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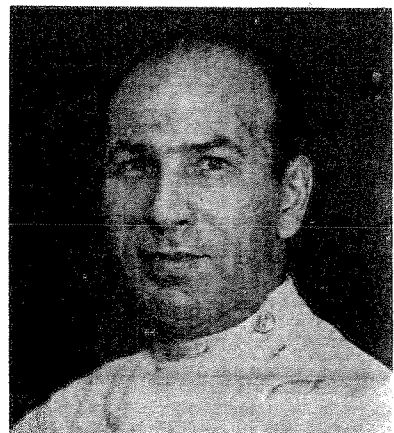
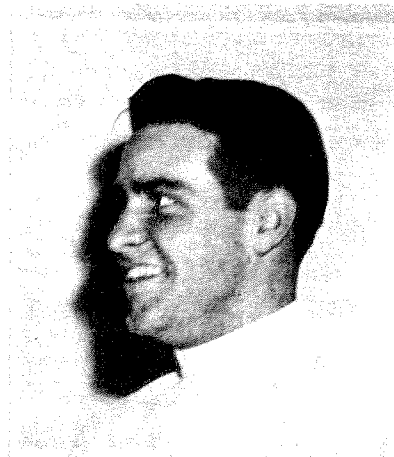
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By RALPH GOLDSTEIN, Secretary

### BOARD OF GOVERNORS

At the meeting of April 4, the Secretary's report on membership indicated an increase of approximately 200 members over last year at the same time. The continuing entrance of young men into the armed services has raised a problem as to where a fencer in service should join the A.F.L.A. and how his membership should be handled when he is transferred from one base to another. The use of the non-divisional membership was suggested; and a committee of Ralph Goldstein, chairman, Allan Kwartler and Sol Gorlin was appointed to study the problem.

The Foreign Secretary reported that the F.I.E. Congress will be held in Venice on May 20-21. The President reported the formation of the Pan American Fencing Federation, to be administered by a permanent commission located in Mexico until 1957. Dr. Eduardo Hay represents the English-speaking countries. In 1957, the President, Vice-President, and Secretary of the Commission will be American, inasmuch as the 1959 Pan American Games are to be held in Cleveland.

### WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The World Championships will be held in Rome, October 7-19. Permission has been granted to Julia Doershuk and her husband Bernard F. Schoek to fence in this tournament. Other candidates are advised to submit their requests promptly, inasmuch as the list of competitors must be sent to Italy in August.

### SOUTH FLORIDA

Albert Murray, William Mason, Mac Lombard, and James Stopleton, having failed to respond satisfactorily to the charges filed, have been adjudged guilty as charged. Accordingly they have been censured and suspended indefinitely. The divisional suspension has been lifted, and members are authorized to hold a meeting for the purpose of electing new officers.

### REINSTATEMENT

The Board of Governors has approved the reinstatement of Gervase C. Thomas of Minneapolis to amateur standing.

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## THE PAN-AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

By Jose R. de Capriles, Captain, U. S. Team

If this article sometimes sounds more like an editorial than a straight news report, it is due to my personal regard for the magnificent 1955 team which represented the United States in Mexico.

With only ten men, and lacking some of our top competitors in foil and epee, we fielded six-man teams in each weapon; and together with our three girls maintained the fencing supremacy of the United States in the Western Hemisphere. In the team events, we took the sabre championship with ease, and needed only a little luck to make a clean sweep, since we tied the winners in foil and epee and finished second only on a count of bouts or touches. In the individuals, we won the men's and women's foil, three seconds, two thirds, one tie for fourth, two fifths, and one sixth. Using the standard but unofficial Olympic point scoring system for the first six places (10-5-4-3-2-1) we led the field with 70½ points, while Argentina had 49½, Mexico 23, Venezuela 16 and Uruguay 11. The accounts of each event contain full details.

Al Kwartler had the heaviest assignment, fencing 53 bouts and winning 32. He also was our representative in the unofficial electrical foil event, where he fenced 10 bouts. Another "work horse," Dick Dyer, fenced 47 bouts and won 31. The rest of the load was fairly well distributed. Yet, it is clear that in the future we will have to field a full squad if we are to remain on top. Argentina is always dangerous, and in epee they have a strong and young team. Uruguay shows much promise in foil and sabre. Venezuela's real talent seems to be in epee. The absence of Cuba, strong in foil and epee, was regrettable. Mexico's male stars are aging, but their young women are developing well.

From the United States point of view, one of the most gratifying features of the II Pan

American Games was the excellent performance of our new internationalists—Eve Siegel, Abe Cohen, Dick Dyer and Sewall Shurtz—and the seasoning of young Hal Goldsmith. With such reliable veterans as Maxine Mitchell, Albie Axelrod, Al Kwartler and George Worth, the outlook for next year's Olympics is encouraging.

We had tough breaks in the foil and epee team championships, perhaps foreshadowed by our experiences before the Games got under way: We left Idlewild on a "non-stop" flight, but were compelled to refuel enroute, so that we did not reach Mexico until midnight; Tracy Jaeckel, who had been named the F.I.E.'s representative, was unable to attend due to a last-minute illness; the prestige and honor of carrying the flag at the Opening Ceremonies, which under established practice belonged to fencing due to my seniority as an Olympic competitor, was denied to us by an unexplained reversal of precedent by our own Olympic Committee; and several of our fencers developed "tourist's disease" before their events started. Nevertheless the trip was a great success, due to the marvelous team spirit and cooperation of our group. The fine sportsmanship of the United States fencers set the pattern of the Games and was praised by everyone. Although each event was hotly contested, there was a general atmosphere of good-will, which made these competitions the most pleasant I have attended. Special thanks are due to George Worth, apart from his sterling performance as a competitor, for his service as team manager; his efficiency will be hard to duplicate.

Thanks are also in order for Miguel de Capriles, the A.F.L.A. representative on the U.S. Olympic Committee, who left two days early in order to represent us at the organization meeting for the fencing events.



**U.S. PAN AMERICAN TEAM, 1955: Harold Goldsmith, Jose de Capriles (Capt.), George Worth, Grace Acel, Tibor Nyilas, Maxine Mitchell, Sewall Shurtz, Eve Siegel, Dick Dyer, Paul Makler, Abram Cohen, Allan Kwartler. Not shown: Albert Axelrod.**

—Photo by Nickolas Muray

His considerable prestige among our Latin-American neighbors and his experience at the first Pan-American Games in Buenos Aires stood us in good stead. When he met us at the airport he had already ironed out many difficulties we might have faced. He later served as the U.S. member of the Jury of Appeal, and his presence at the majority of the fencing sessions was a tremendous help. It is too bad that the importance of having experienced U.S. officials at these Games is not yet recognized by our Olympic Committee.

Another veteran, Nick Muray, accompanied us and spent his "vacation" helping us and cheering us on. This leads me to relate a most unusual incident: During the foil team event, an American couple, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fahey, dropped in for a few moments between rounds of the tennis matches which were being held at the same club. He is manager of Wells Fargo in Mexico, and was on vacation and planning to go to Acapulco. He and his wife became so interested that they cancelled their reservations in Acapulco, and spent the next two weeks at every fencing session as our personal cheering section. On the final day, they threw a cocktail party for the team, and we presented them with a fan bearing all our signatures.

The Mexican Organizing Committee did an excellent job. We were housed at the beautiful new University City, with its dramatic modern architecture and striking color combinations. Although as usual the fencing site was miles from the living quarters, transportation was always at our disposal. Four "neutral" officials were imported

to do the directing: Anspach of Belgium, Cuccia of Italy, de Leon of Panama, and Mercier of France. Miguel de Capriles of the United States and Carlo Agostoni, an Italian residing in Mexico, were also used to direct epee team events. Impartial directors from countries other than those participating are an absolute necessity, and our Olympic Committee will have to make similar arrangements for the Pan American Games in Cleveland in 1959, even though we in the United States have quite a few men whose ability is recognized by all our friends in this Hemisphere.



#### WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL

##### Won by Maxine Mitchell, U.S.A.

Maxine Mitchell, our national champion, got us off to a good start by sweeping aside all opposition in the opening event of the schedule. In her ten consecutive victories, she was touched only ten times, with Grace Acel being the only one to carry her to 3-all. She dropped her last bout to Mexico's Pilar Roldan, 4-3, after the title was safely in her possession.

Second place went to Argentina's Antequeda, who lost only to Mitchell and to Eve Siegel. Eve placed third on touches over Roldan, and her performance justified her selection in every way: She fenced coolly and improved as the tournament progressed; she has a good style for international competition. Grace Acel placed sixth, thus keeping all our entries in the scoring column. She fenced Maxine in the first and finest bout of the final, and then defeated Eve 4-3 in her second bout; but the effort seemed to take quite a bit out of her, so that she dropped two 4-3 bouts which normally she could have won.

Miss Roldan's victory over Mrs. Mitchell and her fourth place were of course very popular with the Mexican audience; and her performance is of special interest because she is only 15 years old, and also because her father, Angel Roldan, was a finalist in the epee individual. I don't know of a similar achievement by any other father-daughter combination, although our own Eve Siegel and Abe Cohen provided an unusual parallel as a brother-sister combination in the same two events.

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## WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL SUMMARIES

## 15 Competitors, 3 Preliminary Pools

**Pool 1.** MITCHELL, USA, d. Prestien 4-1, Orozco 4-2, McGinnis 4-0 (3v, 0d.); NAVARRO, Venezuela, d. Prestien 4-2, McGinnis 4-2 (2v, 1d); OROZCO, Mexico, d. Prestien 4-2, Navarro 4-3 (2v, 1d); Prestien, Argentina, d. McGinnis 4-1 (1v, 3d); McGinnis, Brazil, lost three.

**Pool 2.** ACEL, USA, d. Roldan 4-2, Coutinho 4-0, Antequeda 4-2 (3v, 1d); ANTEQUEDA, Argentina, d. Selle 4-3, Roldan 4-2, Coutinho 4-0 (3v, 1d); ROLDAN, Mexico, d. Selle 4-2, Coutinho 4-3 (2v, 2d); Selle, Venezuela, d. Coutinho 4-1, Acel 4-3 (2v, 2d); U. Coutinho, Brazil, lost four.

**Fence-off:** Roldan d. Selle 4-1.

**Pool 3.** SIEGEL, USA, d. Pomato 4-1, Pareyon 4-2 (3v, 1d); SANDER, Venezuela, d. Coutinho 4-1, Pomato 4-3, Pareyon 4-1 (3v, 1d); M. COUTINHO, Brazil, d. Siegel 4-0, Pareyon 4-3 (2v, 2d); Pomato, Argentina, d. Coutinho 4-3, Pareyon 4-2 (2v, 2d); Pareyon, Mexico, lost four.

**Fence-off:** Coutinho d. Pomato 4-2.

## Final (9 Competitors)

1. MITCHELL, USA, d. Acel 4-3, Navarro 4-0, Sander 4-2, Orozco 4-0, Antequeda 4-1, Coutinho 4-1 and Siegel 4-0 (7v, 1 d);

2. ANTEQUEDA, Argentina, d. Acel 4-2, Navarro 4-2, Sander 4-1, Roldan 4-3, Orozco 4-3, and Coutinho 4-3 (6v, 2d);

3. SIEGEL, USA, d. Sander 4-2, Roldan 4-2, Orozco 4-1, Antequeda 4-1, and Soutinho 4-1 (5v, 3d, 20 t.r.);

4. ROLDAN, Mexico, d. Mitchell 4-3, Acel 4-3, Navarro 4-1, Orozco 4-2, and Coutinho 4-1 (5v, 3d, 22 t.r.);

5. NAVARRO, Venezuela, d. Acel 4-2, Sander 4-0, Orozco 4-1 and Siegel 4-1 (4v, 4d);

6. ACEL, USA, d. Sander 4-0, Coutinho 4-3, and Siegel 4-3 (3v, 5d);

7. COUTINHO, Brazil, d. Navarro 4-2, and Orozco 4-2 (2v, 6d, 28 t.r.);

8. OROZCO, Mexico, d. Acel 4-3 and Sander 4-3 (2v, 6d, 30/17);

9. SANDER, Venezuela, d. Roldan 4-3 and Coutinho 4-3 (2v, 6d, 30/16).

FOIL TEAM  
Won by Argentina

The story of our loss of the foil team title to a good Argentine team traces back to an injury sustained by Albert Axelrod (a torn back muscle of his right leg) during a warm-up session shortly after the team's arrival. The leg was extremely swollen and bloodshot on the first day of the foil team event, when we were scheduled to meet Uruguay, Mexico and Argentina in that order. We knew Argentina's strength, but it was obvious that Uruguay was a dangerous threat.

