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ED LUCIA HONORED

re proud to report that Professor
Lucia, fencing coach at CCNY and
coach of the 1956 U. S. Olympic
team has been inducted into the
all of Fame because of his many
outstanding contribution to the
fencing.

il A. De Cicco, secretary-treasurer of
A, advises that Archie E. Simonson,
of the NFCAA, and Mr. William
, managing director of the Helms

Athletic Foundation, will make the formal
presentation at the National Fencing Cham-
pionships on July 5, 1969, in Van Nuys,
California.

Congratulations, Ed, and well deserved!!

NEW FENCER

Congratulations to Jeanie and Heizaburo
Okawa on the arrival of a new fencer in
their family, Miss Christina Hiromi, 6 lbs.
3 oz., on April 17th.

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RALPH GOLDSTEIN ELECTED EDITOR by William J. Latzko

The Board of Directors by a mail vote
elected Ralph M. Goldstein, Editor of
AMERICAN FENCING.

Ralph was nominated by a committee of
the Board who sought a suitable successor to
the former editor, Jose R. deCapriles. In pre-
senting their nomination, the committee
admirably summed up Ralph's qualifications:

"After diligent search and most care-
ful consideration of many individuals, we
have come up with one who has been a
member of the AFLA since the early
1930's; has been closely associated with
League affairs since the early 1950's,
including 12 years as National Secretary
under three successive administrations,
specifically those of Miguel A. deCa-
priles, Jose R. deCapriles and Donald S.
Thompson. In addition, he was Foreign
Secretary under Donald S. Thompson and
Dr. Paul Makler; was a member of the
U.S. Olympic Fencing Games Commit-
tees when Jose deCapriles, Paul Makler
and Norman Lewis were the Chairmen;
was continuously a member of the Board
of Directors (formerly Governors) since
the early 1950's, and was a member of
numerous National Championship Teams
as well as three Olympic Teams — Cap-
tain in 1960 at Rome. He has the tech-
nical facilities required, besides the
broad background, knowledge and inde-
pendence of mind so necessary for this
position. As a Non-Divisional director
(subsequently National Director), he has
consistently represented the point of
view of the smaller divisions and the
non-affiliated fencer throughout the
country at Board meetings. Since 1963
he has been a Feature Editor of AMER-
ICAN FENCING.

In addition to these qualifications, Ralph is
also a fencer of note. He was a member of
five National Championship Epee Teams and
three National Championship 3-Weapon
Teams. In 1946 Ralph took the Epee and
Saber Midwest Championships while placing
third in Foil. He was also Metropolitan
Champion placing in foil and epee. Nationally
ranked in all weapons, Ralph was a competi-

tor in the 1948 and 1956 Olympic Teams.
He was captain of the 1960 Olympic Team
in Rome and captain of the 1959 Pan
American Fencing Team in Chicago.

Ralph was instrumental in the organiza-
tion of the Miami Valley Division of the
League. He is familiar with the problems of
growing divisions. His administrative and
fencing background make him most recep-
tive to the needs of fencing and ideally suited
to edit this magazine. With your support in
contributing articles and news items AMER-
ICAN FENCING will continue to achieve its
high standards of quality under its new editor
—Ralph M. Goldstein.



A NOTE FROM YOUR PUBLISHER

This issue starts a new regime of editor-
ship. I'm sure you will find that with Ralph
Goldstein and his team, the magazine will
reflect the actions and thinking of all fencers.
Your comments and criticisms are welcome.

Above all, we want to hear from you!
What goes on in your area? Where is fencing
today? We would like a roster of clubs, col-
leges, prep schools and high schools. If you
know of any that we might not be acquainted
with, please tell us their name or location.
We have been told that there are fencers
everywhere but we only know of those who
have come to notice through entering
championships or joining a division of the
A.F.L.A.

Let us know what goes on . . . Keep us
posted on your activities.

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by Heizaburo Okawa



The author, former Japanese champion and twice U. S. national foil champion, is in his first year as a professional coach at Salle Mori. His team just won the epee championship at the 1969 World Championships.)

JAPANESE "SYSTEM". Surprisingly, until last year, there were no salles in Japan. Fencing was confined to high schools and colleges, **without** coaches. Now there are two in Tokyo, only one of which has a coach. So how did the Japanese produce good work. Perhaps one fencer might be exposed to a visiting teacher, such as Mr. Mori. The teacher would then usually be elected Captain of his team. He would make a class for weeks.

2-3 hours, like Spartans, we'd practice every day. Then after it was over we'd stay at a camp, usually directed by Mr. Mori, would be held for a week to ten days about four times a year during school vacations. When we didn't get lessons from a teacher read from a book.

The National Team was selected from among the best fencers and we practiced 5-6 days a week. We honestly believed we were doing right. And this belief carried us on. When I got lessons from Michel Dorde' the French national coach, he didn't correct much. And, I guess the emphasis we put on physical training—a solid hours worth of gymnastics and setting-up—didn't harm our mental attitude.

THE "YOUNG PRO" WILL TEACH. Fundamentals. But not mechanically. Of course the raw beginning the emphasis will be on utter basics. But with the advanced pupil it's mechanics **in the bout situation.** For instance, what's the use of teaching a one-two three static distance and tempo? I am teaching actions as they will most likely occur **in the bout conditions.** You might call it fluid fundamentals as opposed to static methods. What I am not going to put into a fencer's basic program is my own tricks. They may be right for anyone else. And, as in my case, if the fundamentals are there, he'll soon learn his own tricks.

