Tilden Defends Richards's Action of Defaulting in the National Indoor Title Tennis Play

Youth Justified in Preferring Other Tourney, Says Champion

Contends Three-Day Philadelphia Tourney Was Less Strenuous for Youngster Than Local Affair; Defies Solons to Dictate to Players

By Fred Hawthorne

William Dickson Cunningham, president of the 7th Regiment Tennis Club, stirred up a hornets' nest yesterday when his letter of protest to the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association concerning the action of Vincent Richards, national junior champion, in defaulting in both singles and doubles of the national indoor championship tourney, last week was made public.

Cunningham accused Richards of bad faith in defaulting in the national indoor tournament, and then, two or three days later, competing in the Middle States tourney in Philadelphia. According to Cunningham, Richards offered the plea of sickness as his excuse for not competing in this city.

No word has yet been heard from Richards or the national association in regard to the matter, but yesterday William T. Tilden 2d, national and world's singles champion, issued a statement in Philadelphia defying both Cunningham and "an executive committee or any other body" to dictate to a player where he shall play.

Tilden's statement is a straightforward defense of young Richards, and it is evident that there is going to be a lot of dust stirred up before the matter is officially closed. Cunningham himself, it appears, is treading on thin ice because of his action in accepting Richards's entry to the national tournament by telephone instead of in writing and accompanied by the entry fee, as the rules of the 7th Regiment Tennis Club expressly required.

The world's champion refers sarcastically to the national indoor championship at the 7th Regiment Armory as "the so-called" national indoor singles, with "few outside entries," and declares that he and little Alexander Wiener, his fourteen-year-old partner in the national indoor doubles, "played under lighting and surface conditions which made it impossible for Wiener to do justice to himself or to me, because I desired to assist the national tourney as far as possible."

Light Poor at 7th Regiment

The lighting conditions at the 7th Regiment Armory are notoriously bad for tennis, and the surface conditions leave much to be desired, as any player who speaks frankly will tell you, and I say this even though to speak this truth always arouses animosity on the part of the local club officials.

Tilden's statement says: "I feel that any criticism on the part of Mr. Cunningham as to the action of Vincent Richards or myself is entirely uncalled for."

Answering the demand of Cunningham that the association explain why the national association sanctioned the Philadelphia tourney in conflict with the national event, and that Richards be asked to explain his conduct, Tilden says:

"Such a demand is entirely unjustified. In the first place, the local tournament was sanctioned. It was necessary to postpone it a week, that was all. Having been sanctioned, any player who desired to enter was eligible to do so.

"I was instrumental in getting Richards here Vinny had been ill and was not in the best condition. I went to him and told him he could not afford, in his physical condition, to risk a full week's play, and that our tournament was only three days long and would be little strain upon him. He agreed with me and promised to come.

Never Consented to Play

"Meanwhile he had entered the national affair in doubles, paired with Frank Anderson. We objected to this, after his promise to me, and he decided to default. But Cunningham had also entered him in the national indoor singles without his consent, which is in direct violation of the rules of the Metropolitan Association. I heard Richards myself object to this and declare he would not play there, twenty-four hours before the tournament began.

"To help out the New York tournament I went over myself with 'Sandy' Wiener and played in doubles under conditions that were a great strain on Sandy. We were defeated by Hartmann and Ewing, a pair we should have beaten easily, as is shown by the fact that we took a set from Richards and Wallace Johnson here.

"The so-called national indor championships are not national in scope. In the last five years they haven't had five players outside of the New York district competing. It is simply a local government, but by courtesy takes the name of 'national championship.' Tournaments held in other districts do not conflict with it at all.

"Richards was perfectly free to come here. In my opinion he did the right thing in not playing in a national event in his present condition. The criticism directed against him is entirely without justification."

Tilden's statement throws a little more light on the inner workings of the situation and it will be interesting to hear the 7th Regiment's reply.

Leard Off to Join Charleston

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Bill Leard, former Pacific Coast and Northwest League player and manager, left yesterday for Charleston, S. C., to play second base for that club.

Bouts Hereabouts

TO-NIGHT

Broadway E. A.—Brooklyn College Club, amateur bouts.
4th Regiment Armory, J. C.—Mike McTigue vs. Billy Beckett, 12 rounds.

SATURDAY

Rink S. C.—Joe Lynch vs. Harry Martin, 12 rounds.
Ridgewood Grove S. C.—Happy Mahoney vs. Johnny Dohan, 12 rounds.
Commonwealth S. C.—Frankie Genaro vs. Manny Wexler, 12 rounds.
47th Regiment Armory—Murty Silvers vs. Midget Sully, 10 rounds.

