Amateur and Professional Tie for Lead in First Half of Metropolitan Open Golf Tourney With Scores of 155

DYER TIES WITH HOFFNER IN BIG GOLF TOURNEY

Amateur and Professional Share Honors on Garden City Links.

EACH SCORES 155 FOR DOUBLE ROUND

GARDEN CITY, L. I., July 13.—An amateur and a professional, both young in years, shared the leadership in the first half of the Metropolitan open golf championship played to-day on the links of the Garden City Golf Club. Frank W. Dyer of Montclair, the holder of the Pennsylvania amateur title, made a score of 77—78, 155 for the double round, which was equalled by Charles H. Hoffner, professional at the Philmont Country Club, near Philadelphia, whose score was 75—80, 155.

A stroke back of the two youthful golfers who so unexpectedly put their names at the top were Walter Hagen of Rochester, one of the favorites and national open champion two years ago, with 77—79, 156, and Peter O'Hara, now of Pittsburg, who came over from Ireland a couple of years ago. His score was 76—80, 156. There were only four more under 160—James M. Barnes, Whitemarsh Valley, 157; Dave Robertson, Thornburg, 157, Bob McDonald, Buffalo, 158, and Emmet French, New York, 159.

The storm which broke while nearly all of the golfers were out on the links playing the second round had a good deal to do with the unusually high scoring, but the drenching rain was not wholly responsible, for in the morning, when the skies were clear, only two golfers, Hoffner and French, made the round in 75. That just about settled the predictions that the winner would be under 300, and they were finally disposed of by the downpour in the afternoon.

Nineteen Scores Under 80.

An indication of just how hard it was to make a low score to-day may be gained from the relation of the fact that although 122 golfers started, including nearly all the prominent professionals in the country, only nineteen scores under 80 were made during the day. Even in a field composed of amateurs such a thing would seem improbable, and in a field of professionals it seems almost unbelievable. The roughest sort of rough and the longest kind of long grass punished every golfer who strayed from the fairway to-day, and then there were the famous Garden City traps, which took their full toll of wasted strokes.

Dyer and Hoffner both were early starters, and so escaped some of the rain, although they had to play through the heaviest shower of the lot and were wet to the skin when they finished the second round. Dyer played machine like golf through fair weather and foul, making few mistakes and doing nothing especially brilliant. On two holes in the morning round, the fourth and the seventeenth, he beat par, but in each case immediately lost a stroke on the next hole. A little shaky golf on the first few holes coming in ran his total up to 77, four over par. In the afternoon he began poorly with a 5 on the short second, where he was bunkered, and another 5 on the third. Coming in he encountered the rain and lost a stroke on the fourteenth, another on the fifteenth and a third on the sixteenth. He finished gloriously, however, with a 2 on the home hole. His card:

Frank W. Dyer, Montclair:

MORNING ROUND.

Out..... 4 3 4 4 6 4 5 4 4—38
In..... 5 5 3 5 4 4 4 4 4—39—77

AFTERNOON ROUND.

Out..... 4 5 5 5 4 5 5 4 4—41
In..... 4 4 3 6 5 5 5 5 2—37—78—155

Hoffner in Trouble Twice.

Keeping out of trouble was Hoffner's strong point all day. He developed a pleasing tendency to keep his tee shots straight down the middle of the fairway, and strangely enough got into his most serious bit of trouble because he did so. He reached the ninth this afternoon just before the rain began, and there was a stiff breeze at his back as he drove off. His tee shot was too good, for it rolled into the trap which guards the green, and before he got out he had thrown away four strokes. He took 7 for the hole, which was a bitter blow, for only a minute or two earlier he had pitched up dead with his mashie and holed a putt for a fine 3 on the 357 yard eighth hole. At the long thirteenth hole in the morning he was in trouble and took 7, but the rest of his play was good steady golf, with the orthodox two putts on nearly every green. His card:

Charles H. Hoffner, Philmont:

MORNING ROUND.

Out..... 5 3 4 5 5 4 5 3 4—39
In..... 4 4 3 7 3 5 4 2—36—75

AFTERNOON ROUND.

