

Richards Adds Metropolitan Tennis Singles Championship to Long List of Victories

Junior National Title Holder Defeats Cause 6-0, 6-2, 6-4

With Voshell as Partner Yonkers Youth Also Captures Doubles Trophy, Winding Up the Most Notable Season Local Boy Has Ever Had

By Fred Hawthorne
Vincent Richards continued his unbroken string of tournament victories yesterday afternoon by defeating A. J. Cause, of Staten Island, by a score of 6-0, 6-2, 6-4 in the final round of the metropolitan championship singles tournament, played on the clay surface of the New York Tennis Club, at 238th Street and Broadway.

With S. Howard Voshell as his partner in the doubles, Richards won another title when he defeated Albert J. Ostendorf and Elliott H. Binzen at 6-1, 6-3, 6-4, in the final round of the doubles.

Young Richards has made a notable record this year since the start of the outdoor season. In turn he has won the Eastern New York State, the Brooklyn and the Metropolitan titles, and he has yet to play his final round match in the invitation tournament of the Orange Lawn Tennis Club, where Ichya Kumagae will be his opponent.

In the final round match of the Eastern New York tournament he vanquished Kumagae in the final round, and in the Metropolitan event his most notable victory was over Frank Fordham, the national indoor champion. The Fordham youth also won his match in the Church Cup matches in Philadelphia, and Watson M. Washburn, the Davis Cup player, is the only man to lower Richards's colors on the outdoor courts since the start of the present season, a feat he accomplished in a special exhibition match on the turf at the Orange Lawn Tennis Club. That was not a fair test for Richards, since it was his first appearance on grass since last year.

Great Gallery Present

In the match with Cause yesterday, Richards's totals of earned points and errors were 32 and 36, respectively, as against Cause's 19 and 53, and these decisive margins represent a reliable gauge of the difference between them. The match began with the largest gallery of the entire week in attendance, and Richards won the toss and chose to start with the service. Cause was extremely nervous at the start, his usual steadiness deserting him, so that he was missing up his shots and losing all control, and it did not help any when Richards started to shoot the ball through every available opening and pile up his points with great speed and seeming ease.

In the first three games of the match Cause could only get four points, these partly on Richards's errors. The national junior champion continued to outplay his opponent, closing in at the net to block off returns by brilliant volleying. He let Cause down without a game in the opening set and went through the next three games in the second before the Staten Islander, who was gradually regaining control, could win a game. Curiously enough, he made it a "love" game, as he won on his own service, aided by slight errors by Richards and some fine placements of his own.

Richards Breaks Through

But Richards was not to be stopped for long at this stage, and, after dropping the seventh game on his own delivery, retaliated by breaking through Cause in the eighth, giving him the set at 6-2.

Richards began the service in the third set, but Cause broke through at the start and then made it 2-0 by winning his own delivery. He was placing beautifully from back court and catching Richards short of position as the latter tried to gain the net. When he had run into a lead of 3-1, however, his defense and Richards won three games in a row, giving him the lead at 4-3.

The coming champion was content to remain in back court now, trading his drives with those of Cause. He had more speed and pace on the ball than the men from Staten Island, and his placing was so accurate that Cause was constantly being caught out

The Point Score

Player	1st Set	2nd Set	3rd Set	Total
Richards	4-3	4-2	4-2	12-7
Cause	3-4	2-4	2-4	7-12

of position as he tried to intercept Richards's returns.

Fine Backhand Volleys

Cause took the eighth game and then Richards rushed through the last two, allowing his opponent only two points. A feature of the new champion's play yesterday was his marvelous low backhand volleys by means of which he turned apparently lost points into placement aces for himself as he shot the ball low over the net almost at a right angle. Several times, too, he caught Cause flat-footed in back court by dropping his returns short into fore court.

Voshell was fully as effective as Richards in the doubles match, his volleying and smashing being of high caliber, and between them two made short work of Ostendorf and Binzen, the final result never being in doubt.

Hammett Wins Match On New Rochelle Court

Alfred D. Hammett, George Grosbeck and Harris Fisher Jr. were among those to reach into the round before the semi-final yesterday afternoon in the annual Quaker Ridge championship tournament, held on the excellent clay courts of the New Rochelle Tennis Club.

