HOCKEY SCALPS FOR M'GILL

CANADIAN PLAYERS DEFEAT CRESCENTS IN GOOD GAME.

Fast Play From the Start and Free From Fouls. Tie Score at End of First Half. Canadians Score in Last Minutes of Play on Lucky Shot. Result, 4 to 3.

The McGill University hockey players from Canada increased their laurels last night in the St. Nicholas Skating Rink by adding the scalps of the Crescent Athletic Club team to those of the Boston Athletic Association and will return to Canada elated with their successes. It was hockey as hockey should be played, fast, clean and abounding in brilliant passes. There were lots of hard checks during the contest and many players hit the ice hard but they took and gave good naturedly and there was no evidence of ill feeling at any time. There were many trips too, some unfair, but the referees caught those who offended the rules and meted out punishment impartially.

The score was 4 to 3 in favor of McGill and the winning goal was almost an accident and was made in the last minute of play. The Crescent men in view of the approaching tournament of the Amateur League can take some consolation out of the result. McGill defeated Boston 4 to 2 in an easy game. Boston had previously defeated the New York Athletic Club 3 to 2, so the Crescent men figure out that their team is a little better at present than their local rivals, the Mercury foot warriors.

A large crowd greeted the players, and such enthusiasts as Robert J. Wall, W. F. Bass, Bill Dobby, Dr. W. S. Simmons, Commodore M. W. Houck, Ben Rhodes, George Philips and many others were on hand to watch the game and size up the local team. The Crescent players, resplendent in new white sweaters, were first on the ice and were warmly greeted. The McGill men followed. They wore odd looking uniforms of red with white bars. A crowd of rooters headed by Lieut. Clifford Sitton had accompanied the team and they made the echoes ring with their long cheers.

Lafleur and Scoot faced off and Lafleur secured the puck for the home team and passed to Shirreff. Then it went to Canada, only to be secured again by Lafleur, who made the first shot for goal, which went wide. Then the puck went to the other end of the ring and Doc Mills had his hands full with a lively scrimmage but no damage was done. For three minutes the game was very lively with first one and then the other team attacking and each defence was good. Then Lafleur and Shirreff by team work rushed the rubber down the ice and Shirreff sent it into the cage but Referee Russell's whistle blew for a forward pass and the goal did not count.

By this time the players had warmed up and were skating fast. Foreman had his nose bumped in one check and as it bled freely he retired for a few minutes and Campbell was dropped by the Crescents to equalize the team. Foreman had just got back to the ice again when Murray the rover started to carry the puck down the ice. He quickly got into the play caught the rubber on a neat pass and drove it in the cage. Mills made one stop but before he could clear Foreman scored. This was in 3 minutes 19 seconds.

Soon after this Murray went off and his place was taken by Davidson who distinguished himself at once by being suspended for two minutes for unfair interference with Mills. Then the score was tied by Campbell who secured the puck toward the McGill goal and sent it into the net. He was well guarded by the Crescent forwards.

On the next face off Lafleur sent the rubber straight to the McGill cage, but Mann cleverly stopped it. Campbell almost scored before Mann could clear. Then Shirreff was put off for unfair checking and Hughes and Campbell hooked each other with their sticks and they had an opportunity to watch the game from front row seats. Toward the end of the last stanza Hughes broke his stick and Campbell again retired to equalize the teams.

The second half opened with each side credited with one goal. Shirreff and Du Fresne made determined attacks and caused Mann to do some good work and then the Canadians put Mills on the defensive and he was able to show how he could stop the flying rubber. Then Campbell earned the puck toward the McGill goal and Shirreff and Lafleur stared with him ready to take a pass at any time. It seemed like a sure goal when Hughes rushed out and tripped Campbell. Hughes got two minutes but he stopped a score. Campbell slashed vigorously and he went to the bench for two minutes and while he was off the Crescent broke the tie, scoring unassisted after 4 minutes 17 seconds of play.

Fast work followed and the players began to puff. The puck was rushed up and down the rink in lively fashion and after 6 minutes 20 seconds of play Davidson scored on a pass from Scott. This made McGill's total 3 to 1 for the Crescents. Faster and faster the men played and Lafleur finding an opening on the left, rushed through the Canadian player and landed the puck in the net. This was six seconds after the McGill goal and just seventeen seconds later Campbell scored on a neat side shot and again the score was a tie 3 all.

Du Fresne went off for tripping. Hughes and Scott bumped together hard and rubbed snow on their heads. Campbell went off for chopping and Foreman was suspended for loading offside, and all this time the game was at fever heat. Each side made determined attacks, but neither could get by its opponents' defence. Just before the end Rankin carried the puck along the right side and passed out. Kennedy stopped the puck but could not clear, and Sargent, who was on hand, slammed the rubber into the Crescent cage, and the game ended in McGill's favor.

