

GOLFERS AND BALL EXPERIMENTS

Players Satisfied with the Latest Type and Alarmed at Prospects of Further Change.

FOREIGN ENTRIES FOR HENLEY.

The experiments made with golf balls of varying sizes and weights at St. Andrews, Hoylake, Sandwich and Sunningdale have proved, says an official statement, that a numerically large majority of golfers are satisfied with the present golf balls (1.62 x 1.62), and are needlessly alarmed at the possibility of specifications being changed.

Satisfactory to Golfers.—When the Rules Sub-Committee was appointed by the Royal and Ancient Club its members were instructed to investigate the possibility of evolving a ball which would restore the balance between the power of the ball and the length of the holes and conserve certain essential features in the playing of golf. Such a ball would be satisfactory to a hundred per cent. of golfers, and the sub-committee has set as its ideal the satisfaction of the entire community.

Proving a Negative.—At this stage it may be noted generally that the competitions so far held tend to prove a negative only—viz., that standardisation of size only would not effect the desired object; that a ball of more than 3½ dwts., whatever its size, is an unsuitable implement for golf, whether the striker of it is or is not gifted with exceptional physical power, and that the size of the ball must therefore be considered in relation to its weight. The committee further state that: "It would be premature to discuss this point further until the series of experimental competitions is complete."

Barnes Surprised.—James Barnes, the American golf champion, and Walter Hagen, arrived at Southampton by the Berengaria. They will play in the open golf championship in a fortnight's time. Barnes told The Daily Mirror that he is surprised that Willie Hunter did not do better in the amateur championship. "He is a fine player, and I am puzzled to understand why he did not make a much better show." Both Hagen and Barnes intend to reside at Sandwich until the championship.

North London Lawner.—H. R. de Morpurgo, the Italian Davis Cup player, won through two rounds of the North London lawn tennis championships at the Gipsy Club yesterday, but he was not impressive against either W. J. Webb

or H. S. Owen. F. G. Lowe beat C. S. Grace after a splendid match in which Grace volleyed finely. Mrs. Mallory showed that she is fast running into Wimbledon form by the easy manner in which she beat Mrs. Palmer. Mrs. Beamish and Mrs. Edgington were also successful.

RUSSELL OR MAKEPEACE?

Struggle for 1,000 runs.—A. C. Russell, Essex' No. 1 and Makepeace, who occupies a similar position in Lancashire's batting order, are having a fine fight for the honour of being the first batsman to reach 1,000 runs. At the moment Russell requires 22 more and the Lancashire man 76. Essex are not engaged today, and so Makepeace has a grand chance of snatching the honour, for his county meet Kent at Manchester.



A. C. Russell.

Russell's Best.—Russell, like Makepeace, was a member of the last team to visit Australia. During the Adelaide Test Match of that tour he scored 135. Last season, against the Australians in Test matches, he notched a century at Manchester and another at the Oval. His most successful season was in 1921, when he totalled 2,238 runs with an average of 54.53.

London Olympiads' Successes.—Members of the London Olympiads A.C. filled the first four places in the 100 yards women's championship of England at the Molinari sports on Saturday. The club also won the open relay races at Brentwood and Stamford Bridge on Monday, and the open 80 yards and 120 yards handicaps. Applications for membership should be addressed to J. Palmer, 27, St. Bride-street, E.C.

Athletics at Chesham.—There was a fine finish to the half-mile open handicap at the Chesham Foresters' and Oddfellows' sports yesterday between C. H. Ruffell (Highgate H.), 38 yards start, and H. E. Brookes (Polytechnic), who received 43 yards, and the judges gave a dead heat. Later Ruffell won the open mile from virtual scratch in 4m. 23.3-5s. B. J. Reppington (Wycombe Phoenix) scored his third consecutive win in the mile scratch race. H. W. Brooker (Surrey) gained the 100 yards handicap off the 8½ yards' mark and C. A. Palmer (unattached) carried off the 300 yards with a start of 24 yards.

LONDON AMUSEMENTS.

