

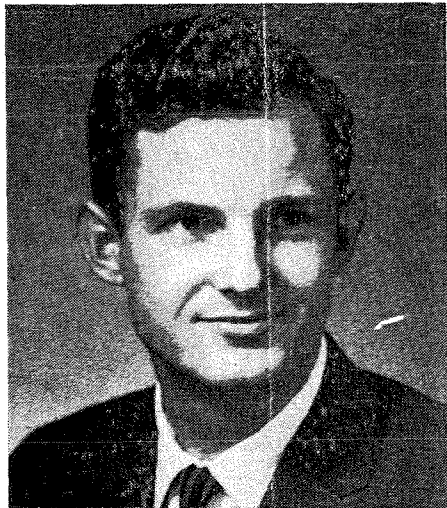
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## NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Participants must check in by 8:30 a.m. Starts at 9 A.M. Events will begin on completion.

Individual

Men's Individual

Women's Individual

Men's Team (Finals at 4 P.M.)  
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Men's Team  
— AFLA Annual Meeting  
— Gala Night

All weapons and body cords must be checked (plainly labeled) to the Technician prior to 3 P.M. on the day of the scheduled event.

Participants' jackets will be checked on fencings and conductivity one half hour before scheduled starting time.

## ENTRIES TO NATIONALS

Entries accompanied by entry fees with the following enumerated information should reach Fred Linkmeyer, Box 564, North Hollywood, Calif., not later than Saturday, June 24, 1961:

1. First and last name.
2. Mailing address
3. Division
4. Club or school
5. Events entered, and fees
6. Ranking in each weapon entered (A, B, C, Unclassified)
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Each Individual Event — \$5.00 (\$10.00 for So. California members)

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**DATES:** July 15 through July 22, 1961

### PERSONALS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Berry upon the birth of Marcia Lea, March 5, 1961.

Best wishes to Barbara Yurcik and Rolf Vil, married in Phoenix, Arizona on March 16, 1961.

Congratulations to Dorothy and Leon Wortman for Alan Thomas, born April 17, 1961.

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## Junior Olympic Committees

### Michigan

We sent a letter to all the high schools inviting coaches and teachers to a fencing clinic. As a result, 15 physical ed teachers attended the exhibition and most are now attending an eight week course which I have been conducting. Fencing lessons are given free of charge to any teacher who proposes to initiate fencing classes at his school. The purpose is not to develop accomplished fencers but rather to give them a sound basic knowledge so that they may teach the fundamentals to a class. Two of the schools are already on their way with fencing groups of 28 and 30 respectively, and three other schools will start in the fall. We intend to repeat this program next September and also to include interscholastic meets as an incentive to the students. Outstanding students will be given the opportunity for more advanced instruction by giving them a special membership at the Salle de Tuscan where they will receive lessons from Mr. Danosi.

James A. Campoli

### Northern California

Our Junior Olympic Committee has been organized and we are going to make the initial selection of Junior Olympians at the Roos-Atkins tournament for high school boys to be held on May 13 at San Francisco State College. The Committee has Maestro Erich Funke as Chairman; John McDougal, director of the San Francisco School of Fencing, as Vice Chairman and the undersigned is Secretary. A special selection committee consists of: Mr. O. Driver, Chairman; Eugene Benefield (Balboa HS), Gerard Biagini (Continuation HS), Erich Funke (Funke FA), D. Garofalo (Clayton HS), Hans Halberstadt (Halberstadt SF), John McDougall (SFSF), William O'Brien (Letterman AH), Sue Ratts (Lowell HS), Bert Sheck, Medford Todd (Poly HS), Richard Wagner (Lincoln HS).

Walita Koenig

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## NEW INTERNATIONAL ORDER

Are you using the new order of bouts in your competitions? We print herein the changes which should be made, Article 327 (p.53) of your Rules Book:

6	8	9
fencers	fencers	fencers
1-4	2-3 7-5	1-9 3-1
2-5	1-5 3-6	2-8 2-4
3-6	7-4 2-8	3-7 5-9
5-1	6-8 5-4	4-6 8-6
4-2	1-2 6-1	1-5 7-1
3-1	3-4 3-7	2-9 4-3
6-2	5-6 4-8	8-3 5-2
5-3	8-7 2-6	7-4 6-9
6-4	4-1 3-5	6-5 8-7
1-2	5-2 1-7	1-2 4-1
3-4	8-3 4-6	9-3 5-3
5-6	6-7 8-5	8-4 6-2
2-3	4-2 7-2	7-5 9-7
1-6	8-1 1-3	6-1 1-8
4-5		6-1 4-5
		9-4 3-6
		5-8 2-7
		7-6 9-8

If there are 3 club mates on a strip of 6, the order is revised as follows, placing the clubmates in the 1-2-3 spots: 1-2, 4-5, 2-3, 5-6, 3-1, 6-4, 2-5, 1-4, 5-3, 1-6, 4-2, 3-6, 5-1, 3-4, 6-2.

If there are 4 club mates on a strip of six, place them in the 1, 2, 4, 5 spots and revise the order: 1-4, 2-5, 3-6, 5-1, 6-2, 4-5, 1-2, 5-3, 4-2, 1-6, 4-3, 5-6, 3-2, 6-4, 1-3.

## International Fund and People to People Sports Committee

In our last issue we asked AFLA members to send tax deductible contributions for our International Fund to Leo Sobel, 721 Walton Avenue, New York 51 and to make checks payable to "People to People Sports Committee, Inc."

Chairman Edward P. F. Eagan and his Committee have always been most cooperative with the AFLA and other sports organizations which seek to broaden understanding and friendship through international activities.

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By Jeffrey Checkes

championship of the New York Athletic League for 1961 ended between Stuyvesant and Brooklyn. According to PSAL rules, the tie was by pairing off the first three men team and was won by Stuyvesant. (Stuy.) defeated Goodman and Santonocito (Stuy.) defeat-tech.) 5-4. Nalven (Tech.) defeated Stuy.) 5-4.

Individual championship finals at NYU. Jeffrey Checkes of Stuyvesant was the new champion, with Howard of Brooklyn Tech and William Hill placing second and third.

Other finalists, in order, were: Nalven (DeWitt Clinton), Bruno Santonocito (Stuyvesant) and Mo Cabrera

From JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

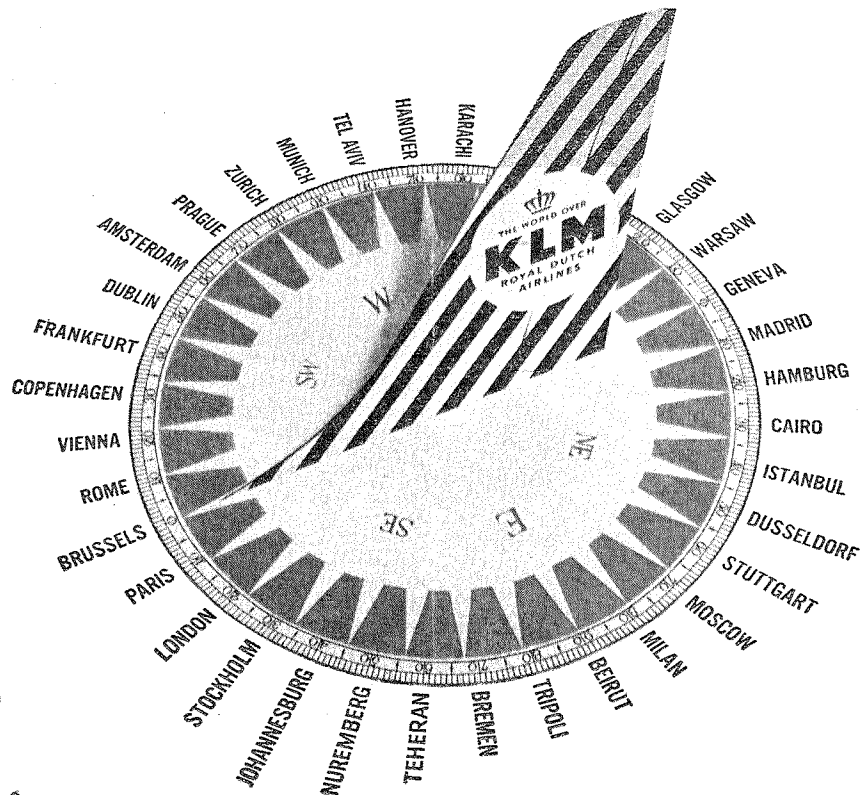
"Fencing in the northeast corner of Florida is growing beyond our fondest expectations. We participated in the open foil event in St. Petersburg last month and at that time met all the people you mentioned.

