IN THE FOOTBALL WORLD.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA THE FAVORITE OVER HARVARD.

Why Yale Is Stronger in Backs Than Either Princeton or the Crimson—No West Point-Annapolis Game—Bright Prospects for a Team at Columbia University—Gossip.

The betting on the Harvard-University of Pennsylvania game both here and at Boston favors the Quakers. Among local college men, especially in Wall street, yesterday the Pennsylvanians ruled favorites at 5 to 3. At Boston the prevailing odds are 10 to 7 against the Crimson. Football men, as a rule, believe that the game will be even up and that if Harvard does not win it will be a long time before the Quakers are subdued. Old Penn's eleven will, it is expected, line up in the same way that it appeared against Chicago University on last Saturday. Coach Woodruff will take his men to Boston to-day thoroughly convinced that he cannot improve on their form or make-up. Hare, although he will be kept at left guard, will do the punting, as he is the best kicker available. The Harvard eleven will have at least two good punters to cope with him in Reid and Daly. The Crimson rush line, however, will have to play faster football than ever before to keep pace with the Quaker defence. J. B. Brine, who saw the Harvard-Indian game, says that owing to the wet field a big score was impossible.

"Harvard's defence was poor," he further says, "but the backs exceeded all expectations. There was a great deal of talk on the side lines about too much Dibblee. He seemed to play the whole game, as did Kelly for Princeton at New Haven last year. But it must be remembered that the Indians are a very hard team to overcome and that Dibblee was the most successful ground gainer against them. At centre the Harvard eleven appeared to be weaker than usual, Jaffray being completely outplayed. I understand, however, that he will not be in the game next Saturday. Having seen the University of Pennsylvania eleven play I should say that the game will be very close, with luck being quite a factor. Harvard has the best backs and Old Penn the superior line, especially at centre and guards."

Harvard is figuring on how to stop the Quakers' noted "guards back" play. Cornell stopped it last year with surprising frequency, chiefly because her centre men were strong and the ends were fast in getting after the man with the ball. If Harvard plays a kicking game many believe that it will bring good results. According to the managers there will be no tickets on sale the day of the game, which means that the big stands, seating 25,000, will be filled.

Yale is undoubtedly stronger in backs than either Harvard or Princeton. The Tigers, with Reiter out, are relying on Wheeler, Ayres, Black, Crane, Lathrop, Duncan and Rosengarten. If two or three should be injured Princeton would be severely weakened. Harvard has a stronger array in Reid, Houghton, Dibblee, Warren, Kendall, Sawin and Daly. But Yale tops them all with McBride, Dashiell, Dudley, Corwin, Benjamin, Marvin, Gilmore, Wear, De Saulles and Sullivan. In case De Saulles is not able to play in the big games, he will be replaced by Sullivan, who is not very far behind him in ability, although he has not had the same experience. Sullivan is also an expert drop kicker, a department of the game in which De Saulles has never shown proficiency. He is also able to run the team, signals with rapidity and is a fast runner and dodger in a broken field. As to the half backs there is not much to choose among Dudley, Corwin, Benjamin, Marvin, Gilmore and Wear. All are good line hitters and swift on their feet. McBride, the best full back in the universities, has an able understudy in Dashiell, who in practice games has shown considerable skill in kicking and bucking. Should either Dibblee or Warren, Harvard's regular half backs, be hurt, Kendall could fill the place acceptably. But the other substitute halves fall below the standard set by Yale. At Princeton, Wheeler, Ayres and Black, the three regulars outside of quarter, have no substitutes who can compare with those of Harvard and Yale. These facts are being used as an argument by Yale's followers that the New Haven eleven's attacking power will not be diminished in either big game because of accidents, while Harvard and Princeton will be on the ragged edge if anybody is laid out.

It has been definitely settled that there will be no game this year between West Point and Annapolis. In spite of efforts by the officials of both academies, the consent of the War and Navy Departments could not be secured. The reason given is that so much rivalry and bad blood cropped out in the last meeting between these teams that another battle might be detrimental to both institutions. There are many persons who would like to see the Carlisle Indians play West Point, as the teams are about evenly matched. But it is doubtful whether the consent of the proper authorities could be obtained. The Indians say they would very much like to test the strength of the Army boys, and for two years past have been anxious to arrange a game.

Columbia's determination to organize a 'varsity eleven next year and her willingness to pay a good salary to a competent coach should bear good fruit, it is thought. There are many first-class college graduates, experts at coaching, who will be only too anxious to turn at Columbia's offer. The athletic authorities at the local university have at last appreciated the fact that by getting up a 'varsity team to play all of the big college elevens here, an excellent chance will be offered to gather in gate receipts large enough, it is believed, to pay the expenses of all other branches of sports. There is as much interest here in college football as in any other big city, yet thousands have been forced to go without seeing any big games.

