

Sports Club. These committees conducted feature Slalom and Downhill races on New Year's Day to inaugurate the ski season. Entertainment was provided for visitors during the winter months, culminating in the St. Sauveur Ski Week, which was a noticeably successful event.

Previous to the opening of active ski-ing the St. Sauveur Sports Club Grounds Committee instituted many improvements to trails and ski-ing terrain in their territory. In addition they improved the ski jump and cleared a new racing trail.

St. Jovite Ski Club

IN LOOKING back to 1931, the year of our organization, it is encouraging to note that the missionary work done by our club was not in vain. In that year those who ventured to ski in our town were considered wonders, practicing was a rare pastime, while today there are but few here who do not ski.

Our first object, popularizing the sport, has been fulfilled. Our second, that of opening the Mont Tremblant runs and trails, has also been achieved. We must say here that although we pledged our efforts to this task, its completion goes to the credit of a man of vision and a lover of the sport, A. Sidney Dawes. It was he who was instrumental in raising the necessary funds and furnishing the technical help to carry the project to a successful conclusion. This summer a crew of men completed the improvements on the Kandahar and Taschereau runs, and we believe these runs will make ski-ing history in Eastern Canada.

What the club set forth to do during the past season was to improve the technique of its members, to make our local citizens more ski minded and foremost of all, encourage the boys' movement. With the assistance of Brian Meredith, ski lessons by moving pictures were locally shown and this was most appreciated.

Eventually if these promotion movements in our Laurentian towns are continued we shall succeed in arousing the enthusiasm which will make it easier to obtain from the inhabitants the assistance needed to develop trails and ski-ing facilities which will make the Laurentian terrain ever more popular.

During 1934-35 a section of our membership formed another ski club, The Mont Tremblant, and while this reduced our membership, still with such large areas covered by our clubs, we wholeheartedly advocated the step, as it will serve the section much better and speed the mutual development of our terrain. To offset this loss of membership, a large number of our American and Canadian visitors joined the Club.

Through the courtesy of Gray Rocks Inn, our club now has a 115-foot jump, built according to plans approved by the F.I.S., also its network of trails was widened and improved. A new trail was cut, connecting the network with the Kandahar and Taschereau runs, making these famous runs three and one-half miles away from the Club's present headquarters.

As usual the club held several local competitions which served to develop better ski-ing among the members and create good fellowship. The local events, in which boys and girls of all ages were allowed to participate, were held February 2 and 5. The new local champion for 1935 is Harry Forbell.

By the efficient work of the Laurentian Zone Committee and our executive, our open meet, held on February 10, was run splendidly and was most successful. The Gray Rocks Trophy, for the combined, was won by Dickie Ball of the Montreal Ski Club.

The Easter race held at the cabin of the club on the summit of Mont Tremblant, over the May Race Course, was won by Bob Johannsen, Red Birds, Art. Gravel, St. Jovite Ski Club, runner up.

We propose this next season to have ski tests for our members with appropriate badges for the various classes and thus further improve the ski technique of our members.

The officers for 1934-35 were:—*Patron*, A. Sidney Dawes; *Honorary President*, E. E. Shaw; *President*, F. H. Wheeler; *Vice-Presidents*, Dr. A. Normandeau, Geo. Dury.

J. O. R. Marchand; *Secretary*, John L. Bedard; *Directors*, Notary C. Proulx, P. H. Turgeon, D. A. Bussières, Albert Robert; *Technical Board*, N. C. D. Mactaggart, Art Gravel, H. S. Johannsen, Eug. Lessard, W. H. Pauly L. Pinoteau.

Club Ski-To

LA SAISON 1934-35 fut pour notre Club une année de succès. La saison débuta par un grand bal au Club Canadien, sous la présidence de l'honorable Mr. Plante, et auquel assistèrent plus de deux cents personnes.

Pour son premier tournoi invitation, tenu à St. Sauveur, le club remporta un succès marqué. Plus de quatre vingt entrées, et une température idéale, aidèrent à ce grand triomphe. La direction profita de l'occasion de remercier le Club St. Sauveur pour sa bonne co-opération.

