In the World of Sport.

REGULARS DRUBBED THE GIANT COLTS.

Old Stagers Won the First Full Practice Ball Game at Jacksonville.

Captain Gleason Made the Pace with Play That Set a Mark for the Youngsters.

"VETS" FOUND GERMAN EASILY.

Scored Five Runs of Their Thirteen in the First Inning on Clear Hits—Zearfoss and Cavelle the Heroes of the Under-Studies.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 9.—A light but extremely gentle crowd of spectators viewed the first finish game of ball to-day between the regulars and second teams of the New York Baseball Club, in which the leading men defeated their understudies by a score of 13 to 7. Both sides were willing to rest at the end of the eighth inning, though the pastime was replete with stirring episode from the outset.

Skipper Gleason set a pace that astonished the youngsters and increased the confidence manifest by his employer at all times. The figures following the name of Gleason in the table of contents at the bottom of this article should be held up as a shining beacon for aspiring colts.

There were no outbursts of applause during the contest, for the reason that the local patrons have not yet selected a favorite. When the colts won that fragment of a game on Saturday they were looked upon as the coming men, but the situation has changed somewhat since then. The older hands are in better form, however, and less addicted to shooting pains brought on by rushing headlong into condition.

In the first glad flush of finding themselves in rapid company, the minor leaguers grew too enthusiastic. Reaction has now set in. Harry Davis had so far recovered as to distinguish himself at first base, but J. Bentley Seymour, being still in sore distress of wind and limb, was assigned the role of umpire. He fitted this position to the satisfaction of himself, though some others in his class did not share the same opinion.

Catcher Zearfoss and Outfielder Cavelle, of the second team, made a fine showing, the former hitting the ball hard and throwing to second in time to flag the runners who tried to steal that bag. Cavelle played a clean game in the garden, and, with Adam Stanhope, who alternated with Foster behind the bat, made the only double play of the game.

Joe Mulligan, in centre, accepted all his chances. He is a fast man in the position, and an accurate thrower. Battin and Connaughton are behaving well, and Twirlers Flynn and Kagey are both young men of promise. The regulars are coming round in good shape, and setting the standard high for their pupils. Pfeffer is rapidly gaining strength and expects to more than hold his end up.

The regulars took the lead in their half of the first inning, scoring five runs and finding German for the same number of hits. One of these was a double by Gleason and the Zearfoss three-bagger. A pair of doubles off Clarke in the third gave the colts their first two runs. In the same round, for the regulars, Connaughton's triple and a single by Bill Clarke brought in another tally. In the fifth, with Bill on third, Kagey sent a long fly to left, which Cavelle captured and threw to the plate, heading off Clarke in the act of unloading a run.

The game was full of sharp plays and pretty fielding on both sides, with hitting enough to keep the spectators guessing. In the last inning a foul tip from the bat of Harry Davis jammed Zearfoss's mask into his face, making an ugly cut on the left cheek. Farrell completed the inning for the wounded man.

The score:

SECOND TEAM.	r	lb	po	a	e	REGULAR TEAM.	r	lb	po	a	e
Fuller, ss.	0	0	1	3	1	Gleason, 3b	5	2	1	0	1
H.Davis, 1b.	1	2	12	1	1	V. Hal'n, cf.	3	2	2	0	1
Cavelle, lf.	1	1	2	2	0	Stafford, lf.	1	1	2	0	0
M'lig'n, cf.	1	1	2	1	0	Tierman, rf.	0	2	0	0	0
Battam, 3b	0	1	2	1	1	Conn'ton, ss.	1	2	1	2	0
Foster, c.	0	2	1	2	0	Pfeffer, 2b.	1	2	2	1	0
Stan'pe, c.	1	0	1	1	0	W Clark, 1b.	1	3	10	0	0
Farrell, rf.	2	0	2	1	0	Zearfoss, c.	0	1	3	2	1
Wilson, 2b.	1	2	1	2	0	Clarke, p.	0	0	0	1	0
German, p.	0	1	0	3	0	Kagey, p.	0	0	0	3	0
Flynn, p.	0	1	0	1	1						
Totals	7	11	24	18	4	Totals	13	15	24	10	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Regulars	5 1 1 2 0 3 0 1	13
Second Team	0 0 2 0 0 4 0 1	7

Earned runs—Regulars, 7; Second Team, 1. First base on errors—Regulars, 1. Left on bases—Regulars, 3; Second Team, 6. First base on balls—Off German, 1; off Flynn, 3; off Kagey, 3; off Clarke, 1. Struck out—By Clarke, 1; by Kagey, 1; by German, 1; by Flynn, 1. Three-base hits—Zearfoss, Connaughton. Two-base hits—Gleason, 3; German, Davis, W. Clark. Sacrifice hits—Van Haltren, Stafford. Stolen bases—Gleason, 2; Van Haltren, 2; Pfeffer, Stanhope, Fuller, H. Davis, 2; Foster, German, Flynn. Double play—Cavelle and Stanhope. Hit by pitcher—By German, 1; by Kagey, 1. Wild pitches—By Kagey, 1. Umpire—Mr. Seymour. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes.

