AMERICANS CLINCH DAVIS CUP BY WINNING DOUBLES

FINALITY OF STROKE WINS TENNIS MATCH

American Doubles Team Superior in Earning Points, Says Tilden.

CHALLENGERS STEADIER

But Ability to Take Aggressive and End Rallies Decides Contest.

By WILLIAM T. TILDEN 2D.

"We have met the enemy and they are ours." The Davis cup and tray, emblematic of the world's supremacy in lawn tennis, remains in the custody of the United States by virtue of the doubles victory of R. Norris Williams 2d and Watson Washburn of the defending forces over the challenging Japanese pair, Ichiya Kumagae and Zenzo Shimidzu. At the West Side club's courts in Forest Hills yesterday the Americans triumphed at 6—2, 7—5, 4—6, 7—5. There was a two hour delay between the third and fourth sets owing to a cloudburst, but it did not seem to bother the players.

The cup remains in this country, as the United States has won three matches to none, "Bill" Johnston and I having been victorious in the singles matches on Friday. Although they will have no bearing on the result the remaining singles matches will be played to-morrow, with Kumagae opposing me in the first meeting and Shimidzu meeting Johnston to ring down the curtain.

To-day's match was most interesting, although the first set did not produce high class tennis. The second set was up to Davis cup calibre, and a similar description would fit the third had not impending rain caused the defenders to hurry their shots, which resulted in fatal errors. Fortunately the rainstorm had no effect whatsoever in deciding the outcome, for not once during the fourth set was a point decided by skidding on the slippery outskirts of the court.

Kumagae Starts Nervously.

Kumagae opened service with a double fault, showing marked tendency to nerves. Williams and Washburn, sensing his uncertainty, centred their attack on the Japanese team captain and quickly ran out the first two games. The third and fourth games were divided after several deuces, whereupon Kumagae's failings proved the decisive factor and a second "break" enabled the Americans to run out the set at 6—2.

Washburn was the outstanding figure in the opening session, scoring nine placements. Shimidzu, with only two placements to his credit, nevertheless was steady, as is indicated by his excellent record of only nine errors against sixteen for the offending Kumagae.

At this stage the match had the appearance of a runaway for the American team. They rushed away to a 2—0 lead in the second set, breaking Kumagae's service for the third successive time. Here Shimidzu showed his dislike at being left out of the play by encroaching on Kumagae's territory with such good effect that his excellent lobs from difficult positions gave the Japanese the next three games and the lead for the first time in the match.

Service held sway to the tenth game, with Williams serving at 4—5. There came the 30—40 count, with Williams directing a fast serve to Kumagae's forehand. "Itchy" drove a high looping return at the server. Washburn at the net called: "Out." Williams, obviously uncertain, allowed the possible set point to pass him, and it landed just three inches beyond the baseline. This error upset the Japanese team and the Americans ran out the set with the loss of only one point in the last two games.

Shimidzu Steadiest on Court.

Shimidzu was the steadiest man on the court during the second set, but he had little finality to his strokes, scoring only one placement. Kumagae improved distinctly over his play in the first set. Williams replaced Washburn as the leading offensive factor, scoring eight placements and only ten errors. He had able support, as "Watty's" totals were seven placements and twelve errors.

Kumagae again double faulted on the first point of the third set and dropped his service game at 15. Williams took his own delivery with the loss of only one point, serving superbly. This was followed by a flash of the best tennis exhibited by the Japanese thus far, and they ran through a sequence of four games, breaking both American services. Shimidzu, however, dropped his delivery in a hotly contested deuce game and Washburn tied the score at 4—all by top notch work on his service.

A storm had been brewing for some minutes—a typical Long Island thunderstorm. Vivid flashes of lightning playing into the faces of Williams and Washburn, and both of the Americans appeared over-anxious to end the match before it could be halted by rain. But these attempts to hurry things gave the Japanese openings and they broke through Williams's service to win the set at 6—4.

Then came the deluge. With the sets at 2 to 1 in favor of the cup defenders there seemed little chance that the match could be resumed as the rain drenched thousands of spectators and points near the court. Tarpaulins had been spread to protect the playing surface, however, and after a delay of about two hours the action was resumed, with Kumagae serving in the fourth set. Despite the heavy downpour fully 6,000 persons were seated when the final set started.

It proved to be the final set, but American prospects were not overly bright when the Japanese ran into a lead at 4—2. Kumagae won his first service decisively and victory followed the deliveries for five games. The second time he served, however, Kumagae saw a 40—love lead melt into deuce, but he and his partner rallied in time to win the game. Then with the score 30—all on Washburn, the Japanese took the lead when the server sent two balls out of court.

Here was the critical stage and the Americans showed excellent teamwork in breaking through Shimidzu at 15. Three successive nets by Williams opened his service, but with characteristic brilliancy he rallied and pulled out the game with five successive shots that forced the challengers into errors. The end seemed near when Kumagae's service was broken, for that made the score 5—4 on Washburn's service. Set point came up at 40—30, but Washburn smashed into the net to deuce the game. A sharply angled volley by Williams made it "cup point" again, but "Shimmy" volleyed down the middle to even matters. Then Williams and Washburn accommodated with netted balls to make the score 5—all.