Out..... 5 3 4 5 5 4 5 3 7—41
In..... 4 5 3 5 4 5 4 5 4—39—80—155

There was the usual group of golfers who filled their followers with hope at one stage or another, only to fall by the wayside later on. French, who tied with Hoffner in the morning round, was one of them. He played with Walter J. Travis, and the gallery which trailed along to see the veteran in action soon discovered that French was more worth watching. Travis, who was decidedly off his game, soon picked up his ball, but French, who scorned the use of wood and did all his driving with an iron, repaid the spectators for their long walk by getting his 75. He didn't have a gallery in the afternoon because of the rain, and an 84 was the best he could get.

Another who failed to come up to expectations was Jock Hutchinson, who finished second to Chick Evans in the recent national open championship. The Allegheny professional had a great chance in the morning, for he was only two over 4s when the seventeenth began. On that hole he passed out by slicing his second shot far over the trees. He got a 76 for the round, but in the afternoon was ten strokes worse. Gil Nicholls, the defending champion, made 161, Macdonald Smith 162, Wilfred Reid 165 and Tom McNamara 166.

Over, of course, led the amateurs and Fred Herreshoff was second with 80—83—163. William B. Rhett and John M. Ward also made scores low enough to enable them to continue play to-morrow. Ward finishing in the dark, the last man of the lot to hand in his score.

All with scores of 176 or under qualified, those with higher scores being dropped. The elimination process left seventy-seven in the running, but to make it an even number E. Mortimer Barnes, secretary of the Metropolitan Golf Association, whose score was 164, withdrew. The scores:

	1s Rd.	2d Rd.	Tl.
C. H. Hoffner, Philmont	75	80	155
*F. W. Dyer, Montclair	77	78	155
Walter Hagen, Rochester	77	79	156
Peter O'Hara, Pittsburg	76	80	156
James M. Barnes, Whitemarsh	77	80	157
David Robertson, Thornburg	81	76	157
Robert McDonald, Buffalo	77	81	158
Emmet French, York	75	84	159
C. W. Hackney, Atlantic City	81	80	161
David Stevens, Mohawk	80	81	161
Gilbert Icholls, Great Neck	82	79	161
Herbert Strong, Inwood	82	79	161
Jack Dowling, Scarsdale	82	79	161
Isaac Mackie, Canoe Brook	80	82	162
Macdonald Smith, Greenwich	84	78	162
Louis Tellier, Brookline	81	81	162
Jack Hutchinson, Allegheny	76	86	162
James West, Rockaway	81	81	162
James Maiden, Nassau	80	83	163
George McLean, Dunwoodie	80	83	163
*Fred Herreshoff, Garden City	80	83	163
Eddie W. Loos, Mecklenburg	79	84	163
A. J. Sanderson, Sleepy Hollow	82	82	164
T. J. McNamara, second Beach	80	84	164
Fred Brand, Bellevue	88	76	164
Tom Boyd, Fox Hills	80	84	164
Carl Anderson, New York	79	85	164
Eugene K. McCarthy, Florida	83	82	165
W. Macfarlane, Hudson River	82	83	165
Pat Doyle, South Shore	83	82	165
Wilfred E. Reid, Wilmington	82	83	165
Elmer W. Loving, Quaker Ridge	79	86	165
Bert Battle, Flushing	82	83	165
James Hendry, Racebrook	86	80	166
Francis Cuttle, Piping Rock	84	82	166
Ben Lord, unattached	83	83	166
Tom McNamara, New York	81	85	166
George Sayers, Merion	85	82	167
Joe Sylvester, St. Albans	83	84	167
W. Freeman, Lambton	86	81	167
Tom Kerrigan, Siwanoy	85	82	167
J. J. O'Brien, Mansfield	86	82	168
George Low, Baltusrol	84	84	168
David Hunter, Essex County	83	85	168
Jack Hagen, Cherry Valley	87	81	168
John Park, Maidstone	89	80	169
John Cumming, Toronto	84	85	169
John Burgess, Chevy Chase	84	85	169
*Tom Shipper, Suburban (Md.)	81	88	169
Frank Belwood, Garden City	86	83	169
Jack Beckett, Yountakah	87	83	170
William Noon, Garden City	81	89	170
James M Roche, Elk Ridge	84	86	170
*William B. Rhett, Garden City	87	83	170
Gordon Smith, Norwood	83	88	171
Joe Mitchell, Ridgewood	85	86	171
Alex Pirie, Sunningdale	83	88	171
Robert Keith, Mt. Anundasis	84	87	171
*John M. Ward, Garden City	84	87	171
O. Avery, Mountain Ridge	86	86	172
Horace Brand, Bellevue	84	88	172
James Lawson, unattached	86	87	173
William Gourlay, Suburban (N. J.)	85	88	173
C. P. Betschler, Maryland	83	90	173
James R. Thomson, Philadelphia	85	88	173
*Thomas Harmon, unattached	87	86	173
Robert White, North Shore	82	92	174
John Golden, Tuxedo	88	86	174
Jack Jolly, Newark	86	88	174
James K. Thomson, Herkimer	87	87	174
Tom Mulgrew, Cooperstown	87	87	174
W. D. Robinson, Atlantic City	89	86	175
**E. Mortimer Barnes, Englewood	94	81	175
Walter Stoddard, Bedford	89	86	175
Harry Vinall, Tuxedo	87	88	175
Laurence Norton, Trenton	91	85	176
W. M. Anderson, Bellport	88	88	176

