



SPORTS

GAMMONS, WITH 165, LEADS IN STATE GOLF

Wannamoisett Expert Wins Qualifying Round, with Hancock Second with 166, and Kenworthy Third with 171.—54 Players in Field

BY H. P. FARRINGTON

When the fog of early morning had been burned away by "Old Sol" John A. (Daff) Gammons, of Wannamoisett, was just finishing his morning round in the start of the 1920 Rhode Island golf championship. He led all the morning starters and there were 54 when all the noses had been counted. (and every one of them was sunburned, for they had been out in the rain as long this season) except Teddy Hancock's. Teddy noed out Daff by one stroke and his card of 82 led the field.

In the afternoon a high wind took the place of the fog and sent a number of scores soaring skyward, so that not one of the State's best players was able to blow around 19 under 80.

Gammons won the prize offered for the best 36-hole total in the qualification round, but he had to sink a 4 footer on the home green to do it. His afternoon round was 81, and the second best single round of the day. This made his total 165, or just one stroke better than Hancock's, who had duplicated his morning round of 82.

The play of both Ralph Rocks and H. E. Kenworthy, fresh from their sojourn to Springfield, was disappointing, as the former after a good morning round of 84 boomed his 36-hole total up to 174, with a 90 in the afternoon. Kenworthy looked as though he might not qualify with a 79 chalked up against him for his first effort, but he got together in the afternoon and his 80 was the best single round recorded. This gave him third place, five strokes behind Hancock.

From this point on the scores soared up to 182, which was the highest total to find a resting place in the first division.

Paul Lestrade and H. P. Farrington after poor morning rounds had things going better in the afternoon, and with scores for the second round of 82 and 85, respectively, insured themselves of a place in the drawing. L. S. Newell reversed this order of things after an 85 in the morning and took 33 in the afternoon, but he was well inside.

Most of the other scores were fairly close morning and afternoon. N. S. Campbell, like Hancock, was alive morning and afternoon and the former was alone in fourth place with 172.

Strange to relate, one player who had about the best chance for a score does not appear in the draw at all. E. W. Lincoln, the youthful Brown, leader, played very poorly in the morning, but got going at a furious clip in the afternoon, and had a chance to 85 in the neighborhood of 33 for the outward round. He had a 2 on the third, 4s on the next two, a 3 on the eighth and a good chance to sink a 4 for a 38 finally on the ninth green. He repeated his three putts to a green performance here, and finally totalled 40. It was a shame, as he played well through the green and was worthy of a better fate. On the inward half again it was his putting that built his afternoon round up to 89, and left him just outside of the championship.

Jim Kenyon was expected to qualify, but the loss of his club has hurt his game to a great extent.

The players were placed arbitrarily for all three divisions so that the four low scores in each fight can't meet until

the semi-final if they continue as they started.

There will be some good contests today in the first two rounds of the championship, for if the matches come out according to schedule Hancock and Rocks will meet in the afternoon in one match and Campbell and Gardner in another. In the upper half if the players continue their pace of yesterday Gammons and Lestrade will be bracketed and Bassett and Kenworthy.

Somebody may tip over this kettle of fish before the tourney is over, as last year everyone commiserated with Daff Gammons in the first round, only to have him get by everyone except Fairchild, whom he gave a great tussle in the final.

Bill Cilia was in charge of the tourney and ran things so that everyone knew when they started and where to find whatever they wanted.

The scores of those who returned cards follow:

Summary:		
J. A. Gammons, Wannamoisett.....	84	81 165
F. M. Hancock, Metacommet.....	83	83 166
H. E. Kenworthy, Metacommet.....	91	80 171
N. S. Campbell, Agawam.....	86	86 172
R. D. Rocks, Metacommet.....	84	90 174
P. C. Lestrade, Wannamoisett.....	92	82 174
H. R. Bassett, Metacommet.....	87	88 175
C. H. Gardner, Agawam.....	86	90 176
H. P. Farrington, Metacommet.....	96	85 178
L. S. Newell, Woonsocket.....	85	93 178
G. H. Doleman, Metacommet.....	88	90 178
A. R. Edwards, Pawtucket.....	88	91 179
W. M. P. MacDonald, Metacommet.....	91	85 176
A. Doleman, Wannamoisett.....	91	85 181
F. D. Reed, Agawam.....	94	86 182
H. Congdon, Agawam.....	89	93 182
E. W. Lincoln, Country Club.....	96	89 185
J. Linton, Metacommet.....	94	92 186
J. S. Kenyon, Metacommet.....	95	91 186
A. W. Hancock, Metacommet.....	96	91 187
R. F. McCoart, Metacommet.....	94	93 187
C. F. Hart, Pawtucket.....	98	90 188
H. E. Linton, Metacommet.....	96	93 189
E. D. Crandall, Pawtucket.....	95	94 189
T. J. Moran, Wannamoisett.....	94	95 189
I. P. Murdock, Wannamoisett.....	95	95 190
E. E. Arnone, Metacommet.....	97	94 191
C. J. Cole, Pawtucket.....	99	93 192
H. W. Boynton, Country Club.....	98	97 195
A. F. Waterman, Wannamoisett.....	98	99 197
T. C. Clarkson, Pawtucket.....	104	93 197
C. A. Doleman, Agawam.....	107	101 208
H. A. Boss, Metacommet.....	101	98 199
H. Bramham, Pawtucket.....	99	101 200
L. J. Tuck, Pawtucket.....	94	106 202
J. W. Lewis, Jr., Country.....	104	102 206
E. B. Graves, Wannamoisett.....	103	104 207
W. G. Wing, Agawam.....	102	106 210
W. D. Merriman, Agawam.....	101	110 211
J. D. Fyler, Point Judith.....	106	107 213
C. A. Reed, Pawtucket.....	100	108 214
L. S. Miller, Wannamoisett.....	110	107 217
P. M. Horton, Wannamoisett.....	107	113 220
A. N. Graves, Wannamoisett.....	112	113 225
C. R. Siddings, Silver Spring.....	123	106 229

There were six no cards.

* Withdrew from match play.

The drawings and starting times for the three divisions which will continue at scratch in the championship flight and use three-fourths of the difference of their handicaps in the second and third sixteen follow:

Championship flight—9:45, Gammons vs. Newell; 9:50, Lestrade vs. MacDonald; 9:55, Bassett vs. H. Congdon; 10:00, Kenworthy vs. Cole; 10:05, Hancock vs. Farrington; 10:10, Rocks vs. Doleman; 10:15, Gardner vs. Reid; 10:20, Campbell vs. Edmonds.

Second flight—9:00, Lincoln vs. Crandall; 9:05, A. W. Hancock vs. Boynton; 9:10, H. E. Linton vs. Waterman; 9:15, Kenyon vs. Wayne; 9:20, J. Linton vs. Murdock; 9:25, Hart vs. Clarkson; 9:30, Moran vs. Kilver; 9:35, McCoart vs. Cote.

Third sixteen—10:25, Boss vs. Miller; E. B. Graves drew bye; Merriman drew bye; 10:30, Tuck vs. A. N. Graves; 10:35, Bramham vs. Horton; Wing drew a bye; Steere drew a bye; 10:40, Lewis vs. Siddings.

HANCOCK WINS GREAT MATCH FROM ROOKS

Pair Play Golf Worthy of Final Bracket in Second Round in State Tourney, "Ted" Finishing 2-1—Semi-Final To-day

By W. P. FARRINGTON

There were no real upsets in the first two rounds of the Rhode Island amateur golf championship yesterday, but it seems counted then the tale might be a very different one. As it is, J. A. Gammons, H. E. Keworthy, F. M. Hancock and C. H. Gardner are left to meet in the semi-final in the above order in today's 36-hole matches for the 1920 individual title. Just what happened at Wannamoisett yesterday is a matter of fact and history; some of it was good golf, and some the reverse, some the keen, friendly sportswoman match and, and, and to relate some the reverse. However, this is not to be a treatise on how to conduct oneself on the course, but plain, blunt, brutal truths, which the score board impartially shows in wins and losses.

When we say that Dr. Gammons squeaked into the semi-finals this year it is the truth, for L. S. Newell was the only man since Gammons himself who did not think the Wannamoisett player was going to go through into the second round on two different occasions. Gammons was there in the pinches and won at the 36th hole when it looked as if he was slated for the consolation flight.

