# Colgate, Dartmouth, Navy and Fordham Football Teams Definitely Establish Their Places Among Best in the East

## CORNELL'S STATUS IN FOOTBALL LOW

### Colgate Gave Ithacans Another Setback and Again Established Its Strength.

### DARTMOUTH FORMIDABLE

### Developed Powerful Defence Against West Virginia—Navy Sprang Surprise.

By DANIEL.

To segregate any one feature in the mass of college football results of last Saturday is rather a difficult task for the neutral reviewer. It's hard to say whether Dartmouth's definite assumption of a place in the sun at the expense of West Virginia outshines Colgate's first warning, by way of Ithaca, that comparatively it is just as formidable as it was last season.

It is a matter of opinion, or perhaps sympathies, whether these salient points deserve mention ahead of the Navy's sudden rise against the Carlisle Indians, Pittsburg's further emphasis of its excellence against Syracuse or Fordham's indication of top rank calibre in the victory over Holy Cross.

One decision easily is arrived at—Cornell's eleven is a rank failure. Such was the suspicion after Dr. Sharpe's team had been whipped by Williams a week ago last Saturday, and it was settled when Colgate trounced the Ithacans by 20 to 0 and Williams was held to only two touchdowns by little Hamilton.

We have a suspicion that Colgate might have made the score bigger had it gone out to rub it in, but the policy at Colgate always has been to develop the team along even lines and never to rush it. On the other hand, Cornell, still feeling the sting of the Williams defeat, was worked up to the highest pitch, but that availed little against the veteran Colgate backfield.

**Old Colgate Attack.**

Colgate used the same offensive which put it among the leaders last year—a liberal recourse to the old smash off tackle varied with not too frequent or serious forward passes. With Hubbell, Spencer and Gillo behind McBride, the quarterback, who was understudy to Anderson last year, with Carroll again at centre, Castellanos at one end, Woodman, a first class substitute of 1916, at one of the tackles and a filling in of fairly experienced players at the other positions, Colgate was far too strong for the green Cornell combination. It is very unfortunate that the schedule makers at Ithaca gave the Maroon a date so early in the season. The best of Cornell teams probably would have had its hands full with Colgate last Saturday.

The one redeeming feature of Cornell's game was the splendid all around work of Hoffman, the back. He was strong on both attack and defence, but his efforts were set at naught by a weak line. Colvin at left end, heralded as a wing man of the Van Orman type, failed to live up to advance notices. Next Saturday will bring Bucknell to Ithaca and the game will afford some comparison between the Sharpe eleven and Pennsylvania, which won from Bucknell on Saturday by 26 to 6.

**Dartmouth's Strong Defence.**

Dartmouth's victory over West Virginia by 6 to 2 indicated that the Green eleven has developed something which few Dartmouth teams of the past could boast of at this stage of the season—a powerful defence. Three times West Virginia worked its way to Dartmouth's 5 yard line and on each occasion the Hanover line turned back the invaders. Rodgers King and Lentz, the West Virginia backs, played up to expectations, but they were handicapped by a line that was weak in spots.

Dartmouth turned from the open game which it had been using and relied mainly on straight line bucks. McDonough proved himself a worthy general and Neely, the one armed guard, and Youngstrom, on the other side of centre, were the mainstays of the defence.

The Navy's scoring 61 points against the Indians gave another indication of the maze into which comparative scores sometimes will lead the football follower. West Virginia defeated the Navy by 7 to 0. Then West Virgina won from the Indians by 21 to 0. Evidently the midshipmen were about two touchdowns better than Carlisle—and then came that avalanche of nine Navy touchdowns on Saturday. The midshipmen suddenly developed adeptness in the use of the forward pass and in lighting that play and it was mainly through that, in addition to improvement in the line, that Gil Dobie's men won.

**Pitt No Wartime Team.**

There was nothing particularly interesting about the Army's victory over Tufts. Many of the cadet regulars were out of the game and Tufts, which had been beaten by Boston College, was nowhere as strong as in 1916. It was another workout for Oliphant and he showed that he still was in good form. Tufts was fortunate that Vidal and McQuarries could not take their places in the backfield and Vandegraaf could not play in the line for the Army.