ALHAMBRA. HIGH-CLASS VARIETIES Daily, 2.30, 6.10 and 8.45. Prices, 5s. to 3d. APOLLO.—2.30 and 8.30. PHYLLIS MASON-TERRY, LYN HARDING in "TRILBY." Wed, Thurs, 2.30. COMEDY.—Eve, 8.30. Tues, Thurs, 2.30. OWEN NARES and EDNA BEST in "QUARANTINE." COVENT GARDEN.—British National Opera Co. To-night, Wed, 7.30. Louise, Thurs, 7. Tristan. CRITERION.—Eve, 8.30. Chas. Hawtrey in AMBROSE APPLEJOHN'S ADVENTURE. Mats, Tues, Sat, 2.30. DALYS.—THE LADY OF THE ROSE. Eve, 8.15. This week, Sat, 2.15. P. Wright, P. Dore, H. Welchman. DRURY LANE.—(Ger. 2588.) Eve, 8. Wed, Sat, 2.15. DECAMERON NIGHTS. A romantic play, with music. DUKE OF YORKS.—To-morrow, 8. ROBERT LORAIN in "POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE" by Monckton Hoffe. GAIEY.—2 and 8. "HIS GIRL," GENEVIEVE DEBENHAM and STANLEY LUPINO. Wed, Sat, at 2. (Last Week.) GARRICK.—Eve, 8.30. Mats, Thurs, 2.30. Seymour Hicks in THE MAN IN DRESS CLOTHES. GLOBE.—Mer. Marie Lohr, Eve, 8.30. "LILLEN." Irene Vanbrugh. Mat, Wed and Thurs, 2.30. HAYMARKET.—To-night, at 8. THE DOVER ROAD. By A. A. Milne, Henry Ainley, Allan Aynsworth, Sat, 2.30. HIPPODROME, London.—"ROUND IN '60." Daily at 2.30 and 8.30. George Robey, etc. (Ger. 650.) KINGSWAY.—Eve, at 8.15. Mats, Tues and Thurs, 2.30. MRS. PATRICK CAMPBELL in HEDDA GABLER. LITTLE LONDON'S GRAND GUIGNOL. (8th Series.) Nightly, at 8.15. Mats, Tues and Thurs, 2.30. LONDON PAVILION.—(Ger. 704.) HARRY LAUDER. Nightly, 8.15. Mats, Tues, Wed, Sat, 2.30. LYRIC.—WHIRLED INTO HAPPINESS. Nightly, at 8.30. Mat, Sat, 2.30. Mat after this week Thurs and Sat, 2.30. LYRIC HAMMERSMITH.—THE BIG BAR'S OPERA. To-day, 2.30 and 8.15. Wed and Sat, at 2.30. MASKELYNE'S THEATRE OF MYSTERY. 3 and 8. BRILLIANT STARS AMBITIONS. Langham 1545. NEW.—Eve, 8.30. MATHEWSON LANE in "MR. WU." Mats, Wed and Sat, 2.30. (Ger. 4466.) PALACE.—THE CO-OPTIMISTS' 3rd Programme. To-day, 2.30, 8.30. Mats, Wed, Thurs, Sat, 2.30. PALLADIUM.—Twice Daily, at 2.30 and 8.15. Harry Day's Super Revue, "ROCKETS." PHILHARMONIC HALL.—Famous Syncepat Orchestra and Singers. 2.45 and 8.30. No Mats, Wed and Fri. PLAYHOUSE.—Eve, 8.15. THE SECOND MRS. TANNER. QUEEN'S.—Clara Cooper, Dennis Eagle. The Sat, 2.30. PRINCE OF WALES.—8. Wed and 8.2.15. "A to Z." Maudie Gay, G. Lawrence, Jack Buchanan, Red Mat. Pr. QUEEN'S.—The New Comedy, LASS O' LAUGHTER. Nightly, at 8.15. Mats, Thurs and Sat, 2.30. ROYALTY.—To-day, 2.30, 8.30. THE GREEN GARD. Mats, Wed and Sat, 2.30. Aubrey Smith, Mary Merrall. ST. JAMES'S.—THE BAIT. Arthur Wontner, Eva Moore. To-day, 2.30, 8.15. Mats, Wed and Sat, 2.30. ST. MARTIN'S.—"Chau Wo Join the Ladies!" 8.15. "Loyalities," at 9. Mats, Thurs and Fri, at 2.15. SAVOY.—To-night, 8.30. IF FOUR WALLS TOLD. Triumph of acting. "Ev. News." Mats, Mon, Fri, 2.30. SCALA THEATRE (NEW).—8.15 and 8. Sunday, 7.30. ORPHANS OF THE STORM. Box-office, 10.10. Last wk. SHAFTESBURY.—2.30, 8.15. "TONS OF MONEY." Yvonne Arnaud and Ralph Lynn. Mat, Wed, Sat, 2.30. VAUDEVILLE.—8.15. Tu and Fri, 2.30. "POT LUCK!" Jack Hulbert, Beatrice Lillie, Mary Leigh. WINTER GARDEN.—(Ger. 416.) "SALLY." Nightly, 8 promptly. Mat, Every Sat, 2.15. WYNDHAM'S.—GERALD de MAURIE in "DEAR BRUTUS." To-day, 2.30, 8.30. Mats, Wed, Sat, 2.30. NEW GALLERY KINEMA.—Regent.—Dorothy Dalton in "Idols of the North"; Princess Mary's Wedding Presents. COLISEUM.—(Ger. 7540.) 2.30 and 7.45. Havana Band. Rath St. Denis, Jack Pleasants, Tom Clare, etc. LEISTERS.—CINEMA.—The Chaplin House. Chaplin in "The Kid"; "Shoulder Arms" and "Sunnyside." STILL PICTURE THEATRE.—"Honest Hutch." "The Idol of the North" and Prima Coloured Film, etc. TERRY'S.—Pen Nights in a Bar-room, featuring John Lowell. First presentation in England.

PERSONAL.

