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COMPETITION KEEN IN PLAYFIELD PLAY

Wood, Carpenter, Voltz, Kreger,
Knox and Rogers Have Leading
Scores in First Rounds

SEMI-FINALS NEXT SUNDAY

Play on Second and Third Flights
Also To Be Played Sunday morn-
ing if possible

Competition in the first and second rounds of the Park Board Cup tournament at the Winnetka Golf course on August 10 brought out keen competition and good scores. Some of the best scores were:

A. Wood, 38; H. Carpenter, O. Voltz and C. H. Kreger, 39; and M. Knox and A. B. Rogers, 42.

Results of match play follow:

Park Board Cup Flight

First round:
C. H. Kreger beat O. Voltz, 1 up.
M. Knox beat Richardson, 3 and 1.
Art. Wood beat Nordberg, 3 and 1.
S. B. Rogers beat Netterstrom, 3 and 1.
Hirschberg beat Kentnor, 3 and 1.
Tilroe beat O. Madsen, 2 and 1.
H. Carpenter beat J. H. Wood, 2 and 1.
Horsman won from Jackett by default.

Second round:
Knox beat Kreger, 3 and 2.
Wood beat Rogers, 5 and 3.
Carpenter beat Hirschberg, 2 and 1.
Horsman beat Tilroe, 1 up.

Second Flight

First round:
McDougall beat Kimball, 1 up.
Maloney beat Young, 2 up.
Weissenberg beat Lucchesi, 1 up.
Fossum beat M. Erickson, 3 and 2.
Blow beat H. C. Rogers, 2 up.
Rockwell beat Boyd, 1 up.
P. Kreger beat Wright, 5 and 3.
E. Erickson beat Mrs. Hirschberg, 2 up.

Second round:
Kreger beat Blow, 4 and 3.

Third Flight

First round:
Nicholls beat Newcomb, 5 and 4.
W. Kloefer beat M. Kloefer, 1 up.
Rahning beat Eastman, 2 up.
Radmer won from Anderson by default.

Semi-Finals Sunday

On Sunday morning, August 17, Knox will meet Wood and Horsman will play Carpenter in the semi-finals for the Park Board cup. The finals will follow immediately after and will be at 18 holes.

Play on the second and third flights will also be complete as far as possible that morning.

SKOKIE WOMEN PLAYERS IN ALL-DAY TOURNAMENT

An all-day tournament for women members of the Skokie Country club will be held Monday, August 18.

The event will be a match play, handicaps, 9 holes to qualify. There will be two flights, best four scores and worst four scores. A prize will be awarded the winner of each flight.

On Monday, August 25, some of the women members expect to compete in the Women's Western Championship play at Detroit.

At 9 o'clock of that day there will be a 9 hole play, with prize for low gross and net scores, at Skokie, and at 2 o'clock a putting contest.

Miss Florence McGuire, of Glencoe, is in charge of the women's events during the month of August.

EXPERT REPAIRING ADDED TO LOCAL TAXI SERVICE

Expert repairing is now a convenience at the Iverson Garage and Taxi company of Hubbard Woods. This department has been added recently. Expert drivers for cars can also be procured at the garage.

Register Kicks Here

Headquarters of the Hubbard Woods Improvement association have been opened in the Aitken Real Estate offices at 1065 Gage street. The headquarters will open Saturday afternoons and members will be afforded the opportunity at that time to offer complaints and suggestions.

Buys New Home

Francis S. Graham has sold his home at 1130 Oakley avenue, and purchased a house opposite the residence on Oakley avenue.

Sells Winnetka Home

The Conable home on North avenue was sold this week, according to real estate dealers.

Gold Star Mother Expresses Regret at Plan For Winnetka War Memorial School

An open letter addressed to the editor of the Winnetka Weekly Talk by Mrs. Frank R. Fuller, 362 Hawthorn lane, a Gold Star mother, is herewith published as an expression of opinion concerning the proposed erection, by public subscription, of a War Memorial school in Winnetka as a permanent memorial to Winnetka's Gold Star heroes. Plans for launching a campaign for raising a fund by popular subscription, formulated by the Winnetka Liberty Memorial committee and which were announced in the issue of the Talk of Friday, August 1, 1919, are the basis for the accompanying communication:

August 3, 1919

To the Editor of the Winnetka Weekly Talk.

