THE ROYAL AND ANCIENT

Golfers of Canada cannot more appropriately offer up thanks for another bountiful harvest and the improved war situation generally, than by devoting the last public holiday on the links as requested by the Royal Canadian Golf Association to games in aid of the patriotic funds. Every golf course in the Dominion should see Thanksgiving events arranged for the Red Cross and kindred societies, and thousands of dollars can and should be raised if every golf club and every golfer loyally responds to the request of the governing body of the game in Canada. The time is opportune, the need is urgent, so "swing to it" and pile up a record score on the national Thanksgiving holiday. Big and little clubs alike on this occasion, both East and West, should "get into the giving game" and loyally support the R.C.G.A. in this laudable movement.

Mr. W. R. Baker, President of the Canadian Seniors' Golf Association, came up from Montreal to Toronto last week and had a conference with Mr. George S. Lyon, chairman of the Tournament Committee of the Seniors, and Mr. Ralph H. Reville, the honorary secretary, in reference to the forthcoming Patriotic Tournament of the Association on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 16th, 17th, and 18th, on the links of the Royal Montreal Golf Club. It was decided to have 18 holes only of match play on Monday and Tuesday mornings, starting at 9 o'clock. In the afternoon there will be putting competitions and friendly matches between the Seniors. On Wednesday it is hoped to have an international match with the U. S. Seniors, a number of whom have already signified their intention of being present at the Montreal meeting, including Mr. Horace L. Hotchkiss, the "father" of the Seniors in the States, who writes that he will make it a point to be there. Tuesday evening the first annual dinner will be held at the Royal Montreal Club House. It will witness a notable gathering of golfers.

The winner of the best gross score of the two days' play will be the champion of the Seniors, and will be awarded the principal cup. The next best gross score will also be rewarded by a cup. In addition there will be prizes for the best gross and net scores each day and also for the winners of the putting competitions. The Calkins system of handicapping will be observed in all match events. The entrance fee is $5 and will be devoted to patriotic purposes. Already a large number of the leading golfers of the Dominion have signified their intention of being present at the tournament, which promises to be the most notable golfing event held in the Dominion for many years. The directors of the Royal Montreal Club have very kindly consented to allow entrants the privileges of their course the Saturday and Sunday before the tournament, thus giving them a chance if they desire to get acquainted with the links.

Patriotic exhibition matches still continue to be featured in all parts of the Dominion. In addition to the visit of the U .S. open and amateur champion, Mr. Charles Evans, last week to Hamilton and Scarborough, Toronto, two other notable U. S. players will be at Montreal to-day (Saturday, August 31st), namely, Mr. Jerome D. Travers and Mr. J. D. Anderson. They are playing over Dixie, the well-known course of the Royal Montreal Golf Club, and will have as their opponents Mr. Geoffrey H. Turpin, Canadian amateur champion, 1913, and Mr. James Hill, the captain of the Royal Montreal Club, both of whom are putting up an exceptionally fine brand of golf this season. Mr. Travers has had the U. S. amateur championship four times to his credit and the open once and is easily one of the greatest golfers the United States has ever produced. Mr. Anderson has been twice runner-up for the U. S. amateur and in addition is a golf writer of international reputation. Followers of the game in Montreal are certainly in for a rare golfing treat to-day.

The amateur champion Mr. George S. Lyon, partnered with Mr. T. Henderson, of Oshawa, was seen at Oshawa recently in an exhibition match, the other pair being Mr. Seymour Lyon and Mr. R. Henderson. The champion and his partner just nosed out at the last hole, although Seymour with a 78 had the best score of the quartette. Oshawa, by the way, is one of the greatest little golfing towns in Canada, thanks largely to the Hendersons, "Bob" and "Tom," two enthusiastic Scotchmen, who have always been loyally backed up by a number of the leading financial and manufacturing men of the place. There are many larger centres which have to doff their golfing bonnets to Oshawa. On Monday, August 19th, Mr. Lyon was seen at an exhibition game at Eastbourne. Partnered with W. M. Freeman, the Lambton pro, he played Mr. B. L. Anderson, secretary of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, and Mr. Geo. Cumming, the Toronto pro. Eastbourne is a summer resort course near Jackson's Point, and the game there lately has been taken up with much enthusiasm.

