THRONG AUTO SHOW

INTEREST IN PALACE EXHIBITS LARGE.

Rushing Business Expected There This Week-Well Known Persons Attend.

The popular favor with which the auto mobile show at the Grand Central Palace is again meeting was well evidenced by the size of the growd that was in attendance yesterday, and furthermore by the remarks of praise heard from many of the visitors It was the first full day of the exhibition, the doors being thrown open at 10 o'clock in the morning, and from that hour until the closing at 11 o'clock last night, a steady stream of persons could be seen entering the building.

The following remark of a visitor, who stood in one of the booths with a friend carefully examining a car, was overheard: When I left home to-day, I intended to make thirty New Year's calls. I thought I would run in here first. Here I have been going along the line looking over one car after the other and have not seen them all yet. I am airaid that when I have taken the entire show in it will be near the closing hour.

The officers of the North Atlantic Squadren werg invited to the exhibition last night, and a great many of them were in attendance. That the motor vehicle offered a high attraction for them was evident from the interest they showed. They kept the salesmen at the various booths busy auswering hundreds of questions about the cars, and the technical knowledge that some of them showed about the mechanical construction of an automobile was surprising.

One of the salesmen remarked after a fleet efficer had put question after question to him: "I have been in this business since its beginning, and have met all kinds of automobilists who thought they knew all about a car, but what that man doesn't know is not worth knowing.

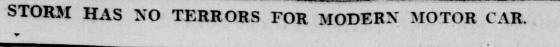
Few sales have been reported yet, but the exhibitors expect to do a rushing business Many of them declared yesterday that if the promises they have already received from prospective buyers hold good they will have every reason to feel well satisfied. The interest already shown is so great, many of them said, that they expect this year to be the banner one, so far as sales are concerned.

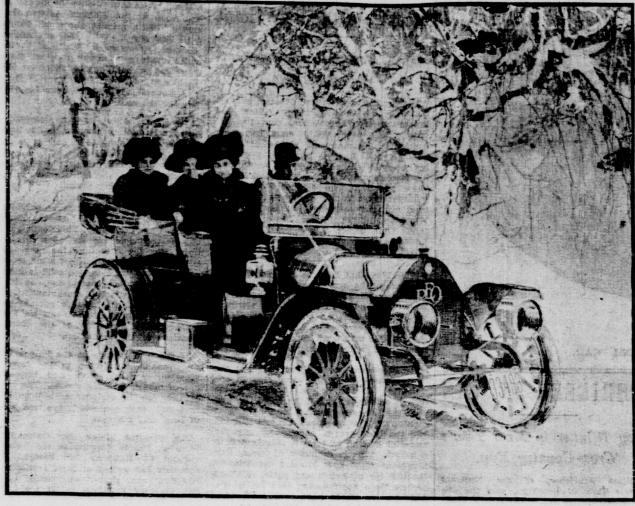
Alfred Reeves, general manager of the American Motor Car Association, under the auspices of which the show is held, was in the Palace all day yesterday. "I am glad," "that the weather conditions are calmer, for this has its effect in drawing larger crowds to the show. I am extremely fied with the way the exhibition has been patronized since its opening, on Friday night, and I expect still larger crowds next week, as the holidays will be over. From the manufacturers showing their wares here I have heard nothing but praise every respect.

Little crudities of the opening night were eradicated before the doors opened yesterday. Shipments delayed through various causes were hurried into the Palace and everything was in shipshape for what is pronounced to be the most complete exhihition of any of the series, this being the tenth annual affair.

Both the afternoon and evening sessions had large representations from society. Many who had remained in town came in the course of the afternoon, and at times It was quite difficult to circulate around the different exhibits. There was constant interest shown in the mechanism of the Fiat model, which was surrounded by a crowd the whole afternoon.

Among the early arrivals was Judge harles Truax, who remained until quite





REO CAR DEFYING THE RIGORS OF A SMALL SIZED BLIZZARD.

