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GOLFERS FROM FAR AND NEAR OPEN TOURNAMENT OVER NORTHFIELD LINKS

Not One of More Than One Hundred Entrants of Conscriptive Age, Men Between Thirty-two and Fifty Predominating

By WILLIAM H. EVANS

Atlantic City, N. J., May 2.

THE spring golf tournament of the Country Club of Atlantic City, which began today over the course at Northfield, emphasized strongly the idea that this country is at war. Of the hundred and more entrants not one is of conscriptive age. There are the youngsters playing, but in every instance not one has reached a voting age. The great bulk of those playing are men well past the thirty-year mark. While it is in no sense an old man's tournament, the men between thirty-two and fifty predominate in the entry list.

It is twenty years since the Country Club held its first tournament, and golf as a competitive sport in America is only twenty-three years old, so that Atlantic City was one of the first golf clubs in the country to hold a competitive tournament. Rain or shine for twenty years the club has been holding these annual spring and fall tournaments and attracting to them players from all sections of the country. This twenty-first annual spring meeting, while it is not attracting as large a field as some of its predecessors, has brought to the Northfield links golfers from as far south as Palm Beach and as far west as Pasadena.

Golfers From West

And there are golfers here from Denver, Omaha, St. Louis and Chicago in the Middle West. And Montreal and Ottawa has representatives here, as has Atlanta, Ga., the town made famous by a popular soft drink beverage and Hobby Jones, the wonderful fifteen-year-old youngster who created a sensation at the National Amateur championship at the Merion Cricket Club two years ago.

The big metropolitan district, which takes in all of Greater New York, Connecticut, Long Island and Northern New Jersey, is well represented, the bright star being Frank Bertan, of Brooklyn, who won the Lakewood final last week.

But the field is made up largely of Philadelphia and Atlantic City players, and virtually two-thirds of the clubs in the Golf Association of Philadelphia are here with one or more entries.

Ripley Favorite

Atlantic City is playing its home as Maurice Ripley, who has won the tournament in other years. Fred Knight, of Aronimink, runner-up last year to Emerson B. Buxton, the Philadelphia amateur champion, Herb Newton, of Frankford, and C. Wood Platt, of North Hills, are a few of the men from the Quaker City who should figure prominently if they make the first flight today.

Platt is the most experienced youngster who defeated some of the best players in the Philadelphia district in winning the final of the 1st Lu Temple Country Club tournament last fall.

All these men and a hundred others were trying out the course yesterday. The scoring was high, for a stiff breeze blew all day across the links.

The Wind Hazard

It was a curious sort of wind, for no matter what hole was played the golfers seemed to be shooting against it. Most of the players are not used to those Northfield breezes, which incidentally are one of the most effective hazards on the course and the tendency to press, which resulted in many sliced and pulled shots into very conveniently placed pits and traps, accounted for the high scoring.

The greens were in fine condition, and while in appearance they seemed slow, as a matter of fact they were fast, and the golfers soon found that putting had to be sure and accurate, otherwise the ball would go scudding past the hole.

One of the most interesting golfers here is C. L. Fletcher, the vaudevillian. When he is not playing on the stage he is playing golf. He is one of the best golf bugs in captivity. He has played golf in every part of the world. He has played 208 separate and distinct golf courses in the last fourteen years, and his 208th was Aronimink, which he visited last week for the first time.

He admits being fifty years old and does not look it. In 1906 he took a tour around the world and played courses in Europe, Africa, Australia, Japan and Hawaii. He is finding it hard to discover new courses, and in the last two years he has been able to find but thirty new courses.

All this is done on his vaudeville tours, and he plays golf in the morning and does his stage work in the afternoons. He plays 7000 holes a year, which means 288 rounds over eighteen-hole courses, which is some going, even for a fifty-year-old enthusiast.

Yet, in spite of all his golf, he has made only one hole in one shot, and that he holds in a qualifying round, which is rather out of the ordinary. He has had the unusual experience of making a one for another player. The other man had driven a green which from the tee was a blind hole. The caddies, heading on a ground near the green, indicated that the ball was about a foot from the cup.