We are holding classes for beginners at the local YMCA and to the original group of 34 (and 3 instructors) we have added 19 new ones. We also picked up 25 active fencers in the local high school. We feel fencing is now entrenched here in Jacksonville. We plan to hold a foil meet for high schools and for prep men and women and expect entries from several divisions. This week we form a Jacksonville fencing club and later will confer with the other division heads in the state to determine the boundaries for a new division. We will then file a petition and feel that everyone will be satisfied that it is being done the right way."

April 22, 1961 Norman L. Martin

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## WARSAW INTERNATIONAL

By Dr. Paul T. Makler

annual International Invitation for Sabre Teams was held on 11 and 12 at the spacious Hala Warsaw. France, Germany, Poland and the U.S. competed. Italy withdrew due to the illness of fencers and a second Polish team was unable to complete the round-teams.

The cooperation of Evelyn Terhune and a group of girls going to the Under-20 Championships the League was able to send a sabre team to Poland by special arrangement with KLM. The Polish Federation was able to pay travel expenses between Brussels and Warsaw but lack of AFLA funds was an insurmountable obstacle until the very last minute. The selection was approved by the committee, consisted of Robert Farber, Walter Dasaro, Nylilas and George Worth. Allan Kwartler was unable to attend on such short notice. I had the honor of being named as captain.

The first match was against Germany and Poland won 11/5. Worth, as always, won the match, Dasaro was undefeated, Blum was only after we had already won, scored the winning bout.

After we fenced Russia after an impressive victory and were proud to observe the Poles the U.S. prompted the action from the large audience. The same team and the match was a close one. George Worth not only had the win but he won the opening bout and scored the deciding bout when we won three other men fenced steadily. Thus at the end of the day we were tied with Poland's 'A' with two match victories.

When we faced France and since we were fencing well and a victory in the second place we again fielded our team. Dasaro was excellent in the first while Worth and Nylilas each unfortunately Blum had lost his match and dropped four. We lost two touches and our only consolation was a fine victory over Arabo.

When we fenced the Polish 'A' team Dasaro and Worth were rested and Pongo replaced them. Both fencers and Farber won two, one against

Pawlowski. Dasaro also won two and Blum lost four. Poland led all the way and won 11/5. At the end of the second day we stood at 2-2 and it appeared likely that we would beat the Polish 'B' team and finish a clear second.

Against the Polish 'B' we lost 10/6. Nine of our defeats were by 5-4 with every break going one way. None of our team, and virtually none of the audience felt that the 'B' team had demonstrated itself superior to us. Subsequently Germany beat France 9/7 thus eliminating both teams from contention for second on bouts won. In the last match Russia needed four victories to take second place over us. The Poles, as good sportsmen, fought very hard to win every bout but the final score was 12/4 and we dropped to third.

We were disappointed not to get the second place we felt should have been ours, but when the flags went up it was for the best international sabre result for the U.S. since the 1948 Olympiad and we were proud indeed.

A trophy for the fencer with the best individual record went to Zablocki, with 15/5. Dasaro, Ochyra and Mavlichanov, all with 14/6 were next. Dasaro was a popular hero, widely acclaimed as being of highest quality and his photograph appeared on the cover of a sports weekly.

We were invited to Krakow for sightseeing and an informal match. Nylilas and Blum had to return to the U.S. Worth had sprained an ankle, so he took over as captain and I pinch-hit on the strip. The informal match was quite a surprise. Billboards all over town proclaimed that the U.S.A. was to meet two Polish teams, one of which was the 'A' team flown in from Warsaw for the informal occasion. We lost 10/6 to the 'A' team. Dasaro won 3 including a victory over Zablocki. Farber split at 2/2 and I added one. Against the other team, we won 9/7. Dasaro was again our star with 4 wins. Farber and Makler each won 2 and Pongo supplied the winning bout.

### Some Observations

All opponents fence a simpler game than ours.

Directors favor the attack much more than we do at home. A stop is wrong unless very much ahead in time. A remise is rarely given precedence over a riposte even if the latter is a little delayed.

The Poles and Russians use the point very seldom and this is surprising since their neutral guard position is often with the point quite low.

Our men are quite effective with the point. Our greatest trouble is a tendency to cut into the attack. Our directors have encouraged this. Unless it is corrected it will hurt our international performance.

The diving fleche that characterized Polish sabre since 1952 is gone. The older fencers are discarding it and the younger ones do not use it. Their theory and teaching now agrees that it is too uncontrolled.

Dasaro probably was the best all-around fencer in the tournament. He was good on the attack and stop-cut and very effective with his straight riposte and composite riposte with a fleche.

Nylilas was most effective when he resisted cutting into attacks.

Worth maintained his record by winning all his opening bouts. He was very effective, can go as a work horse all day and remains an excellent fighter.

Pongo suffered from the fact that the international game demands solid parries and not flying parries.

Farber's solid parries were very effective and was very good in his first European competition. He suffers a bit from lack of mobility.

Blum is excellent when he uses his attack as a threat and scores by parry-riposte. He loses effectiveness when he chases after opponents.

### TEAM RECORDS

1. Poland 'A' d. Poland 'B' 11/5, France 11/5, Germany 9/7 and U. S. 11/5.
2. Russia d. Germany 9/7, Poland 'B' 12/4 and lost to France 8/8, U. S. 7/9, Poland 'A' 4/12. Two victories, 40 bouts.
3. U.S.A. d. Germany 11/5, Russia 9/7 and lost to France 8/8, Poland 'A' 5/11, Poland 'B' 6/10. Two victories, 39 bouts.
4. Germany d. Poland 'B' 10/6, France 9/7 and lost to U. S. 5/11, Russia 7/9, Poland 'A' 7/9. Two victories, 38 bouts.
5. France d. U. S. 8/8, Russia 8/8 and lost to Germany 7/9, Poland 'A' 5/11, Poland 'B' 8/8. Two victories, 36 bouts.
6. Poland 'B' d. France 8/8, U. S. 10/6 and lost to Poland 'A' 5/11, Germany 6/10, Russia 4/12. Two victories, 33 bouts.

### INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

(Warsaw) Dasaro 14/6; Worth 9/7; Nylilas 7/9; Blum 5/11; Farber 3/5; Pongo 1/3.  
(Krakow) Dasaro 7/1; Farber 4/4; Makler 3/5; Pongo 1/7.

## THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL SPORTS

If politicians and militant ideologists would keep hands off, international sport can further the cause of peace. Athletes have a common interest on which to build good will and a better understanding.

Our team in Poland was so popular with the general public that even our State Department was impressed. Our girls in West Germany also made many friends.

