

First Flight Champion

BERNARDSVILLE — The youngest and prettiest gal in the Women's Met tourney here at Somerset Hills C.C. Saturday turned out to be a champion also, as Miss Barbara Frelinghuysen won the First Flight title.

Barbara, who is 21 years old and was just graduated from Wheaton College in Massachusetts, earned her cup and silver bowl by defeating Mrs. George Van Tassell of Glen Ridge, 4 and 3.

Tall, blond, and charming, she was still a little girlish in her excitement on her well-earned victory. "I'm thrilled," she said; "I've never played better in my life."

Barbara had put a big smile on her mother's face; and part of the story of this flight was that Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen Jr. was eliminated by Miss Barbara Frelinghuysen when they met head-to-head.

"She murdered me," Mrs. Frelinghuysen said of her loss to Barbara; but mom was a happy-looking corpse.

Against Mrs. Van Tassel, who is one of the better distaff golfers in New Jersey, Barbara was two-up after nine holes and out in 41. She was only two over par on the next six holes.

Barbara had a birdie on the sixth hole on a short putt and birdied the 12th from 15 feet. She also won 10 and 13, while losing 11 and 14 to go three up going to 15.

On the 15th, Barbara was neatly on the green in two and closed things out when Mrs. Van Tassel bogied it. Mrs. Frelinghuysen was tournament chairman for this event.

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Runner-Up: Mrs. VanTassel Winner: Miss B. Frelinghuysen