Fletcher ironed his ball on the green, and the caddies excitedly yelled that the ball was in the hole, and greatly to his chagrin he found out when he reached the green that his ball after landing on the green had rolled into his opponent's ball and had sent it into the hole.

VETERANS PLAYING IN MIDSEASON FORM

SHOTTON, Washington ··· HOOPER, Red Sox ··· MAGEE, Cincinnati ··· DAUBERT, Brooklyn ··· DEAL, Cubs ··

What May Happen in Baseball Today

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	P.C.	Win	Lose
New York	11	1	.917	.972	.816
Phillies	8	4	.667	.697	.615
Chicago	7	4	.636	.722	.636
Cincinnati	7	6	.538	.514	.500
Pittsburgh	4	5	.444	.500	.400
St. Louis	3	8	.273	.385	.250
Boston	3	9	.250	.308	.231
Brooklyn	2	10	.166	.231	.154

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	P.C.	Win	Lose
Boston	11	1	.916	.800	.733
Cleveland	7	4	.636	.667	.583
Chicago	5	5	.625	.667	.556
New York	5	7	.417	.500	.429
Washington	5	7	.417	.500	.429
St. Louis	5	7	.417	.462	.385
Detroit	3	5	.286	.375	.250
Athletics	3	8	.273	.333	.250

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 2.
Chicago, 5; Pittsburgh, 3.
St. Louis, 7; Cincinnati, 1.
Phillies-New York, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington, 5; Boston, 0.
Cleveland, 6; Chicago, 3.
St. Louis, 3; Detroit, 2.
Athletics-New York, rain.

Schedule for Today

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES

Boston at Brooklyn—Clear.
New York at Philadelphia—Clear.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh—Clear.
Cincinnati at Chicago—Clear.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES

Athletics at New York—Clear.
Washington at Boston—Clear.
Chicago at Detroit—Clear.
Cleveland at St. Louis—Clear.

Southern Association

Atlanta, 9; Nashville, 0.
Memphis, 2; Little Rock, 1 (second game).
New Orleans, 9; Atlanta, 0.
Nashville, 1; Memphis, 0.
Little Rock, 3; Birmingham, 0.

PHILS PLAY HERE TODAY, THEN GO

Meet Giants Here This Afternoon in Final Contest of Series

MACKS IN NEW YORK

Either Bradley Hogg or Miles Maines will draw the pitching assignment for the Phillies this afternoon in the third and final game of the series with the fast-going New York Giants. Pat Moran is somewhat worried by the showing of the local squad in the first two games of the series but believes that with yesterday's rest, the men will enter today's contest full of pep.

The game this afternoon will be the last home contest for the Moran men until May 29, when they open another series with the Giants. After today's game they will board a train for Brooklyn, where they play tomorrow. After meeting the Giants again they leave for their first western trip of the season.

Connie Mack's squad will meet the Yankees this afternoon over in the Big Town. Tomorrow they will open a three-game series with Washington in this city.

CENTRAL HIGH WILL ROW ANNAPOLIS PLEBES MAY 11

Central High School has arranged a duel crew race with the Annapolis Academy yearling eight for May 11. The race will be staged on the Severn. Central High will use one of the Naval Academy's boats.

Catcher Elliott Will Enlist

Chicago, May 2.—Harold ("Rowdy") Elliott, a catcher with the Chicago Nationals, who is in class A1 of the draft, decided last night to enlist in the navy, and will leave Sunday for Mare Island Navy Yard, near San Francisco.

GARNET ATHLETES LOSE TRACK MEET

Rutgers Defeats Swarthmore 67 to 53 by Winning Ten First Places

Swarthmore, Pa., May 2.—The Garnet track athletes lowered to Rutgers in their first defeat of the season on Swarthmore Field yesterday. The score was 67 to 53.

