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NOMINATIONS AND WITHDRAWALS

The Secretary received the following additional nominations by petitions filed prior to April 1, 1963: Mr. Jack Baker, Northern California, for President; Mr. Anthony Orsi, New Jersey, for Secretary; Mr. Norman Lewis, Metropolitan, for Foreign Secretary.

Mr. Jack Keane and Mr. Allan Kwartler have withdrawn as nominees for Secretary and Foreign Secretary respectively. The Secretary will cast a unanimous ballot for Mr. Orsi and Mr. Lewis since there are no other nominees in opposition to them.

Voting for President shall be by closed mail ballot on official forms sent to each voting member.

CORRECTION

Please note that in our listing of World and Olympic Champions in sabre (Vol. 14, No. 2, p. 12) we failed to include the 1920 Olympiad at Antwerp. The medalists were: 1. N. Nadi; 2. A. Nadi; 3. de Jong.

INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

The following are added to the squad published in our last issue: Barbi Brill, New York, N. Y. and Sandra Trembly, St. Louis, Mo.

PERSONALS

A third Donald Thompson!

Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Thompson have just produced Donald Lawrence. Father Don is former National Epee Champion and twice Olympian; Grandfather Don is former President of the AFLA. Congratulations to all the Thompsons.

A Krieger 4-Weapon Team

Byron and Jocelyn Krieger has just added Franklyn Maurice to the squad: Evelyn (3 yrs.) in women's foil; Byron (?) foil; Franklyn (1/23/63), epee; Douglas (18 mos.) sabre. We hope the team can be strengthened by a replacement for Byron.

Other News Additions

Debby Lynn on August 9, 1962 to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan.

Christopher Jon on February 9, 1963 to Dorothy and Leon Wortman.

A Merger

Joy Despars and Lee Rombeau were married on December 14, 1962 in Los Angeles.

Brother and Sister Act

Eve Cohen and Stan Siegel announced the birth of Laura Diane, on February 16th. Ten days later Diane Elaine arrived at the home of Abram Cohen and his wife Mimi.

SELECTING THE 1964 OLYMPIC TEAM

The minutes of the February 24, 1963 meeting of the Olympic Fencing Games Committee include the method of selecting the Olympic Team.

The following four events will be used as "Qualifying Tournaments for the Olympic Tryout":

Event	Time Factor*	Strength Factor**
1—1963 National Championships	1	3
2—January 1964 Special Tournaments in the East, Midwest, Southwest and Pacific Coast	1	1 to 3
3—April 1964 Special Tournaments in New York and 1964 Sectionals in Midwest, Southwest and Pacific Coast	1	1 to 3
4—1964 National Championships	2	3

Non-Divisional members as well as non-Sectional and North Atlantic fencers must compete in the Eastern and New York Tournaments. In the National and Sectional Championships the usual AFLA eligibilities apply. In the "special tournaments" (4 in January plus one in April) Olympic Association rules require that only fencers eligible for the U.S. Olympic Team can compete.

*The Time Factor in the 1964 Nationals has higher value because of proximity to the Olympic date.

**The Strength Factor will be determined according to the number of National Ranking fencers (1962-63) who enter each Tournament. If 3 or less, the factor shall be one; if between 4 and 6, the factor shall be two; if 7 or more, the factor shall be three.

In every event the ten highest eligible fencers shall receive points on the basis of 10 points for first, 9 for second, etc., multiplied by the Factors of Time and Strength. There will be no weighted averages.

Note well. The 9 fencers in each weapon who have the greatest number of points accrued in all Qualifying Tournaments will be the only ones permitted to fence in The Olympic Tryout at the New York World's Fair immediately after the 1964 Nationals, tentative dates July 12, 13, 14. In the event of a tie for 9th place in total points in any weapon, all tied competitors shall go into The Olympic Tryout. Points earned in The Olympic Tryout shall be 10 for first, 9 for second, etc., multiplied by a Time Factor of 2 and a Strength Factor of 3 and shall be added to those accrued in the preceding four Qualifying Tournaments.

Final selection of the Olympic Team shall be made on the basis of total points earned. In the event of a tie, the Committee shall decide.

The Committee will submit an official box score for all leading candidates to be published regularly in American Fencing.

The Olympic Squad for 1964 shall consist of: (1) members of the 1960 Olympic Team; (2) members of the 1963 Pan American Team; (3) eligible semi-finalists from the 1963 Nationals; (4) the top three in each weapon in the 1963 and 1964 IWFA, IFA and NCAA Championships. The Squad is for training purposes only and has no function with respect to the selection of the Olympic Team.

The Olympic Training Camp will be held at Stroudsburg (Pa.) Teachers College from June 1 through 16, 1963. Further information is reported by Hugo Castello on page 10.

Fund raising will be under the direction of Charles Schmitter. Official films of the 1963 Martini & Rossi and NYAC International Tournament will be available for training and fund raising purposes.

Paul T. Makler,
Chairman

Since preparation of the above plan, a number of good suggestions for relatively minor alterations have been submitted and will be considered at the July meeting of the Committee. In no case do they concern the first event—the 1963 Nationals.



PIETER MIJER

After several years of confinement due to a stroke which severely restricted his movements, Pieter Mijer passed away quietly in March.

A member of The Dutch Olympic Team, founder of the old Washington Square Fencers Club, and mainstay of the Salle Santelli for many years, Pieter was the oldest active fencer in AFLA competitions until a stroke ended his brilliant epee career. His interest in helping young fencers, his love of competition and his willingness to devote time to fencing are a great loss to the sport.

Jose de Capriles

Amendments to By-Laws

The following amendments to the By-Laws have been submitted in writing to the Secretary of the League and will be voted upon at the Annual Meeting:

Amend Chapter III as follows:

Section 3—the next to last sentence to read: "This Committee shall file its nominations with the Secretary of the League on or before February first next ensuing, and the Secretary shall, on or before April first thereafter, mail to each member of the League a copy of the nominations filed by the Nominating Committee, or such notice shall be published in the official publication of the League within the prescribed time."

Section 4—the first sentence to read: "Additional nominations may be made on written petition of not less than ten voting members of the League provided that such petition is presented to the Secretary of the League by May first." Add a new section: "**Section 7.** Proxy votes on amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws are not valid unless the proxy statement contains a written declaration of whether it is to be voted for or against said amendments. The Proxy may, of course, be voted only in the way so designated."

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FENCING EQUIPMENT

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Amend **Chapter V, Section 2**, so that first sentence shall read: "Notice of the Annual Meeting shall be given to all voting members of the League by the Secretary which notice shall be mailed or published in the official publication of the League on or before May 15 prior to such meeting and shall contain a statement of the name or names of the officer or officers to be elected by unanimous ballot, if any, and otherwise a reference to the candidates to be voted on at the meeting."

Chapter V, Section 3 to read: "Where any officer is to be voted on at the Annual Meeting, ballots for the candidates and return envelopes shall be mailed to all voting members on or before May 15 prior to such meeting."

Amend **Chapter VI, Section 10 (c)** as follows:

The first sentence to read: "All mail and telegraphy votes received by the Secretary shall be preserved and filed until the next Annual Meeting of the Board at which time they may be destroyed."

The third sentence to read: "Within 45 days after closing of said vote, the Secretary shall mail to each member of the Board a copy of the Question and the result of the vote thereon; to wit: the number abstaining, voting for and in opposition thereto, with a statement of whether said question had been carried or defeated."

Change Chapter XI to Chapter XIII and add a new **Chapter XI**: "Rules of Order." "The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order Revised (75th Anniversary Edition) shall govern the League in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution, By-Laws or the special rules of order of the League. The normal form of debate during meetings will be informal consideration."

Amend Chapter II, Section 1 (a) to read: "The annual League (national) dues for . . . Collegiate . . . Members (shall be) \$3.00 . . ."

CHABA ELTHES

The leading sobremen have raised a fund to send Mr. Elthes to the 1963 World Championships in Poland as an expression of their gratitude for the enthusiasm and ability he has applied to his teaching. The AFLA unfortunately cannot afford to provide such essential exposure for coaches of our Olympic probables.



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INTERCOLLEGIATE

COLUMBIA SCORES IN IFA

Irving DeKoff's powerful and well balanced team from Columbia came within one bout of scoring a clean-sweep in the 66th annual Intercollegiate Fencing Association's team championships.

Probably the most satisfying victory for the Lions was the foil team, where they not only won by the incredible score of 29 out of a possible 33, but they took the Little Iron Man Trophy away from their perennial rivals, NYU, who had held it for six consecutive years. This trophy was first won by Columbia in 1898 and this year marks the ninth victory. Jay Lustig, Joseph Nalven and Gerald Fensterstock were the iron men for Columbia, with the last two each posting a 10/1 record. Cornell placed second with 21 and Navy was a bout behind.

The epee crown went to Columbia for the third time in the forty years of this event. Once again the Lions on pools 2 and 3 — Ian Fries and Robert Schlaer — contributed 10/1 records. Donald Margolis was the mainstay in the first pool. Second went to Navy and third to Princeton over Yale, on touches, when both tied at 18 victories.

NYU managed to salvage some of its prestige by winning the sabre title. Its one-bout margin over Columbia upset the latter's bid to equal Yale's 1926 achievement of winning all four team crowns. The Violet had the only undefeated competitor in the team events — Howard Goodman in pool 1, with Paul Spletzer and Robert Waltz holding their own. Columbia's second place was heart-breaking because in the final match with Penn it needed two to tie for the title. The first man, Steve Cetrullo, won his bout only to see the next two slip out of reach by 5-3 and 5-4 margins. Third place went to Navy.

Columbia's margin of victory in the three-weapon is one of the biggest we can recall— 16 bouts ahead of second place Navy and 20 ahead of NYU.

The individual foil title went to Columbia's Jay Lustig. Second, on touches, was William Hicks of Princeton over Gerald Fensterstock of Columbia. Columbia placed three men in the finals of foil and epee. Navy's Lawrence Crum was undefeated in the epee final round, with Donald Margolis of Columbia a clear second. Third went on touches to

Shlaer of Columbia over Khinoy of Harvard and Fries of Columbia. A fence-off decided the individual sabre, with NYU's Howard Goodman defeating Navy's John Langdon. Columbia's Cetrullo took third on touches over CCNY's Agaronian. In the qualifying team pools there were several fence-offs: four men in sabre pool 2 tied for one place to accompany Penn's Rosenbaum, and O'Sullivan of Princeton outstripped Barzun (Harvard), Spletzer (NYU) and Liebert (Columbia) a four-way tie for the third qualifier in epee from pool 1 was won by Harvard's Khinoy over White of Princeton, Snow of MIT and Hoy of Yale; in foil the qualification from pool 3 went on a 5-0 fence-off to Columbia's Fensterstock over Cornell's Abramson.

