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Twenty Best Amateur Golf Players of the United States

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R.A.GARDNER '09 Champ

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Others, who were considered, and the names of votes, were: Mass helt. New screey, 5: Gardner White, New York, s. e. o. Travers, anonreatr, s. George Or instan, Physourg, st. P. Gilbert, 208-06, s. ista knowles, Frorida, 3: A. G. Locswood, koson, 2: N. P. Edwards, Uncago, 2 the bast tiffany, New York, 2: H. R. MacFar-lans, Feinanejpina, 2: Archie Less, New vote, 2; R. P. Merriman, Waterbury, 1: F. M. cherman, Utics, 1: Norman Archieten, Putabarz, 1: W. E. Egan, Chicago, 1: T. M. Cheffin, Moston, L.

It will be noted that the locality rathe than the club is given in each case.

Evans and Wood all three left out their Travis has been national champion three lower than he deserved, since I would runner-up, 1962, 1963. in the selection of Messers. Fownes. own names, but in the final listing the times. Egan twice, Byers, Douglas and Judge him on his play this year." writer has included them. As there seems Gardner once. Douglas has been national Two other national champions write as runner-up twice. Byers twice, Sawyer, follows: Walter J. Travis, "No, thank to be some question among those who chose the teams as to who should rightly Behr and Egan once each. Travis is the you. I am not looking for trouble." This be regarded as the best man, the choice only American to win the British amateur is due to the fact that he is the editor of Egan. being between Fownes, Evans and Travis, championship and Evans the only Ameri- the American Golfer. Robert Gardner, nathe writer has taken the liberty of placing in this country in both the records then in the order given. Fownes' was in this country, in brief their records very much to oblige you with a rating, but



E.M. BYERS - '06 Champ

Join C. Anderson-Winner of Woodland, word in Massachusetts open Paul Hunter-Medallsi Glen View, On-

ventsia, Eben M. Rycrs-Medalla: western Pani-sitanta Allegheny: national challon, 907. national runner-up, 202, 1902. Findlay S. Douglas-Runner-up, Tuliodo; national runner-up, 2509, 1909; pational hampion, 1998. national Fact W. Whittemore Brookline Winner of Eases county, Brookline; control at

Albert Seckel-Intervollegiate charmolon, 1961; runner-up, western annateur, 1968; H. Chandler Egan-National charmolon, 1954, 1955; national runner-up, 1958; western amateur charmolon, 1965, 1991, 1965, 1997; run-

ner up, western amateur, '90 Robert E. Hunter-Intercollegia a chum-pion 1910. Harry G. Lega-Transmissiopl champion; medalist, western anateur, John M. Ward-Winner of Shinnerock; rumer-up, Nasau; medalist, Shinnerock, W. R. Tuckerman-Runner-up north and

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W. H. EVANS

two are from Chlongo, three from Boston,

as from New York and vicinity and the

remainder from Pittsburg, Philadelphia

Of the western players Evans is a student

al Northwestern university, Gardner, R.

hunter and Legg are at Yale and Seckel

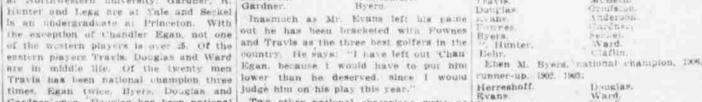
Is an undergraduate at Princeton. With

and Florida.

Stockbridge Mass. Of those not selected Fownes.

The selections follow. Charles Evens, Jr.-Western open cham-plan and western junior elempion, 1919, vestern amateur champion, 1969.

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Fownes. Travia.



ascreshoff i. b. d. MADINER IN Anderson, accounting harry G. Legg, hansmississippi champion. Eas this to easy. "I think there is no desibt about the ranking of the first five men, and after that it is very difficult to pane them to their proper rollicus. Such ellierts as Travers and Egan are not placed because they have not conveted this season. To my mind there is one man far above the other soifers of the season and that is thick Evans. He has played continually throughout the reason and has last but three matcher. Ills best work was shown in the westiin open, whire he made a clean sweep, it the Wastern ante cui his putting was the only weak part of his name, but even then he made Pheigo play three better than par to win life has an ideal disposition, loves the game and whether victorious or vanquished he h always the same smilling, subburnt, lov able chick." His selection follows:

Evans. Whittemore Hunter ETation. Fuines LIBRIS. Anderson, ober Gardner, R. Hunter, Legg, McFarland Rovert E. Hunter, Inter-collegiate champion, says: "I have always claimed that

