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Whim Road W.I. District Convention

The district convention of the Heatherdale, Caledonia, Glen Martin, Kilmuir, Milton Cross, Whim Road, Valleyfield, Grand View, Lyndale and Bellevue Women's Institutes was held in the Whim Road Hall on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday July 31st.

Miss Edith MacDonald, District Secretary, pro tem, read the minutes of last meeting which were approved. The secretaries of the Institutes represented then gave very interesting reports on the year's work.

by members in the audience followed a short recess. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Samuel Martin, Heatherdale.

Vice President, Miss Belle Bruce, Milton Cross.

Secretary, Miss Edith MacDonald, Whim Road.

A worthy cause was espoused in that the ten branch institutes of this district have resolved to form the sum of \$100 each year. Mrs. Samuel Martin, Heatherdale was chosen convener of the Resolution Committee.

At the close of the afternoon session a delicious picnic supper was served outdoors, after which the display of handicraft and antiques in the hall was admired. Choice cut flowers and potted plants decorated the Hall.

The evening session opened at 8.30 with the hall filled to capacity. The following is the programme presented.

Gaelic song, (encored), Mr. J. A. Campbell, Heatherdale, W. I. Address, "Public Health" Dr. Keeping.

Reading, (encored), Mrs. Sydney McLean, Kilmuir, W. I. Instrumental music, (encored), Misses F. A. McDonald, Heatherdale W. I.

Address, "Junior Red Cross" Miss Catherine McLean.

Musical sextet, (encored), Messrs Woolcot McPherson, Willard and Allister McLeod, Martin and McLeod, Grand View W. I.

Address, Mr. S.S. Hessian, Montague.

Solo, (encored), Mr. Leslie Stuart, Whim Road W. I. Instrumental music, (encored), Mr. Leslie Stuart and Mr. Archie Stuart, Whim Road, W. I.

ing to \$7.62 in aid of the King's County Hospital. The singing of God Save the King brought the convention to a close.

In Memoriam

MR. NORMAN MCPHERSON

Norman McPherson died at his home in Glen Martin, July 21, 1934, after an illness of only five days in his 82nd year. He is survived by his wife, three daughters and one son, as follows: Mrs. Mary Bonnel, Sydney, C.B. Nova Scotia; Mrs. Annie Harvey Hemphill, Blue Lake, California; Mrs. Catherine Stewart, Quincy, Mass., and John Malcolm, on the old homestead. His son, Angus, a bridge-builder was accidentally drowned in B. C. some years ago.

The sound of the screeching reel summoned him to action, rushing to the verandah he found the reel twirling madly and his line snaking out into the bush. Seizing the rod he began to reel in the line. With considerable difficulty he landed his prize. A young red fox which had struck the dangling artificial fly and made off with it.

Permission was obtained from game warden Boisvert to retain the fox and ship it to the zoological gardens at Quebec.

The Summit Club was formed by an organization of Canadian National employees and word of the unusual catch was received by C. K. Howard, head of the railway's fish and game department, but there are a stack of affidavits to support its authenticity. Now Mr. Blackburn and his fishing companions are seeking information as to the best type of artificial fly to lure a bull moose.

Mr. McPherson was considered, and will be missed, as one of the pioneers of Glen Martin. But Paul says: "For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands eternal in the Heavens."

THE HUMAN ELEMENT IN ECONOMICS

(By Forbes Rhude, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) VANCOUVER, Aug. 14—"You can't look at the economic problems of this country and think of the human element, and this is one of the things for which I am being criticized," declared Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, in an address here today. He was speaking before more than 1,000 people at a luncheon under the joint auspices of the Board of Trade, the Canadian Club, the Canadian Manufacturers Association, Service Clubs and other bodies.

He appealed to businessmen from one end of Canada to the other to set up within their own industries themselves such a code of ethics and fair-dealing that restrictive laws would not be necessary. "I hold," said Mr. Stevens, "that any man who by his own actions places himself at the head of a half-dozen industries, owes it to the employees of those industries to keep the same human contract as the individual owners did before him. And I have been criticized for this."

