Yale Club Squash Expert Defeats Harvard Rival in Final for the National Class B Championship

FOUR SURVIVE IN TENNIS TOURNEY

Favorites Come Through to Semi-Finals in Women's Competition.

BOSTON GIRL ELIMINATED

Miss Sigourney Plays Well, but Miss Goss Proves Too Strong for Her.

For the first time in the tournament there was nothing approaching an upset yesterday on the Heights Casino courts, where the women's annual invitation tennis event narrowed down to four survivors in the semi-final round. Favorites came through victorious in every case, and the only surprising feature was the ease with which they outplayed their opponents. In three of the four singles matches decided the winners dropped only one game out of thirty, while in the fourth the loser managed to get two games in each set.

On the strength of yesterday's play it looks almost a foregone conclusion that when the cup match is staged at 10 o'clock to-morrow afternoon Miss Eleanor Goss and Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory will be on opposite sides of the court. These two aspirants gave exhibitions that stood out in bold relief over any other performances of the day, and only the most sensational tennis reversals of the season can prevent them from advancing to the final to-day. In the first of the semi-finals beginning at 11 o'clock this morning Mrs. Mallory meets Mrs. Samuel F. Waring, who unexpectedly eliminated Miss Marie Wagner on Tuesday; in the other at 2 o'clock in the afternoon Miss Goss plays Mrs. Deforest Candee.

One thing certain is that both Mrs. Mallory and Miss Goss will encounter the sternest opposition they have met this week, but on rating, past performances and form they should triumph with plenty to spare. Just now Mrs. Mallory appears to be playing as well as she has at any time in her career. She has scored four love sets to date in three matches, and in the other two sets has allowed a total of only two games to her rivals. Her game has been both aggressive and accurate.

Confident Stroking.

Against Miss Edith Sigourney of Boston, the only surviving out of town entrant, Miss Goss flashed more brilliant tennis than at any time since the outdoor season. She played with great confidence, almost with reckless abandon, and the result was an almost fifty per cent. stronger game than she gave evidence of in the Heights Casino tennis champion's final against Mrs. Mallory last Saturday. She rushed the net repeatedly and volleyed the Boston girl's returns with unvarying success. Her driving was deep and so forceful that Miss Sigourney had to remain several feet back of the base line to get her racquet full on the ball. And above all Miss Goss had the asset she lacked in her match with Mrs. Mallory—and that was control.

Miss Sigourney gave a mighty good account of herself and will be heard from later on. She was not the least bit overawed by the fact that she was facing the player who ranks second nationally. She played hard, aggressive tennis, trying for everything that Miss Goss sent across the net and making some startling gets. Her forehand drive was good and accounted for quite a few placement aces. Her service, too, although it could not compare in severity with that of Miss Goss, was difficult to handle, for in addition to carrying more than average speed it was placed at sharp angles that forced Miss Goss far to one side of the court. On three occasions Miss Sigourney's service escaped Miss Goss's racquet entirely for clean aces. She could not cope, however, with the swifter and far more versatile game that Miss Goss has developed. The match was easily the most interesting and the best contested of the day. The score ended 6—2, 6—2.

Mrs. Candee Unextended.

Mrs. Deforest Candee proved too experienced and too steady an opponent for Miss Lillian Scharman, who was competing in an open tournament for the first time. The best the latter could do was to win one game in the opening set. Miss Jessie Gott, of whom great things were expected following her easy victory over Miss Phyllis Walsh of Philadelphia early in the tournament, failed to duplicate her previous showing in a match with Mrs. Waring. She was overanxious and erred too frequently for comfort. Mrs. Waring was in excellent stroke, forced the pace consistently, and by varying her attack had Miss Gott puzzled and on the defensive. The latter won the first game of the match and then dropped twelve in a row.

Mrs. Waring also scored in doubles, reaching the semi-final round with the aid of Mrs. Ingo Hartman. They outplayed Miss Adele Cragin and Mrs. Percy Wilbourn in straight sets.

The summaries:

Heights Casino Women's Invitation Tennis Tournament—Third round—Mrs. Samuel F. Waring defeated Miss Jessie Gott, 6—1, 6—0; Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory defeated Mrs. Albert Humphries, 6—1, 6—0; Mrs. de Forest Candee defeated Miss Lillian Scharman, 6—1, 6—0; Miss Eleanor Goss defeated Miss Edith Sigourney, 6—2, 6—2.

Doubles—First round—Miss Caroma Winn and Miss Phyllis Walsh defeated Miss Lillian Scharman and Mrs. E. C. Sohst, 6—4, 3—7, 6—1.

Second Round—Mrs. Samuel F. Waring and Mrs. Ingo Hartman defeated Miss Adele Cragin and Mrs. Percy Wilbourn, 6—2, 6—2. Mrs. Albert Humphries and Miss Elizabeth Holden won from Miss Edith Sigourney and partner by default.

