



**The Country Club of Rochester**

# Articles

# 1947

## G. G. McCurdy Weds in New York City

THE marriage of Miss Katherine Williamson Babcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lynde Babcock Jr. of Brooklyn to Gilbert Geier McCurdy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert James Cathcart McCurdy of Elm Lane, took place on Saturday, Nov. 9 in the chapel of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York City. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Carroll Albertson, assisted by Rev. John Sutherland Bonnell and the Rev. Alvin E. Margary.

The bride wore her mother's wedding gown of ivory satin with a veil and carried white orchids and bouvardia.

Miss Patricia McCurdy, sister of the bridegroom, maid of honor, wore chartreuse crepe and carried yellow daisy chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were Miss Jean Lloyd Dalzell of Brooklyn, Miss Nancy Ann Montgomery of New Albany, Ind., Miss Anne Underwood Remsen and Miss Jane Carroll Sabourin of Hudson Falls. They wore green crepe and carried yellow and bronze chrysanthemums.

Frederick V. Geier Jr., of Cincinnati was best man and the ushers were William Kennedy Babcock, brother of the bride; Henry Flynt Jr. of Greenwich, Conn. and James A. D. Geier of Cincinnati, Edgar T. Mead of Greenwich and David Gleason and Thayer Sanderson of this city.

A reception at Sherry's followed the ceremony.

The bride, a member of the Junior League, is a graduate of Berkeley Institute, Brooklyn, and of Smith College.

Mr. McCurdy is a graduate of the Hill School and of Williams College. He recently returned from Japan, where he served as a lieutenant in the Signal Corps. He is a grandson of Mrs. Frederick A. Geier of Cincinnati and the late Mr. Geier, and the late Mr. and Mrs. John C. McCurdy of this city. He is a member of the Country Club of Rochester and the Genesee Valley Club.

## Club Groups See Fashion Film

SOMETHING new in the way of fashion shows was presented at the Rochester Club Thursday, when a technicolor film, entitled "Fantasy of Fashion" was shown to a representative group from Rochester's town and country clubs.

Against a picturesque background of ocean waves, desert sands, tropical gardens, and even the New Orleans Mardi Gras, lovely models paraded, showing new spring and summer gowns of flowing lines and exciting colors.

The review, sponsored by McCurdy & Co., was followed by tea with Mrs. John Booth presiding at the tea table.

Among the guests were: Mrs. Ruth Barry of Oak Hill Country Club; Mrs. Dorothy Fisher, Zonta Club; Mrs. Dwight Sage, Chatterbox Club; Mrs. Donald Griffith and Mrs. Henry H. Miller, Locust Hill Country Club; Mrs. John F. Curran, Nazareth Hall Mothers' Club; Mrs. Harold C. Brownell, Brook-Lea Country Club; Mrs. G. Rolfe Scofield, Women of Rotary Club; Mrs. Wallace O. Fenn, Women's Club of the University of Rochester; Mrs. Herbert C. Soule Jr., American Association of University Women; Mrs. Herbert Horowitz, Senior Hadassah; Mrs. Edward Cumpston, Civic Music Group; Mrs. Vilas M. Swan and Mrs. Fred Anibal, Tinsman Chapter of the YWCA, and Mrs. Donald Clarke, Country Club of Rochester.

## HOW'S YOUR GOLF GAME?

# 17 Links Events Listed For Area Club-Swingers

By **FRANK LILLICH**

**D**ISTRICT divot-diggers have a program lined up which figures to keep them busy from the opening Rochester District Golf Association event May 22 until mid-September.

No less than 17 events are on the calendar adopted at the RDGA spring meeting yesterday at the Rochester Club, including seven RDGA tests, five club invitation tournaments, a veterans' tourney and a tentatively-scheduled affair at Lake Shore.

Rounding out the card will be the annual League of Iroquois pow-wow and qualifying play for the National Open and Amateur meets. The latter two, on the rotating basis begun with the Buffalo District last year, will show the Open qualifier at Monroe and the Amateur tryout at a Buffalo course.

Highlighting the season will be the annual championship event, scheduled over Oak Hill's west course July 17-20, with Gene Robinson of Brook-Lea in the role of defending champion.

In addition, RDGA title events will show the Senior division shooting over the Country Club's stiff layout for the laurels won last year by Ernie Maurer, and the Junior and Sub-Junior competition at the Country Club.

The Junior dates were shifted so this year's finals will be held on Saturday, to boost spectator opportunities. In previous seasons the tournament wound up on Friday.

Renewal of invitation tournaments will show individual competition at the Country Club and Monroe, best-ball invitations at



**ASSUMES NEW DUTIES: Gene Guynup (left) of Brook-Lea checks with RDGA President Gay Levis of Oak Hill at RDGA meeting. Guynup took office as secretary yesterday.**

Oak Hill and Brook-Lea and mixed Scotch twosome competition at Locust Hill. Details for Lake Shore's proposed tournament, for which Sept. 11-14 have been reserved, have not been worked out, according to Tom Lunt.

Gene Guynup of Brook-Lea took over his duties as RDGA secretary at yesterday's meeting, replacing Joe Holzschuh, formerly of Ridgmont and now transferred to Pittsburgh.

The tournament and prize committees will be administered jointly by the RDGA officers, Second Vicepresident Gordon (Red) Callaghan of Ridgmont and Treasurer Ernie Maurer of Monroe. Lee Hildreth of Locust Hill is chairman of the handicap committee, which also includes Ted Blutau of Oak Hill and Harry Fuller, RDGA handicap secretary.

The complete 1947 schedule:

May 22—Two-man best ball at Monroe (RDGA).

June 2—U. S. Open qualifier at Monroe.

June 12—18-hole medal tournament at Brook-Lea (RDGA).

June 26—18-hole medal tournament at Ridgmont (RDGA).

June 27-28—League of Iroquois at Oak Hill West. (Bellevue of Syracuse defending champion.)

July 4-6—Country Club of Rochester Invitation. (Gene Robinson, champion.)

July 17-20—Rochester District Golf Association championship

the Braves.

# WRDGA Title Test Set at Ridgemont Links

By **FRANK LILLICH**

Inclusion of a pair of new events, and resumption of the inter-club team match after a lapse since 1941 shared the limelight with the annual championship event as Women's Rochester District Golf Association officers and delegates prepared their summer schedule yes-

terday.

The title test, in which Mrs. Jean Trainor of Monroe will be defending champion, will be staged at Ridgmont July 22-26.

The inter-club team match, with the five low-handicap players from each club competing, is due to be staged Tuesday, Sept. 23, at a site yet to be selected.

The new tests, rounding out the most complete feminine links program since pre-war days, will include a best-ball affair at Brook-Lea on Tuesday, Aug. 1, and a senior-junior tournament, which promises to be one of the campaign's top features, at Oak Hill Aug. 5.

For the latter, there'll be an age minimum for the senior division, but the ladies, bless 'em, aren't telling what it is. Those under that minimum will compete in the junior sector of the competition.

There will be a separate entrance fee for the senior-junior.

A total of 10 events, including a pair of open days, was adopted for the campaign yesterday. The dates were listed as tentative, since delegates must consult their home clubs for confirmation, but were virtually certain to stand.

The opening event will be an 18-hole medal test at Irondequoit on Tuesday May 27. The complete slate:

May 27—18-hole medal tourney at Irondequoit.

June 10—Open day at Locust Hill.

June 24—18-hole medal tourney at Lake Shore.

July 8—Open day at Monroe.

July 22-26—WRDGA championship at Ridgmont.

Aug. 4—Pro-ladies, no site selected.

Aug. 5—Senior-junior at Oak Hill.

Aug. 19—Two-woman best-ball at Brook-Lea.

Sept. 9—18-hole medal tourney at Country Club of Rochester.

Sept. 23—Inter-club match at site to be selected.

Mrs. Harry Thomas of the Country Club, president of the WRDGA, presided at yesterday's meeting in her home, 22 Arnold Pk. Other officers of the women's district links unit are: Vicepresident, Mrs. Leonard Golden, Locust Hill; secretary, Mrs. Carl Hoesterey, Monroe; Treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Williams,

## Barbara Robinson Rites Slated

MR. and MRS. ARCHBOLD H. Robinson of Sagamore Drive issued invitations this weekend for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Robinson, to Horatio S. Gleason, son of Mrs. Horatio S. Gleason and the late Mr. Gleason of Franklinville, which will take place at 4:40 p. m. Saturday, Apr. 12, in the Samuel Colgate Chapel of Colgate - Rochester Divinity School. A reception at the Country Club of Rochester will follow the ceremony.

Miss Robinson has chosen her sister Miss May Robinson, as her only attendant. The best man will be the bridegroom's cousin, William G. Vaughan of Buffalo, and the ushers are to be Donald C. Stevens and Robert Ferry.

Miss Robinson, a graduate of Stephens Junior College and Ohio State College, is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.



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# District Golf Schedule For Coming Campaign

## MAY

19—Western New York qualifier for National PGA; at Brookfield, Buffalo, 36 holes.

20—Twilight League: Monroe at Oak Hill West, Brook-Lea at Ridgemont, Locust Hill at Oak Hill East.

22—RDGA, two-man best-ball, 18-hole medal handicap tourney at Monroe.

27 — Women's RDGA, 18-hole medal handicap tourney at Irondequoit. Twilight League: Oak Hill East at Monroe, Oak Hill West at Brook-Lea, Ridgemont at Locust Hill.

## JUNE

2 — National Open qualifier at Monroe, 36 holes.

3 — Twilight League: Oak Hill West at Locust Hill, Oak Hill East at Ridgemont, Brook-Lea at Monroe.

10 — Twilight League: Locust Hill at Monroe, Ridgemont at Oak Hill West, Oak Hill East at Brook-Lea. WRDGA, open day at Locust Hill.

12—RDGA, 18-hole medal handicap tourney at Brook-Lea.

12-14—National Open, St. Louis Country Club, Clayton, Mo.

17—Twilight League: Monroe at Ridgemont, Locust Hill at Brook-Lea, Oak Hill West at Oak Hill East.