Less than a dozen survivors were left in the singles when play ceased last evening out of the original field of sixty-four, striking testimony to the efficiency with which Alex J. Hammett defeated Leonard W. Knox, of Glen Ridge, by a score of 7-5, 6-3, in the third round, using a chop throughout, and Knox always had his difficulties in returning the low-bounding ball. Grosbeck had a far harder task to defeat J. P. Nicknow, the sets going at 4-6, 8-6, 7-5, in a long-drawn-out struggle from the base lines. Fisher eliminated Fred Pianisani, at 6-2, 6-3, in the other third round match. The doubles will begin this afternoon.

Summaries follow:

Quaker Ridge championship singles (first round)—Herbert L. Bowman defeated Ralph E. Roberts, 6-0, 6-3; Kenneth Porter won from H. Hewsted by default.

Second round—John D. Clarke defeated Cyril Nast, 6-2, 6-3; Charles A. Anderson defeated George N. Wallace, 6-2, 10-8; Harris Fisher Jr. defeated H. N. Deane, 6-2, 8-7; H. Rinehardt defeated Vaughn Little, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2; Harry Sachs defeated Mortimer Ziegler, 6-2, 6-0.

Third round—Harris Fisher Jr. defeated Fred Pianisani, 6-2, 6-3; Alfred D. Hammett defeated Leonard W. Knox, 7-5, 6-3; George S. Grosbeck defeated J. P. Nicknow, 4-6, 8-6, 7-5.

Paperweight Nines to Play

The paperweight baseball championship of New York will be contested at the City College Stadium Monday afternoon, at the mammoth orphans' outing to be held by the Knights of Columbus New York Chapter. Babe Ruth will umpire the game, which will be between kiddies of the Jewish and Catholic orphan institutions of New York.

Jack Dempsey On Wire Edge For Big Scrap

Champion, at 194 Pounds, Takes One of Final Hard Work-Outs in Headgear

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 26.—Jack Dempsey to-night is at the wire edge of his training for the defense of his title against Georges Carpentier at Jersey City next Saturday afternoon. The champion ended his hard work with a 45-minute workout in his open air arena this afternoon. Tomorrow he will rest and he will begin his tapering-off process Tuesday.

The program mapped out for the titleholder leading up to the day of the contest calls for the last public boxing on Wednesday. He probably will not work with heavyweight sparring partners in his final two days of boxing, but will face smaller and lighter opponents to increase his speed and sharpen judgment and distance. He also will cut down his road work to long walks with an occasional sprint to sharpen his wind.

Jack Kearns, manager of the champion, said that Dempsey never was in better condition and that he could enter the ring to-morrow.

Dempsey balanced the scales at exactly 194 pounds before he climbed into the ring. He plans to take off three or four pounds in the two final work-outs.

Despite overcast skies and a threatening continuation of rain, a crowd of about 2,500 persons today sat on the rain-soaked pine seats of the arena to see the champion maul four sparring partners in seven rounds of boxing. Dempsey's work was more impressive to-day than yesterday, but the experts thought he did not box with as much speed nor with as much drive to his punches as he has been showing in earlier work-outs. Manager Kearns explained this, however, by saying that he had cautioned him to work lightly.

Bull Montana, the Pacific Coast wrestler, kept the crowd in an uproar in a three-minute match with Dempsey after the boxing.

Carpentier Imbued With French Spirit That Saved Verdun

MANHASSET, N. Y., June 26.—Georges Carpentier will go into the ring at Jersey City next Saturday with determination to wrest the world's championship from Jack Dempsey.

"There will be no snap for Jack Dempsey," says Gus Wilson, his trainer. "He will have to be more than a great fighter to beat Georges. Never before in his fighting career has Carpentier displayed such determination as he does to-day. When he talks of the fight he grinds his teeth and clenches his fists and remarks: 'He shall not beat me. Something tells me that I can defeat him and I shall do it. His hardest blows will not find me and those that he lands I know I can stand.'"

