

INTERCITY GOLF

MATCHES LIKELY

No Reason Advanced for Canceling Play for the Now Famous Lesley Cup

Tourney Will Probably Be Held at Nassau Country Club the Latter Part of September

Unless the unexpected happens, there is every reason to believe that the annual intercity golf matches for the Lesley cup will be held this year. While no date has been fixed as yet, nor course decided upon, a prominent golf official said yesterday he saw no reason for calling off the attraction. This year is New York's turn, and it looks as if the links of the Nassau Country Club might be selected as the scene of action.

Until last year, the metropolitan team had what is considered a reasonably sure winner over its Boston and Philadelphia rivals, but an upset was recorded at Brookline last fall, when the Massachusetts combination regained possession of the trophy. Later in the summer there will doubtless be a meeting of the presidents of the three associations to decide positively whether the matches will be held. While the date has not been settled Friday and Saturday, September 28 and 29, have been mentioned with favor.

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As the golf club teams have been considerably disrupted due to the conditions brought about by the war, it was decided yesterday by the executive committee of the Golf Association of Philadelphia in consultation with the various team captains to abandon the Interclub team matches for the Philadelphia Cup this year. The matches were to be played at the Huntingdon Valley Country Club today and tomorrow, but as it had already been decided that no cups or championships would be awarded the action of the committee and the clubs concerned will cause little regret among the members.

In the qualifying round at Huntingdon Valley on May 23 last, Huntingdon Valley, Merion, Aronimink and the Philadelphia Cricket Club qualified for match play. By virtue of having won the championship last year Huntingdon Valley will retain the Philadelphia Cup for another year.