WOMEN WHO BOWL WELL.

SUCCESSFUL OPENING OF THE TOURNAMENT IN TURN VEREIN HALL.

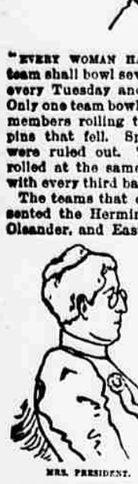
Four Clubs Competed, the Oleanders Making the Top Score—Peculiarities of the Fair Bowlers—The Scorer Had an Exciting Time—To Continue Until March 15.

The opening games of the women's bowling tournament were rolled yesterday afternoon on the alleys of the Central Turn Verein Hall, Sixty-seventh street and Third avenue, and all the indications point to the complete success of the affair. There are ten clubs in the tournament, and ten members of each team, the names of the clubs being Jolly Women, Lotta, Hermine Buchholz, East River Park, Teutonia, Oleander, New York City Schuetzen, Felsenkellar, all of New York, and Bushwick and Merry Ten of Brooklyn. Only four teams bowled yesterday, and this occupied the time between 1¾ o'clock and 4 o'clock P. M. The conditions of the tournament are that each

"EVERY WOMAN HAS TEN MINUTES' PRACTICE."

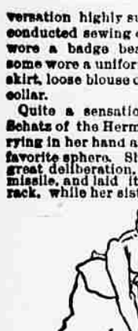
team shall bowl seven games, play continuing every Tuesday and Thursday till March 15. Only one team bowled at a time, each of the ten members rolling twelve balls and scoring all pins that fell. Spares, strikes, and breaks were ruled out. Two members of a team rolled at the same time and changed alleys with every third ball.

The teams that competed yesterday represented the Hermine Buchholz, Jolly Women, Oleander, and East River Park. There were forty bowlers and probably a hundred spectators, including a few men. They were confined to reporters, umpire, and scorer, and they stood in a little group and conversed in whispers. The contestants began to come into the alleys about 1 o'clock, and as soon as they took off their hats and cloaks they gathered in a bunch and started a general conversation highly suggestive of a successfully conducted sewing circle. Each of the bowlers wore a badge bearing the club name, and some wore a uniform consisting of dark blue skirt, loose blouse of the same color, and sailor collar.



MRS. PRESIDENT.

Quite a sensation was created when Mrs. Schatz of the Hermine Buchholz entered, carrying in her hand a canvas bag containing her favorite sphere. She unbuckled the bag with great deliberation, took out the lignum vitæ missile, and laid it carefully away on a lower rack, while her sister bowlers looked on with regretful interest. On a table stood the six prizes, and the winners can select any one of the number. They consist of an elegant gold flower vase, a silver fruit dish, a combination flower vase and fruit dish, a silver cake basket, a silver fruit dish, and a pair of vases. There are also two individual medals offered by the Central Turn Verein for the two highest scores.



POODLE AND OVER THE LINE.

The chatting continued with vigor and rapidity, the members of the teams apparently being oblivious of the fact that they had come there to do anything but enjoy a social reunion. Suddenly B. Koenig, who organized the tournament, plucked up courage, and, raising his voice above the hum of conversation, remarked:

"Now, ladies, the members of each team will have ten minutes for practice before rolling in the tournament. I would suggest that practice begin now."

The ladies looked a trifle indignant at the interruption of their conversazione, but they gradually worked towards the alleys. W. Herbert, who had been selected as official umpire, had the misfortune to break a leg, and Charles King, formerly of the Phœnix Club and now of the Ivanhoes, accepted the position. Mr. King is one of the best bowlers in the city. He made the highest average in Section 1 of the A. A. B. U. Notwithstanding these achievements, Mr. King was plainly rattled when he rose up to begin his official duties and encountered the gaze of 140 women. In his embarrassment he began to call out scores made in practice and was laughed at.

KEEPING THE SCORE.

For the East River Park Club Mrs. Keefer opened with 10, and their total was 589. When the last ball was rolled there was a free and unrestrained flow of conversation, during which the men escaped.

The presentation of prizes will take place at Central Turn Verein Ball on March 18.

