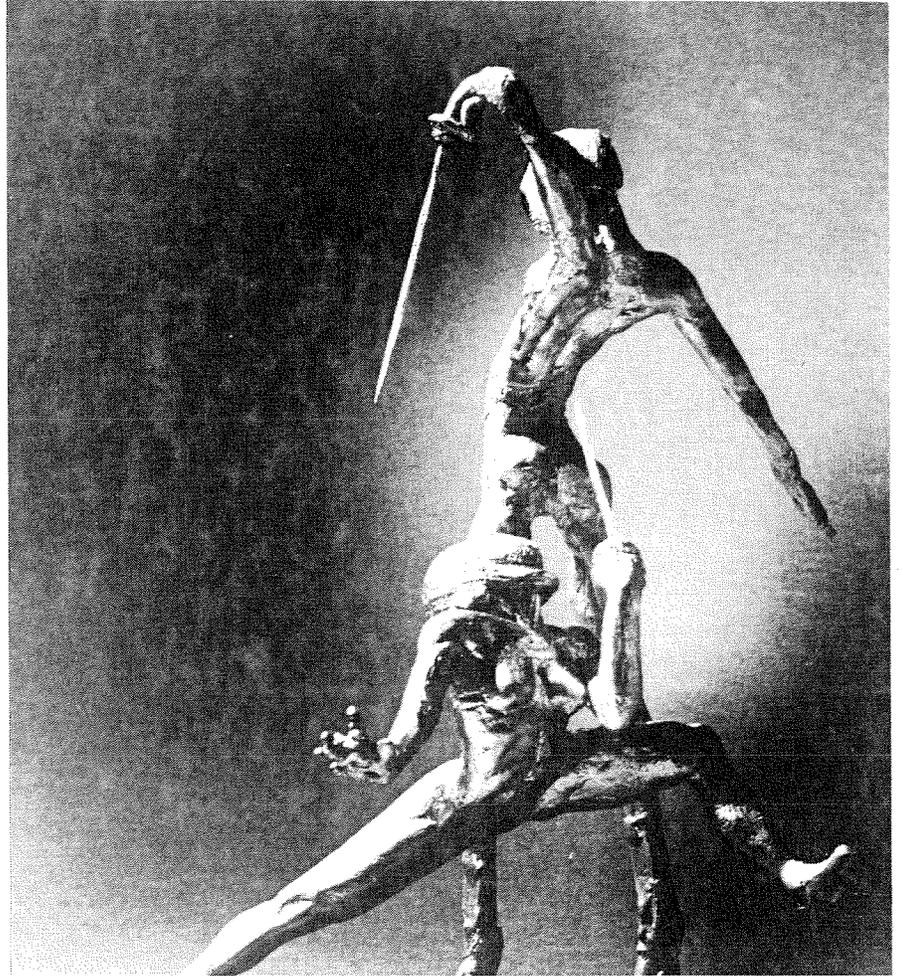


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From the President



by Irwin Bernstein

At the 1978 Nationals in Hollywood, Florida, in addition to the usual twelve official events, there were two others of an informal nature: women's epee and sabre. Twenty-four women fenced in the epee event. During the meeting of the Board of Directors held at the Nationals, we considered a request from a second section to hold official championships in these events. Prior to the Nationals, we received an inquiry from a member of the U.S. Congress active in the women's rights movement as to the status of our women's fencing. It's about time this issue came out of the closet.

The AFLA first recognized women's epee and sabre in Feb. 1973 when the Board of Directors, meeting in Woodland Hills, California, considered ways in which orderly progress could be made. The proponents of this expansion had a variety of motives. Some were serious fencers whose participation was limited by the paucity of able women fencers in their areas. They were often frustrated by traveling hundreds of miles for a very small women's foil competition and were anxious to broaden their fencing opportunities. Some were oriented towards women's rights and were jealous that men could fence in three weapons (even though many did not) while they had only one open to them. The opponents also had a mixture of objections. Some were traditionalists who were concerned with the fragility of the female — in practical terms as well as image. Others felt that until the FIE conducted epee and sabre events for women, our women should concentrate on foil in order to improve our pool of international competitors. In resolving the issue, then Board of Directors took a temperate position by providing for gradual, controlled growth, not to satisfying any outside political pressure, but to assist our dedicated women fencers to enlarge their fencing horizons. We emphasized the supreme importance of proper safety procedures since those unfamiliar with the heavier, stiffer epee could be injured if they did not wear appropriate protective gear. We also established reporting procedures so that we could extend championship recognition when appropriate;

we did not want to undermine the prestige of the existing sectional and national titles which are earned in competitions of significant size and strength.

In the five years that have elapsed, much has happened in women's epee and sabre. The Pacific Section has developed these events to official Sectional Championship status through carefully run competitions. In certain other areas, serious women fencers have also nurtured this growth by trying to interest their associates. In some instances, however, women have fenced epee in foil uniforms, despite our strong prohibition of this, thereby jeopardizing their own safety and the orderly progress of the "movement". In a more subtle way, women not psychologically prepared for epee and sabre have sometimes been coerced by their associates into participating in order to inflate the numbers. Reporting has been erratic, ranging from a regular newsletter published on the west coast to complete failure to report. The word "championship" has been used loosely in some cases, while in others, Division administrators have ignored legitimate requests to hold such events on a trial basis. It is difficult for the AFLA leadership to distinguish between healthy progress and dangerous play.

In trying to plot a course for the future, there are several considerations. For international development, some people suggest that if the FIE is going to adopt women's epee and sabre eventually, we should seek a headstart. Some also believe that an exposure to epee point control and sabre distance concepts can benefit the women foil fencers, while others claim that the foil is still the basic weapon and cannot be helped by the others. For domestic development, it is difficult to disagree with the idea that having three weapons to fence will bring more women into the sport, and we certainly need more fencers. Weighing the various factors involved, I have reached my own conclusion. It is time for us to provide a more positive climate for women's epee and sabre for our serious fencers, including assisting in training them in fencing and officiating in

THE 1978 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS or "Reflections in a Bloodshot Eye"

by Dean Alexander,

The 1978 National Championships were held at the Diplomat Hotel in Hollywood, Florida from June 24th through July 1st. It was an interesting Nationals from several aspects. Favorites and past champions met the grim reaper in early rounds as new faces began emerging in later rounds some successfully climbing to the finals. The level of the Under 19 fencing showed a surprising level of competence and strength which should brighten our international future considerably. For those of us who labored to bring forth this event, we are tired but happy to have once again brought off this mammoth undertaking in orderly generally satisfying manner. We are small but an ambitious division and hosting a Nationals is a gargantuan task. Most of the heavy work was performed by a few dedicated manic individuals. We thought that the lack of a substantial number of volunteers was due to our small size, but after discussing this situation with participants from other far more sizable divisions, the consensus was that the assistance offered is a fixed number (7-12) and is not proportional to the size of the membership. After pulling off a smaller but enjoyable Nationals 10 years ago, I felt that those who supported hosting another one had to be brain damaged or at least in no condition to get past Dr. Valsamis' "fill the little bottle please" test. Hosting a Nationals is a little like giving birth. Out of love, you decide to bring forth something memorable, but after months of discomfort, struggle and finally

FROM THE PRESIDENT

these weapons. At the same time, we should discourage those who are not serious, before we have an accident that harms the entire sport of fencing. The AFLA has been blessed by many effective, dedicated women among its administrators and competitors. We should be pleased to support those among them who are serious about expanding opportunities for women in fencing.

the agony of labor and delivery, you'll never do it again—and a later you're back in the delivery room puffing and cursing again. In both produce something which you can be of. One of the greatest benefits divisions in holding a Nationals is opportunity to participate with some ground and to observe for a concentrated period, good, correct for change views with coaches and see how lessons are given and compare notes and philosophies other. In the case of my wife and I fenced in the Metropolitan and I Divisions, it was an opportunity many old and warm friendships and new acquaintances whom we forward to seeing again. We numerous compliments from participants regarding the general run competition for which we are the Gala seemed to have made a take for granted the "sea breeze surf, swaying coconut palms surroundings but our visitors really died away by the atmosphere. T Julia Jones, Csaba Elthes, Ralph and others out on the dance floor set put some of the rest of us (background. We managed to keep minimum, despite it being the rainy season. Of course there are problems. There always are. One consequence was the low level of illumination convention halls. The hotel had promised for over a year that would be extended on goosene spread of light and continued to see we finally gave up. At the executive meeting some complaint was of "undesirability" of holding an event in a "ballroom" atmosphere plus fencing room. In response I can see the Diplomat ballroom has an excellent less floorspace which is larger gymnasiums. Also the carpeting footing for both athlete and officiating

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ably more bearable. One cannot also over emphasize the convenience of living within easy walking distance of the competition area to say nothing of eating and recreation facilities being right at hand. Those of us who have held competitions in nice shiny gyms also encountered severe problems. In wooden floored gymnasiums, strips cannot be taped down, on composite floors everytime a weapon is touched to the floor screams of anguish are heard from all quarters. Also, no food, no drinks, etc, etc, ad nauseum. Insurance rates in gymnasiums are structured much higher than in a hotel venue. I might also point out that hotel convention halls and surrounding sites have been sites for championship tennis, gymnastics, boxing and golf tournaments. Alfredo Duran boxed a World Championship bout at the Fountainebleu just down the road from the Diplomat earlier this year. It's also easier to get help with facilities and publicity from a commercial site rather than a public one.

One final note, I believe should be given serious consideration, by our National governing body. As publicity coordinator, I became painfully aware of the shortcomings of our sport. We complain of the relative obscurity of fencing, of uncooperative and unsympathetic media and its paucity of spectators. I discovered while handling publicity that the way National fencing championships are scheduled they are virtually impossible to cover by media. Rather than hostility, I experienced a frustrated media, begging for results to make deadlines, for information of times when defending champions will be fencing. We fence our finals from midnight to 2 o'clock or later in the morning. Only the sabre finished at a reasonable time. TV and newspapers have deadlines to meet. TV at 5:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. for picture stories, 10:30 for printed news. Newspaper deadlines for morning papers are 10:30 p.m. for the city editions and 12:00 midnight for late editions. As we are currently running events, we cannot get adequate coverage. Also spectators will not stay til 3 a.m. to watch a four man barrage to decide the epee title. Looking ahead to the future, it gets worse. Besides individual and team titles in womens foil, mens sabre, foil and epee and under 19 events in all four weapons over the horizon one can see the rumblings of

womens individual and team events in epee and sabre. An informal and spontaneous competition was organized by the ladies this year in sabre and epee. When this trend blossoms into fruition, we are facing not an overloaded 8 day schedule but an impossible 12 to 14 day meeting. The league should consider holding either separate mens and womens tournaments or separate individual and teams or holding the Under 19 competition at another time and place. This would lighten the load in many areas, economically, timewise and facilitate better publicity for our sport.

All in all, the event was enjoyable and run smoothly. One of the highlights occurred when Ralph Zimmerman made good his threat to tear up Irwin Bernsteins directors card if he allowed the Epee final to end in a fence off. When a four man barrage ensued, Ralph ceremoniously shredded the card and showered Irwin with the confetti. Maybe, someday we'll do it all again, and maybe next time we'll give birth to twins or maybe triplets. So next year we move from sea level South Florida to mile high Colorado. Good Luck! Cowboys it's all yours!

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1978 NATIONAL FENCING CHAMPIONS

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Curly-Mae Richards, Bout Committee

Another Championships? Unusual — No! Different — YES! Why?? This is the one that broke all the records — individual entries in both senior and under-19 events and in the team events. The well-planned Nationals by the Gold Coast Division of Florida with the acquisition of 15 new copper strips last Fall started to come apart one week before as we determined that 15 would not do. We MUST HAVE 16 strips or we would be fencing and fencing and fencing and fencing!! A 16th strip was discovered but is most graciously returned to the hinterlands from whence it came at the first possible moment by organizing, technical and bout committees and most of all by the fencers! The space was gracious and expansive — no complaints — but, where oh where did the hotel put its extension poles to bring down the ceiling lights and give us more light??? Will we ever see fencing in the glare of the lights again?? Soon, fencers, soon!! But adjust we all did to the adequately lit convention hall of the Diplomat Hotel in Hollywood, Florida, for the adjacent room was the darkroom and between the two rooms fencers had the chance to fence in any kind of light.

Enough, though, it was a good Nationals in spite of the conditions. We all had a chance to get "some" sleep early in the week and though there were times we wondered if we would get to bed or to eat — we all survived, the fencers best of all. By now, hopefully, the Floridian technical crew is back to earth, rested and fed. Try managing a record nationals by begging, borrowing, or stealing enough equipment (including clocks!) to keep 16 strips running steadily for four days and 14 strips the rest of the week. A gigantic task for any crew of people and a miracle for the short-handed Floridians. Manny Forrest and Jessica Roberts did it one way or the other — together with a tight knit, hard working technical crew trying to fix all things all at once. With all that we had ourselves a whale of a Nationals. The epee ended with a four-way tie that went on to 3 A.M. with only the fencers and director awake and raring to go! The women's ended at 1 A.M. with a superb finish by all the finalists and Gay D'Asaro demonstrating her

fluid style once again with only or two days of fencing and that to til 2nd place winner during the se Nikki Franke.

Some interesting trivia for this each defending champion ex semi-finals; we had our first I sabre fencer in the finals since 19 time Miami hosted the Nationals you do to our left-handed sabre the last ten years, Florida?). In c rare times in fencing two fencers first Nationals became finalists i foil event, both collegiate fenc Mathis of Rutgers and Mark Sm We now have another club that fencers in the finals, Salle D'As fornia — after a long stretch of tw New York clubs. Want more?! — semi-finalists in women's were fr Coast; six of the 12 semi-finalists were from the same club (N Fencers Club of New York for straight sabre team title; the Ne owns the epee team trophy.

And now a moment to give si tion to services rendered beyon anything which provided the necessary for the smooth oper Bout Committee. From Oregc special thanks and deep appr endless assistance to Colleen Jean Beatty — as if they didn't h last year running their own Natio preparation for next year's Natic Baumgart and Sam Cheris fror To Sam Cheris our special awarc had no previous National's trai committee and became the stat for the Bout Committee ("Keep t sure pot operation. To Gerrie, w "essence" of survival for all of t Vienna of New Jersey who chan mid-stream to expose herself to l and never ending job of check scoresheets and paper clip su out the week. To George Masin made sure any set of number: right and with his computer s; betized zillions of cards. To Elsa a local mother, who was ready

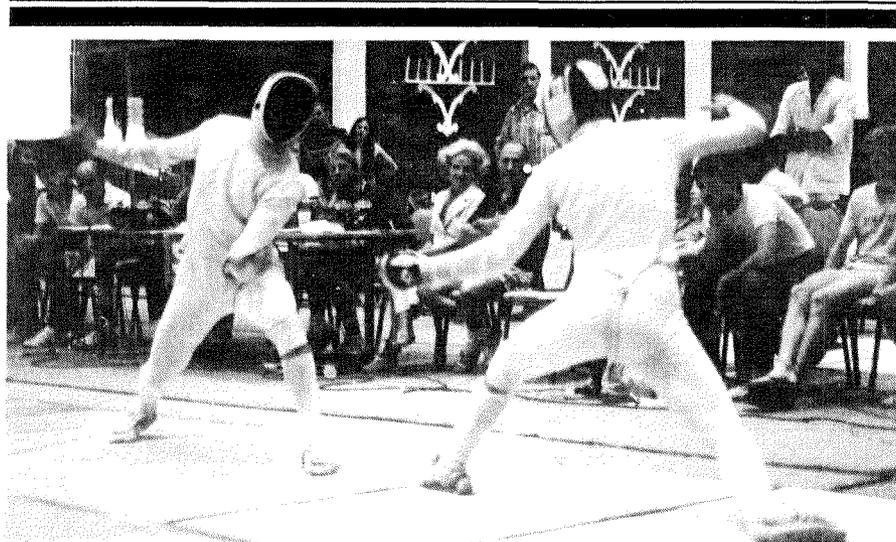
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able to alleviate dire needs however and whenever. To Alex Sapega, the fencer's TRAINER, without whose services we would have more fencers hobbling around for longer times — he was one who was ON Call and available all the time anyone was fencing in the Nationals. The fencers thank you, Alex. To Kate Alexander who took on the impossible — processing entries her local post office resisted in delivering!!

