Football Officials Affirm Legality of Rutgers College's Pet Play---Senior Golfers Ready for Annual Tourney

FOSTER SANFORD'S MASS PLAY LEGAL

Football Officials Put Their Stamp of Approval on Rutgers Eleven's Specialty.

DISCUSS MOOT QUESTIONS

By DANIEL.

Foster Sanford's mass play, used so effectively by his Rutgers football team for the past two years, is legal. Among the vast majority of gridiron officials and other followers this has long been the impression.

However, a decision in the Rutgers-Princeton game last fall, that probably cost Sanford's eleven a touchdown, appeared to cast some doubt as to the validity of the mass play. Sanford came to the annual football rules interpretation meeting at the Biltmore last Saturday night determined to get an official ruling on his pet play, and he got it.

More than 200 coaches, officials and others interested in the game gathered from all sections of the country. Walter Camp was in the chair. William S. Langford of Trinity, one of the ablest referees of all time, and Nathan A. Tufts, advisory officials connected with the rules committee, over which E. K. Hall of Dartmouth presides, were among those present.

Langford was the referee in the Rutgers-Princeton game last fall, and it was he who ruled the mass play illegal. It never came out whether Langford had detected illegal use of the hands or whether he regarded the play as organized by Sanford against the letter if not the spirit of the rules.

A Formidable Play.

Sanford declared that there seemed to be some question regarding the play and he wanted to be set right before attempting it on another season. The officials were unanimous in their opinion that it was absolutely valid and the rules committee representatives so ruled, too.

It was decided that the play, which calls for the alignment of three backs behind three adjoining players on the forward line, was legal provided that no parts of the bodies of the trio formers within one yard of the line of scrimmage.

The play has proved a very formidable one when a little ground is needed to keep the ball or when the team with the ball is inside the enemy's five yard line. While used very effectively by Rutgers it has not been taken up very extensively by other colleges, either out of professional jealousy among coaches or because of recognition of a recognized "copyright" by the former Yale star.

If it had not been for Sanford the meeting would have produced very little action. Shortly before the meeting was adjourned Sanford fired some hot shot into the rules committee. He asserted that the committee would find it advisable to hold at least one open session before it took up its annual work of revising the code. The officials and coaches, who are best qualified to tell of the needs of the game, are ignored. The committee takes up the matter of revision in secret session.

Wants a Play Barred.

Sanford also suggested the passing of a rule prohibiting the cutting down of a player from behind—one of the most dangerous practices allowed under the present code. Sanford characterized it as "the most dastardly play in football" and said that if the committee wanted to depopulate the game it had to make the cutting down illegal.

"It is a heartstringing, knee breaking, face smashing play that allows a man on one side to injure a member of an opposing eleven. The cut down from in front is bad enough, but it is fair, as it gives the man attacked a chance to defend himself. Cut down from behind, no player can defend himself, and the percentage is altogether against him," continued the Rutgers coach.

Sanford's suggestions met with general approval. He further declared that a rule should be inserted making it mandatory for the head lineman to announce to the onlookers the reasons for each penalty and the penalty imposed.

"There are so many new provisions for penalties that it is hard for the spectators to tell why a penalty is imposed," said Sanford. "If you force the head lineman to announce each penalty and the reason therefor, you will not only make it possible to weed out the incompetent officials, but will make football more popular, and give the spectators a better insight into the game."

There were evidences of a better general understanding of the rules. It was decided that a ball fumbled inside the field of play and rolling out was a free ball. However, a ball going out of bounds from a forward pass or a kick, or striking a player, any portion of whose body is out of bounds, is a dead ball.

The committee recommended that in the event of a foul being committed on the fourth down by the defending team after the attacking side has failed to gain the distance, the officials give the ball to the attacking side, and make it first down. It was recommended that the attacking team also be permitted to profit by the penalty.

As to Blowing Whistles.

The convention also agreed that when a player starts in one of the five centre positions on the forward line he must play out the game there, although allowed to play anywhere on the defense.

It was also decided that when the referee detects an illegal play he shall blow his whistle until the play is completed. The old rule stipulated that when an illegal forward pass was made the referee was to blow his whistle the moment the play was detected. This denied the defending side from making a possible interception of the pass.

The meeting was one of the best attended and one of the most representative ever held. Leo Leahy represented Harvard, Tad Jones was there for Yale, H. J. Hollenbach for Syracuse and Frank Cavanaugh for Dartmouth.

