"PROS" GOLFING AT LAKEWOOD

LOW WINS FROM NORTON ON THE THIRTY-NINTH GREEN.

"Green Shyness" Bothers the Dyker Meadow Player in the Morning—The Home Man Had Been Dormie Two—Team Matches and Championships.

In the professional match at the Golf Club of Lakewood yesterday there was a most exciting finish, for George Low, the Dyker Meadow Golf Club's representative, only won the $100 purse from Will Norton, of the home club, after three extra holes. Low was one up on the morning play, but Norton had the lead by the same margin on the twenty-seventh hole. At the end of the thirty-six holes, after Norton had been dormie the two were all square. They decided to play three extra holes to settle the tie. Low won the first, and, as the other two were halved, he had the victory by 1 up in thirty-nine holes.

They were even at the ninth hole of the first round, but, although Norton took the tenth and eleventh holes in good order, a three and a four, Low finished in the lead at the end of the morning play. The scoring, 80 to 90, was very much higher than had been looked for, but it may be accounted for by that "outside agency," the wind; Low's, "green shyness" and Norton's bad long game on certain holes. The golfing was better on the outward journey of the afternoon, although Low was still putting unsteadily. Norton had the score squared on the tenth green and at the twenty-seventh hole he was 2 up. All three and a four, the figures Norton had made on these holes in the morning, now enabled Low to again square the match. But Norton won the thirtieth hole in three to four and the next three were halved, leaving Norton one up and but three to play. On the thirty-third green they halved in six. The thirty-fourth hole fell to Norton in a great three, a stroke under par, and Low made the four. Norton was now dormie two, but a brace of fours enabled Low to tie the match.

On the first extra hole back Low, who had played the hole in perfect style, won in 4 to 5. Neither was quite on the second green from the tee, but by grand approach putts they halved in three. After the third shots for the third hole it looked any odds that Low would win the hole, but Norton ran down a long put of fully twenty-five yards. It was then no certainty that Low would get the half, but he did not flinch and his ball popped into the cup with a rattle, the half in four settling the match in his favor by 1 up after thirty-nine holes. Jasper Lynch was the referee. The cards follow:

Low	5	4	4	5	6	5	6	5	4	4—45	
Norton	6	3	5	5	6	5	5	6	4	4—48	
Low	4	5	5	5	5	7	5	3	5	4—44—89	
Norton	3	4	5	7	5	5	6	4	6	4—45—90	
Low	5	4	5	5	6	5	5	5	4	4—44	
Norton	4	4	5	4	6	5	5	4	4	4—41	
Low	3	4	4	4	6	4	4	4	4	4—39—83—173	
Norton	5	5	3	4	6	6	3	5	5	5—42—83—173	

Extra Holes—Low, 4, 3, 4; Norton, 5, 3, 4.

The championship for the 1901-02 season at the Crescent A. C. was decided yesterday at thirty-six holes, between H. S. Bowns and C. C. Mason, the former winning by 3 up and 2 to play. In the morning, with medal rounds respectively of 82 and 83, Mason was one up. In the afternoon Bowns returned a grand 76 and as Mason could not do better than repeat in 82, the former won out by the stated result.

The qualifying round for the cups presented by J. Duncan Dithridge and Henry Crossley, for men's foursomes, was played yesterday at Dyker Meadow. The special condition was that the handicaps of each pair in the aggregate should not be less than 24. The best scores were:

A. R. Fish and W. F. Richard, 90; J. M. Byers and John C. Powers, 91; Daniel Chauncey and J. W. McBride, 94; S. F. Baldwin and J. H. Merritt, 95; F. K. Probasco and F. J. Phillips, 99; William M. Jarvies and J. Williamson, 99; Crowell Hadden and F. B. Beckwith, 100; H. T. Walden and Marvin P. Lyons, 102; George H. Barnes and Adolph E. Smylie, 108; F. H. Lovell and Charles Grant, 110; Thomas A. Eddy and Edward L. Ralbfleisch, 110.

The draw for the first round at match play follows: Hadden and Beckwith vs. Probasco and Phillips, Jarvies and Williamson vs. Baldwin and Merritt, Powers and Byrs vs. Fish and Richards, Chauncey and McBride vs. Walden and Lyons.

RAHWAY, Nov. 16.—In the finals for the championship for the Colonia Country Club James Riordan beat Frank A. Pattison by 5 up and 4 to play.

HOLLYWOOD, N. J., Nov. 16.—There will be no more golf at Hollywood. The links used by the Hollywood Golf Club since its existence is being cut up into building lots.

PLAINFIELD, Nov. 16.—There was play for the golf committee cup on the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club course to-day. The scores:

Robert Abott, 81, 3—78; E. T. Barrows, 96, 8—86; F. C. Ard, 88, 5—83; C. A. Stover, 111, 27—84; Paul Ward, 90, 6—84; F. S. Clark, 100, 14—86; E. T. Newkirk, 106, 20—86; L. C. Ryce, 112, 25—87.