There is a law in West Germany which makes it a criminal offense to display the flag or play the anthem of East Germany because the Republic does not recognize two German States. Since East Germany is a member of several international sports bodies, including the F.I.E., the Organizing Committee in West Germany was faced with the problem of complying with its national laws and, at the same time, extending equal treatment to all members of the F.I.E. They resolved the problem by displaying historic Guild banners instead of national flags at the tournament and arranging for a bugle fanfare instead of national anthems at the presentation of awards.

The day before the competition the East Germans, supported by the Soviet Union, demanded the right to wear the East German flag on their fencing uniforms and insisted that the F.I.E. either grant their demand or cancel the tournament. The protest was heard on the eve of the tournament which also was one of the most important religious holidays in the area and it was not possible on such short notice to ask the West German Government to relax its prohibition. Miguel de Capriles, as President of the F.I.E., notified the leader of the Russian team (who had assumed command of the debate which led to the ultimatum) that inasmuch as the prohibition could not be lifted he would protect the rights of the East Germans by requiring that all participants in the tournament be treated equally and all be denied the right to wear any insignia which carried their national flag. The majority of the countries including Yugoslavia accepted this ruling in the spirit of sportsmanship, and as the most equitable possible under the circumstances. East Germany, Russia, Poland, Rumania and Hungary refused the ruling and withdrew.

If both sides of the cold war are going to bait each other for political purposes in the field of sports the time will come when international sports organizations and truly international tournaments will be impossible.

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## JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

By Evelyn Terhune



Three members of the Fairleigh Dickinson University-Teaneck Campus team became the first American representatives in the Junior World Championships when they participated in the event held in Duisburg, Germany.

The girls, Carol Kuzen, Madeline Miyamoto and Jay Reid, made the trip with their teammate Marcia Mosley and their coach, Evelyn Terhune. Funds for the trip were raised by this group with the cooperation of People-to-People Sports Committee, Inc.

The statistical performances of the girls are listed below. Of additional importance is the future promise of these competitors.

The most important thing was their reaction to a competition of this magnitude. They moved well, fenced with spirit and picked up confidence as they progressed.

A perfect case in point is the performance of Madeline Miyamoto who made the semi-final and missed advancing to the final on a barrage. In the process, she learned much. She was one of the few who defeated the eventual champion, Catherine Rousselet of France.

Two days later, the three girls and Marcia Mosley were invited to fence four members of the German team. Here Madeline scored four wins over the German girls.

All of these American girls showed promise—more international competitions will enable this promise to be fulfilled.

The appearance of Martin Becker, an American citizen who resides in Switzerland and competed for the United States, was a great disappointment to us. He could not speak English and did not live up to the picture presented to the Board of Governors when he requested approval to fence.

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### FOIL FINAL (31 competed)

1. Jean-Claude Magnan, France, 7/0.
2. Jacky Courtillat, France, 6/1.
3. Freidrich Wessel, Germany, 4/3, 26 t.r.
4. Nicola Granieri, Italy, 4/3, 23 t.r.
5. Pasquale La Ragione, Italy, 3/4.
6. Daniel Revenue, France, 2/5.
7. Manfred Behrendt, Austria, 1/6, 31 t.r.
8. Jean-Paul Olinger, Luxembourg, 1/6, 34 t.r.

### WOMEN (22 competed)

#### Preliminary

- Pool 1.** RADTKE, Germany, 4/1; HEIDENRIJK, Holland, 4/1; WEISS, Austria, 3/2; BACIC, Yugoslavia, 2/4; **Carol Kuzen**, USA, 1/4; Birt, Great Britain, 1/4.
- Pool 2.** HOFFMANN, Germany, 3/1; CRAWFURD, Holland, 3/1; DUPUY, France, 3/1; Lemaire, Belgium, 1/3; **Jeanette Reid**, USA, 1/3; Cobb, Great Britain, 1/3.
- Pool 3.** BOTBIJL, Holland, 4/0; LEVEL, France, 2/1; **Madeline Miyamoto**, USA, 2/1; Pernet, Belgium 0/3; Wilson, Great Britain, 0/3.
- Pool 4.** ROUSSILET, France, 4/0; MASCIOTTA, Italy, 3/1; HERBST, Germany, 2/2; Hofer, Austria, 1/3; Clays, Belgium, 0/4.

#### Semi-Final

- Pool 1.** HEIDENRIJK 4/0; ROUSSILET 3/1; RADTKE 3/2; CRAWFURD 2/3; **Miyamoto** 2/3; Herbst 0/5. **Fence-off:** Crawford d. Miyamoto 4-3.
- Pool 2.** HOFFMAN 4/1; MASCIOTTA 3/1; WEISS 3/1; LEVEL 2/3; Dupuy 1/4; Botbijl 1/4.

#### Final

1. Cathrin Rousselet, France, 6/1
2. Ingrid Heidenrijk, Holland, 5/2
3. Yennetta Masciotta, Italy, 4/3, 18 t.r.
4. Elke Weiss, Austria, 4/3, 19 t.r.
5. Christine Rodtke, Germany, 4/3, 21 t.r.
6. (Annick Level, France, 2/5, 23 t.r., 18 t.s. (Maja Hoffman, Germany, 2/5, 23 t.r., 18 t.s.
8. Marion Crawford, Holland, 1/6

### EPEE FINAL (31 Competed)

1. Hans Lagerwell, Sweden, 5/2
  2. Axel Wahlberg, Sweden, 5/2
  3. Orvar Lindwall, Sweden, 4/3, 26 t.r.
  4. Andre Moulinat, France, 4/3, 28 t.r.
  5. Max Dwinger, Holland, 3/4, 27 t.r.
  6. Massimo Scolari, Italy, 3/4, 29 t.r.
  7. Achille Pellegatta, Italy, 2/5, 30 t.r.
  8. Jean-Paul Allemand, France, 2/5, 31 t.r.
- Fence-off:** Lagerwall d. Wahlberg 5-4

### SABRE FINAL (26 Competed)

1. Cesare Salvadori, Italy, 6/1
2. Serge Panizza, France, 5/2, 22 t.r.
3. Werner Ragossnig, Austria, 5/2, 24 t.r.
4. Jean Brettes, France, 4/3
5. (Jaques Simon, France, 3/4, 28 t.r., 26 t.s. (Franco Sirowich, Italy, 3/4, 28 t.r., 26 t.s.
7. Corrado Coiro, Italy, 1/6, 33 t.r.
8. Dieter Wellmann, Germany, 1/6, 34 t.r.

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# INTERCOLLEGIATE

## I.F.A.

4th annual Intercollegiate Fencing championships were dominated by strong and well balanced team: go Castello's strength in depth en-

Violets to win three team titles or the fourth despite an early injury champion Gil Eisner. By adding a three individual titles to its record roved on the high mark set by Co-1954 when it also took three team d for the fourth, and won the in-ebre. This is the 14th time since : NYU has won the beautiful Alumni n Trophy.

ia placed second in the over-all shares the sabre team title with l won the individual sabre title. The of Pennsylvania placed third, one a gallant Cornell team which had is great coach, Georges Cointe.

### Epee Team

st event gave NYU its first epee : since 1952. Gil Eisner, fencing v, suffered a pulled ligament and d to withdraw with a 4/1 record. n replaced him and did much to tory by adding 3 victories to the ry Halpern was undefeated in pool and Saltzman contributed 7 wins to give the champions a 3-bout ver the defending champions from The U. of P. was third with 19

### Foil Team

won the Little Iron Man trophy for consecutive year and for the four-re since 1933. Herb Cohen was d in pool B (10/0) and defending Gene Glazer had a 9/1 record in osing only to Cornell's Marciniak. pool C, contributed 7 very impors to keep the champions two bouts runner-up Columbia. Third went

### Sabre Team

ia's traditional strength in sabre l from making an unprecedented p of the team titles. The contest ise that the outcome hinged on the

last round. N.Y.U., facing Navy, won two of the three bouts. Columbia, fencing CCNY on the adjoining strip, needed to win all three bouts to tie. Bart Nisonson, Alan Schwartz and Stephen Cetrulo came through in the clutch and the crown will be shared by the Violet and the Lion. Israel Colon, Alex Kosicharov and Robert Waltz represented N.Y.U. Navy was in the running until it met NYU, lost 2/1 and dropped to third one bout behind the champions.