W. M. P. Macdonald upset the Rhode Island Golf Association's arbitrary draw by beating Paul Lestrade, but the latter does not like early morning golf, and of course that accounts for the sub-Harold Bassett won in a well-fought match from Harold Condon, and to see them smile as they came to the board was a treat. Condon said: "He played better golf than I," and Bassett said: "We had a great match."

A perfect 3 on the home hole saved Harry Kenworthy's bacon yesterday, but at the 11th he had to perform, miraculously to save himself from being "dormie" 1 down, for he visited in trap sport of the green in 2 and dropped a long putt for a half in 4 when George Collett was apparently sitting in the drivers seat. It was a close match, and fate threw in the extra pennyweight to tip the scales in Kenworthy's favor.

Ted Hancock played like Walter Hazen and still Mr. Putt led at one stage of the match by 1 up. When it is announced that this was at the first hole, where Hancock very honestly incurred a penalty stroke for tipping his ball over in addressing it, you may ring down the curtains. From that point on, until the match was on ice the long-driving south-paw had nothing but 3s and 4s, with one exception until he was dormie 4.

Ralph Hooks held Andrew Dolesman under the thumb until they shook hands on the 14th green, and both played some splendid golf. Two clubmates sweated and strategized in the morning, with five one and then the other spreading out the welcome mat for the other to trip over. Finally Dr. Gardner beat Fred Read by 1 up and decided that ice coffee at lunch was much to be preferred to going an extra hole. Stewart Campbell was the "Last of the Mohicans" to wander in a victor in

the first division, and he picked on A. B. Edmonds to the tune of 6-3. In the second round Gammons and Macdonald played a silent, half-and-half match, for eight holes, in identical figures. Gammons won the ninth and then it was nip and tuck to the home green where the former emerged a victor. Kenworthy held the whip hand over Bassett in their match and won by 4-3, as the latter was not quite up to snuff and failed to take advantage of the tee shots that sought the rough of his big opponent.

Hancock and Rooks played a match worthy of the final bracket, with the former the eventual winner. Rooks led at the end of the first half with a very superior brand of golf showing, for he tied par or gave the old gent a beating all the way to the turn. Ted did well to hold on with the sledding so tough, but that's his way. Ralph could not shake him, and when Hancock took the lead in the contest it was due to four shots from just off the edge of the 14th green where Ralph should have won instead of losing a most critical hole. The next found Ted in a hole in the bunker to the right of the green, that ought to cause the player who made it to forfeit his right as a golfer, until he knew enough to fill up his own golfing graveyards. It cost Ted the hole, as a 4 would have been good enough to halve had he been able to get out on to the green. Fate was kind to Ted and read to Ralph at the next, where not a bad tee shot was straightening itself out when it got mixed up with a lip of a tree and the ball is still among the list of the missing. As Ted won the long 11th, Rooks's chances this year went into the discard by 2-1.

As long as Doc Gardner and Stewart Campbell play two-thirds of their golf in Rhode Island together, it was pleasant that they could meet yesterday. The doctor won, but Stewart rallied up to the 17th, where their festivities ended.

A. W. Hancock, E. F. Wynne, Lester Murdoch and Mr. McCourt are left for the second night semi-final. This division was played with state handicaps having a bearing on each match, and the summary tells how they got to be semi-finalists better than I can.

It is the desire of the tournament committee that all those who contemplate competing in the 36-hole contest for the President's cup on Saturday either register at the clubhouse to-day or phone their intention to Myron Atteck so that the drawings and starting times can be announced.

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION

First Round

J. A. Gammons, Wannamoisett, defeated L. S. Newell, Wannamoisett, 20 holes.

W. M. P. Macdonald, Metacomet, defeated P. C. Lestrade, Wannamoisett, 14.

H. E. Keworthy, Metacomet, defeated Harold Condon, Agawam, 3-1.

G. H. Collett, Metacomet, 1 up.

P. M. Hancock, Metacomet, defeated H. P. Farrington, Metacomet, 2-4.

R. D. Rooks, Metacomet, defeated Andrew Dolesman, Wannamoisett, 6-3.

C. H. Gardner, Agawam, defeated F. B. Read, Agawam, 1 up.

N. S. Campbell, Agawam, defeated A. B. Edmonds, Pawtucket, 1-3.

Second Round

Gammons defeated Macdonald, 1 up.