MONDAY

Star S. C.—Moe Herscovitch vs. Jimmy O'Gatty, 12 rounds.
Broadway E. A.—Lew Tendler vs. Charley Pitts, 12 rounds.

TUESDAY

Pioneer A. C.—Jack Sharkey vs. Sammy Noble, 12 rounds.

Beckett to Fight McTigue in Jersey Armory To-night

By Jack Lawrence

Mike McTighe, who modestly claims the Irish middleweight championship of the world and who has worn out several pairs of shoes (size 12) chasing after a bout with Johnny Wilson, will step into the spotlight to-night in the 4th Regiment Armory ring over in Joisey. "Mauling" Mike will entertain one Billy Beckett, who insists he is from N'Yarlens, where they counted out Charlie Weinert a few night ago.

The original invitations for the affair stated that Mike would do his stuff with Augie Ratner, but it was announced last night that Augie would be unable to keep the date because he injured his right arm while waltzing with Jackie Clarke at the Pioneer Club last Tuesday night.

Sid Marks, the Canadian lightweight champion, will appear in the semi-final bout with Joe Kline, who claims Newark as the place of his birth. In his last bout Marks disposed of Eddie Walsh in the ninth round. Another bout will bring together Harry Martone, of Jersey City, and Al Serra, of Brooklyn, while the curtain raiser will offer Johnny King, of Passaic, and Al Dineen, who appears to be homeless.

We have asked a great many studious boxing fans what they think of Joe Lynch's chances with Johnny Buff when the pair meet in a fifteen-round battle for the world's bantamweight title at Madison Square Garden on May 5. Nine out of ten replied:

"Well, I expect to see Joe 'take' him."

Which is a way of saying that the nine out of ten believe that Lynch would win by a knockout. If this opinion is as widespread as the mentioned ratio would indicate it is a cinch that Lynch will enter the ring a top-heavy favorite. That seems surprising to us.

A line on Lynch's form may be had at the Rink Sporting Club to-morrow night, when he boxes Harry Martin, of Providence, in the feature bout of twelve rounds. Martin, who has everything to gain by a victory and nothing in particular to lose if defeated, is likely to make matters interesting for the former bantamweight champion. It is understood that the articles in the Buff-Lynch fight provide that Joe must defeat Martin to make the contract binding.

Harvard Crew Pleased With Its New Shell

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 6.—Harvard's homemade shell was launched for the first time this afternoon and the varsity crew was so pleased with it that they will use the boat against Pennsylvania here on April 29. The boat seems peculiarly fitted to a crew of the varsity's average weight, which is 179 pounds, rode high on the water and not at all low at the bow, a trouble which is noticeable in several of Harvard's best shells.

The shell was built at the Harvard boathouse by rigger Bill Lutz and riggged by him under the supervision of Head Coach Howe and a graduate committee of rigging. At its prow floated a white flag with a small crimson "H" upon it. The shell is 61½ feet long 10½ inches deep and 23 inches wide.

Match Play in Pinehurst Golf Halted by Rain

Only Two Pairs Finish Nine Holes in North and South Amateur Tournament

By Ray McCarthy

PINEHURST, N. C., April 6.—The survivors in the North and South amateur golf championship made a brave attempt to beat the rain to-day but failed dismally. The weather man was stubborn and had control of the situation the whole day long. The golfers are in hopes he will relent by to-morrow, for there is still considerable business to be transacted before the final round.

Two pairs of hardy contestants managed to finish nine holes and the two others struggled to the ninth before suspending hostilities. As matters now stand F. K. Robeson, of Rochester, has an advantage of three holes over Donald Parson, of Youngstown, starting the second nine holes. Arthur Yates, the merry medalist, swam to the turn one stroke or one holehead of his sharp-shooting, left-handed opponent, Michael Thomas.

Henry Topping finds himself down to E. L. Scofield, with ten holes to be played. Bill Fownes, former national amateur champion, has an advantage of 2 up on Harold Weber, with ten to go. The second round will be finished in the morning and the victors will clash immediately after luncheon in the semi-final round.

Fownes Plays Well in Mud

Fownes proved to be the best "mudder" of the field to-day. He slogged along at the speedy clip of even 4s, and that going here is good in any kind of weather.

Weber, however, was quite equal to the task of holding the pace. He is a very steady individual and 2 down doesn't mean much where he is concerned. There will be some fun yet before this match is finished. Fownes got the lead at the second hole, and although Weber squared matters at the third the Oakmont star grabbed a couple of useful 3s on the fourth and the sixth and halved the other holes.