We started off with de Capriles, Kwartler, Goldsmith and Axelrod, in that order, and managed to win over Uruguay 8-8, on touches, despite the fact that Axelrod, obviously suffering great pain, lost three bouts. Against Mexico, I felt it imperative to test and warm up Makler and Nyilas, in case Axelrod could not be used against Argentina. Nyilas' three victories proved to be our top for the match, as Kwartler and Goldsmith each won two and Makler lost four, against an inspired Mexican team which beat us 9-7. Actually, Mexico had only two strong fencers, Ramos and Haro, and even they would normally be good for only two bouts each against us, rather than seven out of eight. Paul's failure made him the apparent goat, but really both Kwartler and Goldsmith had a let-down after the tough Uruguay match. Makler had bad luck in two of his bouts, when several of his counter-time beat ripostes were annulled because the attack was called foul or good; but that is not the whole story: Paul suffered some "off days" which are the nightmare of athletes; his legs lacked spring and his counter-time game was just off beat. If there is to be any "goat" for this loss, it must be the Captain who guessed wrong. I say all this without detracting from Mexico's victory: they fenced with wonderful spirit and determination and earned the decision.

Our next match, with Argentina, was the best-fenced and most exciting match of the tournament. Axelrod insisted that he could fence without serious injury to his leg, so we fielded our original team and each man won two and lost two. With the score 8-7 against us Axelrod, who had dropped two 5-4 bouts, faced Felix Galimi, the 1951 Pan American Champion. The score saw-sawed to four-all, with Albie abusing his leg horribly in order to overpower Galimi's classical style. When he scored the last touch and limped off the strip, we had won by a margin of 14 touches.

The victory over Argentina made our loss to Mexico all the more painful. It was obvious that the title would hinge on bout scores, and Argentina had overpowered its first two opponents. In our next match, we crushed Venezuela, 15-1, but Argentina won handily over Mexico, and by the time we met Colombia in the final match, we could win only if Uruguay beat Argentina. Unfortunately, Uruguay had dropped a heart-breaker to Venezuela, and fell an easy victim to Argentina 12-4. The first-place tie was resolved against us by 58-48.

The story would be incomplete without a sincere tribute to Axelrod for his tremendous courage and determination. Goldsmith and Kwartler fenced well in every match, but each must become a more consistent performer in team events. Makler regained

some confidence with his three victories against Colombia. Nyilas justified our confidence that he can be used to fill any gap. I fenced more than I had anticipated, and take pride only in the fact that I was able to win all my lead-off bouts.

FOIL TEAM SUMMARIES  
(Six-team Round-Robin)

(1) U.S.A. 8v., 55 t.r.; URUGUAY 8 v., 65 t.r.  
J. de Capriles (2 v., 2 d) defeated Rimini 5-1 and Rossi 5-3; lost to Golliardi 5-3 and Paladino 5-4. Kwartler (3 v., 1 d) defeated Rimini 5-4, Golliardi 5-1 and Rossi 5-0; lost to Paladino 5-4. Goldsmith (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Rimini 5-3 and Rossi 5-0; lost to Paladino 5-3 and Golliardi 5-3. Axelrod (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Rossi 5-3; lost to Rimini 5-1. Golliardi 5-4 and Paladino 5-3.

(2) VENEZUELA 8 v., 53 t.r.; MEXICO 8 v., 54 t.r.

Venezuela: A. Gutierrez 1 v., G. Gutierrez 3 v., Vargaz 0 v., Nieves 4 v. Mexico: Haro 2 v., Fajardo 2 v., Luna 2 v., Ramos 2 v.

(3) ARGENTINA 14 v.; COLOMBIA 2 v.

Argentina: Felix Galimi 4 v., Fulvio Galimi 3 v., Rodriguez 4 v., Massini 3 v. Colombia: Blando 2 v., Echeverri 0 v., Acosta 0 v., Uribe 0 v.

(4) MEXICO 9 v.; U.S.A. 7 v.

Kwartler (2v., 2d) defeated Fajardo 5-2 and Cicero 5-2; lost to Ramos 5-2 and Haro 5-3. Makler (4 d.) lost to Haro 5-1, Fajardo 5-3, Cicero 5-4 and Ramos 5-2. Goldsmith (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Fajardo 5-3 and Cicero 5-3; lost to Ramos 5-3 and Haro 5-3. Nyilas (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Haro 5-3, Fajardo 5-4 and Cicero 5-3; lost to Ramos 5-1.

(5) ARGENTINA 14 v.; VENEZUELA 2 v.

Argentina: Felix Galimi 4 v., Fulvio Galimi 4 v., Massini 3 v., Marcelo 3 v. Venezuela: Gutierrez 2 v., Carbera 0 v., Avila 0 v., Vargaz 0 v.

(6) URUGUAY 10 v.; COLOMBIA 6v.

Uruguay: Rimini 2 v., Golliardi 3 v., Paladino 3 v., Rossi 2 v. Colombia: Blando 2 v., Echeverri 2 v., Acosta 1 v., Uribe 1 v.

(7) VENEZUELA 8 v., 63 t.r.; URUGUAY 8 v., 69 t.r.

Venezuela: G. Gutierrez 1 v., A. Gutierrez 3 v., Vargas 1 v., Nieves 3 v. Uruguay: Rimini 1 v., Golliardi 2 v., Paladino 2 v., Rossi 3 v.

(8) MEXICO 9 v.; COLOMBIA 7 v.

Mexico: Haro 4 v., Ramos 3 v., Cicero 2 v., Luna 0 v. Colombia: Blando 3 v., Uribe 2 v., Echeverri 1 v., Acosta 1 v.

(9) U.S.A. 8 v., 53 t.r.; ARGENTINA 8 v., 67 t.r.

J. de Capriles (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Fulvio Galimi 5-1 and Rodriguez 5-2; lost to Felix Galimi 5-2 and Massini 5-4. Kwartler (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Fulvio Galimi 5-3 and Rodriguez 5-1; lost to Felix Galimi 5-4 and Massini 5-2. Goldsmith (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Felix Galimi 5-4 and Rodriguez 5-1; lost to Fulvio Galimi 5-1 and Massini 5-3. Axelrod defeated Fulvio Galimi 5-1 and Felix Galimi 5-4; lost to Rodriguez 5-4 and Massini 5-4.

(10) VENEZUELA 11 v.; COLOMBIA 5 v.

Venezuela: G. Gutierrez 4 v., Vargas 1 v., Nieves 3 v., A. Gutierrez 3 v. Colombia: Blando 3 v., Echeverri 0 v., Uribe 1 v., Acosta 1 v.

(11) URUGUAY 8 v., 55 t.r.; MEXICO 8 v., 56 t.r.

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Uruguay: Navarro 0 v., Gollardi 3 v., Paladino 2 v., Rossi 3 v. Mexico: Haro 4 v., Ramos 2 v., Fajardo 1 v., Cicero 1 v.  
(12) U.S.A. 15 v.; VENEZUELA 1 v.

J. de Capriles (4 v.) defeated G. Gutierrez 5-1, Vargas 5-2, Nieves 5-1 and A. Gutierrez 5-1. Goldsmith (4 v.) defeated G. Gutierrez 5-2, Vargas 5-0, Nieves 5-2 and A. Gutierrez 5-2. Kwartler (4 v.) defeated G. Gutierrez 5-2, Vargas 5-4, Nieves 5-2 and A. Gutierrez 5-1. Axelrod (3 v., 1 d.) defeated G. Gutierrez 5-1, Vargas 5-1, A. Gutierrez 5-1; lost to Nieves 5-4.  
(13) ARGENTINA 10 v.; MEXICO 6 v.

Argentina: Massini 4 v., Rodriguez 2 v., Fulvio Galimi 2 v., Felix Galimi 2 v. Mexico: Ramos 2 v., Fajardo 1 v., Cicero 2 v., Haro 1 v.  
(14) U.S.A. 10 v.; COLOMBIA 6 v.

Axelrod (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Echeverri 5-1, Acosta 5-2, and Uribe 5-2; lost to Blando 5-3. Makler (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Echeverri 5-3, Uribe 5-4 and Acosta 5-1; lost to Blando 5-1. Goldsmith (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Echeverri 5-0, Blando 5-1 and Acosta 5-1; lost to Uribe 5-4. Kwartler (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Blando 5-4; lost to Echeverri 5-4, Uribe 5-4 and Acosta 5-3.  
(15) ARGENTINA 12 v.; URUGUAY 4 v.

Argentina: Rodrigue 4 v., Massini 3 v., Felix Galimi 3 v., Fulvio Galimi 2 v. Uruguay: Paladino 2 v., Gollardi 1 v., Rimini 1 v., Rossi 0 v.

**FINAL FOIL TEAM STANDING**

(1) Argentina, 4 v., 1 d., 58 bouts won; (2) U.S.A., 4 v., 1 d., 48 bouts won; (3) Venezuela, 3 v., 2 d., 30 bouts won; (4) Mexico, 2 v., 3 d., 40 bouts won; (5) Uruguay, 2 v., 3 d., 38 bouts won; (6) Colombia, 0 v., 5 d., 26 bouts won.

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**FOIL INDIVIDUAL**

**Won by Harold Goldsmith, U.S.A.**

Harold Goldsmith's improvement during the foil team event continued in the individuals, and in the final round he reached the potential which had been promised but never yet achieved. Goldsmith started the finals by losing 5-3 to Albert Axelrod, but then he won the rest of his bouts. His meeting with Fulvio Galimi, which went to 4—all was unquestionably the most beautiful foil bout to watch. In the fence-off for the championship, Goldsmith turned the tables on Axelrod (who had lost to Galimi), 5-2. Our third entry, Allan Kwartler, finished fifth on touches over Blando of Colombia.

Once again, Axelrod's performance despite his injury was truly remarkable. Only those who saw his leg during the foil team competition and did not defend his title.

The two Argentine finalists, Fulvio Galimi and Santiago Massini, placed third and fourth. Felix Galimi, the 1951 champion, also injured his leg during the foil team competition and did not defend his title.

**FOIL INDIVIDUAL SUMMARIES**

**23 Competitors, 4 Preliminary Pools**

**Pool 1.** FU. GALIMI, Argentina, d. Paladino 5-3, Cicero 5-2, Asselin 5-1, Vargas 5-2 (4 v., 1 d.); CICERO, Mexico, d. Paladino 5-4, Kwartler 5-4, Asselin 5-2, Vargas 5-3 (4 v., 1 d.); KWARTLER, USA, d. Galimi 5-4, Asselin 5-3, Vargas 5-3 (3 v., 2 d.); Paladino, Uruguay, d. Kwartler 5-4, Asselin 5-1, Vargas 5-2 (3 v., 2 d.); Asselin, Canada, lost four; Vargas Venezuela, lost four.

Fence-off: Kwartler d. Paladino 5-4.

**Pool 2.** BLANDO, Colombia d. Gutierrez 5-2, Boutmy 5-2, Soberon 5-4 (3 v., 2 d.); MASSINI, Argentina, d. Blando 5-3, Gutierrez 5-2, Boutmy 5-1, Soberon 5-3 (4 v., 1 d.); ROSSI, Uruguay, d. Blando 5-4, Massini 5-3, Boutmy 5-2, Soberon 5-2 (4 v., 1 d.); Gutierrez, Venezuela, d. Rossi 5-3 (1 v., 4 d.); Boutmy, Curacao, d. Gutierrez 5-2 (1 v., 3 d.); Soberon, Guatemala, d. Gutierrez 5-4 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Pool 3.** GOLDSMITH, USA, d. Cahusac 5-1, Fajardo 5-1, Gomez 5-1 (3 v., 0 d.); SOARES, Brazil, d. Cahusac 5-1, Fajardo 5-4, Gomez 5-0 (3 v., 0 d.); RUIZ, Argentina, d. Cahusac 5-1, Fajardo 5-4, Gomez 5-2 (3 v., 0 d.); Cahusac, Jamaica, lost three; Fajardo, Mexico, lost three; Gomez, Colombia, lost three.

**Pool 4.** AXELROD, USA, d. Nieves 5-2, Paniagua 5-1, Echeverri 5-2 (3 v., 0 d.); RAMOS, Mexico, d. Paniagua 5-3, Echeverri 5-3 (2 v., 1 d.); ECHEVERRI, Colombia, d. Nieves 5-4, Paniagua 5-2 (2 v., 2 d.); Nieves, Venezuela, d. Ramos 5-3 (1 v., 3 d.); Paniagua, Guatemala, d. Nieves 5-4 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Semi-Final (12 Competitors, 2 Pools)**

**Pool 1.** GOLDSMITH, USA, d. Cicero 5-2, Kwartler 5-3, Echeverri 5-1 (3 v., 0 d.); MASSINI, Argentina, d. Cicero 5-4, Kwartler 5-4, Echeverri 5-1 (3 v., 0 d.); SOARES, Brazil, d. Cicero 5-3, Kwartler 5-3, Echeverri 5-3 (3 v., 0 d.); KWARTLER, USA, d. Cicero 5-2, Echeverri 5-3 (2 v., 3 d.); Cicero, Mexico, lost four; Echeverri, Colombia, lost four.

