With Brocco and Deruyter Out of Race Crowd That Packs Garden Turns Attention to Other Favorites

EIGHT TEAMS ARE TIED IN MILEAGE

Brocco Meets With Accident That Forces Him to Quit the Grind.

CROWD JAMS THE GARDEN

Shows Disapproval of Goullet by Hissing Him Whenever He Wins a Sprint.

SCORE AT 2 O'CLOCK A. M. (98TH HOUR.)

Teams.	Miles.	Laps.
Goullet and Magin	1,710	4
Egg and Madden	1,710	4
Coburn and Kopsky	1,710	4
Buysse and Speissen	1,710	4
Lang and Chapman	1,710	4
Kaiser and Hill	1,710	4
Godivier and Van Neck	1,710	4
Dupuy and Hanley	1,710	4
Bello and Madona	1,710	1
Bowker and Bowker	1,710	1
Byron and Markey	1,710	1

Leader, Hanley. Record, 1,94.5 miles and 2 laps, made by Goullet and Grenda in 1914.

With Brocco and Deruyter out of the contest the sprints for points in the six day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden last night were the most spirited of the week. When Brocco quit early in the morning because of injury received in a spill he and his partner were a lap and nearly a hundred points ahead. Their departure left eight teams tied on mileage and four of them almost even in the point score.

The absence of the popular Italian and his plucky Belgian partner did not affect the crowd. It was as large as on the previous night. The big building was packed to the roof and hundreds were turned away by order of the Fire Department. It was an enthusiastic crowd and an orderly one.

It seemed as if all present were "rooting" against Alf Goullet. Every time he won a sprint he was hissed to the echo and when beaten his successful opponent was greeted with salvos of applause.

Goullet and Magin went into the night sprints in front and they emerged at the top of the list. In the first event Magin finished third, but was disqualified for interfering with Oscar Egg. Undaunted by this reversal, Magin rode a strong race in the second sprint and took place points. Then Goullet came out and sped off with the next two heats. Magin was third in the next and then Goullet led home his field in the sixth. They gathered more points in the remaining heats and ended the series with a total of 264 points.

Egg and Madden finished up in second place with 223 points and Buysse and Speissens were third with 171.

There was a lot of foul riding during the night, and as a result several men were fined. In the sixth sprint Fred Hill finished third, but was disqualified for protecting Goullet.

As the sprints began it was apparent that combinations had been formed. The foreigners were helping one another and the Americans were doing their mightiest to aid their countrymen. The crowd didn't approve of such tactics, and when a spectator called attention to the fact he was vociferously cheered and the riders jeered.

As a result of the sprints at night Goullet and Magin are $50 richer. They scored 45 points and took first prize. Egg and Madden earn $30 for being second, with 40 points, and Kaiser and Hill took down $20 for finishing third, with 32 points.

As soon as the final sprint had been won in a desperate finish by Oscar Egg, Buysse attempted to steal away for a circuit. His sprint was terrific but short lived. He gained about twenty lengths in a twinkling, but was caught before a half mile had been covered.

In a series of sprints just before midnight three of the trailers regained a lap on the leaders. They were Bello and Madonna, the Bowker brothers and Byron and Markey. They are now three laps behind.

CANN WINS TITLE.

Takes National Swimming Honors at Brookline, Mass.

BROOKLINE, Mass., March 11.—Ted Cann of the Detroit Athletic Club, won the national senior indoor 100 yard swimming championship from a field of eight starters at the Brookline public baths to-night. His time was 53 3-5 seconds.

Clement Browne, Chicago Athletic Association, was second; H. J. Hebner, Illinois Athletic Club, third, and Leo Handy, Detroit Athletic Club, fourth.

Perry McGillivray, Illinois A. C., who entered from the Great Lakes Naval Training Staion when he won the championship at Pittsburg last year, did not compete.

COLUMBIA SOPHS WIN.

Wrest Lead From Juniors in Interclass Track Meet.

Staging a last minute rally, the sophomores succeeded in wresting the lead from the juniors in the annual interclass track meet on Morningside Heights yesterday afternoon. By virtue of Moszczenski's victory in the quarter mile run they captured the meet by 41½ to 34 points. The summaries:

One-Half Mile Run—Won by Lowenkopf, '21; Schrecker, '22, second; Stewart, '21, third; Newbaker, '22, fourth. Time, 2:03 2-5.

40 Yard Hurdles—Won by Apnelbaum, '21; King, '22, second; Doolittle, '20, third; Taylor, '20, fourth. Time, 6 seconds.

Quarter Mile—Won by Moszczenski, '22; Taylor, '20, second; King, '22, third; Marsolf, '22, fourth. Time, 55 seconds.