In losing to Pittsburg by 20 to 0 Syracuse met the inevitable. There was no hope for a Syracuse victory and very little hope for a Syracuse score. It was a matter of keeping the Pitt total down. In holding Glen Warner's machine to ten points less than the 1916 score Syracuse did its work well.

Look over that Pitts lineup, those of you who were familiar with the Pitt eleven of last year, and the formidable task which Syracuse confronted will be emphasized. Warner has McLaren, Gougler and Easterday in the backfield, with Sies and Sutherland, last season two of the greatest guards in all America, flanking Stuhl. Carlson again is at one end—and that's about all the information you need. That's no wartime eleven.

**Brown Is Handicapped.**

Brown, minus several regulars, had all it could do to win from Charley Brickley's Boston College eleven by 7 to 3. Several other Brown first string men were made unavailable for the game with Colgate next Saturday, and the outlook for a Colgate victory was made brighter at Hamilton.

Pennsylvania once more failed to impress in its victory over Bucknell in their first meeting in nine years. Bucknell got a touchdown and Berry was pretty much the whole works for the Quakers.

Sol Metzger's Washington and Jefferson eleven sprang a surprise on Penn State by 7 to 0. The Presidents put up a rattling good scrap and more than earned their success, which was only the second in the history of their relations with Penn State.

Fordham, in beating Holy Cross by 12 to 0, gave indications of developing into one of the best teams in the East. Columbia began its season with startling success. It was thought that it had some chance of beating Union, but nobody looked for Columbia to score three touchdowns.

New York University had Wesleyan beaten, but a blocked punt turned victory into defeat, by 7 to 6. Stevens, which had beaten Wesleyan and held Haverford to a tie, continued its fine work with a victory over the Naval Aviators from Bayside.

**Rutgers Doing Well.**

In its resumption of football relations with Lafayette, Rutgers scored an expected and easy victory. The Rutgers line, which is green, continued to show improvement. It will need all the improvement of which it is capable to stand off the heavy and hard driving Fordham line next Saturday.

The Maine championship series was started with victories for Bowdoin over Colby and Bates over Maine. Georgetown had no trouble with Lehigh, while Springfield's forward passes fooled Amherst. Trinity beat a Hartford eleven of drafted army men and Norwich came to life and whipped Middlebury. St. Lawrence scored an unlooked for triumph over Hobart.

In the South the biggest surprise of the day in any section of the country was sprung. Georgie Tech overwhelmed Washington and Lee by 63 to 0. Last season they played a scoreless tie for the Southern leadership. In the far West Hugo Bezdek's Oregon eleven was whipped by Lone Star Dietz's Washington State team, 26 to 3—rather an unusual occurrence.

## FOUR SURVIVE FOR CONFERENCE TITLE

### Ohio State, Illinois, Minnesota and Chicago Still in the Football Running.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Four teams, Ohio State, Illinois, Minnesota and Chicago, remain in the race for the "big ten" football championship as a result of games played yesterday. Wisconsin, Purdue and Indiana were eliminated. Neither Michigan nor Iowa is considered in the running. Michigan has only one conference game this season and Iowa has suffered two upsets.

Favorites came through yesterday on the winning end. Illinois outplayed Wisconsin in every department of the game winning 7 to 0. The contest uncovered a new star in Leonard Charpier, a 208 pound Chicagoan, who scored Illinois's only touchdown. Besides revealing remarkable punting ability, Charpier displayed drive and power in carrying the ball.

Higgins, a fullback, playing his first year in the line, was an important factor in Chicago's 27 to 0 triumph over Purdue. He played a brand of football seldom seen on Stagg Field. He scored three of Chicago's touchdowns and hurled a forward pass that brought the fourth.

After playing Minnesota almost on even terms for two periods Indiana gave way before a series of baffling plays and lost, 33 to 9. The Hoosiers took the field without the services of Capt. Hathaway. Hauser, the Minnesota tackle, played a sensational game.

Notre Dame gave the powerful Nebraska eleven one of the closest contests in years, and succeeded in holding the Cornhuskers to a single touchdown. The Hoosiers made only one threatening attack, driving the ball to Nebraska's eight yard line. But the charges of the Notre Dame backs were stopped and they lost their chances on an intercepted forward pass.