Yates had been warned about the prowess of this fellow Thomas, who crashes the ball like Babe Ruth. So he probably wasn't greatly surprised when the Tennessean started with a rush and won the first two holes. Instead he settled down to play golf. The rain was getting in its best licks as the pair approached the turn. The moisture seemed to bother Thomas more than it did Sir Arthur, and the former dropped three holes in a row and the lead. Yates was 2 up going to the seventh hole.

Unless we misjudge the caliber of Michael Thomas we would say that this match is far from ended as yet.

Topping Trailing Scofield

Henry Topping was moving along serenly and in good form until the latter part of the outgoing journey. Then the rain caught him and ruined his disposition as well as his score. Topping faces a big handicap in being 3 down to Scofield, with only ten holes left to play, for the latter is quite proficient at Pinehurst golf.

Don Parsons took 44 blows to make the outgoing trip in his match with F. K. Robeson. Robeson covered the same distance in 40 strokes. Parson complained that his niblick wasn't working as well as it might on the greens. He was missing the cup by inches in attempting these pitch shots.

Robeson tried driving the ball along the ground on the sand greens with better results. He is 4 up, and there is every reason to believe he will be one of the semi-finalists. After withdrawing from the field of battle the competitors practiced hip shots indoors. If the weather continues as it is that will be the most useful shot for the boys to-morrow.

Al Mendes, of Siwanoy, lost to E. C. Beall, of Uniontown, by 3 and 2 in one of the few completed matches in the second division play.

Yonkers Quintet Beaten In State Titular Game

SYRACUSE, April 6.—Semi-finals in the New York State interscholastic basketball tournament, played to-night at the Syracuse University gymnasium, resulted in the following scores:

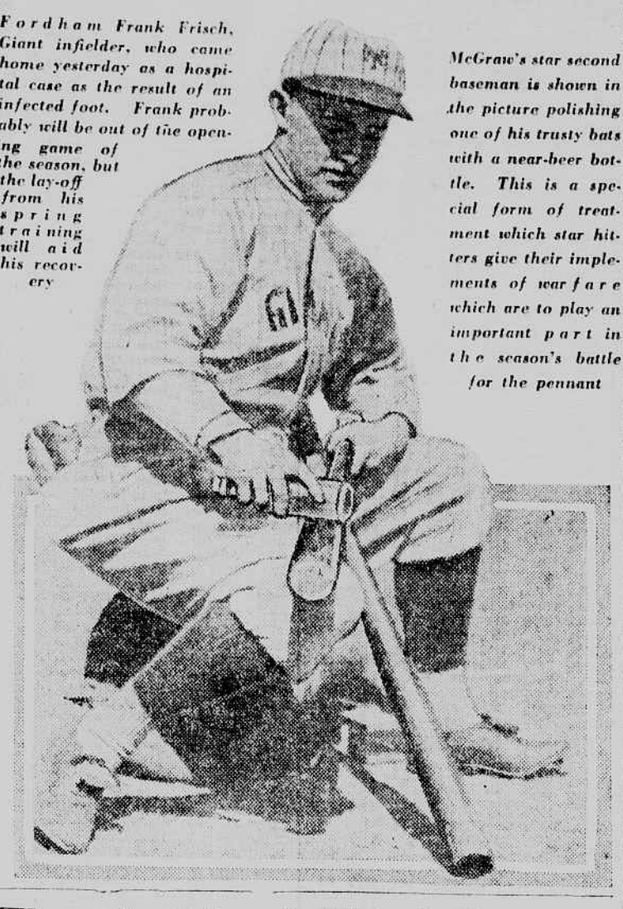
Buffalo Masten Park, 21; Schenectady, 20. Rochester East High, 52; Yonkers, 22. Syracuse Central, 33; Cortland, 9. Plattsburgh, 28; Lawrence, 16.

The winners will meet in two games to-morrow night, the two successful fives playing off for the championship of the state Saturday night.

Servidio and Diamond in Draw

Dominic Servidio and Young Diamond battled twelve furious rounds to a draw in the feature bout at the 102d Medical Regiment Armory last night. In the semi-final Johnny Lazz and Danny Lyons also fought a draw.

Out of Game With Spiked Foot



Fordham Frank Frisch, Giant infielder, who came home yesterday as a hospital case as the result of an infected foot. Frank probably will be out of the opening game of the season, but the lay-off from his spring training will aid his recovery

McGraw's star second baseman is shown in the picture polishing one of his trusty bats with a near-beer bottle. This is a special form of treatment which star hitters give their implements of warfare which are to play an important part in the season's battle for the pennant

Wounded Frank Frisch Returns To Recuperate From Infection

Frank Frisch, the Fordham Flash, and star infielder of the world's champion Giants, arrived yesterday afternoon from Knoxville, Tenn., whither he left his club in order to seek family fireside rest and seclusion to recover as quickly as possible from an infection of the foot. This great young player is suffering from a mild case of blood poisoning, the result of a spike wound sustained in a practice game in Texas two weeks ago.