I HOPE TO SEE FOR AMERICA. I first came here in 1962. Until this year, I did not see many bright, new faces. But recently there appears to be a renaissance of young fencers they have to be made to realize they can beat the veterans if they train. And that is my hope. I urge that a fencing camp be started somehow, probably under a national coach. The young must train with the experienced.

For Americans, it is vitally important the Americans continue to be exposed to international competition. This experience is equally as necessary as training properly in the fundamentals. Where vocabulary becomes statement. Without it, we will fail. The Japanese, who face many of the same problems as America, if not more, learned this. And profited from it. Americans have proved they have the stamina and ability to excel in other sports and there is no reason why it should not be routine in fencing too. Speaking personally, I know from my experience in Europe, along with Tabuchi, before the Tokyo games helped me immeasurably from my previous fencing experience.

A program for continued participation in international events would be the heart of the American fencing program.

FROM THE PRESIDENT

This message marks the conclusion of my first term in office as your president. No matter how close a person may be to the administration of League affairs, when he assumes the presidency he must count on spending a year "learning his job". He has to discover for himself those members who have the dedication, the capacity, the experience and the time to undertake responsibility and discharge it well. He has to establish personal relationships with the leadership of a host of fencing-related organizations whose assistance is vital to achievement of League goals. He has to experiment with programs, projects and procedures to see which will work and which will not. He must sense the aspirations and the problems of members individually and collectively in constituent divisions and sections. At the same time he must provide the creative leadership essential to the development of our sport. Above all the president has to cultivate and understanding of the constraints under which the League operates and of the fact that significant and beneficial change can only be made at a deliberate pace.

We start the forthcoming fencing year with a firm base of officers and Committees to carry out our programs. We have made a successful transition in selecting our new editor. We have organized our new Olympic Fencing Games Committee and quickly moved forward to determine the selection procedure for the Pan American and 1972 Olympic Teams. We are also underway with programs for long-term training of candidates. We have proposed to the U.S. Olympic Development Committee, in cooperation with the AAHPER, an ambitious program to train several hundred physical education teachers throughout the country to give fencing instruction and initiate new centers of fencing activity on an unprecedented scale. And through our sectional vice presidents and divisional representatives we will begin an intensive campaign to contact those non-AFLA affiliated schools, clubs, and institutions having fencing activities. We will offer them the AFLA's services in improving the quality of their technique and officiating abilities and participation in AFLA competitions.

1969 World Championships

Designated as an "Olympic Development Event" so as to meet requirements established by our Department of State, we shall be sending a full team to the 1969 World Championships scheduled for Havana, Cuba, October 3-11, 1969. While partial transportation allowance will be offered to competitors, the bulk of the expenses for the competition will be borne by participants. The finalists in the 1969 National Championships at Los Angeles, in the order of rank, will have first priority for the 5 places in each weapon. If necessary to reach a full complement, semi-finalists in the competition and current Olympic Team members, in that order, will receive invitations. Selection among semi-finalists and Olympians will be made by the Executive Committee.

1970 Fencing Tours of Europe

With the gracious cooperation of the French Fencing Federation we are arranging a group tour of France for AFLA members to take place next summer. The tour will include practice sessions and lessons at some of the major French fencing clubs. We will also try to arrange for the entry of tour members into one of the European competitions.

We hope that a similar program can be worked out for Italy.

Canadian International Sabre Competition

An international invitational sabre competition has been scheduled for August 16 in connection with the Canadian National Exhibition. 14 U. S. Sabre Fencers, including the finalists and semi-finalists at the Los Angeles National Championships, have been invited. The presence of Olympic Champion Jerzy Pawlowski (Poland) assures the high caliber of the event.

Revised Fencing Manual

The 1965 edition of the Fencing Rule Book and Manual has undergone a complete revision during the past year. Issued as a separate publication, every member should have already received a copy of the fencing rules (1968 edition).

Shortly the balance of the revised manual, including chapters on the AFLA by-laws, the history and operation of the League, tournament organization and rating, eligibility and classification of fencers, and the amateur code will be distributed.

fencer should take the time to size himself with the material contained in the manual. It is designed to answer the questions most commonly asked by officers and directors.

American Fencing Magazine is the first issue under the editorship of Ralph Goldstein who has been elected to the Board of Directors to a three-year term, succeeding the late Jose R. de Capriles. It is a difficult and time-consuming assignment but with the wholehearted cooperation and membership in supplying articles, reading and other material he will successfully discharge this important responsibility. It is the hope of the entire Board that the continuation of the magazine is a basic policy of American Fencing and will be fully reaffirmed. The direction of the magazine remains in the control of the Policy Board composed of League officers, the Editor and the members, so that the content of future issues will be effectively coordinated towards promoting League programs and objectives. At the same time the editor is charged with the duty to assure that the pages of the magazine are open to all responsible criticism, comment and suggestion by the membership.

American Fencing in the future will continue in its development as an informative, interesting and valuable journal for all those who enjoy the sport.

COUNTING CALORIES? by Richard Gradkowski

Those of us who are unfortunate enough to have to count our calories occasionally will be happy to learn that fencing uses up approximately 630 calories per hour. This places it somewhere in between swimming with a crawl stroke at one M.P.H. (420 calories per hour) and running at 7 M.P.H. (870 calories per hour). This useful information comes from Morehouse and Miller's textbook "Physiology of Exercise". This rate of calorie output is based on the oxygen consumption of a 154 pound individual and would be proportional for a person of greater or lesser weight. There are many other variables such as age, metabolic rate, skill, environmental conditions, etc. which would tend to modify this figure. Last, but not least, the fencer should remember that calories are expended only when actually in the process of fencing and not when sitting about the salle.