Keworthy defeated Bassett, 4-3.

Hancock defeated Rooks, 2-1.

Gardner defeated Campbell, 2-1.

SECOND SIXTEEN

First Round

E. D. Crandall, Pawtucket, defeated E. W. Lincoln, Country, by default.

A. W. Hancock, Metacomet, defeated H. W. Boynton, Country, 2-1.

H. E. A. Linton, Pawtucket, defeated A. F. Waterman, Wannamoisett, 1 up.

E. F. Wynne, Metacomet, defeated J. S. Keyser, Metacomet, 2-4.

L. B. Murdoch, Wannamoisett, defeated Jesse Linton, Pawtucket, by default.

C. F. Burr, Pawtucket, defeated T. C. Clarkson, Pawtucket, in 2 holes.

T. J. Moran, Pawtucket, defeated C. A. Kilvert, Agawam, 2-2.

R. P. McCourt, Metacomet, defeated C. J. Cuts, Pawtucket, 2-1.

Second Round

Hancock defeated Crandall, 2-1.

Wynne defeated Linton in 12 holes.

Murdoch defeated Burr, 2 up.

Mccourt defeated Cuts, in 10 holes.

THIRD SIXTEEN

First Round

H. A. Ross, Metacomet, defeated H. S. Miller, Wannamoisett, 2 up.

F. B. Graves, Wannamoisett, drew a bye.

B. Merriman, Agawam, drew a bye.

A. N. Graves, Wannamoisett, defeated L. J. Tuck, Pawtucket, 1 up.

P. A. Horton, Wannamoisett, defeated H. Bramham, Pawtucket, 2 up.

W. J. Wing, Agawam, drew a bye.

C. A. Steere, Pawtucket, drew a bye.

J. W. Lewis, Jr., defeated C. R. Giddings, Silver Spring, 2-4.

Second Round

Graves defeated Ross, 2 up.

Merriman defeated A. N. Graves, 2-1.

Wing defeated Horton, 2 up.

Lewis defeated Steere, 5-4.

FIRST CONSOLATION

First Round

Lestrade defeated Newell, 3 up.

Collett defeated Condon by default.

Farrington defeated Dolesman, 1-3.

Read defeated Edmonds, 2 up.

SECOND CONSOLATION

Boynton defeated Lincoln by default.

Waterman defeated Keyser by default.

Clarkson defeated J. Linton by default.

Kilvert and Cuts both defaulted.

SEMI-FINAL

Waterman defeated Boynton, 7-4.

Clarkson won by default.

THIRD CONSOLATION

Miller drew a bye.

Tuck drew a bye.

Bramham drew a bye.

Giddings drew a bye.

SEMI-FINALS

Miller defeated Tuck, 2-1.

Clarkson drew a bye.

Starting times for today's matches:

CHAMPIONSHIP

First Flight

10:00—Gammons vs. Kenworthy.

10:30—F. M. Hancock vs. Gardner.

TILDEN DEFEATS FRANKLIN EASILY

Surrey County Scratch Player

No Match for American.

SCORES ARE 6-1, 6-1, 6-0

Johnston and Tilden Win in First Round of Doubles, Beating English Pair 6-4, 6-1, 6-1—Andre Gilbert Does to Shimidzu of Japan.

Wimbledon, England, June 21.—William Tilden of Philadelphia scored an easy victory over S. Franklin, a Surrey county player of about scratch form, in today's play of the British tennis championship tournament here.

The match did not provide the anticipated fight, Tilden taking the first two sets 6-1, 6-1, and then winning the third set 6-0.

The sensation of the day was furnished by the defeat of Andre Gilbert, the French wreck, by Zensho Shimidzu, of Japan, by score of 6-1, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

G. J. Scheuerer of Holland beat Nicholas Nieuw of Roumania, 7-5, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2.

A. J. Drew, a Lancashire county player, beat Max Decuria, one of France's best tennis stars, 6-4, 5-7, 6-5, 6-2.

Further surprise was caused by the result of the two next matches. G. J. Scheuerer of Holland beat Nicholas Nieuw of Roumania, 7-5, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2.