The challenger attaches a great deal of sentiment to the hundreds of letters he receives daily from war veterans and other Americans in all walks of life.

"They want me to win," he said, "they expect me to emerge from the ring champion, and I will not disappoint them if every bone in my body is broken."

Rain started falling early to-day at the camp and the challenger was compelled to stay indoors until 9 o'clock. Then he went out to the woods with Paul Journe. They were out for about two hours, running, skipping, shadow boxing and performing acrobatics. The rain started again and they found shelter in the gymnasium, where Georges spent fifteen minutes at calisthenics before lunch.

In the afternoon Wilson and Captain Mallet took him for a long cross-country walk. They returned about 4 o'clock and after a rub-down Georges joined a crowd of friends on the lawn

Strong Field Will Compete In Intercollegiate Golf Meet

Cambridge University Team Entered in the Tournament Which Starts Tomorrow at Greenwich

By Ray McCarthy
The main attraction of a variety of interesting golf events in this section this week is the annual intercollegiate championship tournament, which will be played over the beautiful course of the Greenwich Country Club starting to-morrow and finishing on Saturday.

This meeting has become practically a national event within the last few years and this season's tourney will be an international affair, with the Cambridge University team from England competing.

Nearly sixty players from nine colleges will tee off in the team play, which starts to-morrow and finishes on Wednesday, in a contest of 72 holes of medal play. Play for the individual championship will start on Thursday between the thirty-two players having the best scores in the medal rounds.

There is always a grand scramble for the individual title, but the meeting this season is expected to offer keen competition, both in the team struggle and in the individual matches. Princeton, the present champion, is favored to win the team honors, with J. Simpson Dean, Rudolph Knepper, Richard Haight, Baxter Sparks and Carruth, although Yale, with Jesse Sweetser, Sidney Scott, Lovell, Buffington, Gardner and Mudge, is sure to prove a strong contender. Little is known of the strength of the Cambridge players, although their captain, G. N. P. Humphries, is said to be a

The struggle for the individual title is certain to be a fine fight. Jesse Sweetser, of Yale, an exceptionally clever linksman of great natural ability, has been devoting most of his time this spring to track athletics, but that he will be right in the thick of the melee is proved by the fact that on at least two occasions this spring he has gone around the difficult Wykagyl course in 73. Wykagyl is par 72 mark the various professionals are shooting at for 500 simoleons.

Seventy-five, Sweetser is going to have a merry time of it retaining his laurels, for Dean, a regular medalist; Walker, Columbia team captain, and Ward, of Williams, runner-up last year, are all splendid golfers who have improved tremendously since last season.

Each of the above named players has been playing first class golf this spring. Only last Thursday Ward went around the Apawamis course in 69, winning the qualifying round easily. Dean has won no less than four medals himself this year and Walker has the honor of having beaten Ned Sawyer, former Metropolitan champion as well as other says.

The pairings and starting times for the first round to-morrow are as follows:

Time	Name	Team
9:00	Schreiber	Columbia
9:00	Garrison	Dartmouth
9:05	Carruth	Dartmouth
9:10	Prescott	Williams
9:10	Littleton	Williams
9:15	Church	Williams
9:15	Ankney	Columbia
9:20	Bumstead	Williams
9:20	Fleming	Harvard
9:25	Freeman	M. I. T.
9:30	Hullik	Cornell
9:30	Havens	Harvard
9:35	Wimlinger	Princeton
9:35	Baker	Harvard
9:40	Mudge	Cambridge
9:40	Ward	Williams
9:45	White	Cambridge
9:45	Buffington	Yale
9:50	R. McKee	Yale
9:50	Walker	Williams
9:55	Humphries	Cambridge
10:00	Morris	Williams
10:00	Sweetser	Yale

Pastime Club Scores Heavily In Bronx Meet

Snappy Bout Enlivens Games of the Manhattan Athletic League at the Lewisohn Stadium Yesterday

By Jack Masters
The first annual handicap games of the Manhattan-Bronx Athletic League, held yesterday afternoon at Lewisohn Stadium, resulted in a typical "Celtic Park" field day for the athletes of the Pastime A. C. Led by the "whales" which threaten to displace the New York A. C. from the pedestal in the weight department of the A. A. U., the Brazilian Cross was carried to an overwhelming victory, scoring a total of 47 points.

