ABSURD TO CALL FIGHT A FAKE

SPORTING MEN UNITE IN SAYING JEFFRIES WON FAIRLY.

Fitz Says the Report Is a "Malicious Lie" —The Champion Badly Punished About the Face—A Woman the Source of Rumor That Contest Was Not Honest.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—Never has there been a fight in San Francisco which gave greater satisfaction to the big crowd than did this battle between Jeffries and Fitzsimmons. Sporting experts here united in saying today that never in their ring experience has a finer exhibition of boxing and ring generalship been made than was made by Jim Jeff and never was such fancy work proved so utterly futile as against the iron frame and bull strength of Jeffries. There was only one discordant note. The Examiner came out this morning with an editorial story of fake, declaring that its sporting editor on Thursday received intimation that Fitz would lose by prearrangement in the eighth round. The sporting editor wrote a letter to Mayor Schmitz conveying this tip of fake, with notice that the letter should be unopened until after the fight. He reserved action to destroy the letter, however, and when the fight actually came to an end in the eighth round boldly asked the Mayor to open the letter. The Mayor fell into the trap and declared that in future he would prohibit such "fakes," which means that he will stop all prizefights in San Francisco. The Examiner also says Fitz told Jeffries to hit him in the eighth round and that he recovered too speedily for a genuine knock-out.

The absurd statement also is made that Fitz had things all his own way and would probably have cut Jeffries up so much about the face as to disfigure him and then secure a knockout. To a expert who witnessed the fight this story and the alleged facts on which it is founded are unworthy of serious attention.

Though Fitz showed that as a boxer Jeffries was not in the same class with him and that Jeff repeatedly in the face drawing his opponent's blood, there never was a time in the fight that Jeff showed any serious distress. Even Fitz's friends were quick to see that his strongest blows, delivered squarely on the nose and mouth, did not stop the Champion, and they did not even check him. He came on as savagely as ever. It was a hopeless case of a weaker man delivering blows that ought to have defeated his opponent, but which merely served to anger him. Several times Fitz threw all the force of his body into the blow but it did not hurt Jeffries.

In the seventh round Jeffries appeared to get new momentum, as he cut out a great pace, and he certainly had Fitz almost out on several body punches that were terrors. He crowded Fitz against the ropes and landed twice. The blows hurt as Fitz showed by his face, but the Cornishman escaped by cleverness and had time to regain his wind.

The knockout seemed to come through Fitz's lack of attention for a moment. He made some remark to Jeffries as Jeffries passed with his right. Then came a left hook to the head. Fitz's hands dropped for a moment and he looked as though he would slip under Jeffries's arm again as he had gone so often before, but Jeffries brought out his left again and landed a fearful blow just above the solar plexus and Rob fell as though he had been hit by an ax.

Such experts as Lou Houseman and George Siler were not quick to Fitz when he got his blow, and when he fell close enough to have touched him with a cane and they had no evidence that the blow was not real and the knockout not genuine. Fitz could not get up, but was taken to his chair. The moment he was sponged he seemed to recover his faculties instantly.

I met him this morning when shown the story that he had faked the fight, and he called the story "a damned, malicious lie." He said he had heard that some woman at Harbor Springs, his first training quarters, had written a letter saying Fitz would go out in the eighth round. Rob was in bed, recuperating. There was a slight mark under his right eye and his left wrist, knuckles and fingers were badly swollen. Otherwise he looked well, but he complained of body pains, due to the punch under the heart and one that reached the solar plexus and lost him the fight.

"It's a shame to call it a fake," Fitz said. "I fought the greatest fight of my life, and here I have been branded as a cur. There I was winning all the time, but I couldn't have won. Both hands were gone. I've fought 378 battles and have been defeated twice, both times by Jeffries. That shows he is the better man, doesn't it? I've had twenty-five years of hard fighting and my hands have gone back on me. If they had held out right Jeff wouldn't have lasted six rounds, but I've got no excuse. I did my best.

"I knew some woman had written that I was to lay down in the eighth. I was told of it yesterday afternoon. The recipient of the letter was to judge by the fight whether there was any truth in the story, and now he comes out and says it was a fake. When I got in distress in the eighth last night I thought of the letter and tried to stave off the end, but I couldn't do it. I remember that as I went down I said, or tried to say, 'It's good, but it was a fake.' I wasn't any more than a gasp. He took all the wind out of my body. I didn't say 'That was a peach,' and if I smiled, as they say I did, that must have been a smile of pain. I tried to last but couldn't. I got what I gave many a good one. It was the same blow that I gave Corbett on the jaw, it was a little to one side, but it did the business.

"Sometime during the fight Jeff got in one that caught me under the heart. I didn't feel it much then, but this morning about eight I felt it caught me good and I thought I was going to die. I can't raise my left hand too."