"I am making no plea for a Utopia. I don't believe in Marxian Socialism, Mussolinism, Hitlerism, because I don't believe systems in themselves can rectify the situation. Any system will be just, only to keep the same human contact men of good character and high purpose who recognize the rights of others."

"I believe in industry getting together and working out a system of ethics and codes of its own."

"I am not spouting of oodes on the other side. I believe they are working too much from the top down."

All economic conditions today pointed to general improvement. Mr. Stevens said. Car loadings were up despite reduced wheat shipments, and in the whole range of major products there was a marked increase of general demand.

CIGARETTE BUTTS CAUSE OF FIRES

During the hot weather, when the forest lands bake under tremendous heat waves, various reports are received by the operating department of the Canadian National Railways of fires which break out in the vicinity of the front-of-way but sufficiently far from the tracks to preclude the possibility of a locomotive starting the blaze. A typical report of this nature was one received from the Huntsville Sub-division, in the Muskoka District, which stated that early in the evening a fire was found burning more than 300 yards distant from the tracks and close to a road. Before the blaze could be extinguished by the use of sand 10 acres of stumps and slashing had been burned over. The cause was eventually fixed as a lighted cigarette butt carelessly thrown away from a passing vehicle. The fire was extinguished by section men had to work many hours overtime. It is not generally known but all locomotives operating through forest lands carry every protection to prevent sparks starting fires.

A New One For Ripley

(Special To The Guardian)

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 15.—R. L. Ripley, please. (Believe it or not). There are anglers who have hooked and landed everything from walrus to fishing companions to worn out automobile tires and marmalade cans, but it remained for Pitt Blackburn of Quebec, fishing at the Summit Club, an anglion of the Canadian National Railway line between Quebec City and the Lake St. John district, to establish a new record.

Mr. Blackburn involuntarily, it must be admitted, hooked, and then voluntarily and with considerable amazement, landed a young red fox which "struck" the artificial fly on the end of his fishing line. The story is probably vouched for by the fox and, as proof, has been established in the zoological gardens at Quebec.

Here are the details: Mr. Blackburn, returning from a fishing outing left his rod with leader and fly attached, resting against the railing of the verandah of the one of the cabins of the Summit Club and stepped inside the cabin for a moment.

Mr. Blackburn was fishing from a boat on the Ottawa river when he eliminated Jack Cameron of Montreal in the third round. In the second, he defeated Geoff Turpin of Montreal, grey-haired titlist of 1913.

The afternoon match between Ken Black of Vancouver and Bobby Reith, Winnipeg, was one of the prizes of the day, Black winning one up.

Two former Canadian titlists dropped away today, Rogers eliminating Geoff Turpin and Jack Murray of Champlain in 1925 and 1927. Carriok whose play has been spotty all year was erratic against Minger. He shot an approximate 41 going out and maintained the pace, losing 2 and 1.

During the day, six Americans were swept from the competition.

Test Match Hopes Slump

(C. P. Cable)

(By Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Aug. 15.—England's hopes for the fifth and decisive test match with Australia slumped somewhat tonight when it was learned that the redoubtable Patsy Hendren, one of cricket's stoutest batters, may not be able to get in the game.

The Middlesex star, a mainstay of the English eleven in all previous tests this season, was struck on the elbow today in the match between Middlesex and Derby at Lords. He was trying to avoid a short pitch from William Copson, Derby's young fast bowler. The arm swelled and he was unable to play.

Copson also struck George Hart of Middlesex, fracturing his left-hand.

Suffers From Puzzling Ailment

(A. F. By Guardian's Special Wire)

MT. GLEAD, O., Aug. 15.—Alternately mumbling, sobbing and shouting, a 32-year-old truck driver, Donald Campbell, today was in his 10th day in the grip of "talking sickness," an ailment akin to the silent sleeping sickness.

He is lying in the home of his father, Blain Campbell, near here, steadily growing weaker from the drain on her nervous energy. Dr. C. S. Jackson, who terms his sickness a form of encephalitis, reports the patient remains rational. The disease is believed to result from an infection of the encephalon, or lower part of the brain, but Campbell shows no evidence of mental derangement. He readily recognizes acquaintances and answers questions.