Iowa suffered another setback, losing 10 to 0 to Grinnell. Michigan was given only a milk fight by the Michigan Aggies.

## BENDER BEATS KINGSBRIDGE.

### Indian, Pitching for All Stars, Wins, 8 to 4.

Chief Bender, pitching for the All Stars, defeated the crack Kingsbridge Athletics yesterday at Dyckman Oval by a score of 8 to 4. Bender scored two of his team's runs. Next Sunday the Kingsbridge team will wind up its season with the final game of the championship series with the Highbridge Athletics. The score:

| ALL STARS. | ab | r | h | o | a | e | KINGSBRIDGE. | ab | r | h | o | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mercer, cf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Meara, rf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Molloy, 2b | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Camp'ni, 2b | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| McGuire, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Kelly, 1b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Miller, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Damrau, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 5 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | Haefele, lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Brandt, rf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Brown, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| Dolan, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | Harrison, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Morrow, ss | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | Heb'walts, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Bender, p | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Woods, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | | | | | | McGarry, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 8 | 10 | 27 | 9 | 3 | Totals | 40 | 4 | 9 | 27 | 10 | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| All Stars | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | —8 | Kingsbridge | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |

First base on errors—Kingsbridge, 3; All Stars, 4. Two base hits—Molloy, McGuire, Meara, Kelly, Harrison. Home run—McGuire. Sacrifice hit—Kelly. Stolen bases—Miller, 2. Left on bases—Kingsbridge, 3; All Stars, 3. Bases on balls—Off Bender, 3; off McGarry, 2. Struck out—By Bender, 3; by McGarry, 1; by Woods, 2 in 3 innings. Hit by pitcher—By McGarry, 1. Hits—Off Woods, 5 in 2 innings; off McGarry, 6 in 7 innings. Umpire—H. Tone. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes.

## WITH LOCAL SOCCERS.

### Clan MacDuffs Among Winners in League Games.

Despite the fact that they were minus their regular goal keeper Clan MacDuff's soccer players kept up their unbeaten record in the New York State League yesterday by defeating the Overseas Wanderers by 4 goals to 1 on the C. C. N. Y. Stadium. Leahy of the Wanderers was the first to notch a goal, but thereafter Clan MacDuff kept the game well in hand. Connelly and Hollins scored in the first half and McLaughlin and Hollins in the second.

The Morse Dry Dock team was defeated by La Sultana soccers in a New York State League game at Astoria Field yesterday by a one sided score of 7 goals to 1. La Sultanas finished the first half with a 4 to 0 lead, Dundas scoring all four. In the second half Dundas added two more and Lee one. Near the close of the game Sanderson stopped a shutout for the visitors.

While the Bethlehem Football Club won in New York the Paterson club kept pace with the A. F. A. champions by winning in the National Football League series yesterday. The league results in New Jersey yesterday were:

Scottish Americans 3, West Hudsons 1, at Clark's Field, East Newark.

Paterson 4, Babcock & Wilcox 1, at Olympic Park, Paterson.

Disston A. A. 4, Jersey A. C. 0, at West Side Park, Jersey City.

## TENNIS AT MONTCLAIR.

### Semi-finals Are Reached in Club Title Tournament.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Oct. 21.—The semi-finals in the lawn tennis championship contest of the Montclair Athletic Club were played yesterday. The finals will be played on Saturday. Wallace McBurney beat L. G. French, 6—3, 6—3, and G. L. Wyeth beat F. A. Seller, 6—2, 6—3, in yesterday's matches.

## SPEEDWAY RECORD FOR LIZZIE MARCH

### Hangs Up Two Heat Mark by Pacing the Half Mile in 1:00 and 1:01 1-2.

John H. Lawrence of Hoboken, behind the chestnut mare Lizzie March, in winning the 1:05 pace on the Harlem River Speedway yesterday hung up a two heat record for the season, when the mare traveled the two half miles in 1:00 and 1:01½. It was the first outing for the winner since early last spring, when she was first introduced to the followers of racing on the drive as a green pacer, and the way in which she raced yesterday should result in her being placed in the fast pace next Sunday to go against Mittie Bedworth from the Murphy stable.