The following did not qualify: Thomas Hucknall, Morris County, 88, 90—178; *P. M. Kerr, Garden City, 88, 90—178; G. F. Sparling, Brooklawn, 88, 90—178; Irving Stringer, Ocean, 92, 88—180; William Robertson, Woodmere, 89, 92—181; William Braid, Upper Montclair, 89, 94—183; C. W. Singleton, Oakland, 88, 96—184; F. R. Stella, Bellport, 97, 90—187.

The following players withdrew: *Walter J. Travis, Garden City; Herbert Martin, Quogue; *Max R. Marston, Baltusrol; *C. E. Van Vleck, Jr., Baltusrol; A. A. Bird, North Shore; Ben Sayers, North Berwick; *Henry J. Topping, Greenwich; Peter Eagen, Princeton; James Starr, unattached; Harry Dunn, Dyker Meadow; Jack Barnes, Montgomery; E. R. Anderson, Williamsport, John Bredemus, unattached; Alex Smith, Wykagyl; R. A. Conroy, North Jersey; Tom Edwards, Beaver Valley; Paul Haber, Wykagyl; *W. Parker Seeley, Brooklawn; Nick Demane, unattached; R. M. Thomson, Glen Ridge; Tom Bonner, Sunnybrook; Eric Edwards, Westhampton; Robert Andrew, New Haven; J. Doughety, Overbrook; H. Auchterlonie, Arcola; H. H. Beckett, Washington; Alfred Warned, Union Course; M. L. Sykers, Morristown; C. L. Mothersele, White Sulphur.

*Amateurs.
†Withdrew.

PAIRINGS AND STARTING TIME FOR TO-DAY'S PLAY

8:30—Bert Battell-Isaac Mackie.
8:35—G. Smith-J. Hendry.
8:40—G. Sayers-J. Golden.
8:45—P. O'Hara-Ben Lord.
8:50—P. Robertson-H. Avery.
8:55—Joe Mitchell-Jim Barnes.
9:00—Tom Boyd-W. Stoddard.
9:05—J. M. Ward-Tom Skipper.
9:10—F. Cuttle-F. Belwood.
9:15—C. H. Anderson-Dave Hunter.
9:20—Bob McDonald-Jock Hutchinson.
9:25—W. D. Robinson-T. Harmon.
9:30—J. R. Thomson-J. Lawson.
9:35—J. M. Roche-W. M. Anderson.
9:40—W. Macfarlane-W. Noon.
9:45—C. H. Hoffner-Walter Hagen.
9:50—E. W. Loving-G. Cumming.
9:55—J. Norton-H. Vinall.
10:00—W. R. Rhett-James West.
10:05—F. McNamara-H. Strong.
10:10—Dave Robertson-A. J. Sanderson.
10:15—Jimmie Maiden-G. McLean.
10:20—Eddie Loos-George Low.
10:25—E. K. McCarthy-D. Stevens.
10:30—J. Burgess-T. Mulgrew.
10:35—J. K. Thomson-A. Pirie.
10:40—E. French-Pat Doyle.
10:45—H. Brand-Gil Nicholls.
10:50—Jack Dowling-J. J. O'Brien.
10:55—C. W. Hackney-Robert White.
11:00—M. Smith-Wilfred Reid.
11:05—W. Gourlay-Fred Herreshoff.
11:10—C. P. Betschler-F. Brand.
11:15—F. W. Dyer-Louis Tellier.
11:20—Jack Hagen-Tom McNamara.
11:25—Jack Jolly-W. Freeman.
11:30—Tom Kerrigan-J. Beckett.
11:35—Jack Park-Joe Sylvester.