Among the interested spectators who witnessed the women bowl were the following: Mrs. G. Knochendorf, Mrs. Brunjes, Mrs. Born, Mrs. Wendels, Mrs. Grothbrogge, Mrs. Felten, Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Fricke, Mrs. Schmitt, Mrs. Radloff, Miss M. Lawson, Miss Keller, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Droge, Mrs. Ordeman, Mrs. Hauck, Mrs. Eden, Mrs. Grunhardt, Mrs. Comein, Mrs. Herbert, Mrs. Brunkhorst, Mrs. Keller, Mrs. L. Schiffer, Miss L. Nonmacher, Mrs. Krouss, Mrs. Kessel, Mrs. Nelson, and Mrs. Nonmacher. The scores of the games were as follows:

FIRST GAME. BERMINE BUCHHOLZ.	Score.	SECOND GAME. JOLLY WOMEN.	Score.
Mrs. Kreuling	57	Mrs. Harde	59
Mrs. Deetjen	62	Mrs. Lail	56
Miss Fredericks	41	Mrs. Falken	42
Miss Gubiser	42	Mrs. Detjefsen	82
Mrs. Lath	71	Mrs. Hyroh	29
Mrs. Schatz	61	Mrs. Miller	49
Mrs. Kreiter	82	Mrs. Peter	67
Mrs. Studemann	53	Mrs. Rehm	70
Mrs. Thomas	46	Mrs. Schumacher	52
Mrs. Roter	83	Mrs. Steindorf	65
Total	589	Total	532

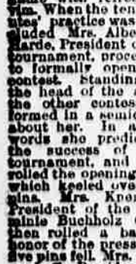
THIRD GAME. OLEANDER.	Score.	FOURTH GAME. E. R. PARK LADIES.	Score.
Mrs. Karjindoff	75	Mrs. Rofer	72
Mrs. H. Krouss	75	Mrs. Serger	72
Mrs. F. Binners	75	Mrs. Engeline	53
Mrs. Beverstein	74	Mrs. Grossdinger	60
Mrs. Buckmann	60	Mrs. Jaiger	47
Mrs. Folkhusch	62	Mrs. John	58
Mrs. Roeter	44	Mrs. Moerg	60
Mrs. J. Krouss	56	Mrs. Rossut	68
Mrs. Lampe	65	Mrs. Seitz	53
Mrs. Wiegold	50	Mrs. Weinholtz	45
Total	631	Total	589

Umpire—Charles H. King. Scorers—Mrs. A. L. Studemann and D. C. La Due.

A VERY LARGE WOMAN AND A VERY SMALL BALL.

A woman engaged in the game of bowling is an interesting study. A majority of masculine bowlers take a run before delivering the ball. Not so with the feminine bowler. She picks out a ball of medium size, walks to the mark, plants her dainty toe upon the line, bends slightly forward, swings the ball backward and forward, like the pendulum of an old-fashioned clock, then lets it go. Some of the participants, after a shot, turn and walk calmly away, without looking to see what execution the missile has done.

The majority were rather timid. One little woman in black bared her right arm to the elbow, showing good muscular development, and she went into the game with refreshing vim. When the ten minutes' practice was concluded Mrs. Albertina Harde, President of the tournament, proceeded to formally open the contest. Standing at the head of the alley, the other contestants formed in a semicircle above her. In a few words she predicted the success of the tournament, and then rolled the opening ball, which keeled over six pins. Mrs. Kreuling, President of the Hermine Buchholz Club, then rolled a ball in honor of the press, and five pins fell. Mrs. Margenhoff, President of the Oleanders, rolled a third ball in honor of the Central Turn Verein, which brought down seven pins, and Mrs. Keifer, President of the East River Park Club, made a shot which brought down four pins.



OF PREPARING FOR A "STRIKE."

Then Mesdames Deetzen and Keurling of the Hermine Buchholz Club came forward to start the tournament. The former, a plump brunette in a red jacket and dark skirt, looked picturesque. The latter wore a black dress. With the right sleeve rolled up, and had a business air. She fired the first shot and took down five pins amidst dense silence. Then the bowling went on with great rapidity. A woman who failed to get any pins with the first ball seized another with a vigor indicating a desire to annihilate the disobliging pins. Some of the bowlers sending the ball down the alley stood and watched the missile. In case of failure, the bowler's face took on an expression as though the bread had failed to "rise." When successful, there was a quiet smile of triumph.

The first ten stroke was made by Mrs. Studeman, a black-haired, red-cheeked young woman in a close-fitting black dress.

A GOOD DELIVERY.

Mrs. Stuber and Mrs. Studeman appeared to attract attention. Mrs. Stuber wore a neat-fitting light brown costume, and bowled very prettily.

Mrs. Thomas was the next to knock over ten pins, and there was a ripple of applause, the first of the tournament. When men bowlers make a strike, the spectators indulge in ear-shattering yells of "Hi, hi, hi!" or anything else that occurs to the shouter. When a good shot was made in yesterday's tournament the feminine spectators looked at each other with surprise and ejaculated, "Well, did you ever?"

