Day of Keen Sport Winds Up the New York Racing Season

Chupadero Wins the Great United Hunts 'Chase with Honors.

WEB CARTER BEATEN BY THE ELEPHANT

Willing Ends Career on Turf with a Victory—Election Bet in Old Form.

The racing season of 1914, hereabouts at any rate, closed with the second day of the United Hunts Association meeting at Belmont Terminal yesterday.

After the sixth race—there were seven on the card—Miss Lander's band decamped without playing the customary "Auld Lang Syne," so the regulars felt a bit slighted, but there was no lack of keen sport to make up for the oversight.

It was a day of three and four horse races. Again a very promising card was cut to ribbons. But the crowd didn't mind that so much, for it's a long wait till spring, and a three-horse affair can give just as much action and as many thrills as a fixture with a big field.

The Long Island set and the regulars ran a dead heat for attendance honors. The day was a bit chilly and the turf soggy from the heavy rain of the night before, but there were driving finishes to cheer and fair racegoers in gay gowns to add the usual and necessary touch of color. It was a good day for favorites—five won.

There was balm for Mrs. Lathrop Brown and yells of joy from the Long Island contingent in the grandstand when Chupadero won the Great United Hunts Steeplechase.

Chupadero made amends for his defeat in the Harbor Hill Cup at Piping Rock the week before, winning handily after a driving finish in this, one of the big fixtures of amateur racing. The race was worth $700 and a piece of plate to the Chamblet Stable.

Cherry Malotte, the Greentree Stable entry and the favorite, had to shoulder an impost of 168 pounds, and though handled cleverly by Vincent Powers, who rode her to her last three victories, and running the gamest of races, was beaten badly, finishing last.

Four of the fifteen horses nominated went to the post in this race, at about two miles, which was the feature of the card. Thomas Hitchcock's good jumper, Timber Wolf, set the pace most of the time, with Chupadero and Cherry Malotte always well up and Rock Abbey trailing behind. The jumping of all of them was clean and the pace a fast one, and till the turn for home it was any one's race.

At the turn into the stretch Chupadero and Timber Wolf were neck and neck, and they matched strides in the last two jumps. It was the hardest of drives down the stretch, and Chupadero outgamed the Hitchcock horse only in the last fifty yards. The weight told on Cherry Malotte and she weakened badly and was passed easily by Rock Abbey.

The Elephant All Out to Win.

Another finish that had the crowd, and Mrs. C. C. Rumsey especially, up and cheering was in the Hunters Plate, when The Elephant practically staggered first past the winning post, two lengths ahead of Web Carter. The Elephant was the long shot of the day, and his owner, Mrs. Rumsey, received a round of congratulations.

Off well, The Elephant opened up a gap of twenty lengths in the first quarter and increased it to almost half a furlong at one stage in the race, that was three miles over the brush course. The second time around the big son of Orlando seemed to be weakening and the field closed up on him for a few jumps. Then he took a new lease of life.

Tommy Wright rode a waiting race on Web Carter, but he waited too long, and though he closed a deal of ground in the last quarter, he could not get up to The Elephant. James Park had his second fall of the day, when his Duke of Duluth, which was well liked by many because of his performance on Monday last, lost his rider.

Election Bet Wins Again.

Election Bet came back to her own in the Piping Rock Subscription Serial Handicap, at a mile and a quarter, that opened the card. The daughter of Electioneer was a top heavy favorite over Armament and Lily Orme, the other starters, which finished in the order named. Lily Orme set the pace for the first five furlongs, running lengths ahead of the other two; then she stopped badly. Armament made a game fight of it in the stretch, but Election Bet won handily by four lengths.

F. Ambrose Clark captured the Shelburne Cup on his Indicator by about three-quarters of a mile. Three hunters went to the post in this, a three and a half-mile fixture over the sticks. They started raggedly, and for the first quarter none of them seemed to be certain that the start was a go.

James Park, with the leg up on his Native Maid, had his first piece of bad luck, coming a cropper at the fourth jump. Although he could have remounted easily, he elected to stay out of it. The Lamphlack and Indicator galloped along for another mile and a half. At the jump beyond the liverpool in front of the stands Lamphlack hobbled, turned a somersault and landed in a heap. Mortimer pluckily remounted and went on in a vain attempt to cut down the lead of Indicator.

The Highweight Handicap, at a mile, was easy for Coreopsis, as he romped in ten lengths. The real fight was for the place, and Bellmaster outgamed old Lad of Langdon in the stretch.

