

GOLF.

The Fern Hill Golf Club has changed its name to Toronto Golf Association. A ladies' championship match will be played at an early date not yet fixed, for which a medal has been offered by Mrs. W. Cassels.

The first fall foursome of the Rosedale Golf Club, having been postponed on account of bad weather, was held Saturday, the 12th, on the club grounds; Mr. John Dick, with Mrs. Bartlett, who is a comparatively new player, being the successful winners and securing the medal for the month, Mrs. John Dick and Mr. Geo. Lyon coming in second; Dr. Scott and Miss E. Scott, third, followed by Miss H. Scott and Mr. McLaughlin. The foursome will be played for again the first week in October, when a very large turn out is expected and afternoon tea is proposed. A match with the Oakville, which is also comparatively a new club, is talked about in the near future.

Outside matches are very desir-able and should be encouraged. They infuse clubs with a great deal of enthusiasm, and add much to the

interest of the game, by enlarging the styles and methods of playing. A handicap match for the presi-dent's medal will be opened by the Rosedale Club on Tuesday, Sept. 29th, and will continue during the three following weeks. At the closing match the lady with the three lowest scores retains the handsome medal.

The ladies' golf at Niagara did not take place on account of the few entries. Many of the chief lady golfers were absent from home at that time, so Miss Geale has not yet had an opportunity to dispute her championship. It is to be hoped that next year the ladies will render as excellent showing at the Niagara tournament as the men did this year in the fine play of Mr. Tucker, who is now champion of America.

The High Park Golf Club are making great effort to support the game in the west end of the city, and, now the fall weather has started, hope to have many pleasant Saturday afternoons in the park.

TENNIS.

TORONTO ATHLETIC CLUB LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather the Toronto Athletic Club's annual lawn tennis tournament was a great success, several well-known American players being present, which added a great deal of interest to the play. The ladies' matches to the play. The ladies' matches were especially keen and well contested, and although Miss Juliette Atkinson, of Brooklyn, the ex-cham-pion lady player of the United States and present lady champion of Canada, as was expected, carried off first prize in the open singles for ladies, yet some of our home players gave her a hard tussle, especially Miss B. Lefroy in the first round and Miss M. Davis in the finals, the former only being beaten by the score of 7-5, 7-5. Miss G. Scott score of 7-5, 7-5. very nearly succeeded in beating Miss K. Atkinson, the champion, in the first round, and she only succumbed after a three-set match, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4. And Miss Davis earned the right of going into the final round by beating Miss K. Atkinson after a hard fight, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2. The following is the score of the ladies' open singles :

Ladies' Singles.

Preliminary-Miss M. Johnston, Mrs. T. H. Whitehead, Miss M. Davis, Miss V.

T. H. Whitehead, Miss M. Davis, Miss V. Summerhayes. First-Miss J. Atkinson, Miss B. Lefroy, Miss Mallindine, Mrs. Whitehead, 6-3, 6-3; Miss Davis, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1; Miss Upton, Miss K. Atkinson, Miss G. Scott. Semi-Final - Miss J. Atkinson, 7-5, 7-5; Mrs. Whitehead, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Davis, 6-2, 6-3; Miss K. Atkinson, -3, 5-7, 6-4. Final-Miss Atkinson, 6-1, 6-4; Miss

Davis, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2. Winner-Miss Atkinson, 6-3, 6-3.

The Niagara tennis match held at the Queen's Royal, on Aug. 25th and succeeding days, came off too late for publication in this depart-ment. The successful lady competitors were Miss Julia Atkinson, of Brooklyn, who won the challenge trophy, and Miss De Puy, of Pittsburg, who won the novice prize.

BOWLING.

Following the fashions set by our American and English cousins, Montreal has taken bowling greatly into favor, and the ladies of that city expect to pass many long winter afternoons and evenings over this enjoyable game. It does not demand too much exertion, and the weather does not interfere with this sport, unless played on the green. Teronto, which boasts of so many men's bowling clubs, should encourage its ladies to take up this excellent sport. In Detroit there is a club composed of ladies of the Harmonic Society, who, once a week all winter, gather at the

bowling alley in the basement of the Harmonic building to enjoy the sport by themselves. They choose the lighter balls, and gain considerable skill in sending them straight and true into the centre pin of the triangle. Two boys roll the balls back, so that the work is not too hard to be pleasant, and it is splendid exercise and great fun. Then after a couple of hours' sport and the averaging up of the score, there is an adjournment to a small western dining-room. Here is served delicious "kaffee" and a dainty cake, brought by some skilful housekeeper. For a half hour there is a chattering of many tongues on many things.

BOATING.

The Argonaut races have an attraction for ladies which is not due to aquatic interest entirely. The well-filled balcony and dancingroom of the club house on such occasions testify to the secondary cause. A great deal of disappoint-ment was felt in consequence of the necessary postponement of the races due to rough weather and water.

On Monday, 21st of Septemberladies' day—an impromptu dance in bicycle suits formed a piquant feature of the race gayeties.

CYCLING.

Had any of the ladies of the Mowbray House Associatiou been present at the council meet of the National Cyclists' Union, they would have been surprised at the manner in which the resolutions bearing on racing by women were received by Mr. Staveacre of the Manchester centre. That gentleman was of opinion that the "unclean thing" should be stamped out even at places of public amusement, and said that he had been instructed to impress this view upon the council. The majority of the delegates did not feel that they were called upon to interfere, and the motion passed

The question is settled at last. Bloomers will not be worn for bicycle riding-at least not by My Lady.

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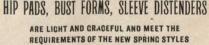
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