The scorer was a young man named Dewitt C. Ladue. He wore a long, brown, silky moustache and a pair of gazelle-like eyes, with a look of pain in them. The latter was the result of the women trying to show him how to score. They gathered around his desk, assured him he was wrong, rubbed out his figures, argued with him, and just as he was getting desperate, Vice-President Koenig shouted:

"Ladies, come away from the scorer. You may look at him, but must not talk." This earned Mr. Koenig a reproachful look. The Herminie Buchholz team made a total of 590, and then the Jolly Women team came to the front. One of the members of this team invariably sent the sphere into the gutter. She generally watched the ball apprehensively as it neared the gutter, and then, as though to prevent it going astray, gave utterance to a "Sho-o-o!" as through driving chickens out of a garden.

WAITING THEIR TURN TO BOWL.

"Tell the ladies not to bowl so fast," said Scorer Ladue in anguished tones. Then Umpire King made a speech.

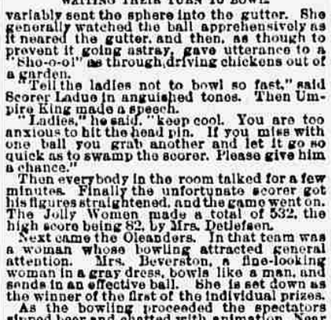
"Ladies," he said, "keep cool. You are too anxious to hit the head pin. If you miss with one ball you grab another and let it go so quick as to swamp the scorer. Please give him a chance."

Then everybody in the room talked for a few minutes. Finally the unfortunate scorer got his figures straightened, and the game went on. The Jolly Women made a total of 532, the high score being 82, by Mrs. Detlefsen.

Next came the Oleanders. In that team was a woman whose bowling attracted general attention. Mrs. Beverston, a fine-looking woman in a gray dress, bowls like a man, and sends in an effective ball. She is set down as the winner of the first of the individual prizes.

As the bowling proceeded the spectators sipped beer and chatted with animation. Near the foot of the alley was a group of half a dozen seated at a table holding a tea party, and apparently entirely oblivious of the fact that a great tournament was in progress.

The Oleanders made a total of 631, and, getting together, they laughed and chatted in great glee. Scorer Ladue assured the Oleanders that they had made a great record, whereupon they smiled approvingly upon that downtrodden individual.



KEEPING THE SCORE.

A VERY SMALL WOMAN AND A VERY LARGE BALL.

"ONLY A FEW OF US LEFT,"

Is Steve Brodie's Observation on the Death of His Friend Doody.

"Only a few of us left," sententiously remarked Steve Brodie, as he posed in a little darkened parlor in Oak street yesterday afternoon and gazed at the cold, marble face of his erstwhile pal, Patsy Doody, who had passed from this vale of tears simultaneously with other great men. "Yes," slowly repeated Brodie, as he threw an admiring glance at the row of pretty Fourth ward girls sitting as mourners, "we're going fast." And he gave his necktie a careless hitch, causing the big diamond horseshoe and two 6-carat stones on his bosom to flash a thousand colors in the light of the seven candles at the head of the funereally draped box. The glitter of the gems and Steve's charming, complacent smile produced quite an effect on the line of beauty.

Nearly everybody of prominence in the lower wards, in addition to hundreds that were "no shucks," trod the devious ways of Fish alley to pay the sad tribute of respect to the dead genius. In his career, Doody made numerous enemies, but death cancels all ill feeling, and there were many in the crowd who had not spoken to him for months who came for a last look and to say: "Ah, well, poor fellow!" The Peerless Athletic Club, of which Doody was the founder, will attend the funeral in a body, although Patsy's picture has for months been turned to the wall in the club room, the result of a fierce quarrel. Even Johnny White, his implacable enemy, who was last April charged with bringing Doody to death's door through an argument, in which White forcibly impressed the merits of his points by kicking his fellow debater in the stomach, is expected to-day, though it would be somewhat difficult to say what he has to forgive, unless it may be that he injured his foot while accentuating his argument.

The young widow is in a bad way. Her many months of nursing have told on her, and at this critical time she finds it impossible to procure any rest. Blessed sleep will not come to her. "As soon as I close my eyes," she says, "I imagine I hear Patsy calling: 'Katie, Katie, give me a drink, I'm choking,'" the cry that the boxer kept her awake with during his illness.

There has been some talk of a benefit, but Mrs. Doody says that her father, who has supported the household almost entirely during the marriage, for Patsy could never bear the idea of working, will defray all the funeral expenses. And if the neighbors are to be believed, old man O'Connor can well afford to do so. To use the expressive language of a young gentleman leaning against the entrance of Fish alley, puffing at a vile-smelling pipe: "Dat old guy's rotten wid coin. He's been soakin' it away for tirty years."

Doody will be buried from the house on Sunday afternoon, the interment being in Calvary Cemetery. He received the last sacraments of the Church from Curate Spellman of St. James's a few hours before he died.

"It's no false alarm this time," whispered Patsy, referring to several calls that had been made some time ago when it was thought he was dying.

