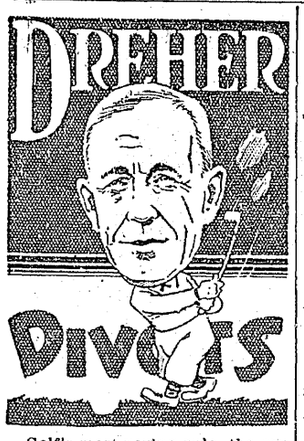

Golf's most vexing rule, the one most commonly violated, is out. The player MAY take a practice swing within a club length from the ball, provided—

But, we'll let those provisions go for the moment while we engage in a bit of background-building.

It was decades ago that the lawmaking bodies of golf took cognizance of the fact that the expert could, under the laws then in force, literally "cut the ground out from under" a ball if it was lying badly, without disturbing the lie of the ball, by hacking away with practice swings.

Came a correction in shape of a note added to Rule 15 which said in effect that a player could take a practice swing or swings anywhere on the course provided this was done more than a club length from the ball.

That "club length" provision is missing from the 1935 edition of the Rules of Golf as issued by the United States Golf Association. It is replaced with a rule with sharp teeth, while the player is made an honest man.

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Some Observed; Some Didn't

Referee, opponent and companion player have been looking the other way when the player has taken his practice swing within a club length from the ball.

There was no intent to cheat, no intention of improving the ball's lie in such practice swings; mostly they were made unconsciously, but the person who called penalty strokes on such an unlawful swing was promptly dubbed a short sport.

Some referees, on the other hand, went so far as to call a penalty on a player when taking a practice-pendulum on the putting green if the player stood inside a club length of the ball.

There were plenty of heartburnings on this practice swing rule; a lot of uncomfortable situations. And there were many players who were so afraid of breaking the rule that they would not take a practice swing in direction of the objective hole.

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1934 and '35 Compared

The 1935 edition of the Rules of Golf, just come to hand, when compared to the 1934 rules shows the difference under the new interpretation.

Rule 15 of 1935 says regarding improving the lie of the ball before striking, by moving, bending or breaking anything fixed or growing, and in making his backward or forward swing, with the club grounded only lightly and not pressed on the ground:

"A practice swing may be taken any place on the course provided the player does not violate the provisions of Rules 15 (which has been rendered), 10, 21 (1) and 25."

Under Rule 15 of 1934 edition this was added: "The penalty (for breaking, bending, etc.) should not be applied to an infringement of this rule occurring in a practice swing or swings, provided it is more than a club length from the ball."

Compare No. 15 of 1934 and 1935 and you will find the club length reference is eliminated.

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Rules 10, 15, 21, 25

Rule No. 15 has been given. What about Rules 10, 21 (1) and 25?

Rule 10 provides against pressing down or removing any irregularties of surface which in any way might affect the player's stroke.

Rule 21 (1) provides that if the ball lie in bushes, long grass or the like only so much thereof shall be touched as will enable the player to find his ball.

Rule 25 relates to hazards where, of course, the club may not touch the ground if the ball lie in the hazard.

All of which points the way for one to go ahead and take his practice swings anywhere he wishes so long as he doesn't IMPROVE THE LIE OF HIS BALL.

A burden is lifted.

Montreal Gets Golf Classic of Canada

MONTREAL, Que., Saturday, April 20.—The Canadian open golf championship will be played at Summerlea Golf Club here, it has been announced by the Royal Canadian Golf Association. Dates of the tournament have been set for August 29-31, inclusive.

The Canadian amateur will be played at Ancaster, Ont., June 18-22.

SIX LEADING JAPANESE GOLF PROS ARRIVE TODAY

TEAM FINALLY TO COMPETE IN OPEN

Steaming into Seattle aboard the steamship Hiye Maru at 7 o'clock this morning will come the first "side" of Japanese golfers to invade this or any other foreign country. They comprise the leading six professionals of Nippon. Their first appearance arranged throughout the country for them against picked P. G. A. teams will be at Inglewood Country Club next Sunday, in a series of single and four-ball matches.

Accompanying the Japanese will be the secretary of the Japan Golf Association, Yutaka Kanuma, who speaks English and will act as interpreter. Meeting the visitors here, as manager of their Pacific Coast tour, will be J. A. Patterson, Southern California P. G. A. official.

The Japanese team is composed of the following:

"Tommy" Miyamoto, 31, Ibaraki C. C., Osaka.

Toichro Toda, 22, Hirono G. C., Kobe.

S. Chin, 26, Musashino C. C., Tokyo.

"Jack" K. Kusada, 31, Tokyo G. C., Tokyo.

"Bob" R. Asami, 28, Hodogaya C. C., Yokohama.

Kanekichi Nakamura, 25, Fujisawa C. C., Tokyo.

