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OCTOBER.

- Oct. 26.—Warminster: Monthly Handicap.
 Oct. 26 & 27.—Kemp Town: Autumn Meeting.
 Oct. 26 & 27.—Crookham: Autumn Meeting.
 Oct. 27.—Lytham and St. Anne's: Captain's Cup.
 Royal North Devon: Monthly Medal.
 Kemp Town: Monthly Medal.
 Ventnor: Saltarn Badge.
 Royal West Norfolk: Monthly Medal.
 Troon: Sandhill Gold Medal.
 Warwickshire: Monthly Competition.
 West Herts: "Bogey" Competition.
 Buxton and High Peak: Monthly Medal (Final).
 Alfreton: Bronze Medal.
 Alfreton Ladies: Silver Spoon.
 Royal Eastbourne: Monthly Medal.
 Glamorganshire v. Swansea (Second Team).
 Cinque Ports: Monthly Medal.
 Rochester Ladies: Married v. Single.
 Willesden: Medal Winners' Prize.
 West Middlesex: Autumn Meeting.
 Knutsford: Monthly Competition.
 Luffness: Wemyss Challenge Medal.
 Taplow: Monthly Medal.
 Ilkley: Monthly Medal.
 Royal Epping Forest: Gordon Cup; Captain's Prize; Monthly Medal.
 Neasden: Monthly Medal.
 Marple: Club Medal and Captain's Cup.
 Dumfries and Galloway: Monthly Handicap Silver Medal.
 Crookham: Monthly Medal.
 Royal Wimbledon: Monthly Medal.
 Eltham Ladies: Monthly Medal.
 Timperley: Captain's Cup (Second Competition).
 Royal Epping Forest: Gordon Cup; Captain's Prize; Monthly Medal.
 Neasden: Half-Yearly and Monthly Medals.

- Oct. 27.—Forfar: Club Medal, Whyte Cross.
 Wanstead Park: Monthly Medal; Third Round Cowley Bowl; First Annual General Meeting.
 Leicester: Professional Match (Alex. Herd v. Geo. Smith).
 Clacton-on-Sea: Ashford Challenge Cup.
 West Cornwall: Monthly Medal.
 Oct. 27 & 29.—Bowdon: Bi-Monthly Competition.
 Oct. 28 & 29.—Redhill & Reigate: Autumn Meeting.
 Oct. 30.—Waveney Valley: Monthly Medal.
 Wimbledon Ladies: Handicap Prize.
 Burnham (Somerset): Gold and Silver Medals.
 Oct. 31.—Arden v. Barton.

NOVEMBER.

- Nov. 1.—Tyneside: Bi-Monthly Competition.
 Beckenham: Offley Cup.
 Nov. 2 & 3.—Brighton & Hove: Autumn Meeting.
 Nov. 3.—Woodbridge: Monthly Competition.
 Rye: Autumn Meeting.
 Holmes Chapel v. Knutsford.
 Manchester: Monthly Medal.
 Arden: Monthly Cup.
 Minchinhampton: Monthly Medals.
 Macclesfield: Monthly Handicap.
 North West Club (Londonderry): Monthly Medal.
 Fairfield: Monthly Medal.
 King's Norton: Monthly Challenge Cup.
 Woodford: Captain's Prize and Monthly Medal.
 West Lancashire: The St. Andrew's Meeting.
 Raynes Park: Monthly Medal.
 London Scottish: Monthly Medal.
 Tooting: Monthly Medal.
 Leicester: Monthly Medal.
 Bowdon: Monthly Medal.
 West Middlesex: "Bogey" Competition.
 Sidcup: Monthly Medal (First Class).
 Royal Dublin: The Bar Cup.
 Brighton and Hove: Berens Gold Medal.
 Glamorganshire: Medal Competition.
 Falkirk Tryst: Competition for Vice-Captain's Prize.
 Rochester Ladies: Competition.
 Neasden: "Bogey" Competition.
 Warwickshire: General Meeting.
 Redhill and Reigate: Turner Medal.
 Wakefield: Inaugural Bowl.
 Bullwood: Monthly Medal.
 Clacton-on-Sea: Monthly Medal.
 East Finchley: Monthly Medal and Captain's Prize.

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LESSONS ON GOLF.

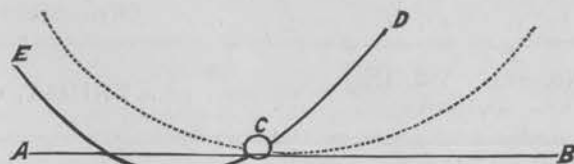
LESSON V.

We will now make a change and pass from wooden clubs to iron ones. Leaving what I have to say on the long spoon, brassy and other clubs till later on, let us say something about the use of the cleek. It is a very common practice to urge a beginner to practise the drive from the tee with a cleek—which is a stiff and strong club, and not liable to fracture; but I am not at all sure that it is good practice so to do. The cleek is much shorter than the driver, and without wasting more words over the subject, I feel sure that it is best to keep each club for its proper use and not to use it for any other purpose. Now the use for the cleek comes in where wooden clubs cannot properly, and with advantage, be used. It is perfectly certain that, given the proper lie for the ball, everyone who knows how to handle a club ought to be able to drive a far longer ball with a wooden club than with an iron one, and if you find a man stating, as I have heard said, that he can play a far more successful game with a constantly used iron club I quite believe him, but he does not know the game of Golf. The cleek comes in only when, after study of the lie, it is found, from some difficulty or other, it is not possible to make a stroke likely to be successful from that lie with a wooden club of any sort. Why can a better stroke be made with a cleek there? Simply because the cleek is a shorter, stiffer, and stronger club, and allows of your punishing the ground on which the ball lies without fear of a breakage. This brings us to a new consideration, and one which necessitates, in the use of the cleek, certain alterations of the application of the principles of the stroke which I have previously enunciated, but no alteration of the principles themselves. For be assured from first to last, whatever club is used, that the principle of the stroke must ever be one and the same, though for positions and places it may, to a casual observer of play, seem to undergo such alterations as makes it look like a new principle brought in.

The use of the cleek is different from the use of the driver only so far as the lie of the ball is different in the one case from that in the other. Of course this is true only on the supposition that the ball to be driven is differently placed. If the ball so lies that a driver or spoon may equally well be used as a cleek, but the player prefers to use a cleek, then the same rules apply to both or to either of them. But I am assuming that the cleek is used only for what I call cleek lies, *i.e.*, places where wooden clubs cannot be used, and where the lie is not bad enough to call for more severe implements like heavy irons—just simply a lie too bad for a club. The first thing I would remark is that bad lies—and all lies that are not good—imply a necessary increase of force in the stroke, something more than can be given by a neat, well-carried-through swing. Thus the first thing to be done is to obtain a stronger grasp of the cleek than you would of a wooden club; both hands may increase their grasp, but do not think that a tight grip is all that is necessary, or that that is necessary in every case to an equal degree. A very tight grip where not required is sure to diminish the power and will probably end in pulling the ball. The increase of grip is to be less or more, just according to what is considered to be necessary to get the ball along from where it is. This is simply a matter of observation and practice, and therefore no fixed rules can be laid down about it; but take my word for it, you had better err on the side of easiness of hold, than go to the other extreme of holding as tightly as you can. Put half-a-dozen balls in similar lies, and see which you get away the farthest; taking grips of the cleek of different tightness. You will soon get to feel how to do the trick, for after all it is a trick—a knack. But before you have a try on the ball, I must draw your attention to the adaptation of the principles of the stroke—to the use of the cleek.

In previous papers I worried on about the circle—that no stroke could be true unless the circle was true—that the circle must go right through the ball, down one side to the ball and up the other from the ball. I said this was a principle of the stroke, and principles are, or ought to be, fixed things. So we must expect to find this same principle in the stroke with the

cleek. But the lie, when a cleek has to be used, is more or less a bad one. Either the circle cannot be got through the ball downward, or it cannot be got away from the ball upward; in fact the ground will not allow of the rule being kept. What is to be done? The rule must be kept, else the stroke will never be true or certain, and it must be both. The circle must still be the circle, but its course must be changed. Hitherto, where the ball lay on a tee, or ground as good as a tee, the circle through the ball, down and up, was a very simple thing; but with the cleek there are impediments around the ball, either the ball is badly cupped, or the ground rises awkwardly behind or before, and cannot be got away in ordinary form. This change in the circle of which I speak is made by taking, as it were, the circle through the ball from the back swing, but the upward part of it after the club has left the ball, passes through the ground in front of the ball. Thus—



A B is the ground line; C, the ball; D E the circle passing through the ball and below the ground line A B. I have on purpose exaggerated the depth of the circle beneath the ground line A B, so that you may clearly perceive my meaning that it really goes beneath the soil, and that the form only, and not the principle of the circle, is really changed. Whether this stroke was learned by practice, or was a development of the first principle of a stroke, does not much matter; but the fact that this one method of obtaining a good cleek shot coincides with the true following of the circle is a matter of great importance, for it goes to prove how absolutely necessary the circle is to the success of every stroke. In taking up position for the cleek stroke, it is well that the ball lie equally between both feet, and that the stroke be not taken off the left foot, as in the drive. The reason of this is obvious, namely, it enables the player more easily in the downward stroke to avoid striking any impediment which may be behind the ball. It is also of importance to sit well down to the ball, so as to allow of the heel of the cleek being rested on the ground and the point raised rather off the ground. The face of the cleek is long, and, unless this precaution is used, the point is very apt to catch any impediment in the uneven ground, and so take off the force of the stroke. The stroke is not a difficult one, though it requires some practice to get used to it, and, perhaps, nothing goes further to help the beginner in the matter than to get into his mind and understanding the theory upon which the stroke is based. The stroke becomes far easier when this is mastered than to just learn the stroke mechanically by copying. The dotted line in my diagram shows this circle of the sweep, down and up, the line C D E, that of the cleek circle. It brings the cleek down seemingly on to the top of the ball; but this is not really the case. The ball must be fully struck, and it is so fully struck, although it seems not to be, but to be struck down. This striking down is counteracted by the slope of the face of the cleek, which makes up for and redresses the sharp downward course of the circle. If you want to convince yourself of the truth of this, try the stroke with an iron putter which has a perfectly straight face, and you will find it drive the ball into the ground. There is, no doubt, a sort of jerk in this stroke, and it is marvellous how far, and true, and straight the ball flies from it; and yet the jerk has nothing to do with the player. He must not make a jerk of it, else he will rue his having done so. The arms must be perfectly free, and the stroke free also. The jerk, if jerk there be, lies between the cleek-head, and ball and ground. I must not omit to say something about the circle passing under the line of the ground. A real beginner, on looking at my diagram, might think his poor cleek-head would be buried and broken, and never in a sound state be carried on to E. In extreme cases, and where the stroke is faultily made, the cleek may take up so much ground that it cannot be got clear to follow the stroke through, and must be eased off to prevent the shaft bending or breaking; but this should not

happen. No more ground should be taken up than is possible to make the stroke, and if, by reason of a great rise behind the ball, the cleek has to be brought down very sharply, if done with light hands the shaft will not suffer in any degree at all. But no cleek stroke is done in a proper manner that does not take up, in some shape or other, a divot of grass in front of the ball, which divot should be carefully replaced by the player or his caddie, and the player is bound by all the laws of Golf to see this replacement done. I have said that the use of the cleek comes where the lie is not good enough for the use of a wooden club, and therefore the lie is more or less difficult, requiring, to avoid impediments in the course of the cleek, very great judgment and accuracy of eye. I strongly advise that the club be not taken back too far—in fact, the low swing is just the thing for a successful cleek shot. I would advise my pupil to place a ball in a cleek lie, and go through the stroke slowly, as I have recommended for the driver in previous papers—not with a view to sending the ball along, but to get into the form of the stroke. It is possible for a teacher to do it so slowly, and not to send the ball many yards, as to enable the pupil to see exactly how it is done. Let the pupil do for himself the same thing, and, so to say, work the stroke up. If I tell you that this stroke is very effective in sending the ball up to the green, where the distance is beyond the use of a lofted, and yet too close for a full shot with a wooden club, I think I have exhausted the subject of the cleek.

COACH.

(To be continued.)

LANSDOWN GOLF CLUB, BATH.

As a result of recent proposals made to Mr. H. W. Lawrence, the owner of a tract of land at North Stoke, near Lansdown, Bath, that a Golf Club should be formed there, the services of Tom Dunn were brought into requisition to advise upon the possibilities of the ground for Golf. The report has been highly favourable, as, after carefully prospecting the land, Dunn unhesitatingly pronounces it to be in every way suited to the requirements of an excellent course. Although the extent of the ground admits of a long eighteen-hole round, it is considered advisable in the meantime to adopt a course of nine holes. It has therefore been decided to utilise that part of the ground which combines the most sporting features with the best quality of turf.

The links, which are close to the racecourse, lie 700 feet above sea-level, and on a clear day a glimpse of the Channel can be seen. As a point of interest, it may be noted that in a bunker which has to be crossed in approaching the fourth hole were recently discovered two stone coffins, containing, presumably, the remains of Roman warriors.

It is Mr. Lawrence's intention to have the links put in order at once, and, weather permitting, play may be expected to commence in about three weeks' time. The club will be open to both ladies and gentlemen, and the annual subscription has been fixed at one guinea for the first fifty members. When this list is filled up an entrance fee will be charged.

Those wishing to become members are requested to send in their names to Mr. Gibbs, Church Farm, North Stoke, who undertakes the duties of honorary secretary *pro tem*, and from whom a prospectus of the new club may be obtained.

COUNTY LOUTH GOLF CLUB.

Monthly medal, October 11th:—Mr. A. P. Hannah, 99, less 25=74; Mr. G. H. Pentland, 88, less 12=76; Mr. G. H. Daly, 100, less 20=80; Mr. R. R. Gilroy, 84, 2=82; Mr. T. Gilroy, (scratch), 84; Mr. J. W. Browne, 99, less 12=87; Mr. N. Gilroy, 99, less 12=87; Mr. J. B. Kelly, 115, less 27=88; Mr. H. S. Searancke, 115, less 25=90. Six competitors made no returns.

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THE MEDAL WEEK AT ST. ANDREWS.

The very centre of the golfing world was in brilliant display during the last week of September. The champion players of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club were keenly practising on Monday and Tuesday, hope keeping the heart strong in a dozen breasts. On Wednesday, they competed for the Royal medal, the autumn scratch trophy. And never have the links at St. Andrews looked better. The weather was all that could be desired, fine sunshine fanned by slight breezes. Across the deep blue sea, as it rippled on to the long stretch of golden sands, was distinctly seen the glistening beach of Carnoustie on the fine Forfarshire coast; and across the valley of the Eden the Shiehill of the Lucklaws came out prominently against an exhilarating autumn sky. The turf was in excellent order, and "Old Tom" can be complimented on his skill in keeping the greens in thorough order, notwithstanding the amount of playing and paddling on them. The crowd of spectators, with its galaxy of beauty, gave evidence that St. Andrews is still the Doncaster of the Royal and Ancient game.

No fewer than seventy-nine couples were told off for the competition. They began at nine o'clock in the morning—a most unusual hour; but it was not until about half-past two o'clock that the last couple played off. This is really too bad; some other arrangement ought to be made for the scratch medal competition. Out of the hundred and fifty-four who entered the lists, about twenty were in the swim; the rest were nowhere for the medal competition. But it seems there is a handicap money tussle combined with the medal match, and that causes the delay. I am not a member of the Club, and can therefore more safely criticise the business merely as a golfer. I know the powers that be will give little heed to me, but I am privileged by the editor to state my convictions, as one who used to be able to take a not ignoble place with "Old Tom's" brilliant son; and I care not for any adverse criticism.

So troublesome has this handicap competition become that something ought to be done to put it aside into a secondary place. Why should not the twenty scratch men start first for the medal, and allow the others to fall in afterwards? On Wednesday, we had men of all stages of the game coming on in succession, all but duffers being in front of the most brilliant players, keeping them back, and lessening their chances of success. It seems nothing short of rank conceit for inferior Golf-players (not golfers) to choke such a fine testing competition, and bring about a demoralising congestion. For who ever heard of the winner of a sweepstake? His name will never be handed down. History knows not the man. The onlookers never care to follow him, with his eighteen strokes of allowance. Ladies and gentlemen come from all quarters to witness the display of Golf—real and unhandicapped; but they do not care to see good players put out by hanging on duffers. He who ultimately gained the medal was, I am told, even as sick at soul with anxious waiting on for commencing his round as is a distinguished minister in the vestry when the bell is ringing for the service in a large church. It is very depressing for a good scratch player who has a fair chance of first place in the medal competition, to have to wait five or six hours before he can get started. Some of these we observed hanging about, throwing off their nerve-force in excitement.

Now Golf cannot have force thus mispent. The man who, in a little state of anxiety, is waiting for his turn for these hours has generally a worse chance than the man who gets off at once. The holes may be a little easier for the sixtieth couple to putt at; but that is nothing to the waste of nerve-energy during the wearisome waiting. It is a pity to have a man subjected to the test of physical training in suppressing nervous excitement before he starts. It is to be hoped then that some alteration will be made in connection with this flagrant mistake. The true contest for the blue ribbon of the game should not be defiled by a money wrangle for sweepstakes, in which no real golfer at that time takes any interest.

The competition was creditable, but it was not masterly. The

medal was gained by a break in the record; for Mr. F. G. Tait came in with the brilliant score of 78. But more of the best players should have clustered round this score. The green is not as it used to be. Far be it from me to depreciate in the slightest the excellent score of Mr. Tait, for it is now the record of medal competition. Thirty-nine years ago Mr. George Glennie broke the medal record of his day with his 88; and that was considered unapproachable in the then state of the links. But the links are now 10 strokes easier to hole out in. The course is very wide; the player can drive as hard as he likes without thinking very much about the breadth of the cloth. As Davie Ayton, at the competition, very shrewdly said to me—and he has experience which the modern players cannot sneer at—"Ye can tak' a hale swiye to get aff the coorse."