Posters high upon the elevated railroad girders along Park row and the Bowery attracted some attention yesterday. Doody's name in big type caught the eye. They were reminiscent of his benefit at the Bowery National Garden on May 11, 1891.

"Silver" Flint is Dead.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Flint, the famous catcher of the Chicago League team, died at his home in this city at 6:30 o'clock to-night after a three months' struggle with consumption. "Old Silver," as he was familiarly known to professional ball players in the United States, made a gallant fight for life. One week ago it was not thought he could live a day, but his indomitable will and the best of nursing kept the strong athlete alive, when the doctors had almost abandoned his bedside. Gathered about the veteran back stop at the time of his death were his aged mother and his wife and friends. He was unconscious, and passed away without uttering a word.

Frank Sylvester Flint was 35 years old. He became famous with the old Indianapolis team, when he was the negative end of the "Only Nolan" battery. Later he joined the Chicago League team, and, while thus engaged, caught such famous pitchers as Goldsmith, Larry Corcoran, Clarkson, and Hutchison. He will be buried on Sunday.

Billiard Men at Practice.

Little Jake Schaefer, the Wizard of the Cue, did some good practice work with the spheres yesterday. He played two games during the day, one with John Moulds and the other with Randolph Heiser. The champion has recovered from the severe cold which made his play so miserable, and from now on he will doubtless show his old-time brilliant form.

In the afternoon Schaefer practised with Moulds, and averaged 183¼ in a 600-point game. His high runs were 128 and 66. In the evening, at Heiser's, he cantered over the green table at a lively rate, averaging 40 in a 600-point game.

Here are the scores of both games:

AFTERNOON GAME.

Schaefer—54, 3, 11, 46, 0, 1, 128, 40, 2, 6, 1, 5, 1, 0, 0, 2, 43, 1, 48, 0, 24, 1, 34, 0, 32, 0, 4, 0, 1, 5, 37, 66. Total, 600.

Moulds—1, 3, 2, 3, 14, 13, 0, 7, 0, 16, 4, 22, 17, 8, 8, 28, 0, 38, 8, 0, 3, 0, 8, 3, 14, 2, 30, 17, 0, 38, 12. Total, 239.

High Runs—Schaefer, 128; Moulds, 38.
Average—Schaefer, 183¼; Moulds, 7 22-31.

EVENING GAME.

Schaefer—117, 81, 0, 73, 122, 41, 8, 9, 28, 2, 64, 6, 6, 4, 80. Total, 600.

Heiser—12, 1, 10, 30, 12, 0, 16, 43, 12, 21, 5, 9, 25, 9. Total, 205.

High Runs—Schaefer, 122, 117; Heiser, 43, 30.
Average—Schaefer, 40; Heiser, 14 9-14.

Sammy Kelly's Defi.

Sammy Kelly, the prominent West Side Athletic Club pugilist, long noted as one of the gamest and cleverest boxers in the business, desires to emulate the example of Kid Hogan, and leave the amateur ranks openly. Kelly makes the following defi:

"I once beated Kid Hogan in a three-round set-to at the West End Athletic Association tourney at Newark, and think it was presumption on his own or rather his backer's part, to bill him as the 110-pound champion of America. I am willing to meet either the Kid or Billy Plimmer in a ten-round bout before the Long Island Sporting Club or any other similar organization in the country for a suitable purse and a division of the receipts, as in the Plimmer-Hogan bout. Stevenson, the Kid's backer, is not afraid of his protégé, he will at once make this match, as I am perfectly sure of the outcome so far as I am concerned with Hogan and myself. If Charley Norton desires to match Plimmer with me, I am ready to do business with the Englishman, and will promise that there will be another man in it after the first round, in direct contrast to Hogan on Tuesday night."

Peter Jackson's Plans.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Parson Davies, manager of Peter Jackson, writing from Kansas City, thus outlines Jackson's future plans: "In the event of Jackson's winning from Slavin, which Peter seems to be sanguine of, it is doubtful if he will challenge Sullivan, as he feels that the big fellow has a right to retire from the ring with the honors he has held so long, but would go after Jim Corbett for another test of their respective merits. He does not believe in budgering Sullivan into a fight, as John L. is in other business, but would accept a challenge from the Bostonian should he issue one after the Slavin fight.

"So far as Hall and Fitzsimmons are concerned, the former is more than anxious for a match with Fitzsimmons, but it would be impossible to get him down to 156 pounds.

"Fitzsimmons's declaration that he is ready to meet Hall at catch weights will be acceptable to the latter, and if the proposition is made in earnest I will be ready to make the match on my return to Chicago."

Will Remain at Eastern Park.

President C. H. Byrne of the Brooklyn Baseball Club was yesterday asked if there was any foundation for the statement that the Brooklyn Club would play at Washington Park next season.