The winner, who is considered Holland's third best player, showed a great improvement on his Wimbledon form last year. A. J. Drew, a Lancashire county player, beat Max Decuria, one of France's best tennis stars, 6-4, 5-7, 6-5, 6-2.

C. B. Garland of Pittsburgh, played shocky against Charles Winsley, former champion of South Africa, and winner of the Olympic tennis tournament, at Biscaya before the war. The American showed all round superiority, driving hardy and volleying well. Garland won by 6-4, 6-1, 6-3.

The Australian, Stanley N. O'Neil, won from Samuel Hardy of Chicago, captain of the American team, when the latter defaulted the match with the score standing 6-0, 6-1, 6-2.

William H. Laurens of France was defeated by a compatriot, J. Brunon, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2.

And Graves of California beat Erik Linder of Denmark, 7-5, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

The veteran English player, Maj. J. G. Lamb, beat Paul Deborman of Belgium, 6-4, 6-2.

In the first round of the championship doubles the American pair, Johnston and Tilden, defeated M. Rhythmis and R. Harrison, a weak English pair, 6-4, 6-1,

GAMMONS--HANCOCK IN STATE GOLF FINAL

Pair Land Matches in Semi-Final Round and Meet To-day in Battle for Rhode Island Title in 36-Hole Match

By H. P. FARRINGTON.

As the result of the semi-final matches played yesterday in the 1930 Rhode Island Golf Association championships at Wannamoisett, J. A. Gammons of Wannamoisett and F. M. Hancock of Metacomet are the survivors for the 36-hole final to-day.

Unfortunate to retain almost every ethic of golf and every tradition has been broken up to this time in this year's meeting, so that feeling runs high, and only the real, true sportsman wish for an ultimatum which is voiced in the phrase, "May the best man win."

Never in the history of golf has a State title found so many unpleasant features, and the players who are responsible should put on the coat before it gets too tight.

Gammons won from Harry Kenworthy in a well-fought fight by a 3 and 1 score, and Teddy Hancock won from Dr. C. H. Gardner by a wide margin.

Gammons has thus far produced all the thrills of the tourney with his series of vicissitudes, when it looked as if his chances of lasting another round were 100 to 0. He has come through in the face of the most serious competition, and now occupies the unique position he held last year when he faced Daniel Fairchild.

Gammons came from behind as Kenworthy led him throughout the match up to the time when someone had to assert himself. Gammons, with the same tenacity that a sunfish has for a swimmer, clung to Kenworthy until the latter was drowned.

In the other match, barring a few unpleasant compliments and little asides, Hancock led, and won handily.

The less said about the golf this year, the better. Things were all wrong; and until a new viewpoint and a higher grade of golfing sentiment permeates the atmosphere, there can be no hope for anything better.

Leaving the championship aside, where feeling was running high and where remarks were made out of turn and out of order, one may look to the other divisions, where real golf was played and no difficulties existed.

E. E. Wynne defeated Artie Hancock and the latter admits the best man won. The winner meets Doc McCoart, who would rather amputate his own thumb than to have anyone question his golfing attitude. They should have a good match, and may the best man win.

In the third division, J. W. Lewis, Jr., came through a victor over Rhode Island's youthful protege, E. E. Graves, who plays golf for all there is in it and accepts his defeats like a veteran.

The consolation flights were a series of good times. In the first one, G. H. Collett triumphed over H. P. Farrington in a match that was filled with brilliant holes, unexpected happenings, and where the best golfer eventually won. Collett led by 4 up at the 10th hole, but the match would have been even at the 15th had his opponent not required three putts. At all events, Collett won, and to the victor belongs the spoils.

It was unfortunate that Dr. Clarkson could not meet A. F. Waterman in the final of the second consolation flight, but the former had a "hurry call" that demanded his immediate attention. This gave Waterman the cup in this flight without competition. Clarkson had enjoyed a pass and a sleigh ride up to this

point, and had he been a plutocrat instead of a hard-working physician he would have had a crack at the final match regardless of its outcome.

Milner and Bramham is what the third consolation calls for. They may have played, or are going to to-day for all I know. At all events when I left Wannamoisett they reposed in the final bracket, and still have their final set to a matter to be decided.