Behr, Douglas, Wood, Ward. Travers. Sherman. Gardner









If is impossible to give a numerical rating, as there is no such a thing as best, second or third. I have therefore put the various players in classes respective to their merit Third class

as follows First class. ownes,

Sechel. R.E. HUNTER Inter. Coll. Champ.

a personal appeal for my own case." Warren K. Wood, 1910 runner-up, has this to say: "On account of the many in- Herrerhoff, timate and dear friends I have among Evans, amateur players I should prefer not to Phelps, submit a list. It is next to impossible for

NAPARA AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN		"When it comes down to the last live.			
ng of the championship, as well as his follow.	I hardly consider myself capable of drawin	I he says, "there are about ten men from	a man in the west to judge of the ability		
ming record of other years, entitles him William C. Fownes, Jr National	mateur one up as I know very little about the east	whom I could find it hard to choose, and	of the eastern players, when the only op-	"I am naturally partial to the western	R. Hunter. Egan
rical honors. The marvelous play of champion, winner of Pennsylvania champi	state ern golfers. However, I think Evans i	" I think five that I will not put in would be	portunity of judging their ability is the	men." he says. "as all of them have made	
ns, including as it does an open cham- second in the secon	ner of easily first, with Mason Phelps near him		record they made in the various tourna-	And the second of the second s	Wood. Behr.
	club About the rest I do not know."	H. Chandler Egan, national champion 1904.	ments as you hear of or happen to partici-	indelible records, indisputable in their de-	These names are not in the order of their
championship and the semi-finals in tourness.	William C. Fownes, national champior		pate in."	gree of achievement. I have greater re-	
national touviey and victories in four Charles Evans, Jr Winney of	vestern juin	to pick the team, gave as his reasons: "I	Later on both Mr. Wood and Mason	spect for the ability of Chick Evans' game	A FRIER N. FILERINE, EGILOF I'DE LOUISE
open, western junior, westward n	Lake	confess that it is a great temptation to	Phelps, western amateur champion, sub-	than of any of those mentioned. It was	
er tournaments, woold entrie him to Geneva, Onwentsia; runner up, and honors, 'aravis in a way has the amateur; medailst, westward ho,	vestern Travers. Travers.	give one's opinion of the twenty best		by a fluke that he failed to win the na-	avoided all personal favoritism and sec-
	funter, Herreshoff, Fuckerman,			tional at Brookline, as I can testify, as I	tional pride. He gives first place to
is retracted in the proof, include Demonstein (next finally, antipant	Wood. Ward.	amateurs in the country in the face of such	A CONTRACT OF A	carried his clubs around the circuit."	Evans, and omits Egan and Travers from
as it does the winning of nine big Walter J. Travis-Winner of	Gardner. Gardner.	ranking lists as I have seen so far. How-	A CALCULATION OF A CALC	Max H. Behr, New Jersey champion, run-	and the second
rne) a runner-up in two and medalist City, Lakewood (twice), Apawamis	Lynne- Sawyer. Anderson.	ever, as I have so far refrained, I hardly	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	ner-up national championship, 1908;	the rating. His list follows:
eight. Unfortunately for the past two wood hall, Garden City, Tuxedo,	Saniau, Whitiemore Seckel,	feel that I can consistently give such a	Douglas, Sawyer,	Travis. Byers.	Evans. Byers. Phelps. Seckel.
rs he has not been a zerious contender north and south, runner-up, Essex Gien View, medallat, Apawamis,	timite Ormiston. P. Hunter.	list for publication. It is difficult for any	Egan, Seckel,	Evans. Tiffany.	Fownes. Whittemore.
national honora, being eliminated in City, Lakewood, Garden City,	Eane ; Douglas, R. Hunter,	one man to have a clear and complete idea		Herreshoff. Egan.	Sawyer. Wilder.
a in the third round by Gardner, after county, Tuxedo, Nassab, north and		The sum and a Bolister webered and share	Fownes, Travis, Gardner, White,	Fownes. Whittemore.	Wood. Gardner.
ing buaten Herreshoff and Fownes. Warren K. Wood-Hunner-up, r	ational, writes: "These I consider the twenty bes	immediate territory because, in my mind,	Harreshoff Whittemore	Travers. Douglas. Phelps. Reid.	Travis. Douglas. Herreshoff. Legg.
being put out of last year's event in western amateur, 1965; Sedalist.	western golfers of the country and the manner i	It is putett to house the serson a bigh ph	P. Hunter, Wilder,	Seckel. Ormiston.	Anderson R. Hunter.
second round by Anderson. areateur, 1902.	tropoll- which I would rate them. I know so littl	" one tournament. This has seemed to be		P. Hunter. Wilder.	Tuckerman. Weber
will be noted, the west has eleven, tan clawanoli runner in	ewood	store elistent out other traders still have reader that reader		R. Hunter, White,	P. Hunter. Behr.
o from thicago and one each from medallat, national; runner-up, r	ewood: of 'Travers' game at present that I hav		out, but the writer has taken the liberty of	Arthur Pottow, publisher "golf":	Of Travis he says: "Walter J. Travis
prescaling and Tolado, 117 the mine east, 1904.	put him rather low in the list.	have had a large influence in the placing	putting it in where it properly belongs;	Construction of the second of the second	won more tournaments in the past year
players four are from the Metropolitan mason Phelps-Winner western a	nateur. Jerome D. Travers, national champior	of the men. There is a tremendous differ-	Protection 10 Chamber	Fownes. Whittemore. Evans. Anderson.	than anyone else, but in the few events in
rict, two are from Pittsburg and thres D. E. Sawyer-Winner western a	1997. 1908;	ence between two lists, one of the twenty	Fownes, Byers,	Herreshoff. Douglas.	which he ran against very high class fields
n Eoston, although Tuescrman is also 1966, runner-up western amateur,		best players and another of twenty men		Travers. Lockwood.	Travis was beaten, and he should go down
Robert & Cardner Winner		who made the best showing the last sea-	Wood. Whittemore,	Travis. Byers.	the list a bit." W. H. EVANS.
imed by Washington as well as by View; medalist, Lake Geneva;	ational Travers. Edwards.	son. Do not take this little outburst to be	Phelps, Seckel,	Gardner. P. Hunter.	Golf Editor Philadelphia Ledger.
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it was too late to do anything " Famous Ball Player Consents to First

