Oxford and Cambridge Half Milers Combine to Win Two Mile Relay Title and Set World's Record

BRITISH RELAY FOUR SHATTERS WORLD'S RECORD

Oxford - Cambridge Team Takes Two Mile Title in 7:50 2-5.

ILLINOIS MEN SECOND

Penn Is Third and Cornell Fourth in Feature on Franklin Field.

By JAMES S. MITCHEL.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Leading nearly all the way and smashing the world's records to smithereens, four English runners representing Oxford and Cambridge this afternoon won the American intercollegiate championship two mile relay race, which featured the annual carnival of the University of Pennsylvania on Franklin Field.

While the shouting thousands in the stands, forgetting for the nonce all questions of nationalism in their admiration for the remarkable performances of the Britons, rolled salvo after salvo of cheers across the historic cinder path, the team from across the Atlantic established its supremacy over the best in America in no uncertain manner. Illinois finished second, about forty yards behind the Englishmen, while Pennsylvania was third by twenty yards. Cornell finished fourth.

The time was 7 minutes 50 2-5 seconds, as against the best previous mark of 7 minutes 53 seconds. Yale's four, with the late Johnny Overton running the final half mile, set that record for colleges here four years ago. The Irish American Athletic Club of New York set a similar standard for the world in 1910.

A Dramatic Struggle.

It was a tense race—this struggle for what was tantamount to the world's championship for the two mile in relays of half a mile. It was a dramatic struggle, too, replete with spurts and counter spurts as the Americans in pursuit realized that to England was going a title, to win which the visitors had not been conceded a very strong chance. But the Britons ran as they never had run before. To a man they exceeded themselves and turned in performances which they had not been thought capable of recording.

Tatham was first on the track for the Britons and he ran second. Cornell was showing the way and going at the task strongly. Then Stallard took up the running for the Britos. He was second at the three-quarter, but as he neared the end he set out at a terrific clip and gradually tore into the lead. When he relinquished his baton to the third runner from overseas—Milligan—Oxford and Cambridge were in the lead. As he crossed the line Stallard fell unconscious. The strain had been a little to much for him, and little wonder, for he ran as if mad.

Once the Englishmen were in the lead they stayed there. Milligan added to the advantage which Stallard had handed to him, and then came Rudd, the greatest of the Britons. Rudd set out to make it fifty yards at the finish, and he came pretty close to that lead. Rudd showed tremendous power and speed in hsi half mile.

Americans Have It Out.

In the last quarter mile it no longer was a question of beating the Britons. Rudd demonstrated that he had the race well in hand. But among the American anchor men a great battle developed for second place, and this went to Illinois in a great finish with Pennsylvania. Cornell came up fairly strong, but in a position very disappointing to those who had taken too much for granted during the running of the first half mile.

The first mile saw the crowd side strongly with the Americans—mainly with Pennsylvania, the home college. But as the Britons went into the lead and showed remarkable bursts of speed and gameness the crowd began to forget its partisanship and cheer for the best men on the track. It was a great demonstration of the fair mindedness of the American sporting public, and it went to the hearts of the Oxford and Cambridge runners. Those cheers made them feel that they were at home.

Previous to the race the men from England were not regarded very highly. The Illinois men came out boldly with a statement that they were out to do 7 minutes and 50 seconds and to knock the former record of 7:53 cold. Ames—officially Iowa State College—which made a Western record of 7:53 1-5 last Saturday at Des Moines, and defeated Illinois, said nothing, but the men were keyed up to real fighting pitch. Penn partisans were confident, but as Gustafson suffered from an attack of sciatica in one of his legs, those keen on the form of the team did not give Penn a chance. The Oxford-Cambridge team ranked about third choice.

An exceptionally formidable squad of timber toppers figured among the entries for the 120 yard hurdles. Foremost on the squad was Warren Smith of Cornell, the intercollegiate champion. Another notable starter was Sylvester of Missouri, a protege of Bob Simpson. Carl Erdman of Princeton, former intercollegiate champion, was much fancied and so was Earl Thomson of Dartmouth. The race came in for a sort of international flavor by the nomination of S. P. Jeppe of Oxford, the leading English collegian ov r the sticks.

Oxonian Fails to Qutlify.

The Oxonian ran a good race for a man who fails to show the correct method of straight leg hurdling, and he just failed to qualify for the final. Considering that the event was decided on the grass and against a stiff breeze the times in the trial heats were highly creditable. In the first heat Smith showed the way in 15 4-5 seconds. Princeton contributed two men to the final in Thomson and Erdman and their times were a fraction slower than Smith's. Thomson of Dartmouth also qualified.

