

Mrs. Nesbitt Is Elected President At Women's Golf Group Meeting

She Succeeds Mrs. Sayre as Metropolitan Head—Mrs. Hawes and Mrs. Carey Gain Posts—Title Event June 15-21

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Mrs. Joseph A. Nesbitt of the Westchester Country Club was elected president of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association at the group's annual meeting yesterday at the Hotel Shelton. Mrs. Nesbitt succeeds Mrs. Caryl H. Sayre of The Creek Club, who held the office the last two years.

The other board members named for the 1953 golfing season include first vice president, Mrs. Theodore W. Hawes of Baltusrol, newly elected to replace Mrs. Nesbitt. Mrs. Edgar M. Alexander of Swanoy, who remains second vice president, and Mrs. Davis Kelly of Essex County, treasurer for another year. The new secretary will be Mrs. John L. Carey of Nassau replacing Mrs. T. Arthur Menzel of Innis Arden.

Members of the board of directors for two-year terms expiring in 1954 include Mrs. Herbert Scofield of Tamarack and Rosalind Kaufmann of Sunningdale for Westchester; Mrs. Mark Kessenich of Nassau and Mrs. Gordon Houston of North Hills for Long Island, and Mrs. Stephen Lewis of Mountain Ridge and Mrs. Lawrence Marron of Ridgewood for New Jersey.

Heads Schedule Group

Under the rules of the organization, the first vice president becomes chairman of the tournament committee, so for 1953 Mrs. Hawes will run the schedule and the first announcement she made was that the fiftieth annual championship would be held the week of June 15 to 21 at the Metropolis Country Club, White Plains. The inter-sectional team match among Westchester, New Jersey and Long Island for the Myra D. Paterson Trophy will be staged at Metropolis on June 12.

The Griscom Cup team matches among New York, Boston and Philadelphia teams will be held in Westchester on May 25 and 26, with the club to be announced at a later date.

Helping Mrs. Hawes on her various committees will be Mrs. Philip Cudone of Montclair, chairman for New Jersey; Mrs. John C. Thaxter of Leewood, chairman for Westchester, and Mrs. J. Alwin Froehlich of South Bay, chairman for Long Island. The new chairman of the interclub team matches will be Mrs. Joseph Frelinghuysen of Somerset Hills, while Mrs. Scofield takes over as handicap chairman, replacing Mrs. Henry March of Century.

Mrs. Frelinghuysen replaces Mrs. Bernard Freeman of Inwood and will be helped by Mrs. Archie Daidow of Old Oaks, captain for

known as the re-parring committee, will have Mrs. Jerome Herbert of Old Oaks as chairman. This committee will go over the various courses in the district to see if they conform to women's par as to yardage and terrain.

Six New Members

The association reported that it has a membership of 115, with six new clubs admitted this year. These included Willows, Spring Brook, Englewood, Twin Brooks, Engineers and St. Andrews. During the year 1,139 regular handicaps were issued, along with eleven junior handicaps.

Players named to the 1953 honor roll on the basis of their tournament records follow:

Barbara Bruning, Whipoorwill, New York State champion; Mrs. Cudone, metropolitan semi-finalist, and New Jersey Association champion; Mrs. Frelinghuysen, Metropolitan runner-up; Mrs. William Hockenjos Jr., Baltusrol, New Jersey state champion; Mrs. Joseph Mason, Ridgewood, metropolitan champion; Margaret Mackie of Inwood; Maureen Orcutt, Ridgewood (honorary); Mrs. Gordon S. Park, Glen Ridge; Mrs. Reinert Torgerson, Cherry Valley, Long Island medal and match champion; Roslyn Cook, Glen Oaks, and Mrs. Sophie Untermeyer, Century.

Joseph C. Dey Jr., executive secretary of the United States Golf Association, spoke on preferred lies (winter rules) and received a check for \$300 for the Golf House Fund. This sum brings the association total gift to the fund up to \$500.