Willing ended his racing career by winning the Members' Plate, at a mile and a half, for Clement N. Williams. He had to be ridden out to beat Day Bell by a head, so his career on the turf closed in the usual blaze of glory. Former, an old rival, was third.

Mr. Williams will send the big brown son of Bryn Mawr to his estate at Chestnut Hill, Penn., and there he will be used as a hunter for Miss Gladys Williams. Willing has lived up to his name more or less at the amateur race meetings. He has won about fifteen races and finished out of the money only once.

A. Ludlow Kramer's Culvert won the rubber in the match with Cricket, owned by David Dows, the quarter of a mile dash that wound up the day's sport. Peyton Breckinridge was an added starter and gave a good account of himself, considering the weights. He was beaten for the place by a scant head after swerving out early in the race.

Culvert and Cricket met twice before on even weights and each won once. The race was a good one, and called forth as much applause as any on the card.

World Series Cut for Cooper

It has been officially reported and confirmed by this time that the Giants received no part of the world's series booty, yet there is one player who was a member of McGraw's club at the beginning of the season who was paid a full share.

The name of this player does not appear among the list of eligibles of either the Braves or the Athletics, and as a matter of fact he received his world's series money way back in the spring of the year. Claude Cooper, of the Tip Tops, was the lucky man. Robert M. Ward offered the outfielder a tempting contract, and Cooper was just about to accept when he was suddenly seized by an idea.

"Hold on," said the player, "how about my world's series money? You know the Giants are sure to get in on that."

"Well, what would your share be?" inquired Mr. Ward.

"At least $2,000," answered Cooper.

"Well, would you like it now, or would you rather wait until after the series?" inquired the Fed magnate.

"I'll take it now," said Cooper, and he did.

MAKE PLANS TO TAME LACROSSE

Annual Meeting Decides on Elimination of Rough Play.

The elimination of unnecessary roughness on the field of play was the chief topic of discussion at the annual meeting of the United States Intercollegiate Lacrosse League, which was held at the Park Avenue Hotel yesterday. Specific recommendations were made which were referred to the rules committee for adoption as part of the playing code for next season.

Another step whereby roughness is to be eliminated was the designation of an official to be known as referee in chief, on whose shoulders will fall the burden of appointing officials for all leagues and who will be responsible for the conduct of all games.

No schedule of games was adopted, but it was agreed that May 22, 1915, be reserved by all teams as the date on which the championship match between the winners of the northern and southern divisions of the league will be played. This game will be an innovation, for in the seven years since the league resolved itself into northern and southern divisions there has been no game to settle the national championship.

In order to popularize the game a campaign of publicity is to be instituted throughout the preparatory schools in the East and Middle West. Representatives of Harvard, Cornell, Stevens Institute, Swarthmore, Lehigh and Johns Hopkins were in attendance.

Kenneth B. Day, of Harvard, was elected president for the year; Milton Erlanger, Johns Hopkins, vice-president; R. C. Campbell, Stevens Institute, secretary-treasurer, and C. E. Marsters, Harvard, member of the executive committee. The next meeting will be held on October 16, 1915.

United Hunts Racing Results

FIRST RACE—THE PIPING ROCK SUBSCRIPTION SERIAL HANDICAP; for three-year-olds; purse, $700. About one mile and a quarter.

Horse.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Election Bet	128	Nicklaus	1*
Armament	118	Crowley	2**
Lily Orme	108	Williams	3

Start good. Won easily. No time taken. Winner, br. f., 3, by Electioneer—Bethel. Owner, W. R. Coe. Trainer, J. Carroll.

Betting—Election Bet, 3 to 5 and out; Armament, 8 to 5 and out; Lily Orme, 8 to 1 and 8 to 5.

SECOND RACE—THE SHELBURNE CUP STEEPLECHASE; for hunters; purse, $300. About three miles and a half over a timber course.

Horse and age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Mediator, 6	167	Mr. Clark	1
Lamphlack, 6	162	Mr. Mortimer	2***
Native Maid, 5	162	Mr. Park	Fell

Start fair. Won pulled up. No time taken. Winner, ch. g., 6, by Griffon—Last Ban. Owner, F. A. Clark. Trainer, W. Freeman.

Betting—Mediator, 6 to 5 and out; Lamphlack, 10 to 20 and out; Native Maid, 10 to 1 and out.

THIRD RACE—Highweight handicap; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $500. About one mile.

Horse and age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Coreopsis, 5	156	Mr. J. Tucker	1**
Bellmaster, 3	136	Crowley	2*
Lad of Langden, a.144		Mr. Wright	3

Start good. Won easily. No time taken. Winner, ch. g., 5, by Ormamont—Ollie Belle. Owner, C. R. Fleischmann. Trainer, J. Hastings.