MONTCLAIR, Nov. 16.—The finals in the contest for the championships of the Montclair Golf Club were played off to-day between Allen Kennaday and Howard A. Colby, the latter winning by 1 up, 38 holes. Kennaday drove out of bounds and lost the contest. Consolation cup, J. M. Ward beat J. S. Aborn by 4 up and 3 to play. Class C, D. B. R. Chapman beat J. H. Caldwell by 2 up 1 to go; class D, F. L. Dyer beat Kirk Brown by 4 up 2 to go.

ORANGE, Nov. 16.—The woman's championship at match play of the South Orange Field Club has progressed far enough as the first round. Those who qualified to-day and their scores were the following: Miss Therese Firth, 64, 0—64; Miss Edna Middleditch, 69, 3—66; Miss Louise Conway, 71, 5—66; Miss H. H. Stafford, 74, 7—67; Miss Eleanor Hoyt, 75, 8—67; Miss D. Gordon, 83, 16—67; Miss Beatrice Firth, 75, 10—65; Miss Eleanor Souther, 87, 20—67. In the first round Miss Edna Middleditch defeated Miss Eleanor Souther, by default. Miss Therese Firth defeated Miss M. M. Stafford, 3 up and 2 to go. Miss Louise Conway defeated Miss D. Gordon, 7 up. Miss Rose defeated Miss Beatrice Firth, 7 up and 5 to play.

GLEN RIDGE, Nov. 16.—The Glen Ridge Golf Club defeated the South Orange Golfers in a friendly match this afternoon on the Glen Ridge links. The score:

Glen Ridge—C. Place, 2; J. T. Holton, 0; E. H. Freeman, 3; R. N. Bradley, 0; J. S. Sherman, 3; R. Johnston, 3; R. H. Harrington, 3; Smith, 3; C. E. Lyon, 3; W. H. Jacobs, 3. Total, 19.

South Orange—B. W. Lutkeder, 0; E. B. Lutkeder, 0; H. Jerdeman, 0; H. Sandford, 3; G. B. Jenkinson, 0; W. H. Ballard, 0; M. M. Armitage, 0; E. A. Chen, 0; A. S. Stokes, 0; W. B. Winostin, 0. Total, 3.

Allen Kennedy, the titleholder and also holder of the New Jersey State championship, was beaten for the championship of the Montclair Golf Club yesterday by Howard A. Colby, by 1 up, but only after thirty-eight holes. The competition cup was won by J. M. Ward, who beat J. S. Aborn, by 4 up and 3 to play. The third cup was won by D. R. Chapman, who beat J. H. Caldwell, by 2 up and 1 to play. F. L. Dyer won the fourth cup, beating Kirk Brown, 4 up and 2 to play. All the matches were thirty-six holes.

Six cards were returned in the eighth and last monthly handicap of the season yesterday at the St. Andrews Golf Club. The winners and runners up each month will play off on Thanksgiving Day for the Vice-President's cup. The scores:

John C. Van Horn, 87, 8—79; W. H. Hirch, 95, 16—79; J. Mitchell Thomas, 96, 16—80; F. W. Meagher, 89, 9—80; A. S. Howard, 105, 18—88; A. G. Fox, 104, 16—88.

Members of the Van Cortlandt Golf Club were out in force for the final match play round of their annual championship yesterday at the Van Cortlandt links. The summary:

S. V. Hanson beat W. Upham, 3 up and 2 to play; F. Gilspatric beat C. Stetson, 2 up and 1 to play; Richard Lord beat Richard Jenkins, 4 up and 3 to play; W. H. Insley beat John Draper, 7 up; William Fox beat Charles Sparks, 3 up and 2 to play; F. W. Meagher beat F. C. Lawson, 3 up and 2 to play; C. H. Tillinghast beat H. P. Kelly, 3 up and 2 to play; H. E. Brown beat F. J. W. Fleming, 2 up and 1 to play.

Women's Championship: Mrs. Lefferts beat Miss Pabst, 7 up; Miss Bogert beat Mrs. Higgins, 7 up.

Grimston Variety golfers with their teams played at Mill Rock Apollo Golf Club over the Apawamis links yesterday by 14 to 6. The victory was a very creditable one, as this summary shows:

Apawamis—Malcolm Graham, 2; Maturo Ballone, 0; Frank A. Munsey, 2; F. Stewart, 0; A. Baldwin, 2; J. Stewart, 0; J. Stewart, 2; F. A. Munsey, 0; Total, 8.

Grimston—W. L. Lyons, 0; J. S. Nash, 2; A. G. Spalding, 0; J. Lawrence, 2; J. Lawrence, 0; Lewis Tappen, 2; H. Tillinghast, 0; J. Stewart, 2; J. Stewart, 0; Total, 6.