J. R. deCapriles

Summaries	29	27	24	80
Columbia	29	27	24	80
Navy	20	23	21	64
N.Y.U.	18	17	25	60
Princeton	18	18	19	55
C.C.N.Y.	19	15	18	52
Cornell	21	16	14	51
Pennsylvania	18	12	17	47
Yale	17	18	12	47
Harvard	13	14	16	43
Penn State	12	16	11	39
M.I.T.	8	13	12	33
Rutgers	5	9	10	24

Foil Individual

- Jay Lustig, Columbia, 4/1;
- William Hicks, Princeton, 3/2, 15 t.r.;
- Gerald Fensterstock, Columbia, 3/2, 17 t.r.;
- Joseph Nalven, Columbia, 2/3, 19 t.r.;
- Edward Carfagno, Princeton, 2/3, 21 t.r.;
- Raymond Frey, Navy, 1/4.

Epee Individual

- Lawrence Crum, Navy, 5/0;
- Donald Margolis, Columbia, 3/2;
- Robert Schlaer, Columbia, 2/3, 20 t.r.;
- Steve Khinoy, Harvard, 2/3, 21 t.r.;
- Ian Fries, Columbia, 2/3, 23 t.r.;
- William Henson, Navy, 1/4.

Sabre Individual

- Howard Goodman, NYU, 4/1;
- John Langdon, Navy, 4/1;
- Stephen Cetrullo, Columbia, 3/2, 18 t.r., 22 t.g.;
- Leon Agaronian, CCNY, 3/2, 18 t.r., 22 t.g.;
- Arthur Fosenbaum, Penn, 1/4;
- John O'Sullivan, Princeton, 0/5.

Fence-off for 1st: Goodman d. Langdon 5-2
Fence-off for 3rd: Cetrullo d. Agaronian 5-1

NCAA

The Columbia trio upset Navy by a margin of five bouts in the 19th annual tournament held at the USAF Academy in Colorado. Third place went to the hosts who have dominated western inter-collegiate circles. Twenty-seven schools participated.

Jay Lustig of Columbia repeated his IFA foil victory in a close one, with Yale's Phillip Otto and Navy's Raymond Frey only a bout away.

IFA champion Lawrence Crum of Navy also repeated by taking the epee crown. William Wilkenson of Buffalo placed second one bout behind and Warren Manchess, Air Force, took third on touches over Columbia's Donald Margolis.

Last year's third place medalist, Bela Szentivanyi of Wayne, won the sabre by one bout over Columbia's Stephen Cetrullo. The Air Force's John Skoro was third.

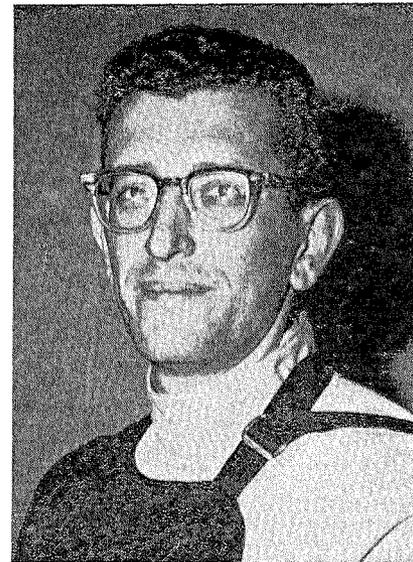
The Fencer of The Year (Illinois Memorial Trophy) was John Skoro of the Air Force Academy.

The Coach of The Year award went to Irving De Koff of Columbia.

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Summaries

Columbia	20	16	19	55
Navy	19	18	13	50
Air Force	14	16	17	47
N.Y.U.	17	13	16	46
Princeton	17	15	10	42
Wayne	8	11	20	39
CCNY	17	8	13	38
Illinois	11	13	11	35
Harvard	10	13	10	33
Notre Dame	8	11	12	31
Wisconsin	15	9	5	29
Yale	19	2	7	28
Buffalo	5	17	6	28
San Fernando	13	—	14	27
Cornell	13	11	—	24
Chicago	10	6	5	21
Army	9	3	6	18
Michigan State	12	—	6	18
Kansas	1	9	5	15
Drexel	—	—	15	15
Rochester	5	10	—	15
USLA	5	1	8	14
North Carolina	4	7	2	13
Detroit	—	—	11	11
Ohio State	—	11	—	11
Johns Hopkins	—	11	—	11
Wichita	1	—	—	1



IRVING DEKOFF

NORTH ATLANTIC

by James Olin

Some of the finest fencing in recent years was displayed at the 13th Annual Conference Championships held at R.I.T.

Drew University won first place with 33 bouts while R.I.T. and the University of Buffalo had 30 bouts with R. I. T. taking second place by 14 touches. This is the first win for Drew who will have possession of the Broad Sword Trophy for the coming year. They are coached by Rocca Feravolo.

The remaining places were taken by Hobart 25; Syracuse 24; Paterson State 24; Pace 23; St. Peter's 16; and Jersey City State 11.

Drew won the Santelli Trophy for Sabre over Jersey City and Buffalo. In epee, Drew topped R.I.T. to take the Syracuse Trophy. The Buffalo Trophy for foil will be shared by Syracuse and Hobart.

In the Individuals, Harvey Schuman of Syracuse defeated Champion Joe Fersch of Buffalo to win the foil. Third place went to Bob Titus of Paterson. In Sabre, Steve Krapes of Jersey City defeated Norm Grossberg of Pace to take the title, with Mike Fox of Buffalo taking third. Champion Bill Wilkenson of Buffalo defended his epee title against Bob Lambert of R.I.T. with Bob Benner of Drew in third place.

MIDDLE ATLANTIC INTERCOLLEGIATES

by Martin Denker

The Middle Atlantic Intercollegiates, held at Johns Hopkins for the first time since 1955, proved a boon to the home rooters as the Blue Jays rolled up 18 bouts in foil, 16 in sabre and 10 in epee, to win the Yale Trophy, symbolic of 3-weapon supremacy. Close behind came perennial rival Stevens Tech, with 40 bouts; Lehigh, with 38; Lafayette, back in the Conference after a 9-year absence, with 37; Muhlenberg, 35; Haverford, 32; and defending champion Temple, 26. Hopkins, coached by Dick Oles, also won the foil team trophy and tied Lafayette for the sabre team trophy.

FOIL

Hopkins' Tom Ahern (10/2) and Bill Greenberg (8/4) finished 1st and 3rd, respectively, in the individuals. Muhlenberg's Dave Gaskill took the silver medal with 9/3. Ahern, 1962 individual epee champion, became the first fencer in conference history to win individual title in two weapons.

EPEE

The Lehigh team of Jay Billings and Tony Alber easily out-distanced the field to win team honors. Stevens' Tom Thomson (10/2) took advantage of an excellent fleche riposte to wrap up the individual crown; Alber (9/3) took 2nd, and Haverford's Bill Shafer (8/4) took the bronze medal on touches over Billings.

SABRE

Sabre was the best-fenced of the three weapons. Mark Cardillo won the individual title with an 11/1 record; Lafayette's Fred Ebner (9/3) took the silver medal on touches over Lehigh's Mike Seiden. Hopkins' Tim Koehler and Sherm Teichman, both 8/4, nevertheless tied Lafayette's Ebner and Jeff Merton for the team title.

Hopkins Coach Dick Oles was named Conference Coach of the Year. Next year's tournament will be held at Muhlenberg.

	Summaries			
	F	E	S	Total
Johns Hopkins	18	10	16	44
Stevens Tech	12	14	14	40
Lehigh	8	17	13	38
Lafayette	11	10	16	37
Muhlenberg	16	10	9	35
Haverford	11	13	8	32
Temple	8	10	8	26

MADLINE MIYAMOTO WINS

by Barbi Brill

Madeline Miyamoto, a Fairleigh Dickenson University (Teaneck) senior from California, won the International Women's Fencing Association's Christmas Invitation with an 8-0 record in the final. Jane Tainow, a junior at Paterson State, with 19 touches against, finished second over her teammate sophomore Arleen Melnick who had 22 touches. Both had 6-2 records.

Miss Miyamoto proved to be too strong for the other college fencers. Throughout the day she fenced and won 24 bouts, giving up only 16 touches.

Fourth place in the 49 entry event went to Eleanor Gutowski, Montclair State with a 5-3 score. One touch separated Sandy Jurgan, FDU, in fifth place and Linda Borelle, MSC in sixth. Their records tied at 3-5. Two touches separated 7th, Kate McGee, St. John University, and 8th, Cindy Jones, PSC, both finishing 2-6. Monica Klein, FDU, finished 9th with 1 win, 7 losses.

Selection of Pan American Team

The leading sabre candidates were:

Name	Points	Possible	Average
Dasaro	30	42	71%
Orley*	10	15	66%
Richards	29	47	62%
Pallaghy	28	45	62%
Blum	31	54	57%
Farber	32	57	56%
Mayer	29	57	51%
Morales	18	37	49%
Kwartler**	23	49	43%
Campoli	5	20	25%
Pongo	12	59	20%
Worth	8	50	16%
Keane	7	47	15%
Garbatini	5	50	10%

The Olympic Fencing Games Committee met on February 24, 1963 at the New York AC. Present throughout the proceedings were Chairman Makler, Bugge, H. Castello, Csizsar, Dow, Goldstein and Schmitter. Hamori attended until called to fence in the Martini & Rossi Sabre Challenge. Absent were Baker, Garret, Kwartler, Shiebler and Waller.

The Team will consist of 21 fencers: 6 women and 15 men. With 5 men in each weapon, a 6th was available for each team from other weapons.

The standing of the leading women candidates was as follows:

Name	Points	Possible	Average
King	17	21	85%
Romary	19	23	83%
Dyer*	20	25	80%
Linkmeyer	14	23	60%
Mitchell	12	23	50%
Kolenda**	10	20	50%
Angell	10	23	43%
Johnson**	10	23	43%
Singelakis	13	37	35%
Drungis	10	37	27%
O'Connor	8	37	22%
Magay	5	23	22%
Trembley	5	20	25%

*Insufficient Record. Orley entered only the Nationals and the Committee felt that it could not base his selection on only one event. We are not permitted to use international events rather than our own trials for the purpose of selection.

**Kwartler notified the Committee he will be unable to attend the PA Games due to personal reasons.

The Team will consist of Blum, Dasaro, Farber, Mayer, Pallaghy and Richards (also on Foil Team), with Morales as alternate. Individual entries will be Blum, Dasaro and Pallaghy.

The leading epee candidates were:

Name	Points	Possible	Average
Margolis	33	39	85%
Anger	18	22	82%
Anastasi	31	47	66%
Pesthy	23	39	58%
Eisner	17	48	35%
Melcher	16	48	33%
Kolowrat	10	39	26%
Christe	5	20	25%
Hoyle	5	20	25%
Spinella	11	50	22%
Seeman	5	26	20%
Powell	7	45	15%
Adams	3	29	10%

The Team will consist of Anastasi, Anger, Eisner, Margolis, Pesthy*, and Dasaro (added from Sabre Team), with Melcher as alternate.

*If Pesthy is named to the Modern Pentathlon Team and accepts, a conflict of events would drop him from Fencing Team and he would be replaced by Melcher in which case Kolowrat will be the next alternate.

Individual entries will be Anastasi, Margolis and Pesthy. If Pesthy is dropped as above, the Captain will decide who will fill his place in the Individuals.

*Mrs. Dyer notified the Committee she will be unable to attend the PA Games due to personal reasons.