A great race ensued in the final. Thomson just catching Smith on the worsted. The time, 15 1-5 seconds, is within a fifth of a second of the world's record on grass.

Some speedy miles were witnessed in the college relays. Redlands, better known as the University of Southern California, won the class B championship from Syracuse, with Columbia third. The time was 3 minutes 35 2-5 seconds, which is a new class B record.

Rutgers won in its class, the time being 3 minutes 26 4-5 seconds—a mark which only lived till Redlands went to the post.

The mile relay championship for the Mike Murphy Challenge Cup resulted in a popular and spectacular victory for Penn, which beat Minnesota by 2 yards, with Michigan third and Princeton fourth. Minnesota made the most of the running from the start, but the Quakers were always close, and when Eby, the Penn anchor man, took up the running he had the advantage by which he won. For a while Michigan looked dangerous, but fell away in the homestretch.

Record Crowd Present.

In the twenty-six years covering the history of the meet no such crowd ever before gathered inside of Franklin Field as that which forced itself inside the enclosure to-day. A conservative calculation was that there was a gathering of 25,000, and they went home fully satisfied with what they saw.

All manner of thrills were on tap during the afternoon from the school and college cheering to the close finishes on the track and over the hurdles on the grass. The weather was all that could be desired. The only unpleasant feature was a strong breeze, which blew against the sprinters and hurdlers and bothered the pole vaulters.

Chiefly on account of the preparation of the athletes for the Olympic games there was considerable curiosity to see the sprinters in action, especially F. Scholz of the University of Missouri. He was reported to have run the 100 yards in 9 4-5 seconds at one of the Western meets. Scholz won the first heat looking around in 10 1-5 seconds. The Missourian won the final easily.

Stuyvesant Takes Relay.

In one of the mile relays for schools Stuyvesant High School of New York took first prize. The team finished second to Washington (Pa.) High School, but the latter suffered disqualification for not carrying the baton. Stuyvesant ran a splendid race and led the field until a hundred yards from home, when the anchor man from Washington came with a rush and sailed by the Stuyvesant runner to finish in the lead by four yards.

Penn was disappointed over the failure of Bartels in the Javelin throw. It was expected that the Red and Blue hero would have a practical walkover, but to the surprise of the big crowd Emory of Penn State came out of the woods and carried off the prize with the fine throw of 165 feet 6½ inches, as against 163 feet 9½ inches for Bartels. Emory has the better style.

The Summaries.

Two Mile College Relay Championship of America—Won by Oxford-Cambridge of England; second, Illinois; third, Pennsylvania; fourth, Cornell. Time, 7:50 2-5s., a new world's record. Former record, 7:53s, made by F. Riley, F. Bromilow, M. W. Sheppard and A. R. Kiviat of Irish-American A. C., in 1910.

South Atlantic Intercollegiate—One mile relay championship—Won by Johns Hopkins; second, Georgetown; third, Virginia; fourth, Catholic University. Time, 3:27 1-5s.

One mile relay (college)—Won by George Washington; second, Gettysburg; third, Franklin and Marshall. Time, 3:40 3-5s.

One mile (freshman) college relay championship of America—Won by Cornell; second, Pennsylvania; third, Syracuse; fourth, Dartmouth. Time, 3:28 1-5s.

One mile relay (high schools)—Won by Hartford, Conn.; second, Trenton, N. J.; third, Atlantic City. Time, 3:40.

One Mile Relay, High Schools—Won by Williamsport, Pa.; second, Bethlehem, Pa.; third, Steelton, Pa.; fourth, Allentown, Pa. Time, 3:40 1-5.

One Mile Relay, High Schools—Won by Stuyvesant, New York; second, Western, Washington, D. C.; third, De Witt Clinton, New York. Washington, Pa., won the race in the good time of 4:28 4-5, but was disqualified for dropping the baton.

One Mile Relay, High Schools—Won by Baltimore Poly; second, Philadelphia Northeast. Time, 3:46 3-5. Two starters.

Middle Atlantic States Conference, One Mile Relay Championship—Won by Rutgers; second, Lafayette; third, Delaware; fourth, Dickinson. Time, 3:26 4-5, a new record for this event.

One Mile Relay, College—Won by New York Dental; second, Drexel Philadelphia; third, St. Joseph, Philadelphia. Time, 3:41 2-5.