"The statement is utterly untrue and entirely unwarranted," was his reply. "It is on a par with a number of other absurd stories recently set afloat in regard to the club and its affairs. The question of playing at Washington Park has not even been discussed, and there is no possibility of such a thing being made. Eastern Park is the home of the Brooklyn Club, and it will play there."

It is on record that Eastern Park was leased for five years, with an option for five years more. The lease of Washington Park runs out this year, and the land will be cut up into building lots. When the Brotherhood and League clubs of Brooklyn amalgamated one of the conditions of agreement was that all the games of the consolidated club should be played at Eastern Park.

Young Men Play Chess.

A new chess club was organized on Monday evening, and will be known as the Junior Chess Club. The meeting took place in a room in the Y. M. C. A. building in Eighty-sixth street. President pro tem. G. B. Frey called the meeting to order. The following officers were then elected unanimously: A. Griffin, President; J. Leslie, Vice-President; R. R. Mitchell, Treasurer; Humphrey Jones, Secretary. It was then resolved that the club will convene twice a week at the residence of the members alternately. The quarterly meetings, however, will be held in the Y. M. C. A. building. All of the speakers were confident that in a not too distant time the club will be able to secure permanent quarters.

The business having been transacted Charles Devide played simultaneously against six members. Out of nine games he won six, lost one, and drew two.

Tom Connors Defeated.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—G. M. Ross of Philadelphia beat Tom Connors, the champion English catch wrestler, best three falls, in a mixed match for £100 a side.

Shooting.

The Washington Heights Gun Club have elected the following officers for 1892: President, J. J. Maloney; Vice-President, Edward Quigg; secretary, Matthew Cox; Treasurer, Hugh Harrison; Captain, J. J. Orgein.

The weekly badge competition of the Excelsior Rifle Club was held at Hansen's ranges, 76 Montgomery street, Jersey City, on Wednesday evening. The members made excellent scores. The shooting was off-hand on the German 25-ring target at 75 feet distance, and the following scores were made out of a possible 250 points: Wm. Weber, 243; W. J. Chasling, 240; F. G. Kittridge, 236; C. P. Hansen, 235. Wm. Heinesen, 236; Wm. Robidoux, 234; C. L. Pinney, 233; C. Bauchle, 233; James Hughes, 233; Thomas Hughes, 230, and Colin Sogg, 230. The badge times follow: Class A, Wm. Weber, 243; class B, C. Bauchle, 233, and class C, Colin Sogg, 230.

THE DAY FOR MUD HORSES.

FOUR FAVORITES CAPTURE PURSES SAFELY ON THE HILLTOP TRACK.

La Grippe Downs the Talent at the Outset—The Rose G. Colt Wins His Maiden Race Handily and is Bid In at an Advance.

All but one of the thirty-five horses entered in the races at Guttenburg yesterday appeared at the post to run on a sloppy track, with safe footing underneath. Four favorites won, the only big upset of the day occurring in the first race. Pennyroyal, odds on favorite in this dash for beaten horses, got away well in second place, but La Grippe, a 15 to 1 shot, also in the front row, took the lead inside the first furlong, and shaking the field off won by six lengths, Benefit beating Shotover a neck for second place. Birthday carried the money of the talent in the second race, and landed it safely by a neck from Graduate. Insight came in third. Early Blossom was considered a good investment at 5 to 2 on in the third race. The favorite ran prominently all the way and galloped in an easy winner by four lengths, Comet beating Fleurette three lengths for the place. W. E. Cotton's Rosa G. colt had the call in the selling race for maidens of all ages and carried a lot of money. The colt led all the way and won easily by two lengths, Mart beating Longinge gelding a length and a half for second place. The winner's entry price was $800, and Mr. Cotton had to pay an advance of $205 to retain his colt. Sam Morse led into the homestretch, running like a winner, when Bill Barnes came with a rush and Sam Morse was drawn into the ruck. Bill Barnes won by a length, Pilgrim beating Onaway, the favorite, two lengths for the place. Summary:

THE FIRST RACE.

Purse $400; for beaten horses; six and a half furlongs.
Castle & Son's ch. g. La Grippe, 5, by Luke Blackburn 1
Longitude, 109 (J. Castle).
Goodwood Stable's b. h. Benefit, 5, 104 (Morris) 2
R. Bradley's b. h. Shotover, aged, 107½ (H. Penny) 3
Under Cover, Richat, Bravo, and Happy George also ran.

Time, 1:30¼.

Betting—Fifteen to 1 against La Grippe, 8 to 1 Benefit, 7 to 1 Shotover. Mutuals paid $43.70, $11.50, $14.70.

THE SECOND RACE.