LIGHTNING KILLS 3 THOROUGHBREDS

Strikes Grandstand, then Hits Cockleshell, Nancy Fair and Variety.

SASIN FIRST IN STAKE

Four thousand racegoers received a scare as well as several thrills yesterday afternoon at the Empire City track in Yonkers. Just before the second race started lightning struck the top of the eastern end of the grand stand, tore away the gutter and demolished the flagpole, sending the Stars and Stripes floating through the air. A second later a bolt struck James Butler's stable and killed three thoroughbreds. They were Cockleshell and Nancy Fair, two-year-olds, belonging to August Belmont, and Variety, a two-year-old filly owned by Mr. Butler. The Belmont pair were killed instantly, while Variety was so seriously injured that Mr. Butler ordered her shot.

Only a few persons were in the stand near the place struck. The stroke sent them on the run toward the end of the stand opposite the finishing line fifty yards away. There they encountered a throng, many of whom were women, calmly awaiting the arrival of the horses for the second race. But when informed that the stand had been struck and the horses killed the women became nervous and every subsequent peal of thunder caused them to shudder and retreat further back in the stand.

No Champion in Trio.

None of the horses killed was considered valuable. There was no champion or near champion in the trio and none of them was engaged in any valuable stake. Nancy Fair was entered to start in the last race, and Mr. Butler said Variety was in good condition and would have been sent to the post to-day.

The storm played havoc with the card, but despite the withdrawals three of the events resulted in sensational finishes. In the third, fourth and sixth races the purses were won by scant margins after terrific drives through the stretch.

The feature of the day was the Tarrytown Selling Stakes. This went to J. Barocchi's bay colt Sasin, which finished a neck in front of Capt. E. B. Cassatt's Sun God. The Cassatt colt was the favorite and probably would have won with better racing luck. He get away well and was well up in the first half while chasing Miss Puzzle, the pacemaker. Rounding the turn out of the backstretch he was shuffled back, but he came on again, and when once again in a commanding position was carried wide at the turn into the homestretch. As he went wide Jockey Taplin slipped Sasin through on the rail and saved many lengths. The advantage enabled him to stall off the determined rush of the Cassatt colt and pass the judges in front. Gifford A. Cochran's Pleione finished a poor third, ten lengths behind Sun God.

Poor Ride by Mink.

The third race, a handicap at one mile for three-year-olds and upward, was won by Daddy's Choice after an exceptionally poor ride by Jockey Mink. Mink waited until the stretch to make his final run, but when he began to move up he took his mount to the inside and quickly raced Daddy's Choice into a pocket, and it was not until the last sixteenth that he was again able to get clear sailing. Then in a whirlwind finish he managed to get up in time to earn first honors by a neck. Gunbearer, an imported colt owned by G. H. Brown, was second and Sandman II. third.

The proverbial blanket could have covered the first three horses at the finish of the last race. So close was it that only the judges could separate them. They gave first place to the imported Brother Jonathan, second money to Tootsie and third place to Moonlighter, another imported colt.

Before the horses went to the post for the Tarrytown Stakes Capt. Cassatt presented Jockey E. Campbell with a split second gold watch. Campbell got the watch for scoring five victories, including a stake race, this year.

After Sasin won the fourth race H. Fink bid him up from $1,500 to $2,400 and led the colt to his barn.

In the next race Bob McKeever, who trained Sasin, bid up Devil Fish, the winner, from $800 to $1,300, but Emil Herz, the owner, retained his imported colt with an additional bid of $5.

It was announced yesterday that Sam Hildreth, trainer for August Belmont, protested the sale of Sam McMeekin, which was bid up and bought on Wednesday for $2,500 after the colt had won the first race.

The Yonkers police have done much to help the sport since the racing began at Empire City. Outside the track more than a score of handbook men gathered to make book on the races, but before they could get any bets the police scattered them and gave warning that the next attempt to break the law would result in arrest and prosecution.