I heartily corroborate the opinion of old golfers—I mention no names here, though a dozen mentioned the fact to me that day—that there were as good players thirty years ago as now. I see some demur to this statement by a Yankee critic of Golf in this month's *Harper*. No doubt the gutta-percha is now better, more solid, without air-holes, and that has much to do with the length of the strokes and the accuracy of the pitches; though no driver now has been regularly able to out-drive Captain Stewart, Colonel Mackinnon (or myself even), in the days of old, Colonel Boothby and Old Tom being judges. Some even say that the clubs are better; but old golfers will not allow that Hugh Philp could be beaten by any modern makers. He would take a whole forenoon to put the finishing touch upon a fine apple-tree head, after his experienced workman had considered it beautifully finished; and he had the choice of wood, for now hundreds are made against one then. Besides, there are ten to one (and more) players in the real competition, so much has the game extended. All this has to be taken into consideration while giving due honour to Mr. Tait for his excellent performance. I went out a few holes with him when playing against Andrew Kirkaldy, after the medal match, and I was completely convinced of his masterly play in all points of the game—accurate and long driving, smart and direct quarter-stroke, "machine-like" putting in its regular deadliness. Besides, he is of a most lovable disposition, with whom bumpiousness is unknown. His illustrious father—who has written more on the theory of the Golf than all others put together—has an idea that it will yet be possible for a man to drive a ball from the club-house to the old railway-station, fully three good strokes of our day. The distinguished medal-holder does not seem to care about going in for the worship of driving; for though a very long driver, indeed one of the longest living, he seems now to be practising for certainty of direction, while using less force. It must also be remembered that he holds the record of the green, his 72 in February last eclipsing Hugh Kirkaldy's remarkable 73; but I am not sure if these remarkable scores were made on the full medal course. Yet is Allan's 79, in 1858, with the narrow course and coarse putting-greens, behind?

Next to the competition for the medal in point of interest was the striking off of the ball by the new captain of the Club, the Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. This he did with fine effect. After the medal play was over, I saw part of a most interesting foursome between Mr. Balfour and Mr. Leslie Balfour-Melville against Messrs. Mure Fergusson and Graham Murray. This match was watched by a keen set of onlookers, ladies as well as gentlemen. The Leader of the Opposition was particularly keen in his play, golfing for the last few holes without his cap; and when Mr. Balfour-Melville holed a beautiful stinnie by loiting at the Corner o' the Dyke to gain the hole, Mr. Balfour broke his usual reserve, and became as excited as if the Government had been defeated. This turning-point of the game Mr. Melville seized—with Mr. Balfour's consent, heartily given—and the match was gained by the nerve shown in that crisis.

On Thursday, the match between Andrew Kirkaldy and Ben Sayers (on North Berwick and St. Andrews greens) was finished. A tremendous "gallery" was kept in very fair order by means of a long rope. The day before, Ben asked me if I had my critical report ready, when I told him that I was waiting to see if he had benefited by my criticism of his play on a former occasion. He answered that he had. "Then you will win," I replied. My prophecy was very shaky during the first round; for, though Ben successfully used his wooden putter (like Andrew) in the long putts, instead of his mashie, the really more powerful play of Andrew (with a 78 for the

round) reduced the lead of 6 from North Berwick to 1. Yet, with "ferret-like" tenacity, Sayers held on, non-daunted, though Andrew brought him square. Andrew lost the sympathy of most of the crowd by very hastily knocking off Ben's ball from the edge of the hole at "Hole o' Cross" coming in, in case it might fall into the hole by the shaking of the ground by the crowd. If he could not beat Ben by more than that catch (legal enough, however, it appears), it was all up with him. Like a leech, Ben stuck to Andrew, and finally beat him by 2 holes on the 72. Some very fine play was shown during the first round; but, did not Andrew pride himself too much on his exceptionally strong wrist in playing with his iron to the short hole coming in, and in his approaches to the thirteenth and fourteenth holes? These were his only slips during the round, but they cost him two holes, exceptionally faultless though his play otherwise was.

It was a glorious medal week. Never have more competed for the medal, never has it been secured with such a fine score, and never has there been finer weather and a more brilliant and distinguished set of onlookers than on this occasion; and the hearty Golf talk of many old College friends added intensely to my pleasure.

J. G. McPHERSON.

TO MY CLEEK.

(With apologies to D. G. Rossetti.)

When do I fuzzle most, beloved one?
When on the links the sun's rays brightly rise
From off thy glitt'ring face into mine eyes,
And cast a dazzling beam across my cleek.
Or, when in the dusk hours we two have gone,
Around the links, and ever-changing lies
Have worried me—as also have the flies—
And my whole body's baked beneath the sun.

O Cleek, my Cleek! if I no more can see
To play, and so press quickly home to tea,
Then I forget my "stand," thy bend, thy spring.
How can I "work" in my next medal round
The grand whirl of thine iron head so sound,
Which sends my Silvertown far on the wing?

ROBIN H. LEGGE.

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LE GOLF EN ANGLETERRE; LES GOLF CLUBS DE FRANCE :
RÈGLES DU JEU. Par M. Mariassy. Cannes : M. C. Pille.

It is with unfeigned pleasure that we have been privileged to make the acquaintance of this little, unpretentious volume. It is written, in French, by a gentleman who not only has mastered the severe and embarrassing technicalities of the game, but who has marshalled his facts with commendable precision and succinctness. The book, indeed, gives English and Scottish golfers a real view of the game, through French spectacles, and, after reading the volume with care, and with lively interest, we have been unable to detect any errors of statement worth particular notice. In this respect the author has achieved a marked success, as compared with some ambitious articles which have appeared from time to time in American newspapers and stately magazines, professing to give a history and description of the game as played among us here. There is, withal, a liveliness of fancy about the narrative, a delicacy of touch, a clear vividness of treatment which are peculiarly French in their charm. In discussing the history of the game, for example, the author, after remarking that its origin is lost "in the night of Time," philosophically declares, with more than a probable guess at truth, that "la vérité doit être que le Golf, tel qu'il se pratique aujourd'hui dans une grande partie du monde, est tout simplement quelque rejeton plus heureux, lancé dans des milieux et servi par des circonstances plus favorables, qui a triomphé dans la lutte pour l'existence. Encore du *Darwinisme* sous roche." He admits, however, that the Scottish nation have always, throughout the history of the game evinced a passion for Golf, and that even the new-born of that race "alors qu'ils subissent les affres de la dentition, ne se laissent calmer qu'avec un manche de club qu'on leur donne à mordiller et à sucer." He shows how this passion has spread to England and to her Colonies beyond the seas, and that the pursuit of the game by the English has tended to modify its early solemn traditions, to make it more free and easy, or, as the author puts it, to abolish the tall hat and the frock coat, in which it was formerly played, for shirt-sleeves, cricket flannels, and knickerbockers. In view of another and better edition of the book, which is promised next month, the author should note, for the sake of completeness, that Golf Clubs have been recently formed at Hyères, Argeles and Gavarine, St. Jean de Luz, Dieppe, and Boulogne. The description of how the game is played is well done, and is calculated to give French ladies and gentlemen an accurate idea of the best method to acquire the elementary knowledge of its difficulties; for, as the writer appreciatively states, "le Golf est une science, un art et une inspiration." It is curious, however, to note that the French language appears not to be flexible enough to render the terminology of Golf with adequate clearness. "Hazards," "professional," "bunker," "tee," "putting green" (we have heard a French caddie call it "le plateau"), "caddie," "driving shot," "approach shot," "putting," "waggle," (or as the French are sure to call it, "vaggle"), "swing," "agriculture," (*Scottish*, "diggin' oot a divot"), "handicap," "scoring card," "style," are adopted in the text as untranslatable; and here we shall see the French language enriched, as in the case of racing and other sports, by the adoption of the above golfing terms. One point of discrepancy strikes us as worthy of rectification. On page 11, the size of the hole is given as "dix centimètres," and in the rules on page 38 as, "onze centimètres de diamètre." Now a centimètre is somewhat less than half an inch, or approximately ten centimètres are about equal to four inches. The regulation size of the hole being 4½ inches, it follows that 11 centimètres would make the diameter of the hole nearly 4½ inches. The true measurement, as we conceive, would be 10 centimètres and 6/35 millimètres.

There is a chapter on "Les Femmes et le Golf," in the course of which it is stated that sixty or seventy yards is about the average drive for ladies. The author evidently has in his mind, "les belles dames de France," for he adds with a twinkle in his eye:—"Ce n'est pas que les biceps d'une Anglaise bien constituée et bien nourrie ne puissent faire mieux, mais pour cela il faut donner le *swing* plein, c'est-à-dire lever le club à

deux mains pardessus l'épaule, et il est certain que pour une forme féminine drapée ce coup prête à caution comme esthétique—et autrement." The book also includes a chapter on etiquette, a description of the Golf links in France, particularly the green at Cannes, of which a map is given, while the St. Andrews Rules of the game are translated into French, gaining in clearness and precision, rather than the reverse, in the process. Altogether the book is interesting, and marks a great stride in the coming universality of the game.

WORLINGTON AND NEWMARKET GOLF CLUB.

J. H. TAYLOR v. JACK WHITE.

On Monday, Oct. 15th, the Open Champion and Jack White played a match for a money prize at Worlington, Cambridgeshire. There was a heavy shower about 10.30, and the consequence was that play did not commence till about 11. The company numbered about forty in the forenoon, including several ladies. Jack White drove the first ball, and made a farther drive than his formidable opponent; but the Champion of 1894 won the hole in 5, the North Berwick man squaring matters at the second hole with a 3. At the sixth the Champion took a bold line, but the ball struck a twig, and fell down into the dike. This was lucky for Jack, whose ball was also in the dike, but he failed to get a half in 6. At the end of the first round the Champion stood 3 up—a lead which he increased to 4 at the first hole of the second round. After this point Jack played up better, and reduced the other's lead to 3.

In the afternoon a punctual start was effected. The sun came out, and a few more of the gentry, and the display of Golf was even finer than the morning one. White played pluckily, and was able to prevent Taylor from running away from him; but it was evident that the Dirlitonian could only make a good second. At the third hole Taylor made a very pretty third shot, somewhat similar to Rolland's famous second at this hole. At the Railway, Taylor stood 4 up again; but at the seventh, White secured a 2, and reduced the lead to 3. At the end of the third round the Champion stood 4 up, but Jack is a good lasting man, and when the game stood 1 up and 3 to play, he appeared to be still in the hunt. The Winchester man, however, became dormy 2 in spite of all Jack's efforts, and the end came at the thirty-fifth hole, 2 up and 1 to play. This bye was also won by Taylor.

The prizes were presented in the club-house, and the Champion replied gracefully for both. He added that the course was the best nine-hole inland course on which he had yet played.

The Company present included Lady Princeps, Mrs. M. Sharpe, Miss Salmon, Miss Gardner, Mrs. Pemberton, and Mrs. J. Ryan. Mr. H. T. Bunbury, Major Ord, Mr. H. Fitzherbert, Captain Lee Barber, Rev. O. Hammond, Mr. R. S. Greenhill, Mr. Marcus Blake, Mr. A. Macgregor, Mr. W. Gardner, Mr. J. A. Fielden, Dr. Macnab, Mr. G. Jennings, Rev. L. R. Tuttielt, Mr. J. Ryan, Mr. H. J. Salmon, Mr. H. M. Bell, and Mr. Claud Salmon. Mr. Sherwood's funeral prevented several from attending.

The autumn competition took place on Saturday, October 13th. There was a fair turn-out of players, taking into consideration the uninviting morning. No low score was brought in, the links appearing to grow more difficult each meeting. Jack White is now in charge, and he is responsible for the enlarging of all the putting-greens, all of which were in capital order. The Rev. L. R. Tuttielt won the Bunbury cup, Mr. Claud E. Salmon the Baird Cup (the captain's scratch prize), and Mr. H. T. Bunbury the medal given by the hon. secretary; so a pleasing distribution of prizes took place after the competition. Many members followed Taylor round, who took his first breather on the links, opposed by Mr. A. C. Sealy. Taylor was in fine form, and finished in 80.

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Rev. L. R. Tuttielt	102	14 88	Mr. C. E. Salmon...	109	13 96
Mr. H. T. C. Bunbury	105	16 89	Mr. W. Gardner	107	10 97
Mr. Claud E. Salmon	98	8 90	Mr. A. Lee Barber	115	18 97
Mr. Harvey Coombe	104	13 91	Mr. A. C. Sealy	103	2 101
Mr. O. E. Griffiths	111	20 91	Mr. J. Fergusson	117	13 104
Mr. J. Ryan, jun.	113	20 93	Mr. A. S. Manning	126	22 104
			Mr. A. A. Ruston...	132	27 105

Major Ord, Capt. Ord, Messrs. R. S. Greenhill, C. J. E. Sparks, M. Blake, W. C. Alston, C. D. Leech, H. J. Salmon, and C. J. H. Cooper did not return cards.

SOUTHWOLD GOLF CLUB.—On October 13th a "short game" competition was held for a prize presented by Mr. J. J. Cater. There were eleven entries. The following were the three best scores:—Mr. W. Whytock, 10; Mr. S. W. Woollett, 12; Mr. J. B. Gooding, 13.



With each copy of this week's issue, our readers will receive a prospectus of the Borth Golf Club and Hotel Company, Limited. The prospectus will also be found in our advertising columns. The links of the Borth Golf Club are situated along the coast of Cardigan Bay, between the village of Borth and the estuary of the Dovey, and although at present they only cover, for the eighteen holes, a distance of about three and a quarter miles, they can readily be extended at little cost. The first two and the last three holes are on land which is covered throughout by the best seaside turf. Holes three, four, five, six, thirteen, fourteen, and fifteen, are likewise over turf, but the grass here is somewhat longer. Holes seven to twelve are of a very sporting nature. It will thus be seen that the entire course is a pleasantly varied one. The Borth and Ynyslas Links were first played over in 1889, the preliminary outlay having been defrayed by the then proprietors of the hotel. No interest, however, was taken in them by the local inhabitants till the spring of 1893, when, under the energetic efforts of Mr. Percy Morton, of the College, Brecon, a local club was formed, with Dr. Jones, of Borth, as hon. secretary. Since that date the links have been greatly improved, and, in the opinion of many players, require very little further expenditure to render them equal to the best in the country. The surrounding scenery is exquisite, the high mountains of Cardiganshire—with Plinlimmon in the far background—and of Merionethshire towering up in the distance to the north and east, and the beautiful estuary of the Dovey bounding the links on the north. The hotel is a very fine building facing the bay, with a good promenade in front, and the freeholds cover about six acres of land adjoining the Borth Railway Station. The directors of the Company include the Vicar and the Doctor, both of whom have become enthusiastic golfers, Mr. Percy Morton, of Brecon, and Mr. William Potter, of Blundellsands, Liverpool.

From the prospectus we infer that each Debenture bond of £10 will not only cover a life membership of the club, but will form a preferential claim upon the freeholds and a first claim upon the profits of the hotel up to 7 per cent. Any profits over this percentage will, we presume, belong to the Ordinary shareholders. Should the entire scheme receive the support which we believe it deserves, the undertaking cannot fail to be, as the prospectus states, a most lucrative one.

The proposal to extend the old Musselburgh links is again to the front, and we are likely to hear of some practical steps being soon taken, the great success of the new arrangements

having made the various clubs desirous to have an eighteen-hole course. It is now thought that the reclamation of waste ground from the sea and the inclusion of Fisherrow Links is the most feasible plan for the needed extension,

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At the after-play dinner of the Musselburgh New Club, last week, there was a healthy "innovation," which might be extended with advantage to other club dinners. Instead of the usual toast-list and speeches, a concert was given, which was delightful, as the club has a splendid supply of vocal and instrumental talent within its pale.

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A special meeting of the Edinburgh Burgess Golfing Society is to be held to consider the proposals as to a new green at Barnton, and the negotiations with Sir James Gibson Maitland regarding the same which it is understood have led to the stage of agreement on the part of Sir James to feu a sufficient area of ground for a private Golf course to the Society, there being difficulties as to the lease first proposed. The council of the Society have made provisional terms, to be submitted to the meeting, which they consider very favourable.

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The general meeting and medal competition of the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers takes place at Muirfield on Thursday, November 1st. A special train leaves Edinburgh at 9.10 a.m. and returns from Drem at 5.15 p.m. (club-house at 4.40 p.m.) As a proof of the popularity of the Muirfield green it may be stated that there are no fewer than fifteen candidates to be ballotted for (previous to the winter meeting) on October 31st, in Dowell's rooms, from 4 to 4.30 p.m.

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Mr. Kemp, the former esteemed secretary of the Honourable Company, seems to be doing well as manager of Dalgety & Co. At the ordinary annual meeting of the Company, held at 52, Lombard Street, last week, the chairman declared a balance to credit on the year's business of £86,296, and a dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum. "In these days," he said, "everything seemed to turn on the survival of the fittest, and the great problem to be solved was, Can Australasia compete to advantage with Argentina, Canada, the United States, and other producing countries in grain, wool, meat, dairy produce, and other articles? If she could do so—and Australians professed to have little doubt on the subject—she had a great future before her, but it would require no little effort and wise government."

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Mr. A. J. Balfour, M.P., has lately been enjoying some days' Golf over Archerfield Links, with Mr. J. E. Laidlay as his partner, the "opposition" in what has been a very level four-some being Mr. John Penn, M.P., and Mr. De Zoete. Mr. Balfour is keeping up the improvement manifested in his play at the opening of the season, and is playing a steady and sure game.

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"A. K. H. B." is going to publish, through Messrs. Longmans, another volume. It will be entitled, "St. Andrews and Elsewhere: Glimpses of Some Gone and of Things Left."

