championship at Oak Bay would draw even a larger entry than the initial one in Vancouver. Phil Taylor and the other pros expressed their appreciation of the courtesies extended them by Shaughnessy directors and officers and complimented L. M. Diether, chairman of the greens committee, on the wonderful condition of the course. One of the features of the presentation was a remembrance from the pros to Chas. "Big Mac" McDonald, the genial starter, who got the players away with his usual efficiency.

Black's performance in the two days' play is worthy of special reference. On his last three rounds he led amateurs and pros alike and was second to Phil Taylor on the opening round. He shot a perfect round on Friday morning for a par 72 and then in the afternoon he shot the first nine in one under par and the second nine in par 34 for a 71.

Starting the final round, Davie's second ran through the bunker guarding the green on the right, the ball coming to rest so close to the mound that he could not get a clean hit with his niblick. He took a six. Black recovered on the second when he shot a birdie four and followed on the third

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with a birdie two, his tee shot coming to rest three inches from the cup. He shot a birdie on this hole in the morning, too, when his tee shot was six inches from the cup. Black sank a twelve-foot putt for a birdie four on the fourth, followed with a par four on the fifth and dropped a nine-foot putt for a birdie three on the sixth, making him three under par. Black's second was in the trap to the left of the green on the seventh. Out in three, he was down in five. He missed a five-foot putt for a four on the eighth and missed an eight-foot putt on the ninth on his third, going down in par, making his card 37 or one under par on this nine.

Black took a par three on the tenth, when his six-foot putt for a two went awry. A par four on the eleventh, a neat birdie three on the twelfth, a par four on the thirteenth and another birdie three on the fourteenth made Black two under on this nine. The fifteenth and sixteenth required fives but the last two were holed in par for a total of 34 or 71 on the round.

Fred Wood, of Burnaby, who copped low gross honours among the amateurs, had a bad time on his final eighteen, taking 83 as against his beautiful card of 74 in the morning when he could do nothing wrong. Driving long and straight off the tee, Wood played his irons and woods to perfection on the fairways, while his putting was deadly.

Monty Hill made a gallant effort to make up for his early rounds of 82 and 83, taking 78 and 76 on Friday.

Noel Jones also played consistently to earn low nett honours for 72 holes and low nett for Friday. Several players retired after Thursday's play.

The scores of the leaders:

Dave Black	77-72-72-71—292
Dunc Sutherland	78-76-77-74—305
Phil Taylor, Victoria.....	74-78-80-75—307
Chas. Perkins	78-81-75-77—311
M. Boxhall, Powell R.....	81-78-76-79—314
Arthur Sheppard	77-78-81-81—317
Fred Wood	76-84-74-83—317
Jack Perkins	80-80-80-78—318
Monty Hill	82-83-78-76—319
Jack Fraser	81-83-78-79—321
Dick Moore	79-79-85-79—322
Jas. Bell	82-82-80-78—322
R. P. Baker	84-80-77-85—326
Jimmy Huish	85-79-83-81—328

(Ed. Note.—This was the first year of this interesting Tournament and it certainly "went over big." Next year the venue will be Victoria.

Davie Black four times was the winner of the Canadian Professionals Championship. Of recent years he has not competed in this event. Before going to Shaughnessy Heights Club he was professional at the Rivermead Golf Club, Ottawa. Last year he was on the Canadian Ryder Cup team and won second money (\$150). Arthur Havers, the former British Open Champion, nosing him out by a stroke for first place, the scores for the 72 holes being, Havers 296, Black 297. Davie learned his game in Scotland and is a credit alike to the country of his birth and the country of his adoption. He is one of the most popular professionals on the Pacific Coast.

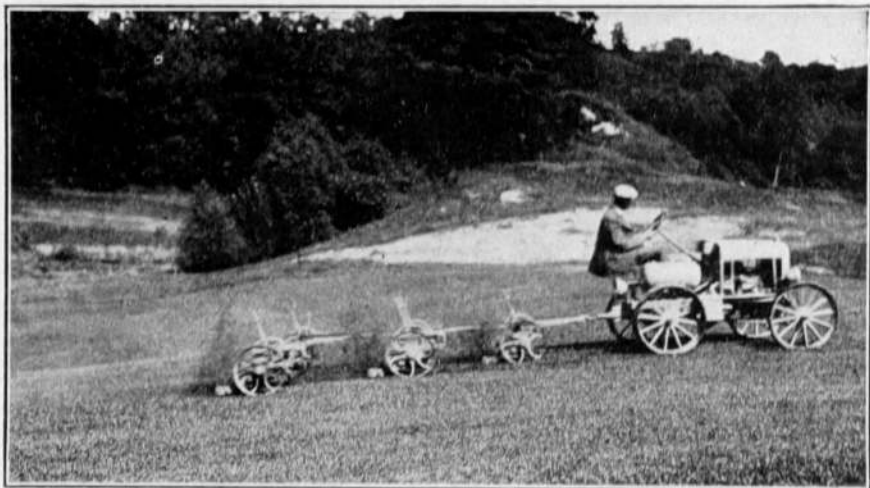
THE VALUE OF THE MASHIE-NIBLICK

(Gene Sarazen)

ONE club that is very apt to be under-valued is the mashie niblick. It is considered all right as a chance taker in time of trouble, but people are apt to forget it entirely in listing the most important club their kit consists of. Like many dogs of a mongrel breed, this cross between a mashie and a niblick is seldom the recipient of attention or confidence and golfers unacquainted with its saving graces use it as few times as possible.

Judging purely by face values one could hardly regard the implement in the light of a thing of beauty. The blade is shallow, the face tilted far back and its general appearance not apt to inspire an implicit faith in its ability.

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Looks in clubs as in humans is oft mistaken, however. If one could but master this particular implement he would find his high scores rapidly diminishing.

There is an old saying, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," and this might well apply to the mashie-niblick. It is the friend that comes to your aid in trouble and anyone who has played golf knows that trouble is not a stranger on the golf course. When in difficulty call on the mashie-niblick.

For it is here that the duffer's score mounts rapidly. More skillful players acquainted with the use of the mashie-niblick are able to extricate themselves with the loss of but one stroke, while the mediocre player takes three or often more. Perhaps no greater test of comparison between these two groups of players could be made than their comparative skill with this club.

The club will repay time spent with it. Even when trouble is nowhere around the play to the pin can be made easier with this implement. After numerous trials and tribulations in and out of trouble with it, it is a much easier matter to play a shot from the fairway.

The mashie-niblick should never be used for distance. From seventy-five to a hundred yards is the usual yardage made with it. Most players employ too much force in playing with this club for true success. The ball in trouble, they think force is the only way out and put all their muscle in the effort. Instead of hitting the ball in a natural way, that is, down at it and letting the blade raise the ball in the air, they attempt to scoop it out.

A half swing is all that should be attempted in this shot. The down stroke should be snappy, with a first wrist action. If the shot is to be a success

it is imperative that the player stay down until after the shot has been made.

