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ARNE FINSBERG, 21-year-old star of the Viking Outing Club, is the new Canadian ski jumping champion. The youthful Montreal athlete added the Dominion crown to his Quebec and Laurentian titles, when he outperformed an international and Dominion-wide field of 55 jumpers in the annual championship meet of the Canadian Amateur Ski Association at the Cote des Neiges hill of the Montreal Ski Club. Excelling both in the length of the jumps and in style, Finsberg was awarded a total of 221.00 points from the judges, and was closely followed by Jacques Landry, of the Ottawa Ski Club, with 218.30 points. A crowd estimated at 5,000 spread from the foot of the hill.

Third on the list came the defending champion, Jostein Nordmoe, of Camrose, Alberta, who won the title at Revelstoke, B. C. last winter. Nordmoe was awarded 211.90 points by the judges. Ted Hogan, prominent Montreal Ski Club jumper took fourth place with 211.00 points. R. Somnerfelt, of the Viking Outing Club, was fifth with 206.90 points, and Kaare Engstad, the expert cross-country runner from Burns Lake, B. C., placed sixth with 205.70 points.

The longest jumps of the day were made by Finsberg and Landry, both making leaps of 134 feet. The distance proved 12 feet under the hill mark, but was considered expert jumping in view of the icy, slippery condition of the jump and landing. A number of the com-

petitors broke skis and suffered minor hurts as the landing proved somewhat hard, due to the lack of snow. A considerable amount of snow was carted to the hill, but did not prove sufficient to enable the jumpers to extend themselves and attempt to break the hill record.

Finsberg's triumph, his first in a Canadian title meet, did not come altogether as a surprise. The young ski-ing star had given promise of excellent performance in first class competition when he captured the Province of Quebec title at Lucerne-in-Quebec. He also won the Laurentian title at St. Margarets. His two jumps, measuring 132 and 134 feet gave him a total distance of 266 feet against 258 feet for his nearest competitor, Landry of Ottawa. Despite the treacherous condition of the hill, Finsberg showed fine style and confidence in his jumps.

Among the stars who did not shine in the competition were Rolf Monson, a member of the United States Olympic team, Gerald Dupuis and Arthur Gravel. Monson fell on his first jump and broke his skis. He withdrew from the competition. Dupuis and Gravel failed to place among the first 27 competitors given out by the judges.

The judges, appointed by the Canadian Amateur Ski Association, were Sigurd Lockeberg, of Ottawa, a member of the Olympic judging committee, Emery St. Pierre, of the Montreal Ski Club, and Paul Knowlton, of the Montreal Ski Club.



