

BOYS' BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.

DON. CRUICKSHANK'S FINE VICTORY.

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Finalists in the Boys' Billiards Championship, Ballard,  
and Cruickshank.

Cruickshank, the shorter lad, is only fourteen years  
old,--

--but he handles a cue as if he--

--were born with one in his--

--hand. And what he doesn't know about 'canons' isn't  
worth making a noise about.

R. Ballard of London is a clever exponent of  
fifteen--

--years old, but his breaks of 37, 24, etc.and--

--others, don't help him a lot against a break--

--of 88 by Cruickshank. And the championship  
cup goes to South Shields.