Frisch is walking on crutches. Al entertains hopes that he may be able to break into the line-up on opening day next Wednesday afternoon, but his present condition belies any such sanguine belief. Frisch is one of the very few college players who stepped right out and made good with one of the greatest ball clubs in the game—and made good under severe handicaps.

During the first week of the 1920 season Frisch was operated upon for appendicitis and consequently was eliminated from active service for many weeks. A year ago he suffered a painful spike wound, but nevertheless came back with a vengeance and proved himself one of the greatest infielders uncovered in the last ten years.

This phenom had little to say upon his return as to his own personal outlook, but expressed the opinion that McGraw's champions would repeat last season's pennant success in the National League. He thinks Ralph Shinners capable of filling the shoes of George Burns and is of the opinion that McGraw will have the finest infield doing business when all the cripples have recovered. Heinie Groh and Bancroft will both both be ready by next Wednesday, Frisch expects.

Frankie Frisch is the third cripple of the two local championship clubs to return ahead of the main squads in order to rest up for the stern realities ahead. Southpaw Bob Tecarr, of the Yankees, accompanied President Jacob Ruppert and Business Manager Ed Barrow home from New Orleans training camp almost two weeks ago. Tecarr, who overdid himself after recuperating from an attack of plural pneumonia and influenza, has been at Lakewood, working out with the Jersey City club.

Outfielder Bob Meusel, afflicted early in the New Orleans training season with a serious attack of tonsillitis, followed Messrs. Ruppert, Barrow and Tecarr to the big city a day later. He was discharged from St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday following a successful operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Covers Mile at Daytona In Less Than 20 Seconds

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., April 6.—Diving his specially constructed motorcar at 180.2 miles an hour, Sig Haugdahl, of Norway, to-day negotiated a mile on the local beach in 19:97 seconds. The trial was conducted under the auspices of the International Motor Contest Association and was electrically timed.

The world's record, as sanctioned by the American Automobile Association, is held by Tommy Milton at 23:07. Haugdahl yesterday exceeded records held by Milton for the kilometer, five-mile and ten-mile straightaway courses.

Bowie Entries

FIRST RACE—Purse, $1,200; claiming; maiden two-year-old fillies; four furlongs:

— M. Loretta ....112 | — Dentaria 112
15 Jennie C. ....112 | 22 St. Angelina 112
15 Pinkie ....112 | 15 Laura Gaffney...112
— Our Teller ....112 | — L. Monmouth....112
15[3] Keegle S. ....112 | 15[3] Jean F. 112
15 High Tea ....112 | — L. Brettenham...112
— Rejection ....112 | — Blarney Rose ...112

SECOND RACE—Purse, $1,200; claiming; three-year-olds; six and a half furlongs:

28 H. Kemble ....113 | — Bill's Luck 103
— *Felgned Zeal ....106 | — Lucky Girl 102
23 *Clinchfield ....103 | — Night Boat 112
(29) *Dare ....109 | 17 *Max Gold 105
— Little Patsy ....113 | 28 *Van Dresser 103
— *Little Annie ....105 | — Midnight Stories 101
— *Bullet 106

THIRD RACE—Purse, $1,200; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs:

— King John ....123 | 19 Ultra Gold 112
— D. C. Wells ....114 | — *Fizer 107
— *Tedish ....111 | — Redmon 116
24 *Ima Frank ....104 | — *F. Monroe 111
11 *The Lamb ....117 | — *Copyright 109

FOURTH RACE—Purse, $1,200; three-year-olds and upward; six and a half furlongs:

— Relish ....110 | — Excuse Me 105
(25) Hullabaloo ....105 | — Ballot Mark 105
— Honorable ....105 | — John Morrill 105
— Troubler 105

FIFTH RACE—Purse, $1,200; four-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth:

(12) *Midnight Sun. 115 | 9 Chinnie Walsh..106
12 Master Jack ....107 | — *Zouave 102
(27) *Natural ....105 | 12[2] *Bribed Voter ..110
12 Smarty ....111 | 12 *Fine Rooster ..106

SIXTH RACE—Purse, $1,200; claiming; four-year-olds and upward; mile and seventy yards:

— *M. Luckert ....89 | — *Jacques 102
13 *The Cut. Bon..101 | 34[2] *La Kross 100
21[2] Tiger Rose ....101 | — C. J. Crimile...101
14 Pretender ....106 | 2 Donatello 101
16 *M. Fontaine....94 | 16 Mark West 104
21 *Lucy Kate ....101 | (13) Napthalus 114

SEVENTH RACE—Purse, $1,200; claiming; four-year-olds and upward; mile:

16 Amaze ....109 | 23[3] Redanzky 99
— Nut Cracker ....104 | 2 *Korish 94
— *Miss Otto ....101 | — Shoot Or. 101
14[2] *Maize ....94 | 14 *King's Bride ..101
7 G. Washington...107 | 13 Pattern 99
— *Sammy Jay ....102 | — *Mom. Face 89

Weather cloudy; track fast.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Organized Baseball to Defend Court Action on Opening Day

WASHINGTON, April 6.—By strange coincidence the calendar of the Supreme Court, it developed to-day, calls for oral argument of a case vital to organized baseball April 12, the day designated as the inauguration of the major league season.

The proceedings, which at that time will come up for argument, were instituted in the courts of the District of Columbia by the Baltimore club of the defunct Federal League, which alleged it had been damaged to the extent of $300,000 on account of the failure of the Federal League, due to the activities of the major leagues.

A jury in the Supreme Court of the district holding that professional baseball as conducted in the big leagues constituted an attempt to monopolize interstate commerce, returned a verdict against organized baseball, finding that it had made impossible the success of the Federal League, and assessing damages at $80,000, which, under the Sherman anti-trust act procedure, was trebled.

The verdict was reversed in the District Court of Appeals and the case brought to the Supreme Court by the Baltimore club.

The questions which the Supreme Court is asked to decide in the case include whether the combination of baseball clubs and leagues operating under the national agreement are wtihin the provisions of the Sherman act, whether damages can be recovered by the Baltimore club; whether there was any evidence of pecuniary damages to the club warranting the submission of the question of damage to the jury, and whether the club could maintain an action under the Sherman act to recover damages alleged to have resulted from an injury to the Federal League when it was only a stockholder in that organization.

Senator Pepper, of Pennsylvania, who acted as counsel for organized baseball in the lower court litigation, will argue for the big leagues in the Supreme Court.

Morvich in Half-Mile Exercise Runs 0:47 4-5

MORVICH, the three-year-old sensation of the American turf during the last month or more, exercised a half mile at the Jamaica track yesterday morning in the sensational time of 0:47 4-5, and in doing it ran right into the Kentucky Derby field.

Two dozen stop watches held by experts caught the furlong time as follows: 0:11, 0:22 1-5, 0:34 4-5, 0:47 4-5. The big son of Runnymede—Hymir had a heavy exercise boy in the saddle and was fighting for his head all the way.

"He'll go in the Derby, sure," said Burlew, as Morvich cavorted back to the swipes. "He was running so free and easy I couldn't believe my watch till other timers told me how they clocked the work. Here's a horse fit to show his heels to a Man o' War at his best."

Injury Compels Cutting to Call Off Court Game

Defaults in Final for the Court Tennis Title Because of Wrenched Shoulder

By Jack Masters

Hewitt Morgan advanced to the challenge round of the national amateur court tennis championship tournament yesterday when C. Suydam Cutting, the decided favorite, was compelled to default in the final round. Cutting wrenched his shoulder in his match with Charles Sands on Wednesday, and upon examination yesterday it was disclosed that two tendons have been strained so badly that it is doubtful if he will play again for several months.

The challenge round will be played at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, when Morgan will oppose Jay Gould, who has held the championship for the past fifteen years. Gould has been installed a heavy favorite to retain the crown, but Morgan, on his showing in the semi-finals, should make an interesting match of it.

Cutting, who has twice been runner-up to Gould in the challenge round, had displayed excellent court tennis throughout the tourney, and it was believed that he would extend Gould to the limit.

Cutting attributes his injury to his smashing "railroad service," which necessitates an overturn of the shoulder muscles. He had undergone a strenuous season to reach the top of condition, and his powerful drives in the match agaist Sands probably strained the ligaments to the point where a slight strain did the damage.

Walter Kinsella, the American professional court tennis champion, experienced little difficulty defeating George Standing in their exhibition match. Standing, who is fifty-five years old, and has been an instructor at the local club for many years, put up a game struggle against the title holder, but was beaten 6—2, 4—6, 6—3.

Kinsella, who sails next Tuesday for England, where he will meet George Covey, the world's open professional champion, for the title, appeared to be in excellent condition, and very likely could have won by a wider margin. He was far too clever for Standing, and his speed afoot and powerful stroking were deciding factors.