CHARLES DRYDEN.

KEMENY'S GREAT VICTORY.

The Philadelphian Outplayed Showalter in Their Sixth Game of Chess.

Philadelphia, March 9.—Emil Kemeny defeated Chess Champion Showalter in brilliant style in the sixth game of their championship match this afternoon, thus bringing his score up to two, as against his opponent's three games, one game having been drawn. The Philadelphian's play throughout was of a very high order, and a beautiful combination wound up the fight. Showalter found himself completely outplayed.

To-day's game, opened by Kemeny, was another Petroff turned, as before, into a Four Knights' game. On his fifth move, instead of castling, Kemeny sacrificed his knight, regaining it four moves later, with the better development. By putting his queen out of play, Showalter gave his opponent the opportunity for bringing about his clever coup, which involved the sacrifice of two pieces, and resulted in a forced mate.

N. M. A. C. COUNTRY HOME.

Harry Cornish Intends That "Cherry Diamond" Athletes Shall Have Every Facility.

Athletics in this city are to receive a big boom this Summer if the plans of Harry Cornish, who has succeeded C. Henry Genslinger as manager of the New Manhattan Athletic Club, are carried out.

Mr. Cornish, in speaking of the club's plans yesterday, said:

"The directors have decided to run the club for the benefit of its members, and not for the general public. The boxing shows which have been held in the gymnasium once a month will be continued, as the majority of the members are in favor of them. But for the future tickets will be sold to members only, though they will have the privilege of introducing their friends under certain conditions.

"It is the intention to make the club an athletic, as well as a social club. We will make a big bid for the prizes in some of the amateur athletic events to be held in this vicinity this Summer, and with the present track athletes and several more who are expected to join the club, I think we will make an excellent showing. The club has not made overtures to any athletes, nor will it. We have in the club already a number of promising men who joined of their own will. R. A. Moore, of the Barnard School, who holds the interscholastic championships at 100 and 220 yards; E. W. Bedford, also of Barnard, the interscholastic one-mile champion; Albert E. Beers, of the La Salle School, the interscholastic champion hurdler; S. A. Syme, of Princeton, broad jumper and hurdler; J. L. Hurlbut, the Berkeley pole vaulter, and Alex Meffert, the ex-champion amateur swimmer, are some of the men who will carry the cherry diamond this Summer. All of these men have been elected members, and applications have been received from a dozen other clever athletes for membership in the club."

A meeting of the directors will be held this week to appoint a committee for the purpose of looking for sites for the building of a country home and grounds for the club. This committee will look around this Summer for sites, and when it sends in its report action will be immediately taken for the erection of a clubhouse and an athletic field.

In the meantime Manhattan Field, Berkeley Oval or Columbia Oval may be rented.

"It is also the intention to repair the boathouse on the Harlem River and to buy several new boats for the use of the members. The club will not take any active interest in rowing this Summer, but next year we hope to have several good crews on the water. We are not going to plunge into everything right away, but will go along at an easy gait, and we hope to get to the front in a short while."

TWO KNOCKOUTS IN HARLEM.

Lively Boxing Characterized the Opening Night of the Local Club.

The Harlem Lyceum Athletic Club opened its new clubhouse last night with three special bouts which were well contested. The gymnasium was packed with lovers of fistiana, who applauded the boxers liberally.

The first special bout was of six rounds at 117 pounds between Benny Leon, of the Nonpareil A. C., and Danny Baugh, of Harlem. Little work was done in the first round, but both got to work in the second and landed hard blows on each other. The third round was full of fast work. Leon sent a hot one on the chin that made the Harlem lad groggy just as the bell sounded. Baugh came strong in the fourth and landed a left on Leon's eye that cut a big gash over it. Leon came back and landed right and left, sending Baugh to the ropes. Leon drew the blood from Baugh in the fifth. Both were fa... in the final, though Leon was the stronger and landed oftener. The referee decided the contest a draw.

