# TRAP SHOOTING --- SOCCER --- CHESS --- BILLIARDS --- GOLF --- TENNIS --- RACING

## MISSES ONE TARGET IN HIS 100 SHOTS

### R. S. Smith Leads Small Field at New York Athletic Club Traps.

### H. J. THIELMAN IN FORM

### Wins High Handicap Prize With 95 Kills in Possible Hundred.

Although there was only a small field of gunners at the Travers Island traps of the New York Athletic Club yesterday the shooting was excellent and many high scores were returned. The best work was done by R. S. Smith, who had a card of 99 out of a possible 100 targets in the shoot for the high scratch prize. It is interesting to note that H. J. Thielman, winner of the high handicap prize, also had the same total.

R. B. Sloan was the winner of the handicap special. A leg on the Buermeyer cup went to G. J. Corbett and R. S. Smith. Each had 49 out of a possible 50 targets. In the distance handicap legs were won by G. J. Corbett, R. B. Sloan and T. H. Lawrence. In the 25 "bird" events straights were made by R. S. Smith, H. Sullivan, H. J. Thielman, J. I. Bristol, D. I. Bradley, G. J. Corbett and F. Hall.

The scores:

| Name. | Tour. Cup. | Byr'l Cup. | Pres. Cup. | Lyon Cup. | Sc. Cup. | &H'cap Cups. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| R. Alex'der | 0 18 | 0 23 | 0 20 | 0 22 | 83— | 13— 96 |
| H. Th'lman | 2 24 | 1 25* | 1 24 | 0 25* | 95— | 4— 99 |
| J. I. Bristol | 2 22 | 2 25* | 2 22 | 0 23 | 88— | 9— 97 |
| C. Hutch'gs | 1 22 | 1 25 | 1 24 | 0 22 | 90— | 4— 94 |
| J. Van'veen | 0 22 | 0 24 | 0 21 | 0 23 | 90— | 3— 93 |
| R. S. Smith | 0 25* | 0 25* | 0 25* | 0 24 | 99— | 1—100 |
| D. Bradley | 0 22 | 0 23 | 0 22 | 0 25* | 92— | 3— 95 |
| G. Corbett | 0 24 | 0 24 | 0 24 | 0 25* | 97— | 1— 98 |
| R. B. Sloan | 0 21 | 1 24 | 2 23 | 0 24 | 89— | 7— 96 |
| T. La'rence | 0 22 | 0 24 | 0 21 | 0 23 | 90— | 1— 91 |
| R. Murphy | 0 16 | 0 16 | 0 19 | 0 17 | 68— | 0— 68 |
| J. Brn'berg | 1 23 | 1 22 | 1 23 | 0 21 | 86— | 4— 90 |
| H. Sullivan | 0 25* | 0 24 | 0 22 | 0 24 | 95— | 2— 97 |
| C. A'mstr'g | 2 25 | 3 24 | 3 24 | 0 20 | 85—10— | 95 |
| F. Hall | 0 23 | 0 24 | 0 22 | 0 23* | 94— | 4— 98 |
| W. Graham | 2 25 | 2 23 | 2 22 | 0 23 | 90— | 9— 98 |

*Ran straight.

Winners—High scratch, R. S. Smith; high handicap, H. J. Thielman; handicap special, R. B. Sloan; Buermeyer Cup, G. J. Corbett and R. S. Smith; distance handicap, G. J. Corbett, R. B. Sloan and T. H. Lawrence.

### LARCHMONT Y. C. SHOOT.

A. L. Burns was the high scratch gunner over the traps of the Larchmont Yacht Club yesterday. He had a card of 96 out of a possible 100 targets. The high handicap gunner was E. M. Dalley, who had a card of 94—7—100. The scores:

| Name. | Hit. | Hdcp. | Tl. |
|---|---|---|---|
| E. M. Dalley | 94 | 7 | 100 |
| A. L. Burns | 96 | 0 | 96 |
| W. E. Knight | 80 | 16 | 96 |
| A. Baxter, Jr. | 71 | 25 | 96 |
| W. E. Ferguson | 95 | 0 | 95 |
| J. D. Nicklis | 94 | 0 | 94 |
| L. C. Dalley | 94 | 0 | 94 |
| R. A. Gamble | 79 | 13 | 92 |
| W. W. Swan | 92 | 0 | 92 |
| A. W. Fitzgerald | 84 | 7 | 91 |
| F. A. Moore | 78 | 13 | 91 |
| C. A. Kricki | 81 | 8 | 89 |
| A. P. Walker | 88 | 0 | 88 |
| T. J. McCahill | 88 | 0 | 88 |
| H. Rehtz | 86 | 0 | 86 |

### INTERNATIONAL SHOOTING.

PARIS, April 17.—Delegates from fourteen countries, including the United States, have reorganized the International Shooting Union and voted to hold international matches in August of this year at the same time and place as the French national tournament at Lyons.

