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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY: HOME AND ABROAD

HOCKEY.

To Arrange Play-Off.
Amherst, N. S., Feb. 15.—A special meeting of the Independent Hockey League executive has been called by President Somers for tonight to consider arrangements for the play-off between Stollerton and Moncton, and also discuss several protests in connection with recent games.

Harvard Wins.
Boston, Feb. 15.—Harvard defeated Queens of Kingston in a hockey game here last night by 2 to 1.

Amherst Beats Sydney.
Sydney, N. S., Feb. 15.—Amherst Independents defeated Sydney Miners 6 to 4 here last night.

Sackville Loses.
Summerside, P. E. I., Feb. 15.—Sackville was defeated by Crystals here last night 7 to 2.

A Rough Game.
Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 15.—Canadians ran into a snag in their match to the top of the N. H. L. ladder when they were defeated by Hamilton 4 to 2 here last night. The game was so rough that trouble was narrowly averted.

St. Pat's Wins.
Toronto, Feb. 15.—St. Patrick's decisively defeated the Senators here last night by 6 to 4. The Irish had a big margin on the play and it was not until the locals sent in their rookies to play in the last ten minutes that the visitors showed effectiveness.

Regina Loses Third.
Calgary, Feb. 15.—Regina Capitals lost their third straight game last night, Calgary Tigers defeating the champions 5 to 4, in a Western Canada League game.

New Players Coming.
The Wanderers of Halifax are to play against the St. John team here on Friday evening. The local team will be strengthened with several imported players. It is expected that Rushion of Springfield, will be on the forward line. Another player is also expected.

Rothschilds Defeated.
Rothschilds College was snowed under yesterday at Rothschilds when Fredrickson took them into camp to the tune of 11 to 0 in the intercollegiate hockey league. Fredrickson played the same team that defeated Sussex on Tuesday night. For the losers—Burlington.

Football.
British Games.
(Canadian Press Despatch.)
Glasgow, Feb. 15.—The fourth round of the Scottish football season is scheduled to be played on February 24. The draw this afternoon resulted in the following contests:
Celtic vs. Raith Rovers.
Third Lanark vs. Dundee.
Hibernians vs. Aberdeen.
Motherwell vs. Bo'ness.

British Matches.
London, Feb. 15.—(Canadian Press) Football games played in the United Kingdom yesterday resulted as follows:
First Division—Newcastle United 2, West Bromwich Albion 0; Tottenham Hotspur 2, Blackburn Rovers 0.
Second Division—Bury 0, Fulham 1; Third Division, Southern Section—Bristol City 3, Merthyr 0; Reading 1, Millwall 2; Gillingham 2, Charlton 2.

Scottish Football Association.
Hamilton Academicals 0, Dundee 1.
First League—Celtic 1, Alton Rovers 0; Greenock Morton 1, Hibernians 0; Ayr United 2, Raith Rovers 0.
The Rugby Union—Royal Air Force 8, Royal Naval Force 0.
Chelsea, 3; Everton, 1.

CURLING.
Visitors Defeated.
St. Stephen curlers visited the city yesterday with four wins. Two rinks suffered defeat at the hands of the Thistles by a margin of twenty-five points. The second games of the match will be played tonight when two more rinks of the Thistles will curl on the ice and two more Carleton rinks on the Carleton ice.

RING.
Tonight's Bout.
A classy card of amateur boxing bouts has been arranged for this evening in the armory by the Garrison Sports Club. Four of the best amateurs in Halifax will be here and arrived yesterday in charge of J. Mulcahy. Those arriving yesterday were: McInnis, 118; Creelman, 125; Kennedy, 135, and Hunt, 147. Opposed to them will be "Al" Hogan and Louis Donovan, both Maritime champions. All the officials have been selected for the meet and a record crowd is expected.

Baseball.
The New League.
New York, Feb. 15.—Bachall's chief topic of discussion yesterday—the proposed Continental or Inter-Allied League, reputed to be in process of organization in the right of the eastern cities of Canada and the U. S., and to have major league approval, if not actual backing—developed a diversity of opinion here and throughout baseball circles in the U. S.

SKATING.
Staff and McLean Tie.
Saranac Lake, Feb. 15.—Art Staff and Bobby McLean, both of Chicago, last night were tied with 35 points each in the U. S. professional outdoor speed skating championship meet which opened here yesterday.

Going to Halifax.
Announcement was made in Halifax yesterday that Charles Gorman, St. John speed skater, Joe Moore, of New York, holder of two world records, and Richard Donovan, also of New York, would be in Halifax next Wednesday for an exhibition of speed skating at the Arena.