EMPIRE CITY ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—For two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
483*	Arnold	111	557	Daddy L. Legs	103
479	Bally	106	474	Priscilla	111
542	Phill'pic (imp)	103			

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
551	Raconieuse	105	505	Dolina	93
(502)	*S Square (imp)	108	500	*Shyness (imp)	108
547	*Stalw Helen	104	559	*Charmeuse	102
488	*Malfou	92			

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; handicap; selling. One mile.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
558*	Galion	116	560	Presumption	111
(530)	Nephthys	108	494	Illuminator	102
563	Tamerlane	98	544	Republican	113

FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; the Williamsbridge Handicap; about six furlongs.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
499	Pr of Como	105	—	Othello	106
465	Comely	120	556*	J. J. Lillie	106
440	Con Tower	114	499	Marse Henry	109

FIFTH RACE—Two-year-olds; selling; five and a half furlongs.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
—	Geo. C. Love	112	553	Doc Meale	104
(547)	King Baggott	110	521	*Kathryn Gray	98
553	*Aimee T.	96	546	M. Lighter (imp)	104
298	Hanobala	110	552*	Mira	104

SIXTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; maidens; one mile and seventy yards.

Index	Horse	Wt	Index	Horse	Wt
538	Saturn	110	535	Borcas	105
538*	Ronkiss (imp)	110	—	No News	105

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

STORM STOPS TENNIS.

Just as the competitors in the open tennis tournament at the Woodmere Club on Long Island were getting ready to take the courts yesterday the thunderstorm sent everybody to shelter. Play will be resumed to-day.

The Sun-Press Racing Chart

EMPIRE CITY, July 13.—Second day of the summer meeting of the Empire City Racing Association; weather rain; track muddy.

565 FIRST RACE—Two-year-olds. Fillies. Five furlongs. Purse, $600 added. Time, 1:01. At post, 2:31. Off, 2:32. Winner, b. f., by Meddler—Kamara. Owner, WILLIS SHARPE KILMER. Trainer, F. M. Taylor. Start good. Won eased up.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
—	Hathor	101	1	1*	1*	1*	1*	Shilling	3-2	9-10	—	—
518	Q. of the Water	109	2	2	2	2	2	McCahey	3-5	9-10	—	—

Scratched—Priscilla, Hussy.

Queen of the Water broke in front, but was almost immediately passed by Hathor, which retained the lead for the balance of the trip without any trouble.

566 SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and up. About six furlongs. Purse, $600 added. Time, 1:15 3-5. At post, 3:00. Off, 3:10. Winner, br. f., by Peter Pan—Coy Maid. Owner, H. H. HEWITT. Trainer, A. J. Goldsborough. Start good. Won easily. Place same.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
540	Pan Maid	101	2	1*	1*	1*	1*	Schuttinger	5	6	7-5	1-2
540	Malachite	104	3	3½	2½	2*	2*	Lyke	3-5	3-4	1-4	—
555	Frizzle	116	4	4*	3½	3*	3½	Davies	4	15-6	6-5	1-2
537	Garbage	116	5	5	5	4½	4*	E. Campbell	5	7-2	1	2-5
—	Robert L.	111	1	2*	4*	5	5	J. McTaggart	20	50	15	4

Pan Maid, favored by the weight and going, assumed command at the rise of the barrier and never left the issue in doubt, winning in a gallop at the end. Malachite held the others safe, while Frizzle eased up too soon by Davies, almost tossed the show money away.

567 THIRD RACE—Handicap. Three-year-olds and up. One mile. Purse, $700 added. Time, 1:43 4-5. At post, 3:30. Off, 3:31. Winner, b. c., by Trap Rock—Earth. Owner, EMIL HERZ. Trainer, J. J. Flanigan. Start good. Won driving. Place same.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
550	Daddy's Choice	100	3	3	2	2	1½	Mink	7-5	8-5	1-5	—
525	Gunbearer	108	1	2*	1*	1*	2*	Buxton	2	3	1-2	—
544*	Sandman II.	118	2	1*	1*	2*	3	Butwell	9-5	13-5	1-2	—

Scratched—Kewessa, Holiday, Pleione.

Daddy's Choice, handicapped by the poorest sort of handling, was much the best. Waited with until the homestretch was reached, then moved up fast, but rider elected to take him down on the inside and raced the horse into a pocket just previous to reaching the sixteenth pole. He snatched him out quickly and came on in whirlwind fashion and just got up. Gunbearer followed the early pace closely, assumed command at the turn into the homestretch, but faltered right at the end. Sandman II. ran his race under the weight.