Score by Classes—Sophomores, 41½; juniors, 34; seniors, 21½; freshmen, 13.

CAMP DIX FIVE WINS.

Defeats Camp Upton, 30 to 24, in First Game of Series.

CAMP DIX, N. J., March 11.—Camp Dix won its first battle of the elimination series for the basketball championship of the United States Army by defeating Camp Upton here to-night 30 to 24. The championship series began this week between big army posts throughout the country, and will be decided in final games at New York March 30 and 31. The lineup:

Camp Dix (30).		Camp Upton (24).
Wendt	Forward	Sias
Aarons	Forward	Poniagowski
Lippincott	Centre	Conner
Cogen	Guard	Shaw
Church	Guard	Lane

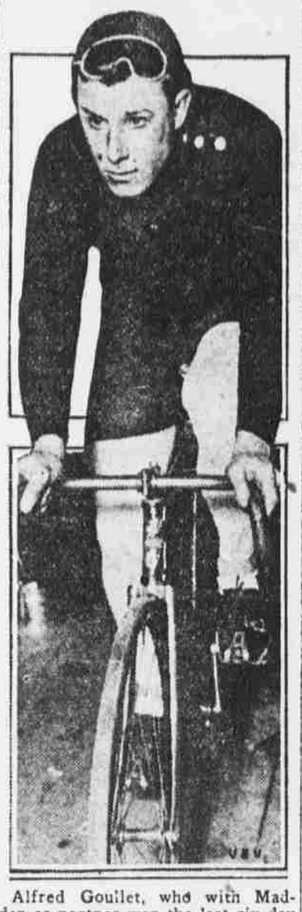
Field goals—Wend (2), Aarons (6), Lippincott (3), Church (2), Sias, Poniagowski (3), Conner (3), Shaw. Goals from fouls—Lippincott, 4; Sias, 4. Referee—Capt. Boyer. Umpire—Capt. Prescott.

BROWN SWIMMERS WIN.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 11.—Brown swimming team completed its season to-night by overwhelming Syracuse Mermen 45 to 8. To-night's victory gives the Brunonians a clean slate for the season. Syracuse was outclassed in every event, Brown swimmers taking every first place and most of the seconds, as well as the relay race.

May Win Another Six Day Race



Alfred Goullet, who with Madden as partner won the last six day race, now paired with Jake Magin may repeat the feat.

N. Y. U. FIVE WINS AGAIN IN SOUTH

Defeats Los Angeles Team—Crescent A. C. Loses to Kansas City.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 11.—A new national basketball champion will emerge from the Amateur Athletic Union tournament now being played here. The Los Angeles Athletic Club team, present title holder, was eliminated from the race to-day by the New York University five, 35 to 22, going down to defeat before an offensive that never faltered.

Los Angeles endeavored to play a game of long passes, only to find almost every throw intercepted by the fleet collegians, who carried the ball forward by dribbling and perfect team work. The New Yorkers led throughout, ending the first half 20 to 16 and holding the champions almost helpless in the second. Mooney scored five field goals and seven out of ten tries at foul goals for New York, and his team mate, Goeller, made six field goals. Swann scored 14 of Los Angeles' 22 points.

The fast Crescent Athletic Club team of Brooklyn was eliminated, 27 to 19, by the Kansas City Athletic Club players. Brooklyn led until the last eight minutes of play, when six field goals in rapid fire order put the Missouri quintet ahead.

Rutgers College of New Brunswick, N. J., will be another contestant in the semi-finals by virtue of its slender victory over the University of Utah, 35 to 32. The Westerners led nearly all the way, closing the first half with 14 points to the Easterners 12, but a New Jersey rally in the last minutes of the game gave them the necessary margin. Tallaferro, for Rutgers, made three field goals and 11 out of 16 tries at foul goals. Clark and Romney shot five field goals each for Utah. The lineup:

Kansas City.		Crescent A. C.
Singer (11)	Right forward	Kinney (9)
Moberly (14)	Left forward	Parmalee (4)
Debernardi	Centre	McTigue (2)
Joyce	Right guard	Nicholas (2)
Peabody (4)	Left guard	Griffin (2)

Time of periods—Twenty minutes. Referee—Mr. Thorp. Umpire—Mr. Lange. Field goals—Singer 4, Moberly 7, Peabody 1, Kinney 6, Parmalee 2, McTigue 1, Nicholas 1, Griffin 1. Fouls shot—Singer 3, Kinney 3. Fouls called—On Kansas City, 7; personal, technical, 7; on Crescent 5, personal, technical, 2.

