

*Mrs. Torgerson, Mrs. Untermeyer Take
21-Hole Matches in Metropolitan Golf*

SEMI-FINALISTS IN WOMEN'S METROPOLITAN GOLF

DEFENDER DEFEATS MRS. PARK ON LINKS

Mrs. Torgerson Advances to
Semi-Finals at Sleepy
Hollow Country Club

MRS. UNTERMAYER SCORES

Wins Close Battle From Mrs.
Kaufmann—Miss Mackie and
Mrs. Bartol Also Gain

By MAUREEN ORCUTT

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

SCARBOROUGH-ON-HUDSON, N. Y., July 13—Mrs. Reinert M. Torgerson of Cherry Valley, the defending champion, and Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer of Century, co-medalist with Mrs. W. R. Kirkland Jr., were forced to go 21 holes before winning their quarter-final matches today in the forty-seventh annual women's metropolitan championship at Sleepy Hollow.

Reaching the round of four also were Miss Peggy Mackie of Inwood, winner over Mrs. Kirkland yesterday, and Mrs. John H. Bartol of Greenwich, Westchester and Fairfield champion.

Mrs. Torgerson played a steady game all the way in her match with Mrs. Gordon Park of Glen Ridge, 1949 New Jersey association champion.

Mrs. Untermeyer had a hard tussle with Mrs. Irving Kaufmann of Sunningdale on the first nine, but when she became 3 up at the twelfth it looked as if she had the match well in hand. But Mrs. Kaufmann, who was putting exceptionally well, squared the count by taking the fifteenth, sixteenth and eighteenth holes in par figures. The first two extra holes were halved in par. Mrs. Untermeyer placed her second shot to the 317-yard par 4 twenty-first hole on the green and won when her opponent played a poor shot.



Miss Peggy Mackie, Mrs. Reinert Torgerson, Mrs. John Bartol and Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer at the Sleepy Hollow Country Club. The New York Times

Mrs. Choate 2 up

Miss Mackie had to come from behind to win from Mrs. Allison Choate of Apawamis, 1 up. On the first nine holes Mrs. Choate got a 2-over-par 40 to reach the turn 2 up.

But as she did yesterday when she eliminated Mrs. Kirkland after being 4 down and 4 to go, Miss Mackie came back to square the count by taking the eleventh and twelfth in par. A putt of 12 feet for a birdie 3 on the thirteenth hole put Mrs. Choate 1 up again. After halving the next two holes, Miss Mackie squared it again by winning the sixteenth in par 5.

The Inwood player became 1 up for the first time on the seventeenth when her opponent sent her tee shot out of bounds. A par on the long 474-yard par 5 downhill eighteenth was all Miss Mackie needed to send her into the semi-final round for the first time in her golfing career.

Mrs. Bartol, who has been playing the best game of her career during this tournament, was 2 up at the turn in her match with Mrs. Saul Weinsier of Fresh Meadow and added to this advantage by winning the tenth and eleventh holes to be 4 up.

Mrs. Weinsier won the thirteenth, fourteenth and seventeenth holes and was only 1 down. The Westchester champion wasn't to be denied, however, for she placed her No. 6 iron third shot on this long hole to within 2 feet of the pin and sank the putt for a birdie 4 and the match.

Sinks 15-foot Putt

Mrs. Park sank a 15-footer for a birdie on the eighteenth to send her match with Mrs. Torgerson into extra holes. On the nineteenth the defending champion missed a great chance to win when, after a pitch to within 5 feet of the cup, she missed the putt. They halved the twentieth hole in 5's.

Bad judgment on the part of Mrs. Park at the twenty-first cost her a chance to keep the match going. With Mrs. Torgerson on the green, Mrs. Park elected to use a putter from off the edge. She missed the shot while Mrs.

Torgerson, who had left herself short on her first putt, sank a six-footer for a par and victory.

Tomorrow Mrs. Untermeyer meets Mrs. Bartol and Mrs. Torgerson encounters Miss Mackie.

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*Mrs. Untermeyer, Mrs. Bartol In
WMGA Semi-Final Play*

Two County Contenders Meet Today At Sleepy Hollow Club

By GUIDO CRIBARI
SCARBOROUGH—

The Westchester area district has an even chance of winning the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association championship at Sleepy Hollow Country Club tomorrow.

This was assured yesterday when a pair of representatives from this area and Long Island advanced into the semi-final bracket of four.

The four are Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer of Century, Mrs. John Bartol of Greenwich, Miss Peggy Mackie of Inwood and Mrs. Reinert Torgerson of Cherry Valley, the defending champion.

Oddly enough, players from this area are currently title holders in

the Westchester-Fairfield Association. Mrs. Untermeyer, comedian in the Met event, is the open or medal play ruler, while Mrs. Bartol is WFA match play titlist.