The lineup:

McGill.	Positions.	Crescent A. C.
Mills	Goal	Mills
Glass	Point	Kennedy
Foreman	Cover point	Du Fresne
Scott	Rover	Shirreff
Davidson	Centre	Lafleur
Sargent	Left wing	Martin
Rankin	Right wing	Campbell

Score—McGill, 4. Crescent A. C., 3. Goals—Foreman, Scott, Davidson, Sargent, Campbell 2, Lafleur, Crescent A. C. Assists—Davidson for Murray. Referee—Russell. Hockey club—Assistant Ernest Garon, Wanderers. H. C. Umpires—F. J. Lewis, Crescent A. C., and Mcgill, Timers—George T. Adams, Crescent A. C., W. G. Murray. Penalty timer—W. J. Crozier, Wanderers H. C. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Michigan to Meet Penn and Cornell on Gridiron.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 29.—That Michigan is to meet Cornell and Pennsylvania on football next fall has been officially announced by Director of Athletics Bartolme. A committee of alumni in Chicago he made the announcement and it also developed that the coach between the Wolverine institution and the Western Conference has been engaged. Besides the two schools already mentioned it is almost certain that Case, Penn State and the Michigan Aggies will be on the schedule. Vanderbilt fears have will be dropped because of the decision of the Michigan authorities not to have a night game. Schedule next year.

Phillies Get Shortstop Downey.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 29.—The Philadelphia National League club has purchased the release of Tom Downey, shortstop, of the Cincinnati team, and the little fellow will report with the Phillies when the team leaves this city for the spring training trip to Hot Springs, Ark.

ELEVATING COLLEGE ATHLETES

Summer Baseball and Kindred Evils Deprecated at National C. A. Meeting.

At an early hour yesterday morning the National Collegiate Athletic Association adjourned its final session at the Hotel Astor after a long and fruitful discussion of the summer baseball question and the amateur law. It was not until midnight that the association got down to hard facts and passed a resolution which was presented by Capt. Palmer E. Pierce, the president, in which the association set forth its views on summer baseball and recommended to its members that they begin an educational campaign among their students looking to the abolition of this bugbear of college athletics. Capt. Pierce's resolution follows:

It is recommended that the delegates present take the following action with regard to the situation in collegiate athletics. By having this action practically unanimous it is thought that a practical solution of the problem can be evolved.

1. Endeavor to establish and uphold a high amateur standard in all collegiate sports.

2. By securing the cooperation of the student body through an educational campaign that shall explain the meaning of and the necessity for such a standard.

3. By securing the cooperation of the faculty and alumni through an educational campaign that will emphasize the moral and ethical importance of amateur athletics in an educational system.

2. By proposing to students that the playing in all collegiate contests thereafter be governed by the amateur spirit and that students who compete contrary to the amateur spirit be given opportunities to play in intramural games but shall be debarred from intercollegiate games.

3. By having it understood that a student guilty of playing in an intercollegiate contest contrary to the above spirit shall be considered to have violated a gentleman's agreement and the faculty or governing board of his institution shall discipline him.

4. By inaugurating a campaign of education among the preparatory schools.

5. That all are urged to make this movement a success by adopting it, this securing uniform effort through the country.

6. That a committee be appointed to formulate a statement to cover the situation in collegiate athletics and in the meantime the spirit of amateurism should guide.

It was only after a long and hard fight that Capt. Pierce was able to have the resolution as it stands adopted, for there was opposition both from those desiring the official countenancing of summer baseball and those demanding a strict enforcement of the rules. Prof. H. W. Johnston of Indiana University, and the chairman of the Western Conference Committee that is considering the same question in the middle West, was opposed to the resolution because it permitted amateurs and professionals to play side by side in contests within the college. He saw no difference between playing amateurs and professionals in such contests than playing together in intercollegiate contests, and he made an urgent appeal that this part of the resolution be stricken out.

Dr. W. R. Golden of Pennsylvania State College, where summer baseball and even out and out professionalism are no bar to players on the nine, was opposed to the proposition altogether, although he promised that he would do his best to try to do away with summer ball as suggested in the resolution. Prof. W. C. Reddick of the University of North Carolina held the same views.

Most of the opposition to the resolution came from the smaller colleges in territory isolated from metropolitan districts, where it was impossible for the inhabitants to have the pleasure and amusement afforded by baseball unless it came from a small local team whose strength was recruited from the neighborhood boys who were attending the colleges in that vicinity. Dr. Harry L. Williams of the University of Minnesota was not present to state Minnesota's views on the case, and neither was there a representative from the University of Illinois, being the large colleges in the conference which are striving for a readjustment of the amateur standards in order that summer baseball players be made eligible for varsity teams.