24 — WRDGA, 18-hole medal handicap tournament at Lake Shore; Twilight League sweepstakes at course of winning club.

26—RDGA, 18-hole medal handicap tourney at Ridgemont.

27-28—League of Iroquois (Oak Hill, Bellevue, Wanakahn Yahnnudasis) at Oak Hill.

## JULY

4-6—Country Club of Rochester

Invitation; Gene Robinson, defending champion.

8—WRDGA, open day at Monroe.

17-20 — RDGA, championship tournament at Oak Hill West; Gene Robinson, defending champion.

21—Pro-amateur at Silver Lake.

22-26 — WRDGA, championship tournament at Ridgemont; Mrs. George Trainor, defending champion.

26-27 — Brook-Lea Invitation best-ball.

27—Pro-amateur at Hornell.

## AUGUST

1-3 — Monroe Invitation; Pete Hass, defending champion.

4—Pro-ladies at Locust Hill.

5 — WRDGA, Senior-Junior at Oak Hill.

14 — RDGA, Senior at Country Club; Ernie Maurer, defending champion.

15-17—Midvale Veterans tourney; Fred Grover, defending champion.

18—Pro-amateur at Ridgemont.

19 — WRDGA, two-woman best-ball at Brook-Lea.

20-23—Oak Hill Invitation best-ball tourney.

25 — WNY PGA championship tourney, Rochester (club to be elected); Leo O'Grady, defending champion.

26-30 — RDGA Junior and Sub-Junior tourneys, Country Club of Rochester.

## SEPTEMBER

6-7—Locust Hill Invitation mixed Scotch twosome tourney.

9 — WRDGA, 18-hole medal tourney at Country Club.

11-14—RDGA, reserved for Lake Shore tournament.

18—RDGA, 18-hole medal handicap tourney at Locust Hill.

23 — WRDGA, inter-club match at Monroe.

home Friday.

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Henry H. Stebbins Jr. of Clover Street will entertain the Board of Trustees of Wells College at luncheon Friday at the Country Club of Rochester.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wesley M. Angle of East Boulevard are expected to return Friday from a trip to Texas.

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Whiting B. Morse of Arnold Park and his son, William B. Morse, and Mrs. Morse of Park Avenue will entertain at dinner Thursday at the Country Club of Rochester, in honor of Mrs. Patricia Beaven Anstice and John W. Morse, whose wedding will take place the following day.

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## WASON RAPS TRUMAN FOR HIGH PRICES

### NAM Spokesman Blames 'Political' Wage Hikes

President Truman's price reduction campaign was the target of a verbal broadside fired here last night by Robert R. Wason, chairman of the board of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Wason charged that the price-cutting movement is an impediment to expanding production which would otherwise reduce prices. He spoke at a dinner meeting in the Country Club of Rochester for local and Northern New York manufacturers.

#### Control 'Still Intelligent'

"By law, the OPA was washed out 6 months ago," Wason said. "By politics, propaganda, and by exhortation, the equivalent of OPA is being restored now. Price control is just as unintelligent now as it was when it created scarcities, increased prices and prevented production of goods."

If the political exhorters really seek lower prices, Wason charged, "let them stop forcing high wages into costs of goods. The invisible factor in present prices is politics. It is there and it is paid for by every buyer of goods and of services. Political considerations require the President to require wage increases that enter into costs and inevitably into prices."

#### Asks Free Venture Capital

Wason urged that "the government quit taking 20 cents out of every dollar so that venture capital can be freed to venture, and more employment can be created. The taxes we pay are in the prices of the goods we buy. Prices can come down when taxes come down."

President Truman, the NAM executive said, has believed alternately is an impending boom or a bust ever since he came into office 2 years ago. "He has been even believed in both at the same time. Now he favors depression again."

"Unless the President stops raising prices by bidding against the consumer and by increasing the costs that enter into prices, the depression he predicts is inevitable."

Wason declared that we are not working our way toward a depression. The economy is now working out from under controls into a free, competitive market, he said. "Give competitive free enterprise a chance. It built the high standard of living we have," he added.

#### Finds War Savings Kept

Thus far, the people as a whole have shown no inclination to squander their wartime savings, he said. There has been no significant increase in War Bond redemptions, no drawing down of savings accounts, no wild rush to convert money into goods, the speaker contended.


"By rejecting competition in favor of propaganda, the President throws away all the economic indicators, controls, recorders and other measurements of the economy produced by centuries of economic experience," Wason charged.

Also on the speaking program was Dr. Ralph Robey, chief NAM economist and University of Rochester economics instructor from 1923 to 1925, who declared that uncertainty over supply and cost of materials is the most important factor preventing lowering of manufacturers' prices.

#### Denies Excessive Profits

Dr. Robey, who illustrated his talk with slides, contended that corporation profits are not excessive, claiming that "during the last quarter of 1946 profits were high and were seriously misused in phony reports for labor organizations in industry-wide negotiations."

Thomas J. Hargrave, president of Eastman Kodak Company, presided at the meeting, which was sponsored by the Industrial Management Council of Rochester, the Associated Industries of New York, and the NAM. J. E. Drew, public relations director for NAM, described the association's public relations setup.



*Socialights*

MRS. J. Warren Cutler of Merriam Street will entertain Friday at the Country Club of Rochester in honor of Miss Virginia Durand of Barrington Street and her fiance, William W. Shelden of Grosse Point Farms, Mich., whose wedding will take place Saturday.



Low score on par three holes, with handicap, was the feature for the women's weekly event at the Country Club of Rochester yesterday. Mrs. Butler Cox, with a four-stroke handicap, won high honors in the affair with a net of 12. Runner-up position went to Mrs. F. J. Enos, 18-4-14.

## REUNIONS TOP U. R. ACTIVITIES SLATED TODAY

### 50th Anniversary Of 1897 Class to Be Feature

Class reunions, among them the 50th anniversary of the class of 1897, will be the chief item of business today for University of Rochester alumni who are gathering for four days of social events and academic ceremonies in connection with the University's 97th annual commencement program.

Host at a luncheon at noon in the Country Club of Rochester for the class of 1897 will be their classmate, Clarence P. Moser, Rochester attorney. Nineteen of the 26 members of the class known to be living have sent acceptances, Moser said.

#### Cup Donor to Attend

One of the men, Dr. Robert A. Witherspoon, although handicapped by ill health, is making the trip from Montreal with his nurse. Frank Cubley, Potsdam, an attorney, donor of the Cubley Cup given annually to the University of Rochester class with the largest percentage of its members attending commencement re-unions, also will attend the re-union.

Reunion class luncheons will be followed by Class Day exercises of the 1947 graduates on Eastman Quadrangle at 2 p. m. Campus tours, informal sports, and a general get-together in the alumni tent on Fraternity Quadrangle will complete the afternoon's program.

## Doser Shoots 67 for Lead in P. G. A. Meet

BY CHARLES BARTLETT

(Chicago Tribune Press Service)

Detroit, June 18—Clarence Dosier, who caught on to golf's alphabet as a moppet of fire under a couple of fellows named Walter Hagen and George Christ, today led the first qualifying round of the 29th National Professional Golfers tournament with a 67, five under par for the Plum Hollow club.



Clarence Dosier

The 38 year old Hartsdale, N. Y. pro arrived in the cool of the evening with the card that took the first 18 leadership away by a stroke from a brace of crooners who used to work around here. One was James Newton Demaret of Ojai, Cal., who once was home pro at Plum Hollow and who tonight chipped in with a few ditties on Bing Crosby's final recorded broadcast. The other was Claude Harmon, who divides his chores between two of the nation's best clubs, New York's Winged Foot and Palm Beach's Seminole.

### Missed in Open

Dosier, a P. G. A. semi-finalist in the 1945 meet in Dayton, where he lost to Sam Byrd, now Plum Hollow's home pro, learned the game under George Christ, his uncle, and Hagen, who were co-professionals at the Country Club of Rochester when Walter won the 1914 Open at our Midlothian club. Clarence has played in a dozen P. G. A.'s in his 38 years. He didn't qualify for match play at Portland last year and didn't make the final 36 hole grade in last week's Open in St. Louis.

Today, he wrought a nearly perfect card, blemished by only one bogey, at the 436 yard 15th, where his second caught a bunker. He holed a 10 foot birdie try on No. 1 and was seeking birds thereafter until the 514 yard eighth, where he rolled home another 10-footer. A 15-footer fell at the 11th, and he smacked a three wood 18 inches from the pin at the 235 yard 12th, longest par 3 at Plum Hollow.

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# City, Golfers Mourn Death Of George Christ, Veteran Pro

George Christ, born near the Country Club in 1855, started his golf career as a caddy under Al Christie along with Walter Hagen, his boyhood chum.

A lifelong friend of the great Walter Hagen, George succeeded The Haig as professional at the Country Club of Rochester in 1918 when Hagen moved to Detroit. He had held the position ever since, a span of 28 years. Last year, because of his poor physical condition, he hired Charlie Bemish, former Oak Hill professional, to act as his associate.

George set the Country Club course record of 61, playing the last two holes with the aid of candles.

*His ability as an instructor is shown by his long list of proteges. He was directly responsible, among others, for the career of Doser, of Scarsdale Country Club, formerly of Lake Shore and the Merion Croquet Club, Philadelphia; Frank Comisso, Irondequoit pro; George Vanden Brul of Ridgemont, and the most recent, his own son, George Jr., a 15-year-old who represented Rochester in the National Caddy Tournament.*

An injury sustained while competing in a National Open in the early '30's hampered George's swing and ended his participation in national tournaments.

Christ leaves his wife, Marie Coakley Christ; three daughters, Mary, Elizabeth, Marcia Ann and Joan Patricia Christ, and his son, George M. Christ Jr.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a. m. Monday in the home and at 10 o'clock in St. Ambrose Church. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

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Tucker, links ace who for many years was golf writer for The Democrat and Chronicle and who now is with the New York Journal-American, was more than eager to pay tribute to the CCR pro. Trained newspaperman that he is, Tucker turned to his typewriter to express his sentiments thus:

"The easiest and frequently most banal story to write is the one written after a man dies.

"Take Buggy Slegal, for instance. You can pull out all the stops on that one. You can't libel a rotten punk like Slegal, dead or alive. Especially when he's dead.