568 FOURTH RACE—The Tarrytown Selling Stakes. Three-year-olds. One mile. Value, $1,500. Time, 1:43. At post, 3:56. Off, 3:57. Winner, b. c., by The Picket—Queen. Owner, S. J. BAIOCCHI. Trainer, R. McKeever. Start good. Won driving. Place same.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
494	Sasin	111	3	6	7*	4*	1nk	Taplin	6	5	3-2	1
550*	Sun God	107	4	4½	5*	2*	2nk	E. Campbell	4-5	7-10	1-4	—
—	Pleione	110	2	3½	3*	3½	3*	McCahey	5-2	3	7-5	1-2
528*	Brooks	106	5	5½	6*	4½	4½	Mink	4	5	7-5	1-2
528	Miss Puzzle	106	1	1*	1*	1*	5*	Shilling	8	12	4	3-2
241*	Jaquette	116	6	2	2½	3*	6	J. McTaggart	30	20	7	3

Scratched—Sprint, Fernrock, Libyan Sands, Bonnie Tess.

Sasin, outrun until turn into the stretch, was slipped through on the inside by Taplin, thus saving many lengths. He then went on and, though driving to the limit, stalled off the bid of Sun God. Latter was probably the best. Sun God, well up in the first half, was then shuffled back, came again, but was carried wide entering the homestretch, and though gaining on the winner at the end could not get up. Pleione had no excuse. Miss Puzzle had plenty of speed for the first six furlongs and then stopped. Jaquetta quit early.

569 FIFTH RACE—Four-year-olds and up. Selling. Mile and a sixteenth. Purse, $500. Time, 1:51 2-5. At post, 4:24. Off, 4:25. Winner, br. c., by Robert Le Diable—Water Nymph. Owner, EMIL HERZ. Trainer, J. J. Flanigan. Start good. Won easily. Place same.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
309	Devil Fish	114	3	1*	1*	1*	1½	Keogh	2	13-5	7-10	1-4
547	Carlton G.	104	5	3*	4*	2*	2¾	Mink	10	7	2	4-5
528*	Transit	109	2	2*	2*	3½	3*	Shilling	8-10	7-10	1-4	—
534*	Jesse Jr.	114	6	4*	3*	5*	4½	Hurlingame	6	7	7-5	2-5
547	Malabar	109	4	4*	2*	4*	5½	La Palle	15	20	6	2
522	Day Day	109	1	6	6	6	6	Gartner	100	100	30	8

Scratched—Monocacy.

Devil Fish went to the front at the rise of the barrier and never left the issue in doubt. Carlton G. showed suddenly improved form, was a keen contender from the start to finish, though not having any the best of it in the getaway. Transit ran his race, but was not good enough. Malabar had plenty of foot in the first half and then faded.

570 SIXTH RACE—Two-year-olds. Maidens. Selling. Five and a half furlongs. Purse, $500. Time, 1:11 2-5. At post, 4:52. Off, 4:56. Winner, br. c., by Yankee—Sister Stella. Owner, M. HIRSCH. Trainer, M. Hirsch. Start good. Won driving. Place same.

Index	Horse	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl	Pl	Sh
543*	Brother Jon'th	112	4	3½	4*	4*	1*	B. Hoffman	1	12-10	1-2	1-4
545	Tootsie	104	1	1*	1*	1*	2*	Mink	10	6	2	1
546	Moonlighter	112	2	2*	3*	2½	3*	McDermott	15	30	10	4
546*	Rebel	112	4	3*	2*	3*	4½	J. McTaggart	2	8-5	3-5	1-4
349	Mae Murray	109	7	6*	6*	5*	5*	Taplin	6	7	2	1
496	Along at Last	104	6	7	7	6½	6½	Ball	6	7	2	1
546	Ida Mc	109	5	4½	5*	7	7	Buxton	30	40	12	6

Scratched—Buchanan, Brady, Nancy Fair.

Brother Jonathan, a distant trailer in the first half, came through on the inside when straightened in the stretch, closed on the leaders with a determined rush and just got up in last stride. Tootsie, off running, should have been returned the winner. Mink became anxious at the turning pole and whipped the filly away from victory. Moonlighter, away well up, had no excuse. Rebel had no excuse. Was right with the pace throughout the running, but hung badly last part.