The third eighteen holes of the Varsity championship series was played on the Ardsley links, Dobbs Ferry, yesterday, the contest being the eighteen holes of the Ardsley course, which was used for the first time.

Play at mixed foursomes was the order in Jersey City at the Knickerbocker Golf Club. The old mixed foursome contest for the honors of the club was won by Miss Ladenburg and Mr. Ladenburg, who defeated Miss Ladenburg and Mr. Van Ness by one hole. The scores follow:

	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	
	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	

The annual match between the Nassau Club team and the Wanwet team of Jersey City was won by the former club, the Nassau team winning by 3 up and 2 to play. The scores follow:

Club team—Eric Peet, 87, and Mrs. S. M. Carlisle beat Mr. Wanwet and A. D. Compton, by 2 up; Miss Badgeley and G. Fox Tiffany beat Mr. and Mrs. Judd, by 7 up and 5 to play; Mr. and Mrs. Dean won by default from Mr. and Mrs. Boyce; Miss Compton and T. C. Emmoy beat Miss Mortimer and Mr. Foote, by 2 up and 1 to play.

Semi-finals—Miss Badgeley and G. Fox Tiffany beat Mr. and Mrs. Garland, by 2 up and 1 to play; Miss Compton and T. C. Emsoyer beat Mr. and Mrs. Dean, by 5 up and 4 to play.

Consolation Cup—Semi-finals—Miss Tiffany and R. L. Redfield beat Dr. and Mrs. Savage, by 4 up and 2 to play; Miss Berdi and Lydon beat Miss Marriat and Brooks, by 2 up and 1 to play.

A. A. U. ANNUAL CONVENTION.

New Rules and Reforms to Be Introduced at Monday's Meeting.

The annual convention of the Amateur Athletic Union will be held to-morrow at the Astor House and the allied members of the national body from North, South, East and West will review the work of each for the past year, introduce new rules and reforms and in general scrutinize the entire domain of amateur athletics. No glaring departure from the old régime will in any case be effected, but a few important rules will be altered and paragraphed here and there to an extent which will surprise some of the local wiseacres and kickers for A. A. U. reform.

A move was made to reduce the sanction fees for athletic games and the dues of basketball players, but as this has met no favor in the eyes of the Legislation Committee, matter submitted on the subject will be pigeonholed next Monday. It is understood that there will be some warm work over rule 8 of the General Rules which regulates the relation in competition of paid instructors in clubs with their pupils. The Atlantic Association advocates a more liberal rule and will make a solid stand to have it altered so that amateurs and professionals can meet each other in club contests without the standing of the former being in anyway impaired.

At a special meeting of the Metropolitan Association, held on Oct. 29, it was resolved "that it is the desire of the Metropolitan Association that the amateur definition be as strong and binding as it can be," and that this resolution be presented to the annual convention with the object, of course, that the present amateur definition be made more stringent; but as the necessary formalities have not been observed, no suggestion, resolution or amendment can be received on the amateur definition, and those anxious for something more "binding" will have to wait until November, 1902. For the past couple of years the position of handicapper to the Metropolitan Association has been the cause of an undesirable amount of internal strife which will probably be remedied by a decision ordering that the handicapper be in future elected by the convention instead of the Board of Managers. Then every delegate will have a voice in deciding on the only lucrative position in the local association, and the wire pulling and political drumming to elect certain men on the board will be abolished.

Notice has been received in due form that the Western delegates will ask that the Pacific Northwestern Association be annexed to the Pacific Coast Association, and also the Hawaiian Islands. It is stated that athletics are in a healthy state of progress in the neighborhood of Honolulu, and there being no objection on the part of the Pacific Northwestern Association, the proposition should be easily arranged. President Leginger of the Central Association has for some time been in close negotiations with representatives of the Intercollegiate Conference Athletic Association, and it is reported that he will submit a proposition for an alliance between the A. A. U. and the new governing power in Western college athletes. Should the alliance materialize, however, it will be only a renewal of the agreement which existed between the A. A. U. and the Big Nine before they receded from the Western Intercollegiate Association last June and formed the new body.

It is hinted that a host of reinstatement applications will come up for treatment and under this head will be tried the exceptionally prominent cases of Harry Gill of the Toronto Y. M. C. A., one of the best all around athletes of the present generation, and G. McKenney Hall of Buffalo. Gill's application to the Central Association to have his case transferred to Canada was refused, so it is in order for the A. A. U. to act. Hall's case will doubtless be productive of a mild sensation as a result of newly discovered evidence. Athletic records made during the past season will also come up at this juncture, and it is believed that many which are supposed to be eligible for the new record books, and incidentally the edification of future generations, will find repose in the waste basket.