**HERB COHEN**  
IFA and NCAA Foil Champion

### Foil Individual

NYU's Herb Cohen defeated his teammate, and defending champion, Gene Glazer 5-1 in the first bout which many thought decided the championship. But Columbia's J. Lustig (who reached the final on a fence-off) had other ideas. He defeated Cohen 5-3 in their respective second bout and lost only to Glazer (5-0) to end with a 4/1 record. Cohen also finished 4/1 but Glazer lost his chance to get into the fence-off when he dropped a 5-2 decision to Princeton's Adams in his last bout. Cohen avenged his sole defeat in the tournament by beating Lustig in the fence-off 5-3. Glazer placed third on touches over Adams. Columbia placed all three of its men in the final.

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**JERRY HALPERN**  
IFA and NCAA Epee Champion

### Epee Individual

Jerry Halpern of NYU was the only fencer in the entire tournament to go through the team and individual events without a single defeat. Defending champion Frank Anger of Princeton placed second on touches over Navy's Hawkins.

### TEAM RESULTS

School	E	F	S	Total
N.Y.U.	24	26	21	71
Columbia	13	24	21	58
Fenn	19	18	17	54
Cornell	16	21	16	53
Navy	15	14	20	49
Princeton	21	13	12	45
C.C.N.Y.	10	17	15	42
Yale	15	10	17	42
Harvard	14	9	16	39
Rutgers	13	8	7	28
Brooklyn	5	5	3	13

### INDIVIDUAL FINALS

**Epee:** 1. J. Halpern, NYU, 5/0; 2. F. Anger, Princeton, 3/2, 15 t.r.; 3. T. Hawkins, Navy, 3/2, 17 t.r.; 4. T. Croft, Yale, 2/3; 5. A. Woolf, Cornell, 1/4, 24 t.r., 16 t.s.; 6. J. Heilbrunn, Penn., 1/4, 24 t.r., 13 f.s.

**Foil:** 1. H. Cohen, NYU, 4/1; 2. J. Lustig, Columbia, 4/1; 3. G. Glazer, NYU, NYU, 3/2, 16 t.r.; 4. J. Adams, Princeton, 3/2, 17 t.r.; 5. P. Kende, Columbia, 1/4; 6. R. Hothenberg, Columbia, 0/5.

**Sabre:** 1. A. Schwartz, Columbia, 4/1; 2. I. Colon, NYU, 3/2; 3. F. Profeta, Yale, 2/3, 18 t.r.; 4. R. Lee, Navy, 2/3, 20 t.r.; 5. L. Heder, Harvard, 2/3, 21 t.r.; 6. R. Fields, CCNY, 2/3, 22 t.r.

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**ALAN SCHWARTZ**  
IFA Sabre Champion

### Sabre Individual

Alan Schwartz brought back to Columbia the sabre title it had last held through Steve Sobel in 1954. Schwartz was also the star of Columbia's tie for the team title, with a 9/1 record. NYU's Isadore Colon placed second. The other four finalists tied for third, and placed on touches as follows: Profeta (Yale), Lee (Navy), Heder (Harvard), Fields (CCNY). This was the only event without a defending champion, Michael Darsaro having graduated.

J. R. de C.

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John A. McDougall, Director  
San Francisco School of Fencing

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## N. C. A. A.

By Jose R. de Capriles

York University established a new record by winning all four NCAA titles for the second consecutive year. The achievement is even more remarkable in that it was achieved with six different men only one of whom has graduated. Herb Cohen won the foil with a 28/1 record, Jerry Halk the epee with 28/2 and Israel Colon in the sabre with 23/4. All three titles. Last year the three titles went to Gil Glazer, Gil Eisner and Mike Dasaro respectively. Only Mike Dasaro was unable to defend this year. This is a most significant strength in depth and has given NYU its best years in dual meet com-



**ISRAEL COLON**  
NCAA Sabre Champion

petition placed second and its coach, Profeta, was voted "coach of the year." Profeta had been accorded to N.Y.U.'s highest honor in 1960 when his team made a "clean sweep."

Herb Cohen gave the best performance in the dual meet, bowing only to Jan Gray. Second in foil went to Larry Lovelace of Ohio State and third to James Adams of Cornell.

Herb Cohen lost only to Terrence Croft and Don Margolis of Columbia. The sabre was won by Princeton's Frank Profeta who also received the "fencer of the year" award for his sportsmanship. Third place went to Harvard's Alan Gardner.

Colon was spared a fence-off when he defeated Profeta lost to Penn's Melvyn in his last bout. Profeta was thus edged out by Alan Schwartz of Columbia, who won the IFA title the week before.

Colon was the 17th annual tournament and was held at Princeton for the first time. It was decided that the organization and host school were excellent.

## WORLD DAY TOURNAMENT

The Province of Quebec Fencing Association held its annual tournament in Montreal on September 2 and 3.

The event has always attracted many fencers from the U.S. and it is hoped that this will be no exception. Entry forms are available to clubs and individuals. For further information write to Mr. Carl Schwende at 1000 Avenue du Boineau, Pont Viau, Quebec, Canada.

School	Results			Total
	F	E	S	
N.Y.U.	28	28	23	29
Princeton	23	25	20	68
Columbia	21	20	21	62
Yale	22	17	22	61
Wayne	18	20	20	58
Navy	19	19	19	57
Ohio State	24	19	14	57
Harvard	16	23	16	55
Illinois	20	14	20	54
Pennsylvania	22	14	15	51
Buffalo	11	22	18	51
Air Force	11	18	19	48
C.C.N.Y.	20	13	14	47
Notre Dame	11	22	14	47
Cornell	18	17	11	46
Stevens Tech	17	13	12	42
Michigan State	14	11	15	40
Rutgers	20	10	-0	40
Wisconsin	18	3	13	34
Fenn	7	15	11	33
Chicago	4	13	15	32
Rochester Tech	9	12	11	32
Detroit	15	8	9	31
B'klyn Poly	3	21	4	28
Johns Hopkins	5	13	5	23
Lehigh	13	9		22
V.M.I.	6	11	4	21
Lafayette	9	5	4	18
Haverford	11	4		15
N. Carolina	1	14	0	15
Iowa		12		12



**PATERSON STATE COLLEGE**  
Paula Baron, Dorothy Pohlman, Rosalyn Culotta, Paulette Singelakis.

## IWFA

By Barbi Brill

Paterson State was undefeated in the 33rd annual Intercollegiate Women's Fencing Association Championships held at Hunter College. In the 9-team round-robin the champions' closest match was 9/7 against last year's title holders from Fairleigh Dickinson-Teaneck. F.D.-T. was second and Brooklyn College a strong third.

Paulette Singelakis of Paterson won the individual crown with a 33/2 record. Defending champion Madeline Miyamoto of F.D.-T. was second with 32/3 and third went to Carol Kuzen, also of F.D.-T. The title was decided in the final match, PSC vs. FDT. Miss Singelakis had lost two bouts and Miss Miyamoto only one. A fence-off seemed certain when, in the first bout, Miss Singelakis defeated Miss Miyamoto 4-3 in over time. The defending champion lost her last opportunity to retain the title when she bowed to Dorothy Pohlman for a third defeat. Miss Pohlman was fourth (29/6), Paula Baron, fifth (28-7, 56 t.r.) and Fran Sidoti, sixth (28-7, 69 t.r.).

