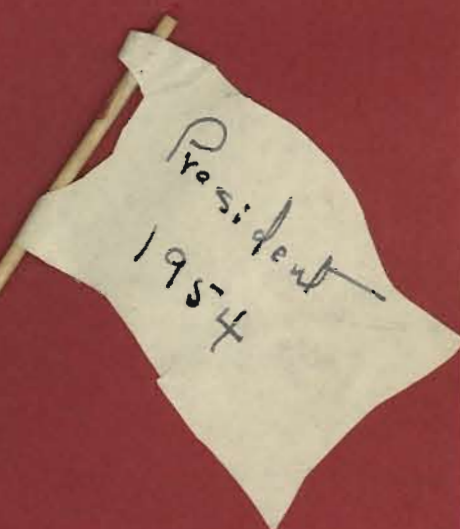
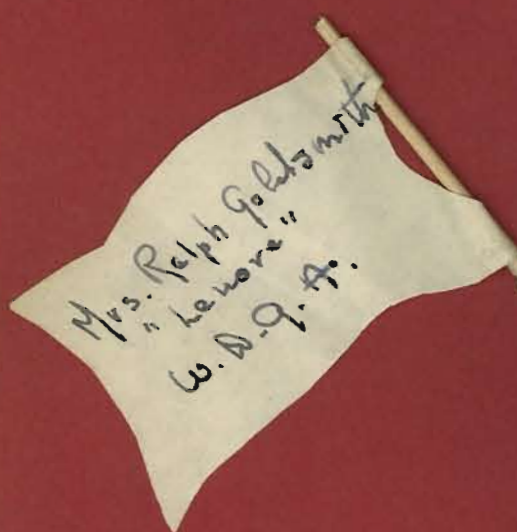
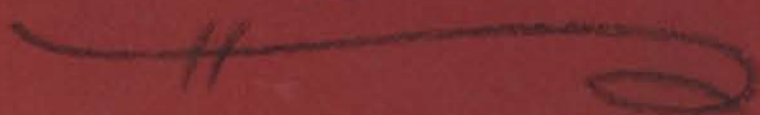


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**NEW PRESIDENT**—Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith (left) assumed duties as new president of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday. At a luncheon at the Washington Golf and Country club, Mrs. Goldsmith receives the gavel from Mrs.

By Douglas Chevalier—The Washington Post

M. Hale Dinneen, outgoing president. Other new officers, left to right back row: Mrs. Lloyd Dennis, treasurer; Mrs. Richard S. Goodridge, secretary; Mrs. John Mancos, second vice-president, and Mrs. Lewis N. Hill, first vice-president.

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## MRS. GOLDSMITH TAKES OFFICE AS W.D.G.A. PRESIDENT

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont Country club, was inducted as president of the Women's Golf association Friday at the organization's annual luncheon at Washington Golf and Country club.

Mrs. Goldsmith, a first vice president last year, succeeds Mrs. M. Hale Dinneen. Mrs. L. N. Hill of Kenwood was installed as first vice president and Mrs. John Mancos of Belle Haven was named second vice president.

Mrs. Lloyd Dennis of the host club, who went to the finals in the city championship last summer, was chosen as treasurer, and Mrs. Richard Goodridge of Bethesda was named secretary.

Five former presidents attended the luncheon. They were: Mrs. Ralph Payne, Congressional; Mrs. Walter L. Weible, Army Navy; Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington; Mrs. M. J. Torlinski, Army Navy, and Mrs. Dinneen. Also attending were: John Feeney, former District Golf association president; Ray Laurensen, scheduled to become president of the men's organization in 1954; F. E. McArdle, former Maryland State president, and Indian Spring club pro Mel Shorey, donor of one of the W.D.G.A. trophies.



Mrs. Goldsmith



**TAKING SOME TIPS**—Donald E. (Pete) Ball, president of Washington G&CC, which was host to the 32d annual meeting of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday, discusses golf matters with Mrs. Mary Lou Dinneen (left), retiring president of the WDGA, and her successor, Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont. —Star Staff Photo.

## WDGA Handicap Prize for '53 Awarded to Miss McKeever

Georgia Mae McKeever, long-hitting blond from Argyle Country Club, won the prize for the greatest reduction in handicap during the Women's District Golf Association's 1953 tournament season, it was announced at the 32nd annual meeting yesterday at Washington Golf and Country Club.

Miss McKeever started the season with a 20.48 handicap and finished with 8.64.

The Nominating Committee's slate for 1954 was approved as expected, with Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont succeeding Mrs. Mary Lou Dinneen of the host club as president.

Mrs. Dinneen, who has been active in the association for 10 years and president for two, was presented with a chair by the association. It was pointed out by Mrs. Goldsmith that Mrs. Dinneen had carried out the full

duties of her office despite a personal loss and serious illness within the past year.

Other officers elected were Mrs. L. N. Hill of Kenwood, first vice president; Mrs. John Mancos of Belle Haven, second vice president; Mrs. Richard Goodridge of Bethesda, re-elected secretary, and Mrs. Lloyd Dennis of Washington G&CC, treasurer.

A new tournament will be added to the WDGA schedule next season and there is a possibility of added member clubs.

The United States Golf Association is attempting to schedule the second women's National Open championship over a local course June 24-26, but it was learned the clubs eligible have shown little interest in the tournament.

Several executives of men's golf associations attended the meeting as special guests.

## Women Golfers' New Set-Up Encourages Class D Players

The Women's District Golf Association increased the limitations of its class for high handicapped golfers yesterday and added two tournaments for the D players at a special meeting at Woodmont Country Club.

In 1954 Class D will be for players with handicaps of 20 through 26, instead of 23 through 26 as was the case last year. Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont, president of the WDGA, and Marie Spates of Prince Georges donated cups for the new D tournaments, adding theirs to the Harriett Hines Bowl.

### Class D Encouraged.

The encouragement for the Class D players resulted in tighter brackets for the B and C handicap classes. Class B will be for players with handicaps of 13 through 16 next summer, instead of 13-17 of last year, and Class C will be for 17-20 handicap players, instead of 18-22.

Class A will remain for players in the scratch through 12 division. The new system will equalize fields for the various cup tournaments. The WDGA has added almost 100 handicap cards in two years and now will have 21 tournaments when the schedule is released next month.

Mrs. Charles Thomason of Argyle was named handicap chairman, moving up from Class B chairman. Mrs. Theodore Peyser of Woodmont was named handicap chairman in Class A, Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle in Class B and Mrs. John Burchard of Bethesda in C.

Tournaments, which will be under the direction of Mrs. L. N. Hill, first vice president, find

Mrs. Ray Weisberg of Indian Spring and Mrs. Victor Deinlein of Bethesda retaining their posts as Class A and C tournament chairmen. Their respective assistants will be Mrs. Melvin Rose of Indian Spring and Mrs. Milton Harris of Woodmont. Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton is the new Class B chairman, with her Army Navy clubmate, Mrs. C. Passink, as assistant.

### New Captains Named.

Team captains, all new, are Mrs. S. B. Crocker of Kenwood for the first teams, Mrs. J. G. Schnitzer of Washington for the second, Mrs. Peter Wisner of Prince Georges the third and Mrs. James Swink of Belle Haven intercity team captain. They will work with Mrs. John Mancos of Belle Haven, the second vice president.

Mrs. Ralph Zuber of Congressional was reappointed head of the Rules Committee, with Mrs. Betty Meckley of Kenwood chairman in Class A, Mrs. Franklin Babcock of Chevy Chase in B and Mrs. B. H. Rank of Prince Georges in C.

Other reappointments by Mrs. Goldsmith were Mrs. H. C. McCord of Congressional as prize chairman, Mrs. M. M. Alexander of Columbia auditor and Mrs. D. R. Monsees of Washington yearbook.

### Hialeah Really Lit Up

MIAMI.—It takes more than 15,000 twenty-five watt light bulbs to flash the odds and prices on the tote boards during the races at Hialeah. The elaborate system is connected by more than 30,000 feet of underground cable.

## WDGA Picks Committees

The Women's District Golf Association held its first meeting of the year yesterday and approved committees.

Two new class D tournaments will be held this year. One is being sponsored by Mrs. Marie Spates of Prince Georges and the other by Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont.

### The committees:

**HANDICAP**—Chairman, Mrs. Charles A. Thomason, Argyle; Class A, Mrs. Theodore Peyser, Woodmont; Class B, Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle; Class C, Mrs. John Burchard, Bethesda.

**TOURNAMENT**—Chairman, Mrs. L. N. Hill, Kenwood; Class A, Mrs. Ray Weisberg, Indian Spring; assistant, Mrs. Melvin Rose, Indian Spring; Class B, Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton, Army Navy; assistant, Mrs. C. Passink, Army Navy; Class C, Mrs. Victor Deinlein, Bethesda; assistant, Mrs. Milton Harris, Woodmont.

**TEAM**—Chairman, Mrs. John Mancos, Belle Haven; first captain, Mrs. S. B. Crocker, Kenwood; second captain, Mrs. J. G. Schnitzer, Washington; third captain, Mrs. Peter Wisner, Prince Georges; intercity captain, Mrs. James Swink, Belle Haven.

**RULES**—Chairman, Mrs. Ralph Zuber, Congressional; Class A, Mrs. Betty Meckley, Kenwood; Class B, Mrs. Franklin Babcock, Chevy Chase; Class C, Mrs. B. H. Rank, Prince Georges.

Other chairmen: Prizes, Mrs. H. C. McCord, Congressional; Auditor, Mrs. M. M. Alexander, Columbia; Yearbook, Mrs. D. R. Monsees, Washington.



1954 Summer schedule

## Two New Tournaments Win Approval of W.D.G.A.

The Women's District Golf Association met Tuesday at Woodmont Country club to select committee chairmen and team captains for 1954 and to approve two new class D tournaments.

The W.D.G.A., which heretofore scheduled only one high handicap event, approved two new trophies donated by Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, the organization's new president, and Mrs. Marie Spates of Prince Georges. The other class D event is for the Harriet Hines Memorial Bowl.

Mrs. S. B. Crocker of Kenwood was chosen to captain the organizations first team, while Mrs. J. G. Schneider of Washington was picked to captain the second team and Mrs. Peter Wisner of Prince Georges will be the third team leader. The inter-city team captain chosen was Mrs. James Swink of Belle Haven.



Mrs. Goldsmith

Mrs. C. A. Thomason of Argyle was named handicap chairman, while Mrs. Theodore Peyser of Woodmont was picked as chairman in class A. Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, chairman in the B division and Mrs. John Burchard, Bethesda, chairman in C class. Mrs. Ray Weisberg of Indian Spring was again named tournament chairman in class A and clubmate Mrs. Melvin Rose was chosen as her aide. In B, the tourney chairman will be Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton, Army Navy, and Mrs. C. Passink, her assistant, while Mrs. Victor Deinlein, Bethesda, was named chairman in C and Mrs. Milton Harris, Woodmont, chosen as assistant chairman.

Mrs. Ralph Zuber of Congressional will lead the rules committee. Mrs. Betty Meckley of Kenwood will head the rules group in class A, Mrs. Franklin Babcock, Chevy Chase, in B, and Mrs. B. M. Rank, Prince Georges, in C.

Mrs. H. C. McCord of Congressional was named prize chairman and Mrs. M. M. Alexander, Columbia, was picked as auditor. The year book will be handled by Mrs. D. R. Monsees of Washington.

## WDGA Head Retires At Annual Tourney

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont announced her retirement as president of the Women's District Golf Association at the President's Plate tournament yesterday at Woodmont Country Club, the annual tournament for the officers, Executive Committee and past presidents of the WDGA.

Mrs. Goldsmith's successor will be named at the December meeting of the WDGA. Following the usual line of succession, the new president will be Mrs. L. N. Hill of Kenwood, first vice president.

The winner of the President's Plate was Mrs. Charles Thomason of Argyle, chairman of the Handicap Committee, with 91 minus 12 handicap for a net 79. Second was Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle, who also tied for low gross, with 85-5-80.

Low gross went to Mrs. R. J. Koshliek of Army Navy with 85, followed by Betty Garber of Argyle with 86.

Other net prize winners were Mrs. S. B. Crocker of Kenwood, 88-6-82; Mrs. Franklin Babcock of Chevy Chase, 93-16-82; Mrs. W. E. Howard of Argyle, 91-8-83, and Mrs. Theodore Peyser of Woodmont, 94-9-85.

## Mrs. Thomason Wins President's Plate, Golf Finale

Mrs. Charles A. Thomason of Argyle had 91-12-79 yesterday at Woodmont Country Club and won low net in the President's Plate, final Women's District Golf Association tournament of the season.

Low gross went to Army Navy's Mrs. D. R. Koshalick with 85. Miss Betty Garber of Argyle had second low gross with 86.

Other net scores were Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, 85-5-80, Mrs. S. B. Crocker, Kenwood, 88-6-82, Mrs. Franklin Babcock, Chevy Chase, 96-14-82, Mrs. W. E. Howard, Argyle, 91-8-83, and Mrs. Theodore Peyser, Woodmont, 94-9-85.

## Chevy Chase Named Host to 2 Big Events Of Woman Golfers

By Merrell Whittlesey

The Women's District Golf Association has released its 1954 schedule, which shows two more cup tournaments than last year, and finds the two major events scheduled for the Chevy Chase course.

The Keefer Cup, major medal play event of the WDGA, will be played at Chevy Chase, home course of the donor, as usual. The District championship has been scheduled over the immaculately conditioned layout June 21-25, with the match play field limited to four flights.

The budget book issued to the women golfers shows the usual four inter-city team matches, two with Baltimore and two with Richmond, and 33 teams competing in the spring club championship matches.

### All Play From Scratch.

There will be a new high of 11 first teams this year and all three sections of the team play will be from scratch. The team match rules have been revised and simplified.

The Evening Star Cup, oldest sponsored event on the schedule, will be played July 20 at Kenwood Country Club by Class A players. The Class B section will be played May 19 at Prince Georges.

There will be six cup tournaments in Class A for players with handicaps of scratch through 12; five in Class B for the 13-16 handicap group; five in Class C for those with handicaps of 17-20, and three in Class D for the 21-26 bracket players. The above does not include the District championship, for which there is no handicap limit, nor the President's Plate, a fall event for the officers and committee members.

### New Events for Class D.

The two new cup tournaments both are for Class D players, one sponsored by Marie Spates, club chairman at Prince Georges and the other by Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith of Woodmont, president of the Association.

In the club team matches, the first teams will jump from seven to 11. There will be 12 second teams in two divisions one less than last year, and 10 third teams compared to 13 last year, although only 12 finished the season.

The schedule, announced by Mrs. L. N. Hill, first vice president and tournament chairman, includes more events than any previous WDGA card.

The first team matches lead the way April 13, with the first cup tournament the Meckley Cup for Class C players May 7 at Kenwood.

### The tournament schedule:

May 7—Betty Meckley Cup, Class C, at Kenwood; 12-13, Keefer Cup, Class A, Chevy Chase; 14, Star Cup, Class B, Prince Georges; 27, WMAL Cup, Class B, Manor.  
June 10—Pro Cup, Class C, Indian Spring; 16, Marie Spates Cup, Class D, Prince Georges; 21-25, District championship at Chevy Chase; 29, Times-Herald Cup, Class A, Washington G.C.C.; July 1—Elizabeth Harris Cup, Class C, Belle Haven; 2, Times-Herald Cup, Class B, Congressional; 8, Post Cup, Class A, Army Navy; 13, Harriet Hines Cup, Class D, Washington G.C.C.; 20, Star Cup, Class A, Kenwood; 22, CBS Cup, Class B, Columbia.  
August 8—Post Cup, Class B, Woodmont; 13, WDGA Cup, Class C, Manor; 18, Corby Cup, Class A, Columbia; 17, Lenore Goldsmith Cup, Class D, Congressional; 24, Simon Cup, Class C, Bethesda; 31, NBC Cup, Class A, Argyle.  
October 19—President's Plate, Woodmont.

INTER-CITY TEAM MATCHES:  
May 28—Richmond vs. Washington at Belle Haven; June 11—Washington vs. Baltimore at Woodholme; September 2—Baltimore vs. Washington at Manor; September 14—Washington vs. Richmond at C. C. of Virginia.

INTER-CLUB TEAM MATCHES:  
First Teams—April 13—Prince Georges; 20—Chevy Chase; 27—Woodmont; May 4—Congressional; 6—Argyle; 11—Columbia; 18—Army Navy; 25—Kenwood; June 1—Washington; 3—Belle Haven; 8—Manor; 15—Field day at winning club.

Second Teams—April 27—First division at Kenwood; second division at Army Navy; May 4—First division at Prince Georges; second at Chevy Chase; May 11—First division at Congressional; second at Manor; May 18—First at Washington; second at Bethesda; May 25—First at Belle Haven; second at Indian Spring; June 8—First division champion vs. second; June 15—Field day.

Third Teams—April 27—First division at Prince Georges; second division at Columbia; May 4—First division at Indian Spring; second division at Bethesda; May 11—First division at Army Navy; second at Woodmont; May 18—First division at Argyle; second at Kenwood; May 25—First division at Washington; second division at Congressional; June 8—Playoff; June 15—Field day.

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## Capital Golf Women's Open Set May 13-16

The National Capital women's open is now a certainty and will be played May 13-16 at Prince Georges Golf and Country Club. This was announced yesterday by the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund committee, sponsors of the 72-hole medal play event.

Admission fee for the entire four days has been set at \$4. Daily tickets will sell for \$1.50.

The Keefer Cup tournament, scheduled for May 12-13 at Chevy Chase Club, will serve as a qualifying event for local amateurs. The first 10 low scorers in the Keefer event will be eligible to play in the final 36 holes of the charity fund event.

## WDGA Helps Push \$5,000 Capital Open

The Women's District Golf Association is making every effort to assist in the promotion of the Women's National Capital Open at Prince Georges May 13-16. The 72-hole medal play tournament will attract the top women golfers to play for a purse of \$5,000. Proceeds will go to the Damon Runyon cancer fund.

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, WDGA president, announced that each member club has taken \$100 in tickets; that the association changed the dates of the Keefer Cup, its second most important tournament, to avoid a conflict, and that members will assist in chairmen's roles.

The Keefer Cup, 36-hole medal play tournament at Chevy Chase, has been changed from May 12-13 to May 19-20. Entries will close May 12 instead of May 5. The Chevy Chase Club, of course, assisted in making the new dates possible.

It has been decided to award nine additional amateur prizes to encourage District area players to compete in the open. Three gross prizes will be awarded for players with handicaps of scratch through four, three from five through eight, and three from nine through 12.

Dick McCann, general manager of the Redskins and son-in-law of the late Damon Runyon, has been named tournament co-chairman with Betty Garber of Argyle, former District women's chairman and a player with experience on the women's circuit. Mrs. Marie Spates and Jini Fox of Prince Georges were named co-chairmen of the tournament committee.



By Bob Burchette, Staff Photographer

**PROPER GRIP**—Betty Hicks of the women's professional golfers was in Washington yesterday taking a tight grip on things pertaining to the \$5000 open tournament at the

Prince Georges Country Club, May 13-16. Betty is not only one of the top players, but also substitutes on occasion for Babe Didrikson as tournament chairman.

## Gives Clinic at Congressional

### Betty Hicks Recruits 20 For National Capital Open

Betty Hicks, secretary and acting tournament bureau manager for the Women's PGA, came to town yesterday to begin tub-thumping for next week's \$5,000 National Capital Open, and her first piece of business was a clinic at Congressional Country Club.