The ethical and moral aspects of the question and the arguments presented by Capt. Pierce on these points were what won over the meeting for the resolution, although there were large numbers of the delegates who did not vote.

The discussion of the amateur law did not result in so definite a conclusion and the matter was left practically in abeyance, although it was the consensus that the spirit of the amateur laws be the determining factors hereafter rather than the letter.

OUSTING THE TRAINING TABLE.

Physical Directors Discuss the Question Pro and Con.

The training table and the idea of physical examination for college entrance were the subjects which demanded the greater part of the attention of the Society of Directors of Physical Education in Colleges, which held its annual meeting in the Faculty Club at Columbia University yesterday. Many of the representatives who had taken part in the deliberations of the National Collegiate Athletic Association on Thursday stayed over for the meeting, although Dr. Alonzo A. Stagg of the University of Chicago, who is president of the society, was unable to be present. In his place Prof. R. G. Clapp of the University of Nebraska had the chair.

The discussion over the advantages and disadvantages of the training table elicited some heated arguments on both sides of the question. On the whole the representatives of the conference colleges seemed pretty well satisfied with the abolition of the training table, but some of the Eastern representatives were opposed to the idea. Dr. Joseph E. Raycroft, who was at the University of Chicago until last spring, said that when the abolition of the training table was first instituted he was absolutely opposed to the plan, but after five years of trial he said that he was forced to admit the advantages of training athletic teams without the necessity of a training table. According to Dr. Raycroft the training table is neither necessary nor essential in getting men into good physical condition, and the men who play football in the conference to-day are every bit as good as if not better than those who played when the training table was used.

Dr. George W. Ehler, physical director at the University of Wisconsin, said that Dr. Raycroft had stated the case correctly. Dr. James Naismith of the University of Kansas, where they have no training table, was not so certain that the absence of the training table was the advantage that both Dr. Raycroft and Dr. Ehler said it was. Dr. Naismith said that the Kansas football team was not as strong as it was in the days of the training table and that in a college where a large part of the student body is made up of self-supporting boys it is a positive hardship to ask them to live during the football season as they should. He said that in the last season he had two men on the football team who were unable to buy proper food for themselves and who had to be fed by the football management.

Dr. C. L. Roller of Dartmouth made a strong plea for the retention of the training table. "Football of the present day is a commercial proposition pure and simple," said Dr. Roller, "and as long as we continue to force men to go into the game just so long will we have to see that they are properly fed and in a fit physical condition to take part in the game. Ethically the training table does have its faults, but the same thing would be true if we tried to get along without it. At Dartmouth we suffer a little because of the grafting of some of the men, but on the whole we find that it is far better for the men to have a training table and be in proper physical condition for the game."

Among those present were Dr. D. L. Sargent of Harvard, Dr. R. G. Clapp of the University of Nebraska, Dr. James A. Babbitt of Haverford, Dr. G. W. Ehler of the University of Wisconsin, Dr. James Naismith of the University of Kansas, Dr. George L. Meylan of Columbia, Dr. Paul C. Phillips of Amherst, Dr. J. E. Raycroft of Princeton, Dr. C. E. Roller of Dartmouth, Dr. R. Tait McKenzie of the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. F. W. Marvel of Brown University, Dr. W. R. Savage of Carnegie Tech, Dr. E. H. Fauver of Wesleyan and Dr. W. A. Lambeth of the University of Virginia.

CHESS TOURNEY ENDS IN TIE

CORNELL AND PENNSYLVANIA DIVIDE THE HONORS.

Each Team Wins Six Games, While Brown Fails to Score a Single Victory. Sze, the Chinese Player, Succeeds in Final Game. Stubborn Play at the Close.

Unable to break the tie in the fourth and final round of the thirteenth annual tournament of the Triangular College Chess League, which came to a conclusion at the rooms of the Brooklyn Chess Club yesterday afternoon, Cornell and the University of Pennsylvania divided the honors of the meeting, each team having scored six points, or just one-half of the total of twelve possible. The pair representing Brown were left stranded at the close without as much as a drawn game to their credit. Cornell, winner last year, will retain the Rice trophy for six months longer, after which it will go into the custody of Pennsylvania for the balance of the year.