One Mile Relay, College—Won by Stevens; second, College City of New York; third, Rensselaer. Time, 3:24 3-5.

One Mile Relay, College—Won by Bowdoin; second, Rochester; third, Buffalo. Time, 3:28 3-5.

One Mile Relay, College—Won by Boston College; second, Colgate; third, Ohio Wesleyan. Time, 3:29 1-5.

One Mile College Relay Championship of America—Won by Pennsylvania; second, Minnesota; third, Michigan; fourth, Princeton. Time, 3:22 2-5.

One Mile Relay College, Class B Championship—Won by Redlands University of California; second, Syracuse; third, Columbia; fourth, Pittsburg. Time, 3:35 2-5, a new record for this event.

One Mile, Preparatory School Relay Championship of America—Won by Exeter; second, Huntington; third, Mercersburg. Time, 3:31.

100 Yard Dash, Final—Won by Scholz, Missouri; second, Levee, Pennsylvania; third, Brown, Princeton; fourth, Lecouey, Lafayette. Time, 0:10 1-5.

Pole Vault—Won by Landers, Pennsylvania, 12 feet 6 inches; second, tie between Webber, Yale; Gardner, Yale, and Harvard, Harvard, at 12 feet.

Shot Put—Won by C. D. Holeep, Princeton, distance 44 feet 11 inches; second, H. G. Cann, 44 feet 3¼ inches; third, J. A. Stolburne, Dartmouth, 41 feet 10¾ inches; McClurg, Missouri, 42 feet 5¾ inches.

High Jump—Won by Reynolds, Pennsylvania, height 6 feet 1¼ inches; six men tied for second at 5 feet 10¼. On the jumpoff Landon, Yale, won second place, 6 feet 1¼ inches; Chamberlain, Virginia, third, 6 feet 3 inches.

Javelin throw—Won by Emory, PennsylvaniaS fate, distance 165 feet 6½ inches; second Bartels, Pennsylvania, 163 feet 9½ inches; third, McWilliams, Lafayette, 151 feet ½ inch.

Discus throw—Won by Bartels, Pennsylvania, distance 123 feet; second, tie between McClurg, Missouri, and Thompson, Dartmouth, at 122 feet 2 inches; fourth, S. H. Thompson, Princeton, 118 feet.

120 yards hurdles (final)—Won by E. Thompson, Dartmouth; second, W. Smith, Cornell; third, Troxbridge, Princeton. Time, 15 1-5s.

Broad jump—Won by Courtois, New York, 22 feet 7 inches; second, Way, Pennsylvania, 22 feet 6¾ inches; third, Grubb, Pennsylvania State, 22 feet 4¾ inches; fourth, Rodkey, Kansas, 22 feet ½ inch.

One mile relay, preparatory schools—Won by Baltimore Friends; second, Franklin and Marshall, Lancaster, Pa.; third, Harrisburg (Pa.) Academy. Time, 3m. 4 4-5s.

Onem ile relay, preparatory—Won by Fordham Prep.; second Williamson, Pa.; third, Allentown (Pa.) Prrep. Time, 3m. 41 1-5s.

One mile relay, preparatory—Won by Brooklyn Poly; second, Brooklyn Prep.; third, Gilman Country. Time, 3m. 49 3-5s.

One mile, preparatory—Won by Huntington, Boston; second, Haverford (Pa.) Prep.; third, Suffield. Time, 3m. 25s.

One mile, high school relay championship of America—Won by Masten Park; second, Barringer; third, Newark Central. Time, 3m. 31 2-5s.

Four Mile College Relay Championship of America—Won by Penn State College; second, Syracuse; third, Cornell; fourth, Chicago. Time, 18 minutes 16 4-5 seconds.

Shows Great Speed in Relay Race

B. G. D. Rudd of Oxford was anchor for the Oxford-Cambridge team, which won the two mile college relay championship of America on Franklin Field yesterday.

Late Sporting News will be found in the Main Section. The indexed chart of the races at Pimlico will appear in to-morrow's issue.

ELEVEN BOATS IN GOLD CUP RACES

Entry of Record Size Is Announced.

Eleven speed boats have been entered for the Gold Cup races and the American championship that goes with the event to be held at Detroit the first week in September. This, according to the executive committee of the American Power Boat Association, which met at national headquarters constotutes a record entry for the event. Six of the speed boat championship racers have been named by Detroit, two are owned by Albert L. Judson of this city, one is entered by Buffalo, another by New Orleans and the eleventh by the Thousand Islands Yacht Club.