Others present were E. Robinson, Brown; Nelson Metcalf and Tom Thorp, Columbia; Harry Kersberg, Harvard; Bob Maxwell, Swarthmore; Dave Fultz, Brown; Joe Pendleton, Bowdoin; Judge Evans, Williams; Fred Murphy, Brown; Fred Dawson, Union; E. Newton, Williams; Bill Okeson, Lehigh; W. S. Langford, Trinity; Dr. Talbot, Haverford, and Chic Marshall, Harvard.

SCHEDULED BOXING BOUTS.

TO-NIGHT.

Stadium A. C.—Johnny Kid Alberts vs. Jack Smith.

Empire A. C.—Jim Healy vs. Jack Clifford.

Westside A. C.—Billy Fawkes vs. Young Zulu Kid.

Pioneer A. C.—Johnny Murray vs. Young Nelson.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19.

Broadway A. C.—Phil Bloom vs. Johnny Howard.

Harlem A. C.—Harry Gaffney vs. Jack Palmer.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.

Pioneer S. C.—Willie Ryan vs. Fighting Joe Roland. Walter Laurell vs. Farmer Sullivan.

Katoura Again Wins the Brenton Reef Cup Race

Robert E. Tod's Big Schooner Successfully Defends Famous Trophy, Defeating Morton F. Plant's Elena by More Than an Hour—Betters Record.

Robert E. Tod's big schooner yacht Katoura has successfully defended the Brenton Reef cup. She crossed the finish line in the 264 mile race at 9:17:50 yesterday morning, thereby defeating Morton F. Plant's Elena, the challenger, by 1 hour 21 minutes 18 seconds. The Elena arrived at 10:39:30. The Katoura's elapsed time for the course, 22 hours 17 minutes 17 seconds, beats the best previous record, made by the Katoura last year, by 5 hours 28 minutes 48 seconds.

The Elena and Katoura started from Ambrose lightship at 11:00:33 and 11:00:55 respectively on Saturday morning in a strong breeze from north by west, which gave them a fair wind all the way to the turning point, Brenton Reef lightship, off Newport.

The Katoura took the lead soon after the start and off Quogue, L. I., she was leading by 10 minutes 40 seconds. Off Montauk the Elena, it is said, was about three miles astern of her opponent and when they rounded the Brenton Reef beacon the Katoura had a lead of some 19 minutes.

Fast Time on Return Trip.

The wind holding strong from the northward, both yachts made fast time on the return trip, but the Elena was never able to overhaul her swift rival. The cup, according to the conditions governing races for it, may be held by the winning yacht for thirty days and it is then subject to challenge again.

Although the cup was originally offered by Commodore Bennett in 1872 there have only been eleven races for the prize. In 1885 it was taken to England by Sir Richard Sutton, Bart. It stayed in England until 1904, when it was brought home by Wilson Marshall. The winners of the trophy are as follow:

Year.	Yacht.	Owner
1887	Dreadnaught	A. B. Stockwell
1893	Enchantress	J. P. Loubat
1897	Iliec	Samuel L. Colgate
1898	Genesta	Sir Richard Sutton, Bart.
1899	Irex	J. Jameson
1903	Wendur	T. B. C. West
1908	Britannia	H. R. H. the Prince of Wales
1910	Atlantic	Wilson Marshall
1911	Atlantic	Wilson Marshall
1914	Forfeited to Katoura	Robert E. Tod
1915	Katoura	Robert E. Tod

The summary of this year's race follows:

RACE FOR THE BRENTON REEF CUP—START, A. M., SEPT. 16—COURSE, 264 MILES

Yacht and Owner.	Sept. 17 Finish. H.M.S.	Elapsed Time H.M.S.
Katoura, Robert E. Tod	9 17 50	22 17 17
Elena, Morton F. Plant	10 39 30	22 38 28

NYACK TENNIS CUP FOR THROCKMORTON

National Junior Champion Beats Bassford, but Loses a Set in Final.

NYACK, N. Y., Sept. 17.—With the completion of the men's singles and the mixed doubles the annual lawn tennis tournament of the Nyack Country Club was wound up this afternoon. The winner in the men's singles was Harold A. Throckmorton, national junior champion, while in the mixed doubles Miss Florence Ballin and Throckmorte took the cups.

In the singles Throckmorton defeated Abraham Bassford, Jr., 6—2, 6—3, 2—6, 6—2. In the mixed doubles Miss Ballin and Throckmorton defeated Mrs. George Chapman and Bassford, 7—5, 6—3.