N. Y. U. (35).		Los Angeles (22).
Cann	Right forward	Laswell
Goeller	Left forward	Swan
Mooney	Centre	Olney
Baker	Left guard	Tate
Delaney	Right guard	Kincaid

Referee—Lange. Umpire—Yates. Substitutions—For Los Angeles, Cooper for Tate, Wilson for Laswell. Field goals—Cann, 1; Goeller, 6; Mooney, 5; Delaney, 2; Laswell, 1; Swan, 5; Olney, 2; Cooper, 1. Foul goals—Mooney, 7; Swan, 4.

JOIE RAY ARRIVES HERE.

Joie Ray of the Illinois A. C., undoubtedly the central figure in A. A. U. track athletics at this juncture and the real prospective star at the national indoor championships scheduled for the Twenty-second Regiment Armory tomorrow night, arrived in town yesterday and is all wound up for a sensational attack on the record for the 1,000 yards. The pompadour lad from the blustery shore of Lake Michigan holds the title for the event and incidentally the world's best mark of 2:13 3-5.

Johnson Protests His Tennis Ranking

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

PHILADELPHIA, March 11.—There is war on between several of Philadelphia's leading tennis lights and the national association. Wallace F. Johnson, semi-finalist in the national championship tournament last year, has asked that his name be withdrawn from the official list as a result of his name being dropped from No. 5 position to No. 6.

Johnson, who is of national and international fame, wrote to President Julian S. Myrick protesting against the change, but received word that it could not be altered.

"I told Mr. Myrick," said Johnson to-day, "that if my original ranking had been No. 6 I would have offered no objection, but I considered the change after two months delay an injustice."

Paul W. Gibbons of Philadelphia, representative on the national ranking committee, has resigned as a result of the mixup.

GOLFERS SELECT MIDSUMMER DATE

Westchester Open Tourney to Be Held Either July 12 or 19.

By KERR N. PETRIE.

The coming golf season is to be very much like the last in one respect. There is to be no lack of tournament play through the months of July and August. Not so long ago no club or association would consider putting a mid-summer event on the schedule, but now that the calendar has become so crowded practically every available week has to be taken advantage of. Only the other day the Metropolitan Golf Association announced its choice of a July date for its open championship, and the Westchester body means to help along the good work by playing its inaugural open title tourney during the same month. As this event is open only to the professionals and assistants of Westchester county and will be decided over thirty-six holes of medal play, the officials have decided to hold the tournament on a Monday, with July 12 the probable selection, but should the event on that date be found to conflict with anything else it will be moved forward a week to July 19. Gedney Farms will stage the meet.

All that remains to be done to complete the Westchester schedule is for the Wykagyl Country Club to name a date for the annual Victory Cup tourney. This event is likely to be the last tournament to be held under the Westchester County Golf Association auspices, and although no dates have been named the feeling is that it ought to be played around the time of the national amateur championship, when it would be almost certain to attract a field of players of national reputation.

Another title tourney added to the year's schedule is that of the Connecticut Golf Association, which finally has selected the course of the Brooklawn Country Club and the week of June 28.

Tom Boyd, the Fox Hills golf professional, has returned to these shores after a visit to Ireland and some of the courses with which he was familiar before coming to take up his residence in the United States. Tom has been mingling with the elite and naturally the impressions he brings back with him are interesting. For instance, Tom thinks that Jimmie Braid will be a hard one to beat in the championship this year. This opinion differs slightly from that held by Pat Doyle of Deal, who also returned a short time ago from a trip to the Ould Sod. Unfortunately Pat spent a good deal of his vacation in a hospital, but nevertheless managed to find out that the British were confident that they will be able successfully to defend their crown. The Deal expert inclines to the belief that an American will win. At least, he says, it never looked better for the United States than it does this year.

It was only the other day that a mournful sound was heard coming from the general direction of New Haven denoting the pain felt at the discovery that Yale was wofully weak this year in golfing material, but in view of the display given the other day at Palm Beach, where a wearer of the blue, J. S. Thompson of St. Paul, eliminated John A. Gammons of Providence, the medalist and putter extraordinary, it would appear that those who are concerned about Old Eli and the figure she is likely to cut in the royal and ancient sport have been worrying themselves needlessly.

In Joe Hotchkiss, son of H. B. Hotchkiss of New Haven, who is now in school at Southern Pines, Yale soon will have another young star. About two years ago Joe hit his first golf ball, but he is right in line with the tournament players now and only recently scored an 81 in a big event at Pinehurst. Although young Hotchkiss is only 16½ years old he stands 6 feet tall and already is a hitter of the hurricane order.