The man has had only five hours sleep since the onset of the disease. He eats regularly but lightly.

Three New Golf Stars

(By J. F. Sanderson)

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

(C. P. By The Canadian Press) LAVAL-SUR-LE-LAC, Que., Aug. 15.—Three rising stars in the Canadian golfing firmament flashed across the horizon today when the field in the Dominion amateur tournament was cut to 16 players.

10 Canadian, five American and H. J. Jukes, from Cartagena, Colombia, S. A.

Ken Black, 22 year old son of the famous Vancouver pro, Day Black, eliminated on 19th green Fred J. Wright, of Trapello, Mass., seven times amateur king of his state. In a see-saw battle, in which neither man was ever more than one up, Black advanced to the third round where he knocked off Bobby Reith, Winnipeg, former Manitoba open and amateur titlist.

Another 22 year old youngster, Phil Farley, Toronto, carried Gullford of Boston, 1921 American amateur titlist and former Walker Cup member to the 22nd green before being eliminated from the third round. Farley was one over par for the 22 holes.

Jack Minger, Dallas, Texas, semi-finalist in the American amateur two years ago and considered once or twice for his country's Walker Cup team, had to post sub-par figures to send to the sidelines a 20 year old Montrealer, Jack Archer, in the third round. Fighting all the while until he dubbed a drive at the 17th, losing 2 and 1 to the steady, experienced play of the Texan.

Two 18 hole rounds were played today over the tricky, rolling, heavily wooded Laval course to cut the field from 64 to 16. Two more 18-hole rounds will follow tomorrow to reach the semi-finals Friday.

Albert "Sooty" Campbell of Seattle, who took the title to the United States last year for the second time, won his two rounds today. In the morning he defeated John Nies of Boston, finalist in the Massachusetts amateur this year, and a Then the quiet, soft-spoken Pacific Coast lad went on to his second win of the day over a fellow-countryman, eliminating G. H. Flynn of Oak Mount, Pa., 4 and 3.

His two rounds demonstrated to the gallery that Campbell will be a tough man to keep out of the semi-finals. If not the final he has two over par for the 16 holes against Flynn. The main American title four times and the American one kept pace with the hands full of young Bud Donovan of Winnipeg who took him to the 18th green losing one up before stepping to the sidelines. Somerville was two over par with a 73, the Winnipeg boy taking 75, 5 in the third round, 6 and 5 occasionally hits the high spots in club and districts events, didn't win a hole in the outward journey. He halved two and dropped seven.

Mr. Rogers, the Ottawa figure skater who also wields a better than average golf club, sprang one of the big upsets of the day when he eliminated Jack Cameron of Montreal in the third round. In the second, he defeated Geoff Turpin of Montreal, grey-haired titlist of 1913.

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Endeavour Ready For Trial Spin 82 Horses Entered In N. S. Race

(A. F. By Guardian's Special Wire) NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 15.—Vancouver led the three candidates for defence of the America's cup home to Newport today from the annual cruise of the New York Yacht Club, but she was not officially credited with a victory, for the old and ineligible cup contender of 20 years ago is required to concede nearly seven seconds a mile to the newer boats.

This handicap threw her into third place and Westmore finished first and Yankee second in the official scoring. Meantime, T. O. M. Sopwith's yacht Endeavour, British challenger for the America's cup, arrived in the harbor from Bristol, but instead of anchoring put out apparently for a trial spin over the Brentons Reef course where the races will be held in the fall. It was expected she would anchor here overnight.

She was accompanied by Sopwith's private yacht Vila, but it was not determined whether Sopwith was aboard.

BREAD AND CHEESE ENJOYED BY HORSE

MARKET HARBOROUGH Aug. 15.—Brown Jack, the most popular racehorse in England, is reported to be about to retire. It is expected that he will be trained for hunting next season.

Mr. Harold Werner, his owner, is joint master of the Fernie Hounds, which hunt in Leicestershire. Brown Jack at ten years old is a queer horse. He refuses to train, he eats bread and cheese, and in his box he squats on a shelf. But he has won \$115,000 in stakes. He cost \$2,300 as a three-year-old.

His hobby is tiny engines.