Though no slate has yet been fixed for the new offices there is an all-around leaning toward Walter H. Leginger of the Central Association for President, although there are some who favor E. E. Babb of the New England Association for a second term. The following delegates have been chosen to represent their respective associations:

Y. M. C. A.—Charles E. Patterson, Paul C. Phillips, George W. Ehlers, Dr. Luther Gulick; alternates, Dr. A. D. Rockwell, W. Fellowes Morgan, George T. Hepburn, George D. Pratt.

Metropolitan Association—James E. Sullivan, Barton S. Weeks, Frederick W. Rubien, H. Obertubessing, Charles Reuss, Thomas Nevins.

New England Association—Edward E. Babb, David Barry, Dr. T. H. O'Connor, William T. Whiston, F. Riley, W. H. Dumbrisky.

Central Association—Walter H. Leginger, John MacLachlan, Peter T. Murphy, Dr. George K. Herman, W. F. Lippe, C. H. Brugger.

Atlantic Association—Dr. B. Merrill Hopkinson, Harry McMillan, John W. Kelly, James H. Sterrett, Thomas J. Martin, J. S. Westrey; alternates, Dr. Frank Fisher, Dr. A. W. Kelsey, Thomas K. Barrett, J. J. Gallagher, George E. Lamb, Dr. Harry Kelsey.

Western Association—W. H. Hinchman, George James, Herbert Hauser, A. P. Rothkopf, A. H. Meilette, E. W. Drexlo.

Canadian A. A. U.—Major W. B. T. Macaulay, Henry Morrison, James Pearson.

Southern Association—B. P. Sullivan, Leigh Carroll, C. F. Stott, M. J. Condon, J. P. Tobin, B. McCloskey.

JEFFRIES READY FOR FITZ.

Champion Regrets That Ruhlin's Second Threw Up the Sponge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The chief topic to-day among sports was the stage fright and poor showing made by Gus Ruhlin last night in his fight with Jeffries. Even his old friends cannot account for it, as Ruhlin in the past has never shown such timidity. It is an actual fact that Ruhlin was in a nervous tremor before the fight, as he sat in his corner, and that he acted like a novice. Probably if he had directed his blows at Jeffries's head he could have accomplished more, but all experts agree that he could not have frazed Jeffries except by a lucky blow on the jaw. Ruhlin gave a number of excuses for his lost heart and strength, but the real reason was the succession of terrific punches just above the belt which Jeffries concluded to give him from the first round to the fifth. Jeffries to-day expressed regret that Ruhlin did not stay and get knocked out, as the throwing up of the sponge gave many the impression that the fight had been prearranged. Jeffries said he was willing to meet Fitzsimmons, but he did not think it would be any use to make a match with Sharkey, as the Boilermaker would not draw.

The gate receipts last night amounted to $15,000, of which 65 per cent goes to the fighters. Jeffries's 75 per cent amounts to $10,000 and Ruhlin's 25 per cent to $5,000. Besides the Jeffries gets 25 per cent of the kinetoscope picture royalty. A careful estimate shows that San Francisco has spent this week for grand opera, theatres, prize fight, baseball and racing pastime, which is said had for a city of 300,000 inhabitants.

Jeffries attributes much of his splendid strength and wind to hunting over the Lake county hills. While there he devoted himself to running and he states that he is now the swiftest sprinter of any heavyweight. He declares he can run a mile in five minutes.

Shooting at the Crescent A. C.

The fourth shoot for the November cup at the Crescent Athletic Club yesterday resulted in a tie between Dr. H. J. O'Brien, H. B. Vanderveer and Capt. A. W. Money. Each man went out with a straight score of 10. Capt. Money won a four-contested race with another straight score of 10. The shoot for the sykes table trophy was won by Capt. A. B. Hulsizer and Carl G. Rasmussen, with a score of 10. The scores:

Four-contested match, twenty-five birds per cent, handicap: Capt. A. W. Money, 21, 21, 21, 21, 21; Dr. H. J. O'Brien, 21, 21, 21, 21, 21; H. B. Vanderveer, 21, 21, 21, 21, 21.

Trophy contest, fifteen birds per man, expert type, handicap: Carl G. Rasmussen, 15; H. B. Vanderveer, 14; H. W. Borchardt, 14; H. L. Hopkins, 14; C. L. Lorillard, 14; J. A. Merry, 14; Dr. J. L. Lozier, scratch, 14; Capt. A. W. Money, 14; Capt. A. B. Hulsizer, 14; Dr. H. J. O'Brien, 14. Shoot off for ties, Rasmussen, second Palmer.

Sykes trophy, contest team competition: Money and Hulsizer vs. Rasmussen and Borchardt. Palmer and Borchardt, 20.

The Sewanhaka Club challenge to Orange, Morris County, Essex County, Palisade, at Morris Park, at Belmont, at Brighton, at Hopkins, at Morrisville, at Chapman, is accepted.