In every tournament there are thousands of golfing fans who trudge light-heartedly along with the players, watching the game as the experts play it. Most of these spectators are eager to find out just what difference there is between a mediocre player and a first-class one, but do not sufficiently exert themselves to distinguish. The player is there to be watched, but instead of keeping their eye on him they watch the ball. I do not believe they think this part of the game is more beneficial to their game than the actual play, but certainly if one is to believe what he sees, it is vastly more interesting.

It is to the majority without a doubt. Those few who can perceive the play of arms, hands and body no doubt find this pastime a bit more nourishing to their game. In this action they see each individual separately, although always there is a perfect rhythmic motion of the members of the body so smooth that each action seems to blend perfectly into the one following. To the true golf connoisseur this is interesting indeed. To display the true value of such scrutiny perhaps it would be wise to give a few of the lessons that might be found out from such observation.

Most players have the idea that if their body gets around too soon they will slice, which is erroneous. The general cause is that the wrists do not straighten out at the correct moment, causing the arms to pass the ball before the clubhead reaches it. This is nearly always caused by the left arm bending or by gripping the club too tightly.

To prevent an involuntary check on the clubhead after it has hit the ball, a follow-through is necessary. This is a continuation of the swing after the ball has been hit and does not cause a loss of speed in the clubhead, which might be the case if one was only intent on hitting the ball. The object is to swing through the ball and not at it. This is a good rule to adhere to all shots, although some follow-throughs are more exaggerated than others.

If the spectator will watch carefully he will see that not only is the back-swing started by dragging the hands back and pivoting the body, but that the downward stroke is started by a movement of the hips rotating to their original position. A good shot in golf depends upon good body movement, the arms and hands conforming to this movement. Alone, the hands could send the ball only a short distance, but working together in this manner it becomes a powerful stroke.

The hips are slightly in advance of the shoulders in this operation, but this circular movement gives a pulling power throughout the stroke. A close watch of the left arm will show that is merely a connecting link between the body and the wrists. As such it can do no wrong. The trouble with most golfers is that they think the downswing is started by either the hands or by pulling the club down with the left arm. If they would adapt the body movement I feel sure they would have greater success.

WINDSOR CLUB SELLS OLD COURSE

NOT later than Dominion Day, 1929, and perhaps, earlier, members of the oldest golf club in the Windsor, Ontario, district—the Essex Golf and Country Club—will be playing on the newest course in Western Ontario, which is rapidly taking shape eight and a half miles from Windsor, near La Salle. The new course, which was laid out by Donald Ross, Pinehurst, N.C., the golf architect, is fully 800 yards longer than the present course in Sandwich which has been sold for a figure around \$600,000.

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GORDON Taylor, Jr., Ontario Junior Champion and again the champion of York Downs Golf Club, Toronto, was presented with the Wood Trophy at the annual dinner of the club last month.

The Wood Trophy is emblematic of the club championship, and has been won by Taylor in 1926, 1927 and 1928. After this year's championship, Mr. Wood instructed the club to present the trophy to Gordon, stating that he would donate another trophy for the 1929 championship. The presentation was made by George S. Lyon, an honorary member, who spoke highly of Taylor's skill as a golfer.

Winners of the other trophies were: Cronyn Cup—K. S. McKinnon. Greening Cup—H. M. Asling, and McPherson Cup—S. H. Fellows.

During the afternoon a 9-hole medal round was held, which was won by the club champion, who had a score of 38. The program also included a putting and driving competition.

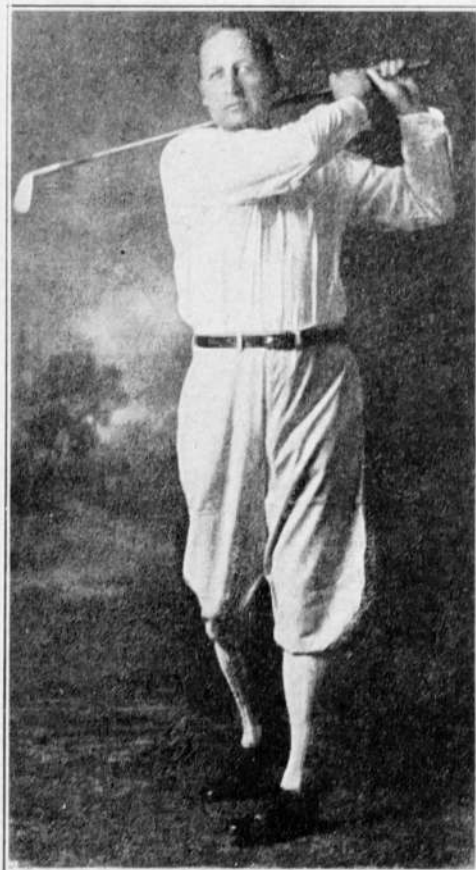
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The final ladies' field day held at the Bay of Quinte Golf and Country Club, Belleville, Ont., resulted in the putting competition being won by Mrs. W. J. Hume, with Mrs. A. P. Allen and Mrs. Walter Reeves tied for second place. In the driving contest Mrs. O'Flynn was first and Mrs. Reeves second. The approaching event was won by Mrs. S. Robertson and Mrs. S. Branscombe, while the sealed hole competition resulted in a triple tie, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Reeves having the same score.

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When Mr. Harry Phelan defeated Mr. E. A. Harris in a 36-hole match the last local club title was decided at the Scarborough' Golf and Country Club, Toronto. Phelan emerged as the champion from a field which included Alex. Carriek, C. M. Jones and the best players of the Scarborough' club. The final was a surprisingly close contest. Phelan was 1 up at the 18th

hole and won at the 34th by 2 and 1. He is not only a very fine golfer but for seven years held the Canadian Handball Championship.



Mr. Harry Phelan, celebrated handball champion, who now wins the Golf Championship of the Scarborough Club.

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The season at the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis Club was officially closed when the final field day was held, followed by the presentation of prizes to the winners of the various competitions conducted during the season. Miss Hazel Hudson, one of the most promising young players developed in the last few years, won the club championship. The following prizes were presented by Mrs. R. A. Dunlap in the presence of a large

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Silver division ringer—Miss Hazel Hudson.

Bronze division ringer—Miss I. Suckling.

Nine-hole ringer—Miss M. Morse.

C.L.G.U. spoons—Silver division, Miss Hazel Hudson; bronze division, Miss I. Suckling.

Business girls' trophy—Winner, Miss S. Robinson; runner-up, Miss N. Jack.

Match play, 25 to 36 handicap—Winner, Miss P. Fowlds; runner-up, Mrs. N. Seaman.

Mixed foursome, Eddis trophy—Miss M. Howard and Mr. H. Fowler.

Intermediate ladder—Miss Margot Murray.

Field day events—One club marathon—Mrs. Charles Eddis.

Nine-hole handicap—Miss Betty Gillespie.

Driving—Mrs. Charles Eddis.

Approaching and putting—Miss Douglas Gunn.

Putting—Mrs. K. Strother.

Longest individual drive—Miss S. Robinson.

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Closing a most successful season, the first over the championship course as reconstructed, the Brantford Golf and Country Club held its annual dinner last month.