Five Cornell Crews Go To Training Table

ITHACA, N. Y., April 6.—Three varsity and two freshman crews constituting the rowing squad Coach John Hoyle has directed to stay here during spring vacation and practice twice a day went out on Lake Cayuga to-day in their first long spin and the real work of developing Cornell crews for the coming regattas began. These five combinations also went to the training table which was organized to-day. The eights stroked by Wheeler and Filius will, it is admitted, fight it out for the right to be known as the varsity crew.

The rowing squad follows:

Varsity—Bow, Kells; 2, F. C. Baldwin; 3, Strong; 4, Luhr; 5, Hearn; 6, Baker; 7, A. C. Baldwin; stroke, Filius; coxswain, Nicholson.

Varsity—Bow, Hoffman; 2, Garnsey; 3, Bardewyck; 4, Fix; 5, Hough; 6, Calleson; 7, Dollbaum; stroke, Wheeler; coxswain, Hodges.

Varsity—Bow, Reed; 2, Davidson; 3, Maduro; 4, Parker; 5, Bullens; 6, Egbert; 7, Heath; stroke, Rebman; coxswain, Volkening.

Freshman—Bow, Carpenter; 2, Tolbert; 3, Whitmore; 4, Wilcott; 5, Bower; 6, Eaton; 7, Purcell; stroke, Dollbaum; coxswain, Paret.

Freshman—Bow, Lens; 2, West; 3, Mill; 4, Hinkle; 5, Krider; 6, Youngman; 7, Parshall; stroke, Hope; coxswain, Crowell.

Racing Summaries

BOWIE RACETRACK, APRIL 6—WEATHER CLEAR; TRACK FAST

29 FIRST RACE—Maiden two-year-olds; purse, $1,263.37. Four furlongs. Post 2:32; off 2:33. Start good; won easily; place same. Time, 0:48 4-5. Winner, b. c., by North Star II—Grail. Owner, Orleans Stable. Trainer, A. Simons.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
12	Better Luck	115	1	1	1½	1½	1¹	C. Kummer...	$4.90	$3.00	$2.50
—	*Woodland	112	2	2	3½	2½	2²	Lang	—	2.70	2.30
12	Carmen Pantages	112	5	6	6½	5½	3½	Johnson	—	—	3.10
—	Faith W.	112	7	3	4½	3½	4½	Morris	—	—	—
1	Elizabeth Brice	112	4	5	5²	4¹	5²	Babin	—	—	—
—	*Gesia	114	9	8	8½	6¹	6²	Keogh	—	—	—
—	Wrangle	115	8	4	7²	7¹	7³	T. Rice	—	—	—
—	†Athania	112	10	9	9¹	9²	8³	Dreon	—	—	—
1	Billy Gibson	115	8	10	10	10	9³	Buxton	—	—	—
—	†Cork Elm	114	3	3	2½	8¹	10	Parke	—	—	—

*Coupled as Whitney entry. †Coupled as Nevada Stock Farm entry.

Better Luck broke in motion and assumed the lead, which he easily increased for the rest of the race, winning eased up. Woodland broke well, but attempted to bear out rounding the turn. Carmen Pantages began slowly, but finished gamely.

30 SECOND RACE—Maidens three years old and upward; claiming; purse, $1,263.37. Seven furlongs, out of the chute. Post 3:03; off 3:03. Start good; won driving; place same. Time, 1:30 2-5. Winner, b. m., 5, by Duke of Ormond—Anna Reed. Owner, R. M. Samuelson. Trainer, M. Grant.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
—	Orma Reed	112	8	3	3¹	1½	1½	1¹	Allen	$21.10	$9.00	$3.70
—	Archive	112	1	5	2½	2¹	3²	2²	Nolan	—	4.10	2.80
10	Welcome Stranger	104	10	1	1½	2²	2³	3³	Obert	—	—	2.50
10	Swagger	99	4	8	6¹	6¹	4½	4⁴	Gregory	—	—	—
14	Straight Shot	99	2	9	8¹	7²	7¹	5³	Owens	—	—	—
—	Blodwin	107	6	4	7²	5²	5¹	6⁵	McGinnis	—	—	—
—	Doris	94	5	2	4¹	4³	6½	7²	Wallace	—	—	—
—	Pattern	112	3	10	10	9⁴	8¹	8¹	Murphy	—	—	—
—	Priscilla Greenway	112	9	6	5½	8¹	9½	9⁴	Sterling	—	—	—
—	Shellbark	112	7	7	9⁴	10	10	10	Woodstock	—	—	—

Orma Reed raced Welcome Stranger into submission through the middle running, and then held on gamely under urging to withstand Archive's challenge through the final eighth. The latter broke well, but was taken under restraint behind the pace. He hung under a drive after getting to the winner. Welcome Stranger had no excuse. He was hustled across from the outside and showed a half mile of speed before quitting. The others were ordinary.