Interview.

INTENDS TO KEEP IN THE GAME aren'i pout? was asked. Pittalines Man Explains How His-

Team Missed Fate of Winning Pennant Lust Year-Says His Succas is Due to Luck.

Une in his career as a ball player Ban- the Pittsburg management, and as long as 'Jack' will be O. S., and I feel certain the Wagner has been interview d and has one. Mr. Drevine and 'Cap' Clark want me to be will win back the friends he lost. sented to may something about base hell. I niav hall for them I goess I'll do it.

sented to all something about mase next. Heing satisfied then that its talk would not be misconstrued, the man who made the pitchange for the function of the man who made the pitchange for the function of the something the policy adopted by nu-the pitchange for the function of the something the policy adopted by nu-the pitchange for the function of the something the policy adopted by nu-the pitchange for the function of the something the policy adopted by nu-the pitchange for the function of the something the policy adopted by nu-the pitchange for the function of the something for the function of the pitchange for the function of the solution of the pitchange for the function of the pitchange for the function of the solution of the solution of the solution of the pitchange for the function of the solution of the solution of the pitchange for the function of the solution of the solution of the solution of the pitchange for the function of the solution of the solu for the National league pennant next sea- find, and you are soing back. Ron

of the future.

lifting is Due to Luck.

"I don't like to talk about these things."

'is in no secret." said Horse, "that las, " "You know," he said, "this base balt year's failure was a surprise and a sure game is a mighty uncertain thing. I have deappointment to every use of us. We been given oredit for using things any all dead certain that Unicag * man could have done hus he been as troky wouldn't have a 'not.in, and we scare is 'as I way. Take the matter of bitting, for gave New York a thought. Wrok after instance. Some non hit beller than others week passed and things began to break but they are the lucky ones. I know of had for us. The pitchers were going bad times when I would have given a finger and the rest of us weren't playing as we to have been able to produce a hit, and sheald have played.

inimite imagine we were going to be hit wasn't needed, when i have slammed the mest and no effort will be spared to Julian insisted upon baving to per cent of make the tournament a success. LIGC. we would finish strong and shove Chicago down a peg.

