IN THE FOOTBALL WORLD

STRONG ARRAY OF TIGER PLAYERS FOR NEXT SEASON.

Yale Freshman Teams Have Not Lost a Game for Two Years—Varsity Timber on This Fall's Squad—Something About Horr of Syracuse—Practice of Elevens.

While Princeton loses five of its best players by graduation next June, there nevertheless will be a strong array of talent to begin the campaign next fall. The men who have played for the last time are Capt. McCormick, fullback; Phillips, centre; Harlan, halfback, and Brown and Wister, ends. They are all good men, but with the possible exception of McCormick there is no reason why somebody cannot be developed to prove fully as good. McCormick was prominent in the eye chiefly as a line breaker, but he was a superb secondary defence player and did quite as much service backing up the line as he did on offence, though a good deal of his defensive work, being close to the line, was not in the limelight. To take his place there is, among others, McCrohan, the Holy Cross player, who was being ineligible for the varsity this year played on the scrub team. He is fast and heavy and knocked holes in the varsity line more than once in the practice. Another likely candidate for fullback is Coxe, '09. In losing Harlan Princeton loses a skilful drop kicker and it will not be easy to replace him.

Almost without exception Princeton finds good ends, and though Wister and Brown set a high standard there are good fish in the sea. Welch, a sophomore, has the first call on the position at present, with Dowd and Vaughan of the second string to choose from, and one or two good freshmen. To take Harlan's place there are Read, first substitute, who came mighty near qualifying for the Yale game; Orr, Ballou and Bishop, the last named a former Michigan player who will be eligible next year. There isn't as much likely material for centre as for the other vacancies. Cass, a junior, is the most probable man at present. He is light, but steady and experienced. He used to play in the backfield, but this is a day of versatility for football players and for light centres.

Of the men who played against Yale there will be on hand next year Dillon, the star quarterback and new captain; Booth and Siegling, the tackles; McFadyen and Waller, the guards; Welch, end, and Tibbott, halfback. Dillon's work is too well known for comment at this time, and to understudy him there are Dawson, who is a good one, and Bard, the fast quarterback of the freshman eleven. The Tigers are fortunate in having such a strong nucleus for a line. Booth and Siegling will be better players next year than this and that means a good deal. Buckingham and Bamman are tackle understudies of ability. Improvement may be expected at guard from McFadyen and Waller, neither of whom was strictly first-class this year, but who made steady progress. Whaley, a junior, Woehr, a sophomore, and Dyer and McGregor, freshmen, will be other guard candidates.

With Roper as head coach big things may be expected from this supply of material. Roper has not turned out a champion yet, but he has come within an ace of it a couple of times, and under his tutelage Princeton has played more scientific and up to date football than was her wont before the advent of Roper.

The Yale freshmen this year did not equal the record of the freshman eleven of the year before in not being scored on, but they won every game, as did their predecessors. Yale freshman teams have not been beaten for the last two years, and only eight points have been scored on them in that time. Andover made two points against the present freshmen and the Princeton freshmen six, and that's all the scoring done against the youngsters since 1905. The team's record this fall is: 4 to 0 against Williston, 18 to 0 against Andover, 6 to 0 against Exeter, 10 to 2 against Andover, 22 to 6 against the Princeton freshmen, and 6 to 0 against the Harvard freshmen.

Kilpatrick, captain of the team, weighs 184 pounds and played halfback. Merserau, left tackle, weighs 170 pounds. Statistics of other players are as follows: Davidson, end, 170 pounds; Greenough, guard, 224; Church, halfback, 177; Mason, end, 172; Hopkins, quarterback, 143; Swan, tackle, 175; Hyde, centre, 180; Knight, end, 160; Haines, end, 177; Taylor, halfback, 148; Vincent, fullback, 175; Lilley, tackle, 180; Fuller, guard, 188.

There is varsity material in this lot, such as Kilpatrick, Merserau, Church, Haines, Hyde and Hopkins. Kilpatrick with his weight will fit in well with the Yale backfield, though there is a wealth of material for places behind the line. Line men will be needed more. Greenough, guard, is a strapping big fellow, weighing over 200 pounds and being 6 feet 2. Yale needs tackles more than guards next year, and there may be some shifting to make room for Greenough. A centre also is needed, since Congdon is a senior, and Hyde has a fair chance of making the place. Merserau will try for one of the vacant tackle positions. He is a bit light, but has a year in which to put on weight, as has Hopkins, the quarterback. Haines is spoken of as a very promising end. He has nice weight for the position and is tall and rangy.