31 THIRD RACE—Four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $1,263.37. Six furlongs. Post 8:37; off 8:39. Start good; won easily; place same. Time, 1:13 1-5. Winner, b. h., 8, by Ogden—Frankie. Owner, R. Scherrer. Trainer, M. J. Murphy.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
9	Jock Scot	107	1	2	3¹	3¹	2¹	1¹	Thomas	$4.50	$3.10	$2.20
9[2]	Trantula	111	4	3	2½	1½	1½	2³	Lang	—	2.80	2.10
—	Betalnda	112	2	5	1¹	2³	3³	3³	Babin	—	—	2.30
16[3]	Ace of Aces	111	3	6	4½	5⁴	4½	4³	R. Rice	—	—	—
—	The Nephew	113	5	4	5½	4½	5⁴	5⁴	Buxton	—	—	—
—	St. Just	109	6	1	6	6	6	6	Boganowski	—	—	—

Jock Scot was a different horse to-day. Fractious at the barrier, he broke running and disposed of Trantula easily in the final test, winning in a romp. Trantula was easily second best and had no excuse. Betalnda displayed high early speed, but quit when challenged. Ace of Aces lacked his usual pep and ran a dull race. The others were outclassed. St. Just bore out entering the stretch.

32 FOURTH RACE—Four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $1,263.37. Six furlongs. Post 4:12; off 4:14. Start good; won driving; place same. Time, 1:13 1-5. Winner, blk. g., 6, by Star Shoot—Busy Maid. Owner and trainer, O. B. Akers.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
(9)	Camouflage	122	5	2	2½	1½	1½	1½	Sterling	$12.00	$4.30	$8.90
(16)	Penelope	108	2	4	4¹	3½	3½	2¹	Schwartz	—	2.70	2.40
—	Cacambo	113	6	3	5⁴	4½	4⁴	3³	Ambrose	—	—	10.80
11	Hidden Jewel	114	3	5	1½	2³	2½	4³	R. Rice	—	—	—
2	Sandy H.	109	1	6	6	6	5½	5⁴	Freishon	—	—	—
16[2]	Turnabout	100	4	1	3¹	5¹⁰	6	6	Lang	—	—	—

Camouflage just lasted under a hustling ride. Penelope was the victim of miserable handling. She was snatched up at the break, taken into the deep going rounding the turn, and would have won in another stride. Cacambo showed a good effort and was easily third best. Hidden Jewel showed high early speed, but stopped badly. Turnabout attempted to run wide rounding the turn.

33 FIFTH RACE—THE ARMY AND NAVY PURSE; three-year-olds and upward; purse, $1,263.37. Six and a half furlongs, out of the chute. Post 4:43; off 4:44. Start good; won easily; place driving. Time, 1:20 3-5. Winner, ch. h., 6, by Spanish Prince—Sun Maiden. Owner and trainer, G. W. Coburn.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
11[2]	War Note	106	1	5	2½	1½	1¹	1¹	Morris	$4.00	$3.20	$2.80
—	St. Denard	107	6	2	1½	2¹	3½	2½	Nolan	—	3.80	3.80
3[2]	All Fair	111	4	3	5½	4½	5¹	3½	Lang	—	—	2.40
4	Hobey Baker	113	3	4	4⁵	3½	2½	4²	Butwell	—	—	—
—	Mock Orange	106	5	1	6	6	6	5½	Thomas	—	—	—
19	Tom McTaggart	113	2	6	3⁵	5⁴	4¹	6	Johnson	—	—	—

War Note was easily the best. St. Denard showed a surprisingly good effort. Hobey Baker showed improvement and stood a drive well. Tom McTaggart showed some speed. Mock Orange was always outpaced.

34 SIXTH RACE—Four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $1,263.37. One mile and an eighth. Post 5:17; off 5:19. Start good; won driving; place same. Time, 1:58. Winner, br. g., 7, by Stalwart—San Andres. Owner and trainer, G. C. Milton.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
7	Attorney Muir	103	7	7	3¹	3½	3¹	1²	Lang	$9.80	$5.10	$3.90
7	La Kross	100	5	5	2²	2⁴	2¹	2⁵	Boganowski	—	24.60	11.10
(14)	Weary	101	4	4	6¹	6⁵	5⁴	3¹	Thomas	—	—	5.50
—	Little Ed	108	1	3	7	7	6²	4³	Martz	—	—	—
7[2]	Solid Rock	108	6	6	4½	4½	4⁵	5²	Schwartz	—	—	—
—	Huonec	111	3	1	1⁸	1¹⁰	1⁸	6¹⁰	Lowe	—	—	—
—	Kebo	111	2	2	5⁵	5²	7	7	Brooks	—	—	—

Attorney Muir was rated through the early running and came with a determined rush through the stretch, to win going away. La Kross tired after the effort to overtake Huonec's suicidal pace and just outstayed Weary.