Purse $400, selling; one mile.
F. M. Berry's ch. g. Birthday, aged, by Glenelg—Vitality, 99 (Morris) 1
A. Thompson's b. c. Graduate, 4, 99 (Jones) 2
R. Bradley's b. m. Insight, 5, 97 (W. Penny) 3
Yazoo, Mikado, and Pardon also ran.

Time, 1:52¾.

Betting—Six to 5 against Birthday, 2½ to 1 Graduate, 3 to 1 Insight. Mutuals paid $3.90, $2.75, $2.80.

THE THIRD RACE.

Purse $500; five furlongs.
J. H. McCormick's b. f. Early Blossom, 4, by Pizarro—Una, 95 (T. Flynn) 1
Beauchaud Stable's ch. h. Comet, aged, 105 (Morris) 2
E. A. McIntire's b. f. Fleurette, 3, 91 (Kuntze) 3
Lady Pulsifer and Dr. Helmuth also ran.

Time, 1:06.

Betting—Five to 2 on Early Blossom, 7 to 1 Comet, 8 to 1 Fleurette. Mutuals paid $2.75, $2.40, $3.55.

THE FOURTH RACE.

Purse $400, for maidens; selling; five furlongs.
W. E. Cotton's br. c., 3, by Sir Modred—Rosa G., 104 (H. Penny) 1
Ganley & Co.'s ch. g. Mart, 3, 86 (W. Penny) 2
J. Shields's Longing gelding, 3, 86 (Griffin) 3
Spendall, Onaway, Algernon, Criterion, and Occasion also ran.

Time, 1:08¼.

Betting—Nine to 5 against Rosa G. colt, 20 to 1 Mart, 11 to 5 Longing gelding. Mutuals paid $8.80, $3.10, $18.30.

THE FIFTH RACE.

Purse $400, for three-year-olds; selling; three-quarters of a mile.
E. Leigh's br. c. Irregular, 3, by Iroquois—Variella, 108 (Martin) 1
Riverside Stable's ch. c. O. P. B., 3, 104 (Morris) 2
Woodlands Stable's br. c. Smuggler, 3, 108 (H. Penny) 3
Adalgisa colt, Corinne, and Seven Weight also ran.

Time, 1:22¾.

Betting—Eleven to 5 against Irregular, 3 to 1 O. P. B., 10 to 5 Smuggler. Mutuals paid $5.45, $3.15, $4.05.

THE SIXTH RACE.

Purse $400; selling; six and a half furlongs.
Somerset Stable's b. h. Bill Barnes, 6, by Spendthrift—Constantinople, 111 (Manlove) 1
G. W. Fool's b. h. Pilgrim, 5, 108 (R. Jones) 2
H. H. McCormick's ch. c. Onaway, 5, 117 (Marshall) 3
Sam Morse and Deflourer also ran.

Time, 1:30¾.

Betting—Four to 1 against Bill Barnes, 2 to 1 Pilgrim, 6 to 5 Onaway. Mutuals paid $15.20, $5.15, $3.70.

To-day's Programme at Guttenburg.

First Race—Purse $400, for beaten horses; three-quarters of a mile. Van, 119; Prodigal, 119; Burnside, 118; Battle Cry, 116; Vintage Time filly, 116; St. Patrick, 112; Defendant, 112; Shotover, 110; Pennyroyal, 109; Algebra colt, 107; Marty B., 105; Bonnie King, 101; Under Cover, 92.

Second Race—Purse $400; selling; six and a half furlongs. Prince Howard, 116; Xenophon, 107; Marie Lovell, 101; Graduate, 99; Bias, 98; Smuggler, 92.

Third Race—Purse $500, for two-year-olds; selling; three-eighths of a mile. Nana P., 115; Henrietta filly, 110; Witch colt, 108; Bunker Hill, 108; Fulmina (Virgo colt), 108; Jack Adler, 105; Lady, Lightfoot filly, 99; Federal H. colt, 98; Delightful, 95.

Fourth Race—Purse $500; for all ages; one mile. Text, 114; Joe Courtney, 114; Birthday, 111; Sandstone, 99; Glenloch, 94.

Fifth Race—Purse $400; selling; five-eighths of a mile. Jay F. Dee, 108; Harry Russell, 102; Hawkeye, 102; McKeever, 101; Little Fred, 98; Sir Launcelot, 96; Fitzroy, 95; Emma J., 95; Orange, 93; Gold Digger, 89; Eldorado, 89; Belle F., 77.

Sixth Race—Purse $400; selling; seven-eighths of a mile. Fabian, 122; Rapparee, 122; Hawkstone, 122; Neptunus, 119; Longstride, 119; McCarthy, 101.

The New University A. C.

The new cruiser in the sea of amateur sports, the University A. C., was firmly launched at Delmonico's yesterday afternoon. About seventy-five collegians assisted at the launching, and half a dozen of them had much to say respecting the prospects of the cruise. First of all, William H. L. Lee was selected to temporarily captain the craft. Charles F. Mathewson, who resigned his command of the Berkeley A. C. on account of "business," reluctantly accepted the temporary keeping of the University's log-book.