The petite, good-looking former National amateur champion showed up at Congressional to talk to the girls playing in yesterday's District Golf Association team championship matches.

She not only gave her talk and clinic but recruited at least 20 of this section's amateurs to play in the 72-hole tournament which begins next Thursday at Prince Georges.

Miss Hicks, a veteran of 13 years of pro golf, said she had talked with Mrs. Mildred Zaharias on the phone yesterday at Tampa, Fla., and that the Babe said she would arrive in Washington either Monday or Tuesday of next week.

"The Babe," she said "is feeling pretty good and is looking forward to playing in the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund tournament."

Miss Hicks, who won the All-American open in 1944 and who is currently the nation's ninth highest money winner and sixth in the scoring averages, said that 16 of the best pro players in the country would make up part of the field in the four-day tournament.

## Virginia Boat Driver Honored for Speed

Joseph H. Palmer of Arlington, Va., and Joseph Wolf of Reading, Pa., were awarded memberships in the Gulf 100 Mile Per Hour Club for motorboat racers yesterday.

The two new members bring the roster to 52. Palmer qualified for his membership with a speed of 101.990 and Wolf with 110.095.



# Women's National Capital Open



By Merrell Whittlesey

Betty Hicks, a smallish, black-haired girl, arrived yesterday to take over the operation of the Women's National Capital Open, a \$5,000 golf tournament for the girls that starts a week from tomorrow at Prince Georges Country Club.

Betty wasn't in town an hour before she was hustled out to Congressional Country Club for a meeting with tournament officials from the Women's District Golf Association. There was nothing in Miss Hicks' business-like approach that indicated this was her debut as advance agent for the Ladies' PGA.

"I'll try the job for a while," Betty said, "or maybe they'll try me. Or maybe it will be until the money runs out. You know we're not a rich organization."

This is the fourth season that the women pros have played what could be called a tournament circuit, and the girls are



Merrell Whittlesey.

finding they must be sponsored to make a go of it. With most of their tournaments for \$3,500 or \$5,000 and scattered from coast to coast, only two or three could make it on prize money alone.

Betty plays out of Durham, N. C., the home of her present sponsor, a wealthy, golf-minded man who also has backed Tommy Bolt, Art Wall and now Mike Souchak on the men's circuit. Several of the girls are sponsored by sporting goods firms, the most popular hookup.

## Reassured by Babe.

Miss Hicks had talked to Babe Zaharias by telephone immediately after arriving and she was tickled to hear from the Babe that she would be here. "I had read that she would play," Betty said, "but it was good to hear it direct."

"You know we have a great rivalry now in that Zaharias-Louise Suggs battle," Betty said. "I've never seen two people who hate to lose more than Babe or Louise."

"Louise has won half of our 10 tournaments this year," Betty continued. "I've never seen her play more determined golf. She's not scoring as well as last year, but she's winning more. I believe it's just determination."

## Two Other Favorites.

Betty was asked about some of the other gallery attractions.

"Marilyn Smith and Jackie Pung both are favorites," Betty replied. "That Smith gal has so much personality the fans just stick with her, and she can smack the ball a long way, too. As for Jackie, she's a real fine player, but I believe people follow her almost as much just to watch a person that big handle herself so gracefully. She's a wonder."

It would appear from the records that unlike the men pros, the women have a dividing line between the top three or four and the rest. There doesn't appear to be anybody on the tour who can displace Zaharias, Suggs or Patty Berg from their top positions. Nor in the amateur ranks either.

The women pros probably had their best field of all in the Tampa Open last winter—and they had about 24. And as Betty put it, "We were scraping the bottom of the barrel."

So when Miss Hicks promised a field of at least 12 of the 15 leading money winners for Prince Georges, and about 15 pros in all, you can see Washington will

get most of the best for this tournament.

The girls are going to play golf as it should be played here, too. Summer rules, meaning no touchee, and they'll probably play from about the middle of the men's tees. They've been playing winter rules along most of the circuit. Play will be one round a day, Thursday through Sunday of next week.

From Washington, 13 of the top pros and three amateurs have a date in two weeks at Hot Springs, Va., for the second annual Triangle Round Robin, June 3-6. Jackie Pung won this tournament last year, proving that the domination of the big three can be broken. Jackie will be here, too.

## Prince Georges Win Gives Babe Incentive To Keep Competing

By Merrell Whittlesey

Babe Zaharias, leaning wearily on the arms of a couple of friends, her eyes tired and sunken and her chin twitching nervously, said she had the encouragement to play more tournament golf after winning the Women's National Capital Open yesterday.

The 1954 tournament records showed Babe had finished either one or two strokes out of first place in five consecutive tournaments just before coming here. "I was tired of that runnerup business," she said. "I like to win. If I've reached the point where I can't win occasionally, there isn't any use playing."

"But this was a good one to win, wasn't it?" Babe asked. "I almost let it get away by missing those three little putts on the back nine. I'm going home to Tampa tomorrow and want to come back to play at Hot Springs in two weeks."

## Miss Suggs Fades at End.

The Babe finished with a 75 for 299, winning the money for the club members who bet the girls would break 300 for the 72 holes in the tournament at Prince Georges. She beat Betty Jameson by only one stroke and Louise Suggs, who parred only two of the last seven holes, by two strokes.

The Babe wanted to win this one because it was a Damon Runyon Cancer Fund tournament. The only public reference to her fight with cancer was made at the presentation yesterday. After she had thanked everybody and joked with Lt.

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## Prince Georges Win Gives Babe Incentive To Keep Competing

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Gen. Floyd L. Parks, who presented the prizes, she said she had a word for the women.

"I had cancer and I'm out here playing golf," she said. "It shows it can be beat. Go and get a checkup, it's easy, it won't hurt a bit, and if they get it in time it can be cured."

Earlier, however, the Babe had confided to intimate friends here of her condition. It's an ordeal for her to play golf. She displays tremendous, unlimited courage.

## Misses Hurried Putts.

The Babe would have won by more than a stroke if twice she hadn't stepped up to tiny putts on the back nine and missed them instead of marking them. she was playing with Miss Jameson, who is very deliberate, and The Babe just didn't want to take time to mark the ball and wait for Betty to putt out.

When she missed a little putt on the 14th hole, Mrs. Zaharias made a move to throw her club. A couple of years ago she would have let fly. Now it doesn't make that much difference. On the 16th hole a gallery marshal asked the fans to get out of Babe's way. "Let 'em alone," she yelled. "It's when they're not in my way that I'll know I'm not doing so good."

Miss Jameson one-putted six straight greens on the back nine to slip into second after the unexpected letdown by Miss Suggs, who at their respective points on the course had passed the Babe at one time yesterday. That was before Babe made a spectacular birdie 3 on the ninth (she was the only player to reach the green in two) and followed with another on the 10th.

## Talk of Tourney Next Year.

The tournament did not draw well. For three days it was hit by poor weather conditions. However, there's talk of a bigger tournament next year, with at least one sponsor interested.

Mrs. A. H. Allen, the Marine colonel's wife from Norfolk who will be an Army Navy Club member this fall, won low amateur honors by 17 strokes with an 80 in the final round for 317. Her rounds of 75-82-80-80 would have been eighth among the pros.

Mrs. Allen will be a welcome addition to Washington women's golf and her sound shotmaking indicates there will be a sharp revision in the rankings if she plays much tournament golf. She has distance and an excellent short game.

## Mrs. Ferriday Second Amateur.

The last two District women's champions, Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., of Chevy Chase and Betty Garber of Argyle finished second and third among the amateurs, Mrs. Ferriday posting creditable 84-82 rounds in her two pairings with the pros. She had 334 and Miss Garber 339.

Mary Ann Musser, daughter of Johnny Musser, the All-View pro, showed promise for a 15-year-old with her 85-90-88-87 for 350 to win the division for 5-8 handicap players over Virginia Edwards of Fredericksburg by a stroke. Mary Ann's father said he would be satisfied with her progress if she didn't shoot worse than 90 and she didn't.

Mrs. Lee Patterson of Ridgewood, N. J., won the 9-12 handicap division with 367, while Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle was second with 376. The special 36-hole winners were from Argyle, Lucille Busch with 90-87 in the 5-8 group and Dorothy Omolecki, 93-95, in the 9-12 handicap class.

## The top 20 scorers and prize money:

Babe Zaharias	75	299	\$1,000
Betty Jameson	72	300	700
Louise Suggs	73	302	600
Fay Crocker	77	307	500
Marlene Bauer	76	310	425
Betty Hicks	79	311	350
Jackie Pung	81	312	310
xMrs. A. H. Allen	80	317	
Beverly Hanson	82	321	208
Pat O'Sullivan	78	321	208
Bonnie Randolph	77	321	208
Betty Dodd	79	323	150
Alice Bauer Hagge	80	324	125
Lesbia Lobo	84	326	115
Betty Bush	82	327	100
Peggy Kirk Bell	80	330	
Marilynn Smith	83	331	
xMrs. E. C. Ferriday	82	334	
xBetty Garber	85	339	
xMrs. Charles Egenroad	90	350	
xMary Ann Musser	87	350	

xDenotes amateur.



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By Harry Goodwin, Staff Photographer

**A NEW CHAMPION**—Miss Lucille Busch, captain in the Air Force, displays affection for her lucky putter, with which she won the District women's golf championship yesterday at Chevy Chase. She defeated

Miss Elinore Finckel, Columbia Country Club, 4—2. Miss Busch is stationed at the Pentagon, and represented the Argyle Country Club. She recently came here from San Diego, Calif.



**Lucille Busch Defeats Miss Busch Ousts Mrs. Ferriday in Amateur**  
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**Miss Busch Defeats Miss Finckel, 4 and 2, for District Golf Title**  
THE WASHINGTON POST and TIMES HERALD Saturday, June 26, 1954

**Mary Ann Downey Breaks Congressional Record With 73**  
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**Mrs. Ferriday, Mary Downey Tie for Payne Golf Lead, 148**  
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## Mrs. Glick Trailing by Five Strokes

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Mrs. E. C. Ferriday whittled her second straight 74 from Congressional Country Club's sun-hardened fairways yesterday to move into a tie with Mary Ann Downey for the 36-hole lead in the 54-hole Payne Trophy event, each with scores of 148.

The Chevy Chase Club titlist, who started the day a stroke behind Miss Downey's record-breaking opening round of 73, caught up and passed the defending champion with a front nine of 37. Miss Downey, however, fired a 36 on the back nine against Mrs. Ferriday's 37 to finish with a 75 and a tie for the three-quarter pole lead.

Mrs. Ferriday had the unusual distinction of recording 18 straight pars to match women's standard figures for the long River Road course. Miss Downey, on the other hand, picked up birdies at the third and seventeenth holes but bogeyed the first, ninth and twelfth holes to finish one-over par for the day.

Mrs. Glick, the 1952 champion who holds the tourney record of 228, had 77 yesterday to finish five strokes off the pace with 153. The Woodholme Country Club player, whose record appears doomed, was 39, 37-76 for her second round.

Mrs. A. H. Allen of Army Navy Country Club climbed out of a tenth place first-day tie and into fourth place with a 74. The Virginia state champion was 39, 35 to move into contention with a 155 total.

Capt. Lucille Busch, the District champion, was next in line with 156. The Argyle Country Club star was 38, 40 to get her second consecutive round of 78.

The leaders:  
Mary A. Downey, Balto. C. C. 73 75-148  
Mrs. E. Ferriday, Jr. Ch. Ch. 74 74-148  
Mrs. M. Glick, Woodholme 77 76-153  
Mrs. A. H. Allen, Army Navy 81 74-155  
Capt. Lucille Busch, Argyle 78 78-156  
Mrs. M. Wasserkrug, Wd'le 78 82-160  
Mrs. Jack Smith, Pr. Geo. 80 81-161  
Mrs. Chas. Egenroad, Wash. 79 83-162  
Mrs. T. Schluderberg, Balto. 83 82-165  
Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle 81 85-167  
Mrs. M. Samler, Woodmont 86 82-168  
Mrs. Geo. Noble, Kenwood 83 83-168  
Mrs. B. Meekley, Kenwood 83 84-169  
Mrs. R. Koshlick, Army Navy 89 89-169  
Mrs. W. Bibby, Cumberland 80 90-170  
Jeanette Myers, Suburban 91 79-170

## Garber Also Advances to Semifinals

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

After fiddling away a four-hole lead with only five holes remaining in regulation play, Mrs. Richard Johnson of the host Chevy Chase Club scored the biggest upset of the Women's District Golf Association amateur championship yesterday, defeating Mrs. Charles Egenroad, the medalist, in a second round match, 1-up on the 19th green.

Mrs. Johnson knocked an 8-iron to within three inches of the flag on the first hole of the quick-death playoff to win with a "gimme" four after having lost the 14th, 15th, 16th and 18th holes to cause a continuation of the match.

Mrs. Egenroad made a courageous stab at keeping the match alive but the Washington Golf and Country Club player's 25-foot putt for a halve rimmed the cup and stopped inches beyond.

The deliberate playing Chevy Chase star, who was out in 39 with two birdies and two double-bogeys showing on her card to be three-up at the turn, meets Elinor Finckel of Columbia in today's bottom bracket semifinal match. Miss Finckel assumed a spectator's role yesterday when Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud of Kenwood was forced to default because of an illness in her family.

Two Argyle clubmates—Betty Garber and Lucille Busch—meet in the upper bracket semifinal in what should be one of the finest matches of the entire tournament. Miss Busch, a captain in the Army Air Force, eliminated Mrs. R. J. Koshlick of Army Navy, 4 and 3; and Miss Garber, the 1953 city champion, disposed of Mrs. George Noble of Kenwood, 2 and 1.

**CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT**  
Miss Lucille Busch, Argyle, defeated Mrs. R. J. Koshlick, Army Navy, 4 and 3; Miss Betty Garber, Argyle, defeated Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood, 2 and 1; Mrs. Richard Johnson, Columbia, defeated Mrs. Charles Egenroad, Washington, 1 up in 19 holes; Elinor Finckel, Columbia, defeated Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, default.

**SECOND FLIGHT**  
Mrs. Bartwell MacCartney, Kenwood, defeated Mrs. W. S. Parsons, Chevy Chase, 3 and 2; Georgia Mae McKeever, Argyle, defeated Mrs. George Bailey, Washington, 1 and 2; Mrs. Herman Neugass, Woodmont, defeated Mrs. George Makin, Congressional, 1 up; Mrs. Henry Lebowitz, Woodmont, defeated Mrs. L. R. Drake, Army-Navy, 1 and 2.

**THIRD FLIGHT**  
Mrs. J. J. Corson, Washington, defeated Mrs. S. E. Crocker, Kenwood, 3 and 2; Mrs. Ed Widmayer, Indian Spring, defeated Mrs. G. W. Calvert, Washington, 2 and 1; Mrs. Clarence Doser, Woodmont, defeated Mrs. A. W. Gilliam, Belle Haven, 2 up; Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington, defeated Mrs. A. J. Phelan, Chevy Chase, 1 up.

**FOURTH FLIGHT**  
Mrs. William Werber, Columbia, defeated Mrs. F. T. Brown, Kenwood, 5 and 4; Mrs. T. V. Wilder, Manor, defeated Mrs. Matthew Shrenk, Prince Georges, 5 and 4; Mrs. Carl MacCartney, Columbia, defeated Mrs. Norman Frost, Columbia, 4 and 3; Mrs. H. L. Lacey, Manor, defeated Mrs. Everett Dillard, Manor, 3 and 2.

## Betty Garber And Noble Advance

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Lucille Busch, a captain in the United States Air Force, furnished the only upset of the opening rounds of the Women's District Golf Association championship yesterday at Chevy Chase Club. She dethroned defending titlist Mrs. E. C. Ferriday of the host club, 3 and 2.

The Argyle Country Club golfer, the most improved player in the Washington area, lost the first and fourth holes to go two down. But, beginning at the fifth, Miss Busch played the next nine holes in even men's par to take a commanding four-up lead.

Mrs. Ferriday won the fourteenth with a par but Miss Busch, who was out in 38, halved the fifteenth and sixteenth holes with fives to close out the match.

What promises to be the best match of today's second rounds will be between Betty Garber, the 1952 champion, and Mrs. George Noble, the Kenwood champion. Miss Garber eliminated Mrs. Henry H. Goodman of Woodmont, 5 and 4, while Mrs. Noble was winning by the same count over Mrs. Jack Smith of Prince Georges.

Mrs. Charles Egenroad, the medalist, brushed past Mrs. L. G. Pray of Columbia, 5 and 4, and will meet Mrs. Richard Johnson of the host club in the second round.

Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud of Kenwood, ousted Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle, 2 and 1, and Elinor Finckel of Columbia, defeated Mrs. Arthur Sims of Woodmont, one-up.

**CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT**  
Lucille Busch, Argyle, def. Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, Chevy Chase, 3 and 2; Mrs. R. J. Koshlick, Army Navy, def. Mrs. Allan Sherier, Argyle, 1 up; Betty Garber, Argyle, def. Mrs. H. Goodman, Woodmont, 5 and 4; Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood, def. Mrs. Jack Smith, Prince Georges, 5 and 4; Mrs. Charles Egenroad, Washington, def. Mrs. L. G. Pray, Columbia, 5 and 4; Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase, def. Mrs. L. B. Platt, Chevy Chase, 3 and 2; Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, def. Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, 2 and 1; Elinor Finckel, Columbia, def. Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont, 1 up.

**SECOND FLIGHT**  
Mrs. W. S. Parsons, Chevy Chase, def. Mrs. W. E. Howard, Argyle, 4 and 3; Mrs. Bartwell MacCartney, Kenwood, def. Mrs. J. W. Latimer, Chevy Chase, 4 and 3; Georgia Mae McKeever, Argyle, def. Mrs. Harold Lewis, Prince Georges, 5 and 4; Mrs. George Bailey, Washington, def. Mrs. Theodore Peyer, Woodmont, 3 and 1; Mrs. George Makin, Congressional, def. Mrs. A. Willcox, Chevy Chase, 4 and 3; Mrs. Herman Neugass, Woodmont, def. Mrs. Robert Williams, Prince Georges, 1 up; Mrs. Henry Lebowitz, Woodmont, def. Debbie Wilder, Manor, 1 up; Mrs. L. R. Drake, Army Navy, def. Mrs. M. Kraft, Woodmont, 6 and 5.

**THIRD FLIGHT**  
Mrs. S. E. Crocker, Kenwood, def. Mrs. H. H. Houston, Prince Georges, 6 and 5; Mrs. J. J. Corson, Washington, def. Mrs. Ed Widmayer, Kenwood, 4 and 2; Mrs. G. W. Calvert, Washington, def. Mrs. Adele Pugh, Congressional, 1 up; Mrs. E. H. Emanuel, Indian Spring, def. Mrs. Max Wool, Indian Spring, 3 and 2; Mrs. A. W. Gilliam, Belle Haven, def. Mrs. J. D. Morgan, Kenwood, 5 and 4; Mrs. Clarence Doser, Woodmont, def. Mrs. Henry Riley, Washington, 1 up; Mrs. A. J. Phelan, Chevy Chase, def. Mrs. Edward Sills, 1 up; Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington, def. Mrs. J. F. Conklin, Army Navy, 6 and 5.