"Now take George Christ—the direct opposite.

"I knew George Christ for 20 years. During that time I never knew him to swear, take a drink or say an unkind word about anyone.

"Not that those unique traits establish him as outstanding. Plenty of good men have sorry habits, yet are fine and decent too.

"But George was different, particularly in the field of professional golf—a cutthroat profession in many respects.

"George was patient, polite, quiet, intelligent and understanding. Above all, he was a gentleman. He was born and raised a Catholic, but that isn't so important. By the same token, he could have been a Holy Roller and meant it.

"The main point was: He leveled. He never pretended to be anything other than what he was—a gentleman by and standard.

"I recall many things in a golfing way about George Christ. The time, for instance, in a Western New York PGA championship when he was trapped at the 72nd hole, and had to hole his explosion for a tie.

"He lined up that explosion like a putt, and actually sank it, then went on to win the playoff!

"Or the time when he scored an incredible 61 at the Country Club of Rochester. No one ever has come close to that one in town.

"And, too, to show you the kind of guy George Christ was, he took the time to coach and develop Clarence Doser, one of the country's outstanding pros. He did that at his own expense, if you want to look at it that way.

"Good night, George. Perhaps in heaven there is a fine golf course, too, where you chew on one of those old stogies of yours and relax.

"If all the golfers and gentlemen in the world were like you, George, we wouldn't have to worry much."

Dick Teabold

...shouldn't have to worry much.  
Dick Trabold for years as golf writer for the Rochester Journal-American, and now is a member of the D&C copy desk. He, too, wanted to add his voice to the tribute, and did so in these words:

"I knew George Christ from about the time he succeeded Walter Hagen as professional at Country Club of Rochester. In all that time I never heard an unkind word spoken of him—or by him.

"The intensity with which George competed never showed up in his personal relations. His unflinching courtesy, to club members or caddies, perhaps explains why he was Country Club pro so long.

"In the early days of the Western New York PGA George was an almost sure winner in the twice-monthly tournaments. He never missed playing in them, and always was among those present at the after-tournament doings, although he never took a drink stronger than ginger ale. Many of the boys, slightly exhilarated, would tease him to have "just a glass of beer." George must have become rather weary of the jibbing after a time, but he never showed it.

"It is one of my fondest memories I knew him so long and played golf with him. He helped anyone he played with, both through his golfing words and his personality."

That is an indication of what old friends felt yesterday when the sad news reached them. And Hagen's words, "We all loved him," applied at Oak Hill yesterday as Western New York golfers gathered for the annual League of Iroquois pow-wow; applied throughout golfing Rochester, and applied to this newspaper, and especially to this department, which got many a boost from George over the last seven years on the local golf beat.



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# Rochester Golf Club Names Pro

Rochester—(AP)—Charlie Bemish, pro at Buffalo Country Club for 18 years, is the new golf professional at the Country Club of Rochester.

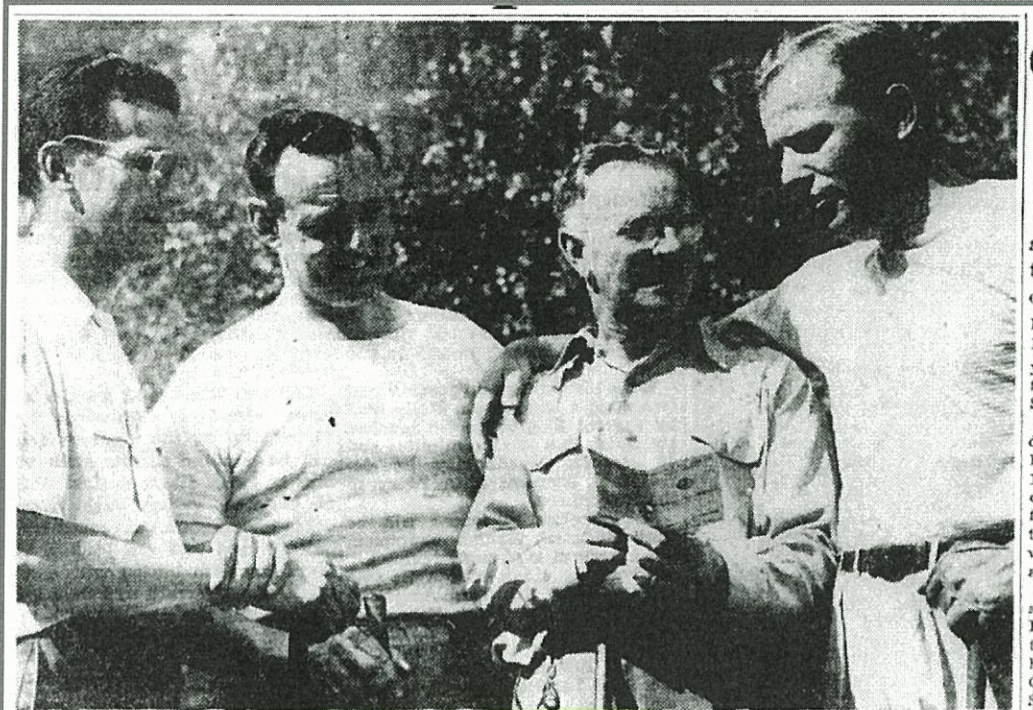
He was appointed Wednesday night to succeed George Christ who died last week.

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## *CCR Invitation To Begin Today*

THE 20th annual Country Club of Rochester invitation golf tournament gets under way today with last year's champion, Gene Robinson, heading a large field.

In practice rounds yesterday, Monroe's Carlton Christ posted a one-over-par 71 to establish himself as a definite threat. Carlton was runnerup to Robinson last year. Other sub-80 scorers include 75s by Mort Reed, Monroe; Hobie Garfield, Oak Hill, and a 78 by Don Hoesteroy, also of Monroe.



**GCR TUNEUP**—Their practice rounds finished, these 4 Country Club of Rochester Invitation golf tourney entrants check cards. From left: Tony Cagnazzo, Genesee; Bob Allen, Brook-Lea; Del Jacobs, Midvale, and Carlton Christ, Monroe. Test opens today.

# 76 DEADLOCKS FOR PLAYOFF IN CCR TEST

By FRANK LILLICH

Jim Weldon, a veteran of the fairways who won the first Rochester District Golf Association championship some 20 years ago, and George Trainor, long-hitting Oak Hill clubmate of Weldon's who has won just about every local tournament except this one, tied for medal honors in the 20th annual Country Club of Rochester Invitation tournament yesterday.

While Weldon and Trainor were matching par with 70's, upsets saw the defending champion, last year's medalist and many another feared player dropped out of the championship flight as cards of 76 played off for places in the title flight.

Gene Robinson of Locust Hill, last year's champion; Tony Durante of Midvale, '46 medalist; Bill Chapin of Oak Hill, a former champion, and such visiting low-handicap players as Larry Murphy of Utica, Tony Langan of Syracuse and Bill Eznicki of Toronto fell by the wayside, hitting 77 or more.

Weldon, one of the first half-dozen players to tee off for the day's activities, which saw a field of 120 competing, was out in a one-over-par 36 and home with a one-under 34 for his 70. Trainor posted a sizzling outgoing 33 but slipped to a homecoming 37 for his card, matching the best medal tally ever turned in this tournament which was inaugurated in 1923.

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The two will play off for the medal Tuesday afternoon. Their cards:

Par out	444	344	534-35
Weldon	454	214	535-36
Trainor	534	314	414-32
Par in	454	415	314-35-70
Weldon	454	534	214-31-70
Trainor	534	415	314-37-70

Next in line was another Oak Hiller, Fred Allen, who collected 34-35-72 for third place, a stroke ahead of three other players who included two of the tournament's hot favorites. Jimmy Hassman of Danaville, winner in 1941, had 36-37-73; Mort Reed of Monroe, who has recorded four 70s in CCR practice rounds, matched those figures, and Gord Claus of Lake Shore was 35-35-73.

Two items of interest cropped up among a quartet of 74's. One showed Dick (Biggie) Baldwin, whose fine athletic career at the University of Rochester wound up with his graduation last month, making the title flight for the first time with 36-38. The other came as Carl Christ of Monroe, also 36-38, had a one-over-par first nine without a single par as he recorded four birdies and five bogies. Also in the 74 division were Lyndon Wilson of Buffalo, Weldon's opponent this morning, and Hobie Garfield, colorful young Oak Hiller. Trainor is bracketed with Carl Christ this morning.

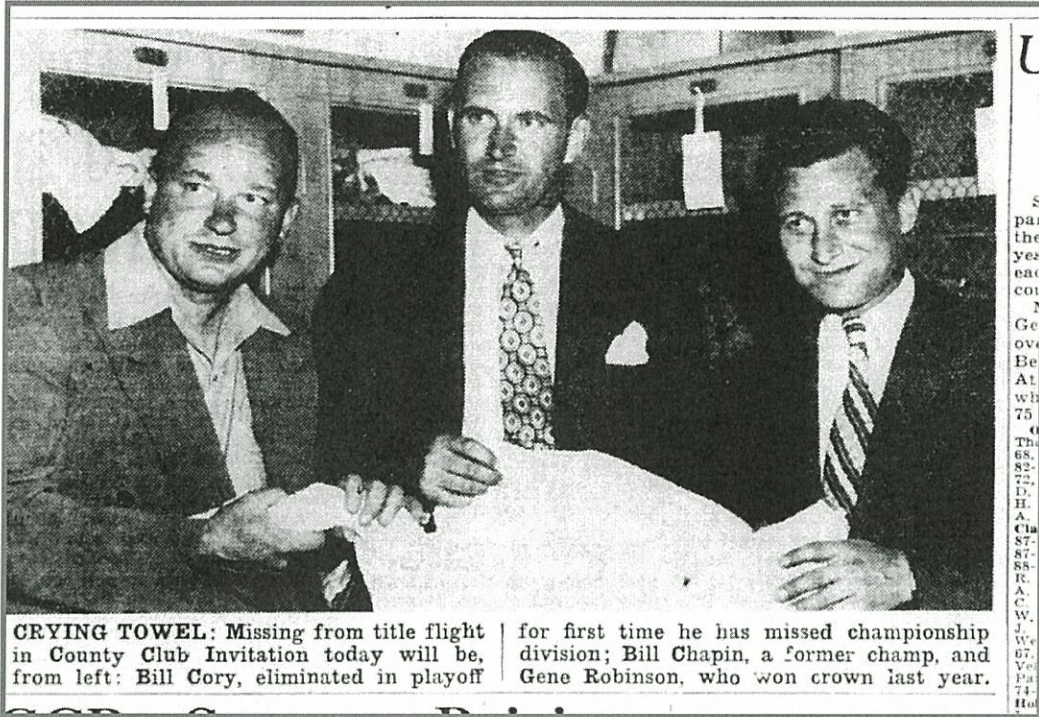
The 75's were registered by Ed Randall and Ray Forkey of Oak Hill and one of the low-handicap Canadians, Jim Boeckh of Toronto.