Unlike baseball and cricket, the Royal and Ancient has never developed many really first class "southpaws," in fact, amongst professional teachers a "left-hander" is taboo and is made to play "right" if caught early enough. Perhaps the greatest left-hander ever known was "Davie" Watt, who made the supreme sacrifice a year or so ago. He was professional at the Mortonhall Golf Club, Edinburgh, when war broke out and had just won the Scottish professional championship, in which he was also runner-up in 1912. He is the only left-hand player who has a place in the golfing "Who's Who." But there are a lot of fine "southpaw" players nevertheless and the North Hills Country Club of Edge Hill, Philadelphia, has just sent out circulars to the left-hand clan to foregather in a tournament on September 10th. Among the well-known "lefties" honored with an invitation is Mr. Fritz R. Martin, of Hamilton, Canadian amateur champion 1902 and 1910. Many keen judges of the game contend that Mr. Martin is the finest left-hand golfer in the world. Certain it is that very few amateurs whether right hand or left can take his measure, and it is very much to be hoped that he will decide to take in this "southpaw" event. He ought to bring home another championship to Canada if he does decide to compete.

This scare about scarcity of good hickory for golf shafts and another advance in the price of clubs as a result, is all "moonshine," according to Mr. Wm. Burke, the U. S. expert, who for the past 22 years has devoted his entire time to golf club and shaft making. Mr. Burke writes: "There is an ample supply of hickory shafts in this country now ready for use, and a supply for next year and the next and the timber stumpage for this purpose is, if anything, on the upgrade rather than on the decline. Within the past few days I have had offerings of between five and six hundred thousand squares for shafts from the best hickory growing region in the country. I can truthfully estimate offerings for golf shaft purposes to me in the last six months at between three and four million pieces."

And here is a real novelty for backyard play that has been proved quite feasible. It's a driving machine. The drive is made from a mat in the usual way, but the ball is captive in that it travels along a wire and hits a small target twelve feet away. When the target is forced back it sends an arm at the side forward. A loose ball, which rests in an inclined runway is forced up the runway by the arm and the harder the hit, the further the ball travels up the incline. Markings on the runway indicate the number of yards the ball would have gone if driven from a tee in the regular way. The "drive" ball has a brass eyelet attached, which keeps it on the wire. Altogether a very ingenious and useful contraption.

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ROUND UP DEFAULERS.

By Courier Leased Wire.

North Bay, Aug. 29.—For some time past some defaulters under the Military Service act have been hiding near Warren and stealing their food stuffs from the farmers in that vicinity. Yesterday the Dominion Police with the farmers set out to round them up. They met with armed resistance and in the scrap with the Dominion police one man named Wainscott was wounded. He was brought to the North Bay hospital this morning and the police are still pursuing the defaulters.

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LADY'S WAIST.

By Anabel Worthington.

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WHAT TO DO IF BITTEN BY A DOG

Rabies No More Frequent During Summer Than at Other Times

By Kilmer Krusen, M.D.
Director Philadelphia Public Health.

There is a prevailing belief that dogs are likely to "go mad" during the summer months. As a matter of fact, this may occur at any time of the year. It is true, however, that dog bites occur more frequently during the summer months because dogs run at large more freely at this time of the year and when uncared for are apt to become irritable and troublesome, causing panic among pedestrians.

Every biting dog does not necessarily have rabies, but the disease should be suspected until proper laboratory tests have determined proof to the contrary. It is not true, as sometimes believed, that dogs get rabies from the heat or from lack of water or food. They can only contract the disease when bitten by another rabid animal.

If a person is bitten by a dog or any other animal, the first and most important thing to do is to have the wound cauterized by a physician. The prevention of hydrophobia depends upon the thoroughness of cauterization of the wounds. Injuries about the head and face should receive special attention, as they are the most serious. Home remedies should not be relied upon.

In the meantime notify the police, who will apprehend the offending animal and take it to the proper medical authorities for examination. If it is found that the dog does not have rabies then no damage will result from the prophylactic cauterization of the wounds; but if the examination of the dog reveals the presence of the disease, then the patient should have the so-called Pasteur treatment administered without delay, as this the only valuable remedy for preventing the development of the disease. The period elapsing between the date of the injury and the appearance of the disease varies from ten days to many months. There is sufficient time, therefore, for the patient to receive the Pasteur treatment. This consists of injection of a serum obtained from the spinal cord of rabbits inoculated with the virus of rabies.

There is no cure of the disease after the predominating symptoms are manifested for this reason all dog bites should be treated thoroughly, with the idea of preventing this fatal disease.