HOCKEY VICTORY FOR HARVARD SIX

Beats M. I. T. by 8 to 0 in Listless Game.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 4.—Harvard had another easy hockey victory tonight, beating the Massachusetts Institute of Technology team, 8—0, in a listless game. The match was Harvard's from the start, the Tech players having no attack. The line-up and the summary:

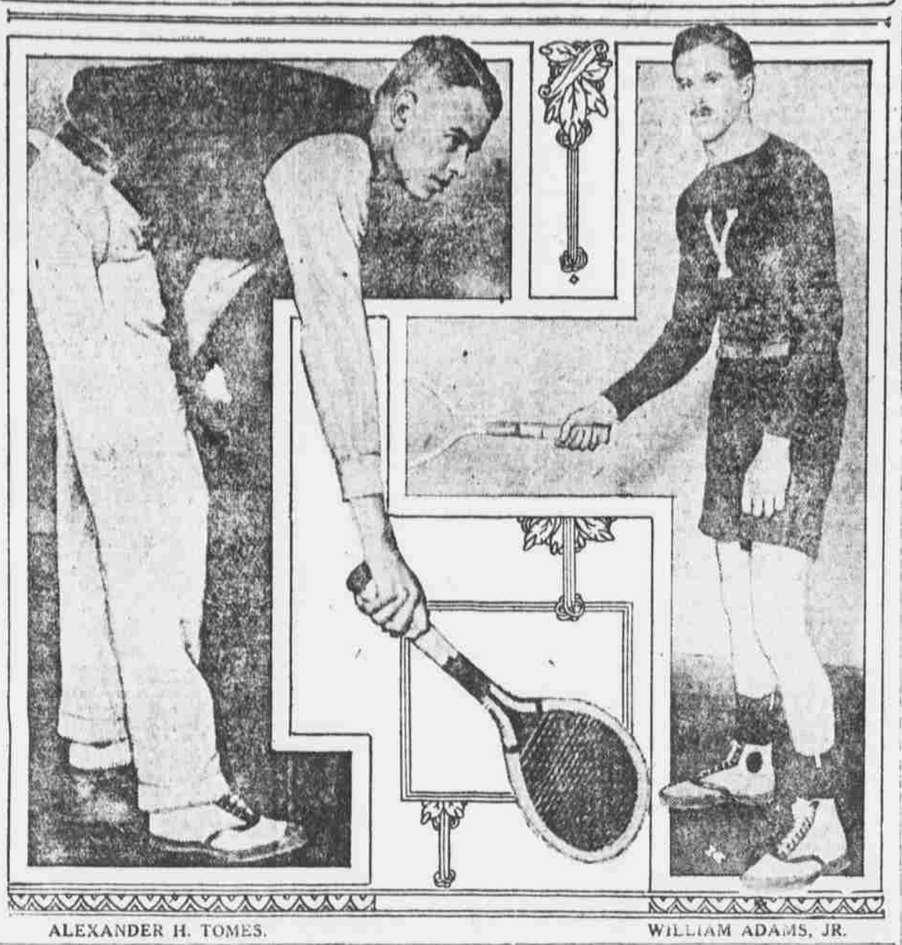
Harvard.		M. I. T.
Hoxie	Goal	Archibald
Hughes	Point	Duverliet
Ryan	Cover Point	Caldwell
Ferguson	Left Wing	Cochrane
Bancroft	Centre	MacNeil
Bigelow	Right Wing	Thomas

Goals—Harvard, 8: M. I. T., 0. Goals—Hughes, by Emmons, 2; by Stubbs, 1. Substitutions—Harvard, Angier for Bacon, Avery for Hughes, Hughes for Emmons, Snelling for Angier. M. I. T., Raymond for Caldwell, Delaney for Thomas, Cochrane for Raymond. Referee—Mr. Burke. Goal umpires, Messrs. Codman and Wilson. Time—Periods, 20 minutes.

BEECHER FOULS AND LOSES.

DETROIT, Feb. 4.—Charlie Beecher of New York, unintentionally fouled John Mendelson of Milwaukee in the final round of their ten round bout here to-night and was disqualified. Mendelson had the better of the fighting up to the time of the foul.

Beaten Finalist and New National Class B Squash Champion



ALEXANDER H. TOMES. WILLIAM ADAMS, JR.

ADAMS TAKES TITLE IN CLASS B SQUASH

Yale Club Expert Defeats Tomes of Harvard in National Final.