Except in the losing set Throckmorton was at his best against Bassford. He had plenty of speed and was especially effective with his service. Invariably he was able to land the first ball in fair territory. Bassford could do little more than pop up the service in a sort of half lob, which Throckmorton smothered on the volley.

The third set found Throckmorton winded after he had reached a lead of 2—0. With his younger rival puffing badly, Bassford began to feed Throckmorton lobs. Bassford also showed a fine change of pace and Throckmorton grew wilder with each game. Bassford ran off six games in succession and Throckmorton looked very shaky.

They went in for a rest of about ten minutes and when they resumed play Throckmorton just ran away with the deciding set. His speed of the first two sets and his ability to deliver the first ball on service returned and Bassford was once more forced to fall back on the defensive. The youngster smashed down the side lines and for the corners and played like a real champion at the net. His effectiveness in volleying reminded one of George M. Church at his best.

The first set of the mixed doubles match was a hard fought affair, but it made Mrs. Chapman and Bassford easy victims in the second set. In the final Miss Ballin and Throckmorton worked up a lead of 4—0. Then Mrs. Chapman and Bassford got going, and taking five games in succession went into the lead at 5—4. Then Miss Ballin and Throckmorton rallied and won three games in a row for the set.

DOUBLES CHAMPIONS WIN.

Johnston and Griffin Defeat Mathey and Davis in Tri-State Final.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 17.—William M. Johnston and Clarence J. Griffin, both of California, national doubles champions, defeated Willis E. Davis of California and Dean Mathey of New York in the final of the doubles in the tri-State tennis tournament which closed today. The score was 8—6, 3—7, 6—2, 5—7, 8—6.

Play for the championship was started yesterday, but was called on account of darkness, with each team having won two sets, and Mathey and Davis leading in the fifth, at 3—1.

TENNIS AT NEW YORK A. C.

Three Players Enter Semi-final Round at Travers Island.

A. T. Bojer, F. Laughlan and Dr. A. G. Keane entered the semi-final round of the closed tennis tournament of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island yesterday afternoon. H. L. Bowman and W. F. Low will meet to decide which is to be the fourth member in the round before the final.

Bojer defeated R. C. Black, 6—2, 6—3. Laughlan scored over Connie Tomlinson, now a fast swimmer, 6—3, 11—9. Dr. Keane eliminated C. F. Bennett, 6—0, 6—0.

TENNIS CUP FOR DIONNE.

Veteran Defeats Reimer in Marine and Field Cup Final.

In the much postponed final of the annual tennis tournament of the Marine and Field Club at Bath Beach yesterday afternoon, G. A. L. Dionne defeated Lincoln Reimer, 6—2, 6—2, 6—4.

The victory gave Dionne a third leg on the trophy and with it went permanent possession of the cup. It was an important match for both, as Reimer had also won two legs on the prize.

Dionne played his usual steady game, as Reimer tried to come to the net and smash. Usually he smashed into the net.

Spaldings in New Quarters.

Completely remodelled, the building at 523 Fifth avenue, adjoining the Harriman National Bank, will be hereafter known as the Spalding Building, and occupied exclusively by A. G. Spalding & Bros. In addition to the regulation Spalding line of athletic goods, the new store will contain also several departments which the locality necessitates.

JIM SMITH JOINS PIRATES.

James Smith, whom Manager Callahan of the Pirates sent to Toronto last spring under an optional agreement, checked in at the Pittsburg's hotel yesterday.

GIRL SMASHES RECORD AT GLENCOE A.C.GAMES

May Kahl Sprints 150 Yards in 24 2-5 Seconds—Glencoe Beats Union Settlement.

While the athletes of the Glencoe A. C. were administering a severe defeat to the team of the Union Settlement Club in a dual track and field meet at Glencoe Field yesterday a sturdy miss named May Kahl was hanging up a new track record for girl sprinters. She won a dash at 150 yards from a quartet of girls in sensational style. She was much faster than any of her opponents and finished more than ten yards ahead of the field. She was timed in 24 2-5 seconds, four-fifths of a second faster than any girl ever negotiated the distance over that track.

The Glencoe athletes had little difficulty beating the Settlement lads. They rolled up 47 points to their opponents 30.