Betting—Coreopsis, 2 to 7 and out; Bellmaster, 20 to 1 and 7 to 5; Lad of Langden, 3 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—THE HUNTERS' CHAMPION PLATE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE; for hunters; purse, $600. About three miles over the brush course.

Horse and age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
The Elephant, 6	150	Mr. Mortimer	1*
Web Carter, a	160	Mr. Wright	2*
Herculoid, a	170	Lieut. Alpers	3
Duke of Duluth, a.150		Mr. Park	*

*Lost rider. Start good. Won ridden out. No time taken. Winner, b. g., by Orlando—Olive Fant. Owner, C. C. Rumsey. Trainer, J. Hastings.

Betting—The Elephant, 12 to 1 and 2 to 1; Web Carter, even and 1 to 3; Herculoid, 5 to 2 and 7 to 10; Duke of Duluth, 5 to 2 and 7 to 10.

FIFTH RACE—THE GREAT UNITED HUNTS STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $1,000. About two miles.

Horse and age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Chupadero, 3	143	Ryan	1*
Timber Wolf, 4	149	Corbett	2*
Rock Abbey, a	132	O'Connor	3*
Cherry Malotte, 5	168	Powers	4

Start fair. Won driving. No time taken. Winner, b. g., 5, by Sam Phillips—Marguerite R. Owner, Miss Chamblet. Trainer, J. Coyle.

Betting—Chupadero, 7 to 2 and even; Timber Wolf, 8 to 5 and 1 to 2; Rock Abbey, 20 to 1 and 4 to 1; Cherry Malotte, even and 1 to 3.

SIXTH RACE—THE MEMBERS' PLATE HANDICAP; for hacks and hunters; purse, $300. About one mile and a half.

Horse and age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Willing, 6	150	Mr. Wright	1*
Day Bell, 6	155	Lieut. Alpers	2*
Former, 6	150	Mr. Wildey	3

Start good. Won driving. No time taken. Winner, br. g., 6, by Bryn Mawr. Owner, C. N. Williams. Trainer, H. Johnson.

Betting—Willing, 2 to 9 and out; Day Bell, 15 to 1 and 7 to 5; Former, 7 to 2 and out.

SEVENTH RACE.—Match race. One-quarter mile.

Horse.	Wt.	Jockey.	Fin.
Culvert	158	Mr. J. Tucker	1*
Cricket	165	Mr. Bell	2*
Peyton B'kinridge	155	Lieut. Alpers	3

Start good. Won driving. No time taken. Winner, b. g., a., by Bridgewater—Black Wing. Owner and trainer, A. L. Kramer.

Betting—Culvert, 1 to 2 and out; Cricket, 11 to 5 and out; Peyton Breckinridge, 6 to 1 and 7 to 5.

Englewood Country Club.

An eighteen-hole handicap against bogey was staged at the Englewood Country Club yesterday, and a tie was the result. Louis J. Schiller and N. E. D. Huggins each finished 4 down. The results follow:

Louis J. Schiller, 3 up; N. E. D. Huggins, 4 up; William C. Freeman, 2 up; Robert E. Lansdon, 1 up; Herbert Barber, 2 down.

Nassau Country Club.

The following returned scores in the competition for the accumulation cup at the Nassau Country Club yesterday:

	Gross.	H'p.	Net.
R. U. Crosby	89	18	71
C. E. Robertson	84	12	72
C. Kenyon, jr.	99	22	77

SCENES AT FAREWELL RACE MEETING OF THE UNITED HUNTS AT THE BELMONT PARK TERMINAL TRACK YESTERDAY

MR. F. AMBROSE CLARK ON INDICATOR.

From left to right—Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Miss Marie Tailer, Mrs. C. C. Rumsey, Miss Helen Hitchcock, Miss Marion Hollins and Mrs. Russell Grace.

Coming Indoor Swimming Season To Be Record One

More and Better Material for Contests—Princeton and Penn. Lose Water Polo Captains.

By L. DE B. HANDLEY.

The indoor swimming season, already under way in California and soon to be opened throughout the United States, should be a record breaker in every sense of the word. Schools, colleges and athletic clubs have more and better material than ever before, and there is indication that in the keen competition for honors all existing standards from the interscholastics to the nationals will be shattered.

Also increased public interest in water sports promises to make possible a greater number of interdistrict meets and to simplify the difficult task of gathering together the leaders of all sections for the titular contests of the Amateur Athletic Union.