WOMEN GOLFERS TIE AT PINEHURST

Mrs. L. F. F. Wanner and Mrs. Waters Best.

PINEHURST, N. C., March 11.—Mrs. L. F. F. Wanner of Hempstead, L. I., and Mrs. Spencer Waters of Apawamis tied for the chief prize in the Silver Foils golf tourney against par to-day, both finishing 5 up. The Class B prize went to Mrs. A. S. Higgins of St. Andrews, who was 7 up on par.

Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, the North and South champion, took the low gross honors of the day with a round of 45—43—88 and was followed at 92 by Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd and Mrs. J. R. Price of Pittsburg. Mrs. W. A. Gavin played around with Mrs. Barlow but picked up on a couple of holes. The leading scores:

Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Merion, 45, 43—88; Mrs. J. V. Hurd, Pittsburg, 48, 44—92; Mrs. J. R. Price, Oakmont, 47, 45—92; Mrs. C. B. Hollingsworth, Greensburg, 44, 49—94; Mrs. Myra Helmer Pritchard, Midlothian, 50, 47—97; Mrs. Spencer Waters, Apawamis, 48, 50—98; Miss Kate Romann, Plainfield, 50, 48—98; Mrs. E. S. Harwood, Chicago, 52, 43—95; Mrs. L. F. F. Wanner, Hempstead, 50, 49—99.

F. C. Newton of Brookline and Sam Graham of Greenwich, winner and runner-up in last week's spring tournament, played on opposite sides in an interesting amateur professional four ball match on the championship course. Newton was paired with George McLean, the Great Neck "pro," the team losing by 2 to 1 to Graham and Emmett French, professional of Youngstown. The winner's best ball was 34, 33—67, and French turned in the best individual round at 36, 35—71. McLean was 73, Newton 76 and Graham 79.

POLY WRESTLERS LEAD.

Defeat Marquand School's Grapplers, 15 to 14, in Dual Meet.

Poly Prep's wrestlers yesterday afternoon defeated the grapplers of Marquand School in a dual meet held in the Blue and Gray gymnasium at Dyker Heights, Brooklyn. Poly triumphed by 15 points to 14. The shrotest bout of the meet came in the 135-pound class, when Walters of Marquand threw Parks of Poly Prep with a body hold and arm lock in 1:15. The summaries:

115 Pound Class—Roberts, Poly Prep, threw Bartlett, Marquand, with half nelson, in 2 minutes and 30 seconds.

125 Pound Class—Scouten, Marquand, defeated Lutd, Poly Prep; referee's decision; time, 7 minutes.

135 Pound Class—Walters, Marquand, threw Parks, Poly Prep, with body hold and arm lock, in 1 minute and 15 seconds.

145 Pound Class—McKenzie, Poly Prep, threw Chapman, Marquand, with body lock, in 2 minutes and 30 seconds.

COLUMBIA TENNIS DATES.

Columbia's freshman tennis schedule for the coming season yesterday was announced as follows: April 24, De Witt Clinton at Columbia; May 1, Horace Mann at Columbia; 5, N. Y. U. freshmen at Columbia; 8, Hamilton Institute at Columbia; 13, University of Pennsylvania freshmen at Philadelphia.

FIRST OPEN GOLF TOURNEY.

WEST BADEN, Ind., March 11.—The first open golf tournament of the year in the Middle West will be played on the West Baden Springs Hotel course April 21 and 22, it was announced to-day. Play will be medal for 72 holes. The prizes total $1,000.

HIGH LIGHTS AND SHADOWS IN ALL SPHERES OF SPORT

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 11.—The players' betting scandal, which has raised so big a ruction in the National League, is not a popular topic among the Giants. It is discussed among the players only in whispers and they profess to know nothing about the details. Considerable more information than has been given to the public is available, but for obvious reasons it cannot be printed. There is not even the breath of suspicion about any player now with the Giants. However, it is said that several players, not only in the National but in the American League, against whom the National Commission had some evidence, are to be watched closely during the coming season in an effort to pin the charge on them effectually and to give them no chance for a "come back" in the courts. In such cases the leagues must move slowly, for unless they can produce evidence to show that the charges were substantiated they would be in a bad fix and would leave themselves open to big damage suits.

Arthur Irwin, manager of the Rochester club, who will take some of the young men who are playing with the Giants just now, has been in camp here for several days. He discussed the question of betting rather interestingly this evening.