Coach Stagg of the Chicago University eleven is rather disappointed over the team's showing against the University of Pennsylvania on last Saturday. "Our tackles weakened in the second half," Stagg says. "Both men played a wonderful game in the first half, but the long trip East killed the whole team off. The ends should not have been drawn in on trick plays. On straight football we should have beaten Penn if the ground had been firm. We lost at least fifteen yards on each of their kicks. Hershberger would catch their punts and slip before he could get a start. On the whole, I am somewhat disappointed." Stagg believes that the Pennsylvanians, if they play the same game put up against his team, will shut Harvard out.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 1.—Manhattan College made a sorry exhibition in the game with the Yale freshmen here this afternoon. In the first half the freshmen rolled up 33 points and in the second half 10 more. At no time did the visitors get inside the Yale forty-yard line, nor did they hold Yale on downs during the game. Runs of sixty yards were frequent. Castro had his ankle broken and had to be carried off the field. It was probably the most serious football accident of the season at Yale. Captain Rumsey's all-round work for Yale was the feature of the play. The line-up:

Yale, 1902.	Positions.	Manhattan.
Gould	Left end	Hogan
Swan	Left tackle	Naughton
Hooker	Left guard	Horan
Cunha	Centre	Delaney
Bigelow	Right guard	Gannon
Ferguson	Right tackle	Owens
Abbott	Right end	Murphy
Finche	Quarter back	Castro
Morris	Left half back	Kearns
Ward	Right half back	O'Connor (capt.)
Hall	Full back	Cotter
Rumsey (capt.)		Glennan

Score—Yale, 1902, 43; Manhattan, 0. Touchdowns—Ward, 4; Rumsey, 2; Swan, 2; Hall, 1. Goals—Rumsey, 3. Referee—Chadwick. Umpire—Ely. Time—20-minute halves. Attendance—600.

Ex-Capt. Brink Thorn was the addition to the Yale squad of football coachers to-day. Kid Wallace and Laurie Bliss were also out and Frank Hinkey will come to-morrow. For the first time since Oct. 21 the veteran players were out to practice together. They were: Coy and Hubbell at ends, Allen and Capt. Chamberlin at tackle, Brown and Leary, guards; centre, Cutten; quarter, Sullivan; halves, Gilmore, Corwin and Burdick; full backs, Dupee and McBride. Marshall was the only old player not crippled who did not play. It was the first appearance of Capt. Chamberlin in practice in over three weeks. Dupee received a slight wrench of his knee and quit. McBride ploughing through the line for long gains after taking his place. The practice was of the whirlwind order, a single half of forty minutes playing the eleven almost to a standstill. Gilmore fumbled badly, but partially redeemed himself by scoring the only touchdown of the day, aided by McBride's magnificent interference. Complicated football formations were used for the first time in a regular practice here this season. Capt. Chamberlin dropped back from tackle for short-place punts and a number of tackles back and ends across formations were tried. The Yale management realize that the existing accommodations of the Yale Field, 15,200, will be insufficient for the crowd who come here for the Harvard game, and they have made plans for an addition to the grand stands at the corners of the gridiron. The additions will seat 2,000 spectators and will increase the capacity to about 18,000.

ITHACA, Nov. 1.—While the 'varsity lined up for practice against the "scrubs" this afternoon, it could not well be called the regular 'varsity, so many of the best men being on the invalid list. Reed, Cross, Sweetland, Alexander and Whiting were among the missing, the very bone and tissue of the eleven. While most of these players could, if necessary, get into the game, the coachers are jealously looking out for their condition for the Thanksgiving Day game with the University of Pennsylvania. Williams and Lafayette are to be met in the meantime, but there will be a substitute team. Perkins, last year's full back, will be here this week, but the problem is where to put him. Alexander has proved an exceptional player in that place.

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 1.—All of Harvard's players were out to take part in the second day of active practice this afternoon. Donald, Haughton and Cochrane, the latter with a bad limp, were dressed to play, but not one of them took part in the actual playing. The whole trio, however, participated in the long signal practice that preceded the regular play and each took a long run afterward. The official report of the practice as given out to-night was to the effect that the defensive work, with one or two exceptions, was very good. The 'varsity showed a very aggressive spirit, but were very liable to off-side play, being penalized six times in the course of the afternoon. The offensive play was in general ragged, but this was due to the fact that the team had not thoroughly mastered the new signal code. During the play there were several bad mix-ups. The last twenty minutes were devoted entirely to defensive work, and the second team was unable to force a score, although they went at the 'varsity for keeps.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1.—It was expected that Woodruff would put his men through hard practice this afternoon, but he did not. All the men were out in uniform. Woodruff spent over an hour on Hare and Outland practicing them in kicking field goals from placement. Neither did particularly well. Woodruff did not line his men up this afternoon owing to the slippery sod on both Franklin Field and the old field. The men are in good physical trim now and Woodruff does not wish to take any more chances. The following will leave tomorrow at 11 o'clock for Auburndale, where they will remain until Saturday morning: Coach Woodruff, Mike Murphy, Capt. Outland, Dolwell, Goodman, Hare, Overfield, McCracken, Carnett, Hedges, Gardiner, McMahon, Harrison, Walker, De Silver, Snover, McCloskey, Reugenberg, Hodge, Stehle, Purcell, Smith and Edwards.