Jeff was a terrible spectacle to-day. No champion in recent years was ever so badly beaten up. His face was swelled to twice its usual size. Three stitches had to be taken in his left eye. He had a bad cut on the left cheek and his lips were swollen. He was sore also in spirit for he recognized he had been outclassed in science and only his great strength had pulled him through.

Edward Harrington, secretary of the San Francisco A. C., to-day made the following statement of receipts and expenses of the fight:

Total receipts from sale of tickets, $31,880; 20 per cent to contestants, $22,316; 60 per cent of 70 is offices, $13,390; 40 per cent of 70 to Fitzsimmons, $9,026; revenue of club from this source, $9,564.

Immediately after leaving the ring last night Jeffries and his trainers hurried across the bay to the home of his sister-in-law. Jeffries was taken in hand by Delaney and rubbed down. In talking of the battle Jeffries found fault with the construction of the ring. "It was a shaky affair," he said, "and when I tried to do any foot work the matting seemed to work under me. After three rounds I saw I could not do any sparring and then I went in and fought Fitz every inch of the way. I did not think I ought to have taken more pains in building the ring and his excuse was he thought it was in better shape than it was. Fitzsimmons is a wonderful fighter, but I don't think he would have outpointed me so badly in the first rounds if the floor of the ring had been firmer, which was a big help to me for I am so heavy."

Jeffries thought his nose was broken, but after the fight a doctor assured him only the cartilage was bruised. "I really believed I was whipped in the third," he said. "My eye was in such a bad condition that I was afraid it would be my downfall. After going to my corner Delaney fixed it up and I felt alright when I came up for the fourth round."

The victory of Jeffries over Fitz and the other's showing were food for much discussion among local sports yesterday. The followers of the Champion who backed him were naturally jubilant. Those who pinned their faith and dollars to the Cornishman took their losses good naturally and comforted themselves with the fact that they got good run for their money. The report from San Francisco that the fight was a fake did not receive any encouragement from the local sports. They regarded the charge of fraud as inevitable in view of the fact that every time an important fistic encounter is decided talk of this kind invariably follows. Most of the gamblers and patrons of the game figured that Jeffries with his massive strength and natural advantages right to win inside of ten rounds. They predicted that if he won at all he would do the trick in about this time and how well they anticipated is a matter of history now.

Most of the betting in town was on how long the scrap would last. Shrewd judges of pugilism argued that even money that Fitz would not respond to the call of the fourth round was a good betting proposition. The fact that Jeffries did not show his hand up to the time of the knockout was not taken as anything unusual. He has followed this course in most of his fights, permitting his opponent to do all the leading and punching, content to get home one decisive blow. When he fought Fitzsimmons at Coney Island three years ago, "Lanky Bob" did all the work up to the ninth round. Then the Bodermaker, realizing that Bob had shot his bolt and was fatigued, sailed in and knocked his man out. He used the same tactics with Jim Corbett, after Corbett had practically smothered the Champion with blows and outpointed him at every stage.

With Fitzsimmons and the other big men out of the field for the present the only available candidate for his laurels is "Denver Ed" Martin. Billy Madden's colored heavyweight, Martin has been improving steadily of late and his defeat of Bob Armstrong in London on Friday night proves that he is a dangerous factor in the race for the heavyweight title. Madden has repeatedly challenged Jeffries on behalf of Martin, but the Champion has drawn the color line. His decision in this respect is not considered consistent in view of the fact that he has tackled two negroes, notably the late Peter Jackson and "Hons" Griffin.

It is estimated that about $50,000 was won and lost on the fight in this city. The largest winning goes to the credit of Jim Wakely, who says he is ahead $4,000 on the Champion's victory. John Kelly comes next with $2,800 and the Considine brothers won about $3,400. Young Corbett, the featherweight champion, Billy Nexman and Dick Pernard gathered in a nice roll. The heaviest loser on Fitzsimmons is said to be Gus Rogers. He is credited with having dropped $2,500.

Jim Wakely, when asked whether he thought that the fight was a square one said: "There is no doubt that the men fought honestly. No one for a minute would think that Jeffries would take the beating he did if it was a fake."

"Honest John" Kelly scouted the fake idea. "You can bet dollars to doughnuts that Jeff won because he was the better man," he said.

"Bat" Masterson said: "The fight was honestly fought and Jeffries won because he proved himself Bob's master. It is absurd to think that he would stand such a licking if the affair was prearranged.

"Jeffries is a great pugilist and does not care to indulge in fakes," said Young Corbett. "According to the reports he was getting the worst of it until he put Fitzsimmons out. It is the knockout blow that counts every time."

CRICKET.

Manhattans Defeat Kings County—Easy Victory for Brooklyn.

Notwithstanding the threatening weather of yesterday, local cricketers succeeded in getting in their usual Saturday afternoon's work at the wickets and some excellent play was witnessed in the games which were played hereabout.