A player whose work this season is considered by his friends to be worthy of recognition is Horr, right tackle of the Syracuse eleven. Horr went into the Lafayette game last Saturday in a crippled condition, but did most of the work in ground gaining. He made no less than 160 yards of the 265 made by Syracuse at straight football. Horr is a giant. He weighs 240 pounds, but can run a hundred yards in something like 11 seconds. He is a shot putter of renown. "He was used in every play in the first half of the Lafayette game until they finally did him up," says one who saw him play. He also did the punting. Walter Camp is said to have referred to Horr as the best defensive tackle he had seen play in years. The Lafayette game, according to accounts, was the first one this season in which Horr was thrown for a loss, something that did not happen in the Yale and Carlisle games.

Comment made on the disputed forward pass in the Pennsylvania-Michigan game—not allowed by the referee—was as follows:

"You know every comma in the rule book, as well as every italicized word and everything contained between the parentheses, and I doubt believe any play that he had mapped out could be illegal."

Here is what Walter Eckersall says of the play: "The protestants should take into consideration the fact that they looked at the play from the side and were in no position to judge whether the ball went five yards either way of the centre. Referee Murphy watched the play from behind it and from an excellent position to judge the legality of the play. Naturally his decision was impolitic, but must be accepted as correct. There may have been a question if it had come to a dispute over the interpretation of the rules; but the play was an illegal one and the penalty followed."

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 20. The freshman team of the University of Pennsylvania cut up lively capers to-day with the varsity eleven in the first actual scrimmage since the Pennsylvania-Michigan contest. The practice was secret. The full varsity team, except Gallagher and Hollenback, was in the lineup, so it was no substitute team that the youngsters kept on the jump. The field was slippery, making the use of the forward pass and newer style of football which has come so hard to the Pennsylvania eleven this year still more uncertain to their unsteady hands. Twice when forward passes were tried they resulted in touchdowns, one for each team. The first one was tried at midfield, when Lindsey, the freshman end, secured the ball and scampered down the field for the first score. Almost on the first play after the kickoff Scarlett, right end on the varsity, duplicated Lindsey's run on a short forward pass. With the exception of these two passes the varsity's play was much like the first of the season, it having to resort to line bucks and old football to do its gaining.

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 20. O'Rourke, Cornell's tackle, was on the field to-day for the first time since the Swarthmore game, but didn't bother to get into togs. O'Rourke is almost ready for the big game and to-morrow expects to be in the practice. Walder, Watson, Van Orman and Earle were again kept out of the scrimmage, and Ebeling, Harris and Sutherland went in on the varsity. McCallie played for fifteen minutes. The varsity had the better of the scrimmage again to-day and, although the straw covered field was slow, managed to make two touchdowns. McCallie made the first on a forward pass twenty yards from the goal line and shot across with a clear field. Tyderman made the second by breaking through and blocking one of Peterson's punts.

The forward pass was a big factor in to-day's scrimmage and the scrubs were unable to stop it. The coaches have developed a new series of formation for this play and it is very difficult for an opposing team to tell where the ball is going and who is to receive it. Walder was coached for a long time at punting and Van Orman and Watson were drilled in covering the kicks. Bobby Young, the quarterback, who was here early in the season, has returned to Ithaca and will stay with the team until after the Pennsylvania game. More than 1,000 undergraduates have responded to the derisive challenge from Pennsylvania to come down and see Cornell wiped off the football map and thousands of dollars will be taken along to back the big red team.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 20.—There was a hilarious practice at Yale Field this afternoon, followed by the picturesque burning of superfluous football gear and the omega, lambda, chi dance. With feathers stuck in elastic head bands the varsity players swooped down upon the scrub team, emitting piercing war whoops and tearing up the "Harvard line" as they called it. First Berger scored and Burch kicked the goal. Beebe soon carried the ball over again and Dines kicked the goal. This was too much for the scrubs. They punted the ball far up into the stands and the quarterback of the scrubs produced a miniature ball from his jacket with which he made a long run and touchdown, while the entire varsity chased him down the field, and he was immediately scalped on being captured behind the goal posts. Coach Knox finally stopped the horseplay, fearing that somebody would be hurt. All the seniors on the varsity squad then cast their superfluous football gear on a little bonfire, joined hands and sang their omega, lambda, chi song while they pranced about the flames. As the fire went lower the players gathered close and lustily cheered their alma mater, their captain and all the coaches in turn.