AUTOSHOWRECORDS Hockey Sevens Seek Title SPACE HARD TO GET. Keen Struggle Promised Among Five Clubs for

Amateur League Championship. With the prestige of having won a vic-

tory over the champion college team of Canada, the St. Nicholas Skating Club's seven will open the regular American Amateur Hockey League championship season on Tuesday night at the St. Nicholas Ring with a team composed of the best players in the Hockey Club of New York as opponents. The hockey season has already had an informal opening in the shape of several exhibition games between senior 'varsity teams and Canadian amateurs, and the

ward and are likely to be owners in the crowds which have turned out to see those future, is the mammoth show which opened contests indicate an increasing interest in this greatest of all winter sports. An on Friday evening in the Grand Central equality in playing strength of the five teams engaged precludes the likelihood of Everything that could be done to make one strong organization running away with the cup, as the New York Athletic Club did this exhibition a record breaker has been a year ago. Changes will be effected in the striven for by the show committee, and line-up of all the teams, and the acquisition when the public looked upon the grand of experienced players from Canada, the array of exhibits and the superb decoragraduated 'varsity experts, will materially strengthen the weaker organizations and intions, there was no question that it met troduce an element of uncertainty.

All the teams in the league have been Eight months of time and energy, thoupractising steadily since Thanksgiving Day. sands of dollars and a great amount of The fact that they are in condition to play lively games was shown when the St. Nicks detail work were necessary to give the cars and accessories their rightful setting. beat the Canuck collegians so decisively, as well as in the way other teams of the league Three months before the opening every successively defeated the Princeton, Yale available square foot of floor space was and Harvard sevens in practice matches. sold, and there was a waiting list, with each delinquent applicant hoping that some

The New York Athletic Club will again have the services of Captain Castleman, who made his reappearance last week in the with the Toronto 'varsity players and distinguished himself by scoring the only goal for his side. The most prominent entee from the line-up this season will be Jimmy Shirreff, and that the lack of

ing the puck aside was a revelation to the Canuck players.

The uncertain quantity in this year's Amateur League struggle will be the Wanderers team, with' its equipment of crack Canadian experts. Everybody who has seen the Cleghorn brothers and Cooper Smeaton in practice has predicted a glorious victory for the team in the cup series. Ernie DuFresne will captain the team and play point, with Somerton at cover point and the Cleghorns on the wings, with Bulger on the forward line, and Garon, of last year's team, in the middle. Frank Ellison, the veteran player, has been recruited from the Hockey Club and will play his usual position between the sticks.

The Crescent Athletic Club has not given up hope of having Shirreff come out, and if he does it is said that he will bring with him Dobby, Wall, Liffiton, Blake and Hardy, who won the championship for the "New Mooners" two years ago. A new man on the team will be McIntye, a Toronto player, who made a favorable reputation here last season when his team played with the All New York seven.

The Hockey Club of New York team is the only weak spot in the league, but Captain Billy Russell tells everybody that he has a surprise up his sleeve which may make his team a factor in the race after

Clothier. Johnson won seven of the eleven Following close upon the opening of the tournaments in which he played-South-Amateur Hockey League season, Princeampton, Middle States, Western New York ton and Cornell will start the puck moving and the intercollegiate championship being in the intercollegiate series. This game will of the highest class. He won from such take place on Wednesday night, and on men as Raymond D. Little, Melville Friday night the Wanderers and New York Long, Nathaniel W. Niles, Edward P. Athletic Club will line up. Saturday night's Larned and Frederick C. Inman. He lost game will be between Cornell and Harvard. to Karl H. Behr and by a fluke to Little,

solving the arrangement of the lawn tennis players, except by a mental review of the records of each and the somewhat arbi-RANKING IN FAVOR trary placing of the men by the committee after such a review of their performances CRITICS NOW SILENT. Dr. Hawk believed that the work could Lawn Tennis Players Approve as to systematic tabulating of tecords, and this he expected would follow. as the association recognized the value of the work.

Official Rating.

findings of the national ranking committee

that their more general favorable accept-

ance of the list that was issued last Thurs-

day is regarded as an indication of an im-

sport. More than anything else it has di-

rected attention to Dr. P. B. Hawk, of the

University of Illinois, whose earnest, pains-

taking work in the interests of the game

has earned for him the appreciation and

gratitude of players and followers, who

have long sought for a betterment of its governing conditions. The widespread ap-

preciation of the recently issued list is all

the more keen as the heated controversy

engaged in between Clarence Hobart and

ing committee two years ago, and the

nearness to a scandal a few years previous

had made it evident that a good rating was

dependent upon friends at court when the

No one was more pleased with the recep-

tion of the list by the players than was

Dr. Hawk, who has been in this city all

of the last week. In discussing the find-

ings he was ready to give much of the

credit to his associates, Beals C. Wright,

former national champion, and C. Frederick

Watson, jr., the Orange club expert. Both

Dr. Hawk and Watson had served on the

committee before, while it was the first ex-

One of the greatest difficulties that yearly

besets the committee, according to Dr.