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The Home Secretary, Mr. Asquith, is now also among the golfers. In a recent "Tee Shot" we stated that he had been initiated into the secrets of the game by Mrs. Asquith while staying at The Glen, Innerleithen, the residence of Mrs. Asquith's father, Sir Charles Tennant. Lately he has been on a visit to the Earl of Wemyss at Gosford, and has been playing over the old Luffness course. Under the title of "A Golfing Kitten," one of the local papers relates that on Thursday, October 18th, "a little white kitten followed Mrs. H. Kinloch from the village of Aberlady to the Golf-house at Luffness, and then attached itself to Mr. Asquith, who is at present staying at Gosford. The Home Secretary had his ball teed to drive off for the first hole, when the kitten took a fancy to the 'gutta,'

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and began to play with it. The youthful feline was induced to leave the ball alone, and allow the right honourable gentleman to drive off. Not to be done, however, it followed the players to the first hole, and then stopped, having apparently seen enough of the Royal and Ancient Game." Mr. Asquith's brother-in-law, Lord Ribblesdale, Master of the Buckhounds, is also a recent convert to the game. He was heard the other day, like Mr. Balfour, to deplore that he had remained so long in ignorance of such a fine game. He is on the candidates' list for membership of Tooting Bec, and is likely to be heard of, together with the Home Secretary, in the next Parliamentary match.

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Mr. Blackwell, of St. Andrew's, who has been on a visit to Sir Alexander Kinloch, at Kilduff, has had several games with Major Kinloch, over the Garleton course of the Haddington Club, which he calls one of the best inland courses he has played over. With 34 for the nine holes, he has succeeded in lowering the record (held by the Rev. Mr. Proudfoot with 35) by 1 stroke. Mr. Stirling, has won the captain's (Rev. W. Proudfoot) prize, a handsome aneroid, and the Aitchison medal in the hole and hole tournament.

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The Silvertown Company are placing in the market the "Ivory" Golf ball, for which certain merits are claimed. We have seen something of the same kind before, and as far as we have examined the new article, we do not think it will mark any advance on the present ball. The Company would, we believe, do more by seeking to revive the popularity of their ordinary gutta ball (which, mainly because of its losing the paint too soon, is losing patronage), than by developing this new venture in ivory.

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It is fatal, as every golfer knows, to "miss the *Globe*." But the error seems now doubly great when we see how much interest that most readable of all London papers is taking in the Royal and ancient game. On Tuesday last week there were two good articles in the little pink paper—one from the *Bombay Gazette*, on "Feminine Golf in the Tropics," and the other a leader on "Golfers and their Clubs." No; we should not miss the *Globe*.

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London papers, however, are slow to give space to the popular game. In this respect they are beaten by their contemporaries in our provincial towns and cities. The *Manchester Courier* of the 16th had three columns devoted to Golf alone

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DOCTORS' COMMONS.—Golf Links.

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A match between Muswell Hill and East Finchley, twelve men a-side, including James Gow and Willie Duncan, professionals, will take place at Muswell Hill on Saturday, October 27th, at 2.30 p.m.

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On Monday, October, 8th, whilst playing with Mayor G. A. Shadforth, Douglas Rolland established a record for the Rye Links. Playing in fine style, he accomplished the eighteen holes in the grand score of 70, viz.:—Out, 4 7 5 3 4 3 3 4 3 =36; home, 4 4 4 4 2 4 5 3=34; total, 70. At the second hole Rolland drove out of bounds, and thus played 3 from the tee. On the following day, playing again with Major Shadforth, Rolland did the eighteen holes in 72. This would probably have been a better round than on the previous day had luck favoured him a little, as at the sixteenth hole his drive lay badly in the ruts, and at the seventeenth he had a very difficult putt, although lying close to the hole. The weather on both days was good, with only a slight breeze. This performance of Rolland is an extremely fine one, and one that will probably not be beaten for some time.

Playing over the Royal Ashdown Forest Golf Links, against Mr. C. L. Reade, on Wednesday, October 17th, Rowe, the local professional, did the very fine score of 68, made up as follows:—Out, 5 3 4 4 4 3 3 3=32; In, 5 3 4 4 5 4 4 3=36; total, 68, thereby beating his former record, which stood at 69. His 32 for the first nine holes is also a record.

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Mr. Walter Hogg, hon. secretary of the Burghersdorp Golf Club, Cape Colony, writes:—"I am glad to say that Golf is now very popular in South Africa. Our course is 4,600 feet above the sea level, with little or no grass, and, instead a short karo, scrubby bush about the size of heather. Nine-tenths of the course is bare hard-baked sand, and instead of greens, we have bare cleaned-off places, which on match or medal days are swept clean to make the balls run keener. Of course, under these circumstances, with a blazing African sun overhead, we often yearn for the soft, cooling greensward of the old country."

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The links of the Cambridge University Golf Club are now open for play until May 12th. The Scottish professionals are in attendance.

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Willie Fernie, last week, playing with Mr. W. Cunningham, Broughty Ferry, performed the remarkable feat of doing two consecutive rounds over Prestwick in one day in the lowest score on record. He holed out the double round in 152—two 76's—of which the details were:—First round: Out, 4 3 5 3 3 5 4 5 5=37; in, 5 4 5 5 4 4 3 5 4=39; total, 76. Second round: Out, 4 3 6 4 3 4 3 4 5=36; in, 5 4 5 5 5 4 4 4=40; total, 76. The nearest approach to this was Willie Campbell's two 77's in one day about five years ago, when, however, the course was less difficult. On that occasion, it may be noted, Campbell did three consecutive rounds in 77, but not in the one day.

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The following, which is the latest from India, will be gratifying to the devotees of Golf, and is calculated to inflame their pride in the Royal and Ancient Game:—This is the way it strikes the unsophisticated "black man": Not having mastered the name of the new game, they are not slow to give it one of their own, and they call the game "pāgali kirket," which being interpreted means "mad cricket"! It may be added that with better reason, they call a fancy-dress ball a "pāgali nautch," or "mad dance." Query.—Whether "mad cricket" is more offensive than "glorified croquet" (see Mr. Fry interviewed, in the *English Illustrated Magazine* for August.)

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Miss Blanche Anderson, playing with Mr. A. Mackenzie Ross as partner, against Mr. Ed. Blyth and Rev. F. L. M. Anderson, on October 19th, did the two rounds of North Berwick links in 75 and 76, going out both times in 41.

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Mr. John Ball, jun., is still playing in the grand form which he has been showing for some months past, and on Saturday lowered the record for the Leasowe course to 70, made up as follows:—First round—5 3 5 4 4 4 4 4=37; second—4 3 4 4 4 3 3 5 3=33; total, 70.

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GOLF AT HYÈRES.

To the Editor of GOLF.

SIR,—If any of your readers are on the look-out for a pleasant Golf course in a delightful winter climate I would like to recommend them to give Hyères a trial. The club there has secured at great expense a course on beautiful, sheep-cropped turf close to the town, and well sheltered from wind. Amongst other well-known names, Lord Erne, Mr. A. J. Balfour, M.P., and Sir T. Sutherland, M.P., have become vice-presidents, and there is every prospect of a successful season. The length of the holes (nine) varies from 110 to 350 yards, and the course will be in good order by the end of November, although it will be open earlier. All information required may be obtained from the hon. secretary, Mr. G. R. Corbett (the British Consul), whose present address is Hasfield Court, Gloucester.

I am, Sir, &c.,
FREDERICK J. PATTON.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

T. D. CUMMINS.—According to the facts, as you state them, we do not think that you have been quite fairly treated. The minimum residential qualification ought to have been inserted in the preliminary notice of the competition, and, failing that, it was apparently left open to all residents with a domicile in the district. The committee having accepted your entrance-fee and entered you for the competition, even allowing you to play four holes in the match, had apparently satisfied themselves of your status. (2) Never heard of it, and cannot find out with any definiteness. (3) The decision of the committee is supreme, unless you can persuade a general meeting of the club to overrule it.

ENQUIRER.—(1) In this open weather it is not too late to sow grass on greens. September is generally a good time to choose.

NORTH LONSDALE.—(1) By taking the lowest score at which the best player can go round, and allocating points in proportion to the players below him. "Bogey" is a somewhat more stringent scratch score, and in foursomes the two partners get three-eighths of the handicap difference against "Bogey." (2) Quite legal, though there was once a great deal of doubt when the new rules first appeared. (3) The use of the term is obtained by Royal sanction in the usual way. For example, William IV. became patron of the St. Andrews Golf Club in 1834, and sanctioned the use of the title "Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews." No, it is not a recognised fact. (4) For a protective screen see GOLF, Vol. V., page 412 and Vol. VI., page 23.

GUTTA.—Only at wholesale houses like the Silvertown Company Slazenger, Thorntons, the A1 Company. Unless you buy a very large quantity it will cost you more than by taking the manufactured article in the shape of balls.

C. G. G.—There is plenty of good Golf at the Cape. There are clubs at Port Elizabeth, Rondebosch, Kimberley, Burghersdorp, Pietermaritzburg, Johannesburg, Uitenbage, and other places. Previous volumes of the paper give accounts of Golf in South Africa.



BEVERLEY AND EAST RIDING LADIES GOLF CLUB.

A match of eighteen holes was played on October 17th, by the members of this club, for the ladies' badge, which was won by Mrs. Maunsell with a score of 97. The following were the scores:—Mrs. Maunsell, 97; Mrs. G. A. Thompson, 103; Miss M. G. Thompson, 103; Mrs. G. A. Robinson, 111.

BRIGHTON AND HOVE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

The autumn prize meeting in connection with this Club took place on October 10th, 11th, and 12th. Details:—

Wednesday, monthly medal:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.		Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Miss Bell ...	101	25	76	Mrs. M. Heathcote	95	10	85
Miss Farnall ...	93	16	77	Mrs. Gordon Dill ...	99	14	85
Miss Reid ...	103	25	78	Miss Berrington ...	118	30	88
Mrs. Wright ...	99	18	81	Mrs. Baker ...	103	14	89
Mrs. Barry ...	94	12	82	Miss Walker ...	107	16	91
Mrs. W. G. Nicholson	98	15	83	Miss Sanders ...	118	25	93
Miss M. Dowie ...	112	28	84	Miss Creagh Osborne	124	30	94

Mr. W. T. Whitmore presented a prize for best nine holes out of medal round. The best returns being as follows:—Mrs. Barry, 41, less 6=35; Miss Reid, 48, less 12=35½; Miss Bell, 49, less 12=36½. Twenty-seven started.

There were twenty-eight competitors on Thursday. Mrs. Dill secured the challenge belt, and Miss M. Heathcote the challenge clock; Miss Starkie-Bence taking the challenge scratch cup, while Mrs. Stirling won the putting competition. Returns:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.		Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mrs. J. G. Dill ...	91	14	77	Miss M. Dowie	115	28	87
Miss M. Heathcote	88	10	78	Mrs. Jennings	116	28	88
Mrs. Baker ...	93	14	79	Miss Sanders	113	25	88
Miss Walker ...	96	16	80	Miss A. Dowie	119	28	91
Miss Starkie-Bence	80	+1	81	Miss Reid ...	116	25	91
Mrs. Wright ...	100	18	82	Miss Bell ...	112	20	92
Miss M. Verrall ...	113	30	83	Mrs. Germon	118	24	94
Mrs. Ryder-Richardson	87	3	84	Mrs. W. G. Nicholson	113	15	98
Mrs. Barry ...	99	12	87	Mrs. Stirling	142	30	112

The play on Friday was of an interesting character. Miss Starkie-Bence won the prize for handicaps under 15, presented by Mrs. McGruder, and Miss D'Albiac secured the prize for handicaps over 15, the gift of Miss Hitchins. The balls presented by Mrs. Baker in the lofting competition were taken by Mrs. Sanderson. Returns:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.		Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Miss Starkie-Bence	73	+1	74	Mrs. Jennings	115	28	87
Miss D'Albiac ...	103	28	75	Miss M. Heathcote	97	9	88
Mrs. Sanderson ...	83	scr.	83	Mrs. Baker	102	14	88
Miss Walker ...	100	16	84	Miss Reid ...	113	25	88
Mrs. Wright ...	103	18	85	Miss Sanders	114	25	89
Miss Berrington	116	30	85	Mrs. J. G. Dill	102	12	90
Miss Bell ...	105	20	85	Miss Hooper	119	28	91
Miss Sullivan	111	25	86				

Thirty started.

In the sweepstakes for 9 holes Miss Sanders was first, Miss Verrall second, and Miss Wright third. Miss Bell secured the clock, presented by Mrs. Vachel, for the best net aggregate for the three days.

CANTERBURY GOLF CLUB.

Monthly medal, Tuesday, October 16th:—Rev. T. Field, 103, less 11=92; Mr. A. J. Macfarlane, 101, less 8=93; Dr. J. H. Joyce, 115, less 20=95. Others over 100 net or no return.

CARNARVONSHIRE GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting was held at Conway on October 8th to 13th. The weather was favourable, but the number of entries was hardly up to the average. Results of the different events as under:—

Monday, October 8th, monthly medal.—Mr. John Platt, 112, less 26=86; Mr. E. A. Young, 90, less 3=87; Mr. E. C. Kendall, 101, less 12=89; Mr. F. E. Woodhead (scratch), 90; Mr. H. G. Stock, 97, less 5=92; Colonel Dixon, 112, less 20=92; Mr. T. E. R. Johnson, 107, less 13=94. No returns:—Messrs. F. A. Brookes, E. W. Haslewood, W. B. Turner, O. S. Pilkington, G. H. Healey, R. S. Chamberlain, Albert Wood, H. B. Southwell, and A. P. Crosland.

Tuesday, October 9th, Volunteer cup ("Bogey" handicap).—Mr. E. A. Young, 2 up (gross 89); Mr. H. G. Stock, 1 down; Mr. A. P. Crosland, 3 down; Mr. J. E. Fincham, 3 down; Mr. J. D. Millar, 3 down; Mr. G. H. Healey 3 down; Mr. John Platt, 4 down; Canon Rees, 7 down; Colonel Dixon, 7 down; Mr. A. Evill, 8 down; Colonel Mainwaring, 11 down; Rev. H. K. Southwell, 11 down; Mr. T. E. R. Johnson, 12 down. No returns:—Colonel Marshall, Messrs. E. C. Kendall, F. E. Woodhead, W. B. Turner, E. W. Haslewood, H. B. Southwell, R. S. Chamberlain, O. S. Pilkington, and Rev. Tudor Owen.

Wednesday, October 10th, Platt cup (scratch):—

*Mr. E. O. Young ...	90	Mr. G. H. Healey ...	105
Mr. F. E. Woodhead ...	90	Mr. T. E. R. Johnson ...	107
Mr. H. G. Stock ...	97	Mr. A. Evill ...	112
Mr. J. D. Millar ...	98	Colonel Dixon ...	116
Mr. J. E. Pearson ...	99	Mr. F. A. Brooke ...	118
Mr. E. C. Kendall ...	101		

* Winner.

No returns:—Mr. Albert Wood, Mr. E. H. Lloyd, Mr. E. W. Haslewood, Mr. H. B. Southwell, Rev. H. K. Southwell, Mr. A. P. Crosland, Mr. J. E. Fincham, and W. B. Turner.

Thursday, October 11th, Penrhyn cup (medal handicap):—

Gross. Hcp. Net.		Gross. Hcp. Net.	
Mr. E. A. Young ...	93 3 90	Mr. E. P. Stephen-	
Mr. G. H. Healey ...	104 13 91	son ...	114 20 94
Mr. A. Evill ...	107 15 92	Rev. K. Southwell ...	114 20 94
Mr. H. G. Stock ...	97 5 92	Mr. John Platt ...	120 24 96
Mr. J. E. Pearson ...	95 3 92	Colonel Dixon ...	120 20 100
Mr. R. S. Chamber-		Colonel Mainwaring ...	122 20 102
lain ...	113 20 93	Mr. J. D. Millar ...	122 12 110

No returns:—Mr. Albert Wood, Mr. E. H. Lloyd, Mr. F. E. Woodhead, Mr. F. A. Brooke, Mr. A. P. Crosland, Mr. J. E. Fincham, Mr. W. B. Turner, Mr. T. E. R. Johnson, Sir R. Bulkeley, Mr. H. B. Southwell, Mr. E. W. Johnson, Mr. J. Porter, and Canon Rees.

Friday, October 12th, North Wales Bulkeley challenge cup (scratch).—Result not yet decided.

A return match was played at Rhyl, as under:—

Monday, October 8th.—

CARNARVONSHIRE.	Holes.	RHYL.	Holes.
Mr. F. E. Woodhead ...	8	Mr. H. G. Stock ...	0
Mr. J. E. Pearson ...	0	Mr. J. Wild ...	3
Mr. E. A. Young ...	4	Mr. C. G. Ellie ...	0
Mr. A. F. Crosland ...	0	Mr. W. A. Watts ...	0
Mr. E. C. Kendall ...	0	Mr. F. F. C. Jagger ...	2
Mr. H. B. Southwell ...	0	Mr. T. E. R. Johnson ...	2
	12		7

Result: Carnarvonshire, 5 up. Mr. F. E. Woodhead did a fine round of 83.

COUNTY DOWN GOLF CLUB.

A ladies' and gentlemen's foursome competition was played on October 9th at Newcastle, confined to members of the County Down Golf Club and members of the County Down Ladies' Golf Club. Eighteen couples entered:—

First Round.—Mrs. Clark and Mr. G. S. Clark (2) beat Miss Tyrrell and Mr. E. J. Johns (6) by 1 up, after a tie; Miss M. Graham and Mr. J. H. Richardson (2) beat Miss Stronge and Capt. Stronge (6).

