

At North Shore Golf Links

Ira Couch, 19 year old Glen View golfer, last Friday arrived at a goal toward which he has been struggling for four years when, after wading through a field of 148 starters from many states, he won the western junior championship at Westmoreland and took possession of the W. A. Alexander trophy.

The victory was gratifying not only because of the persistent struggle the youngster has made, but also because, when the next tourney comes around, he will be too old to compete as a junior.

Couch's main obstacle from the start was Emerson Carey, Jr., 17 year old expert from Hutchinson, Kansas. The two tied over the 6,504 yard course in the medal qualifying round with duplicate cards of 76, three over par, but the Glen View star won this playoff Sunday when he rounded the course in another 76 to 79 for Carey.

Two stymies, at the short fourteen and seventeen holes, aided materially in giving Couch the title in the final match round. These blockades terminated what would probably have been an extra hole match at the seventeenth green.

Couch was the only Chicago or north shore player to win any sort of a prize. Bob White of Olympia Fields at times appeared to have a chance, but fell in the semi-finals. North shore players who qualified were W. Childs, Skokie, 81; J. Ford, Evanston Community, 82; B. Bernolt, Highland Park, 83, and R. D. Fall, Glen View, 83.

After the first round of the two-day tournament of Women's Western Golf association at the Evanston Golf club last Tuesday it looked as if Miss Dorothy Klotz of Indian Hill, who registered low score of 89, was well on her way toward ending the string of victories being gathered by Mrs. Lee Mida of Butterfield.

But on the final day, with the course somewhat drier, Mrs. Mida forged to the front, added 85 to her previous card of 93 and took the tourney with 178, Miss Klotz having to be content with 89-96-185. Mrs. Mida also collected a variety of other honors including the best cards for nine and eighteen holes.

Under Miss Klotz is the low gross scoring came Miss Dorothy Higbie, Exmoor, 94-93-187. Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Evanston, 191-10-181, and Mrs. W. W. Haerther of the same club, 193-12-181, tied for low net, necessitating another match, while third place in this section went to Miss Carrie Kuhnert, Glen View, 185. Mrs. Haerther won the Class A driving contest and Mrs. Emmett Boyles, Evanston, and Mrs. Paul Walker, Glen View, tied in Class B. Mrs. Boyles won the toss for the medal.

Topping a field of 160 members and visitors, Robert W. Ripley, president of Indian Hill, with a card of 80-79-159, Tuesday carted away the low gross prize in Exmoor's annual Jamboree event, second going to T. C. Butz of

the home club, with 160. H. E. Rend, Evanston Golf club champion, won low net prize in the morning with 78, the afternoon medal going to Constant C. Hopkins of the home club, with 79.

Glen View, Onwentsia and Bob O'Link were victors last Wednesday in the three matches of the North Shore interclub series, Glen View winning from Evanston, Bob O'Link topping Indian Hill and the Lake Forest team making a clean sweep of its matches with Westmoreland. The Exmoor and Skokie teams were idle.

Rush C. Butler and G. Malcolm of Indian Hill forced William M. Collins, Jr., and D. A. Matteson of Bob O'Link to the twentieth hole to win the toughest match of the day. Although Glen View won from Evanston, Howard Raymond and C. Murray of the vanquished team upset Peter Berkey and Kenneth Burns in a torrid struggle, 1 up. Results of the three matches were:

AT INDIAN HILL—W. M. Collins, Jr., and E. F. Matteson, Bob O'Link, defeated R. C. Butler and G. M. McConnell, Indian Hill, 1 up, 20 holes; F. Bursbach and C. Stacey, Indian Hill, defeated C. S. Williams, Bob O'Link, 6 and 4; R. D. Gordon and K. Curtis, Bob O'Link, defeated E. M. Cummings and A. Edwards, Indian Hill, 1 up. Total points—Bob O'Link, 2; Indian Hill, 1.