Hawk, is the securing of records of the

various players throughout the country. Many of the officially sanctioned champion-

ships and tournaments are never recorded,

or only partly reported. Then the country

is so large that only relatively may players

of one section be compared to those of an-

ney West or the West toward the East.

other, as the Eastern experts seldom jour-

It is only, as was the case last season,

when Maurice E. McLoughlin and Melville

H. Long, Thomas C. Bundy and the Texan,

Harvey M. MacQuiston, took a whirl at

Newport, that it affords a glimpse of the

In the estimation of Dr. Hawk it was

the trouble experienced in securing records

that had produced small lists in previous

years. He stands unqualifiedly for making

player who has competed in a number of

the championship and open tournaments.

This he declares is an incentive and an

encouragement toward a better and higher

standard of play. A comprehensive list

will also result in arousing in the players

the propert spirit toward their favorite

sport, so that the work of future ranking

committees will be made easy, as the play-

ers will need no urging to send in their

season's records, but will regard it as a

That the top of the list created some

surprise because of the placing of the men

Dr. Hawk was ready to admit, and yet he

was capable of substantiating the position

of each man. As to William Aymar Larned, the five times national champion,

and his challenger, William J. Clothier

there was no question. Wallace F. John-

son's position over a number of others

however, seemed in some quarters like

waving a red flag at an angry bull. Yet

in some ways the brilliant performances

of the University of Pennsylvania players

surpass the work of either Larned or

the list as long as possible, rating every

eal status of the men.

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perience of Wright.

executive committee reviewed the list.

L. Hoskins, chairman of the rank-

nt in the official circles of the

STILL HEADS LEAGUE. Lawn tennis players have in the past so freely, and often violently, criticised the

Stuyvesant School Is Pressed. However, by Commerce.

The Stuyvesant High School basketball team retained its lead in the struggle for the Public School Athletic League championship, but only by one game. The High School of Commerce quintet is pressing the leaders, who have won five games and have yet to taste defeat. Commerce has won four and lost none

Eastern District which won a clean cut victory last week over Boys' High, is third, with three games won and two lost. The Stuyvesant team remained idle during the week, putting off its scheduled game to a later date.

Commerce met and decisively defeated Flushing High School in a contest that showed that the former team was improving in all around playing. Morris High suffered two defeats last week, losing to Far Rockaway and De Witt Clinton. Many postned games are to be played this week. All ten of the schools are scheduled to play next Saturday afternoon

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AUTO NEWS AND NOTES.

Dr. Bensel, chief sanitary inspector of the Department of Health, is now operating a 1910 Lozier Briarcliff model toy tonneau in his inspection work throughout the city

It has been deglared at times that tour-ing cars operated by city officials have been used for private purposes, and the adoption by Dr. Bensel of a runabout model for municipal service in place of a touring car is a step in the direction which will do much to put an end to charges of this kind.

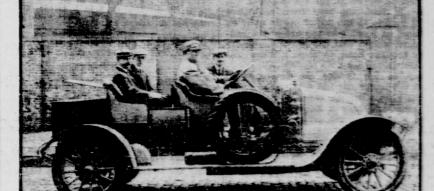
The 1910 Pope Hartford cars will occupy a large space at the Garden show. Among the many mechanical features is the new oiling system. The principal parts of this are a mechanical oiler, which has in addition to its regular pumps a large suction pump and an overflow standpipe, the crank case proper, with its splash feed oil supply, and an oil reservoir underneath and cast integral with the crank case. By this system a fixed level of oil is obtained in the crank case, a

nearly 750 miles.

proper supply in the mechanical oiler, and a regular and automatic feeding of fil-"I called a prizefighter a liar the other trated oil to the places to be lubricated. day One filling of the system will serve for

"Pooh! I patronize a 'painless dentist." leveland Leader

R. P. LEAVITT AT WHEEL OF RENAULT CAR.





Pleasure Craft.