The Morningside A. C., under whose auspices the meet was held, put up a fine fight against the winners and finished second with 27 points, while the Alpha P. C. C. was third, with 12 markers.

Until the field events began the full strength of the Pastime boys was kept covered, but after the returns were in on the 35-pound weight throwing contest, in which they carried honors in each of the four places, it was evident that the rest of the clubs were merely in the games for a workout. The shot-put and the running broad jump also went through many more points in the direction of the veteran organization, S. Lehrer, the Metropolitan champion, easily winning the latter event with a leap of 21 feet 10 inches.

George Torporcer, the Morningside A. C. star, was the only double winner. The brother of "Specs" Torporcer, of baseball fame, lost the 120-yard low event with a leap of 21 feet 10 inches, nosed out by inches for first place after getting away to a poor start. A few minutes later George made his try in the running high jump and his leap of 6 feet 2 inches stood as the best performance of the day.

There were no features, and at times the affair dragged somewhat, and possibly this is what prompted one of the athletes to start something more exciting. At any rate, the spectators were treated to a one-round bout at the conclusion of the heat of the 300-yard dash that threatened to end in a gang fight. At the finish of a heat in the 300-yard dash a Salem-Crescent athlete landed a nicely placed blow on the chin of another competitor representing the Morningside A. C. The wind-blown athlete tumbled to the grass for the count of nine, but the dusky one who delivered the blow made the mistake of watching his fallen foe instead of the onlookers, and a terrific wallop from a spectator sent him to his knees.

Several others in the crowd undertook to emulate Jack Dempsey before order was restored and the games were continued. The A. A. U. officials present said that an official investigation would follow the disgraceful occurrence, and it is likely that at least one athlete will be given an extended vacation from amateur competition.

Bassford Gains Victory On Westchester Courts

Henry H. Bassford, of the Mount Pleasant Tennis Club, defeated Herbert L. Bowman, of the New York A. C., yesterday afternoon in the fourth round of the annual Westchester County championship singles tournament, on the clay courts of the County Tennis Club of Westchester, and thereby gained his place in the round before the semi-final. The sets went at 6-3, 6-4. George A. Walker Jr. and Harvey Hewsted were also winners in the third round.

Paired in the doubles, Bassford and Bowman reached the third round of the doubles by winning two matches during the afternoon. The tournament will continue to-day.

The summaries:
Westchester County championship singles (third round)—George A. Walker Jr. defeated Kenneth Stoddard, 7-5, 7-6; Harvey Hewsted defeated Warren Ives, 6-2, 6-2.

Fourth round—Henry H. Bassford defeated Herbert L. Bowman, 6-3, 6-4. Championship doubles (first round)—Bassford and Bowman defeated Chester Mead and Fred Russell, 6-2, 6-3; Dr. George A. King and Robert Stoddard defeated Watkins and Ricca, 6-1, 6-1.

Second round—Bassford and Bowman defeated Ray Barnum and S. B. Hunnewell, 6-2, 6-2.

Naval Cutter Races at Newport

Between now and July 4 there will be a series of elimination races between the ninety-odd crews of the destroyer fleet stationed at Newport, and on Independence Day there will be held the final race between the crews remaining to represent each division of the destroyer fleet. In this race there will be eight crews contesting for the Chamber of Commerce trophy cup, which will be offered as a prize in a series of annual contests, of which this is the first.

Small Yachts Race On Sound To-day For Manhasset Cup

Corinthian, Boston, New Rochelle and N. Y. A. C. Clubs Are Among Challengers

The season's most interesting event in small boat racing will be held to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday, off Great Captain's Island in the Sound, when Addison G. Hanan's speedy Nahma, flying the colors of the Indian Harbor Yacht Club, of Greenwich, will once more defend the Manhasset Bay Challenge Cup, which has been in the possession of the Greenwich organization for six years.

The challengers for the famous trophy are the Corinthian Yacht Club of Marblehead; the Boston Yacht Club of Boston; the New Rochelle Yacht Club, and the New York Athletic Club. All will be represented by boats of the "B" class.