Requests for future tournaments were presented by the United States, Italy, Spain and Portugal. It was decided to award the 1922 tournament to Spain or Portugal, the final selection to be made during the 1921 tournament.

## CHESS CHAMPIONS RETAIN HONORS

### *Rice Team Defeats Brooklyn 7 1-2 to 1-2 in 'Met' League.*

Experiencing unexpectedly weak resistance, the champion team of the I. L. Rice Progressive Chess Club won against the Brooklyn Chess Club by the one sided score of 7½ to ½ at their own rooms in the eleventh and final round of the annual interclubs' series of the Metropolitan Chess League, and thereby acquired the league championship for the fourth year in succession. A. Kupchik, O. Chajes, C. Jaffe, S. Rubin, S. Lubowsky, E. Michelsen and J. Bernstein were the winning members of the champion team. J. W. Brunnemer, the New Jersey State champion, was the only member of the Brooklyn team not defeated. He drew with A. Marder. The champions will celebrate their victory at a housewarming, arranged for the evening of April 30.

The summary:

| Bds. Rice Progressive. | | Brooklyn C. C. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1—S. Kupchik | 1 | F. K. Perkins | 0 |
| 2—O. Chajes | 1 | A. Schroeder | 0 |
| 3—C. Jaffe | 1 | A. C. Cass | 0 |
| 4—A. Marder | ½ | J. W. Brunnemer | ½ |
| 5—S. Rubin | 1 | C. Ruberi | 0 |
| 6—S. Lubowsky | 1 | S. Katz | 0 |
| 7—E. Michelsen | 1 | N. S. Perkins | 0 |
| 8—J. Bernstein | 1 | L. J. Wolff | 0 |
| Total | 7½ | Total | ½ |

Brooklyn played white on the odd numbered boards.

The team of the Marshall Chess Club won from New York University by 6½ to 1½. R. Smirka, M. Duchamp, A. B. Hodges, F. E. Parker, A. Santasiler and B. Horenberg won for Marshalls and B. Soldatenkov drew against R. Bornholz. W. Namenson was the sole winner on the N. Y. U. side.

Victory by 6½ to 1½ rewarded the efforts of the Swedish C. C. players in their match against Cooper Union. The winners were G. Christensen, A. Nelson, A. Sundberg, C. A. Larson and J. Westerberg. Draw games were scored by C. Carlson against E. Kranndorf, C. Anderson against C. Wehde and O. Ruest against N. Schwartz.

## *FRENCH ATHLETES WILL HAVE WORKOUT TO-DAY*

*Special Despatch to* THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—M. R. De Leliva, coach of the French team, announced to-day that the team will also be entered in the sprint medley relay race in the Penn relay carnival, aside from the one mile relay championship of America. The Frenchmen have been assigned the pole position in the sprint medley, which will be run Friday, April 29.

The sprint medley team will be composed of Sourin, who holds the 220 yard championship of France; Fory, the quarter mile champion of France; Delvart, holder of the world's 500 meter title, and Gouilloux, one of the best half milers in France. The runners will take their first workout in America to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock at Franklin Field.

### CANADIAN WOMAN BEST SHOT.

*Special Despatch to* THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PINEHURST, N. C., April 17.—The first prize in the week's rifle tourney for women at the Pinehurst Gun Club was won by Mrs. H. E. Moles of Montreal for a leading target of 146 out of a possible 150 points. The second prize was won by Miss Katherine Lewis of Chicago, with 142. Miss Christiana Stevens of North Hoosick, N. Y., finished third.

## The Beginning of a Beautiful Friendship

## MACDUFF SOCCERS SURPRISE NEW YORK

### Clansmen Play 1 to 1 Tie With Gothamites in State Cup Contest.

If the players of the New York Football Club were expected to have an easy time of it with Clan MacDuff in the second round of the Southern New York State Football Association's annual cup competition at New York Oval, yesterday, they were in a for a real surprise, for the clansmen, thanks to a remarkable defence, held them to a tie, in consequence of which a replay will be necessary to determine which club is to meet the winner of the game between Robins Dry Dock and Greenpoint in the semi-finals. The final score yesterday was: New York, 1; Clan MacDuff, 1.