Parmi les voyages organisés par le club, rapellons: St. Sauveur, St. Albans, Vermont, Rougemont, et St. Jérôme. Il y eut aussi nombreux concours pour les membres, tels que courses, sauts, etc.

Sous l'habile direction de Mr. V. Gagné, instructeur du club, l'équipe se distingua dans plusieurs occasions. Mais le héros du club est Mr. Normand Gagné qui se classa premier dans trois importants concours de sauts et troisième dans le championnat du Canada. Il a ainsi gagné l'honneur de représenter le Canada au prochain jeux Olympiques en Allemagne cette année.

L'équipe se composait comme suit:—Messrs. V. Gagné, N. Gagné, L. Gagné, L. Strubb, Len Lehan, et C. Allain.

Pour la saison prochaine, 1935-36, les directeurs sont très occupés à préparer un programme qui fera la joie des membres.

Il y aura plusieurs innovations cette année, tels que local plus spacieux, tables de ping pong, sauts. Les nombres des membres sera limité à cinquante à l'avenir.

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La direction se compose comme suit:—M. Richmond Pelletier, *Président*; M. Jean Baillargeon, *Vice-Président*; M. L. Alfred Beauregard, *Secrétaire-Trésorier*; M. Jean-M. Corbeil, *Directeur Social*; M. Leopold Strubb, *Directeur Sportif*; M. Victor Gagné, *Directeur Instructeur*.

Seigniory Ski Club

THE FIRST EVENT on the Seigniory Ski Club's 1935 program was the Fourth Annual Inter-City Jumping Competition held January 27. Jumping 212 and 195 feet and making 140.6 points, Howard Bagguley of Ottawa Ski Club, holder of the hill record here of 217 feet, won the individual prize and a team representing Montreal Ski Club won the inter-city trophy, held for two years previously by Ottawa Ski Club. The Montreal team included: "Punch" Bott, Alain Almon, Jimmy Riddell and E. Wurtele, their total of 365.4 points enabling them to win in outstanding style. Bagguley and Jacques Landry of Ottawa made spectacular attempts to break the hill record of 217 feet, set by the former in 1931, jumping 232 and 227 feet respectively. Both fell, however, though Bagguley all but made it, keeping his feet for about twenty yards after he landed.

The Slalom, Downhill and Cross-Country events held the weekend of February 16 and 17 at the Seigniory Club's annual inter-city meet for women proved definitely that Canadian women are developing a serious interest in skiing, as they have in practically every other sport here during every season. The Penguin Ski Club of Montreal, following many other successes last winter, added another trophy to their collection by taking the honors in the combined standing, placing first in the downhill race, second in the slalom and second in the relay cross-country race. They competed against a strong entry from Toronto Montreal and Ottawa, the latter club placing second with 96.68 in the final standing against the Penguins' 98.63, while Montreal Ski Club team, winners here last year, were third with 94.47 in the final standing. The Toronto Ski Club, a welcome newcomer to Eastern competitions of this kind, were fifth, another team representing the Penguin Club taking fourth place.

The individual prize of the ladies meet went to Miss Francoise McNichols, who with her two sisters and Miss Peggy Johannsen, daughter of a famous ski-ing family, made up the winning Penguin team. Dorothy Michaels of the Montreal Ski Club was first in the Slalom race, Elizabeth Snively, twelve-year-old daughter of Major and Mrs. A. C. Snively, Toronto, also did creditably, placing fourth in the slalom.

Norman Gagné, Club Ski-To, Montreal, after a season of consistent triumphs, won the Seigniory Club Trophy in the March 3 jumping from the club hill. His distances of 189 and 185 feet outdistanced the efforts of a group of thirteen Canadian jumpers. All competitors were in excellent form and Gagné made two perfect leaps from a viewpoint of style and distance, winning by a wide margin from Alain Almon, Montreal Ski Club, who was in second place with 177 and 174 feet. "Punch" Bott, also of Montreal Ski Club, who with Almon and two other Montreal jumpers won the inter-city trophy at the club in January, was third.

