

## McINTYRE BOWLING LEAGUE WINNERS FOR LAST WEEK

Week's Bowling All a Surprise... All the Leaders Beaten in the Matches Played.

The results of last week's matches in the McIntyre Bowling League were all a surprise. The League leaders were all beaten on Tuesday. The Webers, who had not registered a win until then, took three points from Angrignon. Bonnell was high for the Webers and Capt. Angrignon registered high for his own team.

### ANGRIGNON'S

Dummy	125	125
Abrams	148	141
Campbell	176	163
McMillan	148	152
Angrignon	237	170

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### WEBERS

Dummy	125	125
Leng	96	143
H. Cooke	185	164
Costain	223	223
Weber	214	181
Bonnell	225	192

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Weber, 3 points; Angrignon, 1 point. Wednesday night the Starrs, who were league leaders, lost 3 points to the Maes. Waddle rolled high for the Starrs, 668 pin fall. Small was the best man on the Maes, rolling 345 single and 716 total.

### STARRS

Dr. Honey	142	172	155	469
Waddle	277	174	217	668
Welt	122	175	138	435
Tonkin	218	211	188	597
Starr	167	273	203	643

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### MacMILLANS

McKie	128	191	176	495
Small	345	137	234	716
J. McDonald	162	195	208	565
McGarry	235	183	196	614
McMillan	186	193	168	547

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Maes, 3 points; Starrs, 1 point.

Friday night another surprise, when the Yorkes, who were tied for first place with the Starrs, went down to defeat by the Arnotts, who took all four points and are now league leaders. Capt. Yorke rolled the best for his team, 687 total. Valentine for the Arnotts rolled high with 702 total.

### YORKES

Haggart	168	237	165	570
Campbell	150	153	132	435
Nottingham	191	205	174	570
Feldman	272	174	159	605
Yorke	208	225	254	687

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### ARNOTTS

Valentine	285	195	222	702
McNeil	185	213	197	595
Barron	135	218	186	539
Williams	185	230	235	650
Arnott	229	236	131	596

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Arnotts, 4 points; Yorkes, 0.

## CONSTRUCTION OF MILL FORECAST AT BLUE QUARTZ

A despatch from Matheson last week says:—"A continuation of the encouraging results being met with in the development work to the west of the fault on the 500 and 625-foot levels at the Blue Quartz Gold Mines is likely to result in the construction of a mill on the property. Some time ago The Globe reported good results in this section of the mine, and at that time H. C. Crow, President of the company, estimated \$600,000 worth of ore in sight. The developments west of the fault, however, have been such that the ore possibilities have been considerably increased. The 502 vein has been opened for a considerable distance west of the fault on the 625-foot level, and free gold was largely in evidence. To the west of the fault on the 500-foot level the vein showed a good width, and not only is an improvement apparent in width, but also in values at the lower levels. The work to the west of the fault has shown better assays than the development to the east. If developments continue as at present and steps taken to erect a mill it is likely application will be made to list the shares of this company on the mining market."

## AUTHORITIES CARE FOR GIRL WALKING ON TRACK

A girl who appeared to be between 16 and 18 years of age, but who said she was 22, was taken in charge by the authorities at North Bay some days ago while walking on the C.P.R. tracks there. At first she refused to tell anything about herself but finally was induced to give the name of Mary Freeman with the further particulars that she had been visiting friends in Sudbury and Timmins and having been relieved of the money she had at once determined to get back to her friends at Montreal. The girl said that she had lost \$20.00 in North Bay and so thought it best to start on the walk back to Montreal. As soon as the police secured information as to the girl's relatives in Montreal, that city was communicated with and arrangements made to return the young lady to her home there. The young lady, who was well-dressed and otherwise appeared as if she had come from a good home, said that she had left Montreal without any of her people being aware of her intentions in this regard. She carried among her effects a notebook with the pencilled instructions:—"First, always seek police chief's advice; second watch for lady with bag. This second note no doubt referred to the Traveller's Aid representative at many of the important stations throughout Canada."

North Bay Nugget:—Mr. H. Applebottom regrets that the eight-hour working day observed by the Long Hang Wang Lang Laundry Company makes it impossible for him to get his only dress shirt back in time to accept the kind invitation of Miss Iona Ford for dinner Thursday, November ninth.