Second Round.—Miss M'Causland and Mr. R. H. Bland (8), a bye; Miss G. Shaw and Mr. W. H. Phillips, absent; Mrs. Duffin and Mr. C. H. Duffin (5) beat Miss Burden and Mr. C. Brownlow (9) by 4 up and 2 to play; Miss M. Tyrrell and Mr. Fred Hoey (6) beat Miss E. Charley and Mr. F. Gordon by 4 up and 3 to play; Miss Magill and Mr. R. Magill (4) beat Miss K. Henderson and Mr. H. T. Henderson (9) by 3 up and 2 to play; Miss MacLaine and Rev. S. J. Hackett (4) beat Miss Graham and Mr. S. Roberts by 2 up and 1 to play; Mrs. Lepper and Mr. J. MacCormac beat Mrs. Hodges and Mr. J. F. W. Hodges by 1 up, after a tie; Mrs. Shaw and Mr. T. V. P. MacCam-

mon (3) beat Miss Charley and Mr. A. Charley (4) by 3 up and 4 to play; Miss N. Graham and Mr. Richardson beat Mrs. Clark and Mr. Clark by 2 up and 1 to play.

Third Round.—Miss M'Causland and Mr. Bland beat Mrs. Duffin and Mr. Duffin by 3 up and 2 to play; Miss M. Tyrrell and Mr. Hoey beat Miss Magill and Mr. Magill by 3 up and 2 to play; Miss MacLaine and Rev. S. J. Hackett beat Mrs. Lepper and Mr. MacCormac by 2 up; Miss Graham and Mr. Richardson beat Mrs. Shaw and Mr. MacCormac by 1 up.

Semi-Final.—Miss M'Causland and Mr. Bland beat Miss M. Tyrrell and Mr. Hoey by 3 up and 2 to play; Miss Graham and Mr. Richardson beat Miss MacLaine and Rev. S. J. Hackett by 2 up and 1 to play.

Miss M'Causland and Mr. Bland won the first prize opponents, having scratched.

The first of the semi-annual competitions for the challenge cup presented to the Ladies' Club by some of the members of the County Down Golf Club, and for two prizes, value three guineas, to the winner, and one guinea to the runner-up, was played on the long course at Newcastle on the 11th inst. There were only fourteen entries. At the conclusion of the competition the members of the club, with a large party of their friends, adjourned to the Ladies' Club-house, where all were sumptuously entertained by Mrs. Haliday. The most interesting feature of the day's proceedings was the presentation of a massive and ornate silver cigar-case to Mr. J. F. W. Hodges, which had been subscribed for by some members of the Ladies' Golf Club. The following are the details of the competition:—

First round.—Miss K. Henderson (9), a bye; Miss M'Causland (6), a bye; Miss Tyrrell (7) beat Mrs. G. Clarke (scratch), 3 up and 1 to play; Miss N. Graham (scratch) beat Miss E. Carr (8), 5 up and 4 to play; Miss MacLaine (3) beat Miss Magill (1), 2 up and 1 to play; Miss L. Brush (8) beat Miss A. Henderson, absent; Miss M. Tyrrell (7) beat Mrs. Hodges (9), 2 up and 1 to play; Miss G. Graham (scratch) beat Miss F. Carr (5), 1 up after two ties.

Second round.—Miss M'Causland beat Miss K. Henderson, absent; Miss N. Graham beat Miss Tyrrell, 2 up; Miss MacLaine beat Miss Brush, 5 up and 4 to play; Miss M. Tyrrell beat Miss S. Graham, 1 up after a tie.

Semi-final.—Miss N. Graham beat Miss M'Causland, 3 up and 1 to play; Miss MacLaine beat Miss M. Tyrrell.

Monthly medal competition.—The competition for the monthly medal was played on the 2nd inst., when Miss Tyrrell was returned the winner, Miss L. Brush being second.

FINCHLEY GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting was held on October 13th and 20th, when the committee offered for competition two silver cups, one for handicaps of 15 and over, and one for handicaps under 15. The competition was open to members of the Finchley, East Finchley, and Muswell Hill Golf Clubs. A large number of competitors entered, and the visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the excellent condition of the course. The club is now in its second year, and, under the skilful treatment of the professional, Charlie Crawford, the course is in really first-class order, the lies through the green are invariably good, and most of the putting-greens perfect. "Bogey" for nine holes is 42, and the amateur record 86 (eighteen holes) held by Mr. J. W. James. On each day there was an optional sweepstake of half-a-crown, open to all members and visitors.

October 13th. Handicaps 15 and over:—

Gross Hcp. Net.		Gross Hcp. Net.	
Mr. W. Howe ...	107 20 87	Dr. Holbrook ...	113 18 95
Mr. C. Monro ...	107 20 87	Mr. J. Stephens ...	113 18 95
Mr. J. Heal ...	108 20 88	Mr. T. Molton ...	113 17 96
Mr. W. Wylie ...	109 20 89	Mr. F. Moginie ...	118 20 98
Mr. J. Hyslop ...	113 20 93		

Others over 99 net.

Sweepstake.—1, Mr. E. L. Milner-Barry, 99, less 14=85. 2 and 3, divided between Mr. P. B. Tubbs, 99, less 12=87, Mr. W. Howe and Mr. C. Monro. The tie was played on October 20th, when Mr. C. Monro won the junior cup with 99, less 20=79.

October 20th. Handicaps under 15:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.		Gross. Hcp. Net.	
*Mr. J. L. Clarke ...	91 9 82	Mr. J. M. McGregor ...	97 9 88
Mr. E. L. Milner-		Mr. A. M. Kyd ...	99 10 89
Barry ...	98 14 84	Mr. F. H. Swinstead ...	100 10 90
Mr. W. G. MacGregor ...	95 10 85	Mr. J. Hax ...	100 10 90
Mr. A. A. Hannay ...	94 6 88		

* Winner of senior cup.

Others over 90 net.

Sweepstake 1, Mr. C. Monro; 2, Mr. J. L. Clarke; 3, Mr. J. Heal, 83 net.

FOLKESTONE GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting was held on October 8th and following days. October 8th and 9th.—Prize given by Mr. J. W. Jeffery for the best aggregate net score returned, a medal round of eighteen holes to be played each day. Unfortunately, owing to absence from home of several prominent players, and other causes, there were not so many competitors as could have been wished, and only three persevered to the thirty-sixth hole. Scores as follows:—Dr. T. Eastes, 217, less 40=177; Mr. A. C. Edwards, 183, less 2=181; Mr. F. W. Morris, 225, less 24=201.

October 10th and 11th.—A match handicap tournament was played by the winners of the previous twelve monthly competitions for the gold medals presented by Capt. Eccles, the popular captain of the club. After some interesting contests, the ladies' gold medal was won by Miss D. Jeffery, while Mr. A. C. Edwards secured that offered for gentlemen. The following are the details of the matches:—

First round.—Mr. W. J. Haughton (9) beat Capt. Eccles (7) scratched. Second round.—Mr. A. C. Edwards (1) beat Mr. H. D. Hirst (6); Col. Parker (2) beat Major Burton (12); Capt. Tattersall (plus 1) beat Mr. J. W. Jeffery (6); Mr. W. J. Haughton beat Mr. H. Seymour, scratched.

Third Round.—Capt. Tattersall beat Mr. W. J. Haughton; Mr. A. C. Edwards beat Col. Parker.

Final.—Mr. A. C. Edwards beat Capt. Tattersall by 1 up.

Ladies' tournament:—

First Round.—Miss Edwards (plus 1) beat Miss K. Ritchie (10).

Second Round.—Miss E. Wood (9) beat Miss P. Jeffery (20); Miss D. Jeffery (plus 1) beat Miss Borrow (5); Mrs. Ward (16) beat Mrs. Parker (13); and Miss Edwards beat Miss Eccles (8), scratched.

Third Round.—Miss D. Jeffery beat Miss E. Wood; Miss Edwards beat Mrs. Ward.

Final.—Miss D. Jeffery beat Miss Edwards.

October 12th.—The four winners of the Edwards prize played for its ultimate possession. The matches were as follows:—Miss D. Jeffery beat Miss P. Jeffery; Miss K. Ritchie beat Miss Borrow. In the final, Miss D. Jeffery defeated Miss K. Ritchie, thereby gaining her second prize during the week by good all-round play.

HAYLING GOLF CLUB.

October 12th.—The treasurer's cup (scratch competition):—Col. J. S. Walker, 91; Mr. W. M. Corrie, 92; Mr. A. Lubbock, 94; Mr. E. S. McEuen, 95; Mr. A. Read, 96; Mr. W. D. Marshall, 100.

There was a large entry for a cup presented by Mr. Sassoon (match play), the last couple left in were Messrs. W. Marshall and Duncan, the latter winning. The last couple in for the annual cup, played for by the monthly winners of the medal throughout the year, were Col. Selby Walker and Mr. Pearson, the latter winning.

October 13th.—Bennett cup (two rounds):—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. C. Bryans	188	20 168	Col. Walker	188	10 178
Col. Stewart	204	36 168	Mr. D. Morrison	208	30 178
Mr. W. M. Corrie	181	12 169	Mr. Wm. Gann	189	10 179
Mr. John Duncan	169	scr. 169	Mr. W. Marshall	193	14 179
Mr. George Clarke	195	22 173	Mr. A. Lubbock	186	6 180
Major Swinburn	191	18 173	Mr. H. S. Gairdner	193	12 181
Mr. E. H. Liddell	210	36 174	Mr. G. Duncan	201	18 183
Mr. E. M. Owen	204	30 174	Rev. H. Spyers	223	40 183
Mr. C. H. Sapie	195	20 175	Mr. W. C. Marshall	216	32 184
Col. G. B. Hall	207	32 175	Col. Greig	217	30 187
Mr. S. F. Higgins	196	20 176	Col. Savil	228	40 188
Mr. L. G. Bonham			Mr. E. S. McEuen	194	4 190
Carter	195	18 177			

October 15th.—Autumn gold, silver, and bronze medals.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. E. T. Clifford	94	15 79	Mr. A. Lubbock	92	3 89
Mr. D. Morrison	96	15 81	Col. G. B. Hall	106	16 90
Mr. C. Bryans	95	10 85	Mr. Walter Marshall	101	7 94
Mr. L. Pearson	101	16 85	Col. Walker	100	5 95
Rev. H. Spyers	105	20 85	Col. Stewart	113	18 95
Mr. John Duncan	87	scr. 87	Col. Greig	112	15 97
Mr. G. W. Duncan	96	9 87	Mr. R. J. T. Henery	97	scr. 97
Mr. W. M. Corrie	93	6 87	Col. Savil	118	20 98
Mr. George Clarke	98	11 87	Mr. Wm. Gann	105	5 100
Mr. J. S. Sassoon	96	8 88	Capt. Trotter	114	14 100
Mr. E. M. Owen	103	15 88			

HUDDERSFIELD GOLF CLUB.

Ladies' monthly medal. The nine ladies who have put in wins for this medal during the year, played off for final possession last Wednesday. Miss M. Shaw won with 88, less 8=80. Other net scores were:—Miss Middlemost, 87; Miss Sykes, 88; Mrs. Knight, 90. On Saturday the Hordern medal was played for and was won by Mr. J.

Shaw Gaunt with 114, less 19=95; Mr. H. Douglas Gaunt was second with 96. This medal is played for twice a year, and is open to second class players only. On Saturday only three entered for it, and the scoring was poor.

HEATON MOOR GOLF CLUB.

The seventh monthly competition was played on Saturday, when there was a good turn-out of members. Both the Glover and Laidlaw gold medals were won by Mr. W. Sockett with the excellent net score of 79, who also took the first sweep. The second sweep was divided between the three members who tied with 84 net. The following were the scores returned:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. W. Sockett	94	15 79	Mr. J. Laidlaw, jun.	105	15 90
Mr. W. H. Smartt	92	8 84	Mr. W. Dewse	104	12 92
Mr. S. I. Thomson	92	8 84	Mr. H. Taylor	107	15 92
Mr. G. M. Yates	96	12 84	Mr. A. Jackson	112	20 92
Mr. J. H. Ellis	90	5 85	Mr. H. E. Stelfer	112	20 92
Mr. W. J. Hunt	98	12 86	Mr. A. W. Reynolds	101	7 94
Mr. S. Marsden	92	5 87	Mr. E. Thorp	109	15 94
Mr. J. Spilsbury	95	8 87	Mr. T. B. Glover	108	12 96
Mr. R. Thorburn	102	15 87	Mr. V. L. Newton	119	20 99
Mr. J. Stirling	97	8 89			

The following made no returns, or were over 100:—Messrs. Watkin, Walker, Baynton, Penrose, Hyslop, Wagstaffe, Miniatti, Blakey, A. Scholes, Cookson, Calker, Guy, Mann, Chester, R. Scholes.

KENT AND SUSSEX LADIES' GOLF COUNTY CHALLENGE CUP.

The ladies' Golf county challenge cup of the Kent and Sussex Clubs was played for between September 1st and October 15th last. All clubs chose their respective and consecutive three days on which to compete. Thirteen clubs entered, and ten competed. The other three from various causes were unable to play this year. The club which wins the cup holds it for one year, receiving a memento which they retain. Not less than six members play each day, the six best scores being selected of a day, from which a three days' aggregate is made, an average struck, and the points between that and the club's scratch score deducted. The Royal Eastbourne Ladies' Golf Club have been the first winners of this trophy with the steady average of 80 and a fraction for six players each of the three days, thereby surpassing all their previous aggregates. Ashdown Forest and Barham Downs ran them very close, each being only ten points behind their scratch (Royal Eastbourne being eight), and having some grand scores. Miss Curteis, of Ashdown Forest, returned a 72, the scratch of the club being 80; and Miss E. Ramsey, of Barham Downs, returned a 79, that club's scratch being 85. Several of the other clubs were unable to secure the assistance of many of their best players, but the results are very close considering it is the first time of the competition. In three cases there are ties. Folkestone were especially unlucky in failing to get together their best players, and having also a somewhat boisterous wind to contend with. Miss D. Jeffery and Miss Edwards, however, returned fine scores of 96 and 97 respectively, the scratch being 96. Any other Kent or Sussex clubs wishing to join before next season can do so on application to the honorary secretary, Miss Starkie-Bence, 22, The Lees, Folkestone, or Miss Blanche Martin, assistant secretary. Scores:—

	Gross aggregate.	Average.	Scratch score of club.	Points between average & scratch.
Royal Eastbourne, Oct. 8, 9, and 10	1446	80 $\frac{1}{2}$	72	8
Ashdown Forest, Oct. 11, 12, and 13	1620	90	80	10
Barham Downs, Sept. 10, 11, and 12	1713	95 $\frac{1}{2}$	85	10
Rochester, Sept. 13, 14, and 15	1728	96	80	16
Blackheath, Oct. 1, 2, and 3	1628	90 $\frac{1}{2}$	74	16
Brighton and Hove, Oct. 10, 11 and 12	1721	95 $\frac{1}{2}$	76	19
Bexhill, Sept. 20, 21, and 22	2156	119 $\frac{1}{2}$	100	19
Littlestone, Oct. 11, 12 and 13	1820	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	80	21
Copthorn, Oct. 11, 12, and 13	1989	110 $\frac{1}{2}$	88	22
Folkestone, Sept. 18, 19, and 20	2150	119 $\frac{1}{2}$	96	23

Hastings and Southdown and Brighton were unable to compete this year. Tonbridge—Growth of grass this season made course unplayable.

KING'S NORTON GOLF CLUB.

PROFESSIONAL COMPETITION.

An interesting week's Golf was brought to a close at King's Norton on Saturday, October 13th, the occasion being the autumn meeting of the club. The committee had made elaborate preparations for the event, and great pains had been taken by G. Cawsey, the club professional, to get the greens into good order, with very satisfactory results. Naturally most interest was centred in the professional competition, on the 10th. Ten pounds was offered in prizes, which had the effect

of inducing seventeen professionals to enter, of whom only one failed to put in an appearance. In addition Mr. S. Baldwin, the captain of the club, offered £1 is. to the player returning the lowest score for one round of the course, which is a nine-hole one. The greens, while carefully prepared, were rendered very sodden and sticky by the rain, and were consequently a trifle trying. The competition was by strokes, and four rounds were played. Of the green itself it can truly be said that it is very good indeed, abounding in hazards, with ample variety, comprising trees, hedges, and ditches. On the whole the play was of a high order, particularly on the part of Hugh Kirkaldy, T. Vardon, and J. Burns. Naturally the interest of the spectators at the outset centred in the play of Hugh Kirkaldy, who completed the first two rounds in 80, but this was entirely eclipsed by T. Vardon, who played in brilliant style and came in with 36 and 37=73, being followed by J. Burns with 78. In his remaining two rounds Vardon treated the spectators who followed him and Cawsey to a grand exposition of Golf, his driving and approaching being of the finest description. He completed the third round in 37 and the fourth in 40, or a grand total of 150. Hugh Kirkaldy did not improve upon his previous score until the last round, which he completed in a brilliant 36, and only missed a long putt at the last hole by about an inch to make his score 35 and thus beat the record of the green made during the competition by T. Vardon, H. Kirkaldy, and J. Burns of 36 each (amongst whom the captain's prize was divided), the previous record of 37 being held by the club professional, G. Cawsey. After the competition the prizes were presented in the club-room by the captain of the club, who expressed his satisfaction at the attendance of so many professionals, and hoped that on a future occasion the club would be able to offer them an inducement to come again, in the shape of an increased amount of prizes. The following were the prize-winners:—

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total.
T. Vardon, Ilkley (1st prize £5) ...	36	37	37	40	150
H. Kirkaldy, Oxford (2nd prize £3) ...	40	40	41	36	157
J. Burns, Dunstall Park (3rd prize £1) ...	42	36	48	40	166
L. G. Ross, Sutton Coldfield (4th prize £1) ...	42	41	46	40	169
S. J. Cooper, Warwick ...	46	44	39	43	172
J. Cunningham, Solihull ...	43	40	46	44	173
F. Wingate, Harborne ...	45	44	41	43	173
W. Lewis, Derby ...	38	43	47	40	174
G. R. Smith, Leicester ...	48	42	45	41	176
G. Cawsey, King's Norton ...	48	41	44	44	177
E. Veness, Hagley ...	44	47	45	47	183
W. Gaudin, Ilkley ...	49	45	47	43	184
R. Meiklejohn, Heaton Moor ...	47	45	50	44	186
J. Boden, Sutton Coldfield ...	55	44	51	51	201
S. Walsgrove, Coventry ...	55	50	56	53	214
W. McKinley, Olton ...	50	45	54	53	retired.