Apartment Hotels

In Manhattan, their advantages to transits and their merits as really investments, set forth in a special article in THE SUN to-day, page 11.—Adv.

HARNESS CLASSES AT THE SHOW.

Best Type of the Trotter Will Be Seen at the Garden This Week.

An unusually interesting feature of the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden this week is the character and number of entries in the light harness classes. While the Horse Show Association has offered attractive premiums for these classes year after year, owners of roadsters, trotters and pacers, outside of a very few who have regularly entered their horses, have not taken the interest they should. This year, however, they have seen the advantage of putting their best horses in competition and consequently many animals representing the highest type of the American trotter, that have never before been seen in the show ring, have been entered. Some of the old-time favorites that have won the ribbons in other years will find competition much stronger this year. In the class for four-year-old stallions kept for service, Shadeland Farm will show Cuylercoast; Major C. Brown has named J. R. H., Timothy Anglin, King Jo; Robenhurst Farm, The Monitor; Hislop Brothers, Pavonia, and Thomas W. Lawson, Belford. Among the old-time favorites in the same class will be seen T. W. Lawson's Dreamer, Charles Backman's Alcantara and H. N. Bain's Sir Robbin.

The class for roadsters never had such a list of entries and it will be a ring worth seeing. Some of the handsomest and fastest road horses in the world will be in competition. C. K. G. Billings will show Dr. Book, 2:10; Captor, 2:09¾; and Louise Jefferson, 2:17¼. Frankel, 2:12, was also entered, but he was injured in a runaway at Chicago the other day. Charles C. Lloyd has named his black gelding Malzoun, 2:15¾, winner of ribbons at Long Branch and elsewhere last summer, and his fast gelding Chain Shot, that took a record of 2:16½ at Memphis this fall. Altomont, 2:21¾, James Cook's prize winner, will once more try for the ribbon and among others named are T. W. Lawson's First Love, A. A. Houseman's Kitty Clon, E. T. Stotesbury's Miss Lou, W. C. Floyd-Jones's Maud Hollins and Messrs. Deveraux and Outhwaite's Valentine.

Such noted side-wheelers will be seen in the pacing class as Sunland Belle, 2:07½; Hontas Crooke, 2:08, from Billings string; E. T. Bedford's Alice Mapes, 2:14¾; Ben Lichtenberg's Billy Palmer, 2:24¾; A. C. Bostwick's Johnny Agan, 2:05¼, and Dr. J. L. Wentz's Fanny Dillard, 2:08¾.

Charles F. Hubb's good-going and good-looking mare Maryland Belle, that won several races during the summer at Bay Shore, White Plains and other places, will be one of the new ones in the Garden ring for trotters over fifteen hands. Albert C. Bostwick's mare Rose will also be a new one. Altogether there are twenty-two entries in the class. The classes for pairs of trotters and roadsters will be more keenly contested than ever before, several teams being entered that have not been seen at a national show.

The four-in-hand display, judging from the character of the entries, is likely to be more imposing than ever before. C. K. G. Billings's prize winners will be a new element and former winners of blue ribbons will have to be at their best to beat them. In the hackney and high-stepping classes, the best in the country will be in competition, as all of the leading breeders and owners are represented in one or more classes, and the same may be said of the saddle and jumping classes.

NO MORE FIGHTS IN ST. LOUIS.

Chief of Police Issues Orders to Stop All Boxing Contests.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—A halt has been called here in the fighting game. Chief of Police Kieley issued an order to-day to stop all prize fights and boxing contests in St. Louis. He says that the promoters of boxing contests have gone beyond the limits of the law. The contest arranged for to-night between Morris Rausch and Johnnie Reuthford, before the Olympic Club, has been postponed indefinitely. Abe Attell of San Francisco and George Dixon are scheduled for a fifteen-round bout before the West End Club on Monday night, but Chief Kieley says this will not be permitted. However, the promoter is completing arrangements for the contest. It is not believed that he will attempt to defy the authorities.

Sir Thomas Lipton Making Plans for Another Challenge.

Sir Thomas Lipton, according to the *Yachting World*, as soon as he arrived in England proceeded to Gareloch where he spent some time in inspecting the Shamrock I. and making arrangements for her better preservation. From Gareloch he went to Fairlie where he had a long consultation with William Fife, Jr. "The subject under discussion," says the *Yachting World*, "was America's Cup racing and although no decision was come to nor any contracts suggested, there is good reason why the matter should be kept in mind when the question of another challenger comes to the front."

Billiards.

