## M'AVITY RETAINS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE RIVERSIDE CLUB 3,000 Spectators Watch Revival of Rowing on Saint John Harbor

## BEATS VETERAN

Bother of Champion Retains Junior Crown on Saturday

TOM McAVITY, Royal Bank clerk, and son of Allan G. McAvity, successfully defended his Riverside Golf and Country Club championship title during the week-end by defeating a champion of several years ago and one of the best players in Eastern Canada, H. N. Stetson, by a score of 10 up and 8 to go. The young golfing star ne-golated the rounds in 78 and 79 while Mr. Setson played in 85-87. It was a spectacluar contest and watched with interest by a large gallery. Last year McAvity snatched the title from O. A. Harwood, a visiting insurance man.

PREMIER LOCAL GOLFER

The Riverside championship, which by reason of the more seasoned and older links, is looked upon as the premier event in New Brunswick golfing circles, has been an extremely interesting event this year. Starting out with over thirty players the eliminations elicited some surprisingly fine golf and when it came down to the semi-finals Percy Streeter, a former champion and looked upon as a logical finalist because of his consistently fine game throughout the summer, fell into the discard leaving Mr. Stetson wait-ing for the outcome of the A. P. Paton-Tom McAvity semi-final. Young McAvity defeated Mr. Paterson last Thursday 4 up and 2 to go, thus winning his way to the last stage there

to meet the veteran, Mr. Stetson.

The retention of the championship by Tom McAvity is considered to be gruelling test and one that quite un- NATIONAL LEAGUE, SATURDAY mistakeably plants the crown upon the head of the blond young fellow. His journey to the grand climax of the two-months engagement has been on St. Louis 2, bed of roses, except that it was full of thorns. Even those who fell before the deadly driving and at times uncanny deftness of the young champion were gratified to know it was in his make-up to hold onto the leadership under such successive trying tests. It spoke well for the club and augured well for Saint John's future chances in wide open competition. Indeed the past season has been showing up a group of promising golfers.

POPULAR LAD

Champion Tom McAvity is 22 years of age. He has been playing since he was 15 years old. Of late years he has been under the watchful eye of Coach S. W. Lingard, the Riverside professional. McAvity is popular and companionable and enjoys playing around anybody, even the novices, a privilege the indifferent player invariably enjoys as it is a liberal education to Buffalo 18, watch expect golfers at electrons and watch expert golfers at close range and hear them discuss their plays.

JUNIOR CHAMP-BOYS

Then singularly enough a championship goes into the McAvity household this year in the victory of Jim, brother of the senior champion, outpointed Vanwart Polly Saturday forenoon in the finals of the junior class by 5 up and 4 to go. junior class by 5 up and 4 to go. Jimmy made the rounds in 89-93. The youngsters went at it hammer and tongs and the little champ of last season emerged with his title intact. It is by no means a cheap article of golf these juniors put over, let it be understood. Instead of the "royal and ancient" being an old man's game—as some baseball enthusiasts and others often proclaim with a smirk-it is getting to be as much a youngster's recreation as for their elders. Witness the community golf courses in any big city, or even the memberships of the private clubs as we have them at Riverside and Westfield. Van Polley was champion three years ago. He was not called upon to play for position this year as all his proposed opponents defaulted. So after Jimmy McAvity had won his place in the final there Master Polley awaited him.

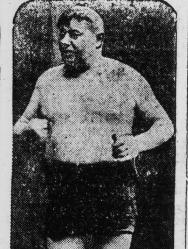
JUNIOR CHAMP-GIRLS

The girls' junior championship has also been settled for 1926 out at Riverside and Orla Roach, daughter of F. W. Roach, has kept firm hold on that title, which she annexed three seasons and out of the city. Miss Roach's rival finalist was Miss Margaret Peters, daughter of Dr. Peters, Rothesay.

RIFLE RECORD BROKEN SEA GRIT, N. J. Sept., 13.—The world record which United States riflemen established less users the Finnish champion, who was riflemen established last year, was broken yesterday by the British rifle team in defeating for the first time since 1918, the United States team in the international small beautiful form. the international small bore match for the Dewar trophy. Shooting at 50 and 100 yards, the Britishers scored and 100 yards, the Britishers scored handily in 9 minues 1 4-5 seconds. The 7793 out of a possible 8 000 points.

ANOTHER EDITOR LEAVES

(Heading in Sioux City, Ia., Tribune.) IOWA State Fair Opens Its Gates—
Swine Department Has Big InSwine Department Has Big In1500 meter run, covering the distance crease-Boys and Girls There.



11 Hrs. 6 Min.!

Georges Michel, of France, latest conqueror of the English Channel. He succeeded on his 11th try in 11 hours, 6 minutes, a new world's record, and called for a big drink of whisky as he landed. Michel is 45. The previous record, 12 hours, 42 minutes, was set by Ernest Vierkotter of Germany, August 30. Gertrude Ederle made it in 14 hours, 31 minutes, and Mille Gade in 15 hours, 28 minutes.