"Tommy," "Jack" and "Bob" won their American handles on a visit to this country in 1931, and it is quite likely the other three will win similar nicknames before they return home. Toda, undoubtedly, will get that of "Torchy."

While in Seattle the visitors will be entertained by the Seattle Japanese Golf Association, composed of Japanese business men golfers.

Four years' training following what three of them picked up on their 1931 visit to this country and Tommy's appearance in the British Open, undoubtedly will be found to have done the Nipponese a lot of good. The impression they left four years ago was that they lacked tournament experience, although able to play all the shots.

All six have been title-bearers at home. Miyamoto is present open champion of Japan, Chin is present Eastern Japan champion and Toda is Western Japanese champion. Asami is the heavyweight and longest hitter of the lot.

Toda is the baby of the team, but 22 years old, and is considered the most promising young player in the empire. During 1934 he won three firsts and five seconds and thirds in major Japanese tournaments.

The tour of the Japanese is in the hands of the National P. G. A. tournament committee, which announces that after their several appearances on this Coast they will go into the Middle West, starting at Kansas City on May 16 for several P. G. A. team matches, until it is time to take part in the National Open at Pittsburgh June 6-8. They do not have to qualify for the tournament.

Their disposition in team matches after the Pittsburgh engagement will depend largely upon what the visitors have revealed as to strength, but their appearance in individual effort has been booked for the new Canadian championship, the General Brock Hotel Open at Niagara Falls, Ont., July 12-14.

The schedule arranged up to yesterday for the Japanese team follows:

April 24—Informal matches, Japanese vs. Vancouver, B. C., golfers.

April 25—First official mach, Japanese vs. Pacific Northwest P. G. A. team, composed of Al Zimmerman, Walter Pursey, Jimmy Johnson, Ted Longworth, Gordon Richards and Verne Torfin, at Inglewood Club, Seattle.

May 1—Japanese vs. Portland P. G. A. members.

May 4-5-6—In Northern California section.

May 8-9—Japanese vs. Southern California P. G. A., at Agua Caliente.

May 12—Japaneso vs. Southern California P. G. A. in Los Angeles.

May 16-17—Japanese vs. Midwest Section P. G. A. in Kansas City.

May 18-19—Japanese vs. Eastern Missouri P. G. A. in St. Louis.

June 3-8—In Pittsburgh for U. S. G. A. Open championship.

July 11-12-13—Niagara Falls, Ontario, General Brock Open.

W. A. C.'s Annual Links Program Set for Friday

The annual Washington Athletic Club golf tournament, a day given over to a field program that embraces all sorts of scoring, driving and getting closest to the pin, will be held at Broadmoor Golf Club Friday of this week, April 26.

For purposes of a better distribution of prizes, the field will be divided into two classes, the first division including those of 14-handicap and less and the second division all over the 14-mark.

Twenty-four prizes have been provided by the tournament committee, equally distributed between the two divisions; these run from silver trophy cups, wearing apparel and general golf equipment to golf balls.

Chairman of the tournament committee is Ralph Whaley, a member of the Broadmoor club. Others on the committee are: George Varnell, Royal Brougham, James Brinkley, Grover Burke, Capt. G. B. Wait, Lee Steil, Larry Ives, Alex Gray, Fred N. Hicks, Raymond P. Elliott, Chester Reitze, Vic Rabel, Jack Salmon and Dr. W. C. Speidel.

Allenmore Open June 3 Lures Pros

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Purse Upped From $100 to $300 Now