E. PENTTILA, CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPION, 1932



COURTESY OF "LUCERNE-IN-QUEBEC"  
ARNE FINSEBERG, JUMPING CHAMPION, 1932

The results, showing the length of the two jumps and the point awards, follow:—

1	Arne Finsberg, <i>Viking</i> .....	132-134	221.00
2	J. Landry, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	134-124	218.30
3	J. Nordmoe, <i>Camrose, Alta.</i> .....	128-121	211.90
4	Ted Hogan, <i>Montreal</i> .....	128-127	211.00
5	R. Sommerfelt, <i>Viking</i> .....	120-133	206.90
6	K. Engstad, <i>Burns Lake, B.C.</i> .....	119-117	205.70
7	R. Seivertsen, <i>Viking</i> .....	120-121	203.95
8	F. Baadsvik, <i>Viking</i> .....	112-123	201.60
9	Percy Bott, <i>Montreal</i> .....	106-118	197.80
10	R. Vincent, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	128-111	197.70
11	Alex. Olsen, <i>Montreal</i> .....	104-109	197.50
12	K. MacKenzie, <i>McGill</i> .....	108-111	194.10
13	E. Wurtele, <i>Montreal</i> .....	120-118	193.10
14	G. McMartin, <i>Cliffside</i> .....	106-111	189.60
15	R. Wilson, <i>Toronto</i> .....	109-121	186.80
16	W. Ball, <i>McGill</i> .....	106-117	185.70
17	H. Morin, <i>Montreal</i> .....	101-104	183.60
18	C. Curtis, <i>Lebanon, N.H.</i> .....	91-105	180.50
19	P. Wright, <i>Cliffside</i> .....	107-108	179.30
20	H. C. Riddell, <i>Montreal</i> .....	89-94	177.50
21	J. Miller, <i>Montreal</i> .....	94-107	176.90
22	R. Elliott, <i>Montreal</i> .....	94-103	175.90
23	Bud Clarke, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	88-115	174.00
24	N. Walsh, <i>Toronto</i> .....	93-103	169.90
25	F. Rolland, <i>Montreal</i> .....	108-99	169.80
26	A. R. Ball, <i>Montreal</i> .....	89-95	166.40
27	R. L. Almond, <i>Montreal</i> .....	98-93	165.30
28	P. Miller, <i>Montreal</i> .....	130x-122	145.60
29	G. Jost, <i>McGill</i> .....	68-84	145.60
30	L. Laffleur, <i>Cliffside</i> .....	132x-130	144.90
31	A. Gravel, <i>Montreal</i> .....	132-127x	141.50
32	G. Dupuis.....	123-124x	140.30
33	C. Williams, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	129x-126	131.20
34	L. Tache, <i>Ottawa</i> .....		124.20
35	H. Mines, <i>Montreal</i> .....		120.80
36	W. Houghton, <i>Montreal</i> .....		113.60

xIndicates fall

### Penttila Wins Dominion 18-Kilometre

Short, stocky Erkki Penttila, of the Montreal Ski Club, ran a courageous race to win the Dominion 18-kilometre cross-country event at Shawbridge, covering the distance in 1 hour 37 minutes and 13 seconds. Halfway round the course he broke his ski as he sped down a small hill, the point splintering off nearly to the harness when he became entangled in a bush. He continued on for approximately a mile where he met Phil Shephard, of the Montreal Ski Club. Shephard, knowing he had no chance, gave Penttila his boot and ski to replace the broken one and the stocky Finn forged ahead to win the race.

Kaare Engstad, Norwegian, from the Omineca Ski Club, Burns Lake, B.C., who was a Canadian Olympic skier, was only four minutes behind Penttila in 1.41.55 with S. Astrom, who was a substitute on the Swedish Olympic ski team, third, only three minutes in the rear of Engstad with a time of 1.44.59.

Jostein Nordmoe, also an Olympic competitor, of the Camrose Ski Club, Camrose, Alta., was fourth in 1.45.48 with Harry Pangman of the Red Birds Ski Club, Montreal, another Olympic man, fifth in 1.50.24. W. Clarke, Ottawa Ski Club, Art Gravel, Montreal Ski Club, John Currie, Ottawa Ski Club, and Ross Wilson, Toronto Ski Club, all members of Canada's Olympic ski team, were in sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth positions respectively. Bill Ball, running for McGill University, was tenth.

The course was a good test of the competitors' ability and with the snow being dry and fast over a thick crust good time was made. The results follow:—

1	E. Penttila, <i>Montreal</i> .....	1.37.13
2	K. Engstad, <i>Burns Lake, B.C.</i> .....	1.41.55
3	S. Astrom, <i>Montreal East</i> .....	1.44.50
4	J. Nordmoe, <i>Camrose, Alta.</i> .....	1.45.48
5	H. Pangman, <i>Red Birds, Montreal</i> .....	1.50.24
6	W. Clarke, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	1.52.11
7	A. Gravel, <i>Montreal</i> .....	1.54.26
8	J. Currie, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	1.56.46
9	R. Wilson, <i>Toronto</i> .....	1.59.34
10	W. Ball, <i>McGill University</i> .....	2.01.22
11	H. Douglas, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	2.01.33
12	F. Campbell, <i>McGill University</i> .....	2.10.03
13	J. Veit, <i>Ottawa</i> .....	2.12.15
14	A. Duchesneau, <i>Montreal</i> .....	2.12.17
15	W. Ryan, <i>Montreal</i> .....	2.17.38
16	F. Provost, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.21.00
17	J. Shipman, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.24.12
18	Jim Houghton, <i>Montreal</i> .....	2.24.26
19	J. Smith, <i>Montreal</i> .....	2.29.08
20	J. Dinnick, <i>Toronto</i> .....	2.34.48
21	Jack Houghton, <i>McGill</i> .....	2.35.29
22	J. Ratcliffe, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.36.17
23	A. Turnbull, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.37.33
24	T. Shipman, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.45.10
25	J. Jaker, <i>Switzerland</i> .....	2.50.33
26	R. Dixon, <i>Hillside, Montreal</i> .....	2.59.28
27	F. Baadsvik, <i>Viking, Montreal</i> .....	3.14.45

