

and death, and how hard it is to convey to those who are ill the material things necessary to their recovery. It would be a great thing if the country parsons all over the land would agree among themselves to preach on a certain Sunday a sermon on the subject of good roads. The Bible is full of appropriate texts. Sermons are preached every Sunday on all sorts of social, ethical and political questions not one of which is of more immediate importance to the welfare of the community than the improvement of the public highways. The country parson who has not forgotten his "Pilgrim's Progress" will recollect what trouble Christian had on his way to the Celestial Country by the condition of the roads and how terribly he suffered when he took the wrong turn instead of holding straightforward in the appointed way. There was one point, the "Slough of Despond," which the surveyors had been working above sixteen hundred years and into which they had dumped "twenty thousand cart-loads, yea, millions of wholesome instructions," and yet "it is the Slough of Despond still," although "certain good and substantial steps," had been "placed even through the very midst of this slough," and it is noted in the story what terrible things happened to Christian and Hopeful, his companion on his journey, when leaving the main highway they sought smother ground for their tired feet and fell into the hands of Giant Despair.

For their own sake that they may do their work better, for the sake of the people to whom they minister in the rural districts, for the promotion of industry and the common good, the American Highway Association invites the active co-operation of the country preachers in the good roads movement.

NED BEALL WINS

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Pines, 4 and 3; C. A. Hartwell, Brookline, beat F. S. Danforth, North Fork, 6 and 5.

SECOND ROUND—Hunter beat Fownes, 2 and 1; Beall beat Scofield, Jr., 6 and 5; Marr beat MacConnell, 1 up (19 holes); Hartwell beat Proal, 5 and 4.

SEMI-FINALS—Beall beat Hunter, 3 and 2; Hartwell beat Marr, 4 and 3.

FINALS—Beall beat Hartwell, 3 and 1.

CONSOLATION

FIRST ROUND—Hunter beat Fownes, by default; Becker beat Hunt, 3 and 1; MacDonald beat Russell, by default; Danforth beat Kelly, by default.

SEMI-FINALS—Hunter beat Becker, 3 and 2; Danforth beat MacDonald, 4 and 3.

FINALS—Danforth beat Hunter, 5 and 3.

SECOND DIVISION

FIRST ROUND—Jack Tunis, Bellevue, beat S. R. Davidge, Binghamton, 1 up; W. Catchings, Fox Hills, beat E. D. McCabe, Brooklyn, 1 up; Spencer Waters, Apawamis, beat C. B. Hudson, North Fork, 7 and 6; W. N. Hackett, Merion, beat J. C. Taylor, Lakewood, 3 and 2; W. N. Nevins, Springfield, beat J. D. Armstrong, Buffalo, 3 and 2; K. McCabe, Brooklyn, beat S. D. Wyatt, Fond du Lac, by default; B. E. Smith, Owosso, beat

J. D. Hunter, North Adams, 4 and 3; George Webster, Marquette, beat C. A. Nesmith, Flushing, 4 and 3.

SECOND ROUND—Tunis beat Catchings, 2 and 1; Waters beat Hackett, 4 and 2; Nevins beat McCabe, 2 up; Smith beat Webster, 3 and 2.

SEMI-FINALS—Waters beat Tunis, 4 and 2; Smith beat Nevins, 5 and 4.

FINALS—Waters beat Smith, 3 and 2.

CONSOLATION

FIRST ROUND—Davidge beat McCabe, 2 and 1; Hudson beat Taylor, by default; Armstrong beat Wyatt, by default; Hunter beat Nesmith, 4 and 3.

SEMI-FINALS—Hudson beat Davidge, 6 and 4; Hunter beat Armstrong, 5 and 3.

FINALS—Hudson beat Hunter, 3 and 2.

THIRD DIVISION

FIRST ROUND—J. A. Gibson, Rosedale, beat R. C. Blancke, Montclair, 3 and 2; W. H. Smock, Deal, beat R. E. Durham, Indian Hill, 1 up; H. W. Ormsbee, South Shore, beat R. B. Newcomb, Mayfield, 8 and 6; Dr. W. E. Bush, Southern Pines, beat W. B. Bibb, Sleepy Hollow, 5 and 4; Robert Foote, New Haven, beat J. K. Eisemann, Allegheny, 2 up; A. D. Mallory, Orlando, beat J. D. C. Rumsey, Brooklyn, 1 up; E. B. Corcoran, North Hatley, beat S. A. Hennessee, by default; I. W. Champion, Brantford, beat H. D. Westfall, Steubenville, 3 and 2.

SECOND ROUND—Gibson beat Smock, 2 and 1; Bush beat Ormsbee, 1 up; Mallory beat Foote, 2 and 1; Champion beat Corcoran, 4 and 3.

SEMI-FINALS—Bush beat Gibson, 2 and 1; Champion beat Mallory, by default.

FINALS—Bush beat Champion, 1 up (20 holes).

CONSOLATION

FIRST ROUND—Durham beat Blancke, 3 and 1; Newcomb beat Bibb, 1 up; Eisemann beat Rumsey, 4 and 3; Westfall beat Hennessee, by default.

SEMI-FINALS—Newcomb beat Durham, 2 and 1; Eisemann beat Westfall, 2 and 1.

FINALS—Newcomb beat Eisemann, by default.

FOURTH DIVISION

FIRST ROUND—Herbert Miller, Garfield Park, beat W. W. Peabody, Deal, by default; N. D. Clark, Woodbridge, beat H. W. Sherrill, Duchesse, 7 and 6; A. K. Baldwin, Montclair, beat W. W. Hulfish, Maryland, 1 up; R. A. Swigert, Palmetto, beat J. Q. A. Sand, Maryland, 5 and 4; J. T. Newton, Tuxedo, beat W. T. Posey, Essex, 3 and 2; A. Sachs, White Plains, beat F. E. Rogers, Pelham, 2 and 1; T. T. Watson, St. Davids, beat W. B. Santers, Westwood, 6 and 5; F. Pring, Deal, beat J. A. Durell, Somerville, 5 and 4.

SECOND ROUND—Clark beat Miller, 8 and 7; Swigert beat Baldwin, 2 and 1; Newton beat Sachs, 4 and 3; Pring beat Watson, 2 up.

SEMI-FINALS—Clark beat Swigert, 1 up; Newton beat Pring, 3 and 2.

FINALS—Newton beat Clark, 5 and 4.

CONSOLATION

FIRST ROUND—Sherrell beat Peabody, by default; Hulfish beat Sand, by default; Rogers beat Posey, 4 and 2; Santers beat Durell, 7 and 6.

SEMI-FINALS—Sherrell beat Hulfish, by default; Santers beat Rogers, 2 up.

FINALS—Santers beat Sherrell, 8 and 6.

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