At Prospect Park the Manhattan and Kings County teams had their return match in the championship series of the Metropolitan League. The game was well contested and resulted in a victory for Manhattan by 17 runs. The batting of A. J. Gray, who played a good innings of 24, not out, and the bowling of H. Rushton, who captured five wickets for 33 runs, were the main factors in the result. For Kings County, C. J. Toddings and G. W. Barnes divided the honors.

KINGS COUNTY		MANHATTAN	
H. Tattersall, c. Smith, b. Adam	11	F. J. Prendergast, c. Nugent, b. Barnes	8
J. Rushton, c. and b. Rushton	2	A. E. Smith, run out	12
R. L. Seely, b. Adam	7	A. Caville, b. Barnes	6
R. M. Browne, b. Rushton	5	F. A. Slade, b. Barnes	8
C. T. Toddings, b. Rushton	24	T. Jones, b. Barnes	0
H. Williams, b. Rushton	4	A. J. Gray, not out	24
A. Nugent, b. Rushton	0	W. Adam, b. Barnes	12
J. Parks, b. Slade	10	J. Flannery, c. Nugent, b. Tattersall	6
J. Gautier, not out	10	A. Withers, b. Barnes	4
Byes, 17; leg byes, 1	18	J. Baimer, b. Barnes	2
		H. Rushton, c. Brown, b. Barnes	7
		Byes	5
Total	81	Total	98

The Brooklyn Cricket Club had rather an easy proposition in Nelson Lodge at Prospect Park, and won by 64 runs after declaring the innings closed with only two men out. Lewellyn and Poyer made a prolonged stand for the Brooklyn's second wicket. The former put on 41 and the latter 39, not out, while S. B. Standfast added 14. Nelson Lodge played three men short, and made no stand against the bowling of D. Boxill and H. Poyer. Wridgeway was the only man to get into double figures, although G. FitzGibbon was getting nicely set when he was unluckily run out.

BROOKLYN		NELSON LODGE	
S. B. Standfast, c. Anderson, b. Rogers	14	R. W. Powell, c. Gittens, b. J. Poyer	5
A. Lovell, b. Powell	41	G. FitzGibbon, run out	8
J. Poyer, not out	39	A. Anderson, b. Boxill	1
G. Smith, not out	0	J. P. Rogers, b. Boxill	1
H. B. Coyne		C. G. Wridgeway, not out	14
B. Lord	Did not bat	R. Parham, c. Stand	0
J. Rogers		Sar, b. J. Poyer	1
H. Poyer		T. Blundell, b. J. Poyer	0
R. Harrand		A. J. Evans, b. J. Poyer	0
D. Maturin		Byes, 11; no ball, 1	12
C. Gittens			
Byes, 9; leg byes, 1	10		
Total	117	Total	48

The Branch Brook Club of Newark had a wrangling game with the Manhattan second eleven in the series of the New York Cricket Association at Prospect Park. The Manhattans stated that the decisions of the Branch Brook umpire were biased, and at length when one ruling was made they refused to further continue the game and left the field. The game in consequence was awarded to Branch Brook by forfeit. Mr. McHale was in great form with the willow for the Newark men and scored an even half-century before he was disposed of. Parks, J. Stanton and Anderson also batted well for the visitors. The totals were: Branch Brook, 132; Manhattan second eleven, 21 for four wickets.

Brooklyn Team B visited Williamsbridge yesterday for its championship game of the New York Cricket Association with Columbia Oval. The wicket was in bad shape for run getting, and a low scoring game was the result, with Columbia Oval the winner by 9 wickets. H. O. Wilkinson bowled in fine style for the winners and in Brooklyn's first innings took 6 wickets for thirteen runs. C. Shaw also did good work with a record of 3 wickets for nine runs. The totals were: Brooklyn 22 and 36; Columbia Oval 43 and 16 for one wicket.

AUTO ARRESTS ILLEGAL?

American Motor League Promises Fight to District Attorney Niemann.

District Attorney Niemann's crusade against automobiles and motor bicycles on Long Island has been questioned by many, with regard to the wisdom and fairness of it, but now the legality of it is likely soon to be formally tested. The American Motor League, organized two years ago at Chicago, and composed of individual automobilists and motor cyclists, has decided to take a hand in the game. S. Wallace Merrihew, Secretary of the American Motor League, wrote to District Attorney Niemann asking a series of questions, with the object of learning under what law he was making the arrests for going faster than eight miles an hour on the Merrick road near Freeport. He has just received the following in reply:

DEAR SIR: Section 666 of Penal Code of this State makes it illegal to run an automobile or motor vehicle over any public highway in this State within any city or incorporated village at a greater rate of speed than eight miles an hour except where a greater rate of speed than eight miles an hour is permitted by the ordinance of a city, or upon any public highway outside of any city or incorporated village at a greater rate of speed than twenty miles an hour.