Power scored over strategy in squash tennis last evening when William Adams, Jr., of the Yale Club defeated Alexander H. Tomes of the Harvard Club in the final for the national Class B championship. The contest, which was played at the Yale Club, developed one of the keenest and most interesting exhibitions of the game yet seen in any of the annual competitions for the title and brought victory to Mr. Adams after he had dropped the opening game. The scores were 8—15, 18—17, 18—16, 18—15. While Mr. Tomes was the loser, he scored the greater number of points in the four games, the totals being 63 to 62.

It was a match in which the speed and vigor of stroke of Mr. Adams were pitted against the softer game and headwork of Mr. Tomes. In the first game Mr. Adams showed the greater early effectiveness, but he was a bit cautious and Mr. Tomes worked his placements with telling effect to take the lead in the fifth hand. He never was headed. Six points in the eighth hand and five more in the eleventh, to run out the game, recorded for Mr. Tomes the outstanding scoring feats of the match.

But the soft game of Mr. Tomes was not destined to baffle Mr. Adams for long. The Yale man got going great guns in the opening hand of the second game and ran off three points. Four points in the sixth hand put Mr. Tomes back in the fight and now it developed into a ding-dong battle, in which the advantage kept shifting from one to the other. Points proved hard to get and they usually came single file.

Adams Goes to Fore.

Mr. Tomes was the better starter in the third game, but four points in the third hand gave Mr. Adams the lead and again it became a long drawn out duel for points, with Mr. Tomes threatening to take the game with a couple of 5s late in the scuffle. As his man threatened Mr. Adams let out another notch and speeded past the Harvard aspirant.

Not content with two deuce games the rivals handed the gallery a third to wind up the match. Once more the Harvard man went to the front in the early hands, but once more he failed to hold his advantage under the sustained fire of his opponent's speed.

Mr. Tomes was beaten, but considering his limited experience he worked wonders. This is his first year in competition, and for a player with his limited experience it probably is a record to have reached the final. Had he possessed just a little more generalship to stave off the power rallies of his opponent the Harvard man no doubt would have taken the title.

Mr. Adams owed his success to the fact that he was able to put so much speed on the ball as to catch Mr. Tomes out of position and score 31 placements, as against 26 for the beaten player. Each scored five service aces. Mr. Adams got 7 points off his opponent's tell tale and Mr. Tomes scored 18 by the same medium. Mr. Adams scored on 9 outs and 10 misses, while Mr. Tomes counted off 9 outs and 11 misses. The scores by games:

FIRST GAME.

Tomes..... 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0—15
Adams..... 1 0 2 0 1 0 1 1 2 1 x—8

SECOND GAME.

Tomes— 0 0 0 2 0 4 1 2 0 1 2 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—17
Adams— 3 1 0 1 1 1 1 2 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 1—18

THIRD GAME.

Adams..... 1 1 4 2 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 1 2 2—18
Tomes..... 0 3 0 2 0 2 0 0 1 3 0 3 1 1 x—16

FOURTH GAME.

Adams— 0 2 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 1 4 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 3—18
Tomes—
Referee—A. G. Blaisdell, Yale Club.
3 1 1 2 1 1 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 x—15

MARQUAND SWIMMERS LEAD.

Outscore Erasmus Team in Dual Meet by 37 to 16.

Marquand School swimmers triumphed over those of Erasmus Hall High School in a dual meet in the Brooklyn Central Y. M. C. A. pool yesterday. Winning four of the six events, the Marquand youngsters outscored their opponents 37 points to 16. Archie Morison, who won both the 100 and 220 yard events, and Ray Novarine, who led in the form dive and was second in the furious swim, were the leading performers for Marquand.

For Erasmus Horace McMullen was a double winner. He led in the 50-yard race and later won the plunge for distance with 50 feet.

TRINITY TO OPEN COLUMBIA'S SEASON

Football Manager Announces Local University's Dates.

Lester C. Danielson, graduate manager of athletics on Morningside Heights, yesterday announced the name of the college with which Columbia will open her big football season next fall. Trinity has been chosen to play on October 2 at South Field.

Athletic relations with Trinity have been at a standstill since 1916, when the Connecticut collegians were scheduled to play on South Field. New York University also had a contest with Trinity for the previous week, but cancelled the game when charges were made that George Brickley, a brother of the Charlie Brickley of Yale, was a professional. When Trinity refused to remove Brickley from the line-up they referred the matter to the A. A. U., which body investigated the charges and sustained them. Columbia immediately broke off all relations.

Athletics now are on a purely amateur basis at Hartford, and Columbia was glad to renew former friendly relations.

Danielson also announced yesterday that a game has been scheduled with the Cornell freshmen and will be played on South Field on the same day that the rival varsities will meet at Ithaca.

The complete varsity football schedule follows:

October 2, Trinity at South Field; 9, N. Y. U. at South Field; 16, Amherst at South Field; 23, Wesleyan at South Field; 30, Williams at South Field.