The Fordham College boys met the Seton Hall eleven at Fordham yesterday for the first time since 1888. A great amount of interest was taken in the game by old graduates of both colleges. The game was one of the most hotly contested that has ever been played at Fordham, as neither was able to score. The line-up:

Fordham.	Positions.	Seton Hall.
Cunningham	Left end	McCormack
Reilly (captain)	Left tackle	McElhone (captain)
McPartland	Left guard	Duffy
Turney	Centre	Conley
Ferrard		
Downes	Right guard	Corcoran
Kelley	Right tackle	Kane
Fasset	Right end	Mennehan
Clancy	Quarter back	Coffee
Dunnigan	Left half back	Flynn
Shesby	Right half back	McGowan
Wade	Full back	Connelly

Referee—Couch, N. J. A. C. Umpire—Le Canna, De La Salle.

The New York University freshmen football team opened the season with a victory yesterday afternoon, when they defeated the Berkeley Schools' team by a one-sided contest at Berkeley Oval. The N. Y. U. freshmen played all around their opponents and rushed the ball down the field almost at will. In the first half of twenty minutes the team scored three times, while in the second half of fifteen minutes they scored 22 points. The best playing for the freshmen was done by Bluett and Dixon, while F. Halford and Smith also did excellent work. The freshmen resorted to line plays almost exclusively, and nearly every time ten or twelve yards was the result. For Berkeley, Boyeson excelled. Berkeley only had the ball a few times, but never once got it on four downs. The score: Freshmen, 37; Berkeley School, 0.

The New York University 'varsity football team will resume practice this afternoon at Ohio Field. The majority of the injured men have come around into shape and are anxious to play. The two weeks rest has greatly benefited the team and the rest of the season should be successful.

PRINCETON, Nov. 1.—The Tigers have deserted the old 'varsity field, where all the football games have been played for the last decade, and settled down in the more comfortable quarters at the Brokaw Athletic Field. The memorial building has been turned into a roomy and well-appointed field house, with the dressing rooms upstairs and the rubbing and bath rooms on the ground floor. The big swimming tank has also been turned over to the use of the football men for the next two weeks. The field is in fine shape, with a much better stretch of turf than that at the old field, and from now on until the end of the season the regular practice games will be played there in order that the men may become thoroughly accustomed to the ground and surroundings, thus getting all the advantages that may be derived from playing on the home ground. The practice this afternoon was shortened considerably to save the men for the game with the University of Virginia to-morrow. Only one fifteen-minute half was played against a heavy scrub. The 'varsity played a sharp, strong defence, against which the second eleven could make but little impression, and they never came within speaking distance of the 'varsity's goal line. The first eleven scored once on a fumble by the scrub, Black getting the ball and running thirty-five yards for a touchdown. Ayres kicked the goal. Just before time was called the scrub received the ball on the 'varsity's five-yard line, but could not force it over. Burke was in his old place at quarter back for the first time this year, although he has had no practice whatever this fall he handled himself nicely and ran the team in good style. Wheeler was out of the game to-day with a twisted knee, and will have to be laid off for the rest of the week.

To-Day's Football Events.

Princeton vs. University of Virginia, at Princeton.
Phillips Exeter vs. Bowdoin, at Exeter.
Tufts vs. Holy Cross, at Worcester.
Knickerbocker A. C. vs. Chicago A. A., at Berkeley Oval.
Swarthmore vs. Pennsylvania Military College, at Swarthmore.
Staten Island C. C. vs. "Poly Prep," at St. George.
Lawrenceville vs. St. Paul School, at Lawrenceville.
Yale Freshmen vs. Manhattan College, at New Haven.

Football Notes.

The representatives of Stevens School defeated Dwight School yesterday by a score of 5 to 0.

The X Rays would like to hear from teams averaging 111 pounds. Address J. Donelon, 110 Harrison street, Brooklyn.

The Provident Football Club would like to hear from all teams averaging 115 pounds. Address W. Frank, 832 Broad street, Newark, N. J.

The Willow team would like to arrange games with all teams averaging from 115 to 120 pounds. Address F. J. Conran, 479 Third avenue.

