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The grandstand is situated at a point in Roanoke avenue, midway between Riverhead and Centreville, and the course is past Riverhead and along the south road to Mattituck. At this place there is situated the worst turn of the course. It is of the hairpin variety, but the road is in such shape that the danger is greatly lessened. The course from Mattituck is along Sound View avenue past West Mattituck and Northville, where it turns at Centreville.

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