LEO SOBEL RETIRES

Leo Sobel, Treasurer of the AFLA for fourteen years has retired. Mr. Sobel is concluding his career with the Internal Revenue Service this summer and is relocating to Fort Lauderdale, Florida with his wife Pearl.

Mr. Sobel, who has never fenced, became interested in fencing in 1948 when his son Steve took up the sport at the Riverdale Country Day School in New York. Throughout Steve's years at Riverdale and then at Columbia University, Leo was a constant and enthusiastic spectator at all home and away competitions, traveling as far as Chicago for the 1954 N.C.A.A. Championships.

Recognizing the league's need for administrative ability, Mr. Sobel served in the early 1950's as Metropolitan Division Treasurer and then, in 1955, became Treasurer of the AFLA. In both posts his financial policies and accounting techniques contributed greatly to the establishment of the fiscal stability so essential to a growing organization. At the same time, Leo found time to assist at collegiate and AFLA competitions and originated the composite score-sheets presently used at the annual IFA Championships.

Two recent highlights must stand out in Mr. Sobel's fencing career. In May, 1964, Leo Sobel, the administrator, was elected an Honorary Life Member of the League by the unanimous vote of the Board of Governors in recognition of his long and meritorious service. Then, during the current fencing season, Leo Sobel, the perennial fan, was a spectator at the New Jersey Under-15 Girl's event in which his 10 year old granddaughter Lori made her debut as a competitor.

Leo retires from his Treasurer's post with the affection and gratitude of all American fencers.

IRWIN BERNSTEIN



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PETER TISHMAN

Peter Tishman started fencing in 1936 at the University of Buffalo and continued his college fencing on the varsity of New York University.

After graduating from the university's School of Commerce he enlisted in the U. S. Army and rose to the rank of First Lieutenant of Infantry. While serving in the Philippine Campaign he was wounded twice.

Upon his discharge from the army in 1946 he returned to fencing and helped recharter the new Salle Santelli. At the same time he attended the Graduate School of Commerce of N.Y.U.

He has been Controller and Treasurer in manufacturing and retailing operations and is presently senior auditor on the Allied Stores corporate audit staff.

Peter has enjoyed competing in all weapons. Classified as an "A" fencer in epee and sabre, the latter weapon has always been his favorite. He was a finalist in the National Epee Championships, was All Eastern Sabre Champion and a member of the 1952 Olympic Squad.

He has encouraged youth in the sport by coaching a boy's club in his home town, Glen Rock, New Jersey, and by giving exhibitions in schools and civic groups.

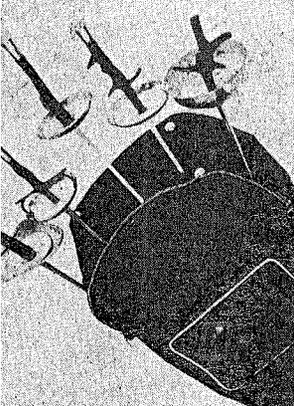
Presently Pete is auditor for the New York Fencers Club and is helping in the establishment of new quarters for the club's Salle D'Armes.

To show the effect that THE sport has had on his life, he married a fencer and their enthusiasm has encouraged their three sons to enjoy fencing, too. In fact, he still competes and his big thrill is to hear the score-keeper announce, "On Deck, Tishman versus Tishman".

ED. NOTE: The fencer he married is Maria Cerra, who tied for 2nd at the 1948 Olympic games in London and finished fourth on touches!!

MARIA TISHMAN

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INTERNATIONAL RANKING FOR 1969

Polish sports writer Jerzy Jabrzemski finished his annual international ranking of fencers in the magazine "Sporto-hese rankings are based upon an analysis of results in all major international competitions.

FOIL INDIVIDUAL

John Drimba, Romania
 Imre Kamuti, Hungary
 Christian Noel, France
 Jean-C. Magnan, France
 Daniel Revenu, France
 Witold Woyda, Poland
 Herman Sveshnikov, U.S.S.R.
 Adam Lisewski, Poland
 Richard Parulski, Poland
 Kazuhiro Okawa, Japan

WOMEN'S FOIL

Olga Novikova, U.S.S.R.
 Erika Rejto, Hungary
 Marina Gorokhova, U.S.S.R.
 Kerstin Palm, Sweden
 Tatiana Samusenko, U.S.S.R.
 Brigitte Gapais, France
 Lar Roldan, Mexico
 Ana Drimba, Romania
 Olga Szabo, Romania
 Heidi Schmid, West Germany

EPEE INDIVIDUAL

Bozoz Kulscar, Hungary
 Igor Kriss, U.S.S.R.
 Luigi Saccaro, Italy
 Victor Modzelewsky, U.S.S.R.
 Altan Nemere, Hungary
 Jiri Smoliakov, U.S.S.R.
 Jean Allemand, France
 Roland Losert, Austria
 Herbert Polzhuber, Austria
 Henry Nielaba, Poland

SABER INDIVIDUAL

Ryszard Pawlowski, Poland
 Ark Rakita, U.S.S.R.
 Vladimir Nazlimov, U.S.S.R.
 Tibor Pesza, Hungary
 Imre Kovacs, Hungary
 Peter Bakonyi, Hungary
 Marcel Parent, France
 Claude Arabo, France
 Serge Panizza, France
 Orlando Rigoli, Italy