In the amateur tournament, 14-inch balk line, at the Metropolitan Academy last night E. O. Presby defeated L. A. Servatius. The score:

Presby—7, 1, 15, 10, 12, 1, 1, 0, 15, 3, 8, 2, 2, 0, 6, 8, 3, 0, 2, 2, 0, 1, 11, 20, 7, 0, 2, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 6, 2, 1, 10, 1, 1, 2, 0, 0, 4, 6, 2, 0, 3, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 11, 0, 4, 9. Total, 201. High runs—15, 15, 15. Average, 3 32-56.

Servatius—4, 0, 11, 4, 0, 6, 11, 2, 3, 8, 0, 5, 2, 0, 8, 16, 0, 10, 1, 3, 0, 1, 5, 13, 0, 1, 3, 0, 0, 7, 0, 0, 0, 0, 6, 0, 2, 0, 0, 8, 2, 6, 11, 0, 0, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 2, 0, 0. Total, 163. High runs—16, 13, 11. Average, 2 51-56.

L. Howison will play every afternoon and every evening at the Knickerbocker Billiard Academy in Brooklyn this week. Play starts at 2 P. M. and 8 P. M. Howison will play 18-inch balk line, one shot in. Any player defeating him will receive a diamond as a prize.

New Baseball League.

SCRANTON, Nov. 16.—A. W. Lawson of Philadelphia, who managed the Easton baseball team last year, came to Scranton to-day in the interest of a new baseball league to be known as the Eastern Association. The league is to have teams in Paterson, Newark, Lancaster, Trenton, Reading, Wilmington, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Lawson is to have the management of the Scranton team. The managers of the proposed teams will meet in Philadelphia within ten days to organize.

Sailmaker Ratsey Here.

Thomas Ratsey, the well-known English yacht sail maker arrived here on the White Star line steamer Celtic yesterday. He is going to establish a branch of his business in this country and will have lofts at Gravesend.

Racing at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—There was a big crowd at the races this afternoon and speculation was quite brisk. Nineteen books and a combination book were in line. Impromptu betting. Odds on the hot favorite, a head in the Golden Gate Selling Handicap. The winner, a son of Crescendo, was purchased before the race by the Montana Stable. Summary:

First Race—Six furlongs, selling—Meroga, 107, 6 to 1, won. Red Bronze, 104, 8 to 1, second. Scarlet Light, 104, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.

Second Race—Six furlongs—Moreska, 110, even, won. Quadle, 110, 3 to 1, second. St. Sever, 106, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:18.

Third Race—Pacific Handicap, one mile and eighteen yards—Artillerist, 108, 3 to 5, won. The Prettier, 106, 4 to 1, second. Vatro, 96, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

Fourth Race—Golden Gate Stakes, selling, seven furlongs—Impromptu, 97, 5 to 1, won. Gallanty, 99, 7 to 10, second. Bonero, 106, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:29.

Fifth Race—One mile—Lady Meddlesome, 108, 8 to 1, won. Bob Falmer, 99, 10 to 1, second. Impromptu, 100, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:42.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs—Ogden, 104, 12 to 5, won. Midway Belle, 99, 10 to 1, second. Edmister, 106, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.

Today's Football Events

Madison F. C. vs. Christ's Athletics, at Jasper Oval.

Indian A. C. vs. Great Notre A. C., at College Point.

Young A. C. vs. Columbia F. C., at Jersey City.

East Side A. C. vs. Brewster A. C., at Berkeley Oval.

Englewood vs. Lake Side F. C., at Orange.

Colgate vs. West Point Infantry, at Newark.

Holly vs. Pastime, at Newark.

Lafayette vs. Swarthmore, at Swarthmore.

Hoboken vs. Seventh Regiment, at Hoboken.

Hoboken A. C. vs. Asbury Lyceum of Paterson, at Hoboken Park.

Jersey City A. C. vs. Harvard A. C., at Tremont.

Magic vs. Knickerbocker A. C., at East Haven.

St. Peter's C. A. vs. St. Aloysius, at Dexter Park.

Rutgers vs. Seminary A. C., at Seminary.

Montclair A. C. vs. Columbia, at Montclair.

Madison A. C. vs. Greenwood F. C., at Fort Lee.

Williams Freshmen vs. Stevens F. C., at Hoboken.

Yale A. C. vs. Lawrence F. C., at Brooklyn.

St. Louis vs. Holy Cross Lyceum, at New York.

Lenox F. C. vs. Harlem A. C., at Harlem.

Seton F. C. vs. Manhattan F. C., at Harlem.

Columbia A. C. vs. Lafayette, at Stockbridge.

Fordham A. C. vs. St. Mary's Tigers, at Jersey City.

Passaic vs. St. Mary's Tigers, at Jersey City.

Hoboken A. C. vs. Montclair A. C., at Hoboken.

Eight Star Whitehouse vs. Bay View Wheelmen, at Newark.

Defender A. C. vs. Manhattan, at Bayonne.

Clarence A. C. vs. Orientals A. C., at Newark.

RECORDS OF RACING YACHTS.