ISSUE ENTRIES FOR TITULAR POLO EVENT

Coronado and Aiken Only Non-Eastern Teams to Play at Point Judith.

Eastern teams predominate in the entries announced yesterday for the Polo Association championship tournament, which is scheduled to begin at Narragansett Pier, R. I., next Monday.

The Coronado Country Club team of Coronado, Cal., will represent the Pacific coast and the Aiken Polo Club of Aiken, S. C., the South. The entries for the three championships are as follows:

Junior Championship—Cooperstown, Meadowbrook third, Aiken Redbirds and Meadowbrook Rugby.

Senior Championship—Meadowbrook, Coronado and Great Neck.

Open Championship—Meadowbrook, Great Neck, Rugby, Coronado and Aiken.

Entries for the other tournament events follow.

Army and Navy Cups—Meadowbrook third, Aiken Redbirds and Meadowbrook Rugby.

Randolph Cup—Meadowbrook Rugby, Deal, Whippany, Pine Tree, Point Judith, Aiken Redbirds.

Rathborne Memorial Cup—Cooperstown, Meadowbrook Rugby, Coronado, Deal, Whippany, Aiken Redbirds, Islip Chinchin and Point Judith.

Atlantic Cups—Cooperstown, Meadowbrook third, Point Judith, Aiken Redbirds and Meadowbrook Rugby.

ANOTHER EVENT ADDED.

Eighteen Now on Programme of Islip Polo Club Horse Show.

There will be an added event in the fourth annual horse show of the Islip Polo Club on Saturday, July 22, on the club's grounds, Oakwood Park, between Bay Shore and Islip, making eighteen events in all. The eighteenth will be a pony race between some seven or eight ponies, the owners of which reside in Bay Shore and among whom there is considerable good natured rivalry.

Col. William N. Dykeman has been selected as the third judge, who will award the cups and ribbons to saddle horses. The Colonel's selection has the unanimous approval of the entire club and the committee is being congratulated on all sides for the wisdom it displayed in choosing a man so well fitted in every way to perform a difficult task, inasmuch as the entries in the saddle horse events have always been of an exceptionally high class.

SULLIVAN EASILY WINS.

Defeats Battling Gans in Clermont A. C. Bout.

Knockout Sullivan easily defeated Battling Gans in the star ten round bout in the Clermont A. C. in Brooklyn last night. Gans weighed 154 pounds, while Sullivan was fourteen pounds heavier. Sullivan had Gans in trouble in the sixth and tenth rounds, but failed to stop him.

Sullivan had a plentiful supply of right hand face and body punches, and Gans was very much satisfied when the final bell rang. A small crowd saw the milling.

POLOIST TO BORDER.

St. Louis, July 13.—Alexander T. Primm, Jr., a member of the polo team of the St. Louis Country Club, has been ordered by the War Department to report to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, to inspect horses for the army.

BAN IS PLACED UPON WOODLAND GOLF CLUB

U. S. G. A. Refuses Active Membership to Bay State Golf Association.

BOSTON, July 13.—It was announced to-day that the Woodland Golf Club of Newton, which supported its members, Francis Ouimet, J. H. Sullivan, Jr., and Paul Tewksbury, who were declared ineligible to amateur standing by the United States Golf Association, has been refused active membership in the national body. The club has held an associate membership in the national association and applied recently for active membership.

Formal notification of the national body's action has been served upon the club officials, but no reason for it has been given, it is understood. In the absence from the city of President L. B. Folsom other officers would make no statement. They said that a meeting of the board of directors would be called soon to consider the subject.

Ouimet, Sullivan and Tewksbury were declared by the United States Golf Association several months ago to have lost their amateur standing because of their business connections. Ouimet and Sullivan are proprietors of a sporting goods house and Tewksbury is a salesman of sporting goods.

Sullivan and Tewksbury have been allowed to compete as amateurs at several open tournaments, especially those of their own club, and the State Golf Association has kept them on its amateur list.

Last week the executive committee of the national body issued an announcement that any club which permitted a disbarred member to play in an open tournament would be liable to be stricken from membership in the United States Golf Association. In view of the fact that Tewksbury was entered in the Woodland club's open tournament which began to-day golfers here have awaited with interest action by the national body.