And all the fencers, I'm sure, would give their salute to Ralph Zimmerman who supplied directors for so many strips for so many days from only he knows where — but officials who did their job unstintingly and expertly thru-out. And to our "official" officials — Ralph Goldstein — a worker beyond words and one whose directing is better

than ever and who was always available for any job; Steve Sobel who took his turn without dinner and was ever present and hardly ever flustered!; and to Dan Bukantz, our solid rock of officials. To them all we give our deepest thanks and appreciation. And, to Florida, for taking on a job that is getting so immense that it's hard to believe any of us can do it, but do it we do and with a deep sense of satisfaction for a job well done. And with my own special vote to Ed, my loving, patient and stable influence in a life that seems to be constantly filled to the brim.

Most of all we all say thank you to fencers thru-out this vast country of ours who showed us all how much fencing means to so many everywhere. Next year, onwards and upwards to the rarefied atmosphere of Colorado Springs!



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Preliminary Round #1: 3 Qualify from Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) LOSONCZY, T., Met, 4v; 2) CHISHOLM, C., PA, 3v; 3) FRANEK, D., MD, 2v; 4) Crimone, S., WA, DC, 1v; 5) Deakle, J., No. Ca., 0v.

Pool 2: ORBAN, A., Met, 4v; 2) PINKUS, L. LI, 3v; 3) POTOPWICZ, P., NJ, 2v; 4) Fore, K., Gld. Cst, 1v; 5) Chirko, C., Colo, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) WESTBROOK, P., Met, 4v; 2) JOHNSEN, M., La., 3v; 3) REED, B., Gu. Cst., 2v; 4) D'Agnes, A., Met, 1v; 5) French, F., GA, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) LEKACH, S., Met., 4v; 2) SHIPMAN, W., Pied., 3v; 3) GRAY, C., NE, 2v; 4) Aster, M., NJ, 1v; 5) Churylo, J., Colo., 0v.

Pool 5: REILLY, P., LI, 4v; 2) FRIEDBERG, P., Phila., 2v; 3) GRAY, D., NE, 2v; 4) Keane, A., No. Ca., 1v; 5) Baker, K., No. Ca., 1v.

Pool 6: 1) GLUCKSMAN, J., Met, 4v; 2) RENSHAW, S., Pied., 3v; 3) MORROW, W., W. Pa., 1v; 5) Barker, R., Gld. Cst., 1v; 5) Harmon, S., N. TX, 1v.

Pool 7: 1) KAPLAN, S., Met, 3v; 2) SPECTOR, N., Wa DC, 1v, -1; 3) ANDREWS, D., C. CA, 1v, -4; 4) Hightower, J., Gld. Cst., 1v, -6.

Pool 8: 1) MAXWELL, R., Phila., 4v; 2) BEUTEL, S., So. Jers., 3v; 3) COHEN, J., Ind, 2v; 4) Hubbard, D., Gld. Cst., 1v; 5) Alesi, M., La., 0v.

Pool 9: 1) RABINOVICH, Y., Mi., 4v; 2) HUFFMAN, B., No. Ca., 2v, 2; 3) REITH, W., OH, 2v, 0; 4) Tishman, D., NJ, 2v, -3; 5) Sarosdy, T., N. TX, 0v.

Pool 10: 1) CHEW, F., Met., 4v; 2) LARA, A., C. CA, 3v; 3) STEINMAN, J., Giewy, 2v; 4) Kroeten, J., Minn, 1v; 5) Zoghby, D., Westch., 0v.

Pool 11: 1) HOUSE, E., Met., 4v; 2) BOUCHER, W., N. OH, 3v; 3) YOKON, V., S. TX, 2v; 4) Alexander, D., Gld. Cst, 1v; 5) Lekach, I., N. CA, 0v.

Pool 12: 1) GALL, C., met, 4v; 2) LONGSTREET, E., Ill, 3v; 3) MARTINEZ, R., C. CA, 2v; 4) Gelnaw, W., No. Ca., 1v; 5) Woodward, J., Gld. Cst., 0v.

Pool 13: 1) BLUM, S., Met, 4v; 2) KOSER, D., GA., 3v; 3) MUELLER, P., Ind, 2v; 4) Studevant, J., Gld. Cst., 1v; 5) McClain, M., S. TX, 0v.

Pool 14: 1) SULLIVAN, M., Ind, 4v; 2) McCRAW, C., Gld. Cst, 2v; 3) CAMPOLI, J., Fl., 2v; 4) Sharfstein, F., Gld. Cst, 1v; 5) Sweet, J., N. CA, 1v.

Pool 15: 1) MCGRAW, R., Natl, 3v; 2) BARTOS, G., Met., 2v; 3) DALEY, P., Colo., 1v; 4) St. Amand, P., ME, 0v.

Pool 16: 1) GOERING, W., Mich, 3v; 2) McDONALD, R., C. CA, 2v; 3) MOREA, F., Met, 1v; 4) Reed, R., Gld. Cst., 0v.

Pool 17: 1) NAGORNEY, F., N. OH, 3v; 2) TRAMMELL, C., L'A., 3v; 3) TISHMAN, J., NJ, 3v; 4) Segal, B., N. CA, 1v; 5) Halstead, D., Or. Cst., 0v.

Pool 18: 1) BENEDEK, M., NJ, 3v; 2) MAROTTA, J., Met, 2v, 1v; 3) MORMANDO, S., NJ, 2v, -2; 4) Danna, G., La., 2v, -3; 5) Santa Cruz, M., Colo., 1v.

Pool 19: 1) ESSIG, B., N. CA, 2v; 2) MAJTENYI, E., NJ, 2v; 3) RICHARDS, D., MD, 2v; 4) Robinson, C., TN, 0v.

Pool 20: 1) FEKETE, T., MD, 4v; 2) BARCELO, P., Wis., 3v; 3) WOO, J., Wa. DC, 2v; 4) Schwary, I., LA., 1v; 5) Brown, R., Giewy, 0v.

Pool 21: 1) DUIKA, M., S. CA, 5v; 2) PHILLIPS, J., MD, 4v; 3) POUILO, P., NE, 3v; 4) Thompson, C., Pied., 2v; 5) Conway, O., Phil., 1v; 6) McMahon, J., LI, 0v.

Pool 22: 1) MEDINA, S., C. CA, 3v; 2) MAMLOUK, M., Wa. DC, 3v; 4) VOZELLA, J., NE, 3v; 4) Hasyn, G., Phil, 3v; 2; 5) Lear, D., W. Pa., 2v; 6) Pommer, E., Colo, 1v.

Pool 23: 1) BLUM, R., Met, 4v; 2) KABIL, A., NJ, 4v; 3) PLATT, G., C. CA, 3v, 2; 4) McCormick, D., N. OH, 3v, 1; 5) Morris, P., S. TX, 1v; 6) Roller, W., Colo, 0v.

Pool 24: SIMPSON, R., C. CA, 3v; 2) GOLDBERG, D., Phil, 2v; 3) HARPER, B., Gld. Cst, 1v; 4) Fazekas, J., N. OH, 0v.

PRELIMINARY ROUND #2: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) DUIKA, Mori., 4v; 2) LARA, A., D'Asaro, 3v; 3) POTOPWICZ, SJU, 3v; 4) Pinkus, W. FC, 3v, 0; 5) Morrow,

SCH. Pk., 1v; 6) Poulos, S.R., 1v

Pool 2: 1) BARCELO, d'Armes, 5v; 2) MAXWELL, NAGORNEY, Kadar, 3v; 4) Andrews, JSJU, 2v; 5) McCraw, Un. Houston, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) MOREA, NYAC, 4v; 2) GALL, NYAC, Halb., 3v; 4) Goering, FAM, 2v; 5) Mamlouk, d'A All FC, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) RABINOVICH, FAM, 5v; 2) KABIL, N' BERG, Un. Pa., 2v, 0; 4) Vozella, TCFC, 2v, -4; 5 2v, -7; 6) Chisholm, Csisz, 1v.

Pool 5: 1) BLUM, S., NYFC, 4v; 2) MUELLEF DALEY, de Nord, 3v, 2; 4) Phillips, Palasz, 3v, -2; Medina, D'Asaro, 0v.

Pool 6: 1) REILLY, NYAC, 5v; 2) BLUM, R., NYFC Ind. U., 3v, 2; 4) Boucher, Cleve., 3v, -1; 5) Rens Spector, Wa. FC, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) LEKACH, NYAC, 4v; 2) BENEDI McDONALD, D'Asaro, 3v, 5; 4) Chew, NYFC, 3v 2v; 6) Gray, R., T. FC, 0v.

Pool 8: 1) ORBAN, NYAC, 5v; 2) BEUTEL, NYFC Free Fen, 2v, 2; 4) Marotta, FC, 2v, -1; 5) Gray, -10; 6) Richards, US NA, 1v.

Pool 9: 1) KAPLAN, NYFC, 5v; 2) SULLIVAN, 4v 4) Trammell, NOFC, 2v; 5) Reith, Alcazar, 1v; 6) F

Pool 10: 1) WESTBROOK, NYFC, 5v; 2) HOL ESSIG, 2v, 2; 4) Mormando, 2v, -6; 5) Longstre Reed, Bellaire, 0v.

Pool 11: 1) GLUCKSMAN, NYFC, 5v; 2) BART STEINMAN, FSU, 2v, -4; 4) Simpson, D'Asaro, Duned, 1v; 6) Johnsen, NOFC, 1v.

Pool 12: 1) LOSONCZY, NYAC, 5v; 2) TISHMAI GOLDBERG, Csisz, 3v; 4) Fekete, Csisz, 2v; 5) v Yokom, SWTSFC, 0v.

Preliminary Round #3: 4 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) ORBAN, 5v; 2) HOUSE, 4v; 3) BENEDI 1v, -6; 5) Steinman, 1v, -9; 6) McDonald, 1v, -1

Pool 2: 1) KAPLAN & BARTOS, 4v, 7, 15 hr; 3) F GALL, 2v, 5) Tishman, 1v, 6) Potopowicz, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) RABINOVICH, 5v; 2) MAXWELL, 4v; 3) DUIKA, 2v, 5) Essig, 1v; 6) Majtenyi, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) WESTBROOK, 5v; 2) SULLIVAN, 4v; 3) BEUTEL, 2v; 5) McGraw, 1v; 6) Mueller, N. Dar

Pool 5: 1) LOSONCZY, 5v; 2) REILLY, 4v; 3) HUFFMAN, 2v, 5) Nagorney, 1v; 6) Daley, 0v.

Pool 6: 1) GLUCKSMAN, 5v; 2) GOLDBERG, 4 BARCELO, 2v; 5) Kabil, 1v; 6) Cohen, 0v.

QUARTER-FINALS: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) ORBAN, 4v; 2) BENEDEK, 3v; 3) I Friedberg, 2v; 5) Morea, 2v; 6) Sullivan, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) WESTBROOK, 4v; 2) HOUSE, 4v; 3) R S., 2v; 5) Barcelo, 1v; 6) Lara, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) GLUCKSMAN, 5v; 2) GOLDBERG, 3v; 4) Blum, R., 2v, -3; 5) Gall, 2v, -6; 6) Duika, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) KAPLAN, 4v, 14; 2) LEKACH, 4v, 7; 3 4) Rabinovich, 2v; 5) Beutel, 1v; 6) Huffman, 1v

SEMI-FINALS

Pool 1: 1) HOUSE, 3v; 2) GLUCKSMAN, 2v, 1; 3) Westbrook, 2v, -4; 5) Losonczy, 1v, -4; 6) Golt Withdrawal.

Pool 2: 1) ORBAN, 5v; 2) LEKACH, 3v, 5; 3) M' Kaplan, 3v, -1; 5) Benedek, 1v; 6) Reilly, 0v.

FINALS

1st: Stanley LEKACH, Met., NYAC, 4v (lost 7 bc 2nd: Alex ORBAN, Met., NYAC, 3v, 6 (lost 3 bo 3rd: Edgar HOUSE, Met., NYAC, 3v, 5 (lost 6 b 4th: Joel GLUCKSMAN, Met, NYFC, 2v, -3 (lost 5 5th: George BARTOS, Met, NYAC, 2v, -7 (lost 11 6th: Rick MAXWELL, Phila., Csiszar, 1v (lost 10



WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL FOIL

(174 Entered) (8 No Shows, Net 166)

Preliminary Round 1: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) ARMSTRONG, S., NJ, 4v; 2) LINK, L., C.F.L., 3v; 3) RECKLING, D., Wstch, 2v; 4) Yelton, T., G.Cst., 1v; 5) Felly, L., Ky, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) BADDERS, Or.Cst., 3v; 2) FAULK, Ga., 2v; 3) NOE, N.TX., 1v; 4) Rattenree, LA, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) FRANKE, Met, 4v; 2) SZABUNIA, Phil, 2v; 3) EILER, S.J., 2v; 4) Haney, M., Col, 2v; 5) Thayer, E., Ky, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) D'ASARO, C.C.A., 4v; 2) HIGGINS, G.Cst, 3v; 3) KAYLER, Phil, 2v; 4) Parrish, J., MD, 1v; 5) Mullins, P., Fl. Gate, 0v.

Pool 5: 1) ANGELAKIS, J., NE, 4v; 2) CLARK, C.C.A., 3v; 3) EBELKE, R., Gate, 2v; 4) Beirm, L., Minn., 1v; 5) Thompson, K., C.F.L., 0v.

Pool 6: 1) JOHNSON, S., C.C.A., 3v; 2) SMITH, J., Harris., 2v; 3) TODD, B., W.NY., 1v; 4) Halberstadt, A., MD, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) FARKAS, I., C.C.A., 4v; 2) HARRINGTON, G., LI, 2v, 3; 3) PASCHADAG, W., Harris, 2v, 4; 4) Copeland, M., ILL, 1v; 5) Scran-ton, S.C.A., 1v.

Pool 8: 1) SENSER, V., C.C.A., 4v; 2) ESTVANIK, E., NE, 3v; 3) BOSCO, C., CT, 2v; 4) Des Georges, J., OR, 1v; 5) Rowell, L., MD, 0v.

Pool 9: 1) WAPLES, D., OR, 3v; 2) DEPKEN, D., PA, 2v; 3) GIL-LHAM, M., Wisc., 2v; 4) Newman, S., LI, 0v.

Pool 10: 1) BURTON, T., LI, 3v; 2) BAKER, C., OR, 2v; 3) RUSSELL, A., NJ, 1v; 4) McRae, E., C.F.L., 0v.

Pool 11: 1) MASKAL, NJ, 4v; 2) BROWN, S., OR, 3v; 3) ROBERTS, J.G., Cst, 2v; 4) Large, J.A., 1v; 5) Hollingsworth, Mich, 0v.

Pool 12: 1) GROMPONE, E., NJ, 4v; 2) SOBEL, L., PA, 3v; 3) KNOBLACH, D., N. Car., 2v; 4) Oppenheimer, K., FL Gate., 1v; 5) McClain, W., S.TX., 0v.

Pool 13: 1) ACKERMAN, L., N. Car., 4v; 2) DEBIASE, S., Met., 3v; 3) VIENNA, L., N.J., 2v; 4) Hamilton, E., LA, 1v; 5) Strake, C., St.Lou, 0v.

Pool 14: 1) POSTHUMUS, S., N.C.A., 4v; 2) NAGY, M., NJ, 3v; 3) McCLELLAN, C., NE, 2v; 4) Cull, J., GuCst., 1v; 5) Embry, R., Kan, 0v.

Pool 15: 1) MASSIALA, C., C.C.A., 4v; 2) JURSIK, C., Harris., 3v; 3) HOWARD, J., N. Oh, 2v; 4) Kronenfeld, K., N. Car., 1v; 5) Pickett, D., VA, 0v.

Pool 16: 1) BASINGER, D., Pied, 4v; 2) MITCHELL, M., S.C.A., 3v; 3) BAUMGART, G., Colo., 2v; 4) Stoneking, N., Ind, 1v; 5) Weisz, H., GA, 0v.

Pool 17: 1) MARCY, S., Met., 4v; 2) KRISTO-NAGY, E., NJ, 3v; 3) ROSSI, P., ME, 2v; 4) Asmussen, H., Minn., 1v; 5) Blinderman, R., GuCst., 0v.

Pool 18: 1) BENJAMIN, C., Wa.DC., 3v; 2) OSBORN, S., OR, 2v; 3) BARTUSKA, K., PA, 1v; 4) Turney, E., N.C.A., 0v.

