

WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 17, 1907.

BUFF AND BLUE WINS THE SERIES

George Washington University Defeats Georgetown in Basket Ball.

Exciting but Rather One-Sided Game in the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium.

1-George Washington, 16; Georgetown, 14. 2-Georgetown, 15; George Washington, 13. 3-George Washington, 26; Georgetown, 10.

The George Washington University is superior to the Georgetown University in one line of athletics was demonstrated last night at the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium when the basket ball teams of the two universities met in the third and deciding game for the local championship, and the George Washington boys came off victorious by a score of 26 to 10.

The Georgetown rooters were lined up along the west side of the gallery and were the first to start the cheering with a "Georgetown locomotive," which was followed by a "Hoya, Hoya, Saxa." The Buff and Blue followers were not slow in responding, and came back with the "Ax" yell, and the "George Washington locomotive."

The number of fair maidens present was quite noticeable and they rooted almost as earnestly as the boys. The Buff and Blue boys played a stronger game than they did in the first two contests, and at many stages of the game had the Blue and Gray boys almost off their feet. A notable feature was the support given by the winners by the students from 15th street, as they outnumbered their rivals from across the creek something which they did not do in the former contests.

The cheering of the George Washington rooters kept their team working. The game opened with George Washington defending the north goal, and Georgetown taking the south end. Referee Gass tossed the ball into the air and Rice sent it up the hall toward his goal. After a scrimmage of three minutes Covell got the ball a short distance from the basket and tossed the first goal. On the next line-up Rice caught the ball on the court, but lost it when about to try for goal. Whiting obtained the ball and made a good pass to Covell, who missed the goal. However, the Blue and Gray got the ball and tried for goal, but missed. Rice tried a goal from a difficult angle, but missed. Downey again missed an easy goal, and the Buff and Blue boys threw the ball and throwing it down the hall to Rice, who threw a goal.

On the next line-up Covell got the ball and made another goal. Downey was blocked by Whiting while trying for a goal, but recovered the ball soon after and scored the first goal. Downey missed a long goal. Whiting and Rice carried the ball down the court, but Rice was blocked by Whiting and the former threw a goal. At this time Rice sprained his ankle and the game was delayed for five minutes. Rice threw a goal after a stiff scrimmage. Covell missed an easy goal after Rice had carried the ball down the court. Miss Dutton, who had fouled Johnson and Rice scored another point when she threw the goal. Plagen was sent to take the second half of the game, but did not have a chance to do anything in the first half, as time was then called. Referee George Washington, 13; Georgetown, 4.

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Downey secured the ball for Georgetown on the next line up and placed the ball in the basket for another score. Georgetown again fouled and Rice secured a free goal. Immediately after, on the next line up, Georgetown was again called for fouling and Rice got another free goal. Covell, for the buff and blue, held Downey and Georgetown was given a free toss, Schumm scoring the goal. Eigelberger received the ball on a pass from Covell and threw a difficult goal. Georgetown again fouled and Rice missed the goal. Schumm secured a free goal on Eigelberger's foul. On a series of passes between Rice, Whiting and Eigelberger George Washington got the ball down the court and Eigelberger shot a goal. Schumm came to the rescue for the Georgetown team and added two more points by his long goal. Rice was the first to take Johnson's place, and he got into the game at once and did good work.

The work of Covell for the winners was excellent. He is a first-year man and made the team only a short time ago. Rice played a star game, as did Whiting and Eigelberger. Downey was the star, but Schumm and Simon did good work.