The list was swelled by three additional entries by Gar Wood of Detroit. Previously he had named the Miss Detroit II. and the Miss Detroit III., winners in 1918 and 1919, respectively, for the Gold Cup races. His latest news to the association was the fact that the Miss Detroit IV. and V. and the Miss America, now being completed for the Harmsworth international race in England, would be seen also in competition for the American speed boat championship. At the same time it was announced that the Thousand Islands Yacht Club had entered the Misstiqe, that the Southern Yacht Club of New Orleans had entered an unnamed boat, that Ralph Sidway of Buffalo was building the Arab V., and Paul Strassburg of Detroit the Eleventh Hour for the title races. Add to these the Whip-poor-will, Jr., and the Hawk Eye II., owned by Mr. Judson, and the list of eleven is complete.

The deed of trust drawn up for the handicap cruiser championship trophy donated by the New York Athletic Club was approved and the trophy, which is to be a perpetual one, was accepted with thanks. The first title race open to cruisers of 30 to 45 feet in water line length is to start from Travers Island on August 14. The Keystone Yacht Club of Philadelphia, the New York Athletic Club and the Huguenot Yacht Club have made the initial entries for the event.

The Salem (N. J.) Motor Boat Club and the Plandome Field and Marine Club of Plandome, L. I., were admitted into the association, and the Jamaica Bay Yacht Racing Association received a sanction to hold a long distance motor boat race in August.

HOPKINS AWARDED MEET.

Middle Atlantic States Association Takes Action.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 1.—At a meeting of the Middle Atlantic States Intercollegiate Association held here the 1921 track and field championships were awarded to Johns Hopkins, Baltimore. W. and J. and Lafayette also extended invitations. The cross country championship for 1921 was awarded to Lehigh.

The proposal of the National Collegiate Association that a one year residence rule be passed was not acted favorably upon.

Dr. James A. Babbitt of Haverford was reelected president. F. H. McCann of New York University was made a member of the executive committee. Ten colleges were represented at the meeting.

BECKETT TO BOX BURNS.

SOUTHAMPTON, April 30.—Joe Beckett, the English heavyweight, has signed articles to meet Tommy Burns, the French-Canadian fighter, who was in his prime a dozen years ago. The date of the match has not yet been settled upon.

CUP DEFENDERS TO BEGIN RACES MAY 21

Preliminary Practice Event Will Be Held Near New Haven.

TRIALS OFF NEWPORT

First of Twelve or Fourteen Contests Scheduled for June 3.

There will be two series of races, beginning on May 21, between the Resolute and the Vanitie to determine which yacht will defend the America's Cup against the Shamrock IV. This information was issued yesterday by the race committee of the New York Yacht Club, composed of H. de B. Parsons, J. M. Macdonough and F. O. Spedden.

The first set of races will hardly count in the competition between the two boats. They will furnish preliminary practice and will be held on Long Island Sound off New Haven. It is likely that there will be six such contests, and they will be held over short courses, probably twice around.

The real trial races will be held off Newport, starting on June 3. According to the committee, there will be twelve or fourteen trials over the full cup course of thirty miles. It was off Newport that the New York Yacht Club wanted the cup races held, but in deference to the wishes of Sir Thomas Lipton it named the old course off Sandy Hook.

It is taken for granted that the Brenton's Reef course will be raced over in the trials off Newport. Quite a number of cup defenders have sailed over the famous course. It was off Brenton's Reef that the old Columbia won over the new Constitution in 1901, for the right to defend against the first Shamrock.

The selection of the course off New Haven comes as something of a surprise, as it had been expected that the committee would hold some of the trials in the neighborhood of Larchmont. The course off Newport is an admirable one particularly in June, where wind conditions are better than those off Sandy Hook or further south on the Sound.

The sailing instructions for the cup defenders also were issued yesterday. These state that thirty mile races, in which one yacht has not finished within six hours, exclusive of time allowance, will be declared off. Shorter races will be declared off at one-half hour after sunset.

R. NORRIS WILLIAMS IN GOOD STROKE

Plays Impressively in Match at Forest Hills.

Richard Norris Williams 2d, who has been chosen a member of the American Davis Cup team, made his first appearance of the outdoor season on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills yesterday and treated the gallery to an impressive exhibition of tennis in an informal match against Walter Merrill Hall of the local club. The former national champion has been playing on the indoor courts at Longwood and was in excellent stroke as well as physical condition.

