

Comment and Gossip on Football and Players

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N. Y. Athletic Club Men Nose Out Mohawk Squad in Six-Mile Run.

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Kramer Shows a Return to Old Form by Capturing Time Honors in Pastime A. C. Fixture.

The barriers of the New York Athletic Club nosed out the representatives of the Mohawk Athletic Club by a single point margin, winning the trophy in the open six-mile handicap road run of the Pastime Athletic Club held in the Bronx yesterday.

The individual honors went to George Carson, of the Mohawk Athletic Club, who started from the 2-36 handicap mark. He completed the long grind in fine condition, racing across the line with a margin of seventy-five yards in the actual running time of 29 minutes 45 seconds.

William J. Kramer, the "cross-country" champion of the Long Island Athletic Club, showed a return to form by winning the time prize from the scratch mark. He finished twenty-second in the time of 28 minutes 18 seconds.

For three miles of the course, Pistrunk was one of the pacemakers. Nearing the four and a half mile mark, Carson came abreast and challenged Pistrunk for the lead.

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Gilhooley Has Best Average for Yankees—Baker and Lajoie Above 300 Mark.

By Cobb, the great outfielder of the Detroit Tigers, outdistanced the field in the race for the batting honors of the American League, according to the official averages, which were announced yesterday.

Ty was fifteen points ahead of Hendrick, of Boston, his nearest rival, while Jackson, of Cleveland, who gave the Southern such a pretty race up to the last month of the campaign, was seventeen points behind.

The "Georgia Peach" had a mark of .386, which was not up to the .409 standard he maintained over the two previous seasons, but was sufficiently high to insure his title as the King of Batters.

This Speaker, of the Red Sox, was fourth in the list with a .366, while Eddie Collins was fifth at .345. Franklin Baker had a .336 and Lajoie a .335, while McInnis was ranked at .328.

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COLUMBIAS TROUNCE AND BLANK RANGERS

Stewart Leads Cameron Team to Victory Over St. George Players in Lively Game.

The Brooklyn Football Club defeated the Newark eleven in a National League game at Marquette Oval, Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon by a score of 6 goals to 1.

In the first half both custodians did remarkable work, and Pennell, who played his first game for Brooklyn since he broke his right hand in a contest with Talcom, in Philadelphia, made many brilliant saves which brought the spectators to their feet.

Starting off the second period the play the Newark scored their only point when Richardson sent over a sizzling shot that landed in the corner of the home team's cage.

Ford, who played a wonderful game for Brooklyn, wiped out the advantage held by the visitors when he shot two goals in the next six minutes of play.

Bob Miller scored another three minutes later, and before time was called Ford snatched each added a goal. Kirby, five minutes after play in the second period, had to give way to his injured knee, and the home club finished the contest with only ten men.

Brooklyn has now an undisputed hold on the first place.

By the one-sided score of 6 goals to 0 the Columbia Oval Football Club took the Rangers into camp at Lenox Oval yesterday afternoon in a New York State Amateur League game.

The Rangers had one opportunity to score when they got a penalty kick for accidentally fouling on the part of the Columbus, but Hopkins frustrated the well aimed shot.

Strengthened by the addition of Donald Stewart in the fullback line, the Cameron F. C. defeated the St. George eleven at Manhattan Field yesterday afternoon in a New York State Amateur League contest by a score of 2 goals to 0.

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