It was an afternoon of fast performances. Six heats were clocked in surprisingly fast time. The victory of Lizzie March proved a good trial. Her opponents in the class, Lustrus McKinney and Countess Kohn, while racing up to their usual good form, afforded little competition for the Jersey mare. In the first heat Lustrus McKinney finished second by two and one-half lengths, and in the closing heat, after carrying Countess Kohl to a break at the quarter mile post, Countess Kohl finished a poor second, four lengths behind.

Mittie Bedworth, driven by Jesse Smith, and Clover Patch, handled by Dave McClary, hooked up in the 1:03 pace, and Smith again showed clean heels to McClary in straight heats. Clover Patch, the one time favorite of the drive, did not show her usual finish. She was a half length behind in the first heat and four lengths in the rear going past the finish in the second meeting. The first heat was clocked in 1:01 and the second two seconds slower.

In winning the 1:09 pace in straight heats Baron A., driven by C. C. Cramer, was timed in the first heat in 1:02½, with Hal Direct, driven by Moe Aronson, second, and W. J. O'Neil, behind Automatism, third. The summaries:

1:07 Class—Trotting:

| | | | Hdcp. | Actual Time. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bon Tod, br. m. (Dr. C. P. Martin) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Courier Boy, b. g. (J. P. Kennedy) | 2 | 2 | | |
| Catherine P., b. m. (E. Carpenter) | 3 | 3 | | |
| Kinetic, ra. m. (W. J. O'Neil) | 4 | 4 | | |

Time—1:05, 1:02½.

Colt Class—Trotting:

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| Miss Wiggins, b. m. ((J. O'Shea) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Josephine B., br. m. (M. Aronson) | 2 | 2 | | |

Time—1:28, 1:27.

1:08 Class—Trotting:

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| Marion Toddington, ch. m. (J. Smith) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Nell McLintock, ra. m. (J. J. Morris) | 2 | 2 | | |

Time—1:03, 1:04½.

1:09 Class—Pacing:

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baron A., b. s. (C. Cramer) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Hal Direct, ch. g. (M. Aronson) | 2 | 3 | | |
| Automatism, br. g. (W. J. O'Neil) | 3 | 2 | | |

Time—1:02½, 1:05.

1:13 Class—Trotting:

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Libby Medium, b. m. (J. F. Dinan) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Fox Dean, br. g. (A. E. Meckel) | 2 | 2 | | |
| Princess May, b. m. (J. Callahan) | 3 | 3 | | |

Time—1:14, 1:13.

1:06 Class—Pacing:

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lizzie March, ch. m. (J. H. Lawrence) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Lustrus McKinney, b. m. (M. F. Kearns) | 2 | 3 | | |
| Countess Kohl, br. m. (A. E. Meckel) | 3 | 2 | | |

Time—1:00, 1:01½.

1:03 Class—Pacing:

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mittie Bedworth, ch. m. (Jesse Smith) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Clover Patch, br. m. (D. McClary) | 2 | 2 | | |

Time—1:01, 1:03.

1:11 Class Trotting:

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| Bessie Baron, b. m. (E. Carpenter) | 2 | 1 | | |
| Hindenburg, br. g. (W. Hammdorf) | 1 | 2 | | |

Time—1:12, 1:10, 1:11.

1:13 Class—Pacing:

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| Oakland Boy, Jr., ch. s. (J. Dunn) | 1 | 1 | | |
| Exultant, br. g. (J. Gilmore) | 2 | 2 | | |

Time—1:13, 1:13.

## LINCOLNS WIN AND TIE.

### Beat Danburys 2 to 0, Then Are Deadlocked With All Leaguers.

The Lincoln Giants, after beating the Danbury team, 2 to 0, played a seven inning 3 to 3 tie with the All Leaguers at Olympic Field yesterday. For some unknown reason Rube Marquard, who was to have pitched for the Leaguers, sent word he could not appear. Al Williams, former Giant, took his place.