Mr. S. Baldwin (captain) and the hon. secretary (Mr. J. J. Tomson) superintended the proceedings, being assisted by other members of the club, who gave their services in scoring for the players. On Friday, the 12th, the competitions consisted of ladies' and gentlemen's foursomes (handicap) for match pairs, the condition being one round of the course, match play. Nine couples started, and some very interesting games resulted. The final round between Mrs. Elkington and Mr. Tolkien and Miss Clarke and Mr. S. Baldwin proved an exciting match, which was won by the last-named couple.

LONDON SCOTTISH GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting took place on October 18th and 20th. It was chiefly remarkable for the fine score with which Mr. T. R. Pinkerton won the Mackenzie challenge cup, 75, plus 3=78. The following are the details of the score:—Out, 6 5 5 4 3 4 4 3=38; in, 3 3 4 5 4 4 3 6 5=37, total 75. The next best scores were:—Mr. E. F. White, 93, less 12=81; Mr. James Duncan (scratch), 82; Captain King, 103, less 18=85; Dr. Carter, 99, less 12=87; Mr. D. S. Froy (scratch), 88; Mr. James Gow, 91, less 3=88; Mr. J. G. Maclean, 96, less 8=88; and Mr. S. G. Warner, 104, less 16=88.

The meeting was continued on Saturday. Mr. D. S. Froy (scratch), 87, was the winner of the autumn gold medal, and the next best scores were:—Mr. J. G. Maclean, 91, less 8=83; Mr. H. E. Fisher, 93, less 10=83; Mr. James Gow, 88, less 3=85; Mr. S. G. Warner, 101, less 16=85; Mr. D. Strahan Smith, 96, less 8=88; Dr. F. H. Carter, 100, less 12=88; Mr. James Dickie, 104, less 15=89; and Mr. T. R. Pinkerton, 88, plus 3=91.

LIMPSFIELD CHART GOLF CLUB.

Autumn handicaps and monthly and quarterly medals.—Mr. C. N. Watney, 93, less 14=79; Mr. C. N. Butler, 89, less 9=80; Mr. C. Leveson Gower, 96, less 12=84; Rev. C. G. Acworth, 103, less 12=91; Rev. T. W. Parsons, 102, less 9=93; Mr. C. Macartney, 111, less 18=93; Mr. R. Brodie, 105, less 10=95; Mr. A. Woodroffe, 119, less 18=101.

Ladies.—Mrs. Urmson, 83, less 6=77; Miss Bartlett, 91, less 12=79; Miss M. Haggard, 95, less 14=81; Miss D. Boyson, 93, less 5=88; Miss L. M. Bartlett, 88, plus 2=90. The course is in a very heavy state, owing to the wet summer, and the scores consequently higher than they should be.

Monthly medal.—Capt. R. D. Vincent, 96, less 13=83; Mr. W. E. Hughes, 92, less 5=87; Mr. A. S. Barnes, 100, less 12=88; Mr. C. Streatfield, 100, less 12=88; Mr. R. Brodie, 99, less 10=89; Rev. C. G. Acworth, 107, less 12=95.

Ladies.—Mrs. Urmson, 90, less 8=82; Mrs. H. Stewart, 86, less 2=84; Miss Lee, 107, less 18=89; Miss Watney, 90, less 1=89; Miss Tabor, 113, less 20=93; Miss Board, 130, less 12=118.

Mr. Charles Watney won the quarterly medal, being 3 up to "Bogey" (receiving 11 strokes).

LEASOWE GOLF CLUB.

There was an entry of forty players for the monthly medal competition on Saturday, October 13th, and, although the scores were fairly good, the new bunkers were accountable for many a dire disaster and the blighting of many hopes. The course continues to improve, and recent showers have helped the greens greatly.

The best card was returned by Mr. John Ball (2), 76 plus 3=79. The details of the rounds are as follows:—

First round ...	5	4	5	4	5	6	4	4	3=40
Second round ...	4	4	5	3	4	5	4	4	3=36

Thus winning the medal, optional, and first sweepstake.

The other scores were:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.		Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. John Ball (2) ...	76	+3	79	Mr. J. Fearnley ...	106	18	88
Mr. F. M. Preston ...	95	15	80	Mr. C. H. H. Scott ...	106	17	89
Mr. G. D. Burrell ...	83	2	81	Mr. W. A. Taylor ...	101	12	89
Mr. J. C. Clarke ...	100	18	82	Mr. J. P. Carr ...	99	9	90
Mr. C. H. Smith ...	90	6	84	Mr. G. V. Wall ...	107	16	91
Mr. W. Blackley ...	103	18	85	Mr. H. Ridler ...	116	25	91
Mr. J. H. Burrell ...	115	30	85	Mr. W. Lewis ...	117	25	92
Mr. T. T. Eskridge ...	94	8	86	Mr. R. W. Lee ...	111	18	93
Mr. J. M. Campbell ...	96	9	87	Mr. Tom Jones ...	111	18	93
Mr. F. W. Carson ...	99	12	87	Mr. J. H. Howell ...	117	24	93
Mr. I. Cromarty ...	103	16	87	Mr. F. A. Ravens-			
Mr. E. B. Higgins ...	107	20	87	croft ...	105	12	94
Mr. W. B. Pedder ...	109	22	87	Mr. F. J. Townley ...	115	20	95

The other players made no returns.

LYTHAM AND ST. ANNE'S GOLF CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.—CONCLUDING DAY.

A fine clear atmosphere, and a sharp air, with a northerly breeze, not too strong, combined to make an almost perfect golfing day on Oct. 15th, the second and concluding day of the autumn meeting of the Lytham and St. Anne's Golf Club. There was again a very large attendance of members, some from a considerable distance, and ninety-eight players went out. The Thistleton gold medal, with gold memento for the best scratch score; three handicap prizes; and the Hermon silver cigar-box, under handicap limited to ten strokes (with accompanying memento), for the best net aggregate score of both days' play, formed a very attractive programme; and during the day there was some very fine play; the record of the long course being broken by Mr. J. Ball, jun., who went the round in the splendid score of 76. The previous record having been 79. The best gross scores were by Messrs. J. Ball, jun., 76 (who was therefore winner of the Thistleton medal and memento); H. H. Hilton, 82; C. Hutchings, 84; W. E. Fairlie, 87; F. E. M. Dixon, 89. The details of Mr. J. Ball, jun.'s, fine score were as follows:—Out, 5 4 3 5 5 4 5 4 5=40; home, 4 4 3 4 4 6 3 4=36; total, 76. Mr. Hilton's score of 82 was made up as follows:—Out, 4 6 5 5 6 4 4 5 5=44; home, 5 4 3 4 3 5 5 4=38; total, 82. Mr. C. Hutchings followed with 84, thus completed—Out, 4 3 3 6 6 6 6 4 5=43; home, 5 4 4 6 4 4 6 3 5=41; total, 84.

The three handicap prizes were very closely competed for, the scores under 100 net being as follows:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. A. Entwisle, Bolton ...	94	10	84
Mr. E. Redfern, St. Anne's ...	98	14	84
Mr. J. Ball, jun., Hoylake ...	76	+9	85
Mr. W. H. Harrison, Lytham ...	93	7	86
Mr. F. E. M. Dixon, Liverpool ...	89	2	87
Mr. T. S. Turnbull, Manchester ...	91	4	87
Mr. F. H. Smith, Manchester ...	93	6	87
Mr. N. Macbeth, jun., St. Anne's ...	96	9	87
Mr. C. Dunderdale, Manchester ...	102	15	87
Mr. C. Hutchings, Frodsham ...	84	+4	88
Mr. J. G. Kirk, Manchester ...	92	4	88
Mr. G. R. Cox, Liverpool ...	90	1	89

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. J. Corbett Lowe, Liverpool...	97	8	89
Mr. G. C. Greenwell, Poynton ...	95	5	90
Mr. F. W. Walker, Bury ...	102	12	90
Mr. H. H. Hilton, Formby ...	82	+9	91
Mr. W. E. Fairlie, Stockport ...	87	+4	91
Mr. J. Mellor, St. Anne's ...	96	5	91
Mr. B. Thompson, St. Anne's ...	98	7	91
Dr. Booth, St. Anne's ...	106	15	91
Mr. W. H. Worthington, St. Anne's ...	107	16	91
Mr. G. F. Smith, Bolton ...	90	+2	92
Mr. W. Potter, Blundellsands ...	93	1	92
Mr. S. F. Butcher, Bury...	98	6	92
Mr. R. B. Hardman, St. Anne's ...	103	11	92
Mr. C. A. Birley, Bartle Hall ...	109	17	92
Mr. W. Stewart, Lancaster ...	92	+1	93
Mr. J. E. Pearson, Liverpool ...	95	2	93
Mr. W. Fletcher, Manchester ...	96	3	93
Mr. H. G. Langley, Manchester ...	102	9	93
Mr. A. Ramm, Ashton-on-Mersey ...	105	12	93
Mr. C. H. Atkinson, Singleton ...	108	15	93
Mr. J. Brooks, Manchester ...	109	16	93
Mr. A. H. Doleman, South Shore ...	92	+2	94
Mr. A. B. Scholfield, Disley ...	95	1	94
Mr. W. Newbigging, St. Anne's ...	97	3	94
Rev. C. Billington, Lytham ...	97	3	94
Mr. J. W. Botsford, Manchester ...	112	18	94
Mr. J. Hornby, Liverpool ...	95	scr.	95
Mr. D. Tonge, Disley ...	102	7	95
Mr. C. A. Schunck, Manchester...	104	9	95
Mr. A. Derbyshire, Manchester...	107	12	95
Mr. J. A. Brown, St. Anne's ...	96	scr.	96
Mr. F. Merriman, Knutsford ...	106	10	96
Mr. D. E. Anderson, Manchester ...	107	11	96
Mr. A. E. Fair, Lytham ...	114	18	96
Mr. P. Musgrave, Bolton ...	102	5	97
Mr. M. S. Bles, Manchester ...	112	15	97
Rev. J. K. Jacques, St. Anne's ...	112	13	99
Mr. R. Haig Brown, Fallowfield ...	113	14	99

Several players did not send in any returns. It will be seen that a tie for first and second handicap prizes took place between Mr. A. Entwisle and Mr. E. Redfern. Subsequently Mr. E. Redfern scratched to Mr. Entwisle, who therefore took first prize, and Mr. Redfern second. The third prize was won by Mr. J. Ball, jun., notwithstanding his very heavy handicap.

The twelve best scores for the aggregate prize were:—Mr. T. S. Turnbull, first day 84, second day 87, total 171; Mr. Fred. H. Smith, 86, 87=173; Mr. J. G. Kirk, 87, 88=175; Mr. N. Macbeth, jun., 88, 87=175; Mr. A. Entwisle, 91, 84=175; Mr. J. Ball, jun., 91, 85=176; Mr. C. Hutchings, 90, 88=178; Mr. G. F. Smith, 86, 92=178; Mr. F. E. M. Dixon, 91, 87=178; Mr. G. C. Greenwell; 88, 90=178; Mr. W. Stewart, 86, 93=179; Mr. W. Fletcher, 86, 93=179.

The prize was therefore won by Mr. T. S. Turnbull.

There were ties on Saturday for the handicap prizes, and these were played off on Monday with the following result:—For the first and second Mr. T. S. Turnbull, 91, less 6=85; Mr. M. Taylor, 110, less 12=98; Mr. Turnbull therefore taking first prize, and Mr. M. Taylor second. For the third prize Mr. Fred. H. Smith, 93, less 6=87; Mr. G. F. Smith, 90, plus 2=92; Mr. W. Stewart, 92, plus 1=93; Mr. W. Fletcher, 96, less 3=93, the third prize therefore being won by Mr. Fred. H. Smith.

The optional sweepstakes were won—First and second divided by Messrs. A. Entwisle and E. Redfern; and the third taken by Mr. J. Ball, jun.

At the conclusion of play the captain of the club, Mr. J. H. Hulton, presented the prizes in the club-room, and in a few introductory words said that they had now come to the close of the most brilliant meeting that had ever taken place in connection with the Lytham and St. Anne's Golf Club. The attendance on Saturday and Monday had not been exceeded either in quantity or quality of play. He referred to the charming concert which they had so much enjoyed on Saturday night owing to the energy of Mr. Bowman and to the splendid state of the links, for which they were indebted to Mr. T. H. Miller (to which also Mr. C. Hutchings paid a well-deserved tribute, saying that the greens were absolutely perfect). He also spoke of the record of the green being cut by that magnificent player, Mr. J. Ball, jun., the mention of whose name was received with a hearty round of applause. The prizes were then presented. A special vote of thanks was passed amidst great applause to Mr. T. H. Miller, the director of the greens; and a similar compliment was also paid to Mr. James Miller, hon. treasurer, Mr. J. Talbot Fair, hon. secretary, and Mr. Clarke, assistant secretary, for the complete arrangements that had been made for the autumn meeting; and the proceedings terminated with a very hearty round of cheers for the captain.

LADIES' AUTUMN MEETING.

Favourable weather prevailed on Wednesday, October 17th, when the lady subscribers of the Lytham and St. Anne's Golf Club had their Autumn Meeting; and the gold medal with gold memento for the best Scratch Score, presented three years ago by the Lady Eleanor Cecily Clifton, was the principal prize of the day. There was also a handicap prize, presented by Mrs. E. Harrison; and the winners of the six competitions for Mrs. Cross' prize played off, under special handicap, for possession. The links were in excellent order. The best gross scores were:—Miss E. Lythgoe, 84 (winner of the medal); Mrs. E. Catterall, 87; Mrs. Brown, 92; Miss Turnbull, 93; Miss Mugliston, 95. Miss E. Lythgoe's fine score was made up thus:—Out, 6 4 5 5 4 6 3 4 4=41; home, 5 5 6 5 4 5 4 4 5=43, total 84. The twenty best net scores to decide the handicap prize were as follows:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mrs. J. B. Parkinson, Cheadle ...	103	23	80
Miss E. Lythgoe, St. Anne's ...	84	+1	85
Miss E. Salt, Lytham ...	105	17	88
Mrs. R. S. Boddington, Manchester ...	108	20	88
Mrs. E. Catterall, St. Anne's ...	87	+4	91
Miss Turnbull, Manchester ...	93	1	92
Mrs. Brown, St. Anne's... ..	92	+2	94
Mrs. F. W. Catterall, St. Anne's ...	106	12	94
Mrs. Miller, Singleton Park ...	106	9	97
Miss Florence Watson, St. Anne's ...	118	21	97
Miss Mugliston, Lytham ...	95	+3	98
Miss M. Terry, St. Anne's ...	113	15	98
Miss C. Salt, Lytham ...	113	15	98
Mrs. Whipp, St. Anne's ...	123	25	98
Mrs. E. Harrison, St. Anne's ...	121	20	101
Miss E. Terry, St. Anne's ...	104	2	102
Mrs. G. Parkinson, St. Anne's ...	119	17	102
Miss Hargreaves, St. Anne's ...	124	22	102
Mrs. Eason, Lytham ...	106	2	104
Miss C. Fisher, Lytham ...	125	19	106

Mrs. J. B. Parkinson therefore won the handicap prize. Several ladies did not return any cards.

The competition for Mrs. Cross' prize was as follows, under a special handicap:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mrs. R. S. Boddington, Manchester ...	108	25	83
Miss E. Lythgoe, St. Anne's ...	84	scr.	84
Miss E. Salt, Lytham ...	105	21	84
Mrs. E. Catterall, St. Anne's ...	87	scr.	87
Miss Turnbull, Manchester ...	93	4	89
Miss M. Terry, St. Anne's ...	113	20	93

Mrs. Boddington therefore was the winner. The ladies' new pavilion, recently erected on the links by the club (where afternoon tea can be served) appears to be much appreciated.

MID-SURREY GOLF CLUB.

This club's junior monthly medal was played for on Saturday, October 13th. The weather was favourable, and the links in excellent condition. Subjoined are the best scores:—Mr. W. Wallington, 100, less 20=80, and Mr. H. Holland, 107, less 27=80, tied for medal; Mr. J. J. Hayes, 112, less 25=87, winner of sweepstakes; Mr. A. Jenner, 108, less 20=88; Mr. H. Tomlinson, 113, less 24=89; Mr. J. Southall, 113, 21=92, Mr. A. Vertue, 119, less 27=92; Mr. J. J. Bethell, 116, less 22=94; Mr. G. G. Vertue, 125, less 27=98. Others over 100 net, or no returns.

MUSSELBURGH NEW CLUB.

The members held their autumn competition meeting on October 15th, when there was a large turn-out of the club. A stiff and bitterly cold north-east wind prevailed. Between fifty and sixty players took part in the play, which was for the club silver cup, the club medal, the captain's prize, and two prizes from the club funds, all of them, except the cup, being handicap awards. The details of Dr. Gray's winning score of 84 were:—First round, 6 5 6 4 5 5 3 4 4=42; second round, 4 5 7 5 4 6 4 4 3=42. The club gold medal fell to Mr. A. C. Robertson with 48 and 52, a total of 100, less 16. The best handicap scores were:—

Gross Hcp. Net.				Gross Hcp. Net.			
Mr. A. C. Robertson	100	16	84	Mr. J. Macintosh ...	105	14	91
Mr. Baillie Macpherson	Mr. Thos. Miller ...	109	18	91
son	90	4	86	Mr. G. Sinclair ...	98	6	92
Mr. G. Martin	96	8	88	Mr. M. J. Brown ...	89	+4	93
Mr. F. G. D. Gibson	96	8	88	Mr. R. W. Huie ...	112	18	96
Mr. T. Carmichael	104	14	90	Mr. C. R. Scott ...	103	8	95
Mr. John E. Pitcairn	108	18	90	Mr. W. Mackenzie	101	6	95
Mr. A. M'Lennan...	101	10	91	Mr. J. C. Johnston	101	6	95

At the close of the play the annual meeting was held in the club-

house, under the presidency of Mr. Marcus J. Brown, who was unanimously re-elected captain; while Mr. James Gibson, upon whom devolved the duty of carrying through the whole of the day's arrangements, was reappointed honorary secretary. Vacancies on the council were filled by the appointment of Messrs. D. S. Lunan, J. H. Robertson, and Dr. George Simpson. The total membership is 170. In the evening the members and a number of their friends—a large company—dined together in the club-house. The chair was again occupied by Mr. Marcus J. Brown, and among those present were Provost Keir, Musselburgh, and Councillor Kinloch Anderson, Edinburgh.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB.