**Pool 2.** ROSSI, Uruguay, d. Axelrod 5-3, Ramos 5-2, Galimi 5-4, Ruiz 5-2 (4 v., 0 d.); AXELROD, USA, d. Ramos 5-1, Galimi 5-3, Ruiz 5-1, Blando 5-1 (4 v., 1 d.); FU. GALIMI, Argentina, d. Ruiz 5-2, Blando 5-3 (2 v., 2 d.); BLANDO, Colombia, d. Ramos 5-3, Ruiz 5-4 (2 v., 2 d.); Ruiz, Argentina, d. Ramos 5-4 (1 v., 4 d.); Ramos, Mexico, lost four.

**Final (8 Competitors)**

1. GOLDSMITH, USA, d. Massini 5-2, Blando 5-0, Kwartler 5-3, Galimi 5-4, Soares 5-3 and Rossi 5-1 (6 v., 1 d.);

2. AXELROD, USA, d. Massini 5-3, Blando 5-4, Kwartler 5-3, Goldsmith 5-3, Soares 5-1 and Rossi 5-1 (6 v., 1 d.);

3. FU. GALIMI, Argentina, d. Axelrod 5-3, Massini 5-3, Blando 5-4, Soares 5-3 and Rossi 5-0 (5 v., 2 d.);

4. MASSINI, Argentina, d. Blando 5-4, Kwartler 5-2, Soares 5-1, Rossi 5-3 (4 v., 3 d.);

5. KWARTLER, USA, d. Galimi 5-3, Soares 5-1, Rossi 5-3 (3 v., 4 d., 27 t.r.);

6. BLANDO, Colombia, d. Kwartler 5-1, Soares 5-4, Rossi 5-4 (3 v., 4 d., 29 t.r.);

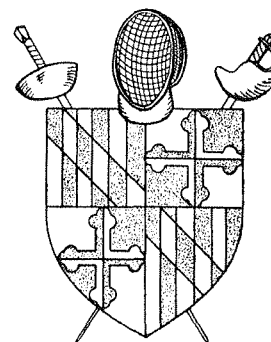
7. SOARES, Brazil, d. Rossi 5-1 (1 v. 6 d.);

8. ROSSI, Uruguay, lost seven.

**Fence-off:** Goldsmith d. Axelrod 5-2.

**GREETINGS**

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**EPEE TEAM****Won by Argentina**

The epee team championship was decided by the closest possible margin—the count of touches—after Argentina and the United States had tied for first place in match victories and in bouts. We had four opportunities for victory: Two we muffed ourselves; the other two were out of our hands, and it is to the credit of the Argentines that they did not falter at the crucial moment.

The first two rounds produced no startling upsets. The seeded teams passed the first round with one exception, as Guatemala upset the favored Chileans. In the semi-finals, we faced Brazil after it had lost to Venezuela, and won 9-5 despite Marcondes' three 3-0 victories against us. In the other pool, Argentina and Mexico turned back Guatemala.

The first pairing in the 4-team final gave us Mexico, whom we defeated 9-7, while Venezuela was upsetting Argentina by the same score in a thrilling match. The next pairing resulted in two 8-8 matches: Mexico defeated Venezuela by a single touch, and Argentina beat the United States by six touches. With the score 8-7 in our favor, Raul Martinez (who later won the individual title) turned back Paul Makler 3-2. Our

real downfall, however, came at the hands of Floro Diaz, an experienced internationalist who won his four bouts against us and was hit only three times. Thus we muffed our first opportunity.

The final pairings were of course decisive, as each team had one victory and one defeat. Bout scores became crucial. We jumped to a 5-0 lead over Venezuela, only to have them bounce back and close the gap to 9-7. We dropped five 3-2 bouts in the process, and thus muffed our second chance to win. The result then hinged on the score of the match between Argentina and Mexico. When we finished fencing Venezuela, Argentina was leading Mexico 9-4 and needed two more victories to tie us in bouts and win on touches. The last three bouts were to be fenced by the three strongest Mexicans, and they rose to our appeal and fenced very hard. Meraz went out and scored his first and only victory against Argentina. Now we needed only one more Mexican victory. Ramos, with the score 2-2, pulled a back muscle and had to be replaced by Valero, who eventually lost; our third opportunity was gone. This put it squarely up to Mexico's Haro, an experienced internationalist, against the Argentine champion, Martinez. One again the score went to 2-2 and the title hinged on one touch. Haro picked the right time and thrust for the upper-arm; but he missed, and Martinez' counter-action scored.

Shurtz was used in every match and performed very well. He is a fine competitor who needs seasoning; he relies heavily on speed and tempo, but gets himself so emotionally worked up to achieve razor edge that he punishes his nervous system much too much for the long pull. Makler was still below par. Cohen, also used in every match, was very steady; he has a really fine epee game and will continue to improve as he gains confidence. Dyer turned in an excellent record; what he lacked in technique, he more than made up with daring courage and fighting spirit. He is an ideal team man; I used him to lead-off when I was not fencing, and between us we started each match with a victory. Goldsmith was used in only one match; it was obvious that after four days of fencing foil under pressure and winning the individual title, he could not regain the fencing edge.

**EPEE TEAM SUMMARIES****(Nine Teams)****Preliminaries, 3 Pools**

**Pool 1.** Mexico and U.S.A. qualified; Colombia eliminated.

(a) MEXICO 12, COLOMBIA 4.

Mexico: Roldan 3 v., Ramos 4 v., Haro 4 v., Meraz 1 v. Colombia: Echeverri 2 v., Yangués 1 v., Uribe 1 v., Acosta 0 v.

(b) U.S.A. 9, COLOMBIA 2.

Dyer (3 v.) defeated Echeverri 3-1, Yangués 3-1, Uribe 3-2; Shurtz (2 v., 1 d.) defeated Yangués 3-0 and Uribe 3-2, lost to Echeverri 3-2; Makler (2 v., 1 d.) defeated Uribe 3-1 and Yangués 3-1, lost to Acosta 3-1; Cohen (2 v.) defeated Acosta 3-2 and Echeverri 3-1.

**Pool 2.** Venezuela and Argentina qualified; Dutch West Indies eliminated.

(a) VENEZUELA 14, D. W. I. 2.

Venezuela: Camous 4 v., Croes 3 v., Cabrera 3 v., Gutierrez 4 v. D. W. I.: C. Boutmy 1 v., Hihorst 1 v., Grausquin 0 v., J. Boutmy 0 v.

(b) ARGENTINA 9, D. W. I. 0.

Argentina: Diaz 3 v., Phillippeaux 2 v., Daverede 2 v., Martinez 2 v. D. W. I.: C. and J. Boutmy, Grausquin, Hihorst, 0 v.

**Pool 3.** Brazil and Guatemala qualified; Chile eliminated.

(a) BRAZIL 10, GUATEMALA 6.

Brazil: Borges 2 v., Amaral 1 v., Soares 4 v., Basto 3 v. Guatemala: Lopez 3 v., Soberon 1 v., Chocano 1 v., Lederes 1 v.

(b) GUATEMALA 10, CHILE 6.

Guatemala: Lederes 0 v., Lopez 3 v., Soberon 4 v., Chocano 3 v. Chile: Vergara 1 v., Arriagada 1 v., Balestrari 3 v., Sahli 1 v.

(c) BRAZIL 9, CHILE 6.

Brazil: Soares 3 v., Basto 2 v., Alves 2 v., Marcondes 2 v. Chile: Balestrari 3 v., Arriagada 1 v., Sahli 1 v., Floody 1 v.

**Semi-Finals, 2 Pools**

**Pool 1.** Venezuela and U.S.A. qualified; Brazil eliminated.

(a) VENEZUELA 9, BRAZIL 7.

Venezuela: Nieves 2 v., Cabrera 1 v., Gutierrez 3 v., Camous 3 v. Brazil: Soares 2 v., Moraes 1 v., Borges 1 v., Marcondes 3 v.

(b) U.S.A. 9, BRAZIL 5.

U.S.A.: J. de Capriles (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Soares 3-0 and Alves 3-2; lost to Moraes 3-2 and Marcondes 3-0; Shurtz (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Soares 3-1, Moraes 3-1 and Alves 3-1, lost to Marcondes 3-0; Cohen (3 v., 0 d.) defeated Soares 3-1, Alves 3-3 and Marcondes 3-1; Makler (1 v., 2 d.) defeated Soares 3-2, lost to Moraes 3-0 and Marcondes 3-0.

**Pool 2.** Mexico and Argentina qualified; Guatemala eliminated.

(a) MEXICO 12, GUATEMALA 4.

Mexico: Roldan 4 v., Ramos 2 v., Meraz 3 v., Haro 3 v. Guatemala: Diaz 1 v., Lopez 1 v., Soberon 2 v., Chocano 0 v.

(b) ARGENTINA 9, GUATEMALA 4.

Argentina: Diaz 3 v., Martinez 2 v., Galimi 2 v., Phillippeaux 2 v. Guatemala: Lederes 0 v., Lopez 1 v., Soberon 2 v., Chocano 1 v.

**Finals (4 Teams)**

(1) U.S.A. 9 v.; MEXICO 7 v.

Dyer (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Roldan 3-3, Ramos 3-2 and Meraz 3-2; lost to Haro 3-1. Shurtz (4 v.) defeated Roldan 3-1, Ramos 3-2, Meraz 3-2 and Haro 3-1. Cohen (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Roldan 3-2; lost to Ramos 3-0, Meraz 3-1 and Haro 3-1. Goldsmith (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Meraz 3-2; lost to Roldan 3-2, Ramos 3-2, and Haro 3-2.

(2) VENEZUELA 9 v.; ARGENTINA 7 v.

Venezuela: Camous 3 v., Nieves 2 v., Gutierrez 2 v., Cabrera 2 v. Argentina: Diaz 2 v., Galimi 2 v., Phillippeaux 0 v., Martinez 3 v.

(3) ARGENTINA 8 v., 29 t.r.; U.S.A. 8 v., 35 t.r.

Dyer (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Massini 3-1 and Martinez 3-2; lost to Diaz 3-1 and Galimi 3-1. Shurtz (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Massini 3-1, Galimi 3-2 and Martinez 3-2; lost to Diaz 3-2. Makler (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Massini 3-1; lost to Diaz 3-0, Galimi 3-0 and Martinez 3-2. Cohen (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Massini 3-0 and Galimi 3-2; lost to Diaz 3-0 and Martinez 3-1.

(4) MEXICO 8 v., 35 t.r.; VENEZUELA 8 v., 36 t.r.

Mexico: Haro 4 v., Ramos 2 v., Roldan 1 v., Meraz 1 v. Venezuela: Camous 3 v., Nieves 2 v., Gutierrez 3 v., Cabrera 0 v.

(5) U.S.A. 9 v.; VENEZUELA 7 v.

J. de Capriles (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Camous 3-0 and Nieves 3-1; lost to Gutierrez 3-2 and Cabrera 3-2. Shurtz (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Camous 3-1, Nieves 3-0 and Gutierrez 3-1; lost to Cabrera 3-1. Cohen (1 v., 3 d.) defeated Gutierrez 3-2; lost to Camous 3-2, Nieves 3-2 and Cabrera 3-2. Dyer (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Camous 3-1, Gutierrez 3-1 and Cabrera 3-1; lost to Nieves 3-1.

(6) ARGENTINA 11 v.; MEXICO 5 v.

Argentina: Diaz 4 v., Daverede 1 v., Martinez 4 v., Galimi 2 v. Mexico: Roldan 1 v., Ramos 1 v., Meraz 1 v., Haro 2 v. (Valero substituted for Ramos on last touch of one bout).

**Final Standing, Epee Team**

(1) Argentina, 2 v., 1 d.; 26 bouts won; 91 touches received. (2) U.S.A., 2 v., 1 d.; 26 bouts won; 104 touches received. (3) Venezuela, 1 v., 2 d.; 24 bouts won. (4) Mexico, 1 v., 2 d.; 20 bouts won.

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**EPEE INDIVIDUAL**

**Won by Raul Martinez, Argentina**

Raul Martinez of Argentina not only won the epee title but was the only champion to go through the final round without a defeat. This is an especially notable achievement in epee, and is a tribute to Martinez' classical style and competitive temperament. Martinez is not only a great fencer but a very nice person. He expects to be with us in California for the next two years, and we hope to see him frequently in our tournaments.