Shimidzu's vulnerable service was the loophole to victory, for he yielded at 15 and Williams won on his delivery, losing only one point and making it certain that the world's lawn tennis team laurels would rest for the ensuing twelve months with Uncle Sam. The final set was filled with sparkling tennis and Williams was his typical brilliant self, nine placements coming off his racquet, but some of his hairline attempts just missed their mark and fourteen errors were charged against him.

Together the Japanese totalled three placements apiece, or one less than Washburn, and the whole situation hinged on the steadiness of the visitor which was not sufficiently good to turn the scale, for they totalled 25 errors. The same total was charged against the Yankees, but their earned points put them in the ascendancy.

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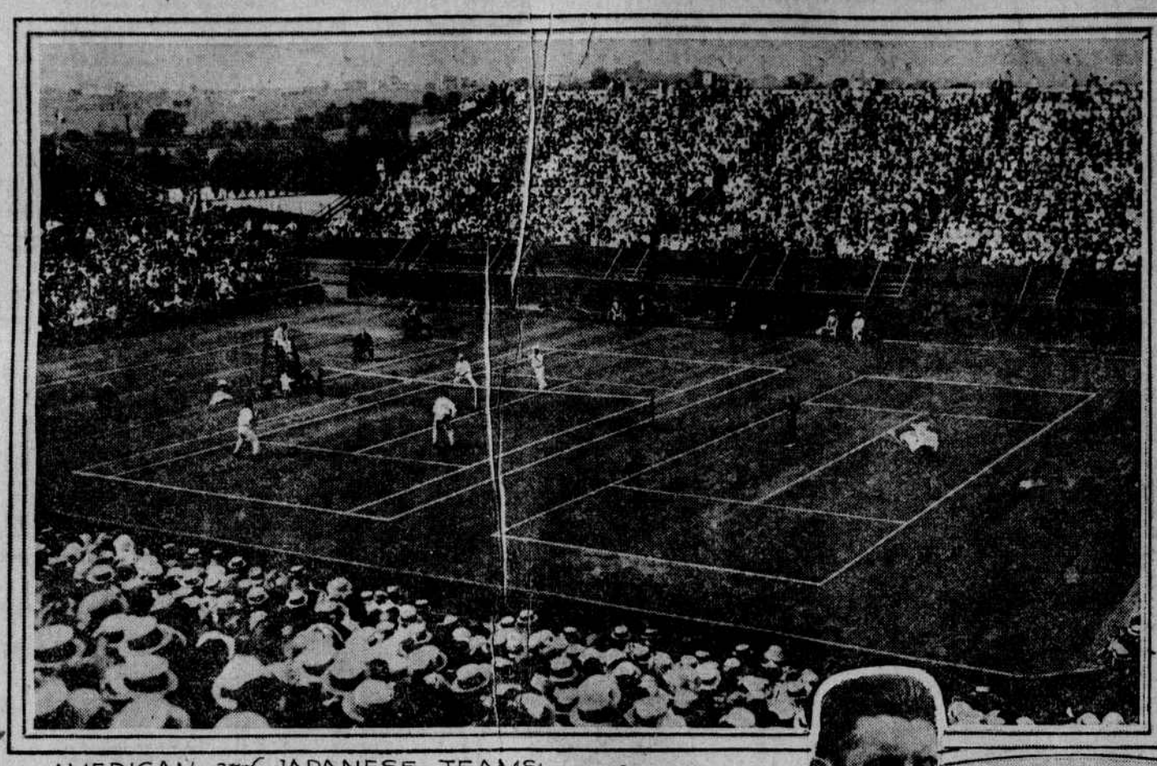
'Met' Title Tennis Event to Be Resumed To-day

After two days delay the metropolitan turf court championship will be resumed this afternoon at the Crescent Athletic Club of Bay Ridge. Play is down to four survivors in the semi-finals in singles. They are Robert Kinsey and Willis E. Davis of California and Frederick C. Anderson and Frank T. Anderson of Brooklyn. Frank meets Davis and Fred plays Kinsey at 2 P. M.

In the doubles the teams that remain unbeaten are S. Howard Voshell and Frank T. Anderson, Frederick C. Anderson and Philip Neer, Howard and Robert Kinsey, the Pacific coast champions, Marshall Allen and William Taylor, the Pacific Northwest title holders, Elliott H. Binzen and Albert J. Ostendorf, Harold Taylor and Gerald Emerson and the Australasian Davis cup pair, J. O. Anderson and Clarence V. Todd.

Both singles and doubles will be brought down to the title round to-day, and the championship matches will be staged on Tuesday.