Williams drove with great speed all through the match and played with perfect judgment, getting wonderful angles on his cross court returns. He scored an ace off service frequently with a backhand return along the side lines that Hall had no chance to reach in time. Hall too played well for so early in the season, but his timing of the ball was rather bad at times nad he ran into frequent errors. Hall had a slight lead in the first set, which he won at 6—4, but in the second and third sets Williams was playing in unbeatable style, and the scores were 6—3, 6—2 in the latter's favor.

Later in the day Williams paired with Julian S. Myrick, president of the National Tennis Association, in a doubles match against R. Lindley Murray and Samuel Hardy. No score was kept of the match but Williams appeared to be playing as well as in singles. Murray showed his customary hard hitting game, volleying well and coming up to the net in most of the rallies, but he has had little or no practice since the close of the last outdoor season and his control was not of the best.

COLUMBIA WINS FROM WILLIAMS

Blue and White Triumphs by 8 to 1 on South Field.

Columbia gained its sixth baseball victory in eight starts yesterday afternoon when the Blue and White decisively defeated the nine of Williams College by the score of 8 to 1, on South Field. Cy Meany, star twirler for the victors, easily held the Bay State collegians in check at all stages. In addition to completely quelling all would be uprisings on the part of the visitors, the lanky Columbian retired thirteen wearers of the Purple via the strikeout route.

While Meany was bettering his season record for strikeouts made recently against Fordham when he turned back twelve Maroon batsmen on strikes, he also was making life miserable for Burrows, the Williams moundsman. Of the first four runs scored by Columbia, the Blue and White pitcher knocked in three runs with a triple and a single and scored the other himself.

After three scoreless innings Columbia jumped into the lead in the fourth canto and never relinquished it. The score:

COLUMBIA.	ab	r	h	o	a	e	WILLIAMS.	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Tedford,lb.	5	1	3	1	1	0	Hoyt,2b....	3	0	0	2	3	1
Schn'ra,1b.	4	2	2	5	0	0	Mason,2b...	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hou'han,lf	4	1	2	0	0	0	Field,rf....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Ack'man,c.	4	1	0	11	2	0	B.Bo'ton,1b	4	1	2	13	0	0
Hauck,2b..	4	0	0	4	0	1	Finn,c.....	4	0	3	5	0	0
G'dman,rf.	4	1	2	1	0	0	Ward,cf....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Meany,p...	4	1	2	0	4	0	C.Bo'ton,cf.	2	0	1	0	1	0
W'nstein,ss	3	0	0	2	2	0	McLean,lb.	4	0	0	4	1	1
T.Far'll,cf.	3	1	1	3	0	0	Nichols,ss..	3	0	0	1	5	0
							Berger,lf....	2	0	0	0	0	0
							Burrows,p..	2	0	0	3	1	0
							Holmes,p...	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals....	35	8	13	27	7	1	Totals....	32	1	6	24	14	4

Columbia	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	2	0	—8
Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Earned runs—Columbia, 4; Williams, 1. Two base hit—Finn. Three base hits—Meany, Tedford. Sacrifice hits—Houlahan, Farrell. Stolen bases—Weinstein, Houlahan, Farrell, Schnaars. Left on bases—Columbia, 7; Williams, 5. First base on errors—Columbia, 2. Hits—Off Burrows, 8 in 5 innings; off Holmes, 4 in 3 innings. Struck out—By Meany, 13; by Burrows, 1. Bases on balls—Off Burrows, 1; off Holmes, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Meany (Berger), by Holmes (Weinstein). Wild pitch—Meany. Umpires—Messrs. Connolly and Walsh. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

BOSTON BOXER INJURED.

BOSTON, May 1.—In a bout here last night John Murray of Boston fell to the canvas unconscious after a blow on the jaw from Dave Powers.

Murray was the 142 pound New England amateur champion three years ago and has been a professional boxer for three months. He is in hospital.

BURNJAN BEST ON ROLLERS.

Defeats Large Field in Modified Skating Race Over City Streets.

The modified roller skating championship race yesterday afternoon over the streets of the city resulted in an easy victory for Alexander Burnjan. The event, which was staged by the Starlight Amusement Park, was over a course of twelve and a half miles, with the start at Washington Arch and the finish in the Starlight Amusement Park at 177th street.

In winning the event, Burnjan defeated a field of 107 contestants, twenty-two of whom were women. This is the largest number of entrants which has yet competed in an event of its kind. Ten chorus girls from the Capitol Theatre who skated in overalls were among the starters.