The lineup:

| New York (1). | | Clan MacDuff (1). |
|---|---|---|
| Gaudert | Goal | Reilly |
| Kelly | Right back | McDonald |
| Van den Eynden | Left back | Bone |
| Meyerdirks | Right half | W. Kennedy |
| Bustard | Centre half | Bell |
| Herd | Left half | Waite |
| Hunsiker | Outside right | Boyle |
| McDonald | Inside right | Gallagher |
| Hardy | Centre | Halliday |
| Philip | Inside left | Baird |
| Bleich | Outside left | J. Kennedy |

Referee—T. Davidson. Linesmen—W. McKay and J. Fairbrother. Goals—Baird, Clan MacDuff; Philip, New York. Time—Halves of 45 minutes.

### Federals Win Cup Game.

Federal Ship Yards soccers, after dividing the honors of the first half, struck their real stride in the second period of the match with Carlton Hill in the semi-final round of the New Jersey State Football Association's annual cup tie at Clark's Field, Newark, and won by the score of 6 goals to 2.

The lineup:

| Federal Ship (6). | | Carlton Hill (2). |
|---|---|---|
| Errington | Goal | Sears |
| Gilfillian | Right back | Kelly |
| Stewart | Left back | Murray |
| Monchner | Right half | McNair |
| S. Jamieson | Centre half | McIlrath |
| Robb | Left half | W. Turner |
| Fields | Outside right | W. Hully |
| L. Brierley | Inside right | C. Turner |
| Richardson | Centre | Barclay |
| M. Jamieson | Inside left | Duncan |
| D. Brierley | Outside left | Harrison |

Referee—H. Parker, Newark. Linesmen—A. Esplin and R. McMahon. Goals—L. Brierley (3), Richardson (2), M. Jamieson, Federal Shipyards; Barclay, Turner, Carlton Hill. Time—Halves of 45 minutes.

### Tebos Tame Vikings.

Tebo Yacht soccers defeated the Vikings by 2 goals to 0 for the La Sultana Cup at Todd Field, in Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon. Edmondson and Shaw shot the goals for the winners during the first half of the game. Neither side scored throughout the second period. The lineup:

| Tebo Yacht Basin (2). | | Vikings (0). |
|---|---|---|
| T. Whelan | Goal | Erlanger |
| Kidd | Right back | Adamson |
| Hunt | Left back | Norling |
| Fitzpatrick | Right half | Jordin |
| Fryer | Centre half | Nyman |
| Trimble | Left half | Hirsch |
| Fuzzy | Outside right | Hanson |
| Pepper | Inside right | Peterson |
| Edmondson | Centre | Mattson |
| Shaw | Inside left | Hadman |
| Weir | Outside left | Lindquist |

Referee—C. Scott. Linesmen—L. Seligman and T. Johnson. Goals—Edmondson, Shaw, Tebo Yacht Basin. Time—Halves of 45 minutes.

### Brooklyns Blank Greenpoint.

The Brooklyn Football Club had no difficulty in defeating Greenpoint, by 6 goals to 0, in the first of the doubleheader in the La Sultana Cup competition at Todd Field, in Brooklyn, yesterday. The decision was practically reached in the first half, at the end of which Brooklyn led by 3 to 0. McChesnie, with four goals, monopolized the scoring. M. Whalen and T. Whalen added one each.

### ORGANIZE NEW CLUB.

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass., April 17.—Organization of the Mt. Holyoke Outing Club, which will regulate swimming, golf, hiking, horseback riding, skiing, skating and other sports of the young women of the college, was announced to-day. The club has a charter membership of 400 undergraduates.

## Holland After the 1928 Olympic Games

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, April 17.—Holland has made an official request for the award of the Olympic games of 1928 to the city of Amsterdam, it was announced to-day by Baron Pierre de Coubertin, president of the International Olympic Committee.

This was made known in connection with a statement that Holland had officially withdrawn its bid for the Olympic games of 1924, adding that it would vote in favor of the games being held in Paris.

## *TAKES ONE HOUR TO STUDY CHESS MOVE*

### *Capablanca and Lasker Agree to Draw 12th Game.*

HAVANA, April 17.—In opening the twelfth game of the championship chess match Dr. Lasker selected a Ruy Lopez, which followed the lines of the third and sixth games for eight moves, after which Dr. Lasker varied by retreating his king's bishop to its original square, instead of exchanging it for the black knight. At the fifteenth move Dr. Lasker decided upon a complicated continuation, which, while it left Capablanca with an extra piece, enabled him to exchange both of his own knights for his adversary's two rooks. The outcome of this highly interesting combination was that Dr. Lasker was left with two rooks and a bishop as opposed to four minor pieces, there being also queens and pawns on the board.