A. C. Ehrlich, former Manual Training champion of Brooklyn, and second board for Cornell, was the first to score, placing the Ithacans once more in the lead. His teammate, F. K. Perkins of Mount Vernon, drew with Teitelbaum, second board for Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania was then a point behind and it remained for Rudolph Sze, the Chinese player, to save the day for his university. Sze, who has been playing the most interesting chess of the meeting, and like Perkins of Cornell was unbeaten in the tournament, was equal to the occasion and placed the win in the Pennsylvania column necessary to tie the score of the champions. The Oriental was the centre of an enthusiastic group of admirers after he had wound up his long game in fifty-two moves.

The play was more than ordinarily stubborn yesterday and when the time arrived for the luncheon adjournment not a game had been concluded. Durfee of Brown adopted Steinitz's variation of the Petroff against Ehrlich of Cornell, establishing his pawn at K5 and taking the king file with queen and took. This retarded Ehrlich's queen pawn, so that he had to develop his queen's bishop by way of K2. After thirty-four moves only one piece had been exchanged and the position was quite even. In the ending Ehrlich won the exchange and was three pawns to the good when his adversary gave in.

Perkins established two centre pawns against Teitelbaum and the latter Flanchettoed his bishop at QB2. The position remained well balanced during the opening stage. Perkins later won the exchange, but the Philadelphia player was left with the superior position. This he utilized to such good advantage that he won Perkins's queen for a rook and a bishop. Teitelbaum was willing to call it a draw and the game was so recorded.

The liveliest play of the early session was witnessed at the third table, where Sze placed the Chinese side of a Bird's opening offered by Emmons of Brown. The Chinaman countered with what is known as the From gambit, which involves the sacrifice of a pawn at the second move. Emmons accepted the gambit, but had to prepare to stay on the defensive indefinitely. The latter endeavored to form a centre and in doing so he weakened his queen's pawn, as Sze stopped a further advance with P-QB4. Sze gave up another pawn and at the twenty-second move appeared to be doomed to lose a piece. Very ingenious play, however, enabled him to get out of all danger. He in turn captured two pawns and later on another, which gave him material to the good. When play ceased after twenty-nine moves for luncheon he had the upper hand. In the afternoon session Emmons offered a but one pawn in the ending, which cost him the game. Thus Sze scored the point that tied the score and enabled Pennsylvania to claim an equal share of the tri-collegiate chess honors for 1912.

The summary of the play:

Rice.	Wins.	Rice.	Losses.
Perkins (C)	½	Teitelbaum (P)	½
Durfee (B)	0	Ehrlich (C)	1
Emmons (B)	0	Sze (P)	1

The players first named had the white pieces. The openings: Board 1, Ponziani, 48 moves. 2, Petroff defence, 41 moves. 3, From gambit, 52 moves.

The final college and individual scores follow:

College.	Players.	W.	L.	Points.
Cornell	F. K. Perkins	3	1	3
	A. C. Ehrlich	3	1	3
U. of P.	R. Sze	3	1	3
	M. J. Teitelbaum	2½	1½	2½
Brown	E. J. Durfee	0	4	0
	W. I. Emmons	0	4	0

After luncheon the annual meeting of the Triangular League was held in the directors' room of the Brooklyn Chess Club, the election resulting as follows: Walter Underhill, Brooklyn, president; William M. de Visser, Brooklyn, and Arthur C. Ehrlich, Cornell, vice presidents; Hermann Helms, New York, secretary; Hartwig Cantor, tournament director.

Resolutions of thanks to the Brooklyn Chess Club, Walter Underhill, its president, and Prof. Isaac L. Rice, donor of the trophy, were adopted. The question of increasing the membership of the league next year was discussed and it was the sense of the meeting that another college should be admitted, but only in the event of Cornell, Brown and Pennsylvania all agreeing to play four-cornered matches. This is the second time a vote has been entered for the Rice trophy, the first having been between Brown and Pennsylvania in 1908. Pennsylvania has won six times and Cornell five times.

The scores:

PONZIANI OPENING.

Perkins. Cornell. White.		Teitelbaum. Penn. Black.	Perkins. Cornell. White.		Teitelbaum. Penn. Black.
1 P—K4	P—K4		22 QxKtP	P—Kt5	
2 Kt—KB3	Kt—QB3		23 Kt—K1	Kt—Kt4	
3 P—B3	P—Q4		24 B x P ch	KxB	
4 B—B4	P—KR3		25 QxKt	QxP	
5 Castles	Kt—B3		26 QxP ch	K—R2	
6 P—Q4	PxP		27 Q—Q5	Q—B4 ch	
7 PxP	B—Q3		28 Q—Q	Q—Q4	
8 Kt—B3	Castles		29 Q—B2 ch	Q—Kt4	
9 P—KR3	P—QR3		30 R—K5	P—QR4	
10 Kt—B2	P—QKt3		31 R—QB	R—Q5	
11 B—Kt5	B—Kt2		32 R—B5	Q—Kt4	
12 P—Q5	Kt—K4		33 R—B3	R—K4	
13 B—R4	Kt—Kt3		34 R—B5	Q—Kt3	
14 B—B2	Q—Q2		35 R—Kt5	Q—Kt3 ch	
15 Kt—B3	QR—K		36 Q—B	R—R7 ch	
16 Q—Q3	P—Q		37 KxR	QxQ	
17 P—K5	PxP		38 RxB	Q—K3	
18 KtxP	BxKt		And after ten additional moves the players agreed upon a draw.		
19 PxB	KtxP				
20 Q—Kt3	Kt—Kt3				
21 BxKt	PxB				

FROMM GAMBIT.