Weekly handicap, Friday, October 19th:—Mr. G. B. Grundy, 77, less 6=71; P. A. Lushington, 79, less 5=74; Mr. L. W. S. Rostron, 91, less 15=76; Mr. H. L. Havers, 89, less 11=78; Mr. C. R. Jelf, 101, less 22=79; Mr. H. Leveson Gower, 92, less 11=81. Thirty entries. No returns from the rest.

RHYL GOLF CLUB.

Ladies' cup competition.—This was played off on Friday, October 12th, instead of Monday October 1st, in consequence of the autumn meeting taking place the first week in this month. The weather was somewhat foggy and unfavourable. The following was the result:—Miss Pennant, 94, less 1=93; Miss Mainwaring, 103, less 7=96; Miss A. Pennant, 117, less 16=101; Mrs. Duncan Miller, 151, less 50=101; Miss B. Knollys, 146, less 35=111.

ROYAL ASHDOWN FOREST GOLF CLUB.

The Autumn meeting was held at Forest Row on October 13th and 15th. The Club gold challenge medal for best aggregate gross score was won for the fourth time in succession by Mr. H. M. Braybrooke, who also took the Stonehouse cup for the best aggregate net for the second time, as well as prizes for the best gross each day, and for the best net on Monday, thus pretty well sweeping the board. Messrs. Hessenberg and F. Bell tied for the handicap prize on Saturday. Two new greens for the tenth and sixteenth were brought into use on Saturday, and met with considerable approval. They may not make the course harder to a scratch player—a stroke at most—but they do render the two holes far more interesting. Results:—

Saturday, Oct. 13:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.	Gross. Hcp. Net.
Mr. F. Hessenberg 103 23 80	Mr. H. E. Lawrence 98 10 88
Mr. F. Bell 105 25 80	Mr. C. W. Nix 101 12 89
Mr. H. M. Braybrooke 80 +2 82	Mr. W. F. Danby 104 15 89
Mr. W. E. Hughes 87 5 82	Mr. H. A. Curteis 91 1 90
Mr. L. Andrews 88 6 82	Rev. A. Meyrick 100 10 90
Mr. L. B. Burns 92 10 82	Mr. W. H. C. Wilson 101 10 91
Mr. T. Hyde 86 1 85	Mr. J. F. Gordon 103 12 91
Mr. C. L. Reade 90 4 86	Mr. A. H. Browne 106 14 92
Mr. C. A. Ashton 100 13 87	Mr. N. W. Grieve 108 16 92
Mr. F. Lucas 105 18 87	Mr. S. T. Clough 110 17 93
Mr. L. Midgley 102 14 88	Mr. J. Mews 107 14 93
Mr. J. Bigwood, M.P. 106 18 88	Mr. F. J. Lawrence 113 18 95

About twenty-four gentlemen made no returns.

Monday, October 15th:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.	Gross. Hcp. Net.
Mr. H. M. Braybrooke 78 +2 80	Mr. L. Andrews 93 6 87
Mr. W. F. Danby 96 15 81	Mr. J. F. Gordon 100 12 88
Mr. L. B. Burns 93 10 83	Dr. Roper 111 23 88
Mr. J. Magrath 94 11 83	Mr. Leonard Andrews 106 18 88
Mr. H. S. Bateson 100 16 84	Mr. J. Mews 103 14 89
Major L. T. Spens 95 9 86	Mr. W. H. C. Wilson 100 10 90
Rev. A. Meyrick 96 10 86	Mr. H. A. Curteis 93 1 92
Mr. W. E. Hughes 92 5 87	M. J. Bigwood, M.P. 110 18 92
	Mr. C. A. Ashton 105 13 92

No returns from twenty others.

Club gold challenge medal:—Mr. H. M. Braybrooke, 80, plus 78=158; Mr. W. E. Hughes, 87, plus 92=179; Mr. Lawford Andrews, 88, plus 93=181; Mr. H. A. Curteis, 91 plus 93=184.

Stonehouse challenge cup (handicap limited to 18):—Mr. H. M. Braybrooke (plus 2), 82, plus 80=162; Mr. L. B. Burns (10), 82, plus 83=165; Mr. W. E. Hughes (5), 82, plus 87=169; Mr. W. F. Danby (15), 89, plus 81=170.

ROYAL EASTBOURNE GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting of this club, which took place on Friday and Saturday, was favoured with delightful weather, and the links were in first-rate condition. Mr. G. Gardner was very successful on both days, his scratch score on Friday being 82 (securing for him the Hartington gold medal), and on Saturday 78. He thus obtained with his aggregate Col.

Shaw's prize for the two days' play with 161 points, and he also won the Club prize offered for competition among the monthly medal holders for the year October, 1893, to September, 1894. Mr. J. C. Miller carried off the first Club prize on Friday, at the same time scoring a point towards the Langham prize, and Messrs. G. Gardner, R. Graham Murray, and H. G. S. Hughes tied for the second prize, Mr. Graham Murray being successful in playing off the tie on Saturday. The first Club prize for Saturday's play fell to Mr. O. C. Bevan, and the second to Mr. W. S. Sheldon. The following are the scores for Friday and Saturday:—

First day.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.	Gross. Hcp. Net.
Mr. J. C. Miller 86 11 75	Mr. H. B. Colt 88 +2 90
Mr. G. Gardner 82 scr. 82	Mr. H. F. Matheson 100 10 90
Mr. R. Graham Murray 84 2 82	Capt. Swinford 100 10 90
Mr. H. G. S. Hughes 89 7 82	Rev. H. Von E. Scott 95 4 91
Rev. H. Salwey 99 16 83	Col. Cleather 101 10 91
Mr. S. M. Mellor 92 8 84	Mr. E. Matheson 103 12 91
Mr. R. B. Masefield 96 12 84	Mr. G. P. Leash 104 13 91
Mr. C. A. Leatham 101 6 85	Col. J. FitzGerald 100 7 93
Mr. E. Spencer 102 16 86	Mr. T. S. Whitfield 106 13 93
Mr. R. M. Tabor 95 8 87	Mr. C. E. Farmer 107 14 93
Mr. A. M. Wilkinson 96 9 87	Mr. A. Smith 104 10 94
General Hill 99 12 87	Mr. J. C. Robinson 107 13 94
Mr. E. O. Powell 92 4 88	Dr. Gabbett 109 15 94
Mr. T. H. B. Beresford 97 9 88	Mr. H. Beatson 115 20 95
Mr. T. M. Pike 98 10 88	Rev. H. C. L. Tindall 105 10 95
Capt. B. G. Harrison 100 12 88	Mr. J. G. Wood 106 9 97
Mr. A. G. Paterson 101 13 88	Mr. G. H. Lawrence 118 18 100

The remainder made no returns.

Second day.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.	Gross. Hcp. Net.
Mr. O. C. Bevan 85 10 75	Mr. C. P. Leach 102 13 89
Mr. W. S. Sheldon 83 6 77	Mr. E. Spencer 105 16 89
Mr. G. Gardner 78 +1 79	Mr. R. C. Hamilton 107 18 89
Mr. R. B. Masefield 92 12 80	Mr. F. H. Brodrick 104 14 90
Mr. R. Graham Murray 83 2 81	Mr. J. E. Blundell 108 18 90
Mr. J. H. Shaw 89 8 81	Col. J. FitzGerald 98 7 91
Mr. H. G. S. Hughes 89 7 82	Mr. G. H. Lawrence 111 18 93
Rev. H. Salwey 99 16 83	Mr. S. M. Mellor 102 8 94
Mr. R. M. Tabor 92 8 84	Col. Cleather 104 10 94
Mr. J. C. Robinson 98 13 85	Capt. Swinford 104 10 94
Mr. J. G. Wood 95 9 86	Mr. T. S. Whitfield 108 13 95
Mr. J. C. Miller 95 7 88	Mr. F. R. Morris 111 16 95
Col. Shaw 96 8 88	Mr. A. M. S. Graeme 114 17 97
Rev. H. Von E. Scott 92 4 88	Mr. T. H. B. Beresford 107 9 98
Gen. Hill 101 12 89	Mr. A. Woodroffe 117 18 99

The remainder made no returns.

Aggregate score for the two days:—Mr. G. Gardner, 82, 79=161; Mr. R. G. Murray, 82, 81=163; Mr. J. C. Miller, 75, 88=163; Mr. H. G. S. Hughes, 82, 82=164; Mr. R. B. Masefield, 84, 80=164; Rev. H. Salwey, 83, 83=166; Mr. R. M. Tabor, 87, 84=171; Mr. E. Spencer, 86, 89=175; Gen. Hill, 87, 89=176; Mr. S. M. Mellor, 84, 94=178; Rev. H. Von E. Scott, 91, 88=179; Mr. J. C. Robinson, 94, 85=179; Mr. G. P. Leach, 91, 89=180. Remainder over 180.

ROYAL ISLE OF WIGHT GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting of this club commenced on Monday, October 15th, in bright sunshine and a strong northerly wind. Dr. Reid, R.N., and Mr. Prideaux-Brune tied for Tottenham gold medal (scratch prize) with scores of 95, when it was arranged that these gentlemen should decide this event by playing a further nine holes, the result being that Dr. Reid, R.N., became the winner with a score of 45, Mr. Prideaux-Brune's card showing a score of 48. Major Le Marchant succeeded in taking the first club prize with a net score of 78, and Mr. Huish the second club prize with a net score of 84. Scores:—Major Le Marchant, 102, less 24=78; Mr. M. B. Huish, 102, less 18=84; Mr. Davenport Knight, 109, less 24=85; Mr. L. T. Le Marchant, 110, less 20=90; Major Hamilton, 100, less 10=90; Mr. M. Tabuteau, 100, less 9=91; Mr. G. P. Brune, 95, less 4=91; Mr. F. Gibson, 96, less 4=92; Dr. Reid, R.N., 95, less 1=94. The remainder were either over 100, or made no returns.

ROYAL GUERNSEY GOLF CLUB.

The autumn prize meeting, following the golfing week at the older club in the sister Island of Jersey, was favoured with weather such as has scarcely been equalled during the summer months, and though a summer sun and heavy dews are not productive of low returns, there is much to be said in favour of genial warmth. The entries were so large that the

results of the two match cups are not yet to hand, and we are only able to append the scores returned in medal play for the gold medal (scratch score) and the Cotils and Melrose (handicap) cups. The links were in fair order, and it is safe to recommend golfers in search of a more mellow climate to hasten over to try these splendid natural links before the year closes.

A handicap foursome was played on Saturday, October 13th, and resulted in a win for Col. and Mr. N. S. Field, who returned 1 down to "Bogey."

October 10th.—Results of gold medal:—Mr. S. Robin, 92; Mr. T. S. Dobrée, 94; Col. St. Clair, 97; Col. S. Field, 98; Gen. Stevenson, 100. Several gentlemen made no returns, or were over 100.

October 11th.—Results of Cotils cup:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Col. S. Field	84	10	74	Gen. Stevenson	101	11	90
Mr. N. Field	99	20	79	Mr. G. W. Stone	101	11	90
Mr. C. Crewe	101	18	83	Col. St. Clair	108	18	90
Mr. F. Fraser	108	23	85	Mr. F. Slaytor	110	20	90
Mr. F. Hutchesson	108	22	86	Capt. R. F. McCrea	107	16	91
Major Wright	109	23	86	Capt. Amderoy	103	16	92
Capt. Freeth	103	16	87	Col. Le Mottée	118	21	97
Mr. S. Robin	87	+2	89	Mr. E. de Jersey	118	20	98

No returns from several gentlemen.

October 12th.—Results of Melrose cup:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. J. Slaytor	102	20	82	Mr. Spencer Robin	89	+2	91
Col. St. Clair	101	18	83	Mr. B. Tupper	106	15	91
Capt. F. E. Freeth	100	16	84	Capt. R. F. McCrea	107	16	91
Mr. F. Hutchesson	106	22	84	Mr. N. S. Field	111	20	91
Mr. T. S. Dobrée	97	12	85	Major Little	110	16	94
Mr. C. Crewe	103	18	85	Col. Le Mottée	115	21	94
Major Wright	102	23	88	Mr. F. A. Fraser	118	23	95
Gen. Stevenson	100	11	89	Mr. E. de Jersey	118	20	98
Major Hervey	108	18	90	Mr. H. Maclean	111	12	99

Several gentlemen made no returns.

ROYAL NORWICH GOLF CLUB.

The October monthly medal was played for on Old Michaelmas Day in delightful autumn weather. There was a capital turn-out of members, but the play was indifferent. The following are some of the principal returns sent in:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. H. Cozens Hardy	104	15	89	Mr. B. F. K. O'Malley	114	18	96
Mr. J. H. Mannall	103	12	91	Mr. J. C. Tingey	121	25	95
Mr. R. Jewson	107	13	94	Mr. Davidson Walker	112	12	100
Mr. C. H. Finch	115	20	95	Mr. Poole Gabbett	112	12	100

ST. GEORGE'S GOLF CLUB, SANDWICH.

The autumn meeting on Saturday and Monday, October 13th and 15th, wound up the season of this club. The events were, on Saturday the Franklin Adams' gold medal (scratch), the challenge trophy (competed for under handicap), presented by the Corporation of Sandwich, and the Carr prize (handicap) for the best score home; on Monday the club medal (scratch) and cup (handicap). The play of the two days also decided the possession of the captain's medal for the four best aggregate scratch scores of the spring, Whitsuntide, and autumn meetings, and of the Lamb memorial medal for the absolute best scratch score made at one of the above meetings. The result showed Mr. A. D. Blyth carrying nearly everything before him. Saturday promised well for scoring, and the play for the scratch medal ended in a tie between Messrs. A. D. Blyth and S. Mure Fergusson at 84. For the Sandwich cup Mr. J. C. Wadham defeated, by one stroke, Capt. Austin, who, however, had compensation in winning the Carr prize. On Monday the weather was not so favourable, but Mr. A. D. Blyth improved on his Saturday's form, and with a score of 82 won both the scratch medal and the handicap. The same round decided the tie of Saturday in his favour. His figures were as follows:—Out, 4 4 4 4 3 4 6 3 4=36; home, 5 5 4 6 6 6 5 4 5=46; total, 82. Other details follow.

The captain's medal (scratch):—

	Spring.	Whit.	Autumn.	Total.
Mr. A. D. Blyth	80	84	84.82	330
Capt. Austin	95	91	86.93	365
Hon. Ivo Bligh	95.89	92	90	367
Mr. W. D. Bovill	93	96	90.93	375
Mr. S. S. Schultz	94.96	102	94	386
Mr. Martin Tomson	97.97	98.96	—	388
Mr. A. Denman	100.99	99	94	392
Mr. J. G. Fowler	90	102.90	102	393

The others were over 400.

The Lamb memorial medal (scratch):—Mr. A. D. Blyth, 80; Mr. S. M. Fergusson, 84; Mr. C. E. Hambro, 84; Capt. Austin, 86; Capt. Tattersall, 87; Mr. T. Glover, 89; Mr. W. Carr, 89; Mr. W. D. Bovill, 90; Mr. J. G. Fowler, 90; Mr. F. H. A. Booth, 90; Hon. A. H. Grosvenor, 90. The others were over 90.

Saturday.—The Franklin-Adams gold medal (scratch):—Mr. A. D. Blyth, 82; Mr. S. M. Fergusson, 85; Capt. Austin, 86; Mr. W. Carr, 89; Hon. A. H. Grosvenor, 90; Mr. W. D. Bovill, 90; Mr. J. C. Wadham, 92; Mr. W. Rutherford, 92; Mr. R. H. Hedderwick, 93; Mr. C. O. Walker, 95; Mr. H. E. Acklom, 96; Mr. R. H. Pringle, 96; Mr. C. Lake, 96; Hon. Ivo Bligh, 97; Mr. T. A. Fison, 99; Mr. W. P. Matthews, 99. The others were 100 or over, or made no return.

The Sandwich cup (handicap):—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. J. C. Wadham	92	12	80	Mr. R. Clutton	101	12	89
Capt. G. L. Austin	86	5	81	Mr. W. P. Matthews	99	9	90
Hon. A. Grosvenor	90	5	85	Mr. J. Abernethy	109	18	91
Mr. W. D. Bovill	90	5	85	Mr. C. Lake	96	4	92
Mr. W. Rutherford	92	7	85	Mr. C. Frean	105	13	92
Mr. W. Carr	89	3	86	Hon. I. Bligh	97	4	93
Mr. R. Hedderwick	93	7	86	Mr. G. Nicol	100	7	93
Mr. A. D. Blyth	84	+3	87	Mr. E. F. S. Tyle-			
Mr. C. O. Walker	95	8	87	cote	101	8	93
Mr. S. M. Fergusson	84	+4	88	Col. Cox	111	18	93
Mr. H. E. Acklom	96	8	88	Mr. J. G. Fowler	102	8	94
Mr. H. Marzetti	104	16	88	Mr. J. Taylor	108	13	95
Mr. S. M. Monkland	104	16	88	Mr. F. W. Fison	114	18	90
Mr. R. H. Pringle	96	7	89	Mr. H. Fletcher	114	18	96
Mr. T. A. Fison	99	10	89				

The others were 100 or over, or made no return.