Inter-school competitions for junior skiers are being fostered by the Seigniory Club and early in March the bright school colors of Lower Canada, Lisgar Collegiate Montreal High, Westmount High, Glebe Collegiate, Montreal West, Ashbury and Lachine were much in evidence on the club trails. Bob Hammond of Ottawa, one of the most able of the junior skiers in this part of the world, distinguished himself in the slalom, cross-country and downhill races, his Glebe Collegiate team also taking the cup presented by the Seigniory Club for the highest points in the final standing. The team included B. Heigtveit, J. Mickleborough and H. Creighton. The boys of Selwyn House, Montreal, were another scholastic group who held their junior and senior ski meet at the Seigniory Club.

Viking Ski Club (P.Q. Championship)

LAST year marked several changes in the Viking Ski Club; the most important one being the removal of our Laurentian headquarters to Shawbridge, a move that proved itself to be a happy one for all concerned.

Our clubhouse there has been well patronized as was to be expected under the genial management of "Ole" Olsen.

The club had the honor this year to conduct the Quebec Championship, February 16-17. The outlook for the meet was not very bright, as the weather settled down to a steady rain the whole preceding week, but it luckily changed to snow Friday, and when Saturday came, conditions were nearly perfect. The Ottawa entries dominated the meet, and in the 18-kilometre race three of them led the rest of the field. No. 1 was W. G. Clarke, St. Patrick's College.

Sunday's weather was not quite as satisfactory as snow flurries limited visibility. The downhill race was staged over the new Viking Run which was timed to be the fastest in the Laurentians; Karl Baadsvik, Viking Ski Club, was first.

The jumping competition, which marked the opening of the Shawbridge Hill, had attracted a great number of spectators and performers. The opening of the hill ceremony included blessing of the hill by Père Papineau, and a formal delivery from the Shawbridge Improvement Company to the Viking Ski Club. The competition was won by S. Landry of Ottawa Ski Club, and the hill proved to be very satisfactory even in its present embryonic stage.

The Viking Ski Club had between 15 and 20 active competitive skiers this winter, among them quite a few promising newcomers in addition to the "old guard."

Our skiers took part in almost every ski meet in Eastern Canada last winter, and the following were first prize winners:—St. Sauveur, January 20, Cross-Country was won by L. Tulkku, and Downhill by R. Sivertsen. Karl Baadsvik won the jumping title and the combined at the Toronto Ski Club invitation meet. At St. Agathe the Vikings did quite well. L. Tulkku, S. Anderson and C. Hoppe winning class 1, 2 and 3 in Cross-Country. F. Hylland won class 3 in Downhill with best time, and A. Turnbull class 3 Slalom. At the Laurentian Championship, F. Hylland won class 2 Downhill. At St. Jovite, F. Hylland won class 2 Combined. Fred Baadsvik won class 3 Downhill on the Red Bird's Field Day, and K. Baadsvik won the Combined in Quebec Kandahar. In the Mount Royal Race, L. Tulkku won class 1; C. Hoppe, class 2, and A. Shipman, class 3. In the 50-kilometres race arranged by the Laurentian Zone Committee, Viking Ski Club had the arrangement at the finish of the race.

Karl Baadsvik, one of our senior members, had the honour to be chosen to represent Canada at the Olympic Winter Games next winter in Germany.

The Technical Board of the C.A.S.A. has authorized H. Nordby of our club as a judge, and several other of our members as measurers and timekeepers.

The Viking Ski Club was this last winter a member of the Laurentian Ski Zone, with our present president, Eric Pihl, as member of the Zone Committee.

The new board of directors elected this spring consists of:—E. Pihl, *President*; O. Hjertholm and O. F. Olsen, *Vice-Presidents*; H. Nordby and E. N. Hylland, *Secretaries*; F. Baadsvik, *Treasurer*; T. Norell and A. Kristiansen, *Directors*.

QUEBEC SKI ZONE

LA ZONE de Ski de Québec pris naissance l'an dernier après deux réunions des clubs de la ville et du district de Québec. Après de chaudes discussions les clubs vinrent à une entente sur les règlements de la Zone.

Le 12 octobre, 1935, les clubs Québec Ski Club, Athlétique Ski Club et Montagnard Ski Club se réunirent pour l'élection générale. Monsieur Marcel Manseau fut