Ray Miller, coach of the champions, was given the "Coach of the Year" award donated by George Santelli.

Madeline Miyamoto was elected President of the IWFA for next season.

### TEAM STANDINGS

Paterson 8/0; F.D.-T., 7/1; Brooklyn 6/2; Montclair State 5/3; F.D.-Rutherford 3/5, 52 bouts; Hunter 3/5, 50 bouts; N.Y.U. 2/6, 55 bouts; Jersey City State 2/6, 45 bouts; R.I.T. 0/8 (competing with only two girls on the team).

## NORTH ATLANTIC

By Sidney Schwartz

The University of Buffalo won the overall trophy for the eleventh annual Conference Championships which were held at Syracuse University. The champions won the epee, sabre and 3-weapon team crowns to lead the field of nine colleges by 5 points. The foil crown is shared by Rochester Tech and Rutgers.

The foil and sabre individual titles went to Rochester Tech thanks to Capurso and Bambus respectively. Bambus was forced to win a four-way fence-off for the sabre crown. Syracuse's Siedlick dethroned Fishman in the epee event.

### Team Scores

Team	Scores			Total
	F	E	S	
Buffalo	11	14	12	37
Rochester Tech	14	7	11	32
Rutgers (Newark)	14	9	8	31
Drew	7	13	9	29
Syracuse	5	7	9	26
Fairleigh Dickinson	5	7	9	21
Newark Engineering	6	6	9	21
Gannon	7		6	13
Utica	3	3		6

### Individual Scores

Foil: 1. Capurso, RIT, 4/1; 2. Manochio, Rutgers, 3/2; 17 t.r.; 3. Intrater, Buffalo, 3/2, 20 t.r.; 4. Monaco, FDU, 2/3, 21 t.r.; 5. Ottimiller, RIT, 2/3, 23 t.r.; 6. Fersch, Buffalo, 1/4.

Epee: 1. Siedlick, Syracuse, 4/1; 2. Fishman, Buffalo, 3/2; 3. Bossdorf, Drew, 2/3, 17 t.r.; 4. Kladmuts, Drew, 2/3, 19 t.r.; 5. Mason, RIT, 2/3, 21 t.r.; 6. Hacker, Syracuse, 2/3, 23 t.r.

Sabre: 1. Bambus, RIT, 3/2; 2. Spiotta, FDU, 3/2; 3. Berch, Rutgers, 3/2; 4. Dunham, RIT, 3/2; 5. Scher, Buffalo, 2/3; 6. Coffey, Drew, 1/4.

# DIVISIONAL

## Arizona

By Betty Jean Brodersen

**vice:** 1. Sandra Carrico; 2. Barbara Donella Cole.  
**Betty Brodersen;** 2. Judy Moore; 3. more.  
**1. Michael Ferguson;** 2. George Scott; 3. e.  
**Kmetty;** 2. William Currie; 3. Pete  
**ca Kmetty;** 2. Raymond Yurcik; 3. rrie.  
**od Bible;** 2. John Chase; 3. William  
**in:** 1. Betty Brodersen; 2. Antonio Judy Moore.  
**Ed Slot;** 2. Art Olson; 3. Jerry



## Illinois

By June Hermanson

**Dick Green,** Calvert; 2. Ron Shelton, e Fain, UFC  
**1. Patrick O'Donovan,** UC; 2. David 3. Ron Oren, Calvert  
**Larry Silverman,** Calvert; 2. Dick ert; 3. Chuck Ringrose, ND  
**ship:** 1. Tony Zombolas, Calvert; 2. inszky, Calvert; 3. Art Schankin, Cent.  
**nship:** 1. Larry Silverman, Calvert; 2. Oppen, Calvert; 3. Dick Green, Cal-  
**onship:** 1. Larry Silverman, Calvert; kodi, UFC; 3. Robert Venegas, UFC  
**mpionship:** 1. June Hermanson, UFC; usteder, Wisc.; 3. Carol Bond, Wisc.



## Michigan

By Mary Witkowski

**it:** 1. James Campoli; 2. Conrad Martin Taylor.  
**ee:** 1. James Campoli; 2. Charles Howard Hayden.  
**re:** 1. William Goering; 2. Frank Bi- arren Duane.  
**ation:** 1. Margaret Danosi; 2. Louise tickey Weinstein.  
**ue.** won by Wayne (Weinstein, Du- ranyi).

## Central Florida

By Dr. John Shinner

Fencers from all over Florida made our Open Sunshine Festival the largest and best tournament, with 29 men and 18 women competing.  
**Results:**

**Women:** 1. Loretta Kushner, Ft. Lauderdale; 2. Edna Kehoe, St. Pete; 3. Gretchen Sommerfield, Ft. Lauderdale.

**Foil:** 1. Seymour Eisenfeld, Ft. Lauderdale; 2. Max Lombard, Ft. Lauderdale; 3. Robert Colwell, St. Pete.



## Oklahoma

By Arthur Wade

**Women's Prep:** 1. Orpha Harnish; 2. Joan Hagers; 3. Diane Wisenower.

**Foil Prep:** 1. Ray Choate; 2. Bob Saxon; 3. Paul Hahn.

Both of these were electrical. The Tulsa YMCA has just purchased two sets of equipment.

**Women's Championship:** 1. Ruth Lindsey; 2. Alice Wade; 3. Frances Duke

**Epee Championship:** 1. Art Wade; 2. Elmer Hoyle; 3. Oscar Parsons

**Foil Championship:** 1. Art Wade; 2. Oscar Parsons; 3. Bob Saxon

**Sabre Championship:** 1. Oscar Parsons; 2. Elmer Hoyle; 3. Bob Saxon



## North Texas

The Division foil championships resulted as follows:

**Foil:** 1. Tom Bickley, Dallas Y; 2. Jim Willmann, Abilene; 3. Ed Sims, Dallas Y

**Women:** 1. Charlene Cunningham, Abilene; 2. Mari- etta Towry, Dallas Y; 3. Helen Gray, Dallas Y

**Epee:** 1. Gerald Pearce, Dyess AFB; 2. Bill Towry, Dallas Y; 3. Tom Bickley, Dallas Y

**Epee Team** won by Dallas Y (Sims, Bickley, Towry)

**Women's Team** won by Dallas Y (Towry, Curl, Grey)

## Georgia

By Margaret L. Jones

With competitions in Atlanta and Fort Benning we hope to increase fencing interest in this area.

Recent results:

**Women's Novice:** 1. Diana Gondek; 2. Patricia By- rom; 3. Donna Bentley.

**Novice Foil:** 1. Vincent Faraone; 2. John Herd, 3. Phillip Massey.

**Women's Novice:** 1. Donna Bentley; 2. Patricia Byrom, 3. Judith Harrison.

**Foil:** 1. Robert Byrom; 2. Tony Mani; 3. Ewing Humphreys.

**Novice Sabre:** 1. Robert Iantoni; 2. Ewing Hum- phreys; 3. Vincent Faraone.

**3-Weapon Championship:** 1. Ewing Humphrys; 2. Capt. Ira Dushoff; 3. Lt. Paul Kolate

**Women's Championship:** 1. Martha Simpson; 2. Mar- garet Scott; 3. Beth Wilson

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By Nelson Iry

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**Women's Open:** 1. Betty Jo Haddad, St. Joseph; 2. Kay Graves, YWCA; 3. Jan Watkins, YWCA