In the past the national championships often have been restricted in scope, owing to the great distances between swimming centres, but the action of the authorities in granting sanctions only to clubs holding the favorite candidates for the titles has generally enabled the best men to win. Now, however, almost every district boasts of watermen of championship calibre, and it is necessary to collect entrants from all over the country in order to make the events real tests of supremacy. This means costly trips, which committees hitherto have been loath to approve, but which at present can be financed with returns from the popular home meets.

All the indoor champions of 1914, with the exception of Michael McDermott, the breast stroke holder, expect to defend their laurels, but it is more than probable that some of the titles will change hands. What with Ludy Langer, Duke Kahanamoku, Herman Laubis, Herbert Vollmer, Russell Dean, Joseph Wheatley, Albert Downes, Arthur McAleenan and a few others, after the scalps of Arthur Kaithel, Perry McGillivray, Harry Hebner and Conrad Wohlfeld, it would be surprising if the latter succeeded in retaining their hard-earned crowns.

The vacancy left by McDermott in the championship ranks will be hard to fill, for we have few expert breast stroke swimmers, none nearly so fast as the Westerner. There is some hope that he will recover from the injury sustained last summer at Indianapolis, when he pulled a tendon, but not for many moons will he have the full use of his weakened leg.

An interesting bit of early season news is the development in Boston of a back stroke swimmer said to be a dangerous rival to Harry Hebner, the national and Olympic record holder. Russell Dean is the man in question, and there can be no doubt of his ability, for he recently covered 150 yards, the classic distance, in 1 minute 54 4-5 seconds, in competition. Hebner's best time is 1 minute 49 4-5 seconds, but it was made in a shorter pool, offering the advantage of more turns.

The water polo players of Princeton and Pennsylvania are bemoaning the loss of their chosen leaders. Bob Nourse, who was to have captained the Tigers' sextet, has been pressed into service for the football and track and field teams, so that the two-sport rule will prevent his joining the aquatic squad.

F. Irons, who proved the choice of the Quaker team last spring, intends to enter a business career and has resigned his post. N. B. Selby has taken Nourse's place at Princeton, but Pennsylvania has yet to appoint a successor to Irons.

Lawrenceville Eleven Wins.

Lawrenceville, N. J., Oct. 17.—Tome was defeated by Lawrenceville in a snappy game to-day by the score of 15 to 0.

Brooklyn was the only club to win the season's series from Boston. The Superbas took thirteen games to nine for the Braves.

Myers and Getz are lost to Newark, for both players have signed contracts with the Superbas for the seasons of 1915 and 1916.

SYRACUSE WINS EASILY

Routs Rochester with Only Substitutes on the Field.

Syracuse, Oct. 17.—With Captain Shufelt the only member of the 'varsity playing his regular position, the Syracuse University football team defeated the University of Rochester by a score of 19 to 0, this afternoon.

Though the field was sodden, the lighter Syracuse team was able to outplay Rochester in every department of the game. Numerous clever end runs were executed, the line was hammered hard and forward passes were used with frequent success.

O'Neill, the Syracuse coach, looking forward to the game with Michigan next week as one of the hardest on his schedule, kept all but two 'varsity men on the bench during the entire game. Captain Shufelt started at right end and was a tower of strength. When the game was won he was replaced by Farber.

Travis, who has been playing at right end, was used in the backfield. He will not be used there regularly. Johnson and Rafter played well at quarterback for Syracuse.

The line-up follows:

Syracuse (19).	Position.	Rochester (0).
Burns	L. E.	Ogden
Trigg	L. T.	Hayes
Wilbur	L. G.	Gillette
Ranzler	C.	Schiebel
Smithson	R. G.	Scott
Meisner	R. T.	Thomas
Shufelt	R. E.	Storey
Rafter	Q. B.	Hammele
Travis	L. H. B.	Whitney
Woodruff	R. H. B.	Chaffee
O'Connell	F. B.	Wrey

Touchdowns—O'Connell, Woodruff and Schultz. Goal from touchdown—Rafter. Substitutions—Schultz for Travis, Johnson for Rafter, Rafter for Johnson, Farber for Shufelt, Clark for Burns, Delling for O'Connell, Sommers for Thomas, Doyle for Ogden, Ogden for Wray, Wray for Doyle, Miller for Sommers, Hayes for Gillette, Doyle for Storey. Referee—J. A. Evans, Williams. Umpire—A. A. Wright, Columbia. Head linesman—J. A. Cooney, Princeton. Time—Periods of 12 minutes.

