XXVII.-DITCHERS.

A bowl which runs or is driven into the ditch by the effects of the play, and which has not previously touched the Jack, is called a "ditcher", or dead bowl, and must be immediately removed from the green. Should a ditcher under any circumstances, return to the green, it must be removed. A bowl shall be considered a "ditcher," when it has passed clear of the first ditch line.

XXVIII.—PLAYING IN THE DUSK

Under no circumstances is a cap or other object to be laid on the green, or placed on a bowl or a Jack; but a cap or any other object may be held over one or other, or in front of either, for the guidance of the player.

XXIX.—ON-LOOKERS.

All players, while looking on, shall stand jack-high at least, and, unless acting as skips, not within three yards of the Jack. Parties not engaged in the game must not stand on the rinks.

XXX.-INJURY TO GREEN.

1. Players are strictly prohibited from driving bowls up and down the green before or after the game. They are also particularly requested not to

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