**Foil Open:** 1. John McDaniel, Ind.; 2. Nelson Iry, YMCA; 3. Fred Aliaga, St. Joseph

**Epee Open:** 1. John McDaniel, Ind.; 2. Nelson Iry, YMCA; 3. Fred Aliaga, St. Joseph

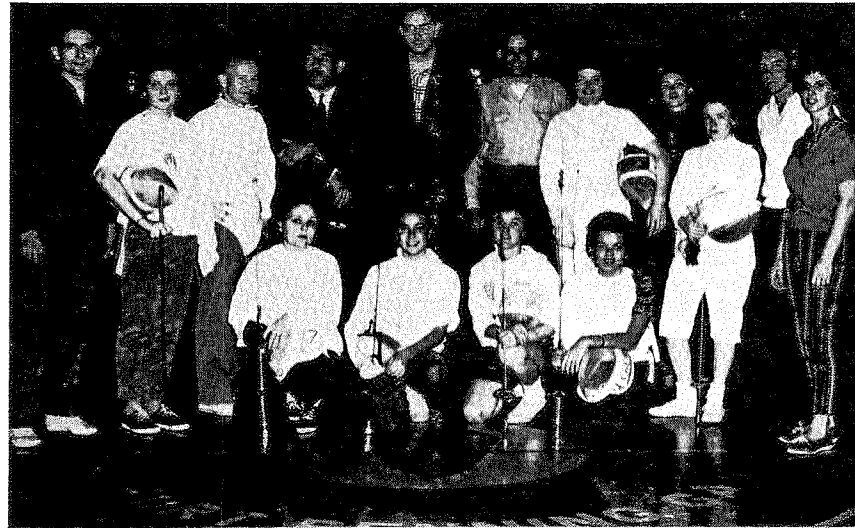
**Sabre Open:** 1. Fred Aliaga, St. Joseph; 2. Nelson Iry, YMCA; 3. Ed Koons, YMCA

## HELENE MAYER MEMORIAL

By Mary Huddleson

At the 8th annual Helene Mayer Mem- orial competition, held at the U. of C. in Berkeley, veteran Maxine Mitchell won the trophy for the fifth time. A three-way tie for second had to be resolved by fence-off after count of touches.

1. Maxine Mitchell, LAFC, 5/0; 2. Tommy An- gell, Halb., 2/3, 11 t.r., 15 t.s.; 3. Joy Des- pars LAFC, 2/3, 11 t.r., 15 t.s.; 4. Harriet King, Lucia, 2/3, 12 t.r.; 5. Mary Huddleson, Halb., 1/4; 6. Emily Johnson, Halb., 0/5.  
 Fence-off: Angell d. Despars 4-0.



FENCING AT FORT BENNING

**Left to Right—Front Row.** Marilyn Marosa, Diana Dondek, Judith Harrison, Helen Pappageorge. **Back Row:** Capt. Dion Johnson, Susan Clapsaddle, Capt. Robert Byrom, Tony Mani, Capt. Norman Herbert, Capt. James Stallard, Donna Bentley, Jenny Johnson, Patricia Byrom, Lt. Fred Werner, Margy Scott.



## Gulf Coast

By Ed Gause

Paul Pesthy, USMPT; 2. Arnold So-T; 3. Ralph Holmes, Texas U.  
on by Pentathlon I (Jackson, Pesthy,

Ed Gause, Bucs; 2. Ralph Holmes, Robert Shelby, Ind.

1. Ralph Holmes, Tex. U.; 2. Gill 3. Ed Gause, Bucs.

1. Alan Finger, Ind.; 2. Bailey Pheips, lph Holmes, Tex. U.

1. Ralph Holmes, Tex U.; 2. Gill 3. Owen Anderson, Tex. U.

ice: 1. Lou Gause, Bucs; 2. Nancy hn's; 3. Anne Riquelmy, St. John's.

mediate: 1. Barbara Berry, Ind.; 2. lmy, St. John's; 3. Carol Murff, Bucs.

1. Harvey Pollard, Rice; 2. Ronald ; 3. Burton Silverman, Rice.

1. Burton Silverman, Rice; 2. Ron-Rice; 3. Bailey Phelps, Rice.

1. Robert Shelby, Ind.; 2. Fred Sklor, in Finger, Ind.

won by the Bluebeards (Monroe, er).

## Western New York

By Silvia Zielinski

1. Ron Schwartz, Kenmore; 2. Don more; 3. Julius Varosy, Bishop Fallon. Garcia Richmond, Buffalo; 2. Lydien ; 3. Ione Kurek, Buffalo.

icipioni, Rochester; 2. Arthur Plouffe, 3. John Capurso, Rochester.

ur Plouffe, Rochester; 2. Robert Fish-o; 3. Guy Pinter, Syracuse.

arles Dunham, Rochester; 2. Arthur chester; 3. Julius Varosy, Buffalo.

## Kentucky

By Paul Ross

1. Bob Hensley, Lexington; 2. Scott lington; 3. Ted De Beane, Lexington.

n: 1. Mary Gehant, FCL; 2. Gigi Boross; 3. Pat Moore, Huntington.

1. Team won by Salle Von Boross of Story, Emhoff, Ivone).

im won by Cincinnati FC (Gilchrist, without the loss of a single bout.

mpionship: 1. Robert Hensley, Lex.; e, Louisville Y; 3. Paul Ross, Lex.

1: 1. Jay Hensley, Lex.; 2. Mary Ge- 3. Pat Moore, Huntington.

## Washington, D.C.

By Virginia Crawford

**Women's Novice:** 1. Nana May, DCFC; 2. Veronica Smith, DCFC; 3. Virginia Crawford, DCFC.

**Women's Novice:** 1. Veronica Smith, DCFC; 2. Virginia Crawford, DCFC; 3. Nana May, DCFC.

**Open Foil:** 1. Scott Breckinridge, WFC; 2. Robert Munson, DCFC; 3. Thomas McDonald, DCFC.

**Open Epee:** 1. Daniel Lyons, DCFC; 2. Robert Beck, USN; 3. Peter Conomikes, WFC.

**Women's Open:** 1. Veronica Smith, DCFC; 2. Virginia Crawford, DCFC; 3. Joan Walls, DCFC.

**Open Sabre:** 1. Jack Michaelson, DCFC; 2. Peter Conomikes, DCFC; 3. Vernon Elder, DCFC.

**Foil Championship:** 1. Daniel Lyons, DCFC; 2. Richard Steere, Balto. IY; 3. Vernon Elder, DCFC.

**Women's Championship:** 1. Lisa Haller, WFC; 2. Jane Burger, Balto., IY; 3. Veronica Smith, DCFC.

**Sabre Championship:** 1. Nelson Fishman, Balto., JCC; 2. Vernon Elder, DCFC; 3. Thomas Carhart, WFC.

## Indiana

By Mrs. Robert Dietz

The Division Championship meet, held at Culver Military Academy, drew 20 entries from the following groups: Indiana U., Notre Dame, Indianapolis FC, Culver MA and Horace Mann H.S. Results:  
**Foil:** 1. T. Dwyer, ND; 2. R. Sweeney, IU; 3. P. Merry, CMA.