**Miss Kolenda earned 5 points in the direct elimination 1962 Nationals and 5 points in the Southwest Sectionals. Miss Johnson won 10 points in the direct elimination 1962 Nationals but was not a finalist in the Pacific Coast Sectionals. The Committee agreed that these two ladies were not as consistent or effective as Miss Angell, Miss Singelakis or Miss Drungis.

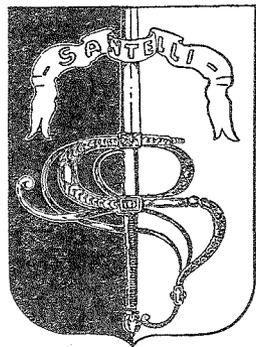
The team will consist of Angell, King, Linkmeyer, Mitchell, Romary and Singelakis, with Drungis as alternate. King, Linkmeyer and Romary will be entered in the Individual event also.

Change in Rules

Rule 740 (a) (3): members of the last selected U.S. Olympic and Pan American Teams, in the weapon fenced;

Executive Committee

Mr. Laszlo Pongo, Foreign Secretary, has been added to the Executive Committee.



CHAMPIONSHIP EQUIPMENT

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The leading foil candidates were:

Name	Points	Possible	Average
Axelrod	38	50	76%
Richards	19	25	76%
Davis	37	55	68%
H. Cohen	32	47	68%
Zombolas	24	38	63%
Glazer	19	47	40%
Pesthy	10	33	30%
U. Jones	13	44	28%
Goldsmith	11	44	25%
Pinchuk	5	20	25%
Anastasi	12	52	23%
Kwartler	6	26	23%
Spinella	8	52	15%

The Team will consist of Axelrod, H. Cohen, Davis, Richards, Zombolas and Anastasi (from Epee Team), with Glazer as alternate.

Individual entries will be Axelrod, H. Cohen and Richards.

As previously announced, the Captain is Paul T. Makler and the Coaches are Hugo Castello and Lajos Csiszar. Joe Byrnes was elected Armorer.

The training schedule for the Team will be arranged by Captain Makler and information distributed to the members and alternates as soon as possible.

For the Committee,
Ralph M. Goldstein,
Acting Secretary

Proposed Amendments to By-Laws

by Roger Jones

The proposal to add a new Chapter XI and a new Section 7 to Chapter III is based on the fact that at the 1962 Annual Meeting it was demonstrated that the League has no rules of order other than the very few now in the By-Laws. The AFLA at present is not governed by Roberts Rules or any other accepted Rules.

Obviously this is intolerable. Our meetings could turn into a travesty of the democratic process, without any guaranteed rights. Rules of order exist for three important reasons: the right of the majority to decide, the right of the minority to be heard, the right of absentees to be protected. It has been suggested that rules of order are "too limiting." If the founders of our nation had shared this view we would have no Bill of Rights today. This attitude is even less understandable in light of the fact that we do follow recognized parliamentary procedure in our meetings even though it is not specified as such.

Second Annual

Olympic Training Camp

The Olympic Fencing Training Camp for men, financed by a donation from the United States Olympic Committee and supervised by the Fencing Games Committee, will be held again this year at East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, from June 2 to June 17, with Coach Hugo Castello as Director.

The success of the pilot operation last year, and its enthusiastic reception by both fencers and coaches, makes it likely that there will be a heavy demand for places. Fencers are therefore advised that although applications will be received from all interested parties, the members of the International Squad, as announced in **American Fencing** for March 1963, have the preference.

However, these squad members must submit their applications by May 15, to be guaranteed their places. Applications from non-squad members will be received at any date, but will be acted upon only after May 15. Such applications will be screened by the camp coaching staff, and places will be allotted on a space available basis. All applications should be addressed to Dr. Paul Makler.

Note that this year all trainees must be prepared to spend a minimum of one full week at the camp. There will be no special weekend sessions. The Sunday squad competitions will be open to qualified visitors, however.

Hugo Castello

The adoption of Roberts Rules of Order will enable everyone to know where they stand at a meeting, and not rely on the shifting interpretations now legalized. Their adoption would produce no undesired changes in our present conduct of meetings.

The restriction on blank proxies is the product of reported abuses at the 1962 Annual Meeting. At least 12 people have stated that their proxies were voted against the way they desired. The proposed amendment insures that no misunderstandings arise over the way a proxy is to be voted on such important questions as amendments to the By-Laws and Constitution.

The Man Left Behind

The Team selected by the Pan American Fencing Games Committee is an excellent one and by the time you read this it will undoubtedly have established a proud record in Brazil.

Every selection of an international team results in bitter disappointment to unsuccessful candidates whose records are comparable to one or more on the Team. Since everyone cannot be chosen, this is inevitable and we must rely on the sound judgment of a selection committee.

Undoubtedly the Fencing Games Committee feel it has been harassed by all the criticisms since last July. This is regrettable, but in each instance the "harassment" has effectively protected the rights of fencers and no better justification exists. The number of Team members who were not on the original "closed squad" is very gratifying to those who participated in the "harassment." We know the good will of the Committee and believe the fault of most members is due to omission rather than commission, but before we close the book on this unpleasant history a word must be said about a most unfortunate fencer.

Tom Orley was assigned by his firm to a branch office in Holland. Notified that the Team would be selected primarily on the results of the 1962 Nationals, he arranged to come to New York from Rotterdam in June and tied for 3rd among all eligible candidates. He returned to Holland and, in order to keep in top form, entered and won the Challenge Feyrick in Belgium and later was a finalist in an event in France that included the best sabremen in the world. An unscheduled tryout, first announced late in January, was held early in February. Aside from the heavy expense involved, he was unable to leave his business on such short notice. Points in this tryout were comparable to the Nationals and added to previous records. The point system included "a weighting based on the fencer's being able to compete" (Board minutes, Nov. 8, 1962).

When the Committee met in February the tabulation of sabre standings showed Orley as No. 2. In every other team for men the selections included the top five weighted averages, but not in sabre. Why?

The Committee stated it could not base its selection on "only" the Nationals. A case could be made that such a "one-shot" selection was subject to abuse because a fencer who had a "hot day" in one tryout, held al-

most ten months before the Games, would avoid other events so as not to endanger his record. This should have occurred to the Committee when it announced the 1962 Nationals as its single tryout, but there is no such subterfuge in this case. Orley was National Champion in 1959, runner-up in 1960, could not compete in 1961 and was tied for 3rd in 1962 among the eligibles. This is a tested, consistent performer in the Nationals. His success in strong European competitions showed him to be in top shape for Brazil. The exercise of judgment by the Committee presumes an ability to weigh all the information available if the selection system creates a close question.

The man who was No. 2 under the only two announced criteria for selection was displaced in favor of those below him—down to and including No. 7 (by virtue of Richards' selection in foil). Granted, this avoided for the Committee the extremely difficult choice among No. 5, No. 6 and No. 7 (Blum, Farber, Mayer) for two places, but we doubt it constitutes a sound basis for eliminating No. 2. To make the case even more painful, Blum announced in early March that he could not go and the vacancy was filled by No. 8 (Morales). We consider Morales one of our best sabre potentials and "harassed" the Committee months before on his behalf—but what about Orley? Surely he has a right to be unhappy and to ask what more he could have done. The Olympic rule is that every American should have an equal opportunity to make the team. When a man has met the announced requirements can he be forced to make a last-minute unscheduled trip to New York from Europe or the Pacific Coast, at his own expense and regardless of his business, under penalty of forfeiting a place on the team? The injustice of this is obvious.

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My Case for Re-election

by Paul T. Makler

It has been tradition that presidents of the AFLA serve for four years. There are good reasons for continuing this. Shorter terms don't give the President time to establish contacts, learn who will work and who will not, learn the many details of administration necessary for smooth running of an organization. Terms longer than four years are undesirable because they allow too much concentration of influence. We should preserve the four year tradition. If it is shortened in this case the precedent is set for alteration and next time it may be lengthened.

We should also preserve the tradition of giving confidence in our nominating committee. Contested elections are bad for the League. They create ill-will no matter who wins. The nominating committee that chose me this year worked seriously to learn the feelings of the League membership before choosing. It is a good tradition to trust our nominating committee and avoid contested elections. I ask you to help continue this method of selecting AFLA officers.

Even more important is the set of particular reasons why I believe I can do a better job as President than can Mr. Baker. On the domestic scene I have had considerably more experience than he has. I served a four year term as Vice President and organized the North Atlantic Section. I was chairman of the organizing committee the only time the World Championships were held in the U.S. I have had very warm contacts with the Coaches Association. During the past two years I have come to know a large number of people in other organizations with whom the AFLA President must work. Mr. Baker has not had this experience, and the year when the U.S. Olympic team must be chosen is not the year to gain it.

In international affairs I have been on the Olympic and Pan American teams. I have represented the U.S. at the F.I.E. Congress in Oslo. I have twice been in Warsaw with the U.S. teams and have come to the leaders of other national organizations. Mr. Baker has not had this experience. Again, the Olympic year is not the time when the AFLA President can be gaining this experience. He must already have it to do his job properly.

For the next fencing year Mr. Lewis of New York and Mr. Orsi of New Jersey will be League Secretary and League Secretary. Either of them have held national office before. They are good men and will do their

jobs well. However if Mr. Baker is President and is also new there will be no experienced hand at the national office. Efficiency would be impossible. The fact that Mr. Baker would be 3000 miles from the other League officers would make the task impossibly hard. With all men new and separated geographically, the AFLA would be run not by its elected officers but by whatever group was best organized, most aggressive, or most vociferous. During the past year I have had to see or speak to the League secretary very frequently. All things cannot be done by mail. The combination of physical separation and inexperience would make efficiency impossible. Next year the National Championships and Olympic try-out will be held in New York. The League President will frequently have business to transact at Olympic headquarters. I am sure that I can work better with Mr. Orsi and Mr. Lewis than can Mr. Baker, and that in the first year of their new positions it will be better for these men if the AFLA President is not also new.

I ask that you consider some of the advances made in the two years that I have been President.

1. We are now incorporated. By next season expenses incurred on behalf of the AFLA (such as in holding and jurying meets) will be tax exempt donations.
2. We now have a summer training camp at no expense to the League or the fencers. I may add that I personally have made this facility available to the League.
3. The central billing system is resulting in the League magazine reaching the fencers much better than ever before.
4. Rapport with the colleges and college coaches is at an all-time high.
5. Our Board of Governors meetings for the first time are being held partly outside of New York. Last year we held one in Washington and one in Cleveland. This year St. Louis is host. This bespeaks an administration that is thinking nationally not locally.

In summary I ask you to vote for me because my record is good. I ask it also because I can do a better job next year than can Mr. Baker. I ask it because the traditions of the four year presidential term and acceptance of the nominating committee's recommendations are good traditions and breaking them will vastly increase the amount of politicking and unrest in the League.

Why the AFLA Needs a New President

The re-election of Dr. Makler is not in the best interests of the AFLA and we urge your vote for Jack Baker. Many men have filled the office of AFLA President, not all equally capable or popular, but all with one thing in common—their devotion to the League.