50 Yard Dash—Won by Fred Teschner, Glencoe A. C.; Dempsey, Union Settlement A. C., second; A. O'Keefe, Union Settlement A. C., third; S. Labou, Glencoe A. C., fourth. Time, 6 1-5 seconds.

220 Yard Dash—Won by Fred Teschner, Glencoe A. C.; S. Labou, Glencoe A. C., second; E. Feariman, Glencoe A. C., third; E. Serba, Union Settlement A. C., fourth. Time, 25 seconds.

Half Mile Run—Won by A. Meyerheim, Glencoe A. C.; E. Camp, Glencoe A. C., second; W. Sheridan, Glencoe A. C., third; W. Braunstein, Glencoe A. C., fourth. Time, 2 minutes 14 seconds.

Two Mile Run—Won by E. Camp, Glencoe A. C.; E. Reiger, Glencoe A. C., second; J. Gross, Union Settlement A. C., third; W. Braunstein, Glencoe A. C., fourth. Time, 10 minutes 37 seconds.

Running High Jump—Won by H. Kessler, Union Settlement; P. Dempsey, Union Settlement, 4 feet 10 inches, second; A. Meyer, Glencoe A. C., 4 feet 8 inches, third; J. Dolan, Union Settlement A. C., 4 feet 6 inches, fourth.

Running Broad Jump—Won by S. Labou, Glencoe A. C., 18 feet; A. Jones, H. Hoffman, Glencoe A. C., 17 feet 8½ inches, second; J. Schwartz, Union Settlement, 17 feet 7 inches, third; F. Teschner, Glencoe A. C., 17 feet 4½ inches, fourth.

12 Pound Shot Put—Won by J. Dolan, Union Settlement, 45 feet 1½ inches; D. Rosenberg, Union Settlement, 45 feet 1½ inches, second; W. Spengler, Union Settlement, 38 feet 4 inches, third; J. Marko witz, Union Settlement, 38 feet 4 inches, fourth.

Girls Race, 150 Yards, Harlem Championships—Won by May Kahl, Glencoe A. C.; Mai Moisson, Glencoe A. C., second; Lillian Loschner, Glencoe A. C., third. Time, 24 2-5 seconds.

ANITA A DOUBLE WINNER.

George P. Granbery's Yacht Best in Handicap Class Races.

In a light breeze fifteen yachts of the handicap class sailed the annual race of the handicap class organization on the Sound yesterday. By reason of the light airs and calms slow time was made over the course of eleven and a half miles off New Rochelle.

George P. Granbery's Anita proved the winner of the first prize in the first division. She also was the winner of the officers' cup. In the second division J. L. Mitchell's Mediator was from the Clare by 5 minutes 22 seconds and in the third division A. J. Dealy's Ogeemah won. The summary follows:

HANDICAP CLASS, FIRST DIVISION—START 1:35—COURSE, 11½ MILES

Yacht and Owner.	Finish. H.M.S.	Elapsed Time H.M.S.
Anita, G. P. Granbery	5 22 40	3 49 40
Alicia, J. W. and E. P. Alker	5 30 11	3 56 11
Carolina, A. W. Lockwood	5 45 29	4 10 29
Sachem, H. M. B. Metcalf	5 47 04	4 12 04
Waseka, W. L. Coursen	5 47 12	4 12 12
Aleia, G. C. Muller	5 51 01	4 16 01
Pontiac, Dr. Carson	Did not finish.	
Senora, W. H. Farrell	Did not finish.	
Corrected times: Anita, 3:50:11; Sachem, 4:12:04; Waseka, 4:12:08; Aleia, 4:16:01; Carolina, 4:16:29.		

HANDICAP CLASS, SECOND DIVISION—START 1:35—COURSE, 11½ MILES

Yacht and Owner.	Finish. H.M.S.	Elapsed Time H.M.S.
Mediator, J. L. Mitchell	6 12 12	4 55 12
Clare, P. C. Pfeiffer	6 17 00	4 42 00
Vela, George Chadwick	6 21 51	4 51 51
Sally IV., A. E. Black	Did not finish.	
Wing, Grace and Loewy	Did not finish.	
Corrected times: Mediator, 4:55:12; Clare, 4:42:00; Vela, 4:49:51.		

HANDICAP CLASS, THIRD DIVISION—START, 1:35—COURSE, 11½ MILES.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish. H.M.S.	Elapsed Time H.M.S.
Ogeemah, A. J. Dealy	6 33 10	4 58 10
Twinkle, S. C. Hunter	Did not finish.	