Sewall Shurtz, our national champion, steadied as the competition progressed. He lost his first bout in the finals to Abe Cohen, 3-2, but then won six in a row. In his last bout, with Martinez, a victory would have resulted in a tie for the title; but Martinez was superb and met the challenge 3-0, so that Sewall placed second on touches over Venezuela's left-handed Frenchman, Roberto Camous. Cohen fenced brilliantly in the qualifying rounds and finished in a dead heat for fourth place with Argentina's Adolfo Phillippeaux. Paul Makler, our hero at Helsinki, continued in bad luck and was put out on a fence-off.

Two excellent fencers in the team event failed to reach the final: Dario Marcondes of Brazil and Floro Diaz of Argentina. The defending champion, Antonio Villamil of Argentina, did not compete. Venezuela, by placing three men in the final, gave notice of its future threat in this weapon.

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**EPEE INDIVIDUAL SUMMARIES**

**31 Competitors, 6 Preliminary Pools**

**Pool 1.** ASSELIN, Canada, d. Shurtz 3-2, Chocano 3-0, Arriagada 3-2, Blando 3-1 (4 v. 0 d.); SHURTZ, USA, d. Chocano 3-2, Blando 3-2 (2v., 2 d.); ARRIAGADA, Chile, d. Shurtz 3-2, Blando 3-0 (2 v., 2 d.); Blando, Colombia, d. Chocano 3-0 (1 v., 3 d.); Chocano, Guatemala, d. Arriagada 3-1 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Pool 2.** COHEN, USA, d. Balestrari 3-1, Nieves 3-3, Moraes 3-2 (3 v., 1 d.); ROLDAN, Mexico, d. Balestrari 3-0, Nieves 3-2, Cohen 3-3 (3 v., 0 d.); NIEVES, Venezuela, d. Balestrari 3-1, Moraes 3-0 (2 v., 2 d.); Balestrari, Chila, d. Moraes 3-2 (1 v., 3 d.); Moraes, Brazil, lost three.

**Pool 3.** NAVARRO, Uruguay, d. Makler 3-1, Cahusac 3-0, McCulloch 3-0, Echeverri 3-1 (4 v., 1 d.); PHILLIPPEAUX, Argentina, d. Navarro 3-2, Makler 3-1, McCulloch 3-2, Echeverri 3-1 (4 v., 1 d.); CAHUSAC, Jamaica, d. McCulloch 3-1, Echeverri 3-2, Phillippeaux 3-2 (3 v., 2 d.); Makler, USA, d. Cahusac 3-1, McCulloch 3-1, Echeverri 3-2 (3 v., 2 d.); Echeverri, Colombia, d. McCulloch 3-0 (1 v., 4 d.); McCulloch, Canada, lost five.

**Fence-off:** Cahusac d. Makler 3-1.

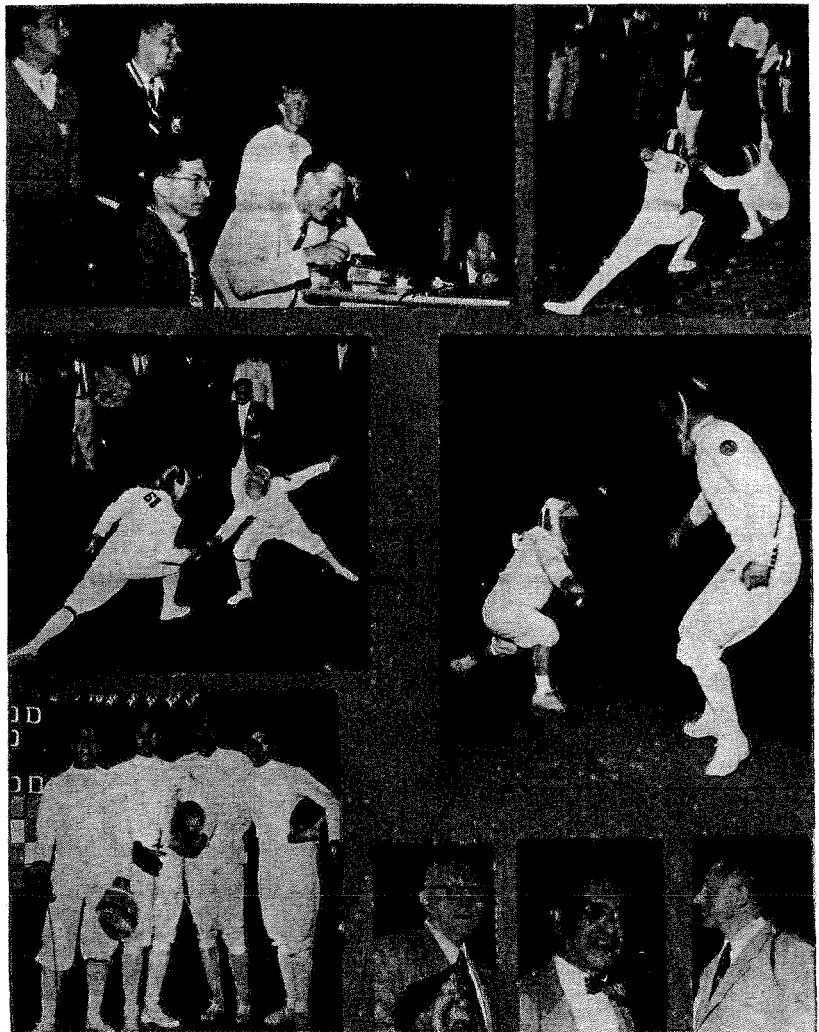
**Pool 4.** MARTINEZ, Argentina, d. Camous 3-2, Alves 3-2, Soderon 3-2 (3 v., 1 d.); CAMOUS, Venezuela, d. Davila 3-2, Alves 3-0 (2 v., 2 d.); ALVES, Brazil, d. Davila 3-0, Soberon 3-2 (2 v., 2 d.); Davila, Mexico, d. Martinez 3-2, Soberon 3-2 (2 v., 2 d.); Soberon, Guatemala, d. Camous 3-2 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Fence-off:** Camous d. Davila 3-2; Alves d. Davila 3-0 and Camous 3-2.

**Pool 5.** MARCONDES, Brazil, d. Valero 3-1, Oloscoa 3-0, Paniagua 3-1 (3 v., 1 d.); CABRERA, Venezuela, d. Valero 3-2, Marcondes 3-1, Oloscoa 3-2 (3 v., 1 d.); PANIAGUA, Guatemala, d. Cabrera 3-2, Oloscoa 3-0 (2 v., 2 d.); Valero, Mexico, d. Paniagua 3-1 (1 v., 3 d.); Oloscoa, Uruguay, d. Valero 3-2 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Pool 6.** DIAZ, Argentina, d. Boutmy 3-1, Sahli 3-1, Rossi 3-0 (3 v., 1 d.); BOUTMY, D. W. I., d. Uribe 3-1, Rossi 3-1 (2 v., 2 d.); SAHLI, Chile, d. Boutmy 3-2, Rossi 3-2 (2 v., 2 d.); Uribe, Colombia, d. Diaz 3-2, Sahli 3-1 (2 v., 2 d.); Rossi, Uruguay, d. Uribe 3-2 (1 v., 3 d.).

**Fence-off:** Boutmy d. Uribe 3-0; Sahli d. Boutmy 3-1; Uribe d. Sahli 3-3. Touches in pool and fence off: Boutmy 11, Sahli 14, Uribe 15.



Top left: A tense moment during foil individual. Top right: Paladino, Uruguay, v. Goldsmith, U.S.A.

Center left: Golliardi, Uruguay, v. Kwartler, U.S.A. Center right: Rimini, Uruguay, v. Dyer, U.S.A.

Low left: Foil victors over Argentina. Lower right: P. Anspach, Belgium; M. de Capriles, U.S.A.; R. Mercier, France.

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**Semi-Final (18 Competitors, 3 Pools)**

**Pool 1.** SHURTZ, USA, d. Marcondes 3-1, Phillippeaux 3-2, Arriagada 3-1 (3 v., 1 d.); CABRERA, Venezuela, d. Shurtz 3-1, Arriagada 3-1, Paniagua 3-0 (3 v., 0 d.); PHILLIPPEAUX, Argentina, d. Marcondes 3-0, Arriagada 3-2, Paniagua 3-1 (3 v., 1 d.); Marcondes, Brazil, d. Paniagua 3-1 (1 v., 3 d.); Arriagada, Chile, d. Marcondes 3-1 (1 v., 3 d.); Paniagua, Guatemala, lost three.

**Pool 2.** COHEN, USA, d. Diaz 3-1, Cahusac 3-0, 3-0, Camous 3-2, Boutmy 3-1 (4 v., 1 d.); CAMOUS, Venezuela, d. Roldan 3-1, Diaz 3-2, Cahusac 3-0, Boutmy 3-1 (4 v., 1 d.); ROLDAN, Mexico, d. Diaz 3-2, Cohen 3-2, Cahusac 3-1, Boutmy 3-2 (4 v., 1 d.); Boutmy, D. W. I., d. Diaz 3-2, Cahusac 3-1 (2 v., 3 d.); Diaz, Argentina, d. Cahusac 3-1 (1 v., 4 d.); Cahusac, Jamaica, lost five.

**Pool 3.** MARTINEZ, Argentina, d. Asselin 3-2, Navarro 3-1, Sahli 3-1, Alves 3-2 (4 v., 1 d.); NIEVES, Venezuela, d. Asselin 3-1, Martinez 3-1, Alves 3-2 (3 v., 2 d.); ALVES, Brazil, d. Asselin 3-2, Navarro 3-1, Sahli 3-0 (3 v., 2 d.); Navarro, Uruguay, d. Asselin 3-2, Nieves 3-2, Sahli 3-1 (3 v., 2 d.); Sahli, Chile, d. Asselin 3-0, Nieves 3-1 (2 v., 3d.); Asselin, Canada, lost five.

**Fence-off:** Nieves d. Navarro 3-1; Alves d. Navarro 3-1.

**Final (9 Competitors)**

1. MARTINEZ, Argentina, d. Cabrera 3-1, Camous 3-2, Shurtz 3-0, Cohen 3-0, Phillippeaux 3-0, Roldan 3-1, Alves 3-2, Nieves 3-0 (8 v., 0 d.);

2. SHURTZ, USA, d. Cabrera 3-0, Camous 3-2, Phillippeaux 3-2, Roldan 3-1, Alves 3-1, Nieves 3-0 (6 v., 2 d., 12 t.r.);

3. CAMOUS, Venezuela, d. Cabrera 3-0, Cohen 3-2, Phillippeaux 3-2, Roldan 3-3, Alves 3-2, Nieves 3-1 (6 v., 2 d., 16 t.r.);

4½. COHEN, USA, d. Shurtz 3-2, Roldan 3-0, Alves 3-2, Nieves 3-2 (4 v., 4 d., 18/17);

4½. PHILLIPPEAUX, Argentina, d. Cabrera 3-1, Cohen 3-2, Alves 3-2, Nieves 3-1 (4 v., 4 d., 18/17);

6. ROLDAN, Mexico, d. Cabrera 3-0, Phillippeaux 3-1, Nieves 3-2 (3 v., 5 d.);

7. CABRERA, Venezuela, d. Cohen 3-1, Alves 3-2 (2 v., 6 d., 21 t.r.);

8. NIEVES, Venezuela, d. Cabrear 3-3, Alves 3-2 (2 v., 6 d., 23 t.r.);

9. ALVES, Brazil, d. Roldan 3-1 (1 v., 7 d.).

**SABRE TEAM****Won by United States of America**

Because several of our top sabremen are also good in another weapon, our 10-man squad included four members of the 1952 Olympic finalist team and two "new" but very strong sabremen. Thus the sabre was our best team weapon in Mexico, and it would have been inexcusable if we had failed to win the championship. We were never hard pressed. Uruguay placed second in an uphill 9-7 victory over Argentina.

George Worth was our lead-off man, and



**U.S.A. and Uruguay, first and second in sabre team: Paladino, Cohen, Rimini, Nyilas, de Capriles, Lardizabal, Worth, Golliardi, Kwartler.**  
—Photo by Nickolas Muray

once again proved himself an excellent team competitor, with a record of 14 victories and one loss. As a matter of fact, we dropped only 14 bouts in the round-robin of five teams. Kwartler and Nyilas fenced in every match; I competed only against Mexico. Our two "new" sabremen, Dyer and Cohen, who had done so well in epee, again showed to good advantage.

Teodoro Golliardi of Uruguay was the strongest sabremen among our opponents in the team event, winning 14 of his 16 bouts, his two losses being against Kwartler and Dyer. Golliardi is young and fast, with an excellent tempo, and will continue to improve. He is also a very good sport, and we made friends immediately. Daniel Sande of Argentina, who was a semi-finalist at Helsinki, won 13 of his 15 bouts and accounted for two of the three bouts won by Argentina in our match.

**SABRE TEAM SUMMARIES****(Five-Team Round-Robin)**

(1) U.S.A. 14 v.; VENEZUELA 2 v.

