

PROFESSIONAL GOLFERS' ASSOCIATION TOURNEY.

The championship of the Professional Golfers' Association went to Jim Barnes, holder as well of the Western and Southern open championships. The tournament was held on the links of the Engineers Country Club at Roslyn, New York, September 16-20. Barnes played his way through the full five days without being closely pushed. In the second match, against Otto Hackbarth of Cincinnati, the latter led by 3 up on the first eighteen holes, but was eventually beaten, 3 down and 2 to play. Emmet French, Bob MacDonald and Freddy McLeod were other victims of Barnes. McLeod reached the final round, having defeated Jimmy Rose, George Gordon, Douglas Edgar and George McLean. Barnes defeated McLeod, 6 and 5.

LESLEY CUP TEAM MATCHES.

Competition quite as keen as any that ever marked these contests characterized play in the Lesley Cup matches played on the National Golf Links of America, October 3 and 4. The Pennsylvania team, with S. Davidson Herron, the champion, leading the attack, carried away the trophy. In the first clashes, the Quakers defeated the New York team, 9 to 6. Their victory over the Massachusetts team came a bit easier, 10 to 5, though the latter team was minus the services of its two strongest members, Francis Ouimet and Jesse Guilford.

New York was able to win only one match in doubles, the two youngsters, A. L. Walker, Jr., and Jess W. Sweetser, defeating Paul Tewksbury and Pat Grant, 1 up. The singles were split evenly. Oswald Kirkby scored a 5 to 4 victory over Herron, and Sweetser won by the same margin over Wood Platt, who defeated Ouimet in the national amateur.

In the Boston-Philadelphia series, the New Englanders took two doubles matches, but won only three of the singles. Newton and Paton defeated Fownes and Marston, while Whittimore and Estabrook beat Herron and Byers.

Westchester County Championship.

PREVIOUS WINNERS.

Year.	Winner and Where Held.
1915—	Dwight Partridge
1916—	R. M. Lewis, Wykagyl Country Club
1917—	John G. Anderson, Scarsdale Golf and Country Club

The renewal of the annual struggle for the Westchester championship brought out the best players of the district. The tournament was played at Apawamis, July 17-19. Jess W. Sweetser, 18 years old, caused something of a sensation when he finished the qualifying round with a card of 69, three strokes better than par, and equaling the amateur record for the course. T. V. Bermingham, Wykagyl, was second with 75.

Gaines Gwathmey of the home club also sprung a surprise by defeating R. M. Lewis, Wykagyl, and John G. Anderson, Siwanoy, in successive rounds. Both were former winners of the tournament. Sweetser was beaten