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Secretary Merrihew says that the section of the penal code mentioned does not take precedent over the laws of the State regulating all traffic, and defining what ordinances may be enacted with reference thereto. The Doughty bill or "Liberty" bill as it is called by automobilists, enacted in 1901, defines what laws and restrictions may be placed on all vehicles. One paragraph of it reads:

No ordinance, rule or regulation adopted by the authorities of any municipality shall require an automobile or motor vehicle to travel at a lower rate of speed than eight miles per hour within any city, town or village of the State in the built up portion thereof, nor at a lower speed than fifteen miles per hour, where the same are not built up.

This is in apparent conflict with the part of the Penal Code referred to by District Attorney Niemann, which is the result of an amendment introduced this year by Senator Cocks. After the passage of the Cocks bill the discovery of the discrepancy was made by members of the Automobile Club of this city. It was thoroughly discussed and opinions obtained from competent legal authority to the effect that in a test case they believed the State law would supersede the Cocks amendment to the Penal Code.

Secretary Merrihew says that the Motor league will take up the defence of some one arrested and have the matter decided.

As Mr. Niemann's method has been to have constables stationed along an open portion of a country road where there are farm lands and meadows on the sides, it is contended by Secretary Merrihew that this is a portion of Freeport "not built up" and where the legal rate of speed under the State law is fifteen miles an hour.

Young Corbett Will Make His Home in New York Hereafter.

Whether he is successful or not in his forthcoming bout with Terry McGovern, it is the intention of Young Corbett to make his home in this city. Corbett made this announcement yesterday. He said: "I have not been treated at all too fairly by the press and the residents of my native city, Denver, and for that reason I will take up my abode here. I am going to purchase a piece of property in Connecticut, about an hour's ride from New York, and send for my father and the rest of the family to live there. I will make my home, however, in this city."

GOLF RECORD AT MONTCLAIR.

KENNADAY LOWERS THE AMATEUR MARK TO 74.

Team and Handicap Competitions on Many Links—Midland and Jamaica Win in the Long Island League—Powelton Scores the Sixth Victory—Other News.

Aided by the fine state of the links and the delightful weather Allan Kennaday, the champion of the New Jersey State Golf Association, was able to make a great score on the Montclair Golf Club links yesterday. In a match with Thomas T. Reid he made the round of the 6,000-yard course in 74, a stroke below the record. Kennaday made during the State championship in June. Until then the amateur record had been 74, also made by Kennaday. The card for yesterday's record follows:

Out	4	4	4	3	4	5	4	3	4	35	
In	4	4	4	6	4	4	5	3	5	39	74

At the Tuxedo Club links yesterday the home players won in a nine a side team match with the North Jersey Country Club by the following score, which was on the three-point style:

Tuxedo: Hull, 3; Kane, 3; Kent, 0; Seton, 3; Dinsmore, 3; Rushmore, 2; Carlisle, 0; Henry, 0; Price, 1. Total, 14.

North Jersey: Kirker, 0; Russell, 0; Hunten, 3; Poret, 0; Scott, 0; Gray, 0; Reynolds, 3; Lewis, 1; Hewat, 2. Total, 9.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Walter E. Egan of Lake Geneva won the Onwentsia cup with a score of 161 in the thirty-six hole competition which brought the open tournament to a close to-day. The Lake Forest cup, which was open only to players 30 years of age or over, was won by the Western champion, Phelps B. Hoyt of Glenview, with a score of 173. A shower of rain prevented many from finishing.

At the Jamaica Golf Club yesterday the Governor's cup was won by Herbert Noble, 108, 37, 71, with W. S. Hoyt second, 81, 0—81. In the match of the Long Island League series the home team won from the Tackapoucha team of Rockville Centre by 31 to 4. The score:

Jamaica: W. S. Hoyt, 10; G. T. Watts, 7; C. R. Haviland, 0; F. L. Mills, 11; F. K. Meynen, 3. Total, 31.

Tackapoucha: G. B. Latimer, 0; G. A. Powers, 0; C. M. Weeks, 4; J. F. White, 0; R. V. C. Smith, 0. Total, 4.

In the match in the Hudson River Golf Association series at Ossining yesterday the Mount Pleasant Field Club team won from the Tuxedo Golf Club team of Kingston, by 13 to 0.

Mount Pleasant: Brandreth, 7; Farquhar, 0; Larkin, 0; Paulding, 3; Deming, 3. Total, 13.

Tuxedo: Sandford, 0; Van Etten, 0; Dewey, 0; Coykendall, 0. Default, 0. Total, 0.

At the Powelton Golf Club links at Newburgh yesterday the Powelton team won its sixth successive victory in the Hudson River Golf Association series, beating the Glenwood team of Hudson, by 25 to 0. The score:

Powelton: J. S. Taylor, 1; W. T. Hilton, 2; J. Chadwick, Jr., 4; John Smith, 12; F. V. Burton, 6. Total, 25.