"In the old days," he said, "we had a scandal or two like the case of the Louisville players who were in cahoots with gamblers and were throwing games. But we had a lot of clean betting among the players, and these wagers made the games red hot affairs. I do not exactly advocate the revival of that old custom, but how the boys did play for their bets! In the old days when Cap Anson's Chicagos and the Providence club were fighting it out for the pennant the men invariably bet a hundred on their games. Radbourne was a great one for betting.

"I remember," continued Irwin, "the old Providence club going to Akron one year for an exhibition game. The Akrons were strong. They had not been beaten that year and they had an idea that they would stop the Providence team. It was given out that Sweeney would pitch for Providence and the gamblers about Akron began to offer all kinds of money on the home club. One of the players came to the hotel and said he wanted to back Providence, but that he was afraid the Akrons would beat us.

"'How much Akron money can you get?' Radbourne asked.

"'Well, about $4,000 in a hurry.'

"'Get it and I will take half of it,' Radbourne replied. 'I am going to pitch this game.'

"Radbourne made out a check to cover half of the stakes, then went into the box and allowed only one Akron man to reach first base. Ah, those were the happy days," sighed Irwin.

Maybe they were and maybe they weren't.

Football Men in Texas Not Keen for Any Changes in the Rules.

Down in this end of the country football men are not keen for any changes in the rules. They would like to see a little clarification in phraseology here and there. Then the football rules' present code satisfies them. There is some little sentiment here in favor of giving the thrower of the forward pass a little more protection. Some want to see him given as much protection as the kicker gets. But it is not likely that the committee will entertain any such proposition seriously.

The plan to discard the watch and to run games by plays is laughed at by the leading football men of Texas. They say that it would be almost as foolish as setting a time limit on baseball games. This proposition too will get only scant consideration at the meeting. In fact, we do not believe that it will be brought up at all.

Fred Moore of Harvard broached that topic in a casual way some years ago and he got what is in the vernacular called the "raspberry."

British Boxers Developing K. O. Habit.

The boxers who rule Britannia's heavyweight division seem to be engaged in a round robin knocking out carnival, and there is no telling who will stop them. Some time ago Bombardier Wells started the carnival by knocking out Harry Reeve, a has been who really never was. Then Frank Goddard, the cave man of English pugilists, took quite a while to do for Eddie McGoerty, who appears to be a ripe candidate for the home for superannuated boxers. Now we have Joe Beckett coming out of the trance into which he was transported by Carpentier with a knockout victory over Dick Smith, the easiest of the easy. The obvious schedule now calls for Wells to stop Smith too, and for either Wells or Beckett to take on Goddard, who once stopped Beckett, but later was knocked out by the present champion of England. Beckett, by the way, is his own manager now. He received something like £4,000 for meeting Carpentier, and decided that he had gone into the ring for too little, so he bounced his manager, B. Mortimer. The heavyweight situation on the tight little isle now is sadder than ever. The traditions of Jem Mace, Mendoza, Broughton, Jackson and Figg remain, but there is nothing with which to back up this tradition and create a new history of England's heavyweight division.

LOW AND LEWIS WIN WITH CUES

Defeat Opponents in Poggenburg Cup Competition in Brooklyn Room.

John W. Low and Claud R. Lewis yesterday won their matches in the handicap 18.2 balkline amateur billiard tournament for the Poggenburg Cup in the Rational Rrcreation of Brooklyn. Low, who is a class C contestant, defeated Julian Rice, a class A player, in the afternoon game, 115 to 114. In the night game Lewis disposed of J. Ward, 115 to 93. Both are class C entrants. Low's victory over Rice came as a surprise. Low was in unusual good stroke and went out on twenty-four innings with an average of 4 19-24.

The Lewis-Ward match was a long drawn out affair which lasted forty-seven innings. That the contest lasted this long was due to the safety play of both contestants.

The scores:

AFTERNOON GAME.

John W. Low—(115)—4, 3, 7, 1, 7, 7, 0, 3, 0, 0, 2, 0, 10, 0, 3, 3, 14, 0, 1, 8, 13, 0, 17, 7. Total, 115; high runs, 17, 14 and 13; average, 4 19-24.

Julian Rice—(250)—0, 1, 9, 0, 7, 0, 0, 23, 1, 0, 19, 2, 0, 1, 14, 1, 6, 2, 1, 2, 13, 0, 1, 4. Total 114; high runs 23 19 and 14; average, 4 18-24.

NIGHT GAME.

Claude R. Lewis—(115)—0, 5, 2, 0, 0, 11, 0, 6, 7, 5, 2, 1, 5, 0, 0, 5, 0, 2, 1, 7, 1, 1, 0, 4, 1, 5, 6, 3, 2, 0, 5, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 6, 7, 2, 2, 2, 0, 2, 3, 4, 1. Total, 114; high runs, 29, 19 and 14; average, 2 21-47.