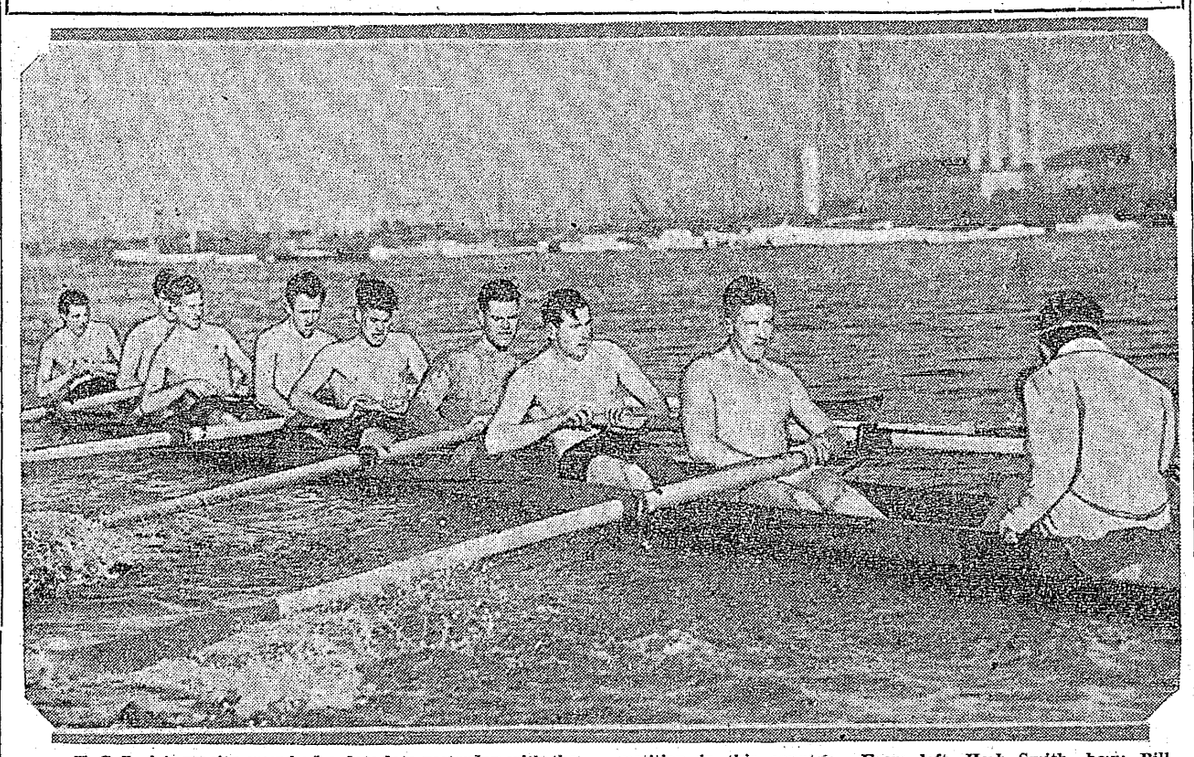
Steadily there is being built up for the professional element of the golfing clan competitions that, cumulatively, are adding considerably to their income—if he has any sort of a top game. The Allenmore Open is an instance. The second annual gathering of the professionals—and amateurs—at Tacoma's Allenmore is set for Monday, June 3, a thirty-six-hole medal affair. Inasmuch as the Pacific Northwest Open will be held at Yakima the following weekend, June 6-7, the Allenmore contest will be a splendid workout for everybody and, undoubtedly, will add to the entry list, both from Washington and Oregon.

The Allenmore management has upped the pro purse $100 to a total of $300, with a lot of valuable prizes set up for the amateur division on the side. On this line it is noted the money will be divided: $100, $70, $50, $35, $25, $20, while the amateurs will receive the following merchandise prizes:

Low net, set of seven irons, $35; low gross, set of three woods, $30; second low net, caddie bag, $20; third low net, dozen balls, $8.00; fourth low net, duffle bag, $7.00. To this list merchants are expected to add.

Manager Sam Allen, of the entertaining club, said yesterday he had, among others, assurances of such amatuers as Drs. Cliff Baker and O. F. Willing, of Portland; Al Harrington, Yakima; Bill Yost, Walla Walla, and Harry Givan, Scotty Campbell and John Shields, of Seattle.

Ready for Washington Duel Here



U. C. L. A.'s varsity crew had a date late yesterday with the California Bears on the Olympic course at Long Beach, Calif., and on May 11 has one here, on Lake Washington. Crew is picking up at the Los Angeles school, where Coach Ben Wallis is developing men worthy of the high caliber of intercollegiate competition in this country. From left, Herb Smith, bow; Bill Cooper, No. 2; Harry Hoofle, No. 3; Claude Brown, No. 4; Bernhardt Mortensen, No. 5; Bill Gulick, No. 6; Neill Phillips, No. 7; Gordon Bell, stroke, and Jack Zipperman, cox. San Pedro's skyline is the background for their workout.

JACKSON HOST TO PUBLIC CONFLICT

Today will see a number of first round matches played in the fourth annual King County public links championship at Jackson Park, although the players are allowed until next Sunday to complete the round. The presence of the Japanese golf team here at Inglewood next Sunday, all day, undoubtedly will cause many of the first round of thirty-two matches to be cleared of the boards before that time.

In a formal notification to each of the sixty-four qualifiers sent out Thursday night, Secretary Budd Clark of the tournament committee gave each man the name of his opponent, his home and business address and telephone numbers, so there should be no loss of time getting in touch with one's opponent.

Clark further makes this point most emphatic, namely: At the conclusion of each match next Sunday the winner must telephone to him, Clark, or Jimmy Robinson, at Jefferson Park, Glendale 9620. All returns are wanted by 6 p. m.

In the field of 276 taking part in the qualifying round of a week ago there were 212 who failed to make the grade for championship play. These non-qualifiers have been assigned to eight courses where, between now and Sunday evening, May 5, they will play an eighteen-hole medal round, on handicap, a trophy for each course winner.