Glenwood: W. K. Gillett, 0; F. W. Scoville, 0; C. B. Gillett, 0; Charles Esselyn, 0; C. F. Cady, 0. Total, 0.

In the women's handicap at the Madison Golf Club yesterday the results were:

Miss Eliz Holden, 116, 26—90; Mrs. C. W. Scarborough, 91, 0—91; Mrs. G. W. Case, Jr., 102, 9—93; Mrs. G. W. Downs, 115, 20—95; Miss Young, 107, 12—95; Miss Anderson, 127, 27—100; Miss Faulkner, 123, 22—101; Mrs. F. B. Holden, 158, 34—124.

In its second match in the Long Island League yesterday the Bayswater team played the Midland team, at Garden City, and lost by 30 to 4. The score:

Midland: D. Fuller, 3; C. Sawyer, 1; C. F. Norton, 4; D. McKellar, 0; T. Rushmore, 6. Total, 20.

Bayswater: C. Messeran, 0; F. Gurney, 0; T. A. Curtis, 0; H. de Rivera, 4; H. J. Curtis, 0. Total, 4.

Play in the handicap tournament at the Bay Shore Golf Club for the club cup reached the final round yesterday and brought out a good match between Willard P. Reed and Allan Pinkerton, who met on even terms. They were the survivors of the sixteen who qualified on July 4 in a medal play, which was the event of the day in Bay Shore society. The first round of the nine holes was very close, Pinkerton missing a two-foot put to make the match all square at the ninth green. Reed increased his lead on the second round, playing with the utmost steadiness, and finally won out by 4 up and 3 to play. The victory was a popular one, as Reed is one of the most enthusiastic golfers of the club and this is the first cup he has won.

There was a good-sized field out in the weekly handicap at the Baltusrol Golf Club yesterday and the fine condition of the course made the eighteen-hole round very enjoyable. The point winners were: H. Beckwith, 94, 19—75; F. W. Hill, 94, 18—76; Jesmes, 83, 6—83, and Lionel H. Graham, 101, 8—93.

Match and medal play results interested the players and onlookers at the Apawamis Golf Club yesterday. G. L. Gately won the Kemp cup, beating A. Shuland, in the thirty-six hole final medal play, by 2 up and 1 to play, and in the second round for the Lapham cup W. R. Thurston beat R. T. Walden, by 2 up and 1 to play, and Harold J. Downey beat F. S. Wonham, by default. The other matches were postponed. There was a tie in the mixed foursomes for the club medals, to be played off later. The cards posted were:

Miss B. Benedict and C. W. McKelvey, 103, 14—89; Mrs. H. B. Clark and F. A. Downey, 97, 8—89; Miss M. Eddy and S. W. Doubleday, 106, 9—97; Miss J. Nelson and Frank A. Moore, 111, 12—99; Miss J. Newhouse and Harold L. Mathews, 114, 13—101; Mrs. and Mr. F. R. Reddall, 114, 10—104; Mrs. A. H. Harris and J. F. Poole, 115, 10—105.

E. H. Robertson, president of the United States Golf Association, made the lowest gross score and tied with J. Bowers Lee for the net honors in the eighteen-hole medal play handicap yesterday at the Shinnecock Hills Golf Club. Fifteen of the twenty-seven to start returned cards. The results:

E. H. Robertson, 83, 6, 77; J. Bowers Lee, 88, 11, 77; F. Wellman, 93, 15, 78; W. A. Putnam, 94, 14—80; Dr. Collins, 94, 14—80; A. P. Boardman, 94, 13—81; J. M. Thomas, 97, 16—81; L. Murdock, 95, 14—81; Newbold Edgar, 88, 6—82; Horace Russell, 92, 10—82; M. Byers, 85, 2—83; A. B. Claflin, 95, 12—83; S. R. Kempsell, 97, 12—85; G. F. Perkins, 102, 14—88; S. K. DeForest, 110, 18—92.

PLAINFIELD, July 26.—By winning the weekly competition for the President's cup at the Park Golf Club this afternoon Charles B. Morse took the lead for that trophy with a total of 12 points. The scores better than 100 were:

Charles B. Morse, 100, 19—81; Dr. A. W. Anderson, 111, 26—85; H. C. Phillips, 116, 30—86; Joseph C. McKelvey, 104, 17—87; R. D. Newball, 94, 7—87; Herbert S. Rogers, 112, 22—90; L. L. Honeyman, 120, 30—90; W. L. De La R. Anderson, 97, 6—91; William A. Townsend, 110, 18—92; S. St. J. McCutchen, 105, 12—93; Arthur E. Serrell, 111, 18—93; Gus S. Taber, 94, 0—94.

