

Wright-Hargreaves Forces Finals to the Fourth Game

Weather Hurts Labour Day at Iroquois Falls

Baseball and Softball Games had to be Cancelled. Track and Field Events Held at Rink. Several from Timmins Among the Winners of Prizes at the Event. Big Crowd at Boxing.

Iroquois Falls, Sept. 7, 1937. (Special to The Advance)—J. F. Bartleman, mayor of Timmins, received the Conservative nomination at an enthusiastic Liberal-Conservative convention held here Saturday, Sept. 6th. Nearly five hundred delegates attended the meeting. Special trains were brought in from Timmins and Kirkland Lake.

Labour Day Event
The damp cold weather somewhat curtailed the extensive programme of sports that the local unions had planned for Labour Day. The baseball game between Lakeshore and McIntyre was cancelled as was the softball game between Timmins and Iroquois Falls.

The track and field events were held in the rink and due to the treacherous footing the results were poor.

The junior events were races for boys and girls from 6 to 16, and the distances from 25 yards to 75 yards. The other events on the junior programme were a three-legged race for boys and girls twelve and under and a boys' cracker-eating contest.

The senior events were as follows:—100 yards open for men—1, Moore, Schumacher; 2, Walsh, Timmins.

50 yards ladies' and men's coat race—Mrs. S. W. Bishop and C. Behan.

220 yards open for men—1, J. McDonald, Timmins; 2, Leo Bandiera, Schumacher.

50 yards open for married women—1, Mrs. S. W. Bishop; 2, Mrs. P. Burton.

880 yards relay race open—1, Popovitch, Moore, Bandiera, Walsh.

100 yards open for union men—C. Cameron; 2, J. Wynes.

Needle and thread race—1, Mrs. S. W. Bishop and W. E. Allen; 2, Miss Joan Butcher and F. Righton.

Married ladies' rolling pin throwing—Mrs. S. W. Bishop—73 feet.

Open running high jump—1, M. Owen, Iroquois Falls; 2, R. Lake, Timmins.

Open broad jump—1, Kydd, Timmins; 2, Popovitch, Timmins.

Fat men's race—Joe Luciani.

Egg and spoon race—1, Mrs. P. Burton; 2, Mrs. Larque.

The last event of the afternoon was the committee men's race. Rubber balloons were given to each contestant and the first man to break his balloon by blowing it up too far was to be the winner of a handsome lamp donated to the committee. The balloons were hard to inflate and the crowd got a great laugh out of the puffing and panting and facial contortions the committeemen were going through in an effort to win. Ambrose Corcoran finally had a blowout and was declared the winner.

The committee then took about three hundred suckers and calling all the youngsters down started a grand old scramble (three kids to every lollipop).

Boxing Event
A pleasing boxing show drew a large crowd to the rink in the evening. The card was featured by eight boxers from Toronto and Hamilton. The other bouts were contested by local boys. The officials were Murtagh, Kincaid and Owen. Kincaid refereed the first two and the fourth bout and Owen handled the balance. A Corcoran was timekeeper.

The first bout between Powers and St. Denis, local boys, featured some

wild swinging and a willingness to fight. After an extra one-minute round and three two-minute rounds it was called a draw.

The second bout between Red Wallace and Roy Smith was a slaughter. Red was down twice and about to go down for the third time when Referee Kincaid halted the fight and gave Smith the decision at the 50-second mark in the first round.

The next fight brought together Ross McCarthy, Hamilton, and Dave Murray, Toronto. The boys fought five fast two-minute rounds and gave a clever exhibition of sparring. The result was a draw.

The next bout produced quite a laugh. Don Seymour was clearly over-matched when he took on Peck Smith. Seymour was taking too much punishment and not wishing to be knocked out and not willing to quit, he was falling on his hands and knees so that Smith could not hit him. After counting over him several times and warning him to fight, Referee Owen stopped the bout at 1:50 in the second round and gave the decision to Smith.

The fifth bout was between Frenchy Bailey, Hamilton, and Chuck Bagnato, Toronto. The boys gave the fans ten minutes of pleasing boxing and Bailey earned the decision by his aggressiveness.

Chuck Butters, Hamilton, took on Tommy Foster, a negro from Toronto, in the next bout. Foster gave a good account of himself till the third round when Butters put him down twice, once for a nine count and the last one for keeps. The knockout came at 1:45 in the third round.