The second bout was between Darby McGowan, of the Nonpareil Athletic Club, and Mike Streeben, of the Pastime Athletic Club, at 120 pounds, six to eight rounds. This was a hurricane fight from the start. McGowan knocked Streeben down in the second round with a left swing. Streeben had all the best of the third, fourth and fifth rounds. McGowan forced the work in the sixth, and had Streeben all but finished. In the seventh round McGowan forced Streeben all around the ring, landing hard body punches and after one minute and fifty seconds sent his right on the jaw, knocking Streeben down and out.

The final bout was between Billy Gibbons, of this city, and Dick Behrens, of the Nonpareil A. C. Gibbons was the aggressor from the third round, and after some hard fighting put Behrens to sleep in the seventh.

"FITZ" MAY BE THE REFEREE.

He Will Be Asked to Officiate at the Lavigne-McAuliffe Bout.

There was a lively scene between Dick Roche, the well-known bookmaker, and Sam Fitzpatrick when they met at the St. James Hotel last night to select a referee for the Jack McAuliffe-George Lavigne contest, which will be decided at Madison Square Garden to-morrow night. Dick Roche, usually calm and unruffled under the most trying circumstances, lost his self-control when Fitzpatrick proposed abandoning the service of a referee altogether and favored the idea of leaving the public to judge for itself between the two men.

Mr. Roche stated that it is looked upon by the sporting fraternity as a real championship contest, so far so that the result will enable definite lines to be drawn between the comparative merits of the two men, and the question had now narrowed down to the point of "no referee, no contest."

He then submitted the names of Mike Donovan, of the New York A. C.; Al Smith, of this city, and Jimmy Colville, of Boston, adding that these were three of the best judges of boxing in this country, and that any one of them would be acceptable to McAuliffe.

Fitzpatrick finally agreed to have a referee, but refused to accept any of the names submitted by Roche, and proposed Ed Roth, Tim Hurst and Sam Austin. Roche would not agree to any of these three, but on the suggestion of Bob Fitzsimmons's name, jumped eagerly at it, as also did Fitzpatrick. They both agreed to see the champion and endeavor to prevail upon him to accept the position of referee.

ZEIGLER AND M'CARTHY DRAW.

Austin Gibbons Did Not Go on with "Bull" at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 9.—The Caledonian Club offered an attractive card to-night in the shape of six six-round bouts, the wind-up being between "Bull" McCarthy and Owen Zeigler. Austin Gibbons was to have been McCarthy's opponent, but he could not get down to weight and was not inclined to go on.

Neither had any material advantage over the other, and the judges decided the bout a draw. All during the six rounds the men gave a clever exhibition, and while Zeigler led oftener, he failed to land most of his blows. Three of McCarthy's left-hand jabs caught Owen hard on the face, while McCarthy received most of Zeigler's blows on the body.

IN THE ROPED ARENA.

Billy Vernon knocked out Jack Dougherty in one minute, at the Philadelphia Art Club, on Saturday night, and what was expected to be the event of the evening terminated abruptly, much to the disappointment of the spectators.

Frank Erna, of Buffalo, who will meet Joe Gans before the New Manhattan A. C. next Thursday evening, arrived in town on Saturday. He will do the balance of his training at Bath Beach with Jack McAuliffe.

Solly Smith, of California, and Tommy White were matched Saturday evening, to meet before the Bay View Athletic Club, of Sixty-fifth street and Third avenue, Brooklyn. The contest will take place within two weeks.

A new athletic club, with headquarters at Bay Ridge, has been organized. The management intend holding bouts between only clever and reputable pugilists, and propose conducting their shows similar to those given under the auspices of the big athletic clubs. John P. Eckhardt has been engaged as official referee.

Tommy Kelly, the "Harlem Spider," and Casper Leon will probably be matched to-day, to meet in a ten-round bout, at the coming show of the Berkeley Athletic Club.

SARATOGA'S ADVANTAGES.

The Lake Course for College Oarsmen Considered by Ex-Stroke Ostrom.

Possible for Thirteen Crews to Row Abreast with No Chance of Fouling.

WHY SPRINGFIELD WAS ABANDONED.

River Current Gives Advantages to Boats Drawing the Westerly Position, and Curve of the Stream Misleads Judges.

By John N. Ostrom,

The Famous Cornell Stroke of '75, '76 and '77.

Concerning the coming race between Cornell, Columbia, Harvard and Pennsylvania, I have noticed frequent misstatements (from college men who are not interested in the event except to discredit it), tending to show that the race is impracticable, because so many crews cannot row on a course without fouling.

To disprove this it is only necessary to refer to the College Regatta at Saratoga in 1875 and 1876, when all the colleges of any standing whatever on the water rowed abreast in one heat, side by side. The course was divided into lanes 100 feet wide by a line of flags one-eighth of a mile from start to finish down the three-mile course.