All must obtain from the starter at the course to which he has been assigned his true handicap before setting out, and each must play his round with one or more fellow non-qualifiers to make it official. He must obtain his card from the starter before teeing off.

Following is the draw for the eight courses:

Earlington—J. Bugay, H. M. Hanson, R. Paradis, W. Pitzer, W. Sherman, C. Garvin, Sid Phillips, A. Hermanson, R. M. Beamer, Tom Blair, George Taylor, Lloyd Laduke, L. Paul Fiorito, Johnson Glen, Grant A. Woods, Bepler, R. S. Smythe, George Cruickshank, S. L. Hough, E. Kuker, Joe Del Duca, Lan Marl, W. W. Harrison, P. Allister White, Vic Benson, H. Uhls.

Jackson Park—L. Sheets, H. Leverinson, Dean Effner, Paul Fiorito, J. B. Wray, F. R. Brown, R. V. Dorset, Gordon Tucker, E. Kendall, L. B. Garrett, Bert Worley, Roy Danielson, C. Bergman, John Dooley, Alex Calder, Wilbur Faraje, E. J. Whitman, Babe Joanis, Bud Landin, E. Alex Hamilton, C. Lunde, H. Oatling, Ira Merrill, Jack Hevs.

Jefferson Park—G. Shikiz, Dr. T. Uchida, Frank Nakamura, F. Ogawa, J. T. Ove, M. J. Galbraith, W. W. Woodward, Joe Tudor, Robert Dietz, John Dall, John Eckles, Jerry Tipp, Rose S. Helib, Don Goodman, Doug Dean, D. Norton, P. Kelliam, Volney Gaudett, George Kaczor, L. Lagozzino, Olo Jruger, J. Kaczor, Nelo Case, Tom Kidwell, R. Calkins.

Inkewood—C. Lavender, T. H. Eggleston, G. Bannerman, Doug Boone, T. C. Patterson, C. M. Holmes, V. E. Morrison, A. E. Diggins, F. Miller, R. V. Welty, J. E. Warner, J. Cuffley, Ed Rapier, W. N. Miller, C. C. Schmets, Geo. Taylor, Buz Smith, Fred Scott, Harry Clark, W. J. Marshall, Warren Hardy, A. J. Moir, H. A. Raby, L. Gazin, Dr. W. A. Heldon.

Maplewood—Roy Duncan, Ed Cahill, H. Bowman, Walt Manville, H. Moenpe, H. Hughes, W. A. Sibbick, A. R. Zurick, Kent Allen, Stan Long, C. K. Carlson, J. McCarthy, H. E. Wigmore, Eugene Dell, Paul Dell, J. Sanders, Carl Robinson, W. C. Daniels, J. Truckenfrodt, E. I. Lomay, Rex Rowland, Art Glover, Herman Pratt, Frank La Chappelle, A. A. Oles, D. Callow, R. Newell.

Meadowbrook—Hy Golub, Sid Meister, Jack Matthews, Don Due, F. Morrison, Mc Janet, F. B. Clark, A. W. Busch, J. O'Rourke, Bill Sundsby, M. D. Parrett, W. Poynter, H. S. Whitman, Walter Burke, R. F. Hayes, G. W. Monette, Alden Wilson, Francis Gallager, Schwend, Bill Ross, J. Eger, D. H. Wilson, H. Kippen, Harry Schuck, H. McDowd, Bernie Johnson, Bill Williams.

Redmond—Rudy Holmes, H. W. Winquist, Al Emerson, R. G. Kittle, W. F. Fohm, Gilier, Joe Nebenfuhr, Frank Bird, L. Solomon, R. Sroufe, Bob Shults, J. Copeland, J. Usher, Dr. J. A. Magurer, H. Young, J. B. Wadlington, Bob Pratt, Emery Herrett, Allen E. Beebe, R. Horn, R. B. Pollard, Ted Perrilia, Marino, Pete Davidson, Bob Stephenson, Frank Campbell.

Wayne—Art Jensen, Drimmel, H. F. Case, Dr. R. L. Atcheson, L. A. Ballard, C. Phare, C. F. Sarders, D. Anderson, Bob Fyfe, Harry Sommers, N. F. Schneider, Carl Parsons, Howard Langlie, H. W. Hart, L. Mitchell, C. J. Collins, Ted Ray, Ted Smith, Coguillette, J. G. Blodgett, W. F. Kennedy, F. Fedrick, T. Pollard, Chuck Royal, Cliff Porter, J. W. Van Wyke.

Kirkland High Golf Title Due, Juanita Beach

The third annual Kirkland High School golf championship got under way with a qualifying round of 18 holes at Juanita Beach Golf Club last Saturday, with thirty competitors appearing. Bob Gollofon won medalist honors with a 77. Among the qualifiers was Johnny Gibson, winner of last year's prep title.