The Waterways League of Greater New York closed the year with a roll of \$00 nembers in seventy-nine separate clubs. The league was formed on February 22, 1909, by Major Gilman, Fred Reid, R. C. Kerr, Commodore Acker, Controller Metz

and about twenty other members of the Canarsie Yacht Club. The original plan was to bring about improvement of the waterways about New York and in Long Island Sound by opening those that had been illegally closed by railroad and highway bridges, and to so-

licit the assistance of the national and city governments in deepening and making safe other passages connecting the bays and rivers. The scope of its efforts has since been broadened, and the organization s taking up all public measures of interest to the sport, such as the buoying and light ing of the waters and the keeping of the anchorage and channels clean and whole-

During the last season the league ob tained from the government six gas for Jamaica Bay and Rockaway Inlet; it also secured the opening of Twenty-second avenue to Gravesend Bay and the reform of the sewer nuisance in that locality. It obtained a grant for a preliminary survey of Little Hell Gate and the Bronx Kills, looking to the opening of these channels. As soon as 1,000 members are enrolled the league purposes having a clubroom in a central locality for winter meetings and lectures, similar to the Yachtmen's Club, of

Philadelphia. Thomas Fleming Day, one of the two honorary members of the league, when asked his opinion of the organization, said: "It is the best thing that has happened for yachting in years. It will give the sport power to demand what justly belongs to t and which in the past we have not re ceived from either the city or the national government. The city of New York has done almost nothing for its yachtsm All other sports, golf, autoing, tennis, driv-

ing, rowing, etc., have been looked after, but yachting has not, to my know been officially recognized. With a thou and men, all voters, behind a demand, the league will have the power to obtain a hearing and to get for yachtsmen what justly is theirs, the right to voyage on clean, well buoyed and well lighted wate

and the use of our miles of waterfront for uses and anchorages.' The officers of the league are: President

Edward R. Gilman; treasurer, Fred Reid; secretary, Robert C. Kerr, jr. The commodores of the clubs enrolled are presidents. The annual dues of the i are \$1, and the treasurer's address 531 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.

BRAVERY.

inspecting the various machines Others who were seen in the audience were Mr. and Mrs. DeLancey Nicoll, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hanan, Peter Gerry, Mr. and Jackson Gouraud, Henry Clews, Louis Mrs Rodney Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Floyd-Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Plerson, Pyne, jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ashe more, Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Langdon, Mr. and Mrs. Pelham Robbins, Mrs. Gouverneur Kortwright, the Rev. Wilton Merie Smith, Appleton Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Nathan, Robert Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Douglas, E. R. Thomas, John Gilbert Ward, George Ehret, William J. Anderson, R. C. Scoville, E. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bourne and Thomas B. Clarke, jr

CHESS BATTLE ROYAL.

Capablanca, Marshall and Johner in Hamburg Congress.

Baron Albert von Rothschild, of Vienna has started the ball rolling on behalf of the congress of the German Chess Association o be held in Hamburg, the programme of which will include two international masters' tournaments. The Austrian nobleman, who is an admirer of the old school of chess, has offered 500 marks to be distributed as brilliancy prizes.

There will be a championship tournament to which the strongest masters available will be invited, and it will have not fewer than four nor more than seven contestants. All other players recognized as of master rank will compete in the regular ne-round masters' tournament. In addition, there will be held two tournaments, the winner of which will acquire mastership, and three minor events.

America in all likelihood will be represented by José R. Capablanca, Frank J. Marshall and Paul Johner. Marshall and Johner are competing in the annual championship tournament of the Manhattan close one. with Marshall a slight favorite. The latter has won 7% points out of eight games played, having drawn with R. Raubitscheck. Johner, on the other hand, lost a game to A. Ettlinger, winning six.

Taking for his subject "The Theory and Practice of Chess." Albert B. Hodges, the unbeaten member of the American cable match team and former champion of the United States, will give the first of his series of four lectures before the members of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences in the Brooklyn Academy of Music, in Lafayette avenue, next Saturday evensing. The three other lectures have been scheduled for January 15 and 29 and February 5.

At the rooms of the Rice Chess Club this afternoon the fifth of the series of consultation games will be contested, with the two leading teams opposed. Team 1, com-posed of J. Finn, J. Rosenthal and H. Rosenbaum, will play the white pieces against Team 4, composed of H. M. Phillips, M. Smith and A. F. Kreymborg. Toinorrow afternoon Cornell and New York University will meet in a match on six boards.

In his simultaneous performance at the Rice Chess Club G. H. Koehler, New Jersey state champion, many games. Those who won against the expert were W. Els-ner, G. Ohlbaum and A. Schoenberg. Drawn games were made by S. T. Kemp and E. Kerbis. 216 exhibitors. 1907-October 24-31, Grand Central 257 exhibitors. 1908-'09-December 31 - January 7, Grand Central Palace, 301 exhibitors. 1909-'19-December 31 - January 7, Grand Central Palace, 325 exhibitors. sey state champion, made a record of 7

Alfred De Oro and Fred Ames, of Boston, will play for the world's championship at hree cushion billiards in McGraw's billard academy on January 19, 11 and 12. e Oro will give exhibitions on to-morrow and Tuesday evenings,

nmittee management jamin Briscoe, S. H. Mora, D. J. Post, representing the motor and accessory manufacturers; E. R. Hollander, representing the Importers' Automobile Salon, and general manager Alfred Reeves.

one would withdraw at the eleventh hour

of my associates on the show committee,

and no better or harder working congrega-

tion ever labored for the success of a

motor car show than H. O. Smith,

last year's chairman, and now chairman

Much credit is due to the untiring efforts.