**Engstad Wins Combined**

K. Engstad, of the Burns Lake Ski Club, B.C., and a member of the Canadian Olympic Ski Team, won the combined event and the Sir Henry Thornton trophy, emblematical of the Championship of Canada, defeating G. Nordmoe, also of the Olympic team, and from the far West, by ten points.

By placing sixth in the jumping and second in the cross-country, Kaare Engstad carried off the Dominion combined championship with a ten-point margin over Jostein Nordmoe. Engstad had 205.70 points in the jumping and 240 points in the racing for a total of 445.70 points. Nordmoe took third in the jumping earning 211.90 points and finished fourth in the 18-kilometre cross-country race, receiving 223.50 points and having a grand total of 435.40 points.

W. Clarke, of the Ottawa Ski Club, was third with 370.50 points and Ross Wilson, of the Toronto Ski Club, was fourth with 354.80. Bill Ball, of McGill University, Montreal, was fifth with Art Gravel, of the Montreal Ski Club, sixth and John Currie, of the Ottawa Ski Club, seventh and last.

The combined scores, showing the points awarded for the jumping, the 18-kilometre race and the totals, follow:—

1 K. Engstad, <i>Burns Lake</i> . . . . .	205.70, 240.00—445.70
2 J. Nordmoe, <i>Camrose</i> . . . . .	211.90, 223.50—435.40
3 W. Clarke, <i>Ottawa</i> . . . . .	174.00, 196.50—370.00
4 R. Wilson, <i>Toronto</i> . . . . .	186.80, 168.00—354.80
5 W. Ball, <i>McGill University</i> , . . . . .	185.70, 160.50—346.20
6 A. Gravel, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	141.50, 187.50—329.00
7 J. Currie, <i>Ottawa</i> . . . . .	79.40, 178.50—257.90

**Campbell Victor in Slalom Event**

Over a stiff course made most difficult by extremely fast snow conditions, on the "Big Hill" at Shawbridge, Frank Campbell, of McGill University, won the Montreal Ski Club slalom race which was held in connection with the Dominion 18-kilometre cross-country race. Art Gravel, of the Montreal Ski Club, a member of the Canadian Olympic team, was second, while George Jost, of McGill University, was third. W. Thompson, of the Red Birds Ski Club, Montreal, took fourth position with George Sumner, of the Montreal Ski Club, fifth.

Due to the lateness of the day only one descent was made down the course which was 800 yards long and 234 feet high. Campbell skied it in 60 1-5 seconds, while Gravel made the descent in 61 seconds with Jost taking 3-5 of a second longer. Thompson's time was 62 seconds, while Sumner's was 65 seconds.

W. Yui'e. of the Toronto Ski Club, was

tied in eleventh position with Jack Houghton, McGill, and J. Blair, Woc Ski Club, St. Adele, Que., with a time of 72 1-5 seconds. Ross Wilson, Toronto Ski Club, was twenty-fifth, with his team-mate, H. Carnell, thirtieth. Harry Pangman, Red Birds Ski Club, Montreal, provincial slalom champion was fifteenth.