Pool 19: 1) ELLINGSON, J., S.C.A., 4v; 2) EMERY, S., Phil., 4v; 3) SCAFA, R., N.C.A., 3v; 4) Gericke, L., Mich, 3v; 0; 5) Frank, D.W.NY., 1v; 6) Winston, S., Kans, 0v.

Pool 20: 1) FOOTER, S., S.C.A., 4v; 2) CARTER, C., Wa.DC., 4v; 3) SHERIDIAN, P., NJ, 4v; 4) Springhorm, M., Ill, 2v; 5) LaCoste, P., LA, 1v; 6) Nagorney, S., N. Oh, 0v.

Pool 21: 1) BILODEAUX, R., W.NY., 5v; 2) CARNEY, D., VA, 4v; 3) SHAMIR, S., Met., 3v; 4) Schneider, E., Wash., 2v; 5) Hendrickson, V., Ill., 1v; 6) Lapeyre, D., MD, 0v.

Pool 22: 1) FAULKNER, J., Met, 5v; 2) CINOTTI, D., NJ, 4v; 3) VEECK, S., N.C.A., 3v; 4) Alexander, K., Go.Cst., 2v; 5) Aliberti, E., S.C.A., 1v; 6) Hoefler, B., SWOH, 0v.

Pool 23: 1) HYDEL, N., Mich, 4v; 2) KOLOS, E., N.C.A., 3v; 3) THERIAULT, D., W.PA., 3v; 4) Culshaw, P., Go.Cst., 2v; 5) Stanley, S., N. Car., 2v; 6) Gregory, D., LA, 1v.

Pool 24: 1) ORGAIN, D., MET, 5v; 2) ORLY, E., Wash.DC., 4v; 3) FLORIO, P., NJ, 3v; 4) George, D., N. Oh, 2v; 5) Lansford, M., Ind, 1v; 6) Parker, C., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 25: 1) VOLKHOMMER, L., NJ, 4v; 2) LATHAM, N., Met, 3v; 3) CONTE, M., S.C.A., 2v; 4) Cummings, W., Wa.DC., 1v; 5) Tarascio, C., Colo., 0v.

Pool 26: 1) ANNAVEDDER, M., Met, 5v; 2) NELSEN, S., Kans., 3v; 3) BIRNBAUM, N., Wisc, 3v; 4) Tavares, D., NJ, 2v; 5) Diliman, P., GuCst., 1v; 6) Noya, M., Go.Cst., 1v.

Pool 27: 1) KONECNY, H., C.C.A., 4v; 2) BLEAMASTER, V., Natl, 4v; 3) MANDY, I., Met., 3v; 4) Amos, C., Mich., 2v; 5) Batts, N., Go.Cst., 2v; 6) Plummer, D., VA, 0v.

Pool 28: 1) WALTERS, A., S.TX., 4v; 2) PERRY, S., Tenn., 3v; 3) BRODKEY, C., Wa.DC., 2v; 4) Miles, W., Phila., 1v; 5) Salterio, C., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 29: 1) FEKETE, E., GU.Cst., 4v; 2) LITTMAN, J., Colo., 4v; 3) METKUS, A., S.C.A., 2v, 0, 18 hr 4) Symick, M., Phila., 2v, 0, 21 hr, 5) Hudson, V., Go.Cst., 2v; 6) Roseman, M., NJ, 1v.

Pool 30: 1) GIRARD, L., Wisc., 4v; 2) KLINGER, A., ILL, 4v; 3) LEIGH, B., N.C.A., 3v; 7; 4) Gerena, S., Met, 3v; 6; 5) Stevens, MJ, S.C.A., 1v; 6) Aquavia, C., Westch., 0v.

Pool 31: 1) LOUIE, C., N.C.A., 4v; 2) INGRAM, E., CT, 4v; 3) DENAME, J., N.TX., 3v; 4) Piester, C., W.NY., 2v; 5) Sapulski, J., Mich, 2v; 6) Irwin, S., N. Oh, 0v.

Pool 32: 1) GOLDTHWAITE, L., N.TX., 5v; 2) ROBERTSON, D., Or.Cst., 3v; 3) MENKE, J., Wisc, 3v; 4) Hoadley, D., CT, 2v; 5) Turkel, A., Phila, 2v; 6) Gavin, S., Minn., 0v.

Preliminary Round #2: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) FEKETE, HstonFC, 4v; 2) ORGAIN, Horzons4, 3v, 5; 3) SHAMIR, NYFC, 3v, 3; 4) Hyde, FAM, 3v, 2; 5) Gilham Madison, 2v; 6) DeName, IF&CS, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) INGRAM, de Lion, 5v; 2) CINOTTI, Brook, 4v; 3) WALTERS, IF&CS, 3v; 4) Kolos, Pann, 2v, 5) todd, Corrieli, 1v; 6) Leigh, Halb., 0v.

Pool 3: 1) D'ASARO, D'Asaro, 5v; 2) LOUIE, Halb., 3v; 3) FLORIO, HAAC, 3v; 4) Orly, Pann, 2v; 5) Mandy, NYU, 2v; 6) Noe, Tx-Christ, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) RUSSELL, Un, 5v; 2) FRANKE, Csisz, 4v; 3) CARTER, d'Armes, 2v, 2; 4) Robertson, LAAC, 2v, -5; 5) Foote, LAAC, 1v; 6) Neisen, Omaha, 1v.

Pool 5: 1) ANGELAKIS, TCFC, 5v; 2) KONECNY, D'Asaro, 4v; 3) BARTUSKA, Csisz, 3v; 4) Veeck, Pann, 2v, 5) Girard, Madison, 1v; 6) Faulk, Ga So., 0v.

Pool 6: 1) BILODEAUX, Cornell, 4v; 2) SCAFA, Penn., 2v, 3) OSBORN, Auriol, 3, 3v; 4) Emery, Csisz, 3v, 0; 5) Metkus, LAAC, 2v; 6) Corney, V., VA, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) POSTHUMUS, Halb., 4v; 2) ELLINGSON, LAAC, 3v; 3) ROBERTS, J. Hosp., 2v, 1; 4) Theriault, Schenley, 2v, -4; 5) Sheridan, Orsi, 2v, -4; 6) Baker, Auriol, 2v,-6.

Pool 8: 1) SENSER, D'Asaro, 4v; 2) MASKAL, Santelli, 4v; 3) BLEAMASTER, d'Escrire, 3v; 4) Smith, PSU, 2v; 5) Birnbaum, Un, Wisc., 1v; 6) Brodkey, WFC, 1v.

Pool 9: 1) ARMSTRONG, Santelli, 5v; 2) MARCY, NYFC, 3v; 3) HARRINGTON, St Johns, 3v; 4) Pascheadag, PSU, 2v; 5) Klinger, Chic FC, 6) Clark, D'Asaro, 1v.

Pool 10: 1) LITTMANN, Un, Colo, FC, 4v; 2) STARKS-FAULKNER, Csisz., 4v; 3) ACKERMAN, NCSU, 4v; 4) Depken, Temple, 1v; 5) Menke, Un, Wisc., 1v; 6) Ebelke, Fl, Fencers, 1v.

Pool 11: 1) JOHNSON, D'Asaro, 5v; 2) BROWN, Auriol, 3v; 3) ANNAVEDDER, NYFC, 3v; 4) Eiler, Bosco, 2v; 5) Szabunia, Un, PA, 2v; 6) Mitchell, West End, 0v.

Pool 12: 1) GOLDTHWAITE, IF&CS, 4v; 2) KNOBLACH, NO.Car.St., 4v; 3) JURSIK, PSU, 4v; 4) Nagy, FCHRC, 2v; 5) Burton, Huntington, 1v; 6) Baumgart, De Nord, 0v.

Pool 13: 1) BADDERS, Un, 6) Baumgart, De Nord, 0v.

Pool 14: 1) FARKAS, D'Asaro, 5v; 2) WAPLES, Auriol, 4v; 3) ESTVANIK, TCFC, 3v; 4) Perry, Nashville, 2v; 5) Bosco, du Lion, 1v; 6) Howard, New OrL., 0v.

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Pool 15: 1) LATHAM, Un, 3v, 7; 2) KAYLER, Un, Pa., 3v, 4; 3) BENJAMIN, d'Armes, 3v, 1; 4) Basinger, SCGA, 3v,-1; 5) Conte, LAAC, 2v; 6) Kristo-Nagy, FCHRC, 1v.

Pool 16: 1) DEBIASE, Csisz, 4v; 2) HIGGINS, FIU, 4v; 3) MASSIALA, Pann, 3v, 7; 4) Volkhommer, Brook., 3v, 5; 5) Reckling, Westch, FC, 1v; 6) Rossi, Un, Orono, 0v.

Preliminary Round #3: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) FRANKE, 5v; 2) D'ASARO, 4v; 3) JOHNSON, 3v; 4) Ingram, 2v; 5) Maskal, 1v; 6) Waples, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) GROMPONE, 4v; 2) POSTHUMUS, 3v, 8; 3) JOHNSON, 3v, 2; 4) Biodeaux, 3v, 0; 5) Carter, 1v; 6) Bartuska, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) D'ASARO, 5v; 2) KONECNY, 4v; 3) DEBIASE, 2v, 0; 4) Shamir, 2v, -5; 5) Knoblach, 2v, -10; 6) Brown, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) ELLINGSON, 5v; 2) CINOTTI, 4v; 3) INGRAM, 3v; 4) Harrington, 2v; 5) Scafa, 1v; 6) Higgins, 0v.

Pool 5: 1) FAULKNER, 5v; 2) ARMSTRONG, 3v; 3) BLEAMASTER, 3v; 4) Walters, 2v; 5) McClellan, 1v; 6) Fekete, 1v.

Pool 6: 1) BADDERS, 4v; 2) LOUIE, 4v; 3) WAPLES, 3v, 5; 4) Ackerman, 3v, -2; 5) Estvanik, 1v; 6) Annavedder, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) MASKAL, 4v; 2) FARKAS, 3v; 3) MASSIALA, 3v; 6; 4) Littman, 3v, 3; 5) Marcy, 2v; 6) Osborn, 0v.

Pool 8: 1) RUSSELL, 4v; 2) LATHAM, 3v, 5; 3) SENSER, 3v, 2; 4) Jursik, 3v, 0; 5) Benjamin, 1v; 6) Florio, 1v.

Quarter-Finals: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) D'ASARO 5v; 2) ARMSTRONG, 4v; 3) WAPLES, 3v; 4) Grompone, 2v; 5) DeBiase, 1v; 6) Louie, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) MASKAL, 4v; 2) CINOTTI, 4v; 3) ELLINGSON, 3v; 4) Goldthwaite, 2v; 5) Konecny, 1v; 6) Lathan, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) RUSSELL, 5v; 2) INGRAM, 4v; 3) JOHNSON, 2v; 4) Faulkner, 2v, 1; 5) Massiala, 2v, -3; 6) Bleamaster, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) SENSER, 4v; 2) FRANKE, 3v; 3) FARKAS, 3v; 4) Bad-ders, 2v; 5) Kaylor, 2v; 6) Posthumus, 1v.

Semi-Finals: 2 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) FRANKE, 5v; 2) D'ASARO, 4v; 3) Ingram, 2v; 5) Maskal, 1v; 6) Waples, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) SENSER, 4v; 2) RUSSELL, 3v; 3) Ellingson, 2v; 5) Cinotti, 2v; 6) Armstrong, 1v.

Finals

1st: Gay D'ASARO, S. D'Asaro, 5v. (Lost one br of 29 bouts).

2nd: Nikki FRANKE, Csiszar, 3v, 2. (Lost 6 bout

3rd: Iza FARKAS, S. D'Asaro, 3v, -2. (lost 8 b

4th: Stacey JOHNSON, S. D'Asaro, 2v, 1. (Lo

5th: Vincent SENSER, S. D'Asaro, 2v, -5. (Lo

6th: Ann RUSSELL, Unatt., 0v. (Lost 10 out o

(198 Entered; 15 No Shows)

MEN'S FOIL INDIVIDUAL CHAM

(198 Entered; 15 No Shows)

Preliminary Round #1: 3 Qualify from each p

Pool 1: 1) MARX, M., Oreg., 5v; 2) SEIGEL, O'MALLEY, M., CT, 2v; 2; 4) LeBlanc, G., S.C.A., T., Go.Cst., 2v, -6; 6) Churyko, J., Colo., 0v.

Pool 2: 1) FREEMAN, J., Wa.DC., 3v; 2) CHLARS 3) BERGMAN, P., Phila, 1v; 4) Dinces, F., Cen

Pool 3: 1) HAMBARZUMIAN, H., N.C.A., 5v; 2) Pi 3) KAN, V., WA.DC., 2v, -2; 4) Boucher, W., NO;

Pool 4: 1) NONNA, J., Met., 4v; 2) McGRAW PRYOR, T., C.C.A., 2v; 4) Daley, P., Colo., 1v; 5) (

Pool 5: 1) DONOFRIO, E., WA.DC., 5v; 2) MYRDI BERGE, D., S.C.A., 3v; 4) Holbron, M., S. Jers.,

MEN'S INDIVIDUAL FOIL cont.

E., W.VA 1v: 6) Franklin, P., ME, 0v

Pool 6: 1) LANG, M., Met., 4v; 2) BUKANTZ, J., Westch., 3v; 3) JARDINI, M., Oreg., 2v; 4) Roller, W., Colo., 1v; 5) Santos, I., C.F.L., 0v.

Pool 7: 1) FRIEDMAN, T., Met., 3v; 2) COHEN, J., IND., 1v; 3) SHAMASH, J., N.C.A., 1v; 4) Coats, C., NE, 0v.

Pool 8: 1) BIEBEL, J., Wisc., 4v; 2) MESSING, A., Met., 3v; 7) 3) LATEGANO, F., La., 3v; 4) Leach, A., W.N.Y., 3v; -2: 5) Bauer, G., ME, 2v; 6) Kaufman, S., N.C.A., 0v.

Pool 9: 1) GROSS, S., WA.DC., 4v; 2) WRIGHT, E., Met., 4v; 3) MANZANO, J., N.C.A., 3v; 6) 4) Berman, S., ME, 3v; -1: 5) Koetting, D., LA., 1v; 6) Rudolph, H., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 10: 1) THOMAS, B., S.C.A., 5v; 2) McNAMARA, E., LI, 3v; 3) WILLIAMS, W., NJ, 3v; 4) Barrera, O., S.TX, 2v; 5) Johnson, G., Pied., 1v; 6) Settles, H., Met., 1v.

Pool 11: 1) COHEN, N., Met., 5v; 2) DUIKA, M., S.C.A., 3v; 3) ROBINSON, C., Tenn., 3v; 4) Schaefer, Z., Wisc., 1v; 5) Kinter, B., NJ, 1v; 6) Yokom, V., S.TX, 1v.

Pool 12: 1) MASSIALAS, G., C.C.A., 5v; 2) LANSFORD, T., Ind., 3v; 3) BRODETH, J., LI, 3v; 4) Koester, K., Ill., 2v; 5) Miller, C., So. J., 2v; 6) Zelkowsky, J., Mich., 0v.

Pool 13: 1) GERARD, P., Ill., 5v; 2) MELCHER, J., Met., 3v; 3) BOSCO, A., CT, 3v; 4) Haselkorn, M., Mich., 2v; 5) St. Armand, K., ME, 1v; 6) Seaton, P., C.C.A., 1v.

Pool 14: 1) ASHLEY, P., N.C.A., 5v; 2) SULLIVAN, M., Ind., 3v; 6) 3) QUAKENBUSH, C., S.C.A., 3v; 2: 4) Krusac, M., Mich., 3v; 0: 5) Lerner, H., LI, 1v; 6) Studevant, J., GO.Cst., 0v.

Pool 15: 1) TICHACEK, J., Phila., 4v; 2) ST. CLAIR, A., S.C.A., 4v; 3) URIBE, C., C.C.A., 3v; 2: 4) Frazzini, R., Minn., 3v; 1: 5) Miller, D., Oreg., 1v; 6) Wells, D., Colo., 0v.

Pool 16: 1) McCAHEY, M., Ind., 5v; 2) FLINT, J., So. J., 4v; 3) PLATT, G., C.C.A., 2v; 1: 4) Spada, C., Or.Cst., 2v; -3: 5) Van de Motter, P., N.Oh., 2v; -7: 6) Raffey, T., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 17: 1) WOLFSON, R., Phila., 5v; 2) BLAKLEY, D., N.TX, 4v; 3) MARTINO, P., NJ, 3v; 4) Vidor, R., N.C.A., 2v; 5) Zighby, D., Westch., 1v; 6) Stevens, K., La., 0v.