With three places at stake, seven players came in at 76, and it required a four-hole playoff before the remaining title flight spots were decided.

H. G. Lubke of Buffalo and H. A. Wheat of Geneva were eliminated at the first extra hole, and C. J. Stoddard of Toronto grabbed one of the berths at the second hole when he rammed home a 20-foot putt for a birdie 3. Cliff Goodrich of Brook Lea, 1945 title winner who didn't even make the championship flight last year dunked a 13-footer for a birdie 3 at the third as Ed Stira of Midvale bowed out.

On the fourth extra hole Art Langan of Syracuse eliminated Bill Cory, his 20-foot putt for a birdie ducece tolling the knell on Cory's record of never having missed the title flight.

The championship, second and third flights have two 18-hole matches apiece scheduled today and tomorrow, with the remaining flights playing 18 holes each day in foursomes.



**CRYING TOWEL:** Missing from title flight in County Club Invitation today will be, from left: Bill Cory, eliminated in playoff

for first time he has missed championship division; Bill Chapin, a former champ, and Gene Robinson, who won crown last year.

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## *TRAINOR, GOODRICH GAIN SEMIFINALS*



# Visiting Duo Bags Other CCR Wins

By FRANK LILLICH

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Two local favorites and a pair of out-of-town linksmen survived a wave of upsets to gain the Country Club of Rochester Invitation tournament semifinals, with George Trainor of Oak Hill and Cliff Goodrich of Brook-Lea remaining top favorites to cop the 20th annual tournament.

Trainor, after a tough 2-and-1 victory over Carl Christ, runner-up last year, in the morning round yesterday, ran into even more difficulties in his afternoon duel with lanky Joe Stoddart of Toronto, finally pulling out the triumph on the 20th hole after an uphill battle.

Goodrich had less trouble as he defeated Dick (Biggie) Baldwin, U.S. athlete from Bartlett, 3 and 2, in the morning, and Fred Allen of Oak Hill in the afternoon by the same margin, although he had to withstand a rally by the long-hitting Allen.

Those victories qualified them for this morning's round of four, with Goodrich scheduled to oppose Lyndon Wilson of Buffalo Country Club and Trainor to meet Jim Boeckh of Toronto for berths in this afternoon's finals.

## Weldon, Randall Bow

Wilson yesterday jolted Jim Weldon of Oak Hill, co-medalist Friday with Trainor at 70, in the morning round by a 5-and-4 margin as the Buffalonian turned in a one-under-par tally for the 14 holes played. In the afternoon Wilson disposed of another Oak Hill veteran, Ed Randall, by a 3-and-2 count.

Boeckh's morning victim was Gord Claus of Lake Shore, 2 and 1, while in the quarter-finals he had to travel to the 20th green before he was able to oust youthful Hobie Garfield.

Along with Weldon and Carl Christ, the morning round saw the elimination of such favorites as Jimmy Hassman of Danville, only former champion (41) to qualify for the title flight; Mort Red of Monroe, Art Langan of Syracuse and Ray Forkey of Oak Hill.

Hassman was victimized by Randall, 3 and 2; Forkey by Allen, 4 and 3; Langan by Garfield, 3 and 2, and Reed by Stoddart, 2 and 1.

Both Reed and Hassman were in the limping class, Hassman with a sprained ankle and Reed with a torn tendon in his foot—injuries which will keep both from competing in the State Amateur at Westchester Country Club this week.

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most of the gallery for yesterday afternoon's play, staged a dramatic match in which the Canadian held 3 up and 2 up margins over Trainor, only to dissipate both.

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***WILSON ANNEXES COUNTRY CLUB'S INVITATION***

## WINS 2 AND 1 TITLE MATCH OVER TRAINOR

By FRANK LILLICH

Lyndon Wilson, Buffalo Country Club entry who never had captured a tourney title outside his home club, upset George Trainor of Oak Hill yesterday to capture the Country Club of Rochester Invitation crown, ousting the Oak Hiller in the final, 2 and 1.

That gave Wilson a perfect record against the co-medalists, for in his first tussle Saturday morning he had turned back Jim Weldon of Oak Hill, who shared qualifying honors with Trainor at 70.

Wilson had to subdue another tourney favorite in his morning match yesterday as he defeated Cliff Goodrich of Brook-Lea, 2 and 1. Trainor had gained the final by outscoring Jim Easack of Toronto in the morning semifinals, 3 and 2.

Wilson, who qualified at 71, won the final three holes of his duel with Trainor for the triumph and generally played fine golf, going only two over par for the 17 holes played. Trainor matched him until they reached the short 16th hole, when the Oak Hiller slipped to a double bogey 5 as Wilson won with a one-over 4.

### Match Ends at 17th

That provided Wilson with all the impetus he needed. His tee shot at the 154-yard hole was over the green, he was on in two and two-putted. Meanwhile Trainor missed the green and had to shoot over a trap, which he failed to clear. His explosion left him a 20-footer and he two-putted to lose the hole as Wilson went 1 up.

The Buffalonian, who had birdied the 15th when he sank a 20-foot putt after coming out of a trap, wound up things at the 17th. Trainor's second was just over the green while Wilson dropped an excellent shot from the rough only 10 feet from the pin. Trainor's chip was long, leaving him an 8-footer which he missed, while Wilson two-putted for his par and the win.

After losing the first hole to Trainor's birdie, Wilson went 2 up at the turn. His par was good enough to win the fifth, squaring things, and he went ahead with another par at the 524-yard seventh as Trainor pushed a tee shot out of bounds.

A little dudge on a 12-foot putt at the 178-yard eighth gave Wilson a 2-up lead and he held it through the ninth as Trainor missed a four-foot putt to match the Buffalonian's bogey.

Trainor dunked an 8-footer to win the 10th with a par, and a 15-footer for a par at the 232-yard 12th as both were short and Wilson two-putted after chipping within 10 feet of the cup.

### Trainor Goes 1 Up

## Final Results In CCR Golf

### CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
I. Wilson, Buffalo, def. C. Goodrich, BL, 2 and 1. G. Trainer, OH, def. J. Boeckh, Toronto, 3 and 2.

**Final**  
Wilson def. Trainer, 2 and 1.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
J. Weidon, OH, def. R. Furkey, OH, 2 and 1. C. Christ, Mon., def. A. Langan, Syracuse, 3 and 3.

**Final**  
Weidon def. Christ, 4 and 3.

### SECOND FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
O. Luckhurst, Edg., def. H. G. Lubke Jr., Buffalo, 3 and 1. A. Cagnazzo, Gen., def. L. Murphy, Utica, 3 and 4.

**Final**  
Luckhurst def. Cagnazzo, 1 up, 29 holes.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
W. Cory, Dur., def. C. J. Robinson, Newark, 1 up. W. C. Chapin, OH, def. R. F. Allen, BL, 5 and 3.

**Final**  
Cory def. Chapin, 5 and 1.

### THIRD FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
R. M. Adler, Irons., def. T. Langan, Syracuse, 1 up. C. F. McKenna, OH, def. D. Honsterey, Amherst, 1 up.

**Final**  
McKenna def. Adler, 2 and 1.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
R. R. Lewis, OH, def. P. W. Gillette, OH, 1 up. H. P. Hamlin, CCR, def. W. S. Kane, Mohawk, default.

**Final**  
Lewis def. Hamlin, 3 and 2.

### FOURTH FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
J. L. McGrath, Edg., def. H. W. Clapp, CCR, 5 and 4. W. H. Adams, Toronto, def. W. A. Lansell, Erie Downs, 6 and 5.

**Final**  
McGrath, def. Adams, 5 and 4.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
T. S. Newell, CCR, def. S. R. R. Fox, Unad., default. L. A. Griffing, OH, def. E. B. Hall, CCR, 1 up, 19 holes.

**Final**  
Griffing def. Newell, 1 up.

### FIFTH FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
G. C. Gunther, Buffalo, def. H. L. Laack, Semarolon, 4 and 3. L. D. Newman, Niagara Falls, def. E. K. Hasegan, Danville, 4 and 3.

**Final**  
Gunther def. Newman, 3 and 2.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
A. L. Stern, Irons., def. T. I. Lunt, CCR, 2 and 1. H. J. Henderson Jr., CCR, def. H. C. Smith, Buffalo, default.

**Final**  
Stern def. Henderson, 5 and 4.

### SIXTH FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
E. J. Thoney, OH, def. W. A. Bishop, CH, 4 and 2. S. Stewart, CCR, def. F. M. Hurdine, CCR, 1 up.

**Final**  
Thoney def. Stewart, 4 and 2.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
J. W. Royer, CR, def. E. McFarland, CCR, 2 and 1. W. T. Hanson, CCR, def. L. C. Fergie, CCR, 3 and 2.