J. Ward—(115)—3, 5, 0, 4, 0, 7, 0, 1, 2, 5, 1, 3, 5, 0, 7, 2, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 2, 1, 4, 4, 3, 7, 0, 1, 2, 0, 2, 1, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 5, 0, 2, 1, 5. Total, 93; high runs, 7, 7 and 5; average 2 1-46.

FRISCH LOSES CUE TILT.

Harry Frisch last night suffered his first defeat of the metropolitan three cushion championship billiard tournament when he lost to Henry Frantzen, 50 to 38, in Thum's Academy. The game lasted 114 innings. Primakow and Blumenthal, the leaders, will meet to-night.

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MISS WAGNER OUT OF TITLE TOURNEY

Injury Will Prevent Her Participation in Indoor Tennis Championship.

Miss Marie Wagner, it was learned yesterday, will be unable to make a bid for her seventh national indoor championship title in the tournament that starts at the Seventh Regiment Armory next Monday. An injury to her leg, sustained while coasting a few weeks ago, has been aggravated as a result of a hard match she played at the Heights Casino recently, and she is not in condition to do herself justice. Her enforced absence will be doubly disappointing to Miss Wagner, because her chances of victory seemed more favorable than at any time since 1917. Mrs. George W. Wightman, the title holder, is now on the Pacific Coast, and will not defend her title, and two other leading players—Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory and Miss Eleanor Goss—also will be among the absentees.

Indications are that the field of contestants, as a result of the absence of the players of top rank, will be one of the best balanced in years. It will be very difficult to name a probable winner until the championship has advanced well toward the final round. The only former champion whose entry has been received is Mrs. Frederick C. Schmitz, who won the title in 1910 and was runner up to Miss Wagner in 1908 and 1911. Miss Clare Cassel, who has shared in the double title, is another aspirant.

Among other leading players in the metropolitan district who are to be drawn for play are Miss Helen Gilleaudeau, the New York State champion; Miss Gertrude Della Torre, Miss Elizabeth Holden, Miss Helene Pollak, Miss Caroma Winn, Mrs. Albert Humphries, Miss Adele Cragin, Mrs. William H. Pritchard, Miss Marion Iler, Miss Jessie Gott, Miss Florence Pond and Mrs. Samuel F. Waring.

G. TAYLOR SQUASH WINNER.

Overcomes Handicap in Harvard Club Competition.

Geoffrey Taylor, one of the few minus handicap contestants that still survive in the tournament, advanced to the semi-final round of the Class B squash tennis tournament at the Harvard Club yesterday. He was forced into extra games, however, by F. H. Babcock, who played from an allowance of plus 6 aces. Every one of the three games contested was close. The summary:

Fourth Round—Geoffrey Taylor (minus 3 aces) defeated F. H. Babcock (plus 6 aces) 9—15, 15—11, 15—10; W. M. Carson, Jr. (plus 6 aces), defeated G. M. Carnochan (plus 10 aces), 15—8, 15—12; D. F. Frick (plus 6 aces) won by default.

SOLDIERS WILL RUN.

One Hundred Yards Special Attracts Many Entries.

The diamond medal athletic meet which the Fifteenth Infantry, New York Guard, will stage at the armory of the Twenty-second Engineers, 168th street and Broadway, next Monday night, has received scores of entries from every military organization in this city, while many of the up-State regiments have also entered candidates in the various events.

The principal event of the evening will be the 100 yard special, open to all, for the Major Frederick W. Cobb memorial trophy, which will bring into action many of the greatest sprinters in this country.

HAROLD WEBER TO PLAY H. P. BINGHAM

New York and Toledo Represented in Palm Beach Golf Final.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 11.—H. P. Bingham, New York, and Harold Weber, Toledo, are left to fight it out to-morrow for the golf championship of Palm Beach. Bingham's match with J. S. Thompson, St. Paul, in to-day's semi-final, was won on the last hole, the medal scores being 73 and 75 respectively.

Weber and Willoughby were even at the turn. Weber's approach shot on the ninth hit the cup, bounded high in the air and dropped in, a piece of luck that seemed to disconcert his opponent, who went off his game coming in and lost by 4 and 3.

There was a twenty hole match in the third division, in which W. J. Glidden, Willowick, won from A. Wineman, Detroit, and a second twenty hole match in the second division consolations, resulting in the defeat of George A. Easton, Engineers, by J. T. Smith, Oakland. The summary:

First Division—Semi-final: H. P. Bingham, New York, defeated J. S. Thompson, St. Paul, 1 up; Harold Weber, Inverness, defeated Hugh J. Willoughby, Jr., Merion, 4 and 3.