The rules of the association were that a crew should be immediately disqualified as soon as it left its own lane. Although each boat was steered by the bow oarsman with his foot, not one of all the Varsity or freshman crews ever failed to keep in its lane. With coxswains, as present races are rowed, it would be still easier to keep in line.

Since I rowed in the last four races of the old College Rowing Association I have a tolerably clear idea of the varied conditions under which the races were rowed.

At Springfield, in '73, eleven colleges rowed on the Connecticut River. Owing to a sharp bend, just above the starting point, the current is diverted to the west shore, and a sand bar is thrown up on the east shore. The river was just wide enough to allow the eleven boats to start abreast; but the crews on the west side had the current, and those on the east found only slack water and a shallow bar. This, of course, made a decidedly unequal contest.

Besides this, owing to the beginning of bends, at start and finish, the course was laid out on the arc of a large circle, the start and finish lines being inclined. This caused another complication, and resulted in a disagreeable dispute between the two leading boats, which were very close, one on the east and one on the west side. They had both started in the current on the west side, but one diverged to the east at the finish.

The squabble over this race resulted in the selection of Saratoga Lake in '74. There were nine crews in the race. Although there was no current to contend with, Harvard and Yale fouled near the start, and Yale was completely disabled. The start was near Snake Hill, in the "Cove," and the finish in the outlet, near Moon's Hotel. It was a difficult matter to stake the narrow neck at the outlet, and to aid in this, one line of flags was run down the right hand from start to the point of the neck.

It was wisely decided at the next convention to reverse the course, starting abreast of Snake Hill and finishing before the neck was reached. To prevent the possibility of another foul the course was surveyed on the ice in the Winter and every eighth of a mile a row of buoys was sunk 100 feet apart, making thirteen lanes 100 feet wide and three miles long. All the races of '75 and '76 were rowed through these lanes, and even the freshmen had no trouble to steer through them. There was never another foul in the association and the winning crews received full credit for winning on merit alone.

It seems to me that Saratoga Lake is the most suitable place for the coming race for at least two reasons: It has the best hotel accommodation in the country for the visitors and the course is a shallow lake that can easily be buoyed into lanes. Being a lake course, furthermore, every crew has an equal chance, as there is no current. Now, a river course cannot be found where the current will not be an advantage to the crew drawing it, and it would be impracticable to buoy it owing to the current dragging anchors more or less.

The Hudson has a tide that would prevent buoying it properly, and it is much too deep for that purpose. Besides the fast steamers and tugs throw dangerous wash for light shells. On Saratoga Lake there is no navigation except for small pleasure boats and these are always kept in the rear. The only objection to Saratoga Lake seems to be that it is scarcely long enough for a four-mile course; but I am not positive that a four-mile course could not be laid out there. I am inclined to believe that by going to the extreme upper end and rowing into the neck four miles could be covered.

I do not think that this drawback should bar the course, for it would seem to me better to row a three-mile race. It would be as fair for one as for the other. Of course, the undergraduates should select the course, according to prevailing sentiment, for without sentiment it would not be a college race. There seems no good reason, however, why an old college chap should not offer a suggestion or two.

ALIX LEAVES FOR THE WEST.

The Famous Trotting Mare Sent to Trainer McHenry's Stable.

Last night Monroe Salisbury's horses, including the champion mare Alix, concerning the sale of which an erroneous report was published recently, were shipped West, the understanding being that their destination is Freeport, Ill., the home of the noted trainer, M. E. McHenry. It is not probable that the trotting queen will be seen again in racing form, and Azote, the gelding champion, is also under suspicion as to his legs.

The series of races between the Driving and Parkway Clubs will probably be at mile heats, best two in three, to road wagon, and yesterday a call was announced for a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Driving Club, for Wednesday night, when no doubt all the details will be arranged.

The entire South Elkhorn Farm stud of the late Colonel R. P. Pepper, comprising about 500 head of very choice trotting stock, will shortly be dispersed. In Madison Square Garden next month a large draft from this stable will be placed on the market. Another lot will be sold in Cleveland in May, and the remainder in Madison Square Garden at an Autumn sale.

The Parkway Driving Club directors held a meeting last night at their headquarters in Brooklyn to consider the proposal made by the Fleetwood club as to the "inter-club" races. After discussion a committee was named to confer with the New York club, those gentlemen appointed being Fred Lemmermann, John F. Cornell and Secretary W. C. Allen. There can be little doubt that the two clubs will reach a satisfactory agreement.

Answers to Correspondents.