The Gridiron Football Club would like to arrange games with teams averaging 120 pounds. Address H. E. Sullivan, 171 West Sixty-fourth street.

The Mount Vernon football team has several open dates and would like to hear from first-class teams. Address G. G. Winship, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

The Perth Amboy F. C. has election day open and will give expenses to a team averaging 155 pounds. Address Edwin Fraser, manager, Perth Amboy, N. J.

The Sedgwick Field Club has Nov. 5 and election day open for teams averaging 135 or 140 pounds. Address Elwood T. Wicks 846 Seventy-third street, Brooklyn.

The team of Hackettstown Institute wishes to close Nov. 5, 12 and 24 with teams of first-rate preparatory schools. Address J. J. Mattson, manager, Hackettstown, N. J.

The Tonawanda Football Team would like to book games with teams averaging from 100 to 115 pounds on Sundays and holidays. Address D. Gorman, 401 Lexington avenue.

The Rootze Juniors would like to arrange games for Sundays and election day with teams averaging from 125 to 130 pounds. Address C. Cohn, 66 East Eighty-eighth street.

The Lincoln football team would like to arrange a game for election day with a team in New York or Brooklyn. Address Charles P. Burrows, manager, 868 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.

Indoor Swimming Season Opens.

The indoor swimming season was opened last night by the Knickerbocker A. C. with the first of a series of members' races to be held weekly during the winter. Points will be allotted on the basis of 5 for first, 3 for second, and 1 for third places, and prizes will be awarded to the leaders at the close of the season. In addition to the weekly competitions for members the club will cater to the outside swimmers by giving an open handicap event each month. The first of these, 100 yards, will take place on next Tuesday.

Last night's races drew a good field, and heats were necessary in the fifty-yard handicap. The scratch man, W. Reuss, made a big bid for first honors in his heat, but just failed to catch D. Graham, who received eight seconds handicap. In the final heat King and Graham, both with eight seconds handicap, made a great race. They overhauled Messer at thirty yards, and then fought desperately all the way down the last lap. King proved to be a better stayer and won a punishing race by a foot. Graham made amends for his defeat by securing first place in the plunging for distance. The summary:

50-Yard Handicap—Final heat—Won by H. A. King, 8 seconds; D. Graham, 8 seconds, second; W. Messer, 12 seconds, third. Time, 35 3-5 seconds.

Plunging for Distance, Handicap—Won by D. Graham, 8 feet, with an actual plunge of 45 feet 8 inches; H. H. Wotherspoon, 8 feet, second, with 40 feet; W. Reuss, scratch, third, with 45 feet 10 inches.

Billiards.

Mial tied Arnold and Tobias yesterday for first place in the amateur balk-line tournament in Ives's Billiard Academy and each of these experts has two more games to play. Curiously enough all three must meet Poggenburg.

In the afternoon Mial (300) beat Gershell (240) by 800 to 168. Mial's average was 5 30-54, and his best runs 34, 26, 24, 19, 17, 16 and 14. Gershell made runs of 24, 19 and 18, and averaged 3 1-54.

The evening game was the most exciting of any played in the tournament. Stark (300) met Douglas (200) and was once more beaten, Douglas winning his first game by 6 points, 200 to 194. Douglas's average was 4 4-49 and his best runs 16, 15, 12, 11, and 10. Stark averaged 6 6-48 and made runs of 42, 30, 26, 26, 25, 20, and 19.

This afternoon Douglas (300) plays Gershell (240), and in the evening Poggenburg (300) will meet Tobias (215).

The entry list for the A. A. U. class B championship closed last night. Eight entries were accepted. The out-of-town experts will be Alexander Taylor of Chicago, John A. Handrick of New Haven, the amateur champion of Connecticut; J. De Mun Smith of St. Louis, and George F. Heyner, amateur champion of Philadelphia. New York will be represented by Stark, Poggenburg, Dr. Miller and Dr. Mial.

NEWS OF THE WHEELMEN.

New York and Pennsylvania Running a Close Race for the Lead in Membership.

A year ago the New York State division of the L. A. W. was ahead of the Pennsylvania division in membership nearly 3,000. To be exact, New York had 20,778 members on Nov. 5, 1897, while Pennsylvania had 23,941. This State for many years has been the banner State in League influence, and the efforts of the Keystone hustlers and the League promoters in Massachusetts to overtake it have been both energetic and continuous. Yesterday, according to the weekly report of Secretary Bassett, New York had a membership of 17,829, while Pennsylvania had 17,792. This brings the Quakers within twenty-eight of the New York membership, although the same report shows that Pennsylvania received only seven new applications, while New York received fifteen. Last week Pennsylvania was 110 behind New York. The only accounting for this situation is through the number of renewals, of which there must have been more received in Pennsylvania than in New York. In another week it is entirely probable that this State will yield its place as leader in the L. A. W. to Pennsylvania. The total membership of the League this week is 78,257. Last week it was 78,531. On Nov. 5, 1897, it was 100,664.