[Individual results illegible]

COMPANY D WINS REGIMENT TITLE

Annexes 314th Infantry Honors by Downing Company K, 6-2

Camp Meade, Admiral, Md., May 2.

A big throw in the second inning enabled Company D to win the championship of the 314th Infantry here yesterday by defeating Company K by the score of 6 to 2.

The winners, while they outhit their opponents by a margin of only 6 to 4 managed to bunch their blows off Cook, who, with that inning as an exception, pitched a good game.

Walker and Kelly, the battery of the winners, clashed off the best features of the season, both working splendidly, both individually and in cooperation with the other players, and Sergeant Chisholm, D, also started with two hits [illegible]

[Box score illegible]

Summary: Two-base hits—Walker, Chisholm. Sacrifice hits—Kelly, Cook. Stolen bases—Walker, Chisholm, Kelly. Double plays—Walker to Chisholm to Kelly; Cook to Kelly to Walker. Left on bases—Company D, 6; Company K, 5. Bases on balls—Off Cook, 1; off Kelly, 1. Struck out—By Cook, 3; by Kelly, 3. Umpires—Lieutenant Colonel Hall and Major Hall. Time—1 hour.

Shipbuilders to Open New Field

The Sun Shipbuilding employes will dedicate their new athletic field, which is located at Third and Morton streets, Chester, Saturday, when they will engage the Veterans A. A. in a baseball game. The movement for the field was started by J. Lupton, the employment manager of the concern, who is a great believer in recreation. His suggestion have received hearty support of the athletic association. Daniel McIntyre is assisting Mr. Dennison in the [illegible]

Injured Wrestler Leaves Hospital

Atlantic City, May 2.—George W. Bothner, of New York, who for years has been prominent in the wrestling game and whose home is in Brooklyn, left the hospital yesterday, where he was confined for six weeks with a broken ankle. He sustained the injury in a match with Ernest Roy, of Boston, in Brooklyn. Bothner is thirty-one years old and wonderfully active. He will be forced to quit the sport as a result of the accident.

Five Leading Batsmen in Two Major Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	P.C.
McCarty, New York	8	20	1	10	.500
Smith, Boston	11	37	5	13	.351
Doyle, New York	12	42	10	17	.405
Paskert, St. Louis	12	40	2	16	.400
Burns, New York	12	41	15	16	.390

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	P.C.
Speaker, Cleveland	11	38	11	13	.342
Gandil, Chicago	8	28	7	15	.464
Jackson, Chicago	8	32	6	14	.438
Wambsganss, Cleve.	7	26	7	11	.423
O'Neill, Cleveland	11	35	7	11	.400

HARVARD NINE IS HANDED SHUTOUT BY SERVICE TEAM

Portland Naval Reserves Twirled to 3-0 Victory by Dick Durning

Cambridge, Mass., May 2.—The Portland, Me., naval reserves' team beat Harvard, 3 to 0, here yesterday behind the effective pitching of Dick Durning, who two years ago was one of Hugh Duffy's Portland New England League pitchers.

PORTLAND	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
French, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Tamulis, ss	3	1	0	1	6	0
Bussey, 1	3	0	0	0	1	0
Abel, 2-3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Carroll, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Thayer, 2-p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Durning, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Hoffman, 3	3	0	0	0	1	0
Dorrance, r	2	0	0	5	0	0
Totals	24	1	2	13	14	0

HARVARD	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Coolidge, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Wolcott, ss	2	0	1	4	4	0
Bird, 2nd	3	1	1	1	1	0
Dickson, 3b	3	0	3	1	2	0
Mahoney, 1	3	0	0	10	0	0
Parsons, r	3	0	1	1	0	0
Samuels, c	2	0	1	7	1	0
Totals	19	1	7	25	8	0

*Batted for Hoffman in seventh inning.

Portland	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—3
Harvard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Base—Tamulis. Thayer. Durning. Two-base hit—Hoffman. First base on errors—Portland, 2. Left on bases—Portland, 6; Harvard, 10. Stolen bases—French, Tamulis, Thayer, 2. Bases on balls—Off Durning, 1; Parsons, 1. Struck out—By Durning, 18; Parsons, 1. Double play—Hallowell, Bright and Zaiser. Hits—Durning, 7 in 7 innings. Time—2:07. Umpires—O'Neil, Rourke and Barry.