FINE CONTESTS IN MANY CLASSES DURING THE PAST SEASON.

Elmina and Quissetta Fight Hard and the Elmina Makes the Better Record—Vigilant Beats Ailsa, but Is Beaten by Navahoe—Dorwina's Good Work.

Yacht racing during the past season has been the best in the history of the sport in this country, but the America's Cup contest overshadowed all other racing and many fine tussles were lost sight of. During the season the Columbia and the Constitution were racing as often as possible and these races were watched so carefully that very little is known of what was done in the other classes.

New yachts raced in almost every class and some were very successful. There were two new boats in the 75-foot schooner class, the Elmina and the Muriel, two newly imported boats in the 60-foot class of sloops, two new boats in the 51-foot class. The Humma and the Huguenot and a new boat in the 43-foot class. These new boats met the older boats and the records for the season show that with few exceptions the new boats were faster than the older ones. In the 75-foot schooner class, the Elmina made the best record but she was hard pressed throughout the season by the Quissetta, a boat five years old, and the Quissetta easily defeated the Muriel, one of this season's yachts. The Elmina seemed to be at her best when the wind freshened and the Quissetta did her best work in light weather.

In the class in which the English cutters raced, the Isolde and the Hester were the best of the lot. The Eelin, a boat imported this year, did not show up very well, and the Senta arrived so late that it was impossible to tell what she could do with the others. Next year some American yachts are to be built for this class and if the imported yachts are to have any racing in which they will have a fair show their owners will either have to increase their sail spread or they will have to induce the regatta committees of the different clubs to arrange special classes for their boats.

The English yawl Ailsa raced against the Vigilant and Navahoe, but the Ailsa is underspurred for these waters and she was only able to win when the wind was strong. The Vigilant won the most races in this class, but the Navahoe made a close fight with the Vigilant in the races in which she took part and each yacht finished ahead of the other four times during the season.

The new Herreshoff 51-footer Humma proved to be the champion in her class. Her chief rival was the Altair, the champion of last season and in all kinds of weather the Humma showed her superiority. The Huguenot was a failure. This boat is a freak. She is an out and out fin and made a very poor record in the races in which she took part. In the next class the Dorwina, another new yacht, proved to be much superior to any other yacht in the class and she was only beaten twice during the season. She is a good type of boat too and the new yachts that are to be built this winter for the 60 to 70-foot class will be enlarged Dorwinas. She beat, among other yachts, the Effort, a yacht from the Herreshoff shops that was built last spring, but which did not prove as successful as was expected.

The old Effort, now named the Leda, and owned by J. Rogers Maxwell, Jr., won in the 36-foot class and the Memory proved to be the best yawl in this class.

In the large schooner classes there was not much racing. Yachtsmen are favoring small yachts for racing more and more each year and the racing in the classes for 80-footers and under was very hot all through the season. The records printed herewith are only for yachts 36 feet in length and over and only the regattas of the big clubs have been taken into consideration. Some of the yachts sailed in mixed classes and some match races were made with yachts of other classes but these have not been included. The records are only figured out in order to find which yacht proved to be the best in each class.

In the schooner classes the best racing was furnished in the class for yachts over 65 feet and not over 75 feet racing length. This is called Class D and there were four vessels that met in the regular class. These were the Amorita, Quissetta, Elmina and Muriel. The Amorita came out a very much changed boat. W. Gould Brokaw had several changes made that were expected to have improved her speed but instead made her a complete failure. The Quissetta, owned by H. F. Lippitt, had a complete set of hollow spars and new sails and with some minor changes that saved weight she proved to be a very much improved boat and although five years old, she was able to beat the two other yachts in this class, which were built this year, as often as they defeated her. The Elmina was built for F. K. Brewster and the Muriel was built for Charles Smithers. These two were designed by A. Cary Smith and were very lightly constructed and instead of having the centreboard drop below the keel and thus increase the vessel's draught, the board was placed forward of the fin and when lowered increased the lateral plane and gave the yacht a better grip on the water.