Yesterday's matches were keenly contested and produced some of the most spine-tingling action of the tournament thus far.

Mrs. Untermeyer was extended to 21 holes in defeating Mrs. Irving Kaufmann of Sunningdale, 1-up in 21 holes. Miss Mackie had to play through 18 in halting Mrs. Allison Choate of Apawamis, 1-up, and Mrs. Bartol also went the route in edging Mrs. Saul Weinsier of Fresh Meadow, L. I., 2-up.

The luck of the draw, pits the players from this area against each other in today's semi-final, while the lower half semi sends the two Long Islanders against each other.

Not since 1936 when Westchesterite Mrs. Betty Pietsch Dietrich defeated Mrs. Barbara Stoddard Kirkland at Seawane has a county player won the Met title or gained the finals of this title event. Mrs. Untermeyer was runner-up in 1939, but she then was playing out of Jersey strictly.

Briefly, here are some of the highlights of yesterday's results:
Eight of 1st Nine Halved

Mrs. Torgerson and Mrs. Park halved eight of the first nine, with the champion winning the 7th for a 1-up lead at the turn. They alternated in winning the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th holes. Mrs. Park drew even by winning the 16th with a birdie 4. Mrs. Torgerson won the 17th with a birdie-2 and the Jersey player squared at the 18th with a 20-foot putt for another birdie-4.

They halved 19 and 20, and Mrs. Torgerson prevailed by taking the 21st with a par-4 when Mrs. Park unwisely putted from off the fringe of the green and left herself short and took five. The defending titlist was 79 for the 18. Mrs. Park 81.

Mrs. Bartol was even 80 for the round and 4-up at the 11th. Mrs. Weinsier rallied to cut the margin to one at the 17th. But the Greenwich player hammered a six-iron two feet from the cup to win the 18th with a conceded birdie-4.

Mrs. Untermeyer and Mrs. Kaufmann were out in 42 and even at the turn. The former won the 10th, 11th and 12th to stand 3-up at the 15th. However, she double bogeyed the 16th and 17th and missed four-footer at the 18th and was forced to extra holes. They halved the 19th and 20th, and Mrs. Untermeyer won out with a par-4 at the 21st as Mrs. Kaufmann was first short and then pitched over. Mrs. Choate was out in 40 and 2-up at nine. However, she faltered on the back nine, hit two out of bounds and three putted to lose out.

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Mrs. Untermeyer Reaches Final On Links With Mrs. Torgerson

Century Woman Tops Mrs. Bartol, 5 and 3, Cherry Valley Ace Halts Miss Mackie, 3 and 2, in Metropolitan Tourney

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SCARBOROUGH-ON-HUDSON, N. Y., July 14—The defending champion, Mrs. Reinert M. Torgerson of Cherry Valley, and Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer of Century reached the final round of the forty-seventh Women's Metropolitan Golf Championship over the rain-drenched Sleepy Hollow course today.

Mrs. Torgerson, while not hitting her shot as well as in previous rounds, defeated Miss Peggie Mackie of Inwood, 3 and 2. Miss Mackie, who earlier this week had eliminated Mrs. William R. Kirkland Jr. of Piping Rock, the medalist, failed to chip very well today and that was the main reason for her defeat.

Mrs. Untermeyer, on the other hand, chipped and putted so well that she didn't give Mrs. John H. Bartol of Greenwich, Westchester and Fairfield champion, many opportunities and easily defeated her by 5 and 3.

The finalists have only met once before in a championship match and that was in 1948, when Mrs. Untermeyer extended Mrs. Torgerson to the twentieth hole before losing.

Sinks 8-Foot Putt

The defending champion got the upper hand against Miss Mackie by winning the second hole. An 8-foot putt for a birdie 4 on the fifth squared the count for Miss Mackie and she went up for the only time in the match by winning the 425-yard dogleg seventh in par 5 when her opponent went over the green in 3.

However, Mrs. Torgerson erased this deficit by winning the eighth and ninth to reach the turn 1 up, and she clung to this advantage throughout the match.

After Mrs. Torgerson had won the twelfth to become 2 up, Miss Mackie reduced this lead by winning the thirteenth when her try for a birdie 3 rimmed the cup and her opponent three-putted. The Inwood player saved herself on the fourteenth by placing a beautiful pitch shot from the back of the green four feet from the pin to halve the hole in par 4s.

That was her last bid as Mrs. Torgerson, with a good chip, won

the fifteenth to go 2 up and closed out the match by taking the sixteenth in par when Miss Mackie was short in 4.

Mrs. Bartol Out in 45

Starting on the first hole, Mrs. Untermeyer needed only one putt a green for the first five holes, to go 4 up. Even on the 317-yard par 4 third hole, when Mrs. Bartol was on in 2, with Mrs. Untermeyer off to the right of the green, a pitch to within three feet of the pin gave the Century player a half in par.

