

## ALLAN LARD THE WINNER

Defeats J. C. Parrish, Jr., in Finals of St. Valentine's Golf Tournament.

Roderick L. Macleay Defeats Nat. S. Hurd in Consolation-Close Matches Rule.



HE interest in the fourth annual St. Valentine's golf tournament culminated in the final round for the President's or hirst division trophy, be-

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tween Allan E. Lard of the Columbia Golf Club, Washington, and J. C. Parrish, Jr., of the Shinnecock Hills Club; a pretty race which was won by the Columbia player, two up and one to play, on the short seventeenth hole.

Mr. Parrish took first honors by winning the first hole, Mr. Lard evening matters on the second, the third and fourth being halved, Mr. Lard winning the fifth (par four) with a fast three, the sixth being easy honors, Mr. Lard gaining a lead of two up on the seventh, the eighth being halved, Mr. Parrish taking the ninth and starting home, one down.

The ninth and tenth were halved, the Shinnecock Hills player gaining the lead by taking the twelfth and thirteenth, Columbia's representative squaring matters on the fourteenth, the fifteenth being divided, the winning of the long sixteenth and the short seventeenth by the Columbia player, ending the match.

Mr. Lard was playing a brilliant long game, but Mr. Parrish's accuracy made him a dangerous opponent, and there was uncertainty enough to keep the interest of the big gallery keyed high and to make speculation run riot.

Mr. Lard's first struggle was with Wilber C. Johnson of the Canoe Brook Club, the match being decided on the twentieth green, this victory bringing Mr. Lard up against John E. Porter of the Allegheny Country Club, who had defeated Roderick L. Macleay, winner of the qualification gold medal. The result was the keenest and fastest match of the week, an even seventy-one for both players being the score on the seventeenth green, with many brilliant features to make the contest one of unusual interest. Mr. Porter started home two down, Mr. Lard making his lead three up on the eleventh, Mr. Porter reducing it to two again on the fifteenth, all the rest of the holes, coming home, being halved. The cards:

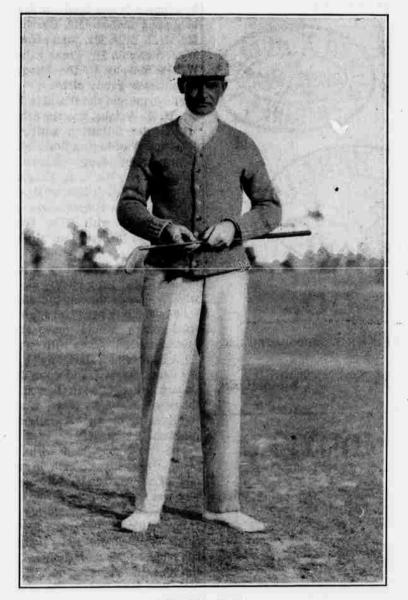
MR. LARD. Out-4 6 4 5 4 4 5 3\* 4-39 In -4 2 4 4 6 4 5 3 x-32-71 \*Approach hit marker, fell dead. MR. PORTER. Out-5 3 2\*4 4 5 7 4 5-39 In -4 3 4 4 5 4 5 3 x-32-71 \*Mashie approach holed.

took the consolation. In the first division consolation things Fourth division winners were Oscar were powerful lively, N. S. Hurd of the C. Davis of Brockton, winner, Thomas Pittsburg Country Club, being the par- Robertson, runner-up, and E. B. Spauldticular star, the winner of a twenty-two ing, Waubanakee, consolation; fifth di-

the fifteenth, Mr. Potts winning the six-

teenth and Mr. Brown the seventeenth.

Thomas T. Rushmore of Garden City,



ALLAN E. LARD.

hole (match with C. C. Worthington of | vision, Edgar B. Davis, Brockton, win-Manwalamink, in the first round and a twenty hole battle with S. V. Farrelly of Morristown, in the semi-finals, only to meet defeat by qualification gold medal winner, Macleay, in the finals.

C. L. Becker of Woodland, took the second division from C. A. Munger of Camden Country, on the home green; T. S. Fuller of Deal, winning the consolation. The third division went to F. A. Potts of Lakewood, who defeated C. H. match play appear upon pages 4 and 5.

ner, C. H. Rosenfeld, Deal, runner up, Geo. A. Clark, St. Andrews, consolation; sixth division, J. G. Nicholson, New Bedford, winner, A. J. Hazeltine, Warren, runner up, G. A. Peck, Mt. Everett, consolation; seventh division, Dr. G. F. Martin, Vesper Country, winner, Malcolm Gifford, Columbia, runner up, John Bassett Moore, New York, consolation.

## Brown of Saegkill, in a red hot match, a | VILLAGE WINS FOUR AND TWO screaming putt on the home green doing the trick. Mr. Brown pulled up from three down and six to go to even up on Thursday's Baseball Game Fastest of

Season's Interesting Series.

Brilliant Pitchers Battle, Hard Hitting and Snappy Fielding are

Features-Other Games.



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HURSDAY afternoon's ball game between the Village and Carolina teams, was without question, the fastest of the season, the Village

aggregation winning 4 and 2, in a contest replete with hard hitting and fast fielding on both sides. The Village team, however, outbatted their opponents, landing for three two-baggers one after the other, in the sixth inning, which was a little too fast going for the "hill" aggregation.

Eastman occupied the box for the Village and he kept the hits well scattered, being touched for five singles and a twobagger. Gleason did the twirling for the losers, pitching a pretty game, the ball being found for seven hits only, but these happened to come well bunched, causing the loss of the game, for it was, unquestionably, a pitchers battle from start to finish.

Fitzgerald wore the mitt for the winning team, and he had a wing like a hawk, throwing to bases with ease and accuracy, making base stealing somewhat of an uncertain undertaking, only one base being gained in this way. De-Rohn held the home plate down for The Carolinaş, and worked hard for a win, but was up against rather hard luck at times.

The bright and particular fielding star of the afternoon was Lynch, the Village shortstop, and Jack Slattery carried off the honors for heavy stick work. Norris' batting was the feature of The Carolina's game, as in Tuesday's play and "Cy" Young amused the crowd by his vain endeavors to hit the ball; Gleason striking him out in three successive appearances at the bat.

The Carolinas drew first blood in their half of the first inning, Smith getting his base on balls and scoring on Norris' red hot liner to right. The second run came in the seventh inning on a single by Finnegan and a fine two-base drive to centre by Norris.

The Village nine evened the score in the second, Young getting his base on balls and making the plate on Morris' Detailed stories of qualification and single to deep right. Two more runs (Concluded on page 12.)