

Giants Win; Athletics Trim the Senators; Phelps Defeats Evans for Western Golf Honors

PHELPS WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

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WAS BEHIND IN MORNING

Two Up Biggest Lead Victor Has at Any Time.

MATCH ENDS ON SEVENTEENTH

Edgewater Man Dominated Situation in Homeward Trip in First Round—After Change Never Reaches Phelps Again.

MINIKAHDA CLUB, July 30.—Mason E. Phelps of Midlothian, defeated Charles Evans, Jr. of Edgewater, by 2 up and 1 to play in the final match for the Western Amateur Golf Championship over the Minnikahda club course today. Their cards for the last half of the afternoon round were:

Table showing golf scores for Evans and Phelps across 18 holes.

Winner Outplays Opponent.

Phelps won the title for the first time in 1905 at Rock Island. The winner played far better golf than his opponent, especially during the afternoon round. Evans was 2 up at the end of the morning round, the eighteenth being the only hole that Phelps won. However, the Midlothian youth started with a rush and evened the match at the end of two holes. After that Evans never was able to regain the lead and Phelps jumped to the fore by winning the fifth, but Evans evened it again at the sixth. The seventh and eighth went to Phelps, making him 2 up, which was the biggest lead he had at any time. The ninth, tenth and eleventh were halved and Evans reduced Phelps' lead to 1 up when he won the twelfth. That was the last hole that Evans could win and the thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth and sixteenth were halved in par figures.

The match ended on the seventh green when Phelps ran down a six-foot putt for two. The hole was in the afternoon. Evans missed a chance for a halfer this hole when he sent a twenty-foot putt one inch short of the cup.

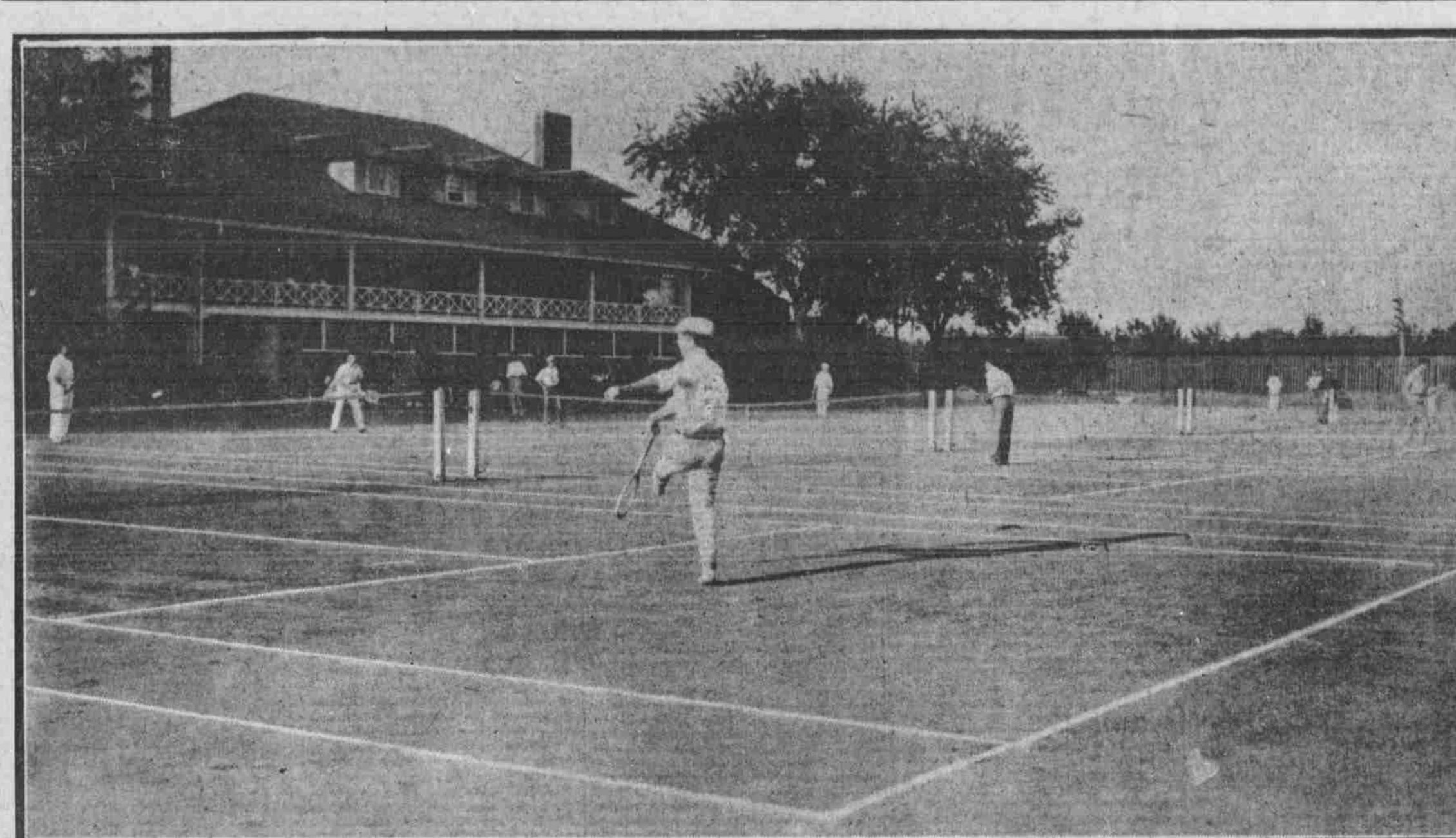
Evans' Play Ragged. Evans played raggedly at times, while Phelps played far more consistently. The only time that Evans really dominated the situation was on the homeward journey of the morning round. From the twelfth to the seventeenth Evans was Phelps' master. He won the twelfth, fourteenth and seventeenth. On the seventeenth Evans got a two, the reversal of which cost him the match in the afternoon. That made him 3 up, but from then on he was never able to get Phelps at a disadvantage. An unusual feature of the match was the halving of the first eleven holes of the morning round. Neither man was able to win a hole until Evans took the twelfth. Evans putted poorly on many greens, while Phelps was ragged in that department during the first half of the morning round. While Evans putted poorly at times he had had luck in the last two holes of the match. He had a good opportunity of winning the sixteenth and evening the match, but his putt hung on the lip of the cup, enabling Phelps to halve the hole. Again on the seventeenth, Evans' long putt stopped within an inch of the hole.