Trophies won during the year were presented as follows: May Cup—W. M. Carpenter. June Cup—M. Robertson. July Cup—Dr. E. A. Smith. August Cup—Dr. C. C. Alexander. September Cup—D. O. Johnston. Martin Cup—G. P. Nixon; runner-up,

J. Couleman. Secord Cup—J. Marquis; runner-up, F. Ford. Kerr Cup—W. C. Brooks; runner-up, D. S. Gibson. President's Cup—F. A. Howard; runner-up, D. Brooks. Club Championship—J. S. Lewis; runner-up, E. C. Gould; second flight, G. Caudwell; runner-up, Dr. E. A. Smith. Captain's Cup—D. Brooks; runner-up, R. L. Houlding. Canadian Golfer Shield—W. M. Nobbs; runner-up, J. P. MacDonald. Webling Shield—Jack Marquis; runner-up, Dr. C. D. Chapin. Mixed foursome—G. B. Gordon and Miss M. Gordon.

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The season at the Summit Golf and Country Club, Toronto, was officially closed last month when the final competition was played and the prizes presented at the dinner dance in the evening. The prize winners were:

Victoria and Aurora mixed foursomes—Mr. H. Parker and Mrs. Plaxton.

Weldon trophy club championship—George Husband; runner-up, L. D. Bickford.

Georgia Weldon Cup, ladies' championship—Mrs. H. C. Lefroy; runner-up, Mrs. White.

Craig Cup, Century Club Championship—Frank Crew; runner-up, F. C. Biggar.

Moysey Cup, club handicap—Fred J. Boland; runner-up, J. H. Morin.

Moysey Cup, ladies' handicap—Mrs. Shreiner; runner-up, Miss A. White.

Davis Cup, putting championship—Fred J. Moland, 16; ties, H. R. Case, Geo. Husband, A. T. Galt, 17.

Services Cup—L. D. Bickford; runner-up, Frank Freeland.

John Gorman Consolation Cup—H. G. Popham; runner-up, Fergus McKee.

Southee Consolation Century Club—J. E. Regan; runner-up, F. T. Verrall.

Welch flag competition—A. M. McKinnon.

Perey Barrett putter—A. T. Galt.

Haynes benefit medal competition—Captain's prize, best gross, H. G. Wookey, E. H. Paisley, A. T. Galt, 82. Vice-Captain's prize, best nett, C. D. Chisholm, 64.

Spring Scotch foursomes—H. Parker and B. L. Simpson.

Ringer competition—Cutton Cup, first flight, L. D. Bickford, 53; MacFayden Cup, 2nd flight, Fergus McKee, 59; Grew Cup, third flight, F. A. Henderson, 72; ladies, Mrs. McKee.

Those winners who were unavoidably absent on Saturday for the prize giving will find their prize in care of the secretary and are requested to call for them as soon as possible.

Mrs. C. S. Eddis, of the Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto, won the Eaton Gift Shop Trophy with a score of 82 over the Toronto Women's Golf and Tennis Club course. The match was an 18-hole handicap and was held on a heavy course under disagreeable conditions. More than 80 players were included in the pairings for the competition, and while a number failed to appear at the tee, the match remained a contest between Miss Ada Mackenzie, Mrs. R. W. Gouinlock, Miss Maude Smith and other leading golfers of the district.

Mrs. Eddis defeated Mrs. C. A. Boone, of the Toronto Golf Club, by one stroke. Miss Hazel Hudson, Toronto Women's Golf and Tennis Club, finished third, with a score of 85. Mrs. P. K. Heywood, Rosedale, and Mrs. H. Bonnar, Humber Valley, tied with scores of 86. The low gross score of the competition was returned by Miss Ada Mackenzie, who had a card of 91. Mrs. Gouinlock followed with a score of 96 and others who returned cards in the 90's were Miss Hudson, Mrs. Heywood and Mrs. Fisher. Miss Mackenzie announced that the trophy would become the permanent property of any player who won it for three successive years.

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John B. Nash, Jr., won the club championship of the Highland Golf Club, London, defeating J. Farncomb in the 36-hole final. This is the first time a 16-year-old has been known to win a club championship in Ontario, and it looks as if London will soon have another Ross Somerville. At the turn of the first 18 holes Farncomb had Nash down 4 holes, but the youngster came back in the afternoon, carding a 78 to win the match 1 up.

Young Nash won the city junior championship for three successive years, and at the present time holds the Marsh-Nixon Trophy.

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With many members taking part in the events on the program, the Up-lands Golf and Country Club, Toronto, brought its year to a conclusion with



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a field day. In the evening, trophies and prizes were presented to the successful golfers. The results of the field day and the season's matches were:

Medal round-low gross—1, F. J. Smith; 2, A. Sharp. Low net—1, J. P. Esterbrook; 2, E. Walker. Least number of putts—P. E. F. Smily. Low gross, first nine—R. G. Barnes; second nine, Dr. J. A. C. Evans. Low net, first nine—R. Sullivan; second nine, H. Gledhill. Largest number of birdies—J. B. Lawrence. Sealed hole competition—W. E. Sutton and A. J. McLatchy.

Nine-hole medal round, women, low gross—1, Mrs. Mills; 2, Mrs. Goold. Low net—Miss F. Murray; 2, Miss E. Summers. Least number of putts—Mrs. Ames. Approaching and putting—1, Mrs. McKay; 2, Mrs. Mills. Driving—1, Mrs. Williamson; 2, Miss Phyllis Shaver.

Juniors, low gross—1, J. V. Cressy; 2, W. Sutton. Net—1, E. Fee; 2, D. Landell. Club championship—R. Plaxton. Henning Trophy—F. J. Smith. W. B. Mackie Trophy—Dr. J. D. Evans. Cressy Cup—J. V. Cressy. R. J. Christie Cup—S. C. Jones. Landell Shield (Father and Son)—A. V. Cressy and Joseph Cressy. Club championship—Mrs. McLatchy; runner-up, Mrs. Hen-



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derson. McGee Trophy—Mrs. McLatchy; runner-up—Miss M. Summers. Landell Trophy—Mrs. Belfry; runner-up, Miss P. Shaver.

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The Barrie Country Club, Barrie, Ont., has just closed the most successful season in its history. The financial statement shows a very substantial bank balance. The Directors appointed for 1929 are Major C. Wadsworth, Judge Wismer, W. A. Boys, D. M. Stewart and H. M. Asling. Principal prize winners for 1928:

Club championship (cup presented by Major Wadsworth, president of the club), D. M. Stewart. The Battle Cup, won by D. M. Stewart. Runner-up club championship, J. Webb. Ladies' championship, winner Mrs. A. G. Patterson. The Rees Cup won by Mrs. John Walker.

Next spring hot showers are to be installed in the club house and also a number of changes and improvements made to the course.

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Over one hundred members of the Paris Golf and Country Club, Paris, Ontario, attended the closing dinner-bridge. The club which has a particularly pretty course, had a very successful season. During the dinner the president, Mr. R. E. Haire, and the ladies' president, Mrs. J. K. Martin, presented the 1928 prizes as follows:

Ladies—Club championship, won by Miss Gladys Stuart Jones. President's prize,

donated by Mrs. J. K. Martin, president of the ladies' section, and won by Miss Gladys Stuart Jones. Captain's prize, donated by Miss Gladys Stuart Jones, captain of the ladies' team, and won by Miss Helen Armstrong. Nine hole prize, won by Mrs. R. H. Turnbull. Mrs. C. E. Dunn's prize, won by Miss Gladys Stuart Jones. Charles McCormack's prize, won by Mrs. William Ferguson.