Previous to the Indian scrimmage the varsity and freshmen went through a hard half hour's scrimmaging in which the first team scored only one touchdown, that by Brides. Congdon for the first time since the Princeton game was on the field, and then with a cane to help his weak ankle. Paige played only a few minutes. There was a host of coaches on the gridiron advising the individual players of mistakes they made in the Princeton game and attempting to inspire them with a wholesome fear of the Crimson eleven. To-morrow the eleven, with subs, coaches and trainers, will leave for Auburndale, Mass., where they will remain until the afternoon of the game. To-night the scrubs broke training with a banquet at the training table.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 20.—About 2,500 Harvard students this afternoon marched to the stadium to watch the last practice which the football team will hold in Cambridge before the Yale game. Throughout the practice the undergraduates encouraged the team by singing and cheering. It was one of the biggest and most enthusiastic demonstrations of college spirit that has been seen in Cambridge. The varsity practice was for the most part secret. At 4 o'clock the gates were opened and the undergraduates were allowed within the stadium. This part of the work was confined to running through signals. The varsity was made up of Macdonald and Houston, ends; Burr and Fish, tackles; Parker and Peirce, guards; Grant, centre; Starr, quarterback; Wendell and Baird, halfbacks, and Appollonio, fullback. This will almost certainly be the lineup of the team against Yale, with the exception that Brown may be at one of the ends, and Newhall probably will be at quarterback. After a few minutes of signal practice the substitutes were lineup in a fifteen minute scrimmage against the second team. The former won, 11 to 0. To-night the second team broke training.

To-morrow the varsity players will be taken to the Norfolk Hunt Club, about twenty-five miles from Cambridge, out in the country. They will stay there until the morning of the game, retur ing to Cambridge on Friday morning for lectures and going out to Medfield again in the afternoon. The trips back and forth will be made in automobiles. The Norfolk Hunt Club is considered an ideal place for the team to spend the next three nights as the air is very invigorating, the location is secluded and there are ample facilities for running through signals.

WEST POINT, Nov. 20.—The practice to-day was most encouraging, and by the way the scrubs' line was torn to pieces it looked as if the soldiers were rounding into their final form. From the kickoff the varsity marched straight down the field eighty-five yards to a touchdown, forward passes being successfully intermingled with line plunges by Smith and end runs by Chamberlain. Mountford and Kern were drilled in drop kicking with the scrubs breaking through, and both got them off quickly and accurately several times from the 25 yard mark. Erwin was kept out of the scrimmage to-day, Bowen playing guard. Garey played quarter and ran the scrubs, both Kern and Mountford handling the varsity. There was no attempt at a regular game, the coaches placing the ball at different points to test various plays.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 20.—The Naval Academy team had a double header for its practice this afternoon—twenty minutes of spirted play against the team of the first class, followed by a period of about equal length against the scrub. However, a number of the regulars dropped out before the second period began. All the members of the first team were in the practice at the beginning except Boynton, who is slightly indisposed and whose place at fullback was taken by H. E. Jones. The regulars made three touchdowns against the class team, but the latter put up a fine game, Kemp at left tackle outplaying Leighton and doing so well that he probably will be called to the regular squad. Toward the latter part of the game Douglas was replaced by Murg, and the ends, Dague and Demott, by Strother and Robertson. Slingluff was slightly hurt and Brand took centre.

The feature of the practice against the scrub was the work of Nason, who replaced Lange at quarterback. He ran the team well and made runs of forty and fifty yards. As Lange is limbling badly Nason will prove a formidable candidate for his place. Reifsnider continues to do well at right half and it is almost certain that he will hold the place, but Richardson and S. E. Jones are still possibilities for fullback, where Boynton is now considered the first choice.

TO-DAY'S CARD FOR BENNINGS.

Six Overnight Events May Provide Some Good Sport.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20. A fair card is offered for Bennings to-morrow. A handicap for all ages at a mile and a quarter is a feature, with Red Friar, Banker and Alauda having chances. In the first race, for maiden two-year-olds, five furlongs, Winning Star, Catherine M. and Princess Navarre may go well. In a handicap steeplechase, at about two miles and a half, Yama Christy, Prince of Pilsen and Spencer Reiff have chances.

In the third event, for platers, at seven furlongs, Greeno, Park Row and Little Woods may go well. Two-year-olds will run in the fourth event, at six furlongs, with Ardri, Sanguine and Countermand perhaps the best. In the fifth race, at a mile, Comedienne, Grazialo and Oxford figure well. The entries follow:

FIRST RACE. For two year old fillies, maidens; selling; five furlongs:

Peniline	114	Malaga	114
Easter Belle	114	Catherine M.	114
Princess Navarre	114	Miss Margery	114
Lykers	114	Gay Grezelle	114
Tea Leaf	114	Helen Holland	114
May Cella	109	Mafino	109
Tony Lass	109	Winning Star	109
Dottie S.	109	Silver Bail	109
Alloy	109		

Second Race. Handicap Steeplechase; for four year olds and upward; about two miles and a half:

Kara	169	Guardian	155
Yama Christy	153	Essex	152
Bob Murphy	150	Prince of Pilsen	148
Spencer Reif	139	Merry maker	136

Third Race. For three year olds and upward; seven furlongs:

Herman Johnson	109	Bowling Bridge	106
Hoot Mon	104	Greeno	104
Wise Hand	103	Countersign	103
King of Bashan	101	Prisoner	102
Frank Lubbock	101	Listless	101
Society Bud	101	Park Row	101
Baby Willie	101	Little Woods	101
Congress	101	Comfito	101
St. Jeanne	98	Mariposa	96
King of Spades	96	Wabash Queen	96

Fourth Race. For two year olds; selling; six furlongs:

N'importe	98	Braggadocio	99
Truro	102	Billy B. Van	108
Ardri	102	Sanguine	105
Countermand	99	De Burgo	99
Paul Pry	91	Proclivity	91
Omnipotent	91	Trey of Spades	91
Desideratum	91	Apple Toddy	91

Fifth Race. For three year olds and upward; one mile:

Oxford	107	Samuel H. Harris	107
Eminola	97	Panique	104
Grazialo	107	Solon Shingle	104
Ironsides	104	Comedienne	104

Sixth Race. Handicap; for two year olds and upward; one mile and a quarter:

Ironsides	125	Red Friar	105
Ostrich	99	Banker	97
Peter Knight	97	Alauda	93
Recruit	88		

Karl Schmidt Beats Intercollegiate Swimming Record.

Karl Schmidt, the crack swimmer of the College of the City of New York, beat the intercollegiate record for 220 yards at the interclass aquatic meet yesterday in the C. C. N. Y. natatorium. Although his splendid performance of 2 minutes 56 1-5 seconds will not be accepted as a record; it being in closed competition, the young expert gave an inkling of what may be expected of him when the intercollegiate swimming season opens. Schmidt is expected to repeat his performance and hang up new figures. Starting from scratch he rapidly overhauled the large field, beating his nearest rival by 10 yards. The time was three seconds better than the record. The individual point honors was captured by Lester Corta, '08, with ten points. He won the fifty yard race and the plunge for distance. The class of 1908 won the point trophy with thirty points, 1911 came second with thirteen and 1910 third with eleven.

Billiards.

Although he conceded odds of 90 points to J. A. Keane in the 14.2 balk line amateur handicap tournament at the Knickerbocker Academy, Brooklyn, last night, C. E. White had no trouble in winning the game. The score was 275 to 150. The winner averaged 5 and made runs of 46, 43 and 26, while Keane averaged 2 51-54 and made runs of 15, 14 and 10.

PINS AND NEEDLES'S VESTAL

BEATS ASTE'S ESTIMATE IN A GALLOP AT BENNINGS.

Bill Daly Scores at Last With Killiecrankie—Kara Succeeds in Chevy Chase—Monopolist, Oraculum and Trash Capture the Other Events in Heavy Going.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Four favorites were successful at Bennings this afternoon, the races being run over a heavy track. The feature was the Vestal Stakes for three-year-old fillies, one mile and a half. With Gold Lady scratched Pins and Needles was made a 2 to 5 favorite, with Estimate second in favor at 4. Bill Daly's Grace Cameron showed the way for nearly three-quarters of a mile, when she backed up and Pins and Needles let down, breezed to the front to win by a length and a half from Estimate in 2:42 3-5. Lady Karma, backed from 30 to 12, was third.

Bill Daly, however, made the crowd gasp with astonishment when his filly Killiecrankie, well supported at 8 to 1, won the handicap at a mile and three-sixteenths. She came from behind in the homestretch and beat Ostrich, backed from 4 to 11 to 5 by a length, in 2:05. Ironsides, with 125 pounds and a lukewarm second choice, was a poor third.

Oscar Lewisohn's Monopolist picked up 122 pounds in the handicap for two-year-olds, six furlongs, and practically unbacked at 6 to 1 moved up in the last furlong and under a drive won by half a length from the 30 to 1 shot Cliff Turney, who ran an improved race. Rosimiro, who closed an equal favorite with Live Wire at 13 to 5, after making most of the pace tired and finished third, a length and a half back. Live Wire could not raise a gallop. The time was 1:16 1-5.

The Chevy Chase Steeplechase, at about two miles, in which gentlemen riders had the mounts, proved easy for J. W. Colt's Kara, 8 to 5 favorite. He was well ridden by Mr. R. Taylor, who took him to the front after a mile and a half had been covered and scored by three lengths in 5:10. Navajo, heavily backed at 9 to 5, had no trouble in taking the place from Essex, 7 to 2. Dulcean, the outsider, had early speed, but quit.