Paul Makler assumed office in 1961. He had our support and we hoped he would continue to foster the spirit of cooperation which marked the prior administrations of Donald Thompson and the de Capriles brothers. Instead we find in 1963 a League beset with strife; communications from the President to the Divisions have become almost non-existent; there has been an alarming drop in membership this year; regional and group distrust have been encouraged through the labelling of all criticism as motivated by ulterior motives. Even criticism of the Fencing Games Committee was labelled "politically motivated" yet Jack Baker is on the same Committee and has our full support.

The Nominating Committee was subjected to direct pressure from Dr. Makler, telling it in no uncertain terms that he intended to be re-elected at any cost. The impropriety of such pressure is obvious, but of more concern is the disregard of the welfare of the League expressed in some of his communications.

To a member of the Committee: "I know you are trying to replace me as President. . . . I shall run as a candidate by either petition or as a nominee of your Committee. I tell you bluntly. . . . you are on the Committee because I put you there; . . . I hope you will not prove me wrong."

To a former President of the AFLA: "If the nominating committee chooses someone else there is going to be a proxy fight. The AFLA will lose. . . . and a split may well be opened that will draw us into the AAU-NCAA mess."

A man who puts his own ambition above the welfare of fencing must not be our President.

The disillusion in Dr. Makler also stems from his type of leadership and the tendency to take credit for other people's effort. Donald Thompson—not Paul Makler—held the first Board meetings outside of New York, in the Midwest and even in Dr. Makler's own home in 1958. The meeting Dr. Makler scheduled in Cleveland "for the first time outside New York" passed a resolution which he later overruled by Executive action. To say the least, this shows an appalling ignorance of constitutional administration. IBM records for the League were Bill Latzko's contribution.

In international relations his leadership has embarrassed the League. At the last Nationals Japanese team entries were accepted by him while he denied a similar privilege to our Canadian friends. His "experience and contacts" with the USOC have undermined the confidence and respect of that body for AFLA leadership.

We are told that Tony Orsi and Norman Lewis are new men who need Dr. Makler's experience, although admittedly that they are qualified. Orsi has been attending Board meetings for many years and is well versed in AFLA affairs. He is a strong supporter of Jack Baker and will certainly work in better harmony with him than with Dr. Makler. Lewis is not only a former Olympian and National Champion but he also has been a member of the Board and is acquainted with AFLA problems. Jack Baker has been Chairman of Northern California since 1951. His annual re-election reflects his tact and administrative ability. In 1961 the grateful members presented him with a Life Membership and a bronze figure. With Fred Linkmeyer he has made the Pacific Coast the strongest section outside Metropolitan New York. He is currently Vice President of the AFLA, a member of the Rules Committee and of the Olympic Fencing Games Committee. He is certainly not inexperienced in AFLA affairs. An Account Executive for a national organization dealing with newspaper publishers, he brings to the Presidency sorely needed executive experience. With proper organization and modern communications his leadership will be effective. He is also able and willing to travel. Furthermore, if he should miss one or more of the four Board meetings normally held in New York, Vice President Roger Jones—the elected officer for the East, will be available as a strong right hand.

Members of the League whose devotion and selflessness to the best interests of fencing is above question, feel that a contested election is preferable to a continuation of Dr. Makler's administration. Now it is up to the voting members to decide whether the League can endure two more years of capricious and selfish management.

COMMITTEE FOR BAKER

(Dr. Daniel Bukantz, Jose de Capriles, John Farrell, Maxine Mitchell, William O'Brien, Anthony Orsi, Vincent Surdi, Evelyn Terhune)

NYAC INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT and THE MARTINI & ROSSI SABRE CHALLENGE

by Jose R. de Capriles

Chairman of the Bout Committee

Year by year it would appear, we're getting better and better — and so are Hoskyns and Calarese.

Bill Hoskyns of Great Britain was the only successful defender (in epee) and Vladimiro Calarese of Italy regained the sabre crown he won in 1961. In earning their victories each man had to defeat the current World Champion. Poland's Witold Woyda, runner-up in the world championship, defeated Albert Axelrod 10-9 for the foil title.

The Tournament attracted representatives of eight nations — Canada, France, Great Britain, Hungary, Italy, Mexico, Poland and the U.S. Hungary and Mexico were the additions over last year, and the total entries moved up to 113 from the previous year's 87. Once again two current World Champions participated, but this year we also had 11 of the World Championship finalists.

A tournament of this magnitude would be impossible without the following ingredients: money for travel, trophies and a million details (thanks to Martini & Rossi, the Metropolitan Division and the Patrons); a good site for the event and the housing and feeding of visiting fencers (thanks to the New York AC); a resourceful and hard-working organizing committee (thanks to Jack Keane and John Farrell); an efficient supporting cast of officials, technicians, scorers, timers, etc. (thanks to all who helped); and a large audience (you lucky ones).

A special Trophy for the outstanding sportsman was established in memory of Joseph Lordi, past president of the NYAC, who did so much to make this event possible. The Tournament this year was also dedicated to Mr. Lordi. Zoltan Horvath of Hungary was awarded the trophy.

NYAC International Foil

Poland's Witold Woyda demonstrated why he is ranked No. 2 in the world by defeating Albert Axelrod 10-9 in the climax bout that could not have been more dramatically staged in Hollywood. After losing his first bout to Martin Davis he eliminated National Champion Ed Richards 8-2, French star Revenu 8-3 and a tired Danny Bukantz 8-1. Axelrod had also set a blistering pace to reach the final bout: undefeated in the pool, he then eliminated Harold Goldsmith 8-5, French star Bouquard 8-1 and Herb Cohen 8-1.

Herb Cohen reached the elimination round via a fence-off but then turned back Davis 8-1 and won a thriller from Great Britain's Bill Hoskyns. He placed third by defeating Bukantz. Dr. Bukantz again showed he can rise to great heights when the chips are down. He tied for the lead in his pool, eliminated Canada's Simo and then, with time running out, upset Poland's Nielaba 10-9, to reach the round of four. Thus the three U.S. fencers to reach the round of eight, all from the Fencers Club, placed 2-3-4.

Byes: (16) Witold Woyda, Ryzard Parulski, Henryk Nielaba, Poland; Bill Hoskyns, Great Britain; Daniel Revenu, Claude Bouquard, France; Bence Simo, Canada; Raul Cicero, Mexico; Albert Axelrod, Daniel Bukantz, Martin, Davis, Gene Glazer, Harold Goldsmith, Paul Pesthy, Ed Richards, Anthony Zombolas, US.

Round 1

Pool I: Hank Powell, USA, 3/1, 11 t.r.; Jack Keane, USA, 3/1, 12 t.r.; Allan Kwartler, USA, 2/2; James Convin, USA, 2/2; Phil Otto, USA, 0/4. **Barrage:** Kwartler d. Convin 5-1.

Pool II: Lawrence Anastasi, USA, 4/0; Frank Anger, USA, 3/1; Rich Rothenberg, USA, 3/2; Ralph Spinella, USA, 2/3; Hector Abaunza, Mexico, 1/3; Neil Lazar, USA, 0/4.

Pool III: Uriah Jones, USA, 4/1; Herb Obst, Canada, 3/2, 17 t.r.; Vladimiro Calarese, Italy, 3/2, 21 t.r.; Marvin Grafton, USA, 2/3, 15 t.r.; John Mooney, USA, 2/3, 22 t.r.; Maro Garavoy, USA, 1/4.

Pool IV: Robert Russell, USA, 5/0; Herb Cohen, USA, 3/2; Jay Lustig, USA, 2/3; Jeff Checkes, USA, 2/3; Edgar Sanchez, USA, 2/3; Paul Kende, USA, 1/4. **Barrage:** Lustig d. Checkes and Sanchez.

Round 2

Pool I: Axelrod, USA, 6/0; Parulski, Poland, 4/2; Simo, Canada, 3/3; Russell, USA, 3/3; Powell, USA, 3/3; Pesthy, USA, 1/5, 25 t.r.; Anger, USA, 1/5, 27 t.r. **Barrage:** Simo 1/1, 29 t.r.; Russell 1/1, 32 t.r.; Powell 1/1, 33 t.r.

Pool II: Davis, USA, 6/0; Woyda, Poland, 5/1; Bouquard, France 4/2; Glazer, USA, 2/4; Jones, USA, 2/4; Lustig, USA, 1/5; Rothenberg, USA, 1/5. **Barrage:** Glazer d. Jones 5-4.

Pool III: Nielaba, Poland, 5/1; Anastasi, USA, 4/2, 19 t.r.; Richards, USA, 4/2, 22 t.r.; Goldsmith, USA, 4/2, 23 t.r.; Obst, Canada, 2/4, 24 t.r.; Kwartler, USA, 2/4, 27 t.r.; Cicero, Mexico, 0/6.

Pool IV: Revenu, France, 4/2, 17 t.r.; Bukantz, USA, 4/2, 20 t.r.; Hoskyns, Gr. Britain, 4/2, 21 t.r.; Cohen, USA, 3/3; Zombolas, USA, 3/3; Calarese, Italy, 3/3; Keane, USA, 0/6. **Barrage:** Cohen 1-1, 30 t.r.; Calarese 1/1, 31 t.r.; Zombolas, 1-1, 33 t.r.

Semi-Final (Direct Elimination)

Woyda d. Richards 8-2; Axelrod d. Goldsmith 8-5; Cohen d. Davis 8-1; Bukantz d. Simo 8-2; Revenu d. Russell 8-6; Bouquard d. Anastasi 8-5; Hoskyns d. Parulski 8-2; Nielaba d. Glazer 8-2.

Final (Direct Elimination)

Round 1: Woyda d. Revenu 8-3; Axelrod d. Bouquard 8-1; Cohen d. Hoskyns 9-7; Bukantz d. Nielaba 10-9.

Round 2: Woyda d. Bukantz 8-1; Axelrod d. Cohen 8-1.

3rd Place: Cohen d. Bukantz 8-1.

1st Place: Woyda d. Axelrod 10-9.

NYAC International Epee

Bill Hoskyns of Great Britain retained the epee title by defeating World Champion Istevan Kausz of Hungary in a dramatic final bout 10-9. Bill had reached the title bout through another thriller (10-9) against France's formidable Bouquard. Hoskyns is the most unruffled fencer we've seen in top-level competition and his consistent performances have established him as one of the great, if not the greatest, internationalists on the scene today. His only "loss" in the tournament was a double loss with Frank Anger.

Mike Dasaro of the Modern Pentathlon surprised by winning third place over Bouquard. Mike had reached the elimination round on a fence-off and moved into the round of four by upsetting Italy's beautiful stylist Saccaro 9-7. Larry Anastasi and Paul Pesthy also reached the round of eight. Larry was the victim of World Champion Kausz but gave a good account of himself by tying the champion in the round-robin bout and extending him to 8-6 in the final.

Byes: (19) Istevan Kausz, Hungary; Bill Hoskyns, G. Britain; Claude Bouquard, France; Gianluigi Saccaro, Italy; Henryk Nielaba, Ryzard Parulski, Poland; Herb Obst, Canada; Raul Cicero, Willy Fajardo, Mexico; Lawrence Anastasi, Robert Beck, Mike Dasaro, Gil Eisner, Henry Kolowrat*, James Margolis, Paul Pesthy, Ed Richards, Ralph Spinella, Dieter Von Oppen.

*Withdrew.