Emmons. Brown. White.		Sze. Penn. Black.	Emmons. Brown. White.		Sze. Penn. Black.
1 P—KB4	P—K4		28 PxP	R—R	
2 PxP	P—Q3		29 Kt—K5	RxR	
3 PxP	BxP		30 RxR	B—KB4	
4 Kt—KB3	Kt—KB3		31 B—Q3	BxB	
5 P—Q3	Castles		32 KtxB	P—QKt4	
6 B—Kt5	Kt—B3		33 Kt—Kt2	K—Kt	
7 P—K4	P—KR3		34 P—Kt5	K—B2	
8 B—R4	Kt—K1		35 K—Kt2	K—Q2	
9 KtxKt	BxKt		36 Kt—Q	K—K3	
10 P—B3	P—B4		37 K—B2	K—Q4	
11 Kt—Q2	Q—B2		38 K—K2	B—Kt4	
12 BxKt	BxB		39 K—Q3	P—KR4	
13 Q—R5	Q—B5		40 P—KR4	B—B3	
14 QxQBP	B—Kt4		41 Kt—K3 ch	K—B4	
15 Kt—B3	B—Q		42 Kt—B2	B—K4	
16 Q—B2	B—Kt3		43 B—K3	BxKtP	
17 Q—K2	B—Kt5		44 Kt—B5	B—Kt	
18 P—Q4	QR—Q		45 Kt—Q4	BxKt	
19 P—K5	P—B3		46 PxB ch	K—Q4	
20 Q—B4 ch	K—B		47 K—K3	P—R4	
21 R—K2	PxP		48 K—Q3	P—Kt5	
22 Castles	Q—K6 ch		49 K—B2	P—R5	
23 K—B	PxP		50 K—Q3	P—Kt6	
24 QR—K	PxP		51 K—K3	P—K6	
25 B—Q5	R—B		52 PxP	P—R6	
26 QxR	RxQ		Resigns		
27 RxQ	BxR				

PETROFF DEFENCE.

Durfee. Brown. White.		Ehrlich. Cornell. Black.	Durfee. Brown. White.		Ehrlich. Cornell. Black.
1 P—K4	P—K4		23 Kt—Kt4	R—KB	
2 Kt—KB3	Kt—KB3		24 Q—Q3	R—Kt2	
3 P—Q4	PxP		25 KtxP	RxKt	
4 P—K5	Kt—Kt		26 R—B	PxP	
5 QxP	Kt—QB3		27 RPxP	P—QKt4	
6 Q—K3	KKt—K2		28 P—KKt3	P—Q4	
7 Kt—QB3	Kt—K3		29 R—K2	QR—B2	
8 KB—B4	B—K2		30 Kt—Q2	Kt—Kt4	
9 Castles	Castles		31 P—KB4	Kt—B6 ch	
10 R—K	P—QR3		32 K—B	KtxP	
11 P—QKt3	B—Kt2		33 PxKt	KtxP	
12 B—Q5	R—Kt		34 Q—KB3	KtxR	
13 P—QR3	B—K		35 QxKt	Q—B6	
14 P—QKt4	P—QR3		36 R—K	R—B	
15 Q—K4	Q—QB		37 Q—Kt2	QxBP	
16 Q—B3	Kt—Q		38 R—Kt	R—Kt3	
17 B—Kt2	Kt—K3		39 Q—K2	RxR ch	
18 QR—Q	BxB		40 RxR	QxR ch	
19 KtxB	P—Q3		41 K—Kt2	Q—QB6	
20 Kt—K3	P—QR4		42 Q—K6 ch	K—R	
21 P—QB3	P—KR3		Resigns		
22 PxP	BxP				

Skating Races.

The entries will close to-day for the first ice skating races to be held under the auspices of the New York Athletic Club, on January 6 at the St. Nicholas Rink. The events open to all amateurs are a one mile handicap, limit 95 yards, a half mile handicap, limit, 55 yards, and a half mile novice race. Special gold, silver and bronze medals will be given in each event and the entries may be sent to Fred Fortmyer, secretary, New York A. C., Fifty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, or to the rink.