Unfortunately there is nothing that will take the bitter taste out of the mouths of those who consider this year's championship anything but successful. There are two sides to every story and the less said the better. As a competitor and more than a casual observer I should suggest (not state) that if selfishness and utter disregard to the ethics of the game were to be observed, that Mariaville and not a golf course should be the best scene for the next Rhode Island golf championship.

Fortunately for me, it has been my lot to win and lose from men whom I should like to play again, but if I had to go through what some of the more notable players have suffered or enjoyed it would be my last Rhode Island Golf Association championship. I would never play again if I vied with Methuselah for long life.

There will be many who will not agree with my frank statement of fact, but outside of having the smallest entry list and the worst feeling that any Rhode Island championship has known, the tournament has been anything but a successful one.

The summary tells the outcome of the matches much better and much more sanely than I would dare to write them.

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT SEMI-FINAL

J. A. Gammons, Wannamoisett, defeated H. E. Kenworthy, Metacomet, 3-1.

F. M. Hancock, Metacomet, defeated C. H. Gardner, Rhode Island, 3-7.

SECOND DIVISION

E. E. Wynne, Metacomet, defeated A. W. Hancock, Metacomet, 5-4.

Dr. R. F. McCoart, Metacomet, defeated L. B. Murdock, Wannamoisett, 2-1.

THIRD DIVISION

SEMI-FINAL

E. B. Graves, Wannamoisett, defeated E. H. Merriman, Agawam, 2-1.

J. J. Lewis, Jr., Country, defeated W. G. Wing, Agawam, 2-1.

FINAL

Lewis defeated Wing, 2-1.

FIRST CONSOLATION

SEMI-FINAL

G. H. Collett, Metacomet, defeated Paul Lestrade, Wannamoisett, 2-1.

H. P. Farrington, Wannamoisett, defeated Fred Read, Agawam, 3-2.

FINAL

Collett defeated Farrington, 2-1.

SECOND FLIGHT

FINAL

A. F. Waterman, Wannamoisett, defeated T. C. Clarkson, Pawtucket, by default.

THIRD CONSOLATION

L. S. Milner, Wannamoisett, defeated L. J. Tuck, Pawtucket, 2-1.

H. Bramham, Pawtucket, defeated C. R. Giddings, Silver Spring, 5-3.

HANCOCK WINS STATE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Defeats Daff Gammons 2 Up in Final Round at Wannamoisett with Victory Swinging from Side to Side

BY H. P. FARRINGTON.

It was the wish of all golfers that the best man should win the State golf championship, which has been in progress the past week at the Wannamoisett Country Club. It is hard to say that this was realized when F. M. Hancock of Metacomb yesterday defeated the veteran J. A. Gammons on the home club in a match that went the full distance of 36 holes.

These two players were so close throughout the day that it looked as if darkness might creep on before a winner could be found as the various fortunes, brilliant shots or misplays, swung the match first one way and then the other.

It certainly looked dark for Hancock when he started for the last nine holes of the match with Gammons leading by four holes. Left he won five of the next seven holes and took the lead for the first time since the latter part of the morning round.

When the players shook hands at the end of their morning circuit, each had registered an 81. Hancock lost the sixth, seventh and eighth after a win at the fourth for first blood, and as the long ninth was halved in four, Gammons led by two up. Hancock started a streak at the 11th that netted him four of the next five holes, and he reversed the order of things only to lose both the 17th and 18th and leave the match where it started—all even.

After lunch Gammons started like a real champion with two fine shots and a great little pitch to the 22nd's four at the first hole. The latter had reached the green. At the second Hancock got his brains a little low play was over the green in two. Gammons played a par of a spoon straight to the middle of the green. Hancock, not to be outdone by Gammons's short pitch on the first, rolled up his approach from the rough for a half in four on the second. Two good threes went down on the third and Hancock topped his second and had a three-quarter stroke half him while he surely would have gotten a half. Gammons took the lead.

The next tee found Teddy looking at the upon as the styrene sort of put him up in the air and he wanted to see where he was. He didn't come down to earth, again for a couple of holes and Gammons with perfect golf took the fifth in five and the next in four as Hancock nearly missed his tee shot at the sixth and topped his second on the way to the green.