Details of Play.

Hole 1, 130 Yards. Par 4.—Evans put his drive to the right and Phelps second in the bunker to the left of the hole. Both were on the green in two, but Evans' third was short. He missed a putt for a four and Phelps was down in four, winning the hole, 4-2. Evans 1 up.

Hole 2, 190 Yards. Par 5.—Phelps outdrove Evans, but the latter got a long second to the far side of the hole. Phelps' second was four feet from the hole. Evans laid his third fairly close to the hole, but missed the putt for a four. Phelps halved his approach and won the hole, 3-3. Match even.

Where the National Clay Court Championship Will Be Decided



VIEW OF THE TENNIS COURTS AT THE OMAHA FIELD CLUB.

CLAY COURT MEET TO OPEN MONDAY

Omaha to Become a World Factor in the Tennis Field.

STRONG PLAYERS FROM ALL OVER

Champions of All the Neighboring States to Appear.

COURTS ARE IN FINE SHAPE

Field Club Clay Courts Up to Standard Claimed for Them.

WEEK OF ENTERTAINMENT

Something Has Been Planned for Each Evening of the Week for the Pleasure of Visiting Tennis Men.

Omaha assumes a position as a world factor in the tennis world Monday when the first ball is served over the courts of the Omaha Field club in the opening of the National Clay Court Championship tournament. Men prominent in tennis history of the United States and some of international reputation will be on hand to partake in the tourney and one of the closest contests that was ever seen here will be held for the cups in the championship doubles and singles.

The great majority of the entries will be from the middle west section of tennis players, but players from the important clubs of both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts will be on hand when the playing starts. State champions from all the states in the immediate vicinity of Nebraska will play and some from as far east as New Jersey, Rhode Island and Pennsylvania will probably be here.

Besides the men who play on clay courts being present, several of the tennis enthusiasts who have been noted in the great grass court tourneys of the country are interested and many of them will try their luck in the more unfamiliar style of the sport. Although still uncertain there are hopes that Long of California and Beals Wright of Massachusetts, both state champions and a couple of the best in this country, may compete. It is possible that W. T. Hastings and J. T. Bailey, who met in Omaha last year in the Middle West championship contest, will meet for the second time here in the coming event, as both are fine players and have expressed their intention of entering.

At the annual meeting of the United States National Lawn Tennis association on February 4 at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York the question of having a national clay court event was proposed and after some discussion it was agreed that it should be tried once. Butler Lamb of North Dakota and J. T. Bailey of Oklahoma boosted for the Omaha Field club for the event and obtained the necessary money to make it a success. Dr. P. B. Horton of Connecticut and on the executive committee of the association, was appointed as referee of the event and the date set for August 1.

Plans Are Complete. Preparations have been completed by the committee of the Omaha Field club for some time. The tennis association tournament and it is certain nothing that could be done for the comfort and convenience of the guests and the proper management of the tournament has been left out. Several automobiles have been in use to meet the players at the station and convey them around since Lewis' champion of direction of Robert Howe and Jack Webster of the entertainment committee. Quite a program of events other than tennis is lined up for the week also.

The committee in charge of the tournament is Conrad Young, chairman; S. S. Caldwell, P. M. Bishop, Will M. Wendell, Ralph Ralston, Harry Koch, A. H. Scribner and Cuthbert Potter.

Every evening of the week of the tournament has been filled with some pleasureable entertainment for the visiting players. The Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben will entertain and hold an initiation tonight. Tuesday the Country club will have an entertainment at its club house, with a band and lengthy program. The Field club has them at its mid-week dance Wednesday, and Thursday a mock trial and other funny stunts will be held at the same club for their benefit. Friday the annual banquet for the players of the tournament at the club will be held at the Field club. Saturday the regular dance and the awarding of the tournament trophies will be held.