FOIL TEAM

1. France
2. U.S.S.R.
3. Poland
4. Romania
5. Hungary
6. West Germany
7. Japan
8. Italy
9. Great Britain
10. U.S.A.

WOMEN'S TEAM

1. U.S.S.R.
2. Hungary
3. Romania
4. France
5. West Germany
6. Italy
7. Poland
8. Mexico
9. Great Britain
10. East Germany

EPEE TEAM

1. Hungary
2. U.S.S.R.
3. Poland
4. West Germany
5. East Germany
6. Italy
7. France
8. Sweden
9. Great Britain
10. Austria

SABER TEAM

1. U.S.S.R.
2. Hungary
3. Italy
4. France
5. Poland
6. U.S.A.
7. Bulgaria
8. Great Britain
9. West Germany
10. Romania

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EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS OF THE F. I. E.

by C-L deBeaumont

Twenty-eight countries were represented at the meeting held on Sunday, October 13, 1968 in Mexico City.

Puerto Rico was reinstated as a member of the F.I.E. The Puerto Rico Olympic Committee has formed a new Fencing Federation entirely governed by amateurs. It will be recalled that at the Paris Congress in May 1968 Puerto Rico was suspended because they had a Professional as President.

World Championships 1969. There were no candidates to organize these championships. However, during the meeting, CUBA offered to undertake the organization and they have been provisionally fixed for 15th September 1969. It was stated that the 1969 World Championships would be held at Ankara (Turkey). Australia stated that they would probably apply for the World Championships 1971.

World Youth Championships 1969. To be held at Easter 1969 in Italy probably at Genova. It was stated that the 1970 World Youth Championships would be held in Moscow.

Amendments to the Statutes. A number of amendments had been presented by U.S.S.R. and U.S.A. It was decided that these would be discussed, but not acted upon, at the present Congress and that all should be referred to the appropriate Commissions for consideration prior to the 1969 Congress in Paris.

South Africa. U.S.S.R. proposed to expel South Africa from the F.I.E. "for its policy of racial discrimination in sport."

It will be recalled that this matter had been raised at Paris but had then ruled out of order as it was not on the agenda.

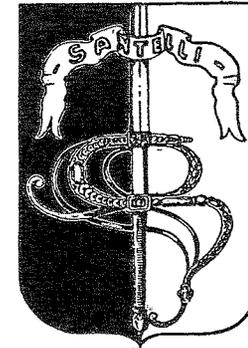
Mr. Daniels, President South Africa Federation, stated that there was no question of racial discrimination in South African fencing and in fact no non-whites fenced there.

I then told the Conference of the efforts the South Africa Federation had made to foster and develop fencing there. Mr. Ruben of the U.S.A. pointed out that under the Statutes Art. 91 sanctions could only be taken

against a national federation for the following reasons:

- a. if the annual dues to the F.I.E. had remained unpaid.
- b. if the national federation had infringed the F.I.E. statutes.
- c. if the national federation or one of its members had shown themselves unworthy to remain members of the F.I.E.

He asked the President to rule the U.S.S.R. proposal out of order as it was based on objection to the national politics of South Africa and there was no provision in the statutes referring to politics and the South Africa Federation had never infringed any of the provisions of Article 91. The President was unwilling to give such a ruling but after some debate it was decided by a large majority that the matter should not be discussed further. South Africa therefore retains its membership of the F.I.E. and, if the U.S.S.R. wishes to raise the matter again it seems probable that they will have to find another approach.



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TWENTY FIFTH ANNUAL N.C.A.A. FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The University of Pennsylvania gained the twenty fifth annual NCAA Championships by posting an overall score of 54 victories and capping this with first place individual honors in the Foil and Epee events. John Nonna of Princeton was voted the Illinois Memorial Award as the top foil competitor. Jim Davidson of Navy was awarded the Princeton-Cornell Award as the outstanding epee fencer and Jim Carter of Princeton received the Michigan State Award in Sabre. Stanley Seija, Coach of Princeton, was named coach of the year by his colleagues for the second time in six years. The meet was hosted by North Carolina State's Reynolds Coliseum at Raleigh, N. C.

TEAM STANDINGS

	FOIL	EPEE	SABER	TOTAL
Pennsylvania	17	19	18	54
Harvard	19	6	18	43
Columbia	19	6	17	42
Navy	18	17	6	39
C.C.N.Y.	6	16	16	38
Army	6	15	15	36
Detroit	6	14	16	36
Notre Dame	14	6	16	36
N.Y.U.	16	1	16	33
Adelbert	1	17	13	31
Wisconsin	6	18	6	30
Air Force	12	1	13	26
Ohio State	13	11	1	25
Brooklyn	1	17	6	24
Illinois	6	1	17	24
Wayne State	16	1	6	23
Temple	16	1	6	23
Cornell	6	14	1	21
Princeton	12	1	6	19
Penn State	1	17	1	19

INDIVIDUAL ROUND ROBIN

Foil: 1. A. Kestler, Columbia; 2. Tom Keller, Harvard; 3. J. Freeman, Navy; 4. Dennis Law, Penn.; 5. W. Krause, NYU; 6. Richard Millazo, Wayne State; 7. N. Campbell, Temple; 8. Neil Charlson, Berkeley; 9. R. Bobineau, Notre Dame; 10. R. Koch, Ohio State; 11. John Nonna Princeton; 12. Ross Wieringa, Air Force.