Remarkable Growth in the

Number of Exhibitors.

By R. E. Olds. Chairman. Show Committee, A. M. C. M. A.

Foremost in the minds of manufacturers,

dealers and automobile owners of to-day,

as well as those who have a leaning motor-

Palace.

with approval.

At no previous time in the history of automobile shows has there been such an overwhelming demand for space as there was this year. It would have been an easy matter to have sold from 35,000 to 50,000 additional square feet of exhibition space. It was necessary for the show committee to cut down the space generally used for the executive offices and press rooms, to let in a few extra exhibitors. As a matter of fact, no building in New York, and that means in the United States, is large enough to acommodate the products of all the car ouilders who wish to display their models. This year, in the Palace show, practically every exhibitor is restricted to smaller quarters with his latest models than he

would occupy were space unlimited, and the matter of space has become a difficult problem to solve. It seems to be almost the universal desire

on the part of motor car makers to cater to the demand for medium powered and moderate priced cars for the man whose money is limited. Another striking feature is the general effort to attain refinement in detail for the already laudable products of other years. The ungraceful automobile of a few years ago has disappeared, and in its place has come the beautifully propor-

tioned creations, in marked contrast to those exhibited at the first motor car show. The growth of automobile shows, like the automobile itself, reads like a fairy tale, and to those pioneers who can vividly recall the first show held in this country it is hardly credible that the industry has grown with such bounds and leaps.

To the outsider who is not connected directly with the automobile industry, it is a matter of wonderment as to what has caused the automobile show to have such a strong hold upon the public and to act as such a drawing card to These Club, and the race between them is a all classes, whether it be the class that purchases automobiles or that class which attends an automobile show from curiosity alone

> Manufacturers who exhibit meet practically every dealer who goes to the show from the most distant points of the country. Dealers meet the buying public, make new acquaintances and secure the names and addresses of those who are really interested and intend to purchase. All this can be done in no other way at so small a cost. Many people lured to the automobile show by the superb decorations, good music and exhibits of highly polished chassis and luxurious new models catch the enthusiasm while there, and either purchase a car or go away with a resolution. made that they will purchase in the near future.

In November, 1900, the Automobile Club of America launched the first exhibition in Madison Square Garden with sixtynine exhibitors. On December 2, 1901, the second show opened with ninety-two exhibitors. There was no show in 1902, but each year since has seen successful exhibitions, with the following schedule:

1903-January 17-24, Madison Square Gar-ten, 198 exhibitors. 1904-January 18-23, Madison Square Gar-len, 205 exhibitors. 1905-January 14-21, Madison Square Gar-ion, 247 exhibitors. den, 247 exhibitors. 1906-January 13-20, 69th Regiment Armory,

NO TROUBLE.

"Do you have any trouble in collecting your bills?" "Not a bit," answered the dentist. "My patients are always relieved when they find that my notices are not reminders of an appointment."=Washington Star.

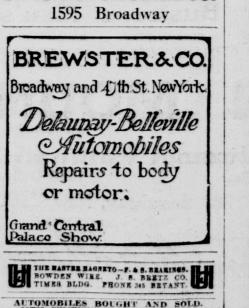
servi without saying. Shirreff has declared his in tention of remaining out of the game this season, but influences are at work to induce him to rejoin the Crescent Athletic

Club. Shirreff's place on the New York team will be taken by W. H. Clark, a for-Toronto University player, with a reputation as a defence man. He will replace Broadfoot at point, the latter going to cover point. Rankin, another Canadian university man, who graduated last year, is a candidate for a place on the team, and Riemund, one of the crack players of the Hockey Club last season, will this year wear the Mercury Foot on the forward line Coolican and Dennishaw on the wings, with Mills in the cage, will complete as formidable an aggregation of hockeyists as New York has ever seen.