November 6, Swarthmore at South Field; 13, Cornell at Ithaca; 20, University of Pennsylvania at Polo Grounds.

SUGGESTS TRYOUT FOR TENNIS RULES

Committee on Revision Asks Adoption of New Scoring for One Year.

Because of the great controversy that has been started throughout the country over the proposed changes in the tennis scoring rules, the committee on revision of rules of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association decided yesterday to recommend at the annual convention here to-morrow that its suggested new method of scoring and conducting tournaments, handicap and otherwise, be adopted for only one year; that during that year the tennis public give the revised rules a thorough test on the courts and that the matter be brought up again for final decision at the next annual meeting in 1921. Tennisdom will then be in a position as the result of actual experience to judge the question impartially.

In a statement issued yesterday the committee said:

"When the job of revising the rules was assigned to this committee at the last annual meeting of the National Associations it was accepted on the part of the committee with the feeling that whatever it should recommend ought to be along lines that would be acceptable to the tennis players of the country. With that thought in mind, it greatly simplified the text of the body of the rules and for the most part its work has been accepted.

"The only suggestions that have differed from the committee's conclusions related to the foot fault rule, the scoring system and the method of conducting handicap tournaments, which really is bound up with the scoring. Advice from tennis players and officials of note has already resulted in a revision of the proposed foot fault rule to make it so explicit that there will be no chance for a man to run before serving—that possibility having caused the only criticism thus far. The advantages of the new rule in other respects (in simplifying the definition of a foot fault) have been so obvious that the rule seems to meet with general favor.

"Now as to the scoring and handicapping: Suggestions have followed publication of the committee's report and it is very grateful for the advice thus received, which indicates not only a keen interest on the part of thousands of players throughout the country but also a desire to develop a sensible, workable plan for the conduct of handicap tournaments. These many suggestions have been most welcome, for they have strengthened the committee's opinion as to the need for a change from the present cumbersome method of handicapping that has left these events in the discard for thirty years."

M'ANDLESS VICTOR OF BILLIARD TITLE

Defeats F. S. Appleby in Final of Eastern Tourney and Makes High Run Record.

David McAndless, Jr., played the best billiards of his career last night in the final of the Eastern amateur championship at 18.2 balkline at the Amateur Billiard Club. In defeating Francis S. Appleby, the Columbia University student, by 300 to 126 he won the title and established a new American high run record. His record came in the twelfth inning when he clicked off an unfinished string of 148. This is fifteen more than the figures hung up by Charles Hedden three years ago.

Mr. McAndless received a gold medal emblematic of the championship title and a silver medal for his high run. Mr. Appleby earned the runnerup prize and Edward Gardner received a prize for finishing third in the tourney.

A big crowd turned out to see the contest. Every seat in the room was occupied and hundreds stood in the aisles and in the rear of the seats. McAndless was the favorite, but there were many present who were under the impression the young Columbia student would be returned the victor, but none was disappointed after the contest, for all had seen Mr. McAndless play a wonderful game of billiards for an amateur.

Mr. McAndless took the lead in the second inning and was never headed. He averaged 25 and made high runs of 34 twice, besides his record run of 148.

Mr. Appleby never had a chance of scoring. He played a good game, but Mr. McAndless was his master at all stages of the game. The score:

David McAndless—0 23 34 0 6 2 23 34 2 7 21 148. Total, 300. Average, 25. High runs, 148, 34, 34.

F. S. Appleby—0 6 32 16 2 20 0 23 2 5 20. Total, 126. Average, 11 5-11. High runs, 32, 20, 20.

GEORGE DAHM WINS A. A. U. DIVING TITLE

N. Y. A. C. Man Defeats Notables in Contest.

Ability to execute double somersaults and one and a half back dives in faultless style earned Metropolitan A. A. U. fancy diving championship honors for George Dahm of the New York A. C. at the swimming meet held in the Mercury Foot organization's pool last night. Other difficult diving feats by Dahm were well done. In fact, his work on the whole was the best he has yet exhibited in competition.

The most disappointing performer was Fred Sponberg of the New York A. C., runner up to Al Downs, winner of the event last year and holder of the national outdoor title. Sponberg, who appeared to be extremely nervous for some reason or another, blundered repeatedly and performed so poorly that he failed to finish among the placed men.

Leo Giebel, national A. A. U. ten mile champion swimmer and holder of several metropolitan titles at middle distances, scored a brilliant victory in the 200 yard race. Starting from scratch and conceding big handicaps to notable rivals, Giebel gradually overhauled all and eventually won by a yard. The holder of many championships covered the distance in 2m. 10 2-5s., the second fastest time ever recorded for a race at the distance in the New York A. C. pool. The record of 2m. 9s. was made by Norman Ross two years ago.