VICTORY FOR SEWARD A. A.

Its Lads Beat Clark House Boys in Dual Meet, 45 to 15.

The athletes of the Seward A. A. were victorious yesterday in a dual meet with the Clark House boys. The meet was staged at Seward Oval. The victors compiled a total of 45 points, just three times as many as their opponents rallied.

Martin Loeb of the Seward Club was the star performer of the day. He won the 880 yard walk, the running broad jump and finished third in the 100 yard run. The summaries:

100 Yard Run—Won by L. Pike, Seward A. A.; J. Lichtman, Clark House, second; M. Loeb, Seward A. A., third. Time, 11 2-5 seconds.

50 Yard Run—Won by S. Greenberg, Seward A. A.; A. Pareskel, Seward A. A., second; J. Lichtman, Clark House, third. Time, 5 2-5 seconds.

440 Yard Run—Won by A. Fried, Seward A. A.; H. Jacobs, Clark House, second; S. Greenberg, Seward A. A., third. Time, 2 minutes 20 seconds.

880 Yard Walk—Won by M. Loeb, Seward A. A.; M. Krinsky, Seward A. A., second; H. Jacobs, Clark House, third. Time, 4 minutes.

Running High Jump—A. Celler, Seward A. A.; A. Pareskel, Seward A. A., and M. Schwim, Seward A. A., a triple tie, with 4 feet 9 inches.

Running Broad Jump—Won by M. Loeb, Seward A. A., with 16 feet 3 inches; A. Pareskel, Seward A. A., second, with 16 feet 1 inch; J. Lichtman, Clark House, third, with 16 feet.

EARLY TO HERALD JONES AS CHAMPION

Southern Boy Needs Further Title Play Experience Before Being Crowned.

STYMIE STILL STICKS

By JOHN G. ANDERSON.

Rumors and counter rumors always fly round after a tournament of national importance. Since coming back from Merion I have heard more wonderful stories of the play of Bobby Jones from those who never have seen him golf—more tales of the wonderful nature of the course and its perfection—together with other incidents that it is almost a duty to try to set matters right.

First about young Jones. Is he destined to be a world beater, a second Harry Vardon, as so many would have us believe? Granted that he has the shots, that his play from the tee to the green is well nigh perfect as regards form, distance and also recovery, there should be at least a mixture of moderation in claiming for him future championships. Those who have made predictions that he would get to the semi-final round next year—and there are not a few of these—are at the short end of the odds. It is about 3 to 1 that he does not qualify, those being the odds against any but three or four golfers in this country.

Who would have imagined for a minute that Philip Carter, Reginald Lewis, Paul Hunter, Maurice Risley and other young players would fail to make the championship division along at least with four other players of championship class? Surely the calibre of the game of these golfers plus all their experience offsets to a great degree the natural ability of the young Georgia phenomenon.

Praise Not Needed.

I would not for an instant belittle the game as displayed by the youthful State champion, for he is a very good friend of mine. I admire his play and never hesitate to praise it, but experience has proved in many cases that too high praise does not make for the benefit of the golfer so honored.

I am inclined to the opinion of the well known professional Herbert Strong, who said in speaking of Jones: "He's a wonder all right, but don't claim any championships of a national nature for him until he repeats in national circles his great record of this year. You know he may start playing next spring and for the first time find some kind of a kink in his swing or fail a few times in the making of a mashie shot.

"Expert instruction may not avail for the moment and then he will begin to think and think hard about his play with the attendant result that his game will not improve. It may be that he will not be able to get back that slight, say his extra fine cut mashie shot for a year and his whole game will suffer in consequence. As he grows older he begins to figure for himself more than he has in the past and then the hard struggle with fate, golding fortune and proper stroke execution begins."

Time Makes Difference.

I am inclined to the belief that we must wait a year or two before passing judgment on the future possibilities of the golfing ability of the Georgia prodigy. I doubt if there is a golfer today who has the same manner of swing which he had when fourteen, this statement applying only of course to the younger generation of players.

Francis Ouimet's swing for the drive differs greatly from his past style. Reginald Lewis in the short space of two years has changed the very the swing which he had at Ekwanok—not changed it consciously perhaps, but it is a different one from his former drive swing. Philip Carter's swing has changed in the past three years, in his case the change being for the better, as he long had a powerful hook, which discounted direction in a dangerous manner. Clark Corkran has added looser wrist action to his drive and to-day few there are who can distance him from the tee.