JEFFERSON, July 26.—A brilliant feature of to-day's play in the weekly handicap series of the Waumbek Golf Club was the record-breaking score of 77 turned in by A. D. Compton, Westchester Golf Club. The record of the course is 79, established by Walter E. Egan last summer. John Miller, Jr., playing informally, turned in a 78 yesterday, but did not enter to-day's event, being placed as a scratch man. Compton's card, subject to a handicap of six strokes, put up a figure which has an apparently easy lead for the season's play. The scores:

A. D. Compton, Westchester Golf, 77, 6—71; C. W. Carpenter, J., Waumbek, 92, 15—77; John D. Raymond, Midlothian, 93, 6—87; J. J. O'Donohue, Jr., Fox Hills, 95, 8—87; C. C. Goldsborough, Fox Hills, 99, 10—89; F. Prescott Howe, Oakley, 101, 12—89; N. J. Stout, Waumbek, 104, 14—90; S. D. Kittredge, Ardsley, 111, 20—91; L. D. Chamberlin, Waumbek, 114, 20—94; Hugh Miller, Waumbek, 115, 21—95; Philip Rhinelander, Waumbek, 114, 15—99; Ralph Raymond, Waumbek, 125, 25—100.

SOUTH ORANGE, July 26.—The South Orange Field Club team defeated the Colonia Country Club team this afternoon by the score of 11 to 3. The score:

Field Club—Jenkinson, 0; Hutchinson, 2; Rabson, 3; Hedron, 3; Armstrong, 3. Total, 11.

Colonia: Riley, 3; Smith, 0; Black, 0; Crukshank, 0; Morris, 0. Total, 3.

The match was in the series of the East Jersey Golf Association. In the same series on the links of the Morristown Field Club, the team of the Elizabeth Town and Country Club won from the home team by 2 to 2. The score:

Elizabeth: Moody, 2; Walcroury, 0; Thompson, 1; Seymour, 2. Total, 5.

Morristown: Frelinghuysen, 0; Smith, 2; Williams, 0; Griswold, 0. Total, 2.

GREENWICH, July 26.—The windup of the mixed foursomes occurred at the Fairfield County Golf Club to-day, the winners of the D. Powell cups being Miss Mason and Mr. E. H. Curtiss. The Consolation prizes were won by Miss F. Sheldon and Mrs. F. C. Hillard. The scores in the sweepstakes were:

C. Truesdale, 81, 8—73; S. J. Graham, 86, 10—76; F. N. Norton, 114, 26—88; N. S. Smith, 112, 24—88; A. L. Towle, 90, 7—83.

SEA CLIFF, July 26.—In the second round of the Sea Cliff Golf Club tournament for the President's cup played to-day the following were the results:

Herbert Parsons, 8, beat Jesse Rinehart, 0, by 1 up. Charles Silsworth, Jr., 6, beat Charles Berner, Jr., 0, by 6 up and 5 to play.

Woman's Cup: Mrs. H. M. Levy, 4, beat Miss Carstein, 12, by 3 up. Mrs. F. W. Snyder, 9, beat Miss Grace Levy, 18, by 5 up and 4 to play.

PLAINFIELD, July 26.—The weekly competitions for the Fox and Golf Committee cups were the only events of the Tennis and Golf Club to-day and the list of entries was small in each. The result of the morning competition among the boys is as follows: S. P. Rogers, 91, 8—83; Arthur Peterson, 95, 10—85; Gordon W. Abbott, 95, 10—85; W. L. Glenney, 103, 10—93.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Richards and Morris J. Dumont, with a net score of 75, tied for first place in the play for the Golf Committee cup. The scores:

Rev. Dr. W. H. Richards, 93, 18—75; Morris J. Dumont, 79, 4—75; Robert Abbott, 77, 2—75; Walter Peterson, 82, 8—79; Frank C. Teimbler, 79, 0—79; Howard De P. Wright, 90, 9—80; Dudley H. Graves, 90, 10—81; D. Hibbard, 97, 16—81; W. L. Glenney, 83, 2—81.

MANCHESTER, July 26.—The Ekwanok team defeated the Mount Anthony team of Bennington, on the Ekwanok links, Saturday by the score of 41 to 10. This is the first match of the season in the Green Mountain Golf Association series.

Ekwanok: Percival Gilbert, 9; A. M. Reed, 0; A. L. White, 7; Paul Wilcox, 5; F. N. Wheeler, 2; P. Waterman, 3; George H. Thacher, Jr., 0; G. Burnham, 10; James L. Taylor, 9; W. G. Tatnall, 0; Joseph Gilbert, 0. Total, 41.

Mount Anthony: Chester Griswold, 0; P. H. Jennings, 0; T. K. Wellington, 0; Harry Wellington, 0; D. Chisholm, 0; N. B. Cole, 0; James C. Colgate, 0; George Washington, 0; George R. Walding, 10; H. T. Cole, 4; Sayre McLeod, 5. Total, 10.