Men—Club championship, won by J. K. Martin. Cups were donated for competition among the men each month. They were: June, donated by J. R. Inskater, and won by H. P. Long; July, donated by Sheldon Smoke, and won by W. F. Ferguson; August, donated by Franklin Smoke, and won by R. T. Hall; September, donated by A. G. McDonald, and won by John Harold, Jr. Captain's prize, donated by L. Webster, captain of the men's team, and won by S. M. Moffat.

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"The Rabbit's Reply." By Lucio, in the Manchester Guardian:—

This alteration they propose
It does not frighten me;
It will not swell the rabbit's woes
But suit him to a tee.
In this direction, after all,
I don't care what they do,
For he who hits a little ball
Can hit a large one, too.
Now brighter is the golfing scene,
For what I say is this—
The larger ball must surely mean
The harder ball to miss.
And I could wish this new trait
with largeness for its aim
Would spread abroad and permeate
All aspects of the game.
I'd like some larger clubs, I would,
With bigger, fatter heads—
Those ought to do the rabbit good
And cure the miss he dreads.
And it's O for the day when I can
play
With a club that hits 'em clean,
And the ball one buys is of football
size,
And the hole is as big as the
green!

(Note, in England and to some extent in Canada, a hopelessly high-handicap player is contemptuously referred to as a "Rabbit".)

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At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Section of the York Downs

Golf Club, Toronto, held at the club house Oct. 25th, the following ladies were elected to the executive committee for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Duncan Coulson; Vice-president, Mrs. Philip E. Boyd; Secretary, Mrs. J. F. Hobkirk; Captain, Mrs. W. E. Pepall; Vice-captain, Mrs. Fred T. Large; manager handicap sheets, Mrs. F. Grant; manager ringer sheets, Miss Jean Wood, Mrs. J. L. R. Parsons; General Committee, Mrs. D. M. Robertson, Mrs. Bryce Hunter, Mrs. Homer Simon, Miss May Livingstone, Mrs. W. J. Baxter, Mrs. C. H. Hair.

The club championship was won by Mrs. Duncan Coulson.

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A special despatch to the Canadian Golfer from Pinehurst, N.C.:

Miss Glenna Collett, women's national golf champion, will again spend the winter at Pinehurst. Last year the Providence girl set a record in the amount of real estate sold for a local firm and expects to do even better this year. Miss Collett was non-committal on the amount of golf she expects to play during the winter but she will undoubtedly take part in all the big tournaments, including the Mid-South Women's and the Women's North and South. There will be nine courses available this season, five at the Pinehurst Country Club, one at Pine Needles, one at Mid-Pines, and two at Southern Pines.

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The following are the prize winners the past season at the popular Lingan Golf and Country Club, Sydney, N.S.:

Club championship, Walter Herd, and runner-up, W. M. Bird; Hees Cup, Class A, Mr. Bird, and Class B, Dr. H. R. Ross; Monthly Handicap Final, G. A. Hault; Monthly Handicaps, Mr. Hault, R. H. Morris, J. R. McIsaac, Mr. Bird, and J. S. Nairn; Junior Championship, Bill Kelley, and runner-up, Lewis Campbell; Darby and Joan match, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tasman; Handicap versus Par competition, Mr. Campbell; Iron match, Z. W. Graves; Ladies' championship, Mrs. R. B. Gillis, and runner-up, Miss K. McLennan; Mixed foursome, President's prize, Mrs. W. M. Cowperthwaite and L. X. MacDonald; Morris prize, Mrs. E. L. Coleman and F. A. McInnis; Buckley prize, Mrs. Phil Williams and Mr. McInnis; Club prize, Mrs. William and P. G. Hall; McConnell prize, Mrs. D. J.



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Prizes given under the Ladies' Executive were as follows: Championship club, Mrs. H. B. Gillis, who also won second prize in the long driving and approaching and putting; runner-up in the ladies' championship, Miss McLennan; First Flight handicap, Mrs. Graves, who also won the long driving competition and two Monthly Handicaps; while other winners of the Monthly Handicaps were Mrs. V. W. Merchant, twice a winner, and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. A. W. Reeves, and Mrs. W. A. G. Hill.

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The passing of Mr. Justice Ferguson of the Supreme Court of Ontario, is greatly mourned by friends throughout the Province. As a boy and youth he was actively interested in all kinds of sport, captaining the football teams of U.C.C. and Osgoode



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Hall, besides playing rugby and lacrosse. He was also president of the Ontario Rugby Union. Latterly he played golf and was a member of the Toronto Golf Club.

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The Ladies' Golf Section of the Toronto Hunt Club had its final field day on November 5th after which the season's prizes were presented as follows:

Championship—Winner, Mrs. Victor Sifton, presented by Mrs. Miles; runner-up, Mrs. Hamilton Burns, presented by Mrs. Ivery. 9-hole championship, winner, Mrs. R. I. Towers, presented by Mrs. F. A. Reid; runner-up, Mrs. Phippen, presented by the Misses Michie. 18-hole ringer, 1st, Mrs. Burns, presented by Mrs. Phippen; 2nd, Mrs. King Smith, presented by Miss Maule. 9-hole ringer, 1st, Miss E. Cosby, presented by Mrs. Phippen. 1 club match for 9-hole players, won by Miss E. Michie, presented

by Mrs. John McKee. Bronze ringer, winner, Miss L. Maule, presented by Mrs. V. Sifton. Approaching and putting, 18 holes, winner, Mrs. J. J. Ashworth, presented by Mrs. C. J. Currie; 9 holes, winner, Mrs. Arthur Kirkpatrick, presented by Mrs. A. W. Barnard. Driving, 18 holes, winner, Mrs. Victor Sifton, presented by Mrs. Phippen; 9 holes, winner, Mrs. Caufield, presented by Mrs. Phippen. Medal round, 18 holes handicap, winner, Miss L. Gouinlock, presented by Mrs. King Smith; 9 holes handicap, winner, Mrs. Dickie, presented by Mrs. King Smith. 18 gross, winner, Mrs. J. Coulson, presented by Mrs. Gordon Phippen. 9 gross, winner, Mrs. Rogers, presented by Mrs. Strachan Johnston. Cowan Plate, winner, Mrs. A. N. Mitchell, presented by Mrs. F. Cowan, Oshawa.

Mrs. Phippen, the president, was hostess at luncheon and tea. Flowers were presented to Mrs. Phippen, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Barnard and Miss Helen Fraser and hearty votes of thanks passed to Mrs. Phippen and Mrs. Burns.

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The secretary of the Elm Ridge Country Club, Dorval, Que., Mr. A. P. Kentland, writes:

"Elm Ridge has had a very successful season and its players are showing improvement in their golf.

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Winding up what is declared to have been the most successful on record, the ladies' section of the Brantford Golf and Country Club awarded the season's trophies as follows:

Club championship—Mrs. A. A. Werlich; runner, Mrs. Hewitt.

Handicap tournament—Miss K. Bishop; runner-up, Miss Maude Cockshutt.