Three of these vessels met for the first time in the spring regatta of the Larchmont Yacht Club, sailed on June 17. This race had been postponed from the previous Saturday because a gale was blowing that day. The wind was easterly and the race was spoiled by calms and toward the finish the wind made a shift to the southwest. The Quissetta led at the first mark by six minutes and increased this lead to half an hour at the next mark. The Elmina, however, caught the change of wind first and profiting by it crossed the finishing line 7 minutes 52 seconds ahead of the Quissetta, and 3 minutes 53 seconds ahead of the Amorita. The race was stopped at the end of the first round of the triangle after the yachts had sailed fifteen miles. The next day these three met at the annual regatta of the Atlantic Yacht Club, sailed down the bay. The wind was light from the south southwest at the start and freshened considerably while the race was in progress. The Quissetta did the best work turning to windward and led by 4 minutes at the lightship. Going home the Elmina gained but could not get the lead and the Quissetta won by 5 seconds from the Elmina and she beat the Amorita 4 minutes 6 seconds. On Thursday, June 20, the annual regatta of the New York Yacht Club was sailed and the Muriel made her first appearance in this race. The wind was fresh from the south southwest. Quissetta led all the way out, but going back the Elmina again did her best sailing and crossed the finishing line 1 minute 16 seconds in the lead of Quissetta, and 11 minutes 35 seconds ahead of the Muriel. The Amorita did not finish, having taken her foretopmast. Elmina was disqualified and the race went to the Quissetta on a protest. The next race was for the Glen Cove cup, offered to the New York Yacht Club, and the race was sailed on the Sound in a light breeze over a fifteen-mile triangle. The Elmina beat the Quissetta 21 seconds, Amorita 3 minutes 8 seconds, and Muriel 6 minutes 2 seconds.

Three days' racing at Oyster Bay for Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club prizes followed. These races were sailed over triangular courses twenty-three and a half miles altogether. The Elmina on the first day finished 1 minute 25 seconds ahead of the Quissetta and 3 minutes 19 seconds ahead of the Muriel. The Quissetta won the race on a protest, Elmina being disqualified for a foul. The next day the Elmina beat the Muriel 9 minutes. The Amorita and Quissetta fouled and the Quissetta lost several spars. The third race, sailed in a fresh breeze, was won by the Elmina. She beat the Amorita 7 minutes 39 seconds and the Muriel 8 minutes 1 second. Larchmont was the next meeting place of these yachts. This was in the annual regatta sailed on July 4. The wind was moderate from east by north. The Elmina won, beating the Quissetta 4 minutes 10 seconds. She beat the Muriel 7 minutes 27 seconds and the Amorita 11 minutes 8 seconds. The Larchmont race week began on July 13 and in a moderate easterly wind the Elmina beat the Quissetta 17 minutes 35 seconds, Amorita 24 minutes 15 seconds and the Muriel 25 minutes 13 seconds. On July 15, in a moderate southwest wind, the Elmina beat the Quissetta 1 minute 3 seconds, the Muriel 7 minutes 42 seconds and the Amorita 13 minutes 42 seconds. On the 17th not one of the schooners finished in time to make a race. They met again on the 18th in a light southwesterly breeze and the Muriel won her first race of the season, beating the Elmina 4 minutes 41 seconds and the Quissetta 10 minutes 57 seconds. On the 19th there was another day of calms and no yacht was able to finish, and in the regatta the next day, the last race of the week, which was sailed in light baffling breezes, the Quissetta beat the Muriel 7 minutes 8 seconds.

Then came the cruise of the New York Yacht Club. All schooners met in one class on the first day for the Commodore's cup and the Elmina won. In this race she beat the Muriel 3 minutes 7 seconds, the Quissetta 6 minutes 48 seconds and Amorita 10 minutes 10 seconds. The yachts the next day ran to Morris Cove in a light wind and the Quissetta beat the Muriel 17 minutes 39 seconds and the Elmina 19 minutes 31 seconds. Running to New London in a light wind, Quissetta beat Muriel and Elmina handily. The Quissetta won again, going to Newport after a beat of forty miles, and the Muriel was disabled soon after starting. From Newport the yachts raced to Vineyard Haven, but the wind was so light no yacht could finish. Racing back, the Quissetta beat the Elmina 3 minutes 25 seconds. The Elmina won the Astor cup race, beating the Quissetta 22 minutes 31 seconds. Following the cruise the Newport association held some races. The first was sailed on Aug. 1 over a triangular course. The wind was fresh and the Elmina won from the Quissetta by 15 minutes 7 seconds. The next race was sailed in a strong wind and the Elmina won again by 5 minutes 4 seconds.

A special race at Larchmont brought the yachts together again on Aug. 31 and they raced in a fresh easterly wind. The Elmina beat the Muriel 6 minutes, 20 seconds and the Quissetta 8 minutes 33 seconds. In the fall regatta of the Larchmont Club, sailed on Sept. 2, the Elmina won from the Muriel by 1 minute and from the Quissetta by 6 minutes 52 seconds. The last race of the season was for the Larchmont cup on Sept. 21. The wind was light and Quissetta beat the Elmina 26 minutes 47 seconds. The Muriel withdrew. Altogether there were twenty-three races sailed for in this class. The Elmina started in twenty-two. She won thirteen firsts, five seconds and two thirds. Among her trophies are the Commodores and Astor cups. The Quissetta started twenty-one times. She won nine firsts, seven seconds and three thirds. Her trophies include the Vice-Commodores cup for winning the most runs in the New York Yacht Club cruise and the Larchmont cup. The Muriel started fourteen times. She won one first, eight seconds and three thirds.