

INTEREST IN TECH ALUMNI GAME---ANOTHER WALKAWAY FOR HASSETT TEAM

ALUMNI GAME MONDAY NIGHT

Tech Five to Line Up Against College Stars; Probable Makeup of Teams

Tech's basketball tossers are eagerly waiting for the annual game with the Alumni five which will be played Monday evening on the Chestnut street floor.

On the Alumni five this year are a number of college players who are showing good form in early games at their respective schools.

Steve Yerkes Is Leader in Western Ball Games; Other Good Averages

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Indianapolis, pennant winner in the American Association, was the best fielding club in the league, according to official fielding averages just announced.

Two triple plays were made during the season, one each by St. Paul and Toledo, Minneapolis, which was last in fielding, lead in double plays with 19.

Among the "regulars", the pennant winners had three men who carried off the honors in their positions.

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Four Brothers Fighting For the United States

The Ketchum family of Versailles, two of whose members are well-known University of Pittsburgh graduates and former active basketball players at the Panther institution, is placing a rare war record to its credit.

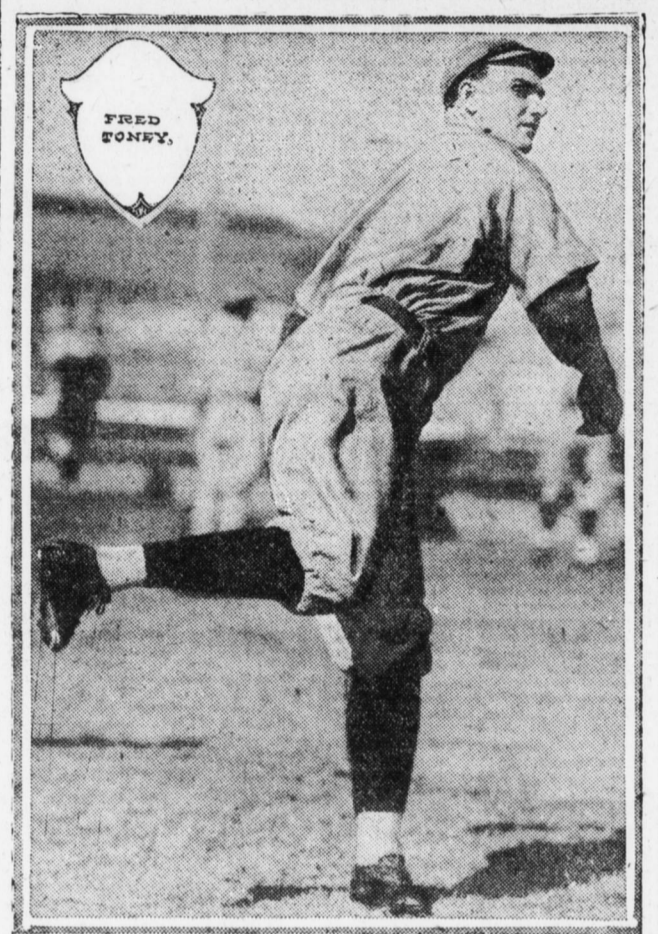
COLLEGE CHESS WINNERS

New York, Dec. 27.—The first win in the nineteenth annual triangular college chess league tournament, which opened here yesterday with teams representing Cornell University and the College of the City of New York engaging in the opening play was scored by E. Finkelstein, of the City College four.

Pay your money and—take your choice

Do you want to get a smoke for a nickel that will give you no satisfaction or will you pay an extra penny for good old King Oscar—Quality

FRED. TONEY, OF REDS, IN BAD; IS ALLEGED DRAFT VIOLATOR



Fred Toney, star pitcher of the Cincinnati Reds, is out on bail following his arrest at Nashville for alleged conspiracy to evade the selective service law.

FOOTBALL STAR FIRST OFFICER "OVER THE TOP"

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SUBMARINES IN GREAT VICTORY

Enola, Dec. 27.—Despite the fact that naval authorities claim the destroyers are the best weapon for hunting the U-Boats in the war zones of Europe, this claim was refuted last night when the submarines of the local P. R. R. Y. M. C. Bowling league unmercifully slaughtered their supposed to be swifter rivals, the Destroyers, by a margin of 300 pins.

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WARNING TO TAX COLLECTORS

New Bloomfield, Pa., Dec. 27.—Perry County Commissioners have passed a resolution to the effect that all tax collectors for the year 1916 who have not yet settled their duplicates of county and state taxes of the above mentioned year be notified that the time for settlement has been extended to Friday, December 28, 1917, and that any tax collector who fails to appear at that time and make settlement will be deemed a defaulter, and proceedings will be instituted against him for the recovery of the balance due on his duplicate without further notice.

