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HENRY J. TOPPING WINS NORTH AND SOUTH AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

F. K. Robeson, Runner-up

Henry J. Topping of Greenwich, won the North and South amateur championship for the second time when he defeated Filmore K. Robeson of Rochester, 3 and 2, in the 36-hole final round of the twenty-second renewal of this event on Saturday last. Topping won the title in 1913 and was runner-up in 1915, the winner that year being Robeson, his opponent this year.

Topping was three down at the end of the morning round in his match with Robeson, but he had already demonstrated his ability to come from behind and many of his supporters expected that he would overtake Robeson in the final 18 holes. He played a very determined game in the afternoon and his golf was much better than in the morning. This, added to the fact that Robeson lost his tee shots, enabled the Greenwich player to catch his opponent and pass him.

A large gallery followed the players in the afternoon. Topping overplayed his second shot to the first hole but put his third close to the cup and halved Robeson's well played par 4. Topping obtained a fortunate break at the second hole and one that must have given him confidence for the remainder of the game and caused his opponent no little worry. His second shot was just at the edge of the rough to the left of the green. Robeson had played two good shots and seemed assured of a four, but Topping proceeded to hole out a three and cut Robeson's lead to two holes.

Robeson drove into the woods at the third and took three to get on, but Topping, who was on the green in two, took three more and they halved in 5's. The fourth was won by Robeson with a par four, Topping putting a mashie-niblick I shot in the trap in front and taking five. The fifth was halved in 5's, although Topping had the advantage when A Robeson hooked into the rough and found I his ball directly behind a high whisker M so that he was barely able to get out. I Topping was over the green on his second and took three more.

Robeson lost the sixth hole, three to four, although he was well inside when the tee shots had been played. Topping's mashie struck just beyond the traps at the right but he ran his second up the side of the hill and the ball rolled washin putting distance. He got his time and Robeson took three from off (Continued on Page 9)



Two views of the gallery at the home green during Open North and South Championship

THE PINEHURST CHAPEL SUNDAY SERVICES

ROMAN CATHOLIC SERVICES

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Children's Service 10:00 A.M. Morning Service and Sermon 11:00 A.M.	Second Mass 10:30 A. M.			
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MID-APRIL TOURNAMENT **UNDER WAY**

E. L. Scofield, Medalist

E. L. Scofield of Pinehurst, led the field in the qualifying round of the annual Mid-April tournament, which started on Tuesday of this week, and won the medal with a card of 39-40-79. Scofield's nearest opponent was F. C. Newton of the Brookline Country Club, 41-40-81, who was one stroke ahead of R. E. Harlow, Searboro, who wound up in third place, at 42-40-82.

Other players who are well up in the first division are Arthur Yates of Rochester, who won the qualifying medal in three tournaments at Pinehurst this season, Harold Weber of Toledo, and A. L. Walker, Jr., Richmond County, who met defeat for the first time this season in the North and South championship.

Henry J. Topping, winner of the North and South title last week, qualified with a round of 83, but withdrew from match

Five divisions qualified and will continue at match-play throughout the week.

Qualifying scores in the first two divisions follow:

FIRST DIVISION

15 15 Sconeil, Thenus	99.40-19
F. C. Newton, Brookline	41-40-81
R. E. Harlow, Scarboro	42-40-82
Arthur Yates, Westchester-B	39-45-84
Harold Weber, Toledo	40-44-84
A. Walker, Jr., Richmond C'y	$43 \cdot 42 - 85$
G. M. Howard, Pinehurst	42-4587
J. A. Gammons, Providence	43-4585
F. T. Keating, Pinehurst	43-4790
Henry H. Howe, Jr., Mt.Kisko	42-49-91
F. C. Moulding, Pittsburg	45-47-92
P. S. Maclaughlin, Ekwanok	44 - 49 - 93
E. C. Beall, Sherbrooke	43-50-93
Jack Tunis, Westchester-B	44.50 - 94
C. H. Gardner, Providence	40-54-91
W. S. VanClief, Richmond C'y	44-51-95

SPOOND DIVISION

SECOND DIVISION	
R. E. Page, Hartford	43-53-96
J. W. Watson, Merion	45-51-96
T. A. Kelley, Southern Pines	46-51-97
J. R. Bowker, Woodland	48-49-97
O. S. Redfield, Greenwich	50-4797
B. V. Covert, Lockport	50-4898
R. J. Francisco, Rutland, Vt	. 51-47-98
H. C. Buckminster, Wincheste	
C. S. Waterhouse, Ardsley	
W. B. Merrill, Brookline	49-51-100
A. S. Higgins, St. Andrews	47-53-100
Norwood Johnston, Oakmont	
G. Worthington, Bennington	
W. E. Eagan, Exmoor	49-92-101
S. Y. Ramage, Oil City	50-51-101
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