It may be because of the long-leggedness of Western riders or, as a Warren street bicycle seller expresses it, their gluttony for novelty, but whether it is either of these or some other reason, it is being persistently reported that those who ride bicycles in the middle West and on the Pacific slope are taking to thirty-inch wheels. It is notorious that the West is the land where the stature of humanity averages higher than in the Eastern States, and the fact that Western makers are "going in" for thirty-inch wheels for 1899 is not calculated to mislead a few of the Eastern makers who tried it last year at their own expense. The Western manufacturers, as a whole, are reported to be much more sanguine about next year than those hereabouts. It is said that the sales of the summer and fall have been heavier in Chicago and west of it than in the cities of the Middle and Eastern States.

A book on touring in foreign countries, of which the idea was mentioned in THE SUN several months ago, has been prepared for the L. A. W. The book is illustrated with half-tone engravings and will be ready for delivery by Jan. 1. It will be the first publication of the kind issued under the auspices of the League and one worth while obtaining by every rider who intends to take his wheel across the ocean.

A new ticket of officers for next year that is being talked about in the political circle of the L. A. W. is: T. J. Keenan, Jr., President; Herbert Foltz, Vice-President; J. C. Tattersall, Treasurer. President Potter does not know whether he will run again or not. He is waiting.

The award of prizes in the jubilee parade of Monday night was:

First prize, New York clubs, won by Madison Wheelmen; second prize, Calumet Cycles, Brooklyn clubs, first prize, Howard Wheelmen; second prize, Empire State Wheelmen. New Jersey clubs, first prize, Kiantic Wheelmen. Ladies' clubs, first prize, Lady Vigilant; second prize, Lady Roosevelt Rough Riders.

Howard Raymond of Chicago, ex-Chairman of the L. A. W. Racing Board, is spending a few days in the East. Talking with a reporter of THE SUN yesterday on the subject of racing troubles, he said that the League should continue the conduct of both amateur and professional racing, as they possess the proper machinery to work with. He professes to believe that fewer scandals in connection with professional racing in general and a broader system of management so as to bring about a more harmonious feeling between the racing men and the Governing Board is what is required. Discussing the independent stand taken by the riders, he believes that when they will realize that they are not in a position to govern themselves and will sooner or later pay their fines and return to the League.

Chairman Mott of the L. A. W. Racing Board issued the following bulletin yesterday:

Score in the National Championship—Tom Butler, 159; Bald, 155; "Major" Taylor, 143; McFarland, 128; Kimble, 112; Cooper, 106; Gardiner, 102; Watson Coleman, 87; Freeman, 73; Stevens, 62; Robert Thompson, 40; Mertens, 38; George Kramer, 33; Robert Walthour, 30; Wiese Hammer, 20; William Martin, 19; Jay Eaton, 16; Nat Butler, 15; John Fisher, 14; Time, 13; Bowler, 7; Kissinger, 6; Fred Sims, 5; Dr. Brown, 5; Becker, 5; Jaap Eden, 4; Karl Kaser, 3; Harry Terrill, 3; Bourotte, 2; C. M. Bly, 2; Hills, Jr., 2; Caldwell, 1; Cabanne, 1; Colgan, 1.

The following communication has been received from the L. C. A.: "Please note that the Austrian rider, Franz Seidl, has been suspended for six months by the I. C. A. for his disorderly and disrespectful behavior on the Vienna track on the occasion of the one-mile championship. Please see that this sentence is carried out within your jurisdiction, and that Seidl be not permitted to compete upon any of your tracks until March 12, 1899."

E. R. Nathan, Corinth, N. Y.; Fred W. Ladd, Salem, N. Y., and the tracks at both places are suspended from the sanction privilege because of unsanctioned races.

The suspension of Bert Leslie, Chicago, expired Oct. 26.

The track at Flint, Mich., has been suspended from the sanction privilege pending payment of a fine of $5 for violation of the racing rules.

Transferred to the Professional Class—Lewis H. Hughes, Christopher, Pa.; F. Coulter, Brockton; J. Martin and William Littlewood, Quincy; William W. Whaley, Atlantic, Mass.; Howard Sherman, Glens Falls; Rosco Kathan, Conklinville; Emerson Barber, Corinth, N. Y.; Fred Bryan, Washington, Ind., and A. Fisher, West Union, O.

GOLF.

Entries to Close To-Night for the West Chester Open Tourney.