The results follow:—

1 Frank Campbell, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	60 1-5
2 Art Gravel, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	61
3 George Jost, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	61 3-5
4 W. Thompson, <i>Red Birds</i> . . . . .	62
5 G. Sumner, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	65
6 S. Maxwell, <i>Red Birds</i> . . . . .	67 1-5
7 E. Penttila, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	67 2-5
8 W. Ball, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	68 2-5
9 W. Houghton, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	69 4-5
10 G. Patterson, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	70 3-5
11 J. Houghton, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	72 1-5
12 W. Yui'e, <i>Toronto</i> . . . . .	72 1-5
13 J. Blair, <i>Woc, Ste. Adele, Que.</i> . . . . .	72 1-5
14 J. Baldwin, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	74
15 H. Pangman, <i>Red Birds</i> . . . . .	75
16 W. Ryan, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	77 1-5
17 Jim Houghton, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	81
18 D. Cleghorn, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	83
19 R. Marcou, <i>Red Birds</i> . . . . .	84 1-5
20 R. Baldwin, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	84 2-5
21 W. MacKenzie, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	85 1-5
22 G. Baker, <i>McGill University</i> . . . . .	95
23 F. Peverly, <i>Laurentian</i> . . . . .	95 4-5
24 M. Chapman, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	97
25 R. Wilson, <i>Toronto</i> . . . . .	98 3-5
26 S. Kelly, <i>Night Hawks</i> . . . . .	99 1-5
27 J. Smith, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	102 3-5
28 H. Chisholm, <i>Montreal</i> . . . . .	103 4-5
29 M. Farrell, <i>Ottawa</i> . . . . .	107 2-5
30 H. Carnell, <i>Toronto</i> . . . . .	107 3-5
31 S. Bacon, <i>Red Birds</i> . . . . .	115 2-5
32 J. K. Henderson, <i>Laurentian</i> . . . . .	120
33 D. Bernier, <i>Laurentian</i> . . . . .	124 3-5
34 E. W. Mellon, <i>Laurentian</i> . . . . .	132 3-5
35 H. Douglas, <i>Ottawa</i> . . . . .	182 4-5



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K. ENGSTAD, COMBINED CHAMPION, 1932

## Winners of Canadian Amateur Ski Association Championships since founding of the Association in 1921

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 19-20, 1921

SKI JUMPING—E. O. Sunberg, *Temiskaming Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—Frank MacKinnon, *Montreal Ski Club*

OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 26-27, 1922

SKI JUMPING—R. Omtvedt, *Norge Ski Club, Chicago*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—R. Monsen, *Norsemen Ski Club, New York*

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 24-25, 1923

SKI JUMPING—R. Monsen, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—R. Monsen, *Montreal Ski Club*

OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 23-24, 1924

SKI JUMPING—N. Berger, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—E. Condon, *Ottawa Ski Club*

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 21-22, 1925

SKI JUMPING—N. Berger, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—J. Johansen, *Nansen Ski Club*

OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 28-29, 1926

SKI JUMPING—N. Berger, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—J. Satre, *New York Ski Club*

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 26-27, 1927

SKI JUMPING—L. Lehan, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—R. Reid, *Nansen Ski Club*

OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 25-26, 1928

SKI JUMPING—R. Sivertsen, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—B. Grayson-Bell, *Ottawa Ski Club*  
COMBINED—George Sumner, *Montreal Ski Club*

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 23-24, 1929

SKI JUMPING—G. Dupuis, *Cliffside Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—H. Paungarten, *Austria*  
COMBINED—J. Nordmoe, *Camrose Ski Club*  
SLALOM—H. Paungarten, *Austria*

OTTAWA, FEBRUARY 22-23, 1930

SKI JUMPING—R. Sivertsen, *Montreal Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—E. Penttila, *Montreal Ski Club*  
COMBINED—J. Nordmoe, *Camrose Ski Club*

REVELSTOKE, FEBRUARY 3-4, 1931

SKI JUMPING—J. Nordmoe, *Camrose Ski Club*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—H. Smejda, *Vancouver Ski Club*  
COMBINED—H. Smejda, *Vancouver Ski Club*

MONTREAL, FEBRUARY 20-21, 1932

SKI JUMPING—A. Finsberg, *Viking Outing Club, Montreal*  
CROSS-COUNTRY—E. Penttila, *Montreal Ski Club*  
COMBINED—K. Engstad, *Burns Lake Ski Club, B.C.*  
SLALOM—F. Campbell, *McGill University*