If we wished to go through the whole list we would find changes in every one, the result of imitation, conscious effort, study, or general improvement in excellence or diminished power, with no apparent reason. It is the law of the game that changes come and go, they are common to all, even the very best of players, and we have no proof that some changes which may not be for the betterment of a game may come to Master Jones.

Stymie Questions Again.

There is not much use in talking about the stymie, perhaps because we have it on the authority of the executive committee of the U. S. G. A. that nothing will be done until the end of the war, and perhaps little be accomplished then. But a few enlightening statistics coming out of the Merion tournament may indicate the feelings of the players and the public in general.

From what I could gather from newspapers and personal talks with the match play competing golfers there were in excess of sixty stymies in the play, and, remarkable as that may seem in point of numbers, the added fact that only eight were successfully negotiated is more interesting. In each of these circumstances there was a chance for the ball to be cut around, but in the great majority of stymies it was a clear case of either jumping the ball at great risk or playing safe.

It is idle talk for people to say that every stymie can be successfully negotiated. A man might try all day when his opponent's ball was on the lip of the cup and he was five feet or three feet or two feet away and not hole his ball without touching the other, and that happened many a time at Merion.

No Justice in Rule.

In my match with Ned Sawyer we had seven stymies and not a single one gave the other a chance for the hole. Three were where the rear balls were not over a foot from the hole, and the other ball hanging on a slightly down hill slope was on the edge of the cup. Where was the justice in a rule which took two holes from him and one from me in these special instances and in other cases blocked off effectively any chance for holding the ball?

Golf is too much a game of chance on the putting green, what with perfect action and distance judgment and the other attributes which go for putting perfection needed without bringing in an element of luck which is foreign to golfing strokes. Both Sawyer and myself, like all other players who have a chance at the championship flight, practise stymie jumping and try oftentimes to play the shot even at the risk of knocking an opponent in, but when the ball is left in such a position the chances are ten or twenty or fifty to one against success.

Not a single golfer or golfdom was in favor of the retention of the stymie so far as I could discover. What more proof is needed to make a change? If a vote of the half million United States golfers was taken to-day it would stand, I verily believe, 499,000 to 1,000 in favor of abolishing the stymie.

SENIOR GOLFERS TO TEE OFF THIS WEEK

Will Gather at Apawamis Links for Annual Tournament To-morrow.

OTHER TIMELY GOSSIP

The seniors golfers will gather at Apawamis to-morrow for their twelfth annual tournament, which will last four days. As was the case a year ago the veterans will be divided into two sections, the first group playing to-morrow and Wednesday and the second on Thursday and Friday. The usual age classes have been provided for and a record number of entries is expected.

Only golfers fifty-five years of age or more are eligible to play in the seniors' tourney, which each year attracts entrants from every section of the country. It has grown to be a national institution in the world of golf, although when it was started the members of the Apawamis Club had little idea of the future which awaited it.

Pro Golfers' Qualifying Round.

The qualifying golf round to select the twelve metropolitan competitors for the Wanamaker prizes will be played on Friday, September 29, on the course of the Inwood Country Club. It will be open only to members of the Professional Golfers Association of America who live within the limits of the metropolitan section and will consist of a thirty-six hole medal play test.

No important tournament has ever been played on the Inwood links, so few golfers realize just how good the course is. It measures 6,482 yards and par is 74, so the professionals will not be able to count upon an easy time and record breaking scores, only the twelve leaders on September 29 will be eligible to compete in the match play tourney at Siwanoy in October, and as the field at Inwood will be a big one the rivalry for the dozen places will be keen.

Good Scores at Wilmington.

Complete returns from the qualifying round for the southeastern section at Wilmington last week show the excellence of the scores made by the five professionals who qualified. They were: Jack Hutchinson, 73, 74—147; James M. Barnes, 72, 75—147; Wilfred R. Reid, 74, 74—148; Emmet J. French, 73, 76—149; James R. Thomson, 74, 77—151.

Charles Hoffner tied with Jimmie Thomson for fifth place and they played off the tie.

It was a rather remarkable playoff, for when they began the ninth hole Thomson was four strokes behind and seemed hopelessly beaten. He suddenly came to life, however, and came home in 32, making six 5s and three 5s. His score for the round was 75, and he beat Hoffner by a single stroke.

Two Victories for Cockburn.