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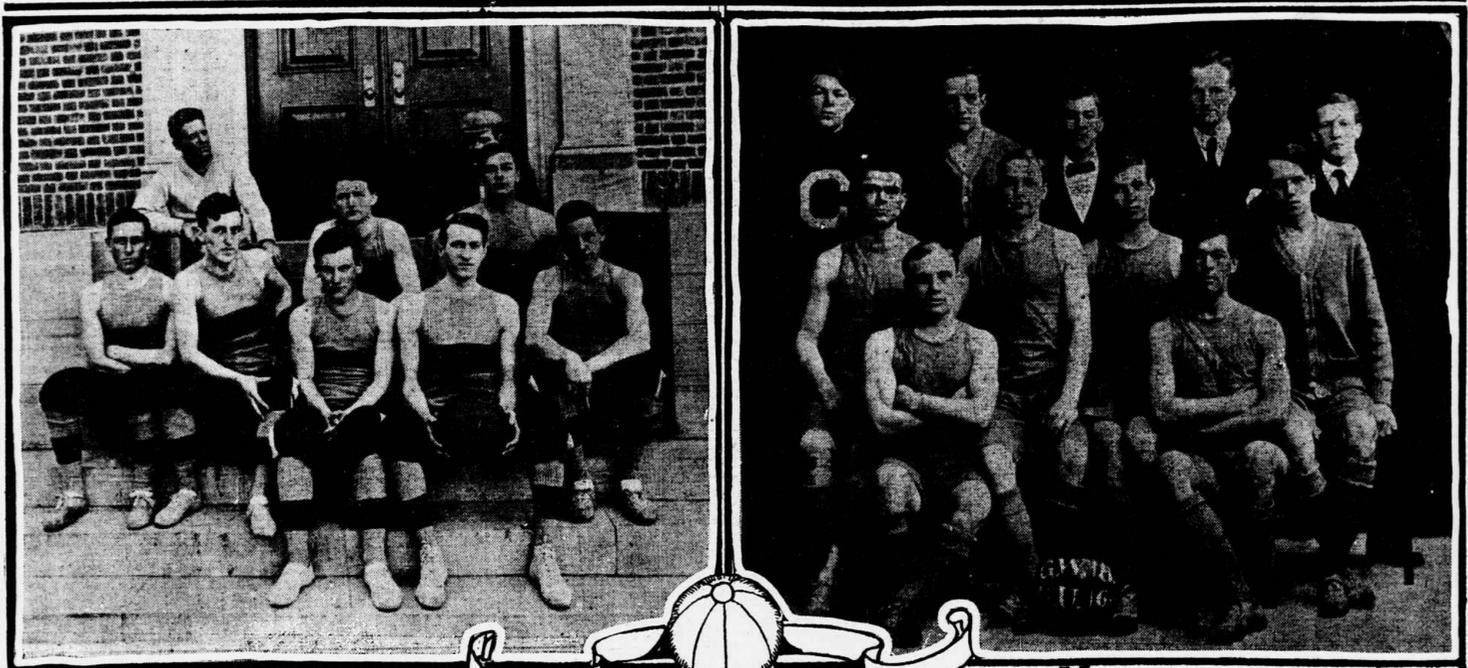
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THE CONTESTANTS IN LAST NIGHT'S BASKET BALL GAME.



GEORGETOWN GEORGE WASHINGTON HARRY LIVING

GOLF AT PINEBURST. Popularity of the Social Side of the Game Demonstrated.

PINEBURST, N. C., March 16.—The Tin Whistles' invitation mixed foursomes play demonstrated very forcibly the popularity of the social side of golf here, twenty-five couples participating and the contest being followed with interest by a large gallery. Keen play was the rule, Mr. A. I. Creamer of Charlotte, Mich., and Miss Looker of Washington, whose allowance was sixteen, winning by a margin of five strokes with a net card of eighty. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shoff of New York, Mr. C. E. Cameron of East Orange and Mrs. C. S. Waterhouse of Brookline, Mr. Fred J. Sailer of Charlotte and Mrs. Frank Zittel of Philadelphia, all of whom played with handicaps of twenty-four, tied for second at eighty-five each. Mr. and Mrs. Shoff winning on the play-off. The trophies were silver mugs for first and bronze medals for second.

Relay Teams Matched for the National Guard Meet.

The open relay race which is to be the eighth event in the big indoor meet of the National Guard Athletic Association, to be held at the Central Market Army April 4, promises to be the best thing of its kind ever held in the District. Capt. Eugene Edwards said last evening that he had received a communication from Manager Brooks of the George Washington track team, expressing a wish to be matched against the Georgetown relay team, which won the southern mile relay championship of the south from the Virginia team at the Georgetown meet. With a meeting again in the 15th street aggregation in Georgetown would make the Georgetown lads hustle.

YALE SWIMMERS BEST.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 16.—Yale won the intercollegiate individual swimming contests here tonight, scoring a total of 21 points, Pennsylvania second, with 18 points, and Princeton third, with 6 points. Harvard, Columbia and Brown, the other members of the Intercollegiate Association, did not compete.