George Odom's Oraculum, a 6 to 20 favorite, made all the pace in the fourth event, at seven furlongs, and won in a gallop in 1:29 4-5. Thomas Lloyd's Ballot Box, backed from 12 to 7, after turning wide into the stretch, closed with a rush and got the place from Nancy, 10 to 1, with plenty to spare.

Maiden two-year-olds were asked to go a mile and seventy yards in the fifth race. Norbitt, backed from 12 to 7, led to the last furlong pole, when Trash, 7 to 10 favorite, moved up and won easily by four lengths in 1:48. Norbitt kept the place from New Garter, 6 to 1, without being extended. Octoic, well taken at 6, was left at the barrier. Joe Notter rode three winners. The summaries:

FIRST RACE.

Handicap; for two year olds; $500 added; six furlongs:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Monopolist, 2	122	Notter	6-1	2-1 1h
Cliff Turney, 2	97	G. Swain	30-1	10-1 2nk
Rosimiro, 2	114	W. Doyle	13-5	even 3h
Sanguine, 2	106	McDaniel	3-1	2-1 4
Live Wire, 2	113	Liebert	18-5	6-5 5
Glaucus, 2	102	Henry	20-1	8-1 6
Goes Fast, 2	102	L. Smith	10-1	4-1 7
King Thistle, 2	96	Fairbrother	15-1	6-1 8
Profit, 2	95	Schweitzer	50-1	20-1 9

Time, 1:16 1-5.

Good start; won handily; Monopolist, b. c., 2, by Garry Herrmann—Monadour; owned by Oscar Lewisohn; trained by J. J. Hyland.

SECOND RACE.

Chevy Chase Open Selling Steeplechase; for four year olds and upward; gentlemen riders; $800 added; about two miles and a half:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Kara, 8	142	Mr. Taylor	8-5	1-2 1n
Navajo, 5	152	Mr. C. Smith	9-5	1-2 2nk
Essex, 5	152	Mr. O'Brien	7-2	even 3d
Dulcian, 4	142	Mr. Wright	15-1	3-1 4

Time, 5:10.

Good start; won easily; Kara, b. g., 4, by Herold—Irene; owned by J. W. Colt; trained by M. Daly.

THIRD RACE.

Vestal Stakes; for three year old fillies; $2,000 added; one mile and a half:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Pins and Needles, 3	113	Notter	2-5	out 1nk
Estimate, 3	113	McDaniel	4-1	1-2 2n
Lady Karma, 3	113	Liebert	12-1	7-5 3nk
Grace Cameron, 3	113	W. Doyle	50-1	7-1 4

Good start; won easily; Pins and Needles, b. f., 3, by Knight of the Thistle—Sandy Bar; owned by H. L. Lee, trained by W. O. Scully.

FOURTH RACE.

Selling; for three year olds and upward; $400 added; seven furlongs:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Oraculum, 3	113	McDaniel	9-20	1-5 1n
Ballot Box, 4	110	Liebert	7-1	7-5 2n
Nancy, 3	110	Brussel	10-1	3-1 3h
St. Joseph, 4	115	Notter	7-1	7-5 4
Darlo, 3	105	J. Hogg	50-1	15-1 5

Time, 1:29 4-5.

Good start; won easily; Oraculum, b. c., 3, by Sorcerer—Hanoverine; owned and trained by G. M. Odom.

FIFTH RACE.

For maiden two-year-olds. $500 added; one mile and seventy yards:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Trash, 2	109	Notter	7-10	1-4 1n
Norbitt, 2	112	C. Brady	7-1	5-2 2l
New Garter, 2	109	McDaniel	6-1	2-1 3d
Moss, 2	109	Cullen	20-1	15-1 4
Jiu Jitsu, 2	112	G. Swain	20-1	7-1 5
Sam Fudge, 2	109	W. Doyle	10-1	3-1 6
Avracadabra, 2	109	Yorke	6-1	13-1 7
Octoic, 2	112	Liebert	6-1	2-1 *

*Left at the post.

Time, 1:48.

Poor start; won easily; Trash, b. f., 2, by Heno—Bradelet; owned by F. W. Coulter; trained by W. M. Wallace.

SIXTH RACE.

Handicap; for three year olds and upward; $600 added; one mile and three sixteenths:

Horse and Age.	Wt.	Jockey.	Betting.	Fin.
Killiecrankie, 3	100	G. Swain	8-1	3-2 1n
Ostrich, 5	102	McDaniel	11-5	4-5 2n
Ironsides, 4	125	Notter	3-1	even 3d
Lally, 3	115	Henry	5-1	7-5 4
Ocean Spray, 4	110	Liebert	7-1	2-1 5
Water Dog, 4	84	C. Miller	15-1	5-1 6

Time, 2:05.

