

YALEMEN DEFEATED

PUT OUT IN FIGHT FOR A TITLE

Grant and Gardner Win Their Match for Lawn Tennis Championship.

In a lively succession of rapid fire matches the field of sixty-four aspirants for the national indoor lawn tennis championship...

The keenest interest centered in the play of the four-time champion, Wylie C. Grant, who in turn defeated Man. of Yale, at 6-2, 6-2, and one of his strongest rivals, Wylie De Mille, at 7-5, 6-4, 6-3.

Next to Grant attention centered upon Carl F. Gardner, the tall Californian, although De Mille, of Harvard, who defeated W. Wallis Merrihue, practically had a walkover.

Arthur S. Cragin disposed of F. M. Watrous, at 6-1, 6-1, 6-4. At the beginning Cragin could not see his balling overhead shot down inside the chalked boundaries.

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At wrestling in the armory this evening, scores five points to one for the victors. In the 125-pound bout, in which the chief interest of the meet was centered, Sweeney, of Yale, and Allen, of Cornell, went the full time, and two extra periods of three and five minutes without a fall.

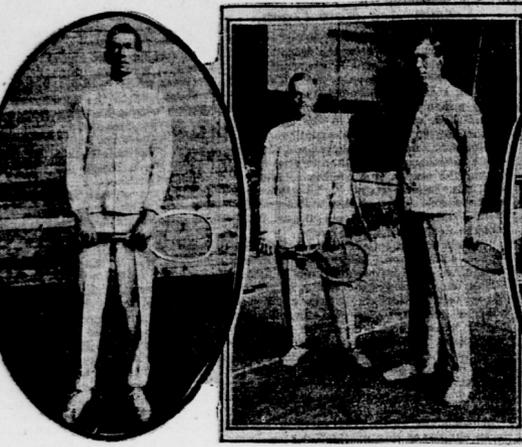
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Ban on Syndicate Baseball

National League Owners Also Lay Plans to Prevent Another Deadlock on Dates.

Before the spring meeting of the National League in the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday was finally adjourned, subject to the call of President Lynch, some further changes in the constitution were made, a resolution was adopted against syndicate baseball...

Another club would not permit any man from owning 49 per cent of the stock in one club and 51 per cent, or the controlling interest, in another club, or the same man might be a stockholder in every club and control only one.

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Rochester, Feb. 19.—The University of Rochester defeated New York University at basketball to-night by a score of 25 to 17. The game was rough at points, two men being laid out. Rochester has won thirteen of fifteen games to date.

ARMY SEVEN LOSES. Shut Out by Troy Polytechnic Team at Hockey.

West Point, N. Y., Feb. 19.—The team work of the Troy Polytechnic hockey seven was too much for the West Point Cadets here to-day and the upstate boys won by three goals to nothing.

ENGLISH DIVER FAILS TO WIN. Daniels Swims Off with a Title, but Misses New Record.

Two swimming sensations failed to make the expected splash last night. Harold Smyrk, the swimmer and diver, of England and Australia, did not get a place in the fancy diving competitions held in the tank of the New York Athletic Club.

TO HELP MRS. BEACH. Women's Horse Show To Be Held for Her Benefit.

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SPORTS OF THE DAY

MURRAY NOW ON TOP.

Feeling Grows That Phillies Will Lose Their Case.

It developed yesterday that the board of directors of the National League, made up of John T. Brush, of New York; Charles H. Ebbets, of Brooklyn; Charles Webb Murphy, of Chicago; August Herrmann, of Cincinnati; and Barney Dreyfus, of Pittsburgh, were not of one mind as to their right of jurisdiction in the Murray case.

Ad Wolgast will not lack for followers when he steps into the ring for his forty-five-round fight for the lightweight championship with Battling Nelson on the Coast next Tuesday.

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BLUE'S FIGHT VAIN

HARVARD SEVEN WINS

Makes Its Three Goals in Last Seven Minutes.

Yale's hockey team made a hard, lucky fight against Harvard's superior seven last night at the St. Nicholas rink, and only lost out in the last seven minutes of play by 3 goals to 0.

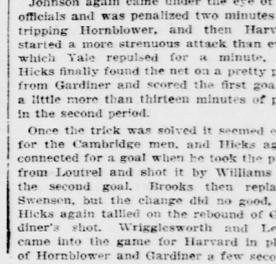
STANDING IN INTERCOLLEGIATE HOCKEY LEAGUE.

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SHEPPARD TRIAL ON

NO VERDICT REACHED

Strong Indictment Against the Middle Distance Star.

Whether Melvin W. Sheppard, the great middle distance runner of the Irish-American Athletic Club, is destined to join the ranks of the professional or remain a "slimon pure" still hangs in the balance.

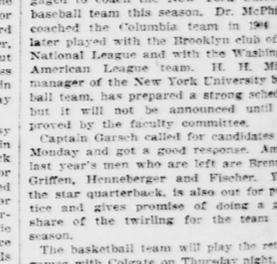
Sheppard's trial dates back to a set of games in Philadelphia on December 11 of last year, when the Irish-American athletes incurred the displeasure of the officials of the Pennsylvania division of the Military Athletic League.

There was present yesterday a full representation of the Military Athletic League athletic committee, consisting of Lieutenant Colonel William L. Garcia, Major William A. Turpin, Major Thomas R. Fleming, Captain Robert E. Hunt, Captain Robert A. Cooke, Jr., and Charles J. Dieges.

During the hours that followed J. P. Lloyd, of Troop A, of Philadelphia, who was secretary of the games committee that had dealings with Sheppard, was put through a trying cross-examination by Mr. Farley.

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