20,000 People See Thrilling Races in Opening of International Meet

Gorman Only Inches Behind Record Breaker at Finish—Three Queens Present—Willie Logan Skates Great Race.

The international championship skating meet, the banner athletic event of eastern Canada got away to a good start yesterday afternoon when Charles Jewtraw of Lake Placid shaved one-fifth of a second off the world's record for the 220 yard dash, beating Charles Gorman by inches. It is estimated that 20,000 people were present. Miss Canada, Miss Halifax and Miss Moncton all were there and enjoyed themselves to the full. Lieutenant-Governor Pugsley and Mrs. Pugsley and Premier Veniot were present and showed a keen interest in the events.

In the 220 yards race all the starters were set back for false starts. Harry Kasky of Chicago skated third in this event and won the three-quarter mile. The result of the senior events gives Kasky 40 points, Gorman and Jewtraw 30 each and Richard Donovan 20 points.

William Logan won the junior half-mile and Eugene Shea won the 220 yards for boys of ten years. The 440 yards for women was won by Gladys Robinson with Rose Johnston second. Miss Constance Knodell of this city won third place in the trial heat and went into the final. The feature of the first heat of the three-quarter mile was the presence of Hilton Belyea. He skated in the lead for several laps but soon found it necessary to fall out.

The summary of events is as follows:
The management of the meet, provided several special attractions, including Bill Small, who kept the crowd amused by his antics. Miss Hilda Ruckert, who did some fancy work on the blades and Karl Milne, who showed how to jump barrels. Hearty and Moore also assisted with comedy.

SENIOR 220 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 440 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 880 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 1760 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 3520 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 7040 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 14080 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 28160 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 56320 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 112640 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 225280 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 450560 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 901120 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 1802240 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 3604480 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 7208960 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 14417920 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 28835840 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 57671680 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 115343360 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 230686720 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 461373440 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
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SENIOR 922746880 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
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SENIOR 1845493760 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 3690987520 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 7381975040 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 14763950080 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 29527900160 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 59055800320 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 118111600640 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 236223201280 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
Second Heat—First, Richard Donovan, Johnston City; second, Joe Moore, New York; third, Leo Floyd, Y. M. C. I., St. John, N. B. Time, 20 4-5 seconds.

SENIOR 472446402560 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
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SENIOR 944892805120 YARDS.
Trial Heats.
First Heat—First, William Murphy, New York; second, Roy McWhirter, Chicago; third, Orle Green, Saranac Lake. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.
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SENIOR 1889785610240 YARDS.
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SENIOR 3779571220480 YARDS.
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SENIOR 7559142440960 YARDS.
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SENIOR 15118284881920 YARDS.
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FANS SEE A GOOD BOXING SHOW

Gordon Paris Stays Ten
Rounds With Johnny Mc-
Intyre, But Loses Decision
—Three Good Preliminary
Bouts.

The Opera House was filled to capacity last evening when Johnny McIntyre successfully defended his Maritime welterweight title against Gordon Paris of this city. McIntyre was in rare form and went at top speed throughout the entire bout. Paris proved one of the toughest opponents Johnny has ever faced and the fans were well pleased with the showing of both boxers. Several times it looked as if McIntyre would put the K. O. on Paris but the local boy would come back strong and carry the fighting right into his opponent's corner. He deserves credit for the showing made. It was in the in-fighting that Paris was best. Here he moved fast. The fifth round was the stellar round of the fight. It looked as if McIntyre had put Paris out but the latter came back strong in the closing minutes of the fighting and forced Johnny to the ropes.

Preliminaries.
The preliminaries were also good starting, although none of the three started with the limit. In the first, Jack Sullivan defeated Battling Moss, when the referee stopped the bout in the second round to save Moss from a knockout. Machine gun training, the referee stopped Young O'Keefe in the third round after a grueling battle in which O'Keefe was warned for hitting low. He landed low no less than three times.

The officials last night were: Referee, James P. Smith; judges, Dr. J. L. Day and R. Ellsworth; timers, Martin Dolan and J. A. McKenize; announcer, J. A. Kraker.

WHAT VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS CAN DO
One who was a student and got the benefit of a vocational course in the Vocational School at Woodstock writes this letter to the Sentinel in regard to the recent action of the County Council in reducing the Vocational School's grant from \$2,000 to \$1,500.