Second flight—Miss Lois Brooks; runner-up, Mrs. Pilkey.

Third flight—Miss I. Duncan; runner-up, Miss S. Hewitt.

12-hole championship—Miss I. Duncan; runner-up, Miss I. Jones.

Ringer scores, silver division, Mrs. Werlich; bronze, Miss Maude Cockshutt. 10-hole, Miss I. Duncan.

Reduction of handicap—Mrs. Hewitt.

May Cup, 18-hole, Miss K. Bishop; June Cup, Miss Maude Cockshutt; July Cup, Miss Marion Thompson, Paris.

June Cup, 10 hole, Miss Gibson; July Cup, Miss I. Duncan; August Cup, Miss Cora Jones.

C.L.G.U. spoons, silver divisions, Miss K. Bishop and Miss G. Wilkes; bronze, Miss Gibson.

The ladies' house committee represented a lamp to Mr. and Mrs. Knight for their services during the season.

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The ladies' section of the Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto, officially closed the season Nov. 4th, when a medal competition was held, followed by the presentation of prizes to the various winners by Mrs. W. E. Gallie, the president. The prize winners were:—

Club championship—Winner, Mrs. W. E. Gallie; runner-up, Miss Helen Reid.

Championship consolation, beaten eights—Miss N. Defoe (prize donated by Mrs. Gallie).

Spring handicap, Edythe Stewart Trophy—Mrs. H. C. Lefroy.

C.L.G.U. silver spoons for four best aggregate scores in silver division—Mrs. W. E. Gallie and Miss Helen Reid (tied).

Silver division ringer competition—1 (Mrs. Torrance's prize), Miss Mary Milliechamp; 2 (Mrs. E. E. Lennox's prize), Mrs. E. P. Clarkson; 3 (Mrs. J. D. Woods' prize), Miss Helen Reid.

Nine hole championship (Mrs. Crockett's prize)—Mrs. E. J. Trow.

Best qualifying score of nine hole championship (Miss Menzies' prize)—Mrs. E. J. Trow.

Bronze division ringer competition—1 (Mrs. A. E. Matthews' prize), Mrs. H. Page; 2 (Mrs. A. H. Black's prize), Mrs. John Miln and Mrs. Harold Beatty.

C.L.G.U. coffee spoon for best aggregate scores in bronze division—Mrs. E. Crockett.

Prize for the greatest average reduction in handicap (Mrs. H. C. Lefroy's prize)—Mrs. E. Crockett.

Closing Day's Prizes—Best gross score, silver division (James Johnstone's prize), Miss Mary Milliechamp.

Best gross score, bronze division (James Johnstone's prize), Mrs. C. S. Eddis.

Best nett score, silver division (Mrs. Clarkson's prize), Mrs. H. A. Colson.

Best nett score, bronze division—1 (Mrs. Crockett's prize), Mrs. Harold Manning; 2 (Mrs. A. D. Miles' prize), Miss M. Gagen.

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Sir Robert Frederic Stupart (Old Probs), head of the Canadian Meteorological Department, has resigned his important position after over half a century of active work. The resignation takes effect January 1st next and the probabilities are that the head office of the department will be removed then from Toronto to Ottawa. Sir Robert is a prominent member of the Toronto Golf Club and the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association.

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The following is the ticket for 1929 for the officers of the United States Golf Association. The annual meeting will be held next January in New York:

President, Findlay S. Douglas, The Apawamis Club. Vice-presidents, H. H.

Ramsay, The Creek Club; Roger D. Lapham, San Francisco Club. Secretary, Prescott S. Bush, The Round Hill Club. Treasurer, Charles H. Sabin, National Golf Links of America. Counsel, John G. Jackson, Deepdale Golf Club. Executive Committee—Wynant D. Vanderpool, Honourary Member, Morris County Golf Club; Findlay S. Douglas, The Apawamis Club; H. H. Ramsay, The Creek Club; Roger D. Lapham, San Francisco Golf Club; Prescott S. Bush, The Round Hill Club; Charles H. Sabin, National Golf Links of America; Herbert Jaques, The Country Club (Brookline); Rodman E. Griscom, Merion Cricket Club; Harry Potter, St. Louis Country Club; Robert T. Jones, Jr., Atlanta Athletic Club; Ganson Depew, Country Club of Buffalo; Cornelius S. Lee, Tuxedo Golf Club; Robert M. Cutting, Hinsdale Golf Club; Harrison R. Johnston, Minikahda Club.

Mr. Findlay S. Douglas, the nominee for the presidency, is a former well known Scottish player. He won the U. S. Amateur Championship in 1898, or thirty years ago.

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Over 150 members and friends attended the annual closing dance of the Glendale Golf Club, Hamilton, on November 9th, in the club house, Mr. Watson Dunmore, Jr., was the chairman. A large basket of chrysanthemums was presented to Mrs. B. L. Simpson, ladies' president, and to Mrs. C. Gooch, ladies' captain. The presentation of the ladies' prizes was made by Mrs. Gooch, and Mr. John T. Truman, men's captain, presented their prizes. The ladies' prizes and cups were awarded as follows:

Diggins Cup, Mrs. C. Gooch; runner-up, Mrs. F. Grice. Lowe Cup, Miss Jessie Dixon; runner-up, Mrs. F. Sloan. Greenway Cup, Miss R. Galloway; runner-up, Mrs. C. Gooch; White Cup, Miss Shirley Best. Ringer score, silver division, Mrs. C. Gooch. Ringer score, bronze division, Mrs. F. Grice. C. L. G. U. spoon, silver division, Mrs. C. Gooch; bronze division, Mrs. G. W. Houston. Nine-hole ringer, Mrs. J. H. Taylor. Reduction of handicap, Mrs. C. Gooch. B class championship, Mrs. Bauman; runner-up, Mrs. F. Knight. Consolation Cup, Mrs. Cody. Junior ladies' championship, Miss Mary Hunter; runner-up, Miss Shirley Best. Club championship, Mrs. C. Gooch; runner-

up, Mrs. J. S. McCaughey. Consolation, Mrs. G. F. Houston; consolation runner-up, Mrs. F. Sloan. Gold cup donated by Mr. Hunter, won by Mrs. G. F. Armstrong.

The men's prizes were presented as follows: Ringer score, Mr. Frank Armstrong. Empire Cup, Mr. C. L. Carey. Green Section Medal, Mr. R. Birtwistle. Merchants Bank Cup, Mr. John S. Robertson. Martin Cup, Mr. C. L. Carey. Brown Cup, Mr. W. C. Garbutt. Dunlop Trophy, Mr. J. H. Taylor. Junior (Eedson) Cup, Mr. C. Bastedo. Club championship (Norman Ellis Cup), Mr. C. Bastedo.

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6.—Golf takes one to a horrible place called the 19th hole, where one chews cloves and figures excuses for missing the train.

7.—Men who play golf on Sunday do not as a rule go to church thereby losing valuable sleep.

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9.—And golf causes men to worry. Some men lose their hair over it. So down with golf—down with automobiles—and down with everything else that's bad for us.

Moral: You don't have to be crazy to play golf, but it does help.

Sent by E. T. T.