Entries for the Bronx Cup in the open tournament of the West Chester Golf Club close tonight with George Fox Tiffany, Westchester avenue, corner Southern Boulevard, and for the West Chester Handicap on Friday evening. The preliminary round for the Bronx Cup at eighteen holes, medal play, scratch, begins tomorrow morning. There is a gold medal for the best score and the first sixteen will keep on at match play. Only four from each club may enter. On Friday the special feature will be an open mixed foursome with cups as prizes, which promises to be as successful as this competition was last year, when Miss Beatrix Hoyt and W. H. Sands won from a large field. On Saturday the handicap and the Bronx Cup finals will wind up the tournament.

The Greens Committee of the Knollwood Country Club has decided not to hold the fall tournament on Nov. 8, 9 and 10, and also, as it conflicts with dates given to the Golf Club of Lakewood by the M. G. A., to withdraw the cup offered by Mrs. Jules Reyral for an open tournament on Thanksgiving Day.

Arthur P. Clapp and J. Temple Gwathmey played their first round for the Doubleday Johnson Cup yesterday at the Marine and Field Club, and, incidentally, a private match, that Gwathmey won by 4 up and 3 to play. On the ninth hole of the first round Gwathmey, using a mid-spoon, drove within a yard of the cup and scored a 2. Their cards were:

													Gross.	H'cap.	Net.
J. Temple Gwathmey—															
Out	5	6	6	5	6	4	5	3	2	—	42				
In	6	7	6	4	6	5	5	4	5	—	48	—	90	0	90
A. P. Clapp—															
Out	6	8	5	4	7	7	4	4	5	—	49				
In	6	8	5	4	5	6	4	4	4	—	46	—	95	0	95

Each competitor may hand in three scores for this cup during November, the aggregate of the three lowest net scores to win.

On Nov. 10 there will be a thirty-six-hole scratch medal play tournament at Baltusrol open to amateurs and professionals. First prize of $100, with second and third money prizes for the professionals and a silver cup for the amateur winner. Play begins at 10 A. M. The reens Committee reserve rights as to entries.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1.—The first round of the championship tournament of the Women's Golf Association of Philadelphia was played today on the links of the Country Club at Bala. The play was from scratch, the eight best scores to qualify. The golfing was a triumph for Miss Davids, the Country Club player and present champion. She won the medal for the lowest score and quite outdistanced all her competitors, with the exception of Miss Griscom and Miss Elsie Cassatt. Going out Miss Davis did the first nine holes in 51, and only for an expensive sixth hole coming in she would have beaten this score two or three strokes. Her card was 106. Miss Griscom, who reached the semi-finals in the recent championship tournament at Ardsley, and Miss Cassatt tied for second place with 109. Miss Burt, who played such clever golf at Ardsley, was away off. She did the first nine holes in 54, and her card was 122. Those who qualified for the preliminary match play round, which will be started to-morrow morning, with their scores, are as follows:

Miss H. B. Davids, Country Club, 51—55—106; Miss F. C. Griscom, Merion Cricket Club, 54—55—109; Miss Cassatt, Merion Cricket Club, 51—58—109; Miss Edith Burt, Country Club, 54—68—122; Miss H. A. Lewis, Philadelphia Cricket Club, 59—67—126; Mrs. Walter M. Gorham, Philadelphia Cricket Club, 59—68—127; Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, Huntington Valley C. C., 61—66—127; Miss Margaret Riley, Country Club, 66—68—128.

The drawings for the match-play rounds follow: Miss Burt vs. Miss Riley, Miss Fox vs. Mrs. Gorham, Miss Griscom vs. Miss Cassatt, and Miss Davids vs. Mrs. Lewis. The semi-finals are slated for Thursday and the final for Friday.

TINGE SCORES AT LAST

AND WINS THE FIRST RACE AT AQUEDUCT AT LIBERAL ODDS.

Incandescent, Whistling Con, Capt. Sigsbee, King Barleycorn and Becky Rolfe Carry the Money of the Talent to Victory—Harry Reed Again a Disappointment.

Four pronounced first choices and another horse who was practically a favorite scored at Aqueduct yesterday and sent the talent home rejoicing. The double inducement of fine autumnal weather and a well-filled card induced upward of 3,000 patrons of the sport to make the trip. The rivalry between the lightweight jockeys was one of the features of the afternoon, and there was little to choose between the present two stars at the end, Clawson riding two firsts, a second and a third, while Maher rode two firsts and a third.

The erstwhile crack sprinter, Harry Reed, was pulled out again for the opening dash, and an old-time Dwyer plunge sent him to the post an odds-on favorite. He ran prominently throughout, but Tinge, at 10 to 1, worked to the front after three furlongs and won by a length and a half. Harry Reed struggled home three parts of a length in front of Tappan, who sprinted from the rear of the bunch into third position. Incandescent and Holdup were about equal favorites for the second race, with a slight preference in favor of the latter. The well-named daughter of Shining Light tiptoed her field from flagfall and won easily by four lengths from one of the outsiders, Impartial.