The final and feature bout of the evening was between Steve Curley, Ontario 135 lb. champion, Toronto, and Dave Baxter, Hamilton. Curley was by far the better fighter and had Baxter hanging on for dear life to avoid a knockout several times. In the fourth round Curley fouled Baxter unintentionally and as Baxter could not continue Referee Owen had no alternative but to disqualify Curley and give Baxter the decision on a foul.

The committee in charge of the day's activities was as follows:—Geo. Charon, Jas. Cameron, W. Butcher, E. Madden, F. Righton, E. Aycotte, A. Corcoran, Al Sandrin, W. Braid.

A large crowd attended the annual Labour Day dance held in the town hall under the auspices of Local No. 99. Music was supplied by the Rhythm Kings Orchestra.

Cobalt Fire Truck Was Badly Damaged

Cobalt, Sept. 9.—(Special to The Advance)—Leslie Moore, driver for the fire department here, was blamed by Councillor Ambrose Murphy, chairman of the fire and light committee, when he made a report to the council Tuesday night on the accident which damaged the fire truck and two automobiles in the early morning of August 28, when the brigade was returning from a false alarm. Moore, who was suspended temporarily after the mishap, and since has been reinstated, will be kept on for another trial, council decided, but he will receive what Councillor Murphy termed "a good, strong letter," in which will be pointed out that he will be automatically out of a job "if the slightest thing happens again." Councillor Lawrence said there had now been three complaints against Moore.

Two applications for the post of driver were ordered filed meantime. During the discussion, council learned that the bill for repairing the truck amounts to \$320.86, and this will be footed by the town, which also will have to pay the cost of repairing the automobile of John Reid, estimated at approximately \$250 by Councillor Murphy, with lesser damage to the car of William E. Seed, who incidentally cost the town \$4.50 taxi hire to and from his home while his car was laid up for repairs. Public liability and property insurance to an amount not exceeding \$5000 will be taken out on the truck, hitherto insured only against fire.

Free Rides on Railways for Children in Poland

Warsaw, Poland—Polish railway stations have recently been filled with crowds of children.

As soon as travellers appeared, they rushed eagerly at them. "Are you going far?" they shouted in chorus. The uninitiated turned away. Others looked at the children and singled out the five most pleading faces.

It was "Children's Week." Each purchaser of a full-price ticket was allowed to take up to five children under 14 with him, paying for each ticket only an eighth of the normal fare. The children crowded the stations and offered to give the price of the ticket to anyone who would take them along. The return half of the tickets could be used by the children by themselves.

The railways hope that by encouraging the children to travel they will build up a "railway-minded" population. Education authorities favour the scheme as being a form of practical education. Another week is to be held soon.

NORTHERN SPORT SHOTS

Actual physical courage is not rare in sport but there is another kind that is worthy of just as much admiration. That is the kind that kept Schonny Schonfeldt, Wright Hargreaves catcher, in the game during the first McIntyre-Wright Hargreaves tangle here last week for the T.B.L. title. Schonfeldt received word on the morning of the day the first game was to be played that his father died at Guelph. Because his battery mate Goldsmith was chosen to pitch and because it was a championship game Schonfeldt went on the field and got through the game. Despite the mental handicap under which he must have laboured, he got two runs and two hits. If it came to a toss between the two kinds of courage not a few sport fans would choose the latter.

A Sudbury team won the Northern Ontario Women's Softball Association title recently, defeating Noranda Flyers in two straight games after losing the first. The Sudbury girls lost the first game of the series 6 to 5. The next day they snowed the Noranda team under 25 to 5 and won a 4 to 2 decision in the third game.

Lake Shore has eliminated Wright Hargreaves from further competition for the Byrne soccer cup. A 4 to 1 score decided the issue in Kirkland Lake last week. At this end of the league McIntyre and Dome are battling to see who will come out on top and win the right to compete with Kirkland representatives for the trophy. In the deciding Kirkland game the Hargreaves team, after a good first half, folded up in the second period.

McIntyre and Hargreaves have each scored 14 runs in the T.B.L. finals.