Dear Sir:

I have read with surprise the article in your recent issue describing an apparently finished plan to raise funds for the building of a public school as a memorial to our heroes of the late war.

By all means let us have such a school if it is needed, but do not let us appear to exploit our boys as a way of securing the necessary money, which should in no case be raised by private subscription but paid by the commonwealth. Nor does it seem to those most deeply interested that any building far out on the edge of the Skokie would be appropriate as a memorial.

I have talked with our other Gold Star mothers and all are a unit in protesting against the plan. Had they been consulted I am sure they would have preferred some simple but permanent reminder to be placed on the Village Green where our dear lads have so often played and where all the people congregate on holidays.

Here many things are needed for the comfort of those who gather on such occasions, such as a rostrum for the speakers. This might also support the flag staff and have a beautiful arch of stone or concrete, with benches and drinking fountain below. The arch could bear the names of those who gave their lives for their country. Here they and their sacrifice would be fitly remembered and enshrined near the heart of our people; here where the Christmas Carols are sung, where games are played by our little children, and where the whole Village gathers on the Fourth of July to commemorate the birth of our independence. Where could any site be found so intimately and deeply appropriate to preserve the memory of those who laid down their lives for liberty?

I have personally been consulted about five different memorials including one near Boston and one in the heart of New York City, and in each case the approval of the Gold Star parents was asked before announcing the plans. Two of these organizations were Yale College and the Chicago Historical Society. If their kindly deference is merely an act of graceful courtesy, yet it shows respect to those who have given their all, and it certainly brings a glow of warmth to the heart.

This letter is not intended as a criticism of the committee in charge which is undoubtedly actuated only by zeal for the public good. It is merely a personal opinion which perhaps it takes some courage to express at this time.

In conclusion I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,
Laura Hayes Fuller.

Baseball, Golf, Events for All Ages, At New Trier Day Outing at Playfield

There was a regular old-time picnic and outing at Skokie Playfield Park at the west end of Elm street, Winnetka Thursday, the occasion of the annual outing of the New Trier Township Commercial association. It was New Trier Day and hundreds of residents of the township took advantage of the opportunity to have a real vacation day at the beautiful north shore park.

Business houses throughout the township were closed all day with few exceptions such as drug stores and, in some towns, the banking institutions. All employers and employees, with their families, were prepared for the big day of recreation.

An excellent program was arranged and every resident, of any age and either sex, was afforded an opportunity to compete in one or other of the many events.

An indoor baseball game was scheduled for the morning with employers and employees vying for honors; also a Tug o' War was arranged with employers and employees as competitors. A special prize was offered for the winners in these events.

Golfing contests were a part of the morning program with other special events as, baseball throwing, nail-driving (for girls) and a water melon eating contest, (competition unlimited).

On the afternoon program were field events for all ages and both sexes, ranging from the ordinary dashes for the kiddies to fat man's races, married women's races, potato races and miscellaneous events.

The final event on the program was a scheduled ball game between the Winnetka T. A. C's. and a picked team from Wilmette. Wilmette won 12 to 10.

Prizes, because of their wide variety, are deserving of special mention. Practically every business house on the north shore contributed some useful article as a prize in one or other of the many contests. These tokens ranged from safety razors to butcher's cleavers, and from handkerchiefs to dresses. One of the interesting prizes was an inner-tube presented by one of the Wilmette garage owners.

A north shore truck line provided free transportation to and from between Winnetka railway stations at Elm street and the Skokie park.

The complete program of events was as follows:

Program

10:00 A. M.—Tug of War—Employers vs. Employees.—Prize.
Soft Ball Game—Employers vs. Employees.—Prize.
10:30 A. M.—Golf Driving. (3 prizes).
Baseball Throw. (3 prizes).
Golf Putting. (3 prizes).
Nail Driving Contest—Girls 12—18. (3 prizes).
Water Melon Eating Contest.—Open. (3 prizes).