**Final**  
Royer def. Hanson, 1 up, 19 holes.

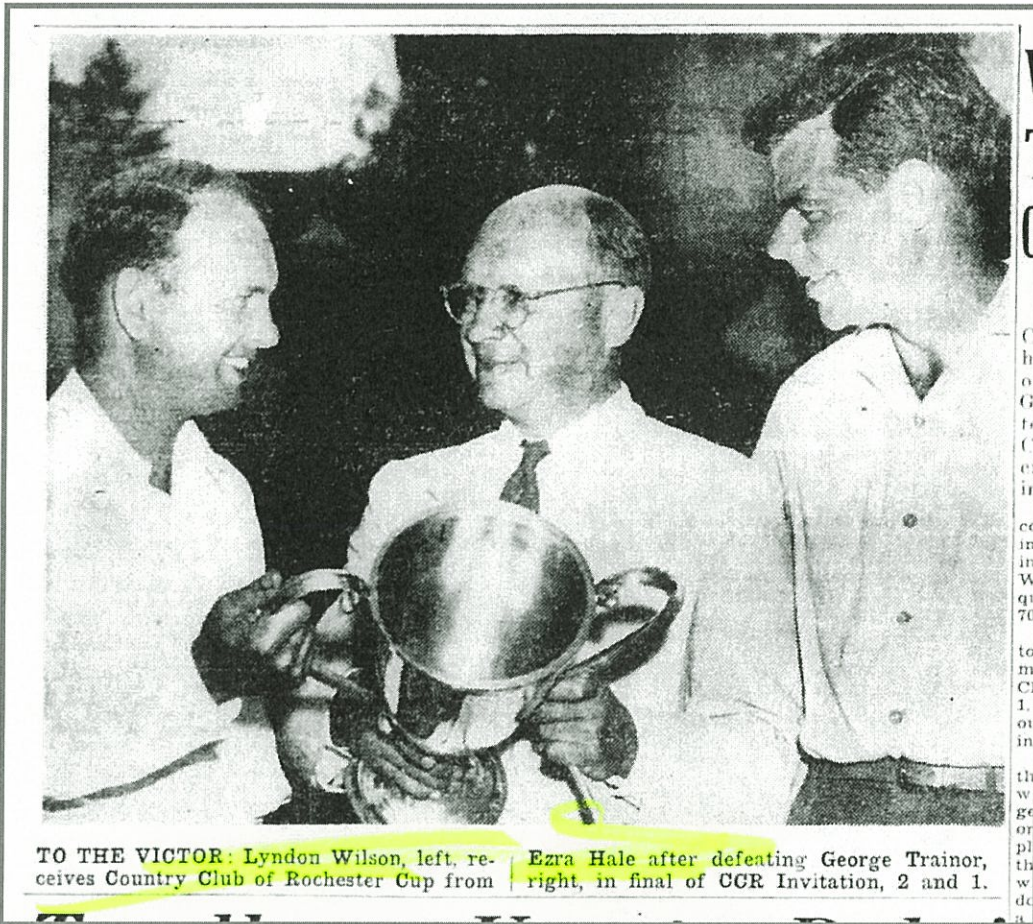
### SEVEN FLIGHT

**Semifinals**  
W. J. Lee, CCR, def. J. Robinson, CCR, 1 up. W. S. Roby, CCR, def. T. L. Brummett, Houston, Tex., 6 and 5.

**Final**  
Lee def. Roby, 1 up.

**Beaten Eight Semifinals**  
A. P. Mills, CCR, def. D. Sage, CCR, 2 up. R. E. Sykes, CCR, def. B. C. Smith, CCR, 1 up.

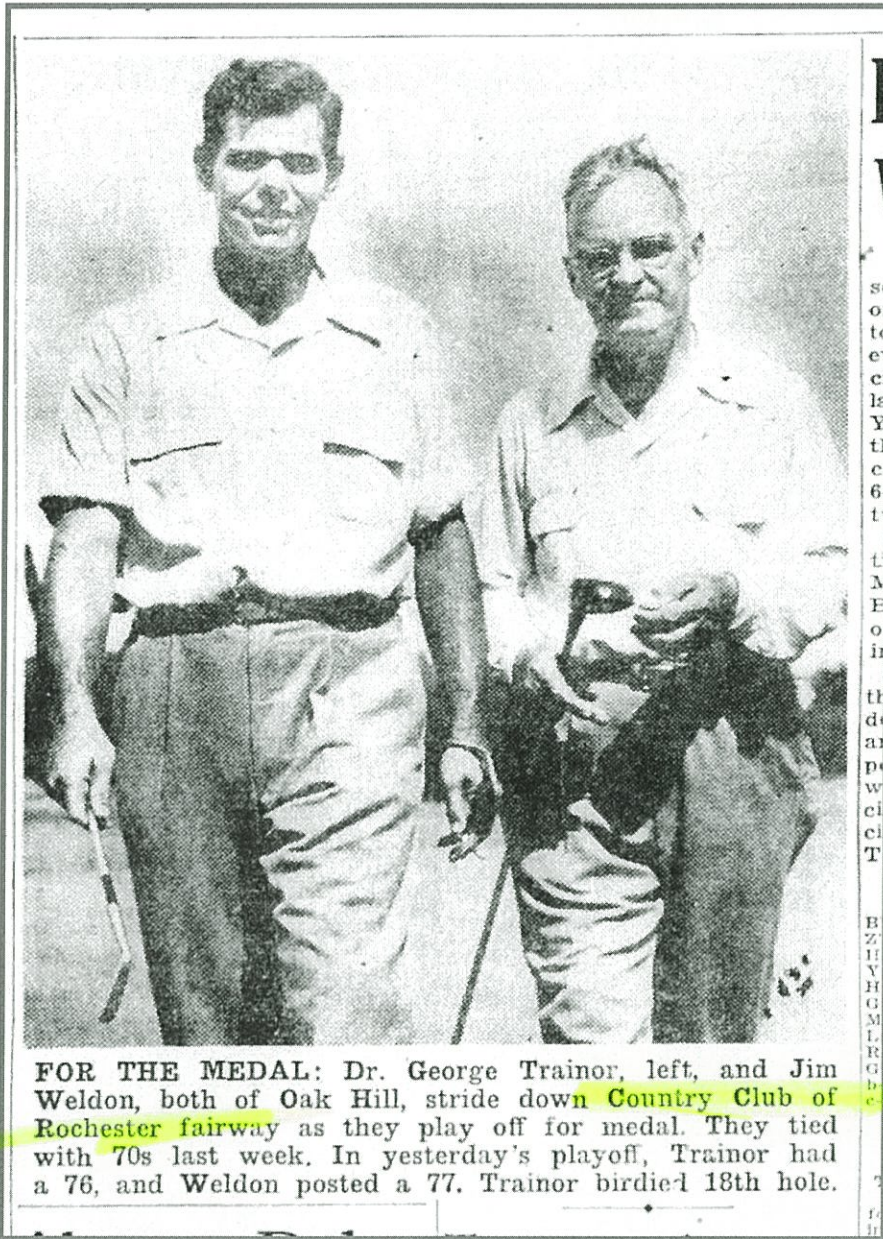
**Final**  
Sykes def. Mills, 1 up.



## *Weldon, Trainor Meet in Playoff*

**JIM WELDON** and George Trainor, Oak Hillers who tied for the medal in the Country Club of Rochester Invitation golf tournament last week with 70s, will play off for the medal over the CCR layout at 1:30 p. m. today. Play will be over 18 holes.

Weldon, first round victim of the eventual winner, Lyndon Wilson of the Buffalo Country Club, went on to win the title in the championship flight's beaten eight, while Trainor lost to Wilson in the tourney final.



**FOR THE MEDAL:** Dr. George Trainor, left, and Jim Weldon, both of Oak Hill, stride down Country Club of Rochester fairway as they play off for medal. They tied with 70s last week. In yesterday's playoff, Trainor had a 76, and Weldon posted a 77. Trainor birdied 18th hole.

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## Trainer Annexes Medal Playoff By One Stroke

Dr. George Trainer of Oak Hill, bested his clubmate, Jim Weldon, by a single stroke yesterday in their playoff for the Country Club of Rochester Invitation Tournament medal over the CCR layout.

Weldon, three strokes up at the turn, slipped to a 41 on the back nine and Trainer posted a 77, winning by a single stroke by virtue of his 18th hole birdie.

Weldon was 36-41, and Trainer 39-37. The pair tied at 70 for the medal in last weekend's tournament, Trainer going on to bow in the finals to Lyndon Wilson of Buffalo. Weldon, first round victim of Wilson, went on to capture the beaten eight laurels in the championship flight. The cards:

Par out	.....4	4	4	3	4	4	5	3	4	—35
Weldon out	....5	5	4	2	4	4	5	3	4	—36
Trainer out	....4	4	4	5	4	4	6	4	4	—39
Par in	.....4	5	3	4	3	5	3	4	4	—35—70
Weldon in	....5	7	4	4	4	5	3	5	4	—41—77
Trainer in	....5	5	3	4	3	5	4	5	3	—37—76

## MATCHES WON BY RIDGEMONT AND BROOK-LEA

Nassau matches marked women's area golf play yesterday as Ridgemont's team turned back Locust Hill, 45-39, and Brook-Lea took a 14-12 decision from Oak Hill.

Mrs. Fred Kalb's 91 for the Locust Hill losers was the best medal score, also leading in sweepstakes competition, while Mrs. F. Hertle's 100 was the best Ridgemont sweeps figure and likewise set the team pace. Mrs. Charles Spencer carded a Monroe low net of 69-19-77, as Jean Doron posted a gross 91.

At the Country Club of Rochester, Mrs. Robert Messler and Sally Gannett teamed for a winning net 71 in two-ball, best-ball contention, shading the Judy Weiss-Jean Fox pair, which tallied 72. Sweeps:

## \$20,000 Christ Estate

George M. Christ Sr., 180 Hurstbourne Rd., Irondequoit, golf professional at the Country Club of Rochester, left his estate of "upwards of \$20,000" to his wife, Mrs. Marie C. Christ, probate of his will by Surrogate G. Robert Witmer made known. Mr. Christ died June 27. The widow is executrix, represented by Nixon, Hargrave, Middleton & Devans.

Plan in Detroit - More Golf (below) at Genesee Valley Park.

## Genesee Plans 'Collins Day'

For 25 years George Collins has been golf professional at Genesee Golf Club—and members and former members of the municipal course in Genesee Valley Park are planning to honor genial George next month.