## ANOTHER LETTER ABOUT P.D.F.L. IN 1926 AND 1927

Mr. W. A. Field Writes in Reply to Letter Last Week by Mr. J. F. Hornby, Secretary in 1926.

Timmins, Dec. 12th.

To the Editor of The Porcupine Advance.

Dear Sir:—In your issue of Thursday, Dec. 8th, there appeared a letter written over the signature of F. J. Hornby. I will appreciate it very much if you would give the following letter as much publicity as possible in your paper.

In the past The Porcupine Advance has played an important part in the boosting of football as a real sporting organization carried on in a real sporting business-like way and it was nothing else but that which put the football in the position it attained previous to 1926. Now, since the question has been opened up again, especially in the press, by Mr. Hornby, I feel it as a part of my duty to the public of this town,—that is, all who have supported football in one way or another,—to ask this question for a start. "Has football this past two years been progressing or declining, or has it even kept the standard which it attained in 1924 and 1925?" My personal opinion is that it is on the decline. This is another point open for discussion. An old saying is (and I have found it true) that nothing pinches harder than the truth.

Now, the writer of that letter is just taking somebody else's say-so for what he has taken upon himself the task of trying to contradict. He was not present at the function to which he refers, but seems to have taken the report from the editor's write-up of the function, for which I am not responsible. You just reported what you saw fit to publish, and I thought it was a very good report of the concert on the whole.

Had the writer of the letter been able to give the proper time and attention to the P.D.F.L. during his term of office, I haven't the least doubt he would be there yet. I did not want it, but accepted only on the request of five clubs out of the seven in the League. I did not make the statement that the P.D.F.L. had started the season 1927 with a deficit, but I make it now. I said that some fifty or sixty dollars had been paid off last year's debts, account to traders for value received; in fact the correct amount was \$67.55.

Now, regarding the return of the default deposit. There was nothing in the minute book and nothing in the rules until after the new men took office in 1926 to authorize the return of this deposit. This was only one of the changes the 1926 P.D.F.L. made. Shall I quote others?

The writer also states that in reviewing the two seasons he finds that in 1926 there was more harmony on the field and more sportsmanship, etc., than in the year just closed. Now, for crying out loud! If Mr. Hornby did not have the time to review 1926 to the satisfaction of the great majority, then how can he review the season just closed, when he was not in office and only attended some of the games—some after half-time and none of the meetings? However, a glance at the minute book of the P.D.F.L. for 1926 will convince those interested on how business was carried on in that year. With all due respect to President Duxfield, he was only one and not strong enough to stem the tide that had started the downfall of football in this town. In fact, the wedge was in so deep that the P.D.F.L. this season hardly made any impression by the work they have accomplished by business-like methods. This was started at the smoker and applied to all council members, because each and every one, without exception, stuck to the rules and conducted the business fairly to all concerned. Rules were not made to suit the case, as was done in 1926, but the standard rules (and there is one set in soccer football) governed at all times.

Mr. Hornby says he was paid to record all minutes! Did he do it? To attend to all correspondence! Did he do it? To pay all accounts! Did he do it? He also says he could say more. Please, Mr. Editor, give him lots of room in your valuable paper, and I will try and oblige him. I don't think that any more harm can be done to football than has been done, but we might be able to do a little good if we give everything a thorough airing. This will be my aim, at least. I feel sure if the P.D.F.L. next season carry out the policy that has again been laid down for them this season, not by myself, but by the council of the P.D.F.L., football will eventually regain the prestige it once held.

Thanking you again, and trusting you will be able to give me space enough for my letter in full, I remain, sir,

Yours truly,

W. A. FIELD,  
Sec.-treas. P.D.F.L.

Editor's Note:—The columns of The Advance are open for the discussion of matters of interest to the public, but under certain definite rules. Accordingly some sentences were deleted from Mr. Field's letter, just as the same occurred last week with Mr. Hornby's letter, because these references were not pertinent to the matter at issue. The Advance has no desire to enter the lists of battle on either side, but being dragged in by references by both parties to the

report in these columns of the P.D.F.L. smoker, The Advance would point out that both parties agree at least on that one point—that the report was correct and fair.