2:00 P. M.—30 yard dash for children 3 years old. (3 prizes).
40 yard dash for children 4 years old. (3 prizes).
50 yard dash for children 5 years old. (3 prizes).

Potato and Spoon Race, 50 yards, boys only. (3 prizes).
Fat Man's Race (Min. Wt. 200 lbs.) 75 yards. (3 prizes).
Three-Legged Race, 50 yards. (3 prizes).

Young Ladies' Race, 50 yards. (3 prizes).
Sack Race, boys and girls. (3 prizes).
Married Women's Race, 50 yards. (3 prizes).
Married Men's Race, 75 yards. (3 prizes).

Boys 10-14—80 yard Race. (3 prizes).
Boys 8-10—60 yard Race. (3 prizes).
Boys over 14—100 yard Race. (3 prizes).
Girls 8-10—50 yard Race. (3 prizes).
Girls 10-14—75 yard Race. (3 prizes).

3:30 P. M.—Hard Ball Game—Winnetka T. A. C's. vs. Wilmette.—(prize).

MISS E. KLOTZ IS AGAIN GOLF VICTOR

Miss Elizabeth Klotz, Indian Hill, won low gross honors in the tournament of the Women's Western Golf association at Indian Hill Wednesday. Despite rain a field of forty started. Miss Klotz registered a 96 for first place.

Miss Margaret Knapp, Skokie, took the net prize, having a card of 103—12—91. Mrs. E. H. Raedel, Westmoreland, took the putting event. Mrs. S. Willard, Skokie, and Mrs. B. C. Hardenbrook, her clubmate, led in the two ball foursome with 100—11—89.

Equality League Honors Dr. Shaw

North shore women, members of the Evanston Political Equality league, last week passed the following resolutions on the death of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw:

"Whereas, it has pleased God in His wisdom to call from her splendid work in mortal life our beloved leader, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw; and

"Whereas, in her passing the great cause of free womanhood has lost a devoted leader and a wise counselor and friend; and

"Whereas, we believe that, although her body has died, her spirit is yet with those who are striving to realize the hope that she ever held for woman; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that the executive board of the Evanston Political Equality league acknowledges thus publicly the great debt that the organization owes, the great help that has come from the example, the inspiration and the direction of Anna Howard Shaw, and gives this witness to the veneration and the affection in which her memory is held; and be it

"Resolved further, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Evanston Political Equality league and a copy be sent to the public press for publication, also to The Woman Citizens, the official paper of the National Woman's Suffrage association, and to Miss Lucy Anthony, her close friend and co-worker."

Many women of the Village are members of the Evanston Political Equality league, which has broadened its scope of membership so as to include towns between Evanston and Glencoe.

WINNETKA CELEBRATES NEW TRIER DAY BY LOS- ING TO WILMETTE 12-10

In a loosely played contest, marked by costly errors and some heavy hitting by both sides, Winnetka dropped another baseball game yesterday to Wilmette by a 12-10 count. The game was a New Trier Day exhibition event.

Kreger and Eckhart formed the local battery while Raap hurled and Robinson received for Wilmette. The Wilmette team was minus several regular players but managed to pull in the front at the start and stay there during the entire game. Winnetka scored several runs on errors by shortstop Moore and third baseman Leis.

NO TICKET, NO DANCE, AT NORTH SHORE HOTEL

At the dinner dance last Wednesday at the North Shore hotel, Evanston, owing to the fact that each couple who danced had to show a guest ticket, there were several prominent young people who looked on from the outside. As the evening passed the crowd of onlookers increased. Mr. H. R. Price, manager of the hotel, was called to disperse a crowd who were singing, "Hail, hail, the gang's all here" and other popular airs.

To Live in California

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Specht and children, of Edgewater, formerly of Wilmette, are in California where they intend making their future home.