**Epee:** 1. R. McKee, CMA; 2. Chase, CMA; 3. D. Gage, HM.

**Sabre:** 1. W. Holland, IU; 2. W. Hathaway, IU; 3. F. Coons, IFC.

## Philadelphia

By Elizabeth Wheeler

**Epee 'B':** 1. F. Anger, Princeton; 2. K. McMahon, U of P; 3. R. Chapman, Princeton.

**Open Epee:** 1. F. Anger, Princeton; 2. R. Jones Ssizar; 3. L. Anastasi, Csiszar.

**Yale Trophy** attracted 18 schools and was won by Girard College.

## Long Island

By Bernard Stein

**Women's Handicap:** 1. Inge Edson; 2. Selma Satran; 3. Henrietta Tuthill (All L.I. Swordsmen)

**Open Epee:** 1. Powell, NYAC; 2. Abrams, Pace; 3. Grossberg, Pace

**Women's Open:** 1. Inge Edson; 2. Henrietta Tuthill; 3. Julia Lichtenstein

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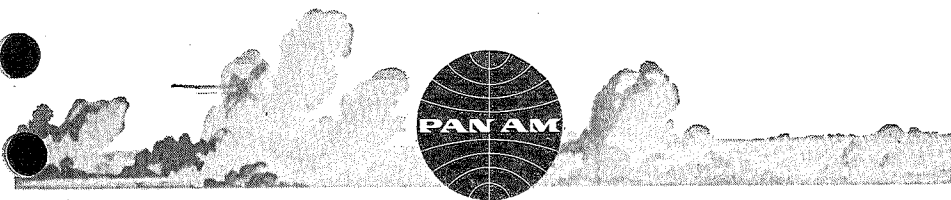
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# TWO TRAGIC LOSSES



**CHARLES STEINHARDT**

nths ago Charlie Steinhardt was had Hodgkin's disease and only to live. On May 2, 1961, the ved correct. A strong fencer of ik, and former intercollegiate e left many friends throughout and in Europe who mourn his

## TYPICAL SENTIMENT

ith deep regret about the death rles Steinhardt on May 2, 1961 Base Hospital. Those of us who him over the years appreciate He was a true friend, a splendid great fencer . . . he served as 1 and driving force for better

Dan J. Edwards  
Chairman, St. Louis Division

## FROM MICHEL ALAUX

"The last time I saw him was when he came to train for the Nationals and the Olympic Team. He performed below his high level and complained of lack of speed. The deadly disease had already taken hold. The last day of training he gave a caricature of me giving lessons and had us all in stitches. This is the last wonderful picture of him that will live in my memory of Charlie.

Despite his suffering and knowing that he had only four months to live, Charlie kept his chin up like a great man and fencer would.

May his family and especially his wife Helen and his four children find here the expression of our sorrow and may our affection for Charlie be a comfort to them."

## ALL-OHIO CHAMPIONSHIPS

By Robert Kaplan

Columbus was host to the annual tournament which attracted 59 entries.

Only one of the defending champions was able to retain his crown. He is L. Loveland of Columbus who was undefeated in the strong foil final. J. Crane (Cincinnati) and J. Kitson (Cleveland) tied for second and placed as listed on touches.

The epee title went to H. James of Cleveland with a 6/2 record in the final. A tie for second was resolved in favor of A. Styler (Cleveland) over B. Ritenour (Columbus). Defending champion G. Pinter (Cleveland) was fifth.

The sabre crown went to Cleveland's T. Legeza. Four men tied for second and, on touches, defending champion H. James (Cleveland) placed over A. Styler (Cleveland), P. Homorody (Columbus) and R. Weaver (Columbus) who finished in that order.

The women's title was won by S. Billings of Cleveland. Defending champion M. Fried was not present. A three-way tie for second placed the girls as follows: G. Ivone (Cincinnati), K. Straga (Cleveland), M. Papurt (Columbus).



**GEORGES COINTE**

Georges Cointe died at the age of 62 on March 11, 1961 while watching his Cornell team lead the U. of P. 10-7 in a dual meet.

A highly esteemed fencing master in New York circles for many years, Mr. Cointe went to Ithaca in 1934 and developed strong teams from the rawest material. A man of towering principles, he was modest, well read, witty and unfailingly cheerful. He transmitted much of his philosophy to his pupils, and two of his champions received the "fencer of the year" award at the NCAA tournament: Philippe Mocquard in 1954 and Raoul Sudre in 1960. No intercollegiate team was more gracious or more spotlessly attired. Probably his best protegee is Richard Pew who took up fencing in his sophomore year and became IFA, NCAA and National Open epee champion, made the 1956 Olympic Team in his senior year and placed fourth in the Olympic Epee championship.

Mr. Cointe was head trainer of the 1956 Olympic oarsmen at Melbourne, yet found time to help the fencing team in many ways. In 1959 he was again on hand to help during the Pan American Games.

Mr. Cointe was a non-commissioned officer in the French army in World War I and was wounded. Humiliated by the fall of France in World War II, he enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1943 at the age of 44 and became liaison officer with the Free French,

took part in the African campaign and in the invasion and liberation of France. He was awarded the Croix de Guerre and the Purple Heart.

Georges died exactly the way he wanted to, doing what he loved best. All our recollections of him are happy ones. The only sad thing is that he is gone.

J. R. de Capriles

## TRIBUTE FROM THE CAPTAIN OF THE 1960 OLYMPIC TEAM

Those of us who had the privilege of knowing Georges Cointe were fortunate indeed.

For more than a quarter century, as fencing coach and as crew trainer, Georges worked with thousands of young men and women who were active representatives of Cornell in intercollegiate competition.

How fondly he is remembered as "Uncle George" — the little "Iron Man" with the greatest spirit ever. Georges left his mark on all with whom he came in contact. I was luckier than most. Just thirty years ago, when I first learned to fence, I was on a team competing against the Saltus Club in New York — the team then coached by Georges Cointe. I saw him in action, heard his words of encouragement and was deeply impressed with his high sense of ethics and sportsmanship. He was coach of the opposing team and I came away with the wonderful feeling that I was engaged in a sport which produced and was led by such an inspiring man!

Through the intervening years I'd see him regularly at dual meets and intercollegiate championships, and his spirit know no bounds. I could see the wonderful effect he had on his boys — not just to compete to win — but to compete using every fibre of your will, every last measure of your skill and energy — and with it all to be sportsmanlike with consideration of your opponent — to win graciously — and if not (for you can't always win) then to lose gracefully.

"Fencing," said Georges Cointe, "is like life itself." How many of us have heard him say that, and then have him launch into one of his numerous discussions on the similarities between our great sport and so many of life's normal activities.

With Georges Cointe's precepts and determination as an example there is no limit to

al in life. With full humility I for  
 tribute to Georges' cheerful example  
 f the credit for my having attained  
 ship on three United States Olympic  
 and it was he who confidently fore-  
 t I would be captain in 1960.

ies Cointe knew that he was going  
 f a heart attack. His wish was that  
 happen in the fencing room.

in death he was an inspiration to  
 orges died even as he watched his  
 the ecstasy of victory. Georges' cup  
 He had done his job well. How many  
 n point to such an accomplishment in  
 multitude of us are better human be-  
 having known him.

heartfelt sympathy goes out to his  
 mily, and to Cornell University. But  
 would not have wanted us to grieve.  
 st carry on in the tradition which  
 so happy to demonstrate all his life.  
 has left a living monument in the  
 ds of people who knew and loved  
 Ve are the fortunate ones.

Ralph M. Goldstein

## TRIBUTE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE AFLA

His loss will be keenly felt in the fencing  
 world.

The best epitaph that a man may receive  
 is to have it said of him that the world is  
 a better place because he was in it. The  
 fencing world is better because of Georges  
 Cointe. Those who knew him will long  
 remember him; those who did not know him  
 will all unknowingly feel his influence for a  
 long time to come because of what he has  
 contributed to the sport and to the devotees  
 who had the privilege of working with him.

