

WOLF NEWS AND COMMENT—NATIONAL LEAGUE WILL NOT BLACKLIST FEDERAL JUMPERS

DREADNOUGHT GOLF STICK THAT WON BRITISH TITLE

Maxwell Started Gallery When He Sent Ball 320 Yards With Benny Sayers' New Invention—One-Armed Golfer Declares But One Hand is Needed to Drive.

A few years ago, in the finals for the amateur championship of Great Britain, Maxwell strode to the first tee at St. Andrew's, laid out the little ball, drew from his bag a driver which had a shaft of iron, and nonchalantly swung the club with which the deed was done.

The committee in charge of the tournament had a look at the tool. It was admitted that it was very nice; but anything in the rules to cast doubt on Maxwell was allowed to go. He won the championship. To a man and to a woman, too, the huge gallery said "well done" after the bout. "If I had a stick like that I could win championships, too."

The club has an extra large, thick head, a light shaft and is said to shoot a very high ball.

It is hard enough for the great hole-in-one to hold the club head of a driver in the air, but to do it with a club with two hands and, in fact, it is all uncommon to hear the wish expressed that a third hand might be brought in to assist in the feat.

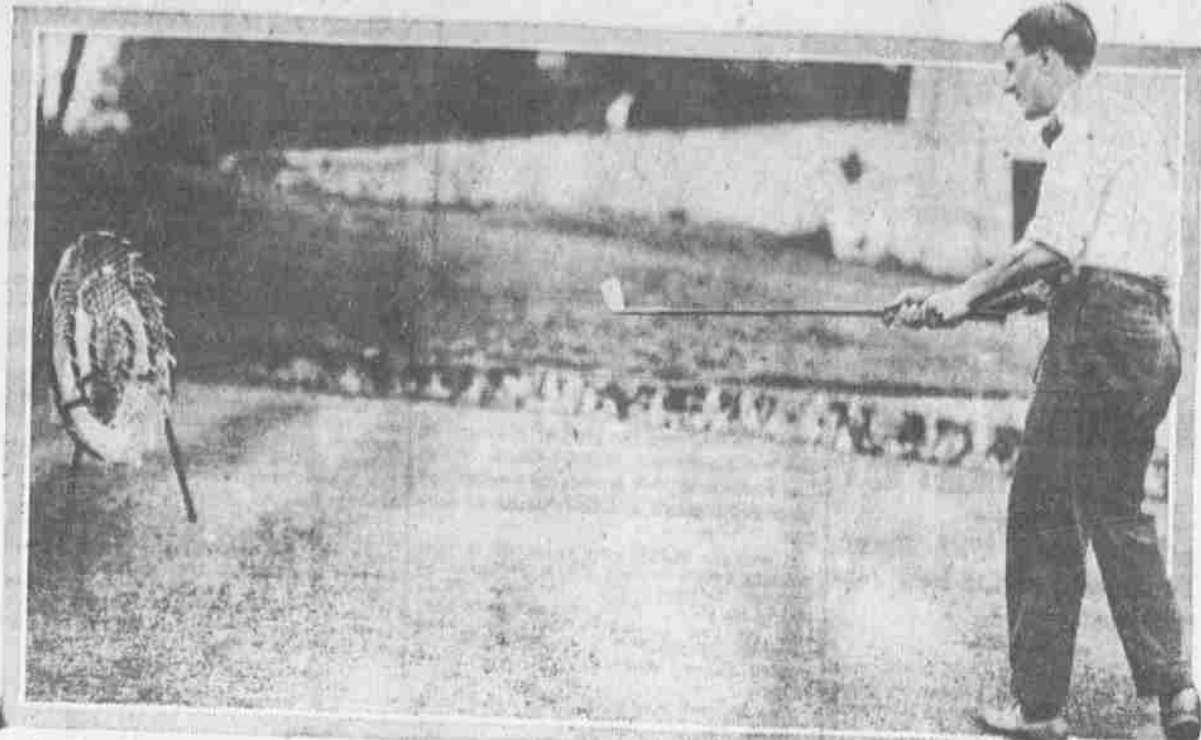
As the golfers regard the playing of this short of miraculous, he plays with one hand. And he is entirely capable of winning championships, too. He played at Fox Hills last week, and he did not finish in the money. He was whacking along on a whole lot over "even four" and keeping well up in the list.

Maxwell lost the member in an accident and has developed an enormous amount of strength in his good arm. He did not regard this as very wonderful in golf with one hand, and was disappointed to be practically put out in his first round with an 80.