The water polo match between teams of the New York A. C. and Columbia Alumni resulted in a victory for the former by 30 to 0.

The summaries:

100 Yard Breast Stroke Race—Won by Stephen Ruddy, New York A. C. (scratch); John Curran, New York A. C. (7 seconds), second; John Zimnoch, New York A. C. (3 seconds), third. Time, 1:15 3-5.

200 Yard Free Style Race—Won by Leo Giebel, New York A. C. (scratch); Paul Chase, New York A. C. (3 seconds), second; Henry Giebel, New York A. C. (11 seconds), third. Time, 2:10 2-5.

Fancy Diving Contest, Metropolitan A. A. U. Championship—Won by George Dahm, New York A. C.; Joseph Dunn, New York A. C., second; Thomas McKee, New York A. C., third; Rudolph Saacks, New York A. C., fourth.

New York A. C.		Columbia.
Ruddy	Centre	Mouquin
Vollmers	Forward	Wallack
Kendall	Forward	Cooper
Curran	Back	Noble
McCarty	Back	Ruddy
Carroll	Goal	Rosen

NORMAN ROSS IN FRONT.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 4.—Norman Ross, the American swimmer, today won the 440 yard Victorian swimming championship, defeating E. E. Beaurepaire by ten yards.

O'BRIEN CAPTURES SUBURBAN QUARTER

Loughlin Lyceum Lad Defeats High Class Field at St. Antony Games.

FRANK MURRAY SECOND

Princeton Flier Runs Great Race and Is Beaten by a Few Inches.

The eleventh annual games of the Knights of St. Anthony took place in the Forty-seventh Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, last night and a quartette of special events attracted the biggest crowd, despite the blizzard, ever stowed away in the spacious building.

Pandemonium broke loose when James O'Brien of the Loughlin Lyceum won the suburban quarter by about a yard from Frank A. Murray of Princeton University, with Homer Baker of the Glencoe A. C. a good third. The winner did not show until the last quarter, when he went by Arthur Reilly, the pacemaker, with a well timed dash. To the general outsider a lot of interest dozed out of the race when it was learned that Tom Campbell of Yale and Robert E. Maxam of Pennsylvania were among the absentees.

First on the list of specials came the sixty yard senior Metropolitan championship, a dozen of the top indoor sprinters in the East, showing on the boards. Prominent among them was Leon Murchison of the New York A. C., national champion for the distance. Once again he demonstrated his speed by winning in the closest sort of a finish from Frank Conway of the Morningside A. C., with "Bernie" Wefers of the New York A. C. in third place.

It took some time for the judges to agree on the verdict, as the gallery kept yelling for Conway. So great was the commotion that the result was not announced for some time.

Brooklynites were given a chance to shout themselves hoarse when the Knights of St. Anthony defeated Georgetown University in the special relay for the Monsigner O'Hare prize. The "Saints" won by 6 yards, an attraction in the last relay being Le Gendre, the interallied and intercollegiate pentathlon champion. He failed to land his team in first place, as the third man for Georgetown left him with a handicap of about 12 yards.

A field of twenty-two went to their marks in the 1,000 yard handicap, the attractive star being Anatole Bolin, the Swedish champion, who figured on scratch. All the way he ran rather slovenly and as unable to pick up very little on the back markers. He finished unplaced. First prize fell to the lot of Walter Brown of the New York A. C., who had an allowance of 28 yards.

Summary:

70 Yard Low Hurdles; Handicap—Won by A. P. Roberts, Stevens Tech (9 feet); Walter Bratten, Knights of St. Anthony (9 feet), second; Everett W. Marks, Knights of St. Anthony (9 feet), third. Time, 8 4-5 seconds.

1,000 Yard Run; Handicap—Won by Newton Brown, New York A. C. (28 yards); A. H. Dolder, unattached (18 yards), second; J. J. Barnes, Boys Club (48 yards), third. Time, 2 minutes 19 seconds.

60 Yard Dash; Metropolitan A. A. U. Championship—Won by Leon Murchison, New York A. C.; Frank Conway, Morningside A. C., second; B. D. Wefers, New York A. C., third; D. A. Caprio, Knights of St. Anthony, fourth. Time, 6 4-5 seconds.

One Mile Relay Special for Monsignor O'Hare Prize—Won by Knights of St. Anthony, with G. Degnell, W. F. Kelly, A. C. Reilly and A. C. Balestier; Georgetown University, second, with Griffith Auray, McDonough and Le Geandre, third. Time, 3 minutes 34 seconds.

220 Yard Novice—Won by W. Farrelly, Loughlin Lyceum; E. Sharp, unattached, second; Frank Lyons, Brooklyn A. A., third. Time, 26 seconds.

Intercompany Relay; One Mile—Won by Company L; Company K, second; Company E, third. No time taken.