Round 1

Pool I: Fred Duncan, USA, 4/1, 15 t.r., 25 t.g.; Jamie Melcher, USA, 4/1, 15 t.r., 23 t.g.; David Kirkwood, USA, 3/2; Edward Vebell, USA, 2/3; J. V. Grombach, USA, 1/4; John Farrell, USA, 0/5.

Pool II: Kevin McMahon, USA, 4/0; Al Morales, USA, 2/2, 15 t.r., 16 t.g.; Moberly, USA, 2/2, 15 t.r., 16 t.g.; Jack Adams, USA, 1/3; John Mooney, USA, 0/4.

Pool III: Frank Anger, USA, 3/1, 8 t.r.; Jay Powell, USA, 3/1, 13 t.r.; John Geraci, USA, 3/1, 14 t.r.; Edgar Sanchez, USA, 1/3; Mack Gilman, USA, 0/4.

Round 2

Pool I: Hoskyns, Gr. Britain, 5/1, 18 t.r., 30 t.g.; Anger, USA, 5/1, 18 t.r., 30 t.g.; Cicero, Mexico, 3/3; Morales, USA, 2/4; Margolis, USA, 2/4; Von Oppen, USA, 2/4; Eisner, USA, 1/5. **Barrage:** Morales 2/0, Margolis 1/1, Von Oppen 0/2.

Pool II: Kausz, Hungary, 5/1; Anastasi, USA, 4/2; Fajardo, Mexico, 3/3, 10 t.r.; Spinella, USA, 3/3, 20 t.r.; Geraci, USA, 2/4, 26 t.r.; Richards, USA, 2/4, 28 t.r.; Melcher, USA, 1/5.

Pool III: Bouquard, France, 5/0; Kirkwood, USA, 4/1; Pesthy, USA, 3/2; Parulski, Poland, 2/3; McMahon, USA, 0/4; Obst, Canada, 0/4.

Pool IV: Saccaro, Italy, 5/1; Nielaba, Poland, 3/3; Dasaro, USA, 3/3; Beck, USA, 3/3; Powell, USA, 3/3; Duncan, USA, 3/3; Moberly, USA, 1/5. **Barrage:** Nielaba 3/1, 29 t.r.; Dasaro 3/1, 34 t.r.; Beck 2/2, 37 t.r.; Powell 2/2, 40 t.r.; Duncan 0/4.

Semi-Final (Direct Elimination)

Hoskyns d. Beck 8-6; Kausz d. Parulski 8-5; Dasaro d. Kirkwood 8-4; Bouquard d. Spinella 8-6; Nielaba d. Cicero 8-3; Anastasi d. Fajardo 8-2; Saccaro d. Morales 8-5; Pesthy d. Anger 8-4.

Final (Direct Elimination)

Round 1: Hoskyns d. Nielaba 8-0; Kausz d. Anastasi 8-6; Dasaro d. Saccaro 9-7; Bouquard d. Pesthy 9-7.

Round 2: Hoskyn d. Bouquard 10-9; Kausz d. Dasaro 8-5.

3rd Place: Dasaro d. Bouquard 8-6.

1st Place: Hoskyns d. Kausz 10-9.

Martini & Rossi Sabre Challenge

Popular Vladimiro Calarese of Italy won an impressive victory to regain the trophy he held in 1961. Undefeated in the qualifying pool, he eliminated Al Kwartler and Bob Blum by good margins and then faced World Champion Horvath of Hungary in the round of four. Although a few "breaks" dulled his smashing 8-3 victory, he capitalized on his opportunity and completely dominated Poland's great Pawlowski even though the score of the championship bout was only 8-6. Zoltan Horvath, subject to the tremendous pressure that surrounds a world champion, accepted the bad breaks in the Calarese bout with a poise and good manners that earned him the Joseph Lordi Memorial Trophy as the outstanding sportsman of the tournament.

Chaba Pallaghy of the Salle Santelli turned in the best U.S. performance. He lost only to Calarese in the qualifying pool, eliminated world champion finalist Parent of France in an exciting 10-8 bout and then upset National Champion Dasaro 8-5. He placed

fourth on successive losses to Pawlowski and Horvath. Worthy of mention is Harold Mayer who eliminated the defender Keresztes and then bowed to Pawlowski in an excellent 8-5 bout. Another thriller was Blum's 10-9 bout with Hamori which moved the former into the round of eight.

Byes: (13) Zoltan Horvath, Hungary; Jerzy Pawlowski, Emil Ochyra*, Poland; Vladimiro Calarese, Italy; Marcel Parent, France; Willy Fajardo, Mexico; Robert Blum, Mike Dasaro, Gene Hamori, Attila Keresztes, Harold Mayer, Chaba Pallaghy, Jerzy Twardokens*.

*Withdraw.

Round 1

Pool I: Walter Farber, USA, 3/1, q.t.r.; Barry Pariser, USA, 3/1, 12 t.r.; Romolo Garbatini, USA, 3/1, 14 t.r.; Benito Ramos, Mexico, 1/3; Tod Makler, USA, 0/4.

Pool II: John Krajcir, USA, 4/1, 11 t.r.; Agaronian, USA, 4/1, 16 t.r.; Laszlo Pongo, USA, 3/2; Abram Cohen, USA, 2/3; Paul Reyes, USA, 1/3; Phillips, USA, 0/4.

Pool III: Ed Richards, USA, 4/0; Allan Kwartler, USA, 2/2; Bart Nisonson, 2/2; Bent Milletari, USA, 2/2; Hector Abaunza, Mexico, 0/4. **Barrage:** Kwartler 1/1, 22 t.r., 24 t.g.; Nisonson 1/1, 22 t.r., 21 t.g.; Milletari 1/1, 25 t.r.

Pool IV: George Worth, USA, 4/0; Jack Keane, USA, 3/1; Fields, USA, 2/2; Bill Goering, USA, 1/3; Bence Simo, Canada, 0/4.

Pool V: Gianluigi Saccaro, Italy, 2/1, 11 t.r.; Al Morales, USA, 2/1, 12 t.r.; Tibor Nyilas, USA, 2/1, 13 t.r.; Chaba Gall, USA, 0/3.

Round 2

Pool I: Dasaro, USA, 5/0; Horvath, Hungary, 4/1; Mayer, USA, 2/3; Pariser, USA, 2/3; Richards, USA, 2/3; Fields, USA, 0/5. **Barrage:** Mayer 2/0, Pariser 1/1, Richards 0/2.

Pool II: Farber, USA, 6/0; Keresztes, USA, 5/1; Parent, France, 4/2; Kwartler, USA, 3/3; Nyilas, USA, 1/5, 28 t.r.; Fajardo, Mexico, 1/5, 29 t.r.; Agaronian, USA, 1/5, 29 t.r.

Pool III: Pawlowski, Poland, 6/0; Hamori, USA, 4/2; Blum, USA, 3/3; Saccaro, Italy, 3/3; Keane, USA, 3/3; Pongo, USA, 1/5; Nisonson, USA, 1/5.

Pool IV: Calarese, Italy, 5/0; Pallaghy, USA, 4/1; Worth, USA, 3/2; Krajcir, USA, 2/3; Garbatini, USA, 1/4; Morales, USA, 0/5.

Semi-Final (Direct Elimination)

Calarese d. Kwartler 8-3; Pawlowski d. Saccaro 8-6; Horvath d. Worth 8-1; Pallaghy d. Parent 10-8; Blum d. Hamori 10-9; Mayer d. Keresztes 8-5; Krajcir d. Farber 8-6; Dasaro d. Pariser 8-3.

Final (Direct Elimination)

Final 1: Calarese d. Blum 8-1; Pawlowski d. Mayer 8-1; Horvath d. Krajcir 8-2; Pallaghy d. Dasaro 8-1.

Final 2: Calarese d. Horvath 8-3; Pawlowski d. Pallaghy 8-4.

Final 3: Horvath d. Pallaghy 8-1.

Final 4: Calarese d. Pawlowski 8-6.

Sixteen

Match of Nations

Poland won the cup in a direct elimination event that included France, Hungary, Mexico and the U.S. Hungary had to forfeit the foil since it only had its two World Champions, Horvath and Kausz.

The event was fenced with sabre, foil and epee in that order. The sabre ended when one team had 5 touches, the foil when one had 10, and the epee when one had 15. The U.S. defending champions lost to Poland by a decisive margin.

Unlike last year's event, no match produced the excitement of an epee fencer coming from behind to tie the score.

Preliminary (Direct Elimination)

(Sabre, foil, epee)

Poland d. Hungary 15-10 (Pawlowski lost to Horvath 3-5, Hungary defaulted in foil 7-0, Parulski tied Kausz 5-5).

France d. Mexico 15-7 (Parent lost to Ramos 3-5, Revenu d. Cicero 7-0, Bouquard d. Fajardo 5-2). **USA**, defending champion, received a bye.

Final

Poland d. USA 15-5 (Pawlowski d. Pallaghy 5-2, Woyda d. Axelrod 5-2, Nielaba d. Dasaro 5-1).

Poland d. France 15-10 (Pawlowski d. Parent 5-3, Woyda d. Revenu 5-2, Bouquard tied Parulski 5-5).

Castello NFCAA President

The NFCAA has elected Hugo Castello of NYU to succeed Max Garret. Mr. Castello has been very active in the Association and has organized several highly successful coaching clinics. He has been Co-chairman of the U.S. Junior Olympic Committee, a member of the U.S. Olympic Fencing Games Committee and coach of the 1963 Pan American Team.

Since his new position will take a great deal of time and effort Mr. Castello has appointed Irving DeKoff of Columbia to succeed him as Co-Chairman of the Junior Olympic Committee.

N. J. Intercollegiate

Eleanor Gutowski, Montclair State, was undefeated in the final to win the Women's State Intercollegiate title. Two Paterson State girls tied for second with 5/2 records and placed as follows: Arleen Melnick and Joyce Dunn. Other finalists, in order: Sandy Jergan, FDU; Jane Tainow, Paterson; Carol Von Scheidt, FDU; Chary Menocal, Montclair; Roxy Busch, Montclair.

AMERICAN FENCING

Helene Mayer Memorial

by Mary Huddleson

The 10th annual Helene Mayer women's foil event attracted a large and strong field including Barbara Helsingius, Olympic fencer from Finland and Stelle Saurer, champion of Panama.

For the first time a Northern California girl, Tommy Angell, won the trophy which heretofore has been passed back and forth between Maxine Mitchell and Jan Romary.

The final round: 1. Angell (Halberstadt) 7/1; 2. Romary (Vince) 6/2, 11 t.r.; 3. Linkmeyer (Faulkner) 6/2, 21 t.r.; 4. Mitchell (LAF) 5/3; 5. Bernhard (Nord) 4/4; 6. Magay (Pannonia) 3/5, 11 t.r.; 7. Holloway (Pannonia) 3/5, 25 t.r.; 8. Rombeau (LAF) 1/7, 30 t.r.; 9. Barkdull (Halberstadt) 1/7, 31 t.r.

World Championships

Any qualified fencers who can go to Poland at their own expense and wish to obtain permission to compete in the Championships must submit their request to Mr. L. Pongo, 11 Terrace Circle, Great Neck, N. Y. no later than May 27, 1963.