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The ladies' branch of the Summerlea Golf Club, Montreal, held its closing annual meeting Oct. 12th, when the season's prizes were distributed.

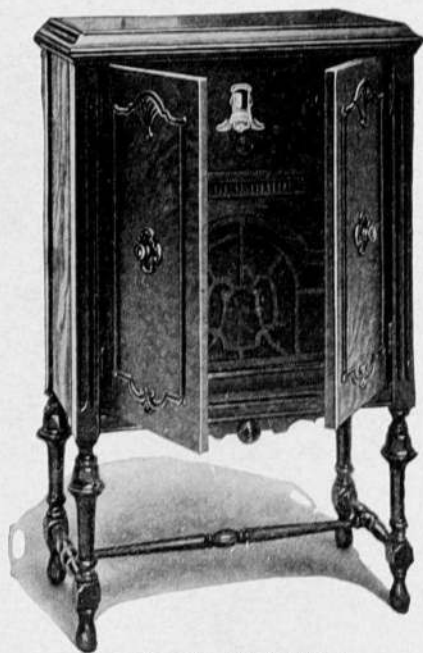
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and the election of officers for the season 1929 took place. There was a very large turn out and much interest was manifest, especially in the election of officers who would conduct the club's affairs for the coming year. Prior to the meeting a driving, approaching, and putting competition was held, with the following results:

Driving—Longest drive, Class A, Miss Doris Taylor. Aggregate drives, Class A, Mrs. H. Lamb. Longest drive, Class B, Miss K. Camperon. Aggregate drives, Class B, Mrs. B. G. Ransom.

Approaching and putting—Class A, Mrs. W. P. Murray. Class B, Mrs. H. Campbell.

The prize winners for the season were announced as follows and the prizes distributed:

Miss Marjorie Silcock, Club Champion; Mrs. W. R. Vining, runner-up; Mrs. J. Weir, Consolation Flight; Mrs. H. Lamb, Consolation runner-up; Mrs. W. Lawrie, President's Prize; Mrs. C. P. Howard—runner-up; Mrs. C. Fairchilds, Vice-President's Prize; Mrs. H. Campbell, runner-up; Mrs. C. P. Howard, Thornton Prize; Mrs. W. P. Murray, runner-up; Miss Marjorie Silcock, Class A Ringer; Mrs. W. R. Vining, runner-up; Miss K. Cameron, Class B Ringer; Mrs. H. Campbell, runner-up; Mrs. R. M. Robertson, 9-hole competition; Mrs. Rathie, runner-up; Mrs. W. P. Murray, one club, Class A; Miss K. Cameron, one club, Class B. Miss Marjorie Silcock, best 9 holes; Mrs. Patenaude, best 9 holes, Class A; Mrs. C. Howard, Tombstone Competition; Mrs. W. P. Murray, Epitaph; Miss Doris Taylor, greatest reduction in handicap; Mrs. C. C. Maughan, greatest reduction in score; Miss Marjorie Silcock, four lowest gross scores C. L. G. U.

Medal Rounds—Miss Doris Taylor, four lowest net aggregate scores C. L. G. U. Medal Rounds.

The following officers were elected to serve for the season of 1929.

Mrs. Claude Villiers, Hon. President; Mrs. W. R. Vining, President; Mrs. J. D. Johnson, 1st Vice-President; Mrs. A. F. Lytle, 2nd Vice-President; Mrs. J. S. Cameron, Hon. Secretary; Mrs. Murray, Hon. Treasurer; Mrs. Geo. M. Scott, Convenor, House Committee; Mrs. J. R. Robinson, Convenor, Flower Committee; Mrs. H. S. Smith, Captain; Mrs. B. G. Ransom, Press Committee.

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A strong team of professionals, raised by J. H. Taylor, visited Southfield, near Oxford, to play against Oxford University. The Dark Blues, though each received a start of 3 holes, accomplished an excellent performance in finishing the morning play all square. Each team won four

singles and halved two. The hero of the morning was A. S. Bradshaw, the Oxford captain, who defeated George Duncan, 5 and 3. Bradshaw played splendidly. B. E. Rigg, who beat Alex Herd, 4 and 2, wears spectacles, and bears a strong resemblance to T. P. Perkins, the British Amateur Champion. He played golf worthy of the amateur champion, and, in the opinion of Herd, he is likely to prove one of the best University players of recent years. He did the first nine holes in 34—remarkable play considering the heavy state of the course and rain. The professionals won four of the five foursomes.

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Mr. Nicol Jeffrey, K.C., Guelph, has been appointed to the Trial Division of the Supreme Court. Mr. Justice Jeffrey is receiving the hearty congratulations of friends throughout Ontario on his appointment. He is a well known member of the Guelph Golf and Country Club.

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Despatch from Pinehurst, N.C., Nov. 17th:

"G. M. Howard, of Halifax, N.S., J. L. Given, of Ekwanok Country Club, Manchester, Vt., and W. P. Arnold, of South Attleboro, Mass., each won trophies to-day in the tournament of the Tin Whistles of Pinehurst, in a field of twenty-seven players."

Mr. Alexander Johnston, managing director of the North British Rubber Co. Ltd., Edinburgh, the largest company of its kind in the British Empire, was a visitor to Toronto this month. Whilst here he appointed Mr. Norman Davidson as manager of the Toronto branch of the company in succession to the late lamented Mr. E. L. Kingsley. Mr. Johnston is an outstanding figure in the manufacturing life of Scotland. At his company's factories in Edinburgh, some 5,000 employees are on the payroll. Mr. Davidson is a well known and able Toronto executive.

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ston as general manager of the Greenbrier Hotel and Cottages, which are so popular every season with many prominent Canadian golfers and others. Mr. Johnston is a particularly well equipped and able hotel executive.

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Canadians who witnessed Mr. T. A. Torrance, of the British Walker Cup team, play at Rosedale and Hamilton last September (at Hamilton he had a 70 or 2 under par) will be interested in the following from "Golfing", London:

"Mr. T. A. Torrance's trip to the States as a member of our Walker Cup team seems to have done his game nothing but good. Playing in the Ladies' Challenge Cup competition at Sandy Lodge soon after his return, he broke both the amateur and professional records of the course with a 69. He had another 69 at the autumn meeting

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- La Jolla "Open", Jan. 2, 3, \$2,500, La Jolla C.C., La Jolla.
- San Diego "Open", Jan. 4, 5, 6, \$2,500, San Diego C.C., Chula Vista.
- Los Angeles "Open", Jan. 9-11, 12, 13, \$10,000, Riviera C.C., Los Angeles.
- Pasadena "Open", Jan. 15, 16, \$4,000, Pasadena Municipal, Pasadena.
- El Paso "Open", Jan. 19, 20, \$2,000, El Paso C.C., El Paso, Tex.
- Texas "Open", Jan. 24, 25, 26, 27, \$6,500, Brackenridge Park, San Antonio, Tex.
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of the Addington Club, tying for the scratch medal with the Hon. W. G. Brownlow. This is also a new amateur record for the course."

