

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING.

Games Last Evening.
In the Commercial League the Post Office team took four points from the C. P. R. The winners totaled 1237 and the losers 1193.

In the Wellington League the Trocadero Club took three points from the Millers. The winners totaled 1293 and the losers 1256.

In the Y. M. C. I. House League the Hawks took all four points from the Robins. The winners totaled 1396 and the losers 1358.

In the Manufacturers League the St. John Iron Works took four points from the Workmen's Compensation Board. The winners totaled 1249 and the losers 1184.

In the Garrison League the 6th Street Hawks took four points from the 28th Dragons. The winners totaled 1244 and the losers 1078. The 18th Heavy Battery took three points from Headquarters. The winners totaled 1219 and the losers 1184.

CURLING.

Thistles to Play Carleton.
At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening it was decided to accept the challenge of the Carleton Club for a series of three games, the first to take place this evening. Five thistles will play, three on Thistle ice and two on Carleton. R. W. Hawker, Major Bertman Smith and Walter Campbell were elected members. Two thistles were also entered in the Blair Cup Bonspiel.

HOCKEY.

Vancouver Leads.
Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 9.—The Vancouver Millionaires regained the leadership of the Pacific Coast Hockey League tonight by administering a 4 to 0 defeat to the Victoria Aristocrats.

Sackville Match Postponed.
Moncton, Jan. 9.—The scheduled game at Sackville tonight in the Eastern series was postponed until Wednesday night.

Will Have Rink Here.
Bernard Mooney, captain of the St. John Hockey team, announced last evening that an open air hockey rink would be constructed on the East End grounds. It will be 185 feet long and eighty-five feet wide. It will be ready for use in about five days. Outside teams will be brought here to play.

Antigonish Defeats Halifax.
In the play-off for the hockey championship of Nova Scotia the Antigonish Society of Cross defeated the Antigonish Vanders by a score of 2 to 1. The game was postponed from last year. They will claim the Maritime championship unless they are challenged and beaten by Sussex.

Joe Lynch Wins.
Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—Joe Lynch, New York, former heavyweight champion, defeated Patsy Wallace, Philadelphia, tonight in an eight-round bout. Lynch was given the popular verdict by a good margin. The former title-holder weighed 30 and Wallace 117½.

Pal Moore Wins.
Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 9.—Pal Moore of Memphis was given the referee's decision after eight rounds of fighting with Carl Tremain of Cleveland, here tonight. Tremain was unable to hit Moore effectively except in the clinches. They are both amateurs.

BASEBALL.
Alerts Players Injured.
The senior game for the City League, scheduled for Wednesday, has been postponed because of the injury to one of the players. Ryan, the Alerts' centre and manager, is out of the game for the time being on account of an injured shoulder through playing hockey. Sandy Christie injured his ankle in a game with the Trojans at the Y. M. C. I. on Saturday.

Arrangements have been made for the following game on Wednesday: The Alerts will meet the Y. M. C. I. seniors. The Trojans will meet the Y. M. C. I. seniors.

Trojans Defeat Mt. A.
The Trojans of the City Basketball league defeated the team from Mount Allison in the Y. M. C. I. gymnasium last evening by a score of 59 to 20. The work of Malcolm of the local team was a feature. Prior to the senior game Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. I. played the former winning by a score of 9 to 2.

WRESTLING.
Zbyzko is Victor.
Springfield, Mass., Jan. 9.—Stanislav Zbyzko, world's wrestling champion,

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won two out of three falls from Armas Lettinen at the auditorium here tonight. Zbyzko won the first fall with a double arm roll in 2:10. Lettinen won the next fall with a head lock in 28 minutes. Zbyzko won the third fall with a flying mare in 11:20.

**SPEAKS UPON THE
ADVANTAGES OF
AMATEUR SPORT**

(Montreal Gazette.)
"Men who are associated with amateur athletic clubs and who accept money for their services are just the same as professionals, but not as honest," declared W. E. Findlay in an address delivered at the luncheon held yesterday by the Rotary Club in the Rose room of the Windsor hotel. Boys and young men who receive money in such a way, he said, are doing no good for themselves or for fair sport, and it tends to leave a bad impression on their minds in later years. They are merely paid to play the game well—to deliver the goods or leave the team.

"It is unfortunate that professional coaches have been introduced into athletic associations, since their influence on the minds of the boys and young men, and their conception of sport, has not been a satisfactory one. The root of the whole evil is in the gate receipts. Professionalism has its legitimate place. Managers of professional concerns are more or less on the same par as the athletes. You pay to enter and you expect to see a good show for which the players are paid. But there is never and professional discovery in teams where no entrance fee is required." Mr. Findlay gave an example of how the amateur sport connected with the Stanley and Minto cups had been completely ruined insofar as the amateurs were concerned.

Mr. Findlay then mentioned the excellent work which the Montreal A. A. was accomplishing in the interests of sport. There was a membership of over

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**TROPHY WINNERS
ARE ANNOUNCED**
The postponed annual meeting of the St. John's Ladies' Curling Club was held yesterday afternoon in the club rooms and was a pleasant social event. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. R. J. Hooper; secretary, Mrs. J. R. Haycock; treasurer, Miss Jean White; additional members of the board of management, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, Mrs. H. C. Scholfield, Miss Gertrude Campbell, Miss Edna Austen and Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine.