**FOURTH FLIGHT**  
Mrs. William Werber, Columbia, def. Mrs. Donald Hess, Prince Georges, default; Mrs. F. T. Brown, Kenwood, def. Grace Kink, Manor, 1 up; Mrs. T. V. Wilder, Manor, def. Mrs. G. E. Gable, Kenwood, 2 and 1; Mrs. M. Shrenk, Prince Georges, def. Mrs. Frank Ebaugh, Kenwood, 1 up in 19 holes; Mrs. Carl MacCartney, Columbia, def. Mrs. R. E. Zuber, Congressional, 4 and 3; Norman Frost, Columbia, def. Mrs. Spates, Prince Georges, 1 up; Mrs. Everett Dillard, Manor, def. Mrs. Robert Ware, Army Navy, 1 up in 19 holes; Mrs. H. L. Lacey, Manor, def. Mrs.

## Match All Even After Nine Holes

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

In what is believed to be a speed record for women's golf hereabouts, Lucille Busch, a captain in the United States Air Force, defeated Elinor Finckel, Columbia club champion, 4 and 2, to win the Women's District Golf Association title yesterday at Chevy Chase.

The match lasted only two hours and 35 minutes.

The tall, blonde servicewoman from Argyle and the schoolmarm from Columbia were both out in 42 strokes to be even at the turn.

### Starts Rout

But on the back nine Miss Busch hit six of the seven holes played in regulation men's figures to turn the match her way decisively.

Miss Finckel won the first and second holes with pars to take a two-up lead, the only advantage she enjoyed in the match. The smooth-swinging Argyle player won the third with a bogey five and the fifth with a birdie three to square the match.

Miss Busch took the sixth with a five to go 1-up but the rapid playing Columbia champion squared matters again at the seventh with a par. The eighth was halved in double-bogey sevens and the ninth in fours.

Miss Busch three-putted the par three 10th to allow her opponent an unexpected half, but won the 12th with a 35-foot birdie putt and the 13th with a par three to begin the landslide.

### First Time

The new champion, who has never before won a title of any kind and who was playing in her first city championship, hit two great shots to the 14th green but three-putted for a second time to give her opponent a half.

Miss Busch won the 15th with a par when Miss Finckel put her second in a ditch and closed out the match with another par at 16 when the Columbia player cold topped her second shot and then three-putted for a six.

Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, the defending champion who was eliminated in a first round match by the new titlist, captured the championship flight consolations, defeating Mrs. Landra B. Platt, a Chevy Chase clubmate, 6 and 4.

**CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT**  
Lucille Busch, Argyle, defeated Elinor Finckel, Columbia, 4 and 2.  
**CHAMPIONSHIP CONSOLATION**  
Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, Chevy Chase, defeated Mrs. L. B. Platt, Chevy Chase, 6 and 4.

**SECOND FLIGHT**  
Georgia Mae McKeever, Argyle, defeated Mrs. Henry Lebowitz, Woodmont, 2 up. Second flight consolation: Mrs. W. E. Howard, Argyle, defeated Debbie Wilder, Manor, 2 and 1.

**THIRD FLIGHT**  
Mrs. J. J. Corson, Washington, defeated Mrs. Clarence Doser, Woodmont, 1 up in 20 holes. Third flight consolation: Mrs. Henry Riley, Washington, defeated Mrs. Adele Pugh, Congressional, 3 and 1.

**FOURTH FLIGHT**  
Mrs. Carl MacCartney, Columbia, defeated Mrs. T. V. Wilder, Manor, 3 and 2. Fourth flight consolation: Mrs. Robert Ware, Army Navy, defeated Mrs. G. E. Gable, Kenwood, 1 up.



## Determined Practice Makes Lucille Busch D. C. Golf Title Threat

Capt. Lucille Busch's 3-and-2 victory over Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., the defending champion, in the District women's golf championship yesterday was no fluke.

Mrs. Ferriday naturally was the favorite because she won last year, twice had been medalist in the tournament, it was her home Chevy Chase course, and generally she had a better record.

But Miss Busch had been grooming her golf game for this tournament. She first commanded attention with a 73 in the women's team matches at Manor. Before and after that the Air Force captain had been spending an hour or two each evening and a couple of hours on week ends hitting balls on a field near her apartment in Virginia.

### Helped by Easton.

She'd hit the balls, chase them and pick 'em up. As one of the 30 women members of Argyle who are members in their own right, she had the privileges of the course on week ends.

Capt. Busch had built her game under instructions from Charley Easton, but when he became teaching pro at Congressional, she lost an instructor. But she kept on practicing.

When the match was over yesterday she had par for a 75, and from the fifth through the 13th holes at Chevy Chase, had nine straight men's pars, seven of them by dropping putts of from 5 to 15 feet.

Mrs. Ferriday played good golf, and finished the round for a 78, but it wasn't good enough. And there were a number of players and spectators who did not class Miss Busch's victory as too much of an upset. Right now, she's hitting the ball as well as anybody in the tournament. The only thing against her is almost a complete lack of tournament experience.

### Plays Mrs. Koshliek.

Today she met Mrs. R. J. Koshliek of Army Navy. In other matches after a day of true-to-form play except for the elimination of Mrs. Ferriday, Betty Garber, the 1952 winner, plays Mrs. George Noble; Mrs. Charles Egenroad, the medalist, plays Mrs. Richard Johnson, and Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud meets Elinor Finckel.

Semi-finals will be played tomorrow and the title match Friday at 10 o'clock.

### First round results:

Capt. Lucille Busch, USAF, Argyle, def. Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., Chevy Chase, 3 and 2; Mrs. R. J. Koshliek, Army Navy, def. Mrs. Alan Sluskey, Argyle, 1 up; Betty Garber, Chevy Chase, def. Mrs. H. H. Goodman, Washington, 5 and 4; Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood, def. Mrs. Jack Smith, Prince Georges, 5 and 4; Mrs. Charles Egenroad, Washington, def. Mrs. L. G. Gray, Columbia, 5 and 4; Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase, def. Mrs. Landra Platt, Chevy Chase, 2 and 2; Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, def. Mrs. Frank Cuth, Argyle, 2 and 1; Elinor Finckel, Columbia, def. Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont, 1 up.



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AIMING FOR THE CUP—Elinor Finckel (left) and Lucille Busch, a captain in the Air Force, line up practice putts in preparation for their match for the District Women's golf championship. They met in the final round today at Chevy Chase Club. —Star Staff Photo.

## Final Match Today Settles D.C. Women's Golf Championship

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of the Argyle club championship for the past two years.

Miss Finckel won, 1 up, over Mrs. Richard Johnson of Chevy Chase. Mrs. Johnson made a nice try, winning the 17th hole to keep the match alive and salvaging a five on the 18th despite a shanked shot, but Miss Finckel dropped a four-footer to keep from going extra holes.

The only bad round of the tournament by Miss Busch was her qualifying round of 87. She admits she was trying so hard to make the championship 16 she found all kinds of trouble. Against Mrs. Ferriday, Miss Busch had par for a 75 when the match ended. She had par for a 78 in defeating Mrs. R. J. Koshliek of Army Navy, and par for a 77 in winning over Miss Garber yesterday.

Miss Busch, who has been hitting the ball in championship style for more than a year, found her confidence in shooting a women's course record 73 at Manor in a recent team match, in which she helped Argyle win the title.

The victory over Mrs. Ferriday was a further boost to her confidence, and in playing her two-time conqueror yesterday, Miss Busch had an idea she could win. She did.

Miss Busch, recalled to the Air Force in 1951, has been in Washington since 1943 except for 1951 and '52. She took up golf after World War II. She is a captain in the Armed Forces Information and Education, and a graduate of San Diego State College.

Miss Finckel, probably the fastest woman golfer in the District, has posted 1 up margins over Mrs. Arthur Sims of Woodmont and Mrs. Johnson, and won one match by default.

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# Miss Busch, Finckel Gain D. C. Final

## Johnson, Betty Garber Are Defeated

By Maury Fitzgerald,  
Staff Reporter

Lucille Busch, a captain in the Army Air Force, and Elinor Finckel, a schoolmarm, meet today at 10 a. m. in the final of the Women's District Golf Association championship at Chevy Chase Club.

Miss Busch, now a heavy favorite to win her first city title, reached the final by upsetting Betty Garber, an Argyle clubmate, 4 and 3. Miss Finckel, of Columbia Country Club, pulled the curtain on Mrs. Richard Johnson's giant killing act, defeating the host club player, 1 up.

Miss Busch fired a 41 on the front nine to be 1-up on the 1952 titlist at the turn. The tall, blonde Army officer birdied the par three tenth hole to go two-up. She won the thirteenth with a par to swell her advantage to three-up and then when Miss Garber strayed into a clump of trees, Miss Busch won the fourteenth with a bogey five to take a dormie four-up lead.

Miss Busch closed out the match with a par at the fifteenth.

In the championship flight consolation it will be Mrs. Ferriday against Chevy Chase clubmate Mrs. Landra B. Platt. Mrs. Ferriday defeated Mrs. Herbert Goodman of Washington, 5 and 3, and Mrs. Platt eliminated Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle, 3 and 2.

The second flight title will be contested for by Georgia Mae McKeever of Argyle and Mrs. Henry Lebowitz of Woodmont. Miss McKeever advanced at the expense of Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney of Kenwood, 1 up, and Mrs. Lebowitz won a 4 and 2 decision from clubmate Mrs. Herman Neugass. Results:

### CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT

Lucille Busch, Argyle, defeated Betty Garber, Argyle, 4 and 3; Elinor Finckel, Columbia, defeated Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase, 1 up.

### SECOND FLIGHT

Georgia Mae McKeever, Argyle, defeated Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney, Kenwood, 1 up; Mrs. Henry Lebowitz, Woodmont, defeated Mrs. Herman Neugass, Woodmont, 4 and 2.

### THIRD FLIGHT

Mrs. J. J. Corson, Washington, defeated Mrs. Eli Amann, Indian Spring, 5 and 4; Mrs. Clarence Doser, Woodmont, defeated Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington, 3 and 2.

### FOURTH FLIGHT

Mrs. T. V. Wether, Manor, defeated Mrs. William Wether, Columbia, 1 up; Mrs. Carl MacCartney, Columbia, defeated Mrs. R. L. Lacey, Manor, 1 up.



By Charles Del Vecchio, Staff Photographer

**COMING OUT**—Miss Lucille Busch of Argyle, captain in the Air Force, makes a fine explosion shot out of a trap in yesterday's play in the District championship at Chevy Chase Country Club. Miss Busch beat Mrs. R. J. Koshliek, Army Navy, 4-3.

day's play in the District championship at Chevy Chase Country Club. Miss Busch beat Mrs. R. J. Koshliek, Army Navy, 4-3.





### Playoff for Star Cup

## Boosting Women's Golf Pays For Belle Haven, Army Navy

By Merrell Whittlesey

Products of two of the District's top clubs in boosting women's golf met today at Kenwood for the Class A Evening Star Cup tournament championship—Mrs. D. J. Carrison of Army Navy and Mrs. J. A. Brooks of Belle Haven.

The 37th play for The Star Cup ended in a tie, and for what it is hoped will be the last year, a playoff is necessary. There is much thought of abandoning 18-hole playoffs in one-day tournaments and having quick-death playoffs on the scene. This will be introduced by the Women's District Golf Association at its winter meeting, and based on present sentiment the advocates of the quick-death playoffs will have their way.

It will be the second playoff in a WDGA Class A event for Mrs. Carrison, who tied for the Corby Cup and lost in the playoff last year in her debut in Class A competition. The Army Navy player has been playing golf only three years.

### Seeking First Net Cup.

Mrs. Brooks twice was a low gross prize winner in Class B competition, but, like Mrs. Carrison, is gunning for her first net cup. Mrs. Brooks had 44-40—84 and deducted 12 handicap for a net 72 and Mrs. Carrison a 43-39 for 82, and deducted 10 strokes for a net 72.

If Mrs. Carrison wins, it will be the fourth cup of the year for the Army Navy girls, tops in the District, and the fifth Star Cup. Mrs. Brooks will be after the first of each for Belle Haven. Both clubs are among the most active in women's golf classes under Pros Allan Burton of Army Navy, who is a tutor to Mrs. Carrison, and Tom Ryan of Belle Haven.

The tie for low gross was broken by flipping a coin, with

Mrs. Charles Egenroad of Washington G&CC, medalist in the District championship, winning over Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud of the host club after they tied with 77s.

### Betty Garber Stroke Back.

For Mrs. Egenroad, the round was her third under 80 in three days. She had a 79 on Sunday and 78 on Monday in intra-club competition at Washington. Mrs. Trouchaud gained the tie after a head-to-head battle with Betty Garber of Argyle, who finished one stroke back with a 78.

Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle was in a position to make it two cup triumphs in five days as she came to the eighth hole (playing the front nine last) needing 3-4 for a 79 and a net 72.

But Mrs. Cush, winner of the Keefer Cup last week, used a 6-iron on the eighth hole and carried far over the green on the par three to finish with a seven, four over par. She had five on the 18th for an 83.

Mrs. Weitzen Third Net.

Mrs. William Weitzen of Indian Spring, who defeated Mrs. Carrison in the Corby Cup play-off last year, was third net with 84-10-74. Mrs. H. H. Staehling of Manor, first-day leader of the Keefer Cup, had 86-12-74 for fourth.

Other net prize winners, in order, were: Mrs. R. K. Koshlick of Army Navy, 82-7-75; Mrs. Morris Kraft of Woodmont, 87-8-75; Mrs. Cush, 83-7-76; Mrs. R. M. Ware of Army Navy, 87-11-76; Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., of Chevy Chase, 80-4-76; Mrs. Arthur Sims of Woodmont, 84-8-76; Mrs. G. W. Calvert of Washington, 84-8-76; Mrs. Henry Goodman of Woodmont, 85-9-76; Mrs. Clarence Doser of Woodmont, 86-10-76; Mrs. George Maksim of Congressional, 86-10-76; Mrs. Jack Smith of

## Mrs. Brooks Beats Carrison In Golf Playoff

Mrs. J. A. Brooks of Belle Haven won the 18-hole playoff in the Women's District Golf Association tournament for the Star Cup yesterday at Kenwood Golf and Country Club, defeating Mrs. D. J. Carrison, Army-Navy, by five strokes with a net of 74.

Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Carrison tied for top honors in the tournament proper with nets of 72. Yesterday Mrs. Brooks had a gross round of 86 and used a 12 stroke handicap, while the 10 handicapped service club player was reporting an 89.

Mrs. Brooks picked up a stroke on her opponent on the front nine with a 44 and was two strokes better on the back nine with 42.





By Joe Heiberger, Staff Photographer

**AFTER DOUBLE PLAYOFF—Mrs. J. F. Conklin, left, and Mrs. W. R. Laird, both of Army Navy, engaged in a double playoff**

**for The Washington Post and Times Herald cup before Mrs. Conklin won by one stroke with net 80.**

### Playoff Today

## Mrs. Carrison Shoots 72, Ties Mrs. Brooks in WDGA Golf

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Mrs. J. A. Brooks of Belle Haven and Mrs. D. J. Carrison of Army Navy finished with net scores of 72 yesterday at Kenwood Golf and Country Club to cause a playoff for the Women's District Golf Association-sponsored Star Cup tournament.

Mrs. Brooks posted a gross card at 44, 40—84 and used a 12-stroke handicap, while the service club player was reporting a gross of 43, 39—82 and using a 10-stroke handicap deduction. The two will play off for the trophy this morning at 10:30 at Kenwood.

Mrs. Charles L. Egenroad of Washington and host club star Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud fired five-over women's par 77's to be tied for the gross. Mrs. Egenroad, who had 38, 39, won first gross on a draw. Mrs. Trouchaud, after getting out in 41, returned in a one-under 36.

Mrs. William Weitzen of Indian Spring and Mrs. Henry Staehling of Manor posted nets of 74 to be bracketed in third low net. Mrs. Weitzen, who had 84—10—74, won the place via the WDGA card-matching system, while Mrs. Staehling's 86—12—74 dropped her into fourth place.

Mrs. R. T. Koshleik of Army-Navy was the low 75 shooter and took fifth place. She had a gross 82 and was aided by a 7-stroke handicap.

Ten players finished with nets of 76 and when the card matchers finished their work, seven got prize places and three were tossed into the discard. Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, took the sixth place with 83—7—76, and was followed by Mrs. R. M. Ware of Army-Navy with 87—11—76.

Former city champion Mrs. E. C. Ferriday of Chevy Chase was labeled for eighth place with 80—4—76. The other winners were: ninth, Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont, 84—8—76; tenth, Mrs. G. W. Calvert, Washington, 84—8—76; eleventh, Mrs. Henry Goodman, Woodmont, 85—9—76, and twelfth, Mrs. Clarence Doser, Woodmont, 86—10—76. Drawn out were: Mrs. George Mak-sim, Congressional, 86—10—76; Mrs. Jack Smith, Prince Georges, 80—4—76, and Mrs. S. D. Crocker, Kenwood, 83—7—76.

## Mrs. Laird, Conklyn Meet Monday

Two Army Navy Country Club ladies, Mrs. J. F. Conklyn and Mrs. W. R. Laird, finished in a tie for first place with duplicate cards of net 72 in yesterday's Washington Post and Times Herald Cup tournament play. Both Mrs. Conklyn and Mrs. Laird produced cards of 83-11-72, and will be forced to play off the deadlock on Monday.

Miss Betty Garber, from Argyle Country Club, annexed low gross honors with 79, while Mrs. Lois Holzapple, also of Army Navy, claimed third low net after Mrs. Conklyn and Mrs. Laird, with 84-10-74.

Mrs. Howard R. Lady, from Washington Golf & Country Club posted 82-7-75 for fourth low net, while other local golfers gaining recognition were Mrs. R. J. Koshleik, 83-7-76; Mrs. Paul Streit, 84-8-76, both of Army Navy; and Mrs. George H. Bailey, Jr., of Washington Golf & Country Club, 85-9-76, along with Mrs. H. H. Goodman, 88-11-77, also from the North Arlington Club.

In regular Friday tournament play at Washington Golf & Country Club a relay secret tournament was won by the pairing of Mrs. E. L. Duffies and Mrs. I. N. Miller with a combined net 75.

Mrs. J. C. Angsten and Mrs. F. J. Griffiths came in second with a combined net 81, while Mrs. R. D. Washburn and Mrs. E. T. Furr took third place with a combined 83½.

In a nine-hole poker hand tourney on the Army Navy links Mrs. T. C. Aylward won low gross with 45 while Mrs. W. F. Kraemer took first place prize with seven 5's.

## Mrs. Conklin Wins Playoff

Mrs. J. F. Conklin, sporting the same handicap as her opponent and playing on her home course, won the Women's District Golf Association's Class A Washington Post and Times Herald Cup in a second playoff at Army Navy yesterday.

Mrs. Conklin posted 91-11—80, beating out Mrs. W. R. Laird, also of Army Navy, by one stroke. Mrs. Laird had 92-11—81. Mrs. Laird recently won the Class B WMAL Cup and is a newcomer to Class A circles.

Mrs. Laird lost the match on the first nine holes with faulty putting. She came within a stroke of tying Mrs. Conklin on the 18th, however, when the winner also ran into difficulty with her putts.

The two were tied Friday at the end of regulation play with net 72s. In the first playoff Monday they wound up all even with net 82s. Mrs. Conklin is the wife of a retired Army brigadier general and Mrs. Laird is the wife of a Navy commander.