"This, you see, was overcomfidence. We "Hitting is very fargely luck. So o fieldnever thought but we were going to land ing. One man has more natural ability the pennant. The race had been an tany than another, and one man has more lick one in 1969, and neither Chicago nor New jhan another. I have been one of the York looked any better last year, So. Inclust ones." when we started out, we felt good and When the subject of the coming season imagined that we were going to have an was broached. Honus evinced a desire to rasy time of R-at least not a very hard perform one of bis side-stepping stunts. time."

showing of the players during the training he said, "but I believe the Pittshurg club trip-at West Baden and Hot Springs. He is going to be strong next season. In fact, recalled that all of the pitchers had been it our pitchers are going right we should going well; that Miller and himself were be very strong. Chi-ago surely doenn't affiting the ball, and that the general prim- linck any better than it was in 1910, and, pect was good.

Had Lots of Warning.

Binry, "the weather was cold and had either team. and 'Cap.' Clarke warned us to be on the tomp all the time and to not take any

I 'em believed there was any danger until into everything he does, and if the fires only come fast enough in Kearney, you'll

This bit of history taken care of, Wagper find 'Dots' will be wearing the chief's heiwas importanted to discuss the probabilities met within a very short time." "Guess you've seen where 'Cap' Clarke

"You are going to play ball next season. had said that Miller will be played at sec- FOLLOWS IN OTHERS' FOOTSTEPS Yes, I goess I am." was the reply. "I and next season again."

am not ready to quit yet, and I don't know that I would want to play with any other make good this year, too. Last year was Team than Pittsburg. A few weeks ago 1 one of those unlucky spells 1 told your about. Miller worked hard when he found noticed that some of the papers had methings weren't breaking right, but i on the market but all the time I knew PITTSBURG Fr. Jav. H For the first there was nothing in these reports. I like reckon he worked too hard. Next season.

olamed. He was unlucky, that's all."

Fund of Thousand Dollars ip for the | Bobert Fitzsimmons, who won the heavy-

The skin have already begin practice Brady, Jeff's mentor, was compelled to work by jumping from the slide and taking secept this ultimation or no without the tong cross-country runs. Anders Haugen fight, so that although the Cornicinian was ITHACA, N. Y. Jan 11. The Cornell start poorly would have a chance to win of Beresford, S. D. the national ski cham- knocked out, he got the flon's share Athletic association has received a come laurels late in the season, and naturally

Take Team Abroad.

while New York has improved some-

son he refused to fight anybody unless he got a big guarantee, and in that way he Johnson Now Demands the Lion's End amassed a fortune of nearly \$200,000. The of Any Purse. late Stanley Ketchel wanted \$15,000 bonus

"Sure," said the big follow; "and he'd Fitzsimmons Took the Long End from Jeffrics, Although Knocked Out In the Fistle Argument at Coney Island. ten-round contest.

time, and the time to guit is when you thing he does. He tried hard last year to champions always shower a winner's and of the fight of the segood as he was in 199, and when a fight for a winner's and loser's end of the fickard and some of the California fight man does the best he can be shouldn't be inoney, the battle between Corbett and Supermuters are to blame for this boost in

erved by a "winner take hill" agreement, the demards for hig guarantees in the SKI EXPERTS PRACTICE HARD Corbell therefore drawing down the full the domards for hig guar Big.con alde that

CHIPPEWA FALLS. Wie. Jan. 11-order preparations are under way for the money putched to make upon a the money putched to make upon a the Active preparations are under way for the money guarantee regardless of results money duarantee regardless of results when he agreed to take Jeffries on for the title on January 28 and 29 A fund of \$1,000 the title at Concy Island on Jane 5 1000

SPRINTERS PLAN WORLD TOUR iste for Gans at Goldfield unless he res Cornell base ball team some time in May. manner, and I have begun a fight for the ceived \$25,000. He got that sum even This Japanese team is contemplating a plan, which I intend to continue until it

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. R.-N. J. Cart- rm also demanded and reveived \$12,000 for American colleges from coast to coast olub owners will decide to try the scheme mell, the former Pennaylvania sprinter, who fighting Ad Wolgast last February, and The Kelo team, according to the man- when they come together again in Febhas been coaching the University of North although the latter won in forty rounds he ager, is one of the strongest teams, anno mary to adopt the schedules."

Time During May-Has a

Strong Team.