GEORGE SISLER HERO IN BROWN'S VICTORY

St. Louis, May 2.—With the score tied in the tenth two out and Tobin on second, Sisler drove the ball over Cobb's head, scoring Tobin with the run that gave St. Louis victory over Detroit yesterday, 3 to 2, evidently the hit would have been good for a home run. Sisler got four hits and a walk in five times to the plate, stole a base, scored a run and drove in the remainder of the Browns' runs. Sisler had a chance to retire in the ninth because of a broken finger received from a foul tip.

DETROIT	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Dauss, rf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Bush, ss	5	1	2	3	0	0
Cobb, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Veach, lf	5	1	3	3	0	0
Young, 2nd	5	0	0	0	1	0
Vitt, 3b	4	0	2	5	0	0
Young, jr., 1	4	0	1	13	1	0
Stanage, c	4	1	1	6	1	0
Dubuc, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	5	11	36	5	0

ST. LOUIS	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Tobin, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Mitchell, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Sisler, 1b	4	1	4	16	1	0
Smith, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Gedeon, 2b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Schang, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Gallia, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	33	2	6	30	12	0

Batted for Dubuc in ninth.

Detroit	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
St. Louis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3

Runs scored—Bush, Cobb, Tobin, 2, Sisler, Peckinpaugh. Two-base hits—Sisler, Dauss. Stolen bases—Bush, Smith, Tobin. Sacrifice hits—Mitchell, Double plays—Bush and Gedeon; Vitt and Sisler. Left on bases—Detroit, 6; St. Louis, 7. Bases on balls—Off Erickson, 1; Gallia, 2. Struck out—By Erickson, 1; Gallia, 2.

Young Fitz at Dix

Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J., May 2.—Robert Fitzsimmons, son of the former heavyweight champion of the world, is now serving as a soldier. He arrived with the last batch of recruits. His home is in Dunellen.

YANKS TO PLAY RED SOX SUNDAY IN HARRISON, N. J.

Despite Opposition by International League Magnates Game Will Be Staged

New York, May 2.—The New York American League Club announced yesterday that a regular championship game will be played next Sunday with the Boston Americans at the former Newark Federal League grounds in Harrison, N. J. A game to be selected later will be advanced to that date.

President Tener, of the National League, and a member of the National Commission, said today that the statement of President John H. Farrell, of the new International League, that the debts of $8000 against International League territory had been paid would not change the plans of the major leagues to play Sunday games at Harrison during the season. Tener said, however, that the National Commission would not withhold protection from the new International League provided a settlement can be made of the Newark situation.

HILL SCHOOL GOLFERS DEFEAT TOME TEAM, 4-1

Pottstown, Pa., May 2.—The Hill School golf team defeated Tome yesterday by a margin of 4 to 1. Hill representatives all played fine golf, Martin returning low score of 76. The meet consisted of two foursomes, the best ball for each side being counted. Davis and Martin's best ball was 42 for the first 9 and 41 for the second 9, while Lyon and Carpenter's best ball was 44 each.

Lyon and Carpenter were 1 down at the end of the first 9, but finished the round 1 up. This match was not decided until the last putt, as the contestants stood even at the end of the seventeenth hole. Davis and Martin were even with their opponents on the first 9, but finished 1 up on the second 9. Summaries:

Lyon and Carpenter, Hill, defeated Myers and Baker, Tome, 2-1; Martin and Davis, Hill, defeated Franklin and Smith, Tome, 2-0.

ARDMORE Y. M. C. A. LEADS IN BOWLING

Main Liners Score 2681 Points in First Night of Titular Play

The first eight teams rolled the opening contests in the fourth annual tenpin tournament of the Philadelphia Bowling Association last night on the Keystone alleys. After a brief speech by the president of the organization, Matthew Randall declared the championships under way. Manager George Moss had everything in fine shape, and after the photograph of the captains had been taken play was started.

