

GOLF: BRITISH AMATEUR CHAMPION BEATEN CHESHIRE'S SUCCESS  
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### British Amateur Champion Beaten.

#### CHESHIRE'S SUCCESS.

Cheshire scored an overwhelming victory over Worcestershire in the inter-county golf match on the Royal Liverpool links at Hoylake on Saturday. Teams of 12 a-side contested singles and foursomes, and the result was 16 matches to two.

Dr. William Tweddell was partnered by C. S. Buckley, the old Aston Villa and international footballer, and the pair were beaten by W. Sutton, the West Cheshire artisan and county champion, and G. Tweeddale, by 3 and 2, after being one down at the turn. In the singles Sutton played at the top and had met Dr. Tweddell on the same course that the latter gained his triumph a few weeks ago in the amateur championship competition. It was a close match throughout, and Sutton won on the last green. Dr. Tweddell had come straight from St. Andrews, where he did not finish his last round in the open championship until after six o'clock the previous evening. Details:—

#### SINGLES.

Cheshire.		Worcestershire.	
W. Sutton (1 up) ....	1	Dr. W. Tweddell ....	0
J. E. Hassall .....	0	C. S. Buckley (5 & 1) ..	1
G. Tweeddale (5/4) ....	1	N. S. Howson .....	0
K. Stoker (1 up) .....	1	W. Pearson .....	0
C. P. Leese (5 & 3) ..	1	C. B. Kempsen .....	0
J. R. Abercrombie (3 and 2) .....	1	G. Chamberlain .....	0
A. Macbeth (5 & 3) ..	1	C. R. Hough .....	0
N. Sutton (3 & 2) ..	1	R. G. East .....	0
H. W. Heslop (8 & 5) ..	1	E. A. C. Phipps .....	0
W. B. Charles (2 up) ..	1	D. Fiddian .....	0
C. K. Parker .....	0	E. Fiddian (5 & 3) ..	1
F. B. Scholfield (6 and 5) .....	1	H. Yardley .....	0
	10		2

#### FOURSOMES.

Sutton and Tweeddale (3 and 2) .....	1	Tweddell and Buckley	0
Abercrombie & Charles (2 and 1) .....	1	Howson & Tennison ..	0
Hassall and Heslop (6 and 4) .....	1	Pearson & Chamberlain	0
Leese and Macbeth (2 and 1) .....	1	East and Phipps .....	0
Stoker and Scholfield (4 and 2) .....	1	Hough and Yardley ..	0
Parker and Sutton (6 and 5) .....	1	Fiddian and Fiddian ..	0
	6		0
Aggregate .....	16	Aggregate .....	2

## GOLF.

### Cheshire Beat Derbyshire.

Cheshire amateur golfers played their first county match of the season on Saturday when they engaged Derbyshire on the links of the Wilmslow club, and won on the aggregate of singles and foursomes by 11 matches to six, with one halved. The teams were twelve aside, and Cheshire gained an early advantage by taking four of the foursomes in the morning.

In the singles I Sidebottom was beaten by C. Thorpe, the Derbyshire champion, who played remarkably fine golf. Thorpe was out in 35 and was four up at the thirteenth. J. P. Leese played great golf against Rev. W. H. Foster Pegg and won by three and two. The feature was the amazing length of the Cheshire player. At the sixth, 20 yards from tee to green, he was up in two shots without any wind to assist him, and at the sixteenth, after almost equal even shots, he reached the green with a light iron, while his opponent took wood and was short. Leese was out in 37 for two up, and though Foster Pegg played very soundly he could not avoid defeat. P. E. Ogden still maintains his form, as was proved by his eight up against J. C. Harrison, and C. K. Parker, of Warrington, won after being two down and three to play. He holed long putts at each of the last three holes.

In the foursomes Sidebottom and G. Tweedale went down to Foster Pegg and J. C. Harrison, but C. P. Leese and M. Schunck had an extraordinary win against Thorpe and T. B. Farrington, who were disposed of on the seventh green. G. Tweedale did not take part in the singles, in which his place was taken by E. K. Agnew, who won his match by three and one. Results:—

