

Senior Slalom championship, E. Zinniger winning both events.

Various "get-together" ski runs and moonlight ski parties were held during the season, and the traditional coffee and beans afterwards made these meets very popular.

The annual meeting, held early in April, was well attended. The president gave a resumé of the season's activities and presented trophies and prizes to the winners of club events for the past season. Ski films were shown on this occasion and refreshments were served. The beautiful club championship trophy was presented by the donors, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Whitaker, Jr., to the winner E. Zinniger.

The following officers were elected for the coming 1938-1939 season:—*President*, E. Zinniger (re-elected); *Vice-President*, N. Tessier; *Secretary-Treasurer*, W. O. Taylor; *Club Captain*, F. A. S. Day; *Assistant*, C. McMillan.

In conclusion, the outlook for ski-ing in this northern community has never been brighter and from the foregoing it will be seen that we had an excellent season for a young club. More important is the fact that the general interest in ski-ing has increased tremendously and we can look forward to a greater season this year.

Blue Mountain Ski Club

THE Blue Mountain Ski Club reviews its activities of the 1937-58 season with the feeling that much progress was achieved by this relatively young club. Building upon the firm foundation laid during two previous years, Blue Mountaineers were able to considerably expand their ski-ing interests.

The Club was keenly sorry to lose the valued services of Mr. Fritz Loosli upon his acceptance of greater opportunities as mentor to the Toronto Ski Club. We are privileged to regard Fritz as the "groove" which gave our Club a true direction; further, he has been the wax which has adapted our run to best meet the existent and sometimes trying conditions. Thanks, old man.

The Club executive takes keenest satisfaction from the observation that more of our members were really ski-ing during the past winter. The improvement of technique we attribute to the able coaching of Fritz Loosli during the previous winter, and to the continued assistance offered by a few senior members in the past season. Junior membership was encouraged and gratifying results are looked for from this very important portion of the Club's work.

Generous labour assistance was again given by the Town Council of Collingwood, the neighbouring community, where the majority of our members live. With this help the inevitable summer's growth of brush on the mountain trails was cleared off, and the grounds generally made ski-shape. The names of these trails are briefly mentioned to bring back happy memories to many friends whom we are pleased to have visit us. Sam, the Kandahar, Granny Tsomhll, the Schuss, and the Back Forty. Remember them?

The club is rather proud of its cabin. Of pioneer farm origin, its squared timbers remain in sound condition, and only essential alterations have been made. The canteen was again operated to alleviate that keen edge of hunger and thirst so common to all skiers.

The ski lift, unique in Ontario, was greatly improved in operation through several changes made on the basis of the first winter's experience. Of prime importance was the splendid motor so generously donated by our Toronto friend, Mr. Timothy Eaton, Jr.

The Ski Club dance maintained its place in the top flight of Collingwood's winter social activities. The Club sponsored a moonlight ski-ing and tobogganing party, which is reported to have run afoul a very "cold" moon. The first Blue Mountain Ski Club pin was made up in attractive design and proved very popular.

The Club was pleased to have its grounds as the venue of the Toronto Ski Club's Championship Competitions.

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Blue Mountaineers held their own first championships during the past season. Club honours were won by M. Morden in downhill competition and by J. Goodchild in the slalom. In the ladies' class, Frances Smith proved tops among our fair skiers.

The active officers of the Club for the 1937-58 season were:—*President*, William Qua; *Vice-Presidents*, John L. Smart and Dr. William Blakely; *Secretaries*, Mary McCall, Wesley Moffatt and Forbes McKay; *Treasurer*, George Ross; *Ex Officio*, N. Boadway, George Ryan.

Cedar Spring Ski Club

THE CLUB is about eighteen miles from Hamilton near the village of Kilbride. The roads, via the Guelph Highway No. 6, are excellent and kept open all winter.

The terrain is on a spur of the Blue Mountains, which range southward from the shores of Georgian Bay. The hills at the Springs are not the highest, but are extremely interesting and varied. The Punch Bowl sheltered from sun and winds by wooded heights, is the most popular spot. There the snow lies deep and late. The Punch Bowl Schuss is a salty descent out of the trees to the open slopes below. The Hog's Back is the fastest run, its schuss with the turn at the bottom and the humps on the way down call for plenty of fight. Lover's Lane is a nice run for those who don't like 'em too fast. Foster's Hill, a north slope, is a natural for the slalom, adjoining this is the fifteen-metre jump which was constructed by some industrious members to the specifications of Arless Flint and Al. Wilson. The Old Log Trail is scenic, tortuous and mighty interesting in spots. Besides these are many easier slopes on which beginners can train their legs without too much speed. More trails are being opened up this season.