The high school girls championship will be started this week, this decided on medal play rounds checked by attending referees.

SENIOR WOMEN TO HOLD OWN BATTLE

The Washington State Women's Senior Golf Association has completed arrangements to put on their first annual tournament at Seattle Golf Club, Monday, June 10. This association was recently formed as a revision of the three-year-old organization that kept alive memories of the state association among those who, largely, no longer competed in the annual state tournament grinds. The rule of eligibility was a 45-year age limit.

Under the drive of the seniors' association president, Mrs. E. W. Mathewson, there has been a constantly growing list of members since the organization move was made. While all who join the association will not compete, they will all attend the luncheon and watch those who still have the desire to play.

Mrs. Roy Thomas, vice president, has been directed to arrange a program and she said in Everett the other day that she expected to have this ready shortly, and it would provide for as high as eighteen holes of play and as low as five holes.

Bellingham Host To State Women

The Washington State Women's Golf Association will hold its fourteenth annual tournament at Bellingham Golf and Country Club the week beginning Monday, August 12. For the purpose of laying final plans, including the agreement on local rules, etc., Mrs. H. B. Paige, president, has called all the officers and trustees to a meeting at the Bellingham club next Friday, April 26.

There are nineteen clubs in the association and each is entitled to one trustee member on the board. These will be the guests of Mrs. Paige at luncheon and then a round of golf for those who desire to play.

Set for a six-day tournament, the annual championship competition will be limited to five days if the size and class of the field warrants such a limitation. However, Bellingham always has been a popular gathering spot for the golfers and everybody will strive to make it a field of not less than 200 entries for the full week.

Port-Siders Among Women Will Meet

The southpaws among the sisterhood of golfers, held together the last several years under the title of the Washington State Women's Left-handed Golf Association, will meet Thursday of this week, 9:30 a. m., to elecete officers and arrange for the year's annual championship tournament.

The meeting will be held at the University Golf Club and it will be followed by luncheon and a round of golf. Every left-handed player of the sex is invited to attend.

Church League Softball Play Due This Week

Seventeen games this week will open the Seattle Church Athletic League's softball season, according to a schedule released yesterday. All games will start at 6:15 o'clock and will be played under the new 1935 softball rules.

Monday Night

CLASS A, Section 1

At Lincoln Park—Seaview M. P. vs. Fairmount Congregational.

At Youngstown—Hope Lutheran vs. Mayflower Congregational.

CLASS A, Section 3

At Broadway—First M. E. vs. Findlay St. Christian.

CLASS A, Section 4

At Ballard—Ballard First Lutheran vs. Green Lake Lutheran.

At Green Lake—University Temple vs. Asbury M. E.

At Ravenna—Woodland Park Presbyterian vs. University Baptist.

CLASS C

At Gilman—Woodland Park Presbyterian vs. Ballard Baptist.

At Garfield—Grace M. E. vs. Mt. Zion Baptist.

At Washington Park—Green Lake Free Methodist vs. First Christian.

At Lower Woodland—Ballard First Lutheran vs. Immanuel Lutheran.

Tuesday Night

CLASS A, Section 2

At Cascade—Immanuel Lutheran vs. Gethsemane Lutheran.

At Mercer—Queen Anne U. P. vs. Auditorium Evangelical.

At West Queen Anne—First Swedish Baptist vs. Fremont Baptist.

CLASS A, Section 3

At Garfield—Grace M. E. vs. First Baptist.

At Washington Park—Prospect Congregational vs. First U. P.

CLASS C

At Broadway—Ballard Baptist vs. Mt. Zion Baptist.

Thursday Night

CLASS A, Section 1

At Hiawatha—West Seattle Baptist vs. Fauntleroy Congregational.

Mrs. Priede Has Golf Prospects, Comments Pro

Mrs. Joy Kavanangh Priede, young golfing matron who has been developing her game at Wayne course, close by which she lives, is on her way to the spotlight, is the declaration of Bob Connolly, Wayne professional, who, playing a round with Mrs. Priede Thursday, saw her clip two strokes from the 9-hole and three from the 18-hole record at Wayne's nine-hole layout.

Mrs. Priede's best previous turn was a 38; Thursday she cut this to 36, while her record 83 round was cut to 80. There has not yet been arranged a woman's par for Wayne, but compared to men's par of 35 Mrs. Priede's card read: 444 455 244—36, as opposed to par of 453 444 344—35.

BROTHER ACTS IN 'U' FOOTBALL SEEN

With half of Washington's spring football practice session behind and the "big" three weeks remaining, indications are that the brother act will have a prominent part in Husky football during the 1935 season.