Scene in Davis Cup Tennis at Forest Hills and Winners of Doubles



AMERICAN and JAPANESE TEAMS PLAYING DOUBLES
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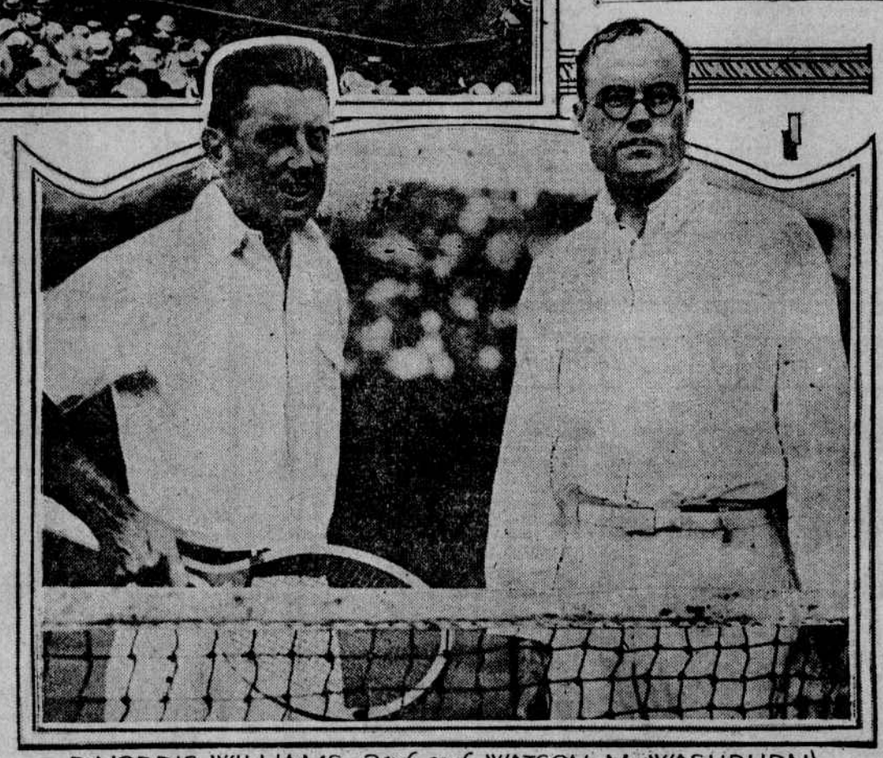

R. NORRIS WILLIAMS, 2nd and WATSON M. WASHBURN

Mrs. Mallory, Greatest Match Player at Tennis

Tilden Tells of Woman Champion's Leading Asset and How Her Determination Accomplished Defeat of Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen.

By WILLIAM T. TILDEN 2D.

Marvellous Molla!

There is no other way of referring to the greatest match player in the entire world of women's tennis. Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory, formerly Miss Molla Bjurstedt, has proven conclusively that she is supreme in women's tennis when the test is greatest. Her magnificent victory over Suzanne Lenglen in the recent woman's national championship at Forest Hills cannot be dimmed by any regrets over Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen's default. It was clean cut, deserved in every particular and well earned. It stands as the greatest single achievement of a woman player during all tennis time.

True, Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen was not physically at her best, but she played fully up to her average game and was certainly better than when she accounted for Mrs. Mallory at St. Cloud, France, and fully as good as when she crushed our other American star, Miss Ryan, at Wimbledon.

The overthrow of Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen was not due to a let down in her game. It was a case of a far different Molla facing her when they met at Forest Hills a few weeks ago. Molla Mallory carried herself to victory with a determined, carefully planned attack that was based on the knowledge she had gained during her previous match with Mlle. Lenglen, the match she lost to her at St. Cloud early in the summer. I consider Molla's triumph a deserved verdict, due to careful study and applied strategy.

Molla Found the Flaws.

Molla had no alibis for her defeat by Mlle. Suzanne in Paris. She said to me right after that match, "I had no patience. Next time I will have more." We sat down and carefully analyzed Mlle. Lenglen's game at that time. We found it a great game, but not without flaws, and Molla set out to find these flaws. She worked steadily with this in view. She was denied her chance in England because she fell before Miss Ryan. Even that unexpected upset did not deter her. She continued to build her plan of attack for Suzanne's American tour. How well she succeeded is tennis history.

It was not Molla Mallory's stroke that beat Suzanne Lenglen. The French girl is a greater and more versatile artist of the racquet than our star. Molla realized this. But it was her dominant personality and her refusal to admit defeat that upset Lenglen. Abroad Mlle. Suzanne's opponents are beaten when they step on the court. But her great reputation had no terrors for Molla. In fact this was an added incentive. Molla is at her best in the biggest matches. She is like Billy Johnston in this respect.

Thus she stepped on the court against Suzanne Lenglen at Forest Hills with a determination to win that was felt by the ten thousand spectators gathered to see this memorable battle. All this must have had its effect upon Lenglen. No player could have faced such a situation without reacting to it. And this reaction was nothing more than a natural nervousness. After all, Suzanne had only been off the boat three days and she was playing in a strange land and under strange conditions.

Personally I am surprised she played so well. I feel that her defeat was a natural result of many things, chief of them being the marvellous tennis of Molla which clearly placed her in the premier position among women players of the entire world.

Molla Greatest of All Times.

It is my belief that Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory is the greatest tennis player among women of all time. I look to see her defeat Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen whenever they meet in a match that carries a big stake in the way of a title. And I base this opinion on the wonderful match-winning personality she possesses. This is the dominant quality of the courts, the sole one that enabled her to rise to the pinnacle of tennis fame. It ever has and it ever will accomplish the downfall of better strokes.