MISS SMITH GOLF VICTOR.

Defeats Mrs. Jones in Final of Beverly C. C. Tourney.

CHICAGO, July 13.—Miss Mildred Smith of the Evanston Golf Club to-day won the invitation tournament of the Women's Western Golf Association at the Beverly Country Club by defeating Mrs. Melvin Jones of Glen Oak, 3 and 2.

The golf displayed in the finals was of the same championship type that has marked the meet from the qualifying round, in which Miss Laurie Kaiser, Missouri champion, led the field with a record breaking 84. Miss Smith to-day approximated 83.

JORDAN'S NINE VS. GRAYS.

Billy Jordan's Bronx Athletics, the team that has taken the measure of the best of the local semi-pro nines with regularity this season, will tackle the Degnon Grays this Sunday afternoon at Degnon Field, opposite the Hunter's Point station of the Steinway tube, in the feature of a twin bill. The Athletics have lost only two games this season, one being to the Long Branch Cubans last Sunday. Bill Walsh, who recently beat the Lincoln Stars, 2 to 0, will be pitted against either Ancker, who had a trial with Connie Mack, or Max Hoelker. Long Island City's favorite, Al Kleth, manager of the Degnons, will have several new faces in the lineup Sunday.

BUYS BLAZER PRINCE.

Daniel O'Conner of New York has purchased the winning Canadian bull terrier Blazer Prince. This dog is a highly typical specimen of the breed and should do considerable winning for his new owner. At the Toronto show in 1915 he was placed as the best dog of any breed and has won brackets at many other big Northern events.

RAIN HALTS PLAY ON UTICA COURTS

Throckmorton and Garland Unable to Finish Important Match.

ONE SET FOR JERSEY LAD

UTICA, N. Y., July 13.—Rain stopped play in the New York State championship tennis tournament at the Yahnundasis Golf Club to-day, just about the time Chick Garland of Pittsburg was finding Harold Throckmorton of Elizabeth, N. J., in the second set of the match to decide which would enter the semi-finals. Late this afternoon flooded courts gave little promise of fast tennis in the matches that must be crowded into to-morrow's schedule if the tournament is to be finished on Saturday.

The Throckmorton-Garland match was the only one of the championship singles started to-day. Throckmorton played the net beautifully and his heavy hit ball bothered Garland, who has a comparatively soft game. The first set went to the New Jersey player, 6—2, and Throckmorton took the first game of the second set. Then Garland adapted himself to Throckmorton's game, lost his nervousness, and began to exhibit the court generalship that made him winner over Hachishrio Mikami, the Japanese, earlier in the tourney. He had taken three straight games and was gaining confidence every minute when the rain broke in.

Miss Molla Bjurstedt and Miss Florence Ballin were here to-day for exhibition work and Fred Alexander and George T. Adee, president of the National Lawn Tennis Association, are due to arrive to-morrow.

Two games in the second round of the consolation singles were permitted by the weather with this result: Ralph Baggs, New York, defeated L. K. Thurlow, Brooklyn, 6—1, 6—2; R. L. James, Saratoga, defeated John T. Train, Utica, 5—4, 5—5, (default).

COAST SWIMMERS TO TRAVEL FASTER

New System of Timing Will Be Similar to That Used in the East.

A method of timing swimmers new to the Pacific coast has been inaugurated there. Swimmers on the coast have been caught as their heads passed the line, but from now on the times are to be taken as the competitor's hand crosses the line. The difference in timing will mean at least a fifth of a second in the records which are made.

Kahanamoku, Langer, Ernie Smith, Cunha and dozens of others have lost this fraction of a second, which, though it seems infinitesimal to those not versed in swimming, is often enough to establish a new mark. In this day of split second watches the difference between the position of the hand and head may make or break a champion.

The trouble has arisen because of ambiguity in the A. A. U. swimming rules. Under rule 7, section 10, of the portion pertaining to records this clause appears: "And the time taken when the competitor's head crosses the line." But in rule 54, section 6, the words are negated by this: "Every competitor shall have finished the race when any part of his person reaches the finish line."

Officials of the Pacific coast association wrote to Otto Wahle, chairman of the swimming committee of the A. A. U., and Wahle confirmed the opinions of the coast officials by stating that time be taken when the hand, and not the head, crosses the line.

This change in timing will tend to cut down