A. H. Cockburn won two prizes yesterday afternoon at the Knollwood Country Club at White Plains. He carried off the house committee cup in the thirty-six hole competition against bogey and was low score for the Evans plate. He won the house committee cup 11 up. T. E. Wilcox was 5 up, E. T. Fox 4 up, W. T. Koch 4 up, W. D. Brown 2 down, E. G. Stow 2 down, J. H. Emery 3 down, F. S. Armstrong 3 down, R. H. Bateson 4 down, and F. Prentice 4 down.

Mr. Cockburn's score for the Evans plate was 66. Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Emery each returned a 67.

Wins Playground Title.

W. Robertson won the playground golf championship, open to playground boys, at Pratt Field yesterday. His opponent, James Carey, played fine golf up to the last few holes, when he fell down on several easy shots. Robertson, after a very poor start, won 2 and 1.

In the second round of the club championship of the Malba Field and Marine Club yesterday H. H. Hamilton beat F. Ramson, 1 up, J. W. Stanley beat G. C. Trumbull, 3 up and 2 to play, and C. B. Woodrow beat B. Porter, 1 up and 3 to play.

Oakland Golf Club Results.

L. M. Rodgers won a flag competition on the links of the Oakland Golf Club yesterday when, after traversing the eighteen holes, he still had a stroke left and brought up near the first green. He was allotted 7 strokes on a handicap of 6. S. B. Thorn, who was allotted 32 strokes on his handicap of 11, finished second.

Morel P. Lewis won the final in the president's cup series on the Flushing Country Club's links yesterday, defeating A. Weymouth by 2 up in 36 holes. Gardiner W. Wilt, as one of the sixteen to qualify, had defeated his match in one of the earlier rounds when he was in Philadelphia practising for the amateur championship.

A Weymouth won the September cup with a card of 87—12, 75. The other leading scores were: A. C. Potter, 94—17, 77; C. A. Neamith, 92—14, 78; C. H. Stevick, 92—13, 79.

MARSTON GOLF WINNER.

Scores Over Plen[illegible] Play Off of Equinox C[illegible] Journey.

MANCHESTER, Vt., Sept. 17.—Max R. Marston of Baltusrol won the playoff of the tie for the low score medal of the Equinox cup tournament at Ekwanok Country Club this morning, winning from R. D. Pierce of Brae Burn by a margin of four strokes.

J. L. Gilmer of Mount Anthony defeated C. M. Clark of Philadelphia C. C. 4 up and 2 to play in the final of the second sixteen, and W. S. Carleton of Brae Burn defeated C. F. Schmidt of Sleepy Hollow by 2 up and 6 to play in the third division.

TIGERS TAKE LONG HIKE.

Coach Rush Leads Princetonians Over Ten Mile Mountain Trail.

LAKE MINNEWASKA, N. Y., Sept. 17.—With John Rush, head coach, in the van, the Princeton football players at Lake Minnewaska took a hike of ten miles at a fairly fast clip over the mountains today. Several veterans from last year's eleven put in an appearance over the week end, so that with a few exceptions the squad is nearly complete.

Several of the players are unable to get up to the camp. Cowan, a substitute centre, is driving an ambulance in France, while Parisette, a varsity tackle last year, will not be able to get away from the Mexican border for some time.

Included among the new arrivals at the camp are Shane Ames, a quarter, and Bob Nourse, a guard. Hinkley and Eberstadt are expected to report tomorrow.

OLYMPIC A. C. BOUTS.

While there are no sensational matches carded for the present week, still there are a number of bouts to be staged that should furnish excellent entertainment.

There will be considerable curiosity to see if Jim Healy, the new Irish champion, can score his tenth knockout in succession. He is to face Jack Clifford at the Olympic A. C. to-night, and Healy will have more trouble with Clifford than with most of his previous victims.

WITH THE SEMI-PRO AND AMATEUR BASEBALL TEAMS

At Ridgewood Grounds.

