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SPRING TOURNAMENT

**Biggest Golf Tournament Ever Held
Opened at Country Club Monday**

**Philip Carter of Nassau as Ex-
pected Distances all Com-
petitors**



PHILIP CARTER came back from Elbe and again took command of the situation Monday last. The largest golf tournament that has ever been held in the world started at the Country Club

that day with 267 entries, a fair field and no favor. It was the opening of the qualification round of the Spring Tournament. Two days of medal play, thirty-six holes, were on the cards.

The first eighteen holes told the story of the medal. It was a raw day for Pinehurst, and the scores all reflected the chill. But nevertheless Carter returned a 76 on the number two course, playing with E. C. Beall of Uniontown, the winner of the medal in the Valentine Tournament. Beall was not up to his game, and had to be content with ninety that day. Charles Skehens of Woods Hole, who has been regarded as a possible danger to the champion was second best that first day with an 84. Carter dropped to eighty the second eighteen and Beall duplicated the performance, recovering from sixteenth to 4th place.

Carter's total winning score was 156. B. P. Merriman of Waterbury beat Charles Skehens out for second place on the two days' play, with an 86 and an 82, a total of 168 against Skehens' 169. Considering the size of the field, and the veterans in the lists, there were amazingly few low scores. There were only eleven to average ninety or better for the two day's play.

There was a spirited competition at the end of the first division to see whether Spencer Waters of Apawamis or J. D. Armstrong from Buffalo should have to drop to the second class. These two tied on the thirty-six holes at 184 apiece; Armstrong 89-95, Waters 94-90.

They played it off and Waters won, leaving Armstrong heading the second division.

The play was on both number two and number three courses. The courses have been remodelled and rebunkered in many places by Donald Ross since last year,

and not only require better golf to make the score but as scientific a game as is called for on any course in the country. This makes it all the more noteworthy that Carter's score this year is seven strokes better than that made last year by the veteran Travis.

THE SUMMARY

FIRST SIXTEEN

Philip Carter, Nassau	76	80-156
B. P. Merriman, Waterbury	86	82-168
Chas. Skehens, Woods Hole	84	85-169
E. C. Beall, Uniontown	90	80-170
H. C. Fownes, Oakmont	86	90-176
H. H. Will, Onondaga	88	89-177
C. L. Becker, Woodland	85	92-177
W. E. Truesdell, Fox Hills	88	90-178
Austin Sands, Newport	89	90-179
L. E. Will, Onondaga	91	88-179
T. B. Boyd, St. Louis	92	88-180
Irving Robeson, Rochester	86	95-181

THIRD SIXTEEN

W. M. Alling, Plainfield	94	97-191
J. L. Wellen, St. Catherines	93	98-191
C. H. Williams, Hackensack	95	96-191
E. D. McCabe, Brooklyn	96	96-192
G. T. Dunlap, Canoe Brook	95	97-192
G. T. Dunlap, Fox Hills	95	97-192
J. W. Howell, Baltusrol	96	97-193
W. F. Brooks, Minneapolis	99	94-193
D. Parson, Youngstown	102	92-419
Lester Howard, Portsmouth	95	99-194
W. H. Nichols, Piping Rock	98	96-194
A. W. Ford, Binghamton	97	98-195
J. A. Barnes, Wellesley	92	103-195
R. H. Hunt, Worcester	100	96-196
C. B. Hudson, North Fork	95	101-196
F. W. Stevens, Baltusrol	105	93-198

FOURTH SIXTEEN

William Jarvie, Boss Rock	198
R. J. Baldwin, Springfield	198
A. L. Carr, Bellevue	199
George Orvis, Ekwanok	199



RODMAN WANAMAKER WINNING THE PINEHURST STEPLE CHASE

Malcolm McGregor, Detroit	91	91-182
Paul Starrett, Baltusrol	89	94-182
T. A. Kelley, So. Pines	89	94-183
Spencer Waters, Apawamis	94	90-184
SECOND SIXTEEN		
J. D. Armstrong, Buffalo	89	95-184
Richard Mott, Huntingdon	94	91-185
R.C.Shannon, 2d, Brockport	91	94-185
P. A. Proal, Deal	96	89-185
G. E. Atherton, Aronimink	93	93-186
T. A. Cheatham, Pittsburgh	93	94-187
J. H. Clapp, Chevy Chase	94	93-187
C. S. McDonald, Lambton	92	96-188
E. H. Jones, Detroit	93	95-188
W. S. Van Clief, Richmond	93	95-188
J.G.Nicholson, New Bedford	93	96-189
P. S. McLaughlin, Scarsdale	96	93-189
J. E. Jacobs, Wollaston	90	100-190
Dr. J. S. Brown, Montclair	92	98-190
S.A.Hennessee, Cooperstown	94	96-190
Franklin Gates, Hoffman	92	99-191
FIFTH SIXTEEN		
F. P. Lee, Framingham	199	
C. I. Aaron, Westmoreland	200	
James McLaughlin, Yountakah	200	
W. L. Milliken, Hyannisport	200	
P. A. McDonald	200	
W. S. L. Hawkins, Springfield	201	
W. C. Breed, Knollwood	201	
P. E. Heller, New York	201	
C. H. Lay, Wanango	201	
H. E. Bradford, Waterbury	202	
J. P. Bowman, Rochester	202	
J. R. Hardin, Baltusrol	202	
FIFTH SIXTEEN		
J. D. C. Rumsey, Brooklyn	202	
H. O. Wiegand, Highland	202	
H. F. Lesh, Brae Burn	203	
C. R. Corwin, Brae Burn	203	
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GOOD HORSEMANSHIP

**Wanamaker and Polly Ride to
Victory**

**Are Am Bee and Red Leo Share
the Purses in the Wednes-
day Races**



THE white railings of the race course, glistening in the sun, were lined with carriages and automobiles, piled high with an expectant throng when the two-thirty trot was called at the trotting meet Wednesday last. It was a thrilling spectacle, new to Pinehurst, suggestive of the Meadowbrook on an Autumn day.

The feature that appealed most to the gallery was the rivalry and the hot finish expected between Polly, owned and ridden by Rodman Wanamaker II, of Southern Pines and New York, and the darling of the Pinehurst stables, the thoroughbred mare Miriel H., with Batchelor up. The entry included three other fast performers, including Welch's Jay Bird that the week before had trimmed the lightning mare, and pushed the Wanamaker stable to its limit.

The steeple chase this time was once and a half around the course and proved to be all that was anticipated. As the Pinehurst backers truly said Miriel H. galloped the whole course under double wraps and finished strong. But in spite of this Leonrad Tufts, president of the trotting association, was seen shortly afterwards adorning the beautiful Polly with a blue ribbon, and presenting a silver cup to a stripling whose riding has never been equalled in these parts. Wanamaker won by a head in a furious finish, with honors equally divided between horse and rider.

Next Wednesday they will run the full course twice, and Batchelor has sworn by the blood of his ancestors that the Pinehurst stable shall suffer loss no more, not even if he has to ride the stirring mare against Tod Sloan himself. And may I be there to see.

In the 2.30 trot for green horses Red Leo, owned by Tufts and driven by Thomas, outclasses the field and sprinted home with space and to spare. She ran with a running mate, and also distanced him, taking easy money.

The much heralded Are Am Bee from the Pinehurst stables came up to speci-

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