Pool 18: 1) HARRIS, M., W.Pa., 4v; 2) JUGAN, B., N.C.A., 2v; 4) 3) SCHAFFER, L., Colo., 2v; -2: 4) Auricchio, M., LI, 2v; -5: 5) Faulkner, M., St. Lou., 0v.

Pool 19: 1) KRAUSE, W., Met., 4v; 2) BROWN, R., Gtewy, 3v; 3) EASTWOOD, S., ME., 2v; 4) Morrison, P., Ill., 0v.

Pool 20: 1) HERRING, J., Met., 4v; 2) WHEELER, W., Wa.DC., 4v; 3) CUMMINGS, C., C.C.A., 3v; 7, 4) Nonomura, G., 3v; 3: 5) Dabbs, J., Ala., 1v; 6) Medley, R., Ga., 0v.

Pool 21: DALE, M., N.C.A., 4v; 2) PINTO, F., NJ, 3) NAGORNEY, F., N.Oh., 2v; 4) Crosslin, D., Colo., 1v; 5) Hightower, J., Gu.Cst., 0v.

Pool 22: 1) MANNINO, V., LI, 5v; 2) MARAZZO, D., C.C.A., 3v; 3) SANTA, CRUZ, M., Colo., 3v; 4) Des Georges, P., Oreg., 2v; 5) Storm, L., Minn., 2v; 6) Reveles, S., Or.Cst., 0v.

Pool 23: 1) MATHIS, P., NJ, 4v; 2) McCORMICK, D., OH., 4v; 3) MILLIGAN, B., MD., 3v; 4) Landers, W., W.DC., 2v; 5) Smith, K., So.J., 1v; 6) Pommer, E., Colo., 1v.

Pool 24: 1) POYD, K., Wa.DC., 5v; 2) SOSMAN, E., MD., 4v; 3) SHIPMAN, W., Pied., 2v; -2: 4) Stark, J., N.Mex., 2v; -7: 5) Toly, T., Oreg., 1v; 6) Canvin, J., NJ, 1v.

Pool 25: 1) SMITH, M., NE, 4v; 2) STEINMAN, J., Gtewy, 3v; 3) FORREST, M., Go.Cst., 2v; 4) Dupierata, H., LI, 1v; 5) Von Segreen, G., C.F.L., 0v.

Pool 26: 1) PRIETO, I., Colo., 4v; 2) BARCELO, P., Wisc., 3v; 3) MELOT, M., Wa.DC., 2v; 4) Faikenberg, R., Go.CST., 1v; 5) Thompson, C., Pied., 0v.

Pool 27: 1) REITH, W., N.Oh., 4v; 2) GELNAW, W., N.Car., 3v; 3) WRIGHT, J., Colo., 2v; 4) Tindal, W., Pied., 1v; 5) Eaton, W., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 28: 1) CRABLE, A., S.C.A., 3v; 2) HALSTEAD, D., Or.Cst., 3v; 3) EDWARDS, J., Ga., 2v; 4, 4) Hodgo, A., Pied., 2v; -3: 5) DuBose, J., Gu.Cst., 0v.

Pool 29: 1) CAMPBELL, N., Phila., 5v; 2) PANTEL, R., NJ, 3v; 3) MORROW, W., W.Pa., 3v; 4) Curn, R., Gu.Cst., 2v; 5) Wheelless, S., Colo., 2v; 6) Goshorn, E., S.C.A., 0v.

Pool 30: 1) AVILES, NE, 4v; 2) FIDUCIA, G., SO.J., 2v; 3) 3) FRAZZINI, K., Minn., 2v; 1, 14 hr; 4) Green, G., Md., 2v; 1, 16hr; 5) Matela, R., Go.Cst., 0v.

Pool 31: 1) MUELLER, G., Ind., 4v; 2) GROSS, M., Ga., 3v; 3) RAINFORD, D., Met., 1v; -2: 4) Kjellander, B., Me., 1v; -3: 5) Nelson, G., S.TX, 1v; -7.

Pool 32: 1) BLAYNEY, D., N.C.A., 4v; 2) CSETE, Z., Mich., 4v; 3) BENNETT, P., Met., 4v; 4) Vandenberg, S., Wisc., 2v; 5) Blumberg, T., C.F.L., 1v; 6) Smith, L., S.TX, 0v.

Preliminary Round #2: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) BIEBEL, d'Armes, 5v; 2) MYRDEN, Army, 4v; 3) RAINFORD, FC, 2v; -2, 20hr; 4) Bosco, du Lion, 2v; -2, 22hr; 5) Poyd, Un. MD., 1v; 6) Duika, Mori, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) MASSIALAS, D'Asaro, 5v; 2) McNAMARA, NYAC, 3v; 3) CSETE, 3v; 4) Lategano, NOFC, 2v; 5) Bergmann, Csisz, 1v; 6) St. Clair, LAAC, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) SHAMASH, Pann., 5v; 2) MATHIS, NYFC, 4v; 3) DONOFRIO, NYAC, 3v; 4) Bennett, Santelli, 1v; 5) Pantel, Princ., 1v; 6) Uribe, D'Asaro, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) ASHLEY, Pann., 5v; 2) MARTINO, NYAC, 4v; 3) GROSS, d'Armes, 2v; -3: 4) Cohen, Ind. Un., 2v; -4: 5) McCormick, Alcas., 1v; 6) Quakenbush, Dascon, 1v.

Pool 5: 1) McCAHEY, Notre D., 5v; 2) BLAYNEY, O'Brien, 4v; 3) SHIPMAN, 2v; -2: 4) Powers, NYAC, 2v; -3: 5) Lansford, Tri-St., 2v; -10: 6) Flint, Carb., 0v.

Pool 6: 1) WOLFSON, Penn., 5; 2) KAN, D'Armes, 4v; 3) HERRING, NYAC, 3v; 4) Marazzo, 2v; 5) Morrow, Sch.Pk., 1v; 6) Wheeler, DCFC, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) TICHACEK, U. Penn., 4v; 2) SEIGEL, NYFC, 3v; 3) MANNINO, NYAC, 3v; 4) Platt, Santa Cruz, 2v; 5) Manzano, O'Brien, 2v; 6) Brodeth, LI Swords, 1v.

Pool 8: 1) WRIGHT, 4v; 2) COHEN, NYFC, 4v; 3) AVILES, S. Richards, 3v; 6: 4) Sullivan, Notre D., 3v; -6: 5) O'Malley, 1v; 6) Bengé, 0v.

Pool 9: 1) MESSING, NYTV, 4v; 2) THOMAS, LAAC, 4v; 3) MILLIGAN, Palasz, 3v; 4) Friedman, NYFC, 2v; 5) Blakley, IFCS, 2v; 6) Eastwood, Un. Mo., 0v.

Pool 10: 1) NONNA, NYFC, 5v; 2) DALE, LAMC, 4v; 3) CUMMINGS, Halberst., 3v; 4) Williams, Santelli, 2v; 5) Sosman, Palasz, 1v; 6) Schaffer, 0v.

Pool 11: 1) SMITH, MIT, 5v; 2) LANG, NYAC, 4v; 3) MELCHER, NYFC, 3v; 4) GelnaW, TFC, 2v; 5) Jardini, Auriol, 1v; 6) Santa Cruz, ACFC, 0v.

Pool 12: 1) MARX, Auriol, 5v; 2) BUKANTZ, NYFC, 4v; 3) REITH, Alcazar, 2v; 2: 4) Chlarson, LAMC, 2v; -1: 5) Wright, de Nord, 2v; -1: 6) Robinson, Veder, 0v.

Pool 13: 1) GERARD, Notre D., 5v; 2) FORREST, Eastern, 4v; 3) PRIETO, de Nord, 3v; 4) Jugan, Halberst., 2v; 5) Steinman, FSU, 1v; 6) Gross, M., Atl.FC, 0v.

Pool 14: BARCELO, de Armes, 5v; 2) CAMPBELL, Csisz, 4v; 3) EDWARDS, SCGA, 3v; 4) Pryor, UCSC, 2v; 5) Pinto, Rutgers, 1v; 6) Mueller, Notre D., 0v.

Pool 15: 1) HAMBARZUMIAN, LAMC, 5v; 2) FREEMAN, 4v; 3) HALSTEAD, San Diego, 3v; 4) Nagorney, Kadar, 2v; 5) McGraw, Freedom, 1v; 6) Frazzini, Waysalta, 0v.

Pool 16: 1) KRAUSE, NYAC, 5v; 2) HARRIS, Penn. St., 3v; 3) BROWN, FSU, 3v; 4) Crable, LAAC, 2v; 5) Meudt, Un.MD., 2v; 6) Fiducia, Csisz, 0v.

Preliminary Round #3: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) WRIGHT, 4v; 2) DONOFRIO, 4v; 3) GERARD, 4v; 4) Aviles, 2v; 5) Gross, S., 1v; 6) Blayney, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) LANG, 4v; 2) MASSIALAS, 4v; 3) HALSTEAD, 3v; 4) Tichacek, 2v; 5) Rainford, 2v; 6) Edwards, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) HERRING, 5v; 2) KRAUSE, 3v; 3) DALE, 3v; 4) Harris, 2v; 5) Messing, 2v; 6) Shipman, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) FREEMAN, 4v; 2) ASHLEY, 3v; 3) McNARAMA, 2v; 4) Reith, 1v; 5) Barcelo, 0v; 6) Myrden - withdraw due to injury without a victory

Pool 5: 1) MARX, 5v; 2) MATHIS, 4v; 3) HAMBARZUMIAN, 2v; 1: 4) Mannino, 2v; -2: 5) Martino, 2v; -2: 6) Brown, 0v.

Pool 6: 1) McCAHEY, 4v; 2) COHEN, 4v; 3) WOLFSON, 4v; 4) Melcher, 2v; 5) Campbell, 1v; 6) Prieto, 0v.

Pool 7: 1) SMITH, 4v; 2) BUKANTZ, 4v; 3) KAN, 3v; 3: 4) Csete, 3v; 1: 5) Cummings, 1v; 6) Biebel, 0v.

Pool 8: 1) NONNA, 5v; 2) SHAMASH, 4v; 3) SEIGEL, 3v; 4) Thomas, 2v; 5) Forest, 1v; 6) Milligan, 0v.

Quarter-Finals: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) NONNA, 4v; 2) DONOFRIO, 3v; 3) SMITH, 3v; 4) Hambarzumian, 2v; 5) Bukantz, 2v; 6) Ashley, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) KRAUSE, 5v; 2) MASSIALAS, 3v; 3) HERRING, 3v; 4) Wollson, 2v; 5) Wright, 2v; 6) McNamara, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) MATHIS, 4v; 2) FREEMAN, 4v; 3) LANG, 3v; 4) Gerard, 2v; 5) Halstead, 1v; 6) Dale, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) McCAHEY, 4v; 2) MARX, 4v; 3) COHEN, 3v; 4) Seigel, 2v; 5) Shamash, 2v; 6) Kan, 0v.

Semi-Finals: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) DONOFRIO, 4v; 2) LANG, 4v; 3) MATHIS, 3v; 4) Krause, 2v; 5) Marx, 2v; 6) Cohen, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) NONNA, 5v; 2) FREEMAN, 3v; 3) SMITH, 3v; 4) Massialas, 2v; 5) McCahey, 2v; 6) Herring, 0v.

FINALS

1st: Martin LANG, Met, NYAC, 4v(Fence-off w/Mathis, 5-2)

2nd: Phillip MATHIS, NJ, NYFC, 4v;

3rd: Mark SMITH, N. ENG., MIT, 3v;

4th: John NONNA, Met, NYFC, 2v;

5th: Ed DONOFRIO, Wa.DC, NYAC, 1v, -6;

6th: Burt FREEMAN, WA.DC, 1v, -8.

EPEL INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Preliminary Round # 1: 3 Qualify from Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) COX, R., N.C.A., 3v; 2) FARINACCI, G., S.TX, 3v; 3) DERVBINSKIY, LI, MET, & 4) Bergman, P., Phila., 3v, 2, 18 hr(fence-off), 5) Van De Motter, P.N. OH, 3v; 0: 6) Chervis, S., Colo., 0v.

Pool 2: 1) JOHNSON, W., N.C.A., 4v; 2) REMALY, L., NJ, 3v; 3) GALLOWAY, A., CA, 1v, -5; 4) Durrett, W., C.C.A., 1v, -7: 5) Alexander, R., Met, 1v, -10.

Pool 3: 1) KINTER, B., NJ, 5v; 2) PESTHY, P., Met, 4v; 3) SOSMAN, E., MD, 2v; 2: 4) Glennon, M., MN, 2v; -2: 5) Kellner, C., N.C.A., 2v; -5: 6) Spada, C., Or.Cst, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) SHELLY, L. NJ, 3v; 2) HASELKORN, M., Mich, 3v; 3) COATS, C., NE, 2v; 4) Pecherek, G., Ill, 1v; 5) Seaton, P., C.C.A., 1v.

Pool 5: 1) SCHIFRIN, P., C.C.A., 4v; 2) ROUTH, NAGORNEY, F., N.OH, 3v; 4) Brown, R., Gtwy, & L 2v, -1, 20 hr; 6) Burrows, S., Ind., 1v.

Pool 6: 1) FARLEY, H., NE, 4v; 2) TISHMAN, T., N.S., Wa.DC, 3v; 5: 4) Ferrell, H., S.TX, 3v; 2: 5) Chl 1v; 6) Marazzo, D., C.C.A., 0v.

Pool 7: 1) BLAKLEY, D., N.TX, 4v; 2) MROCZYK, MATTHESON, W., SWIX, 2v; 4) Weitman, R., GA, Westch., 0v.

Pool 8: 1) KOCAB, G., Mich., 4v; 2) DUIKA, M., KOESTER, K., Ill, 2v, -2: 4) Wright, J., Colo, 2v, -S.TX, 2v, -4: 6) Reveles, M., Or.Cst, 1v.

Pool 9: 1) MOREAU, J., S.TX, 4v; 2) WELLS, D., BRODY, C., Met, 3v; 3: 4) Ober, J., OR, 3v; 0: 5) 2v; 6) Terrell, P., Tenn., 0v.

Pool 10: 1) RAINFORD, D., Met., 4v; 2) FLINT, MARIN, R., S.TX, 3v; 4) Kluber, B., Gu.Cst., v;) Me 6) Shipman, W., Pied, 1v.

Pool 11: 1) SWEET, T., Wisc., 4v; 2) LANDERS, V. YARRISON, R., NE, 3v; 4) McPherson, J., S.TX, 2 OR, 2v; 6) Lehman, J., Kans., 1v.

Pool 12: 1) MASIN, G., Met, 2v; 2) WITHERS, E. POMMER, E., Colo., 1v; -3: 4) Davies, D., MD, 1

Pool 13: 1) MELCHER, J., Met., 4v; 2) DALEY, VIDOR, R., N.C.A., 2v; 4) Morris, D., S.TX 1v; 5) Ha 0v.

Pool 14: 1) VANDENBERG, S., Wisc., 5v; 2) MA JOHNSON, M., La., 2v; -3: 4) Eastwood, S., ME, 2 M., S. Jers., 1v; 6) Von Seggren, G., C.F.L., 1v.

Pool 15: 1) FRENSON, R., NJ, 4v; 2) GOSHORN MAKLER, B., N.C.A., 3v; 4) Faulkner, M., St. Lou.; B., Gu.Cst, 1v; 6) Studevant, J., Co.Cst, 0v.

Pool 16: 1) VARADI, I., S.C.A., 4v; 2) McKINLEY McCASLIN, M., S.TX, 3v; 4) Killian, T., N.C.A., 2v; 5: 1v; 6) Boucher, W., N.OH, 1v.