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Mr. Len Nettleford, the Tasmanian left-handed player, at the age of 22 has just won the Australian Amateur Championship for the second time. He is generally conceded to be the world's greatest southpaw. Talking of "left-handers", one of the stories that is told of a certain well-known figure on Wall Street, who is also a more than useful golfer, concerns a three-ball match in which he and another American amateur opposed Harry Vardon at Le Touquet. The player in question started off with such a succession of fireworks that at the fifth hole he was individually two up on the ex-champion. As it hap-

pens, he plays left-handed, and in a moment of unnatural triumph he could not forbear turning to Vardon to ask, "Say, Vardon, who do you reckon the best left-handed golfer you have ever seen?" But Vardon's reply was absolutely crushing, "I never saw a good left-handed player in my life."

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Southern golf this winter will reach its peak with the \$15,000.00 Open Golf Tournament held for the second time over the La Gorce course at Miami Beach, March 18-23. Numerous other important tourneys will be held in this community including, Pro-Amateur Tournament, La Gorce course, January 10th; Miami Beach Open Tournament, January 11-12; Miami Beach Amateur Championship, La Gorce, January 28-Feb. 2; Annual Miami Beach Women's Championship, Bayshore, Feb. 4-9; and Seniors' Tournament, 1st Annual, Bayshore course, March 4-7.

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After the most successful season in the history of the club, Bayview Golf and Country Club, Toronto, closed its season last month with a gala day. During the morning and afternoon a four-ball, best-ball, match-play against par was held which had a record entry of some 150 competitors. The evening festivities commenced at 8.00 with the presentation of the season's prizes, after which a supper dance was under way as a fitting termination to this very successful golfing year.

Owing to the considerable amount of construction that has been completed on the new course it is hoped that play will commence on this new course some time in June next year—up to the time when the change over is made it is so arranged that play will be available over the present course, thereby not interfering with members' playing rights at any time. This new course when completed will be of championship length, approximately 6,600 yards, and it is the opinion of the experts that this will be one of the finest tests of golf in the district, added to which the topographical

features has made a very picturesque lay-out. Following are the prize-winners for 1928:

Club championship, 1st, A. L. Lewis; 2nd, W. P. Lynch; 3rd, G. D. Lamont and C. A. L. Pascoe. President's Trophy, 1st, J. R. Roberts; 2nd, W. A. Duncan; 3rd, A. Murray and E. Aubin; Simpson Trophy, 1st, D. McKenna; 2nd, A. W. McNeil; 3rd, R. M. Smith and J. H. Kerr. Walker Trophy, 1st, L. A. Blenkarn; 2nd, W. J. Walker; 3rd, J. A. Alexander; Boase Trophy, 1st, R. R. Stewart; 2nd, A. L. Howden; 3rd, G. A. Hill. Monthly Medals, 1st, A. Siddall; 2nd, R. F. Davison; 3rd, W. P. Lynch. Ringer Competition, 1st, W. P. Lynch; 2nd, A. L. Lewis; 3rd, G. D. Lamont. Two-ball Foursome, 1st, C. A. L. Pascoe; 2nd, V. W. Scully; 3rd, W. A. and Gordon Duncan. Flag Competition, K. N. B. McKenzie; Hidden Competition, J. A. MacKay. Junior Championship, 1st, Gordon Duncan; 2nd, Gilbert Walker; 3rd, W. Henry and D. Aubin. Junior Ringer Competition, Gordon Duncan. Driving, Approaching and Putting Competition, 1st Flight Driving, 1st, J. G. Hyland; 2nd, W. P. Lynch; Longest Ball, L. Blenkarn; Approaching and Putting, 1st, A. L. Lewis; 2nd, A. H. Martin; 2nd Flight Driving, 1st, W. H. Robertson; 2nd, W. A. Duncan; Longest Ball, L. H. Skey; Approaching and Putting, 1st, E. Aubin; 2nd, A. C. Haight. Mixed Foursome Competition, 1st, L. A. Blenkarn and Miss J. Lindsay; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerr. Ladies—Club Championship, 1st, Mrs. L. E. Forsythe; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Kerr; 3rd, Miss M. Blute and Miss M. G. Rooney. Gordon Hyland Trophy, 1st, Mrs. L. E. Forsythe; 2nd, Miss A. Payne; 3rd, Miss J. Lindsay and Mrs. J. H. Walker. Aked Trophy (Match), 1st, Mrs. L. E. Forsythe; 2nd, Miss A. Payne; 3rd, Mrs. A. Siddall and Mrs. J. H. Kerr. Aked Trophy (Medal), 1st, Miss M. G. Rooney; 2nd, Mrs. H. Worsell; 3rd, Miss M. Blute. Monthly Medal, 1st, Miss M. G. Rooney; 2nd, Miss M. Ross; 3rd, Mrs. J. H. Kerr. Jov Walker Trophy, 1st, Miss M. Ross; 2nd, Mrs. E. P. Lewis. Ringer Competition, 1st, Mrs. J. E. Forsythe; 2nd, Miss A. Payne; 3rd, Mrs. A. Siddall. Flag Competition, Miss E. D. Murton. Driving, Approaching and Putting Competition, Driving, 1st, Miss A. Payne; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Kerr; Longest Ball, Mrs. J. H. Kerr; Approaching and Putting, 1st, Miss A. Payne; 2nd, Mrs. H. C. Ferguson. Vice-Captain's Prize, Mrs. G. E. Mearing. Two-ball Foursome, 1st, Mrs. G. E. Mearing and Mrs. A. E. Fraser; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Kerr and Mrs. A. Siddall. C.L.G.U. Spoon, Silver Division, Mrs. A. Siddall; Bronze Division, Miss A. Payne.

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"Bob" Cunningham, who was assistant to Nicol Thompson at Ancaster the past season is spending the win-

ter at his old home, St. Andrews, Scotland. He writes that Leslie Louth, who was in Muskoka last summer, has also been in St. Andrews and they have enjoyed some good golf together, both at St. Andrews and Gleneagles. Although the weather has been very unfavourable, he states that the courses at St. Andrews and Gleneagles are in wonderful shape. Louth is returning this month to again act as assistant to Nicol Thompson in Bermuda.

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Albert H. Murray, the popular Beaconsfield professional, and Mrs. Murray have just returned from a hunting trip in New Brunswick. Albert was fortunate enough to bag a very nice caribou with a thirty-two point head. In the course of an interesting letter to the Editor he says:

"On our return to camp one evening I was first to reach the cabin and discovered we had visitors in the person of Mr. Bruin (am not positive whether it was Mr. or Mrs. Bruin, I did not wait to find out, having left my rifle in the canoe fifty yards away). I did this fifty yards in nothing. If you ever wish to have your house upset turn a bear loose and see how destructive they can be. Our cabin sure looked like a bad lie. I bet he is the biggest bear still living.

"We played over the St. Patrick Golf course at River Du Loup. This course is one of the coming courses on the St. Lawrence. There is also a very pretty course at Campbellton, N.B., known as Restigouche Country Club. This course has a great future, it is situated on coast of Baie De Chaleur. Golf is making great headway down throughout this way and as for scenery, it cannot be excelled. I highly recommend a trip of this kind to any golfer as a wonderful tonic."

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Redvers Mackenzie, the professional at the Marlborough Golf Club, Montreal, will spend the winter in New York refereeing professional hockey games.