Long live Queen Molla of the courts! May her reign be lengthy and prosperous!

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Mrs. Mallory Has Easy Victory in Tennis Final

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

CEDARHURST, L. I.—With comparative ease Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory, national tennis champion, defeated Mrs. Edward W. Raymond in the final of the invitation tournament at the Rockaway Hunting Club to-day. The titleholder had too much speed for her opponent, who, although she played skilfully and drove hard, could not cover court fast enough to catch up with Mrs. Mallory's powerful forehanders. It was a baseline duel all the way and Mrs. Mallory won at 6—2, 6—3.

The doubles final was far closer. Mrs. Rawson L. Wood and Mrs. C. V. Hitchins took the first set by a wide margin, 6—1, but thereafter were forced to the limit to prevent defeat. Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. S. F. Weaver outsteadied their opponents in the second set and won it after a hard fight at 8—6. The third set was equally exciting, and it was anybody's match until the fourteenth game, when Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Hitchins broke through service and won at 8—6.

Walter Purcell Is First.,

Walter Purcell, who was runner up for THE NEW YORK HERALD cup on the Van Cortlandt Park links on Wednesday, was the star performer on the Dunwoodie Country Club links yesterday, his card of 74—5, 69 earning first prize in Class A. Roscoe Warring was runner-up, with a return of 84—13, 71.

T. J. Sinnott, with 90—21, 69, was first in Class B, and E. B. Goode, Jr., second with 87—17, 70.

On Seabright Courts.

SEABRIGHT, Sept. 3.—G. S. Bodman and Stuart Young this afternoon on the coouris of the Seabright lawn tennis and cricket club won the club doubles championship from Holcombe Ward and Bernon . Prentice in five sets, score 6—3, 6—2, 3—6, 4—6, 9—7.

AMERICANS RETAIN HOLD ON DAVIS CUP

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the rallies with more speed and more daring than his partner. Under the circumstances, it was only natural that he committed more errors than Shimidzu, who, while he came through now and then with a daring stroke, played the defensive the greater part of the time.

One Court Remains Dry.

For a long time after the pelting rain had driven all hands to whatever shelter they could seek the chances of the match's resumption looked decededly dubious. After the storm had passed a steady rain came, flooding every section of the grand stand turf with the exception of the court protected by the precious tarpaulins. Once or twice the tennis commitee was on the point of announcing that play was off for the day. As a matter of fact shortly after 5 P. M. word came that unless the rain subsided in another half hour the match would be declared off and would be resumed on Tuesday. Ten minutes later the welcome sun broke through the clouds and smiled beamingly on the scene. Hundreds of fans who were on their way to the railroad station turned back at the sight of the sun and took their places again in the stands.

Victors and vanquished were cheered to the echo at the completion of the match, the Japanese getting every bit as big a "hand" as their conquerors. The final sensation of the day followed. A mixed doubles match having been scheduled on Friday, in which Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen of France was to have appeared, the crowd kept its seats and waited a few moments for the French girl to take the courts. But it was not to be. Instead of Mlle. Lenglen an official appeared and announced that Suzanne had been at the club ready to play, but had been taken ill suddenly and could not keep her engagement. The announcement brought a roar of disapproval and the gallery refused to leave. There were loud calls for Mlle. Lenglen, but the French girl could not be persuaded to take the court, and the tennis committee, at a loss to handle the situation, sought a substitute match for the benefit of the gathering.

A doubles match was finally staged between the Australasian Davis cup players, J. O. Anderson and Clarence V. Todd, and the Americans, Willis E. Davis and Dean Mathey. It proved to be truly a sensational tussle as long as it went. A halt had to be called with the score 9—all in the first set when it grew so dark that it was impossible to follow the flight of the ball. Only a few hundred spectators remained to the finish.

Will Challenge Again.

Kumagae, as captain of the Japanese Davis cup team, said after the doubles match that he and Shimidzu were very well pleased with the result of Japan's first appearance in the role of a Davis cup challenger. He added that they would enter a team in the international tournament next year. A number of budding stars were being developed in Japan, he said, and Americans would be surprised to know the rapid strides the game was making there.

In conclusion it may be pointed out that yesterday's match was much closer than the score indicates. Two of the Americans' winning sets were carried into deuce games and the third, while it ended 6—2 in favor of Williams and Washburn, was marked by five hard fought games that ran several times to deuce points. In three of these deuce games the Nipponese were within a stroke of winning and a little turn of fortune at those stages might easily have given the set to the challengers.

In the concluding matches of the challenge round to-morrow Kumagae meets William T. Tilden 2d at 2:30 P. M. and Shimidzu plays William M. Johnston at 4 P. M.

SAMUEL J. BROOKMAN.

Woburn to Honor Its Six College Captains

WOBURN, Mass., Sept. 3.—Woburn, proud of its distinction as the home of six college athletic captains, has arranged a celebration in their honor for September 17.

The captains who will be the city's guests of the day are Charles Weaver, leader of the Tufts baseball team; Leo Doherty, captain of the Tufts track team; George Cotton, leader of the Amherst eleven; Walter Cummings, captain of Dartmouth's wrestling team; Arthur Conlon, Harvard baseball captain, and Jimmy Connolly, the Georgetown track leader.