U. S. Tennis Queen



It was a case of putting little Mme. Jacqueline Horner in a corner when the French tennis lassie met Aile Marble (above) defending champion, in the women's national tennis matches at Forest Hill, L.I. Miss Marble, from California, defeated Mme. Horner in a short match.

Timmins Boxers Make Good Showing in Kapuskasing

Six Fighters Win Two, Lose One Draw One. One Bout Exhibition. Larry Dubeau, Timmins Trims Harasati, Kapuskasing in Night's Headliner. Both Weigh 126.

Timmins boxers who made the trip to Kapuskasing for the Labour Day boxing card came home leaving behind them an impression that Timmins is a real fighting town. Six Timmins boys made the trip and they came back with a record of two wins, one loss and one draw. The other bout was an exhibition affair and there was no decision.

Young Dempsey and Young Theriault, two Timmins bantams who have opened more shows in Timmins than you could count on both hands, were the combatants in the curtain-raiser of Wally Mayhew's card. Young Dempsey got the nod after three really tough rounds.

Marcel Theriault, of Timmins, a polished boxer in the 126 lb. class, matched punches with Billy Powers of Kapuskasing and emerged with a draw.

Basl McDonald, husky lightweight of Timmins, volunteered to box an exhibition with Wally Mayhew, promoter of the show. There wasn't any decision.

Carl McDonald hasn't seen action in the ring for some time and was at his best as he fought and exchanged punch for punch with the more experienced Mayhew.

Carl Burke, Timmins southpaw, picked up at the last minute as a replacement for Porky Tomick who was unable to go, put up a real good fight as long as he was in there but Eddie Miller, his tough opponent, put over the sleeper in the second round. Carl had no training for the battle and deserves a lot of credit for lasting as long as he did.

The night's headliner, a fast fight between Laurie Dubeau, of Timmins, and Casey Harasati of Kapuskasing, produced the dynamite of the card. Both boys were in the 126 lb. class but Harasati was no match for the more experienced Timmins Frenchman. The first two rounds had action enough but their glimmer was dulled by the fighting that followed in the next three.

After almost all of the third round was gone Dubeau landed a rapier left that caught Harasati on the button and he went down for what should have been the finish, only to be given a life by the bell. The fourth round was again a bad one for Harasati when the bell saved the referee from counting him out for the second time.

However disastrous the third and fourth rounds were for Harasati, the fifth and what proved to be the last round was far worse. He must have imagined himself in the ring with Joe Louis in the last round. Three clean knock-downs in that round failed to keep him on the floor and just before the round ended Dubeau floored him again. The referee could see no point in continuing the battle and awarded Dubeau a technical knock-out just as the bell ended the round. Dubeau was still eager to continue but it was evident that Harasati couldn't stand any more.

There were a large number of Timmins fans at the fights and the boxers themselves were treated wonderfully well during their brief stay in the northern town.

Kirkland Miners Blank the Macs in Third Ball Final

Win Third Game of T. B. L. 5 to 0 at Kirkland Lake Yesterday. Next Game To-day and Fifth, if Necessary, Tomorrow. Winners Start Series with Ottawa on Monday. Macs Get Three Hits, Wright Hargreaves, Eleven.

Wright Hargreaves succeeded yesterday in forcing the Temiskaming Baseball League title series to at least four games by a 5 to 0 win over McIntyre in a game at Kirkland Lake. The next game of the series will be played this afternoon, and if a fifth game is necessary, it will be played to-morrow afternoon. 1500 fans saw yesterday's game.

In the first games of the series the Macs won two straight here. They won the first contest by a score of 9 to 8 and the second by a 5 to 1 count.

The winners of this series will meet the Ottawa East Views. The Ottawa

Macs Eliminate Hollinger From Play for Byrne Cup

Meet Dome in First of Semi-Finals for Cup at Dome Field on Saturday Night. Macs Coast on Big First Game Lead on Tuesday. Wishart gets Two Goals and E. Dunstan and Longton One Each.

Coasting on their seven-goal lead acquired in the first game, McIntyre's soccer team on Tuesday night eliminated Hollinger from further Byrne Cup play. Without much effort the Macs ran another victory in on the Hollinger Miners to the tune of 3 to 1.

McIntyre scored all three goals in the first half of the game. In the latter half their half-hearted efforts, coupled with Lang's good work in goal, made the only goal scored a Hollinger one.

