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LETTER FROM ST. MORITZ

Noblesse oblige . . . and owing to its reputation as a sports centre of international fame, St. Moritz is well aware of this. Its great tradition and to be true to itself are sufficient reason for all kinds of sports activities to be carried out also in summer; so that there is a choice which enables everyone to find pleasure in his own favourite sport. The programme comprises a range of events of all kinds, a living compendium of summer sports. Whether you spend time actively engaged in a game, or whether you find pleasure in being a spectator, you will in any case enjoy yourself.

Golf, tennis, sailing and polo are predominant in the picture, but there is always plenty of room left for other sports. In the latter half of June, the Engadine Golf Links, in early July the Kulm Golf Links were opened. This was the signal for tournaments to take place — like the opening of flood-gates. However, the peak will not be attained until after the middle of August, when the most important competitions will take place. These will be:

22nd August, *International Press Cup*;

24th August, *A.S.G. Cup (Association Suisse de Golf)*;

25th/28th August, *International Swiss Amateur, Ladies and men.*

The game of polo, imported barely a year ago into Switzerland by St. Moritz, reaches its high-light with an

international tournament from 20th to 30th July. Italian, French, Argentine, American, English, and — for the first time — Swiss players will meet in contest on their slim, alert and nimble horses. The height of enjoyment for every lover of horses and for those who understand a truly contestable sport.

The second and third weeks in August will be devoted to tennis. There will be three international tournaments and a veteran cup competition. The Suvretta House Tournament is the first, on 10th August. Then comes the Kulm/Carlton Tournament, and the last will be the Palace Tournament ending on 24th August. The elite of European and international players will take part.

Of special importance then follows sailing — a still young sport in the Alps — which brings gaiety to the lake of St. Moritz so beautifully set amongst the pine and larch woods. The following trophies will be competed for this year:

30th July – 1st August, *Sun Prize of St. Moritz for O yawls and Finn yawls.*

2nd – 5th August, *International Alpine Lake Championship for Finn yawls;*

6th – 13th August, *International Youth Regatta for Vauriens.*

The chapter on sports competitions is not closed here, for all the other sports events are entwined with these main items and would be too extensive to mention here.

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