Next Sunday the All Leaguers, with Chief Bender and Chief Meyers as the battery, will play the Lincolns. The score:

| LINCOLN GIANTS. | ab | r | h | o | a | e | ALL LEAGUERS. | ab | r | h | o | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ganaca, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Avau, ss | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Wallace, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Breen, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Wiley, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1 | Lai Tin, 3b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Hall, lf, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Meyers, c | 3 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Kimbro, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Ricondia, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Thomas, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Tagueur, lf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pettus, 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | Christ, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| J. Will'ms, p | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Mark, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| Monrin, 2b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | A. Will'ms, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Kennard, rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Totals | 26 | 3 | 7 | 21 | 10 | 2 | Totals | 25 | 3 | 6 | 21 | 8 | 3 |

Called on account of darkness.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| All Leaguers | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —3 | | | |
| Lincoln Giants | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 | | | |

First base on errors—Lincoln Giants, 1. Two base hits—Meyers 2, Gans, Thomas, Pettus. Sacrifice fly—Ricondia. Stolen base—Tagueur. Left on bases—Lincoln Giants, 7; All Leaguers, 6. Double plays—Breen and Mark; Mark (unassisted). Bases on balls—Off Joe Williams, 4; off Al Williams, 3. Struck out—By Joe Williams, 4; by Al Williams, 4. Hit by pitcher—By Al Williams (Joe Williams). Balk—Al Williams. Umpire—Mr. Oldus. Time of game—1 hour and 27 minutes.

At Olympic Field—First game—

| | | | | | | | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Danbury | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 | 5 | 3 | |
| Lincoln Giants | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —2 | 8 | 0 | |

Batteries—Richards and Gough; McDonald and Kennedy.

## FARMERS ANNEX TITLE.

### Defeat Empires in Deciding Game of Championship Series.

The Farmers defeated the Empires in the deciding game of their series at Arctic Park yesterday, 7 to 3. The Glendalers hit Enzmann hard, while Pennington on the other hand twirled consistent ball.

On account of the wide variation of opinion as to the relative ability of both twirlers, another game between the same teams will be played at the park next Sunday. The score:

| FARMERS. | ab | r | h | o | a | e | EMPIRES. | ab | r | h | o | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Will'ms, 3b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 0 | Stock, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Maurer, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Walthers, lf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Braun, c | 5 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | Sheridan, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Damico, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Sandberg, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Crowell, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Pattee, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Dehnicke, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 0 | Weibert, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Sacks, lf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Mundh'k, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Weiss, rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | R'erman, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Pen'gton, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Enzmann, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| Totals | 37 | 7 | 13 | 27 | 10 | 2 | Totals | 31 | 3 | 6 | 27 | 15 | 1 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Farmer B. B. C. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —7 | | |
| Empire City A. A. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —3 | | |

First base on errors—Farmers, 1; Empires, 2. Two base hits—Braun, Dehnicke. Three base hit—Damico. Sacrifice hits—Enzmann, Dehnicke. Sacrifice fly—Damico. Stolen base—Weiss. Left on bases—Farmers, 8; Empires, 4. Double plays—Stock and Mundhenk; Pattee and Weibert. Bases on balls—Off Pennington, 3; by Enzmann, 2. Struck out—By Pennington, 5; by Enzmann, 3. Wild pitch—Enzmann. Passed ball—Braun. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes.

## KANSAS CITY CLUB SOLD.

### John Ganzel, Manager, Among New Stockholders.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 21.—The sale of the Kansas City American Association Baseball Club was announced last night by George Tebeau and his son Robert, majority stockholders. The purchasers are with one exception all local men who have held small blocks of stock in the club for some time. The consideration was not announced.

The new officers of the club are George E. Muehlbach president and treasurer; B. A. Green, secretary; A. L. Cooper, counsel.

John Ganzel, this year's manager of the club, is the new stockholder.

## WILL QUIT BASEBALL.

### Ban Johnson Will Devote Time to War Service if Accepted by Army.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—President Ban Johnson of the American League left to-night for Washington, where to-morrow he will formally offer his services to the Government in connection with the war. The American League executive hopes to be accepted for duty either in this country or France. He proposes to serve without compensation.

Before leaving for the East Johnson said that he is through with baseball until the Kaiser is mopped up.

"There are bigger things than the national pastime to be looked after now," said Ban, "and if accepted for service I will give up baseball as long as I remain in the army."