AT EVANSTON—K. L. Ames and K. P. Edwards, Glen View, defeated W. W. Ahlschlager and J. E. Rend, Evanston, 1 up; H. Raymond and C. Murray, Evanston, defeated P. Berkey and K. Burns, Glen View, 1 up; Ira Couch and H. Slaughter, Glen View, defeated Dr. Combs and Leon Savaria, Evanston, 3 and 2. Total points, Glen View, 2; Evanston, 1.

Skokie's big event of the week came on Saturday when the deciding matches of the Indian cup tournament were played. B. H. Schnur was the first player to annex a cup, defeating M. C. Shope, 2 and 1, for possession of the Mohawk trophy. J. D. Cunningham took possession of the Oneida cup by eliminating J. H. Bullen, 7 and 5, while S. L. Williams won the Onondaga trophy by banishing C. D. Brandriff, 6 and 5. The final trophy, the Cayuga, lodged with L. Barnett when he finished up J. D. Galbraith, 5 and 4.

After watching the juniors decide that Ira Couch was king, Westmoreland members competed Saturday in several club events. In the semi-finals of the Angus cup, J. Medlock defeated G. C. Stiles,

Jr., 1 up, and F. Burnaby eliminated J. H. Stehman, 4 and 2. C. W. Love, 94-18-76, won the weekly fellowship cup, while F. J. Burns, 93-7-86, and C. E. McCoy, 100-14-86, tied in the blind bogey. A. C. Hammond and B. G. Sykes tied in the ball sweepstakes with totals of 77.

The second match round of the club championship resulted as follows:

Class A—A. C. Perry defeated A. Shiverick, 4 and 2; E. H. Raedel defeated F. C. Stiles, Jr., 4 and 3; J. D. W. Archer defeated R. Gambrell, Jr., 3 and 1; S. Moulding defeated F. Burnaby, 5 and 4.

Class B—H. T. Johnson defeated R. G. Gebhart, 1 up, nineteen holes; Dr. F. E. David defeated C. V. Burkhart, 1 up; J. H. Stehman defeated C. Kirk, 3 and 2.

Sixteen Glen View members qualified Saturday for the club championship, Kenneth Burns, the defending champion, leading with a card of 39-38-77. Under Burns came Ira Couch and President Engler, the other thirteen lining up as follows: H. W. Slaughter, 80; Kenneth Edwards, 82; V. B. Mayo, 83; Dr. F. P. Horan, 84; George F. Henneberry, 84; E. W. Allen, 85; F. T. Murray, 87; G. B. McCormick, 87; F. A. Assmann, 87; R. M. Torrence, 88; D. A. Crawford, 88; Harrison B. Riley, 89; and F. S. Colburn, 89.

President Engler, paired with Couch, defeated Capt. E. F. Carter of Flossmoor and J. Henry Platt in a Scotch foursome. After the club championship qualifiers had been determined, the next sixteen qualified for the Old Hickory trophy as follows:

C. A. Cook, 90; Ashley O. Jones, 91; D. A. Noyes, 91; R. B. Upham, 92;

C. W. Sherman, 92; J. H. Quinlan, 92; W. S. Primley, 93; J. E. Nyman, 93; R. C. Sherman, 93; E. M. Skinner, 94; Perkins B. Bass, 95; D. C. Miller, 95; Dr. Brown Pusey, 95; A. W. Eddy, 95; O. H. Eddy, 95; and J. J. Charles, Jr., 96.

In the first round of the club championship at Evanston Saturday, Howard Raymond defeated C. F. Murray, 6 and 5; Leon Savaria defeated W. H. Meyst, 4 and 2; and J. E. Rend, defending champion, disposed of A. H. Huey, 2 up.

Two ties resulted at Indian Hill Saturday in the play against par for the Hathaway Watson trophy. President Robert H. Ripley and N. Landon Hoyt, Jr., finished all even at 4 down, while G. E. Routh, A. D. Edwards and H. N. Howard tied at 5 down.

H. H. Harrison scored his second successive win of the Directors' trophy at North Shore Thursday. Mrs. Harrison won the cup donated by Mrs. G. Wolfe, defeating Mrs. E. P. Bartlett, 4 and 3.