The St. Nick team has a squad of thirty men recruited from the Harvard, Yale and Princeton 'varsity teams to draw from. but the old standbys, Kay Gordon, Chris Souther, Larned, Putnam, Chew and Richards, have been playing so well that there is little likelihood of "any change being made, with the exception of Pell, who played last season on the team which won the intercollegiate championship for Har-Feitner and Buster Hayward will vard. alternate in the cage. Feitner, in the first half of the recent game with Queens Col-

lege, stopped twenty-two shots at goal which came at him with the speed of bullets fired from a rifle. His ability in turn-AUTOMOBILES. Dec. 31st to Jan. 8th





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MONTCLAIR IN VAN.

Wins Opening Game for a Hockey Title.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Montclair, N. J., Jan. 1.-The Montclair Athletic Club and Englewood Field Club hockey teams opened the New Jersey amateur hockey league series on the athletic club lake this afternoon, Montelair winning by a score of 5 to 3 in a well fought game Marcus Brown and Young played well for Montclair, and Reimund for Englewood. The line-up and summary follows:

Position. Englewood (2). Goal East Point Craighe Cover point. Currs Centre Jan Rover Reimu Left wing Eigert Bight wing Weak Montelair (5).Eakin liams. Marcus.... James Right wing. Goals for Montelair-Marcus (2). Brown (2), Young, Goals for Englewood-Relmund (3). Substitutions-Benedict for Edgerton at left wing, Sadler for Benedict.

PARDONNA'S HIGH SCORES.

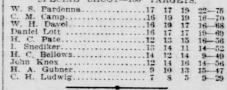
More gunners went to the traps of the Marine and Field Club yesterday than has been customary. There were three shoots, of which W. S. Pardonna was high marks man in two. The scores follow

SCRATCH SHOOT-50 TARGETS.

SCRATCH SHOOT-100 TARGETS. Pardonna..... 71 A. C. Bellows... Camp....... 68 J. N. Knox..... SPECIAL SHOOT-100 TARGETS. 29

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A RETRIEVER.

A RETRIEVER. A man who is a prominent figure at Aintree during the coursing season once possessed a valuable sporting dog, which was extremely clever at retrieving dead or wounded game. It had, in fact, never been known to lose a bird brought down by the gen. The owner of the dog, however, was anything but a good shot. One day, after firing both barrels hastily at a rabbit which ran unexpectedly across his path, he heard a mournful howl. The next mo-ment his dog appeared carrying a black object in his mouth; then, with a reproach-ful look, he laid it at his master's feet. The poor animal had retrieved his own tailt -Dundee Advertiser.

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and the same appeared true of his Newport match against Frederick C. Colston. There was nothing on the whole list that approached the performances of Johnson, so that his position of third was ably earned. Johnson is a young player who has shown steady improvement, for he was ninth last year, eighteenth in 1907 and twentieth in The position of Niles as fourth on the

list was due to the fact that he has uniformly defeated high class men and lost to poor ones. His defeat of Little in the Seabright tournament clinched his place. especially as he also won from Edward P. Larned, Behr, Le Roy and Touchard. In a measure Little is placed upon the same basis, for he did not play at Newport, yet he won the New York State champ defeating such men as Long, Le Roy, Bundy and Touchard. At Englewood Little lost to Behr, at the Middle States to Johnson, to Miles in the semi-final at Seabright and to Clothier in the semi-final at Longwood. The positions of the two Californians, Mc-

Loughlin and Long, respectively sixth and seventh on the list, was explained on their relative showing at Newport in the allcomers, in which McLoughlin defeated Long five sets, and their positions above Karl H. Behr. Edward P. Larned and Robert Le Roy by the fact that both had defeated men of higher calibre in their other tournamen matches.

It was developed that only the placing of one man on the entire list as submitted was changed by the executive committee. that player was the regimental and Long Island champion, William B. Cragin, jr. He had been placed higher than the thirty-first number, yet the fact that he lost to Charles M. Bull, jr., of the Crescent Athletic Club, in the metropolitan championship, resulted in his dropping to one place behind that player.

As to the absentees. Dr. Hawk said that Frederick G. Anderson, who figured so prominently a few years ago, had dropped out of sight, only playing in one tournament, and that not of any prominence. The same was true of Edward B. Dewhurst, the former University of Pennsylvania player, who had been compelled to retire because of blood poisoning, while Clarence Hobart seemed to have absented himself because of his controversy of two years ago.

Discussing the problem of arriving at a systematic method of selecting the ratings by mathematical calculation, Dr. Hawk said that he had carefully studied the situation. He had reviewed the manner in which the baseball batting averages and kindred lists are arrived at, and yet he saw no way of

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