Each captain is to receive a silver loving cup.

RIBBED MASHIE BAN IS COSTLY TO 'PRO'

British 'Salaried Brigade' Left With Stocks of Clubs Barred by St. Andrews.

By KERR N. PETRIE.

What to do with the stocks of ribbed and slotted approaching irons recently barred by the Royal and Ancient Golf Committee of St. Andrews, Scotland, is a question that is agitating the mind of the British professional these days.

Says George A. Philpot: "Professionals who happen to be 'landed' with a large number of ribbed heads are naturally perturbed now that such weapons are illegal. The question arises: Can anything be done with these heads or must they be thrown on the scrap heap? Some manufacturers are willing to take back such heads, for there is still a market for them in America. In the majority of cases, however, professional have these ribs on their hands without any apparent chance of disposing of them."

Philpot, who, needless to say, is a British professional, then goes on to outline his plans for salvaging some of the slotted wreckage caused by the Royal and Ancient's broadside, showing how it is possible to make effective smooth faced clubs by filling up the corrugations with lead or by grinding off the ribs.

If the Royal and Acient has enacted such a rule, to the detriment of manufacturers and professionals, they simply have served notice that they no longer are a fit and proper body to entrust with the control of the game. Knowing that many were saddled with these clubs, the Royal and Ancient in its infinite wisdom nevertheless went calmly about the business of placing them under the ban, counting not the cost either to the manufacturer or the "pro."

But why the British professionals should even be weighing the chances of financial loss is not quite clear, for until a law is enacted by Parliament barring any one from tilling the links with a rib faced mashie there is no reason on earth why the great majority of golfers should give any heed to the far too hasty edict of the R. and A. Unfortunately the fact that the powers that be have served notice that the corrugated clubs shall no longer be considered legal has in itself caused infinite damage to the trade in these clubs. That it will stop their use is unlikely. The barring of the stymie in the United States did not kill off the stymie. It meant only that stymies could not be played in the old way in championships and important tournaments and competitions.

After all, those who participate in championships represent only a drop in the bucket in that vast surge of golfers who play because they want to and who cannot be prevented from playing stymies in their private games any more than they are to be told what sort of a ball or style of a club they are to use. If plain John Smith has the means to buy a club that will afford him more pleasure than anything he now possesses or a ball that better suits his game than the one he has been accustomed to playing with, he is going to get it, provided it is on the market, and no Royal and Ancient committee ruling is going to stop him.

The British professionals should keep their ribbed mashie for a little while yet. John Smith soon is to rub his eyes and to ask himself a few questions. When he finds that he is out to enjoy his game of golf exactly as he enjoys his pipe he is going back to the professional's shop for that ribbed iron if he feels that it will add to his pleasure. Then he will say something uncomplimentary about golf authorities that do not consult the wishes and pleasures of the majority. And then, perhaps, after a little more meditation and discussion all the John Smiths will get together and decide that the Royal and Ancient is all of that, and too much so, and that perhaps it is about time that control of such a game as golf passed out of the ancient hands and became vested in a committee that would be more truly representative of all the classes that follow the sport.

Call Halt on Golf Prizes.

So many donations of prizes have already been made for the golf tournament for the benefit of disabled soldiers to be held over the Van Cortland Park links to-morrow that the committee in charge has been forced to call a halt. For the past few days all persons making such generous offers have been requested to turn their donations into cash and present same to the representatives of the American Legion at the park and thus help swell the fund.

Already fifteen valuable prizes have been donated by players and golf instructors at the park and sporting goods and other firms. They consist of a golf bag of the finest make, which will be drawn for by every person competing in the event as well as every non-player who makes a contribution to the fund. Many of the latter are players who will be out of town to-morrow and others who do not play the game but are interested in the welfare of the disabled soldiers.

The other prizes to be played for and which will be distributed every three hours consist of three boxes of golf balls, three golf drivers, three brassies, one ten dollar gold piece in a case, two combination boxes containing a fountain pen and pencils, a silver medal and a pipe.

Play will start at 5 A. M. and will continue until dark. Each player is expected to donate one dollar for each round of eighteen holes. Persons who do not wish to compete in the tournament but have a desire to contribute to the fund may do so by sending their contribution to Joseph V. Hogue, chairman of donation committee, Van Cortland Park Golf House, or Walter F. Daly, treasurer, Bronx Post, American Legion, 2169 Bathgate avenue, The Bronx.

The affair is under the auspices of the Newspaper Golf Club and Bronx Post, American Legion and in cooperation with the New York, Scottish-American, Gun Hill and Women's Golf Clubs of Van Cortland and Mosholu links.

C. H. Connor Annexes Two Apawamis Prizes

A gross card of 80 with a handicap of 6 enabled C. H. Connor to return the only score bettering par in the weekly competition of the golfers of the Apawamis Club of Rye, N. Y., yesterday. It also brought Connor the afternoon sweepstake prize.