Worth (4 v.) defeated Gomez 5-2, Lozada 5-2, Lopez 5-2 and Butierrez 5-1. Nyilas (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Gomez 5-1, Lozada 5-2 and Lopez 5-3; lost to Butierrez 5-3. Cohen (4 v.) defeated Gomez 5-1, Lozada 5-4, Lopez 5-4 and Gutierrez 5-1. Kwartler (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Gomez 5-1, Lozada 5-4 and Lopez 5-1; lost to Gutierrez 5-2. (2) URUGUAY 10 v.; MEXICO 6 v.

Uruguay: Ladizabal 4 v., Golliardi 4 v., Rimini 1 v., Paladino 1 v. Mexico: Ramos 2 v., Luna 1 v., Haro 2 v., Fajardo 1 v.

(3) ARGENTINA 10 v.; VENEZUELA 6 v.  
Argentina: Sande 4 v., Watkins 2 v., Huergo 2 v., Galimi 2 v. Venezuela: Avila 1 v., Lozada 1 v., Lopez 2 v., Gutierrez 2 v.  
(4) U.S.A. 12 v.; MEXICO 4.

Worth (4 v.) defeated Ramos 5-2, Luna 5-4, Fajardo 5-3 and Haro 5-4; de Capriles (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Ramos 5-1 and Luna 5-1, lost to Fajardo 5-3 and Haro 5-4; Kwartler (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Ramos 5-4, Luna 5-4 and Fajardo 5-1, lost to Haro 5-3. Nyilas (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Luna 5-3, Fajardo 5-3 and Haro 5-4, lost to Ramos 5-3.  
(5) URUGUAY 12 v.; VENEZUELA 4 v.

Uruguay: Ladizabal 3 v., Rimini 2 v., Golliardi 4 v., Paladino 3 v. Venezuela: Gomez 0 v., Avila 1 v., Lozada 1 v., Lopez 2 v.  
(6) ARGENTINA 10 v.; MEXICO 6 v.

Argentina: Sande 4 v., Galimi 1 v., Watkins

2 v., Huergo 3 v. Mexico: Ramos 1 v., Camara 1 v., Fajardo 1 v., Haro 3 v.

(7) U.S.A. 11 v.; URUGUAY 5 v.

Worth (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Ladizabal 5-0, Rimini 5-4 and Paladino 5-2; lost to Golliardi 5-4. Kwartler (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Ladizabal 5-1, Rimini 5-2 and Golliardi 5-2; lost to Paladino 5-3. Nyilas (2 v., 2 d.) defeated Ladizabal 5-3 and Rimini 5-2; lost to Paladino 5-3 and Golliardi 5-1. Dyer (3 v., 1 d.) defeated Ladizabal 5-4, Paladino 5-4 and Golliardi 5-4; lost to Rimini 5-4.  
(8) URUGUAY 9 v.; ARGENTINA 7 v.

Uruguay: Golliardi 4 v., Ladizabal 2 v., Rimini 2 v., Paladino 1 v. Argentina: Sande 3 v., Watkins 2 v., Galimi 1 v., Huergo 1 v.  
(9) MEXICO 9 v.; VENEZUELA 5 v.

Mexico: Ramos 2 v., Luna 1 v., Haro 3 v., Fajardo 3 v. Venezuela: Gutierrez 1 v., Lozada 1 v., Avila 1 v., Lopez 8 v.  
(10) U.S.A. 9 v.; ARGENTINA 3 v.

Worth (3 v., 0 d.) defeated Sande 5-4, Marcelo 5-2 and Huergo 5-1. Dyer (2 v., 1 d.) defeated Watkins 5-3 and Huergo 5-1; lost to Sande 5-4. Nyilas (2 v., 1 d.) defeated Watkins 5-3 and Marcelo 5-0; lost to Sande 5-1. Kwartler (2 v., 1 d.) defeated Watkins 5-3 and Huergo 5-3; lost to Marcelo 5-4.

**Final Standing, Sabre Team**

(1) U.S.A. 4 v., 0 d., won 46 bouts; (2) Uruguay, 3 v., 1 d., won 36 bouts; (3) Argentina, 2 v., 2 d., won 30 bouts; (4) Mexico, 1 v., 3 d., won 25 bouts; (5) Venezuela, 0 v., 4 d., won 17 bouts.

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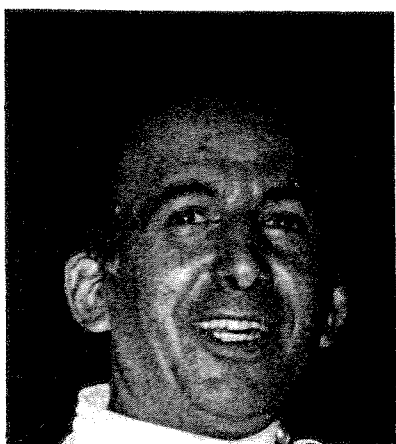
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**SABRE INDIVIDUAL**  
**Won by Antonio Haro Oliva, Mexico**

Antonio Haro's brilliant upset victory in the sabre individual proved to be a fitting climax to two weeks of hard fencing. Regarded as an outsider, despite the fact that he was a finalist in the 1948 Olympics, Haro squeezed into the final on a triple fence-off and won the title on another fence-off, this time among four contestants.

The full flavor of this exciting event can best be grasped gradually. The early rounds seemed to indicate that the title would be decided between Tibor Nyilas, the defending champion, and the U.S. champion, George Worth. The latter reached the final with a

12-0 record; Nyilas' was 8-1. Uruguay's Golliardi, 10-1, and Argentina's Sande, 9-3, were conceded an outside chance. The two other Argentines, Watkins and Huergo, were not impressive. Both Haro and Dyer had reached the final on fence-offs.

George Worth became a heavy favorite when he defeated Nyilas, 5-2, in the first bout of the final and Dick Dyer by the same score in his second bout. Nyilas and Dyer had a terrific battle which ended 5-4 for Nyilas. Golliardi moved into contention by beating Nyilas and Sande, as did Haro Oliva, whom no one was watching at the time. With only three bouts to go, Worth dropped a 5-3 decision to Sande, who had lost all his other bouts. Immediately the picture changed, and the field was wide open. Dyer, fencing inspired sabre, then beat Golliardi and Haro to give them each two losses and put himself into an equal position. Once more Worth stood alone, needing only one victory to clinch the title. He met Golliardi—the only fencer to beat Worth in the team event, whom Worth had defeated in the semi-finals—and Golliardi won, 5-1. This caused a four-way tie involving Worth, Dyer, Golliardi, and Haro Oliva. Nyilas missed by one bout and placed fifth. The three Argentines in the final were at the bottom of the heap. Some of us couldn't help but regret that Dick Dyer's only losses had been to his two teammates.

The fence-off was everything one could expect. Worth beat Dyer 5-0 while Haro won from Golliardi, 5-4. Next, Worth beat Golliardi 5-4 and Haro met Dyer. This was a bout with dramatic repercussions. In the

very first phrase, Mexico's hero broke his sabre and could not find a suitable replacement; Dick left the strip, got his sabre bag and offered Haro his choice. The crowded stands cheered the gesture; then Haro proceeded to win, 5-2. Dyer won third place over Golliardi, 5-4, in a beautiful bout. The championship meeting between Haro and Worth went to the last touch; the audience was tense with excitement, and madly hysterical when Haro won. After the new champion got free of photographers and fans, he went over to Dyer to return the borrowed sabre. Dick insisted that he keep the weapon with which he had won the title. Moments like this make sporting history, and the Latins are especially sensitive to generous manifestations of friendship. The newspapers recorded the incident, and the next day at the presentation of awards there occurred a scene few of us will ever forget. The new champion has some Indian blood. An old Indian woman who had been present at the sabre came up to Dick Dyer and shyly tendered a spotless little cloth bag. She told him how much she and her people appreciated his courtesy and generosity to their champion; that she was poor and didn't have much, but wanted Dick to accept the contents of the little bag as a memento of their thanks and love. The bag contained a piece of black lava which she had carefully polished, two little shell earrings, and two green semi-precious stones. I am sure that Dick will treasure these things more than the gold, silver and bronze medals he brought home from his first major international tournament.

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**SABRE INDIVIDUAL SUMMARIES**

**27 Competitors, 4 Preliminary Pools**

**Pool 1.** NYILAS, USA, d. Sahli 5-2, McCulloch 5-1 and Echeverri 5-1 (3 v., 0 d.); HARO, Mexico, d. Sahli 5-0, McCulloch 5-1 and Echeverri 5-2 (3 v., 0 d.); LOPEZ, Venezuela, d. Sahli 5-1, McCulloch 5-2, and Echeverri 5-2 (3 v., 0 d.); ECHEVERRI, Colombia, d. Sahli 5-4 and McCulloch 5-2 (2 v., 3 d.); Sahli, Chile, d. McCulloch 5-3 (1 v., 4 d.); McCulloch, Canada, lost five.

**Pool 2.** WORTH, USA, d. Ramos 5-2, Soares 5-3, Balestrari 5-1, Cahusac 5-1 and Boutmy 5-4 (5 v., 0 d.); RAMOS, Mexico, d. Soares 5-1, Balestrari 5-3, Cahusac 5-2 and Boutmy 5-3 (4 v., 2 d.); HUERGO, Argentina, d. Ramos 5-2, Soares 5-2, Balestrari 5-3 and Cahusac 5-1 (4 v., 1 d.); BOUTMY, D. W. I., d. Huergo 5-2, Soares 5-3 and Cahusac 5-2 (3 v., 3 d.); Soares, Brazil, d. Balestrari 5-3 and Cahusac 5-2 (2 v., 4 d.); Balestrari, Chile, d. Boutmy 5-4 (1 v., 4 d.); Cahusac, Jamaica, lost five.

**Pool 3.** GOLLIARDI, Uruguay, d. Watkins 5-1, Dyer 5-2, Gomez 5-1 and Goldstein 5-3 (4 v., 0 d.); DYER, USA, d. Gomez 5-0, Queiroz 5-3, Goldstein 5-1 and Yangues 5-2 (4 v., 2 d.); WATKINS, Argentina, d. Dyer 5-4, Gomez 5-3, Queiroz 5-0, and Goldstein 5-2 (4 v., 1 d.); QUEIROZ, Brazil, d. Gomez 5-4, Goldstein 5-3, and Yangues 5-1 (3 v., 3 d.); Gomez, Venezuela, d. Goldstein 5-4 and Yangues 5-1 (2 v., 4 d.); Yangues, Colombia, d. Goldstein 5-3 (1 v., 4 d.); Goldstein, Chile, lost five.

**Pool 4.** SANDE, Argentina, d. Avila 5-2, Asselin 5-3, Diaz 5-2 and Gomez 5-3 (4 v., 1 d.); FAJARDO, Mexico, d. Sande 5-4, Ladizabal 5-2, Avila 5-4, Asselin 5-4 and Gomez 5-2 (5 v., 1 d.); LADIZABAL, Uruguay, d. Avila 5-4, Asselin 5-4 and Diaz 5-3 (3 v., 2 d.); ASSELIN, Canada, d. Avila 5-3 and Gomez 5-3 (2 v., 4 d.); Diaz, Guatemala, d. Fajardo 5-4 and Asselin 5-4 (2 v., 4 d.); Gomez, Colombia, d. Ladizabal 5-3 and Diaz 5-3 (2 v., 4 d.); Avila, Venezuela, d. Diaz 5-1 and Gomez 5-3 (2 v., 4 d.).

**Fence-off:** Asseline d. Avila 5-2, Diaz 5-2 and Gomez 5-2; Diaz d. Avila 5-2 and Gomez 5-2; Gomez d. Avila 5-1; Avila lost three.

**Semi-final (16 Competitors, 2 Pools)**

**Pool 1.** NYILAS, USA, d. Haro 5-2, Sande 5-4, Ladizabal 5-0, Boutmy 5-2 and Queiroz 5-2 (5 v., 1 d.); SANDE, Argentina, d. Haro 5-3, Fajardo 5-4, Watkins 5-2, Ladizabal 5-4, and Queiroz 5-1 (5 v., 2 d.); HARO, Mexico, d. Fajardo 5-1,

Watkins 5-4, Ladizabal 5-3, and Queiroz 5-1 (4 v., 3 d.); WATKINS, Argentina, d. Nyilas 5-3, Fajardo 5-2, Ladizabal 5-0 and Queiroz 5-2 (4 v., 3 d.); Boutmy, D. W. I., d. Haro 5-3, Fajardo 5-4, Watkins 5-4 and Queiroz 5-1 (4 v., 3 d.); Fajardo, Mexico, d. Ladizabal 5-3 and Queiroz 5-1 (2 v., 4 d.); Ladizabal, Uruguay, d. Sande 5-4 and Boutmy 5-3 (2 v., 4 d.); Queiroz, Brazil, lost six.