Singles.	
Cheshire.	Derbyshire.
I. Sidebottom .....	0 C. Thorpe (4 & 3) .....
C. P. Leese (5 & 2) ..	1 Rev. W. H. Foster Pegg 0
M. Schunck (4 & 3) ..	1 T. B. Farrington .....
H. W. Heslop .....	0 D. W. Natby (3 & 2) ..
P. E. Ogden (8 & 6) ..	1 J. C. Harrison .....
C. K. Parker (1 up) ..	1 E. J. Kingsbury .....
G. M. Tweedale (half) ..	0 C. M. Mansfield (half) 0
F. B. Scholfield .....	0 G. E. Bell (5 & 4) .....
H. B. Crook (2 & 1) ..	1 R. M. Harrison .....
J. Seddon .....	0 Dr. H. Barber (1 up) ..
N. Birtles (5 & 4) ..	1 J. E. L. Marshall .....
E. K. Agnew (4 & 2) ..	1 H. M. Peacock .....
7	4
Foursomes.	
G. Tweedale's and Sidebottom .....	0 Foster-Pegg and J. C. Harrison (5 & 1) .....
Leese and Schunck (9 & 7) .....	1 Thorpe and Farrington 0
Heslop and Parker (3 & 2) .....	1 Mansfield and Natby ..
C. M. Tweedale and Scholfield .....	0 Kingsbury and Barber (2 up) .....
Ogden and Birtles (6 & 5) .....	1 Bell and R. M. Harrison ..
Crook and Seddon (5 & 4) ..	1 Peacock and Marshall 0
4	2
Aggregate .....	11 Aggregate .....
	6

## Lancashire Again Beat Cheshire.

### SUTTON'S BIG WIN.

Teams representing Lancashire and Cheshire amateur golfers met on Saturday on the Royal Lytham and St. Annes links in their return match of the season, when Lancashire confirmed the result of the earlier meeting at Bromborough, winning by 11 matches to seven on the aggregate of singles and foursomes. The teams were twelve aside. There were prominent players missing from both teams, but each was strongly represented, Lancashire, in particular, having a very powerful side, which included the present champion and three ex-champions, in addition to two runners-up for the title during recent years.

The foursomes were played in the morning, when Lancashire gained an early advantage, taking four matches to two. They lost in the top match, R. H. Hardman, the champion, and T. L. C. Heald being beaten by W. Sutton, the Cheshire title holder, and W. B. Charles, the Royal Liverpool veteran. The Lancastrians did not combine well, and Hardman, in particular, was much below his usual form. S. Robinson and D. E. B. Soulbey won their match for Lancashire against I. Sidebottom and N. Sutton, but they were one down at the sixth. Then they had a brilliant run, winning six holes in succession in 4, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4. After a half in four at the thirteenth, they lost the fourteenth against a three, but won the fifteenth in two to become five up.

H. Catterall and H. Critchley are usually a strong combination, but they were fur down with five to play against M. Schunck and F. B. Scholfield. The Lancashire pair fought to the last, and took the match to the last green.

#### The Singles.

Cheshire began well in the singles, and looked like turning the result when they came in winning three of the first four matches. W. Sutton simply ran away at the beginning against R. H. Hardman. The latter was certainly far below his best, but

at the same time Sutton was playing brilliant golf, and he was dormy at the eleventh. Hardman then rallied and won three holes in succession, but he could do no better than halve the fifteenth and the match was over.

M. Schunck followed with another win for Cheshire, which made matters square on the matches. He beat D. E. B. Soulby by a margin which one would have considered impossible, especially considering that the winner is more accustomed to inland courses. Schunck was playing in his first county match this season, but his win by four and three was gained by excellent golf. He turned two up, was three up at the twelfth, and reached the fifteenth, where the match finished, in 57 strokes.

S. Robinson had a good match against I. Sidebottom, but generally had a hole or two in hand. He was three up at the twelfth—after four threes in succession—and eventually won by two and one. W. B. Charles did well to beat T. L. C. Heald. They also had a dour struggle. The Cheshire player was dormy on the eighteenth tee, and at one time there appeared every possibility of a halved match as Heald had a moderate length putt for a three while Charles was to the left of the green with the like. The latter holed his chip for a three while Heald missed his putt and lost the hole. H. Critchley, who was the runner up for the county championship on the same links four years ago, was in brilliant form against F. B. Scholfield and, like Schunck, took 57 only for the first fifteen holes, at which stage he was five up.

S. S. Potter (Lancashire) and H. L. Holden, the present and a past Manchester Challenge Cup holder, had a close match, with Holden generally having a slight lead. There was little between the two in the play through the green, but Potter was not getting his putts down, at times missing the hole by inches only. After being two down with four to play Potter squared at the sixteenth, but after a half at the seventeenth, Holden placed his second at the home hole to within five feet of the pin, and holed for a three to win. A. M. Goodwin, of Davyhulme, again proved his soundness by defeating P. E. Ogden, who is always hard to beat, while J. H. Gatterall had a surprisingly big win over K. Stoker, Cheshire's most consistent match player for some years. The winner was playing on his home course, and took full advantage of his local knowledge.

