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TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONS

A hundred and seventy-five of the nation's leading ping-pongers battle away in pursuit of the United States Championships at Indianapolis. In the women's finals Ruth Brewer of New York nearest camera, is pitted against Sally Green of Indianapolis. Sally is the national doubles champ. The driver power of her shots forces the New York girl into errors and Miss Green annexes the National Singles Crown. The men's singles finds two New Yorkers battling for the best three games out of five. Sol Ship against Lou Paglialo on the far side of the table. Shifty little Paglialo is a former Olympic team star who plays a hard slamming game. Ship is former Olympian and National Champion who can stroke with the best of them, but Ley keeps him on the defensive and the gallery on the edge of their seats. With match point coming up Paglialo bears down and Ship tries to stave off defeat, but Lou keeps steaming them back working a bird one past and Paglialo wins the American Open Table Tennis Title.