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There will be several indoor golf schools this winter in Montreal. Jimmie Patterson, of Kanawaki, will have a school at Westmount. A. F. Macpherson will as usual be at the Mount Royal Hotel. The Grant Brothers will again have a school in the financial district and George



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Houle, of the Municipal course, will also be opening one December 1st. Other schools will probably be opened round the first of the year.

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Davie Black, of the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, B.C., and Phil Taylor, of the Victoria Golf Club, Victoria, are anxious for a 72-hole match next season with Jimmy Johnstone and Andy Kay for a side bet of \$500. This would be a particularly interesting encounter as all four have had many championships to their credit.

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Jock Brown, professional at the Summerlea Golf Club, Montreal, leaves next month to spend the winter in the South.

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Ted Ray, noted British pro, and very popular in Canada, where he has played on the majority of the leading courses, is at present in Vienna, where he is laying out a new course.

There are either more first class professionals, says the "Metropolitan Golfer," or the topnotchers have not been disporting themselves as they should this year. Not one pro, or no one set, has made merry with the spoils of war. We find the names of Hagen, Diegel, Farrell, Armour, the Espinosas, Mehlhorn, Klein, Sarazen, Smith, Compston, Macfarlane, Ciuci and Burke all in the limelight and doing something worth while. The game is better off with more stars to consider as no championship is now secure, or can be said to be in the bag, until the last putt has been holed out.

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Willie Hunter, of Montebello, Cal., defending titleholder, and Fred Morrison, hard-hitting pro of Alhambra, Cal., tied for the Southern California Open golf championship at Los Angeles, each finishing the seventy-two holes with 294 strokes. Hunter turned in cards of 73 and 74 for the two eighteen-hole rounds. His scores

for the two qualifying rounds were 74 and 73. Morrison's rounds were 71, 74, 74, 75.

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For the first time in the history of the club, par has been broken at the Chedoke Civic Golf Club, Hamilton. Nicol Thompson, Jr., winner of the City Championship, accomplished the feat while playing with Alf Sims, present professional of the club, Bob Cunningham, former professional, and B. D. MeVicar. Par is 69 and the City Champion made the course in one stroke less, going over par on three holes and firing four birdies into his card to more than offset his slips. As a matter of fact, the record narrowly escaped a real trimming, for on the holes that he was compelled to go over par on, Thompson made slips that could have been prevented, and he was close to scoring a 66 for the round. Par on the course has been equalled only once, that by William McCrone.

UNIQUE SUGGESTION BY "RURAL DEAN"

A LETTER signed "Rural Dean" appeared recently in a well known English periodical. This contained the decidedly unique suggestion that as a large number of golfers find difficulty in combining church-going on Sundays with their game, short services might be held in club houses at a convenient time. This is surely a sign of the age we live in and proves that in conservative England, Sunday golf is no longer condemned even by the clergy. All said and done "Rural Dean's" suggestion is not a bad one—in fact it might be acclaimed a very "good one."

CANADIAN WOMEN SENIORS HAVE GOOD TIME AT RYE, N.Y.

IN connection with the visit of the team of thirteen players of the Canadian Women's Senior Golf Association to Rye, N.Y., last month, where the Canadians participated in the U. S. Women's Tournament, over the Westchester-Biltmore course, Mrs. Hamilton Burns, Toronto, Hon. Secretary, writes the Editor:

"We had a most enjoyable trip and were wonderfully entertained, among the features being a dinner given by Mr. Bowman to all the Seniors at his beautiful residence in Port Chester. During the Tournament Mrs. Albert Brown, Toronto, won the prize for putting the first day. Mrs. R. H. Greene, Toronto, a prize for best nett score for two days, and Mrs. Laing, Montreal, won a 2nd handicap prize. During the Tournament the Canadian Seniors presented flowers to Mrs. Barlow, president, and to Mrs. Patterson, secretary of the U. S. Association. The U. S. Seniors are coming to our Tournament in Montreal next September and a cup has been presented by an American for the Team Match."

(Ed. Note.—As recorded in last month's issue, the U. S. ladies' team defeated the Canadian team in the International Match 35 points to 4.)

AN INTERESTING FOUR BALL MATCH AT DEL MONTE

(Special Correspondence Canadian Golfer)

MISS Glenna Collett and Jack Neville defeated Miss Marion Hollins and Johnny McHugh 2 up on the 18th hole of their exhibition golf match at Pebble Beach on the afternoon of Armistice Day. Hundreds of Armistice Day visitors at Del Monte galleried the all-star contest which proved to be exceptionally evenly matched, the winners having a best ball score of 73, one over par, to 75 for the Hollins-McHugh combination.

As this was Miss Collett's first public appearance in California, the crowd was eager to see what kind of golf the reigning women's champion of the United States could play. They were gratified to see her play beautiful shots, particularly on the outgoing nine which she negotiated in 38, two over men's par. Her compact drives were magnificent, her approaches impeccable and her putts sure. Coming back, Miss Collett did not fare so well, registering 42, which gave her 80, women's par for the stiff Pebble Beach links.

Jack Neville, five times state champion, was playing excellently all the way around. He made the best score of the day with 77 and won the decisive 18th with a par 5. McHugh, California Amateur Champion, was not at his best, but scored a 78. Miss Hollins, former women's national titlist, shot a 79.

Miss Collett won the first with a par 4 and from then on her side was always slightly in the lead. The second and third were halved. Miss Collett and Neville both had winning par 4's on the fourth. McHugh won the short fifth with a near birdie 2. The next three holes were halved. The Collett-Neville combine scored two par 4's to win the ninth and round the turn 2 up.

The tenth was halved and again the winning pair scored par 4's to collect the eleventh. The next four were halved. Then Miss Hollins scored a beautiful birdie 3 to win the 16th. McHugh parred and won the short 17th, reducing the Collett Neville lead 1 up. On the 18th McHugh's long tee shot trickled off the fairway onto the narrow beach. Neville won the hole with a perfect par 5. The cards: Miss Collett, 80; Neville, 77; Miss Hollins, 79; McHugh, 78.



Miss Glenna Collett (left) and Miss Marion Hollins.

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Dec. 4-7—Eighth Annual Carolina Tournament for Women, Pinehurst, N.C.

Dec. 13-15 (Tentative)—Professional Open Championship, 72 holes, Bermuda.

Dec. 24—Seventh Annual Father and Son Tournament, Pinehurst, N.C.

Dec. 26-31—Twenty-sixth Annual Mid-Winter Tournament, Pinehurst, N.C.

Jan. 1—New Years Tournament, Del Monte, Cal.

Jan. 5.—Bermuda Ladies' Championship, Riddell's Bay Golf and Country Club.

Jan. 29-31—Bermuda Amateur Championship, Riddell's Bay Golf Club, Bermuda.

Feb. 12—Lincoln's Birthday Tournament, Pebble Beach, Cal.

February 18-23—The 17th Annual Tournament for the Amateur Championship of Cuba at the Country Club of Havana.

Feb. 22-24 — Washington's Birthday Tournament, Del Monte, Cal.

Feb. 25-Mar. 1—Pebble Beach Championship for Women, Pebble Beach, Cal.

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