Three Mile Bicycle Handicap.—Won by Lawrence Gaffney, Todd Shipyards A. A.; Anthony Attardi, Union Sporting Italiana, second; R. Joseph O'Shea, Empire City Wheelmen, third. Time, 7 minutes, 24 seconds.

One Mile Walk Handicap.—Won by W. J. Rodier, New York A. C. (10 seconds); Joe Aronson, Pastime A. C. (40 seconds), second; J. Pearman, New York A. C. (10 seconds), third. Time, 6 minutes, 45 seconds.

The Suburban Quarter.—Won by James J. O'Brien, Loughlin Lyceum; Frank L. Murray, Princeton University, second; Homer Baker, Glencoe A. C., third. Time 53 4-5 seconds.

Standing Broad Jump, Metropolitan Championship—Won by F. A. Maurer, Bronx Church House, with a jump of 9 feet 10½ inches; J. Melnick, New York A. C., second, with a jump of 9 feet 9¾ inches; Ben Adams, New York A. C., third, with a jump of 9 feet 8¾ inches; J. J. Troelich, Knights of St. Anthony, fourth, with a jump of 9 feet 8 inches.

MALONEY KEEPS ON WINNING.

Scores His Sixth Straight Victory With Cue.

STANDING OF THE PLAYERS.

Name.	Won.	Lost.	H.R.	P.C.
John J. Maloney	6	0	15	1.000
Edward F. Reynolds	4	1	23	.800
John J. Ahearn	3	3	14	.500
Charles E. Hurd	3	3	25	.500
William A. Tilt	3	4	19	.429
Schuyler B. Burdett	2	4	28	.333
Chas. Shongood, Jr.	3	4	25	.429
Humboldt Foss	1	6	13	.143

John J. Maloney and William A. Tilt were the victors in the New York State amateur pocket billiard championship tournament in the Rational Recreation, Brooklyn, yesterday. Maloney defeated John J. Ahearn by 100 to 47, and Tilt disposed of Edward F. Reynolds, 100 to 51.

Maloney took the lead in the second inning and held it to the end. He played a good, consistent game and did not make a scratch during the contest. His highest run was 11. Ahearn's best effort netted him 11 too.

The victory of Tilt was a surprise. Reynolds had been playing brilliant pocket billiards and was tied up with Maloney for first place in the race for the title. He was not in his best form and was a trailer throughout. His highest run was 12 and he made 4 scratches. Tilt played well and made a run of 14. The scores:

AFTERNOON GAME.

J. Maloney—6 12 11 3 9 14 12 8 8 10 7. Total, 100. High run, 11.

J. J. Ahearn—8 2 3 11 5 0 2 6 8 4. Total, 47. High run, 11.

NIGHT GAME.

W. A. Tilt—11 6 3 9 11 8 13 10 7 9 14 3. Total, 100. High run, 14. Scratches, 3.

E. F. Reynolds—3 8 12 5 3 6 1 4 7 5 0 1. Total, 51. High run, 12. Scratches, 4.

HUEY CUSHION CHAMPION.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—W. B. Huey of Chicago to-night won the national amateur three cushion billiard championship by defeating W. O. Campbell, Chicago, 50 to 35, in fifty-five innings, in the final match of the tournament. Huey's high run was 6, Campbell's 3. Huey, who was a former champion, lost his opening match and then won six straight.

Campbell ranked second in the standing with five victories and two losses, and three other contestants, L. J. Engels of Boston, W. B. Flinn of New York, State champion, and Arthur Newman of Brooklyn, this year's title holder, each won four games and lost three. Engels was given third place on the total points scored.

HIGH LIGHTS AND SHADOWS IN ALL SPHERES OF SPORT

By DANIEL.

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CONSIDERABLE interest is being shown in fistic circles regarding the relative merits of Gene Tunney, the light heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., and Bob Martin, the interallied heavyweight title winner. A number of promoters are trying to match the pair, but Martin declines to exchange punches with Tunney until he has done a little more campaigning, if then. For Martin's shyness there is a more or less valid reason, which was expounded to us yesterday by James F. Kiernan, an army man who was in charge of the service boxing events in Paris. "Martin is very much overrated, in my opinion," said Kiernan. "He has a fairly good right and no left to speak of. He is big and slow, does not know very much about the science of the game and lacks fighting instinct. To talk of his meeting Dempsey or Carpentier is a huge joke. As far as a comparison with Tunney is concerned, Tunney has whipped Martin and I do not doubt that he could do it again.

"I put on a big show for the soldiers in the Palais de Glace in Paris and I had Martin booked for four rounds with Sergeant Ray Smith, the Marine who beat Martin in Cleveland last week. Smith could not get leave, so I had to scurry around for a worthy substitute, and luck surely was with me. I feared that I would have to let the heavyweight feature go by default. But it so happened that Tunney came up from Bordeaux that afternoon. I asked him if he would not box Martin, and he seized at the chance. Tunney soon realized that Martin had only a right. He kept away from that and peppered Martin so industriously that he had his face covered with blood in the second round. Tunney gave him a first class beating."