There were ten players in the general handicap of the Crescent A. C. yesterday. The cards returned were:

H. H. Hopkins, 97, 22—75; C. C. Mason, 78, 3—75; M. D. Baldwin, 85, 10—75; C. B. Van Brunt, 81, 10—71; H. S. Bowns, 80, 8—72.

Only three cards were handed in for the bogey sweepstakes at the Dyker Meadow Golf Club yesterday: C. H. Nottman, 90, all square; H. S. Battle, 97, 4 down; F. J. Philip, 98, 7 down.

CAPE MAY, July 26.—On the Cape May links in the eighteen-hole handicap tournament the best ten cards handed in were:

F. B. Shattuck, 90, 2—77; L. C. Bonsall, 90, 3—77; A. C. Williams, 85, 2—78; F. O. Bennett, 82, 4—79; E. F. Cook, 94, 5—79; D. S. Barry, 86, 7—79; R. W. Hewes, 82, 2—80; F. G. Smith, 83, 3—80; J. M. P. Hildreth, 85, 4—80; J. G. Roper, 87, 6—81; F. J. Graves, 86, 4—82.

Under the regular hole play the Crescent A. C. team would have lost the first half of the home-and-home match with the Marine and Field Club yesterday on the links of the latter club, by 15 to 14. But as the one-point system was used the result was a tie. The best match of the day was the contest between H. S. Bowns and F. H. Driggs. Their cards were:

H. S. Bowns, Crescent											
Out	5	4	4	4	5	5	4	6	4	41	
In	4	4	4	4	5	6	7	4	4	42	83
F. H. Driggs, Marine and Field											
Out	5	3	4	5	4	6	5	3	4	40	
In	5	3	5	5	6	7	6	3	4	46	86

Several others did the course in 87 and 88, the bogey being 82, which is exceptional golf. The score follows:

Crescent: H. S. Bowns, 1; James Rhett, 0; C. C. Mason, 1; Sidney Maddock, 0; George O. Flynn, 0; C. B. Van Brunt, 1; C. M. Bull, 0; M. D. Baldwin, 1; Dr. Roberts, 0. Total, 4.

Marine and Field: F. H. Driggs, 0; O. Woodward, 1; C. A. Kimball, 0; D. A. Fuller, 1; J. R. Graver, 1; George L. Lord, 0; F. H. Wilkins, 1; Peter Mallet, 0; Dave Hegerman, 0. Total, 4.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., July 26.—The invitation golf tournament of the Point Judith Country Club was finished to-day, the events being the last round of the president's cup and for the handicap cup, medal play. The president's trophy was won by Horace Wylie of Washington, who beat F. H. Ellis 1 up, after playing an extra hole. At the end of the morning round Wylie was 2 up and at the turn in the afternoon both were even up. Both were even up at the end of the thirty-sixth hole and an extra hole had to be played to decide the contest. In the play for the handicap cup the lowest score was made by F. H. Wilkins, whose gross was 88 and net 83, giving him the cup. Scores:

F. H. Ellis, 94, 10—84; Shelbourne Prescott, 104, 16—88; W. S. Chapin, 120, 22—98; Frank Ellis, Jr., 92, 7—85; J. W. Lockett, 88, 8—80.

BRIDGEPORT, July 26.—Archer C. Wheeler defeated Ratchfe E. Sprott, 2 up and 1 to play, in the final for the President's cup on the links of the Brooklawn Country Club this afternoon. In the semi-final for the Governors cup J. J. Fisher defeated S. Osborne Cup, Albert H. Canfield won from Raymond H. Smith 4 up and 3 to play. R. W. Cogswell beat William E. Seeley, Jr., 3 up and 2 to play, and W. J. Nichols defeated Frank B. Hastings, 2 up and 1 to play.

CRITICISM FOR N. Y. Y. C.

English Yachtsmen Want the Cup Rules Changed—Praise for the Cleely.

British yachtsmen are very much pleased with the showing the Fife schooner Cleely has made against the Meteor and the Yachtsman in a recent issue while praising the vessel criticises the New York Yacht Club for not changing its rules so that an ocean going yacht rather than a racing machine should race for the America's cup. The Yachtsman says:

"Yachtsmen will feel gratified at the great success of Mr. Cecil Quentin's beautiful new schooner Cleely. It seems pretty clear that the German Emperor's fine schooner has not very much chance with her, but in this respect it is fair to remember the difference in size between the two vessels. It may sound strange to claim as a disadvantage the extra size of the Emperor's yacht, yet for ordinary racing purposes the dimensions of Cleely are much more suitable. The draught of Meteor III. for instance, is, of necessity, absurdly light for racing, and the vessel could hardly be expected to prove a very weatherly boat in consequence. To judge through cup boats the draught, instead of being 16 feet, should be no less than 27 feet.