"The recent action of the County Council in reducing the Vocational School's grant from \$2,000 to \$1,500 prompts this letter. I wish to make known what the Carleton County Vocational School has accomplished in the past year. It has enabled me to fulfill the duties of a responsible position efficiently enough to receive two substantial increases in my salary.

"Does it not mean anything to the County Council to have an institution that is self-supporting by this splendid school? In these hard times, I am but one of the many who have been made self-supporting by this splendid school. I have gone into the business world well equipped for office work and with sufficient training to develop to accept more and more responsibility. Does it not mean anything to the County Council to know that, despite the financial depression, about forty graduates of the Carleton County Vocational School are now earning from ten to twenty-five dollars a week? And this at a time when business men are trying to economize.

"This school was made possible by the action of the late L. P. Fisher. It is well for us of this later and supposedly more progressive generation to have a reflection on this foresight by not maintaining the school when its need and worth have been demonstrated by four successful years? Having accepted the gift of such a school, is it not to be expected that the school should be maintained? The school is a credit to the community and its councillors would, instead of impeding, at least try to follow on in the footsteps of the late L. P. Fisher's brilliant example?

SOME EXTRACTS FROM CANADIAN ORATIONS
(Bystander, in Toronto Globe)
Canada's background lacks the emotions of a revolution; the wars with France and the United States are now viewed in more mellow light, and patriotism must seek a different basis. A perusal of Canadian addresses quoted in Dr. A. D. Watson's new anthology of "Our Canadian Literature" reveals the moving words already quoted from Revolutionary times. We live in different times, and the words are different. The remains of Navy Hall at Niagara, where the first Parliament of Upper Canada met in 1792, are neglected, but as Goldwin Smith said, it deserved to be venerated by Ontario as much as Rome venerated the hut of Romulus.

"Love your country," said Lord Dufferin in his farewell address in Toronto in 1878, "believe in her, honor her, work for her, live for her, die for her. Never has any people been endowed with a nobler birthright, or blessed with prospects of a fairer future. Whatever God has given to man is to be found within the borders of your ample territories."

"Other countries," said Lord Lorne, Dufferin's successor, "have seen their territories enlarged, and their destinies determined by trouble and war, but no

blood has stained the bonds which have knit together your free and order-loving populations, and yet in this brief period, so brief in the life of a nation, you have attained to a union whose characteristics from sea to sea are the same."

Sir John Macdonald's patriotic utterances usually had a background of imperialism, and his famous speech in Toronto in his last campaign, in 1874, of course, a political object, when he declared the slogan against reciprocity, "A British subject I was born; a British subject I will die."

Edward Blake spoke words of common-sense, without the moving eloquence of some of his contemporaries, and in one of his speeches he urged Canadians to encourage the "true urgency of energy, learning, ability and integrity."

George Munro Grant, for many years the brilliant principal of Queen's University, was a valiant champion of his country, and in one address he said: "Thank God, we have a country. It is not our poverty of land or sea, or wood or mine, that shall ever urge us to be traitors. But the destiny of a country does not depend on its natural resources. It depends on the character of its people. Here, too, is full ground for confidence. We in every thing are sprung of earth's first buds, where the Canadian literature reveals that never counted the number of its foes, nor the number of its friends. We are free, loyal or God was damned."

One of our difficulties is that our national story is so largely a subject for prose rather than poetry. It is hard to arouse enthusiasm over responsible government, Confederation, and Provincial autonomy, although those who have studied these questions have been amply rewarded by finding a wealth of interesting material. Poetry is, perhaps, a more promising field than politics. There is real romance in the story told by Parkman of the brave deeds and perils of the early French explorers and missionaries, and in the hardships of our own backwoodsmen, pioneering in railways and other enterprises is also full of interest. The Canadian Pacific Railway, for instance, was a tremendous undertaking for the infant Canada of the '60s.

WHEREIN MERIT LIES.
(Bangor Commercial)
A French girl of eighteen years has been awarded a prize equivalent to \$3,000 for being the "most meritorious girl in France," the gift being contributed by a Paris newspaper. A score of other girls scarcely less exalted in their merit were given rewards of lesser value. And this "most meritorious" girl, what great feat did she accomplish? Rather commonplace it may seem to her story.

Left an orphan at the age of ten, she took charge of seven children, and at eighteen is still in charge and is cheerful despite a life of hardship, misery and sickness. She interpreted life by the simple principle of industry. She performed a humble duty because it was a duty. Another girl, now eighteen, an Alsatian, took care of her three small brothers when a shell at the beginning of the war buried her mother in the ruins of the home, and she is still keeping the family together. Similar services were performed by the others, who had been

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