

BEAVERS REEF POINT FOR FIRST DIVISION

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T. P. A. 41 3 11 30 15 T. P. A. 47 3 12 36 12

Run for Cady in ninth.

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GOLFERS TO SELECT 1921 TOURNEY CITY

Portland May Be Asked to Entertain Meet.

BID PUT IN BY TACOMA

Course of Washington Club Not Believed in Condition to Play Championship Matches.

C. H. Davis, Jr., captain of the Waverley Country club golf teams, leaves tonight for Victoria, B. C., to confer with brother committeemen of the Pacific Northwest Golf association relative to the place of holding the 1921 championships.

While in Portland last week in the interclub tournament between Waverley and Tacoma, G. H. Raleigh of the Tacoma Country and Golf club, served notice that Tacoma was willing to undertake the job of entertaining the northwest tourney next year.

Portland May Be Chosen.

If the Tacoma club gives tangible evidence of its ability and willingness to host the tourney may be awarded to Tacoma for Tacoma has not had the tourney since 1915. However, it is not believed that the 1921 championships and the chances are that the Waverley Country club of Portland will be asked to stage the big golfing event next year.

"If the association wants Waverley to handle the tourney I am sure we will be glad to do it," said Mr. Davis yesterday. "Of course, Waverley is not campaigning for the tourney for it costs considerable money and entails a great amount of hard work."

Dreher, secretary of the Northwest association, will join Mr. Davis at Seattle and accompany him to Victoria.

While in the north Mr. Davis will endeavor to stir up sufficient interest to insure a bid for the appearance of Vardon and Hay in the Pacific northwest this fall. Waverley is willing to raise \$400 to pay the British champions' expenses here in an exhibition match.

Deals are under way whereby both the Olympic club, San Francisco, and the San Francisco Golf and Country club may own their links next year.

The Spring Valley water company wants \$2575 an acre for the property now leased by the latter organization which would mean an investment of \$400,000. The Olympic club has a project for building another 18-hole course to take care of the membership.

After being lost, strayed or stolen for a fortnight, Russel Smith's kit of golf tools arrived by express from Vancouver and will be ready to ship.

The former northwest champion misplaced the clubs after the recent British championship in the British Columbia metropolis.

Robert Bone defeated Mike Gardner in the semi-finals of the Vancouver Golf and Country club's championship, 6 up and 5, and will meet J. A. Yellowlegs in the finals this week-end.

WEST WINS EASTERN TENNIS

Miss Livingston, Seattle, vs. Mrs. Cushing, California; Miss McDonald, Seattle, vs. Miss Fording, Portland.

That is what the programme will read when the players take the courts at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the women's singles. Two Tacoma stars were eliminated in the women's singles—Miss Livingston, Seattle, and Mrs. Cushing, California. Tacoma's Dorothy Alexander, Tacoma, 6-1, 5-1, will miss McDonald of Seattle, defeated Bernice Daponte, 6-1, 6-0. Mrs. Cushing of California eliminated Miss Schneider of Seattle, 6-2, 7-2.

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American League Standings.

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Where the Teams Play Next Week.

Portland at Seattle, Los Angeles at San Francisco, Oakland at Vernon, Sacramento at Salt Lake.

American Association Results.

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Beaver Batting Averages.

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PHIL REEF LOSES NORTHWEST TITLE

Irving Weinstein Victor in Bulldog Battle.

MISS FORDING IS WINNER

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Wallace Scott, Tacoma's champ, and recent winner of the international singles at Spokane, is also in the semi-finals and setting a hot pace among the players. He defeated Peterson of this city today, 6-4, 7-5. One of the best matches of the tournament was expected tomorrow when Scott meets Weinstein for the right to go into the finals. Both boys played on the same tennis team last year.

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