SOCCER AT BAY RIDGE

Crescent Second Team Defeats Commercial High.

The second soccer team of the Crescent Athletic Club took on the team of Commercial High School, of Brooklyn, at Bay Ridge yesterday afternoon, the result being a victory for the home side by 4 goals to 3. Carpenter scored twice for the Crescents in the first half and Brattan once.

The line-up follows:

Crescents (4).	Position.	Commercial (3).
Malcolm	G.	H. Matheson
McParland	R. B.	Shapiro
Kieg	L. B.	M. Matheson
McNulty	R. H.	Gross
Brattan	C. H.	Von der Sales
Sperrle	L. H.	Lee
Crosby	O. R.	Cammas
Shields	I. R.	Peterson
Carpenter	C.	Arnold
McDermott	I. L.	Wolf
Flannery	O. L.	Strassler

Goals—Carpenter (2), Brattau, Crescents; Peterson (2), Arnold, Commercial. Referee—Anderson. Linesman—Richards and Jones. Time—Halves of thirty minutes.

EASY FOR MONTCLAIR

Defeats Richmond at Soccer by 7 Goals to 1.

Montclair, N. J., Oct. 17.—In the first Field Club League soccer championship game played here this season the eleven of the Montclair Athletic Club administered a stinging defeat to the Richmond County team by the score of 7 goals to 1. The first half ended with the home team leading 2 to 1. The points came apace in the second period and the visitors were swamped.

The line-up follows:

Montclair (7).	Position.	Richmond Co. (1).
Mills	G.	Cave
Murray	R. B.	Wilesman
Massley	L. B.	Simpson
Ridde	R. H.	Davidson
Nixon	C. H.	Urquhart
Teague	L. H.	Baldwin
Klein	O. R.	Brown
Wimpenny	I. R.	D. Kennedy
Gardner	C.	F. Kennedy
Schmidt	I. L.	Small
Raetzer	O. L.	Watson

Goals—Gardner (3), Wimpenny (2), Schmidt, Simpson, Montclair; D. Kennedy, Richmond County. Referee—Chambers. Linesmen—James and Withers. Time—Halves of forty-five minutes.

ST. PAUL'S HELD TO TIE

Newark Fails to Hold Its Early Lead.

St. Paul's School and Newark Academy played a hard fought 7 to 7 tie game in their annual football struggle played at Newark, N. J., yesterday. No scoring was accomplished in the first half, but in the third session the Newark boys intercepted a forward pass. After several line plunges, Garey went over the line.

He also kicked the goal. Woodburn, the husky St. Paul's fullback, evened matters in the final quarter, when an intercepted forward pass paved the way. He tore through the line for the final seven yards and a touchdown. He also kicked the goal.

St. Paul's (7).	Position.	Newark A. (7).
Reed	L. E.	Brock
Waterman	L. T.	Dykeman
Douglas	L. G.	Eccleston
Miller	C.	Eberhardt
Hoadfall	R. G.	Bernet
Brown	R. T.	Walters
Hendrickson	R. E.	Reardon
Wardenburg	Q. B.	Hutchinson
Dietrich	L. H. B.	Otis
Emery	R. H. B.	Beach
Woodburn	F. B.	Garey

Touchdowns—Garey, Woodburn. Goals from touchdowns—Garey, Woodburn. Referee—Hastings. Umpire—J. Fox. Head linesman—Smith. Time of quarters—Ten and eight minutes.

BOYS' HIGH IN DEFEAT

Adelphi Wins in Rout Caused by Forward Passes.

Adelphi Academy had an easy time in defeating the Boys' High School eleven on Adelphi Field, in Brooklyn, yesterday by a score of 27 to 0.

Forward passes routed the Boys' High eleven. Alford and Moneypenny worked the passes well, while Leyser made big gains through the opposing defence. The latter made a dashing run of twenty-five yards for a touchdown.

Adelphi (27).	Position.	Boys' High (0).
Fishbeck	L. E.	Bernstein
Hammond	L. T.	Auchterlonie
Dunham	L. G.	Gosling
Bardwell	C.	Halloran
McKenzie	R. G.	Pearl
Jacquillard	R. T.	Reckmore
Story	R. E.	Barshofsky
Alford	Q. B.	Bacham
Libby	L. H. B.	Simon
Ball	R. H. B.	Gorman
Love	F. B.	Gallin

Touchdowns—Moneypenny (20), Leyser (7). Goals from touchdowns—Alford (2). Referee—Jones. Substitutions—Moneypenny for Story, Leyser for Ball. Time of quarters—Ten minutes.