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL VIEWPOINT

An interesting difference of opinions was expressed at the recent International event regarding the theory of seeding.

In each event a large number of byes were to be given and a rule-of-thumb priority was suggested: World Champion, Tournament Champion, World finalists, places 2-4 in 1962 Tournament, U.S. Champion, best from visiting nations, U.S. National Rankings. The Bout Committee included two from the U.S.—Jose de Capriles and Ralph Goldstein—Vladimiro Calarese of Italy, Michael Dorde of France, Willy Fajardo of Mexico and Edward Wiezorek of Poland.

Sixteen byes were given in foil and included the top six U.S. ranking foilsmen. The non-U.S. members of the Committee felt that Glazer and Bukantz should be included. Glazer had won in 1961 and Bukantz had been in the round of 4 in 1961 and the round of 8 in 1962. The U.S. explanation regarding the purpose and use of national rankings was not accepted.

Calarese voiced the conviction that certain fencers attain international category that supercedes national standings. International events must give recognition to international performances and national rankings are not a gauge of relative international potential because of the different demands of top-level international competition. The U.S. viewpoint was overruled but out of respect for local practice Calarese refused his bye and Fajardo ceded a Mexican bye to make room for Bukantz and Glazer without depriving any of the six previously seeded U.S. fencers of their bye.

Had it been necessary, the foreign representatives would have voted the same way for Magay, Hamori, Keresztes, Twardokens, Dasaro and Orley in sabre.

J. R. de Capriles

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THE CONNECTICUT TROPHY

The purpose of the Connecticut Trophy as recorded in the 1934 minutes of the Board of Governors was that it be, "... a non-fencing trophy to be awarded each year to the division most active in developing fencing within its jurisdiction; ..." A committee consisting of Messrs. Bellah, chairman, and Warren and Hanway drew up a set of rules which have been followed since. The first award was made on April 24, 1935.

Recently it has become apparent that the 1935 formula for awarding the Connecticut Trophy is inequitable. The Board of Governors appointed a committee to review the rules for awarding the Trophy and a new set of rules was formulated. These rules rate each division for its activity in three basic areas: 1. Membership; 2. Competitions; 3. Competitors. Each of these is expressed in relative terms to give every division an equal opportunity of winning. To arrive at a meaningful score, each item is weighted by an adjustment based on the average performance of the League as a whole for that year. In this way a division that has just kept pace with the average activity of the League obtains 300 points. More points indicate better than average performance on the part of the division. The division with the highest point score is declared the winner of the trophy.

The new formulas are:

- $$\frac{\text{Division Membership This Year}}{\text{Division Membership Last Year}} \times \frac{\text{Average League Membership Last Year}}{\text{Average League Membership This Year}} \times 100$$
- $$\frac{\text{Division Competitions}}{\sqrt{\text{Division Membership This Year}}} \times \frac{\text{Average League Membership This Year}}{\text{Average League Competitions}} \times 100$$
- $$\frac{\text{Division Competitors}}{\text{Division Membership} \times \text{Division Competitions}} \times \frac{\text{Aver. League Membership}}{\text{Average League Competitions}} \times 100$$

Since these formulas are not sensitive to the size of a division, the Board authorized that they be applied to all divisions, including the Metropolitan Division. Newly formed divisions and those whose membership has fallen below 10 are automatically credited with ten members for the previous year. The term membership includes all classes of members: Honorary, Life, Associate Life, Active, Collegiate, Associate and Student. The term competitions means individual events such as "Foil Individual Open," "Women's Team," etc. Each event in a tournament is counted as an individual competition. Thus the National Championship tournament consists of nine competitions. The number of competitors means the number of individual fencers competing in the event. In the case of team events, the number of competitors are the number of individual fencers participating.

Under Chapter VIII, Section 7 of the By-Laws, the Division Chairman is required not less than twenty days prior to the Annual Meeting of the League to file with the Secretary of the League a complete report of the membership, finances and activities of the division for the current year. This report will become the basis for computing the points for the Connecticut Trophy which is to be awarded at Gala Night. The Board decided that since no new items were to be used in computing the points that the new rules will be effective for this year.

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Fencing Is Not Ballet!

by Lajos S. Csiszar

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Ed. Note: Mr. Csiszar certainly needs no introduction, but for the benefit of our worldwide audience and new members we point out that he was Coach of the 1956 Olympic Fencing Team and is Coach of the 1965 Pan American Team. He is the Coach of the University of Pennsylvania.

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Classical form is considered by some coaches and fencers to be a magic formula which must be followed strictly in order to be a fencer. But think. Is it all one needs? How many fencers have we all seen whose footwork was beautiful and graceful, whose parries were crisp and clean, whose lunges were an esthetic delight, and whose resultant total of victories in a competition would have been the same if they had stayed at home? How frustrating that must be to such a fencer.

Now, before anyone hollers "Pigsticking," please understand that this is not an attack on good style as such. This is definitely an attack on the thinking of those coaches who blithely go their way imbuing their pupils with the idea that the ultimate goal of all training is beauty and purity. Would these coaches have fencing scored as a type of gymnastic exercise or like figure skating? Probably not, but whatever they might want the fact is that fencing is scored by hits made upon the person of the opponent. It is a combative sport by tradition and origin. The present rules preserve the combative nature of fencing quite clearly. To be sure, fencing is a limited combat, presumably practiced by ladies and gentlemen, but it is combat nonetheless.

What is technique? There are at least two useful definitions of what constitutes a particular fencer's technique. The first, frequently labelled mechanism, consists of the ability to perform the mechanical movements of blade and foot. The second is more meaningful, viz., a fencer's technique consists of those actions which he is able to perform successfully in the bout situation, when his opponent is deliberately **not cooperating**.

Without doubt, long intensive drills of mechanism are important; they are virtually indispensable. However, there is much more

to the training of a fencer than this. He must be helped to develop agility and fluidity, both broad and specific strategies, and a **spontaneous** feeling for timing and distance. He must also be inspired with the fire and spirit which is absolutely essential to top caliber fencing.

A nationally known fencing coach has observed that the present Italian fencers "... fence with a style that is pleasing to the eye, but produces no results." This is a sad fact. The older Italian fencers who have retired over the last two years, particularly Mangiarotti, had magnificent form, but this esthetic factor was never allowed to over-ride the drive to make touches. The beauty was the result of speed, balance, efficiency and economy of movement. By way of contrast consider Delfino. A large heavy man, "Pippo" could never have become a great fencer if he had tried to copy Mangiarotti's style. Rather, Delfino emphasized the more basic concepts of fencing such as distance, timing, and heart. (Also a devilishly accurate point.) Even though he was never as beautiful in action as his compatriot, Delfino too attained the pinnacle, the Olympic Championship.

What's the point, then? The point! Not the pose. Style should not be the goal, but rather the means. Good style will in the long run provide a consistency of results, but it will not of itself insure success. Seek, then, a style which most facilitates ease of movement, speed, relaxation, balance, efficiency and economy of action. Classical styles of fencing were developed and were retained because they served these ends well for large numbers of persons over periods of years. The purpose was the success, not the beauty. So perfect a style. Yes, but a realistic style. Fencing after all is combat. It is **not** ballet.

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DIVISIONS

Maryland

by Barton Heaps

- Open Foil:** 1. Don Ellis, USNA; 2. Raymond Frey, USNA; 3. Dan Lyons, DCFC; 4. Richard Steere, DCFC.
- Open Epee:** 1. Larry Crum, USNA; 2. Bill Benson, USNA; 3. Dan Steinman, Csiszar; 4. Larry Bernard, USNA.
- Open Sabre:** 1. Saul Johnson, WFC; 2. Percio De Silva, WFC; 3. Tom Toczek, USNA; 4. Mike Mamlook, WFC.
- Novice Epee:** 1. Bill Brumfield, JHU; 2. Walter Roset, JHU; 3. Wade Horney, JHU.
- Foil Unclass:** 1. Edmond Flynn, WFC; 2. Tom Ahern, JHU; Jack Hesperheide, YFC.
- Epee Unclass:** 1. Tom Ahern, JHU; 2. Fred Eustis, JHU; 3. Bill Eyster, YFC.
- Women's Novice:** 1. Renee Morel, WFC; 2. Esther Jorolan, WFC.
- Women's Open:** 1. Barton Heaps, Int'l Y; 2. Esther Jorolan, WFC; 3. Doris Conrad, LFC.
- Sabre Novice:** 1. Sperm Teichman, JHU; 2. Byron Brown, Int'l Y; 3. Dan Davidson, JHU.
- Foil Unclass:** 1. Hal Glatzer, JCC; 2. Ken Handel, JCC; 3. Bruce Taubman, JCC.
- Sabre Team** won by the Washington FC (Fishman, da Silva, Johnson).
- Women's Handicap:** 1. Ann Thomas, Csiszar; 2. Meda Hurt, Unatt; 3. Carol Hesperheide, Csiszar.
- Foil Championship:** 1. R. Black, USNA; 2. Don Ellis, USNA; 3. Ken Handel, JCC.
- Epee Team** won by Salle Csiszar (Anastasi, Makler, McMahan).
- Epee Championship:** 1. Bill Benson; 2. L. Bernard; 3. R. Black—all USNA.
- Sabre Championship:** 1. Nelson Fishman, WFC; 2. Thomas Toczek, USNA; 3. Richard Wilson, USNA.
- Women's Championship:** 1. Carol Hesperheide, Csiszar; 2. Barton Heaps, Int'l. Center; 3. Bente Wasserman, DCFC.
- Women's Beginner:** 1. Antoinette Steinbacker, NJ; 2. Myrna Robinson, JCC; 3. Pat Winter, Int'l. Center.

Long Island

by Alfred Bachner

- Sabre Open:** 1. L. Pongo, NYAC; 2. A. Bachner, LIS; 3. Alexander, Santelli.
- Women's Open** (38 entries): 1. King, Lucia; 2. Terhune, Santelli; 3. O'Connor, Santelli; 4. Miyamoto, FDU; 5. Abby, Lucia; 6. Edson, LIS; 7. Brill, FC; 8. Schwabe, Lucia; 9. Pragen, Hunter. King d. Terhune 4-2 in fence-off.
- Foil Championship:** 1. Glazer, FC; 2. Mooney, NYAC; 3. Canvin, FC.
- Sabre Championship:** 1. Pongo, NYAC; 2. Worth, FC; 3. Jakob, NYAC.

North Dakota

by Lois Selberg

- Pro-Amateur:** 1. Charles Selberg; 2. Steve Werre; 3. Mike Vorrias.
- Foil 'B':** 1. Mike Vorrias; 2. Steve Werre; 3. Roger Page.
- Pro-Am Epee:** 1. Charles Selberg; 2. Walter Selberg; 3. Mike Vorrias.
- Epee 'B':** 1. Roger Page; 2. Mike Vorrias; 3. Steve Werre.
- Foil Team** won by Selberg, Amidon, Gibb.
- Women's Team** won by J. Anderson, D. Anderson, Moore.
- Foil 'B':** 1. Mike Vorrias; 2. Steve Werre; 3. Roger Page.
- Women's 'B':** 1. Diana Amidon; 2. Jan Meyerson; 3. Julie Moore.
- Women's Team** won by Meyerson, Amidon, Moore.
- Foil Introductory:** 1. David Jensen; 2. Carroll Penley; 3. Bart Rosbrook.
- Pro-Am Sabre:** 1. Charles Solberg; 2. Steve Werre; 3. Walter Selberg.
- Epee one-touch:** 1. Steve Werre; 2. Blaine Amidon, 3. Roger Page.
- Sabre 'B':** 1. Roger Page; 2. John Gibb; 3. Carroll Penley.
- Epee Team** won by Vorrias, Selberg, Johnson.
- Women's Open:** 1. Julie Moore; 2. Diana Amidon; 3. Lois Selberg.