About all one really needs two hands in golf is to steady the club, he intends, and using only one hand is simply a matter of adjustment and timing. One does not have the bother with an extra hand to point just right and a hand to hit at just the right time. There is no worry about it. My club never turns a hand. One hand is plenty to control it.

Nearly everybody is annoyed by rules at some time or other. The game of golf is no exception. Many of the rules are puzzling and the idea behind still others is not so obvious. One rule particularly has come in for much criticism and golfers as a rule do not feel the need for it.

Local golfers have been wondering of late the absence from competition of the Jones family. In the past, Jones played in virtually all the important tournaments, and in one, the St. Martin's Cup event, he reached the final round.



In the photograph the player is shown using the "approach machine" for practice. This circular net affair is employed at most of the golf clubs in and around Philadelphia. Besides this, one of the main methods of practice is to play "clock golf," which is nothing more nor less than a continuous putting game.

TILDEN AND PEARSON FAVORITES FOR TITLE IN SCHUYLKILL TENNIS

Swift Game Played in Opening Day at Norristown—Cushing, of Hartford, May Upset Dope. Doubles Schedule.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., July 12.—Taking into consideration the huge proportions of the entry list and the limited number of courts available, record-breaking progress was made yesterday in the second annual tournament for the men's singles and doubles lawn tennis championship of the Schuylkill Valley, played on the dirt courts at the Plymouth Country Club, just outside of Norristown.

W. T. Tilden, Jr., and Stanley W. Pearson, both of the Germantown Cricket Club, winner and runner-up, respectively, for the Philadelphia and district title a little more than a week ago, are due to meet in the round before the semifinal unless the unexpected happens.

Another outsider who may come through is Dwight R. Meigs, of Plymouth. Yesterday Meigs dropped the first set of his match with Warren L. Irish, but then captured the next two with ease. In the last two sets Meigs solved his opponent's service to perfection, and counted on the first return a number of times. He seems to have a particular liking for dirt courts.

The players who reached the fourth round were Brooke Edwards, Merion; A. B. Pierpont, Overbrook; W. P. Rowland, Belfield; Meigs, Robert Titus, Plymouth, and Pearson. The matches in the second round still to be played are L. B. Peters, Norristown, vs. Morris Kempton, Merion; H. B. Edcott, Merion, vs. Harold Stilwell, Radnor; Sidney Thayer, Jr., Merion, vs. Edward Crothers, Philadelphia Cricket; H. A. Greer, Sharon Hill, vs. O. S. Carter, Cynwyd; A. J. Batty, Belfield, vs. J. P. Foadell, Merion; George Hoffmaster, Jr., Philadelphia Cricket, vs. W. S. Cushing, Hartford, and J. H. Keefe, Jr., Cynwyd, vs. Dr. T. R. Herford, Belfield. These will all be played this afternoon, when it is expected that the round before the semifinal will be reached.

The doubles will be begun tomorrow.

Today in Sports

Tennis: Schuylkill Valley championships at Plymouth Country Club, Norristown. Exhibition tournament at San Francisco. Invitation tournament of the Country Club of Westchester.

Baseball: St. Louis vs. Phillies at National League Park, Athletics at Chicago.

Horse Racing: At Aqueduct and King Edward tracks.

Boxing: Battling Levinsky vs. Joe Rosen at Douglas A. C.

Polo: At Bryn Mawr Polo Field.

CONNIE MACK LANDS PITCHING SENSATION

Nabors, of Georgia, Who Broke World's Hitless Inning Record, to Play Here.

Manager Mack, of the Athletics, has purchased Jack Nabors, the sensational twirler of the Newnan (Ga.) team, of the Georgia-Alabama League. Nabors is the youngster who broke the world's record when he pitched a thirteen-inning hitless game against Talladega and did not allow a man to reach first base until the twelfth inning.

MACKS MEET CHICAGO IN FOUR-GAME SERIES

Joe Bush or Crowell to Pitch in Opening Game With Leaders.

CHICAGO, July 12.—The Athletics arrive in Chicago this morning for a four-game series with Rowland's league leader, the Mackmen are playing much better ball than they were on their last visit to this city, and as the Sox have been in a slump, the present series is likely to be far harder than is generally expected.