N. H. Fletcher had a stiff fight against the West Cheshire Artisan, W. Loudon, and lost on the last green. H. Shaw, of Reddish Vale, was also fully tested by another member of the West Cheshire team, N. Sutton, and he won on the last green, while G. Ashbrook, also of Reddish Vale, won his match comfortably against C. D. Gawith, of Caldby, who was playing in his first match with Cheshire. Details:—

Lancashire.		Singles.	Cheshire.	
R. H. Hardman, Birkdale .....	0	W. Sutton, W. Cheshire A. (4 & 3) .....	1	
S. Robinson, Southport and A. (2 & 1) .....	1	I. Sidebottom, Stockport .....	0	
D. E. B. Sulby, Fairhaven .....	0	M. Schunck, Hale (4 & 3) .....	1	
H. Shaw, Reddish Vale (1 up) .....	1	N. Sutton, W. Cheshire Artisans .....	0	
T. L. C. Heald, Birkdale .....	0	W. B. Charles, Royal Liverpool (2 up) ....	1	
J. H. Catterall, Royal Lytham and St. A. (6 & 5) .....	1	K. Stoker, Royal Liverpool .....	0	
H. Critchley, St. Annes Old (5 & 3) .....	1	F. B. Scholfield, Sandiway .....	0	
S. S. Potter, Manchester .....	0	H. L. Holden, Bowdon (1 up) .....	1	
A. M. Goodwin, Davyhulme (3 & 2) .....	1	P. E. Ogden, Wilmelaw .....	0	
J. R. Smith, R. Lytham and St. A. (3 & 1) ..	1	C. K. Parker, Warrington .....	0	
N. H. Fletcher, Blackpool .. .....	0	W. Loudon, W. Cheshire Artisans (1 up) ....	1	
C. Ashbrook, Reddish Vale (4 & 3) .....	1	C. D. Gawith, Caldys ..	0	
Total .....	7	Total .....	5	
<b>Foursomes.</b>				
Hardman and Heald ..	0	W. Sutton and Charles (4 & 3) .....	1	
Robinson and Sulby (5 & 3) .....	1	Sidebottom and N. Sutton .....	0	
Catterall & Critchley ..	0	Schunck and Scholfield (1 up) .....	1	
Shaw and Potter (4 & 2) .....	1	Stoker and Loudon ..	0	
Goodwin and Smith (2 up) .....	1	Ogden and Parker ....	0	
Fletcher and Ashbrook (4 & 3) .....	1	Holden and Gawith ..	0	
Total .....	4	Total .....	2	
Aggregate .....	11	Aggregate .....	7	

Cheshire introduced three new men into their team, J. Woollam, of Hooton, and H. J. Longstaffe, of Sandiway, each won their singles, while F. J. Bryant, of Sandiway, though beaten by S. Walsh, a very useful player from Baildon, played well and took their match to the seventeenth. Details:—

Singles.

Yorkshire.		Cheshire.	
J. Robinson, Halifax (4 & 2) .....	1	I. Sidebottom, Stockport .....	0
J. E. A. Platts, Headingley (2 & 1) .....	1	M. Schunck, Hale .....	0
C. Hodgson, Baildon ..	0	G. Tweedale, Wilmslow (4 & 2) .....	1
B. Wragg, Sheffield and District (2 & 1) .....	1	J. R. Abercrombie, Prestbury .....	0
J. E. Gent, Bradford Moor (1 up) .....	1	A. Macbeth, Bowdon ..	0
E. J. Nichol, West Bowling .. .. .	0	H. W. Heslop, Bromborough (1 up) .....	1
A. Fell, Keighley (half)	0	F. B. Scholfield, Sandiway (half) .....	0
E. A. Lassen, Bradford (5 & 4) .. .. .	1	C. K. Parker, Warrington .....	0
E. E. Ainley, Huddersfield .....	0	J. Woollam, Hooton (1 up) .....	1
D. Illingworth, Bradford .....	0	H. J. Longstaffe, Sandiway (1 up) .....	1
S. Walsh, Baildon (2 & 1) .....	1	F. J. Bryant, Sandiway .....	0
F. Roberts, Headingley (5 & 2) .....	1	W. F. Ashbrook, Stockport .....	0
Total .....	7	Total .....	4

Foursomes.

Robinson and Platts ..	0	Tweedale and Sidebottom (1 up) .....	1
Hodgson and Wragg (2 up) .....	1	Abercrombie and Macbeth .....	0
Gent and Nichol (half).	0	Schunck and Scholfield (half) .....	0
Fell and Roberts (5 & 4)	1	Heslop and Parker .....	0
Lassen and Ainley (2 up)	1	Longstaffe and Bryant.	0
Illingworth and Walsh (1 up) .....	1	Woollam and Ashbrook	0
Total .....	4	Total .....	1
Aggregate .....	11	Aggregate .....	5

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