"At the same time it is plain that the new Fife is a masterpiece, perhaps the most notable vessel designed yet by Mr. Fife, and if that is so it is interesting to recall the claim widely made on the other side of the Atlantic that Brother Jonathan is far ahead of us in schooner building. Some of the most experienced yachtsmen of America were fully convinced that had Shamrock I. managed to secure the America's Cup, the first American challenger would be a schooner. To judge from Cleely, this would have been bad policy. It is possible, indeed, that in view of the speed now on the Fife vessel, it might be wise for Sir Thomas Lipton to challenge for the cup with a schooner. Seeing that it was originally won by a vessel of that rig, there would is all the more satisfaction in so regaining it. Unfortunately, in such a case the challenger must of needs satisfy be not a fine ocean racing yacht like Cleely, but a fine racing machine, useless for all but its one brief purpose. How the New York Yacht Club can stand out before the world as the sole obstructionists to sport that now remain is very puzzling.

"It is not as if the rule is a part of the Cup's traditions, if we mistake not it was borrowed from the Seawanhaka Yacht Club. If vessels like Cleely could compete for the Cup without their best qualities becoming detrimental, there would probably be more likelihood of challenges from men who occupy a prominent position in foreign yachting circles. As things are there is nothing more dreaded by American yachtsmen, anxious for improvement than another challenge for the America's Cup. Nothing is, they say, more harmful to American yachting in general. The New York Yacht Club cannot be ignorant of this fact, which has been impressed upon us by a large number of Americans whose opinions we greatly respect. Nothing more advantageous for yachting in general could happen than that England should win the cup, for in that case there would be less likelihood of a continuing series of hopeless machines being built to challenge for and defend it."

Annual Games of Foresters.

The Foresters of America Association's annual games took place yesterday afternoon at Deckelmann's Ridgewood Park, Brooklyn, in the presence of a large number of members of the order and their friends. A big crowd of local athletes turned out to disrupt the programme. In the scoring for the point cup the new West Side A. C. came out victorious with a total of 74 points. The New York A. C. and National A. C. tied for second place with 8 points each, the Pastime A. C. was third with 6 points and the Star A. C. fourth with 4 points.

50 Yard Dash for Women Foresters—Won by Miss Roach, Augustine Circle; Mrs. Coutinzer, Hawthorne Circle, second; Miss Walsh, Gresham Circle, third.

100 Yard Dash Won by P. C. Brown, Court Dahlgren; P. C. Burke, Court Elbe, second; P. C. Lewis, Court Howard, third.

220 Yard Dash—Won by W. Beckman, Court Northern; S. Burnett, Court Montrose, second. A Stranger, Forester of America, No. 66, third.

100 Yard Dash—Won by Chester Peabody, New West Side A. C.; 75 yards, P. J. Callahan, unattached, 8 yards, second; Walter Squires, National A. C., 8½ yards, third. 10 1/5 First; Monawk, A. C., 9½ yards. Time, 10 seconds.

880 Yard Run—Won by F. A. Hussey, Star A. C., 40 yards; C. J. Wood, New York A. C., 24 yards, second; Henry Hoffer, New West Side A. C., 40 yards, third; G. W. Percival, National A. C., 20 yards, fourth. Time, 2 minutes and 4 5 seconds.

One Mile Run, Novice—Won by Charles H. Beatty, National A. C.; George W. Allerton, Y. M. C. A., second; J. P. Soutar, Pastime A. C., third; J. O. Leary, Xavier A. C., fourth. Time, 1 minute 27 3 5 seconds.

440 Yard Run—Won by W. S. Edwards, Knickerbocker A. C., 14 yards; A. A. Jackson, New York A. C., 28 yards, second; P. J. Walsh, New York A. C., 12 yards, third; C. A. Hogan, Jersey City A. A., 28 yards, fourth. Time, 50 3 5 seconds.

Joe Walcott Returns With an English Accent.

Joe Walcott, the colored welterweight champion, who whipped Tommy West of Brooklyn at the recent fistic carnival of the National Sporting Club, London, returned from England yesterday. Walcott was attired in a neat-fitting English suit and a diamond tearing as large as a peach hit flashed from his shirt front. Walcott evidently had a prosperous trip, for both of his pockets were filled with greenbacks. During his stay abroad Joe cultivated a pronounced English accent, which he used much to the amusement of his friends. In a talk with a SUN reporter Walcott said:

"I had a lovely time on the other side. After I defeated West I went to Paris and saw all the sights of Paris. I also took in the races. Paris is a great city, but the French language nearly knocked me dizzy. Once when I ordered a drink in one of the hotels the waiter did not understand me and brought me a pen and a bottle of ink. Another I expositulated he said something that sounded like nonsenspro. I thought he wanted to shoot grape, and I said 'Come seven or eleven.' Finally I got him to bring me what I wanted.

"In London the sports treated me royally. After my victory over West I was dined and invited to a lot of swell clubs and private houses.

Walcott is practically matched to