DODGERS REVERSED THEIR TACTICS; SPURT NOW COMES AT FINISH

By GRANTLAND RICE

Given Your Choice Would you rather fight in Flanders in a trench, Where you volley at a foe man through a screen; Where the enemy, in turn, beyond the trench, Is putting at your own benighted beast Would you rather scatter shrapnel at a Turk, Avoid a smear of bullets on the fuf? OR Would you rather be an Ump who had to look A blazing double-header in July? OR Would you rather hear the order for a dash Across the open country, sprayed with lead, Where every sudden boom or crimson flash May mean the painful absence of your head? Would you rather round-up trenches with a pick, While a million blokes were aiming at your eye, OR Would you rather be an Ump who had to stick Through a scorching double-header in July?

St. Louis Cardinals Here for 4-Game Series — Be-spectacled Twirler in the Box for Huggins' Fast-climbing Club.

The Cardinals are here for a four-game series with the Phillies, and by the time this series ends there may be a vastly different complexion to the National League race. That the two series with St. Louis and Chicago will do much toward determining just where the Phillies may eventually land is the belief of close followers of the game, and it must also be admitted that the Phillies must play better ball against these teams than they did against the Pirates, aside from fine pitching and spasmodic hitting, the Pirates have shown nothing that warrants their present high position in the race.

Today Grover Alexander, who has always been well-nigh unhittable by the Cardinals, will twirl and it looks as if the Phils should start off the series with a victory.

Lee Meadows, St. Louis' bespectacled twirler, will oppose Alexander, according to Manager Huggins' present plan, and as Meadows has been pitching fine ball, the Phils are likely to have trouble unless Alexander is at his best. Today's meeting between Alexander and Meadows will be the third of the season with both previous verdicts going to Alexander. In each game Meadows pitched well enough to beat any ordinary twirler.

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Advertisement for Chandler Light-Weight Six car, featuring a 646% increase in demand, a price of \$1295, and details about the car's features and availability.

B. MAY LET DOWN BARS TO FED JUMPERS

Sumners May Return to Fold, Sense of Magnates' Meeting-Curb on Talk.

The main purpose of the National League meeting in New York yesterday evidently was to bring to a close some of the magnate statements since the meeting in the season. A few weeks ago several of them were in a bad way financially, but the league has resulted in greater confidence before at this time.

President Tener announced after the meeting that there is no blacklist in the National League for players who are in the Federal League. He made the statement on his own initiative, because the owners in the National League representative who would never be allowed to be organized.

Members of the recently organized Franklin Boys' Club, who won the hands-on trophy, were offered for the track and field games July 5, will receive their prizes tonight at 8 o'clock at the Star Garden auditorium.

MANY GOLFING STARS IN SHAWNEE TOURNNEY

Gil Nicholls, Reid, Sayers and Buxton Among Entrants for Tomorrow's Meet.

No word had been received up to this morning from Gilbert Nicholls, Metropolitan champion, as to whether or not he will enter the Pennsylvania open championship at Shawnee tomorrow, but it is the opinion of the committee on entries that Nicholls will be on hand when the bell rings for the start.

James Barnes, Whitehaven Valley, who made such a brilliant showing at Fox Hills last week, will be among the starters, as will Wilfred Reid, Seaview, and many others among the professionals.

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GEORGE STOVALL, EX-BOSS, MAY MANAGE CLEVELAND

Kansas City Fed Pilot Makes Visit to Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., July 12.—George Stovall for manager of the Cleveland Indians! That's the rumor that swept Cleveland fandom when the manager of the Kansas City Federals arrived in the city with a rush and had a talk with the management of the local club.

George was emergency manager of the Cleveland team last year, but was let go because Harry Davis already had been hired. George himself denied that he was being considered for the place, and departed last night for Pittsburgh.

Local managers would not talk, but the wise ones consider it more than likely that he will again be seen in a Cleveland uniform.

HARD GAMES ON SCHEDULE OF P. R. T. LEAGUE LEADERS

Allegheny, Frankford and Ridge Meet Worthy Opponents Today.

Hard games are on schedule today in the Trolleyman's League for the leaders. Allegheny, Frankford and the Ridge teams, the "Allies" have Lusher as their opponents, and will line their strongest players in order to keep up a winning stride.

Jackson meets the Frankford aggression at Frankford. A good exhibition is looked for. Members of the Woodland depot entertain the idea that they can make the Ridge advance representatives taste defeat, but the Ridge manager says "it's soft."

National League Park PHILLIES vs. ST. LOUIS Game at 8:30 P. M. Admission, 25, 50 and 100 Ice Creams on sale at Gimbel's-Spalding's.