**Fence-off:** Haro d. Watkins 5-0; Watkins d. Boutmy 5-4; Boutmy d. Haro 5-0. Touch score in regular pool and fence-off: Haro 29, Watkins 31, Boutmy 32.

**Pool 2.** WORTH, USA, d. Golliardi 5-3, Lopez 5-3, Huergo 5-2, Ramos 5-1, Dyer 5-2, Asselin 5-1, and Echeverri 5-0 (7 v., 0 d.); GOLLIARDI, Uruguay, d. Lopez 5-2, Huergo 5-4, Ramos 5-3, Dyer 5-4, Asselin 5-1, and Echeverri 5-1 (6 v., 1 d.); HUERGO, Argentina, d. Lopez 5-4, Ramos 5-2, Asseline 5-3 and Echeverri 5-2 (4 v., 3 d.); DYER, USA, d. Huergo 5-3, Ramos 5-3, Asselin 5-1 and Echeverri 5-2 (4 v., 3 d.); Lopez, Venezuela, d. Ramos 5-4, Dyer 5-4, Asselin 5-2 and Echeverri 5-3 (4 v., 3 d.); Ramos, Mexico, lost five; Asselin, Canada, lost five; Echeverri, Colombia, lost five.

**Fence-off:** Huergo d. Dyer 5-2 and Lopez 5-2; Dyer d. Lopez 5-2; Lopez lost two.

**Final (8 Competitors)**

1. HARO, Mexico, d. Sande 5-4, Huergo 5-3, Golliardi 5-3, Nyilas 5-3 and Watkins 5-1 (5 v., 2 d.);

2. WORTH, USA, d. Huergo 5-2, Nyilas 5-2, Dyer 5-2, Watkins 5-4 and Haro 5-4 (5 v., 2 d.);

3. DYER, USA, d. Sande 5-4, Huergo 5-2, Golliardi 5-3, Watkins 5-1 and Haro 5-3 (5 v., 2d.);

4. GOLLIARDI, Uruguay, d. Worth 5-1, Sande 5-3, Huergo 5-2, Nyilas 5-3, and Watkins 5-0 (5 v., 2 d.);

5. NYILAS, USA, d. Sande 5-2, Huergo 5-1, Dyer 5-4 and Watkins 5-3 (4 v., 3d.);

6. WATKINS, Argentina, d. Sande 5-2 and Huergo 5-1 (2 v., 5d.);

7. SANDE, Argentina, d. Worth 5-3 (1 v., 6 d., 33/23);

8. HUERGO, Argentina, d. Sande 5-3 (1 v., 6 d., 33/16).

**Fence-off:** Haro d. Worth 5-4, Dyer 5-2 and Golliardi 5-4; Worth d. Dyer 5-0 and Golliardi 5-4; Dyer d. Golliardi 5-4; Golliardi lost three.

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**Dr. Eduardo Hay**

**REPORT FROM HOLLYWOOD**

Hollywood has broken out in a new rash of blade-wielding action pictures, with the usual wide range of technical quality in the sword play. Period pieces predominate, going back as early as the 13th Century in RKO's "Genghis Khan," for which Fred Cavens supplied the technical fencing direction.

Jean Herrmans, at Metro Goldwyn Mayer, trained Edmond Purdon for "The Thief" and Stewart Granger for "Moon Fleet," both 18th Century films with an English background. Ralph Faulkner, at Universal, trained Tony Curtis for a tongue-in-cheek exploitation of a "Fancy Dan" in an 18th Century fencing school in "The Purple Mask;" the cast includes two fencers, Carl Millette and Glaze Lohman.

On the humorous side also, Faulkner trained Paramount's Danny Kaye and Basil Rathbone for "The Court Jester," a parody on period pictures which portrays Mr. Kaye as the infant King's nurse who is hypnotized and made to think he is the greatest swordsman in Europe. In addition, Faulkner trained Oreste Kirkop, the Maltese tenor, for his role of Francois Villon in "The Vagabond King," and worked out a routine for Jack Parlance and Rex Resson in Universal's "Kiss of Fire."

Other pictures featuring fencing include Twentieth Century Fox's "Sir Walter Raleigh" and Errol Flynn's "Crossed Swords," made in Italy and released through United Artists.

—W.L.O.

**Recapitulation of Individual Scores**

MEN	TEAM EVENTS				INDIVIDUALS				
	Foil W-L	Epee W-L	Sabre W-L	Total W-L	Foil W-L	Epee W-L	Sabre W-L	Total W-L	Grand Total W-L
Axelrod	9-7	-	-	9-7	13-3	-	-	13-3	22-10
de Capriles	8-4	4-4	2-2	14-10	-	-	-	-	14-10
Cohen	-	9-8	4-0	13-8	-	11-6	-	11-6	24-14
Dyer	-	11-4	5-2	16-6	-	-	15-10	15-10	31-16
Goldsmith	13-7	1-3	-	14-10	13-1	-	-	13-1	27-11
Kwartler	12-8	-	11-4	23-12	9-9	-	-	9-9	32-21
Makler	3-5	4-6	-	7-11	-	3-3	-	3-3	10-14
Nyilas	3-1	-	10-5	13-6	-	-	12-4	12-4	25-10
Shurtz	-	15-4	-	15-4	-	11-5	-	11-5	26-9
Worth	-	-	14-1	14-1	-	-	19-3	19-3	33-4
<b>Totals</b>	<b>48-32</b>	<b>44-29</b>	<b>46-14</b>	<b>138-75</b>	<b>35-13</b>	<b>25-14</b>	<b>46-17</b>	<b>106-44</b>	<b>244-119</b>
<b>WOMEN</b>									
Acel	3-1	-	-	3-1	3-1	3-5	-	6-6	6-6
Mitchell	-	-	-	-	3-0	7-1	10-1	10-1	10-1
Siegel	-	-	-	-	3-1	5-3	8-4	8-4	8-4
<b>Totals</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>9-2</b>	<b>15-9</b>	<b>24-11</b>	<b>24-11</b>	<b>24-11</b>
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## ABOUT THE NO-FOUL RULE

By Daniel Bukantz

Now that the intercollegiate season has been completed, it might be in order to get some reactions to the experimental "no foul" rule. The following observations are based on attendance at several dual meets, at the Eastern Intercollegiate Championships, as well as on certain non-leading questions asked of many judges, coaches and fencers.

The officials were without exception opposed to the rule. No doubt inexperienced with the rule was a factor in this view. I noticed that in my own case I was guilty too many times of stopping an action when a foul was made. With experience this could possibly be eliminated.

The coaches, with a few exceptions, were in favor of the rule, even though they were aware of its shortcomings.

Not one of the participants asked was actually for the rule.

So much for my incomplete and inconclusive statistics.

In theory, the "no foul" rule will eliminate the penalty against a defensive fencer who makes a good riposte but allows the attack to touch foul; it also minimizes an undeserved penalty when the attacking action is not directly foul, but is parried foul, and the judge makes a mistake. On the other hand, it seems to me that the defensive fencer should not be rewarded for an imperfect action on his part; imperfect in the sense that he failed to parry properly and therefore was touched fair or foul. The argument that he has a duty to parry only the fair target is a fallacy; if the attack gets through to invalid target, the official rules annul the riposte.

Take the instance of the baseball player who hits a 450-foot drive, foul by inches. Because his timing was a little off, the ball was not fair. It should be reward enough for the defensive team that the drive was not a home run. Compare this to fencing: The point deviation of a fraction of an inch results in a touch on foul target. The defensive fencer is rewarded sufficiently by not being scored upon, and the offensive fencer more than adequately penalized by not "collecting" for a successful breakthrough of his opponent's defense.

The following were my impressions of the fencing at the Eastern Intercollegiates:

(1) There was a perceptible change in fencing tempo of both contestants when a foul was scored, and the action was followed by a disorganized jabbing by both competitors.

(2) With few exceptions, the attacker who landed foul made little effort to parry thereafter. Apparently the goal was to poke again as quickly and as often as possible before halt was called—much more so than I have ever seen in intercollegiate fencing.

(3) Because of the apparent strategy of "get there fustest with the mostest," judging has become more difficult. Shades of old ink-epée judging—trying to count whether

## Survey on "No Foul" Rule

By Stanley S. Sieja

A survey questionnaire on the "no foul" rule has been sent to all fencing coaches in the United States, Hawaii and Canada, and has been distributed among many college fencers. The Coaches' Association plans to survey the question also at the A.F.L.A. National Championships in order to get the views of all fencers interested in this experimental rule.

At the time of writing, the returns received from coaches indicate a strong feeling in favor of the rule. Some coaches, who have spoken out against it, have not sent in negative replies to the questionnaire; while two are non-committal. All the replies favor extending the rules for another year on an experimental basis.

The college fencers who have answered the survey thus far are in favor of adopting the "no foul" rule permanently.

## Florida

By Lucille Heintz

The 1955 Florida State Championships, held on May 1 at the Lido Beach Casino, Sarasota, resulted as follows:

**Men's Foil:** (1) Richard Wegert; (2) Jack Rollins; (3) Mel Augustine.

**Women's Foil:** (1) Lucille Heintz; (2) Marge Brady; (3) Barbara Pavitt.

the 3rd action on one side was before the 6th action on the other! Almost hopeless without an electrical apparatus.

(4) There was more than the usual amount of bodily contact. Smart tactics dictates closing the distance when a fencer has lost tempo by hitting on foul target. Better a warning than a touch against!

In short, it seems to me that with the "no foul" rule we are developing the fastest "remisers" in the world. Although improvement in technique, even in remisage, is desirable, the rule could have the serious effect of developing a generation of foil fencers relatively unskilled in defense. While it is true that the future manner of fencing may very well emphasize attack, with a basic background of both offense and defense a competitor can much more easily adapt himself to the then current trend.

One final word: If the word "foul" is objectionable in fencing because it has, as in boxing rather than baseball, a bad connotation contrary to American concepts of fair play, it is simple enough to eliminate the word as is done in the rest of the fencing world, and substitute any of a great variety of expressions such as "too low," "on the mask," "arm," "leg," "off target," "touch on invalid target," etc., etc.

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**Ed. note:** As readers of *American Fencing* know, Dr. Bukantz is an outstanding American foil champion and a keen student of fencing tactics and techniques, so that his comments carry enormous weight. Additional reports from qualified observers will be welcome.

**Best wishes from Westchester**

### National Intercollegiates

By Stanley S. Sieja

Columbia, 1954 co-champion, earned a clear-cut victory in the 1955 national intercollegiate championships by outscoring Cornell, eastern champion, 62 points to 57. Navy was third with 55, Pennsylvania fourth with 54. Other leading scores: Illinois 51, Princeton 49, Notre Dame 48, Ohio State and Yale 43, Detroit 36.

The individual winners were: Herman Velasco of Illinois in foil; Donald Tadrawski of Notre Dame in epee; and Barry Pariser of Columbia in sabre.

The National Fencing Coaches Association of America announced its selections for the All-America Collegiate Fencing Team, as follows:

**FIRST TEAM**

**Foil**

Herman Velasco, Illinois  
Philippe Mocquard, Cornell  
John Gonzalez, Navy

**Epee**

Donald Tadrawski, Notre Dame  
Nyles Ayres, Columbia  
Richard Pew, Cornell

**Sabre**

Barry Pariser, Columbia  
Walter Farber, Pennsylvania  
Norfleet Johnston, Princeton

**SECOND TEAM**

**Foil**

Ralph DeMarco, Columbia  
Philip Craig, Boston University  
Richard Fixler, Northwestern

**Epee**

Allan Hoffman, Princeton  
Larry Kauffman, Illinois  
Albert Mitowsky, Pennsylvania

**Sabre**

John Parker, Jr., Navy  
James W. Brown, Cornell  
George Thomas, Michigan State

### Western Intercollegiates

By Shirley Canter, Secretary

Reed College's trio of Pat Buie, Tate Minckler and Gary Lewis, won the 5th Western Intercollegiate Conference foil team championship held at the University of California (Berkeley) on April 9, 1955. San Francisco State, led by Gerry Biagini, lost two 5-4 matches to Reed but finished a strong second. Stanford was third.

In the individuals, Jerome Klotz, California, won all his bouts although carried to 5-4 by Biagini, second place winner, and by Bruce Burch of Arizona, who finished third. Other competitors included R. G. Fortner, Portland State; John McDougall, Stanford; and Tate Minckler, Reed. The three top finalists were named to the All-Western Collegiate Fencing Team. The coaches selected Allan Dorius of San Francisco State to receive the Outstanding Fencer award.