The position was so unusual and difficult that Capablanca consumed a whole hour in determining upon his course when studying his twenty-third move. Queens were exchanged after twenty-seven moves and a number of pawn exchanges also took place. When, after thirty moves, play was adjourned, Capablanca still had his four minor pieces against two rooks and a bishop, but only three pawns to his opponent's four. The outcome then was extremely problematical.

The game was declared a draw this evening when Dr. Lasker unsealed his thirty-first move and Capablanca offered a draw. The move, sealed when the game was adjourned, was Q. R. Q. Lasker's time for the game was two hours and five minutes and Capablanca's one hour and fifty-four minutes.

There will be no game Monday night.

The score:

TWELFTH GAME—RUY LOPEZ.

| Lasker. White. | Capablanca. Black. | Lasker. White. | Capablanca Black. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 P—K4 | P—K4 | 17 Kt—B7 | Q—Q |
| 2 Kt—KB3 | Kt—QB3 | 18 KtxP | KtxKt |
| 3 B—Kt5 | Kt—B3 | 19 R—Kt | B—K3 |
| 4 Castles | P—Q3 | 20 P—B3 | BxRP |
| 5 P—Q4 | B—Q2 | 21 R—R | B—K3 |
| 6 Kt—B3 | B—K2 | 22 Q—Q2 | P—R3 |
| 7 R—K | PxP | 23 Q—Kt2 | P—Kt4 |
| 8 KtxP | Castles | 24 P—Kt4 | B—R3 |
| 9 B—B | R—K | 25 B—K2 | Kt—B3 |
| 10 P—B3 | B—KB | 26 QxP | KtxP |
| 11 B—KKt5 | P—KR3 | 27 QxQ ch | KtxQ |
| 12 B—R4 | P—KKt3 | 28 BxQRP | P—Q4 |
| 13 Kt—Q5 | B—KB | 29 B—K2 | BxP |
| 14 Kt—Kt5 | P—Kt4 | 30 BxP | B—B2 |
| 15 QKtxP | PxB | 31 QR—Q | |
| 16 KtxQR | QxKt | Resigns. | |

### ON PINEHURST LINKS.

*Special Despatch to* THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PINEHURST, N. C., April 17.—What is probably the season's final distribution of silver dishes and vanity cases was made by the Silver Foils golf organization at Pinehurst to-day among the winners of the handicap medal round, in which the leaders finished as follows: Mrs. Herman E. Ellis, Walton Heath, 98—12—86; Mrs. Donald Parson, Youngstown, 98—7—91; Miss Dorothy Richards, Cleveland, 99—8—91. Mrs. George A. Magoon, Pittsburgh, 101—10—91; Mrs. Clarence S. Walter House, Ardsley, 102—7—95; Mrs. Harriett Waters, Apawamis, 102—7—95.

There will be a medical golf tournament the last week of the month, with a large entry of members of the medical fraternity, and the sporting season will be brought to a close with the annual golf tournament of the executive council of the bankers association to be held during the first week in May.

## FRANCES APPLEBY IS A MERCURY FOOTER

### Horemans and Sutton Play in Chicago at 18.2 and 18.1 Balkline Billiards.

By THOMAS J. GALLAGHER.

Frances S. Appleby is now a member of the New York Athletic Club and will represent that organization in future amateur billiard tournaments, particularly the next national championship event, which has been allotted to the Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn. He undertook to practice masse shots on a pocket table at the Amateur Billiard Club, of which he was a member. Eddie Raynolds, the club's pocket champion, protested. Appleby explained that he wished to try some difficult strokes such as Horemans had been making, and he did not wish to try them on one of the carom tables. When he persisted in practising on the pocket table he was suspended. Thereupon he promptly wrote his resignation as a member of the club.

The New York Athletic Club welcomed him, and F. M. Weld, chairman of that organization's billiard committee, says he can have anything he wants with which to practice and can practice on any table that suits him. Mr. Weld said to a reporter for THE NEW YORK HERALD: "We hope to have two amateur billiard champions. J. Howard Shoemaker is our pocket title holder, and we feel confident that as one of our members Frances Appleby will achieve honors equal to those of Shoemaker.

Edouard Horemans and George B. Sutton will play a series of games at 18:2 and 18:1 balkline at Chicago beginning to-night. Sutton, who holds the record for a high average in a game of 500 points 18:2 balkline, is said to be playing as well as ever. In a world's championship tournament held at Madison Square Garden Concert Hall in 1906, playing against Willie Hoppe, he scored 500 points in five innings.

Providing he is assured of a match with Jacob Schaefer, Horemans will go to San Francisco. Otherwise he may not go westward beyond Salt Lake City. He is anxious to have a chance to retrieve the defeat Schaefer gave him at Maurice Daly's, and will back himself to do so. Maurice Daly, Jr., says "Horemans is the only one of the toprotchers who is willing to back himself."