Bright Spot

The home of Justice W. T. Northrop has been given a new coat of paint. "It is one of the recent decided improvements on North avenue," says magistrate Northrop.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Citizens of Winnetka are warned and requested to be on the alert for a young man appearing in the Village and representing himself as a collector for the Magazine Circulation Company, and other weekly and monthly publications.

He operated in Winnetka on August 5 and 8, collecting various sums from ten different individuals. He gives the ordinary receipt signed, A. E. Stein.

If he should call request him to return in an hour or so, offering the excuse of not having any money at hand but expecting some member of the family back soon.

In the meantime immediately notify the police by telephoning, Winnetka 0. This department holds a State warrant for his arrest.

The Magazine Circulation company offers a reward of \$25 for anyone employing the name of the company for purpose of defrauding.

W. M. Peterson,
Winnetka Chief of Police.

WESTMORELAND HOLDS TAM O'SHANTER EVENT

Plans Completed for Annual Two-day
Play at Country Club; Expect
Many Competitors

OPEN WEDNESDAY, AUG. 27

Prizes Include Tam O'Shanter Trophy
for Winning Foursome, Other
Trophies for Individuals

The Fourth Annual Tam O'Shanter golfing event at the Westmoreland Country club is scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, August 28 and 29.

The Westmoreland Tam O'Shanter is an invitation event, open to members and their guests who are thirty years of age and over.

Play is in foursomes, the same foursome playing, throughout the entire tournament. The committee will be glad to arrange foursomes for pairs, if desired.

Seek Early Acceptances

So that proper arrangements may be made for this event, the committee would like to have acceptances not later than Wednesday, August 20.

As one hundred players will constitute an ideal tournament, acceptances up to that number will be preferred. After that number is received it will be optional with the committee to accept or reject applications.

The entry fee for this tournament will be:

For member without guest\$10
For member with one guest10
For member with two guests15
For member with three guests20

It is requested that members each arrange for at least one guest and not more than three guests.

Members who find it impossible to participate in the golf play have been invited to attend the Tam O'Shanter dinners on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

One Prize Per Player

No player is to be permitted to win more than one prize, excepting the Tam O'Shanter trophies. Should a player win more than one prize he will be allowed to select which prize he will take.

The Program

Wednesday afternoon—Eighteen holes qualifying round, medal play, no handicaps.

Those qualifying will be divided into ten flights, ties for flight positions to be decided by draw. If any player qualifies in a flight in which his club handicap would not entitle him to qualify in any handicap event, the committee reserves the right to place such player in a higher flight.

Wednesday evening—Tam O'Shanter dinner, 7 P. M. Only those attending the dinner, at which a special feature will be presented, will be drawn for the play on Thursday.

Thursday morning and afternoon—Thirty-six holes, medal play. The low gross score for the 36 holes in each of the ten flights will be declared the winner of that flight, all ties to be decided by draw.

Thursday evening—Tam O'Shanter dinner, 7:30 P. M.

At which prizes will be awarded and a snappy show of surprises sprung.

The Flights

Flights will be as follows: First fifth flight, Locust trophy; sixth flight, Walnut trophy; third flight, Willow trophy; fourth flight, Poplar trophy; fifth flight, Locust trophy; sixth flight, Maple trophy; seventh flight, Birch trophy; eighth flight, Cedar trophy; ninth flight, Palm trophy; tenth flight, Pine trophy.

Tam O'Shanter trophies will go to the foursome having the lowest best ball score for the fifty-four holes. The Oak trophy will go to the player having the best choice score for eighteen of the fifty-four holes. The Elm trophy will go to the player having the three most consistent scores for the fifty-four holes.

In addition to the regular flight events on Thursday there will be a special event, 36 holes, medal play, handicap to apply.

The Tam O'Shanter is in charge of a committee composed of N. C. Naylor, chairman, A. C. Hammond and H. B. Oakley.

WOMAN TENNIS CHAMP OF NORTH SHORE WINS AGAIN

Miss Mary Katherine Voorhees, 1896 Sheridan road, Evanston, and H. Van Dyke John, Berkeley, Cal., won the mixed doubles title in the western tennis tournament held at Kansas City, Kan. The match concluded the western tournament tennis championship.