Second Division—George Nicolai, Oakland, defeated E. J. Northwood, Scarborough, 3 and 1; G. W. B. Bartlett, Hangar Hill, London, defeated Myron L. Keith, Brockton, 1 up.

Third Division—George E. Warren, Country Club, defeated Archibald Selwyn, Great Neck, 2 and 1; W. J. Glidden, Willowick, defeated A. Wineman, Detroit Country, 1 up (20 holes).

Fourth Division—E. E. Wylde, St. Andrew's, defeated F. J. Howell, New York, 3 and 1; A. T. Ashton, Philadelphia, defeated B. H. Kroger, Cincinnati, 5 and 3.

First Division Consolation—J. T. Smith, Oakland, defeated George A. Easton, Engineers, 1 up (20 holes); H. H. Marden, Belmont, defeated J. B. Elwell, Apawamis, 4 and 2.

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Bill Deprives Sportsmen of Funds.

NEWARK, N. J., March 11.—The New Jersey Fish and Game Conservation League, composed of twenty-two associations of outdoorsmen in fourteen counties, and, besides, individual members in more than one hundred communities, urges that hunters, anglers, farmers and bird lovers of the State do their utmost to defeat the Senate bill 225, which the league denounces as the last word in attempted unfairness and injustice.

In a statement on behalf of the league Kenneth F. Lockwood, its president, says: "All of us remember the bitter controversy that raged in 1918 when a bill was introduced to divert the fishing and hunting license fees to the general funds of the State and to throw the sportsmen on the mercy of legislative appropriations. That is exactly what Senate bill 225 seeks to do, and if it is enacted the hunters and anglers of the State might as well throw up their hands and bow to the finish.

"However, it is certain that they will no more submit tamely to such an attempt now than they did two years ago, when political partisanship was thrown to the winds in united opposition to the measure.

"There is no need to go all over the old fight again in argument. Not only is the work of fish and game propagation and protection absolutely dependent upon the hunting and fishing license fees, but the protection of the insectivorous non-game birds of the State, which are valuable allies of the farmers, hangs upon these funds.

"If Senate bill 225 should be passed we would have to take just what each successive Legislature would be willing to give us. The license money would be swallowed up in the general funds, and each year we'd have to go begging to the Legislature.

"The license revenue now goes into the State treasury and is disbursed under the supervision of the State's financial officers just like other moneys. What more should be necessary?

"The fee is a special tax imposed only on the sportsmen, who contribute, like everybody else, to the other expenses of the State. It should be returned to them in the maintenance of the Fish and Game Department.

"Senate bill 225 is now in the hands of the appropriations committee, of which Senator Arthur Whitney is chairman, and Senators Joshua C. Haines, Thomas Barber and Blanchard H. White are the other members.

"Hunters, anglers, agriculturists and lovers of feathered wild life, whether in organizations or as individuals, will not, I know, stand back and permit this bill to go through. While we may have confidence that the fair-mindedness and justness of the members of the Appropriations Committee will damn the bill at the outset, we should leave no stone unturned in our efforts against it. This time let us make our attitude so plain that never again will an attempt be made to deprive us of what is ours by every right."

Col. W. E. Simmons Recovering.

The many journalistic and fishermen friends of Col. William E. Simmons will be pleased to learn that his condition has improved so much he may be able to leave Mount Sinai Hospital within a few days.

The Colonel has had quite a siege of it since he was operated upon. To be confined to a bed for nearly two months is rather a handicap for a man who has led such an active outdoor life. He has been a hunter and fisherman since his boyhood.

There is only one thing I hold against the Colonel and that is his statement that he has landed 1,000 channel bass during his fishing trips covering the time between his sixteenth and seventy-fifth year of existence. He has kept a record of the dates he fished for and number of the channel bass he landed. He gave me the record book to examine and I could count only 996. He is why four on his own figures. In the language of Dr. Briggs, the Colonel may exaggerate—just a wee bit.

THE PROFESSOR.

New York, March 11.

Baiting Ducks on Long Island.

A delegation headed by officers of the Conservation Association of Long Island attended a joint hearing of the Senate and Assembly conservation committees yesterday in support of their bill to prohibit the baiting of waterfowl, which was on the calendar for hearing.