The three-year-old race proved an easy thing for the odds-on favorite, Whistling Con, and the handicap for two-year-olds resulted in a romping win for Capt. Sigsbee. All the wise money went on the two-year old King Barleycorn, in the mile dash for all ages, but there was also a pronounced play on Don de Oro, whose price dropped from 8 to 1 to 3 to 1. Maher rushed out with King Barleycorn at the start and led by a margin ranging from three lengths at the quarter to six lengths at the stretch. Don de Oro held second position until opposite the stand, where Kirkwood came along and beat him half a length for the place. Becky Rolfe made amends for her failure of Monday by winning the last race easily. Summary:

FIRST RACE.

Selling; for three-year-olds and upward, which have not won more than one race in 1898; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; allowances; five furlongs:

James Adams's br. h. Tinge, 6, by Falconer—Tincture, 105 (Cunningham)..... 1
M. F. Dwyer's br. g. Harry Reed, 6, 108 (Turner).. 2
T. F. Barrett & Co.'s br. g. Tappan, 4, 102 (Maher). 3
Surrogate, Lady Disdain, Charlie Rose, Buffoon, Billali, Regulator, Athy and Calculation also ran.

Time, 1:02 4-5.

Betting—Ten to 1 against Tinge, 7 to 10 Harry Reed, 5 to 1 Tappan, 100 to 1 Surrogate, 20 to 1 Lady Disdain, 50 to 1 Charlie Rose, 8 to 1 Buffoon, 25 to 1 Billali, 100 to 1 Regulator, 40 to 1 Athy, 50 to 1 Calculation.

SECOND RACE.

Selling; for maiden two-year-olds; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; allowances; five furlongs:

A. White's b. f. Incandescent, by His Highness—Imp. Shining Light, 98 (Clawson)..... 1
Meyer & Belker's b. c. Impartial, 102 (James)..... 2
W. C. Daly's b. g. At Reeves, 95 (O'Connor)..... 3
Cavalleria, Kosteletzkri, Sir Christopher, Fray, Our Annie, Curbstone, Holdup and Specialist also ran.

Time, 1:02 2-5.

Betting—Nine to 5 against Incandescent, 30 to 1 Impartial, 8 to 1 At Reeves, 60 to 1 Cavalleria, 40 to 1 Kosteletzkri, 20 to 1 Sir Christopher, 25 to 1 Fray, 100 to 1 Our Annie, 15 to 1 Curbstone, 8 to 5 Holdup, 7 to 1 Specialist.

THIRD RACE.

For three-year-olds which have not won $600 in 1898; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; weights fifteen pounds below the scale; winning penalties; one mile and forty yards:

F. C. O'Reilly's ch. c. Whistling Con, by Whistle Jacket—Connemara, 111 (Hahn)..... 1
W. C. Daly's b. c. Sandforth, 111 (O'Connor)..... 2
H. H. Hunn's ch. c. Cala Day, 118 (Spencer)..... 3
Blarneystone also ran.

Time, 1:45 2-5.

Betting—Ten to 7 on Whistling Con, 12 to 1 against Danforth, 8 to 5 Cala Day, 40 to 1 Blarneystone.

FOURTH RACE.

Handicap; for two-year-olds; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; five and a half furlongs:

Turney Bros.' b. c. Capt. Sigsbee, by Candlemas—Landlady, 116 (Spencer)..... 1
P. B. P. Randolph's br. g. Tyran, 97 (Corbier)..... 2
G. B. Morris's ch. c. Tyrathan, 110 (Clawson)..... 3
Prince of Wales, Federal, Rusher, Hilee, Chivalrous and Claroba also ran.

Time, 1:09.

Betting—Eight to 5 against Capt. Sigsbee, 40 to 1 Tyran, 5 to 1 Tyrathan, 8 to 1 Prince of Wales, 10 to 1 Federal, 60 to 1 Rusher, 8 to 1 Hilee, 40 to 1 Chivalrous, 9 to 2 Claroba.

FIFTH RACE.

For all ages, which have not won since Sept. 1; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; special weights; one mile:

J. P. Robison's ch. c. King Barleycorn, 2, by Kantaka—Mattot, 102 (Maher)..... 1
T. F. Barrett & Co.'s ch. c. Kirkwood, 2, 100 (Clawson)..... 2
John Boden's ch. c. Don de Oro, 4, 126 (O'Leary).. 3
Exception, Ben Eder and Stray Step also ran.

Time, 1:41 2-5.