For out of the welter of individual effort, staged primarily to measure up the new and younger aspirants for varsity honors, two young men whose older brothers proudly wear the football "W" of Washington, have lifted their heads above the multitude.

They are Rink Bond, quarterback, whose brother Chuck was a regular tackle last fall and who is slated to return to that position in the '35 campaign, and Vic Markov, whose brother Ted is one of Washington's starting ends.

The younger member of the Bond family has made good on predictions made for him last fall when he was a freshman. Stocky and a hard hitter, young Bond is definitely a threat for a starting job on Jimmy Phelan's machine for next season. Fast enough to be dangerous, a superb blocker (and how Phelan goes for blockers), Bond has all the potentialities of a varsity player.

Whether he can chase a great youngster like Elmer Logg out of the starting quarterback position is something else again, but that he will see plenty of action as a side kick of his big brother, Chuck, is certain.

The youthful member of the Markov family, Vic, is improving fast. He is making a real bid for a guard job. He is just about the most rugged and best of the new collection of candidates for that position.

Built on heavier lines than Ted, Vic packs a drive that goes with guard play and he revels in the hard going. The tougher it gets the better he likes it, which is considerable recommendation for a young lineman.

At this point in the spring campaign thre are many indications that lead sideline observers to believe that in many of Washington's grid fights next fall, the two brother combinations—the Bonds and the Markovs—will be in action together.

U. Club Golfers Tie University Sextet

Falling before a belated rally by the club team, the University of Washington's six-man golf team was tied, 4½ to 4½, by the University Golf Club in a best-ball match yesterday at the University course.

Results were as follows:

Costin-Elworthy of varsity defeated Hinckley-Welch of U. Club, 2½ to ½; Hansen-Rourke of varsity defeated Lenihan-Lang of U. Club, 2 to 1; Fouty-Falk of U. Club defeated Clifford-Simpson of varsity, 3 to 0.

PREP GOLFERS GET ONE WEEK OF REST

At the midway mark of the Seattle High School golf race, five of the nine schools' eight-man teams having played five matches and four of them four matches, the prep school clubswingers took yesterday off, it being part of the spring vacation period.

The matches will be resumed next Saturday, April 27, with West Seattle drawing the idle day. The schools that have played five matches are Cleveland, Franklin, Lincoln, Roosevelt, West Seattle, while four matches have been played by Ballard, Broadway, Garfield, Queen Anne, with the following standing, two points for a win:

Franklin 10, Ballard 8, Lincoln 8, Roosevelt 4, Broadway 4, Cleveland 4, Garfield 2, Queen Anne 0, West Seattle 0.

Franklin, defending champion, has gone through its five matches without having been pressed, while Ballard has won its four matches, including its battle with Lincoln, and the Beavers appear to be headed for the climatic match of the season on the last day of the schedule—Franklin for the opponent. A win for Ballard would tie up the race and call for a playoff.

On a basis of twenty-four points for each match, or a total of 120 points in its five matches, Franklin scored 92 points to the five opponents' 28. Along this line the following team points, 120 involved for those that have played five and 96 for those who have played four matches.

Lincoln 86½, Ballard 66, Cleveland 64½, Broadway 43, Roosevelt 42½, Garfield 32, Queen Anne 26, West Seattle 17½.

No player has gone through the season thus far unscathed, but the tops is Warren (Bud) Campbell, Scotty's kid brother. As leadoff man for Franklin, Bud has suffered one halved nine in the ten nines he has played, so his tally is 14½ points out of 15.

Naturally the predominance of the Quakers is reflected in the individual showing of its members. Following Campbell, Bill Royce, No. 2 man, has 14 points, as has Joe Lagozzino at No. 6. Bill lost one nine and Joe suffered two halved nines.

For Ballard, Fred Young leads with 10½ out of 12 points, and Fred Zongker is runner-up with 9½. At Broadway, Lee Lewis, at No. 2, is out in front with 8½ out of 12. John Rossi and Percy Webby lead Cleveland with 10½ points each, but Webby's percentage is higher as he played in but four matches to Rossi's five.

Garfield finds Erv Parent, No. 1 man, in the lead with 7 points out of 12. At Lincoln, Ernie Jonson, leadoff player, has a fine record of 12 out of 15, while Barto Taro and Norman Amundson are tied for runner-up at 11½.

Bill Scammell leads Queen Anne with 7 out of 12, with nobody close. At Roosevelt Elmer Berg and Bill Gress are tied at 8 out of 15, while West Seattle returns its leader, Neal Banta, top point-maker with 4½ out of 15. His whole team has only collected 17½ points.

Ex-Big Leaguer Passes

NEW YORK, Saturday, April 20.—Andrew M. Totten, who was catcher for the Boston Braves, baseball team of 1911, died here last night. He was 47 years old.