Gammons's recovery from a trap he had slipped into on the seventh was only one of several very masterly and well-executed shots that he pulled off in the pinches. From a trap a full iron reached the green and he was inside of Hancock's shot from the middle of the fairway, of that a half resulted.

Hancock pulled out of the eighth bunker, much to the surprise of many, who thought "Niblicks" and Traps were first cousins. Gammons topped his tee shot was over in two and managed to get a half in 1 after a good third approach.

The last of the outward holes found Teddy wild from the tee popping up an inflated bit of 20 yards with a breeze from the hay, and then holding out for a 3 in the big hole to the left of the ninth green. From here he hit the real hole and should have had a 4. Just to show that there was another way to try for a 4 Daff whaled out a peach of a drive, was on the top of Mount Monadnock in the ninth-hole range of chocolate dross in 2, was short of the hole by 15 feet in 3 and then binned Teddy's hopes in the eye by holing a fine twisting putt.

Starting home Teddy knew of the morning play, when he had taken four in a row, and he said it can and must be done again. For six holes in a row Teddy was to then come a 2, but I am getting ahead of my story. The 10th showed Teddy with a tee shot to the rough, hit a wonderful mid-air recovery to the green, while Gammons, after a fine tee shot, put his second into the rough on the left, and as Ted was dead on the next and Gammons was short on the pitch, Teddy became only three down. Gammons looked to the rough on the next, was still in the rough in 2, and as Hancock was on the green with a drive and an iron, it was another high for Teddy in a par 4.

Teddy was to the left on the 12th, and Gammons short on the 12th. Both were on in two and went down in the eighth hole. Gammons seldom misses a tee shot, but he topped the next, got a par second, but unfortunately was trapped, and in such a position that he had to whale a niblick shot, and was over the green and all in 1. Ted was on shortly in two, and down for a third win in 4.

Both missed their tee shots at the next, but Gammons was more severely punished as he found the pond. His tee shot was a rip-roaring straight for the pin, but a bit too strong. Hancock was fortunate to be six inches short of the trap guarding the green on his second, but his next was a gem of an approach—dead in the pin, and a fourth hole had been snatched from the redoubtable Daff. Fred Perkins was sitting behind Teddy on the edge of the big bunker of the next hole, when Hancock's ball knocked his hat off, and the ball fell into the big pit. Gammons's shot was in there in a neighborly fashion, and after Hancock had cided out, he fully Gammons repeated, and would have been inside of Hancock, if he hadn't hit his opponent's ball. Daff then closed up here today by 15 minutes and 31 seconds actual time. The challenger offered the course in a northeast breeze of nearly 30 knots in 1 hour, 15 minutes and 7 seconds.

The Shamrock IV is still far from approaching true racing form, in so far as her sails are concerned. Nevertheless her work to-day gave the impression that she will be a dangerous rival to the American cup defender in light weather. Tryouts at Philadelphia To-day. Philadelphia, June 25.—Trick and field athletes with ambitions to represent this country in the Olympic games had their final workout to-day on Franklin Field in preparation for the Eastern trials there to-morrow. Record holders in the college and preparatory school ranks vied with veterans from the athletic clubs and unattached athletes in unofficial trials. More than 30 entries have been received for the 100 yards.

ough in 3, and quite short of the green

Hancock made a wonderful shot from his horrible lie, which ripped up 15 inches of turf, and followed that with a terrific grin that had it been straight would have reached the pin and probably sealed the match then and there. As it was Hancock's third was trapped, and when a rather close lie he did wait to get within 15 feet of the pin. Gammons again showed the splendid nerve he had several times exhibited and laid his fifth up dead from off the green. As Ted was short on his putt a half in 6 resulted.

The home hole, with Ted down 1, found both in the rough to the right from the tee. Gammons was lying heavy and he half topped his shot. Hancock hit a beauty to within 20 feet of the pin and as Gammons then apparently had to hole out an approach of over 15 yards to hold the match in, it was quite evident that Hancock was to be crowned the new 1920 Rhode Island golf champion.

