

# Fanning FOR THE FANS

By LLOYD M. YOUNG

KIMBERLEY DYNAMITERS, champions of the west, and Sudbury Falcons will meet in Winnipeg for the finals of the Allan Cup series in a best out of three game series for the Cup. The Sudbury team, eastern winners, who stepped into the finals after the dropping out of the Hamilton Tigers, have defeated all competition, defeating Brockville and Montreal to win their way to the finals. The first game will take place Thursday, April 9, the second, Saturday, April 11, and a third if necessary the following Monday.

TED ELLSWORTH, STAR member of the Acadia basketball and rugby varsity teams, was unanimously re-elected to captain the basketball squad for 1937. Ellsworth was seen in action in Saint John recently.

DETROIT OLYMPICS AND Windsor Bulldogs will open the international hockey series April 8th in Detroit for the Teddy Oke trophy. The second game will be played on Friday night in Windsor, and a third if necessary on Sunday in Detroit. Olympics are favorites to take this title.

THIS SEEMS TO BE DETROIT'S year, as they are away on the first lap of the Stanley Cup series and indications are that they will take the old mug. In the first game with the Toronto Maple Leafs they were victorious by the score of 3-1 and they showed the results of a few day's layoff when they were waiting for the Leafs to defeat the Americans.

ROY OLIVER, MARITIME middle distance runner, will run in the Boston Marathon on April 20, under the New Glasgow Elks Club colors. He has been training for some time and is in fine shape for the grind.

IT IS INTERESTING TO note that Len Burrage and Jack Draper have been selected as an all star defence for the Eastern Amateur Hockey League by sports writers of that circuit. Both of these players were seen in action here when the Big Four was in progress. They are playing this year for the Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets. Sherwood, formerly of the Beavers, was named for the left wing of the alternate team.

THE SAINT JOHN TROJANS basketball team were crowned Maritime champions here recently, and it is unfortunate to note that they were stopped in their quest for further laurels in the fact that financial backing was not forthcoming. The team this year was one of the best produced and could have gone far in their quest for the Dominion title. An unfortunate item in the team having to default to Upper Canada is the fact that they will be out of competition also next year as far as the finals are concerned. This is a basketball ruling, if one team defaults one year, the next year they are automatically out of competition.

THE MONCTON MAROONS were honored at a dinner given in their honor by the citizens of Moncton in that they received certificates of congratulations, and leather jackets were forthcoming. Tribute was paid their coach, Dud James, for the efficient manner in which his team had shown up this season. THE SHOWING OF BOTH the Moncton Maroons and the

## GRAND NATIONAL WINNER



In the long history of the Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree, England, only seven horses have won the event twice. This year, Reynoldstown, the entry of Major Noel Furlong, won the event for the second consecutive time. Not since Poethlyn won in 1918 and 1919 has a horse repeated in the race, which is regarded as the greatest test of horseflesh in the world.

Amherst Canucks in the Dominion finals this year was an indication of the fact that hockey in the Maritimes is once more on the uptrend, and in a few years who knows, maybe grown and home-trained play-a Allan Cup and a Memorial Cup, these from home-grown and home-trained players.

HORTON SMITH, STAR U. S. golfer, captured the Augusta National golf tourney title, nosing out his fellow townsman, "Lighthouse Harry" Cooper, of Chicago, by one stroke.

EARL SEIBERT, OF CHICAGO Black Hawks, has signed a contract for next year with the Hawks. He was given what he asked and it was just the same as they were going to offer him. Last year he was one of the last hold-outs.

### Dempsey Defeated Sharkey By His Indomitable Courage

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the men came out of their corners for the seventh the former champion jumped at his opponent in his famous weaving style and like a flash whipped his left to the body. The blow landed with terrific force right on the stomach and Sharkey doubled up in pain and began to claim a foul. He dropped his guard and crack, Dempsey's right caught him on the chin and down he went. He tried to regain his feet at the count of nine, swayed and then fell prone on his face. Sharkey's handlers were at this time raising a howl about a foul, but the referee seized Dempsey's right hand and raised it, awarding him the contest. It was then that that vast throng gave Dempsey one of the greatest ovations ever accorded a boxer in ring annals.

The bout had been a smashing, mauling struggle replete with dramatic moments. Dempsey had won because he had refused to be beaten. He had taken a terrible beating in the early rounds, but continued with a determination that gave ample evidence of his grit and by his persistent plunging had broken down Sharkey's defense. The victory put him in line for another chance at the heavyweight crown.

### Saint John Expects All Voters To Do Their Duty

Two thousand years ago two characters met face to face. One very honorable, the other very dishonorable. The dishonorable one said to the other—"All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me." The answer was—"Get thee behind me, Satan."

On Easter Monday these characters will meet again at the polling booth and the promises will be made such as—"All these cigars, liquor, contracts, jobs, etc. will I give thee if thou wilt only vote for me." Will you good voters of Saint John stand the strain of the temptation of the modern Satan? Will you stand firm and sweat blood in resisting the evil one? Remember Judas and the thirty pieces of silver. He was tempted and fell. Will

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you fall? Will you sell your vote for cigars, liquor, a promise of a job or money? All the noble spirits of the past and present will be watching you in that sacred ballot box. Will you acquit yourselves like men and do your duty fearlessly for the discouraged employer, the discouraged business man, the unemployed, the poor man living on relief and all those who have no vote?

A very sacred duty rests on the shoulders of those who have a vote. Ten candidates are before you, to make your choice of two. The writer's name is before you. Consider the lives of all of us, past and present. Do not be guided by the promises made on the eve of an election, but cast your vote in such a way that will inspire hope and confidence in the minds of the people of Saint John. Think very carefully before voting to place our city in a condition of further despair and depression. The responsibility is yours, let not your sympathy for giving any man a job stand between you and your sacred duty.

(Signed) ALICK TAYLOR.  
(Advt.)

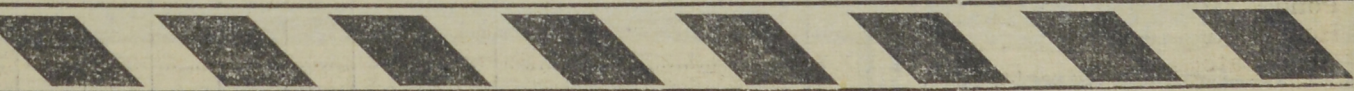
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