Horemans had arranged to return to New York May 25 and embark for Antwerp June 1. He will, however, not embark before June 15, the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, which had been requested to provide for his homeward passage, having been unable to get a reservation for him prior to that date.

If Horemans returns in time he will probably devote some days, perhaps two weeks, to practising cushion caroms, his special weakness, with Maurice Daly, one time champion at that style of billiards and still a classical exponent of it. One week from to-day Horemans and Daly will have a birthday anniversary. Horemans will be 32, Daly 72.

Koji Yamada, the Japanese expert, was in New York for a couple of days last week. On Friday he went to Chicago to remain there briefly and go as directly as possible to Japan. He expects to be back in San Francisco in September.

### VAIL WINS AUTO RACE.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—Ira Vail of San Francisco won the extra ten mile race on the card of the San Antonio Speedway Association to-day. His time was 7:37. George Clark of Dallas won the twenty and thirty mile races, the time being 15:09 and 23:34 4-5.

## HARD BOILED EGGS BARRED BY FRIARS

### Won't Object to Golf Gallery's Applause Provided It Is Soft and Fresh.

By KERR N. PETRIE.

From the Friars Club comes the announcement that the members of that organization have become afflicted with golfitis and that about 250 of its 1,800 members will participate in a "link" tournament, which will be staged "somewhere in New Jersey" in May. The exact location has not been decided upon, which is not greatly surprising, since there has been probably more competition for the event than for the Dempsey-Carpentier fight. No less than six clubs are said to be anxious to land the tournament and the committee now is trying to decide which course is best suited to the peculiar temperament of Friars. The fact that like the fight it is to be staged in New Jersey is interesting enough news.

George Sammis and Vincent Lawrence comprise the Friars golf committee and evidently these two have been burning considerable midnight oil drawing up a set of rules, a sort of hodge podge of Royal and Ancient, Marquis of Queensberry and catch-as-catch-can that will appropriately cover the golfing rampage of the Friars.

To begin with, "all players approaching the first tee must submit to a hip test and none will be permitted to play the nineteenth hole anywhere along the regular course." Other rulings are as follows:

"Stymies are barred.

"The same thing goes for the use of mid-irons in clinches. Hitting will be permitted only when one arm is free.

"All drives are limited to 350 yards.

"Players will be permitted only three slices and three wild swings without penalty from any tee. Slices and wild swings beyond that number will be counted as extra strokes.

"Spectators are barred from throwing anything but soft boiled eggs.

"Each player will be permitted only one caddie, two liniment toters and two emergency stretcher bearers."

A pity 'tis to waste such a soiree on a mere country club. Where the Friars should hold their tournament is at Marion, N. J.

### St. Albans Treats 'Em Rough.

The golf committee of St. Albans Country Club threatens to treat the top-notchers rough during the coming season. In other words, there will be a whole lot of competitions and prizes "for that great big majority who support all golf courses—the fellows who can rattle off a snappy 120 and feel happy over it," and very few for the ones who still are hopeful of being able to win the national championship.

"Get a book of rules and read them," says the notice which the members are receiving throug the mails. "Read the 'Etiquette of Golf' and observe it. Replace the turf you cut. It has taken six years to grow it and a careless golfer will undo the work of years. Give the fellow in front a chance. Don't drive until you are sure he is safe. Respect the claims of the players who follow and keep your place on the course. If you lose a ball wave the players following through. Play in foursomes whenever possible. This will relieve congestion and everybody will be happier."

There is to be an added feature of club life at St. Albans this year in the way of a large open dormitory with sleeping accommodations for twelve. If found necessary this dormitory is to be enlarged.

Another important date has been added to the metropolitan golf schedule, that for the annual father and son tournament at Sleepy Hollow on June 27. This event, held first in 1915, has been staged every year since, with the exception of 1918. The winners of the trophy in previous years were: 1915, Charles D. Cooke and Everett D. Cooke; 1916, Devereux Emmet and Devereux Emmet, Jr.; 1917, Albert B. Ashforth and H. Adams Ashforth; 1920, W. Rossiter Betts and W. Rossiter Betts, Jr.

Albert B. Ashforth is the tournament secretary.

### Never Mind, Jim Will Tell.

"At the ninth Barnes's drive landed behind a large tree. He was completely stymied and apparently had no chance whatever to reach the green. It was a wonderful shot. In commenting on it afterward the big fellow exclaimed: 'Yes, that was a good shot—in fact, it was the greatest shot I ever made.'"—From the *Pelham Country Club Bulletin.*

Don't doubt it a bit. But what's the big idea? Afraid some of the boys will steal the signals?