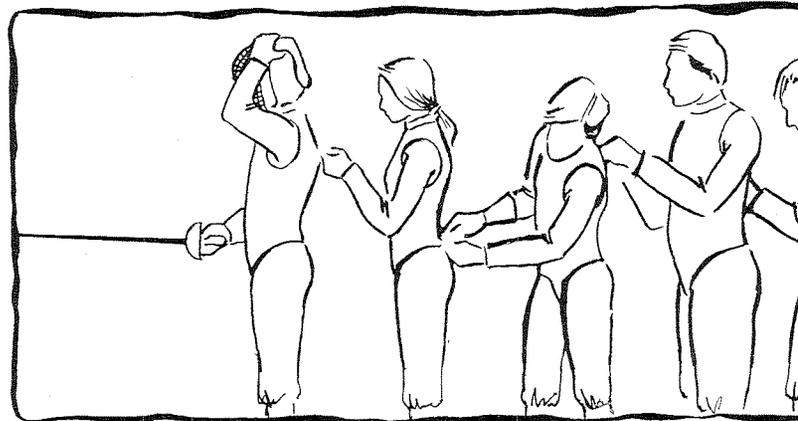
Pool 17: 1) MYRDEN, J., W.P.T., 3v; 2) GLASS, T NELSON, G., S.TX, 2v; 5; 4) Sommers, F., Wa.DC E., OR, 0v.

Pool 18: 1) SCHNEIDER, G., MD, 4v; 2) WASHIN 3) GREENWALD, O., S.TX, 3v; 9: 4) Hanson, C., Ph W., Go.Cst., 1v; 6) Dabbs, J., Ala., 0v.

Pool 19: 1) GLINESK, N., S.TX, 3v; 2) DRAGON 3v; 3) WHITE, T., Go.Cst, 2v, 0, 14 hr. 4) SEIGEL, 15 hr; 5) Mattox, N., W.N.Y., 0v.

Pool 20: 1) STORM, M., Phil., 4v; 2) NEIMAN, R., G., S.TX, 3v; 4) Steinman, J., Gtwy, 2v; 5) DePaol French, R., Go.Cst., 0v.

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Pool 21: 1) WOLOSIN, B., LI, 4v; 2) SCOTT, J., Mich, 4v; 3) STORM, L, MN, 4v; 4) DuBose, J., Gu.Cst. 2v; 5) Bickley, T., N.TX, 1v; 6) Culbreth, D., Colo, 0v.

Pool 22: 1) WEBER, W., NE, 5v; 2) WIGODSKY, D., Phila, 4v; 3) BUKANTZ, J., Westch., 3v; 4) Sweeney, D., Tenn., 2v; 5) Crosslin, D., Colo., 1v; 6) Gordon, P., Go.Cst, 0v.

Pool 23: 1) LANSFORD, T., Ind, 4v; 2) CUMMINGS, R., Wa DC, 2v; 1: 3) GELINAW, W., N.Ca., 2v; 0: 4) Legatti, H., Go.Cst. 2v. -5) Tucker, T., La., 0v.

Pool 24: 1) HURLEY, R., Gu.Cst., 3v; 2) OLIVER, W., N.CA, 3v; 3) FORREST, M., Gu.Cst., 3v; 4) Pennington, E., W.Va, 1v; 5) Brochie, W., NE, 0v.

Pool 25: 1) HUPP, R, W.NY, 5v; 2) ST-CLAIR J., S.CA, 3v; 3) CORONA, M., LI, 3v; 4) Halstead, D., Or.Cst, 2v; 5) Caromes, T., Met, 2v; 6) Blumberg, T., C.FI., 0v.

Pool 26: 1) PETERS, A., Gu.Cst., & PRIETO, I., Colo., 4v, 8, 16 hr.; 3) RADER, R., Wa.DC, 3v; 4) Cohen, J., Ind., 2v; 5) DeLaney, J., N.Ca, 1v; 6) White, T., Gt.wy, 1v.

Pool 27: 1) REITH, W., N.OH, 4v; 2) HARRIS, M., W.PA, 4v; 3) MESSING, A., Met, 2v; 2: 4) Miller, C., S. Jers., 2v, 0: 5) Stewart, T., C.FI, 2v, -4: 6) Kjellander, B., ME, 0v.

Pool 28: 1) SMITH, K., S. Jers., 3v; 4: 2) McMAHAN, R., Phil., 3v; 3: 3) LYNN, D., Met, 3v; 2: 4) Jordan, J., Ala., 3v; -1: 5) Carver, R., N.TX, 2v; 6) Larred, R., Go.Cst., 1v.

Preliminary Round #2: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) JOHNSON, LAMC, 5v; 2) LANDERS, DCFC, 4v; 3) McCASLIN, SWTSU, 3v; 4) Storm, MplsFC, 1v; 5) Goshor, LAAC, 1v; 6) Galloway, Atl.FC., 0v.

Pool 2: 1) MAKLER, Pann., 5v; 2) TISHMAN, NYFC, 3v; 3) BOZEK, TCFC, 3v; 4) McKinley, Un.PA, 2v; 5) Kinter, Csisz., 1v; 6) Pommer, deNord, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) SMITH, Cumb., 5v; 2) HARRIS, Penn.St., 3v; 3) WEBER, TCFC, 2v; -3: 4) Brody, NYFC, 2v; -4: 5) Withers, Mod.Pent., 2v; -6: 6) Varadi, Mori, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) COX, Halber., 4v; 2) VANDENBERG, 4v; 3) SCOTT, FAM, 3v; 4) Farinacci, SAFS, 2v; 5) Johnson, NOFC, 2v; 6) Sweet, d Armes, 0v.

Pool 5: 1) LOSEY, Mod Pent., 4v; 2) McMAHAN, Csisz., 4v; 3) WASHINGTON, 3v; 4) Melcher, NYFC, 1v; 5) Hurley, Sebast., 1v; 6) Koester, Chic FC, 1v.

Pool 6: 1) SHELLEY Orsi, 4v; 2) LYNN, NYAC, 4v; 3) MESSING, Turnv., 2v; -5: 4) St. Clair, LAAC, 2v; -6: 5) Prieto, de Nord, 2v; -6: 6) Lansford, Tri State, 1v.

Pool 7: 1) DERVBINSKIY, NYU, 5v; 2) DUICA, Mori, 3v; 3) PETERS, Sebast., 2v, 1: 4) Flint, CRV, 2v, 0: 5) Glesnek, Mod.Pent., 2v; -7: 6) Blakley, IFCS, 1v.

Pool 8: 1) PESTHY, NYAC, 4v; 2) YARRISON, S. Richards, 4v; 3) DRAGONETTI, Un.PA, 3v; 4) Hupp, Am.Aca., 2v; 5) Vidori, Dominican, 1v; 6) Bukantz, NYFC, 0v.

Pool 9: 1) FARLEY, S. Richards, 4v; 2) OLIVER, LAMC, 4v; 3) SOGMAN, Palasz, 3v; 3: 4) Gelnav, 3v; 1: 5) Wells, de Nord, 1v; 6) Rainford, NYFC, 0v.

Pool 10: 1) MARX, Auriol, 5v; 2) DALEY, de Nord, 3v; 3) WOLOSIN, NYU, 3v; 4) Storm, Un. Pa., 2v; 5) White, Ft. Laud., 1v; 6) Routh, SAFC, 1v.

Pool 11: 1) NEIMAN, 4v; 2) GREENWALD, Mod. Pent., 4v; 3) WIGODSKY, Csisz., 2v, 0: 4) Hasekanti, Ann.Arb., 2v; -2: 5) Cummings, Orsi, 2v; -2: 6) Rader, DCFC, 1v.

Pool 12: 1) MASIN, NYAC, 5v; 2) SCHIFRIN, D'Asaro, 3v; 7: 3) MARIN, Alamo FC, 3v; 6: 4) Remaly, HAAC, 3v; 1: 5) Coats, S. Richards, 1v; 6) Schneider, Palasz, 0v.

Pool 13: 1) MYRDEN, US. Army, 4v; 2) GLASS, Sebast., 3v; 3) KOCAB, Dearborn, 3v; 4) Matheson, 2v; 5) Frenson, NYAC, 2v; 6) Nagornay, Kadar, 1v.

Pool 14: 1) MOREAU, Alamo FC, 5v; 2) FORREST, EAL, 4v; 3) NELSON, San Ant., 3v; 4) Reith, Alcazar, 2v; 5) Corona, Cent.HS, 1v; 6) Mroyczk, FAM, 0v.

Preliminary Round #3: 4 Qualify from each Pool

Pool 1: 1) SCHIFRIN, 5v; 2) PESTHY, 4v; 3) MAKLER, 4v; 4) MARIN, 3v; 5) Harris, 2v; 6) Lynn, 1v; 7) Kocab, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) GLASS, 6v; 2) LOSEY, 4v; 3) McCASLIN, 3v; 4) MARX, 3v; 5) Washington, 2v; 6) Cox, 2v; 7) Nelson, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) NEIMAN, 5v; 2) BOZEK, 5v; 3) FORREST, 3v; 4) GREENWALD, 2v; -3, 24 hr; 5) Masin, 2v; -3, 26 hr; 6) Messing, 2v; -8: 7) Dragonetti, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) MOREAU, 5v; 2) FARLEY, 4v; 3) SCOTT, 3v; 4: 4) VANDENBERG, 3v; -1: 5) Peters, 3v; -4: 6) Yarrison, 2v; 7) Tishman, 0v.

Pool 5: 1) DUICA, 6v; 2) WIGODSKY, 5v; 3) SHELLEY, 4v; 4) SMITH, 2v; -7, 24 hr; 5) Oliver, 2v; -7, 27 hr; 6) McMahan, 1v; 7) Sosman, 1v.

Pool 6: 1) DERVBINSKIY, 5v; 2) JOHNSON, 4v; 3) MYRDEN: 3v; 4) DALEY, 3v; 5) Weber, 2v; 6) Landers, 1v; 7) Wolosin, 0v.

Quarter-Finals: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) SHELLEY, 4v; 2) BOZEK 3v; 3) McCASLIN, 3v; 4) Duika, 2v; 5) Scott, 2v; 6) Smith 1v.

Pool 2: 1) DERVBINSKIY, 5v; 2) LOSEY, 3v; 3) DALEY, 3v; 4) Greenwald, 2v; 5) Glass 1v; 6) Myrden, 1v.

Pool 3: 1) PESTY, 3v; 2) FARLEY, 3v; 3) SCHIFRIN, 3v; 4) Moreau, 2v; 5) Vandenberg, 2v; 6) Forrest 1v.

Pool 4: 1) JOHNSON, 5v; 2) MAKLER, 3v; 3) WIGODSKY, 3v; 4) Neiman, 2v; 5) Marx, 2v; 6) Marin, 0v.

Semi-Finals

Pool 1: 1) PESTHY, 3v; 7: 2) LOSEY, 3v; 5: 3) SCHIFRIN, 3v; 2: 4) Paley, 3v; -1: 5) Johnson, 1v; 6) Farley, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) BOZEK, 4v; 2) MAKLER, 3v; 3) SHELLEY, 3v; 4) McCaslin, 2v; 5) Dervbinskiy, 1v; 6) Wigodsky, 1v.

Finals:

1st: Brooke MAKLER, N. Calif., Pannonia, 3v(fence-off, 4/0),

2nd: Peter SCHIFRIN, C. Calif., Salle D'Asaro, 3v(f.o., 1/2, 3)

3rd: Lee SHELLEY, N. Jersey, Salle Orsi, 3v(f.o., 1/2, 1)

4th: Scott BOZEK, D.C. TCFC 3v(f.o., 0/3)

5th: Paul PESTHY, Met, NYAC 1v, -5

6th: Greg LOSEY, ILL, Mad Pent, 1v, -11

MEN'S FOIL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

(24 Teams, 1 No Show)

PRELIMINARY ROUND - 2 Teams Qualify from Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) **Fencers Club**(Met) def. Un. Me. S.R. 2) **Univ. Maine** def. S.R. 3) Salle Richards(NE - Coats, Aviles, Poulos)

Pool 2: 1) **Nyac**(Met) def. L.T. Sw. 2) **Long Island Swordsmen**(LI)

Pool 3: 1) **Notre Dame**(IND) def. Palasz, NOFC 2) **S. Palasz**(MD) def. NOFC 3) New Orleans FC (LA-Danna, Johnson, Lategano, Stevens)

Pool 4: 1) **Letterman**(N.CA) def. de Nord, FAU 2) **Salle de Nord**(Colo) def. FAU 3) Florida Atlantic Univ. (Gold Cst - Quakenbush, Raffley, Rudolph)

Pool 5: 1) **Pannonia AC**(N.CA) def. Alcaz., SCGA 2) **Alcazar FC**(N.OH) def. SCGA 3) SCGA, Border (Pied - Edwards, Thompson, Tindall)

Pool 6: 1) **Csisz-Penn**(Phila) def. O'Brien, FL F. 2) **Salle O'Brien**(N.CA) def. FL F 3) Florida Fencers(Gteway-Fisher, Shultz, white)

Pool 7: 1) **Salle Auriol**(Oreg) def. Halber., SW TX 2) **Halberstadt**(N.CA) def. SW TX 3) Southwest Texas State (S.TX) (Barrera, McClain, Morris, Smith)

Pool 8: 1) **S. D'Asaro**(C.CA) def. Mori, Ft. Ld. 2) **Mori Fencing Aca.** (S.CA.) def. FT. Ld. 3) Fort Lauderdale FC (Gold Cst- Falkenberg, French, Legatt)



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MEN'S FOIL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 16

1) Fencers Club def. L.I. Swds, 5-0 (Brodeth, Lerner, McMahon) 2) S. D'Asaro def. Halberstadt, 5-4 (Handelman, Manzan, McGraw) 3) Pannonia def. O'Brien, 5-3 (Blaney, Kaufman, Manzano, Nonomura) 4) Letterman def. S. Palasz, 5-2 (Green, Milligan, Surman) 5) Notre Dame def. S. de Nord, 5-0 (Cheris, Daly, Prieto) 6) Csiszar-Penn def. Alcazar, 5-0 (Fazekas, McCormick, Reith, Van de Motter) 7) S. Auriol def. Mori, 5-2 (Duika, Halstead, LeBlanc) 8) New York AC def. Univ. Maine, 5-0 (Bauer, Berman, Eastwood)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 8

1) NYFC def. D'Asaro, 5-4 (Massiatis, Schifrin, Uribe) 2) Pannonia def. LAMC, 5-2 (Dale, Esponda, Hambarzumian) 3) Notre Dame def. Csisz-Penn, 5-4 (Campbell, Tichacek, Wolfson) 4) New York AC def. Auriol, 5-3 (Marx, M & R, DesGeorges, Jardini)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 4

1) Pannonia def. NYFC, 5-1 (Cohen, Friedman, Mathis, Nonna) 2) NYAC def. Notre Dame, 5-3 (Gerard, Lansford, McCalley, Mueller)

THIRD PLACE MATCH

NOTRE DAME defeats New York FC, 5-1

FIRST PLACE MATCH

PANNONIA AC (Ashley, Drimba, Shamash) defeats New York AC (Herring, Krause, Maninho, Lang) 5-1

SABRE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

(19 Teams)

Preliminary Round - 2 Teams Qualify from Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) **New York** (Met) def. Palmetto, S.R. 2) **Salle Richards** (NE) def. Palmetto 3) Palmetto FC (Gold Cst. - Alexander, Fore, Sharfstein)

Pool 2: 1) **New York, FC** (Met) def. Alcazar, Oakland 2) **Alcazar FC** (N.OH) def. Oakland 3) Oakland Daggers (N.CA-Lekach, I., Segal, Smith)

Pool 3: 1) Csiszar-Penn (Phila) def. TCFC, S. O'Brien 2) **Tanner City FC** (NE) def. O'Brien 3) Salle O'Brien (N.CA - Kaufman, Nonomura, Sweet)

Pool 4: 1) **Salle D'Asaro** def. de Nord, FortLaud. 2) **Salle de Nord**

(Colo) def. Ft. Laud. 3) Fort Lauderdale FC(Gr deTuscan, Studevant)

Pool 5: 1) **San Jose State** (C.CA) def. Was Washington FC (DC) def. USAFA 3) U.S. Air 1 (Colo - Chirko, Vogt, Weart)

Pool 6: 1) **Halberstadt** (N.CA.) def. NOFC, SWST, **Orleans FC** (La.) def. SWST, FL Fers 3) Southwes TX - McClain, Reed, Smith) def. Fl. Fers. 4) F (Gtway - Fischler, Schutz, White)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 12

1) **NYAC** def. Alcazar, 5-0 (Fazekas, Reith, Mc Motter) 2) **Halberstadt** def. Wa. DC, 5-2 (Crimone, D'Asaro def. TCFC, 5-1 (Gray, Jennings, Vozella) def. S. de Nord, 5-1 (Churyo, Daley, Cheris) 5) Jose, 5-2 (Andrews, McDonald, Martinez) 6) Richards, 5-0 (Appelstein, Poulos, Repko)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 6

1) **NYAC** def. Halberstadt, 5-0 (Barker, Handlern, Csisz-Penn, def. D'Asaro, 5-2 (D'Asaro, Lara, Sirm def. New Orleans, 5-1 (Danna, Johnson, Tramme

FINALS - 3 Team Round Robin

1st: **New York Fencers Club** (Blum, S., Kapl Westbrook) defeats NYAC, 5-0; def. Csisz., 7-2. 2nd: **New York A.C.** (Lekach, Losonczy, Reilly) (5-0.