Carolina track team, plans to take a trip had to be satisfied with less than \$1.00. (our or professional in Japan. The man- Charles Elibets rises to remark that this around the world, starting next ammune. Woignat now insists that he must have ager is specially ancient to must it known proposition of Herrman's would require He has been in correspondence with several fig.80 or even more if he agree to meet hiat this is not the same team which was each team to play 12 games in a season what and has save likely promy fellows, i foreign premoters and intends to run in Owen Moran for the world's lightweight beaten by the University of Chicago agare- whereas his plan of only 16 gatues was not When we came back north," said John believe that Plitsburg will be better than Eng'and. South Africa and Australia, file and ble friends say he cannot be gathen when the scatterness visited Japan adopted again this year. This is true, but Mat-is raises are proposed with IL E. Wal- blamed for following the example set by recently. The follo team did not meet the conditions would be very different As "See where 'Jack' Miller has joined the key in the Transvaal and Charles E. Hal. Nelson. Thomas Harns refured to fight Chicago. The doesting of scienduling this a usual thing it is easy to plon the pennant

olunteer fire department at Searce Australia United to Searce the arasen in Australia united by drea down down anne will be taken to be the allefte winner about a month before the arasen chaines 'Cap,' kept this up all through Well, take it from no, he il make a good Holway chain the sprinting championship. | 31:65, and when the negro best him the council at its next motion.

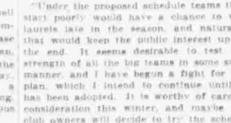
away from the ball parks, while waiting Hermann Schemes for the world's and post-season series to begin. for More Games in the Big Leagues in August, which is too early in the year for a base ball fan to lose his enthusiasm regardless of how far ahead or behind any team might be. and in all probability from four to six

played, the American and the National leagues would have played senarate schoolis to Tour America and the rest of its worker photons and the best i could do was to make an elloward the surged to take defines on the strength of \$1.00 in the elloward the financing of the surged by Martin Writes to Cornell for a Game Some with every other the minutes. The minutes of the teams for the financing of the t

> plon, is here with his brother Larg, and their presence has given the sport an added impetus. Endeked out, he got the don's share their presence has given the sport an added impetus. Endeked out, he got the don's share their presence has given the sport an added impetus. Endeked out, he got the don's share their presence has given the sport an added impetus. Endeked out, he got the don's share their presence has given the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share their presence has given the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share the sport an added Endeked out, he got the sport an added Endeked out, he got the don's share the sport an added the end. It seems desirable to test the ability and the don's the sport an added the sport and the big teams in some such and begin to Nelson, for instance, wouldn't fight the relative to acheduling a game with the strength of all the big teams in some such Cartnell, Coach of North Carolina, to though he was beaten on a foul, while tour of the United States next spring, has been adopted. It is worthy of careful Gans share of the money was \$10.000. Nel. planning a series of games with carlous consideration this winter, and maybe the

schedule of interleague games had been

ults of 112 games each, winding up about first week in August
 first week in the season with a developed the terms that start poorly would have a chance to with have failed. I want to all week week week week in the end. It seems desirable to test the he end. It seems desirable to test the he week he he by teams in some such the begin your cue at once. Seed on maney, and begin your cue at once. Seed on maney, and begin your cue at once.



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According to the new plan the leagues

would finish their respective seasons early

Then would come the interleague werles.

teams would be in the running all the way.

This series would incidentally decide not

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closes and many fans lose interest and stay

to fight Sam Langford in Nevada last year, but the match did not materialize because Langford insisted upon a winner's and Still Plugging Away for Hundred and loser's cut up. Two years ago Nelson was Twelve-Game Schedule and Inasked to box at one of the local clubs, ter-League Matches. but he slunned the matchmaker with a demand for \$10,000 win, loss or draw in a Garry Heremann still sticks to his only the world's championship, but all the All classes of puglians, by the way, are scheme of a 112-game schedule, followed by city and state championshins as well, thus NEW YORK, Jan. 14-Jack Johnson's making exorbitant demands for their ser- an interleague series, and will doubtless adding a threefold interest to the struggle. 'Jack' will be O. S., and I feel certain that he will fight any man in vices with the result that athletic clubs urge it upon the major leagues at their declaration that he will fight any man in vices with the result that athletic clubs urge it upon the major leagues at their be save. Evidently fearing that some of the Tans the world provided he receives \$50.000 win, are backward in arranging top-notch bouts annual meeting next February. He says:

played their best games in September. when it was too late to overhaul the Cubs. The same may be said of the Highlanders, who came with a rush at the finish and clinched second place. If the new