Once in a while one comes across a man who starts life with the correct name. Take the case of Robert Ames, leading man in "Nice People," at the Klaw Theatre. While playing a round on the Belleclaire links the other day, Mr. Ames took occasion to show his friends how well his progenitors had chosen when he aimed a tee shot at the 165-yard home hole, hit the pin on the first bounce and went down for his ace. That last tee shot at Belleclaire is over a pond, but good golfers never look at ponds.

George Kerrigan, brother of the well known Tom of Siwanoy, is returning from the Northampton Country Club of Easton, Pa., to be the professional at the White Beeches Country Club of Haworth, N. J., this year. George has several more mashie shots to hit yet before he catches up with his celebrated brother, but that he is on the way he demonstrated by tying Mike Brady for seventh place in the tournament held a little while back at Deland, Fla. His score for the seventy-two holes there was 308.

The first dinner of the Rye Country Club will be held at the Biltmore Hotel on April 27 at 7 o'clock. Those who attend no doubt will hear something interesting of this addition to metropolitan club life, a bit about golf and a bit about other outdoor activities, for this organization has something more to offer than has the average club.

### MAYFLOWER RECOGNIZED.

HALIFAX, April 17.—Recognition of the American schooner Mayflower, contender for the honor of defending the international schooner trophy this year, as a bona fide fishing vessel, was given in an official statement issued to-day by H. R. Silver of Halifax, chairman of the International Fishermen's Race Committee.

The schooner Blue Nose, a Nova Scotian entry for the Canadian elimination races, which finished the 50-mile run from Lunenburg to this port in five hours yesterday, was inspected to-day by thousands of persons. The vessel is deep in the water with 350 hogsheads of salt and forty tons of rock ballast.

### ST. PAUL SIGNS REILLY.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 17.—Duke Reilly, former outfielder with Indianapolis of the American Association, has been signed by St. Paul of the same league, it was announced to-day.

## *Yale Urged to Recognize Tennis as a Major Sport*

### National Association Officials Request Old Eli to Take Lead in Movement Among Eastern Colleges —West Favors It.

Yale University has been requested by George T. Adee, an old Eli alumnus and former president of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, and by Julian S. Myrick, present head of the national organization, to take the lead in the movement to have tennis recognized as a major sport in the colleges. The universities in the middle West and far West are advocating the movement strongly, according to Mr. Adee, and all that is lacking for complete success is the support of one or two of the really prominent colleges in the East.

In a statement to the *Yale News* Mr. Adee gives as his leading argument the fact that tennis is a game that collegians can and will play all their lives. In part his statement reads:

"I earnestly advocate making tennis a major sport at the colleges. The result will be to furnish an incentive to schoolboy and undergraduate to play tennis, develop in them the love of a game they can and will play all their lives, and consequently develop them into healthier and more efficient citizens. It will not cheapen the value of the college insignia by throwing the door wide open to a similar appeal from other minor sports, because, just as in the case of major sports, all other minor sports, except golf, are of no use after graduation as a means of recreation and exercise.

"The United States Lawn Tennis Association has for the last few years earnestly advocated this idea, with the result that to-day a number of colleges and universities in the middle West and far West have made tennis a major sport, and all that is lacking to make the movement succeed is the support of one or two of the leading universities in the East.

### Should Set Example.

"The one great duty of a university is to develop character and to educate and train its students to become useful and efficient citizens. Yale in following out that duty has always taken the lead in any movement which has for its object the betterment of the individual and the creation of more useful and efficient citizens, and Yale should now, in further following out that duty, set an example to the other great Eastern universities by making tennis a major sport."

The leading points in Mr. Myrick's letter, which also was addressed to the *Yale News*, are contained in the following extracts:

"In my judgment, perhaps the most notable development of the current season, in considering policies that affect the future of the game, has been the rapidly increasing attention devoted to tennis in the colleges. This is due largely to the inherent merit of the game itself, for a sport that can provide such a thrilling spectacle as that great championship match at Forest Hills between Johnston and Tilden is bound to win general approval.

"In some degree it is due also to the work the National Association has been doing to promote tennis for juniors and boys during the last five years. Competition for the nation championship in these classes, of which the age limits are 18 and 15 years, has been established on a uniform basis throughout the United States. An elimination plan has been developed which brings together the winners of preliminary tournaments to play for the championship of cities designated as tennis centres, and the winners of those events thereby qualify to play for the national championship. Sanctioned interscholastic tournaments held by colleges affiliated with the National Association have the same standing as tennis centre events.