MOUNT PLEASANT

The match, which was to have been played between the local bowlers and the Paris club on Wednesday afternoon was postponed for a couple of weeks, it being too wet to play on Wednesday.

The threshing machineis going the rounds again, and the farmers are well pleased with the results.

The splendid rain on Wednesday did thousands of dollars worth of good to the fall crops. There is always something to be thankful for.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson left last week to made an extended visit to their daughter in the west.

The funeral of the late Mrs Blakely of Brantford was held on Tuesday afternoon. There were a great number of old friends at the cemetery here.

Mrs. T. Spencer of Brantford is staying a few days with her sister Mrs. Devlin.

Mrs. Johnston of Courtright was the guest of Mrs. Softley on Wednesday.

Mr. Smyth is spending a few days with his daughter in Waterloo before the school opens.

We are sorry to report that Mrs Geo. Devlin has been quite seriously ill.

Mr. Potter met with a very painful accident this week. A piece of board, containing a nail, striking him in the eye.

Mrs. McAllister of Brantford is spending a few days with her son, Mr. Albert McAllister here.

School re-opens on Tuesday with Mr. Smythe as principal and Miss Garnham, assistant.

Mr. Will Perrin is building a fine new house, next to the Methodist church, which will be another addition to the village.

Misses Evelyn, Susie and Hilda Briggs returned home on Tuesday after a very pleasant outing at Port Dover.

Miss Helen McLauchlin spent last week with friends in Welland.

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FOUNDATION OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Britain, U. S., and France Must Accept the Burden at Once

WHAT LEAGUE MEANS

London, Aug. 30.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—"The United States, Great Britain and France will be the foundation of any League of Nations, and they must accept this burden at once," declared Sir Francis Trippel to an Associated Press correspondent. Sir Francis recently issued an appeal for the immediate formation in England of a "Council for the Advocacy of a League of Nations.'"

"The first thing to be done, is to divest the scheme of illusions," he said. "A League of Nations is not an absolute substitute for war. It is not an absolute guarantee of peace. It does not mean, for the present, total disarmament. It cannot be a 'forgive and forget' panacea.

"A league of nations must have the power to enforce its decrees. That is the crux of the whole question. If it has not, it will go the way of all the rest.

"Its chief function will be to remove the causes of war. It must make it easy for nations to co-operate and hard to stand alone. If a nation knows that a league has no power to enforce its decrees, it has scant respect or scruple for it.

"Does anyone in his senses believe that such a league is even remotely possible with a dominant Germany? She is the pariah nation of an angered world. If the fight ends in a draw, she remains dominant. If it ended to-morrow she would snap her fingers at the ideals of the universe. Germany, as she is, is a menace to the world's peace.

"No propaganda is more important at the present time than the propaganda of the League of Nations. And its existence depends upon Germany's defeat at her own particular game—the game of war.

"A council for the advocacy of a League of Nations will be necessary in every country as far as possible, if imperialistic tendencies and dynastic desires for conflict are to be checked. We can begin, at any rate with the United States, France and Great Britain. These three Western democracies are bound to form an influential portion of any league of nations in the near future.

"A preliminary council for Great Britain should be formed from public men of all opinions."

PROGRESSING FAVORABLY

By Courier Leased Wire.

With the French army in France, Aug. 30.—The battle is progressing favorably for the troops of General Mangin.

The Germans are making the most determined resistance against the French army in an effort to prevent it gaining a strong foothold north of the Ailette. A French success in this direction would menace the enemy's communications. Cavalry was employed mainly by the Germans yesterday, but notwithstanding this display of force, the enemy was unable to stay the advance of the French.

BAD BLAZE IN OTTAWA.

By Courier Leased Wire

Ottawa, Aug. 30.—A disastrous fire which broke out about five o'clock yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the club house of the Britannia Boat Club at Britannia Bay and all its contents, including 150 or more canoes that were stored in the boathouse, racing canoes and shells, engine accessories, sails and oars and other boating equipment. The dance hall furniture and contents of the members' lockers were also lost in the fire. Approximate estimate of the total damage is $45,000.

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BRITISH ADVANCING. . .

Bulletin. With the British Forces in France, Aug. 29.—The French having reached the back waters of the River Somme, the British just north of them have made long strides and themselves this morning were only about three miles from the river at Brie, with the enemy being rapidly forced out of the triangle formed by the right angles of the river and the advancing British line which strikes it in the north just west of Ham.

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