BEARS WIN THREE LONG BEACH ROWS

LONG BEACH, Calif., Saturday, April 20.—(U.P.)—Ky Ebright's University of California oarsmen made a clean sweep of their annual regatta with the University of California at Los Angeles today by winning both varsity and frosh 2,000-meter races at the Olympic Marine Stadium.

The Bears' varsity had an easy time in their event, winning by a full two boatlengths. The winners' time was 6:56.

The Berkeley frosh were harder pushed but managed to finish in front by better than a boat-length. Their time was 7:00.6.

A spanking wind that stirred up the course in the preliminary race subsided when the two varsity crews lined up at the starting point. The waters quieted somewhat but California's position in the inner lane that was better screened from the wind, was a distinct advantage.

From outset to finish California stroked slowly and methodically, while the Bruins were beating a much faster clip. The California stroke dropped to a surprisingly slow 24 as the Bear shell shot across the finish line. The Bruins at that juncture were pulling a 34.

California shot into the lead within 500 meters of the start. At the quarter post the Bears were a length ahead and rowing 29 strokes a minute. The steady, long beat carried them to nearly two lengths in front at the 1,000-meter line.

Maury Grossman, U. C. L. A. coxswain, quickened the Bruin stroke and the maneuver reduced the Bears' advantage a quarter-length at 1,500 meters.

The Bruins were unable to maintain the pace, however, and slackened. Coxswain Reg Watt cut the Bears down to a 29 stroke as they swept across the finish line.

The Bruin frosh rowed an uphill race in their attempt to grab off a victory. They, too, were assigned the ill-favored outer lane. They lost the lead at the 500-meter mark and never seriously threatened thereafter. At the half-way marker the California frosh, stroking a steady 32, were a full length ahead and added another quarter-length by the time they reached the finish line.

Navy Wins Three From Columbia

NEW YORK, Saturday, April 20.—The Navy crews opened their intercollegiate rowing season by winning a triple victory over Columbia over the mile and a half course of the Harlem River this afternoon.

The Midshipmen scored sweeping victories on the varsity and junior varsity races and won the freshman-plebe event by three feet.

Navy won the varsity race in 6:42.6 to finish four and a half lengths ahead of the Lions. In the Jayvee event the Middies won by three lengths with a time of 6:55.

Navy got off to a quick start in the varsity race and increased its lead with every stroke.

Yale Sets Mark In Beating M. I. T.

WORCESTER, Mass., Saturday, April 20.—Yale's varsity crew established a new course record over the Henley distance in defeating Massachusetts Institute of Technology by three and a half lengths in their regatta on Lake Quinsigamond today.

The times were: Yale, 6:43⅘; M. I. T., 6:56⅘.

The Elis made a clean sweep, outrowing the Engineers in the junior varsity and 150-pound crew contests.

In the junior varsity race, Yale won by three lengths.

The Blue oarsmen captured the 150-pound race by two lengths. Times were: Yale, 6:59⅘; M. I. T., 7:10⅘.

CREW DRIVE TO OPEN APRIL 30

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sending all three crews to the Hudson," said Bill Metz, general chairman, yesterday.

"Not in my experience, and I feel sure it is the same with many others who have for years been interested in Washington rowing, have three such fast, outstanding crews come out of the Husky shellhouse in any given season, as those of this year.

"Washington surely has a chance to figure in varsity-junior varsity and freshman championships. I hope all three can go East."

Hulbert Wins In Seattle Golf Mix

R. A. Hulbert's 7 up over par proved the best in the Seattle Golf Club's match play against par yesterday, so he walked off with the honors. C. W. Clark was 4 up, Ted Owens 3 up, J. C. Glass 2 up and A. A. Gray 1 up.

East Side Golf Championship Up

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Qualifying Round Already Started

East Side, West Side, all around the town.

The East Side, for the purposes of this golf tournament, includes all that territory extending from Bothell on the north to Kennydale on the south and the Cascade Range on the east. The West Side, which would include the City of Seattle, is out of the picture.

Known as the East Side Golf Championship, this tournament was launched last year and was won by Einar Fretheim of Kirkland. The second tournament opened yesterday with a qualifying round which will run to May 15, all play being over the Juanita Beach Golf Club course.

Thirty-two will qualify and Guy Farrar, tournament manager, announces there will be a consolidation flight for the defeated sixteen. Beautiful trophies have been bought for the championship and flight.

All entries are made at the Juanita clubhouse.

Women in Germany have taken enthusiastically to field hockey and the national association now numbers 24,573 members.

Seven Courses To Cheer Team Of Italian A. C.

The Italian Club's City and Northwest basketball champions, who won their way to the quarterfinals in the N. A. A. U. tournament recently held in Denver, will be guests of honor at the club's inaugural banquet and dance to be held next Sunday, April 28, at the Casa Italiana.

