

CAMP BORDEN R.C.A.F. ^{Rep. B.} HOLDS FINE SPORTS DAY

F/O Byergo and LAC Rowland Top Men's Events; AW1 Hoyle Leads Airwomen; F/L Jones Best in Swimming.

Officers, airmen and airwomen at No. 1 Service Flying Training School, Camp Borden, senior R.C.A.F. station in Canada, held one of their most successful sports days in history yesterday, with ideal weather beaming upon a huge crowd of families and friends of the station personnel. Under the organization of Squadron Leader L. W. C. Sturgeon, Meaford, president of the Sports Club, and the direction of Flight Lieutenant Joe McAskin, Barrie, vice-president, Pilot Officer Gerry Reed, Hamilton, station P.T. and Drill officer, and Gordon Haig, Toronto, and Ron Masson, Kitchener, Y.M.C.A. directors, the affair was run off smoothly from start to finish. Morning showers failed to dampen the ardour of the more than 200 contestants in all kinds of events, and when the sun came out after lunch, enthusiasm was unlimited.

The day was held through the kind courtesy of Group Captain F. C. Carling-Kelly, Toronto, commanding officer of the station, who gave much personal assistance during the sports. Squadron Leader Allan A. Lamport, Toronto, Administrative Officer, and F/O J. H. Brown were announcers. Wing Commander Gordon Welstead, Chief Flying Instructor, was referee, and the starters were S/L E. V. Holtzman and WO2 W. J. A. Jailliet.

Visit from A.O.C.

During the afternoon a beautiful silver Lockheed flew over the sports field and a few minutes later the station had a visit from the Air Officer Commanding No. 1 Training Command, Air Vice-Marshal Frank S. McGill, former C.O. of the station. He was accompanied by Group Captain J. S. Scott, D.F.C., in charge of Training for the Command; Group Captain Ferda Marani, V.D., in charge of Works and Buildings; Wing Commander M. Haig, Organization; Flight Lieutenant H. Barton, personal aide to the A.O.C.; and F/L Joe Reid, staff pilot.

The visitors enjoyed the sports and assisted in the presentation of prizes. Others who presented prizes to various winners included Mrs. Carling-Kelly, Mrs. Welstead, Mrs. Lamport and Mrs. McAskin.

Winner of Trophy

Winner of the trophy for highest individual aggregate was Flying Officer Jack Byergo of New York City, 23-year-old instructor. He was in six events, captured first in the 440, second in the 220, and third in the discus throw and shot put.

Just behind Byergo was a 31-year-old mechanic, LAC Albert Henry Rowland, of Toronto, but now residing in Alliston with his wife and three children. LAC Rowland went in two events and won both—the gruelling cross country race and the 880. He has often walked and run the nine miles from Alliston and Borden for work, so considered the marathon all in the day's effort.

Other outstanding events were the 100 yards, won by LAC Bob Gray, Toronto student pilot, in a close race; the pole vaulting of Warrant Officer Bill Burt, New Brunswick, and LAC Gray; and the good work of LAC Mauchamp, young R.A.F. pilot.

in Barrie, won the shot put and Flying Officer Al Smerdon was top man in the discus throw.

Women's Events

AW1 Dorothy Hoyle of Toronto scored the most points in the airwomen events, taking a first and two seconds in swimming and two firsts in field events.

Second was Cpl. Jean Clegg of Ottawa, who won two swimming events and one third, and two thirds in field events.

F/L Jones Leads in Swim

Flight Lieutenant Doug Jones, Toronto, a former British Empire Games star, topped the male swimmers with three wins and a third in four events. Sgt. Marsh, an Australian, was the best diver, and Flight Lieutenant Harold Kester, London, Ontario, station medical officer, made a remarkable record in the long plunge and was strong in other events.

No. 2 Squadron Wins Cup

The Inter-Unit Grand Aggregate Trophy was won by No. 2 Squadron of Training Wing, and the cup was accepted by the O.C., F/L Nat Burden. The same squadron also won the 440 yard Unit Relay Cup.