## Chevy Chase Lucky for Champions

# Mrs. Cush's Keefer Cup Win Gives Argyle 3 Top D. C. Titles

By Merrell Whittlesey

The three major prizes of the Women's District Golf Association's season are the city championship, the first team title and the Keefer Cup, and right now Argyle Country Club is the home of all three, for what is believed to be a first-time achievement.

Mrs. Frank Cush, captain of Argyle's first team, added the third title yesterday when she won the Keefer Cup with rounds of 82 and 83, minus 7 handicap strokes each round for a net 151.

Chevy Chase has been the lucky course for Argyle's women golfers this season. Lucille Busch won the District championship there, Mrs. Cush the Keefer Cup, and Argyle started its march to the first team title with an 8½-½ triumph over Chevy Chase, the match that uncovered Argyle as a threat.

Mrs. Cush, a flaming red-head, has excellent timing on her long shots and hits the ball as far as any of the women golfers in town. But she has been inconsistent. In the past, two or three bad holes a round have ruined her medal play scores. The 36 holes of the Keefer Cup were her two best rounds in a row.

The Chevy Chase course proved a tonic for Mrs. Jack Smith of Prince Georges, who pulled out of a self-confessed slump to win low gross honors with 81-82-163. Mrs. Cush had the next best gross total, but as the cup winner was ineligible, and Mrs. Richard Johnson of the host club won second gross with 89-84-173.

Mrs. John Connolly of Washington G&CC was runnerup with 89 and 85 for 174, minus 10 handicap strokes each round for 154, three strokes back of the winner. The first-day leader, Mrs. H. H. Staehling of Manor, dropped back to 94 after her opening 86 and was at 156 net along with Mrs. Harold Lewis of Prince Georges.

In winning her first Class A cup Mrs. Cush had 42-40 the first round and 43-40 the second.

Yesterday's play was under winter rules because of the heavy rains of the previous night. Mrs. Cush was playing to the lowest handicap of her career, a seven, and it may go lower after those two excellent rounds.

On Tuesday the Class A players of the WDGA will compete in The Star Cup tournament at Kenwood, oldest event on the schedule. Mrs. Cush will compete in the 18-hole event.

### Net prize winners:

Mrs. Frank Cush	82-83-165-14	151
Mrs. John Connolly	89-85-174-20	154
Mrs. Harold Lewis	90-88-178-22	156
Mrs. H. H. Staehling	86-94-180-24	156
Mrs. W. A. Devin	90-93-183-24	159
Mrs. M. K. Barroll	92-90-182-22	160
Mrs. R. M. Ware	92-90-182-22	160
Mrs. J. L. Burnside	88-96-184-24	160
Mrs. Clarence Doser	93-87-180-20	160
Mrs. C. Thomason	93-91-184-24	160
Mrs. Arthur Sims	86-91-187-16	161
Mrs. F. C. Hunter	88-93-181-20	161
Georgia McKeever	86-88-174-12	162
Mrs. George Maksim	91-91-182-20	162
Becky Feller	88-90-178-16	162



By Bob Burchette, Staff Photographer

**THE KEEFER CUP**—Mrs. Frank Cush of Argyle happily holds up the Keefer Cup, which she won, to see what's in it,

if anything. Mrs. Cush defeated a fast field at Chevy Chase by scoring net 151 over 36 holes in the WDGA feature.

## Keefer Cup Play Changed to Avoid Tourney Conflict

The annual Keefer Cup tournament, originally scheduled for May 12-13 at Chevy Chase Club, has been set back to May 19-20 to avoid a date confliction with the May 13-16 National Capital Women's Open.

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, president of the Women's District Golf Association, said yesterday that the change of dates would allow more local players to play in the Prince Georges Cancer Fund tournament.

She said that she had also appointed Betty Garber, former city champion, co-chairman of the National Capital event to work with Dick McCann, general manager of the Washington Redskins football team, on the charity tournament.



## Barring Phenomenal Comeback

# New Champion Likely Today As Keefer Cup Tourney Ends

By Merrell Whittlesey

Barring a phenomenal comeback by one of the two former champions in the field, there will be a new champion crowned in the Keefer Cup tournament today at Chevy Chase Club, and it could be a player new to Class A competition.

The twice-postponed 36-hole medal play tournament, second only to the District championship in importance on the Women's District Golf Association schedule, was to be concluded today with the 32 low net scorers from yesterday competing. They were survivors of an original field of 107.

The halfway leader was Mrs. H. H. Staehling of Manor Country Club, who only last week became eligible for Class A competition by playing her home course in 86 to reduce her handicap to 12.

### Mrs. Cush Second Net.

Mrs. Staehling had an 86 yesterday, second low score of the blistering day, probably the first time in the history of the Keefer Cup that a 12-handicapper had second low gross. The leader was out in 45 and back in 41, deducted 12 handicap strokes and was low net with a 74.

Mrs. Staehling had only one three-putt green and would have had a healthy margin except that she tired on the last three holes and went five over men's par, 6-7-4, playing the front nine last.

Mrs. Frank Cush, captain of Argyle's championship first team, was second net with 82-7-75 and was tied for gross honors with Mrs. Jack Smith of Prince Georges, who played the back nine in 37 for an 82.

### Picks Up Six Strokes.

Mrs. Cush, playing with a seven, lowest handicap of her career,

has won two Class B events but is shooting for her first Class A. The red-haired Argyle player, one of the longest hitters in the District, had 42-40 and also played the back nine last, finishing 3-4-5-4. She picked up six strokes on Mrs. Staehling on those holes, including a three on the sixth, quite an achievement for a woman golfer.

Two tied for third net, Mrs. C. P. Phoebus of Army Navy, 88-12, 76 and Mrs. J. Burnside of Chevy Chase, who broke 90 for the third time this year and had 88-12, 76.

Mrs. Cush and Mrs. Smith have a four-stroke edge on the next best gross scores, which were 86s by Mrs. Staehling, Mrs. Arthur Sims of Woodmont, Mrs. Roy Brooks of Manor and Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud of Kenwood. Betty Garber, winner of most of the gross awards this year, had an 86 but failed to qualify among the 32 low net scores as her one handicap left her with a net 85.

### Two Ex-Champions Left.

The only former champions remaining were Mrs. Arnold Willcox of Chevy Chase, 90-8, 82, and Mrs. Richard Foyey of Argyle, 88-6, 82. Several of the District's top golfers did not compete, including Lucille Busch, the new District champion and Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., her predecessor and the defending champion in the Keefer Cup.

### The leaders:

Mrs. H. H. Staehling, Manor	86-12-74
Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle	82-7-75
Mrs. J. Burnside, Ch. Chase	88-12-76
Mrs. C. P. Phoebus, A. N.	88-12-76
Mrs. Jack Smith, Pr. Georges	84-4-78
Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont	86-8-78
Mrs. F. C. Hunter, Ch. Chase	88-10-78
Mrs. W. A. Devin, Manor	90-12-78
Mrs. Roy Brooks, Manor	88-7-78
Mrs. Eli Amanuel, Ind. Spr.	90-11-79
Mrs. Harold Lewis, Pr. Geo.	90-11-79
Mrs. John Connolly, Wash.	89-10-79
Mrs. O. L. Young, Pr. Geo.	88-9-79

## Playoff Today

# Three Players Register 75s, Tie for Class A Honors

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Three players—Mrs. George Bailey, Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton and Mrs. R. M. Ware—posted net scores of 75 yesterday at Washington Golf and Country Club to force a playoff for the Women's District Golf Association class A tournament for the Times Herald Trophy.

The 18-hole playoff has been set for this morning at 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. MacNaughton, Army Navy, appeared a certain winner until she ran afoul of the stream on the seventeenth hole where she took a seven. The service club representative was out in 45 and back in 39, despite the disastrous double-bogey at the seventeenth.

Mrs. George Bailey of Washington, like Mrs. MacNaughton, used a nine-stroke handicap to arrive at the tying figures, while Mrs. Ware used a 12-

stroke deduction to get into the playoff.

Betty Garber, the former District amateur champion, carried off low gross honors with an 81.

Second low gross went to Mrs. Charles Egenroad with 83.

Three players—Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, Woodmont; Mrs. Howard R. Lady, Washington, and Mrs. Adele Pugh, Congressional—finished with nets of 76 to tie for third. In the card matching for positions, Mrs. Goldsmith, the WDGA president, won fourth with her card of 83-7-76. Mrs. Lady, 83-7-76, was fifth and Mrs. Pugh, 87-11-76, took sixth.

Six players finished with nets of 78 to finish off the remaining five prize places. Mrs. S. B. Crocker of Kenwood was drawn into seventh place with 85-7-78, and Mrs. R. J. Holzapple of Army Navy took eighth place with 88-10-78.

## Miss Garber, McKeever Golf Winners

Georgia Mae McKeever and Betty Garber turned yesterday's Women's District Golf Association class A tournament for the NBC Cup into an all-host club affair yesterday at Argyle Country Club.

Miss McKeever captured the feature low net award with a card of 80-6-74, while the former District amateur champion was firing a 77 to be the gross winner. Miss Garber's performance put a blight on the much-heralded debut of Mrs. A. H. Allen, Army Navy Club's new star, who finished with an 80 to get second gross.

Mrs. R. M. Ware of Army Navy carried off the second low net with 86-9-77. Lucille Busch, present city champion, was third low net with 82-4-78.

Other prize winners in the event were: Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, 83-4-79; Mrs. Leo Butler, Argyle, 93-12-81; Mrs. William E. Foley, Kenwood, 93-12-81; Mrs. F. H. McNaughton, Army Navy, 90-9-81; Joan Crampton, Congressional, 90-9-81; Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont, 90-8-82; Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, 88-5-83; Mrs. Henry Riley, Washington, 92-9-83; and Mrs. Theodore Peyser, Woodmont, 93-10-83.

## SALLY'S SALLIES



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"My husband addresses the ball twice—the second time after he swines."



## Two Women Tie With 72s For Golf Cup

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Mrs. J. F. Conklin, the wife of a retired brigadier general, and Mrs. W. R. Laird, the wife of a Navy commander, posted net 72s yesterday over their home Army Navy Country Club course to finish in a tie for The Washington Post and Times Herald Cup.

Both players in the Women's District Golf Association class A tournament had gross rounds of 83 and carried 11 stroke handicaps. The playoff will be next week at a date and time the women select.

Mrs. Conklin, whose husband was a classmate of President Eisenhower at West Point, was out in 42 and back in 41, using a new set of irons she had just purchased.

### Three Putts 18th

Mrs. Laird had 40 on the front nine and finished with 43, which included a near disastrous seven at the fourteenth and a three-putt green at the eighteenth.

Betty Garber, the former city champion from Argyle Country Club, captured low gross with 79. Getting out in 41 and back in 38, Miss Garber edged Mrs. Richard Johnson of Chevy Chase for the first gross by a stroke.

Mrs. J. R. Holzapple, another host club player, carried off third low net with 74. Mrs. Holzapple, who had twin nines of 42 for 84 was supplied with a 10-stroke handicap.

### Mrs. Lady Has 75

Mrs. H. R. Lady of Washington, who posted 82-7-75; was drawn into fourth place after having tied with Mrs. S. B. Crocker of Kenwood, who reported an identical card of 82-7-75 to get the fifth-place award.

Four players posted nets of 76 and Mrs. R. J. Kosliak, another host club player who had 83-7-76, was drawn into the sixth-prize position. Mrs. Paul Streit, the fifth host club player to enter the select circle, took seventh with 84-8-76; Mrs. George Bailey, Washington, 85-9-76; for eighth and Mrs. E. Rosdin, Congressional, 88-12-76, was ninth.

Mrs. Theodore Peyser of Woodmont, 87-10-77, was drawn out of a five-way tie for tenth place, while Mrs. Herbert Goodman, Washington, 88-11-77, was drawn into the eleventh and final low net prize.

Drawn out of the prize list were: Mrs. Betty P. Meckley, Kenwood, 82-5-77; Mrs. Henry Lebovitz, Woodmont, 84-7-77, and Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle, 85-8-77.



"Hold it, Joe. He stands to lose three bucks if he misses that putt."

## Mrs. Meckley Wins Corby Cup With 78

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Mrs. Betty P. Meckley played the last six holes of Columbia Country Club's windswept course in one over men's par yesterday to win her second Corby Cup tournament with a net score of 78.

The former United States senior champion, who was making her second tournament appearance of the year, was out in 44 and back in 39 to finish with a gross round of 83. The 1948 Corby Cup winner used a five stroke handicap to win by the thin margin of a stroke.

Three players in all reported gross rounds of 83—Mrs. Meckley, her clubmate Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud and former city champion Betty Garber. Mrs. Trouchaud, whose card included a six on the first hole and a seven at the third, was out in 43 and back in 40 to win low gross honors on a draw from the Argyle Club champion.

Miss Garber, a former high school physical education teacher, was also 43 for the longer front nine and back in 40. After losing on the draw for gross, Miss Garber wound up in 12th low net with an 82.

Becky Feller of Bethesda finished second low net in the Women's District Golf Association Class A event with 79.

Four players reported nets of 80 but Mrs. J. T. Kaigler of Army Navy took third with 89-9-80 via the WDGA card matching system. Clubmate Mrs. R. J. Kosliak took fourth with 86-6-80; Mrs. Fred Chaimson of Prince Georges, fifth (91-11-80), and Mrs. A. W. Gilliam, Belle Haven was sixth with 89-9-80.

Mrs. W. E. Howard of Argyle posted 89-9-81 to be drawn into seventh place over Elinor Finckel, recent finalist in the city championship, who finished with 89-8-81.

Nine players ended up with nets of 82 to be tied for the remaining six prize places. Mrs. Adele Pugh of Congressional was placed in ninth place with 92-10-82; and Mrs. W. A. Devin of Manor drew the tenth prize place with 93-11-82.

Mrs. Howard Woster, Argyle, 94-12-82; won the eleventh position and Miss Garber followed in twelfth. Mrs. Frank Cuch, Argyle, 88-6-82; was thirteenth. Mrs. George H. Baily, Washington, 90-8-82; 14th; and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase, took the 15th and final place with 88-6-82.



## New Payne Cup Tourney Mark Likely After Miss Downey's 73

With fair weather promised and a fast golf course assured for the last two rounds of the Payne Cup tournament at Congressional Country Club, it appears there will be a new tournament record score posted for the 11th renewal of the three-day medal play event.

Mary Ann Downey, the defending champion from Baltimore, would need only 77s today and tomorrow to beat by a stroke the 228 by Mrs. Maurice Glick in 1952 at Congressional.

Miss Downey had a 73, a women's competitive record yesterday, and while that's a fine round of golf, it could have been her greatest. Mary Ann three-putted three greens, the 6th, 16th and 18th, and made only one putt of any distance. She was hitting her shots to perfection.



—Star Staff Photo.

MARY ANN DOWNEY

### Paired With Mrs. Glick.

Miss Downey and Mrs. Glick, the Baltimore rivals of several years standing, were paired together in the second round today, with Mrs. Glick four strokes behind Miss Downey after an opening 77. Mrs. Glick has won the title four times, and it was her course-record 74 that Miss Downey broke yesterday.

The Baltimoreans should be too tournament-tough to be caught "playing each other" today, but if that should happen it would give Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., of Chevy Chase a chance to take over.

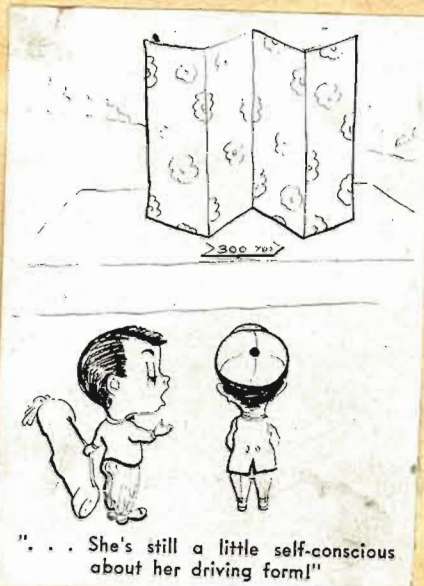
Mrs. Ferriday was one stroke back yesterday with a 74 after having played the front nine in 37 with only one par. Mrs. Ferriday, the 1953 District champion, had an eagle three on the fourth hole, birdies on the first and ninth and five bogeys in that nine. She finished the round with a 25-footer for a birdie three on the 18th.

The District champion, Lucille

Busch of Argyle, and Mrs. Morton Wasserkrug of Baltimore are in contention with 78s. The new Virginia champion, Mrs. A. H. Allen of Army Navy, could not find the short-game touch and had an 81.

Betty Garber, the Argyle club champion, disqualified herself on the first hole when she inadvertently used a club belonging to her playing partner. That is not an automatic disqualification penalty, but Miss Garber is a stickler for rules.

Mary Ann Downey, Baltimore C. C.	73
Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., Chevy Chase	74
Mrs. Maurice Glick, Woodholme	77
Capt. Lucille Busch, USAF, Argyle	78
Mrs. Morton Wasserkrug, Woodholme	78
Mrs. Charles Egenroad, Wash. G&CC	79
Mrs. William Bibby, Cumberland	80
Mrs. R. J. Koshliak, Army-Navy	80
Mrs. Jack Smith, Prince Georges	80
Mrs. Frank Cush, Argyle	81
Mrs. A. H. Allen, Army-Navy	81
Mrs. Eloise Schluderman, Balti. C. C.	82
Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood	83
Mrs. David Henderson, Congressional	84
Helen Ruff, Rolling Road	84
Mrs. Betty Meckley, Kenwood	85
Mrs. Samuel Crocker, Kenwood	85
Mrs. J. A. Swink, Belle Haven	86
Mrs. J. L. Bernice, Congressional	86
Mrs. Morton Samler, Woodmont	86
Mrs. J. K. Barry, Manor	86



### Mrs. Ferriday's Safe Shot Backfires

## Tournament Record 227 Gives Mary Ann Downey Payne Cup

Mrs. Edward C. Ferriday's intentions were to play a sacrifice shot when she was in trouble in the final round of the Payne Cup tournament yesterday, but the safe shot plans backfired and Mary Ann Downey of Baltimore was an easy winner with a tournament-record score of 227.

Mrs. Ferriday, of Chevy Chase, and Miss Downey, the defending champion in the major medal play tournament of the Maryland State Women's Golf Association, were tied with 148 totals after two rounds. Mrs. Maurice Glick of Baltimore was next at 153.

Mrs. Ferriday was only one over men's par going to the fifth hole at Congressional yesterday when she found the trees to the right of the fairway. She attempted to play a safe shot back into the fairway, but hit it into the trees on the other side, and it all added up to an eight.

### Wins by Five Strokes.

Miss Downey shot a final round 79 for her 227 to beat Mrs. Glick by five strokes as the latter also shot 79 for 232. Mrs. Ferriday, out in 46, came back in 39 for an 85 and 233.

The course played much longer than in the first two rounds last week before the storm, and scores ran considerably higher. The best rounds of the final day were 79s by the two Baltimoreans, Mrs. A. H. Allen of Army Navy and Mrs. Charles Egenroad of Washington G&CC.

It appeared Mary Ann would win by a seven or eight-stroke

margin coming to the last hole, but she shanked a shot and took a double bogey six.

Mrs. Allen was fourth gross winner with 81-74-79 for 234 with Capt. Lucille Busch, the District champion, next with 78-78-83 for 239 and Mrs. Egenroad 79-83-79 for 241.