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## Southern California

By Fred Linkmeyer

**1.** Albert Davis, Unatt.; **2.** Lee Rombeau, Wm. Edwards, LAFC.

**Team** won by Faulkner's School of Fencing (Jenge, McLennon, Wiggins).

**1.** Albert Davis, Unatt.; **2.** Joseph Lampf, Carl Milletaire, Vince.

**re:** **1.** Leslie Bleamaster, Unatt.; **2.** Dan Hill, McKee; **3.** Jim Adams, McKee.

**re:** **1.** Fred Raser, LAAC; **2.** Sal DeBellis, Paul Etter, Vince.

**1:** **1.** Jay Drosin, LAFC; **2.** Andy Rivera, Halton Arp, Faulkner.

**re:** **1.** Phil McLennon, Faulkner; **2.** Sal i, Vince; **3.** Gerald Paltin, Vince.

**Composite** won by "Ichy-Rom-Rom" (Ichi-ombeau, Romary).

**'B' Team** won by Faulkner's S. F. (D(rago, yer, Gerakin, Ichiyasu).

**Open:** **1.** Harriet King, Lucia; **2.** Jan Ro-AFA; **3.** Bettie Drago, Faulkner

**re:** **1.** Maxine Mitchell, LAFC; **2.** Bettie Faulkner; **3.** Bonnie Linkmeyer, Faulkner.

**Foot" Epee:** **1.** Halton Arp, Faulkner; **2.** nbeau, LAFC; **3.** Don Benge, Faulkner.

**h Epee:** **1.** Lee Rombeau, LAFC; **2.** Tom LAAC; **3.** Leslie Bleamaster, Unatt.

**r:** **1.** Claton Williams, Unatt.; **2.** Halton ulkner; **3.** Carl Milletaire, Vince.

## Northern Ohio

By James Gosline

**il-Epee:** **1.** Paul Scipioni, Rochester; **2.** mes, Kadar; **3.** Al Styler, Kadar.

**omen's Invitation:** **1.** Pacita Dumenieux, Mary Gehant, Louisville; **3.** Myrel Pittsburgh.

**odland Invitational, all weapons, attrac-** entries from seven divisions and from Results:

**awrence** Loveland, Columbus; **2.** Forest Pittsburgh; **3.** Herb James, Cleveland.

**Myrel** Fried, Pittsburgh; **2.** Diane Neu-Milwaukee; **3.** Cynthia van Heekeren, th.

**v. Styler,** Cleveland; **2.** R. Foxcroft, On-C. Thomas, Toledo.

**William** Goering, Detroit; **2.** Thomas Le-veland; **3.** Robert Foxcroft, Ontario.

## Maryland

By Richard F. Oles

**Women's Prep:** **1.** Anne Hahn, Goucher; **2.** Janet Roseman, Goucher; **3.** Sharon Causey, MFC.

**Foil Team** won by WFC (Breckinridge, Weiss, Schafft, Swick).

**Women's Handicap:** **1.** Didi Bottemanne, MFC; **2.** Una Flynn, DCFC; **3.** Jane Burger, IYFC.

**Foil Prep:** **1.** Dick Taylor, JHU; **2.** Dick Bockman, JHU; **3.** Barry Berdahl, JHU.

**Sabre Team** won by WFC (Fishman, Schafft, Johnson).

**Open Foil:** **1.** James McCarthy, USNA; **2.** Dan Lyons, DCFC; **3.** Roberto Garcia, IYFC.

**Foil Championship:** **1.** Capt. Richard Steere, USN; **2.** Clyde Van Arsdall, USNA; **3.** Edward Bealle, USNA.

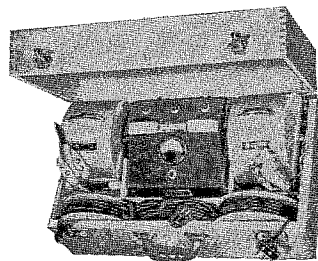
**Women's Championship:** **1.** Veronica Smith, DCFC; **2.** Barton Heaps, IYFC; **3.** June Hongart, DCFC.

**Epee Championship:** **1.** James Droste, USNA; **2.** Bob Beck, USN; **3.** Thane Hawkins, USNA.

**Sabre Championship:** **1.** Lee Stanley, IYFC; **2.** Nelson Fishman, JCC; **3.** Edward Hurst, USNA.

**3-Weapon Championship:** **1.** Capt. Richard Steere, USN; **2.** Lee Stanley, IYFC; **3.** Dick Oles, IYFC.

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## New England

By Carla Mae Festa

**Sabre Unclass.:** **1.** Ivars Graudins, LFC; **2.** Karl Stephens, YMCA; **3.** Arturs Ginters, LFC.

**Foil Unclass.:** **1.** Janis Kenigs, LFC; **2.** Larry Cohen, YMCA; **3.** Ivars Graudins, LFC.

**Women's Unclass.:** **1.** Barbara Hall, YMCA; **2.** Barbara Townsend, Unatt.; **3.** Linda Marsh, Dana Hall.

**Sabre Team** won by Composite (Richards, Witt, Lisis).

**Foil Team** won by M.I.T. (Karp, Levis, Rosof).

**3-Weapon Team** won by Composite (Richards, Spahr, Witt).

**Women's Team** won by Boston FC (Aylward, Flesch, Smetana).

**Epee Team** won by Latvian FC (U. Kaktins, E. Kaktins, Graudins)

**Prep Sabre:** **1.** Art Best, MIT; **2.** A. Ginters, LFC; **3.** Peter Nagy, LFC

**Prep Foil:** **1.** Larry Cohen, YMCA; **2.** Steve Palmer, YMCA; **3.** Ralph Zimmerman, MIT

**Prep Epee:** **1.** R. Waterman, YMCA; **2.** Juris Veidens, LFC; **3.** John Ely, YMCA

**Foil Championship:** **1.** Ed Richards, NYAC; **2.** Sherman Karp, MIT; **3.** Richard Johnson, Harvard

**Women's Championship:** **1.** Barbara Hall, YMCA; **2.** Carla Mae Festa, BFC; **3.** Alyce Smetana, BFC

**Sabre Championship:** **1.** Stephen Nagy, Unatt.; **2.** Ed Richards, NYAC; **3.** Karl Stephens, YMCA

**Epee Championship:** **1.** James Roberts, MIT; **2.** Allan Gardner, Harvard; **3.** Egils Kaktins, LFC

**Open Foil:** **1.** Ed Richards, NYAC; **2.** Larry Johnson, Harvard; **3.** Sherman Karp, MIT

**Women's Open:** **1.** Helen Kenney, BFC; **2.** Margaret Sullivan, YWCA; **3.** Barbara Hall, YWCA

**Sabre Open:** **1.** Ed Richards, NYAC; **2.** Gus Witt, MIT; **3.** Louis Heder, Harvard

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## BRANDEIS INVITATION

By Carla Mae Festa

The seventh Annual Brandeis Invitation Tournament attracted 104 girls from 11 schools and 5 clubs in New England. The girls must be fencing less than two years and are divided into four groups according to the extent of instruction they have had: Class A, over 9 months; Class B, 6-9 months; Class C, 3-6 months; Class D, less than 3 months. The winners were:

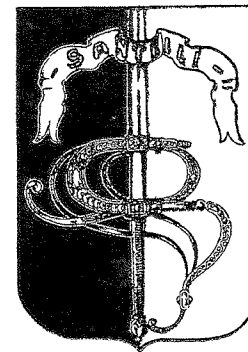
**Class A:** **1.** Pamela Chiodo, Waterbury; **2.** Jean Gilmore, Westbrook; **3.** Lynn Leva, Brandeis.

**Class B:** **1.** Helen Tsantoulos, Conn.; **2.** Daniela Guggenheim, BFC; **3.** Elaine Swider, Warwick.

**Class C:** **1.** Eliza Thomas, Westbrook; **2.** Cheryl Merigold, Warwick; **3.** Jacqueline Mueller, Mt. Holyoke.

**Class D:** **1.** Neila Helmholz, Wellesley; **2.** Diane Fennelly, Conn.; **3.** Barbara Kennon, Wellesley.

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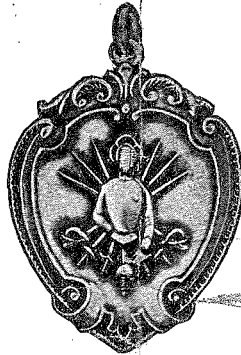


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