B. Mc. (Bristol, Conn.)—He was promised $10,000, but $6,000 was all he received from the El Paso people.

Anxious.—Johnnie Eckhardt was referee on that occasion.

B. S. H. (Hartford, Conn.)—Apply to any well-known trainer, stating your weight and experience. The Bennings track is in the District of Columbia.

YALE CREW'S ENTRY SENT.

Affidavit Testifying to the 'Varsity Eight's Amateurism Despatched to Henley Committee.

New Haven, Conn., March 9.—Manager De Sibour sent the following communication to-day to the Henley Committee:

On this, the 9th day of March, 1896, before me, Walter Camp, a notary public in and for the County of New Haven, State of Connecticut, personally appeared W. M. Beard, R. B. Treadway, F. Connolly, J. S. Wheelwright, J. McLaughlin, J. McC. Longacre, P. H. Bailey, H. G. Campbell, P. Whitney, P. D. Mills, W. R. Cross, G. Langford, J. H. Simpson, T. W. Miller, A. Brown, D. V. Sutphin, S. Patterson, J. R. Judd, J. O. Rogers, D. H. Rogers, R. Hitchcock, G. T. Marsh, T. L. Clark and L. H. Green, who, being duly sworn, did each for himself severally depose and say that he had never rowed or steered in any race for a stake, money or entrance fee; has never knowingly rowed or steered against a professional for any prize; has never taught, pursued or assisted in the practice of athletic exercises at any time for profit; has never been employed in or about boats or manual labor for money or wages; is not and never has been by trade or employment for wages a mechanic, artisan or laborer or engaged in any menial duty, and is not disqualified as an amateur in any other branch of sports, and that he has been a member of the Yale University Boat Club for more than four months previous to March 1, 1896, and that said boat club was duly established more than a year previous to March 1, 1896.

WALTER CAMP.
(Signed.) New Haven, Conn.

Along with this was sent the formal entry for the races to be held for the Grand Challenge Cup.

CRICKET ASSOCIATION MEETS.

The Manhattan Club Elected to Membership and Rules Altered.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the New York Cricket Association was held last night at St. George's Memorial House.

Delegates from the following clubs were present: St. George Athletic Club, New Jersey A. C., Paterson, Columbia, Kings County, St. George and Harlem cricket clubs. The treasurer reported a balance of $67 on hand and a bonus of $25 was awarded Secretary G. Hoke for his services last season. The application of the Manhattan Cricket Club was favorably received, and the club was unanimously elected to membership.

The Rev. W. S. Rainsford was elected president, H. A. Young vice-president and G. Hoke secretary and treasurer, and the following were elected delegates to the association: J. L. Evans, Columbia Cricket Club; F. J. Chadwick, St. George Cricket Club; G. Hoke, Harlem Cricket Club; A. Tugent, Kings County Cricket Club; H. E. Davis, Paterson Cricket Club; G. W. Cooper, New Jersey Athletic Club, and J. Rose, Manhattan Cricket Club.

No action was taken on the proposed effort to reduce the radius for association clubs to fifteen miles from the City Hall, which would exclude Paterson (N. J.), the champion club of the association; but the matter will be taken up at the next special meeting.

A resolution was passed, which will prevent a player representing the same club in both the Metropolitan District League and the association's championship series during the same season.

MANY VALUABLE TROPHIES.

They Will Form One of the Features of the Sportsmen's Show Next Week.

One of the most interesting and valuable features of the Sportsmen's Show, which will be opened at Madison Square Garden on the 16th, is the loan exhibition of trophies won at various contests, where muscle and skill and endurance were of preeminent importance.

One of the exhibits will be furnished by Theodore Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt has spent years in the woods and along the streams of this country and Canada, and his trophies are interesting in the extreme in their variety and attractiveness.

Another exhibit will be that of George Gould, who will show his yachting cups, won here and abroad in many an exciting contest. Still another prominent man who will show his trophies is Robert Bonner, the owner of Maud S. and Sunol. Then there are G. P. Morosini, Fred Hoey, the crack pigeon shot, and W. C. Harris.

The New York and Manhattan Athletic clubs will exhibit the many medals and cups won by the respective members of their organizations in hot fought battles. Among the exhibitors will be Lon Myers, the fleetest man who ever trod a cinder path; E. C. Carter, for many years the long distance champion of this country; A. A. Jordan, the all around champion; Eddie Lange, the walker, and the two skaters, Joe Donoghue and George P. Phillips.

The championship belt, won by John L. Sullivan from Paddy Ryan, will also be placed on view, as will be the famous Temple Cup.

Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Cornell, University of Pennsylvania, Columbia and other colleges will participate, and Lieutenant Peary and Dr. Cook, the Arctic explorers, will send some of their finds from the northlands.

Oarsmen at Shuffle-Board.

A handicap shuffle-board tournament will open this evening at J. E. Nagle's cafe, No. 122 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. It will continue during the evenings of Wednesday and Thursday. There will be three prizes. The first will be $20 in gold, the second $10 and the third $5. Five oarsmen selected from the different boat clubs on the Harlem River have arranged the handicapping. The games will open each evening at 8 o'clock.

Quaker Cricketers for England.

Philadelphia, March 9.—The tour of the Haverford Cricket Club in England this season seems practically assured. Many of the leading English public schools will be tackled, including Clifton, Cheltenham and possibly Harrow and Rugby. The schedule is being arranged by C. W. Alcock, secretary of the Surrey County Cricket Club.

Greenwich Wheelmen Incorporated.

Albany, March 9.—The Greenwich Wheelmen, of New York City, were incorporated to-day with the Secretary of State. The directors are Albert J. Ford, Martin F. Barry, T. H. Russell, W. F. McNally and W. J. Olvany, of New York City.

ALONG SCULLERS' ROW.

Julius Mahr, president of the Metropolitan Rowing Club, the new president of the Harlem Regatta Association, speaking of the prospects of the Decoration Day regatta, said that the indications are that the events would fill better this year than ever before, as there seemed to be a regular boom in aquatics at present. The practice on the rowing machines this Winter seems to have put new life in the oarsmen and, in fact, there is a general increase in the membership of nearly all the boat clubs in this vicinity.

The fact that four new four-oared gigs are being built for Harlem River clubs this Winter is a fair indication that gig racing will be a popular feature this year, and that the junior and intermediate four-oared gig races will fill well in the Harlem regatta.

Owing to the difficulty in getting eight oared junior shells together for practice, the Metropolitan Rowing Club has decided to make no attempt at placing a junior eight in the water this year, but they will have at least three four-oared crews in the Harlem regatta.

The New York Athletic Club has a senior four-oared shell crew in training for the Harlem regatta, which they expect will make the other competitors realize that the event is not going to be an easy one. Some of the members of this crew rowed in the famous "chippie" eight.

No date has yet been decided upon for the Middle States regatta, but as it draws largely from the clubs of the other regatta associations, care will be used in selecting a date that will not inconvenience the oarsmen who will compete in any of the other set events.

The Long Island Rowing Association will hold its annual meeting shortly in the Winter clubhouse of the Seawanhaka Boat Club. The only event on their programme that will not be open to visiting clubs will be the junior four-oared shell race for the Eagle Cup, which is exclusively for Long Island clubs.

SOUND YACHTING DATES.

Yacht Racing Union Announces Its Schedule for the Coming Season.

Vessels to Carry the Numbers Allotted Throughout the Entire Series.

CORINTHIAN SKIPPERS DEFINED.

Many Opportunities Afforded for the Special Classes, and the New Half-Raters to Test Their Merits.

The special meeting of the Yacht Racing Union of Long Island Sound was held last night in Parlor F of the Fifth Avenue Hotel. The principal business of the session was the presentation of the report of the council relative to the allotment of racing dates for the various clubs, which were unanimously adopted, as was also the rearrangement of classes for both schooners and single masted vessels and yawls. Oliver E. Cromwell presided, Frank Bowne Jones acting as secretary.

The date (June 27) allotted to the New Rochelle Yacht Club conflicted with that of the Seawanhaka Club, and was referred back to the council. The council was instructed to prepare a uniform entry blank for all clubs, and a resolution instructing the regatta committees to provide additional starting signals for other divisions of racing yachts was unanimously carried.

The Council submitted their new set of racing, rules for the consideration of the delegates, and expressed the hope that all clubs represented would adopt the new rules in full, or so amend their existing rules that they would conform in the main to the union rules.

The rules as submitted contain little original matter, the phraseology of the laws governing the larger clubs being used as far as possible, it being deemed unwise to introduce any radical change in the existing regulations.

The following definition of a cabin yacht was adopted:

A vessel to be considered a cabin yacht must have a substantial cabin, with accommodations, forming a part of the permanent structure of the yacht.

In an effort to eliminate a hope of gain among the members in the races to be held this Summer the following rule was adopted:

No person who follows the seas as a means of livelihood, or who is by occupation a shipwright, sailmaker or rigger, or who has accepted a remuneration for services in handling or serving on a yacht or who is a professional in any other sport shall be considered a Corinthian yachtsman.