### Capt. Busch Takes Net.

Mrs. Ferriday actually won low net but preferred to take low gross, which left net to Capt. Busch with 239 minus 12 handicap, or four for each round and a net 227. Mrs. C. A. Lichirie of Fort Meade was next, 263 minus 36 for 227, followed by Mrs. Morton Samler of Woodmont, 259-30-229; Mrs. Morton Wasserkrug of Woodholme, 246-15-231, and Mrs. Jack Smith of Prince Georges, 246-12-234.

The 11th competition for the Payne Cup was the most successful from standpoint of caliber of the field and number of entries, with commendation due Mrs. M. M. Alexander and her committee. Karl Corby, first vice president of the Maryland State Golf Association, presented the prizes.





## Mrs. Williams Wins Star Cup Golf With 80

Despite 6 three-putt greens, Mrs. Robert T. Williams of the host club won the annual Class B Star Cup, sponsored by the Women's District Golf Association, yesterday at Prince Georges Country Club with 96-16-80.

Miss Helen Hanson of Argyle also had a net 80 (94-14), but decided to take the net award instead of taking time off from work for the playoff. Other low scorers:

Mrs. J. D. Whidden, Prince Georges, 97-16-81.  
Mrs. C. A. Thomason, Argyle, 95-14-81.  
Mrs. Hill Houston, Prince Georges, 95-14-81.  
Mrs. Charles Corcoran, Manor, 96-14-82.  
Miss Helen Molnar, Argyle, 95-13-82.  
Mrs. William Foley, Kenwood, 95-13-82.  
Mrs. Charles Olmstead, Washington, 98-16-82.



**THE LADY IS A CHAMP**—Mrs. Robert B. Williams of Prince Georges beams with delight after winning the Class B Star Cup of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday. Mrs. Williams shot a 96 on her home course and deducted the maximum handicap of 16 for her net 80.

## Class B Star Cup Won By Golfer Who Just Lowered Handicap

Mrs. Robert W. Williams of Prince Georges, who only recently lowered her handicap to the Class B maximum of 16, won her first golf tournament of higher than club stature when she captured the Class B Star Cup of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday at Prince Georges.

Mrs. Williams, mother of three children, 5, 9 and 11, shot a 46-50-96 and deducted 16 handicap strokes for a net 80 as she brought The Star Cup to her home club. Previously her best showings had been third in a Class C tournament last year, and a prize winner in a Maryland State GA field day.

### Helen Hanson Low Gross.

Actually the 15th annual tournament for 13-16 handicap players ended in a tie at net 80. But in view of the fact that she is a working girl and that she was the low gross scorer with a 94, Helen Hanson of Argyle accepted low gross. With a 14 handicap, Miss Hanson also had an 80, but she preferred to accept gross rather than take the time for a playoff.

Mrs. Williams plays on the first bracket of the Prince Georges team in the third team matches, but confines tournament play to the teams and an occasional cup tournament. She would have been an easy winner yesterday except for six three-putt greens.

Feature of the winner's round was a four on the long seventh hole, one of the toughest par 4s in the District for men. Class B players cannot reach the green in two, but Mrs. Williams put an approach shot dead to the pin.

### Mrs. Goldsmith Officiates.

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, president of the Women's District Golf Association, presented the prizes after the tournament, one of the first ever played by the B players under summer rules.

A sidelight to the tournament was that Mrs. William Foley, women's golf chairman at Kenwood, came within two strokes of victory just 11 years after she won the same cup in 1943. And Mrs. Foley has become a grandmother three times since winning the cup.

Other prize winners, in order, in one of the tightest finishes in years were:

Mrs. J. D. Whidden of Argyle, 97-16-81; Mrs. C. A. Thomason of Argyle, 95-14-81; Mrs. Hill Houston of Prince Georges, 95-14-81; Mrs. Charles Corcoran of Manor, 96-14-82; Helen Molnar of Argyle, 95-13-82; Mrs. Foley, 95-13-82, and Mrs. Charles Olmstead of Washington G&CC, 98-16-82. Ties were settled by matching cards.

WHITTLESEY.

## Mrs. Frank Ebaugh Takes District Class B Golf Title

Mrs. Frank Ebaugh of Kenwood won the Washington Post and Times-Herald Cup in a Women's District Golf Association Class B event yesterday at Woodmont, turning in a score of 90-14-76. It was her first victory in a major tournament.

Her score dropped another Kenwood golfer, Mrs. G. W. Blanchard, back to second place with 91-14-77. Mrs. Blanchard also lost in the draw for low gross honors after tying with Mrs. Roland DeLauney of Prince Georges.

Third went to Mrs. William Werber of Columbia, 93-15-78, while the first Woodmont golfer to earn a place was Mrs. Serge Sacknoff, who followed with 92-13-79.

Others in the first 10 were Mrs. Richard Schattman of Indian Spring, 94-14-80; Mrs. Charles Olmstead of Washington and Mrs. A. F. Cassevant of Bethesda, both with 97-15-82; Mrs. F. J. Griffith of Washington, Mrs. George Inoff of Indian Spring and Mrs. George Bond of Kenwood, all with 98-16-82.

## Mrs. Laird Wins Class B Golf Cup

Mrs. W. R. Laird, Jr., of Army Navy won the WMAL Class B golf cup yesterday at Manor with an 88-14-74. Low gross honors went to Mrs. Monsees of Washington with an 88.

Other low net scores: Mrs. Charles Corcoran Manor, 90-13-77; Mrs. C. P. Phoebus, Army Navy, 90-13-77; Mrs. Arthur Phelan, Chevy Chase, 92-15-77; and Mrs. R. Williams, Prince Georges, 95-16-79.



## White House Family Gains CBS Cup

### Mrs. Hagerty's Lessons Pay Off In First Try as Class B Golfer

There's a new golf trophy in the official family at the White House today, in the possession of Mrs. James C. Hagerty, wife of the President's press secretary, and the manner in which she has improved her golf game must be the envy of her husband's boss.

Mrs. Hagerty, a member of Columbia Country Club since President Eisenhower was inaugurated and the Hagertys moved here from Albany, won the CBS Cup Tournament of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday at Columbia.

Mrs. Hagerty, mother of sons 22 and 17, had her second best round of golf, a 93, and deducted 16 handicap strokes for a winning net 77. Her best round out of competition was a 71.

She had a 36 handicap last year, but under the teaching of Freddie McLeod she whacked 20 strokes off of that and only a few days ago became eligible for Class B tournaments.

Like all first-time trophy winners, Mrs. Hagerty was a mighty happy person and her triumph was a popular victory at Columbia, where the home club players won the first three net prizes and low gross.

Mrs. William E. Shannon, wife of the first vice president of the home club, who had a near-miss in her last tournament outing, won low gross with a 93. Mrs. Donald Kneesi had 95-15-80 for third. All are from Columbia.

Other prize winners were Mrs.

L. S. Beale of Argyle, 95-14-81; Mrs. George Bond of Columbia, 97-16-81; Mrs. C. O. Olmstead of Washington, 97-16-81; Mrs. Roy Smalley of Belle Haven, 96-14-82; Mrs. R. M. Oliver of Army Navy, 96-13-83; Mrs. Daniel Cooper of Woodmont, 97-13-84; Mrs. M. G. Britt of Belle Haven, 100-16-84; Mrs. T. A. Smith of Army Navy, 98-14-84; Mrs. J. L. Beckner of Army Navy, 99-15-84, and Mrs. Roger Washburn of Army Navy, 98-14-84. —WHITTLESEY.

## In Cup Play

### Mrs. Werber, Jacobs Tie

Mrs. William Werber of Columbia, and Mrs. Lawrence Jacobs of Woodmont, posted net scores of 77 yesterday at Congressional Country Club to finish in a tie for the Women's District Golf Association class B tournament for the Times-Herald Trophy.

Mrs. Werber, a 16 handicapper, reported a gross card of 93, while Mrs. Jacobs, armed with 15 strokes, was getting a 92. The two will play off for the trophy next Wednesday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. R. M. Oliver of Army Navy and Helen Molnar of Argyle had 92 to deadlock for low gross honors. In a draw the service club player was acclaimed the winner, while Miss Molnar, 92-13-79, was being placed fourth low net in the 18-hole medal play event.

Mrs. George Bond of Columbia carried off the third net with 95-16-79. Six players reported net scores of 80 and included in that group was Mrs. J. F. Gross of Columbia, who won the first class B Times-Herald tournament in 1932.

Mrs. Gross, via the WDGA card matching system, ended up in ninth place with her card of 95-15-80. The other prize winners in order were: Mrs. D. J. Ward, Kenwood, 94-14-80; Mrs. William Shannon, Columbia, 96-16-80; Mrs. Max Wool, Indian Spring, 96-16-80; Mrs. Clyde Hamersla, Kenwood, 95-15-80; Mrs. Richard Schattman, Indian Spring, 96-15-81; Mrs. Joseph Hopkinson, Kenwood, 96-15-81; and Mrs. George Inoff, Indian Spring, 97-16-81.

Mrs. Honheimer Wins

## Mrs. Shannon Takes Gross

### Mrs. James Hagerty Wins CBS Cup With Net 77

Mrs. James C. Hagerty, wife of President Eisenhower's press secretary, captured the Women's District Golf Association Class B tournament for the CBS Cup yesterday at Columbia Country Club with a net score of 77.

Mrs. Hagerty, representing the host club in the Columbia dominated event, posted a gross card of 47, 46-93 and used a 16 stroke handicap to arrive at the winning figure.

Mrs. William Shannon of Columbia, finished in second place

with a net of 78 but elected to take the low gross award with her card of 48, 45-93. Thus Mrs. Donald Kneesi, still another host club player, fell heir to the second net prize with a card of 95-16-79.

Mrs. Maurice W. Fillius of Columbia was 95-15-80 to be third net. A stroke further back came three players with nets of 81, but Mrs. L. S. Beal of Argyle broke the host club monopoly by winning out in the WDGA card matching system to get fourth with her card of 95-14-81.

Mrs. George Bond, the fifth Columbia winner, was matched into fifth place with 97-16-81. Mrs. C. M. Olmstead was dropped to sixth with 97-16-81. Mrs. Roy Smalley, Belle Haven, 96-14-82, took seventh net, and Mrs. Daniel Cooper, Woodmont, 94-15-84, was eighth. Mrs. Cooper won over four others in another card matching session.

Mrs. M. C. Britt, Belle Haven, 100-16-84, was drawn into ninth, and Mrs. T. A. Smith, Army Navy, 98-14-84, was drawn tenth. Mrs. J. L. Beckman, Army Navy, 99-15-84, and Mrs. Roger Washburn, Washington, 98-14-84, were drawn out of the prize list.

### Mrs. Werber Annexes Playoff for Herald Cup

Mrs. William Werber proved the steadiest of the Class B Herald Cup playoff participants as she captured the Women's District Golf Association event for the second time in seven years.

Mrs. Werber of Columbia Country Club, had a 95 minus 16 handicap for a net 79 in the playoff at Congressional yesterday. Mrs. Lawrence Jacobs of Woodmont had 102 minus 15 for a net 87. In the original play last week Mrs. Werber had 93-16-77, and Mrs. Jacobs, 92-15-77.

Columbia has the defending champion in the Class A Post Cup tournament of the WDGA tomorrow at Army Navy in Mrs. Carl MacCartee. A field of 30 will compete.

### Mrs. Werber Defeats Mrs. Jacobs in Playoff

Mrs. Catherine Werber of Columbia won the Class B playoff for the Times Herald Cup by shooting 47, 48-95 yesterday at Congressional.

She defeated Mrs. Hannah Jacobs of Woodmont, who shot 53, 49-102.



## Contrast in Putting Fortunes Marks Tie in Women's Golf

Mrs. Fred Trew of Columbia hopes she finds her putting touch and Mrs. D. L. Hatfield of Washington hopes she doesn't lose hers before Monday's play-off of the Women's District Golf Association's Class C Meckley Cup tournament at Kenwood.

The tournament for 16-20 handicap golfers attracted 76 players to Kenwood yesterday and officially opened the WDGA tournament season, not counting the team matches. It originally was a three-way tie, but Mrs. R. S. Goodridge of Bethesda withdrew because of a Monday appointment and accepted low gross for her 91.

Mrs. Trew previously has won the NBC Cup in one of her infrequent tournament appearances. She seldom plays golf during the summer months. Yesterday she had 45 on the front nine and 48 on the back for a 93, despite seven three-putt greens, and deducted 19 handicap for a net 74.

Mrs. Hatfield, who won the club trophy in her class at Washington last year for reducing her handicap the most strokes, had 46-48 for 94 and deducted 20 handicap for a tying net 74. Mrs. Hatfield was excelling with the putter but was betrayed by erring fairway shots.

Mrs. Goodridge came to the ninth hole with five for a 39, which is Class A golf in Class

C, but she took seven there for 41, and 50 on the back nine for 91-17-74.

Other low net winners, in order, were Mrs. Herman Edlovitch of Woodmont, 94-19-75; Mrs. Arthur Frank of Prince Georges, 92-17-75; Mrs. E. L. Duffies of Washington, 93-18-75; Mrs. William Werber of Columbia, 94-18-76; Mrs. Edgar Brawner of Columbia, 95-18-77; Mrs. Samuel Feldman of Woodmont, 96-17-79 and Mrs. Stanley Levy of Indian Spring, 99-20-79.

## Women Tie In Cup Golf

Mrs. R. S. Goodridge, Mrs. Fred Trew and Mrs. D. T. Hatfield posted net 74s yesterday at Kenwood Golf and Country Club to tie in the Women's District Golf Association class C tournament for the Mrs. Betty P. Meckley cup.

Arriving at a winner was somewhat eased when Mrs. Goodridge, of Bethesda Country Club, elected to take low gross in the high handicap event with a 91. Mrs. Trew of Columbia and Mrs. Hatfield of Washington, will play off Monday at 10 a. m. to determine who gets the coveted trophy.

Mrs. Goodridge, out in a remarkable 41, returned in 50 with an eight on sixteen and sevens on the twelfth and seventeenth holes. Mrs. Trew reported a 45, 48 and used a 19-stroke handicap, while Mrs. Hatfield turned in a card of 48, 46 and used a 20-stroke handicap.

Other winners in the event were: Mrs. Herman Edlovitch, Woodmont, 94-19-75; Mrs. Arthur Frank, Prince Georges, 92-17-75; Mrs. E. L. Duffies, Washington, 93-18-75; Mrs. William Werber, Columbia, 94-18-76; Mrs. Edgar Brawner, Columbia, 95-18-77; Mrs. Samuel Feldman, Woodmont, 96-17-79; and Mrs. Stanley Levy, Indian Spring, 99-20-79.

## Mrs. Davis Winner Of Class C Golf Cup

Mrs. Stanley Davis of Indian Spring won the Class C Cup of the Women's District Golf Association yesterday at Manor, carding her best competitive score, a 90-19-71, for her first cup victory.

Her nearest rival in the high-handicap event was Mrs. Al Blitz of Woodmont, six strokes back at 97-20-77. Low gross prize was taken by Mrs. Frank Hallowell of Argyle with a 97.

Mrs. William Pye and Mrs. William Billick, both of Manor, and Mrs. W. L. Guthrie of Belle Haven tied at 98-19-79. Mrs. Pye won on a draw.

Other winners were Mrs. William Gorewith of Indian Spring, 101-20-81; Mrs. Morris Moss of Woodmont, 100-19-81; Mrs. George Freeman of Kenwood, 98-17-81; Mrs. T. W. Brough of Columbia, 100-19-81, and Mrs. A. C. MacFavlain of Argyle, 17-81.

## First Sub-90 Round Captures Simon Cup For Mrs. Hickey

Mrs. Edward J. Hickey broke 90 for the first time in her life yesterday and picked an opportunity round, the annual play for the Simon Cup, a Class C event of the Women's District Golf Association.

Mrs. Hickey, a Columbia Country Club golfer, thus won her first cup, aided by a marvelous putting touch. She shot an 89 and deducted 19 handicap strokes for a set of 70 to win by five shots at Bethesda Country Club. It was the final Class C event of the season.

A two-way tie for low gross at 92 was settled amicably enough when Mrs. R. L. Hughes of Army Navy won the draw for gross and Mrs. Frank Smith of Congressional took second net with her 92-17-75.

Other prize winners, in order, were: Mrs. G. W. Wesselink of Kenwood, 96-20-76; Mrs. Rea Paul of Congressional, 94-17-77; Mrs. E. R. Ferguson of Kenwood, 95-18-77; Mrs. Milton Rollins of Indian Spring, 95-17-78; Mrs. Morris Moss of Woodmont, 97-19-78; Mrs. Ezekial Stoddard of Chevy Chase, 96-17-79; Mrs. Edgar Brawner of Columbia, 96-17-79; Mrs. Claude McCammet of Belle Haven, 97-18-79; Mrs. A. O. Babb of Bethesda, 98-19-79.

Katherine Diggs was low net winner on ladies' day at Manor with 95-15-80. Other winners were Mrs. John Daily, 91-10-81; Mrs. Al Loda, 94-13-81; Mrs. Mary Wells, 101-18-83. Mrs. John R. Daily won low gross with 86 and inside-nine winners were Mrs. Charles Ewen, 46-10-6 and Mrs. C. W. Vernon, 51-38.

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## Meckley Cup Won By Columbia Golfer

Mrs. Fred Trew of Columbia became the first Women's District Golf Association cup winner of the year when she captured the Meckley Cup playoff for Class C players yesterday at Kenwood. Mrs. Trew had 96, minus 19 handicap, for a net 77.

Mrs. D. L. Hatfield of Washington G&CC, who had a 94 in the tournament proper last Friday, had an off day and finished far back with 109-20-89. It originally was a three-way tie but Mrs. R. S. Goodridge of Bethesda took low gross.



## Mrs. Ostrow Wins WDGA Cup To Break Jinx for Woodmont

Woodmont Country Club has been one of the most active and loyal members of the Women's District Golf Association, but there had been a jinx over its members in the WDGA cup tournaments—until yesterday.

Mrs. Burton Ostrow, an 18-handicap Woodmont player, captured the Elizabeth Harris Class C Cup at Belle Haven with a round of 89, minus her handicap for a net 71.

Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, the WDGA president, said when she made the presentation, it was the first time in her memory that a Woodmont player won a cup, and a hasty check of the records did not produce another. Mrs. Henry Goodman tied for The Star Cup several years ago but lost the playoff, and Mrs. Theodore Peyser won the President's Plate, but the latter is for officers only.

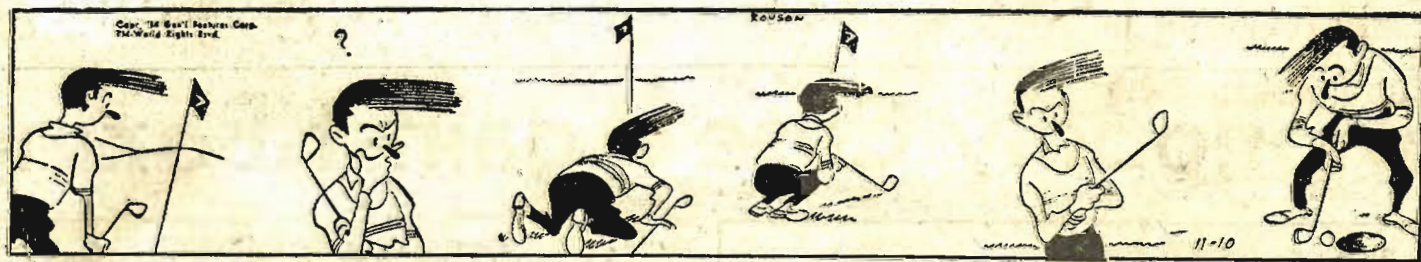
Mrs. Ostrow, who spends most of the summer at Severna Park, Md., near Annapolis, plays in only a few of the tournaments.