Sixty-two five-man teams are entered in the sections. A is the scratch division, B and C rating is given according to ability. Six of the squads rolling were in class B and two in class C. Ardmore Y. M. C. A. was the high roller of the evening, when it tossed the maples for 2681 pins in its three games.

Hartley, anchor man got away to a wonderful start tossing them for 215 pins. In the second he knocked them over for 182 and 189 in the third, for a total of 616 pins.

The following teams are scheduled to roll tonight: Edward, Rexalls, Terminal Vets, Swarthmore-Mulford, duPont Engineers of Wilmington, Del.; Pennsylvania Railroad and Actives.

CLASS B

ARDMORE Y.M.C.A.				NORTHWESTERN			
Thapin	155	179	139	Green	157	156	168
Anders'n	187	129	148	Webb	142	161	157
Kane	129	170	128	Rehfuss	166	158	150
Kelley	157	171	214	Hoist	170	171	175
Hartley	215	182	189	Senior	154	156	175
Handic'p	33	33	33	Handic'p	29	29	29
Totals	906	914	861	Totals	818	831	891
Grand total			2681	Grand total			2543
U. S. EMPLOYES				LEITH			
Wilbur	147	156	165	Kingston	155	164	149
Campbell	171	160	184	Bergsher	182	172	165
Peck	184	158	179	Knapp	168	163	144
Tilek	158	170	159	Lewis	136	143	120
Avil	168	180	173	Gruel	124	172	146
Handic'p	12	12	12	Handic'p	75	75	75
Totals	989	849	891	Totals	780	886	797
Grand total			2869	Grand total			2466
BRYN MAWR Y. M.				H. K. WAMPOLE			
D. Gene	140	168	163	Prengeh	147	166	149
L. Gane	146	119	159	Dill	119		
Miller	140	126	142	Straft		125	154
Rogers	145	205	211	Wengel	131	180	121
Jung	176	158	183	Haring	129	152	150
Handic'p	75	75	75	Monteith	154	75	169
				Handic'p	84	84	84
Totals	822	851	909				
Grand total	2582			Totals	785	872	830
				Grand total			2487

CLASS C

HARMONY				LARCHWOOD			
F. Roper	137	165	151	Thomas	151	135	217
W. Roper	134	152	99	Ayers	127	170	128
J. Young	139	149	146	Reiman	153	127	128
J. H'mple	99	126	145	Hangen	178	134	134
W. Taxis	146	169	126	Morgal	155	138	186
				Handic'p	9	9	—
Totals	855	739	647				
Grand total	2032			Totals	744	716	810
				Grand total			2270

Sports Served Short

Phillip Ten Broeck, of this city, has been elected captain of the University of Pennsylvania rifle team for next year. He was the manager of the team during the last season.

Avery Brundage, president of the Western Conference Track and Field Association, has drafted a set of rules to govern the grenade-throwing contest which has been added to the association's list of sports.

The marines and sailors of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, the Quakers of Allentown, and the sailors from Cape May will participate in a gigantic boxing and wrestling meet, which will be held in this city May 15 in the National Athletic Association.

College crews which commute in the intercollegiate regatta May 18 on the Severn will row two miles instead of one and five-sixteenths miles.

Von Bermuth has been re-elected captain of the Columbia University tennis team. He was captain during the last two seasons.

Colonel Ruppert will be host to a squad of "The Blue Devils of France" this afternoon at the Yankees-Athletics game. The visitors will take part in a Liberty Loan demonstration at the ball park.

Pat Ryan, the champion hammer weight thrower of the United States, yesterday passed the physical examination for the National Army. Ryan weighs 277 pounds and stands 6 feet 4 inches.

Bill Fine, pitcher for the Fordham College ball team, yesterday struck out thirteen Penn State batters in seven innings of a game, but he was relieved by the first batsman made by the Quakers.