TITLES WON BY TRAPSHOOTERS

List of This Year's Champions in the United States

This year brought many trap shooting champions, also an increase in this sport. The following is a list of title holders for 1917 as compiled by Peter P. Carney, Editor National Sports Syndicate:

- Alabama—Dr. A. Lawson, Nashville.
Arkansas—J. E. Chatfield, Texarkana.
Arizona—H. P. DeMund, Phoenix.
Atlantic Fleet—F. P. Williams, U. S. S. Solace.
California—Nevada—F. H. Mellus, Los Angeles.
Colorado—New Mexico—R. A. King, Denver.
Connecticut—W. A. Flynn, New Britain.
Delaware—L. R. Beauchamp, Harrington.
Florida—G. W. Ball, Leesburg.
Georgia—W. H. Jones, Macon.
Idaho—D. J. Holohan, Burley.
Indiana—Dr. W. L. Straughan, Richmond.
Iowa—J. R. Jahn, Davenport.
Illinois—Mark Arie, Thomasboro.
Kansas—Steve Hoyt, Salena.
Kentucky—Z. C. Offutt, Louisville.
Louisiana—H. T. Wadley, Alexandria.
Michigan—C. A. Galbraith, Bay City.
Missouri—Harve Dixon, Orange.
Mississippi—Lloyd Matlack, Ocean Springs.
Maryland—District of Columbia—J. S. Michael, Aberdeen, Md.
Montana—H. Schnack, Forsyth.
Minnesota—C. A. Mason, Little Falls.
Maine—E. A. Randall, Portland.
Massachusetts—S. W. Putnam, Fitchburg.
New Jersey—C. B. Platt, Bridgeton.
New York—H. J. Pendergast, Phoenix.
New Hampshire—E. E. Reed, Manchester.
Nebraska—C. L. Wagoner, Diller.
North Carolina—J. B. Pennington, Tarboro.
North Dakota—A. R. Chezik, Portland.
Oklahoma—George Lewis, Tulsa.
Oregon—J. W. Seavey, Portland.
Ohio—F. E. Brint.
Pennsylvania—Ray McIntyre, Butler.
Rhode Island—W. J. Weaver, Providence.
South Dakota—E. T. Myers, Mitchell.
South Carolina—J. H. Staples, Charleston.
Texas—F. W. McNeil, Houston.
Tennessee—J. H. Pitt, Pleasant.
Utah—C. H. Redley, Jr., Salt Lake City.
Virginia—D. M. Barclay, Barre.
Washington—R. A. Hall, Fisherville.
Washington—J. H. Hopkins, Seattle.
Wisconsin—C. G. Lawson, Waupaca.
Wyoming—J. H. Bradford, Sheridan.
West Virginia—W. E. Myers, Fairmont.
State Champions—Women.
Connecticut—Mrs. F. F. Rodgers, Stamford.
California—Nevada—Mrs. C. E. Groat, Los Angeles.
Delaware—Miss H. D. Hammond, Wilmington.
Iowa—Miss Emma Wettleaf, Nichols.
Illinois—Mrs. A. H. Winkler, Chicago.
Indiana—Mrs. A. J. Dalton, Warsaw.
Kentucky—Mrs. Edward Hilliard, Louisville.
Louisiana—Miss Selma Robin, Kalispell.
Minnesota—Mrs. S. S. Johnson, Minneapolis.
Michigan—Mrs. L. G. Vogel, Detroit.
New York—Mrs. H. L. Harrison, Rochester.
New Jersey—Mrs. F. Johnson, Atlantic.
Oklahoma—Miss Mary Wilson, Drumright.
Pennsylvania—Mrs. F. H. Mellon, Pithersburg.
Tennessee—Mrs. Curtis King, Memphis.
Wisconsin—Mrs. C. D. Moon, Eau Claire.
National Champions
Amateur (singles)—Mark Arie, Iowa.
Professional (singles)—Homer Clark, Alton, Illinois.
Amateur (doubles)—Clarence B. Platt, of Bridgeton, N. J.
Open (doubles)—William Ridley of What Cheer, Ia.
Amateur (200 targets)—Charles B. Newcomb, of Philadelphia.
All-round (open)—Bart Lewis, of Auburn, Ill.
All-round (amateur)—Mark Arie, of Thomasboro, Ill.
Eighteen yards—Fred Tomlin, of Pennsylvania, N. J.
U. S. S. Navy—F. P. Williams, of U. S. S. Solace.
Intercollegiate (team)—Princeton.
Intercollegiate (individual)—C. V. Caesar, Princeton.
Handicap Winners.
Grand American—C. H. Larson, of Wausau, Wis., 98 from 20 yards.
Eastern—K. B. Noble, of Hartford, Conn., 97 from 18 yards.
Southern—L. G. Richards, of Richmond, Va., 97 from 21 yards.
Western—M. H. McDaniel, of Durant, Okla., 97 from 20 yards.
Pacific Coast—Charles Yocum, of Tulare, Cal., 95 from 18 yards.
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WOMEN SHOULD LEARN TO BOX; CHAMPION SAYS