KEEN GOLF MATCHES.

Hunter Beats Robbins in 23 Hole Match at Pinehurst.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 29.—A series of keen matches in to-day's second and semi-final rounds of the eighth annual holiday week golf tournament culminated in a brilliant twenty-three hole battle between Robert Hunter of Wee Burn and Arden M. Robbins of Garden City, which the Connecticut player won by the narrowest kind of a margin. The element of chance also played an important part, for Mr. Hunter lost the fourteenth on a lost ball and Mr. Robbins the eighteenth and the match by failure to run down a put of less than a foot.

At the turn with medal scores of 40 and 42 Mr. Hunter had a bit the better of it, a win by Robbins on the ninth reducing the lead to 2 up, which the Garden City player followed up with wins on the twelfth and thirteenth, gaining the lead with the lost ball on the fourteenth. It was stroke for stroke in bogey to the seventeenth green and both players were on the green in 2 on the eighteenth. Mr. Hunter's approach was short, while Mr. Robbins laid the ball dead to all appearances, but Mr. Hunter holed, while Mr. Robbins failed. Par golf halved the next four holes, two screaming putts halving the twenty-second. Mr. Hunter's drive on the twenty third made the green with Mr. Robbins short and the approach put failed to overcome the disadvantage and the match ended in Mr. Hunter's favor.

Mr. Robbins's nothing win from Allan Lard of Chevy Chase, twice United North and South champion, was a hard fought battle. In the consolation Fillmore Robeson of Oak Hill won a nineteen hole match from W. C. Johnson of Canoe Brook.

The summaries:

President's Cup—Second round—A. M. Robbins, Garden City, beat Allan Lard, Chevy Chase, 2 and 1; Robert Hunter, Wee Burn, beat F. J. Keating, Lenox, 8 and 7; J. M. Thompson, Spring Haven, beat J. W. McMenamy, Dunwoodie, 4 and 2; Chisholm Beach, Fox Hills, beat I. S. Robeson, Oak Hill, 5 and 3.

Semi-final—Hunter beat Robbins, 1 up (23 holes); Beach beat Thompson, 2 up.

Consolation Plate—Found C. P. Eddy, Ridgewood, beat J. R. Capp, Chevy Chase, 2 and 1; Fillmore Robeson, Oak Hill, beat J. C. Wilbur, Canoe Brook, 1 up (19 holes); H. G. White, Ridgewood, beat Walter D. Travis, Garden City, by default; C. L. Becker, Woodland, beat S. O. Miller, Englewood, 4 and 1.

Semi-final—Robeson beat Eddy, 2 and 1; Becker beat White, 2 up.

Governor's Cup—Second round—W. E. Truesdell, Huntington, beat S. H. Martel, Jr., Montreal, 3 and 2; R. Gilert Wykagyl, beat C. T. Parks, New York, 3 and 1; Homer Boyer, Southborough, beat T. H. Watkins, New York, 5 and 4; Henry McSweeney, Chicago, beat H. S. Cummings, Wee Burn, 1 up (19 holes).

Semi-final—Truesdell beat Gilbert, 2 up; Boyer beat McSweeney, 2 and 1.

ROSE QUEEN IN FRONT.

Mare's Victory Breaks the Ice for H. G. Bedwell at Columbia.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 29.—This was the last ladies' day of the meeting and although the weather was cloudy and threatening the fair sex turned out in large numbers to witness the day's racing. The handicap for all ages, at ⅞ furlongs, was the main event and Rose Queen, favorite for the race, with her stable companion, Richard Reed, went to the front on the far turn and after a hard drive lasted long enough to beat the two-year-old Caugh Hill, who was carrying the D. Sullivan colors for the first time at the meeting by half a length. Rose Queen's win broke the ice for the stable of H. G. Bedwell, as it is his first victory in several weeks.

The third event, at one mile, was marred by an accident in which three horses went down. Farm Lance had just moved into the lead passing the far turn when he stepped into a hole and fell, Barney Igoe and Light House going down on top of him. Ambrose, who had the mount on game Igoe, was the only one injured. He received a bad cut under the eye and had several teeth knocked out.

The stewards to-day announced that ex-jockey William Young had been barred from the track for his assault on Jockey Turner yesterday and this ruling will probably be in effect at Charleston. The stewards also put the ban on the horse Joe Rose for inconsistent running, and this ruling will also probably hold good at Charleston.

The summaries:

First Race—Five furlongs—Dust, 102 (J. Hanover), 2 to 1, won; Mason, 112 (Fairbrother), 3 to 1, second; Bonnie Bee, 100 (Chappell), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 4-5. Quincy Belle, Winning Smile, Hibernica, Descendant, Uncle Oliver and Elizabeth O. also ran.