Notes of the Bowlers

The biggest surprise in the Philadelphia League occurred when the Pennsylvania Railroad team was leading with twenty-six victories and thirteen defeats, with Melrose and Liberty in a deadlock for second place, with won twenty-five, lost fourteen. Melrose took a jump to its game with Keystone, 86 did the Railroaders with Tioga in the second game Tioga reversed, scoring 976 to 921, while Melrose again swamped Keystone, in the third game the Railroaders again went down to defeat when Frazier lost his stride, losing the game by ten pins, while Melrose made a clean sweep, rolling out the Railroaders for the championship of the league with a final score of 899 tweny-eight, lost fourteen. Pennsylvania Railroad was second with twenty-seven victories and seventeen defeats, Liberty Bell twenty-six on the winning side and sixteen on the losing.

Fined, in the final game of the season, run up a score of 246. The Tioga squad was exceptionally strong, rolling two high scores of 976 900. Others to go over for doubles were: Myers, 214; Frazier, 205; Fiesel, 246, 221; Jones, 201; Dougan, 200; Rast, 208; Cook, 227; Hartley, 216; Smedley, 201, 202; Hill, 208; Campbell, 212, 201; MacLachlan, 212; Muller, 200; McDowell, 215; Nicholas, 212, 218.

S., K. and F., after going down to defeat twice at the hands of the leaders of the Drug League, the Kelmon team came back with a grand rally and with Duffy, Aikens and Buchanan tossing them for 232, 221 and 198, won out with a score of 984 pins to 759.

Mulford, with Roselle, Snyder and Crawford rolling near the 200 mark, copped all three from the Wampole quintet. The Federals were outclassed completely by the U. S. D. company team, the latter taking the series. The Nationals earned three soft pickings when the S. K. F. White squad forfeited.

Melrose, winners of the second-season rolling of the Philadelphia League, will meet the Liberty Bell squad, first-season winners, for the championship on a date later to be announced.

Hartley, for the Ardmores, gave one of the best pin-tossing exhibitions of the evening when in his first time up he tossed them for 245. Zeller, another of his teammates, added 213 more pins to the total.

Captain Ed Boyd could not make those pins behave, and remarked that if he was pinning ball he could not have more strikes against six rolls than he did in his three games.

Fitzsimmons Notes

Young Fitzsimmons, son of the former heavyweight champion of the world, is serving as a soldier. He arrived with the last batch of recruits. His home is in Dunellen.

Bingels and Bunlges

There was a tall pitcher named Lacy,
Who was thin as an unpainted shack.
This lord was so tall
That when he pitched ball
It descended from 'way up aback.

Another tall Ringer named Jones
In the winters had some money stones.
But to the big show
He was tied up and so
And they mailed him out after ten frames.

Al Mamaux left the Dodgers today to join the army.

George Mogridge's sizzling hit in the tenth inning gave the Browns victory over the Tigers.

Fred Merkle slammed out a home run, which made it possible for the Cubs to beat Pittsburgh.

Walter Johnson is still a puzzle and pitchery. He shut out the Red Sox with four hits.

Eddie Cicotte failed to fatten his pitching average at Cleveland yesterday.

Hornsby's double in the fourth, scoring Baird, and his triple in the tenth, sounded with Cruise's sacrifice fly, gave the Cardinals Wednesday's game with Cincinnati.

The Dodgers are upholding their claim of polarity to the other position.

Pat Ragan, of the Braves, persuaded them to do so yesterday.

In the game with Detroit yesterday George Sisler made a two-base hit and three singles out of four times up. Incidentally he stole a base and handled his seventeen chances at first perfectly.

The fact that the district board at Greenville, S. C., put him in Class 1 for the draft did not prevent Shoeless Joe Jackson from getting a safe run yesterday.

A wornton contemporary had this headline: "Dodgers Rook to Celley," which is your idea of not much action in the sticking line.

The Red Sox's well-known head-baller, Sir Mays, was himself heard by Walter Johnson yesterday, and added to that he was beaten by the Senators, 5 to 0.

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