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## Shennecossett Professional Has 72 in Four-Ball Exhibition for Red Cross.

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NEW LONDON, Conn., July 21.—Alex Smith of Shinnecossett gained the laurels of the day in the professional exhibition golf match for the benefit of the American Red Cross over the Shinnecossett links today. Alex Smith and Gil Nichols of Great Neck defeated George Low of Baltusrol and George Smith of Wykagyl in the morning match 5 up, and in the afternoon match the two Smiths defeated Nichols and Low 1 up.

The morning event found the teams exceptionally matched. All four players kept together, although there was little of the spectacular element, with the exception of Nichols's long drives. Low's snappy short game and Alex Smith's brilliant recoveries several times won applause from the big gallery which trudged after the players.

For six holes in the afternoon match the contestants played a perfect game, neither side gaining an advantage. Alex Smith made the low score of the day, 72. The cards for best ball of each team follow:

### MORNING MATCH.

A. Smith and Nichols—  
 Out .....4 4 5 2 4 3 5 4 4—35  
 In .....5 4 4 3 4 3 3 4 3—68  
 G. Smith and Low—  
 Out .....4 4 4 3 5 3 5 4 5—37  
 In .....5 5 4 4 4 2 4 5 4—37—74

### AFTERNOON MATCH.

Alex and Geo. Smith—  
 Out .....4 4 4 3 5 3 4 4 5—30  
 In .....4 5 4 3 4 3 3 4 3—69  
 Nichols and Low—  
 Out .....4 5 4 4 5 3 5 3 4—37  
 In .....4 5 4 3 4 3 4 4 4—35—72