Going out in a 2-under-par 37, Mrs. Untermeyer was 7 up to Mrs. Bartol's 45. On the tenth, Mrs. Untermeyer faced a dead stymie. But nothing seemed to daunt her and, instead of losing the hole, she proceeded to jump the stymie for a half in par 4.

Mrs. Bartol, at this point, regained some confidence as she won the short eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth holes in par to be only 4 down. But even when she hit a beautiful trap shot to within five feet of the hole on the fourteenth to save herself from defeat right there, the Westchester champion wasn't able to overcome the large lead of Mrs. Untermeyer and lost on the fifteenth hole.

Mrs. Untermeyer, who also plays from the Hollywood Country Club, Deal, N. J., was New Jersey state champion in 1938 and now holds the Elizabeth Wheeler 54-hole medal-play trophy as well as the New Jersey Shore championship.

Mrs. Torgerson, holder of the Long Island medal play championship, will defend her New York State title starting next Monday over the Yahnundasis C. C., Utica, N. Y.

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Mrs. Untermeyer Gains Title Round

Meets Mrs. Torgerson Today in Final of Women's Met. Links Tourney

BY HARRY NASH

Staff Correspondent.

SCARBOROUGH, N. Y.—Next to Maureen Orcutt, the most prolific collector of distaff golf trophies in the Metropolitan area is Mrs. Reinert M. Torgerson of Cherry Valley. Should she successfully defend her Women's Metropolitan title here today at Sleepy Hollow Country Club and win the New York State women's crown for the fifth consecutive time next week at Yahnundasis, the Torgerson creel will contain an even dozen crowns. She has won the Metropolitan twice and the Long Island and Empire State tiaras four times each.

Between Mrs. Torgerson and her third Met. victory stands Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer of Century and Hollywood. And over 36 holes of rugged Westchester countryside Mrs. Untermeyer could prove quite a stumbling block, especially if she plays as brilliantly as yesterday when she eliminated Mrs. John Bartol of Greenwich, 5 and 3, in an 18-hole semifinal match.

Victory in the Metropolitan and the New York State championships still would leave Mrs. Torgerson far in arrears so far as Miss Orcutt's record is concerned. Maureen has won the Metropolitan tournament eight times, the Eastern seven, the Women's New Jersey Association (stroke play) nine times and the New Jersey State four.

Scored Ace in Final

Mrs. Untermeyer's record is not nearly so brilliant as that of her adversary today. She holds one victory in the New Jersey State and the closest she has come to winning the Metropolitan coronet was in 1939, when she was runner-up to Mrs. Harry McNaughton. That was the final in which Mrs. Untermeyer scored a hole in one.

Two years ago, Mrs. Untermeyer encountered Mrs. Torgerson in the semifinal of the Metropolitan at Nassau and lost out on the 20th hole.

Mrs. Untermeyer is a longer hitter than Mrs. Torgerson, but her short game is not nearly so consistent. This didn't obtain in yesterday's semifinal, however, inasmuch as Mrs. Untermeyer had a single putt on seven of the first nine greens to reach the turn in 37 with a lead of seven up over her bewildered opponent.

Only one putt, a 12-footer on the first hole, could be termed lengthy. The others were all under five feet,

an indication Mrs. Untermeyer was playing her short irons and chipping with authority.

On the 10th, Mrs. Bartol's putt stopped a foot from the hole, leaving Mrs. Untermeyer a dead stymie. This the ultimate winner negotiated and it looked as if the rout would continue, but Mrs. Bartol is a determined competitor and when she reeled off three consecutive pars, Mrs. Untermeyer's lead was whittled to four up. A brilliant recovery over a yawning trap saved Mrs. Bartol from being closed out on the 14th, but the string ran out when she failed to get home in two on the 15th. Meanwhile, the longer-hitting Mrs. Untermeyer reached the green in two and got down in the regulation two putts to win the hole and the match.

Plays Seven Holes in Par

Mrs. Torgerson was not at her best in the penultimate round, but her 42 for the first nine was good enough to give her a one up lead over Peggy Mackie of Inwood. The defending champion, however, played the next seven holes in even par to win, 3 and 2.

Win or lose Mrs. Untermeyer will not see the end of the rugged Sleepy Hollow course with the playing of the final. She will be back here Wednesday morning to play off the tie for qualifying honors with Mrs. William Kirkland. Their 78s were the low scores of Monday's qualifying test.

Asked why she registered from Century and not Hollywood, Mrs. Untermeyer said that inasmuch as she played with the Century team in the Gold Illustrated trophy matches here last week, she was obliged, under a WMGA rule, to represent that club in the championship.

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