Both players got a splendid hand from a large and appreciative gallery that followed the match and applauded especially the fine strokes both players produced. It was a fine friendly sporting match from start to finish. It was great that the match could have been such a great exhibition of good nerve and stamina as both finalists showed. Hancock with almost certain defeat staring him in the face on his opponent's own course with four holes against him and nine holes to play, pulled out the match by two holes, which meant he had to win two out of nine.

It did not seem possible that any player could beat Gammons that many in half a round, and it was big odds that he wouldn't. The fact that when Gammons had lost his entire head and was in a position that he had to make a wonderful shot at the 16th (that would be vain or become 1 down, it was truly a wonderful piece of business that he nearly holed out.

Everyone left the course forgetting the trials and troubles of the week and thinking only of what a splendid contest it had witnessed.

The cards of the finalists follow, morning and afternoon.

MORNING

Hancock: 5 6 4 4 5 5 4 4 4 4 2
Out 5 6 4 4 5 5 6 5 4 4 3
Gammons: 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 2
Out 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 3

AFTERNOON

Hancock: 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 2
Out 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 3
Gammons: 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 2
Out 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 3

In the second division final, Dr. McCoart of Metacomb won over E. E. Wynne by 4-2.

The play for the President's cup starts this morning, and someone will own the fine trophy donated by H. A. Ross when the sun sets to-night.

Entries for President's cup and time of starting:

9:15—J. D. Pryde vs. H. E. Fiske.
9:30—H. Reimann vs. H. F. A. Linton.
9:45—B. Merriman vs. C. A. Kilvert.
10:00—A. N. Graves vs. A. P. Waterman.
10:15—W. Linton vs. A. Doleman.
10:30—A. B. Edwards vs. C. J. Cote.
10:45—P. C. Lowry vs. L. B. Graves.
11:00—J. W. Lewis vs. E. B. Linton.
11:15—R. D. Banks vs. J. J. Linton.
11:30—R. D. Randall vs. H. W. Bennett.
11:45—J. T. Cook vs. H. A. Bose.
12:00—D. H. Collett vs. J. S. Kenyon.
12:15—H. G. Keworth vs. W. M. P. MacDonald.
12:30—C. Z. Doby vs. M. H. B. Arkoff.
12:45—J. A. Gammons vs. N. S. Campbell.
1:00—F. Condon vs. F. M. Hancock.
1:15—F. Burt vs. T. J. Moran.
1:30—R. P. McCoart vs. A. W. Hancock.

SWEETSER AND WARD LEFT IN INTERCOLLEGIATE GOLF

Yale and Williams Men Fight for Title To-day.

Glencove, N. Y., June 25.—Jesse W. Sweetser, representing Yale, and James Ward, of Williams, will fight it out in the 36-hole final for the intercollegiate title on the links of the Nassau Country Club to-morrow. In the upper semi-final match this afternoon Sweetser defeated J. Simpson Dean of Princeton, 2 up and 1 to play. In defeating Dean this afternoon, Sweetser played the most brilliant golf seen here during the championship. He went out in 35 and played the next eight holes so steadily that all he would have needed at the finish would have been a four for 5. Dean never played better, travelling at practically a 73 pace. Ward made a 78 in his finish with Moss, who lost four of the first five holes.

SHAMROCK IV. WINS 25-MILE RACE FROM TRIAL HORSE

Challenger's Work Yesterday Gives Impression of Great Speed.

Sandy Hook, N. J., June 25.—Sir Thomas Upton's Shamrock IV, challenger for the America's cup, defeated the 23-meter Shamrock in a 25-mile time trial contest off here to-day by 15 minutes and 31 seconds actual time. The challenger offered the course in a northeast breeze of nearly 30 knots in 1 hour, 15 minutes and 7 seconds.

The Shamrock IV is still far from approaching true racing form, in so far as her sails are concerned. Nevertheless her work to-day gave the impression that she will be a dangerous rival to the American cup defender in light weather.

Tryouts at Philadelphia To-day.

Philadelphia, June 25.—Trick and field athletes with ambitions to represent this country in the Olympic games had their final workout to-day on Franklin Field in preparation for the Eastern trials there to-morrow. Record holders in the college and preparatory school ranks vied with veterans from the athletic clubs and unattached athletes in unofficial trials. More than 30 entries have been received for the 100 yards.