3rd: **Csiszar-Penn.** (Goldberg, Friedberg, Maxw

WOMEN'S TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

(32 Teams)

PRELIMINARY ROUND: 8 Pools - 2 Teams Qu Pool

Pool 1: 1) **S. D'Asaro** (C.CA) def. Horizons 4, H zons 4 (Met) def. Hosp. FC 3) **Hospitality FC** (old Hurdson, Roberts)

Pool 2: 1) **S. Csiszar** (Phila.) def. Orsi, FIU; 2) **S. C** 3) FIU Optimist (Gold Cst-Salterio, Culshaw, Hig

Pool 3: 1) **S. Auriol** (Oreg) def. Wisc., N. Fl. Fence N. Fl.; 3) N. Florida Fencers (Gtewy-Belke, Mullins

Pool 4: 1) **LAAC** (S.CA) def. Santelli, Temple, Tu (Met) def. Temple, Tulane; 3) Temple (Phil (Tple Depken, Surnick, Leun), 4) Tulane (La. -Ha Vail)

Pool 5: 1) **Brooklyn FC** (Met) def. PSU, SCGA, Ft. State Univ. (Harris) def. SCGA, Ft. Laud; 3) S (GA-Basinger, Clark, Edwards) def. Ft. Laud. 4) Ft (Gold. Cst - Battis, Dobloug, Noya)

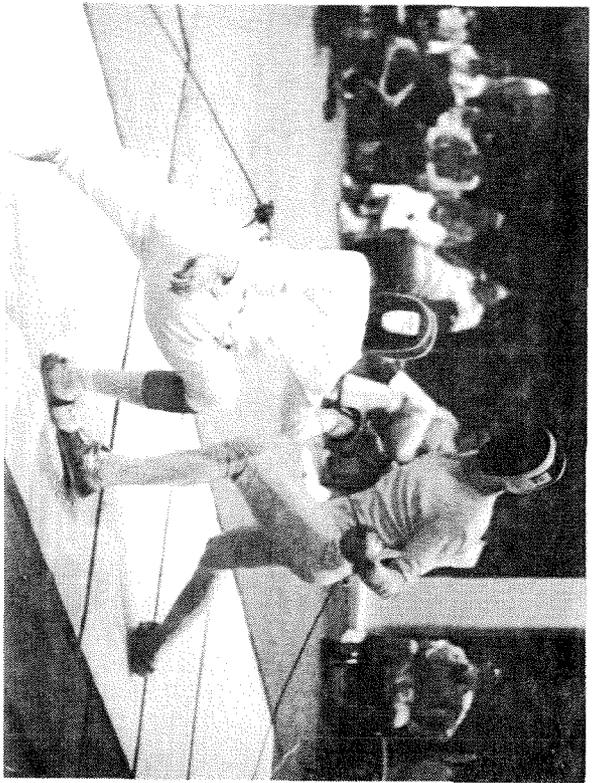
Pool 6: 1) **Halberstadt** (N.CA) def. IF&CS, Chi IF&CS (N.TX) (def. Chco., de Nord; 3) Chicago Springhorn, Copeland) def. de Nord; 4) : (Colo Baumgart, Illige, Prieto)

Pool 7: 1) **Pannonia** (N.CA) def. TCFC, Brent., GS def. Brent., GSC; 3) Brentwood H.S. (LI-Blument Weidner) def. GSC 4) Georgia South. Coll. (Hernd

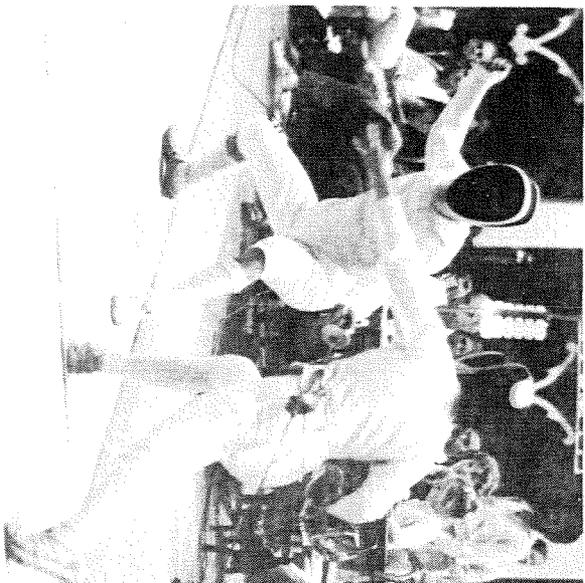
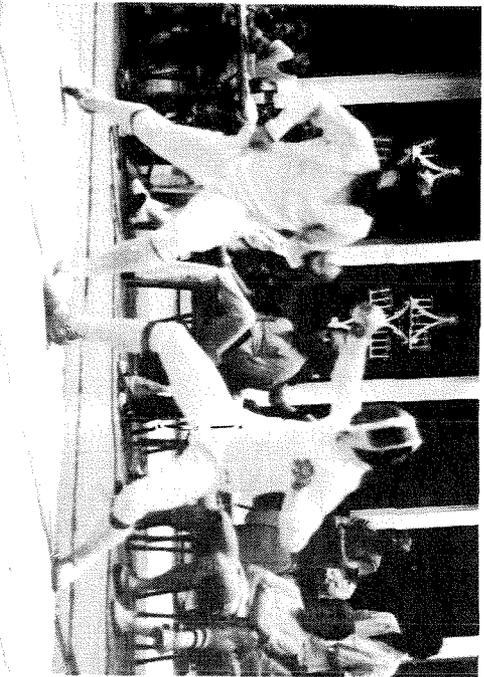
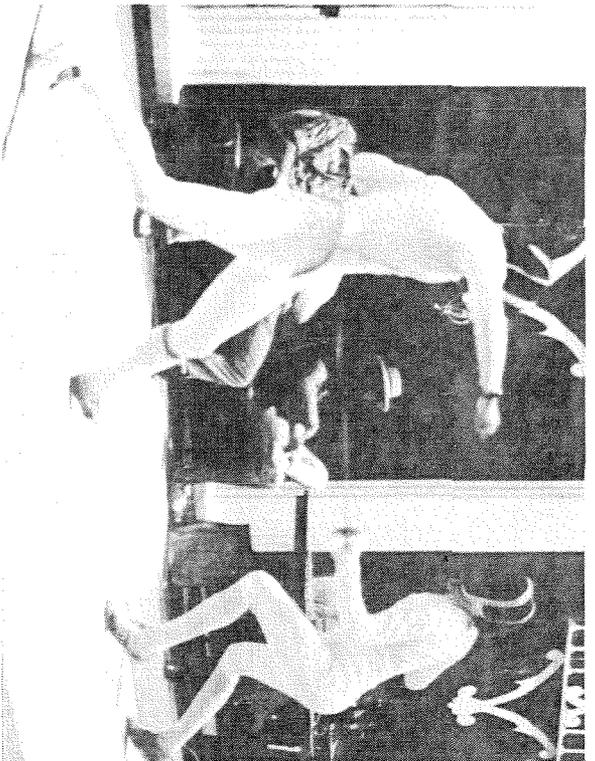
Pool 8: 1) **Salle d'Armes** (Wa.DC) def. SWTST, FC Texas State def. FC. NOFC; 3) FC (Met-Anna Reckling, Shamir) def. NOFC 4) **New Orlear** Howard, Ratteree

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 16

1) **D'Asaro** def. SWTSU, 5-0 (Dillman, McClain, d'Armes) def. Tanner City FC, 5-4 (Angelakis, Estv 3) **Brooklyn FC** def. Santelli; 5-3 (Armstrong, Belk LAAC def. Wisconsin Comp., 5-1 (Birnbaum, (Merke) 5) **S. Auriol** def. S. Orsi, 5-1 (Hoadley, She Halberstadt def. Penn. State, 5-1 (Jursik, Pasch Pannonia def. IF&CS, 5-1 (DeName, Goldthw; Csiszar def. Horizons 4, 5-1 (Eaton, Jackson, Or



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A) Schifrin v. Bozek
 B) Gay D'Asaro
 C) Peslhy v. Makler

D) Russell v. Sensor
 E) Johnson v. Schifrin

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DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 8

1: D'Asaro def. S. d'Armes, 5-1 (Benjamin, Carter, Schneider) **2: Brooklyn** def. LAAC, 5-4 (Christman, Ellingson, Foote) **3: Auriol** def. Halberstadt, 5-2 (Leigh, Louie, Posthumus) **4: Csizsar** def. Pamonia, 5-1 (Orly, Kolos, Massiala)

SEMI-FINALS: ROUND OF 4

1: Brooklyn def. D'Asaro, 5-4
2: Csizsar def. S. Auriol, 5-4

THIRD PLACE MATCH:

SALLA D'ASARO(Clark, D'Asaro, Johnson, Senser) defeated Salle Auriol(Brown, Osborne, Waples), 5-1

FIRST PLACE MATCH

SALLE CSISZAR(DeBlase, Franke, Starks-Faulkner) defeated Brooklyn FC(Cinotti, Grompone, Volkhammer), 5-3

EPEE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

(28 Teams)

PRELIMINARY ROUND: 8 Pools - 2 Qualify from each Pool

Pool 1: 1) NYU def. Palasz, Halber. 2) Halberstadt def. Palasz: 3) S. Palasz (MD-Green, Schneider, Sosman).

Pool 2: 1) TCFC def. EAL: 8 bouts won, dbl. loss-Un.Pa 4/4; 2) Univ. Penn def. EAL, 7 bouts won; 3) Eastern Air Lines (Gold Coast-Forrest, Graham, Matella)

Pool 3: 1) U.S. Mod. Pentathlon def. Notre Dame: 6 bouts, total bouts won 10; 2) Salle Auriol def. Mod. Pent., 5 bouts, total bouts won 9; 3) Notre Dame def. Auriol by 5, total bouts won 8 (Carney, Lansford, Mueller)

Pool 4: 1) Alamo FC def., FC. Csizsar; 2) FC def. Csiz.; 3) Salle Csizsar (Phila-Bergman, Fiducia, McMahan)

Pool 5: 1) NYAC def. San Ant., Alcazar, Marin FC; 2) Alcazar def. San Ant., Marin; 3) San Antonio, FC def. Marin, (S.A.-Farrinacci, Nelson, Routh); 4) FC of Marin (S.TX-Emery, Feldman Rios)

Pool 6: 1) S.D'Asaro def. SW TX, NOFC; total bouts won -16; 2) GASC Borderlin def. D'Asaro, SW TX, total bouts won -13; 3) S.W. Texas def. NOFC, total bouts -13 (SW TX-Kluber, McCaslin, Morris); 4) New Orleans FC def. GASC, total bouts -11 (NOFC Johnson, Lategano, Schwary)

Pool 7: 1) Mich. def. S.R., IFCS, FL; 2) S. Richards def. IFCS, FL; 3) IFCS def. FL (IFCS-Bickley, Blakely, Carver); 4) Florida Fencers (Fischler, Schutz, White)

Pool 8: 1) LAMC def. S. de Nord, Huntsville, Ft. Laud; 2) S. de Nord def. Ft. Laud; 3) Huntsville, def. Ft. Laud. (Htsvi Ile-TN-Dabbs, De Paola, Jordan); 4) Ft. Lauderdale FC (Eaton, Gordon, Legati)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 16

1) NYU def. GASC, 5-1 (Edwards, French, Weitman) **2) S. Richards** def. Letterman, 5-3 (Esponda, Johnson, Oliver) **3) NYAC** def. Auriol, 5-0 (Marx, R., Mitchell, Ranes) **4) UN. Penn** def. Alamo, 5-3 (Marin, Moreau, Nieman) **5) U.S. Modern Pent.** def. Halberstadt, 5-2 (Cox, Delaney, Kelnier) **6) FC** def. D'Asaro, 4-4, 30 hr vs 36 (Luna, Schiffin, Seaton) **7) S. de Nord** def. Mich. Comp., 5-3 (Haseikorn, Mroczyk, Scott) **8) TCFC** def. Alcazar (5-0 (N.O.H-McCurnick, Reith, Van de Mutter)

DIRECT ELIMINATION - ROUND OF 8

1) S. Richards def. NYU, 5-3 (Derzbinsky, Hamno, Wieselgriert) **2) NYAC** def. Un. Penn., 5-0 (Langson, McKinley, Storm, Tichacek) **3) U.S. Mod. Pent.** def. FC, 5-0 (Body, Meicher, Rainford, Tishman) **4) TCFC** def. S. de Nord, 5-2 (Daley, Prieto, Wells, Wright)

SEMI-FINALS: DIRECT ELIMINATION

1) NYAC def. S. Richards, 5-2 **2) TCFC** def. Mod. Pent., 5-1

THIRD PLACE MATCH

3rd. U.S. Modern Pentathlon (Losey, Greenwald, Glensok), 5-24th: Salle Richards (Coats, Farley, Yarrison) (N. Eng.)

FIRST PLACE MATCH

1st: New York AC(Lynn, Masin, Pesthy), 5-4, 2nd: Tanner City FC (Bozek, Celli, Weber) (N. Eng.)

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MEN'S FOIL: 36 Entered, 2 No Shows

Preliminary Round # 1: 3 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) McNAMARA, E., LI, 4v; 2) MANZANO, S., N.CA, 3v; 3) ANDRES, N., Mich, 2v; 4) Von Seggern, G., C.FI., 1v; 5) Ramirex, D., Met, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) THOMAS B., S.CA., 3v; 2) REED, B., Gif.Cst, 3v; 3) WINTON, J., NJ, 2v, 0; 4) Selkowski, J., Mich., 2v-4; 5) Brozak, S., L.I. Met., 0v.

Pool 3: 1) CANVIN, J., 5v; 2) DOYLE, G., Kent, 3v; 3) DIAZ, J., Ga., 2v-3; 4) Dunham, K., Colo, 2v-7; 5) Kogler, S., Mich, 2v-7; 6) Eggers, S., Met, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) MILLER, D., Oreg., 4v; 2) VALSAMIS, D., Met., 4v; 3) MEUDT, ME Wa.DC, 3v; 4) Ng., K., Met, 2v; 5) Vecchione, C., NJ, 2v; 6) Dunham, S., Colo., 0v.

Pool 5: 1) PINTO, F., NJ., 5v; 2) AURICCHIO, M., LI, 4v; 3) CURN, R., Or.Cst., 2v., -1; 4) Leung, J., Met, 2v., -8; 5) Rosario, N., Met, 1v; 6) Gray, D., NE, 1v.

Pool 6: 1) FRAZZINI, K., Minn, 5v; 2) INFANZON, G., Met, 4v; 3) VIDOR, R., N.CA, 2v., -1; 4) Posner, P., Met, 2v., -5; 5) Fursdon, A., Ala, 1v., -10; 6) Karl, C., Colo, 1v.

QUARTER-FINALS: 4 Qualify from Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) INFANZON, Taft H., 4v; 2) VALSAMIS, FC, 3v; 3) DIAZ, Atl FC, 3v; 4) DOYLE, Lex, 2v., -3, 20 hr; 5) Meudt, Un.MD, 2v., -3, 22 hr; 6) Frazzini, Wayzate, 1v.

Pool 2: 1) ANDRES, FAM, 5v; 2) CANVIN, Rutgers, 4v; 3) AURICCHIO, SUJ, 3v; 4) MANZANO, LAMC, 2v; 5) Curn, Bellaire, 1v; 6) Miller, Auriol, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) McNAMARA, NYAC, 5v; 2) THOMAS, LAAC, 4v; 3) PINTO, Rutgers, 3v; 4) VIDOR, 1v., -4; 5) Winton, Ramapo, 1v., -10; 6) Reed, Bellaire, 1v., -11.

SEMI-FINALS: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) McNAMARA, 5v; 2) INFANZON, 4v; 3) CANVIN, 3v; 4) Pinto, 2v; 5) Vidor, 1v; 6) Diaz, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) THOMAS & VALSAMIS, 4v; 3) DOYLE, 2v., -3, 21 hr; 4) Manzano, 2v., -3, 23 hr; 5) Auricchio, 2v., -5; 6) ANDRES, 0v.