Carr prize handicap, second half of round:—Capt. Austin, 45, less 2½=42½; Mr. C. O. Walker, 47, less 4=43; Mr. J. C. Wadham, 49, less 6=43; Col. Cox, 53, less 9=44; Mr. A. D. Blyth, 43, plus 1½=44½; Hon. A. Grosvenor, 47, less 2½=44½; Mr. W. Rutherford, 48, less 3½=44½; Mr. R. Clutton, 51, less 6=45. The others were over 45, or made no return.

Monday.—Scratch medal. Scores:—Mr. A. Blyth, 82; Mr. S. M. Fergusson, 85; Hon. Ivo Bligh, 90; Capt. Austin, 93; Mr. S. S. Schultz, 94; Mr. A. Denman, 94; Mr. J. M. Henderson, 95; Mr. W. P. Matthews, 96; Mr. W. D. Bovill, 96; Hon. A. H. Grosvenor, 96; Mr. R. H. Hedderwick, 98; Mr. E. F. S. Tylecote, 99; Mr. M. Tomson, 99; Mr. W. Rutherford, 99. Others were 100 or over, or made no return.

Monday.—Club cup (handicap):—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. A. D. Blyth	82	+3	85	Mr. E. F. S. Tylecote	99	8	91
Hon. Ivo Bligh	90	4	86	Mr. C. P. Leach	105	14	91
Mr. H. Marzetti	102	16	86	Mr. M. Thomson	99	17	92
Mr. W. P. Matthews	96	9	87	Mr. W. Rutherford	99	7	92
Capt. Austin	93	5	88	Mr. J. C. Wadham	101	9	92
Mr. S. S. Schultz	94	6	88	Mr. K. H. Pringle	100	6	94
Mr. J. M. Henderson	95	7	88	Mr. F. W. Fison	112	18	94
Mr. S. M. Fergusson	85	+4	89	Mr. H. E. Acklom	103	8	95
Mr. A. Denman	94	3	91	Mr. J. G. Fowler	103	8	95
Mr. W. D. Bovill	90	5	91	Mr. W. Morley	109	14	95
Hon. A. H. Grosvenor	96	5	91	Col. Cox	114	18	96
Mr. R. H. Hedderwick	98	7	91	Mr. R. Clutton	111	12	99
				Mr. J. S. Pearce	114	15	99

The others were 100 or over, or made no return.

Tuesday, October 16.—Monthly medal:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. J. C. Wadham	94	9	85	Mr. W. Rutherford	98	7	91
Hon. R. Grosvenor	95	10	85	Mr. G. Nichol	100	7	93
Hon. I. Bligh	91	4	87	Mr. G. P. Leach	108	14	94
Capt. G. L. Austin	92	5	87	Mr. S. S. Schultz	101	6	95
Mr. A. Denman	91	3	88	Mr. W. C. Anderson	111	16	95
Col. Parker	97	8	89	Mr. W. D. Bovill	102	5	97

The others made no returns.

SCARBOROUGH GOLF CLUB.

Monthly medal v. "Bogey," October 13th:—Mr. C. G. Broadwood, (scratch) 3 up; Mr. F. Bedwell (10) 6 down; Mr. E. Hodgson, (6) 7 down; Mr. S. Cradock (4) 8 down. The winner Mr. Broadwood, repeated the record score made by him for the Filmer-Bennett cup, going round the links in 78.

SAPPERTON PARK GOLF CLUB.

Monthly medal competition, October 11th.—The handicappers were at fault in the case of Mr. Day, whose score was a particularly good one for this long course:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.				
*Mr. C. N. Day ...	93	25	68	Mr. B. Swanwick ...	121	30	91
Mr. L. B. Bubb ...	110	30	80	Mr. H. Ohm ...	126	35	91
Capt. G. Neville ...	108	23	85	Mr. E. W. Bubb ...	112	20	92
Mr. J. Rawlins ...	107	20	87	Mr. W. T. Wilson ...	119	25	94
Mr. E. B. Haygarth ...	105	16	89	Mr. R. J. Mullings ...	124	30	94

* Winner of medal and first sweepstake.

Other scores over 100 net, or no returns.

TAVISTOCK GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting of the club, commenced on Monday, October 8th, with a hole competition under handicap for members of the club for a silver cup, presented by the captain Rev. W. H. David.

First round.—Mr. J. R. Divett, giving 18 strokes, beat Mr. A. Barton by 8 up and 7 to play.

Second round.—Mr. R. H. Dempster, giving 14 strokes, beat Rev. S. Ward by 4 up and 3 to play; Mr. W. Linnell, giving 2 strokes, beat Mr. T. L. Andrewes by 3 up and 2 to play; Mr. J. H. Neat, receiving 1 stroke, beat Rev. S. W. Featherstone by 6 up and 4 to play; Mr. G. H. Finzel, receiving 3 strokes, beat Mr. J. M. Gill by 3 up and 1 to play; Mr. A. O. V. Penny, giving 6 strokes, beat Mr. E. H. Neat, R.N., by 2 up, after a divided match; Major Anstey, giving 14 strokes, beat Mr. G. Lowe by 7 up and 6 to play; Captain Swanton beat Commander B. Wrey, R.N., playing level, by 7 up and 6 to play; Major Wilkinson, receiving 9 strokes, beat Mr. J. R. Divett by 6 up and 4 to play.

Third round.—Mr. J. H. Neat, giving 11 strokes, beat Mr. G. H. Finzel by 3 up and 1 to play; Mr. A. O. V. Penny, giving 8 strokes, beat Major Anstey by 5 up and 4 to play; Major Wilkinson, giving 9 strokes, beat Capt. Swanton by 7 up and 5 to play; Mr. W. Linnell, giving 5 strokes, beat Mr. R. H. Dempster by 4 up and 3 to play.

Fourth round.—Mr. A. O. V. Penny, giving 13 strokes, beat Major Wilkinson by 4 up and 2 to play; Mr. T. H. Neat, giving 3 strokes, beat Mr. W. Linnell by 4 up and 3 to play.

Final.—Mr. J. H. Neat, giving 1 stroke, beat Mr. A. O. V. Penny by 1 up, by a putt on the last green after an exciting match.

Wednesday, October 10th. Open club prize for members of all recognised Golf clubs, medal play, under handicap.

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Major A. Mansel ...	103	15 88	Capt. C. F. Baxter...	109	15 94
Mr. A. O. V. Penny ...	97	7 90	Mr. E. H. Meat, R.N.	109	15 94
Mr. G. H. Finzel ...	110	20 90	Mr. W. M. Good-		
Mr. R. Percy Smith	117	25 92	wyn ...	103	8 95
Major Wilkinson ...	116	24 92	Mr. J. H. Neat ...	101	6 95
Mr. J. R. Divett ...	105	12 93			

Messrs. P. L. Andrews, R. H. Dempster, J. M. Gill, W. Linnell, G. Wilder, W. K. King, J. M. Cripps, H. B. Wetherall, W. Brodrick, W. B. Wood, T. A. May, Rev. S. Featherstone, Major Anstey, Lieut. Grogan, R.N., and Capt. Honourable R. Mostyn, R.A., made no returns, or over 100.

Thursday, October 11th.—Open sweepstake, with club memento, to the winner:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. E. H. Neat ...	103	15	88	Capt. Hon. R. Mos-		
Mr. A. O. V. Penny ...	93	5	88	tyne, R.A. ...	106	12
Rev. F. W. Feather-				Captain Swanton ...	134	36
stone ...	95	5	90	Capt. C. F. Baxter ...	114	15
Mr. J. H. Neat ...	97	6	91	Major A. Mansell ...	111	12
Mr. J. R. Divett ...	105	12	93			

No returns, or over 100:—Messrs. P. L. Andrews, R. H. Dempster, G. Finzel, W. Linnell, and W. Brodrick.

Mr. E. H. Neat, R.N., and Mr. A. O. V. Penny divide, and Mr. Penny wins the treasurer's prize for the lowest scratch score of the open days.

Friday, October 12th, open foursome sweepstakes, with club mementos to the winners under handicap medal play:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Captain Swanton and Mr. A. E. Bewes	124	27	97
Rev. S. W. Featherstone, and Mr. J. H. Neat	103	5	98
Mr. J. R. Divett and Mr. G. Finzel	115	15	100
Major Wilkinson and Mr. W. Brodrick	124	24	100
Mr. A. O. V. Penny and Mr. E. H. Neat, R.N.	113	8	105

Saturday, October 13th, mixed foursome sweepstakes for members

of the club, with mementos to the winners. Medal play under handicap:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. G. Finzel and Miss R. Battams ...	136	27	109
Major Cowan and Miss Cowan ...	121	9	112
Mr. E. H. Neat, R.N., and Miss L. Neat ...	120	7	118
Mr. J. H. Neat and Mrs. Northey ...	129	15	114
Mr. J. R. Divett and Miss Leamon ...	142	22	120
Mr. V. Symonds and Mrs. Sperling ...	147	27	120
Mr. J. M. Gill and Mrs. Hargreaves ...	153	26	127
Major Anstey and Mrs. Lowe ...	147	18	129

The scores are very high, but the course is too big and long for ladies, being four miles round, and essentially a long driving course.

The meeting, which is the most successful since the institution of the club, was favoured with the most perfect golfing weather, no month in the year being more enjoyable on Dartmoor, given fine weather, than October. September having been a dry month it was feared the greens would not play as well as could be wished, but, fortunately, a heavy thunder rain on the Sunday before the meeting removed all the green-keeper's anxiety, and the greens were perfection. The committee have spent a considerable sum of money on the course since the spring meeting, but it was found impossible to open the eighteen-hole course for the meeting, which was played over the same nine-hole course as the spring meeting, but the spring meeting of 1895 will be played over an eighteen-hole course. The membership of the club steadily increases, and, though the club-house was considerably enlarged in the spring, the date is not far distant when a further addition will have to be made to meet the growing requirements of increased membership.

TOOTING BEC GOLF CLUB.

Autumn meeting.—Bristow challenge cup, 19th October:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. T. R. Pinkerton	83	+3	86	Mr. E. Wight	107	13	94
Mr. W. F. Richmond	95	8	87	Mr. J. D. S. Sim	110	16	94
Rev. P. T. Bainbridge	105	18	87	Mr. F. E. Badham	105	10	95
Major R. M. Ruck	95	7	88	Mr. J. Versan	105	10	95
Mr. A. Denman	89	scr.	89	Mr. J. Wild	111	16	95
Mr. A. Wood	97	8	89	Mr. J. T. Steen	108	12	96
Mr. N. Dawson	99	10	89	Mr. J. S. Robb	108	12	96
Mr. F. W. W. King-				Mr. E. Nugent	114	18	96
don	101	12	89	Mr. J. Wood	108	11	97
Mr. R. H. Hedder-				Mr R. Bramwell			
wick	99	9	90	Davis	112	14	98
Mr. Hugh Lugton	90	+1	91	Mr. S. G. Warner	116	18	98
Mr. A. J. Robertson	94	2	92	Mr. E. H. Stevenson	111	12	99
Mr. A. F. Waters	95	3	92	Mr. J. Gould Smith	102	1	101
Mr. M. Tollemache,				Mr. T. R. Tyson	117	16	101
M. P.	99	7	92	Mr. H. Bulter	117	16	101
Mr. J. C. Bayldon	106	14	92	Mr. H. Fisher Smith	120	18	102
Mr. J. P. Croal	98	5	93	Dr. G. S. Woodhead	120	14	106
Mr. O. E. Coles	105	12	93	Captain E. E. F.			
Mr. O. G. Langley	106	13	93	Schugler	117	9	108
Mr. J. Bell	107	14	93	Dr. Seymour Taylor	127	16	111
Mr. E. A. Walker	98	4	94	Mr. J. Milne	127	12	115
Mr. N. C. Bailey	106	12	94				

Guy Pym cup, October 20th:—

Mr. F. E. Badham ...	90	10	80	Mr. C. Robertson ...	112	18	94
Mr. R. Bramwell				Mr. T. R. Pinkerton ...	92	+3	95
Davis ...	94	14	80	Mr. John Wood ...	106	11	95
Mr. E. Nugent ...	106	18	88	Mr. E. F. de Zoete ...	113	18	95
Mr. J. Gould Smith ...	90	1	89	Mr. A. J. Robertson ...	98	2	96
Mr. D. M. Mason ...	105	16	89	Mr. W. F. Richmond ...	103	7	96
Mr. A. F. Waters ...	93	3	90	Mr. F. Taylor ...	107	11	96
Mr. E. C. Bambridge ...	102	12	90	Mr. E. H. Stevenson ...	108	12	96
Mr. R. J. Robertson ...	104	14	90	Mr. J. D. S. Sim ...	112	16	96
Mr. E. A. Walker ...	95	4	91	Mr. J. S. Robb ...	109	12	97
Mr. W. Duff Bruce ...	103	12	91	Mr. O. G. Langley ...	110	13	97
Mr. H. Lugton ...	91	+1	92	Mr. D. F. Russell ...	114	16	98
Mr. J. P. Croal ...	97	5	92	Mr. E. Micholls ...	113	14	99
Major Clowes ...	104	12	92	Mr. S. T. Fisher ...	111	12	99
Mr. S. Roberts ...	108	16	92	Rev. P. T. Bainbridge ...	121	18	103
Mr. C. U. Fisher ...	110	18	92	Dr. Seymour Taylor ...	120	16	104
Mr. J. Moore ...	103	10	93	Mr. N. C. Bailey ...	117	12	105
Mr. G. H. J. Tayleur ...	106	13	93				

Result of the tie:—1st, Mr. F. E. Badham—2nd, Mr. R. Bramwell Davis.

Bristow Challenge Cup:—1st, Mr. T. R. Pinkerton—2nd, Mr. W. F. Richmond.

Guy Pym Cup:—1st, Mr. F. E. Badham—2nd, Mr. E. Nugent.

Aggregate Handicap Prize:—1st, Mr. R. Bramwell Davis.

Ellis Scratch Medal:—1st, Mr. T. R. Pinkerton.

The prizes fall to the above named.

WIMBLEDON LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting commenced on October 13th, and comprised four days' play, the various events being keenly competed for. The weather was at its best, and the course, benefited by the great growth of grass during this exceptionally wet summer, was very good going. On Saturday, the 13th, the competition was against "Bogey," for foursome play; there was a large number of entries, the prizes were tied for by Mrs. Willock and Miss Hassard Short, and Mrs. King and Miss Frere, the cards of both couples showing 3 down. On Tuesday, the club handicap challenge prize was played for, and won by Miss Pearson, from scratch, with the fine score of 74, being the par of the green. On Thursday Miss Kenyon Stow won the prize for handicaps under 16, with the net score of 73, and Miss L. Field, also with 73, that for handicaps over 16. On Saturday Miss Kenyon Stow again proved the winner of the senior medal, with a net score of 75, which, with her Thursday's score, won her the handsome challenge bowl, presented by Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake, for the best net aggregate scores of Thursday and Saturday's play. Miss Aston won the handicap prize, a pair of scent bottles, also the medal for handicaps over 16, with a net score of 72. The Club challenge cup, scratch, was won by Miss Pearson. The prizes were given away on Saturday afternoon by Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake, the most popular captain of the club, which ended a most successful and very largely patronised meeting.

Tuesday, October 16th.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
*Miss Issette Pearson	74	scr. 74	Mrs. Chetwynd Stappylton	102	14 88
Mrs. Allen Woodroffe	102	24 78	Miss B. Thomson	102	14 88
Miss A. Kenyon Stow	82	3 79	Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake	96	7 89
Miss Pascoe	88	9 79	Miss Lena Thomson	92	2 90
Mrs. Foster	91	12 79	Mrs. Thorne	107	17 90
Miss A. L. Tyrwhitt Drake	86	6 80	Miss Carver	104	13 91
Miss E. R. Faithfull	89	9 80	Mrs. Meates	106	14 92
Miss Jacob	101	18 83	Miss Clarke	106	14 92
Miss Hassard Short	92	8 84	Mrs. Poole	116	24 92
Miss M. Nicol	93	9 84	Miss H. MacFarlan	105	12 93
Miss N. Muir	91	6 85	Mrs. Dowson	106	13 93
Miss M. Schwann	105	20 85	Miss N. Martyn	103	9 94
Mrs. Cameron	93	7 86	Mrs. Warner	118	24 94
Mrs. A. King	98	11 87	Miss E. Horne	109	14 95
Miss F. Kenyon Stow	94	6 88	Mrs. Alfred Peat	113	18 95
Mrs. H. C. Willock	95	7 88	Mrs. Bell	121	24 97
			Miss Ida Kenyon Stow	107	8 99
			Miss Ethel Carver	119	20 99

* Winner of silver challenge jug and memento, handicap.

Thursday, October 18th:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
*Miss A. Kenyon Stow	78	5 73	Mrs. A. King	98	11 87
†Miss L. Field	92	19 73	Mrs. Allen Woodroffe	108	21 87
Miss Pascoe	83	9 74	Mrs. J. E. Peat	97	9 88
Miss M. Schwann	96	22 74	Mrs. Dowson	103	15 88
Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake	85	9 76	Miss Ethel Carver	110	22 88
Mrs. Guy Hannaford	95	18 77	Mrs. Henderson	112	24 88
Mrs. Thorne	97	19 78	Mrs. G. Banbury	106	16 90
Miss A. L. Tyrwhitt Drake	87	7 80	Mrs. Alfred Peat	108	18 90
Mrs. H. C. Willock	89	8 81	Mrs. Warner	114	24 90
Miss Issette Pearson	81	+1 82	Miss Ida Kenyon Stow	102	10 92
Miss Lena Thomson	86	4 82	Miss B. Thomson	108	16 92
Miss N. Muir	90	8 82	Miss Aston	116	24 92
Miss Hassard Short	91	9 82	Miss M. Nicol	103	10 93
Miss E. R. Faithfull	92	10 82	Mrs. Bell	117	24 93
Mrs. N. R. Foster	94	12 82	Mrs. Fisher	118	24 94
Miss F. Kenyon Stow	91	8 83	Miss Delcomyn	118	24 94
Miss Horne	99	15 84	Miss K. Tuely	113	18 95
Miss M. E. Phillips	90	4 86	Mrs. Ingram Walker	118	23 95
Miss N. Martyn	96	10 86	Miss G. Glennie	119	24 95
Miss H. MacFarlan	100	14 86	Miss Jacob	115	19 96
Mrs. Chetwynd Stappylton	101	15 86	Mrs. Poole	121	24 97
			Miss J. E. MacFarlan	116	18 98
			Mrs. Gay	124	24 100

* Winner of inkstand for handicaps under 16.