### Recognized by N. C. A. A.

"This means that a lot of youngsters are playing tennis in their school days and are ready to continue the game in college, and to that increasing interest can be traced a large part of the discussion that has developed in many quarters urging that tennis be made a major sport. That tendency was recognized three years ago when the National Collegiate Athletic Association recommended to its members: First, that they provide adequate equipment to meet the tennis needs of the undergraduates, and, second, that they accord the same recognition to the tennis team that may be given the institution's representatives in other sports."

## *'CHASE BETWEEN FLAGS FEATURE OF HUNT MEET*

### *Race to Be Decided at Belmont Park Terminal.*

The United Hunts Racing Association announces a splendid response to the call for support for their coming race meetings at Belmont Park Terminal next month. Aside from the rest of the programme, the events of which are to be on the flat and over the jumps, one of the features promises to be the Between the Flags Steeplechase. This will be over a post and rail course of three and a half miles for hunters which are registered with the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association or the Canadian Hunt Association.

In order to make for the success of this particular event many of the organizations aligned with the N. S. and H. A. have subscribed liberally, which will aid in guaranteeing both purse and entries. These hunts, with their masters, include: Albemarle County Hunt, Charlottesville, Va., A. S. Craven; Brandywine Hounds, West Chester, Pa., Charles E. Mather; Eagle Farms Hunt, Eagle, Pa., William J. Clothier; Harford Hunt, Monkton, Md., John R. Valentine and Frank A. Bonsal; Middleburg Hunt Club, Middleburg, Va., D. C. Sands; Myopia Hunt Club, South Hamilton, Mass., James W. Appleton; Norfolk Hunt Club, Medfield, Mass., Henry G. Vaughn; Radnor Hunt, Bryn Mawr, Pa., S. Lawrence Bodine; Shelburne Fox Hounds, Shelburne, Vt., James Watson Webb.

### HARVARD VS. PENN STATE.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., April 17.—Two Olympic stars and no less than three intercollegiate champions will be seen in action Tuesday afternoon when Harvard comes here to meet Penn State in a dual track meet. Harold Barron, the star hurdler of Penn State, and Harwood, Harvard's premier pole vaulter, are the two Olympic team members, while Blondy Remig of State and Capt. O'Connell and Gourdin of Harvard are the intercollegiate stars who will take part. The meet promises to be nip and tuck all the way, and, with a half holiday declared, a record breaking crowd is expected.

## HAVRE DE GRACE ENTRIES.

First Race—The Harford Junior Purse; two-year-olds; four furlongs:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| — Broomster | 110 | — Some Bird | 107 |
| — Friar's R'sh. | 110 | — S. Conard | 110 |
| — Uncertainty | 110 | 64³ Mawrcoran | 114 |

Second Race—The Helter-Skelter Steeplechase Handicap; four-year-olds and upward; about two miles:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| — Stucco | 145 | — Peccant | 134 |
| — Sea Sun | 128 | — †Midas | 142 |
| — Bronze Eag. | 130 | — Overmatch | 130 |
| — †Bughouse | 144 | | |

†Parr entry.

Third Race—Claiming; four-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| — Hindoostan | 120 | (59) Kirah | 111 |
| 53³ Ima Frank | 117 | — Kewessa | 106 |
| — Earnest A. | 112 | — *P. Myrtle | 98 |
| — P. of Como | 112 | — Sunrose | 105 |
| 79³ Toadstool | 106 | — Trusty | 118 |
| — *L. Maudle | 100 | 52 Who Cares | 113 |
| — *Orma Reed | 107 | — St. Kevin | 112 |
| — M. Jumbo | 119 | — Liberty Girl | 110 |
| 24 L. Luxury | 115 | 24 Pueblo | 104 |
| (55) Sugarmint | 112 | — Hellocross | 106 |

Fourth Race—The Edgewood Purse; three-year-olds; six furlongs:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| — Duc de M'y | 116 | — Silence | 110 |
| — Alliiro | 110 | 18² John's U'ma | 105 |
| — Pampas | 110 | 66³ N. Raider | 116 |
| 87 Curfew | 110 | (51) Gen. A'monte | 110 |
| — Blue Belle | 105 | (18) Tubby A. | 110 |
| 81 Rinquoi | 110 | — Tenlite | 108 |
| — Faunus | 110 | — Natural | 105 |
| — Bluffer | 110 | | |

Fifth Race—Claiming; four-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 54³ King John | 109 | — *Cryst. Ford | 104 |
| (52) *Tantalus | 108 | — Gath | 103 |
| 48 *Sea Sinner | 100 | — *Dark Hill | 104 |
| — P. McGee | 106 | | |