C. Shiverick was second in the par contest with a return of all even while H. B. Watson and F. Batelle each came in 3 down. H. A. Sherman, Jr., was runner-up to Connor in the afternoon sweepstake with 90-13-77.

Results at Glen Ridge.

A golf sweepstake in three classes was the feature at the Glen Ridge Country Club links yesterday. H. R. Kelly won in Class A, Rev. E. A. White in class B and T. C. Moffatt in class C. The scores:

Class A—H. R. Kelly, 84—13, 71; S. P. Hayward, 85—14, 71; R. R. Gilkey, 84—12, 72; R. C. Dodd, 80—7, 73; W. G. Thomas, 85—12, 73; Walter Case, 87—13, 74; G. B. Martin, 79—4, 75.

Class B—Rev. E. A. White, 86—15, 71; H. B. Davis, 93—20, 73; M. R. Baldwin, 99—17, 82; W. H. V. Holler, 101—19, 82.

Class C—T. C. Moffatt, 94—24, 70; E. M. Callan, 101—27, 74; W. R. McGlynn, 98—22, 76; A. H. Peguinot, 103—27, 76.

STATE GOLF TITLE FOR MAX MARSTON

Former Baltusrol Star Defeats Charles Reckner in Pennsylvania Final.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3.—For the second time in his career Max Marston has won a State golf championship. To-day he carried off the Pennsylvania State Golf Association amateur title when on the Merion Cricket Club links he beat Charles Reckner of the Cedarbrook Golf Club in the final round, 6 up and 4 to play.

Some years ago, while still a member of Baltusrol, in the New York district, Marston won the New Jersey State amateur title at Deal.

Marston accomplished to-day what he tried to do a year ago. At that time he reached the final round, only to be beaten for the title by S. Davidson Herron of Oakmont, Pittsburgh, former national champion.

It was the first time that Reckner had ever reached a final round in a big tournament, and he was showered with congratulations at the finish. That finish came when Marston holed a short putt for a 4 on the thirteenth.

Reckner's reaching the final round was a complete surprise. To get a chance at the championship he had to beat Norman Maxwell of Whitemarsh, the former North and South champion, in the morning's play. This he did by 2 and 1. In the other semi-final Marston eliminated Charles Ingraham of Huntingdon Valley, 2 and 1.

The card of the final:

Marston,	out	4 5 5 3 5 6 3 4 3—39
Reckner,	out	5 6 5 5 5 5 4 5 4—44
Marston,	in	4 5 6 5 4
Reckner,	in	4 5 4 6 5

Ingraham staged a sensational rally in his match with Marston. The former metropolitan star was 6 up at the eleventh hole and Ingraham won four of the next five. After that Marston steadied.

Reckner and Maxwell exchanged holes most of the way, but Reckner won the fifteenth with a 5 to a 6, which made him 2 up and gave him the match, as they halved the next two. The cards of the semi-final matches:

Marston—		
	Out	4 5 5 4 5 4 3 4 3—37
	In	5 4 6 5 5 4 4 4 4—41—78
Ingraham—		
	Out	5 6 6 4 6 4 4 4 3—42
	In	5 5 4 3 4 4 3 4 4—36—78
Reckner—		
	Out	4 7 4 5 5 4 3 5 3—40
	In	5 4 5 3 4 5 5 5 4—39—79
Maxwell—		
	Out	4 6 5 4 5 5 4 3 4—40
	In	4 5 5 3 4 6 5 4 4—40—80

Gloom was cast over the gallery when it was learned that W. C. Fownes of Pittsburgh, captain of the American amateur golf team which invaded England early in the summer, had been taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. It was said here that he underwent an operation for cancer of the ear. Fownes was entered in the State championship, but had to withdraw. He thought the trouble was an abscess.

J. Y. Barrow Loses on Last Green at Ekwanok

Baltusrol Golfer Defeated in Final by R. D. Rooks.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

MANCHESTER, Vt., Sept. 3.—After battling thirty-five holes of the thirty-six hole final golf match for the Equinox cup at Ekwanok Country Club to-day R. D. Rooks of Metacomet Golf Club, Providence, and H. Y. Barrow of Baltusrol, New York, found themselves on the same terms of equality as when the match started in the morning. The honor had shifted often during the day and the golf was none too good. Barrow usually was in the lead and at the eighth hole in the afternoon had a margin of three holes, but was the less steady of the two near the finish.

On the last hole of the match Barrow drove into the trap at the right but was eventually on the green with a putt for a half, but Rooks, who had approached rather poorly, holed a comparatively long putt for the hole and match.

Frank T. Clark of Philadelphia won the gross score prize in the medal handicap round and J. Watson Yulle of Montreal annexed the net score prize. The summary:

First Sixteen (for Equinox cup, 36 hole final)—R. D. Rooks, Metacomet, beat H. Y. Barrow, Baltusrol, 1 up.

Beaten Eight of First Sixteen (36 holes)—Lee Maxwell, Sleepy Hollow, beat Donald Carr, Ardsley, 6 and 4.

Second Sixteen (18 holes)—George J. Murphy, Wollaston, beat John Kelly, Dunwoodie, 5 and 4.

Second Losing Eight—C. E. Morris, Baltusrol, beat C. Osterheld, Hudson River, 7 and 6.