The meeting had been postponed from the close of the last season because of lack of ice to complete the trophy competitions. The competition finals were awarded last week and the prizes were awarded to the winners yesterday as follows: The M. R. A. trophy, offered for the first time, won by Mrs. H. C. Scholfield's rink with members, Miss Jean White, Miss Helen Parks, Mrs. Lindsay and Mrs. Schofield, skip; doubles, won by Mrs. E. Atherton Smith and Mrs. J. R. Haycock; and the Estabrook cup, won by Mrs. J. Pope Barnett's rink with members, Miss C. Littlefield, Mrs. George Fleming, Miss Marion Magee and Mrs. J. Pope Barnett, skip.

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6,500, and some of the members were only five years of age. They are trained to play fair, right from their youth until they have reached the stage of manhood. "Men are only boys grown tall," said Mr. Findlay, "and the spirit of fair play must always be maintained, to win with modesty and accept defeat with grace. Men who do not do that are losing something which matters in life. Play the game for the game's sake and observe the rules. If a man is crooked in sport, he is crooked in business."

LOCAL NEWS
The Y. P. A. of the St. Paul's church entertained the officers and men of the steamer Magama last evening. A programme was carried out, interspersed with dancing. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

An Associated Press despatch of recent date to the effect that Senator Don Merry del Val, Spanish ambassador in London, denied the charges of death sentences imposed upon British and American members of the Spanish Legion, was shown to the four returned legionaries now stranded in the city, Carlson, Burns, Donnelly and Burns. They say that his statement is false, and tell of a specific case of a man named Hisecock, who had his hands tied behind him and was taken out before the enemy's fire.

Excise Enforcement Officer Dawes and Detective Hiddiscombe yesterday discovered a large up-to-date still in full operation in a house in Richmond street. Besides the still, they found sixty gallons of mash, several gallons of alcohol already manufactured, kegs of apples, raisins, grapes, corn and oats, and, in fact, everything but the distiller. They are searching for him now. The outfit was destroyed after enough for evidence was taken.

The council of the New Brunswick Graduate Nurses' Association met last night in the nurses' hall, with the president, Miss Margaret Murdoch, in the chair. Miss Sampson of Fredericton resigned from the board of examiners, and Miss McMeesters of Moncton was appointed in her place. Arrangements were made for a special meeting in the middle of February. Among the matters to be taken up at this meeting will be re-
city with other provinces and the United States.

John Perry, who yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing an automobile, the property of John A. Pusley, confessed last night, it is said, to having acted with others in the theft of nineteen cases of liquor from the warehouse of W. George, Ltd., in Main street, yesterday morning, and claimed that the car had been used to transport the liquor.

The Willing Workers of the German Baptist church devoted their energies last year to raising money for a new church organ, and it was reported as follows: President, Mrs. W. C. Cross; vice-president, Mrs. Harry Sears; second vice-president, Mrs. H. D. Fritz; secretary, Miss J. J. McDougall; treasurer, Miss Beale Allingham. The society paid the salary of a native preacher and a Bible woman in India.

The fifty-fifth annual meeting of the board of five underwriters of New Brunswick was held yesterday afternoon in the board rooms, 41 Princess street, and the election of officers resulted as follows: President, J. Cecil Mitchell, district manager of the Liverpool, London and Globe Company; vice-president, L. W. Nickerson of the Sun Insurance Company; secretary, Peter Clingh, re-elected; assistant secretary, R. B. Fudger.

A conference was held yesterday afternoon in the mayor's office of the city, in which the city commissioners and R. A. Ross, consulting engineer to the city, in regard to the hydro-electric proposition. His worship said afterwards that the city officials were now awaiting Mr. Ross' report, which he will prepare and forward to the city when he returns to Montreal.

Snakes, shells, nuts, moths and curious beasts are included in the latest collection presented to the Natural History Society. The specimens are the gift of Rev. Harvey Morton and come from his mission station in Trinidad. Among the most interesting specimens are the large Brazil nuts in their husks. There are about one dozen snakes in the collection, and there is one small alligator. The shells are especially beautiful. Centipedes, scorpions, a tarantula spider, nine moths and a small trunk fish complete the collection.

A meeting of the governors of the Boys' Industrial Home was held yesterday afternoon in city hall when the report of the superintendent, A. J. Parker, for the year ended Oct. 31, 1921, was received. A considerable amount of routine business also was transacted. Those present included Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mayor Schofield, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, James Myles, H. H. Mott, F. W. Daniel and A. J. Parker.

GIRLS BRAVEST OF ALL.
(New York Herald.)
That girls are braver than boys is the observation made by Dr. Edward F. Bigelow, nature study guide of the Camp Fire Girls of America, and formerly scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts' Association. Dr. Bigelow includes in this category girls from ten to fifteen. After that age, he says, they acquire the fear and inconsistencies of women.

"The average woman does not understand girls." This is another of Dr. Bigelow's unique statements and a discovery he has made in his quarter of a century of experience as an educator of girls. He has discovered that not only do they not understand them, but also that they are unsympathetic toward them.

Dr. Bigelow for the last twenty-five years has been associated with select private schools for girls as a nature lecturer and guide. He is well known as a naturalist guide in girls' camps, also as president of the Agassiz Association at Sound Beach, Conn. "And—I am of age—sixty my last birthday," he says, laughingly, "so wise enough to speak only of what I know."

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POLICE COURT.
The case against Ernest Friers, charged with obstructing Inspector Henderson in the course of his duties, was finished yesterday. The defendant went on the stand and swore that the inspectors knocked him down when he had no intention of interfering with them. He was fined \$50. F. S. Ritchie represented Friers, and W. M. Ryan the prosecution. Two other witnesses for the defence were called in the case against Harold Steeves, charged with driving along the car tracks and unnecessarily obstructing a street car. The case was postponed for further consideration.

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