It was decided, at the beginning of the game, to cut the regulation 45-minute periods down to 35.

Urquhart, who has been playing this season for Dome, made his first appearance with the Mac Miners playing at centre half. He was signed by the Macs about a week previous to the game on Tuesday. Urquhart has not played for several games but the Mac management expect he will capably fill the centre half position, which has been weak since the readjustment which shifted Macr to the half line.

The first of the series with Dome to determine which of the teams in the Forcupine camp meets the Kirkland soccer representatives for the Byrne Cup, will be played at Dome on Saturday night. In this series the Macs expect much stiffer competition than they have had with Hollinger.

Wishart, who has been playing good soccer in this series, scored the first two McIntyre goals. The first he took on a pass from Eddie Dunstan. Wishart's second goal was assisted by a pass from the new centre back, Urquhart.

The third goal came just before the whistle which ended the first half. Eddie Dunstan took a pass across the net and from an extremely narrow angle kicked the third goal.

Only goal of the second period was scored by Longton on a concerted Hollinger attack. Hollinger made several

World's Sport Events

(By F.J.H.)

Since Sir Malcolm Campbell broke the record for motor boats last week, nothing has been heard from Mr. Gar Wood. No doubt he is in some secluded spot figuring out how he is going to regain the record.

Sir Malcolm will have to make another promise to his wife.

He promised her after breaking the land record never to try again; now it will be the water record. But here's betting he won't promise about his "Bluebird" of the air.

It is said that Britain has a good chance to lift the Hartsworth trophy with the "Bluebird" that broke the record but it must be understood there is a vast difference in building a boat for speed on a straight mile, and one for making turns in a race.

Boxing
Arthur Donovan was secured to referee the main bout between Wallace and Genovese at the Maple Leaf Stadium last night.

The reason for his services was on account of the decision handed down the last time these two fighters met for the championship.

If Donovan hands down a decision the same as he did in the Farr-Louis bout, he will have to have a police escort. Word has not reached here yet, if he got out of the arena safe or not.

Max Schmeling has signed his second contract to fight for the world's championship. Will this fly away with a gust of wind when the time comes for the fight, like the last one with Braddock?

Mike Jacobs is pitting Braddock and Baer in a comeback bout, and match the winner with the winner of the Louis-Schmeling bout.

It's the old American custom, keep the championship in the States at all costs.

It may stay in the U.S.A. after next June but, Germany will hold it, and then to Britain it will go, for you can't keep the Welshman down. In fact he has got to be put down yet.

On September 23rd will be the next big night for Mike Jacobs, when he will have three champions battling for their crowns.

Those who will be defending their World's titles are Lou Ambers, Barney Ross and Sexto Eobar.

As this column stated when Tommy Farr was on his way to the States to fight for the championship, he would be a fool to sign any contract to jeopardize his career. Now it comes to light that a contract was signed to make certain appearances, but Mr. Broadbent says he is going to shake the dust off his feet and go home while he has enough money to get back with.

This will set some people's minds at rest. They say the States is the only place to make money in the boxing game. Quite true, but they get it back before you leave.