Jack Klein, who negotiated the distance in 50 minutes, finished second to Burnjan, while third place went to William Kieffe. Irving Shatland, the Eastern long distance champion, was fourth and Charles Sommer, a fourteen-year-old schoolboy, finished fifth. The winner was clocked in 48 minutes 7 seconds.

TREMAINE STOPS MASON.

Claimant of Flyweight Crown Quickly Knocked Out.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 1.—Carl Tremaine of Cleveland knocked out Frankie Mason of Fort Wayne, Ind., in the first round of their scheduled twelve round bout here last night. Mason was knocked down three times before taking the final count. The knockout came after 1 minute and 15 seconds and was a right to the ajw. Tremaine weighed 116 pounds, Mason 111.

EXPECT TO BEAT NAVY.

Syracuse Track Squad Strong in Most Events.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

SYRACUSE, May 1.—With the dual track and field meet with the Navy at Annapolis only one week off Coach Tom Keane of Syracuse University track team is busy preparing his athletes for the event.

Keane has a well balanced team this year and he believes they will be able to beat the middies. The Orange is good in the sprints and in the distance events, fairly strong in the weights and has a fair chance of winning the pole vault with Capt. Huntley. The Syracuse squad is weak in the jumps, but should carry off firsts in the hurdle events.

Keane will return from the Penn relays Monday and will drive his men through hard workouts for four days, picking his team Thursday afternoon. Thursday night the Orange athletes will leave for Annapolis.

The Syracuse tennis players and lacrosse players will also be at Annapolis on Saturday. The racqueters have been getting in shape for over two weeks and expect to give the middies a hard fight.

CAREFUL VICTOR IN PIMLICO NURSERY

Walter J. Salmon's Filly Beats High Class Field in a Gallop.

ARETHUSA EASY WINNER

Boniface Takes Merchants Handicap—Big Crowd Sees Contests.

BALTIMORE, May 1.—One of the largest crowds that ever attended a race meeting in Maryland was at the Pimlico track this afternoon and the thousands who packed the famous course saw some of the best racing of the year. The feature of the fine programme was the Pimlico Nursery Stakes for juveniles at four and a half furlongs. It went to Walter J. Salmon's fleet filly Careful. Intriganat was second and Fallacy third.

By her victory Careful proved that she is more than an ordinary miss. She sped to the front as soon as the barrier went up and before a quarter of a mile had been covered she had her opponents dizzy. Then se went on by herself and won galloping by five lengths. It was the third consecutive victory for the speedy daughter of Wrack and Mindful, and she promises to give a good account of her self in the richer stakes to come.

Harry Payne Whitney's Arethusa ran off with the Wicomico purse, the secondary feature. She displayed a great burst of speed and plenty of stamina and beat a big field of high class fillies in impressive fashion. Lady Brummell took the second end of the purse, while Cleopatra, the renowned filly belonging to W. R. Coe, finished third.

The Merchants Handicap for three-year-olds and upward, at one mile and a sixteenth, was won by Commander J. K. L. Ross's noted mudder Boniface. Bondage was second and Be Frank third.

PIMLICO RESULTS.

First Race—Four and one-half furlongs: Aunt Dede, 99 (Richcreek), $4.50, $2.70 and $2.20, won; East'd Princess, 112 (Sterling), $7.30 and $4.30, second; Gee Bovee, 100 (Hunt), $3.20, third. Time, 0:57 2-5. Hot Stuff and Gen. Agramonte also ran.

Second Race—Six furlongs: Back Bay, 110 (Zoller), $5.40, $3.40 and $2.50, won; Redland, 105 (Barnes), $3.20 and $3.80, second; Pibroch, 113 (Morris), $2.90, third. Time, 1:18. Acoushla, Frank Mecklin, W. Ward, Napoli, Firing Line, Sylvano and Balaoso also ran.

Third Race—Two miles: Royal Arch, 147 (Crawford), $4.50, $3.50 and $3.10, won; Genevieve B., 134 (Erickson), $6 and $3.90, second; James A. Sheridan, 131 (Rodriguez), $6.40, third. Time, 4:06. Earlocker, Flare, Pioneer, Old Bill Bender, Surf Queen, War Lock, Westminster, Reliance, Syrdarya, Pastora and Vigilante also ran.