Saber: 1. N. Braslow, Penn.; 2. L. Cetrulo, Harvard; 3. D. Gottesman, Columbia; 4. W. Abraham, Illinois; 5. R. Keifetz, C. C. N. Y.; 6. John Lina, N. Y. U.; 7. T. Simmons, Detroit; 8. R. Mendexs, Notre Dame; 9. J. Kendrick, Army; 10. Bob Webb, Air Force; 11. F. Nagorney, Adelbert; 12. Bill Kazer, Buffalo.

Epee: 1. J. Wetzler, Penn.; 2. R. Odders, Wis-

consin; 3. John Nadas, Adelbert; 4. R. Wright, Penn.; 5. J. Davidson, Navy; 6. Marty Wohl, Brooklyn; 7. S. Alscher, C.C.N.Y.; 8. T. Watson, Army; 9. J. Kolenda, Detroit; 10. A. Lewis, Cornell; 11. Craig Presson, Pomona; 12. D. Nauman, Ohio.

SEVENTY SECOND I.F.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS

For the first time in the history of the event, Princeton University won the Intercollegiate Fencing Association Championships, edging out both Navy and N.Y.U. The Tigers also took away the coveted Iron Man Trophy, the oldest intercollegiate fencing trophy, for their performance in the foil team. James Davidson of Navy was awarded the George L. Cointe Trophy for individual performance. The tournament was hosted in N.Y.U.'s Alumni gymnasium.

TEAM STANDINGS

	EPEE	FOIL	SABER	TOTAL
Princeton	22	30	22	74
Navy	27	26	20	73
N.Y.U.	23	29	21	73
Pennsylvania	22	22	22	66
Columbia	19	23	22	64
C.C.N.Y.	16	18	29	63
Cornell	25	16	12	53
Harvard	13	17	19	49
Army	16	11	19	46
Penn State	18	13	13	44
Yale	13	12	13	38
Rutgers	11	10	10	31
M.I.T.	9	7	12	28

INDIVIDUAL ROUND ROBIN

Foil: 1. W. Krause, N.Y.U.; 2. W. Lovis, N.Y.U.; 3. J. C. Castiel, C.C.N.Y.; 4. J. Rose, Princeton; 5. J. Aviles, N.Y.U.; 6. J. Nonna, Princeton.
Epee: 1. J. Davidson, Navy; 2. J. Wetzler, Penn.; 3. S. Alscher, C.C.N.Y.; 4. R. Dasmann, Navy; 5. S. Althof, N.Y.U.; 6. A. Lewis, Cornell.
Saber: 1. R. Keifetz, C.C.N.Y.; 2. D. Gottesman, Col.; 3. M. Crisp, Navy; 4. J. Carter, Princeton; 5. J. Cohen, C.C.N.Y.; 6. R. Moore, Penn.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

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NEW ENGLAND COLLEGIATE FENCING TOURNAMENT FOR 1969

by Eugene R. Williams

Annual New England Intercollegiate Fencing Tournament, began in 1953, was March 1 at Fairfield, Conn. with University as host. Ten New England were represented. Next year's tournament to be held at Hanover, New Hampshire. Dartmouth Colleges and Norwich as co-hosts.

TEAM STANDINGS

Brandeis
University
Norwich
Dartmouth
M.I.T.
Harvard
Fairfield
Holy Cross
Southern Mass. Technological Institute
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INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Epee: 1. Sommer, Brandeis; 2. Panczenko, Fairfield; 3. Fazio, M.I.T.

Foil: 1. Ryan, Norwich; 2. Pitt, Brandeis; 3. Watkins, Dartmouth.

Saber: 1. Barnard, Harvard; 2. Brainard, Dartmouth; 3. Chuga, Fairfield.

NEW ENGLAND WOMEN'S INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Lisel K. Judge

The New England Intercollegiate Women's Championship was won by Brandeis University, defeating teams from Rhode Island College, University of Rhode Island, Wellesley College, and Westbrook Junior College. Cathy Haas, a Junior at Brandeis, won the Individual New England Intercollegiate Championship. Mrs. Lisel K. Judge, fencing coach at Brandeis since 1953, was honored with a bronze plaque in recognition of her efforts and dedication to intercollegiate fencing in New England.



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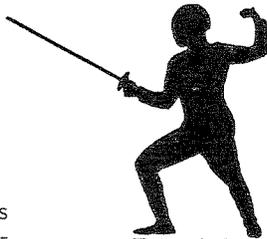
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FENCING FOR THE VERY YOUNG

by Steve Sobel

At the last Olympics, the U. S. performed well in those sports in which the athlete's skills were attained prior to college graduation—such as swimming, track and field, and fencing. In a society which bestows economic gain upon outstanding athletic performance, the opportunity afforded to train daily and maintain top condition all year around, is far better for the mature college graduate, who must plan a career and support a family—a matter of long range planning, if one wishes to attain international supremacy in fencing. We must try to develop our young fencers to reach a strong competitive level at a young age. One way to become better is simply to start younger. How? Let's try ages 8-10.

Five years ago most college varsity fencers were composed of fencers who just finished fencing in college. Today, there are many outstanding college fencers who did not start in high school. In addition, there is a movement to start them even younger—it is very successful. The New Jersey State team ran an "Under 15" this year and won a large field. Parents are bringing their children to 8-10 fencing clubs to start fencing clubs, such as the Hungarian Athletic Club in New Brunswick has a special group for ages 8 up.