## LIBERAL HANDICAP HELPS NOVICE WIN

### Tea First Home in Harlem A. L. Road Race—Fast Time Prize for Metzger.

Michael J. Tea of the Glencoe A. C., a novice, yesterday easily won the opening five mile handicap road run of the Harlem Athletic League held over the Glencoe A. C.'s course in The Bronx. Tea, with a liberal handicap of 4 minutes 30 seconds, romped home about 100 yards in front of E. Weimann of the Morningside A. C. in the fine time of 35 minutes 54 seconds.

Tea got off to a good start. He took the lead at the half mile mark. From this point on the little Glencoe athlete never was headed. Weimann, who went into second place at the three mile mark, vainly tried hard to pull up on even terms with Tea, who then was leading by fifteen yards.

L. Metzger of the Morningside Club, who started from scratch, finished third and won the fast time prize. Metzger covered the course in the good time of 32 minutes 17 seconds. Team honors went to the Morningside athletes, with the low score of 23 points. The Glencoe A. C. was second and the Harbrook A. C. third. Of the forty-two starters the first twenty-five to finish follow:

| Pos. | Name and Club. | Hdcp. | Actual Time. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | M. J. Tea, Glencoe A. C. | 4:30 | 35:54 |
| 2 | E. Weimann, Morningside A. C. | 1:00 | 32:44 |
| 3 | L. Metzger, Morningside A.C. | Scratch | 32:17 |
| 4 | I. Lehmann, Morningside A.C. | 0:30 | 32:49 |
| 5 | G. Staib, Glencoe A. C. | 4:30 | 37:20 |
| 6 | S. Kiely, Morningside A.C. | 1:45 | 34:49 |
| 7 | M. Ultnine, Harbrook A. C. | 3:30 | 36:14 |
| 8 | F. Fay, Macombs A. C. | 4:00 | 36:19 |
| 9 | E. Lehmann, Morningside A.C. | 0:30 | 34:11 |
| 10 | J. Sherman, Morningside A.C. | 2:45 | 36:44 |
| 11 | J. Daly, Macombs A. C. | 1:45 | 35:50 |
| 12 | J. Magee, Morningside A.C. | 2:45 | 37:07 |
| 13 | D. Mills, Macombs A. C. | 4:30 | 39:53 |
| 14 | F. Centrall, Morningside A.C. | 3:00 | 37:36 |
| 15 | B. Goldberg, Morningside A.C. | 4:30 | 39:25 |
| 16 | Tom Maroney, All Saints A.C. | 2:15 | 38:23 |
| 17 | P. Kallitras, Morningside A.C. | 4:00 | 39:15 |
| 18 | W. Gunning, Morningside A.C. | 2:15 | 38:22 |
| 19 | I. Kruss, Morningside A.C. | 3:45 | 39:03 |
| 20 | J. McBorley, Glencoe A. C. | 4:30 | 40:09 |
| 21 | C. Camp, Glencoe A. C. | 2:00 | 38:20 |
| 22 | H. Brown, Harbrook A. C. | 2:15 | 39:40 |
| 23 | P. Darligo, Harbrook A. C. | 4:30 | 40:45 |
| 24 | J. Murphy, Macombs A. C. | 4:00 | 40:46 |
| 25 | P. Patrick, Glencoe A. C. | 5:00 | 40:37 |

TEAM COMPETITION.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Morningside A. C. | 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 8—23 |
| Glencoe A. C. | 1 | 5 | 9 | 10 | 13—38 |
| Harbrook A. C. | 7 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 15—59 |

## BETHLEHEM SOCCERS TRIUMPH

### Defeat New York in National League Game by 1 to 0.

In a National League match at Lenox Oval yesterday the New York Football Club had to bow to the superior science of the Bethlehem team of Bethlehem, Pa., American Association champions, 4 goals to 1. At half time the score was 2 to 1 in Bethlehem's favor.