Ridgewood Country Club.

G. F. Kohler, with a card of 73-4-69, showed the way to a sizeable field in the club handicap at the Ridgewood Country Club yesterday. Eight qualified for subsequent match play, and the triple tie for last place will be played off later. The scores were as follows:

	Gross.	H'p.	Net.
G. F. Kohler	73	4	69
G. K. Boyce	77	7	70
D. T. Fox	87	7	80
R. Muser	91	23	70
George Whitehead	89	18	71
R. Mersereau	84	12	72
A. E. Tittterton	85	9	76
G. Corse	86	12	74
A. B. Tuttle	97	23	74
C. T. Ash	93	19	74

The draw for match play follows: Whitehead (18) vs. Boyce (7); Tittterton (20) vs. R. Muser (23); Kohler (4) vs. winner of tie; R. Mersereau (11) vs. Fox (27).

ERASMUS IN DEFEAT

Brooklyn Prep. Outplays the Heavier Eleven.

The eleven of Erasmus Hall High School, last year's champions of Brooklyn Borough, was defeated by the Brooklyn Preparatory School eleven at Hawthorne Field, Brooklyn, by a score of 7 to 6 yesterday.

The Prep. lads were outweighed, but they outplayed Erasmus in three of the four quarters.

In the second period Brooklyn Prep. was in possession of the ball on its own 30-yard line. On a forward pass, Kelly to Deghuee, the latter ran sixty yards for a touchdown.

The line-up follows:

Brooklyn Prep (6).	Position.	Erasmus (6).
Reilly	L. E.	Troy
McCullough	L. T.	Castellanos
Sullivan	L. G.	Cole
Vale	C.	Seoms
Carlin	R. G.	Medley
Webber	R. T.	Jackson
McGrath	R. E.	Tomkins
Kelly	Q. B.	Tuttle
Kizel	L. H. B.	Liebman
Hannin	R. H. B.	Evans
Deghuee	F. B.	Olson

Touchdowns—Deghuee, Tuttle. Goal from touchdown—Deghuee. Substitutes—Souville for Troy, Freeman for Seoms, Seoms for Freeman. Referee—Edward Goate, Boys' High. Umpire—Hennessy, Brown. Head linesman—J. McCaffrey, Fordham. Time of quarters—Ten minutes each.

AMATEURS IN THE RING

Friedman Boxes Clever Bout at the Crescent A. C.

Abe Friedman, of the Educational Alliance, cleverly outpointed Charles Pilkington, of Union Settlement A. C., in the final bout of the 110-pound class of the amateur boxing tourney at the Crescent A. C., last night.

The lower East Side lad was smaller in stature and had a shorter reach, but that did not bother him in the least. He landed four blows to his rival's one.

In a bout that bristled with action Joseph A. Lynch, of the Bronxdale A. C., won the decision over F. J. Gerrity, of Union Settlement A. C., in the final go of the 120-pound class.

The summaries follows:

110-pound class (semi-finals)—First bout—Charles J. Pilangton, Union Settlement A. C., defeated Herbert Rosenmanp, Bronxdale A. C., in three rounds; judges' decision. Second bout—Abe Friedman, Educational Alliance, defeated A. J. Bennett, Putnam A. C., stopped by referee in second round. Final bout—Abe Friedman, Educational Alliance, defeated C. F. Pilkington, Union Settlement A. C., in three rounds; judges' decision.

120-pound class (semi-finals)—First bout—F. J. Gerrity, Union Settlement A. C., defeated William Armstrong, Putnam A. C., by a knock-out in the first round. Second bout—Joseph A. Lynch, Bronxdale A. C., defeated John Garry, Greer American A. C., in three rounds; judges' decision. Final bout—Joseph A. Lynch, Bronxdale A. C., defeated F. J. Gerrity, Union Settlement A. C., in three rounds; judges' decision.

130-pound class (semi-finals)—First bout—Henry Garse, Educational Alliance, defeated J. Sheehan, unattached, in three rounds; judges' decision.

140-pound class (semi-finals)—First bout—Edward Ziegler, Putnam A. C., defeated Ely Ehrlich, unattached, in one round by knock-out.

158-pound class (semi-finals)—First bout—H. Spiegel, unattached, defeated Joe Tauno, East Side House, in three rounds; judges' decision. Second bout—A. Kaufman, Trinity Club, defeated A. Sorenson, Trinity Club, in three rounds; judges' decision.