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Florida Gold Coast

by Sy Eisenfeld

- 3-Weapon:** 1. Mike Morgan, deTuscan; 2. Bob Colwell, St. Pete; 3. Jeff Bart, Coral Gables.
- Women:** 1. Loretta Kushner, Gables; 2. Ingeborg Prietzel, deTuscan; 3. Leni Cramer, deTuscan.
- Mixed Doubles** won by Jensen and Sasek.

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Southern California

by Fred Linkmeyer

- Women's Unclassified Team** won by Faulkner School of Fencing (Sillman, Baccus, Mees).
- Women's Open:** 1. Jan Romary, Vince; 2. Maxine Mitchell, LAFC; 3. Bonnie Linkmeyer, FSF.
- Women's 'C' Team** won by Salle de Nord (Mencher, Nieson, Regal).
- Foil Prep:** 1. Mario Bryson, SFVSC; 2. J. Leslie Bazis, Haw. FC; 3. Robert Lundy, SdN.
- Foil Open:** 1. Ted Herosi, LAAC; 2. Hirokazu Sawada, LAAC; 3. Joseph Lampl, LAAC.
- Sabre Open:** 1. Friedrich Winter, FSF; 2. Charles Romary, Vince; 3. Paul Etter, Vince.
- Epee (1-touch):** 1. Steve Barden, LAAC; 2. Phil Marsh, FSF; 3. Fred Linkmeyer.
- Women's 'B':** 1. Bernice Filerman, SdN; 2. Dorothy Ichiyasu, LAFC; 3. Bettie Drago, FSF.
- Women's Open:** 1. Maxine Mitchell, LAFC; 2. Bonnie Linkmeyer, FSF; 3. Bettie Drago, FSF.
- Women's Sr.:** 1. Bernice Filerman, SdN; 2. Bonnie Linkmeyer, FSF; 3. Jeanie Mori, LAAC.
- Women's Open:** 1. Maxine Mitchell, LAFC; 2. Jan Romary, Vince; 3. Bonnie Linkmeyer, FSF.
- Women's Open:** 1. Jan Romary, Vince; 2. Maxine Mitchell, LAFC; 3. Bonnie Linkmeyer, FSF.
- Foil Team Unclass.** won by Cavaliers (Frazzini, Marin, Tannehill).
- Foil 'C':** 1. Joe Elliot, SdN; 2. Fritz Winter, FSF; 3. Andy Rivera, LAFA.
- Foil Open:** 1. Ted Hirose, LAAC; 2. Hirokazu Sawada, LAAC; 3. Josef Lampl, LAAC.
- Epee Open:** 1. Hirokazu Sawada, LAAC; 2. Joe Elliot, SdN; 3. Leslie Bleamaster, Unatt.
- Epee Open:** 1. Halton Arp, FSF; 2. Joe Elliot, SdN; 3. Sal De Bellis, Vince.
- Sabre Open:** 1. Josef Lampl, LAAC; 2. Halton Arp, FSF; 3. Charles Romary, Vince.
- Epee Sr.:** 1. Halton Arp, FSF; 2. Lee Rombeau, LAFC; 3. Fred Linkmeyer, LAAC.
- Foil 10-touch:** 1. Ted Hirose, LAAC; 2. Hirokazu Sawada, LAAC; 3. Andy Rivera, Unatt.
- Sabre Open:** 1. Carl Milletaire, Vince; 2. Paul Etter, Vince; 3. Gerald Paltin, Vince.
- Foil Open:** 1. Joel Prostick, LAFA; 2. Halton Arp, FSF; 3. Joe Elliot, SdN.
- Foil Team Open** won by LAAC (Lampl, Hirose, Sawada).
- Epee Open:** 1. Dean Kunicki, LAFC; 2. Don Bengé, FSF; 3. Phil Marsh, FSF.

Harrisburg

by Evelyn Barnitz

- Women's Closed:** 1. Evelyn Barnitz, YFC; 2. Doris Conrad, LFC; 3. Wanda Embry, LFC.
- Foil Closed:** 1. Jack Hesperheide, YFC; 2. Bill Eyster, YFC; 3. Joseph Lee, YFC.
- Mixed Team** won by Jack Hesperheide and Evelyn Barnitz of the York FC.

Northern California

by Elizabeth Ferrari

- Foil Handicap:** 1. James Green, Pannonia AC; 2. Richard Wayland, Funke FA; 3. Mario Ferpozzi, Letterman GH.
- Sabre 'C':** 1. Col. L. H. Brownlee, LGH; 2. Frank Dollars, Unatt; 3. Severo Pasol, LGH.
- Women's 'C':** 1. Mary Huddleson, Halberstadt SF; 2. Donna Holloway, PAC; 3. Margaret Jessep, HSF.
- Open Sabre Team** won by Pannonia AC (Magay, Resch, Baker).
- Foil 'C':** 1. Mario Ferpozzi, LGH; 2. F. Dollard, Unatt; 3. N. Honeychurch, Unatt.
- Sabre 'B':** 1. Jack Baker, PAC; 2. Gerard Biagini, PAC; 3. Col. L. H. Brownlee, LGH.
- Women's 'B':** 1. Mary Huddleson, HSF; 2. Donna Holloway, PAC; 3. Alice Partanen, PAC.
- Women's Handicap:** 1. Donna Holloway, PAC; 2. Elizabeth Magay, PAC; 3. Tommy Angell, HSF.
- Epee 'C':** 1. Peter Schwarz, LGH; 2. Jack Baker, PAC; 3. Lee Sentman, Menlo Pk. FC.
- Foil 'B':** 1. Col. L. H. Brownlee, LGH; 2. Severo Pasol, LGH; 3. Mario Ferpozzi, LGH.
- Epee 'B':** 1. C. Christe, Unatt; 2. L. Sentman, MPFC; 3. S. Pasol, LGH.
- Epee 'B' Team** won by Composite (Christe, Pavlath, Berge).
- Foil 'B' Team** won by Letterman GH (Pasol, Cassidy, Crobtree, O'Brien).
- Pillar Women's:** 1. Elizabeth Magay, PAC; 2. Tommy Angell, HSF; 3. Mary Huddleson, HSF.
- Pillar Foil:** 1. F. Dollard, PAC; 2. J. Green, PAC; 3. L. Brownlee, LGH.
- Pillar Epee:** 1. Stephen Mutschenbacher, Unatt; 1. Carl Christe, Unatt; 3. Norbert Brami, Unatt.
- Pillar Sabre:** 1. D. Magay, PAC; 2. H. Resch, PAC; 3. J. Baker, PAC.

No. Ohio

by Madison H. Dods

- Women's Novice:** 1. Ruth Rogers; 2. Shirley Rice; 3. Yvette Haynes.
- Foil Open:** 1. Joe Kitson; 2. Herb James; 3. Leroy Jones.
- Epee Open:** 1. Doug Phillips; 2. Herb James; 3. Bud Shaw.

Cleveland International

by Herb James

- The annual International Invitation resulted as follows:
- Women:** 1. Myrel Fried, Pittsburgh; 2. Carol Simons, Columbus; 3. Cynthia Carter, Pittsburgh.
- Foil:** 1. Forrest Carter, Pittsburgh; 2. Joe Kitson, Cleveland; 3. Al Styler, Cleveland.
- Epee:** 1. Robert Foxcroft, Canada; 2. Herb James, Cleveland; 3. Mike Bruce, Detroit.
- Sabre:** 1. Bill Goering, Detroit; 2. Walt Henry, Cleveland; 3. Robert Foxcroft, Canada.



Central Florida

by Hazel Shinner

Teenage Foil: 1. Joe Sasek, Ft. Lauderdale; 2. Bill Lapeza, Jacksonville; 3. Lee Marx, St. Pete PAL.
Teenage Girls: 1. Lennie Cramer, Ft. Lauderdale; 2. Cheri Friedman; 3. Lee Heath, St. Pete.
Women's Open: 1. Loretta Kushner, Miami; 2. Lennie Cramer, Ft. L.; 3. Hazel Shinner, St. Pete.
Foil Open: 1. James Vaughan, St. Pete; 2. Robert Colwell, St. Pete; 3. Joe Sasek, Ft. L.
Foil Prep: 1. David Koy, Pres. Coll.; 2. Carl Hoffmyer, Pres. Coll.; 3. Dick Huss, Pres. Coll.
Women's Prep: 1. Ingeborg Prietzel, St. Pete; 2. Cheri Friedman, St. Pete; 3. Lee Heath, St. Pete.
4-Weapon Team won by University of Florida (Wiley, Warriner, Sayer, Reed).

In our next report we will announce results of the Third Annual Sunshine Festival Open Foil Tournament.

Gulf Coast

by Jean Thomson

Foil Novice: 1. Tinoco, U. of Texas; 2. J. Fooks, Ind.; 3. Hernandez, U. of Texas.
Epee Novice: 1. Tinoco, U. of Texas; 2. M. Fooks, FCH; 3. Vandever, U. of Texas.
Sabre Novice: 1. Hernandez, U. of Texas; 2. Tinoco, U. of Texas; 3. Pollard, Rice U.
Women's Open: 1. Abbott, Ind; 2. Hampton, Ind; 3. Thomson, Bucs.
3-Weapon: 1. Sims, Dallas Y; 2. Sklar, FCH; 3. Fooks, FCH.
Jr. Foil: 1. J. Fooks, Houston College; 2. H. Pollard, Rice U.; 3. C. Jones, Rice U.
Jr. Epee: 1. M. Fooks, FCH; 2. H. Pollard, Rice U.; 3. J. Fooks, Houston College.
Sabre Open: 1. M. Fooks, FCH; 2. Reed, FCH; 3. Pollard, Rice U.

West Virginia

by Pat Christensen

Women's Invitation: 1. Mary Gehant, Louisville; 2. Gigi Ivone, Cincinnati; 3. Esta McMillan, Wheeling.
Foil Invitation: 1. Paul Ross, Lexington; 2. Charles Thompson, Cincinnati; 3. Scott Moore, Huntington.
Epee Invitation: 1. Paul Ross, Lex.; 2. Charles Thompson, Cincinnati; 3. Seldon McNeer, Huntington.
Sabre Invitation: 1. Al Fedorovicke, Ohio State; 2. Ron Weaver, Ohio State; 3. Scott Moore, Huntington.
Women: 1. Pat Christensen, Wheeling; 2. Sandy Christensen, Wheeling; 3. Pat Moore, Huntington.
Foil: 1. Ron Christensen, Wheeling; 2. Scott Moore, Huntington; 3. David Edmonds, Huntington.
Epee: 1. Charles Baer, Huntington; 2. Scott Moore, Huntington; 3. Ron Christensen, Wheeling.
Sabre: 1. Scott Moore, Huntington; 2. Seldon McNeer, Huntington; 3. Ron Christensen, Wheeling.