Fourth Race—Four and a half furlongs: Careful, 115 (Kelsey), $3.20, $2.20 and $2.10, won; Intriganta, 134 (Sandie), $2.20 and $2.10, second; Fallacy, 109 (Haynes), $3, third. Time, 0:56. Queen Isabel, Tan San and Jean Corey also ran.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs: Arethusa, 110 (Collatelli), $12.60, $4.70 and $3.60, won; Lady Brummel, 110 (Rodrigues), $4.30 and $2.80, second; Cleopatra, 109 (Fairbrother), $2.90, third. Time, 1:14. Toscante, Virginia L., Head Over Heel, Violet Tip and On High also ran.

Sixth Race.—For three-year-olds and upward; the Merchants Handicap; one mile and a sixteenth. Boniface, 119 (Sand), $3.20, $2.70 and $2.30, won; Bondage, 105, (Rodrigues), $5, second; Be Frank, 116 (Butwell), $3, third. Time, 1:48 4-5.

Seventh Race—For three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth: Airman, $13.60, $6.40, won; Woodthrush, $6.10, second; Indolence, third. Time, 1:46.

PIMLICO ENTRIES.

First Race—Two-year-olds; selling; four furlongs: Chow, 114; Tutt, 117; Vic, 111; General Agremonte, 112; Hot Stuff, 114; Toreador, 114.

Second Race—Maiden three-year-olds; one mile: Fairway, 115; Feodora, 115; Royal Jester, 115; Mark West, 115; Haran, 115; Yaphank, 115; Gallagher, 115; Flying Frog, 115; Escarpolette (imp), 110; Franc Tireur, 115; Rover, 115.

Third Race—The Patapsco Steeplechase; four-year-olds and upward; selling; two miles: *Harwood, 140; *Donny Brook 2d (imp), 140; New Haven, 145; Rupica, 145; Algardi, 145; †Candle, 135; †Robert Oliver, 145; †Smithfield, 145; †Bruin Belle, 133; Bob Redfield, 145.

* Five pounds claimed for rider. † Ten pounds claimed. ‡ L. W. Garth entry.

Fourth Race—Two-year-olds; four furlongs: Optimism, 109; Jog, 112; Jacques, 112; Some Baby, 115; Antilles, 109; Sacajawa, 112; *Pidinga, 109; *Slimme, 117; Tan Sou, 117.

* Bal Parr entry.

Fifth Race—The Govans Handicap; three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs: My Laddie, 106; Roger Reels, 113; Crank, 109; *Pastoral Swain, 102; Panoply, 108; Raleo, 100; Natural Bridge, 106; War Pennant, 118; †Elsendorf, 109; ‡Anniversary, 109; Mayor House, 90; Ticklish, 107.

‡Quincy Stable entry. *Three pounds apprentice allowance.

Sixth Race—The Seven Handicap; three-year-olds and upward; one mile: †The Wit, 102; †Ireland, 98; Brother MacLean, 105; ‡Joan of Arc, 104; ‡King John, 110; Welshman's Folly (imp), 115; The Belgian II. (imp), 115; Red Feather, 104; *Dorcas, 105; W. Ward, 95; ‡Ragnarok, 110; ‡Dottie Vandiver, 112; §Ultra Gold, 114. †Parr entry. ‡F. Musante entry. §Sunny Land Stable entry.

Seventh Race—Four-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs: The Decision, 113; *Ultra Gold, 115; Sins Fetter (imp), 115; *Franklin, 115; *Tan II. (imp.), 110; Belaria, 115; You Need, 115; Queen Blonde, 115; *Fort Bliss, 113; Knot, 110.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

CHAMPION FORFEITS TITLE.

Bob Marriott Declines to Meet Lew Edwards.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 1.—A cablegram from London says Bob Marriott, lightweight champion of England, has forfeited a match with Lew Edwards, Australian champion, and returned the championship belt to the National Sporting Club.

George Bailleau, manager of Edwards, is now arranging to send Edwards and Fred Kay, the latter welterweight champion of Australia, to America in June, and he will take Vince Blackburn, former bantamweight champion, with him in July.

Kay will challenge Jack Britton for welter championship.

YALE TEAM STRONG IN FIELD EVENTS

Old Eli Counting on Jumpers, Vaulters and Weight Men in Princeton Meet.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 1.—A few weeks ago Johnny Mack, the trainer of the Yale athletic teams, wore a long face when he went over the prospects of the track team with the correspondent of THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD. He then and there predicted that Yale would be practically nowhere in the big track and field meets to come. Mack has worn those long faces before, but somehow or other the members of the Yale team in the dual meets with Harvard and Princeton manage to win a majority of them over a stretch of years. The results of the annual spring track meet here Tuesday have caused a few dark clouds on the track horizon to reflect a minute silver lining.