FINALS:

1st: ED McNAMARA NYAC, 5v (Undeclared thru-out), 2nd: BRADLEY THOMAS, LAAC, 3v, 4, 3rd: George INFANZON, Taft HS, 3v, 2: 4th: John CANVIN, Rutgers, 2v., -3; 5th: Demetrios VALSAMIS, NYFC, 2v., -4; 6th: Greg DOYLE Lexington, 0v.

WOMEN'S FOIL: 37 Entered

Preliminary Round - 4 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) ANGELAKIS, J., NE, 6v; 2) SHERIDAN, P., NJ, 4v; 3) COPELAND, M., Ill, 4v; 4) STAKE, C., St. Lou., 3v; 5) Newman, S., LI, 2v; 6) Choy, M., Met, 2v; 7) Aliberti, E., S.CA, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) ELLINGSON, J., S.CA, 5v; 2) BOSCO, CT, 4v; 3) VALSAMIS, H., Met, 2v; 4) TURKEL, A., Phila, 2v; 5) Noe, C., N.TX, 1v; 6) Embry, R., Ks., 1v.

Pool 3: 1) FOOTE, S., S.CA, 5v; 2) NAGY, M., NJ, 4v; 3) YELTON, T., 3v; 4) BELKNAP, E., Met, 2v; 5) Leun, M., Phila, 1v; 6) Blumensauer, H., LI, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) KRISTO-NAGY, E., NJ, 4v; 2) METKUS, A., S.CA, 4v; 3) CLARK, L., C.CA, 3v; 4) HILL, S., CT, 2v; 5) Winston, S., Ks., 1v; 6) Lansford, M., Ind, 1v.

Pool 5: 1) DEPKEN, D., Phila, 5v; 2) KEEGAN, S., NJ, 4v; 3) WEIDNER, D., LI, 2v; 4) DES GEORGES, J., Oreg, 2v; 5) Lesser, K., Met, 1v; 6) Hudson, V., Gld.Cst, 1v.

Pool 6: 1) MONPLAISIR, S., Met, 5v; 2) VIENNA, L., NJ, 3v; 3) BURTON, T., LI, 3v; 4) MENKE, J., Wisc, 3v; 5) Hamori, C., La., 1v; 6) Lewis, E., Gtewy, 0v.

QUARTER-FINALS

Pool 1: 1) ANGELAKIS, TCFC, 5v; 2) KRISTO-NAGY, FCHRC, 3v, 4; 3) YELTON, 3v, 3; 4) Menke, Un.Wi, 3v, 1; 5) Metkus, LAAC, 1v; 6) Belknap, Santelli, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) BOSCO, du Lion, 5v; 2) CLARK, D'Asaro, 3v, 4; 3) KEEGAN, HAAC, 3v, 2; 4) Hepken, Temple, 3v, 1; 5) Strake, Pkwy, 1v; 6) Turkel, Un, Pa, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) ELLINGSON, LAAC, 5v; 2) SHERIDAN, Orsi, 3v; 3) BURTON, 2v, LI; 4) Des Georges, Auriol, 2v; 5) Vaisamis, FC, 1v; 6) Monplaisir, IRHS, 1v.

Pool 4: 1) FOOTE, LAAC, 5v; 2) NAGY, FCHRC, 4; 3) VIENNA, Orsi, 3v; 4) Copeland, Maine Wst, 2v; 5) Hill, 1v; 6) Weidner, Brent., 0v.

SEMI-FINALS

Pool 1: 1) FOOTE, 4v; 2) BOSCO, 3v, 7; 3) BURTON, 3v, 5; 4) Nagy, 3v, 3; 5) Yelton, 2v; 6) Keegan, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) ELLINGSON, 4v; 2) VIENNA, 4v; 3) ANGELAKIS, 3v; 4) Sheridan, 2v; 5) Kristo Nagy, 1v; 6) Clark, 1v.

FINALS

1st: ANGELAKIS, NE, TCFC, 5v; 2) FOOTE, S.CA LAAC, 3v; 3) BOSCO, CT, Du Lion, 3v, 1; 4) Burton, L, I., Hunt, FC, 2v; 5) Ellingson, S.CA, LAAC, 1v., -8 (P.O.5:4); 6) Vienna, Orsi, NJ, 1v., -8
EPEE 27 Entered, 25 Fenced

Preliminary Round: 4 Qualify From Each Pool

Pool 1: 1) THOMAS, J., NJ, 4v; 2) BROZAK, S., LI, 2v; 3) ADAMS, D., Gif.Cst, 2v; 4) LEUNG, J., Met., 2v; 5) Theus, W.N. Oh, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) STORM, M., Phila., 3v; 2) CORONA, M., LI, 3v; 3) BIALOSKY, Mich, 3v; 4) Von Seggern, C.FI, 1v; 5) Eggers, S., Met, 0v.

Pool 3: 1) KOGLER, G., Mich, 3v; 2) VIDOR, R., N.CA, 2v; 3) DALY, LI, 2v; 4) PECHEREK, G., Ill, 1v, 0; 5) Karl, C., Colo, 1v., -3.

Pool 4: 1) MITCHELL, G., Oreg, 3v; 2) REESE, A., NJ, 2v; 3)

HOLLENBECK, S., LI, 2v; 4) LANSFORD, T., Ind, K., Colo., 1v.

Pool 5: 1) MCKENNA, R., Met, 4v; 2) AURICCHIO ROLLER, W., Colo., 2v; 4) CURN, R., Ga., 1v; 5) 1) **QUARTER-FINALS:** 3 Quality

Pool 1: 1) THOMAS, Orsi, 4v; 2) HOLLENBECK, B KOGLER, FAM, 1v., -2, 16 hr; 4) Lansford, N. Dame Vidor, Marin FC, 1v., -5

Pool 2: 1) REESE, Orsi, 3v; 2) MITCHELL, Auriol, 3 NYU, 3v; 4) Adams, Sebastiani, 1v; 5) Leung, Se 0v.

Pool 3: 1) STORM, Un.Pa., 4v; 2) BIALOSKY, Alc LY, Ctrch, 2v; 4) Brozak, 1v, 5) Von Seggern, 0v.

Pool 4: 1) CORONA, Ctrch, 3v; 2) CURN, Bellair RICCHIO, SJU, 2v, 2; 4) Pecherek, Grdn Tch, 2v, Nord, 0v.

SEMI-FINALS: 3 Quality

Pool 1: 1) THOMAS, 5v; 2) KOGLER, 4v; 3) AUI Corona, 2v; 5) Mitchell, 1v; 6) Curn, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) STORM, 4v; 2) BIALOSKY, 4v; 3) McKET 2v; 5) Hollenbeck, 1v, 6) Reese, 1v.

FINALS

1st: MICHAEL STORM, Phila., Un. Penn, 5v; 2) Jay NJ, 4v; 3) Geza Frank Kogler, Mich., FAM, 3v; 4) 1 Mich., Alcazar, 2v; 5) Mark Auricchio, LI, St. John McKenna, Met., NYU, 0v.

SABRE: 26 Entered, 1 No Show

Preliminary Round: 4 Quality

Pool 1: 1) THOMAS, B., S.CA, 4v; 2) VITALE MERENYI, T., Met, 2v; 4) FINGERMAN, D., La., 2 N.Oh, 0v.

Pool 2: 1) FRIEDBERG, P., Phila, 4v; 2) KROETEN GRAY, D., NE, 2v; 4) ANDRES, N, Mich, 2v; 5) 1

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Pool 3: 1) LEAR, D., W. Pa., 3v; 2) WASSERMAN, M., NJ, 3v; 3) DALY, P., LI, 3v; 4) MORALES, M., LI, 3v; 5) Dunham, S., Colo., 0v.
Pool 4: 1) KLEKNER, T., Mich, 4v; 2) RENNSPIES, N., NJ, 3v; 3) HUBBARD, D., Gil. Cst, 2v; 4) BERSON, J., NJ, 1v; 5) Thompson, F., Pied, 0v.
Pool 5: 1) REED, B., Gil. Cst., 3v; 2) CASH, H., Mich, 3v; 3) HUBBARD, S., LI, 2v; 4) CAMPOLI, D., C.F.L., 2v; 5) Rolier, W., Colo., 0v.

QUARTER-FINALS: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) CASH, FAM, 4v; 2) FRIEDBERG, Un.PA, 3v; 3) DALY, 2v; 4) Fingerman, NOFC, 1v; 5) Campoli, Dundin, 0v.
Pool 2: 1) Thomas, LAAC, 4v; 2) Kroeten, Wayzata, 2v; 3) Rennspies, Indian Hill, 2v; 4) Andrej, FAM, 1v; 5) Brozak, 1v.
Pool 3: Wasserman, Morris hills, 3v; 2) Vitale, Rutgers, 3v; 3) Berson, Princeton, 2v; 4) Klekner, FAM, 1v; 5) Hubbard, Bellaire, 1v.
Pool 4: 1) Lear, Penn. St., 4v; 2) Merenyi, SJU, 2v; 2) Gray, SJ Prep, 2v; 1) 4) Reed, Bellaire, 2v; -4; 5) Morales, Col.

Semi-Finals: 3 Qualify

Pool 1: 1) Friedberg, 4v; 2) Thomas, 4v; 3) Berson, 3v; 4) Wasserman, 2v; 5) Gray, 2v; 6) Kroeten, 0v.
Pool 2: 1) Lear, 4v; 2) Daly, 4v; 3) Rennspies, 2v; o; 4) Cash, 2v; -3; 5) Merenyi, 2v; -6; 6) Vitale, 1v.
Finals
 1st: Paul Friedberg, Phil., Un. Penn. 4v (f.o. 2v) Bradley Thomas, S. CA, LAAC, 4v (f.o., 1v) 3) Donald Lear, W. Pa. Penn. State, 4v (f.o., 0v); 4) Philip Daly, LI, 2v; 5) Norman Rennspies, NJ, Indian Hills, 1v; 6) John Berson, Met. Princeton, 0v.

RESULTS: 1978 U.S. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

MEN'S FOIL	PTS.	SABRE
1. M. Lang	100	1. S. Lekach
2. P. Marthis	90	2. A. Orban
3. M. Smith	86	3. E. House
4. J. Nonna	82	4. J. Glucksman
5. E. Donofrio	78	5. G. Bartos
6. B. Freeman	74	6. R. Maxwell
7. W. Krause	66	7. S. Kaplan
8T. M. Mark	62	8. P. Westbrook
8T. G. Massialas	58	9. T. Losonczy
10. M. McCahey	54	10. M. Benedek
11. J. Herring	50	11. P. Reilly
12. N. Cohen	46	12. D. Goldberg
13. P. Gerard	38	13. P. Friedberg
14. L. Seigel	36	14. S. Blum
15. R. Wolfson	34	15. Y. Rabinovich
16. E. Wright	32	16. C. Gail
17. H. Hambarzumian	50	17. F. Morea
18. J. Shamash	28	18. R. Blum
19. J. Bukantz	26	19. S. Beutel
20. P. Ashley	24	20. M. Sullivan
21. M. Dale	22	21. M. Duika
22. D. Halstead	20	22. P. Barcelo
23. V. Kan	18	23. B. Huffman
24. E. McNamara	16	24. A. Lara



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RESULTS

EPEE	PTS.	WOMEN'S FOIL
1. B. Makler	100	1. G. D'Asaro
2. P. Schiffrin	90	2. N. Franke
3. L. Shelley	86	3. I. Farkas
4. S. Bozek	82	4. S. Johnson
5. P. Pesthy	78	5. V. Senser
6. G. Losey	74	6. A. Russell
7. P. Daley	66	7. E. Ingram
8. M. McCahey	62	8. J. Ellingson
9. L. Dervbinskiy	58	9. D. Cinotti
10. W. Johnson	54	10. S. Armstrong
11. H. Farley	50	11. I. Maskal
12. D. Wigodsky	46	12. D. Waples
13. R. Nieman	38	13. S. Badders
14. J. Moreau	36	14. E. Grompone
15. M. Duika	34	15. J. Starks-Faulkner
16. J. Scott	32	16. C. Massiala
16T S. Vanderberg	32	17. L. Goldwithe.
18. R. Marx	28	18. A. Kayler
19. O. Greenwald	26	19. H. Konecny
20. T. Glass	24	20. N. Latham
21T J. Myrden	22	21. S. Posthumus
21T K. Smith	20	22. S. DeBaise
23. M. Forest	18	23. V. Bleamaster
24. R. Marin	16	24. C. Louie

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MEN'S FOIL	PTS	EPEE
* 1. J. Nonna	222.5	* 1. P. Pest
* 2. M. Marx	215.5	* 2. L. Shel
* 3. M. Lang	209.5	* 3. L. Derv
* 4. G. Massialas	190	* 4. S. Boze
* 5. E. Donofrio	186.5	* 5. P. Schi
* 6. H. Hambarzumian	141.5	* 6. B. Mak
* 7. J. Freeman	134.5	* 7. W. Johi
* 8. P. Gerard	130.5	* 8. R. Nien
* 9. N. Cohen	127.5	* 9. W. Mat
* 10. M. McCahey	118	* 10. G. Mas
* 11. E. Wright	112.5	* 11T J. Mori
12. W. Krause	110	* 11T M. Mo
* 13. P. Ashley	103.5	13. R. Losi
* 14. A. Axelrod	95.5	* 14. R. Mar
* 15. P. Mathis	90	* 15. D. Wig
* 16. J. Herring	87	16. J. Myrc
* 17. M. Smith	86	* 17. R. Mar
* 18. J. Biebel	76.5	18. C. Har
19. J. Shamash	75	19T P. Dak
20. J. Tichacek	70	19T W. Dr
21. P. Martino	54.5	21. S. Van
22. L. Siegel	51.5	22. T. Glas
23. M. Dale	49	23. R. Yarr
24T B. Jugan	45	24T H. Far
24T B. Thomas	45	24T G. Kor
26. R. Wolfson	34	26. M. Mar
27. S. Michaan	32.5	27. M. Duii
28. G. Masin	30.5	28. I. Vardi
29. J. Bukantz	26	29. J. Scot
30. Z. Csete	21	30. R. Frer
31. D. Halstead	20	31. O. Gre
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3. G. Kogler	16	G. Infanzon
4. W. Bialosky	14	J. Canvin
5. M. Auricchio	12	D. Valsamis
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Amateur Fencers League of America, Inc. ANNUAL MEETING

The 1978 Annual Meeting of the AFLA was held July 1, 1978 at the Diplomat Hotel in the Capital room. Irwin Bernstein, President called the meeting to order at 4:30PM. Officers present were: William Goering, Executive Vice-President; Mary Huddleson, Vice President; Howard Goodman, Treasurer; Eleanor Turney, Secretary. There were 10 members present and 32 by proxy.

1. Reading of Minutes: The minutes of the 1977 meeting were accepted as published in the American Fencing Magazine Volume 28 #6 July/August 1977.

2. Report of Officers and Committees: The President reported to the members present at the annual meeting that in accordance with past practice there would be no officers reports. The president reported upon the progress of The Amateur Athletic Act of 1978. This bill will enlarge the role of the the USOC in amateur sports. The bill has passed the Senate and now has been referred to a House Judiciary Sub Committee. The chairman of the sub committee is Representative Danielson of California. Support from the membership for the Amateur Athletic Act is urged. Vice President Mary Huddleson displayed a sample copy of a book authored by member of the Maine division. This book was produced as a part of the "Grass Roots" program.

3. Proposed Amendments to By-Laws: There have been no amendments to the By-Laws submitted. The president explained the usual method of Amendment submission. The amendments are considered at the Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors at the September Meeting, Published in the January issue of the magazine (with a proxy form) and voted upon at the Annual Meeting in June.

4. Elections: In the absence of contested nominations by petition, the Secretary cast one vote for the slate proposed by the National Nominating Committee, thereby electing the following for the term August 1, 1978-July 31, 1980:

President; Irwin F. Bernstein
Executive Vice-President: William A. Goering
Vice-President: Mary Huddleson
Vice-President: Charles E. Thompson
Secretary: Eleanor Turney

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Mr. Forrest has requested replacement. He felt his business interests did not leave him sufficient time to devote to the League. He was thanked for his contributions to the League.