A seven-course Italian dinner will be served starting at 6:30 o'clock. Dancing will begin immediately following the dinner. Joe Yellam has been appointed chairman and Councilman James Scavotto will be master of ceremonies. The public is invited to attend.

PECAROVICH HAS SMILE FOR FALL

By G. M. V.

Mike Pecarovich, Gonzaga University's smiling football coach, paid Seattle a short visit yesterday, and regardless of the fact that Gonzaga faces the toughest schedule in the history of the Spokane institution for the 1935 season, Pecarovich continues to smile.

"All we have to do next fall is play off a ten-game schedule with nine of our games coming without an open date" said Mike in outlining Gonzaga's grid assignments for the '35 campaign.

"We will start Saturday September 21 with a game against Cheney Normal. Then in order we meet the University of Oregon, University of Idaho, Oregon State, San Francisco University, Washburn College, Washington State, University of Montana and College of Puget Sound.

"That's nine games, including five against Pacific Coast Conference teams, one against a California opponent and another against Washburn, an intersectional opponent from Topeka, Kas.

"I do not know of a schedule in the Northwest that even approaches it for consecutive engagements. After C. P. S., we will get a rest and then tackle University of Portland in our final game of the year. I would not be surprised if our Bulldogs have what might be called a full season of action."

Figuring that Gonzaga's ten-game schedule means Pecarovich will need strong reserves for his Bulldog lineup, the natural question to ask the Spokane coach was:

"Well, Mike, how will your reserve strength stack up?"

"Reserves?" said the coach, "I have not begun to think about reserves up to this point. I have been working on getting enough men together for a team."

Gonzaga, according to Pecarovich, has just finished its seventh week of spring drill and will carry on three weeks more before calling quits.

"How are the prospects for your team for fall?" was the next one shot at Pecarovich.

The Bulldog boss did not beat around the bush in answering that query. He called attention to the loss of the great Ike Petersen, halfback supreme, of Bill Brian, tackle and captain; Bill Buchanan, guard; Jim Parks of Seattle, center and Willard Key quarter, since last season, but admitted he has fair replacement material.

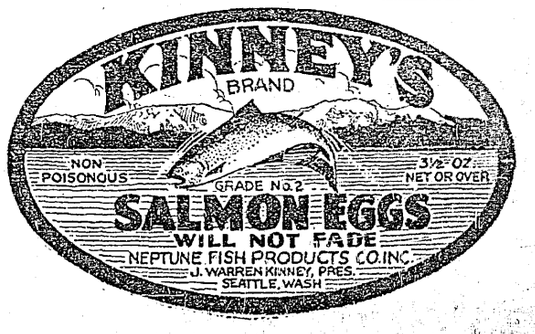
Picard Winner Of Most Money In Winter Play

NEW YORK, Saturday, April 20.—(U.P.)—Henry Picard of Hershey, Pa., was the big money-winner of the "Grapefruit Golf League" tabulations of winter tournaments showed today.

"Pic" returned to Hershey with $5,560 to lead his nearest rival, Johnny Revolta of Milwaukee by a handsome margin. Revolta won $3,904. Third money went to Ky Laffoon, Chicago, who amassed some $2,800.

Others who topped the $2,000 mark: Victor Ghezzi, Rumson, N. J., $2,670; Harry Cooper, Chicago, $2,631; Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y., $2,624; Gene Sarazen, Brookfield center, Conn., $2,372; Horton Smith, Chicago, $2,331; Harold McSpaden, Kansas City, Kas., $2,354; Jimmy Hines, Timber Point, N. Y., $2,006.

Rainier Levels On Fircrest In Golf Duel, 53-13

A team of twenty-two members of the women's section of Rainier Golf Club tripped it to Tacoma's Fircrest Club Friday and there gave the home sisterhood quite an object lesson in the game, beating them 53 to 13. The results:

Rainier (53)		Fircrest (13)	
Wingham	3	Long	0
Jones	2½	Peters	½
West	3	Conant	0
Bird	3	Burns	0
Argersinger	3	Smith	0
Clark	3	Reynolds	0
Matlock	3	Broenkow	0
O'Brien	2½	Coblentz	½
Rhodes	2	Albro	1
Ruble	2½	LeLine	½
C. Jeffs	3	Friesen	0
McIntosh	1½	Wallace	1½
Vike	3	Miss Coblentz	0
Hall	2½	McMillan	½
Cannon	2	Selden	1
Perkins	2	Pearson	1
Chittenden	½	Koler	2½
Mumford	½	Quiggin	2½
Bridge	3	Clark	0
E. Jeffs	1½	Wood	1½
Atkins	3	Fennen	0
Summers	3	McDinaith	0