Maintenance Squadron pulled No. 1 Squadron over twice to win the tug-of-war. Members of the team were: Cpl. Brewer, coach; LAC Mauch, anchor; LAC Gabinet, LAC Calderbank, Sgt. Bill Bruce, LAC Kutchaw, Sgt. McKee, Cpl. McKay and F/S Baker.

A thrilling display of formation flying and aerobatics was put on at five o'clock by Wing Commander Welstead and four instructors.

The No. 1 S.F.T.S. Band, under F/Sgt. Cliff Hunt, provided music during the day's events and also led the parade of contestants to the sports field in the afternoon. The parade had some clever floats—by the Dental Corps with Capt. Jack Warnica on the drill, the Medical Corps with F/L Kester doing the carving, the Women's Division off parade, and the Service Police with a comical skit about the "digger."

There were all kinds of events and prizes for kiddies and women—and lots of fun for all. The prizes were grand—over \$1,200 worth, mostly donated by individuals and firms in Toronto and Barrie.

Golf, tennis, volleyball, baseball, horseshoes and softball were other competitions among units staged during the day. Closing feature was a big station dance in the Drill Hall, with music by the station dance band.

Results were:

Officers and Airmen
100 yards dash—LAC Bob Gray, Toronto; F/S Price; LAC Mauchamp.

BROADWAY LAD WINS

Jack Byergo Stars
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Officers and Airmen.

100-yard dash—LAC. Bob Gray, Toronto; FS. Price; LAC. Mauchamp.
220-yard dash—LAC. Mauchamp.
R.A.F.: FO. Byergo; AC.1 Nicholson.
440-yard dash—FO. Jack Byergo, New York City; LAC. Leclair; Cpl. Brewer.
880-yard dash—LAC. Albert H. Rowland, Alliston; Cpl. Dougall; FS. Fisher.

Running broad jump—LAC. Bernie Leclair, Midland; LAC. Mauchamp; AC.2 Kelly.

Discus throw—FO. Al Smerdon, Toronto; LAC. Mauchamp; FO. Byergo.

Cross country—LAC. A. H. Rowland, Alliston; Cpl. Dougall; FS. Fisher.

Running high jump—LAC. Melvin, Toronto; LAC. Bray; FO. Ingram.

Shot put—Sgt. Desmond McCourt, Barrie; LAC. McBride; FO. Byergo.

Pole vault—WO.2 Bill Burt, New Brunswick; LAC. Gray; AC.2 Head.

Golph tournament—LAC. Mike Markowski, Vancouver; LAC. Hoskin; FO. E. A. Allen.

Airwomen.

75-yard dash—AW.1 Alice Scott, Toronto; LAW. Dorothy Hoy, Welland; Cpl. Jean Clegg, Ottawa.

Running broad jump—AW.1 Dorothy Hoyle, Toronto; LAW. Eva Martknuk, Windsor; Cpl. Jean Clegg, Ottawa.

Softball throw—LAW. Eileen Mann, Windsor; LAW. Eva Martynuk, Windsor; LAW. Dorothy Hoy, Welland.

Running high jump—AW.1 Dorothy Hoyle, Toronto; LAW. Alice Scott, Toronto; LAW. Margaret Richardson, Saskatchewan.

Swimming Events.

Back stroke—FL. Doug Jones, Toronto; Sgt. Marsh; LAC. Bray.

Free style—FL. Doug Jones, Toronto; Sgt. Marsh; LAC. Eastaugh.

Diving—Sgt. Marshall, Australia; Cpl. Hallburton; WO.2 Johnston.

Breast stroke—FL. Doug Jones, Toronto; Cpl. Hallburton; LAC. Smith.

Long plunge—FL. Harold Kester, London, Ont.; LAC. Eastaugh; FL. Jones.

Swimming Events, Airwomen.

Free style—Cpl. Jean Clegg, Ottawa; AW.1 Dorothy Hoyle, Toronto; Cpl. Hazel Dancy, Windsor.
Breast stroke—Cpl. Jean Clegg, Ottawa; AW.1 Hoyle; Cpl. Dancy.
Back stroke—AW.1 Hoyle; Cpl. Clegg; Cpl. Dancy.

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