Teaching students 8-10 obviously requires a different approach from teaching much older students. First, you must develop an interest in the sport, maintaining this interest until a qualified youngster may quit, never mind. This requires a careful balancing of competing values by the fencing master, and the dull drills are the most beneficial—a matter of learning, but the free and excitement of competition, especially the electric machine, are the most interesting. Each student is a different individual with a different interest level. The fencing master must carefully observe the student and modify the training to conform to the student. This, of course, is real-

ly no different at any level—it is just more critical with the youngster, whose interest level, feelings and tender age present different personality problems. It is, therefore, desirable to have formal lessons; some supervised free play, and an occasional competition with full electrical equipment as well as officials. Small things, such as a club patch on a uniform, also can mean a lot to a youngster.

On the point of creating interest, I can cite one example from the "master of masters", Georgio Santelli, whose name is still magic in fencing among the young as well as the old. When my ten year old daughter was with me at the Santelli Fencing Academy in Rutherford, New Jersey, I asked Georgio if I could introduce her to him. In his own inimitable way, he immediately disappeared, and the next thing I knew, he walked up to a bewildered girl, kissed her hand, and asked, "Young Lady, may I have the pleasure of giving you a fencing lesson?" This approach added one more to the thousands of fencers who love Georgio, and through him, the sport of fencing.

There are many advantages to be gained by encouraging our fencing parents to bring their children into fencing at this young age. It will increase the competitive level of fencing at an earlier age; increase the AFLA membership; bring back to the spot the many old timers who don't seem to have the time now, but will find the time with their child; create a desirable source of beneficial activity for a child in this age of unrest; and as one final benefit, which is justification in and of itself, for both parent and child, it will be a new source of enjoyment.

GIRL'S FENCING IN NEW YORK HIGH SCHOOLS

A tremendous breakthrough has been achieved in the area of high school fencing competition for women in the New York City public schools. While the long-standing ban of competition between boys and girls remains in effect, the Board of Education approved interscholastic competition for girls in fencing. (Previously girl athletes were confined to intraschool activities.)

"Prohibiting interschool competition in physical activities for girls is a policy inconsistent with the best thinking of physical educators, both nationally and locally," said Dr. Bernard Donovan, superintendent of schools. "Experience indicates the need for interscholastic competition for girls in view of the world trend over the last decade to have women compete in various physical activities nationally and internationally."

AFLA fencers and administrators should re-double their efforts in their respective areas to provide for expansion of the sport at the high school level.

NORMAN LEWIS

MID-WEST BOY'S AND GIRL'S FOIL CHAMPIONSHIPS by L. Calhoun

Because of a field of 43 boys, it was decided to retain the earlier format of meets and have age pools until the end of the semifinals. From the three age groups, one boy would advance from the Under 15 group, two from the 15-16 group, and four from the 17-18 group to make up a pool of seven in the finals. This enabled all age groups to be represented and have a chance at the top spots.

Boy's Foil:

Under 15: 1. Gary Berlak, N. D.; 2. Tom Alcock, N. D.; 3. Dan Buerchett, P.P.

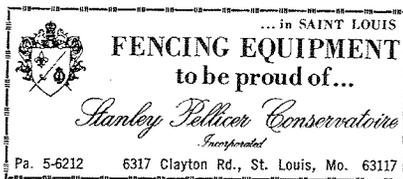
15-16: 1. David Young, M. S.; 2. Alan Acker, N. W.; 3. Bill Gehl, N. D.

17-18: 1. Alan Oberrotman, Univ. of Ill. 2. David Kronenfeld, Univ. of Ill.; 3. Rick Newell, P. P.; 4. Mike Cornwall, N. D.

Finals: 1. Kronenfeld, U. of I, 4. Newell, P.P., 3. Oberrotman, U of I, 4. Newell, P.P., 5. Acker, N. W., 6. Young, M. S., 7. Berlak, N. D.

Girl's Foil:

Finals: 1. Janet Saprgo, Chicago; 2. Debby Phillips, Park Ridge; 3. Pat Krzywycki, Harwood Heights; 4. Connie Esmond, Pleasant Plains; 5. Chris Hahn, Park Ridge; 6. Zelda Smith, Dixon; 7. Pat Nilsson, Park Ridge.



AMERICAN FENCING

NORTH ATLANTIC SECTION — UNDER 19 CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Steve Sobel

The Under-19 N.A.S. Championships were held at the George Washington University in Washington, D. C. The competition attracted a large entry of 108 with a record 40 contestants in the men's foil. The high calibre of fencing at the under 19 level was extraordinary, with Ruth White, N.A.S. champion, taking first place with only three touches scored against her in the final round; Scott Bozek, N.A.S. medalist winning both the foil and epee; and Ken Blake, defending national under 19 champion defeating Bruce Soriano of Columbia College in a fence off for first place in sabre.

An extravagant buffet mod party at the British Embassy topped off a thrilling weekend of fencing and fun. The strength and success of the under 19 event run by the Washington Division can serve as a great tribute to the memory of Jose de Capriles, who created the ground rules for the start of these events at the Division, Section and National levels for the selection of a U. S. team to compete in the Under 20 world championships. The competition next year will be in Connecticut.

Women's Under-19: 1. Ruth White, F. C. of Baltimore, 7v; 2. Iza Farkas, Hungarian Amer. AC, 6v; 3. Beverly Lyons, American Univ., 5v; 4. Debbie Cinotti, Ridgefield Park H.S., 3v; 5. Nancy Iffland, Concord Carlisle FC, 3v; 6. Katherine, Watters Ramapo Regional H. S., 2v; 7. Joan Cyr, Walcott F. C., 1v; 8. Peggy Parsons, Roger Ludlowe H. S., 1v.

