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# YACHTING

## Denies That He Will Challenge for the America's Cup --Don't-Want Sir Thomas Linton to Challenge Again.

The report that Sir Ernest Cochrane of Dublin is to challenge for the America's Cup is denied by him. The report was not taken seriously in this country. Secretary George A. Cormack of the New York Yacht Club states that the club has received no challenge and no intimation of one. It is also pointed out that an individual may not challenge for the trophy, as, under the deed of gift, the challenge must come from a club, which would naturally hold a meeting to confirm any challenge before it would be acceptable to

The New York Yacht Club. Sir Thomas Lipton is anxious to make another attempt to lift the cup, but he is having trouble in finding a designer to turn out a boat for him. After the last series of races there was some bitterness between Fife the designer and Sir Thomas, and Fife has declined to have anything more to do with the Irish baronet, and as George L. Watson is dead there is no other designer except Alfred Mylne who is capable of designing a racing boat. Sir Thomas wrote to the New York Yacht Club some time ago, asking if that club would entertain

challenge under the new rules of measurement, but the club replied that "it did not cross bridges until it came to them," and would not say what it would do until some club issued a challenge. It has been an open secret for some time that the New York Yacht Club would rather not have to meet a boat owned by Sir Thomas Lipton, and so would put every obstacle in the way of accepting a challenge from him. There has also been a disposition in the club to have some other yachtsmen enter the lists, and it is said that if Sir Ernest Cochrane or any other

British yachtman would challenge through some recognized club the club would meet the challenger fairly, and that a match could easily be arranged under the new rules or some modification of them.

**JEFFRIES MAY YET  
REFEREE FIGHT FOR  
BRITT AND NELSON**

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—With hundreds

of sportsmen arriving daily to see the fight Saturday afternoon at Colma between Jimmy Britt and Battling Nelson, a referee had not been decided on up to tonight. It is thought that James Jeffries will be referee in spite of objections raised by Nolan, Nelson's manager.

Jeffries telegraphed to Manager Coffroth last night asking if he was expected to referee, and Coffroth replied in the affirmative. "Then I shall be in San Francisco Thursday night," replied Jeffries.

When he is on the ground and the outcome of the fighting can come to

The sale of seats goes on at a lively rate. There are hosts of men from far and near already on the scene. There will be a large gathering of sporting writers and sporting authorities from all over the United States at the ringside.

hard training. They have reached the stage where the question of weight no longer is an element in the training and all attention is paid to keeping "on edge" until the gong summons them to the fray. Both men are in excellent condition. Manager Ciffoth has already taken \$45,000 for seats and asserts that when the men enter the ring Saturday afternoon the prize for which they will contest will amount to \$70,000, a record amount for ring contests.

The betting today remains unchanged—

10 to 7 with Britt the favorite. There is no great activity in the betting, owing to the uncertainty as to the choice of a referee.

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## HALIFAX GOLF TOURNAMENT

Halifax, Sept. 7.—(Special)—The second round in the ladies' golf tournament was played here today.

Miss M. Chipman vs. Miss E. White—

Won by Miss White, 6 up and 1 to play.  
Miss Mabel Thomson, 7 up and 1 to play.  
Consoled round (finals)—Mrs. Greer, 6 up and 1 to play.  
Mrs. Mitchell vs. Mrs. E. Phillips—Won by Mrs. Mitchell, 2 up and 1 to play.

The approaching and pending competition was a social affair, and consisted of a game of bridge in the afternoon. It resulted in a tie between Miss Robertson and Miss Mabel Thomson, and in the play off Miss Robertson won.

The trophy for the championship is a cup presented by Alderman J. A. Johnson, which is held for the year and becomes the property of anyone winning it three times, not necessarily in succession. There is a gold medal for the winner and also a silver medal for the runner-up. The connection there

Tomorrow morning the annual meeting and election of officers will take place and in the afternoon the finals in the competition. This contest will be between Miss White vs. Miss Mabel Thomson.

Following this will come a match between Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. A team of ten from each side will be chosen tomorrow morning. The trophy for this match is a cup presented by the ladies of the Halifax Golf Club.

**NORDICA'S HOME LOOTED**  
OSSINGEN, N. Y. Sept 7.—It is no  
knowing that the home of Mme. Nordica  
the singer, was entered by burglars a  
Sunday last and \$500 worth of silverware  
and jewelry stolen. The thieves went  
through different rooms and collected sev  
eral watches, some pieces of silverware  
and various articles of jewelry, valued  
\$500.

**'T WAS NOT THE GOVERNOR**

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—A dispatch to the public from St. Louis, Mass., says: "By a vote of 10 to 8 the right that former Governor T. T. Crittenden, of Kansas city, had died here. It has since developed that a confusion of the former Governor with the name of the same person, having the same name, caused many to believe that it was T. T. Crittenden, of Kansas City, who died had occurred."

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"His vast expenditures in the purchase votes are not denied,"

"Well,"

"Of course, these make him out as a man of great influence in the United States Senate."

"You are misinformed. They, by means, impoverished him."—Puck.