The races will start each day at 2 p. m., daylight saving and they will be managed by three judges, one of whom will represent the original challenging club, which is the Corinthian. One of the other judges will represent the Indian Harbor Yacht Club and the third, who is yet to be named, will act as referee.

Phillip Mallory, owner of the forty-footer Mistral, will represent the Indian Harbor Club, while Howell C. Ferrin, of the Larchmont Yacht Club, will act for the Corinthian Yacht Club. The race this afternoon will be sailed over a windward and leeward course, providing there is sufficient wind to hold a race. The distance will be fifteen miles. To-morrow's contest will be sailed over a fifteen-mile triangular course, and on Wednesday the yachts will be sent to windward and leeward again. The race will be decided on the point system.

Eastern League

Waterbury, 3; Springfield, 0.
Albany, 2; Hartford, 1.
Pittsfield-New Haven (wet grounds).
Worcester-Bridgeport (wet grounds).

Games Summary

TRACK EVENTS

100-yard dash—Won by P. Wood, St. Christopher Club, 15.7 seconds; A. Peters, Morningside A. C., 16.5 seconds; J. Bascombe, Pastime A. C., 17.5 seconds; Morningside A. C., 3 feet, third, Time, 0:10 1/2.

120-yard low hurdles—Won by G. Torporcer, Morningside A. C., 23.5 seconds; A. Peters, Morningside A. C., 25.5 seconds; J. Bascombe, Pastime A. C., 27.5 seconds; Time, 0:25 1/2.

300-yard dash—Won by M. Botwin, Gloucester A. C., 15.5 seconds; J. Bascombe, Pastime A. C., 16.5 seconds; E. Taylor, Alpha P. C. C., 18 yards, second; J. Hayden, Pastime A. C., 19 yards, third. Time, 2:00 1/2.

One-mile walk—Won by C. Hagerman, Pastime A. C., 45 seconds; H. Morrell, Morningside A. C., 46 seconds; J. N. Greenberg, Pastime A. C., 48 seconds, third. Time, 7:33 1/2.

Two-mile run—Won by J. Twisten, Pastime A. C., 13.5 minutes; J. N. Greenberg, Morningside A. C., 13.5 minutes; second; W. Stokley, St. Christopher Club, 14.0 minutes, third. Time, 9:09 1/2.

One-mile run (novice)—Won by L. Boltner, Mohawk A. C.; E. Snyder, Ninety-second Street, Gloucester A. C., second; L. Banks, Salem-Crescent A. C., third. Time, 5:00.

FIELD EVENTS

Running high jump—Won by G. Torporcer, Morningside A. C. (7 inches), 6 feet 10 inches; H. Rosenberg, Pastime A. C. (1 foot), 45 feet 6 inches; second; G. Jarman, Gloucester A. C. (4 feet), 45 feet 6 inches, third.

Running hop, step and jump—Won by O. Hawkins, Salem-Crescent A. C. (4 feet), 46 feet 8 inches; S. Lehrer, Pastime A. C. (1 foot), 45 feet 6 inches; second; G. Jarman, Gloucester A. C. (2 feet), 20 feet 4 inches, third.

Pole vault—Won by B. Redding, Alpha P. C. C. (15 inches), 16 feet, 21 feet 10 inches; attached (scratch), 10 feet, second; D. Lander, Alpha P. C. C. (15 inches), 7 feet, third, 9:59 1/2.

12-pound shot put—Won by J. Goldenberg, Pastime A. C. (3 feet), 50 feet; V. Vrettos, Pastime A. C. (scratch), 49 feet 10 1/2 inches; second; I. Litman, Morningside A. C. (scratch), 45 feet 3 inches; G. Pavaio, Pastime A. C. (5 feet), 45 feet 8 inches; second; J. Conway, Eastime A. C. (scratch), 45 feet 3 inches, third.

POINT SCORE

Pastime A. C., 49; Morningside A. C., 27; Alpha P. C. C., 12; Pastime A. C., 10; St. Christopher Club, 7; Ninety-second Street, 7; M. H. A., 5.



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