Third Sixteen—J. A. Daubel, Dunwoodie, beat Frank Crocker, Ekwanok, 3 and 1.

Third Losing Eight—A. B. Hecox, Welferts Roost, beat H. L. Shields, Mount Anthony, 3 and 2.

Fourth Sixteen—David Luke, Sleepy Hollow, beat L. Gourlay, Apawamis, 5 and 4.

Fourth Losing Eight—D. J. Ensign, North Adams, beat W. Degumeons, Great Neck, 4 and 3.

Medal Handicap—Frank T. Clark, Ekwanok, low gross, 82; J. Watson Yulle, Royal Montreal, low net, 75.

Saacke Captures Diving Title at Brighton Beach

Rudolph Saacke of the New York A. C. won the national junior fancy diving championship for men yesterday at Brighton Beach. The New York A. C. star rolled up a total of 135.36 points. Thomas Hirschfield of the City A. C. finished second, with 130.86 points, and John Byrne, unattached, third, with 116.5 points.

Harold Kruger, the sensational swimmer of Honolulu, had a field day all of his own, when he won the 440 yard swim invitation and finished second in the 150 yard free style swim handicap from scratch. The summary:

440 Yard Invitation Race (Scratch)—Won by Harold Kruger, Honolulu; Henry Geibel, New York A. C., second. Time, 4:31 3-5.

50 Yard Race for Novices (Scratch)—Won by G. M. Cesario, Outrigger Canoe Club of Honolulu; W. P. Knight, Central Swimming Club, second; H. R. Clark, West Side Y. M. C. A., third. Time, 0:27 3-5.

200 Yard Breast Stroke Race (Handicap)—Won by Stephen Ruddy, New York A. C. (scratch); Victor Kiffe, Central Y. M. C. A. of Brooklyn (8 seconds), second; G. V. Kersten, Central Y. M. C. A. of Brooklyn (17 seconds), third. Time, 2:47 4-5.

150 Yard Free Style Race (Handicap)—Won by Louis Helwig, Central Y. M. C. A. of Brooklyn (10 seconds); Harold Kruger, Honolulu (scratch), second; Edward Wildfoster, New York A. C. (10 seconds), third. Time, 1:38 1-5.

Fancy Diving Contest for the National Junior A. A. U. Championship—Won by Rudolph Saacke, New York A. C., with 135 points; Thomas Hirschfield, City A. C., with 130 points, seconds; John Byrne, unattached, with 116 points, third.

Polo Victory for Toronto.

TORONTO, Sept. 3.—The Toronto polo team defeated Buffalo to-day, 10 goals to 3, in the first game of the series of the Beardmore trophy.

Americans Waive Default of British Speed Boat

The Maple Leaf VII. Out of Gear and Race Postponed.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 3.—The first heat of the Harmsworth speed boat trophy race, scheduled for to-day, was postponed until Monday when it was announced that Maple Leaf VII., challenger, had developed a broken gear box.

The first heat of the Detroit *News* handicap for runabouts was declared no race after several of the drivers, owing to unfamiliarity with the course, had swung inside the stakes on the turns. It was decided to run the first heat to-morrow.

Under the rules the American team could have taken to-day's heat by default by circling the course, but "Gar" Wood, Sheldon Clarke and George Wood waived this privilege, declaring they desired a race. The racing committee agreed to this arrangement and postponed the opening heat.

The second heat will be raced Tuesday, and a third, if necessary, on Wednesday. The remainder of the mile trials for the Lake George trophy will be held the day following the final heat of the international contest.

Qualify at Fox Hills.

W. H. Follett, the Staten Island champion, returned the low card of 77 on the Fox Hills links yesterday in the qualifying round for the trophy presented by Ralph L. Spotts, the president. The prize is a silver service. Qualifying was conducted on novel lines, one eight qualifying by gross and another eight by net. Match play will be begun today and completed to-morrow. The scores:

Gross—W. H. Follett, 41, 36—77; H. C. Denison, 41, 40—81; H. B. Turner, 43, 38—81; T. D. Conroy, 44, 38—82; L. G. Spindler, 42, 41—83; J. D. Newman, 43, 41—84; Theodore K. McCarthy, 44, 40—84; W. W. Van Loan, 46, 39—84.

Net—R. R. Johnston, 93—28, 85; Robert Farley, 96—28, 68; H. J. Gans, 99—29, 70; M. J. Gramont, 91—20, 71; R. J. Hester, 101—30, 71; Albert Fach, 94—23, 72; B. K. Lawrence, 87—15, 72; J. M. Fleming, 87—15, 72.

On Plainfield Links.

Warren Townley, W. H. Russell and T. H. Keller were the point winners for the president's cup at the Hydewood Golf Club, North Plainfield, yesterday. The scores: Warren Townley, 78-9-69; W. H. Russell, 92-22-70; T. H. Keller, 92-22-70; Arthur H. Brick, 85-14-71; George H. King, 83-12-71; A. H. Batten, 81-9-72; Harry Demeza, 93-19-74; A. A. Cannon, 90-14-76; R. T. Willis, 107-30-77; Dr. T. R. Champlin, 95-18-77; William Emmons, 95-18-78.