One of the biggest crowds of the season saw the Royal Giants lose one game and win the second in a double bill at Wallace's Ridgewood grounds yesterday. In the curtain raiser the Royals were defeated by the Bushwicks, 4 to 1, and in the sunset tilt they beat the Ironsides, 4 to 0. The scores:

FIRST GAME

ROYAL GIANTS.	ab	r	h	o	a	e	BUSHWICK.	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Hewett, ss	4	0	1	2	0		Brown, 2b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Webster, lf	3	0	1	0	0		Egan, cf	4	1	1	3	1	
Santop, 1b	2	1	0	9	0		Flannery, ss	4	0	1	1	3	
Earle, cf	4	0	1	2	0		Tagner, 1b	2	0	1	2	1	0
Handy, 2b	3	0	0	4	1		F. Schneider, lb	2	0	0	12	0	0
Will'ms, rf	4	0	1	0	0		King, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Harvey, p	4	0	0	1	0		A. Schneider, rf	4	1	1	0	0	
Gatew'd, c	3	0	0	7	2		Hohman, c	3	1	0	4	1	0
Miller, 3b	3	0	1	0	0		Grant, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	1	4	24	3	4	Totals	30	4	5	27	12	1

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Royal Giants	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Bushwick	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	x	4

First base on errors—Royal Giants, 1; Bushwick, 2. Two base hits—A. Schneider, Williams. Three base hits—Brown, Egan. Sacrifice hits—King. Stolen bases—Tagner, 2, Hewett, Brown. Left on bases—Royal Giants, 6; Bushwick, 11. Double plays—Egan, Brown and F. Schneider; Tagner and F. Schneider; Brown, Flannery and F. Schneider. Bases on balls—Off Harvey, 7, off Girard, 3. Struck out—By Harvey, 7; by Girard, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Harvey, 1 (Tagner); by Girard, 2 (Handy, King). Wild pitch—Girard. Passed ball—Hohman. Umpire—Frank Wilson. Time of game—1 hour and 38 minutes.

At Ridgewood Grounds (2d game)—

Ironsides	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Royal Giants	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	x	4	7	1

Batteries—Hass and Davis; Williams and Gatewood.

At Lenox Oval.

The Bronx Eagles defeated the Jeffersons in a double header at Lenox Oval by scores of 8 to 5 and 4 to 0. Both games were keenly contested. The Eagles were to have played the All Cubans, but the Cubans suddenly decided to go South and took passage for Porto Rico last Saturday afternoon. The scores:

JEFFERSON J. C.	ab	r	h	o	a	e	BRONX EAGLES.	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Seizer, lb	4	0	0	6	0	0	Wagner, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Moulton, 1	4	0	1	0	0	0	Ryan, 2b	4	1	1	3	1	0
E. A. Hy'ms, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0	Sarzer, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0
Hanny, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0	Schneider, lb	4	0	1	9	0	0
Keane, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0	Plate, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hammy, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0	Schepp, c	4	0	0	7	0	0
Deegan, p	3	0	1	1	0	0	Keane, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Totals	34	5	6	12	1	0	Hammy, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
							Deegan, p	4	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	34	0	2	14	12		Totals	34	4	7	27	3	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Bronx Eagles	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	x	4
Jefferson J. C.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

First base on errors—Eagles, 3. Two base hits—Hanny, Keane. Stolen bases—Hanny, Ryan, Schneider, Keane. Left on bases—Eagles, 4; Jeffersons, 1. Double plays—Schneider and Ryan; E. K. Bailey and Seizer. Bases on balls—Off Deegan, 1; off Jerry, 5. Struck out—By Deegan, 7; by Jerry, 4. Umpire—Mr. Edwards. Time of game—1 hour and 35 minutes.

At Lenox Oval, first game—

Bronx Eagles	0	2	0	3	1	2	1	0	x	8	11	0
Jefferson J. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	5	11	1

Batteries—Bartel, Deegan and Plate; Bailey and Hebbleweite.

At Olympic Field.

The Lincoln Giants smothered the Chinese team of the University of Hawaii yesterday in a return game at Olympic Field, the Hawaiians winning by a score of 12 to 1. The locals bombarded Apau, fifteen hits being garnered off the delivery of the Hawaiian. Redding allowed only four hits. In the first game the Lincoln Giants defeated the Cheesters, 8 to 1.

Next Sunday the Lincoln Giants will tackle the Royal Giants in a double header. The scores:

LINCOLN GIANTS	ab	r	h	o	a	e	CHINESE	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Poles, cf	4	1	2	0	0		Chin, lb	5	0	1	3	2	0
Braggins, lb	5	2	1	2	1		Yim, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Wiley, c	4	1	0	0	0		Lai, 3b	3	0	1	2	1	0
Wallace, ss	4	2	1	0	0		Sun, rf	3	0	1	5	0	1
Pettus, lf	4	2	1	0	0		Lai, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Thomas, rf	4	1	0	0	0		Ayau, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Pierce, ss	4	1	2	2	1		Leong, lb	3	1	1