In this connection the co-chairman of the committee, - George (Mike) White and Gene Davis, pointed out last night that, unlike most cities, Rochester does not pay its municipal course professionals. On the contrary, ever since he took over the pro shop at Genesee in 1922, Collins has been paying the city for the concession.

Plans for the Collins Day festivities still are tentative. So date has been set, although an August date is scheduled. There probably will be an 18-hole tournament, and White and Davis plan to round up a large committee to help them boost the affair.

Collins was the first and only professional at the muni course, which was an 18-hole affair when he took over, the new course being added in 1925. Prior to moving to Genesee, Collins broke into golf with Walter Hagen and George Christ at the Country Club of Rochester and later aided Ned McKenna at Irondequoit.

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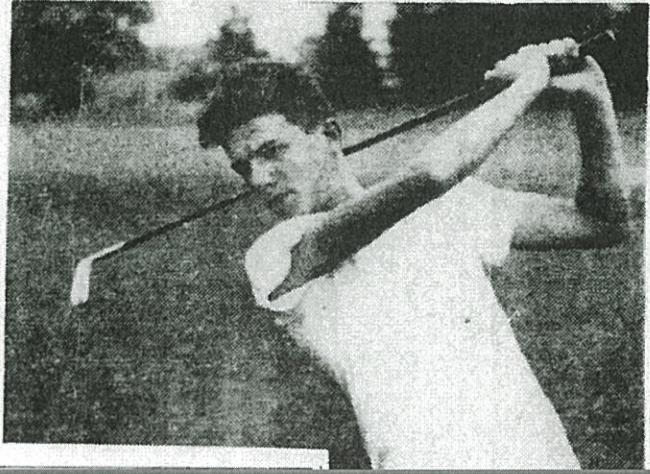
# Caddie Entries Reach 102; Sonny Christ Eyes Repeat

By FRANK LILLICH

With two days remaining for caddies to file entries for the second annual Democrat and Chronicle Athletic Association-Rochester Area Caddie Tournament, the field soared past the 100 mark yesterday, with 102 bag-toters filing their entries in the competition.

Headin gthe list of entries to come in over the week end was that of George (Sonny) Christ of the Country Club of Rochester, winner of last year's inaugural event at Ridgemont.

This year's test again is scheduled at Ridgemont, with 18-hole medal rounds next Monday and Tuesday deciding the title. All entries must reach The Democrat and Chronicle no later than 2 p. m. tomorrow—and no post entries will



Tuesday deciding the title. All entries must reach The Democrat and Chronicle no later than 2 p. m. tomorrow—and no post entries will be accepted. So you caddies who have been putting off filing your entries must mail or bring them to Room 401, D&C Building, in time to beat that deadline or you will be shut out.

#### 10 Winners Back

Of the 16 players awarded prizes in last year's event, 10 now are entered, with others being ineligible because they have passed the age limit.

Along with Sonny Christ, winners last season who'll be back include Jerry Leicht of the Country Club, runner-up last year; Bob Cook, Durand; Bill Long, Geneva; Tony Rosati, Locust Hill, and Dave MacDonald, consolation winner, along with these juniors (14 and under): Alan Persons, Canandaigua, junior division champ; Don Jerome, Denzville, runner-up, and John Calabrese, Irondequoit, and Mart Madigan, Country Club. Persons and Calabrese, now 15, no longer are eligible for the junior division, so a new champ is certain to be crowned there.

Players who qualify for the 14-and-under bracket still are eligible for the championship and trip to Columbus, Ohio, to compete in the National tourney Aug. 27-31, but no player can snare prizes in both divisions.

#### No Entry Fee

There is no entry fee, and the winner of the Columbus trip will have all his expenses paid. In addition, the champion will receive the James W. Weldon Trophy for one year and a small replica for permanent possession, and the winner of the junior division will receive the V. H. Lang Trophy. There will be a generous list of additional prizes.

An entry to be eligible must not reach his 18th birthday before Sept. 1, must be regularly employed as a caddie at a private, semi-private or public course and must not have played golf professionally or received money for teaching golf.

**Remember that deadline: 2 p. m. tomorrow!**

## RDGA SENIORS SET TO PLAY

The Rochester District Golf Association's Senior title test, annually one of the highlights of the local links campaign, will be staged at the Country Club of Rochester Thursday, with a field of close to 100 expected to compete in four age groups.

Pairings for the 18-hole tournament will be made at 7 p. m. tomorrow at the Country Club.

Ernie Maurer of Monroe will be defending the title he won last year in his first competition in the tournament for the district's 40-and-over linksmen.

The age groups, inaugurated two years ago for three divisions and further split last season into four brackets, are:

Class A, 70 and over; Class B, 60-69; Class C, 50-59; Class D, 40-49.

At stake in the various divisions will be: Class A, Clint Patchen Memorial Trophy; Class B, Harry E. Fuller Trophy; Class C, James W. Weldon Trophy; Class D, President's Trophy.



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**WELDON, RANDALL TIE AT 74**

# CALDWELL 90 WINS SENIOR 'A' DIVISION

By BRUCE KOCH

Jim (Old Folks) Weldon and Ed Randall, both of Oak Hill, fired four-over-par 74s on the sun-scorched Country Club of Rochester course yesterday to set the scoring pace in the annual Rochester District Golf Association Senior tournament.

A record field of 127 competed. Joe Caldwell of Genesee took the Clint Patchen Trophy for Class A (70 years and older) with an even 90 on nine of 46-44. In Class B (60 to 69) Roy Brown shot a 4213-85 to capture the Harry E. Fuller trophy; in the Class D event, Ernie Maurer of Monroe, '46 Senior champ, and Charlie Stephens, also of Monroe, tied at 78 for the President's Trophy. Weldon and Randall shared laurels in the "C" Bracket for the James W. Weldon Trophy.

## Field Twice Before

Weldon, who has tied for the Senior twice before, once in 1943 and again in 1945 at the Country Club with Del Jacobs of Middlevale, was out in even par 35 (playing the last nine first) and blew a golden opportunity to take sole possession of low gross honors for the day when he bogied two of the last three holes. Randall, on the other hand, played the last five holes in two under regulation figures, paring the 13th and 14th, canning a chip shot for an eagle on the par five 15th, then finishing out with three more pars.

Weldon's card was dotted with birdies and bogies. Hitting his irons dead to the pin, Jim sank short putts for birds on the 4th, 16th and 18th. He went over par on seven holes. Randall's lone sub-par hole was the 15th.

Noble Miller, Canandaigua, 1941 Senior champ, conceded to be one of the best putters in the district, missed a two-foot putt on the home green which would have given him a tie with Randall and Weldon, to take a 75.

From comment heard around the clubhouse, Noble is not the only one who had difficulty with the tricky CCR greens. Ken Cowies, nine-handicap golfer from Oak Hill, verified this statement when he confessed to eight three putters.





## Lane to Risk Junior Title

Jimmy Lane, 18-year-old Oak Hill golfer, will put his junior title on the block Tuesday when firing begins in the annual RDGA Junior and sub-junior championships at the Country Club of Rochester.

A big blow to the strength of the field will be the absence of George (Sonny) Christ, '45 junior runner-up to Byron Proseus at Lake Shore, and Jerry Leicht. Both boys will be in Columbus, participating in the National Caddie Tournament.

Lane will have plenty of competition, however, from last year's runner-up, Jack Keane of Locust Hill, along with Don Rubens, low handicap swinger from Irondequoit, Bob Hill, who finished third in the '46 caddie event and has a five handicap at Monroe; Johnny Lawson, another Monroe golfer. Jim De Vogler, Midvale; Paul Febrey, Ralph Longbine and Bob Cook of Durand, Jack Curran and Pete Brennan, Genesee; Tom Jewell, Locust Hill, and Alan Persons of Canandaigua. Persons will be playing in the Junior for the first time. Last year he was medalist and runner-up in the sub-junior, losing to Ray Allen of the CCR, who also will be playing in the 15-and-over group.

Lane and Keane, the upset kids of last year, along with Hill, will be the favorites. Keane missed out qualifying in the RDGA Championship over Oak Hill West course this year in the playoff and Hill did likewise in the Monroe Invitation.

In the sub-junior the 14-year-olds and under really have something to shoot for. The winner of the event will be presented a bicycle.

## Women Golfers List 2 Matches

Pairings were announced yesterday for inter-club matches between women golf teams of Oak Hill and Country Club of Rochester, scheduled to be played at Oak Hill's East course, and a Ridgemont-Locust Hill match, scheduled for Locust Hill. Both matches are slated for tomorrow.

**Ridgemont at Locust Hill—1st Tee: 9:00**  
—Mrs. D. Paris, Mrs. C. Bogi vs. Mrs. F. Kolb; 9:05—Mrs. L. Phillips, Mrs. M. Filius vs. Mrs. L. Whitse; 9:10—Mrs. F. Kowalski, Mrs. K. Holzschuh vs. Mrs. W. Shortleeve; 9:15—Mrs. K. Hancock, Mrs. H. Taylor vs. Mrs. E. Abell; 9:20—Miss C. Feeley, Mrs. Wm. Moore vs. Mrs. L. Golden; 9:25—Mrs. L. White, Mrs. B. Cobb vs. Mrs. John Frank; 9:30—Mrs. Wm. Groh, Mrs. Elmore Taylor vs. Mrs. A. Kennis.

**10th tee: 9:00**—Mrs. Ruth Parker, Mrs. E. Thane vs. Mrs. C. Williams; 9:05—Miss E. Piper, Mrs. C. Perry vs. Mrs. J. Erbe; 9:10—Mrs. R. Wahl vs. Mrs. R. Hyder; 9:15—Mrs. H. Duldryple vs. Mrs. R. Parsons.

**Nine holes—10th tee: 9:20**—Mrs. G. Patterson vs. Mrs. H. Young, Mrs. L. Rittenhouse; 9:25—Mrs. H. Burke vs. Mrs. E. Kubitz; 9:30—Mrs. H. Deubarry vs. Mrs. M. Lisk; 9:35—Mrs. C. Oster vs. Mrs. M. Leicheitner.