SUPERFLUOUS hair permanently removed from face with electricity; ladies only. Miss Florence Wood, 29, Granville-gardens, Shepherd's Bush, W. 12. Tufo. FAT banished speedily, harmlessly and permanently by "Corpulen." Of all Chemists or direct from Corpulen Co., 73, Edgware-rd., W. 2. 4s. 6d. post free.

A. P. F. Chapman's Future.—Rumour has been very busy lately concerning the future of A. P. F. Chapman, the Cambridge University cricketer, but it is now definitely stated that he has accepted a business appointment at Hythe, in Kent. He will be qualified to play for the Hop County in the 1924 season.

HENLEY'S INVADERS.

Foreign Crews for Henley.—Entries for Henley Regatta from crews and scullers belonging to clubs outside the United Kingdom closed on June 1. For the Grand Challenge Cup Christiania Roklub, Norway; Grasshopper Club, Zurich, Switzerland; Royal Club Nautique de Gand, Belgium, and the Societe Nautique de la Marne, France, will compete. The Grasshopper Club has also entered for the Stewards' Cup. The only foreign crew in the Silver Goblets will come from Rotterdam.

For the Diamonds.—The names sent in from overseas for the Diamond Sculls are: A. A. Baynes, Brisbane, Queensland; H. A. Belyea, Canada; W. M. Hoover, U.S.A., and M. W. Schmid, Zurich, Switzerland. According to Reuter, Belyea does not intend to compete because of his defeat by Hoover on Monday at Philadelphia. In some cases the entries, which have not been submitted to the management committee, have been made by cable and the necessary papers have not been received.

Billiards for Sussex Hospital.—Few games have done more to assist charitable causes than billiards. Quite the biggest thing in 100-up handicaps has been organised by the Brighton County Club, to be played at Sherry's, Middle-street, on Monday, June 12. The following players will take part:—Tom Newman (champion), W. Smith, M. Inman, Clark McConachy (champion of New Zealand), Tom Recco, A. F. Peal, Stanley Newman and A. Goundrill.

OTHER SPORT IN BRIEF.

News Items and Gossip About Men and Matters of the Moment.

Hunt Cup Scratchings.—Illuminator (last year's winner) and Soldeinn have been scratched from the Royal Hunt Cup.

Polo at Ranelagh.—In the Ranelagh Cup competition Cowdry defeated Eastcott by 6 goals to 3 yesterday, and Fion received a walk-over.

Light Blues for Holland.—G. Leembruggen (Holland) has arranged for the Cambridge University lawn tennis team to visit Amsterdam in September.

Scotts' Golf Championship.—It has been decided to hold the 1922 Scottish professional golf championship over the Western Club's course at Gaites, Ayrshire.

Harrow v. Winchester.—It is announced that the cricket match between Harrow and Winchester will be played at Harrow on June 20, and not on the 22nd.

Boxing at the I.S.C.—The final of the bantam-weight competition for the Lupino Cup between Eddie Fraser and Charlie Rogers takes place at the International Sporting Club to-night.

F. S. Jackson's Golf Win.—The Hon. F. S. Jackson won the Whitson tournament of the Royal St. George's Golf Club at Sandwich yesterday. In the final round he beat Major A. H. Bridges by 2 up.

PROGRAMME FOR OPENING OF MANCHESTER MEETING.

Table with 2 columns: Race Name and Odds. Includes 2.0-STAMFORD 3-Y-O H'CAP, 4.20-MARK PRICE H'CAP, 4.55-WILTSUNTIDE T-Y-O STAKES.

AT YARMOUTH.

Table with 2 columns: Race Name and Odds. Includes 3.0-NORFOLK AND SUFFOLK H'CAP, 3.0-NORFOLK AND SUFFOLK H'CAP.

SPECIAL NEWMARKET WIRE.

Table with 2 columns: Race Name and Odds. Includes 2.0-TINDER BOX, 2.35-FASTOLITE, 3.10-SICVON, 3.45-LOWSTEP, 4.55-MARY SELBY.

STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Our City Editor. THE CITY, Tuesday. Markets opened quietly this morning, but with tone very firm despite Irish and Reparation uncertainties. War Loan was just the turn easier 99½. Home Rails were inclined to react, N. Westerns being 104½, but several minor Welsh stocks advanced sharply. French and German bonds were easier. Industrials were irregular; Cements 15s., Oil Cakes 25s. 3d., Vickers 11s. 9d., British Aluminiums 19s. 3d., all harder. Marconi easier 52s. 6d.

WEDDING BELLS (Regd.) Ever Ringing Always Selling. A BISCUIT DELICATE AND DELIGHTFUL. MADE BY CRAWFORDS. Includes image of a biscuit tin.

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DR. BARNARDO'S HOMES ANNUAL 2/6 APPEAL. You always send to the Half-crown Appeal to help feed the Largest Family in the World. 7,290 in residence, of whom 1,191 are babies. 300,000 Half-crowns urgently required. Includes text about the appeal and contact information.