35 SEVENTH RACE—Four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $1,263.37. One mile and an eighth. Post 5:49; off 5:50. Start good; won easily; place same. Time, 1:58. Winner, b. h., 6, by Diambala—Lizzie Gilmer. Owner, T. J. Farrell Jr. Trainer, R. L. White.

Index.	Starter.	Wt.	P.P.	St.	¼	½	¾	Fin.	Jockey.	Straight.	Place.	Show.
23	Clean Gone	103	2	2	3½	2½	1½	1²	Lang	$3.70	$3.40	$3.40
14	Walk Up	98	7	5	2¹	1½	2½	2½	Gantner	—	8.80	4.50
7	John Arbor	106	6	4	5½	4²	4½	3³	Thomas	—	—	2.90
7[2]	Jack Reeves	106	4	7	7	5⁴	5⁴	4⁵	Wallace	—	—	—
—	Car	103	3	3	1¹	3²	3¹	5²	Brooks	—	—	—
13	Hendrie	108	1	1	6²	5³	6⁴	6⁴	McTaggart	—	—	—
7	Anna Gallup	108	5	6	4½	6³	7	7	R. Rice	—	—	—

Clean Gone drew out in the stretch and won as he pleased. Walk Up was best of the others. John Arbor finished out strong.

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Old Arguments Again Heard As Stymie Gets Official O. K.

Desirability of One Set of Rules for International Play Is Strong Reason for Change; U. S. Code Is Now in Line With That of Great Britain

By Grantland Rice

The official return of the stymie after a two-years' absence has started more golf chatter than any episode of the year in so far as the ancient Scottish pastime is concerned.

There were two important points to be considered.

The first was the frequent unfairness of the stymie in close matches, adding frequently to the luck of a game that already abounds in luck of various shapes and sizes.

The second point was the matter of lifting the ball in match play, always something to be avoided wherever possible.

The average golfer in his casual matches, of course, will never play the stymie. But when it comes to important tournament play only a small part of the clan at large is involved. So hardship is worked upon 80 per cent of the flock that already has enough troubles to look after.

In view of the fact that one set of rules is important for any big international sport, it is just as well that the committee decided to follow the old order of the game and so swing in line with Great Britain, Canada and other nations that later on may figure extensively in international play.

Sentiment in the United States has always been sharply divided. The stymie has had its friends and its enemies, and these will never get together. Its friends claim that it adds one of the finest shots in golf to the day's repertory and that it also adds the lure of an extra hazard. Its friends also claim that in match play the ball was never intended to be lifted as it is in medal play. Enemies of the stymie have quite an argument on their side, the main point being the element of unfair luck that so frequently comes up where a golfer is penalized through no fault of his own, often through a poor stroke by an opponent.

One of the chief points in its favor is that the United States and Great Britain, the two chief golfing bodies of the world, are now together again on the main matters of the rules and regulations that govern the game.

The U. S. G. A. committee, after taking advice from leading golfers over the country, finally decided that the two-year experiment without the stymie failed to work, and that the old order was better. Their view was that, after all, golf was supposed to be golf, not marbles or something else apart from the first principles of the ancient game.

Golfers at Pinehurst Disagree Over Stymie

By Ray McCarthy

PINEHURST, N. C., April 6.—The restoration of the stymie was the subject of considerable discussion to-night among the members of the golf colony here for the North and South amateur championship, and various opinions were expressed. The general sentiment was that the stymie should be abolished entirely; that there was too much tampering with the rules, and that the present goif code was good enough. Some of the golfers spoke quite decisively. Some others felt indifferently about the matter.

William Fownes jr., of the Oakmont Club, of Pittsburgh, former national amateur champion and captain of the United States international team, was not among those who favored abolishing the stymie. Fownes, when he heard that the U. S. G. A. committee had restored the stymie, was quite pleased.

"I'm glad to hear the stymie has been restored," he said, "because I feel it is an integral part of the game. I believe it requires skill to play a stymie and that the shot belongs to the game. I am also pleased to learn that the committee has decided to charge admission to the championships. Not only will that be the means of bringing in revenue, but it will keep out a lot of undesirables."

A. Lucien Walker, like Fownes, is