Although members of some of the wealthy clubs on Long Island had stated that they would oppose the bill they did not appear, and the delegation, expressing eagerness to meet what they term the "so-called millionaire sportsmen" in public, requested that the hearing be postponed for two weeks, and in the meantime they will endeavor to coax these men to appear and explain why the dumping of tons of corn and grain in the small private inland ponds of these wealthy clubs and individuals for the purpose of slaughtering the ducks as they come to feed and while feeding, especially in years like the present when the natural bay waters are frozen over and the ducks starving, is for the benefit of the fowl, sport or public, and is not butchery.

A committee from the association is investigating former rulings of the Conservation Commission which were requested by members of a Long Island club and which, they contend, resulted solely to the benefit of this club and individuals, and at the postponed hearing on March 23, 1920, at 2 P. M., in room 401 of the Capitol at Albany an interesting time is promised.

The bill to prohibit the baiting of ducks is the first of a number of amendments to the conservation law which this association is framing to protect game, the sport and general public, and to curtail the special privileges now enjoyed by these few through lack of proper laws and camouflaged observance of present provisions.

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Wanted, Aid to Make Wormers Dry Fly Men.

I recently had a confab with an expert dry fly fisherman, and the things he told me about the game led me to believe I must be reincarnated to become even a dub at dry fly fishing. And after reading all the dope in Rod and Gun, I am almost of the same opinion. These are some of the things he told me.

"I seldom put out over sixty or seventy feet of line. This, with a six foot leader, I find sufficient."

"I cast my line so that the fly falls with the wings up."

"I use a stiff rod, so that I can keep most of my line out of the water. In still water I allow my fly to remain absolutely motionless."

"In retriving my fly after a cast I raise my line free of the water before starting the fly. This gives the fly the appearance of an insect attempting to get ashore and often results in a strike."

"I never allow my fly or any part of my line to go under the water."

Now it seems to me, dub that I am, that when I can cast a fly seventy-six feet and have the fly always fall with the wings up, and when I can hold fifty feet or so of my line out of water and prevent the sag of it from drawing the fly, and when I can raise all of my line from the water before the fly moves, and when I can keep my line leader and fly from going under when I can do all this, I say, possibly I will have mastered the rudiments of dry fly fishing.

But, cannot some one tell me and the rest of the dubs how we can have some sport by using thirty to forty feet of line, our five and six ounce rods, letting the fly fall any old way it wants to? Tell us how to tie on the fly; how to dry it; give us some tips on oiling or greasing flies and lines; how to fish, both still and running water? Tell us how to best retrieve an fly so as not to alarm trout more than is necessary? How best to fish pools twenty to thirty feet across? How best to fish a running stream ten feet wide, with more or less overhanging brush? Come on, "Tamarack," "Virginius" and the rest of you dry (high) flyers, give the wormers a tip. If you don't, they will keep right on being wormers.

When one reads the articles relative to dry fly fishing, one is forced to the conclusion there is a deep, dark mystery connected with it. But when one observes the usual run of dry fly fishermen, see their outfit, the trout in their creel, one concludes there is not much to it, or that they don't do it. Which is right?

SEARCH ME.

Brooklyn, March 11.

CHICAGO GIRL VICTOR.

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., March 11.—Miss Edith Cummings of Chicago became the golf champion of Belleair today when she defeated Mrs. G. K. Morrow of the Engineers Club in the final by 1 up. The match was a splendid one, and so evenly matched were the two players that it took the last putt to decide the contest. Miss Cummings holed a putt of ten feet from the top of a mound for a par four, while Mrs. Morrow, five feet away from the cup, missed her putt for a half.

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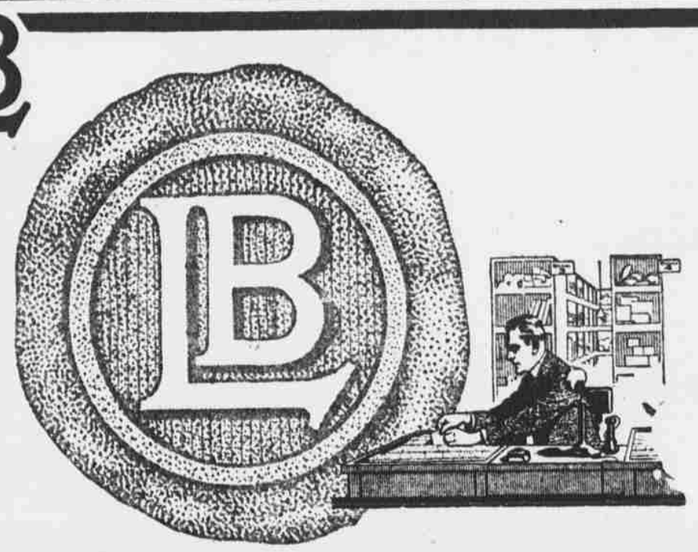

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