Second Race—Five furlongs—Beine, Margot, 107 (Teahan), 12 to 1, won; Lelaiona, 107 (Olsen), 4 to 1, second; Rosalind, 107 (Robertson), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 1-5. Cashin, Dipper, Billy Murphy, Goldfein, Golden Coster, Lucky Wish and Christmas Daisy also ran.

Third Race—One mile—Irish Kid, 110 (Grand), 13 to 5, won; Black Branch, 108 (Fairbrother), 8 to 5, second; Sam Quaver, 105 (Schaefle), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:50. Horace E. also ran. Rain Dance, Bernel, Igoe and Lighthouse fell.

Fourth Race—Five furlongs—Rose Queen, 114 (Forsythe), even money, coupled with Richard Reed, won; Caugh Hill, 108 (Bruce), 7 to 1, second; Bash, 102 (Andrews), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:05. Richard Reed, Lexis and Elizabeth Harwood also ran.

Fifth Race—Selling—three year olds and upward, seven furlongs—A. Powers, 105 (Hopkins), 4 to 5, won; Camel, 110 (Skirvin), 5 to 1, second; Emperor William, 111 (Grand), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:32 2-5. Lady Grimar, Joe Rose and Eddie Grant also ran.

Sixth Race—Five furlongs—Sabo Blend, 107 (Steele), 4 to 1, won; Clem Beachy, 109 (Bruce), 11 to 5, second; Rubia Granda, 109 (Schaefle), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:04 4-5. Anca, Flying Squirrel, Donovan, Tim Tim and Thrifty also ran.

SCHOOLBOY HOCKEY.

Irving Team Beaten by Columbia Freshmen in St. Nicholas Rink.

Columbia freshmen's hockey team won a well earned victory yesterday when the Blue and White seven defeated the Irving School puck chasers in the St. Nicholas Rink by a score of 3 to 1. Neither team was able to score in the first half, although Columbia came within an ace of tallying in the early part of that period.

The Yonkers High School hockey team and the school's alumni seven played a tie game yesterday in the St. Nicholas Rink, the contest ending in a tie, each team scoring four goals.

Billiards.

William Dowling won the rapid fire class B billiard tournament which was played last night at John F. Doyle's Forty-second street room, defeating Aleck Moore in the final game of thirty-six innings by the score of 15 to 9. There were sixteen starters. The Class A rapid fire billiard tournament will be played at Doyle's next Tuesday night.

Davis Cup Matches Postponed.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand, Dec. 29.—Rain to-day postponed the opening game for the Davis lawn tennis cup, which is to be contested for by the Americans and the Australians. The match will be played on Monday.

Princeton Again Beats Yale at Hockey.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 29.—The Princeton hockey team again did pretty much as it chose with the Yale team at the Elysium to-night. Princeton won 6 to 2. The game was Princeton's from start to finish. Baker, the star last night, again starred. He scored four of Princeton's goals.

Rochester Beats Toronto at Basketball.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The basketball team of the University of Toronto went down to defeat before the Rochester University five this evening by a score of 43 to 12.

Johnson Agrees to Fight McVey.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, to-day agreed with Promoter McIntosh's agent to fight Sam McVey for a guarantee of $30,000.

Results at Juarez.

First Race—Five furlongs—Raquette, 113 (Molesworth), 11 to 5, won; Odella, 110 (Hoffman), 4 to 1, second; Skillute, 116 (Borel), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 3-5. De Cesarion, Hardy, Mandadero, Wastella, Jack Wainwright, Hazel C., F. L. Proctor, Pretty March and John R. Clay also ran.

Second Race—Five furlongs—Coed, 105 (Gross), 10 to 1, won; Dactylis, 119 (Borel), 1 to 2, second; B. M. Johnson, 105 (Guy), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 1-5. The Fad, Homesick, Penang, Ed Levan, Nada Mas and Black Domino also ran.

Third Race—Six furlongs—Kootenay, 105 (Denny), 11 to 5, won; Angelus, 113 (Molesworth), 4 to 5, second; Judge Cabiness, 100 (Carter), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:13. Lady Tendi, Tommy Twig, The Hague, Betty Lester and Billy Mayhue also ran.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs—Closer, 115 (Gross), 7 to 5, won; Vanir, 108 (Buxton), 7 to 10, second; Lady Rankin, 117 (Molesworth), out, third. Time, 1:12 2-5. Florence Roberts also ran.