## Baseball

Toronto 3, Rochester 2; Toronto 2,

Buffalo 18, Syracuse 8. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION, SAT-URDAY.

Minneapolis 5, Milwaukee 4. Toledo 2, Indianapolis 0. Louisville 9, Columbus 2. Kansas City 12, St. Paul 4.

GAMES SUNDAY National League Pittsburg, 5; New York, 1. Pittsburg, 7; New York, 3. Cincinnati, 5; Brooklyn, 0. Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

American League Boston, 11; St. Louis, 3. Boston, 0; St. Louis, 1. Washington, 4; Cleveland, 14.

Toronto, 9; Buffalo, 8. Toronto, 4; Buffalo, 0. Syracuse, 4; Rochester, 2. Syracuse, 5; Rochester, 6. Newark, 15; Baltimore, 5 Newark, 9; Baltimore, 3. Reading, 1; Jersey City, 2. Reading, 2; Jersey City, 3. American Association

Toledo, 2; Indianapolis, 3. Toledo, 1; Indianapolis, 4. Columbus, 5; Louisville, 11 Minneapolis, 1; Milwaukee, 5.

## ago. Miss Roach is another of Saint John's "hopes" in this tricky game and great expectations are enjoyed about her when she becomes old enough to enter the adult female contests here enter the adult female contests here In Germany

7,793 out of a possible 8,000 points, and the United States team 7,733. The United States team last year rific onslaught at the beginning of the last lap, and crossed the finish line 15 vards behind.

On Saturday Nurmi bowed to Drotto Peltzer and Wide, when the former created a new world's mark for the



Watermen Take First Game PIRATES AND of Play-off by Narrow Margin

Defeat C. N. R. Team, of Moncton, by Score of 6 to 5 Before 3,000 Spectators—Game Replete With Thrills

McDonald, 3b .. 5

Agnew, cf ..... 2

Although outhit nearly three to one Gorman nailed it for a solid smash the Water Department team managed to squeeze out a victory against the fast C. N. R. team of Moncton in the Watermen's third sacker connected for

until the sixth frame, when three hits, coupled with a walk, wild pitch, sacrifice and error gave the Watermen six Cormier, If ..... 4 2 2 1 Moncton scored one in the first, two Wilson, rf ..... 5 more in the second and a couple more in the sixth, while the best the locals Wall, p .....

could do was to get a lone tally in the Matheson, ss THE BIG INNING.

Then came the big inning, the sixth. It looked all over but the shouting when Moncton scored twice more in this frame and ran the count to 5 Gorman, 2b ... 5 to 1 and many left the grounds, believ- Corrigan, 3b ... 3 1 1 3 to I and many left the grounds, believing the Watermen beaten from the way Wall was pitching.

For the visitors, Agnew was safe on Hannah's fumble of his grounder. Cameron forced Agnew at second. Armstrong, ss, p 4 1 1 0 2 Cameron stelle second and went to Latham of 4 0 0 3 0

Cameron stole second and went to Latham, cf. . . 4 0 third when Sparks let one get away and Prudham was hit, taking first. Cormier drove a long fly out to Ed. and Cameron lit out for home when it was caught. By a Score by innings:
magnificent throw Snodgrass nailed Moncton C. N. R. ... 120002000-5

Baseball

ATIONAL LEAGUE, SATURDAY
New York 6, Brooklyn 8; Brooklyn 6, Gew York 0.

St. Louis 2, Boston 0; Boston 4, St. Louis 2, Boston 0; Boston 4, St. Louis 2, Boston 10, Pithsburg 6.
Chicago 10, Philadelphia 6.
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Boston 5, St. Louis 4.

New York 10, Detroit 8.
Philadelphia 11, Chicago 5.
Boston 5, St. Louis 4.

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TRAIN IN PRIVATE The crews of 14 boats of the Saint From Training Quarters—
Rounding Into Shape

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 13
—Jack Dempsey, following the precedent established by Georges Carpentier, will finish the remainder of his training campaign in secret, the pub.

John Power Boat Crub and the R. K. Y. C. enjoyed a week-end cruise to Morrisdale. A dance was held at the Morrisdale pavilion, kindly loaned by Harry L. Codner, on Saturday. Music was provided by a three-piece orchestra, composed of Messrs. Davis, Rourke and Wakeham. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment, about \$16, will be donated to the Protestant Orphanage funds.

A sacred sing song was held.

training campaign in secret, the public being barred starting Wednesday.

After Saturday next the training sessions will be strictly private with even the newspaper correspondents bar-

opening cruise next year, which they opening form by all but knocking out Tommy Loughran, the Philadelphia light heavyweight, who only Saturday, made Dempsey appear awkwardly clumsy and at times like a novice. The champion, evidently smarting under the criticism of his showing Saturday, ripped into Loughran for two rounds Sunday afternoon, driving him around the ring under an avalanche of wicked punches.

