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USGA COMPETITIONS FOR 1950

Curtis Cup Match: Sept. 4 and 5 at Country Club of Buffalo, Williamsville, N. Y.
Women's amateur teams, British Isles vs. United States.

(Dates entries close mean last dates for applications to reach USGA office, except in the case of the Amateur Public Links Championship. For possible exceptions in dates of Sectional Qualifying Rounds, see entry forms.)

<i>Championship</i>	<i>Entries Close</i>	<i>Sectional Qualifying Rounds</i>	<i>Championship Dates</i>	<i>Venue</i>
Amat. Public Links	—	—	Team: July 1 Indiv.: July 3-8	Seneca G. C. Louisville, Ky.
Junior Amateur	—	†July 11	July 19-22	Denver C. C. Denver, Colo.
Amateur	July 24	†August 8	August 21-26	Minneapolis G. C. Minneapolis, Minn.
Girls' Junior	August 11	—	Aug. 28—Sept. 1	Wanakah C. C. Hamburg, N.Y.
Women's Amateur	August 10	*Aug. 24-25	September 11-16	Atlanta A. C. (E. Lake) Atlanta, Ga.

†Except Indianapolis, July 6; Salt Lake City, July 7; Phoenix, July 8; St. Louis and Charlotte, July 10.

*Except Honolulu, July 31; Salt Lake City, Aug. 7. *Except Pittsburgh, Aug. 28-29.