With the Princeton meet scheduled at Yale Field a week from to-day, a survey of the talent at Yale and Princeton shows that it will be a close one, with the Tigers having a better chance of returning a winner than they have had in years. This is the viewpoint from New Haven.

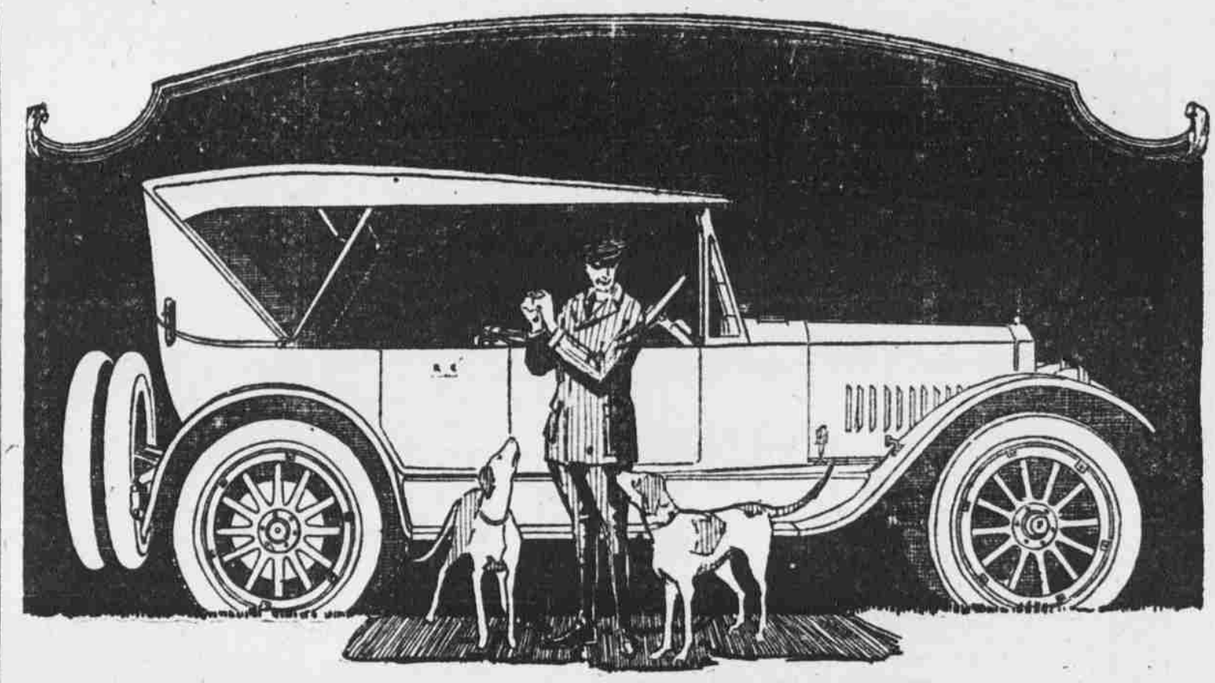
Princeton will come to New Haven next week with acknowledged strength in the sprints, the hurdles and in the shot put. Yale ought to prove superior in the distance runs, the jumps, the pole vault and the hammer, in the opinion of track athletic students. This will make a fairly well balanced programme.

Laurie of Princeton is conceded first in both the 100 and the 220. He probably will be pushed for honors, however, by Jones and Cowles of Yale. There should be some fast stepping in these two events. Terrell of Princeton and Stevenson of Princeton are running well in the quarter, but F. P. Heffelfinger of Yale is running just as well, and there are many who look to see "Young Heff" win this event.

Yale has some fine entries in the half mile—the four men who ran to-day in the Penn relays. They are Reed, Hillis, Siemens and Driscoll, making four of the best half milers Yale has had in years. Stevenson of Princeton also is a good 880 yard man, and is conceded a place among the winners.

In the mile Yale again looms up strong, with Driscoll, Wilson and O'Brien, a trio that Princeton will find it hard to beat. Forsman is the Tigers' best bet in this event, and he has been doing some good distance running. This race should be one of the features of the afternoon. In the two mile race Yale will rely on Rich and Dudley, while Princeton will bank on Rogers and Swede. All four are good men.

BASEBALL TO-DAY—EBBETS FIELD, Brooklyn vs. Philadelphia, 3 P. M.—Adv.



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