C. O. Holmes with a net score of 69 won the ball sweepstakes at the Plainfield Country Club. The scores:

C. O. Holmes, 84—15, 69; F. D. Pitkin, 89—17, 72; H. W. Rush, 97—25, 72; R. V. Carpenter, 91—18, 73; George E. Pierson, 86—12, 74; A. W. Drake, 86—11, 74; L. S. Ayer, 94—20, 74; H. L. Moody, 97—12, 85.

Wesleyan Candidates Called.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Sept. 3.—Dr. Edgar Fauver, director of athletics at Wesleyan, has sent out the call for football candidates to report Saturday, September 17, to take part in the first practice, which will occur September 19. The letter was sent to thirty men.

Summary of Play for the Davis Cup

FIRST SET.

Williams and Washburn—
4 4 4 5 4 6 3 9—39—6
Kumagae and Shimidzu—
1 1 6 3 1 4 5 7—28—2

	Nets.	Outs.	Place-ments.	Serv. Aces.	Dble. Fits.
Washburn	5	6	9	0	0
Williams	8	3	5	0	0
Kumagae	9	8	2	0	1
Shimidzu	3	4	4	0	0

SECOND SET.

Williams and Washburn—
4 4 2 1 0 4 1 4 1 5 4 4—34—7
Kumagae and Shimidzu—
2 2 4 4 4 0 4 1 4 3 1 0—29—5

	Nets.	Outs.	Place-ments.	Serv. Aces.	Dble. Fits.
Washburn	7	6	7	1	0
Williams	6	4	7	0	0
Kumagae	3	6	4	1	0
Shimidzu	5	5	1	0	0

THIRD SET.

Williams and Washburn—
4 4 3 2 1 4 6 4 2 2—32—4
Kumagae and Shimidzu—
1 1 5 4 4 6 4 2 4 4—35—6

	Nets.	Outs.	Place-ments.	Serv. Aces.	Dble. Fits.
Washburn	7	4	6	0	0
Williams	7	10	6	2	0
Kumagae	4	3	3	1	2
Shimidzu	6	1	3	0	0

FOURTH SET.

Williams and Washburn—
1 4 2 4 3 2 4 5 4 4 4 4—41—7
Kumagae and Shimidzu—
4 1 4 1 5 4 1 3 2 6 1 1—33—5

	Nets.	Outs.	Place-ments.	Serv. Aces.	Dble. Fits.
Washburn	9	5	6	0	1
Williams	10	2	8	1	0
Kumagae	5	7	3	0	0
Shimidzu	7	7	3	0	0

RECAPITULATION.

	Nets.	Outs.	Place-ments.	Serv. Aces.	Dble. Fits.
Washburn	28	21	28	1	1
Williams	31	19	26	3	0
Kumagae	21	26	12	2	3
Shimidzu	21	17	11	0	0

Montclair Golfers Busy.

Golf was unusually brisk over the Montclair Golf Club Links yesterday, where a large field took part in the preholiday sweepstakes. B. G. Braine was the winner in class A, while in Class B H. M. Dawes and J. W. Hoban tied. The scores:

Class A—B. G. Braine, 77—14—63; T. A. Hardy, 83—14—69; Frank Hughes, 86—15—71; W. H. Taft, 75—4—71; Paul Harrison, 79—8—71; J. I. Simons, 75—3—72; W. H. Loftus, Jr., 83—12—73; T. A. Adams, Jr., 85—12—73; A. L. Pierson, Jr., 81—7—74; H. A. Halligan, 84—9—75; C. L. Pierson, 79—4—75; F. H. Gates, 77—2—75; Dr. J. S. Brown, 82—7—75; B. V. Harrison, Jr., 89—14—75; H. B. Cutting, Jr., 89—13—76; L. C. Barclay, 91—15—76; W. H. Clough, 81—9—78; R. C. Doane, 92—13—79.

Class B—H. M. Dawes, 85—16—69; J. W. Hoban, 89—20—69; A. L. Pierson, Jr., 92—16—76; H. Webster, 99—20—79; J. A. Kelsey, 97—17—80.

Begin Three Day Event.

A seventy-two hole medal play handicap competition for the P. S. Arthur trophy was begun on the Upper Montclair Country Club links yesterday. The scores:

E. W. Kynor, 85—12—73; G. W. Anderson, 81—8—73; D. H. Smith, 77—4—73; F. W. Dyer, 74—0—74; J. F. Bartlett, 89—15—74; B. T. Taylor, 82—7—75; F. C. Fuller, 79—4—75; S. M. Wood, 79—4—75; J. B. Baer, 99—18—76; S. Berrian, 77—1—76; H. J. G. Mackie, 83—7—76; T. F. Carlin, 89—13—76; P. C. Poinier, 84—8—76; C. E. Bradley, 81—8—76.

Leads Wykagyl Golfers.

In the regular medal play handicap on the Wykagyl Country Club links yesterday J. W. Kittrell had low score of 88-18-70. T. V. Bermingham led in the play against par with a return of 2 down while the runner-up prize went to W. H. Clark with 3 down.