All of which should be good news for the admirers of Tunney and somewhat discouraging for those who had looked for Martin to scale the heights of pugilism.

In Re the Suggested Changes in Lawn Tennis Rules.

We have digested the arguments advanced against the proposed changes in the rules of lawn tennis and in the main they strike us as being developed by an unwillingness to disturb the established rather than serious flaws in the suggestions of the rules committee. Many critics have attempted to meet the logic of the committee with sarcasm. "Why eliminate the much discussed 'love' from scoring when the game has brought out so virile a player as McLoughlin?" we are asked. Why did the major baseball leagues do away with the lively ball when it was bringing out such valiant sluggers as Anson and Brouthers? Why did men ever stop wearing knee breeches and powdered wigs when so virile a man as Washington wore them? The answer lies in the one word—progress.

Those who oppose the new foot fault rule make a great ado over the allegation that it would permit a run, hop or skip. Suppose it would, what then? Let anybody show us a great tennis player who could do anything but emasculate his service with the aid of a run or a jump. They used to do those things in the early days of the game, but as tennis grew men realized that running and jumping only handicapped them in their service. What does it matter what a man does in serving before he delivers the impetus to the ball? All we care about is his relation to the base line. He must not cross that in serving. The proposed rule is a perfectly adequate one. It is couched in simple language. It is easy to understand. If anybody can suggest a better rule we know that the committee will be glad to step aside. But we doubt if a better rule can be devised.

The suggestions of the rules committee may not be adopted, but we will hazard the prediction that to-morrow night the national association will take some action toward changing the code, and that before the night is over the well known "love" and other antiquities will be eliminated.

"House" Janeway Adds to List of Princeton's Greatest Football Players.

Some days ago Luther Price, who used to be a great back at Princeton, wrote us a little letter, in which he took the liberty to declare that when "Heff" Herring compiled his list of forty-four of the greatest football players in the history of the game at Old Nassau he had made a number of glaring omissions. Chief of these, he said, was "Tilly" Lamar. The note was written in a more or less jocular vein, but some Princeton men took it in the wrong light. But at the same time Herring's list was woefully incomplete. Witness his naming only Ames and Strubing as the greatest quarterbacks since 1906. However, Herring took unto himself a task which few others would accept even under great pressure.

"House" Janeway, who played on Princeton's champion eleven which beat Yale at Berkeley Oval here in 1889 and was a guard "as was a guard," said yesterday that he believed that Herring's list should have included Jess Riggs. "Riggs faced Heffelfinger, Yale's greatest guard of all time, for three successive years," said Janeway. "While he was not as spectacular in open field play as his rival Riggs certainly held him even on line play. However, Herring undertook a very difficult job when he started out to pick preeminent football players for so long a period. I do not think that a football expert can adequately determine a player's ability from hearsay. Unless one has seen a player in action he cannot determine much about his real prowess. Many players' reputations were enhanced greatly because they were popular and their friends boosted them. Many a guard shows up well because he is in between a good tackle and centre, who help him make his openings and brace him up on the defence.

"Aside from Riggs I think that the most glaring omission from the Herring list is Billy Bannard, who ranked with any halfback mentioned by 'Heff.' In 1896 he scored two touchdowns against Harvard and two against Yale. I do not think that any Princeton halfback has a better record for scoring against Harvard and Yale. How would it be for Harvard and Yale to come forward with lists of their greatest of all time?" The last sentence frames an excellent idea. We wait for developments, particularly from the direction of Walter Camp.

Willie Knapp Leaves the Saddle to Train Horses.

Last fall we heard that when the thoroughbreds returned to the metropolitan tracks this spring the list of jockeys no longer would include Johnny Loftus and Willie Knapp, veteran riders. It was understood that they would turn to training. Loftus has rescinded his decision and has accepted another engagement with Mr. Riddle and Mr. Schwartz. But we learn that Knapp has adhered to his resolve and that he is to show up in this section soon as the trainer of one of the leading stables. Knapp has had a long and varied career. At times he got himself into trouble, but on the whole he had a career far above the average and gained a great reputation as a stake rider. Knapp certainly knows horseflesh and we are told that he has some splendid ideas on the training thereof.

Terse Comment on a Variety of Subjects.

Some time ago it was cabled from Paris that Guillemot, the French marathon star, had run eight miles in the classic race from Versailles to the Bois de Bologne in 39 minutes 29 4-5 seconds—2 minutes 15 2-5 seconds faster than Keyser's record of 1913 and 36 1-5 seconds better than the world's record for eight miles, which is held by Al Shrubb. Now it develops that the timing was done with a "clock" used in soccer football matches. Exit even the suspicion that Guillemot could have done what the figures say he did. Few believed it in the first place.