Good start; won ridden out; Killiecrankie, ch. f., 3, by Kilmarnock—Kildeer; owned by W. C. Daly; trained by D. Carter.

Basketball at City College.

The basketball squad at City College has been practising steadily and a good team is expected. Manager Fleischer has arranged a good schedule, but the faculty has cut the number of games down to ten. The players therefore will be poorly prepared when they play their opening game with Columbia on November 30. The schedule is as follows:

November 30, Columbia University, at C. C. N. Y.; December 14, Swarthmore, at Swarthmore; 20, Trinity, at C. C. N. Y.; January 4, New York Teachers' Training, at C. C. N. Y.; February 7, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, at C. C. N. Y.; 12, Seton Hall, at South Orange; 15, Pratt Institute, at C. C. N. Y.; 22, Hamilton College, at C. C. N. Y.; 28, Pennsylvania State, at C. C. N. Y.

SO SAYS COL. HANBURY WILLIAMS.

Appertaining to Olympic Games U. S. Can Look Out for Its Own Interests.

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.—Col. Hanbury Williams, secretary to the Governor General, comes out to-day strongly on the Olympic games question. There is criticism at American interference in Canadian sporting matters. Col. Hanbury Williams says:

"Consider Canada alone. I have been deluged with letters about this affair for and against the federation, for and against the Canadian athletic union. I have read newspaper articles for and against either side, and I have heard the question raised that if we do not do such and such a thing the American Athletic Union will be angry and will not send men to compete. Well, it seems to me that we here have nothing to do with the United States in this job. We are here in this particular instance not working for the United States, but for Canada. This looking after the athletic interest of Canada is too big a job to allow us to look after the interest of any other country; other countries can look after themselves.

"I most assuredly hope that every one will help in the settlement of this difficulty. Let us look at it from another point of view: Suppose we had a serious difficulty with another country and there were two parties in Canada fighting one another bitterly, would not those parties combine and smooth over the personal difficulties in view of the big thing that would be before them?

"Well, it is somewhat the same in this case, and if Canada wants to make a showing before the entire world at these Olympia games of which Canada can be proud there is only one thing to do and that is to stand united of purpose."

Since the A. A. U. here got into argument with the Canadians because of the Longboat incident the athletes in Canada have split into two bodies, and the Canadians of one side are piqued over suspensions that have been made here because certain of our athletes have competed against athletes whom the American A. A. U. considers outlaws. The Olympia games question apparently is that whether the Canadian points should count for the British Empire or should count for Canada as an individual country.

BUTLER TO HAVE RACING STABLE.

Turfmen Expect to See the Jockey Club Include Yonkers in the Circuit.

Following the announcement that the Court of Appeals had decided in favor of the Empire City track of Yonkers in the case of the State Racing Commission, came the news yesterday that James Butler, the owner of the Westchester plant, would purchase some high class runners next spring and would turn them over to a competent trainer. It was also stated that Mr. Butler in the course of time would go into the breeding industry on a large scale.

The Court of Appeals decision came in the nature of a surprise to many members of the Jockey Club, who had been led to believe that the State Racing Commission in its opposition to the Yonkers track would be sustained. But with the matter definitely settled the opinion was general yesterday that the Yonkers track would now be taken into the Jockey Club's fold without further friction and that not only a license would be granted next year but that regular dates would be allotted.

Friends of Mr. Butler, however, said that if there should be any attempt to take away the dates for an August meeting at Yonkers there might be trouble, as it was clearly demonstrated last summer that the metropolitan racing public, unable to go to Saratoga, desired a session with the horses on a local track. The Yonkers meeting, under severe handicap, was liberally patronized and about $40,000 in profits was cleared up.

If an attempt is made to keep the month of August clear for Saratoga it is said that the Jockey Club will offer to Mr. Butler spring and fall dates, about twenty in all, the plan being to have the Yonkers track open and close the metropolitan campaign instead of Aqueduct. In that case all of the other racing associations would have to surrender enough dates to make such an arrangement possible.

It is generally understood, however, that the decision of the Court of Appeals does not mean that new tracks can be built in this State without the official sanction of the Racing Commission. The Yonkers track was an established organization with a plant that was built before the law was amended limiting the number of tracks in the State to those already in existence.

GOLF.

Country Club of Lakewood Issues Tournament Programme.

Entries for the Country Club of Lakewood open tournament of November 28, 29 and 30 close over night, but the committee reserves the right to reject any entry. The eighteen hole qualifying round will be the only golf on Thanksgiving Day, match play to begin on the next morning for four sixteens. There will be runnerup cups in each set as well as the first cups. There will be an eighteen hole all day handicap on the last day, for which the entries close on November 29.