Koelsch was first to score. Then Fleming took a cross from McKelvey on the right and equalized. Forest gave Bethlehem a 2 to 1 lead before half time. In the second half Easton scored one goal, and Kirkpatrick, taking a free shot after a foul, drove the ball home for the second. The lineup:

| New York (1). | | Bethlehem (4). |
|---|---|---|
| Ferro | Goal | Duncan |
| Robinson | Right back | Fletcher |
| McWilliams | Left back | Ferguson |
| Adamson | Right half | Murray |
| McElroy | Centre half | Campbell |
| Hager | Left half | Kirkpatrick |
| O'Halloran | Outside right | McKelvey |
| Hunziker | Inside right | Pepper |
| Koelsch | Centre | Easton |
| Petrie | Inside left | Forest |
| Monzin | Outside left | Fleming |

Referee—T. Cunningham. Linesmen—Berroughs and A. Morrison. Goals—Koelsch, New York; Fleming, Forest, Easton, Kirkpatrick, Bethlehem. Time—Halves of 45 minutes.

## SKATING UNION MEETING.

### International Body to Convene in St. Nicholas Rink.

The first meeting of the year of the International Skating Union will be held at St. Nicholas Rink next Saturday for the purpose of formulating plans for the coming year.

David H. Slayback, vice-president of the organization, recently returned from a transcontinental trip during which he visited every city in the United States having an ice skating rink or a hockey club, and he brought back a mass of valuable data. Allen I. Blanchard will travel from Los Angeles to attend the meeting.

Last spring the Amateur Athletic Union adopted a resolution to alter its articles of alliance with the I. S. U. to include the game of ice hockey, thus giving control of the popular winter game to the A. A. U.

## McGINLEY STARS IN MEET.

### Wins Two Events in Intersettlement Athletic League.

William McGinley of the Macombs Park Playground was the individual star at the annual games of the Intersettlement Athletic League at Chelsea Park yesterday. McGinley won both the 70 and 100 yard dashes.

He was clocked in 8 2-5 seconds for the 70 yards and in 12 seconds for the century.

## 6 LOCAL ARMY POSTS IN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

### Will Compete in Championship Tournament.

At the call of the New York Athletic Club, representatives of various army posts in this section met last week and organized a football league. Delegates from the Mineola Aviation Field, Fort Schuyler and Fort Totten were on hand and word was received that Fort Wadsworth, Fort Hay and Fort Slocum also were ready to join the league. Matt Halpin presided.

It was decided to open the league season next Saturday and to close on December 1. Each team will play five games—two on its home field, two on opponents' grounds and one at Travers Island. All the arrangements were left to the New York A. C., which will arrange the dates, provide the medals for the winning players and arrange for the officials. Tom Thorp of Columbia was named head official.

An effort will be made to have the champion of the league meet the best eleven from Camp Upton.

## LEONARD'S RECORD BETTER THAN GANS'S

### Has Forty-three Knockouts in Six Years to Fifty-four by Negro in Nineteen.

### ALSO EXCELS LAVIGNE

Interesting statistics which show Leonard's superiority over Gans and other lightweights of a quarter of a century ago have been compiled by Billy Rocap. Joe Gans stood head and shoulders above the other lightweights of his time. In his nineteen years of ring service he met lightweights and welterweights. He fought 156 battles in those years, scoring fifty-four knockouts, sixty-seven victories by decisions, lost eight bouts, had seventeen no decision contests and boxed ten draws. In these bouts he was knocked out twice, each time by Battling Nelson. His complete record, which forms an interesting study if only for comparison, follows:

| Year. | Bouts. | K.O. | Won. | N.D. | Lost. | D'w. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1891-92-93-94 | 12 | 8 | 4 | .. | .. | .. |
| 1895 | 11 | 4 | 5 | .. | 2 | 2 |
| 1896 | 14 | 5 | 6 | .. | 2 | 1 |
| 1897 | 4 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. |
| 1898 | 13 | 3 | 9 | 1 | .. | .. |
| 1899 | 14 | 2 | 9 | .. | 1 | 2 |
| 1900 | 16 | 7 | 6 | .. | 2 | 1 |
| 1901 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 1 | .. |
| 1902 | 15 | 9 | 4 | 2 | .. | .. |
| 1903 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 1 | .. |
| 1904 | 12 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | 1 |
| 1905 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| 1906 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 3 | .. | .. |
| 1907 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. |
| 1908 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. |
| 1909 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Totals | 156 | 54 | 67 | 17 | 8 | 10 |