ATHLETICS STILL A FORMIDABLE TEAM

Are Far from Discard, Even Though Braves Did Beat Them Badly.

ONLY ONE WEAK SPOT CAN BE DISCERNED

Signs Do Not Point to Great Shake-Up of Giants, Despite General Gossip.

By HEYWOOD BROUN.

"I reckon they'll all say now 'the great machine has crumbled,'" remarked Ira Thomas shortly after the fourth and final game of the world's series in Boston. Ira's own smile seemed to belie his belief in the smash-up, but the baseball critics have lived up to his prediction. Already a number of persons are at work remaking the map of baseball on the strength of the series.

There seems to be a tendency to predicate entirely too much on the basis of four games. Granting that the psychological effect of the defeat may do a little to impair the confidence of the Athletics, it seems entirely unwarranted to say that the team is no longer an important factor in baseball. The Red Sox may triumph in the American League next season, but the Athletics are still the logical favorites.

The $100,000 infield has not been marked down a dollar, even though it was inferior to that of Boston in the series. Does any one suppose for a minute that Mack would trade Eddie Collins for Johnny Evers if he had the chance, or that he would give McInnis for Schmidt or Baker for Deal or Smith?

In the case of Barry and Maranville a readjustment is necessary. In most comparisons made prior to the big test Barry was given a shade over his diminutive rival. Now there can be little question that such a rating is wrong. Great is Barry, but Maranville is greater.

As far as pitchers go, Mack would undoubtedly be very glad to give Plank and Bender for Rudolph and James, yet the Athletics are in no bad plight for pitchers next season. In every game but the first of the series the pitching furnished for the Athletics was very good, and failed to bring victory simply because it was pitted against pitching that was extraordinary.

Mack's young pitchers looked very well in the series. Pennock was not scored upon when he finished up the last game for Shawkey; Bush was not defeated until twelve desperate innings had been played, and Wyckoff gave a very good account of himself in the first game when he succeeded Bender.

Plank, of course, was exceedingly effective, and Bressler, who did not get into the series at all, is rated as a crack. Even Bender, who fared so badly, will win many games in the American League race next season.

Schang behind the bat did not show very well in comparison with Gowdy, chiefly because of lack of hitting ability, but Mack will not need to find another man. In just one position do the Athletics need new blood. Rube Oldring seems to have outlived his usefulness in left field.

Murphy and Strunk are both well worthy to play on a championship team. So, upon analysis, all that Mack needs to bring his machine up to date is one new outfielder.

George Stallings can well afford to stand pat with his team. The marvellous pitching staff and the fighting spirit of the Braves make them a strong choice for the National League pennant next year. But, four straight or no four straight, the outfield of the Braves is far from a first class combination.

Neither Moran, nor Whitted, nor Cather shapes up in anywise to the demands of a first class club. But a club with a Rudolph, a James and a Tyler does not have to worry much about its outfield.

As with the Athletics, there has been a deal of foolish talk about the alleged intention of McGraw to shake up the Giants from top to bottom. Of course, the Little Napoleon will do nothing of the sort. Only a few positions in the team need to be strengthened in order to enable the club to meet the Braves on an even footing.

Certainly, Doyle will remain on second. Fletcher is not likely to be deposed from shortstop, and there is no one in sight yet who is fitted to fill the shoes of Merkle.

Burns is a fixture in the outfield, and Snodgrass will probably be in the line-up again. Bescher may be traded, and Davey Robertson did not come up to early expectations, so one position is open in the outfield of the Giants.

Third base would also seem to be a place where a change is likely to be made, although both Grant and Stock are better than the average. Harry Smith, the fast catcher from Savannah, has been heralded as the successor of Chief Meyers, yet it would be by no means a bad wager that the Indian will catch more than half the games for the Giants next season.

McGraw's problem is the pitching. It was the pitchers who betrayed him last year. The loss of the pennant may be traced almost directly to the defeats of Marquard. This winter the Rube has decided to abandon the stage and rest. It is quite likely that his form next season will be a complete reversal of that shown in the season just ended.

In such a case it would be necessary for McGraw, in order to rebuild his team, to find one outfielder, a third baseman and a pitcher. The rooters need not fear. When they go to the Polo Grounds for the first game next season they will be able to tell most of the players without the aid of a score card.

The scout who brings in a good outfielder next spring should receive a bonus, for never has there been such a lean year in outfielding. Particularly weak is the National, in which no club, but Brooklyn has a really good outfield. Outside of Burns and Wheat, it would hardly be possible to name a real star. Dalton, who had been up before, was the one real find of the year among outfielders.