The Committee on Rules advised that all clubs send to the Racing Committee before May 1 a list of all yachts, with full particulars as to length, rigging and ownership, in order that the Racing Committee may allot to them their letters and numbers, by which they shall be designated in all races. The letter shall stand for the class and the number for the boat.

The following racing schedule was recomended by the Racing Committee:

Saturday, May 16, Huguenot special; Saturday, May 23, New Rochelle special; Saturday, May 30, Harlem annual; Saturday, May 30, Seawanhaka special; Saturday, June 6, Knickerbocker annual; Saturday, June 13, Douglaston annual; Tuesday, June 16, Seawanhaka, in New York Bay; Saturday, June 20, Larchmont Spring meeting; Saturday, June 20, Waterside, open; Monday, June 22, Tuesday, 23d, Wednesday, 24th, and Saturday, June 27, Seawanhaka trial races; Saturday, June 27, New Rochelle, open; Saturday, June 29, Marblehead annual; Saturday, June 30, Indian Harbor special; Wednesday, July 1, Corinthian fleet annual; Thursday, July 2, Horseshoe Harbor special; Friday, July 3, American annual; Saturday, July 4, Larchmont annual; Saturday, July 11, Riverside annual; Monday, July 13, Seawanhaka international for half raters, and to continue on 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th.

LARCHMONT RACE WEEK.

Saturday, July 18, Larchmont, open; Monday, July 20, Larchmont special; Tuesday, July 21, Larchmont race for the Eastward and Westward Cup; Wednesday, July 22, Larchmont special for Annapus Cup; Thursday, July 23, Friday, July 24, and Saturday, July 25, Larchmont special races; Saturday, July 25, Sea Cliff annual; Saturday, August 1, Indian Harbor annual; Saturday, August 1, Corinthian fleet special; Saturday, August 8, New Rochelle fleet special; Saturday, August 8, Hempstead Harbor annual; Wednesday, August 12, Norwalk annual; Saturday, August 15, American special; Saturday, August 15, Stamford Y. C. annual regatta; Saturday, August 22, Horseshoe Harbor annual; Saturday, August 22, Riverside special; Thursday, August 27, Sea Cliff special; Saturday, August 29, Huguenot annual; Saturday, August 29, Seawanhaka special; Saturday, September 5, Huntington annual; Saturday, September 5, Larchmont special; Monday, September 7, Larchmont Fall; Monday, September 7, Norwalk annual; Saturday, September 12, Larchmont special; Saturday, September 12, Indian Harbor special; Saturday, September 19, American Fall; Saturday, September 19, Stamford special; Saturday, September 26, Sea Cliff special; Saturday, September 26, Riverside Fall.

Want to Fly Atlantic's Flag.

The following yachtsmen have been proposed for membership in the Atlantic Yacht Club: Clarence A. Postley, schooner Colonia; George B. Parsons, W. L. Stow, steam yacht Lorna; Francis M. Wilson, Henry M. Birge, schooner Wave Crest, and George Hill.

Wants to Walk on Water.

Boston, March 9.—Professor C. W. Oldretve issues the following: "I have just received information that George Whistler, the champion water walker, has issued a challenge to walk on the water against me on any water, rough or smooth. I hereby accept his challenge to meet him on any body of water he may suggest."

New Jersey A. C. Cricket Officers.

The annual election of officials for the cricket department of the New Jersey Athletic Club was held on Saturday night, resulting as follows: Captain, H. C. Wright; secretary, F. F. Kelly. The names of Alexander Forbes and F. C. Calder were added to the committee. The captain of the second eleven will be appointed later.

Choynski and McCoy Matched.

Arrangements were completed last night for a ten-round contest between Joe Choynski and "Kid" McCoy. They will meet on Saturday evening, March 21, at the Grand Central Palace.

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TO-DAY'S PROBABLE WINNERS.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

First Race—K. C., 1; Marden's Pet, 2.

Second Race—Bonnie Belle, 1; Ironstone, 2.

Third Race—Cotton King, 1; Newhouse, 2.

Fourth Race—Masonic Home, 1; Stark, 2.

Fifth Race—Trixie C., 1; Bankrupt, 2.

Sixth Race—Master Fred, 1; Sir John, 2.

The Card at New Orleans.

First Race—Three-quarter mile; selling.

447 Sweetheart	97	482 Lady Unde	100
477 Ada M.	97	405 K. C.	102
483 Spiritualist	99	371 Aaron	102
477 Glendaga	99	476 Springtime	102
445 Mardenpet	100	477 Salvation	105
345 Lena	100	441 Contl	111

Second Race—One-half mile; two-year-olds; maiden.