Pennsylvania has given J. W. Heisman a three year contract as football coach. Only one other man ever got a three year document, and he was George W. Brooke. It will be remembered that Brooke was not a howling success and he did not serve out the term of his contract.

The Cleveland Boxing Commission has adopted the system of ringside weighing in. Forcing a boxer to make weight at fight time is not humane and the Cleveland commission has taken a step backward. The old method of weighing in at 3 o'clock is the most satisfactory. Ringside weighing in belongs to the dark ages of boxing and should be abolished.

In re the Olympic games discussion it will interest America to know that there will be no team championship. That is, if America wins the track and field meet it will get no official title. Only the individuals will get Olympic championships. But America should worry.

WOOD SCORES WITH CUE.

Beats Herbert at Pocket Billiards, 100 to 86.

STANDING OF THE PLAYERS.

	Won.	Lost.	H.R.	P.C.
M. Hughes	5	1	22	.834
T. McCabe	5	1	28	.834
E. Mirby	4	1	13	.800
C. Wood	4	3	22	.500
J. Lawlor	2	3	17	.400
W. Herbert	2	4	24	.400
A. Simel	1	5	13	.167
C. Fulton	0	5	13	.000

Courtney Wood defeated Walter Herbert in the Amateur Billard Association's championship pocket billiard tournament in John Doyle's Broadway room last night. The score was 100 to 86. Wood took the start in the first frame and held it to the end. He was master of the situation at all times. His highest run was 14. Herbert's best run was 13. Each player made four scratches.

In the English billiard tourney Charles Shepherd beat William Porter by 200 to 166.

The scores of the pocket billiard match follow:

C. Wood—11 6 10 14 1 10 4 14 9 7 2 3 6 3. Total, 100. High run, 19. Scratches, 4.

W. Herbert—3 8 4 0 13 4 10 0 5 7 12 11 8 6. Total, 86. High run, 13. Scratches, 4.

VAUGHN AGAIN IN BEAR PIT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Jim Vaughn, the big southpaw pitcher of the Cubs, to-day signed a contract for 1920. Dode Paskert, outfielder, also signed.

WOMEN REACH GOLF FINAL.

Philadelphia Pair to Meet at Belleair.

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., Feb. 4.—Mrs. G. Henry Stetson and Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Philadelphia will meet in the final of the women's annual February tournament to-morrow, both having won their matches to-day with strokes to spare. It was rather a surprise for the gallery when Mrs. Stetson defeated Mrs. G. K. Morrow of the Engineers Club by such a wide margin, 7 and 6. Mrs. Stetson, however, was playing one of her best games and was well below ninety.

Mrs. Fox defeated Mrs. C. G. Alexander of Chicago by 5 and 4. She was around in 87 again. To-morrow's match it is expected will be an interesting one, as the contestants are playing about the same kind of golf and both should be well below ninety.

VICTORY FOR LOYOLA.

Beats Berkeley-Irving at Hockey by 2 to 1.

Loyola School's hockey team defeated the Berkeley-Irving six in a fast game at the 181st street rink yesterday afternoon. The score was 2 to 1. Jeltrup and Wilson were the stars of the Loyola team, while Wells played best for Berkeley-Irving. It was Loyola's fourth straight victory.

COLUMBIA VARSITY TO ROW ON MAY 29

Faculty Grants Permission to Compete on This Date.

Columbia University's faculty yesterday granted permission to the Varsity crew to row on May 29. This practically means that the Childs Cup Race will surely be held on that date in conjunction with the American Henley regatta. Both the Childs Cup and the American Henley will be held on the Schuylkill River course and it is possible that another race open to all crews will also be staged on that day.

The protest of the Columbia rowing authorities at the meeting of the rowing stewards of the various institutions at the Harvard Club last Saturday was all that prevented the date of the Childs Cup Race from being definitely decided upon at that time.

It was learned yesterday that the Childs Cup Race in 1921 would be rowed on the Harlem, in 1922 on Lake Carnegie and would so rotate every three years.

This makes it almost certain that the affair in 1921 will be held as near May 15 as possible, as it is understood that the Columbia authorities firmly believe that all Eastern intercollegiate rowing dates should be fixed in accordance with and after those of the Childs Cup, American Henley and Poughkeepsie regattas. Normally the Henley is set for Decoration Day, the Poughkeepsie for late in June and the Childs Cup for the middle of May.

As one man said yesterday, the one way to get rid of J. Frost and his assorted weathers is to buy a nice, new, warm Winter overcoat, for then it's sure to turn Spring.

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