**Champion's Record.**

In the six years Leonard has been active in the ring he has fought 117 bouts, winning forty-three by the knockout route. Seventeen were won by decisions, fifty-five were no decision bouts and he lost two contests, being toppled over by Joe Shugrue and Frankie Fleming when he was just starting. He had not yet hit his pugilistic stride. Appended is Leonard's complete record to date:

| Year. | Bouts. | K.O. | Won. | N.D. | Lost. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1912 | 22 | 14 | 7 | .. | 1 |
| 1913 | 13 | 3 | 9 | .. | 1 |
| 1914 | 13 | 1 | 12 | .. | .. |
| 1915 | 16 | 4 | 12 | .. | .. |
| 1916 | 24 | 9 | 13 | 2 | .. |
| 1917 | 18 | 12 | 6 | .. | .. |
| Totals | 117 | 43 | 57 | 2 | 2 |

Neither the record of McAuliffe nor that of Lavigne compares with that of Gans, as the first in his twelve years of activity in the ring had but fifty-three battles. Thirty-one of these were wins on points, nine were knockouts, nine were drawn, he had three no decision contests and was awarded one bout by forfeit.

From 1889 to 1907, the time Lavigne was active in the ring, he had forty-two contests. He won twelve by decisions, had seven knockouts to his credit, boxed eleven drawn contests, had seven no decision bouts, was knocked out three times himself and lost two decisions.

**Boxes in Philadelphia To-night.**

Having tested his skill against that of one of the best welters in the country, Benny Leonard, with praiseworthy industry, will to-night return to the lightweight division. He will meet a rugged 135 pounder named Eddie Wagond at the Olympia A. A., Philadelphia, in a six round bout.

It is a foregone conclusion that the champion will outpoint Wagond, and not at all unlikely that he will stop him.

The most pretentious entertainment of the week will be staged at the Harlem Sporting Club on Friday night, when three ten round contests will be staged. Kid Norfolk, the stumpy negro light heavyweight who was recently awarded a decision over Billy Miske, will be on the programme in a bout with Johnny Espin. Leo Johnson will make his first appearance since his defeat by Leonard and will meet Jimmy Paul. The other bout will introduce Tommy Tuohey and Willie Jackson.

**Corrigan Favors Boxing.**

Magistrate Joseph E. Corrigan, who is a candidate for District Attorney, was introduced from the ring at the Leonard-Britton bout. He took occasion to say that he regarded boxing as a desirable form of athletic sport and worthy of public support. He added that he hoped the boxing element would cast their votes for him in November. As the applause subsided a strident voice from the gallery gave this greeting to the candidate:

"Aw, beat it; yer give me ten days!"

George Bothner, whose career on the wrestling pad is the most remarkable in the history of the grappling game, has arranged to stage a contest next Thursday night at his gymnasium, 250 West Forty-second street. Two of the ablest welter wrestlers in the game, Jack Niflot, instructor of the City A. C., and Will Bingham, who has been instructor at the New York A. C., will meet in a finish match, catch as catch can style. The rivalry between these men insures one of the liveliest bouts seen here in a long time.

A large collection of cash was lost on the proposition that Leonard would stop Britton. Many large wagers were made at the odds of one to three.

Two clubs will open their doors tonight with the following cards:

Yorkville S. C.—Bobby Lyons and Leo Johnson; Young O'Keefe and Johnny Gray.

Military A. C.—Frankie Notter and Young Battling Nelson; Abe Friedman and Joe Leonard.

## Questions & Answers

### By TOM MAC NULTY.

Dear Tom—A claims that it is possible for a team to get four out in one inning. B says this is impossible as three outs constitute an inning. A bases his claim on the fact that the first two men up get out. Next man up strikes out but the catcher misses the last strike, allowing the bataman to reach first base in safety. This is a strikeout for the pitcher and as the man is safe at first another man is entitled to his turn at bat in this inning. When last man up gets out four outs will have been given to this team.

A. COOK.

B is right. A strikeout is not necessarily a putout. There only can be three putouts in an inning.

Dear Tom—What is the nationality of Frankie Callahan, the fast lightweight of Brooklyn? BEN ETTER.

American of Russian Jewish extraction.

Dear Tom—(1) Will you kindly inform me the nationality of Irish