### Women's Intercollegiates

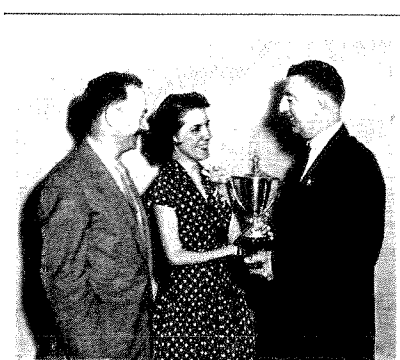
By Evelyn F. Terhune

Rochester Tech's well-balanced squad of Clea Cooper, June Johnson and Barbi Brill, topped its undefeated dual meet season record by sweeping through all the opposition at the 27th annual championships of the Intercollegiate Women's Fencing As-

sociation. Paterson T. C. was second, and Farleigh Dickinson, the host team, was third.

In the individuals, left-handed Joanne Monteverde of Farleigh Dickinson was first with a 4-1 record; Jean Dardia of Paterson was second on touches over Harriet King of Hunter; Veronica Brown of N.Y.U. was fourth on touches over June Johnson, Rochester; and Barbi Brill, Rochester, was sixth with 1 win and 4 losses.

**Team scores:** (1) Rochester Tech, 10-0; (2) Paterson Teachers, 9-1; (3) Farleigh Dickinson, 6-4 (18 bouts); (4) Montclair Teachers, 6-4 (17 bouts); (5) Jersey City T.C., 6-4 (16 bouts); (6) Hunter College, 5-5; (7) N.Y.U., 4-6; (8) Elmira, 4-6; (9) Penn, 3-7; (10) Brooklyn College, 2-8; (11) Keuka (N.Y.) College, 0-10.



Joanne Monteverde receives individual trophy from George Santelli as Coach Wally Hauber looks on.

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**North Atlantic Championships**

By Calvert E. Schlick, Jr.

Philadelphia was the scene of the first championships of the newly formed North Atlantic Section, which drew fencers from four divisions. Roger Jones, competing as a member of the Armed Forces at large, won the epee event on a fence-off with Dick Dyer and had the distinction of being the only medalist who was not a member of the Philadelphia Division. Next year, Maryland will be the host.

**Foil:** (1) Nate Ostrofsky, Salle Csiszar, 9-0; (2) Paul Makler, S.C., 7-2; (3) Bob Taetzsch, S.C., 6-3, 28 t.r.; (4) Cal Schlick, Balto. F.C., 6-3, 30 t.r.; (5) A. Karp, U.Pa.; (6) B. Mazon, Int. Cent.; (7) A. Rose, Johns Hopkins; (8) R. Guerke, Wilmington F.C.; (9) R. Owings, W.F.C.; (10) C. Wright, W.F.C.

**Epee:** (1) R. Jones, Unatt., 8-2, on fence-off; (2) R. Dyer, S.C., 8-2; (3) A. Mitosky, U.Pa., 7-3; (4) R. Taetzsch, 5-4; (5) Paul Makler, S.C., 5-5, 16 t.r.; (6) A. Hurwitz, Balt.F.C., 5-5, 19 t.r.; (7) L. Doughty, B.F.C., 5-5, 20 t.r.; (8) D. Schragar, 5-5, 26 t.r.; (9) P. True, B.F.C.; (10) R. Owings, WFC; (11) E. Wachtel, WFC.

**Sabre:** (1) Wally Farber, U.Pa., 4-1, after 3-way fence-off; (2) R. Dyer, S.C., 4-1; (3) P. Makler, S.C., 4-1; (4) Ted Frelick, S.C., 2-3; (5) R. Jones, Unatt., 1-4; (6) Bernie Olcott, New Jersey, 0-5.



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**Pacific Coast Championships**

By Ferard Leicester

With the participation of the Oregon Division this year, the Pacific Coast Championships held in San Francisco drew 49 competitors representing 15 clubs and 6 unattached fencers. Maxine Mitchell, national and Pan American champion, retained the foil title; and new champions were crowned in all the men's events since Sewall Shurtz did not defend.

**INDIVIDUAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Women's** (16 contestants): (1) Maxine Mitchell, Hollywood A.C., 7-0; (2) Tommy Angell, Halberstadt S.F., 4-3, 15 t.r.; (3) Iris Hoblit, Unatt., 4-3, 18 t.r.

**Foil** (9 contestants): (1) Gerard Biagini, Olympic Club, 7-0; (2) Josef Lampl, Los Angeles A.C., 6-2; (3) Albert Lambert, Berkeley F.C., 5-3.

**Epee** (6 contestants): (1) George Siebert, Cavaliers, 4-1; (2) Leal Kanstein, B.F.C.; (3) Werner Kirschner, Cav.

**Sabre** (6 contestants): (1) Daniel De La O, O.C., 4-1; (2) Jack Baker, O.C., 3-2, adv. of 5 touches given; (3) Josef Lampl, LAAC, 3-2.

**OPEN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Women's:** Southern Calif. composite (Mitchell, Hoblit, Baxter).

**Foil:** Olympic Club, No. Calif. (Giambra, De La O, Biagini).

**Epee:** Los Angeles A.C., So. Calif. (Linkmeyer, Bardon, Rice).

**Sabre:** Los Angeles A.C. (Rice, Lampl, Aayser).

**GRECO THREE-WEAPON TEAM**

(1) Northern California 140; (2) Southern Calif. 46; (3) Oregon 36.

**INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Women's Indiv.:** (1) Iris Hoblit, Unatt.; (2) Shirley Canter, Funke F.A.; (3) Bonnie DeRosier, Faulkner S.F.

**Women's Team:** Faulkner S.F., So. Calif. (Gerakin, DeRosier, Merwin).

**Foil Indiv.:** (1) Martin Kirschner, F.S.F., on fence-off; (2) Bob Geier, Nottingham's; (3) Fred Linkmeyer, LAAC.

**Epee Indiv.:** (1) J. Lampl, LAAC; (2) Tate Minckler, Reed College; (3) Pat Buie, Reed College.

**Sabre Indiv.:** (1) D. De La O, O.C.; (2) Phil Romano, F.S.F., on touches; (3) M. Kirschner, F.S.F.

**Oregon**

By Bob L. Geier

The division takes pride in Reed College's victory in the Western Intercollegiates, attributing this success to the A.F.L.A. competitive experience of the team. A handicap sabre event has been scheduled in which there will be no entry fee, only a card certifying the donation of one pint of blood to the nearest hospital or the American Red Cross during any previous month in 1955. Fencing has been added to the Highland Games, which will begin with a sabre match among fencers from Seattle, Vancouver (B.C.) and Portland on July 10 in Portland, Oregon.

**Gulf Coast**

By Mabel Morse

The new officers of the Gulf Coast Division for 1955-56 are: Arnold Mercado, chairman; Jack Baird, vice-chairman; Mabel Morse, secretary-treasurer; W. T. Brown, additional governor. The membership fell off slightly from last year due to inactivity at Bryan Air Force Base. The Randy Alexander Memorial Medallion for the outstanding Prep for the 1954-55 season was awarded by Arnold Mercado to Bob Montgomery of the University of Texas. Results of recent events:

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**February 26, 1955, Rice Institute, Houston**  
**Women's Junior,** 9 entries: (1) Pat Fike, Ind., on fence-off; (2) Ruth Peaceman, S.E.; (3) Ruth Rickard, HFC.

**Foil Junior,** 21 entries: (1) Arnold Mercado, Ind., on fence-off; (2) John Curry, HFC; (3) D. F. Roth, A&M.

**April 16, 1955, Univ. of Houston**  
**Women's Open,** 9 entries: (1) Ruth Rickard, HFC, on third 3-way fence-off; (2) Waneen Wyrick, Texas; (3) Betty Day, S.d'E.

**Women's Team,** 3 teams: Won by Composite (Wyrick-Watson-Rickard).

**Foil Open,** 22 entries: (1) Jim Parker, Texas (2) Arnold Mercado, Ind.; (3) D. F. Roth, A&M.

**Foil Team,** 9 teams: (1) University of Texas (D. Orr, O'Donnell, L. Anderson); (2) Buccaneers (Baird, Mercado, Brisco, Derrick).

**April 23-24, Texas A&M College**  
**Sabre Open,** 27 entries: (1) A. Mercado, Ind.; (2) J. Baird, Buc., on touches; (3) Jim Stevenson, Texas.

**Sabre Team,** 10 teams: (1) Rice "A" (Applebaum, Reed, Sklar); (2) Texas Club (Smith, Parker, Stevenson).

**Epee Open,** 25 entries: (1) Carl Hill, A&M, on fence-off; (2) Bruce Carswell, Army; (3) Edwin Kashy, Rice, on touches over John Carter, Texas, and Arnold Mercado, Ind.

**Epee Team,** 4 teams: Won by Buccaneers (Baird, Mercado, Brisco).

**Illinois**

By Nathan M. Shapiro

The men's divisional open championships drew the better fencers from Illinois and Wisconsin. The foil event, most hotly contested, was won by Jerry Mau on the strength of shrewd analysis and well-controlled ripostes. In epee, Dick Berry was undefeated. In sabre, Don Thompson defeated Tom Legeza on a fence-off for first place. Sue Thompson, the favorite, won the women's event over Mary Curl, who after a single year of competitive fencing displayed great promise. Earlier in the season, Richard Fixler, a novice at the time, captured the junior foil event. Summaries:

**Foil Junior:** (1) Richard Fixler, Univ. C.; (2) Paul Ross, unatt.; (3) Michael Fain, U. of Chi.

**Women's Opne:** (1) Sue Thompson, Univ. C.; (2) Mary Curl, Harand; (3) Karen Roth, Harand; (4) Marilyn Eltgroth, Tribilene.

**Foil Open:** (1) Jerry Mau, Elmhurst F.C.; (2) Richard Berry, Univ. C.; (3) Donald Thompson, Univ. C.; (4) Michael Fain, U. of Chi.

**Epee Open:** (1) Richard Berry, Univ. C.; (2) Donald Thompson, Univ. C.; (3) Mack Gilman, Univ. C.; (4) Mike Detzer, Univ. C.

**Sabre Open:** (1) Donald Thompson, Univ. C.; (2) Tom Legeza, Univ. C.; (3) John Cameron, Univ. C.; (4) Andrew Horvath, Univ. C.

### Northern California

By Ferard Leicester

Results of competitions since February 25th:

**Women's Intermediate Team**, 2/25/55, 3 teams. Won by Halberstadt S.F. (V. Pirquet, F. Matthies, P. Barkdull).

**Epee Open**, 3/4/55, 13 entries. Finalists: (1) P. Paret, HSF, 7-3; (2) L. Kanstein, BFC, 6-4; (3) A. Lambert, BFC, 6-5; (4) J. Baker, O.C., 3-5; (5) D. Swift, BFC, 3-5; (6) N. Schultz, HSF, 0-5.

**Epee Team**, 3/11/55, 4 teams. Won by Halberstadt S.F. (J. Adams, N. Schultz, P. Paret).

**Women's Open**, 3/18/55, 8 entries. (1) T. Angell, HSF, 7-0; (2) F. Matthies, 5-2, 13 t.r.; (3) M. Huddleson, HSF, 5-2, 15 t.r.; (4) P. Barkdull, HSF, 5-2, 17 t.r.; (5) S. Canter, FFA, 3-4; (6) P. Kanstein, BFC, 2-5; (7) C. Reid, HSF, 1-6; (8) S. Brownlee, LAH, 0-7.

**Foil Open**, 3/25/55, 15 entries. Finalists: (1) G. Biagini, O.C., 7-1; (2) D. de la O, O.C., 6-2, 19 t.r.; (3) A. Lambert, BFC, 6-2, 30 t.r.; (4) L. Brownlee, LAH, 4-4, 25 t.r.; (5) J. Tofaya, LAH, 4-4, 28 t.r.; (6) J. Baker, O.C., 4-4, 30 t.r.; (7) H. Rhodes, LAH, 3-5; (8) C. Ward, LAH, 2-6; (9) L. Thompson, LAH, 0-8.

**Sabre Open**, 4/1/55, 14 entries. Finalists: (1) D. de la O, O.C., 5-1; (2) J. Baker, O.C., 4-2; (3) G. Scheile, 3-2, 18 t.r.; (4) A. Lambert, BFC, 3-2, 19 t.r.; (5) E. Huddleson, 1-4; (6) D. Van Ekelenburg, 0-5.

**Women's Open Team**, 4/15/55, 3 teams. Won by Halberstad S.F. No. 1 (T. Angell, F. Matthies, M. Huddleson).

**Sabre Open Team**, 4/22/25, 6 teams. (1) Olympic Club (S. Giambra, 3 v.; J. Baker, 1-2; D. de la O, 1-1); (2) Letterman Army Hospital No. 1 (L. Brownlee, 2-1; H. Rhodes, 1-1; Jose Tofoya, 0-3).