Mrs. Ostrow was out in 44 and back in 45 in her winning round and played exceptional golf for class C except for some bad luck on the par-3s.

Mrs. Harry Rod of Indian Spring won low gross with a 90. A field of 75 competed in the event for 17-20-handicap players.

Other net winners, in order, were: Mrs. E. X. Murphy of Washington, 92-19-73; Mrs. F. J. Griffith of Washington, 91-17-74; Mrs. H. O. Dahlke of Army Navy, 94-19-75; Mrs. Virgil Myers of Argyle, 95-18-77; Mrs. Paul Himmelright of Prince Georges, 95-18-77; Mrs. George Calomeris of Prince Georges, 95-18-77; Mrs. J. W. Rice of Army Navy, 96-19-77, and Phyllis O'Shinski of Woodmont, 96-18-78.

Three players with net 78s were drawn out of the prize list: Mrs. Ellis Edlowitz of Woodmont, 97-19-78; Mrs. Isadore Laskin of Indian Spring, 95-17-78, and Mrs. L. Horowitz of Indian Spring, 97-19-78.





## Woman Golfers' 99 Wins Goldsmith Cup And Hubbie's \$100

Mrs. J. L. McGrath took up golf in earnest last year and her husband promised her \$100 the first time she broke 100.

Twice she hit 101, her best score. However, on Monday she went to Congressional Country Club, home course of the McGraths, and shot 124. She told Jocko Miller she was going to quit the game.

Yesterday she knocked in a five-foot putt on the 18th hole at Congressional for a 99, good for a \$100 check and also the Goldsmith Cup, a Class D tournament of the District Women's Golf Association. The tournament was sponsored by Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, president of the WDGA.

Mrs. McGrath had only 28 putts and said she "made some all the way across the green." She also had three "ringers" or the best score she's ever made on three holes. She was happier than Bob Toski after winning \$100,000 last Sunday.

Mrs. Ed DeLong of Prince Georges won low gross with a 100.

Other low net winners, in order, were: Mrs. Robert Borrowman of Belle Haven, 103-24-79; Mrs. Robert Hart of Washington G&CC, 101-21-80; Mrs. Albert Reeves of Congressional, 105-21-81; Mrs. Samuel Cappel of Woodmont, 106-25-81; Helmi Laako of Argyle, 108-26-82; Mrs. J. B. Gregor of Army Navy, 106-24-82; Mrs. W. B. Maroshek of Congressional, 103-21-82, and Mrs. H. C. Hoffsommer of Prince Georges, 108-25-83. Mrs. Don Ball of Washington, 104-29-83, and Mrs. Paul Cooper of Woodmont, 109-26-83, were drawn out.



By Merrell Whittlesey

was so much delay and confusion

### Breaks 100

## Mrs. McGrath Wins Title

There was excitement among the women golfers at the Congressional Country Club yesterday for they had found a champion, Mrs. James L. McGrath.

She didn't win the national championship, but she won a title just as important to the ladies of Congressional. Mrs. McGrath took the Class D Goldstein cup in Women's District Golf Association competition.

It was the first city-wide title won by Congressional in three years, and Mrs. McGrath's friends say "she certainly deserves it for she made up her mind to play well."

A year ago, Mrs. McGrath had the highest possible handicap of 36. This year she cut it to 25. Yesterday she broke 100 for the first time in her life, shooting 99. Her handicap gave her a net 74 and the cup.

Mrs. Ed. DeLong of Prince Georges shot an even 100 for low gross. Other net results:

Mrs. Robert Borrowman, Belle Haven, 103-24-79; Mrs. Robert Hart, Washington, 101-21-80; Mrs. Al Reeves, Congressional, 105-24-81; Mrs. Sam Cappel, Woodmont, 106-25-81; Mrs. Helmi Laako, Argyle, 108-26-82; Mrs. J. D. Gregor, Army Navy, 106-24-82; Mrs. W. B. Maroshek, Congressional, 103-21-82; Mrs. H. C. Hoffman, Prince Georges, 108-25-83.

## Mrs. De Long Golf Winner

Mrs. Ed DeLong of the host club won the Class D Marie Spates Bowl of the Women's District Golf Association at Prince Georges yesterday.

Mrs. DeLong's net score was 103-26-77. Mrs. Purcell Smith of Congressional took low gross honors with 101. Second and third in the low net ranks were Mrs. Emory Hutchinson of Columbia with 107-26-81 and Mrs. Morris Moss of Woodmont with 104-23-81.

## Women's Class L Golf Won by Mrs. DeLong

Mrs. Ed DeLong of Prince Georges, who just a short time ago worried about qualifying for the Women's District Golf Association Class D Tournament, today owned the Marie Spates Bowl for winning the event yesterday at Prince Georges.

Mrs. DeLong, who practiced long and hard for the event, won her first tournament with 103-26-77. She was followed by Mrs. Emory Hutchinson of Columbia with 107-26-81; Mrs. Morris Moss of Woodmont, 104-23-81; Mrs. R. A. Byers of Prince Georges, 104-22-82; Mrs. Marvin Kogod, Woodmont, 109-26-83, and Mrs. E. H. F. Felber, Bethesda, 104-21-83. Mrs. Purcell Smith of Congressional took low gross with 101.

## Mrs. DeLong Class D Victor

Mrs. Ed DeLong of Prince Georges shot 99-25-74 and won the low net prize in the Women's District Golf Association's Class D Harriet Hines Bowl at the Washington Golf and Country Club yesterday.

Low gross honors went to Mrs. R. W. Hart of the host club who posted 99. Mrs. Hart's prize was the only low gross award of the tournament.

Second low net honors went to Mrs. J. C. Angsten of Washington with 101-25-76. Third in the low net scores was Mrs. Emory Hutchinson of Columbia with 102-26-76.

Fourth low net went to Mrs. M. E. Dennett of Army Navy with 101-23-78 while fifth was Mrs. D. E. Ball of Washington with 101-22-79. The last two places went to Mrs. G. F. L. Claffie of Congressional with 102-21-81 and Mrs. James Mather of Columbia with 105-24-81.



# Ferriday Second in State Golf

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Mary Ann Downey of Baltimore Country Club established a women's competitive record for Congressional Country Club's course yesterday. She fired a one-under women's par 73 to take the first-round lead in the Maryland State Golf Association's 54-hole tournament for the Lillian Payne Trophy.

The defending champion, whose round erased from the record books the old mark of 74 set in this same tournament by Mrs. Maurice Glick in 1952, had a two-under women's par 36 on the front nine and a one-over 37 on the journey home.

And the most amazing part of it all was that the smooth-swinging Baltimorean had only two birdies and three-putted three greens.

## Only One Long Putt

Miss Downey made only one long putt all day, a 20-footer for a birdie on the par-five fourth hole. She needed to get an eight-footer for her second birdie at ten, but three-putted at the sixth, sixteenth and eighteenth greens.

Just a stroke in back of the leader came Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, the former City champion from Chevy Chase, with 74. Mrs. Ferriday, whose card showed an eagle three at the par five fourth, had twin nines of 37.

## Three Birdies

The Chevy Chase Club champion also had three birdies for what was easily one of her best competitive performances. The par matching round gave Mrs. Ferriday a three-stroke lead over Mrs. Maurice Glick.

Mrs. Glick, representing Baltimore's Woodholme Country Club, was 38, 39 to be one of six players to break 80 over the sun-baked River road course. Mrs. Glick's clubmate, Mrs. Morton Wasserkrug and Capt. Lucille Busch, present District champion, were next in line with 78s.

## 37 For Miss Busch

Miss Busch of the United States Air Force got out in 37, but faltered on the easier back nine for a 41. Mrs. Wasserkrug was 40, 38.

The other player breaking 80 was Mrs. Charles Egenroad of Washington who had 79. Mrs. Egenroad began with 41 on the front nine, but rallied on the back to get 39.

The 80 bracket included the names of Mrs. R. J. Koshleik of Army Navy; Mrs. Jack Smith, Prince Georges; and Mrs. William Bibby of Cumberland, who was the medalist here two years ago in the Maryland amateur.

Betty Garber, former City champion from Argyle, disqualified herself on the very first hole of her round. Miss Garber who ended up with an 85, used one of her playing companion's sticks by mistake.

## THE LEADERS

Mary Ann Downey, Baltimore	36-37-73
Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, Ch. Ch.	37-37-74
Mrs. Maurice Glick, Woodholme	38-39-77
Capt. Lucille Busch, Argyle	37-41-78
Mrs. Morton Wasserkrug	40-38-78
Mrs. Charles Egenroad, G&CC	41-38-79
Mrs. William Bibby, Cum'land	41-39-80
Mrs. R. J. Koshleik, Army Navy	40-40-80
Mrs. Jack Smith, P. G.	40-40-80
Mrs. Frank Gush, Argyle	40-41-81
Mrs. A. H. Allen, Army Navy	42-39-81
Mrs. Eloise Schlunderberg, Balt.	42-40-82
Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood	44-39-83
Mrs. David Henderson, Cong.	42-42-84
Helen Ruff, Rolling Road	44-40-84
Mrs. Betty Mackley, Kenwood	42-43-85
Mrs. Samuel Crocker, Kenwood	41-44-85
Mrs. J. A. Swink, Belle Haven	42-44-86
Mrs. J. L. Barnicle, Cong.	42-44-86
Mrs. J. K. Barry, Manor	45-41-86
Mrs. Morton Samler, Woodmont	43-43-86

# Argyle Finalists Rematched In D. C. Women's Semifinals

The finalists in the Argyle women's club championship last year, Betty Garber and Lucille Busch, a captain in the Air Force, were opponents again today, with a final round berth in the District's women's golf championship at stake. Miss Garber won the Argyle match.

The other match was between Mrs. Richard Johnson, a home club player, and Elinor Finckel, a school teacher from Columbia Country Club.

Mrs. Johnson was the show-stealer of the quarterfinals, losing a four-hole advantage to the medalist, Mrs. Charles Egenroad, and then defeating the Washington G&CC player, 1 up in 19 holes.

Mrs. Johnson, four up and five to go, did not appear demoralized in the slightest about losing her lead as she calmly dropped an approach shot inches from the pin on the first extra hole to win with a par four.

Miss Garber defeated Mrs. George Noble of Kenwood, 2 and 1, and Capt. Busch won over Mrs. R. J. Koshleik of Army Navy, 4 and 3, with even better tee-to-green golf than Capt. Busch played in eliminating the defending champion, Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr. Capt. Busch had

an approximate 78 but did not putt as well.

Miss Finckel advanced by default due to the illness of Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud's husband.

In the Garber-Noble match, the Rules Committee was called for a decision when Mrs. Noble left her putter against the refreshment stand on the ninth hole, and had to send for it when she went to putt on the tenth. The committee ruled Mrs. Noble did not cause an undue delay in play. The Kenwood player won the 10th to go 1 up, but lost to Miss Garber's rally.

## Mary Ann Musser Loses 22-Hole Baltimore Match

BALTIMORE, June 23 (Special). — Mary Ann Musser, 15-year-old daughter of the All View golf pro, John Musser, lost a 22-hole match in the quarter-finals of the Baltimore women's golf championship yesterday.

The girl golf star was five down after 10 holes to Mrs. Midge Wasserkrug, but squared the match on the 18th and then lost in four extra holes when she three-putted the 22nd green.

Other winners were Mary Ann Downey, Mrs. Maurice Glick and Mrs. Alex Gordon, third. Miss Downey plays Mrs. Glick today.

## CROSSTOWN

—By Roland Coe



Roland

"The clubs aren't so heavy, it's the nine pairs of shoes. She says it rests her feet to change 'em after every two holes!"



# Team Match

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## Winners



**BEST WITH CHIPS DOWN**—Argyle Country Club's players are shown after upsetting Chevy Chase yesterday at Belle Haven,  $8\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$ , to gain the lead in the Women's District Golf Association team championship, with a 60 to  $59\frac{1}{2}$  edge over Chevy Chase. In the front row (left to right) are Mrs. Allan Sherier, Mrs. Frank Cush and Georgia Mae McKeever. Back row: Dorothy Omolecki, Betty Garber and Capt. Lucille Busch, U. S. A. F.

—Star Staff Photo.



## Argyle WDGA Team Champions Produce District Title Threat

Final First Team Standings:  
 Argyle 89 Congressional 43½  
 Chevy Chase 82½ Belle Haven 35½  
 Kenwood 51½ Columbia 34½  
 Prince Geo. 49½ Manor 28½  
 Army Navy 47½ Woodmont 27  
 Washington 40

By Merrell Whittlesey

Argyle not only climaxed its comeback by taking the Women's District Golf Association's first team title from Chevy Chase yesterday, but in so doing produced a player who might have something to say about who wins the District women's championship at Chevy Chase starting June 21.

That's Capt. Lucille Busch, USAF, a tall, slender blond who's been a member of Argyle for several years, and who plans to be here at least through July, 1955.

Capt. Busch contributed heavily to Argyle's easy victory yesterday by playing Manor Country Club in 73 strokes—all putts holed—including a penalty stroke on the par 3 fifth hole. It was the lowest round of her career by four strokes, her previous best a 77 at Argyle.

The round cannot be verified as a women's course record because it was made in match play competition, but it is at least an unofficial competitive mark.

### Sad Ending for Chevy Chase.

It was a sad ending to the team series for Chevy Chase, which led all the way until it played Argyle last week. The Lavhill team won, 8½-½, to take a half-point lead, and yesterday blanked Columbia, 9-0, while Chevy Chase lost to Prince Georges, 6-3. Argyle won by 7½ points.

The second and third team titles were settled yesterday with Army Navy losing in both play-offs. Washington G&CC won the second team title, 5½-3½, at Kenwood, and Woodmont the third team title, 6-3, at Army Navy.

Washington, which won a playoff over Quantico last week for the right to gain the title round, was led by Mrs. G. W. Calvert with a 79. Woodmont won, although its top player, Mrs. Sam Feldman, had to leave the course on the 15th hole to report in time for jury duty. Mrs. Feldman and Mrs. Alvin Brown lost 2½ of 3 points. Woodmont gave up in the title round.

Next Tuesday the winning team will be host to field days, with the exception of Washington, where the men's invitation tournament conflicts. Argyle will be host to the first teams and Woodmont third, with the second team site to be announced.

### Needed Best Lineup.

After Argyle defeated Kenwood's defending champions, 8½-½, in the second match of the 11-week series, many of the players thought Argyle would win if it could present its best lineup each week. But three of the Argyle girls work and the team hung from five to eight points back of Chevy Chase, where she hit her only bad shot of the day, an iron into the ditch. She salvaged a 1-over-par 4 on the hole by dropping a 10-footer. She three-putted the 11th hole. Capt. Busch had men's birdies on the third and fourth holes.

A protegee of Charley Easton, the teaching pro at Congressional, Capt. Busch has lowered her handicap from 15 to 5 in less than two years.

In other first team matches yesterday, Army Navy upset Kenwood, 6-3; Washington defeated Belle Haven, 6-3, and Woodmont and Congressional tied, 4½ each.

Second team final:  
 Washington, 5½; Army Navy, 3½.  
 Mrs. Henry Riley and Mrs. J. J. Corson (W), 2 points to 1 for Mrs. L. R. Drake and Mrs. D. Griffin.  
 Mrs. G. W. Calvert and Mrs. D. R. Monsees (W), 3 points to 0 for Mrs. C. Passink and Mrs. W. R. Land, Jr.  
 Mrs. J. G. Schnitzer and Mrs. Roger Washburn (W), ½ point to ½ for Mrs. C. P. Phoebus and Mrs. R. Ware.  
 Third team final:  
 Woodmont, 6; Army Navy, 3.  
 Mrs. Sam Feldman and Mrs. Alvin Brown (W), ½ point to 2½ for Mrs. R. Oliver and Mrs. T. A. Smith.  
 Mrs. Harry Gorin and Mrs. Jack Friedlander (W), 3 points to 0 for Mrs. J. Potter and Mrs. E. Anderson.  
 Mrs. Serge Sacknot and Mrs. Paul Bauman (W), 2½ points to 1 for Mrs. R. Schlosser and Mrs. J. Rice.



**LEADS ARGYLE VICTORS**—Capt. Lucille Busch, U. S. A. F., led Argyle to the Women's District Golf Association team championship by shooting a 73 yesterday at Manor as Argyle beat Columbia, 9-0, to lock up the team title. The 73 was the lowest score of her career and on unofficial woman's record at Manor.

—Star Staff Photo.

## Chevy Chase Takes Lead

Chevy Chase Club climbed into first place in the Women's District Golf Association round-robin team championship yesterday at Argyle Country Club, defeating Manor Club, 8-1.

Pacesetter Argyle was idle and dropped into a third-place tie with Kenwood. Army-Navy defeated Woodmont, 5-4, to move up into second place.

Kenwood defeated Columbia, 8-1, to move all the way from sixth place to third.

Washington handed Prince Georges a 7 to 2 defeat and moved into fifth place. In the other match played yesterday, Congressional defeated Belle Haven, 6½ to 2½.

STANDINGS	
Chevy Chase.. 31½	Prince Georges 16½
*Army Navy.. 26½	Congressional 15½
*Kenwood... 25½	Woodmont... 10½
Argyle..... 25½	Columbia... 18
Washington.. 25	Manor..... 9½
Belle Haven.. 19	

## Argyle Routs Manor in Women's Golf

By Maury Fitzgerald  
 Staff Reporter

Argyle routed Manor yesterday at Congressional Country Club 7½ to 1½ to stay atop the standings in the Women's District Golf Association team championship, but Chevy Chase, with one less match played, is only two points away in second place.

The favored Chevy Chase team swamped Columbia, 7-2, for its third straight lopsided victory and on Thursday, with the loop leaders idle, the Connecticut avenue aggregation will have a chance to take over the leadership in a match with Manor.

Two points further back in third place is Army Navy Country Club but, like Argyle, the service club team has played four complete matches. Army Navy scored a surprisingly easy 6-3 victory over Washington but, oddly enough, dropped from second to third in the standings.

### Moves Into Fourth

Belle Haven climbed up into place with a 6½ to 2½ point victory over Woodmont. Kenwood, the defending champions, moved from eighth to sixth place by disposing of Prince Georges 6½ to 2½.

In the first division of the second team matches played at Prince Georges, the host club team won an 8-to-1 decision over Congressional to head the official standing with a total of 15½ points. In other matches in that section, Belle Haven defeated Kenwood, 7½-1½, and Washington and Quantico split even 4½-4½.

Army Navy beat Woodmont, 7½-1½, at Chevy Chase to be the lead with 16½ points in the second division of the second team matches. Chevy Chase climbed within a ½ point to the leaders by whitewashing Manor, 9-0; and in the other match, Indian Spring polished off Bethesda, 8½-½.