Milwaukee, Dec. 27.—"There is no reason why women as well as men shouldn't interest themselves in physical culture. They owe it to themselves and they owe it to their families. Now with the nation at war and with Uncle Sam mobilizing every resource, domestic as well as military, she owes it to her country."

Miss Hildreth, champion woman bantamweight boxer, was talking. She had been in poor health and began taking gymnasium exercises as a body builder. As her health improved she became interested in gymnasium work, including bag punching, and then boxed a little with her brother. Later she took it up regularly and in the last two years has boxed private exhibitions with Benny Leonard, lightweight champion; Pete Herman, bantamweight champion; and Kevie Erle, an Johnny Dundee.

CHANGES MADE IN BASKETBALL

Compulsory For College and Amateur Teams to Have Arc Boundary Line

New York, Dec. 27.—Interpretations of the new playing code recently arranged by the joint basketball rules committee, of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, Young Men's Christian Association and the Amateur Athletic Union were explained at a meeting of delegates of the three organizations named at the Astor Hotel last night.

It was announced that the one important modification of the rules relates to the course itself. It has been decided that a player frequently has been deprived of a well earned field goal because in throwing the ball his foot touched the boundary line.

All officials, players, coaches and enthusiasts have agreed to work out of these changes and report to the joint committee how they affect the game. Players who have experienced their best season last year, and the future holds out a bright outlook for the game despite the war. Every section of the country reports an increase in interest. All are completing arrangements to stage complete schedules of championship matches.

The fact that basketball is being played by the younger generation guarantees its future for many years to come. No sport has won greater popularity among junior contestants than basketball. It is being played by a greater number of juveniles today than any other game, with the possible exception of baseball.

Hassetts Defeats Indians in One-Sided Contest; Girls Land Victory

Lack of team work because of new players, in the Carlisle Indian line-up, the Hassetts five an easy victory last night, score 44 to 10. The Indians were far outclassed by the local stars. In the girls' division game the Hassetts defeated the co-eds from the Wisconsin High school, score 24 to 10.

Girls' Division. Hassetts, 23; Carlisle, 10. Referee, Johnson.

WELLY'S CORNER

Basketball rule changes announced in New York last night affect all local games except those played Saturday night by the Harrisburg Independents. Those who will have charge of the interscholastic contests will be particularly interested and should study carefully the suggestions.

On Saturday night the Independents will meet the Rosewood five. This game is of importance as it brings together two aggregations of local stars who have been cutting some figure in the cage game for several seasons.

According to a late report the Red Cross officials at Washington do not want Jess Willard or Willard but not while Matt Hinkle or Willard have not been notified, it said the rejection will follow the announcement that terms have been reached for a benefit.

Capital Bowlers Win in Casino League Match

Table with columns for CAPITALS, STARS, and STANDING OF THE TEAMS. Lists scores for various bowlers and teams.

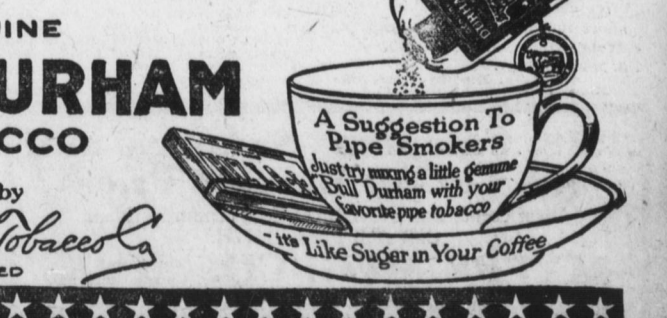
Camp Hill Will Play Alumni Tomorrow Night

Camp Hill High varsity is getting well into condition for the contest with the Alumni team on the Camp Hill floor tomorrow night. Although the teams are not evenly matched, the Alumni members having an advantage, the varsity boys with more experience and better knowledge of the game, the contest is expected to be very fast.



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