**CCR at Oak Hill—1st tee: 9:00**—Miss J. West, CC; Mrs. J. Thompson; 9:05—Mrs. S. T. Newell, CC; Mrs. G. M. Reem; 9:10—Mrs. F. Enos, CC; Mrs. H. Rowley; 9:15—Mrs. Leon Sage, CC; Mrs. H. Caulkin; 9:20—Mrs. J. Cockerost, CC; Mrs. H. West; 9:25—Mrs. W. B. Morse, CC; Mrs. John Morse, CC; Mrs. P. Kannan; **10th tee: 9:00**—Mrs. Robert Leffler, CC; Mrs. C. Meyer; 9:05—Mrs. B. Ramaker, CC; Mrs. L. Griffing; 9:10—Mrs. H. Thomas, CC; Mrs. G. Wood; 9:15—Mrs. W. T. Hanson, CC; Mrs. D. Westfall; 9:25—Mrs. M. R. Anstice; Mrs. E. Douglas; 9:30—Mrs. F. Haverstick, Mrs. W. Gager; Mrs. W. C. Hunting; **14th tee: 9:00**—Mrs. H. P. Hamlin, CC; Mrs. G. Trainor, OH; Mrs. H. Kolpten, OH; 9:05—Miss Sally Gannett, CC; Mrs. Homer Strong, CC; Mrs. Fred Allen, OH.

# Club Arranges Horse Show

ONE of the more interesting events of the early fall social season will be the Horse Show on Sunday, Sept. 14, at the Country Club of Rochester.

The show will begin at 10 a. m. A luncheon will be served and at the close of events there will be a buffet supper.

Mrs. J. Francis Weller is chairman, and the women's committee includes Mrs. Marion C. Barry, Mrs. Robert Mesler 2nd, Miss Katherine G. Love and Mrs. Kenneth C. Oberle.

# *Hill, Emery Gain Junior Golf Final*

By **BRUCE KOCH**

It will be Bob Hill of Monroe and Clint Emery Jr., of Canandaigua in the finals of the 1947 RDGA Junior Golf Tournament at the Country Club of Rochester today.

Hill, tow-headed young linksman from the Monroe Golf Club, yesterday eliminated medalist



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Emery, a Canandaigua entrant downed Geoff Mynott of Durand 3 and 2.

The Hill-Febrey match was played in typical Febrey fashion for the first nine holes, Hill snaring a 1-up lead at the 3rd, only to see Febrey erase this margin and open an advantage of his own with a birdie deuce on the 4th hole, and a par 4 on the tough 5th.

However, Hill who plays the same "never-say-die" golf as Febrey, evened the match at the 6th and then regained his one-hole lead at the ninth when he canned a 15-foot putt for a par.

#### Hill Wins 10th

The 17-year-old Hill, playing in his first junior tournament, kept the ball rolling and copped the 10th hole with a par to go 2 up. The long 11th proved too much for both boys, as Febrey hooked a shot out of bounds and Hill caught a trap on his third shot. They halved the hole in bogey 6s.

On the 12th, a 232 yard par 3, both were short with their drives and both had long putts after their chip shots. Hill canned his for a par to go 3 up, as Febrey narrowly missed his bid for a 3.

The gallery settled back to wait for the Febrey rally, but the young Durand star, who has made a host of friends by his plucky play thus far in the tourney, couldn't overtake the steady Hill.

On the 15th, a long par 5, Febrey's third shot was just short of the green, while Hill was on the carpet, 10 feet from the flag after his third hit. Paul muffed his chip. His next shot, although on the green, was still a considerable distance from the hole. Hill conceded the putt, however, and stroked his 10-footer up to the cup for a "gimme" and the match.

#### Emery in Command

Emery, even with Mynott at the turn, turned on the heat at this point and was only one over par for the next seven holes. Emery won the 10th with a par, but lost the long 11th to Mynott's fine birdie 4. The Canandaiguan won three of the next four holes to move into a commanding lead and then halved the 164-yard, par-3 16th with a par to end the match.

In the sub-junior class, another medalist fell by the wayside.

Bobby Burch, who fired an 86 in the qualifier for the "small-fry" honors, was a 6-and-4 victim of Freddy Urzetta, Midvale clouter. Urzetta fired a creditable 43 on the first nine and had Burch 5 down.

Urzetta will meet Phil O'Brien of Oak Hill, 2-and-1 conqueror of Ridgement's Paul Wingate, in today's sub-junior final.

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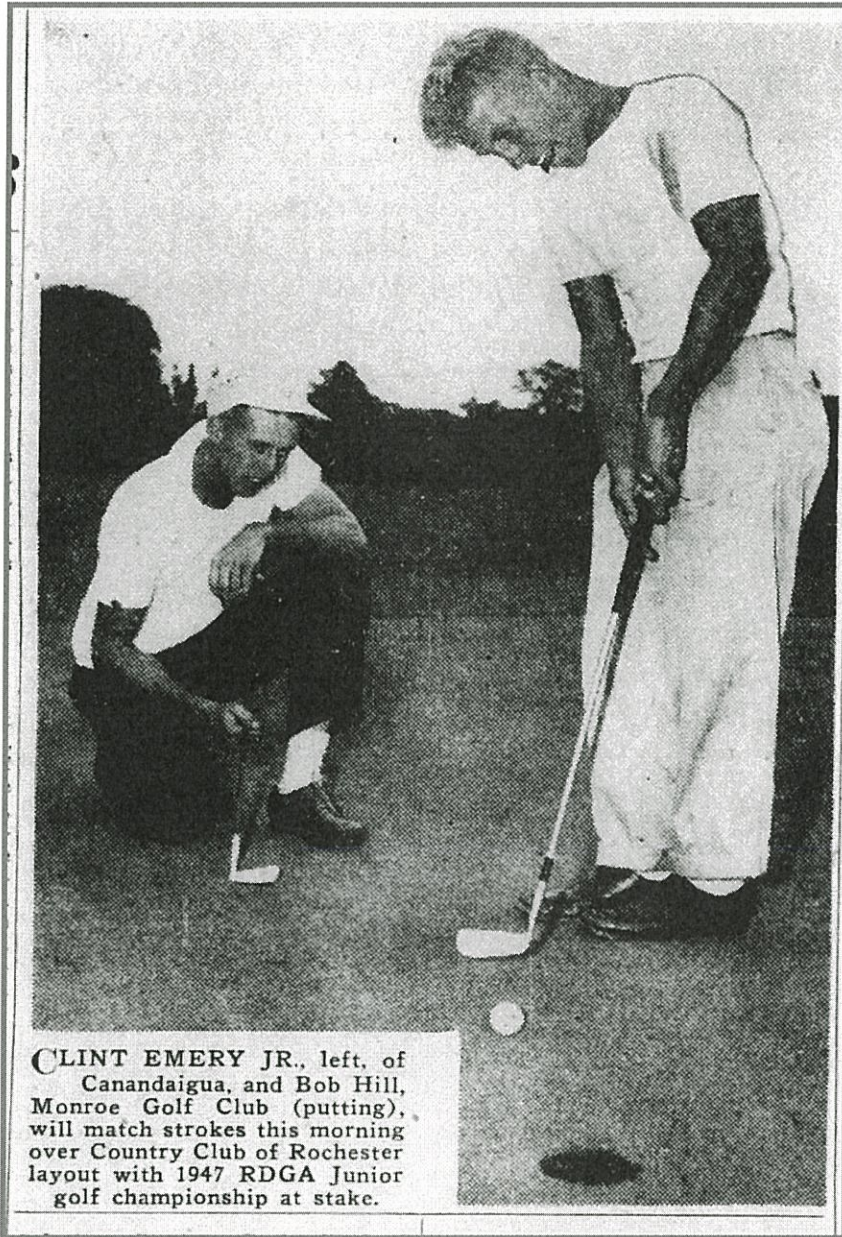
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**Beaten Eight:** J. De Vogler (Mid) def. T. Jewell (LH) 5 and 4; R. Allen (CCK) def. J. Curran (Gen) 6 and 4.  
**First Flight:** A. Persons (Canan) def. R. Lang (Mid) 2 and 1; D. Rubens (Iron) def. S. Webster (OH) 3 and 2.  
**Beaten Eight:** P. Moonan (Ridg) def. P. Brennan (Gen) 4 and 3; W. Lewis (Dur) def. R. Dailor (Dur) 4 and 3.  
**Second Flight:** C. Collins (Mon) def. J. Eckberg (Mon) 2 and 1; R. Longbine (Dur) def. R. Whitford (Dur) 2 and 1.  
**Beaten Eight:** J. Eisenschmid (LH) def. D. Irwin (BL) default; K. Hershey (Dur) def. C. Cleary (Gen) 3 and 2.  
**Final:** J. Eisenschmid (LH) def. K. Hershey (Dur) 6 and 5.

**SUB JUNIOR**  
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F. Urzetta (Mid) def. R. Burch (Dur) 6 and 4.  
P. O'Brien (OH) def. P. Wingate (Ridg) 2 and 1.  
**Beaten Eight:** C. Pearson (Canan) def. C. Curran (Dur) 2 and 1; D. Hellman (Dur) def. E. Parent (Gen) 3 and 2.  
**First Flight:** B. Adams (BL) def. W. Bull (Mon) 2 up; R. Holzschuh (Ridg) def. B. Shortsleeve 3 and 2.  
**Final:** R. Holzschuh (Ridg.) def. B. Adams (BL) 4 and 3.  
**Beaten Eight: Final, S. Smith (Canan) def. D. Bull (Mon) 2 and 1.**

**PAIRINGS**

**Junior Championship:** 9:30—Hill vs. Emery.  
**Beaten Eight:** 9:00—De Vogler vs. Allen.  
**First Flight:** 8:50—Persons vs. Rubens.  
**Beaten Eight:** 8:55—Moonan vs. Lewis.  
**Second Flight:** 8:40—Collins vs. Longbine.  
**Sub Junior Championship:** 9:15—Urzetta vs. O'Brien.  
**Beaten Eight:** 8:35—Pearson vs. Hillman.



**CLINT EMERY JR.**, left, of Canandaigua, and Bob Hill, Monroe Golf Club (putting), will match strokes this morning over Country Club of Rochester layout with 1947 RDGA Junior golf championship at stake.