5. Unfinished Business: There was no unfinished business.

6. New Business: There was no formal new business. In keeping with the practice of the past few years, the balance of the meeting was devoted to an informal discussion of matters of concern to the membership with the purpose of advising the officers and members of the Board of Directors of these concerns while informing the members of current policies. The major topic covered was a request for a definite plan for the progress of US fencing. The president explained the planning was accomplished by two major committees (Olympic Committee, Junior Olympic Youth Committee). These committees meet regularly, and report to the Board of Directors at every meeting. The objectives of the committees are 1. development of fencers at the beginner level, 2. improvement of Coaches developments,

3. training elite fencers to their ability. The league is thus proceeding in a coherent manner. The regional trainers have presented a well balanced program to meet all the above objectives. The Florida Gold Coast division was thanked for its efforts as host of National championships.

The meeting was adjourned sine die.

Respectfully submitted,
Eleanor Turney
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TECHNICAL TALKS

by Joe Byrnes

I heard a funny story about a fencer's troubles some time back. Manny Forrest told me of an epee man who had three (or maybe it was more) weapons, one after another, all fail to function as he brought them, probably with increasing desperation, up to the strip. He couldn't understand it; after all, he had just checked each of them with his checker, and the little light lit every time.

That may not sound like something very funny to your average fencer (it could happen to you!), but to a technician, it's a real chuckle. But then, all technicians develop a sadistic sense of humor, don't we? Well, what was wrong with all three of those epees? Why did they check out OK, if they wouldn't work? And what's so funny? The answers lie in the tester the fencer was using. It has one lamp that lit to show that the point switch was making contact, and that was all. What else was happening to each of those epees was something that a one-lamp hook-up like that simply cannot show. Every time the point switch closed, there were actually *two* contacts being made: one that would normally cause the touch signal, and another that abnormally grounded it out. Without a two-lamp tester, you wouldn't know that very necessary thing about an epee. A one-lamp test hook-up would be fine for foil, but even there it is limited, since you can't test a body cord with it—unless it's a lot more flexible than the one we are talking about. The really hard-luck aspect of Manny's story is that the poor epee man had *three* cluck epees, all with the same kind of troubles: it suggests he may have been doing something wrong in assembly—wholesale. (If the story still doesn't seem funny, sorry about that, but you'll never be a technician: it is the sort to break us up.)

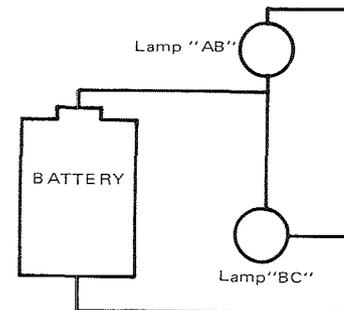
I've written on this subject before, but not recently, so here goes again. The drawing that accompanies this article should explain the principle, besides proving that I never took mechanical drawing. I should apologize, I suppose, to technological purists for the looks of this thing. It is definitely not an electrical or electronic "schematic"; neither is it a "pictorial." I'm not sure just what it should be classified as, but

give it to a twelve-year-old who lit with electronics, and you'll probably sneered at: it's so simple a gadget beneath twelve-year-old dignity. It is: a flashlight bulb for each lamp sockets as appropriate; one flashlight, with holder; three banana jacks, evenly spaced—all this in a little box together as shown. People who use very modern and classy could use instead of regular lamps, but give a clever twelve-year-old for that.

Note the lamp that is labeled AB lights up for a properly working epee, one marked BC lights for a foil. If BC lights on your epee, you have one of those started out with.

A properly working epee must not light until the point is depressed. Only AB should light then. A properly foil will light BC immediately and only except when the point is depressed.

As has been explained on other occasions, this little box allows you to test weight tests for foil and epee, and test for epee in the usual fashion. Check body cords too. Plug in your body cord and bridge something between the A & B pins on the free Ab lamp should light. Bridge between and BC should light. If one side works the other, the A or C wire, as appropriate, must be defective. If neither works, more possibilities: the B wire alone out, or both A & C, or all three.



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With the sort of insistence on good equipment that reigns nowadays, and with penalties being imposed in composition for failures that you didn't catch in time, a fencer really ought to have the extra protection of one of these simple gadgets. You can build it, or have it built, or buy it. Suit yourself; but do yourself a favor: get one.

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FENCING GLOSSARY

Quarte (S): Position that protects the left side, point higher than the hand with tranchant turned to the left, the thumb up.

Quinte (F.E.): Position covering the dedans (inside, high) taken in pronation, the point higher than the hand.

Quinte (S): Position that protects the head and shoulders, hand to the right, palm facing forward, tranchant up, the blade close to horizontal.

Raccourci (bass) (to draw in, to shorten): An expression that describes an offensive movement with an incomplete extension of the arm.

Rassemblement (Gather together): Position where a fencer has drawn his legs and feet together. It can be done with a forward or backward movement. Often used as a salute or at the end of a lesson. It is also a counter offensive action combined with a coup d'arrêt (stop thrust).

Redoublement: A second offensive action which can be simple, composed, or preceded by actions on the blade. It is executed in a lunge or fleche after a return on guard (forward or back). The evolution of fencing brings us to include the term redoublement in the "reprises".

Remise: A second offensive action, which consists in replacing the point in the same line without withdrawing the arm or an action

on the adversary's blade. It is against opponents who parry with ing, riposte in lost time or make a composed riposte. In these cases comes a counter offensive action only have the time if it gains a fence the riposte. After any offensive offensive action one can make a would then take on the name of the action that preceded it.

Reprise: A second offensive action simple, composed or preceded on the blade. It is generally exponents who do not riposte, reprise is active, remise is passive, for example, a reprise would be an action with changing line or beat. *Retrait* (retreat): A backward step to move further away from the action. *Riposte*: Offensive action done after it can be immediate, lost time (temp simple or composed, by prise de take) and executed standing firm footwork.

Rompre (retreat): Break distance adversary. Execute a movement to rear. Usually, but not always, the followed by the front foot. (Each retreat the feet stay equidistant fencer will be in better balance as change of direction is possible). *Rythme* (Rythm - change of): variation or deceleration) in the execution for different actions. *Sabre*: See Rules Book.

Salute: Civil gesture that one makes beginning and end of a bout and *Santellix* (S): Italian master that Hungary and created a defensive called the 2nd system (second quinte).

Sautx (jump): See Bond.

Seconde (F.E.): Position that covers inside line (dehors); taken with lower than the hand which is in pronation. *Seconde* (S): Position covering side, taken with the point lower hand, hand is pronated, thumb to tranchant is turned towards the right. *Septime* (F.E.) Position covering the side line (dessous) with the point lower hand which is in supination. septime or lifting parry see demi-cercle.

Simultanées (Simultaneous action) launched at the same time by the two fencers.

Sixte: (F.E.) Position covering the

FENCING GLOSSARY cont.

side line (*dessus*) taken with the point higher than the hand and supinated. The *en garde* in *sixte* is traditional.

Soie (Tang): Part of the blade where the handle (*coquille*) and *pommel* attach.

Supination: Position of the hand with the palm turned towards the sky.

Surface (*valable*) (valid target): Check the Rules Book.

Tac (beat): Parry of *tac* (beat) is to push away the opponent's blade with a beat.

Tac au Tac: To *riposte tac au tac* is to make a direct *riposte* detached from the *fer* after a parry of *tac*.

Temps (fencing time) Fencing time is the duration of a simple offensive action. It is one of the essential conventions of foil and sabre.

Temps (*coup de*): Ancient term replaced by *l.c. arrêt* (stop hit) with the blade.

Temps Perdu (Lost time): A *riposte* or counter *riposte* that is not delivered immediately after the parry.

Tete (S) (Head): Part of the target on top of the mask. The name of the attack directed to the mask.

Tierce (F.E.): Position covering the high outside line (*dessus*) taken in pronation with the point higher than the hand. Before the end of the nineteenth century the *en garde* in *terce* was the only one used.

Tierce (S): Position covering the right side taken with the point higher than the hand with the *tranchant* turned towards the right, thumb up.

Toucher (To touch): To reach the adversary with the point or the *tranchant* of one's weapon. Valid touches are those that hit the target, invalid touches are outside the limits of the target. Bouts are evaluated by touches given and received.

Tour d'epée: An attack composed of a *coupé* and a *disengage* that one executes smoothly, non-stop.

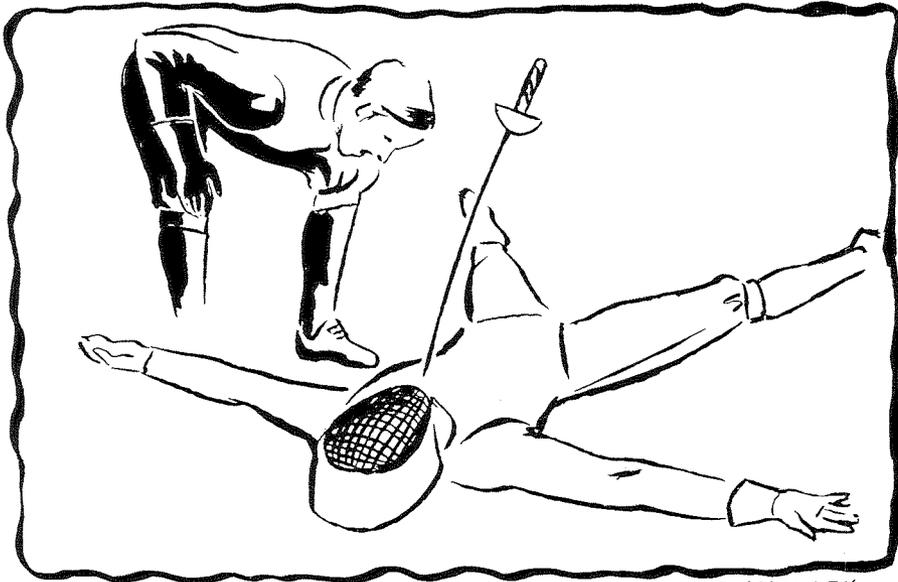
Tranchant (S) (edge): The fine edge of the blade opposite the back. It is sometimes called the *taille*.

Tranchant (*faux*) (false): The top one third of the blade opposite the *tranchant* that is sometimes called the *contré taille*.

Tromper (Deceive): Remove the blade from the adversary's attempt to parry.

Une - deux (F.E.) (one-two) A deviation for an offensive action composed of a *disen-*

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor—

The articles in the May/June American Fencing Magazine by Nell Every and M. Stephen Coc examples of the type of articles you long been lacking in our magazine are opinions (with the author laying on the line) of how or why a particular or other competitive aspect work (even if that aspect is controversial) athletic magazines have been doing years—notable Tennis and Golf. reader may even disagree with that at least promotes dialogue, which way promotes thinking and progress.

I do, incidentally, have to take one of the aspects of Mr. Every's explanation of the lunge needs sorting, in my opinion.

The push-lunge he describes suggests can only work if the fencer adopted a rather exaggerated form or forward weight-displacement technique. If one attempts a push-lunge

gauge feint followed by a *trompement* (deception) of a direct parry.

Une - deux - trois (F.E.): Abbreviation for an offensive action composed of a *disengage* followed by a *trompement* of two direct parries.

Variétés d'Action Offensives (Varied offensive actions): include: *Reprise*, *Remise*, counter time/*contre temps*

Ventre (S) (Chest): Lower left part of the target.

Voltex (turn): A complete turn.

Demi-Volte (half turn): Sidestep towards the outside by the back foot. A displacement of the target to avoid the hit. The half-turn is combined with the counter attack or the *riposte*. Additional term from older glossary

Finale: The final of the attack, the moment when the attack finishes. The *parade en finale* is the parry taken at the last moment.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR, Cont.

centered position of "on guard," the straightening of the rear leg immediately pushes the body up, rather than forward; and one ends up with a serious "up and down" or "over the barrel" lunge. Although Mr. Every no doubt finds great success with his push-lunge, I cannot help but wonder A) about his initial "on guard" position, and B) how much more effective he would be with a correctly executed lunge.

The correct lunge is actually in three parts, and the coordination of these three sets of moves takes a long time to master so they are assimilated into one smooth motion again. Most fencers except the really good ones never bother, replying on hand-work and fierce competitive attitudes to carry them through their meets.

Ideally, the lunge in foil has the following serialized (one after the other) sequence of leg moves (one assumes that the forward arm has already begun its extension to attain right of way)—A) the front foot kicks out—it kicks out, and not up, with the toe up and the heel leading the motion forward. This has the effect of beginning the body motion forward, bringing the center of gravity to the point where B) the rear leg can be driven straight, rather like a piston, to propel the body forward—at this point the rear arm begins its hard (and supinated) backward motion; when the rear leg is 80% to 90% straight and further straightening produces only minimal forward drive, C) the heel of the front foot should land, and the front leg takes over the real propelling force again, pulling the body forward to the point that the knee is *exactly* over the ankle. Unless the knee is exactly in place, the recovery is seriously made inefficient. If the knee is forward of the ankle, then weight is on the toes of the front foot, and the toe cannot be raised to effect the proper retreat without first shifting the body back; if the knee is behind the ankle, then bending the back leg to retreat will have the effect of dropping the body down instead of bringing it back, no matter how much the front toe is raised.

Needless to say, this shifting of emphasis

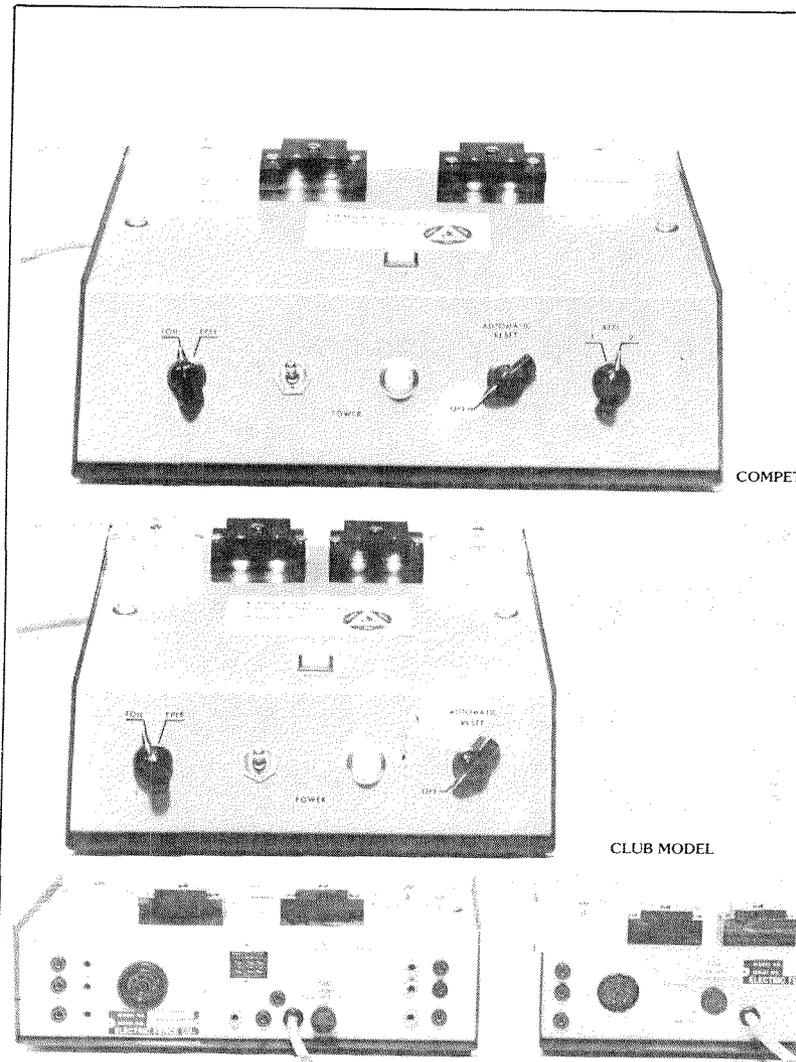
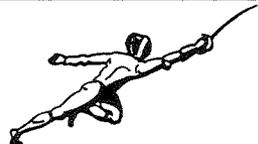


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from the front, to the back, and to the front leg again in extremely small fractions of a second takes a good deal of effort and training—without it, though, the fencer will always have to adopt a limiting forward lean to the "on guard," or will suffer from what I call an "over the barrel," or "floating" lunge; the overall effect being that the fencer is propelled up, rather than forward, and must rely on gravity (which is amazingly slow compared to fencing speeds) to bring him or her back to earth to score the touch.

Lets have more articles like Every's and Cook's; lets get some dialogue and genuine controversy and thinking going—keep up the good work.

Sincerely,
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