Betting—Ten to 9 on King Barleycorn, 7 to 2 against Kirkwood, 3 to 1 Don de Oro, 40 to 1 Exception, 15 to 1 Ben Eder, 100 to 1 Stray Step.

SIXTH RACE.

Selling; for three-year-olds and upward which have not won in 1897 or 1898; $400 added, of which $70 to second and $30 to third; allowances; one mile and forty yards:

F. Gebhard's ch. f. Becky Rolfe, 4, by Tristan—Pocahontas, 99 (Clawson)..... 1
N. J. Johnson's b. g. Hardy C., 8, 100 (Garrigan).. 2
W. C. Daly's br. g. Bastion, 4, 99 (O'Connor)..... 3
Adaxus also ran.

Time, 1:46 2-5.

Betting—Eight to 5 against Becky Rolfe, 18 to 5 Hardy C., 2 to 1 Bastion, 15 to 1 Adaxus.

The entries for to-day's races are as follows:

First Race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; with $400 added; allowances; six furlongs:

Flax Spinner	115	Dan Rice	108
Taranto	110	Oviatt	108
Tarik	110	Hamlet	108
Zanone	110	Blarneystone	107
Midlight II	109	L'Alouette	105
Mizpah	108	Bonnie Gem	105

Second Race—For three-year-olds which have not won at this meeting; with $400 added; weights eight pounds below the scale; one mile and forty yards:

Sanders	118	Merlin	106
Ruby Lips	108	Dan Rice	106
Prince Auckland	106	Philip	103
Oxnard	106		

Third Race—For fillies two years old, non-winners during this meeting; selling; with $400 added; allowances; five furlongs:

Anagran	109	Lepida	99
Onondaga's Pride	105	Abide	99
Lady Earle	99	Golden Order	99
Morning	99	Tut Tut	99
Lady Scarlet	99	Bessie Taylor	99
Lamity	99	St. Sophia	99

Fourth Race—For three-year-olds and upward; handicap; with $500 added; one mile and a sixteenth:

Warrenton	128	Bona Des	90
Don de Oro	126	Brighton	90
Ben Eder	108	Filament	90
Bluesway	104	Burns	88
Sensational	103		

Fifth Race—For two-year-olds which have run and not won more than $500; with $400 added; weights 10 pounds below the scale; six furlongs:

Strangest	112	Tophet	112
Col. Tenny	112	Greatland	112
The Gardner	112	Holdon	112
Camotop	112	Impartial	109

Sixth Race—For mares three years old and upward; selling; with $400 added; allowances; one mile and forty yards:

Bardella	105	Nana H	103
Swamp Angel	105	Campania	98
Her Own	103	Fenetta	95
Vanessa	103	Ruby Lips	90
Sister Stella	103		

The Winners at Latonia.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 1.—The weather was rather cool but fair to-day and the attendance good. The track will be fast with no rain to-morrow. It was decided to-day to extend the meeting two weeks, commencing Nov. 6, unless very bad weather sets in. Three favorites, three medium choices and a long shot won. In the sixth race Charline, 20 to 1, was scratched while betting was progressing because Kuhn, the jockey up, was taken ill suddenly. Bets were refunded on Charline. Summary:

First Race—Postponed from yesterday; one mile—Dutch Comedian, 100 (Kuhn), 10 to 1, won; Marita, 102 (Crowhurst), 8 to 1, second; Elusive, 97 (Knight), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:49¾.

Second Race—One mile—Aunt Maggie, 105 (Kuhn), 2 to 1, won; Creedmore, 100 (Knight), 15 to 1, second; Amber Glints, 110 (Gutleres), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:45¾.

Third Race—Five and a half furlongs—Clarence B., 108 (Morison), 6 to 1, won; Volandies, 105 (Knight), 11 to 5, second; Air Blast, 105 (Aker), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:10½.

Fourth Race—One mile and a sixteenth—Millstream, 100 (Crowhurst), 3 to 1, won; Sauber, 107 (Britton), 6 to 1, second; What Next, 115 (Mathews), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:51¾.

Fifth Race—One mile and a quarter—Joe Shelby, 104 (Dunn), 9 to 2, won; Oeric II., 112 (Mathews), 5 to 2, second; Virgie O., 99 (Kuhn), 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:11¾.

Sixth Race—Five furlongs—Belle of Dublin, 105 (Dunn), 5 to 1, won; Viola K., 105 (Knight), 15 to 1, second; Maliase, 105 (Dupee), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:04.

Seventh Race—One mile—Devo, 101 (Dupee), even, won; Barbee, 105 (Crowhurst), 6 to 1, second; Morneal, 108 (Morison), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:44.

Results at Lakeside.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—"Virginia" Bradley put through another 100 to 1 shot at Lakeside to-day. Mazie Y. beat