

Committee. Championship races were held for each class in all four events for the boys and downhill and slalom for the girls, the combined champion of each class becoming class champion and retainer for one year of the class shield. This method has been followed for the past four years and has been found to be invaluable in creating interest among the juniors and also producing four-event skiers. Junior tests are now under consideration and are to be tried next season.

The senior body, for competitive purposes, was divided into three classes, and events for each class were run during the winter.

The Laurentian Ski Club urges all members of sister clubs to make use of its facilities when visiting in North Bay. No guest fees are charged to members of other clubs and a hearty welcome is assured to all.

The directorate for 1939 is as follows:—*Past President*, E. Roy Herbert; *President*, Reg. Lehman; *Vice-President*, H. R. Pellow; *Secretary-Treasurer*, A. A. Hansman; *Directors*, Miss E. Fulcher, J. Glenday, W. J. Salmon, L. Robinson, B. Colville.

Midland Ski Club

THE Season of 1937-38 was a most successful one for the Midland Ski Club. Snow conditions during most of the winter were excellent which led to a large and enthusiastic membership. Long-term leases of good ski-ing terrain were acquired and the Club looks to the future with confidence in its continued progress.

Two events of more than local interest were sponsored during the season. In January an invitation meet was held which attracted a splendid field of first class competitors, and at which the new 30-metre jump was opened. All competitors expressed themselves as delighted with the jump, which we believe to be one of the finest in Ontario. If this event was a somewhat

ambitious undertaking for a young club, it was certainly justified by the tremendous impetus it gave to the sport of ski-ing in this district.

A schoolboy meet was held later in the season which deserves special mention. This was the first venture of its kind in the Province, and, although hurriedly organized, it was a tremendous success to judge from the keenness of the boys competing. After seeing the enthusiasm displayed by these young competitors, the Club feels that a great deal of attention should be directed to the institution of schoolboy and junior meets and understands that the Ontario Ski Zone is already taking steps along this line.

Officers for the season were as follows:—*President*, Alfred Brodeur; *Vice-President*, James Playfair; *Secretary-Treasurer*, Miss Winnifred Walton.

New Liskeard Ski Club

AT OUR annual meeting last fall it was decided that the Club be represented at the Zone (Northern Section) meeting in North Bay to look into the matter of becoming a member club. Five delegates were present and with the powers entrusted to them they unanimously decided that the Club should join. At the same meeting we were offered and made use of data for the proper construction of a ten-metre jump. This project was carried through and proved to be a great boon to aspiring jumpers and to interest in the Club in general.

A motion picture night was put on at the beginning of the season and during the winter the Ski Club, with the Skating Club and Tennis Club sponsored an Ice Carnival.

Instruction to juniors was given by ski captains on Saturday afternoons followed by short cross-country hikes and refreshments afterwards. Many mid-week hikes were held and were well attended.

The Club was represented at the Zone (Northern Section) meet in North Bay. We hope to make a better showing next year. The Club also visited Englehart and Haileybury for informal meets.

A meeting of the Laurentian, Englehart and Haileybury clubs was held at New Liskeard Club in March, more with the idea of becoming acquainted with one another. Competitions of an informal nature were held. This meeting proved to be quite a success both from the competitive and social angle and it was decided to try and make it an annual affair.

We are gratified at the progress the Club has made this past season considering that it was its second year of existence and that previous to the formation of the Club the attitude toward ski-ing was very indifferent.

Orillia Ski Club

INAUGURATED in 1935, the Orillia Ski Club has developed from a few members and a few bush trails, to nearly 100 members and approximately four square miles of ski terrain. Every variety of trails, from gentle nursery slopes to advanced bush and slalom runs, are available at the Blue Hills. "Henry's Jump," a particularly natural 15-metre jump is one of our proudest possessions.

A membership drive was held last year with the gratifying result that the membership was substantially increased. A further increase is expected this season as the citizens of Orillia are rapidly becoming more ski conscious, attracted by the thrill of the sport and the lure of our trails.

The club competition was held during the latter part of the season with Lorne Christman, Clarke Brillinger, Gordon Harp, Peter Brodribb, and Whitney coming out on top in the order named. Due to the large number of competitors and the shortage of time, only the slalom was completed. Weather conditions during the rest of the season resulted in the remainder of the competition being postponed indefinitely.

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