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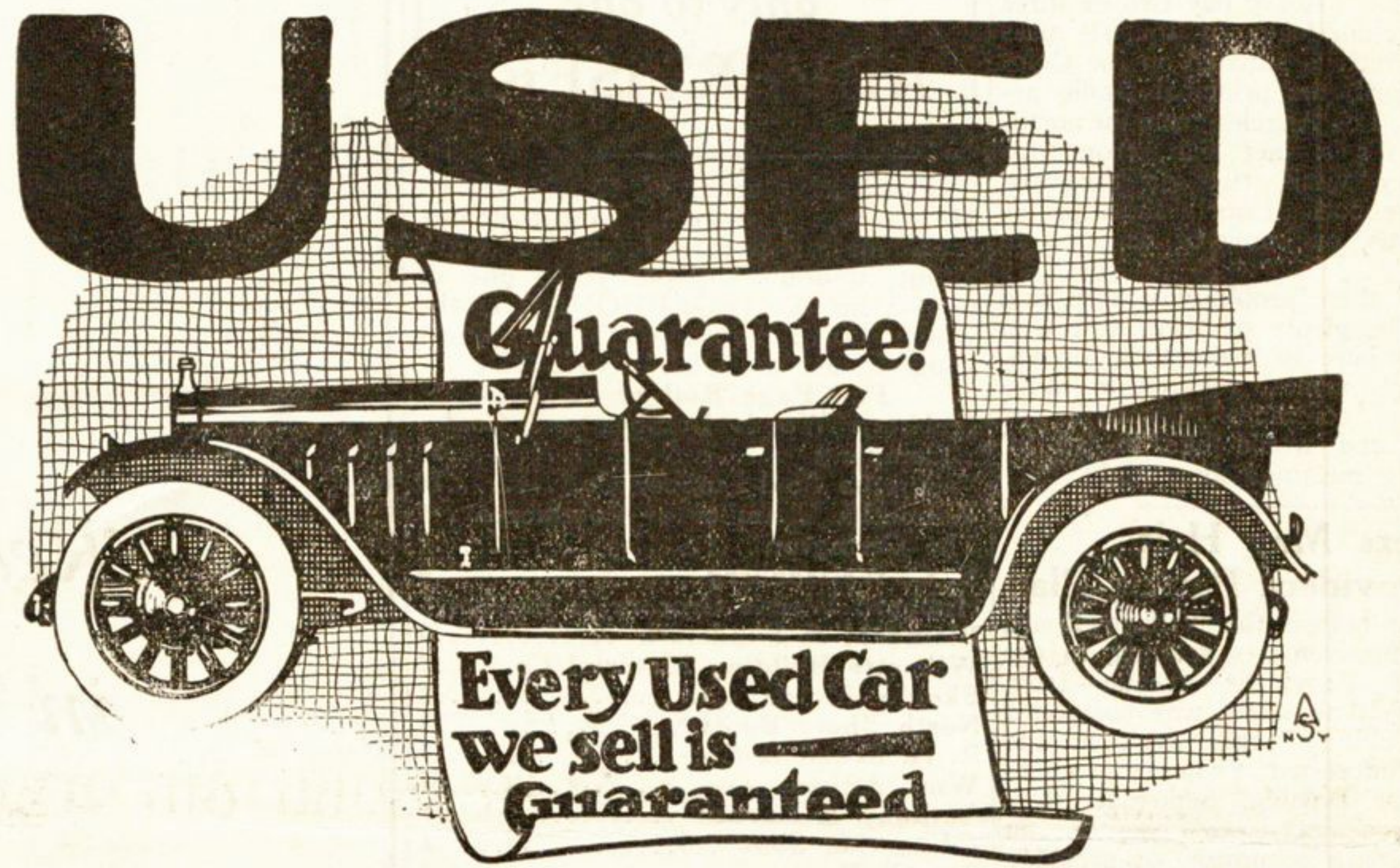
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