Fifth Race—One mile—Chanticler, 110 (Hoffman), 2 to 1, won; Robert, 95 (Callahan), 12 to 1, second; Error, 90 (Hill), even money, third. Time, 1:41 1-5. Misprision, Keep Moving, Round and Round and Tiffis also ran.

Sixth Race—Five furlongs—Hex, 120 (Hoffman), 4 to 1, won; Prince Winter, 113 (Parker), 2 to 1, second; Golden Ruby, 101 (Hill), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:00 1-5. Harlene, Salvage, Stafford, Beilsnicker and Elder also ran.

AMONG THE AUTOMOBILISTS

CRYING NEED FOR A DEFINED SPEED LAW.

Great Trouble Is That Police Can Convict on Affidavit, Says Motorist—Big Organizations Should Take Up Matter—New Hupp Car—Motor Notes.

"It has got so with me," a motorist complained yesterday to THE SUN man, "that I hate to take the wheel of my car to go out for a ride in the city. I never can tell whether I will be arrested or not. Unless I'm much mistaken I'm not a careless or a reckless driver and I've been arrested for what was called speeding only twice in many years of driving. But the fact that no one knows what the speed law is and, further, that automobilists are apparently the only folks convicted without proof is what deters me from driving in the city.

"The activities of some policemen whom I have watched convince me that they are trying to pile up convictions to show they are busy. Only to-day I saw a man issue a summons in a speeding case, so called, who had come up suddenly on his motorcycle from being a block behind the car he halted. No wonder his speedometer registered high if he had to make up a block while the car he was after was going two. I have been watching this man because I know him, although he wears no uniform, and I have seen him operate like this before. Things like this chill the ardor of any one who has been driving to any extent.

"When a man's arrested for theft or murder or what not and pleads not guilty it is up to the accuser to prove his guilt. But when he is arrested for speeding an automobile the unsupported charge of the motorcycle policeman is a conviction. The accused may say he wasn't going that fast, but the Magistrate always assumes that the motorcycle or bicycle policeman was absolutely right in his timing or measurement without even inquiring how it was done. If the automobilist says flatly he wasn't going so fast he gets short shrift because he has dared to question the veracity of the police officer.

Now the absurdity of the whole thing is the situation regarding the law. If the corporation ordinance limits automobile speed to eight miles an hour who gives the policemen a right to say that they will arrest at twenty miles or over? Why should superior police officers instruct them to that end? Why should any Magistrate lay it down as a principle that a motorist isn't taken in unless he is travelling in excess of twenty miles an hour? Then again how is it that some other Magistrates say that 'reasonable speed' is the only law in this city conforming to the principles of the Callan law? And more than all that didn't Mayor Gaynor nearly a year ago write to some organization in the city that his opinion was there wasn't any speed ordinance in the city and he thought that the best way to leave it?

"There are two organizations which it seems to me ought to do something about this present situation. One of them is the American Automobile Association, through its New York State branch, the other is the Automobile Club of America. There must be some way out of this present muss. There must be some one who knows the law that governs the driving of automobiles in this community and it is high time that it was made plain. Leaving more than police power in the hands of the police doesn't seem the proper thing to do. There is too much laxity in the present system. Those organizations already equipped with legal departments should handle the situation.

It will be recalled that the Automobile Club of America last June made a statement following an opinion given by a member of one of its committees that the Callan law and reasonable speed obtained in this city. Members were advised to present to Magistrates before whom they might be arraigned copies of the Callan law, but this procedure in at least one or two cases did not result in dismissal. The club wrote to the Mayor and got back the answer that has been so often quoted. However, the situation at present shows that there is need of further action and the suggestion of the motorist that the A. A. A. and the A. C. A., with their many members in the city, are the right ones to take action might well be heeded by these organizations.

E. C. Hupp has turned out for 1912 what are called the SS models of the R-C-H car. The significance of the double sibilant appears to be that these cars are equipped with a self-starter. The other initials plainly are those of the manufacturer. The R-C-H is the first car marketing as a touring machine under $1,000, which is equipped with self-starting device. Furthermore, this car has dual ignition, demountable rims, square rim, top, windshield, lamps, horn, tools and Trestolite tank, a goodly array of equipment. The other model which was manufactured for the season just past did not boast the self-starter, dual ignition and demountables.

Cars of this make are priced all the way from $750 to $1,150. The lowest price is for a plain model roadster, the highest is for a Colonial coupe of the SS type. The engine is of the long stroke type in the new cars. It has a 3½ inch bore and a 5 inch stroke. The drive is left hand, with centre control.

The appointment of G. Howland Leavitt as Superintendent of Highways in the Borough of Queens ought surely to meet with the approval of automobilists. The roads of that borough, full of last spring and summer were in very bad condition, more particularly the main arteries of travel leading out on Long Island.