Then the constitution, which told of the objects of the launching and outlined the cruise, was read. Only collegians who have taken a three years' course in college or who have taken a degree, and graduates of Annapolis and West Point will be admitted aboard the University. That is, they will be welcomed when they have paid their passage money, consisting of $50 initiation fee, and $5.50 additional for the athletic fare which they will receive during the year. "Non-residents, or those collegians residing without a twenty-mile radius of New York, will only be obliged to put up $25 a year, of course; they will not be able to receive full fare. Willys Terry, he of football fame, wanted to have Brooklynites declared "non-residents," but his shipmates voted him down. As a result the Brooklyn sailors will pay and receive full fare. Naval and military officers are to be considered "non-residents." The collegians of Gotham can manage the craft all by themselves.

The management will consist of a council of twenty-one—the nine "trustees" already appointed and twelve others to be selected from the list of applicants by Keeper of the Log Mathewson. The council will have full charge of admissions, funds, and everything else. A third of the council will go out every year and a new third will be elected in their place.

The University A. C. will put to port on the second Saturday of each year, and all the shipmates, resident and non-resident, are expected to be present to listen to the reading of the logbook and help outline the next year's cruise.

The number of residents is not to exceed 1,000. Three standing committees on House, Auditing, and Athletics are to help in the management of affairs.

Capt. Lee said that they would have "no professional amateurs or amateur professionals" on board. Evert Wendell did much to assist the launching.

Election at the Columbia A. C.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The annual meeting of the Columbia Athletic Club was held at the club house last night to elect officers for the ensuing year and consider a new constitution. There was a large attendance and unusual interest was manifested in the proceedings, as it was understood the proposed constitution contained propositions giving the Board of Governors almost absolute power in certain directions, which a majority of the club were not willing to yield. In consequence, there was a lively contest for the six vacancies on the Board of Governors. The balloting closed at 8 o'clock, with the following result: Lieut. C. A. Bradbury of the Navy, President Alex. Grant, Assistant Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service, Vice-President; Frankland Janus, Secretary, to succeed Howard Perry, now President of the A. A. U.; F. E. Smith, Treasurer. All of the officers were elected without opposition.

There was a lively contest for the captaincy made vacant by the retirement of Samuel Stinemetz, so well known in athletic circles. The competitors were H. M. Wilson, manager of the football team, and J. R. Elliott, the sprinter. Wilson won by a narrow margin. There was also a spirited struggle for the two Lieutenancies between W. M. Dove, J. M. Dashiell, brother of Paul Dashiell, so well known among Baltimore and college athletes; W. C. McKinney, the veteran oarsman, and J. R. Fidler, also well known in bowling and athletic circles here and in Philadelphia. Messrs. Dove and Dashiell were elected. There were twelve candidates for the six vacancies on the Board of Governors: J. F. Duhamel, D. E. McComb, J. Carter Marbury, Eugene Peters, R. W. Lee, H. M. Wilson, J. Holdsworth Gordon, C. H. Bates, C. E. Stevens, E. A. Moseley, W. B. Hoyt, and B. V. Sims. Messrs. Stevens, Gordon, Rudy, Peters, McComb, and Moseley were elected.

The reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, and Board of Governors were read and approved, after which there was some discussion as to the constitution. It was finally concluded to postpone action thereon until a future meeting. The report of the Treasurer shows the club to be in a healthy condition, although the membership has fallen off about 100 during the past year. Appropriate mention was made of the death of Senator Pugh and other members of the club who have passed away since the last annual meeting.

Columbia Athletic Notes.

The new rowing league between Columbia, Cornell, and the University of Pennsylvania have been discussing the advisability of rowing their annual races upon the Hudson River instead of on the Thames at New London. Mckee, '93 S., who was appointed by the Rowing Council to inspect the Newburgh course, says that the Hudson offers a much straighter stretch of water than that at New London, and, moreover, a dozen crews can easily row abreast, but that it cannot be compared to the course at Poughkeepsie, which he inspected the same day.

Here the entire course is sheltered from the wind by a series of hills that run parallel to the river. While at Newburgh there was an ugly cross sea running with a swift current, at Poughkeepsie there was a dead calm with very little tide, and the course can be used rowing either up or down the river.

As the tracks of the West Shore Railroad run within a few feet of the water the entire distance, the sight from an observation train is even superior to that offered at New London. The only objection to the course is its distance from New York, which is over seventy miles. On account of its central position, Cornell is very sure to advocate its adoption.

A committee to get up an entertainment has been appointed by '94 to help pay off the debt of their class crew.