Connolly, of the Braves, was a fine little slugger, but he hit only against right-handed pitching, and his weak arm would be enough to keep him from being rated as a first class man. Cravath, of the Phillies, is a great slugger, but certainly a slow fielder, and Dolan, of the Cardinals, although brilliant at times, is certainly too weak a hitter to be ranked high. Lee Magee is also worthy of mention.

All the other outfielders of the league are very ordinary. The American League is much stronger in outfielders, with its old stars—Cobb, Crawford, Speaker, Milan, Jackson and Shotten—but the only new outfielder of any particular promise who came forward during the season was Doc. Cook, of the Yankees.

In the reserve list of the Brooklyn National League club are nineteen pitchers. All that Robinson needs to find in that detachment to make his club a champion is a Rudolph, a James and a Tyler, or perhaps three Pfeffers would fill the bill.

STUYVESANT WINS WITH LINE PLUNGES

Old-Fashioned Game Brings an Easy Victory Over Commercial.

Stuyvesant High School opened its home football season in an auspicious manner by defeating the Commercial High School on the latter's field in Brooklyn yesterday by a score of 19 to 0. The East Side boys resorted principally to straight football to advance the ball and made good progress in this respect. Although outweighed the Stuyvesant backs tore holes through the centre of the oposing defence for big gains. In the first half Stuyvesant made eight first downs by rushing to its rival's two.

Commercial made daring use of the forward pass, but although it was successful in completing many long ones, Stuyvesant was finally able to break up the play.

Less than five minutes after the opening of the contest Commercial rushed the ball, aided by a completed forward pass, to its rivals' 10-yard line, where it lost the ball by trying a forward, which went awry.

In the third quarter Commercial had the ball only inches from Stuyvesant's line, but failed to score. Several plays later Commercial again had the ball on the 13-yard line, but another uncompleted forward pass spoiled another chance for a score.

After taking the ball on an incomplete pass soon after the opening whistle Stuyvesant surprised its opponents by rushing them down the field. Easy gains were made through the centre, Sampson, Bergling and Sinclair doing splendid offensive work. Stuyvesant had the ball on the 4-yard line when the first quarter ended, and on the second play in the following period Bergling went over. Again rushing its opponents Stuyvesant scored its second touchdown, when Bergling caught a short forward pass from Sampson on the fourth down.

In the third quarter Commercial held Stuyvesant on its 7-yard line, but a poor punt out by Becker gave the Manhattan eleven the ball on the 15-yard line. Sampson made five yards and Dillon went around right end for a touchdown. Dillon also kicked the goal.

The line-up follows:

Stuyvesant (19).	Position.	Commercial (0).
Murray	L. E.	Rose
Fernendez	L. T.	Williams
McMullen	L. G.	Schleicstein
Haight	C.	Mason
Bonaraba	R. G.	E. Johnson
Welsh	R. T.	McLeod
Walsh	R. E.	Burnham
Dillon	Q. B.	Frogone
Sinclair	L. H. B.	Wesley
Bergling	R. H. B.	L. Johnson
Sampson	F. B.	Hopp

Touchdowns—Bergling (2), Dillon. Goal from touchdown—Dillon. Substitutes—Stuyvesant, Sinclair for Fernendez, Weinman for Bonaraba, Moore for Welsh, McGuinness for Dillon, Dillon for Sinclair; Commercial, Baldwin for Ross, Ross for Hopp, Bennington for Schleicstein, Kieling for Bennington. Referee—Coulter, of Brown. Umpire—Hart, of Princeton. Head linesman—McEniry, of Cornell. Time of quarters—Ten minutes each.

MEETING OF DOG LOVERS

Final Arrangements Made for Benefit Concert.

A meeting of the Dog Lovers' Protective Association was well attended at the Hotel Gregorian last night.

The final arrangements for the benefit concert were made. L. H. West, of Brooklyn, will furnish the talent and the hall. Mr. Creveling will furnish the printing, and all that remains for the members to do is to sell the tickets.

On the programme are the following names: Rafael Diaz, the Spanish tenor; Kathryn Platt Gunn, violinist; Irwin Hassell, pianist; Miss Florence Hardie, mezzo soprano; Miss Anne B. Hull, soprano, and Miss Laura Daniels.

Tickets and folders will be ready for distribution on Tuesday.

In J. T. Rossman's address last night he stated that the dog was not personal property, which makes the present situation all the more difficult.

A committee will be appointed to support legislation making the dog personal property.

A meeting has been called for Saturday evening at the same hotel.