## DRILLING TO START ON DOME NORTH SHORE CLAIM

A despatch this week from Wawa, Ont., says that diamond drilling is under way on the north shore claims of Dome Mines, Ltd., on Wawa Lake. Reed and Ryan of Timmins have the contract for a small drill campaign. The work now in hand is designed to explore the downward extension of the phenomenally rich silver-lead vein on the claims. A high grade streak of over two feet width on the shore which Dome is now exploring, returns values in silver and lead which are said to total around \$100 to the ton. Upon the results of the drilling will depend the future conduct of Dome with regard to several options now held in this area. Another substantial payment on the Christie claims is due early in the new year and the company is anxious to get as much information as possible regarding the deposit before that time.

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		Lemon per lb.	30c
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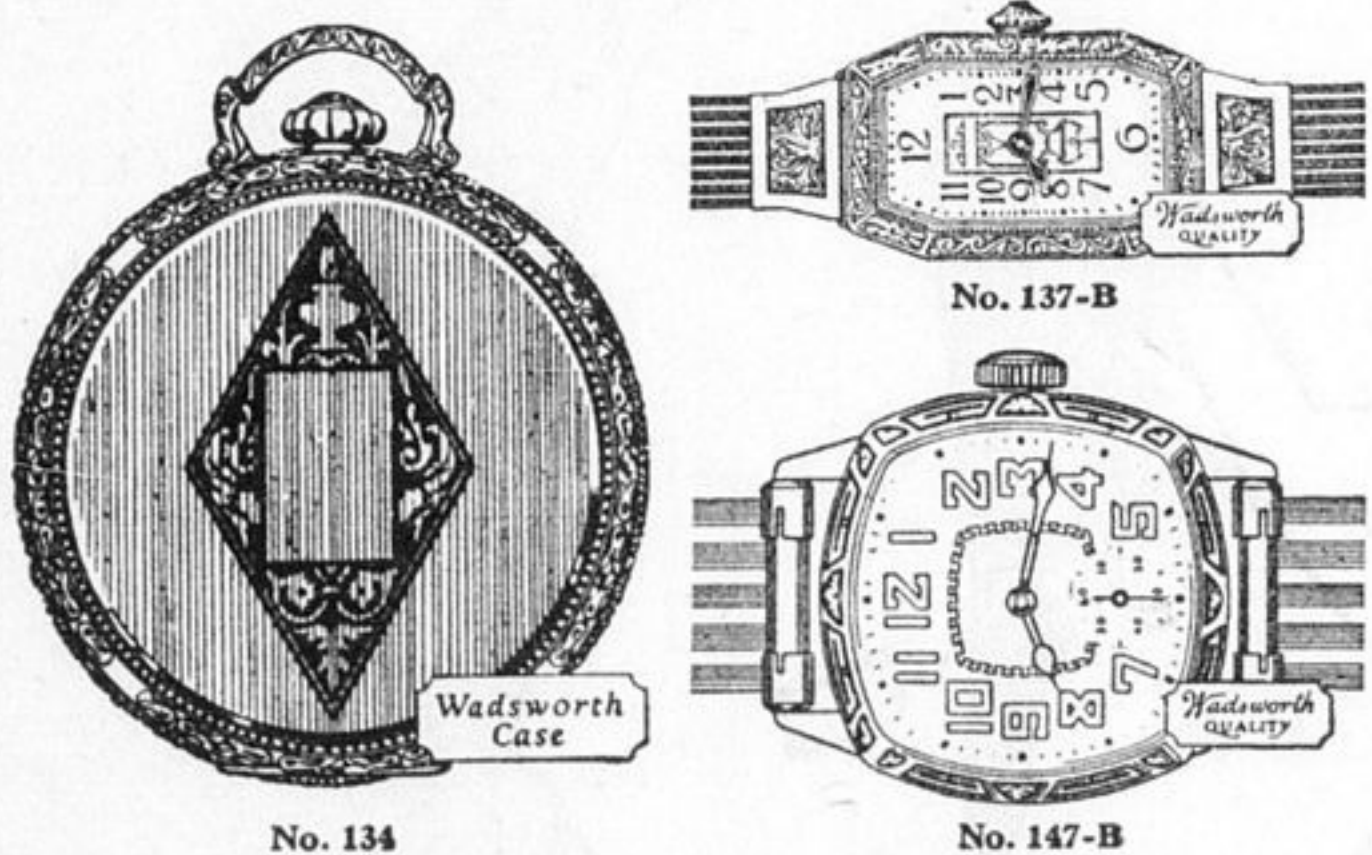
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