### Third Team Matches

Prince Georges defeated Belle Haven, 7½-1½; and Army Navy won a 6-3 decision over Indian Spring at Indian Spring to the co-leaders in the first division of the third team matches with 13 points apiece. Washington defeated Argyle in Spring to be the co-leaders in the first division of the third team matches with 13 points apiece. Washington defeated Argyle in the other match, 6½-2½.

Woodmont took a big lead in the second division of the third team matches by downing Congressional, 9-0; and in the other match at Kenwood, Columbia defeated Bethesda, 8½-½.

STANDINGS	
Argyle..... 25½	Columbia... 17
*Chevy Chase 23½	*Prince Geo. 14½
Army Navy... 21½	*Congregational 9
Belle Haven.. 19	Manor..... 8½
Washington.. 18	*Woodmont... 6
Kenwood... 17½	

\*Denotes teams having played only four matches.



### Three-Year Reign Near End

## Argyle Women Upset Champion Kenwood

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Argyle just about ended Kenwood's three-year reign as Women's District Golf Association team champion yesterday at Chevy Chase Club, defeating the defending titlist, 8½ to ½.

It marked the second straight week that Kenwood, winners of the title four times in the past five years, suffered defeat. Last week in the opening matches of the round-robin tournament, Washington upended the champions, 5-4, and yesterday's landslide just about squelched all hope of a successful defense by the gals from the River Road Club.

Last week Argyle edged Congressional by a slim 5-4 score but yesterday, strengthened by three new faces, Argyle looked the part of a real championship contender.

But, unfortunately, those three players — Georgia Mae McKeever, Lucille Busch and Dorothy Omolecki—won't be making any more appearances with Argyle. All three are Government girls and said after the match that they would rather spend what little time they have away from their jobs playing in this section's major tournaments.

The victory moved Argyle into second place in the loop standings with a total of 13½ points for two matches. Army

STANDINGS	
Army-Navy ... 14	*Prince Georges 7½
Argyle ... 13½	Congressional ... 5½
Belle Haven ... 10½	Manor ... 5
Washington ... 9½	Kenwood ... 4½
*Chevy Chase ... 8½	Woodmont ... 3½
Columbia ... 8	

\*—Denotes teams having played only one match.

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### In Women's District Opener

## Washington Defeats Kenwood Golfers, 5-4

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Washington Golf and Country Club upset Kenwood, the defending champions, yesterday in the opening of the annual Women's District Golf Association team championship at Prince Georges, 5-4.

Kenwood, seeking its fourth straight title and the fifth in the past six years, dropped the verdict on the eighteenth green where both club champion and team captain, Mrs. George Noble and Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, three-putted to lose a ½ to 2½-point decision to Mrs. Charles Egenroad and Mrs. Lloyd Dennis.

Chevy Chase Club moved into the loop lead with a landslide 8½ to a ½ point victory over Woodmont. Army Navy, another of the strong teams in the Class A Women's League, moved into second place by walloping Columbia, 7-2.

The biggest surprise of the day was the near upset of Argyle by Congressional. Argyle's lead twosome of Betty Garber, former city champion, and Mrs. Richard Foley were beaten 2 to 1 by Mrs. D. H. Henderson and Mrs. Charles Lynch. However, the second and third Argyle tandems managed to win and save the day for the strong Layhill, Md., club team.

Belle Haven eked out a close 5½ to 3½ verdict over Manor. Prince Georges, the 11th team in the loop, drew a first round bye.

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Mrs. William Walsh and Mrs. Howard Lady, Washington, scored 2½ points to a ½ for Mrs. Betty P. Meckley and Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney, Kenwood.

Mrs. A. G. Simmons and Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington, scored 0 points to 3 for Mrs. Phillip Allen and Mrs. Sam Crocker, Kenwood.

#### CHEVY CHASE 8½, WOODMONT ½

Mrs. Landra B. Platt and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. Morton Kaufman and Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, Woodmont.

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Mrs. J. E. Nettles and Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton, Army Navy, scored 2 points to 1 for Mrs. Carl MacCartee and Mrs. Herbert Goodman, Columbia.

Mrs. J. T. Kaigler and Mrs. D. J. Carrison, Army Navy, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. John Ryerson and Mrs. William Shannon, Columbia.

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Betty Garber and Mrs. Richard Foley, Argyle, scored a ½ point to 2½ for Mrs. D. H. Henderson and Mrs. Charles Lynch, Congressional.

Mrs. Frank Cush and Mrs. Wilson Howard, Argyle, scored 2½ points to a ½ for Mrs. James Geddes and Joan Crampton, Congressional.

Mrs. Allen Sherier and Mrs. Howard Woster, Argyle, scored 2 points to 1 for Mrs. J. L. Barnicle and Mrs. J. W. Godfrey, Congressional.

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## Washington Women Win

Washington Golf and Country Club's golf team defeated Quantico yesterday, 7½-1½, in a playoff of a tie in the first division of the Women's District Golf Association second-team championship.

The victory earned the Washington club team the right to meet Army Navy, the second division winner, on a neutral course to be named later for the second team title next Tuesday.

Chevy Chase and Argyle, the two leaders in the race for the first team title, ran into unexpected trouble yesterday. Chevy Chase, the loop leaders with a total of 59 points, edged Congressional, 5-4, and Argyle, second in the league standings with 5½ points, won by the same score over Belle Haven.

In the other first team matches, third-place Kenwood (42 points) whitewashed Woodmont, 9-0; Prince Georges defeated Columbia, 6½-2½; and Army-Navy disposed of Manor, 6-3.



## Favored Kenwood Team Upset In Opener of Women's Golf

After the opening day's surprising results of the Women's District Golf Association's matches for first teams, it appears Kenwood no longer can be classed as the favorite to win its fifth straight title, but merely as one of five teams with a chance to win. Second and third teams open the competition April 27.

Although handicaps are not used in the first team play, the handicaps of the players indicate which team is the strongest. If the 11-team league finished strictly according to handicaps, the final standings would be like this: Kenwood, Chevy Chase, Washington, Woodmont, Argyle, Congressional, Prince Georges, Belle Haven, Army Navy, Manor and Columbia.

However, yesterday's results at Prince Georges indicated there will be many surprises. Washington's 5-4 triumph over Kenwood was one, as was Chevy Chase's 3½-½ margin over Woodmont. Woodmont finished third last year. Argyle lost ground when it defeated Congressional only 5-4. The series is determined on total points.

It would appear now that Chevy Chase has the edge, with Kenwood, Washington, Prince Georges and Argyle as contenders. Prince Georges was idle but has an impressive lineup.

Chevy Chase scored its impressive victory without its No. 1 player, Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., the District champion, who hopes to play next week. Last year Kenwood edged Chevy Chase for the title by a half point, winning on the final putt of the last match of the season. This year Kenwood is weaker because of the loss of Mrs. Rex Howard, who is in South Africa.

Outstanding twosomes yesterday included Washington's first and second brackets. The first found Mrs. Charles Egenroad and Mrs. Lloyd Dennis scoring 2½-½ over Mrs. George Noble and Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud of Kenwood; and Mrs. William Walsh and Mrs. Howard Lady winning by the same margin over Mrs. Betty Meckley and Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney. Mrs. Lady had one of her best rounds, possibly under 80 if she had played it out, and it included a 20-footer for a birdie deuce on the 17th that was good for two points.

Mrs. D. H. Henderson and Mrs.

Charles Lynch of Congressional upset Argyle's Betty Garber and Mrs. Richard Foley, 2½-½. Kenwood meets Argyle next week in the feature match at Chevy Chase.

After a number of years of much conversation but no action on summer rules, the girls were instructed to play summer rules yesterday and there were very few complaints. That partly was because Prince Georges is in such excellent condition.

In other matches, Belle Haven won 5½-3½ over Manor and Army Navy 7-2 over Columbia, the latter result another surprise.

District women golfers were urged to support the National Capital Women's Open May 13-16 at a meeting held after the team matches yesterday. The 72-hole event, for the benefit of the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund, will draw the top stars in women's golf to Prince Georges.

## Chevy Chase Over-all Power Halts Scare in Women's Golf

First Team Standings.			
	Pts.		Pts.
Argyle	25½	Columbia	17
*Chevy Chase	23½	*Pr. Georges	14½
Army Navy	21½	Manor	8½
Belle Haven	19	*Congressional	9
Washington	18	*Woodmont	8
Kenwood	17½		

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Mrs. Richard Kreuzburg and Mrs. John Kerkam of Columbia put a temporary scare into the favored Chevy Chase team in the Women's District Golf Association's first team matches yesterday, but Chevy Chase's over-all strength paid off in a 7-2 victory over Columbia.

Mrs. Kreuzburg, the 1951 District champion and Mrs. Kerkam, Star Cup Class A winner last year, surprisingly took two out of three points from Mrs. Edward C. Ferriday, jr., the current District titlist, and Mrs. Landra Platt.

But Mrs. Richard Johnson and Mrs. Webb Hayes in the second bracket and Mrs. Arnold Willcox and Mrs. William Parsons in the third scored three-point sweeps for Chevy Chase.

Kenwood's third bracket dropped 2½ points to Mrs. Jim Kinter and Mrs. Fred Chaimson of Prince Georges and the defending champions failed to gain on

Chevy Chase in winning by only 6½-2½.

Argyle, host to the first team matches tomorrow, defeated Manor, 7½-1½, losing a sweep when Mrs. Herb Lacey and Mrs. W. A. Devin of Manor chipped in three times from off the green to get a halve in the second bracket.

Army Navy came back with a 6-3 triumph over Washington G&CC, and Belle Haven won, 6½-2½, over Woodmont.

In second team play, Prince Georges leads 15½ to Quantico's 11 in the first division and Army Navy has 16½ to Chevy Chase's 16 points in the second division.

Prince Georges and Army Navy are tied with 13 each in the first division of the third teams and Woodmont leads the second division with 15 points.

Other results yesterday:

SECOND TEAMS.	
First Division at Prince Georges.	
Belle Haven, 7½; Kenwood, 1½.	
Prince Georges, 8; Congressional, 1.	
Washington, 4½; Quantico, 4½.	
Second Division at Chevy Chase.	
Chevy Chase, 9; Manor, 0.	
Indian Spring, 8½; Bethesda, 1½.	
Army Navy, 7½; Washington, 1½.	
THIRD TEAMS.	
First Division at Indian Spring.	
Army Navy, 6; Indian Spring, 3.	
Washington, 6½; Argyle, 2½.	
Prince Georges, 7½; Belle Haven, 1½.	
Second Division at Kenwood.	
Columbia, 8½; Bethesda, ½.	
Woodmont, 9; Congressional, 0.	

## Chevy Chase Women Near Team Title

Chevy Chase added Kenwood to its list of Women's District Golf Association team championship victims yesterday at Army Navy Country Club, defeating the defending champions, 7½-1½.

The victory, the seventh in succession for Chevy Chase, gave the Connecticut ave. club team a total of 45 points, seven ahead of second place Argyle. Argyle's chances of overhauling Chevy Chase were ruined by Washington in a match ending in a 4½-4½ tie.

In other first team matches, Prince Georges defeated Belle Haven, 8½-½; Woodmont won a 6-3 decision over Manor, and Congressional edged Columbia 5-4.

Quantico, an 8½-½ point victor over Kenwood yesterday at Washington, took a ½ point lead over Prince Georges in the first division of the second team matches. Prince Georges suffered a 6½-2½ defeat at the hands of Washington. In the other match played at Washington, Congressional defeated Belle Haven, 5½-3½.

Army Navy took a commanding 13 point lead over Chevy Chase Club in the standings in the second division of the second team matches by defeating the Connecticut ave. club team, 9-0. In the other two matches, Manor and Indian Spring split 4½-4½, and Woodmont defeated Bethesda, 8-1.

In the first division of the third team matches at Argyle, the host club whitewashed Belle Haven, 9-0; Army Navy defeated Prince Georges, 6-3, and Washington disposed of Indian Spring, 6½ to 2½.

In the second division at Bethesda, Woodmont routed Bethesda, 8½ to a ½, and Kenwood and Columbia tied 4½ to 4½.

## Golf Honors Divided At Women's Field Day

Mrs. Charles Egenroad of Washington Golf and Country Club and Debbie Wilder of Manor captured honors in the Women's District Golf Association first team field day yesterday at Argyle.

Mrs. Egenroad led in gross score with a 76, while Miss Wilder was low net winner with 83-11-72. Mrs. George Noble of Kenwood was second low gross with 74 and Mrs. E. C. Ferriday of Chevy Chase was third with 78.

Mrs. James Swink of Belle Haven was second low net with 79-5-74, while six women tied with 75s: Mrs. Paul Streit, Army Navy, 84-9; Mrs. Fred Chaimson, Prince Georges, 86-11; Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, 79-4; Mrs. William Devin, Manor, 87-12; Mrs. John Kerkham, Columbia, 81-6, and Mrs. John Mancos, Belle-Haven, 85-8.



## Three-Year Reign Near End

# Argyle Women Upset Champion Kenwood

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Argyle just about ended Kenwood's three-year reign as Women's District Golf Association team champion yesterday at Chevy Chase Club, defeating the defending titlist, 8½ to ½.

It marked the second straight week that Kenwood, winners the title four times in the past five years, suffered defeat. Last week in the opening matches of the round-robin tournament, Washington upended the champions, 5-4, and yesterday's landslide just about squelched all hope of a successful defense by the gals from the River Road Club.

Last week Argyle edged Congressional by a slim 5-4 score but yesterday, strengthened by three new faces, Argyle looked the part of a real championship contender.

But, unfortunately, those three players — Georgia Mae McKeever, Lucille Busch and Dorothy Omolecki — won't be making any more appearances with Argyle. All three are Government girls and said after the match that they would rather spend what little time they have away from their jobs playing in this section's major tournaments.

The victory moved Argyle into second place in the loop standings with a total of 13½ points for two matches. Army

### STANDINGS

Army-Navy	14	Prince Georges	7½
Argyle	13½	Congressional	5½
Belle Haven	10½	Manor	5
Washington	9½	Kenwood	4½
Chevy Chase	8½	Woodmont	3½
Columbia	8		

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## Argyle Club Moves Into First Place

By Maury Fitzgerald  
Staff Reporter

Chevy Chase Club took command in the Women's District Golf Association team championship yesterday at Woodmont Country Club, toppling Army Navy Country Club from the lead by a surprisingly easy 3-to-1 score.

The powerful Chevy Chase team now rests in second place in the current standings with 16½ points. Argyle, the new

### STANDINGS

Argyle	18	Prince Georges	12
Chevy Chase	16½	Kenwood	11
Army Navy	15½	Congressional	9
Washington	15	Manor	7
Columbia	15	Woodmont	3½
Belle Haven	12½		

league leader with 18 points, has played three full matches, the 1950 champions two.

Argyle made its big surge last week with a sensational 8½ to a ½ point victory over Kenwood, the defending champion, but the aggregation that turned the trick has since retired on its laurels and a weaker team carries on.

### Argyle Ties Prince Georges

That weaker lineup had to settle yesterday on a 4½ to 4½ stalemate against Prince Georges.

In the other A championship matches: Columbia walloped Manor by a surprising 7-2 score, Washington edged Congressional, 5½-3½, and Kenwood, the defending champion, managed to win its first match defeating Belle Haven, 6½ to 2½. Woodmont, the host club team, was idle.

The second and third teams made their debuts yesterday. At Kenwood, in the first division of the second team championship, Prince Georges routed the host team, 7½ to 1½; Congressional edged Washington, 5-4; and Quantico, a new addition to the loop, defeated Belle Haven, 6½ to 2½.

### Second Team Results

In the second division of the second teams at Army Navy Country Club, the host club aggregation whitewashed Manor, 9-0; Chevy Chase defeated Bethesda, 7-2; and Woodmont edged Indian Spring, 5½ to 3½.

In the third team first division played at Prince Georges, Army Navy trounced Argyle, 7-2; Washington defeated Belle Haven, 5½-3½; and the host club team won from Indian Spring, 5½-3½. In the second division at Columbia, Woodmont defeated Kenwood, 6-3; and Congressional walloped Bethesda, 8½ to a ½.

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## Argyle's Clutch Play Sets Up Photo Finish In Women's Golf

Standings.	
Argyle	60
Chevy Chase	59½
Kenwood	48½
Prince Geo.	43½
Army Navy	41½
Washington	40
Congressional	38
Belle Haven	32½
Columbia	32
Manor	28½
Woodmont	22½

There's another photo finish in the Women's District Golf Association's first team matches, thanks to Argyle's faculty of walloping its closest competition.

Last year Kenwood won the title from Chevy Chase on the last putt of the last match of the season. Argyle didn't have a first team, but won the second team title, where it had to give handicaps.

The final match will be played next Tuesday at Manor where Argyle, leader by a half point after trouncing Chevy Chase yesterday, 8½ to ½, plays ninth-place Columbia, and Chevy Chase, leader all season until yesterday, meets fourth-place Prince Georges.

### Rarely at Full Strength.

Argyle is a completely unpredictable team because almost all of its players work. It has had its top lineup only twice in 10 matches and on those occasions has beaten Kenwood, the defending champion, and Chevy Chase, the favorite, by 8½-½ margins.

The standings would appear to favor Argyle Tuesday because it plays a lower team, but Columbia is stronger now because it has Mrs. L. G. Pray and the vastly improved Mrs. Fred Trew in its lineup. Actually, Prince Georges and Columbia now appear to be about equal strength.

Chevy Chase took a 7½-point advantage into yesterday's match at Belle Haven and could have clinched the title by winning 6-3. But Argyle swept the first two brackets and lost only a half point in the third. It was the first defeat of the season for the Chevy Chase second bracket, and the second defeat for the first.

### Garber-Busch Duo Keen.

Betty Garber and Capt. Lucille Busch, USAF, won three points from Mrs. Edward C. Ferriday and Mrs. Landra Platt with a best-ball 72. Mrs. Ferriday birdied two of the first three holes with 20-foot putts, but Argyle came back to square the match on the eighth and Capt. Busch's par on the ninth won. They won the back nine, 1 up, and the 18-hole point, 2 up, in the top bracket.

Georgia Mae McKeever and Mrs. Frank Cuth were one over par for 15 holes in winning all three from Mrs. Richard Johnson and Mrs. Webb Hayes. And the third bracket of Dorothy Omolecki and Mrs. Allan Sherer won 2½ to ½ for Mrs. W. S. Parsons and Mrs. Arnold Willcox, taking the nines 1 up and 2 and 1.

In the other matches yesterday Prince Georges defeated Woodmont, 6-3; Columbia and Washington tied, 4½-4½; Congressional defeated Army-Navy, 5-4, and Kenwood won over Manor, 6½-2½.

WHITTLESEY.

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Mrs. Allan Shearier-Mrs. Howard Wosker, Argyle, scored 0 points to 3 for Mrs. Fred Chaimson-Mrs. James Kinder, Prince Georges.

**KENWOOD, 6½; BELLE HAVEN, 2½**  
Mrs. George Noble-Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud, Kenwood, scored 2½ points to ½ for Mrs. James A. Swink-Mrs. John Mancoos, Belle Haven.

Mrs. Betty P. Meckley, Kenwood, playing without a partner, scored 1 point to 2 for Mrs. Nelson Praeger-Mrs. Jack Howard, Belle Haven.

Mrs. S. B. Crocker-Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney, Kenwood, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. J. A. Brooks-Dorothy Chubbuck, Belle Haven.