TO PLAY IN OTTAWA. OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 13.-Suzanne Lenglen will play in Ottawa, probably on October 23. With her will be Mrs. Mary K. Browne, who has recently shed the amateur mantle and is now wearing the professional robes Ten players of high American and French standing, will compete, it was announced last night.





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St. Louis' Lead Cut to One Game—13 More to Play—

fast C. N. R. team of Moncton in the first game of a preliminary series for the provincial championship. The game was one of the most exciting played here in recent years and furnished the 3,000 spectators with all kinds of thrills, the winner not being decided until the last man was out in the ninth.

The Moncton team is a strong aggregation and the locals were unable to do much with the offerings of Haris Wall, who allowed but four hits, until the sixth frame, when three hits, While the blue laws of the Bay State forced idleness on the Cards yesterday Cincinnati turned in a double triumph and crept to within a full game of the peak. The Reds now have the same number of games to play as the Cards

—13, and if Jack Hendricks' team wins

the lot, St. Louis must do likewise to become champions. Pete Donohue eased the Robins down with three hits in the shutout while his mates gathered 13 from the offerings of the speed ball king, Dazzy Water Dept.—A.B. R. H. P.O. A. E. Vance. Hargrave's home run spoiled forman, 2b . . . 5 2 2 4 2 1 the day for Brooklyn in the closing 1 battle, when it came with one on base 0 in the eighth, producing the tieing and winning runs. With only one out in the ninth and two on the sacks, Donohue was rushed into the box to relieve Luque, and retired two batters to end 0 the game. About 30,000 fans were in 1 0 attendance at Brooklyn including baseball commissioner K. M. Landis and President John A. Heydler of the Na-

Itional League.

lead to seven games.

The Red Sox split a double header at St. Louis, annexing the opener by the crews of 14 boats of the Saint Power Boat Crub and the R K the Athletics and the River St. Louis, annexing the opener by and the R K the Athletics and the saint state of the Saint St. Louis, annexing the opener by the crews of 14 boats of the Saint Power Boat Crub and the R K the Athletics and the White Sov

sessions will be strictly private with even the newspaper correspondents barred. Dempsey, explaining his decision to train in secret, said he desired to work out as he pleased, when he pleased and how he pleased.

In his five savage rounds of boxing yesterday, the champion convinced expert observers that he rapidly is getting on edge. He revealed his true

Fire broke out on Saturday after-noon in a barn off Millidge avenue, owned by Foster Hill. An alarm was sent in from Box 133. The upper part of the barn, with hay stored there, was destroyed.



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INGRAHAM WINS ROSS CUP RACE

Micmacs of Halifax Take Four-Oared Event and Hilton Belyea Senior Race

FULLY 3,000 spectators watched the revival of rowing on Saint John harbor Saturday afternoon when the Saint John Rowing Club staged a regatta, two of the events being highly exciting. Officials of the regatta said afterwards it marked the beginning of new period in the history of rowing

in this port. The manner in which hearty co-oper ation on all sides was enlisted was ation on all sides was children one of the outstanding matters in connection with the organization of the affair. Thus, seews and motorboots affair. Tugs, scows and motorboats were willingly loaned while many others gave of their time and energy to put the affair over. One of the biggest offer of the Royal Hotel to lodge the visiting Halifax oarsmen free of charge during their stay here. This was gratefully accepted and the men made their headquarters at the Royal and were loud in their praise of the treatment ccorded them

The spectators were given several big thrills during the program. In the Ross Cup race, a battle all the way down the home stretch between Ronald In-graham and Anthony Belyea was not finally settled until a few feet from the line when Ingraham managed to was third. Art O'Connell, the Halifax oarsman, fell out of his boat at the turn, the roughness of the water being

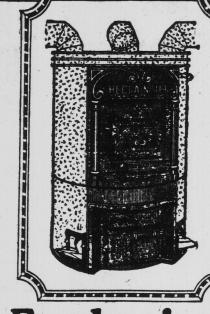
O'Connell did not compete in the senior singles and Hilton Belyea had everything his own way. In the senior feated Evans and McKenna, 6—1, 3—6, seconds. Ingraham's time was 11 mins. Wetmore and McIntyre, Hampton, for the four-oared event in which the defeated Rev. McLeod and Powell, Micmacs had a narrow shave from the McGinnis crew was 10 mins, and 3 seconds.
The time scheduled for the first

Miss A. M'Kenzie Wins race to start was two o'clock but owing to trouble arising, the commit-Closed Golf Crown an hour. The turning buoys had been placed in position in the morn-WINNIPEG, Sept. 12-Miss Ada ing, but about one o'clock the steam. MacKenzie of Toronto, added the buoys and when the ship swung with Canadian ladies' closed golf cham- the flood tide, the buoys were swept pionship to her string of victories, from their position and had to he moved farther out in the harbor and more to the Western shore. This took up considerable time. FOUR DARED RACE

The McGinnis and Micmac crows Continued on Page 11, column 6

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