The Lakewood course is in fine order and the hotel guests and cottagers are out daily for matches. It is expected that there will be from eighty to ninety starters in the tournament qualifying round. There are a limited number of sleeping rooms at the club, which will be reserved for the tournament players in the order of application. Entries should be sent to S. K. de Forest, honorary secretary, at Lakewood.

BAG FOOTBALL COUNTERFEITERS.

Portland Police Find Plant to Reproduce Harvard-Yale Tickets.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 20.—The police here have nipped in the bud a wholesale attempt to counterfeit tickets for the Harvard-Yale football game. William Leighton, alias Brooks, of Boston, and Fred Patrick, a local engraver, are under arrest charged with the attempted offence.

In Patrick's room was found a block of boxwood, such as is used by engravers, on which a draught had been made of a Harvard-Yale ticket, which is as elaborate as a bank note. The block was large enough for the back of the ticket to have been engraved on it. Patrick told the police that Leighton offered him $15 to make the engraving.

The Harvard management has been informed of the arrest and will send a representative to Portland.

AMONG THE AUTOMOBILISTS

MOTORIST CONDEMNS SPEED OF TROLLEY CARS.

Says Motormen Should Be Forced to Observe Limits Provided for Autos—Committee Gives Perfect Score to Another Contestant in 24 Hour Road Event.

An automobilist who has driven thousands of miles in this country and abroad remarked yesterday that he thought the law committee of the Automobile Club of America ought to take up the subject of limiting the speed of trolley cars on the streets of this city. He said he had observed a number of narrow escapes from collision between speeding trolley cars and automobiles and believed something should be done to keep the motormen down to a reasonable rate of speed. The subject had been brought to his mind forcibly by an accident he witnessed in Forty-second street in front of Bryant Park a few days ago, when a flying trolley car narrowly missed striking an automobile that had turned around in the street. A horse drawn vehicle, however, was not so fortunate and was struck broadside. The occupants were thrown out and appeared to be badly injured. The motorist said the trolley car was travelling faster than twenty miles an hour, which he declared was an outrageous rate, as the time was early evening, when there were a great many vehicles of all sorts in the street. He was of the opinion that trolley cars should be compelled to observe the same rate of speed in city streets provided for automobiles.

The race committee of the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club of Newark has removed the penalization of 12 points against the Oldsmobile driven by J. P. Hopson in the club's twenty-four hour road endurance contest last Friday and Saturday. The clutch of the car slipped while climbing a hill on the first of the five rounds of the course over which the event was run, which was due to the spilling of oil on the clutch just before the start, which the committee decided was unavoidable. The car was entered by R. A. Greene, who is also a member of the Automobile Club of America and who made a perfect score in the run with his Locomobile.

Milton J. Budlong, general manager of the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers, announced yesterday that the members of the mechanical branch of the association would discuss the standardization of automobile bodies at the meeting in Chicago during the automobile show there. Cooperation between automobile engineers and coach builders, the reduction of weight and the proper wheel base for a practical car are also to be discussed. The meeting is to be held in the Chicago Athletic Association clubhouse and is to be attended by representatives of the leading automobile body builders.

Some of the Philadelphia newspapers friendly to automobilists and not fond of the toll road owners recently published maps showing routes by which drivers who were not in any particular hurry could avoid several of the tollgates on the Lancaster pike by making turns at points that were indicated. The turnpike company officials evidently took notice of the maps for they at once established a new toll gate between the city line of Philadelphia and Ardmore, which had the effect of closing the most used route of the drivers who like to dodge the tollgate keepers. The additional gate does not increase the toll demanded of through travelers. Its only purpose is to catch the toll dodgers.

The judges appointed by the Roads Improvement Association for its tests in England last May to decide the best tar spreading machine and the best tar preparation for road purposes have made their report. Two prizes were offered for tar spreading machines and one prize for the best tar preparation. The report stated that while it is generally accepted that an application of two coats of tar is necessary for preserving the road surface, and the judges had wished to carry out the trials under that condition, the weather and other circumstances would not permit. It therefore could not be expected that the surfaces treated with one coat only would be durable, and the trials in respect to durability do not reflect on the machines competing. In spite of the unfavorable nature of the weather the judges considered the results on the whole satisfactory and that much useful information had been obtained in connection with the comparative merits of the various materials used and the methods of applying the materials. Enough, it was believed, already has been done to show that machinery can be safely applied for this purpose and that by the use of such machinery the spreading of tar can be carried on with great rapidity after preliminary preparations have been made. The cost of spreading tar by machinery, it was found, worked out at a much lower figure than the cost of applying the same quantity by hand. Eight machines and nine preparations were entered in the competition and the judges reported in part as follows:

"Speaking generally, the whole of the machines tested showed considerable originality and forethought in design, and considering the short time the demand for this machinery has been before inventors the results obtained are exceedingly promising. No doubt most of the machines exhibited can be improved, and when using the proper material in correct quantities they are all likely to give satisfactory results. Suitable tar compositions are practically insoluble, yield no matter hable to be washed away into the watercourses to pollute and to cause damage, nor should there be any considerable quantity of tar dust ground off the road surfaces after treatment. The judges believe that the complaints made under this head previous to these trials have been due to the use of improper materials—that is to say, tar from which the more unsuitable compounds have not been extracted previous to the tar being used on the road. Now that this is understood it is probable that most of these difficulties will disappear."

Amherst and Williams Plan Swimming Meet.

There will be a swimming meet between Amherst and Williams at Amherst in February if the athletic board at Amherst is in favor of it. If the board approves a manager will be elected. The events for the meet will be 50 yard swim, 100 yard swim, relay race, water polo and fancy diving. A return meet probably will be arranged if the first is held.

ATHLETICS AT U. OF P.

Swimming, Wrestling, Soccer and Shooting Practice Going On.

Coach Kistler of the Pennsylvania swimming team intends this year to form a freshman team for relay races, individual events and water polo. There has never been a freshman team before at Pennsylvania. Meets will be arranged with teams of the entering class of outside colleges. Some difficulty is being found to get enough heavy men for the varsity water polo team.

The soccer players have reported to begin the season and an application is to be made to the athletic council for permission to use Franklin Field. If that is not granted the players will practise at the Belmont Cricket Club. Last spring the authorities objected to the soccer team on Franklin Field because their spiked shoes cut up the field too much for baseball. Games have been arranged with Haverford, the local cricket clubs and several of the soccer clubs in Philadelphia. R. L. Wood is captain of the team.

The Pennsylvania gun men are out at Clearview practising for the intercollegiate shoot which is to be held next spring. In order to get plenty of work in it was decided after the fall intercollegiate shoot recently won by Yale to practise every day that conditions permitted until spring.

The wrestlers at Pennsylvania are reporting to Emil Buk, their coach, to get ready for the season. C. T. Brown, intercollegiate 135 pound champion in 1906, will help Buk. Yerger, Custer, Haup, Peters, Waite, Lewis, Prinskie, Dwyer and Capt. Folwell are the old men in college. Dwyer and Folwell will wrestle after the football season is over. Con. Westcott, Fisher, Wahl, Hitchcock, Woodraffe, Gosling, Cogan and Nell are new men who have done well so far. The Pennsylvania wrestling team will hold dual meets with Yale, Princeton and Columbia.

FOR BIGGER SCHEDULE.

Western Conference Committee to Consider Matter Soon.

The executive committee of the Western Conference Intercollegiate Association will meet in Chicago on November 25 to consider the rules and changes for the coming year and season in sports. Among other things that will be taken up is the matter of football schedules. The present ruling limits the number of games to five intercollegiate matches regardless of the size of the college. The ruling has had a fair test and the conference college athletes believe that it is a poor rule. An effort will be made to have the schedule increased from five to seven games.

"The sentiment at Wisconsin is in favor of the change," says the *Daily Cardinal*, "and we trust that our representatives will vote for it. If the change suggested is too much of a departure from the present ruling to meet with the approval of the faculty representatives, we would suggest that the ruling be so changed as to allow two practice games to be played in the early part of the season. This would meet the objection that a large schedule interferes with the regular college work, for the minor games do not attract the attention of the students. On the other hand such an arrangement would give the team the experience necessary to get into proper form for the regular games of the season.

"It would give the various teams a chance to meet their rivals on a fair footing and not have the contest go to the team which has been fortunate enough to have its schedule begin a week or two early. Furthermore, it would reduce the chance of injury to the players for the season, because they would be in better condition to stand the strain of a hard game. If student opinion and the students' wishes in a matter which is strictly a student activity have any weight with our conference representative, Wisconsin will vote for the larger schedule."

TIGERS GOOD ACROSS COUNTRY.

Score Another Victory by Defeating Columbia Runners.

PRINCETON, Nov. 20.—The Tigers again demonstrated their ability at cross-country running to-day by defeating Columbia in a dual meet. A short while ago Princeton beat Yale, who in turn put it over Harvard, and this is taken as a good omen for the Orange and Black's chances in the intercollegiate run to be held here next week. Weather conditions were well nigh perfect this afternoon, and the run was over a course a bit longer than the intercollegiate one.

Handicapped by the absence of Whitley, Princeton's long distance star, the Tigers made good