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The Royal and Ancient Club at St Andrews is a fitting scene for Britain's amateur golf triumph --- the first international victory ~~partnership by Peters~~, over America in Walker Cup history. Thomson/was a winner for Britain in the first-day foursomes --- defeating Goodman and Ward by 4 and 2. Thomson's partner in victory was G.B.Peters and putting was a feature of the game. H.G.Bentley of the leading pair with Bruen, halved the match against Johnny Fischer and Kocsis --- here is Kocsis driving ~~the match against Johnny Fischer and Kocsis~~ *from the tower by the railway* --- and this is James Bruen --- 18-year-old Irishman and the baby of the match. Bruen and Bentley played heroically for their half, ~~in the stiffest game of the day.~~ Britain finished the first day one ~~match~~ match to the good, when Yates drove off in the top match of the singles. The amateur champion was too good for young Bruen, and he just beat him by 2 and 1. Johnny Fischer's powers of recovery are aptly illustrated here --- this American was also successful --- he beat brilliant L.G.Crawley. Here is Kocsis again --- and this match may be said to be the turning point in favour of Britain. Stowe evened the balance ~~of~~ ~~favor~~ for the home team by winning 2 and 1. So the dingdong battle went on, ~~throughout the day~~, until Britain, winning five singles to three, took the "alker Cup by  $7 \frac{1}{2}$  to  $4 \frac{1}{2}$  --- ~~absolute victory~~, after 16 years of defeat.