Foil Under-19: 1. Scott Bozek, Salem YMCA, 6v; 2. John Mullarkey, Salem YMCA, 5v; 3. Brooke Makler, Salle Cszizar, 5v; 4. Peter Gaylor, Indian Hills H.S., 4v; 5. Mike Lovis, L.I. Div., 3v; 6. Reinaldo Gonzales, Barringer H.S., 3v., 7. Chris Jennings, Salem YMCA, 2v; 8. Jim Bonacorda, L.I. Div., Ov.

Epee Under-19: 1. Scott Bozek, Salem YMCA, 6v; 2. Mike Matranga, L.I. Div., 4v; 3. Brooke Makler, Salle Cszizar, 4v; 4. Charles Butterick, Newfield H.S., 4v; 5. Chris Jennings, Salem YMCA, 3v; 6. John Mullarkey, Salem YMCA, 3v; 7. Mike Lovis, L.I. Div., 3v; 8. Clarke Keller, Essex Catholic H.S., 1v.

Sabre Under-19: 1. Kenneth Blake, AFRA Fencers, 6v; 2. Bruce Soriano, Columbia, 6v; 3. David Huntoon, Tri Weapons Club, 4v; 4. William Kazer, Buffalo Univ., 3v; 5. Bill Rose, Ramapo Regional H.S., 3v; 6. Greg Soriano, Newark Coll. Eng., 3v; 7. Leon Harp., L. I. Swords., 2v; 8. Phil Reilly, Essex Catholic H.S., 1v.

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U. S. Under-20 Team-Genoa, Italy
 : Saily Pechinsky, Martin Lang
 : Dan Wigodsky, Robert Nagorney, Don
 Abby, Michael Matrangola, James Moss
 (coach).
 Members not shown Margo Reynolds, Ruth
 Arthur Nonomura (foil, sabre), Scott Bozek
 a). Kevin McHahan (Captain).

1969 JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
 by Connie Latzko

Three countries sent almost 300 fencers to Genoa to fence in the Junior Championships in April. The level of and skill shown by members of all indicated that the future of fencing in the world is in good hands. Scott Bozek, in epee, had the best U. S. showing; ranked 14th in the finals. Martin Lang well in foil placing 32. Our people technically they were the equal of competitor there. However, the consensus much more conditioning and training led to make the skill more telling.

U. S. RESULTS

- Entries:**
 Martin Lang — 25th in repechage
 Scott Bozek — 32nd in repechage
 Ruth Nonomura — eliminated in 1st round
- Entries:**
 Scott Bozek — 14th in repechage
 Dan Wigodsky — eliminated in 2nd round
 Michael Matrangola — eliminated in 1st round
- 5 entries:**
 Don Abby — eliminated in 1st round
 Robert Nagorney — eliminated in 1st round
 Ruth Nonomura — eliminated in 1st round
- (60 entries):**
 Saily Pechinsky — eliminated in 1st round
 Kevin White — eliminated in 2nd round
 Margo Reynolds — eliminated in 1st round

WOLODYOWSKIEGO SABRE TOURNAMENT 1969
 by Ralph Zimmerman

The Polish Fencing Federation again invited a team from the United States to the Włodzowski Sabre Tournament, which was held this year in Opole, Poland on March 28-30. Only the top six sabre teams in the world are invited to this prestigious meet, which has both teams and individual competition. Last year Alex Orban stunned the fencing world by winning the individual title, the first win over for the United States in a major international sabre event. The strength of the tournament is indicated by the fact that this win earned Alex the unprecedented honor of a world ranking (#4) by the authoritative Hungarian publication **Nepsport**.

On March 26, 1969, a team consisting of Alex Orban, Al Morales, Csaba Gall, Jack Keane and Robert Dow, accompanied by Csaba Elthes as Coach and Ralph Zimmerman as Manager, left New York for Poland. The trip to Warsaw was uneventful, but the team had some difficulty with the continuation on to Opole. A combination of factors, bad weather among them, resulted in the total absence of the airplane that was supposed to transport the team from Warsaw, and the resulting train ride across Poland brought the team to Opole at 5 A.M. of March 28.

At 11 A.M., with insufficient rest, the United States met their first opponent, the strong young Hungarian team. Pezsa, Bakonyi, and Messzera were not present, but this team of Kalmar, Nagy, Tamas Kovacs, Koermecsy, and Hammang is probably the

nucleus of the next Hungarian Olympic team. Despite our handicap of travel exhaustion (the other teams arrived two days early), the result was a close defeat, 8-8 on touches.

Unfortunately, this was our high point in the team phase of the tournament. The hard fight with the Hungarian team seemed to deplete the remaining strength of the team, and the other matches of the first day saw us defeated by Poland B, an eager group of young fencers, by a score of 9-7, and by Russia 13-3.

An overnight rest allowed us to fence somewhat better on the second day, but we were defeated 10-6 by each of two strong teams, Poland A and Italy. The overall results placed the teams in the order Russia, Hungary, Poland A, Poland B, USA.

Our fortunes fared better in the individual competition on the third day, after another night of rest. Keane regained some of his form missing the two previous days, but was eliminated with a 3-3 record from a strong pool. Gall suffered a similar setback, being eliminated with a 3-3 record, after his very strong performance in the team competition. Dow had a 1-5 record in his pool, but gained some valuable international experience.

The best United States results were posted by Orban and Morales. Each advanced through two elimination pools to the round of 16, a feat not achieved by such stars as Mavlichanov of Russia, twice the winner of this competition.