**Trophies, a Watch, a Bicycle!**

***Bob Hill Takes Junior Title;  
Urzetta Heads Golfing 'Kids'***

By **BRUCE KOCH**

**S**MOOTH-STROKING Bob Hill of the Monroe Golf Club defeated Clint Emery Jr. of Canandaigua, 3 and 2, to win the 1947 Junior RDGA Championship at the Country Club of Rochester yesterday.

Freddy Urzetta of Midvale, brother of RDGA Champ Sammy, defeated Phil O'Brien of Oak Hill on the 18th green for the Sub-Junior crown. Urzetta, two up at the turn, saw his margin dwindle and was forced to make a beautiful recovery from the bushes on the final hole to save the verdict.

Following the matches, Les Reed, donor of the Juniors' trophy, presented awards to Hill and Urzetta. Hill got the Reed Trophy and a watch, Urzetta the Joe Judge Trophy and a bicycle. Runnersup in all beaten eights have prizes awaiting them at the CCR golf shop, according to Pro Charlie Bemish who assisted Reed and the RDGA tournament committee in conducting the most successful Junior and Sub-Junior to date.

The Junior match started in the form of a rout with the 18-year-old Hill winning the first two holes with pars, as Emery muffed two iron shots. On the uphill, 328-yard 3rd hole, however, Hill missed a 12-inch putt for a half and his lead was cut to one.

Hill found himself again on the par 3 4th, knocking his tee shot 8 feet from the cup as Emery, who had trouble with his irons all day, hit three balls into the righthand woods.

On the 7th, a 524 yard dog leg, Emery smashed a tremendous tee shot which just cleared the out-of-bounds markers on the right, giving him a chance to reach the green in two. Hill, who caught the rough with his drive, missed his second and Emery, playing it shrewdly, eased up on his second shot and laid it just short of the green. The lanky Canandaiguan chipped up and 2-putted to even the match.

*Hill grabbed the lead right back on the short 8th with a par, and after halving the 9th with bogies, went 2 up with a par on the tenth, his chip for a bird on the hole rimming the cup.*

Emery sliced into Hill's lead on the 12th when his bogey 4 was good for a win. Hill, off to the right on his tee shot, chipped into a trap and wound up with a double-bogey.

The 13th and 14th were halved, with Emery canning a 30-foot putt on the latter hole to stay in the match.

At the 15th, a par 5, Hill was just short on his second, while Emery was hole high on the right. However, Emery overshot the green on his pitch and caught a trap, Hill winning the hole with an easy par. The boys were both on the green and down in two for 3s on the short 16th to end the match.

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Championship Fight: R. Hill (Mor.)



**NICE GOIN', BOB!** Clint Emery Jr. (left) of Canandaigua congratulates Bob Hill of Monroe Golf Club after Hill won their RDGA Junior title match yesterday at Country Club of Rochester. Bob takes possession of the Les Reed Trophy they're holding as a result of his 3-and-2 conquest.

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<b>Beaten Eight:</b> W. Lewis (Dur.) def. P. Moonan (Ridg.) 1 up, 19 holes.
<b>Second Flight:</b> R. Longbine (Dur.) def. C. Collins (Mon.) 4 and 3.
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## Exhibition Set By Patty Berg

ONE of golf's outstanding feminine players, Patty Berg, will play an exhibition match and give a shot making demonstration at Oak Hill next Tuesday.



**PATTY  
BERG**

Miss Berg, holder of many titles since she started the game in 1933, will pair with Bill Chapin against Dr. and Mrs. George Trainor. The 18-hole match, tentatively

scheduled for the east course, will begin at 2 p. m., and will be followed by Miss Berg's exhibition.

The Minneapolis golfer is expected to draw a considerable gallery from among Women's Rochester District Golf Association members, who have a morning tournament scheduled Tuesday at the Country Club of Rochester. The WRDGA event will be over in time for the players to trek to nearby Oak Hill for the exhibition.

Miss Berg will come here from an exhibition in Syracuse.



# Goodrich 64 Clips CCR Course Mark

Cliff Goodrich, smooth shotmaker from Brook-Lea, blasted the Country Club of Rochester course record by four strokes yesterday with a sizzling 6-under-par 64.

Goodrich, after clipping three strokes from regulation on the first nine, shot four straight pars to start the back side. On the part-3 14th, however, Cliff made his lone miscue when, after being on in one, he three-putted for a bogey.

Then the former district champ really caught fire. On the long, par-5 15th, Goodrich's second shot was on the green, 15 feet from the pin. His bid for an eagle, however, rimmed the cup, stopping a scant half inch away.

On the short 16th, Goodrich again missed an eagle by inches as his tee shot skidded past the pin and stopped a foot away, Goodrich dropped the putt and then added his third birdie in succession when he knocked in a 7 foot putt for a three on the 17th.

After smashing a tremendous

## Bob Tross Sinks Ace at Durand 4th

**BOB TROSS**, a weekend golfer, carded an ace, the second of the week at Durand, when he dunked his 5-iron tee shot on the 159-yard 4th hole yesterday.

He was playing with his brother, Parker Tross.

Days program, which will continue through tomorrow. Goodrich's card:

Par. out	.....	444	344	534—35
Goodrich	.....	444	334	433—32
Par. in	.....	453	435	344—35—70
Goodrich	.....	453	444	233—32—64

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## Marie Collins' 83 Annexes Golf Test

Marie Collins, 19-year-old daughter of the veteran Genesee pro, George Collins, toured the Country Club of Rochester course in 83 blows yesterday to pace a field of 49 contestants in the Women's Rochester District Golf Association one-day medal handicap tournament.

Miss Collins had an 8-stroke lead on her closest competitor, Mrs. Jan Holahan of Oak Hill, whose 91 was second best in the group of nine which broke 100.

At 92 were Mrs. Mary Sage Hurst of the host club and Marg Weisberg of Irondequoit, the latter capturing low net honors in Class A as her 18 handicap gave her a net of 74, one stroke better than Mrs. Holahan's net tally.

Others in the sub-100 list were Mrs. Maurice Forman of Irondequoit at 94, Mrs. Fred Allen of Oak Hill at 95, Mrs. Vincent Bennet of Oak Hill at 96 and Mrs. Sam Connor of the host club and Mrs. Larry Griffing of Oak Hill at 97.

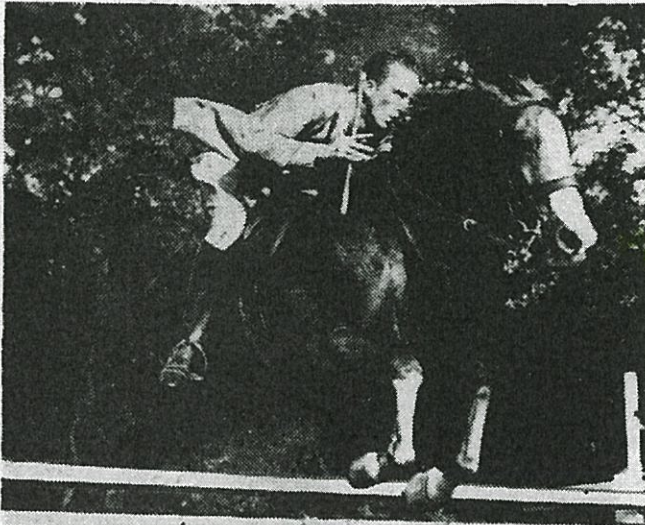
Miss Collins, out in 42 and home in 41 on the par 35-35-70 layout, carded her only birdie with a deuce at the short 16th. Her card:

Par, out	414	344	334-35
Miss Collins	355	356	335-42
Par, in	453	435	344-35, 70
Miss Collins	464	646	254-41, 83

Low gross honors in Class B went to Mrs. Carl Hoesterey of Monroe with 105, while Mrs. Willard Baseman of Oak Hill (107-28-79) and Mrs. George McGill of Lake (107-27-80) snared net prizes.

In Class C Mrs. William Moore and Miss Clara Feely of Ridgmont and Mrs. Harry Thomas of the Country Club posted 116's. On matched cards, Mrs. Moore gained the gross award, with Miss Feely, a 34-handicapped whose net was 82, taking the first net prize and Mrs. Thomas, whose 33 handicap gave her an 83, gained the second net award.

## 700 View Country Club Horse Show



"Burma," first place winner in Open Jumping event at the Country Club of Rochester Horse Show is shown clearing jump with owner and rider, Daniel H. Conway of Oswego.

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The Gannett Trophy went to Miss Judith Nagle, in the Three-Daired Saddle Horse Class.

Results, summarized:

Model Hunters. First, Sky Image, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Fough Jr.; second, Mrs. Pritchard H. Strong; third, Mrs. Pritchard H. Strong; fourth, Mrs. Pritchard H. Strong.

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Mrs. J. Francis Weller is presenting the Gannett Award to Judith Nagle on "My Golden Sport," the winner in the three gaited saddle horse event at Country Club Showing.



Eleven-year-old Susan Van Deventer receives a special ribbon from Raymond N. Thrasher, ringmaster, for her unique exhibition performance on her burro, "Petunia."



Show's judges, Jamie Adair, left, of Snyder and Clarence W. Owen, right, of Washington are shown with J. Francis Weller, chairman of the Country Club of Rochester Show.

## Mrs. Strong Snares CCR Championship

Mrs. Homer Strong won the Country Club of Rochester women's championship yesterday, defeating Mrs. Sam Connor Jr., 2 and 1.

In sweepstakes Miss Olive Slater's 106 at Ridgemont was low for the day.

**COUNTRY CLUB: Women's Club Championship,** Mrs. H. Strong def. Mrs. S. Connor Jr., 2 and 1; **Beaten Eight,** Miss H. Little def. Mrs. L. W. Sage, 3 and 2. **Second flight,** Mrs. F. Haverstick def. Mrs. E. Trimble, 3 and 2; **Beaten Eight,** Miss M. Dryer def. Mrs. Hargrave, 1 up. **Nine-hole class,** Mrs. A. Stuber def. Mrs. C. L. Bausch, 2 up.

**RIDGEMONT: Low gross,** Miss O. Slater