New England

by Carla Mae Festa

Epee Open: 1. Ed Richards, NYAC; 2. Uldis-Kaktins, YMCA; 3. Steve Khinoy, Harvard.
Epee Handicap: 1. Phil Craig, Elde; 2. Richard Peksens, Unatt; 3. Dave Snow, MIT.
Foil Unclass: 1. Phil Craig, Elde; 2. Vern Carlson, YMCA; 3. Dan Kirsch, Harvard.
Women's Novice: 1. Nan Zweben, Brandeis; 2. Nancy Hopkins, BFC; 3. Mary Tremblay, Lawrence Y.
Sabre Open: 1. Ed Richards, NYAC; 2. Roger Barzun, Harvard; 3. Steve Reznick, MIT.
Epee Novice: 1. Vern Carlson, YMCA; 2. Steve Chalmers, BFC; 3. Dan Kirsch, Harvard.
Epee Unclass: 1. Ralph Zimmerman, MIT; 2. Vern Carlson, YMCA; 3. Richard Waterman, YMCA.
Women's Open: 1. Eleanor Spinella, Conn; Ricky Brightman, BFC; 3. Lillian Aylward, BFC.
Sabre Unclass: 1. Vern Carlson, YMCA; 2. Sam Rich, YMCA; 2. Arnold Behre, YMCA.
Epee Prep: 1. Dean Guenther, BFC; 2. Angelo Cascia, YMCA; 3. Richard Peksens, Unatt.
Women's Prep: 1. Sally Pechinsky, YMCA; 2. Nancy Hopkins, BFC; 3. Pat Moehlman, Wellesley.

Western New York

by Joy Fels

Women's Open: 1. A. Woodams, Roch.; 2. M. Richmond, BFC; 3. L. Gibbs, Roch.
Women's Prep: 1. F. Jackson, BFC; 2. J. Lanzella, BFC; 3. L. Goble, BFC.
Foil Senior: 1. J. Capurso, Roch.; 2. A. Buzzell, UB; 3. D. Bohackel, Roch.
Foil Prep: 1. E. Barrow, BFC; 2. J. Paul, UB; 3. W. Ostrum, UB.
Sabre Senior: 1. A. Plouffe, Roch.; 2. D. Mason, Cornell; 3. A. Buzzell, UB.
Foil-Epee: 1. A. Plouffe, Rochester; 2. J. Capurso, Rochester; 3. W. Streeter, Binghamton.
Women's Open: 1. M. Richmond, Buffalo; 2. A. Woodams, Rochester; 3. T. Pipitone, Rochester.
Epee Novice: 1. J. Forsch, UB; 2. L. Kuntar, Buffalo; 3. W. Anagnosum, Liv.
Sabre Novice: 1. W. Anagnosum, Liv; 2. L. Kuntar, Buffalo; 3. M. Fox, UB.

Buffalo Schoolboy

Eight local schools participated and Pierre Chanteau of Park School successfully defended his title with 16 straight victories. John Tyrrell (School 69) was second and Robert Rua (St. Joe) was third. Other finalists: Hugh Sellers, Larry Peters, Bill Babus, Dan Walkly, John Jarvis and Derek Harris Lowe.

Sidney Schwartz.

Connecticut

by Burton Moore

Foil Open: 1. Phil Otto, Yale; 2. Dan Marmar, Unatt; 3. Byron Short, Yale.
Epee Open: 1. Dave Hoy, Yale; 2. Mel Benjamin, LI; 3. Burt Moore, Norwalk FC.
Women's Open: 1. Eileen Verrier, Waterbury Y; 2. Jessie Wu, Norwalk FC; 3. Lindley Beetz, Waterbury Y.
Sabre Open: 1. Romolo Garbatini, NYAC; 2. Tom Trowbridge, Yale; 3. John Gribosky, Norwalk FC.
Foil Intermediate: 1. Burt Moore, Norwalk FC; 2. Ken Shailer, Jr., Waterbury Y; 3. Chris Murck, Yale.
Women's Int.: 1. Elinor Spinella, Waterbury Y; 2. Eileen Verrier, Waterbury Y; 3. Laurie Maxon, Conn. College.
Epee Int.: 1. Al Greene, LI; 2. Dave Hoy, Yale; 3. Burt Moore, Norwalk FC.
Foil Novice: 1. Ken Shailer, Waterbury Y; 2. Pete Andrews, Yale; 3. Bob Mobley, Norwich FA.

Oregon

Women's "C": 1. Pat Hayes, Seattle; 2. Jean Robeson, Seattle; 3. Elizabeth Becker, Reed College.
Foil "C": 1. Wade Longworth, Fencibles; 2. Sam Senior, Seattle; 3. Eric Sonnegaard, Seattle.
Women's Open: 1. Pat Hayes, Seattle; 2. Jean Robeson, Seattle; 3. Dorothy Thomas, Fencibles.
Foil Open: 1. Wade Longworth, Fencibles; 2. Don Naylor, Portland; 3. Al Manley, Fencibles.
Epee Open: 1. Simon Hernandez, Fencibles; 2. Bob Miller, Seattle; 3. Jerry Pournelle, Seattle.

New Jersey

by Mary Ellen Flynn

Women: 1. Paulette Singelakis, SS; 2. Madeline Miyamoto, FDU; 3. Anne Drungis, SS.
H.S. Foil: 1. Mike Gaylor, Ramapo; 2. Don Sieja, Hun School; 3. Tom Boutisikaris, Essex HS.
Women's Invitation: 1. Denis O'Connor, SS; 2. Harriet King, Lucia; 3. Madeline Miyamoto, FDU.
Women's 'C': 1. Arlene Melnick, PSC; 2. Jane Tainow, PSC; 3. Monica Klein, FDU.
Epee Open Team won by NYFC (Adams, Gerica, Melcher).

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Arizona

by Lucy Logan

3-Weapon: 1. Dave Logan, Phoenix Y; 2. Ivan Marquez, Tucson Y; 3. Artolson, Tucson Y.
Mixed Doubles won by Dick Olson and Yvonne Gallego, U. of Arizona. There were 24 entries.
Women's H.S. (1-year fencing): 1. Susan Tanner; 2. Miss Walleck; 3. Sandra Stephenson—all Arcadia H.S., coached by Mrs. Doris Howard.
Women's (Advanced H.S. & 1 year College): 1. Toni Atmore, Phoenix; 2. Donella Cole, Arcadia H.S.; 3. Sharyn Gelway, Arcadia H.S.
Foil - H.S. (1 year fencing): 1. Charles Chase; 2. Bruce Galledge; 3. Mike Gelway—all Arcadia H.S.
Foil (Advanced H.S. & 1 year College): 1. Leonard Aron, Arcadia H.S.; 2. Robert Bleuse, U. of Arizona; 3. J esse Santana, E, Arizona Jr.
Women: 1. Sandra Carrico, Phoenix Y; 2. Jacqueline McLean, Tucson; 3. Candy Ripley, Tucson.
Foil: 1. Geza Kmetty, Arizona State; 2. Nick Olson, U. of Arizona; 3. Dave Logan, Phoenix Y.
Sabre: 1. Irving Kipnis, Tucson Y; 2. Dave Logan, Phoenix Y; 3. Nick Olson, U. of A.
Women: 1. Toni Atmore, Phoenix Y; 2. Sandra Carrico, Phoenix Y; 3. Jacqueline McLean, Tucson Y.
Foil: 1. Nick Olson, U. of A.; 2. William Currie, U. of A.; 3. Dave Logan, Phoenix Y.
Sabre: 1. Nick Olson, U. of A.; 2. Derewood Bible, Phoenix Y; 3. Dave Logan, Phoenix Y.

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Sabre Open: 1. Jack Drain; 2. Roger Jones; 3. Allan Byers—all Csiszar.
Women's Open: 1. Ann Thomas, Csiszar; 2. Carol Hesperheide, Csiszar; 3. Barton Heaps, Balto.

North Atlantic Championships

Convention Hall, Atlantic City, N.J.

May 25 and 26, 1963

Sat., May 25—

8:30 A.M. Check-in Time
9:00 A.M. Sabre
1:00 P.M. Weapon Check
2:00 P.M. Men's Foil

Sun., May 26

9:30 A.M. Weapons Check
10:00 A.M. Epee
Women's Foil

The N.A.S. Executive Committee annual meeting will be held at the Claridge Hotel on Saturday evening, May 25, at 9:00 P.M.

SCHEDULES

MAY

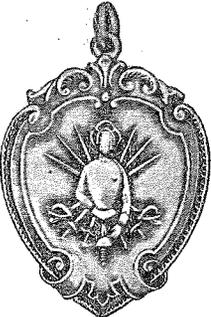
12—Metropolitan—Women Championship Fencers Club 11 A.M.	2.75
Minnesota—Gala Competition Radisson Hotel 2 P.M.	
No. Ohio—Women and Sabre Championships Akron Y 1:30 P.M.	2.50
16—New Jersey—Foil Championship (closed) Verona 7:30 P.M.	2.50
17—So. California—Women's Team Open LA Valley College 7:45 P.M.	2.50
18—Colorado—Sabre Championship Colorado U 9 A.M.	2.00
Long Island—Epee Championship Willets Rd. School 9:30 A.M.	3:00
Metropolitan—Sabre Championship NYAC 12 noon	1.75
New Jersey—Women's Championship and Qual. Nat'l FDU 10 A.M.	2.50
No. California—Foil and Women 18 and under SF State 9 A.M.	
19—Colorado—Foil and Women's Championships Colorado U 9 A.M.	2.00
Metropolitan—Foil Championship Fencers Club 11 A.M.	2.75
Minnesota—Foil Team Minneapolis Y 1:30 P.M.	3.00
No. California—Epee Team Open. Letterman GH 2 P.M.	2.00
No. Ohio—Epee Championship Akron Y 1:30 P.M.	2.50
21—New Jersey—Epee Championship (closed) Paterson State 7:30 P.M.	2.00
24—So. California—3 Weapon Team and 4-Woman Team Faulkner 7:45 P.M.	2.50
25—Long Island—Women's Championship Willets Rd. School 9:30 A.M.	3.00
No. California—Sabre Team Open Letterman GH 2 P.M.	2.00
Oklahoma—3-Weapon Championship Tulsa YMCA	
25-26—Oregon—Invitational, All Weapons Multnomah AC Portland	1.50
Midwest Championships St. Louis, Mo.	
North Atlantic Championships Atlantic City, N.J.	
26—Metropolitan—Finals of all Met. Championships NYAC 9 A.M.	

JUNE

1-16—National Training Camp Stroudsburg, Pa.	
2—New Jersey—Outdoor Epee Lambert's Castle, Paterson 10 A.M.	2.00
8-9—Pacific Coast Championships San Francisco	
22—Central Fla.—3 Weapon and Women's Championships St. Pete Y 1 P.M.	.75
29-July 6—NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS Los Angeles, Totel Statter Hilton	

JULY

13—Central Fla.—Sabre and Women St. Pete Y 1 P.M.	.75
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