Sixth Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and upward; mile and seventy yards:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 34 War Club | 113 | — *Night Wind | 111 |
| 69 G. Wash'ton | 101 | 84 *Ben Hamp'n | 108 |
| — *Bill H'ley | 111 | 84 Warlike | 101 |
| 70 *Iron Boy | 108 | (41) Mary Erb | 95 |
| 53 *Dr. Jim | 99 | 65³ *Yephank | 108 |
| 73 Cherubino | 110 | — *Winneconne | 103 |
| 63³ Toss Up | 97 | | |

Seventh Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and upward; mile and seventy yards:

| Index. | Wt. | Index. | Wt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 84 Spearlene | 110 | — Chick B'ley | 106 |
| 59 Rafferty | 110 | — *Uranium | 111 |
| 79 Thistle O'n | 108 | — *Sir Adsum | 101 |
| — Beauty Sl'p | 101 | 80 Speedster | 113 |
| 76 *Malse | 106 | — T. Saunders | 110 |
| 83 S. Kelly | 110 | — St. Kathern | 101 |
| 9 Alf Vezina | 110 | (84) *Sunduria | 106 |

*Apprentice allowance five pounds claimed.

## ROD AND GUN NEWS

HIGH WATER FOR LOCAL ANGLERS FROM APRIL 18 TO APRIL 22.

| Date. | Sandy Hook (The Horseshoe) A.M. | P.M. | Princess Bay A.M. | P.M. | Jamaica Bay (Canarsie) A.M. | P.M. | Governors Island A.M. | P.M. | Willets Point A.M. | P.M. | New Haven A.M. | P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| April 18 | 4:03 | 4:44 | 4:13 | 4:49 | 4:51 | 5:27 | 4:42 | 5:18 | 7:55 | 8:28 | 7:40 | 8:13 |
| April 19 | 5:05 | 5:27 | 5:10 | 5:42 | 5:48 | 6:20 | 5:42 | 6:12 | 8:59 | 9:24 | 8:44 | 9:09 |
| April 20 | 5:58 | 6:27 | 6:03 | 6:32 | 6:41 | 7:10 | 6:36 | 7:01 | 9:54 | 10:13 | 9:39 | 9:58 |
| April 21 | 6:48 | 7:14 | 6:53 | 7:19 | 7:31 | 7:57 | 7:25 | 7:48 | 10:43 | 10:59 | 10:28 | 10:44 |
| April 22 | 7:35 | 7:58 | 7:40 | 8:03 | 8:18 | 8:41 | 8:10 | 8:33 | 11:30 | 11:42 | 11:15 | 11:27 |

### Good Catch of Flounders at Fire Island.

Many flounders weighing from ½ to 1¼ pounds were caught at Fire Island recently by the members of the Moon Fishing Club. The secretary, Leo Walbuen, writes that Dr. Philip Green, the commodore, boated 120 flounders, and Harry Kirschner, familiarly called the "Pilot," caught 150. Henry Hoffman, the cabin boy, had 98, and Louis Smith had 128 to his credit. The high hook man was Henry Noble Hinners of the Metropolitan Tobacco Company. He is a novice at fishing, and perhaps this is only beginner's luck.

Max Friedheim and his uncle, Gilbert Michaels, supplied a lunch of pigs' knuckles that was fit for the gods.

Frank Simpson says he was on the Claire on Sunday week and made a trip for flounders that netted him no less than 167 fish and that he had these in his bag by 2 P. M. He states that the boat was comfortably filled with fishermen and that not a man on board had less than 60 fish. Some of these fish were close to 2 pounds weight.

### Beam Trawlers Bring First News of the Ling.

The ling fishermen will be glad to know that ling are about in small numbers at least, for some of them have been brought ashore by the beam trawler fishermen. So after all is said and done the beam trawler is of some benefit to the sub water angler, for it brings him in news of what fish are prowling about.

No doubt some of the boats located schools of ling yesterday at the lightship, for a number of them anchored there, feeling sure that the ling were overdue. Last year they were on these grounds about April 10, and in the nature of things they should be earlier this year.

### Thinks Trout Minimum Length Should Be Seven Inches.

It was mentioned in the Rod and Gun column recently that brook trout of six inches in length could be taken in the State of New York. I was under the impression that the law was changed, making seven inches the minimum length. I am in favor of seven inches, because most of the trout taken in small mountain streams average five or six inches in length. A man may catch a dozen trout six inches in length to two or three that are seven or more. Give the trout a chance to multiply! Save the babies! What do other trout anglers think of this? C.

### Perhaps "Scallywag" Will Tell Us Why!

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