Columbia will probably not put a 'Varsity crew on the water this season.

Harding, W. Bijur, and Bolles will probably compete at the A. A. U. indoor championships.

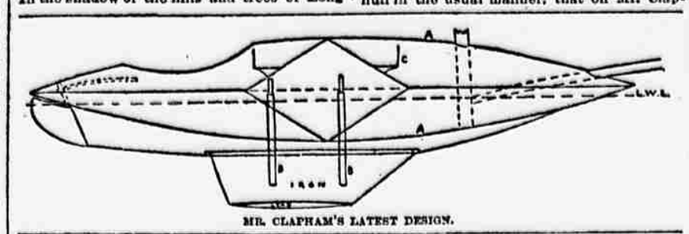
The captain of the Intercollegiate Athletic team will be selected next week, and it is hoped that the 'Varsity material in the Law school and College of Physicians and Surgeons will be utilized.

J. S. Coburgh, who is studying medicine at the P. and S. will probably represent Columbia in the intercollegiates in the half-mile.

ANOTHER CLAPHAM IDEA.

The Long Island Yacht Designer Has a New Plan.

The cut here presented shows the ideas of Thomas Clapham, the yacht designer of Roslyn, L. I., of what he calls a "pleasure and racing craft that can neither capsize nor sink." Mr. Clapham is nothing if not original. In the shadow of the hills and trees of Long Island he works incessantly, thinking out novel ideas and carrying out his theory that the best way to attain speed is by making a boat go over the water rather than through it.



MR. CLAPHAM'S LATEST DESIGN.

In this latest idea the curved lines "A A" are the extreme bottom and top of the hull proper, and are identical in curvature. The diamond-shaped figure shows the shape of an entire midship section. All the other transverse sections are of the same shape, but diminish in size. Along the sides of the boat, above the plank sheer, are platforms to walk on. They are 18 inches wide, and are supported by galvanized gasnipe brackets (C). Under the hull is a narrow fixed keel of iron, and on the bottom of this is hung a weighted metal fin, similar to the fin keel designed in 1884 by Gen. Garrard of Frontenac, Minn., but differing in that, while the Garrard keel is bolted rigidly to the hull in the usual manner, that on Mr. Clapham's design is hinged at its upper edge, so that it has freedom to swing laterally, and the craft can be beached without damage.

When it is desired, in sailing on the wind, to make the keel rigid, this can be done by lowering the iron bars (B B) which pass through strong metal tubes in the main keel and keelson. The design is for a boat 36 feet over all, 10 feet beam, and 6 feet depth inside of hull.

ORIENTALS FINISH THEIR WORK.

The Yorkville Bowlers Conclude Their Series in the American National Tourney.

The Oriental team rolled its concluding games in the American National Tournament last night. The Yorkville bowlers did not make a brilliant finish, but as they had nothing to gain or lose whichever way their games resulted, the up-town wielders were not disappointed. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

WASHINGTON.	S.	S.	B.	Score.	ORIENTAL.	S.	S.	B.	Score.
C. Moses	5	4	1	212	Schneider	5	3	2	191
May	0	3	7	115	Casemmerer	1	3	6	120
Fleishman	2	5	3	159	Bierman	1	2	7	122
L. Moses	2	2	6	126	Faltermann	2	2	6	139
Cohn	0	2	8	120	Prince	3	3	4	153
Totals	9	16	25	732	Totals	12	13	25	716

FRAMES.

Washington..75 150 230 296 361 429 506 581 667 732
Oriental.....61 115 168 233 317 408 476 556 631 716

Umpire—M. Wallach. Scorers—H. Prince and W. Bayman.

Average—Washington, 146 2-5; Oriental, 143 1-5.

SECOND GAME.

ORIENTAL.	S.	S.	B.	Score.	GLENDALE.	S.	S.	B.	Score.
Schneider	2	6	2	168	Timpe	4	1	5	147
Casemmerer	2	2	6	152	Werner	4	3	3	176
Fleishman	2	5	3	159	Murphy	4	4	2	174
Faltermann	3	2	5	142	Thompson	3	5	2	167
Prince	0	4	6	129	Fuchs	3	4	3	163
Totals	9	11	24	721	Totals	18	17	15	827

FRAMES.

Oriental.....78 152 214 286 360 430 521 598 672 721
Glendale.....89 169 245 326 408 500 558 625 728 827

Umpire—H. Winter. Scorers—F. A. Englert and H. Prince.

Average—Oriental, 144 1-5; Glendale, 165 2-5.

THIRD GAME.

GLENDALE.	S.	S.	B.	Score.	WASHINGTON.	S.	S.	B.	Score.
Timpe	1	4	5	135	C. Moses	3	4	3	166
Werner	3	3	4	183	May	2	2	6	133
Murphy	5	3	2	204