

In connection with the next races, I may state that we have already been promised four prizes; a magnificent cup, of value of nearly \$200.00, by the sturdy limb of St. George at Winnipeg, a cup by the Hon. P. Mitchell, and medals from Mr. R. Kane and Alderman Gilman.

Upon February 26th, the Montreal S. S. Club held their Annual Races. The first two open events on their programme, the open mile and 100 yards in heats, were taken by two of our men, viz., C. Lamothe and J. Bolton; in the quarter-mile, T. Davidson, of St. George, ran a splendid race, only being beaten by a couple of feet.

On March 5th, the supplementary Races of the Montreal S. S. Club took place. The Worthington Cup, given for one mile championship, open to Canada, was competed for; this was third race of series, C. Lamothe, of St. George, winning it first year; Starke, of the Montreal, taking it following season—and now the question was to be decided as to who was to be its lucky owner.

Our members had every confidence in their representative, and turned out to a man to encourage him. The race proved to be one of the most exciting ever run in Montreal, and resulted in the champion of St. George winning by thirty yards.

On March 12th, the races of the Waverly S. S. Club were held on the esplanade at Quebec. Your committee had sent J. Bolton and G. McLaine down to compete. Bolton took gold medal for 100 yards and 440 yards races, and McLaine carried off the Minister of Militia's Cup for the one mile race. Our men were well treated by the Quebecers, and the visit may probably lead to some of the Quebec Clubs sending representatives to our next sports.

On the 31st of January an event took place which will be remembered for many a day by the St. George Club—viz., the concert in aid of the Montreal General Hospital. The Club had been preparing for it for some six weeks, and those forty or fifty gentlemen who devoted so much time and trouble in learning their respective parts, deserve the hearty thanks of the remaining 240; for there is no doubt that the popularity and favor with which the public look upon us is mainly the result of that