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## Women's Matches

# Chevy Chase Strengthens Golf Lead

Chevy Chase Club strengthened its Women's District Golf Association team championship lead yesterday at Columbia, defeating Belle Haven, 6-3.

Argyle unveiled its full strength for the second time in the round robin tourney to polish off Army Navy, 8-1, and take over the service club's second place position in the standings. In the other first team matches, Kenwood defeated Congressional, 6-3; Manor upset Prince Georges, 8-1; and Washington won from Woodmont, 6-3.

In the first division of the second team championship, Congressional routed Kenwood, 7-2; Prince Georges edged Quantico, 5-4, and Belle Haven and Washington battled to a 4½-4½ tie. In the second division of the second team event, Army Navy drubbed Bethesda, 3½-½; Woodmont eked out a 5-4 decision over Manor, and Chevy Chase squeaked past Indian Spring, 5-4.

### STANDINGS

Chevy Chase	37½	Congressional	18½
Argyle	31½	Columbia	18
Kenwood	31½	Manor	17½
Washington	31	Prince Geo.	17½
Army Navy	27½	Woodmont	13
Belle Haven	24½		

### CHEVY CHASE 6, BELLE HAVEN 3

Mrs. E. C. Ferriday-Mrs. L. B. Platt, Chevy Chase, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. James Swink-Mrs. John Mancos, Belle Haven.  
Mrs. R. L. Johnson-Mrs. Webb Hayes, Chevy Chase, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. Jack Howard-Mrs. Nelson Praeg, Belle Haven.  
Mrs. W. S. Parsons-Mrs. M. K. Barroll, Chevy Chase, scored 0 points to 3 for Mrs. Al Brooks-Dorothy Chubbuck, Belle Haven.

### KENWOOD 6, CONGRESSIONAL 3

Mrs. George Noble, Kenwood, scored 0 points against 3 for Mrs. D. H. Henderson-Mrs. Charles Lynch, Congressional.  
Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud-Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney, Kenwood, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. J. L. Barnicle-Joan Crampton, Congressional.  
Mrs. Philip Allen-Mrs. Samuel Crocker, Kenwood, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. Ralph Zuber-Nina Crampton, Congressional.

### MANOR 8, PRINCE GEORGES 1

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Mrs. V. P. Senseman-Mrs. T. V. Wilder, Manor, scored 2½ points to ½ for Mrs. Fred Chaimson-Mrs. James Kinder.

### WASHINGTON 6, WOODMONT 3

Mrs. Charles Eckenrode-Mrs. Lloyd Dennis, Washington, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. Morton Kaufman-Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, Woodmont.  
Mrs. William Walsh-Mrs. Howard Lady, Washington, scored 2 points to 1 for Mrs. Morris Craft-Mrs. Arthur Sims, Woodmont.  
Mrs. George Bailey-Mrs. Frank Mirth, Washington, scored 1 point to 2 for Mrs. Henry Lebovitz-Mrs. Henry Goodman, Woodmont.

### ARGYLE 8, ARMY NAVY 1

Betty Garber-Mrs. Richard Foley, Argyle, scored 2 points to 1 for Mrs. E. Koshick-Mrs. Paul Streib, Army Navy.  
Lucille Busch-Mrs. W. E. Howard, Argyle, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. F. H. MacNaughton-Mrs. J. E. Nettles, Army Navy.  
Mrs. Frank Cush-Dorothy Omolecki, Argyle, scored 3 points to 0 for Mrs. D. J. Carrison-Mrs. J. T. Kaogler, Army Navy.

# Chevy Chase Women Continue Fast Pace With 7-1 Golf Win

First Team	Standings	Points
Argyle	18	12
Chevy Chase	16½	11
Army Navy	15½	9
Columbia	15	7
Washington	15	7
Belle Haven	12½	3½

\*Played one less match.

Standings in the Women's District Golf Association team match series mean little because of the uneven number of teams and the fact that one draws a bye each week, but there's no disputing Chevy Chase's high average of 8¼ points per match out of a possible 9.

Argyle and Prince Georges averaging six points a match are the second best. Kenwood's defending champions and winners the past four years are averaging only 3½ points per match.

### ARMY NAVY THREAT DAMPENED

Army Navy was looked upon as a possible title threat after a pair of 7-2 triumphs in its first two matches, but the Service Club sextet met Chevy Chase yesterday at Woodmont and Chevy Chase won, 8-1.

Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., the District champion, played for the first time this season for Chevy Chase and with Mrs. Landra Platt won three points. Mrs. R. L. Johnson and Mrs. Webb Hayes, and the duo of Mrs. Arnold Wilcox and Mrs. W. S. Parson each won 2½ points.

Kenwood won for the first time, 6½-3½, over Belle Haven, with Mrs. Betty Meckley salvaging a point in the second bracket in playing alone against Mrs. Jack Howard and Mrs. Nelson Praigg. Mrs. Meckley was four down at nine and lost the 18, but won the back nine.

### COLUMBIA MOVES UP

Columbia's glamour girls moved up with a 7-2 triumph over Manor, while Argyle, without its Government employees, tied Prince Georges, and Washington beat Congressional, 5½-3½.

Second and third team matches also were underway yesterday. Quantico made its debut in District team play and topped Prince Georges' second team, 6½-2½.

### Yesterday's results:

First teams, at Woodmont:  
Argyle, 4½; Prince Georges, 4½.  
Kenwood, 6½; Belle Haven, 3½.  
Chevy Chase, 8½; Army Navy, 1.  
Columbia, 7; Manor, 2.  
Washington, 5½; Congressional, 3½.  
Second teams:  
First division, at Kenwood.  
Congressional, 5; Washington, 4.  
Prince Georges, 7½; Kenwood, 1½.  
Quantico, 8½; Belle Haven, 2½.  
Second division, at Army Navy.  
Woodmont, 5½; Indian Spring, 3½.  
Chevy Chase, 7; Bethesda, 2.  
Army Navy, 9; Manor, 0.  
Third teams:  
First division, at Prince Georges.  
Prince Georges, 5½; Indian Spring, 3½.  
Army Navy, 7; Argyle, 2.  
Washington, 5½; Belle Haven, 3½.  
Second division, at Columbia.  
Woodmont, 6½; Kenwood, 3.  
Congressional, 8½; Bethesda, 1½.

# Argyle Team's Potential Shown In Rout of Kenwood Women

Standings	Points	Points
Army Navy	14	7½
Argyle	13½	5½
Belle Haven	10½	5½
Washington	9½	5
Chevy Chase	8½	3½
Columbia	8	

x-Played one less match.

Argyle's Government girls hold the key to the Women's District Golf Association first team championship.

The team that smothered Kenwood, first team champions the last four years, by an 8½-to-½ margin at Chevy Chase yesterday would be favored to win the crown if it stuck together.

But four of the Argyle players are Federal employees and plan to play in only three of the 10 matches, at the most. They are Mrs. Richard Foley, Lucille Busch, Georgia Mae McKeever and Dorothy Omolecki. The last three did not play against Congressional last week and Argyle barely beat one of the weaker teams, 5-4. They took a day's leave yesterday and Argyle gave Kenwood its worst defeat in at least six years.

Without them Argyle cannot reasonably hope to stay near the top, but merely will serve the role of troublemaker.

With one team drawing a bye each week because of the odd number of teams (11) in the first team competition, the standings are not too revealing.

For instance, Chevy Chase is in fifth place today with 8½ points, but it drew a bye as the host team yesterday, and still must be regarded as the favorite to succeed Kenwood. Some of the Kenwood girls believe they still have a chance for a fifth straight title, but after two losses and with two changes in personnel, their chances are negligible.

After two weeks of play Chevy Chase is the choice, with Army Navy and Prince Georges as threats. Argyle figures to stay close only as long as it fields its top team.

Belle Haven is third at present, but it was awarded three points last week on the thinnest of technicalities.

Argyle scored its rout over Kenwood when Betty Garber and Mrs. Foley won, 2½ to ½, over Mrs. George Noble and Mrs. J. P. Trouchaud; Misses Busch and McKeever won all three from Mrs. Betty Meckley and Mrs. Hartwell MacCartney, and Mrs. Frank Cush and Miss Omolecki won three from Mrs. Phillip Allen and Mrs. Samuel Crocker. Miss McKeever had an 83 and Miss Busch a best-ball 78. The feature of Miss Omolecki's round was a birdie on the long par-3 ninth.

Prince Georges has a strong

top bracket in Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Gilbert Levy and showed balance in beating Congressional, 7½-1½. Army Navy won its second straight 7-2 triumph, this time over Belle Haven, but will know more of its potential when it meets Chevy Chase next Tuesday at Woodmont.

Manor bounced back and surprised by holding Washington to a 4½-4½ tie after Washington had beaten Kenwood. Mrs. H. L. Lacey and Mrs. John R. Daily won 2½ points in the second bracket. A fine 84 by Mrs. Richard Kreuzburg helped Kenwood to a 6-3 triumph over Woodmont, plus a 3 point second bracket sweep by Mrs. Carl MacCartee and Elinor Finckel.

Chevy Chase's team members are hoping for a quick recovery by the District champion, Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, jr., who is suffering from an arm ailment and may be out several more weeks.

# Victory Over Manor Gives Healthy Lead to Chevy Chase Golfers

Standing	Points	Points
xChevy Chase	31½	21½
Army Navy	26½	18
xArgyle	25½	16½
Kenwood	25½	10
xCongressional	25½	9½
Washington	25	

x-Played one less match.

With Chevy Chase still leading the Women's Golf Association's first-team matches by a comfortable margin after yesterday's fifth round at Argyle, interest turns to some of the individual performances as play is within one match of the halfway mark.

Records show that the duo that has scored the most points to date is the second bracket at Washington Golf and Country Club, Mrs. William Walsh and Mrs. Howard Lady. They have lost only once and have scored 12 out of a possible 15 points.

### ARMY NAVY DUO SECOND

The Army Navy Club's third bracket of Mrs. J. T. Kaigler and Mrs. D. J. Carrison has scored 11½ points out of a possible 15 and is the second highest scoring duo to stick together for the five matches. They also lost once.

Chevy Chase has two players who have not lost, but they have not stuck with the same partners. Mrs. Webb Hayes has won four times in the second bracket, three times with Mrs. Richard Johnson and once with Mrs. Arnold Wilcox for 10 out of 12 points. Mrs. W. S. Parsons has teamed three times with Mrs. Wilcox and once with Mrs. M. K. Barroll and can show 11½ of 12 points.

There was nothing very conclusive about yesterday's matches. Chevy Chase defeated Manor, 8-1, to maintain its favored role while Kenwood, winner the last four years, won 8-1 over Columbia and trails Chevy Chase by six points plus the number Chevy Chase can score against Washington on the date that Kenwood draws a bye.

### Congressional Team Wins

Army Navy moved into second place by defeating Woodmont, 5-4, but the Service Club team still has an open date coming up, when, of course, it will be scoreless. Congressional defeated Belle Haven, 6½ to 2½ and Washington won over a patched-up Prince Georges lineup, 7 to 2.

Argyle was idle and now trails Chevy Chase by six points with both having played the same number of matches. That means Argyle would have to beat Chevy Chase 8 to 1 when they meet to make up the six points.



# D. C. Women's Golf Again Wide Open as Match Play Begins

By Merrell Whittlesey

The District women's golf championship has been pretty much of a wide open affair since Mrs. A. B. Bower, now living in Richmond, left town in 1950. After having won her fourth title in five years. In fact, either Mrs. Walker R. Stokes, who quit the game because of a back ailment, or Mrs. Bower held the title every year the tournament was played from 1941 through 1950.

Mrs. Stokes won three, Mrs. Bower four and it was not held for three years.

Since 1950 it was Mrs. Richard Kreuzburg in 1951 (now on vacation), Betty Garber in 1952 and Mrs. E. C. Ferriday, Jr., of Chevy Chase last year.

Miss Garber and Mrs. Ferriday are trying for a second title in match play starting today, but there are other prominent contenders, such as Mrs. Charles Egenroad of Washington, the Chevy Chase medalist and semi-finalist last year, and Mrs. J. P. Troughaud of Kenwood, a former Maryland State finalist.

## Upper Bracket Tough

For the first time the defending champion was made an automatic qualifier and the player with the No. 1 position did not participate in the qualifying round, or participated and won the medal.

Mrs. Ferriday chose, as most any one would do over their home course, not to bother with a crack at the medal, and now the luck of the numerical draw is against her. In the first round today she met Capt. Lucille Busch, USAF, of Argyle, probably the District's most improved player, who had a 73 recently in team competition at Manor.

And in the same bracket there's Mrs. Noble and Miss Garber, plus Mrs. Jack Smith of Prince Georges, 1952 runner-up.

Mrs. Egenroad was the medalist by three strokes. She was first off the tee and posted a pair of 39s for a 78 that stood up. The next best was Miss Garber's 81, and 84 was next best.

This is Mrs. Egenroad's first medal. She was runnerup in the Virginia State last year, was semifinalist in the Maryland women's in 1950, and a three-time club champion at Washington.

## Several Stars Miss

It took 89 or better to make the championship flight without a playoff, and four of the six 90s made it. Mrs. W. S. Parsons of Chevy Chase was not around for the playoff and Mrs. George Maksim of Congressional lost on the third extra hole after finishing 4-5-4 on the tough finishing holes to shoot that 90.

The casualties were prominent, the most outstanding being last year's runnerup, Mrs. Lloyd Dennis of Washington. Mrs. Betty Meckley, a three-time winner, was a stroke too high but she did not intend to play through. Mrs. Webb Hayes of the host club missed after playing the front nine in 53, and the old Debbie Wilder was only two shots out with a 92.

There were complaints, too. Matches on the fourth tee for most of the day, and some of the better players were bitter about it. Seems anybody can enter the District tournament, and many of the high handicap players did just for the opportunity of playing Chevy Chase. If it's the District championship, it should be just for Class A players only.

## Championship Flight

Mrs. Edward C. Ferriday, Jr., Chevy Chase (automatic qualifier) (87), vs. Lucille Busch, USAF, Argyle (88), vs. Mrs. A. J. Koslick, Army, Navy (90), vs. Mrs. Betty Garber, Washington (89), vs. Mrs. J. P. Troughaud, Kenwood (86), vs. Mrs. Charles Egenroad, Chevy Chase (88), vs. Mrs. Jack Smith, Egenroad (89), vs. Mrs. Landis Platt, Chevy Chase (89), vs. Mrs. Richard Johnson, Chevy Chase (84), vs. Mrs. J. P. Troughaud, Kenwood (84), vs. Mrs. Frank Cash, Argyle (89), vs. Elinor Finckel, Columbia (86), vs. Mrs. Elinor Finckel, Columbia (86), vs. Mrs. Elinor Finckel, Columbia (86).

# Final Match Today Settles D.C. Women's Golf Championship

Elinor Finckel had a tennis date at Columbia Country Club last night, but wisely canceled it for a more important golf match today, the finals of the District women's golf championship against Lucille Busch, Air Force captain, from Argyle.

They met at Chevy Chase for the District title in a tournament in which neither had been past the first round in two previous trials. In fact, Miss Busch is making her debut in the title fight. She won the third flight in 1950 and was beaten in the second flight last year.

Miss Finckel twice qualified for the championship sixteen times, on one occasion winning the consolation bracket. Miss Finckel teaches at the fourth and fifth grades at the Oyster School, tripling up because of a room shortage. She grew up with a tennis racket in her hand, but for years had alternated between the two sports. She won the women's club golf title at Columbia the past two years.

## Beats Betty Garber

Miss Busch, who has been playing serious golf for only two years, is in the title round after having defeated the only two former champions entered, Mrs. Edward C. Ferriday, Jr., in the first round and Betty Garber yesterday. Miss Busch won, 4 and 3, over Miss Garber, the player who had beaten her in the final

The comments following the Women's National Capital Open played here last week were very similar to some made after the last visit of the women golfers in 1949. The girls are badly in need of some promotion to become fixtures in any city. They can't make it financially for purses of \$5,000, and few sponsors are going to pay that if the girls don't jazz up the tournaments.

With the exception of Babe Zaharias, there just wasn't a five-star attraction. Some of the players attracted attention with their long hitting, and most of them have a marvelous touch with approach shots, better than the men pros. This possibly is because they use much lighter clubs and have an advantage in the short shots.

But for the most part the 16-girl crew of pros that played here was completely devoid of color and personality. And some body should speak to them about playing in slacks and those unglamorous knee-length shorts. The sad part is that the player with by far the finest personality, and the one more people talked about than any other in the field was Marilyn Smith, who finished last among the pros and never will have the golf game to match her personality.

# Army Navy Women Due for Second Spot In Team Playoffs

Women's District Golf Association team play has only one match to go for all but the first teams, and Army Navy already has clinched one playoff berth and is so far ahead for another it virtually can be conceded.

The second and third teams took the play away from the first yesterday when Chevy Chase humbled Kenwood's defending champions, 7½ to 1½ and moved 7 points ahead of Argyle, which was held to a 4½-4½ tie by Washington G&CC.

In the first division of the second teams Quantico Prince Georges and is 4 ahead of Washington G&CC. Next week to 23 to 19. The winner should final match Congressional and Prince Georges plays fifth-place Belle Haven. The winner should be decided in those matches unless both are slip home with a big count against last-place Kenwood.

## One Title Clinched

Army Navy already has clinched the second teams, second division crown with 34 points, which is 13 more than Chevy Chase has in second place and there are only 9 points to be decided. Army Navy blanked Chevy Chase yesterday, 9-0.

In the first division of the third teams Army Navy has 27½ points to 22 for Argyle and Army Navy's final match is with last-place Belle Haven. The service club needs only 4 out of 9 points even if Indian scores a sweep against Spring.

The third teams, third division winner will be determined when Woodmont, the leader with 23½ and place with 19½. However, with its 4-point edge, Woodmont needs only 3 out of 9 points to gain the playoffs.

## Argyle Held to Draw

Last year Argyle won the second teams title in the playoff with Prince Georges, and Army Navy was the third-team champion over Bethesda.

Argyle fielded its top team for the first time in four weeks yesterday but was held to a draw in the first team play by Washington G&CC. Chevy Chase is so far ahead now that it would have to lose 8-1 to Argyle when the teams meet June 3 to make the series anywhere near even.

## Yesterday's results:

First Teams at Army Navy. Congressional 3, Columbia 4. Chevy Chase 7½, Kenwood 1½. Woodmont 6, Washington 3. Argyle 4½, Washington 3½. Prince Georges 5½, Belle Haven ½. Second Teams. Washington 1st Div. 3½, Belle Haven ½. Quantico 2½, Kenwood ½. Third Teams. Army Navy 9, Bethesda 4. Indian Spring 4, Prince Georges 3. Woodmont 8, 1st Div. at Congressional. 3rd 9, Belle Haven 0. Army Navy 8, Indian Spring 4½. Washington 4½, Bethesda ½. Columbia 8½, Bethesda ½. Woodmont 8½, Bethesda ½.

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# Keefe Cup Tourney Now Set for July 14

The Keefe Cup tournament has been rescheduled for July 14-15 at Chevy Chase Club, it was announced by Mrs. Ralph Goldsmith, president of the Women's District Golf Association.

The Keefe Cup is the major medal play tournament of the WDGA and twice has been postponed, the second time because of the death last Saturday of Gen. Frank R. Keefe, husband of the donor. It originally was postponed because of a conflict with the Women's National Capital Open.



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