



SPORTS PAGE



Sports Events At Epworth Park Are Well Contested

Fine Program Carried Out Last Saturday Afternoon.

Favored with ideal weather the Epworth Park Outing Association held its annual water sports Saturday last.

Forming in the ball field, a parade marching to the "taps" of Perc. Holder as drum major, wended its way to the beach where the residents of the Park had gathered.

The races started from the large float anchored off-shore and all events were keenly contested.

Miss Desta Vaughan was high point winner in the girls' class and Murray MacFarlane carried off the honors in the boys' division.

Miss Helen Belding copped the initial honors in the ladies' class and was presented with the "Bustlin" trophy. In the men's division Charles Curren annexed the "Mealey" trophy. Underwater swimming, in which T. Rising, of Ingleside, excelled, was a feature of the sports.

The summary is as follows:

Swimming

Children under 6 years—Donny Regan, 1st; John Till, 2nd.

Girls 11-16 years—25 yards.—Desta Vaughan, 1st; Frances Alley, 2nd.

Boys 11-16 years—25 yards.—Les McAdam, 1st; M. MacFarlane, 2nd.

Ladies' Diving—Helen Belding, 1st; Betty Curren, 2nd.

Men's—50 yards—Charley Curren, 1st; Stu. Sime, 2nd.

Boys' Diving—Len. Morgan 1st; M. MacFarlane, 2nd.

Ladies' Tube Race—Helen Belding, 1st; Vivian Wetmore, 2nd.

Girls 8-10 years—shore to raft—Lois Regan, 1st; Betty Holder, 2nd.

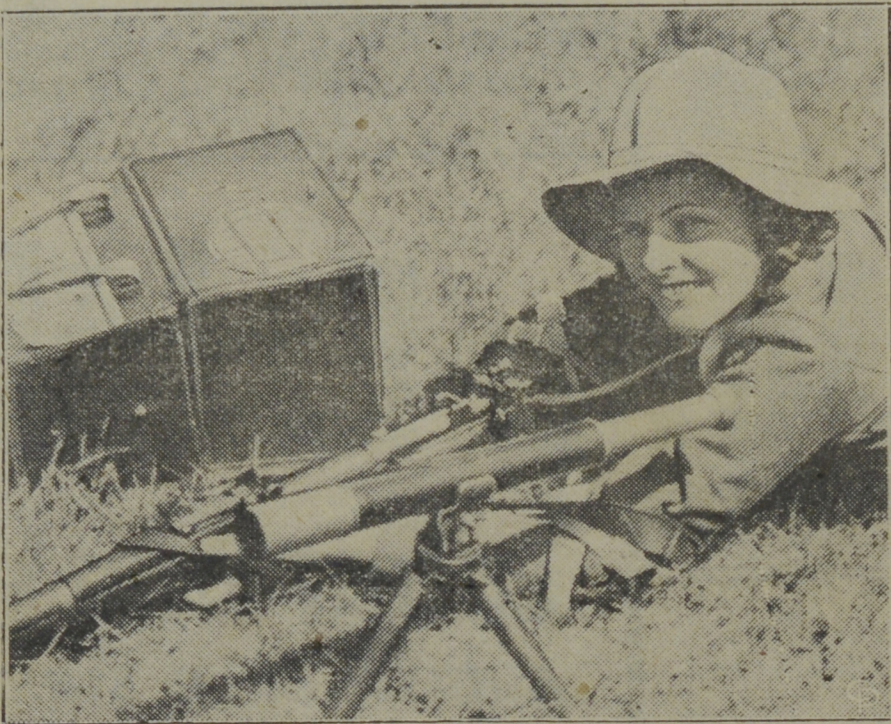
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Girls' Diving—Betty Nase, 1st; Desta Vaughan, 2nd.

Boys' Tube Race—Les McAdam, 1st; Roy McAdam, 2nd.

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Mrs. Neal Dow Makes Fine Showing



MRS. J. NEAL DOW, of Saint John, N. B., was the lone representative of her sex at the annual meeting of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association in Ottawa last week. Usually there are several women competing in the annual shoot, but this year she was the only one among more than 400 expert riflemen. On August 15 she scored 103 out of a possible 105 in the qualifying round for the Governor-General's medal and she made a wonderful showing in all competition in which she was entered.

Terry McGovern A Notable Figure In History Of Ring

Was Looked On as Champion of 118 Pound Class—Details of His Bout With Caspar Leon.

By RAY HANSEN

ONE OF the most notable figures in ring history was Terry McGovern, of Brooklyn, N. Y., one of the cleverest and hardest hitting featherweights of his time. One of his bouts, which attracted considerable attention, was with Caspar Leon, of New York, which was staged in 1898. At the time McGovern was defeating opponent after opponent and was looked upon as the champion at 118 pounds. The bout with Caspar Leon was one of the most important arranged that year and McGovern's victory made him eligible to fight any man in the world at his weight.

Leon did not have a chance to win from the outset. He was clever, but could not withstand McGovern's rushes. That Terry had terrific force behind his blows was evident from the fact that he broke two of Leon's ribs dur-

ing the encounter. The bout was to be 25 rounds and staged under the Marquis of Queensbury rules. McGovern started right in working carefully. He drove a straight right over Leon's heart. This stunned the New Yorker and he danced away. Both exchanged a number of blows before the round terminated. In the second McGovern was impetuous and seemed to lose his head. He hit in clinches and roughed it and was cautioned by the referee. McGovern was getting home some hard punches which made Leon wince.