Washington Y. M. C. A. Beaten.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 16.—The Central Y. M. C. A. basket ball team defeated the Washington Y. M. C. A. quintet here tonight by 24 to 9. The game was played in a whirlwind style by the local team. The capital city representatives displayed a capital city spirit, and were terrific when an opportunity showed itself for them to shoot a goal. The locals displayed tip-top form in every department of the game, and, although lighter than their opponents, took a lead from the start and gradually increased it as the game progressed by superb team work.

Gotham's Tennis Team Wins.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Teams representing this city and Philadelphia met today on the tennis courts of the 7th Regiment, and the New Yorkers won the series, 7 matches to 1. A. L. Hoskins of Philadelphia, the only visitor to win, defeated H. H. Pitch after three deuce sets. The matches were of a supplemental series to the recent intercity league championship.

Warwick Beaten at Alexandria.

The Alexandria Athletic Association base ball team defeated the Warwick's of this city in a game played by 14 to 10 in a game played last night in Alexandria.

NATIONALS TOOK THINGS RATHER EASY

Had No Trouble Defeating the Sand Crabs at Galveston Yesterday.

Cantillon's Men Reserving Their Strength for Today's Game at Houston.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE STAR. GALVESTON, Texas, March 16.—The Nationals and the Sand Crabs had a hot running argument this afternoon, in which Cantillon's men had a shade the better of the argument, although the locals had a greatly strengthened team in the field. It's a pretty strong talent for a minor league circuit, too, and the youngsters who are trying to get a foothold at the edge of the profession started after the Nationals in hammer-and-tongs fashion. The latter did not work any too hard, however, as they are reserving their strength for the battle with the Nationals tomorrow, but they had to play a pretty close game at that to beat the Sand Crabs. The latter hustled right along and at times tried to turn team plays that were of a surprising nature.

STEWART EASILY DEFEATED.

Sherman Made 300 While the Other Was Scoring 176. Frank Sherman, top champion of the District, and Fred Stewart of Grand Rapids, Mich., played the second and final block of their match games at the National Hotel pool room last night, and the local man not only had things all his own way in adding another victory to the string he recently acquired in the southern handicap tournament, but he held Stewart even more safely than in Friday night's play. Sherman had agreed to make 300 points to Stewart's 200, and his score at the beginning of the second stage of the contest last evening was 182 to Stewart's 91.

Notes of the Game.

A St. Louis photographic emissary of Jimmy McAleer's was here this afternoon snapping the Nationals. Perrine and Ganley tried a double steal in the opening inning, but "Nig" was obliterated at third. "Box" got there for his, however.

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More Than Ten Thousand Persons Witness an Exciting Race.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE STAR. NEW ORLEANS, La., March 16.—Yankee Girl, a promising filly owned by Charles R. Ellison of Chicago, won the City Park Derby in impressive style today, beating out Sir Toddington, equal favorite with Judge Post, by a length. The mile and a quarter was covered in 2:07 4/5. The Derby, which was the first to be won by Sir Toddington, was won by Judge Post in the betting as the Burlew & O'Neill entry. Jockey Mountain, who rode Yankee Girl, made his first appearance since being injured at the track about a month ago, and the Chicago lad was given an ovation when he returned to the judges' stand and received the floral horseshoe. Judge Post was ridden by the once great jockey, Frank O'Neill, who is now an owner, operating in partnership with Fred Buckley. O'Neill was forced into the saddle because of a ruling by the executive committee of the City Park Jockey Club that Jockey Nicol, who had signed a contract with Burlew & O'Neill to ride in the Derby, had an agreement to be paid \$1,000 if he landed the winner, had to fulfill his contract with W. H. Fisher, owner of Pink Star, the latter having the prior claim on Nicol's services.

Yankee Girl was best at the weights. She carried 112 pounds, and had to work her way to the front in the middle of the stretch. Sir Toddington was the pacemaker for the first mile, but Judge Post was the first to break at the break, the start being made out of the chute, but Hennessy sent Sir Toddington to the front and made a sizzling pace over the grand stand and around the first turn. At the quarter Judge Post was two lengths behind him, with Yankee Girl lying in third, cloister and Hennessy following. Increased his lead another length when he straightened away on the backstretch, and Yankee Girl and Judge Post were fighting to get to the front. The relative distances were maintained until the turn, when Sir Toddington began to weaken, and before he was well straightened out Yankee Girl had him nailed and was drawing away at every stride.