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R. M. Purves Wins League Championship

BY ROBERT E. HARLOW

More than 200 members of the Winter Golf League of Advertising Interests swept into Pinehurst on a special train from New York, Saturday morning, January 8, and, joining a legion of their brothers from the West, proceeded immediately to engage in a seven-day golfing carnival on the Pinehurst links.

Holding steadily to the exalted position he gained in the qualifying round, and rendering obsolete the old superstition that a medal man has no chance for the trophy, R. Murray Purves of the Woodland Club, made good his claim to the supreme title in the tournament, and carried off first honors in the Championship division.

As a preliminary to the big event, and to enable Donald Ross, who had charge of that part of the program, to provide proper handicaps for the field, the League members held an 18-hole handicap medal round on Saturday, which went to E. D. Moore of the Siwanoy Club with the low net score of 90-20-70.

The Championship battle started on Monday. Purves won the qualifying round with a score of 81 and worked his way through to the finals where he met and defeated Lou Hamilton of Garden City, 4 and 3.

Had Hamilton been able to sink three putts of two feet and under on the first nine holes he would have made the match much closer. Usually a fine putter on Pinehurst greens, the Garden City player was badly off and his failure to get down short putts gave Purves a winning lead early in the match.

Hamilton did not hit the ball well off the tees and in the fairway. Purves outdrove him off practically every tee and was more certain with his irons. Only in running the ball up from short distances off the greens did Hamilton surpass Purves, but his bad putting offset his accurate approaches.

They halved the first hole in fives and Purves took the lead at the second when he sank a four-foot putt for a par four and Hamilton was short of the green with his second and just on the edge with his third.

Hamilton appeared to have the third hole won when he ran his third to within four feet of the cup, and Purves, having driven into a trap, was off the edge in three. Purves ran his fourth dead, giving Hamilton a putt for a win. He



Fifteenth Hole Number Three Course

overran by two feet and missed coming back, losing the hole. This put him off and he topped his drive to the fourth, took two to get out of the trap his ball was in and hit his fourth into another pit. Purves won with a four.

Purves won the long fifth with a five, as Hamilton's drive stuck in the side of a trap and he required a seven. The Garden City player won the sixth with a three and the seventh with a six, when he ran his fifth to the rim of the cup. Pur-

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**THE PINEHURST CHAPEL
SUNDAY SERVICES**
Holy Communion, 9:15 A. M.
Children's Service, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Services
and Sermon, 11:00 A. M.

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SERVICES**
Early Mass.....6:15 a. m.
Second Mass.....8:00a.m.
When visiting Priest is at Pinehurst.

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C. B. FOWNES WINS TIN WHISTLES

Selected Holes Tourney

The Class A. prize in a selected holes tourney held by the Tin Whistles on Monday last, in which 54 players compared notes on their best six holes in each nine, was won by C. B. Fownes of the Oakmont Club.

Playing with the aid of his club handicap of 4 strokes, Fownes negotiated six holes going out in 19 and six coming home in 25 for a winning total of 44 for the twelve holes. His gross score going out on the Championship course was an unusual one. He used up an entire 8 strokes on the first hole, 5 on the second, 4 on the third and played the remaining six holes in 20 strokes, or 3 strokes under par, for a gross total of 37 for the outward journey in spite of his inauspicious start. His three birdies included a 2 on the 220-yard blind eighth hole.

Parker W. Whittemore of Brookline, carried off the low gross honors of the day with a round of 79.

P. B. O'Brien of the Detroit Golf Club, handicap 11, won the Class B prize with 46 for his best dozen, and Charles B. Hudson, North Fork, handicap 14, led the high handicap field, at 44, and took down the prize in Class C.

The scores:

CLASS A.

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| C. B. Fownes | 19-25-44 |
| F. T. Keating | 23-25-48 |
| P. W. Whittemore | 23-25-48 |
| C. L. Becker | 21-27-48 |
| G. M. Howard | 23-26-49 |
| D. Bishop | 25-25-50 |
| G. W. Carroll, Jr. | 25-25-50 |
| T. A. Kelley | 25-25-50 |
| J. D. Chapman | 25-26-51 |
| W. E. Truesdell | 25-26-51 |
| G. W. Statzell | 23-29-52 |
| H. C. Fownes | 28-25-53 |
| J. S. Brown | 23-29-52 |
| H. G. Phillips | 24-29-53 |
| R. S. Tufts | 26-27-53 |
| A. S. Higgins | 26-28-54 |
| L. Daniels | 29-28-57 |

CLASS B.

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| P. B. O'Brien | 22-24-46 |
| H. P. Hotchkiss | 21-26-47 |
| G. T. Dunlap | 23-26-49 |
| T. A. Cheatham | 25-24-49 |
| B. V. Covert | 24-26-50 |
| H. E. Porter | 23-28-51 |
| P. S. Maclaughlin | 25-26-51 |
| H. G. Waring | 21-32-53 |
| J. L. Weller | 24-30-54 |

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