In the third round Leon started several rushes, but McGovern avoided him. Before the round terminated McGovern cornered his opponent and peppered him with a shower of blows. As the fourth started McGovern caught

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SPOTS of Sport

By RAY HANSEN



IN A RECENT ISSUE OF THE MONTREAL "Gazette" an article appeared intimating that Perc Nicklin, former coach of the Moncton Hawks, twice winners of the Allan Cup, might be in charge of the Quebec Aces this season. It also went on to say that it was being whispered about that the crack forward line of Getliffe, Brenneman and Desilets would accompany him. How these rumors get started is a mystery, but in this instance it would appear that the wish was father to the thought. At the time of writing the weather man was passing out some real heat and fans were thinking about swimming. They realize that our summer is short enough without anticipating winter as the cold, bleak days will be here soon enough and then all can concentrate on the great winter pastime—hockey. Fans here are confident that Percy Nicklin will be right on the job coaching the Beavers and getting them ready for an assault on the famous Allan Cup. As far as the crack forward line is concerned they are equally confident that they will be denting the twine for the Beavers. Now that a Maritime league is assured and a strong representative team lined up fans are placing their confidence on the Beavers' management to checkmate any move to entice either their coach or star players to other centres. There should be no longer any fear of losing star players to interests in England. A warning is out that the C. A. H. A. and the O. H. A. are aware that inducements are being made to certain players and it is intimated that suspensions will follow if they sign up and actually play. It is said that one of the inducements being said to be one pound for every game won and eight pounds a week salary along with transportation both ways.

SAINT JOHN IS CERTAINLY BEING PUT ON THE MAP AS a home of crack shots. The showing of Cadet R. D. McLeod and Signaller Tommy Gregory at the annual meeting of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association on the Connaught Ranges was outstanding. Both are comparatively speaking only youngsters and yet are making a name for themselves while in competition with the crack shots of the Dominion. A lot of credit is due Lieut. J. Neal Dow, who taught them all the angles of shooting. Hal Parker, of Yarmouth, N. S., a former Saint John boy, has won honors in the big Dominion shoot as well as at Bisley. These youths are doing a lot to help advertise Saint John and their achievements are worthy of some recognition on the part of the citizens.

SOME LINES OF SPORT SEEM DOOMED TO FAILURE IN the Maritimes. Just when promoters have apparently worked up a lot of interest and spent a lot of money and time in the effort someone comes along and "throws a monkey wrench into the works." Halifax wrestling fans were victimized recently in a much-heralded wrestling match between Count Zarynoff and Gus Sonnerberg. The latter, who has been trying to regain lost ground in this line, failed to show anything out of the ordinary in the first round, but the fans knowing his record anticipated a show of real fireworks before the evening's entertainment was over. One can imagine how they felt when it was announced that Sosenberg claimed he had been injured and was unable to continue. It is not surprising that they demanded some protection from the Boxing Commission and claim to be off wrestling for life. Such occurrences are not uncommon in the Maritimes and not infrequently the ones who suffer most are the promoters, who are more or less held responsible.

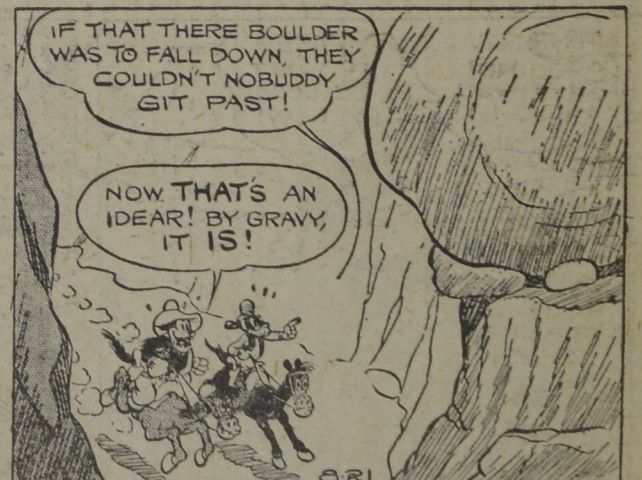
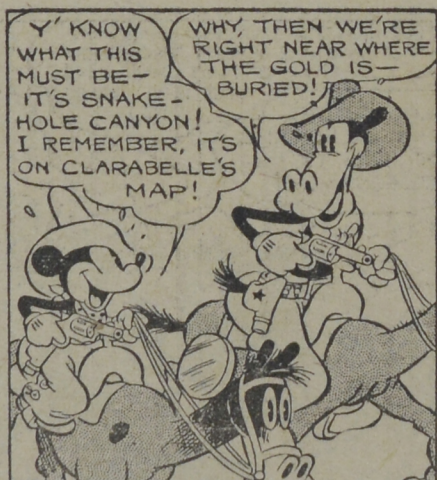
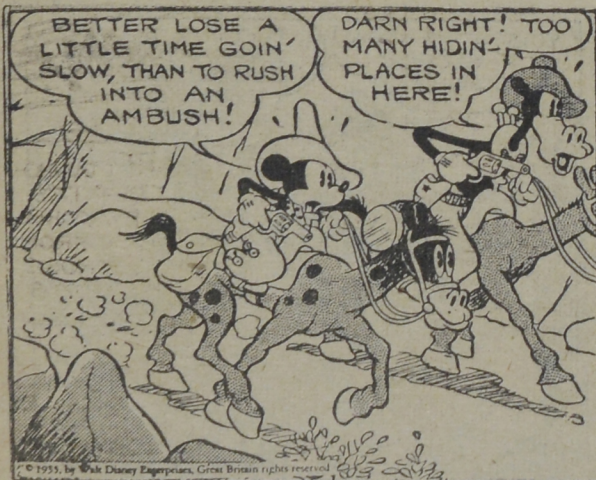
THE BASEBALL FANS HEREABOUTS UNDOUBTEDLY SHOW considerable interest in the Montreal and Toronto teams in the International League. At the time of writing the former were out in front and give every indication of winning their way through to the finals. Toronto were trailing six games behind,

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