Prizes Are Valuable. The list of prizes is one of the finest that the tennis players ever contested for, the best coming up to near \$600 for all. First prize is a silver cup, 12 inches high, and for the runner-up a couple of two-piece punch bowls. In the consolation singles a silver and cut glass whiskey set and a chained cigarette case are the trophies. In doubles the championship prize is a pair of loving cups and two chairs. In consolation prizes for the runner-up. Consolation prizes consist of two sets of umbrellas and canes for first, and two scarf pins for second places.

ATHLETICS WIN ANOTHER

Senators Threaten Victory by Rally in Ninth Inning.

SCORE IS SEVEN TO FIVE

Washington Lands All Its Scores in Last, but Locals Tighten Up and Save Game—One Home Run.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—Washington threatened to win by scoring five runs in the ninth, but Philadelphia strengthened and won. Score: PHILADELPHIA, 7; WASHINGTON, 5.

DETROIT WINS AGAIN

Visitors Get Three Straight from Chicago in Series.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Detroit made it three straight from Chicago today, 4 to 2, scoring the runs of White in the second and third innings. Scott, who pitched the last six rounds, blanked the champions with one hit. Two locals wasted four opportunities by lax base running and inability to hit.

BOSTON WINS IN TENTH

Lewis Makes Big Drive and Brings in Winning Run.

BOSTON, July 30.—Boston regained second place in the league today by defeating New York in ten innings, 5 to 4. Lewis led off the flag pole in center field in the tenth scoring Speaker with the winning run. Score: BOSTON, 5; NEW YORK, 4.

Omaha Elks Beat Council Bluffs

Elks, 15 to 14

Local Athletes Vanquish Their Brothers from Across River in Fast Game.

Omaha's Elk base ball team won from the Council Bluffs Elk team yesterday by a score of 15 to 14. Fraternal relations for the time being were forgotten and the two aggregations fought as if they were members of the Western league rather than part of a big family of brothers.

WINNER 1910 TENNIS

TOURNAMENT AT GUN CLUB



ROY FARRELL

SIoux CITY WINS EASILY

Alderman Proves to Be Puzzle to Home Team.

SCORE IS FIVE TO ONE

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CHAMPS DEFEAT ST. JOSEPH

Locals' Battering Rally in Seventh Inning Unavailing.

ST. JOSEPH, July 30.—Des Moines won a see-saw contest from St. Joseph today. St. Joseph had a battering rally in the seventh inning, but was unable to win. Score: DES MOINES, 6; ST. JOSEPH, 5.

ST. LOUIS JULY 30.—George Edward Odell, pitcher of the St. Louis American league, was reinstated by Manager Hedges today after he had successfully defied in the police court the charge that he had violated the temperance pledge he signed a month ago.

Clark's Team Loses.

STANTON, Neb., July 30.—(Special.)—In a closely played game of base ball the locals defeated the clerks' team of Norfolk, 10 to 4. Batteries: Stanton, Phillips and Hopper; Norfolk, Wilde and Giesman; Umpire: Bill Best.

Red Clouders Bunch All Hits and Win Game

Hastings Gets Only Two Runs Off Indians, Who Pile Up Seven in Return.

SCORE IS FOUR TO ONE

RED CLOUD, Neb., July 30.—(Special Telegram.)—By bunching their hits, Red Cloud won from Hastings today by the score of 7 to 2. Score: RED CLOUD, 7; HASTINGS, 2.

LAST YEAR'S CHAMPION

AT ROD AND GUN CLUB



D. C. GOULD

CUBS WIN OVER CARDINALS

Chicago Batters Touch Up Twirlers for Ten Safe Ones.

SCORE IS FOUR TO ONE

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—Chicago won from St. Louis today. Score: CHICAGO, 4; ST. LOUIS, 1.

PHILLIES WIN IN FOURTEENTH

Brooklyn Loses Long Battle—Both Score in Last Inning.

BROOKLYN, July 30.—Brooklyn and Philadelphia battled fourteen innings today, and held an initiation tonight. Tuesday the Country club will have an entertainment at its club house, with a band and lengthy program. The Field club has them at its mid-week dance Wednesday, and Thursday a mock trial and other funny stunts will be held at the same club for their benefit.

NEW YORK WINS DOUBLE-HEADER

Boston Scores Only Once in Two Games Played.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Boston lost two games to New York today, 4 to 1 and 4 to 6. Seven double plays, of which New York took five, were made by the two teams. Score, first game: NEW YORK, 4; BOSTON, 1.

TO TAKE ACTION ON PROTEST

Meeting of Board of Directors of State League to Be Held.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., July 30.—(Special.)—A meeting of the board of directors of the Nebraska State League of Base Ball Clubs has been called for Monday evening, to take action in the matter of the protest of Kearney as to the suspension of Manager Murphy, who assaulted President Slevens at Fremont, Kan. It is said some protesting against the exercise of authority by the president.

Gotch's Boys Win Game.

EMPIRE CITY, July 30.—In a very close game Gotch's champions of Fremont won over Charles City by a score of 2 to 3 in the Brits' base ball tournament, ending the three day contest. Five semi-professional teams contested.