**Foil Open Team**, 4/29/55, 6 teams. (1) Olympic Club (S. Giambra, D. de la O, J. Baker) by 5-1 over (2) Stanford University (R. Hodge, C. Walter, John McDougall).

### HELENE MAYER MEMORIAL

By Mary Huddleson

Maxine Mitchell, winning all her bouts, easily defended the Helen Mayer Memorial trophy she won last year. There were 13 entries.

**Finalists:** (1) Maxine Mitchell, Hollywood A.C., 7-0; (2) Tommy Angell, Halberstadt, 5-2, on touches; (3) Iris Hoblit, So. Calif., unatt., 5-2; (4) Shirley Canter, Funke, 4-3; (5) Grace Makabe, Halberstadt, 3-4; (6) Patricia Barkdull, Halberstadt, 3-4; (7) Margaret Jesseph, Berkeley, 2-5; (8) Mary Huddleson, Halberstadt, 1-6.

### Minnesota

By Paul E. Dahl

New champions were crowned in all the events of the Minnesota divisional tournament on May 1. Ruth Foster, 1951 titleholder who has been fencing in Heidelberg dethroned Joan Messmer, winner for the past three years, in the women's championships; Charles Brodrick, who had earlier won the three-weapon crown, became the new foil champion in a fence-off with Douglas Messmer; Allan Anderson displaced Robert Forsythe, Jr. as epee champion; and Charles Pyne succeeded Joe Eusterman in sabre. George Santelli conducted a three-day fencing clinic, including a demonstration with Paul E. Dahl, directed the final Gala at the Radison Hotel, Minneapolis, and presented the divisional awards, as follows:

#### PRIZE EVENTS

**Women's Novice:** (1) Marianne Von Koelnau; (2) Celine Charpentier; (3) Rute M. Zarins.

**Women's Junior:** (1) Jeanne Syverson; (2) Celine Charpentier; (3) Marianne Von Koelnau.

**Foil Novice:** (1) Joseph DeFee; (2) Robert H. Verness; (3) William Resman.

**Foil Junior:** (1) Douglas Messmer; (2) Allan Anderson; (3) Robert Foster.

**Three-Weapon:** (1) Charles Brodrick; (2) Terry Covert; (3) Robert Forsythe, Jr.

#### DIVISIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

**Women's:** (1) Ruth Foster, 3-0; (2) Joan Messmer, 2-1; (3) Jeanne Syverson, 1-2; (4) Marianne Von Koelnau, 0-3.

**Foil:** (1) Charles Brodrick, 2-1, on fence-off 5/3; (2) Douglas Messmer, 1-2; (3) Allan Anderson, 1-2, 12 t.r.; (4) Robert Foster, 1-2, 13 t.r.

**Epee:** (1) Allan Anderson, 3-0; (2) William Marshall, 1-2, 7/7; (3) Robert Forsythe, Jr., 1-2, 7/5; (4) Charles Pyne, 1-2, 8 t.r.

**Sabre:** (1) Charles Pyne, 3-0; (2) Robert Foster, 2-1; (3) Joe Eusterman, 1-2; (4) Charles Brodrick, 0-3.

### St. Louis

By Mrs. W. R. Witte

St. Louis is fortunate in having a visit from Byron Krieger for a few weeks, and the division plans to benefit from his experience as a U. S. internationalist. In informal team matches this season, the Y.W. C.A. Girls team won from Monticello College of Alton, Ill., and from Mary Institute; while the men from St. Louis F.C. won in foil and sabre from Thomas Jefferson School for Boys, a preparatory school coached by Mr. Merrill. The divisional novice foil meet resulted as follows: (1) Bill Hedley, (2) Bob Spears, (3) Russ Chott.

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## Schedule of 1955

### NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### Thursday, June 9

10:00 A.M. Foil Team Fencers Club  
7:30 P.M. Sabre Team Grand Central YMCA

#### Friday, June 10

10:00 A.M. Epee Team New York A.C.

#### Saturday, June 11

10:00 A.M. 3-Weapon Team (partial) New York A.C.  
1:00 P.M. Women's Team Fencers Club

#### Sunday, June 12

1:00 P.M. Sabre Individual (partial) Fencers Club

#### Monday, June 13

10:00 A.M. Women's Individual Concourse Plaza Hotel

#### Tuesday, June 14

10:00 A.M. Epee Individual (partial) Concourse Plaza Hotel

#### Wednesday, June 15

10:00 A.M. Foil Individual (partial) Concourse Plaza Hotel

#### Thursday, June 16

10:00 A.M. Epee Final Concourse Plaza Hotel  
2:30 P.M. AFLA Annual Meeting Concourse Plaza Hotel  
7:00 P.M. Foil Final Concourse Plaza Hotel

#### Friday, June 17

10:00 A.M. Sabre Final Concourse Plaza Hotel  
8:00 P.M. 3-Weapon Team Final Concourse Plaza Hotel  
GALA NIGHT Concourse Plaza Hotel

## Western New York

By Charles W. F. Jacobs

The following is the final report on the results of Divisional Competitions for the 1954-55 season.

### PRIZE EVENTS

**Four Weapon Team:** (1) University of Buffalo Alumni (F—H. Nieman, E—W. Kohsman, S—S. Schwartz, W—F. Breton); (2) Rochester Composite (F—P. Scipioni, E—D. Bohacket, S—A. Plouffe, W—C. Cooper).

**Foil Prep:** (1) Fuhrman, Nichols; (2) C. Juhasz, BFC; (3) C. Kapezewski, BFC.

**Sabre Team:** (1) University of Buffalo (D. Hermanson, A. Santori, S. Schwartz); (2) Rochester Composite (H. Aistrants, D. Bohacket, A. Plouffe).

**Foil Novice:** (1) D. Plewmak, UB; (2) K. Fuhrman, Nichols; (3) K. Gorman, unatt.

**Women's Novice:** (1) H. Vail, BFC; (2) J. Spectator, BFC; (3) N. Resman, JCB.

### DIVISIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

**Women's:** (1) N. Zielinski, BFC; (2) C. Cooper, RIT; (3) J. Johnson, RIT.

**Foil:** (1) F. Dye, BFC, on fence-off; (2) L. Williams, BFC; (3) D. Bohacket, Rochester.

**Sabre:** (1) S. Schwartz, UBA; (2) A. Plouffe, Rochester; (3) L. Williams, BFC.

**Epee:** (1) F. Dye, BFC, on triple fence-off; (2) A. Jedrejewski, U.B.; (3) L. Williams, BFC.

## IDA BALINT TAKES METROPOLITAN CROWN

By Albert Axelrod

Miss Ida Balint of the Saltus-McBurney Club, a consistent finalist for the past two years, captured her first major title, the Women's Metropolitan Open, on April 30. A triple tie for second place was resolved on touches, with Grace Accl and Eve Siegel of Salle Santelli, and Julia Schoek of Fencers Club finishing in that order. There were 27 contestants.

**Finalists:** (1) Balint, Saltus, 7-1; (2) Accl, S.S., 6-2, 15 t.r.; (3) Siegel, S.S., 6-2, 16 t.r.; (4) Schoek, F.C., 6-2, 23 t.r.; (5) M. Dalton, F.C., 4-4; (6) L. Knab, S.S., 3-5; (7) M. Boyce, F.C., 2-6; (8) S. Pierce, S.S., 1-7, 29 t.r.; (9) D. Funke, F.C., 1-7, 31 t.r.

**Semi-Finalists:** B. Santelli, D. Friedman and C. Kopp, S.S.; H. King and P. Schwabe, Hunter; D. Stack, F.C.; A. Genton, Lucia.

## MET. WOMEN'S JUNIOR

By Anne M. Drungis

Mildred Boyce, Fencers Club, defeated Louise Knab, Salle Santelli, 4-2 in the fence-off for first place. Sophronia Pierce, Salle Santelli was third on touches over Jean Moreck of Paterson Teachers.

**Finalists:** (1) Boyce, F.C., 6-1, won fence-off; (2) Knab, S.S., 6-1; (3) Pierce, S.S., 4-3, 19 t.r.; (4) Moreck, Pat., 4-3, 23 t.r.; (5) M. Rosenbaum, S.S., 3-4, 25 t.r.; (6) J. Ulrickson, Pat., 3-4, 26 t.r.; (7) H. King, Hunter, 2-5; (8) P. Schwabe, Hunter, 1-6.

## New England

### Boston Fencing Club Women's Invitation

This event, now in its third year, is designed for girls who are taking fencing as part of their school activities; for some it is the only competitive event they ever enter. This year there were 65 competitors from 12 schools; they were classified into four groups, with Class III being the most advanced. Results:

**Class III:** (1) Dorothy Brightman, Bouve and Salle Vitale; (2) Rosana J. Ferre, Dana Hall; (3) Neil Davenport, Radcliffe.

**Class II:** (1) Shirley Prada, Salle Elde; (2) Roslyn Gardner, Salle Elde; (3) Marylyn Sullivan, Boston YWCA.

**Class I-A:** (1) Gay Cheney, Bouve; (2) Kitty Hawley, Dana Hall; (3) Peggy Price, Dana Hall.

**Class I-B:** (1) Leslie Hereford, Sargent; (2) Joan Fraser, Salle Elde; (3) Jane Williams, Beaver C.D.S.

—David Thorndike

### Salle Elde Masters Invitation

The fencing masters finished as follows: (1) Edo Marion, Harvard coach; (2) Larry Dargie, Boston U. coach; (3) Silvio Vitale, M.I.T. coach. In the amateur events, Robert Goldman defeated Philip Craig in foil and lost to Joseph Levis; Edwin Richards defeated Harvey Levine in sabre; and Dr. Paul Demage won from Paulo de Moura in epee. The event was filmed for TV and shown the following evening.

—Larry Dargie

## GOLDSMITH WINS MET. OPEN FOIL

By Dorothy Friedman

Pan-American Champion Harold Goldsmith of the Fencers Club swept through the 9-man final without a defeat to capture the 1955 metropolitan foil title. Jack Oldstein of Salle Santelli was second, and his club-mate, Leonard Turk, was third. There were 31 competitors.

**Finalists:** (1) Goldsmith, F.C., 8-0; (2) Oldstein, S.S., 6-2; (3) Turk, S.S., 5-3; (4) Giolito, NYAC, 4-4, 27 t.r.; (5) Goldstein, S.S., 4-4, 31 t.r.; (6) Lazara, S.S., 2-5, 30 t.r.; (7) Strauch, F.C., 2-5, 31 t.r.; (8) Cohen, F.C., 2-6, 36/24; (9) Marmer, F.C., 2-6, 36/21.

**Semi-Finalists:** Kwartler, S.S.; Shurtz, Ettinger and Brandeis, F.C.; Quinn, Leoni and Anderson, N.Y.A.C.; Farrell, N.Y.U.; Seeman, C.C.N.Y.

## EPEE INTERMEDIATE

By Dolly Funke

Joseph Sonnenreich of the Fencers Club, for many years an outstanding competitor, won an impressive victory in the metropolitan intermediate epee championship with a 10-1 record. Five of his bouts were 3-0 wins. Lt. Andre, U.S.N., was a close second.

**Round-robin results:** (1) Sonnenreich, F.C., 10-1; (2) Andre, USN, 9-2; (3) Bassin, F.C., 7-4; (4) Cano, N.Y.U., 6-5, 23 t.r.; (5) Lazovich, USN, 6-5,



FREDERIC R. COUDERT

American fencers were saddened a few weeks ago by the death on Friday, April 1, 1955, of Frederic R. Coudert, distinguished honorary president of the Fencers Club, New York, since 1946. Mr. Coudert's active fencing career as a club member spanned a period of 67 years, from February 24, 1888 until shortly before his death. He had served as president of the club for some twenty years prior to 1946.

Mr. Coudert never was a frequent competitor in tournaments, but he fenced regularly for healthy exercise and was known among his friends as a strong and aggressive adversary. A distinguished international lawyer with a worldwide reputation, he gained recognition as an international sportsman and served from 1937 through 1948 as one of the three United States members of the International Olympic Committee.

—Robert S. Driscoll

24 t.r.; (6) Bickley, S.S., 6-5, 25 t.r.; (7) Henry, S.S., 5-6, 20 t.r.; (8) Dollinger, USAF, 5-6, 28 t.r.; (9) Corbett, F.C., 4-7; (10) Eichenbaum, N.Y.U., 3-8, 25 t.r.; (11) Guinot, N.Y.U., 3-8, 30 t.r.; (12) Cohen, unatt., 2-9.

### FOIL PREP

**Results:** (1) Joseph Cang, 4-0; (2) M. Lefland, 2-2, 14 t.r.; (3) Jos. Jachnowitz, 2-2, 16 t.r.; (4) Stewart Reuter, 1-3, 19/13; (5) Daniel Chyll, 1-3, 19/11.

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