† Winner of travelling clock for handicaps over 16.

Forty-six cards were not returned, or were over 100.

Saturday, October 20th.—Handicap prize and monthly medals:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
*Miss Aston	96	24 72	Miss Delcomyn	110	24 86
†Miss A. Kenyon Stow	78	3 75	Mrs. N. R. Foster	99	12 87
Mrs. Cameron	86	9 77	Mrs. Bell	111	24 87
Miss Issette Pearson	77	+1 78	Miss A. E. Faithfull	106	18 88
Mrs. Willock	86	8 78	Miss G. Tee	100	10 90
Miss N. Muir	87	8 79	Miss A. MacFarlan	111	21 90
Mrs. A. King	92	11 81	Miss E. Horne	106	15 91
Miss Hassard Short	92	9 83	Mrs. Alfred Peat	109	18 91
Miss M. Nicol	93	10 83	Miss Frith	111	20 91
Miss Pascoe	91	7 84	Miss Ida Kenyon Stow	102	10 92
Mrs. Fraser	94	10 84	Mrs. Guy Hannaford	111	18 93
Mrs. Fisher	108	24 84	Miss K. MacFarlan	111	18 93
Miss A. L. Tyrwhitt Drake	92	7 85	Miss G. E. Glennie	119	24 95
Mrs. Lawrell	105	20 85	Mrs. Pollock	115	18 97
Miss Freda Kenyon Stow	94	8 86	Miss A. Wayne	115	17 98
Miss E. Carver	108	22 86	Miss K. Tuely	117	18 99
			Miss Emily Carver	114	15 99

* Winner of pair of scent-bottles and medal for handicaps over 16.

† Winner of medal and brooch for handicaps under 16.

Thirty cards not returned, or over 100.

The Drake handicap challenge bowl, with memento, was won by Miss A. M. Kenyon Stow, 73, 73=146; Miss Pascoe, second, 74, 82=156. The club challenge cup, scratch, for the four best scores at the spring and autumn meetings, was won by Miss Pearson, 87, 86, 74, 81=328; Miss A. L. Tyrwhitt Drake (second), 91, 88, 86, 87=352; Miss A. Kenyon Stow (third), 96, 99, 82, 78=355.

WILMSLOW GOLF CLUB.

The first winter competition, for 1894-95, took place on Saturday, October 20th, when the following net scores under 100 were returned:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. W. W. Barlow	85	3 82	Mr. T. A. Bradley	94	3 91
Mr. C. S. Hoare	85	scr. 85	Mr. G. Brickham	97	5 92
Mr. J. H. Milne	96	6 90	Mr. C. D. Milne	101	7 94
Mr. R. R. Schofield	96	6 90	Mr. A. N. Cumming	98	2 96
Mr. H. Hughes	100	10 90	Mr. P. Swanwick	106	9 97
Mr. J. A. Tweedale	94	3 91	Mr. J. K. Ford	106	8 98

Haworth cup.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. T. Tatham	99	20 79	Mr. R. Burn	110	20 90
Mr. J. J. Brickhill	95	12 83	Mr. E. L. Herapath	102	11 91
Mr. J. A. Penny	100	16 84	Mr. K. C. Ballhouse	103	11 92
Mr. R. P. Robinson	100	14 86	Mr. T. S. Beaumont	115	20 95
Mr. E. A. Parry	106	17 89			

There were forty competitors.

The competition for the scratch medal resulted in a tie between Mr. C. S. Hoare and Mr. W. W. Barlow, who will have to play off.

Mr. W. W. Barlow won the Boddington cup and memento and second sweepstakes; Mr. T. Tatham won the Haworth cup and memento and first sweepstakes; and Mr. J. J. Brickhill won the third sweepstakes.

WEST LANCASHIRE GOLF CLUB.

The autumn foursome tournament was concluded on Saturday on the Hall Road links. Messrs. Harold Hilton and H. J. Chisholm proved the winners, defeating Dr. T. B. Grimsdale and Mr. G. R. Cox, jun., who were allowed 5 strokes. The match, which was followed with close interest by about two hundred spectators, ladies and gentlemen, exhibited very good Golf. Play was almost even up to the ninth hole, which Messrs. Hilton and Chisholm reached in 42 strokes against 43 by their opponents. On turning home, Dr. Grimsdale and Mr. Cox rather fell away, while their opponents maintained their low scoring, and eventually were hailed the winners by 4 up and 3 to play, thus completing the round with an estimated score of 79. The weather, which had been bright in the morning, became dull during the afternoon, and there was one sharp shower.

KING JAMES VI. CLUB (PERTH).—The autumn competition took place on the North Inch, Perth, on Thursday, October 18th, when the Robertson medal and club silver medal were competed for. Seventeen couples started. Mr. R. Dunsmore gained the Robertson medal with the score of 76, while Mr. J. Mailer won the club medal with 79. Sweepstake prizes were won by Mr. J. Mailer with 79, less 4=75; and Mr. William M'Nicoll, 83, less 4=79. The next best scores were by Mr. D. S. Grant, 84; Mr. H. H. Greig, 88; Mr. R. Keay and Mr. D. A. Cuthbert, 89; and Mr. A. Frazer, 90.

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WEST CUMBERLAND GOLF CLUB.

The fourth competition for the Harrison Hodgson clock took place at Siddick on 13th inst., and as the weather was fine there was a good turn-out of competitors. Mr. R. H. Williamson, who showed greatly improved form, was a somewhat easy winner, but several other competitors handed in very creditable cards. Score:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. R. H. William- son	111	20	91	Rev. J. Cropper ...	129	20	109
Mr. E. A. Thompson	106	8	98	Mr. J. F. Hodgson	125	12	113
Dr. McKerrrow ...	105	6	99	Mr. R. H. Hodgson	125	12	113
Mr. J. L. Smith ...	108	9	99	Mr. R. J. J. Hill ...	129	16	113
Dr. Highet... ..	104	scr.	104	Mr. R. S. W. Thomp- son	120	6	114
Mr. W. L. Fletcher	117	12	105	Dr. R. L. Clark ...	123	8	115
Mr. G. S. Wilson...	120	12	108	Mr. J. B. Whitfield	141	25	116
Mr. D. Fraser ...	117	9	108	Mr. J. W. Wilson...	131	14	117

No returns from Messrs. G. A. L. Skerry, Sewell, W. M. S. Wood, Gordon Falcon, H. Thompson, and J. Scott.

WEST MIDDLESEX LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

The first autumn meeting was held at Southall on Saturday, October 13th. There were four prizes to be competed for, two given by the club; while the captain, Miss A. L. Carver, and Mrs. Fenton, kindly presented two more. Miss E. de B. Griffith won Mrs. Fenton's cut-glass scent bottle for the best score of the first round, under handicap, with 50, less 12=38. Miss Alice Hart was triumphant in winning the club prize of a silver-handled umbrella, for the best score of the second round, under handicap, with 45, less 5=40. Mrs. Frank Carver won the captain's prize of a silver inkstand for the best aggregate score of the two rounds, under handicap with a net score of 83. Miss Alice Hart was again successful for the prize given by the club of a silver tea-caddy, for the lowest scratch score of either of the rounds, but as each competitor could only win

one prize, Miss Yeames carried off the tea-caddy with 49. Miss Spence won the brassey given by the club-maker, for the best nine holes out of the eighteen, with 89. The following are all the scores sent in:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mrs. Frank Carver	105	22 83	Mrs. Robson	133	36 97
Mrs. Arthur Radford	108	24 84	Miss F. McLeod	119	20 99
Miss Alice Hart	95	10 85	Mrs. Greig	143	36 107
Miss E. de B. Griffith	108	23 85	Miss Mabel Clements	126	18 108
Miss Yeames	101	15 86	Miss Gertrude Hale	127	18 109
Mrs. Hal Ludlow	119	30 89	Miss F. M. Peal	138	24 114
Miss Spence	101	10 91	Mrs. Fenton	154	36 118
Mrs. Walter Bartlett	107	16 91	Mrs. Becker	197	36 161
Miss Griffith	111	14 97			

WINDERMERE GOLF CLUB.

The last of the season's competitions, being the final "Bogey" for the prizes presented by Mr. J. M. Sladen, took place on Saturday, October 13th, in fair but rather dull weather. The first prize was a handsome silver claret jug, value £14 10s; second prize, cup, value £5; and third prize, tortoise-shell cigarette box, value £2. The competition was under handicap; course, two rounds (thirty-six holes). The three competitors who had gained places in the final at each of the four monthly "Bogey" competitions, making twelve competitors in all, entered for the contest. The following are the results:—

Mr. S. J. Bowler (5), first round, 3 down, second round, 1 down, total, 4 down; Rev. J. M. Moss (5) 1, 9=10; Mr. A. R. Sladen (3) 8, 5=13; Rev. C. A. W. Robins (5) 8, 5=13; Mr. G. Somervell (8) 8, 7=15; Mr. Arthur Tucker (3) 5, 11=16; Mr. J. T. Bownass (5), 11, 7=18; Mr. E. Holt (5) 9, 11=20; Rev. E. E. Stock (7) 8, 13=21; Mr. W. B. Logan (9) 12, 11=23; Mr. T. A. Lewis (9) 13, 11=24; Mr. N. Green (5) 13, 12=25.

WORCESTERSHIRE GOLF CLUB.

The autumn meeting was favoured with very muggy weather. The putting-greens were in excellent condition, but the grass on the course was heavy and wet, in consequence of want of sunshine, and the light bad. On Wednesday the Parker cup scratch prize was won by the Rev. H. Foster. The Autumn cup fell to Mr. Rashleigh, who returned the fine net score of 73, and Mr. Blakeway carried off the Iron club prize. On Thursday the competition for the Malvern claret jug resulted in a tie, which was finally won by Mr. Blathwayt, who also secured the prize presented by Mr. E. F. Chance. The Foursome cups fell to the lot of Messrs. E. F. Calthrop and P. H. Latham. On Friday three players tied for the "Bogey" prize. Mr. E. Wight's prize (for handicaps under 10) was won by Capt. Armitage. Mr. W. E. Chance's prize (for handicaps over 9) was won by Capt. Berkeley.

The returns under 100 were as follows:—

Wednesday, October 10th.—

Gross. Hcp. Net.				Gross. Hcp. Net.			
Mr. W. W. Rashleigh	87	14	73	Sir H. Lewis	94	6	88
Mr. H. D. Acland	86	6	80	Mr. E. F. Calthrop	98	10	88
Mr. E. Wight	95	14	81	Mr. A. S. Chance	102	14	88
Rev. C. Black	86	4	82	Mr. A. S. Archdale	93	4	89
Mr. G. W. Blathwayt	88	6	82	Mr. G. A. Jones	94	5	89
Mr. S. C. Healing	88	6	82	Mr. H. H. House	99	10	89
Mr. F. A. Horn	87	4	83	Mr. E. F. Chance	90	scr.	90
Capt. O. S. Vale	95	12	83	Major G. G. Clowes	102	12	90
Mr. W. L. Foster	87	2	85	Mr. W. Paterson	91	scr.	91
Capt. H. A. Armitage	91	6	85	Mr. A. H. Lechmere	108	16	92
Rev. H. Foster	85	+1	86	Mr. F. R. Burrow	106	12	94
Mr. P. H. Latham	94	8	86	Mr. H. W. Buck	108	13	95
Mr. H. Meats	102	16	86	Col. L. Campbell	104	8	96
Rev. H. M. Faber	91	4	87				

Iron Club prize:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Mr. C. E. Blakeway	92	18 74	Mr. E. F. Calthrop	96	10 86
Mr. E. Wight ...	95	14 81	Mr. F. A. Horn ...	92	4 88
Capt. H. A. Armitage	88	6 82	Mr. G. A. Jones ...	93	5 88
Mr. G. W. Blathwayt	89	6 83	Major G. G. Clowes	103	12 91
Mr. W. L. Foster...	86	2 84	Col. L. Campbell ...	100	8 92
Mr. L. S. Milward...	90	5 85	Mr. R. M. Hansard	103	10 93
Mr. P. H. Latham ..	93	8 85	Mr. H. S. Whittaker	105	11 94
Mr. F. Cobbett ...	101	16 85	Mr. H. W. Rashleigh	109	14 95
Mr. W. Paterson ...	86	scr. 86			

Thursday, October 11th:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.				
Mr. G. W. Blathwayt	83	6	77	Mr. W. L. Foster...	88	2	86
Mr. W. Mylrea	89	12	77	Capt. H.A.Armitage	92	6	86
Mr. E. Wight	91	13	78	Mr. E. F. Chance	87	scr.	87
Mr. A. S. Archdale	82	4	78	Mr. D. Fraser	98	11	87
Mr. E. F. Calthrop	89	10	79	Rev. H. M. Faber	93	4	89
Mr. F. R. Burrow...	91	12	79	Major G. G. Clowes	101	12	89
Mr. G. A. Jones	85	5	80	Mr. R. H. C. Nevile	105	16	89
Mr. C. Toppin	81	+1	82	Mr. W. Paterson	90	scr.	90
Mr. F. A. Horn	88	4	84	Mr. H. D. Acland	94	4	90
Sir H. Lewis	90	6	84	Dr. R. C. Johnston	99	8	91
Mr. J. W. Jeakes	92	8	84	Capt. T.M. Berkeley	105	14	91
Mr. R. M. Hansard	94	10	84	Col. L. Campbell	101	8	93
Mr. C. E. Moilliet	99	15	84	Mr. R. R. Brown	104	10	94
Mr. H. Meats	100	16	84	Mr. A. S. Chance...	109	14	95
Mr. F. J. Chance	97	12	85	Mr. L. B. Williams			
Rev. H. Foster	85	+1	86	(Visitor)...	108	11	97

Foursome cups:—

	Hcp.	Gross.	Net.
Messrs. Calthrop and Latham	86	9	77
Messrs. Brown and Horn... ..	87	7	80
Captain H. A. Armitage and Mr. Archdale	87	5	82
Major Clowes and Mr. W. Foster	89	7	82
Captain Berkeley and Mr. A. Chance	96	14	82
Captain Vale and Mr. Lechemere	97	14	83
Messrs. House and Toppin	90	4½	85½
Messrs. Albright and J. F. Chance	95	9½	85½
Rev. C. Black and Mr. Meats	96	10	86
Messrs. Cobbett and Perry	100	13	87
Messrs. Jeakes and Mylrea	98	10	88
Messrs. E. F. Chance and Paterson	89	scr.	89
Sir H. Lewis and Mr. Whittaker	98	8½	89½
Rev. H. Foster and Mr. Acland	92	1½	90½
Messrs. Jones and Wight	100	9	91
Messrs. Blathwayt and Nevile	103	11	92
Colonel Campbell and Mr. Moilliet	103	11½	92½

Friday, October 12th, "Bogey" prize:—Mr. F. A. Horn, 1 down; Mr. P. H. Latham, 1 down; Mr. W. C. Perry, 1 down; Mr. W.

Paterson, 2 down; Mr. A. S. Archdale, 2 down; Mr. E. F. Calthrop, 2 down; Mr. W. W. Rashleigh, 2 down; Mr. G. A. Jones, 3 down; Captain H. A. Armitage, 3 down; Mr. H. D. Acland, 4 down; Mr. G. S. Albright, 4 down; Mr. W. Mylrea, 4 down; Mr. F. R. Burrow, 4 down; Mr. D. C. Fraser, 4 down; Mr. R. H. C. Nevile, 4 down; Mr. E. Wight, 5 down; Mr. G. W. Blathwayt, 6 down; Captain T. M. Berkeley, 6 down; Mr. J. F. Chance, 7 down; Rev. C. R. Blathwayt, 8 down.

Mr. E. Wight's prize:—

Gross. Hcp. Net.			Gross. Hcp. Net.		
Captain H. A. Armitage ...	86	6 80	Mr. G. A. Jones ...	91	4 87
Mr. A. S. Archdale ...	86	1 85	Mr. G. S. Albright...	94	7 87
Mr. F. A. Horn ...	89	4 85	Mr. G. W. Blathwayt ...	90	2 88
Mr. P. H. Latham ...	91	6 85	Mr. F. R. Burrow ...	98	9 89
Mr. J. W. Jeakes ...	94	8 86	Mr. W. Mylrea ...	100	7 93
Mr. W. W. Rashleigh ...	94	8 86			

Mr. W. E. Chance's prize:—Captain T. M. Berkeley, 97, less 14=83; Mr. A. S. Chance, 101, less 14=87; Mr. J. F. Chance, 100, less 12=88; Mr. D. C. Fraser, 101, less 11=90; Mr. E. Wight, 102, less 10=92; Rev. C. R. Blathwayt, 107, less 14=93.

CUMBRAE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.—The fourth competition, for a prize presented by Mrs. G. Scott Ranken, took place on October 16th, the weather being all that could be desired. There was a good turnout of ladies, Miss Barclay coming in the winner with a score of 115, less 15=100. The usual monthly competition, confined to ladies, for the gold bangle presented by Lieut. C. M'Leod Robertson, took place on the links at Millport on October 16th, in lovely golfing weather. The course and greens were in excellent condition. There was a good attendance of ladies. When the cards were handed in the winner proved to be Miss Davidson, with a score of 98, less 5=93.

[Owing to great pressure of Autumn Competitions, many returns have unavoidably been held over.—Ed.]

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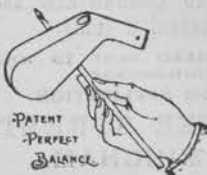


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