455 Attle H.	97	479 Worry Not	100
437 Clara Jewel	97	479 Sanguine	100
455 Masquerade	97	— Belle of Niles	102
455 Dott C.	97	383 Fate	102
455 Clematis	97	455 Bonnie Belle	102
419 Cobus	97	455 Ironstone	105

Third Race—Three-quarter mile.

469 Judith C.	102	(473) Honor	102
402 Loyal Princess	102	— Cakebread	102
311 Ha Ha	102	473 Little Bramble	104
431 Rebella II.	102	433 Old Saugus	104
459 Society	102	475 Newhouse	107
473 Royal Nettie	102	(170) Cotton King	107

Fourth Race—One mile; handicap.

(481) Stark	95	408 Miss Rowett	103
(466) Nicolini	98	(471) Gold Dust	100
481 Jamboree	106	475 Tancred	94
474 Panway	92	472 Queen Bess	97
(487) Masonic Home	108		

Fifth Race—One mile and twenty yards.

425 Sister Rosalind	82	425 Plug	101
449 Prudent	82	482 Jubilee	109
458 Trixie C.	89	458 Bankrupt	109
473 Millie M.	99	482 Connemara	109
431 Airlight	91	446 Ulster	112
482 Discard	98	477 John P.	119

Sixth Race—Three-quarter mile; selling.

340 Carrie B.	97	489 Master Fred	102
484 Sir John	99	377 Longdale	102
488 Bagpipe	99	440 Denver	102
478 Black Tiger	99	478 Rapid Transit	103
478 Bart	99	381 Saybrook	105
(446) Raviola	102	476 Cerro Gordo	105

The Winners at St. Louis.

The races at St. Louis yesterday resulted as follows:

First Race—Four furlongs and a half.—Paddy Flynn, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Little Nell, 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Ada B., third. Time, 1:01.

Second Race—Five furlongs and a half.—Wild Sunflower, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Mamie S., 3 to 1 and even, second; Montello third. Time, 1:13¾.

Third Race—Five furlongs.—Rob Roy, 2 to 1 and even, won; Danton, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Victor D. third. Time, 1:06¼.

Fourth Race—Five furlongs and a half.—Daddy Reed, 4 to 7 and 7 to 1, won; Lagrippe, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Censor third. Time, 1:12.

Fifth Race—One mile.—Shadrach, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won; Livingston, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Venture third. Time, 1:48½.

The Card at St. Louis.

First Race—Four furlongs and a half.—Buzetta, 97 pounds; Ada B., 99; Sunlight, 113; Mary Bell, 113; Miss Jessie, 113; Coleraine, 115; Fred Tarsil, 115; Ed Beauman, 115.

Second Race—Five furlongs and a half.—Trilby, 107 pounds; O. M. W., 121; Abe Cohen, 125; Orphan Boy, 125; Catlan, 125; J. B. Freed, 125; Belshazzar, 128; Tom Jones, 128.

Third Race—Five furlongs.—Irene, 103 pounds; Allophaty, 103; Little Addie, 103; Dixie D., 103; King Fare III., 105; Conductor McSweeney, 105; Ed Brown, 105; Crab Cider, 105.

Fourth Race—Five furlongs and a half.—Dark Knight, 110 pounds; Little Fellow, Jr., 110; Ed Lahey, 110; Benquire, 110; Rob Roy, 110; Duckadoo, 110; Bobby Burns, 110; Victor D., 110.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs.—Madeira, 105 pounds; Collision, 105; Moke, 107; Montello, 107; Theus, 112; Winfield, 112; Sundown, 112; Volens, 112.

The Winners at Ingleside.

San Francisco, March 9.—The results of the races at Ingleside this afternoon were as follows:

First Race—Four furlongs.—Mary K. won, Gordon second, Ingleside third. Time, 0:50½.

Second Race—One mile and a quarter.—Rey del Rondidas won, Red Root second, Foremost third. Time, 2:10¾.

Third Race—Five furlongs.—Pinkerton won, Veragua second, Fleet third. Time, 1:03½.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs.—Quality won, Tobey second, Pique third. Time, 1:16.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs.—Delfargilla won, Vinctor second, La Bengula third. Time, 1:28¾.

WHIP SNAPS.

Application has been made to the Jockey Club for the reinstatement of Jockey Washburn. When the "outlaws" were taken into the fold last Fall the boy was sick at his home in North Dakota. Friends filed an application for his reinstatement unknown to him, and when he recovered he returned to Washington and rode at Alexander Island before he learned of his restoration to favor. He claims that had he known of it, he would not have offended the Jockey Club's ruling. He is at present riding in Venezuela.

The Russian tr