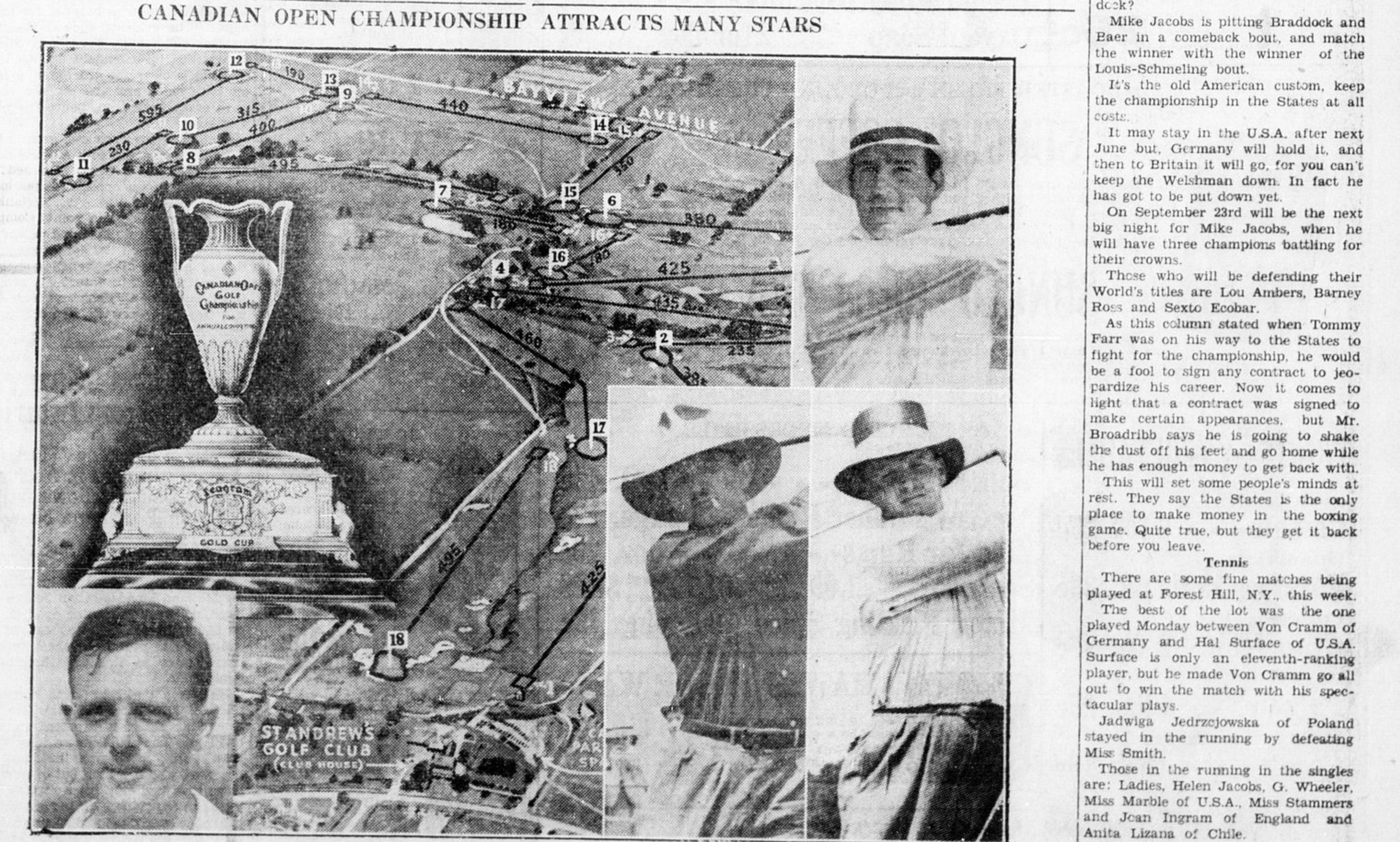
Tennis
There are some fine matches being played at Forest Hill, N.Y., this week.

The best of the lot was the one played Monday between Von Cramm of Germany and Hal Surface of U.S.A. Surface is only an eleventh-ranking player, but he made Von Cramm go all out to win the match with his spectacular plays.

Jadwiga Jedzejowska of Poland stayed in the running by defeating Miss Smith.

Those in the running in the singles are: Ladies, Helen Jacobs, G. Wheeler, Miss Marble of U.S.A., Miss Stammers and Jean Ingram of England and Anita Lizana of Chile.

Bobby Riggs stayed in the running after dropping the first set to F. Nakanishi of Japan. Others to advance to the quarter finals were: Betsy Grant who beat Sabin, Von Cramm and Don Budge.



The Canadian Open Golf Championship which will be played over the course of St. Andrews Golf Club, Toronto, on September 9, 10 and 11, will attract one of the greatest fields of famous golfers ever to play in Canada. Above is an aerial view of the St. Andrews course, while inset, top left, is the beautiful gold trophy which goes to the winner. Presented by the House of Scragram last year to the Royal Canadian Golf Association for annual competition, the Scragram Gold Cup was won by Lawson Little. Inset are some of the prominent stars who have entered the championship series. Lower left, Bob Gray, Jr., young Canadian golfer who had the best score of any Canadian in last year's event, and who is looked upon as Canada's leading contestant. Top right, "Lighthouse Harry" Cooper, winner of the 1932 Canadian Open. Bottom, right: "Wild Bill" Meihorn, colourful United States player, and Jimmy Thompson, runner-up last year.

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