Morales defeated Nowara of Poland 4-5, 4-5 in the round of 16. His next pairing in the winners bracket was with Bazenov of Russia. After a strong 1-5 victory, Al was unable to defend the advantage and lost the next two bouts 5-3, 5-1. In repechage, he dominated Pawlowski, and eliminated this champion 3-5, 3-5. This result placed Morales in the top eight, and he had to face Kovacs of Hungary for a place in the six-man final. The result was a 5-3, 5-1 defeat for Morales, the anticlimax of the match following his elimination of Pawlowski taking away some of Al's determination.

TEAM RESULTS
 Hungary d. USA 8-8 54 t. r. vs. 63 t. r.).
 (Orban 3-1, Gall 3-1, Morales 2-2, Keane 0-4).
 Poland B d. USA 9-7 (Orban 3-1, Gall 2-2, Morales 2-2, Keane 0-4).
 USSR d. USA 13-3 (Orban 1-3, Gall 1-3, Morales

1-3, Dow 0-4).
 Italy d. USA 10-6 (Morales 2-2, Gall 2-2, Orban 1-3, Keane 1-3).
 Poland A d. USA 10-6 (Morales 3-1, Orban 2-2, Gall 1-3, Keane 0-4).
USA Team Member Totals - Morales 10-10, Orban 10-10 Gall 9-11, Keane 1-15, Dow 0-4.
Team Standings - 1. USSR, 5-0. Hungary, 4-1; 3. Poland A, 3-2; 4. Italy, 2-3; 5. Poland B, 1-4; 6. USA, 0-5.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS
Preliminary Pools (3 qualify).
 Pool 2: 1. Czernicki, Pol., 6-0; 2. Nazlymow, USSR, 5-1; 3. Wandzioch, Pol. 4-2; 4. Gall, USA, 3-3; 5. Stefani, Italy, 2-4; 6. Myszczyzyn, Po., 1-5; 7. Kubicki, Pol., 0-6.
 Pool 3: 1. Morales, USA, 5-1; 2. Mowlichanov USSR, 4-2; 3. Przegowski, Pol., 4-2; 4. Bierkowski, Pol., 3-3; 5. Panella, Italy, 2-4; 6. Koscielniakowski, Pol., 2-4; 7. Bileski, Pol., 1-5
 Pool 4: 1. Zakrzewski, Pol., 5-1; 2. Orban, USA, 4-2; 3. Majewski, J., Pol., 4-2; 4. Golubiev, USSR, 3-3; 5. Nagy, Hung., 3-3; 6. Goss, Pol., 2-4; 7. Sulkowski, Pol., 0-6.
 Pool 5: 1. Grzegorek, Pol., 6-0; 2. Rakita, USSR, 5-1; 3. Montano, Italy, 4-2; 4. Keane, USA, 3-3; 5. Majewski, T., Pol., 2-4; 6. Roczowiecki, Pol., 1-5; 7. Cwyner, Pol., 0-6.
 Pool 6: 1. Krowopuskov, USSR, 5-1; 2. Koermecsy, Hung., 5-1; 3. Pawlowski, Pol., 4-2; 4. Wierzbicki, Pol., 3-3; 5. Sikora, Pol., 2-4; 6. Dow, USA 1-0; 7. Motyl, Pol., 1-5.

Direct Elimination with Repechage to Final of Six Round of 16:
 1. Kalmar d. Orban 5-3, 5-3.
 2. Rakita d. Pawlowski, 5-3, 5-1.
 3. Maffei d. Kawecki, 2-5, 5-2, 5-2.
 4. Majewski d. Kovacs 5-3, 5-2.
 5. Stroka d. Grzegorek 5-3, 5-3.
 6. Koermecsy d. Nazlymow 4-5, 5-4, 5-4.
 7. Morales d. Nowara 5-4, 5-4.
 8. Bazenov d. Czernicki 5-1, 5-4.

2nd Pair Winners:
 1. Rakita d. Kalmar 5-3, 5-1.
 2. Koermecsy d. Stroka 5-2, 1-5, 5-0.
 3. Maffei d. Majewski 5-3, 5-2.
 4. Bazenov d. Morales 1-5, 5-3, 5-1.

1st Pair Repechage:
 1. Pawlowski d. Orban 5-2, 2-5, 5-3.
 2. Kovacs d. Kawecki 5-3, 3-5, 5-4.
 3. Nazlymow d. Grzegorek 5-2, 5-4.
 4. Czernicki d. Nowara 3-5, 5-4, 5-2.

2nd Pair Repechage:
 1. Morales d. Pawlowski 5-3, 5-3.
 2. Kovacs d. Stroka 5-1, 5-3.
 3. Nazlymow d. Majewski 5-0, 5-2.
 4. Kalmar d. Czernicki 3-5, 5-2, 5-1.

3rd Pair Repechage:
 1. Kovacs d. Morales 5-3, 5-1.
 2. Nazlymow d. Kalmar 5-3, 4-5, 5-1.

Individual Finals.
 1. Nazlymow, 4-1.
 2. Kovacs, 3-2.
 3. Rakita, 2-3 (t.r. 22, t.s. 20).
 4. Maffei, 2-3 (t.r. 22, t.s. 19).
 5. Bazenov, 2-3 (t.r. 23, t. s. 21).
 6. Koermecsy, 2-3, (t.r. 23, t.s. 19).

LONG ISLAND DIVISION

by W. J. Streeter

art of the Long Island Division development program for young fencers, this year awarded a very handsome plaque presented to the fencer under 19 years of age who finished highest in each Open Tournament. At the start of the season the award was given only for foil competitions, with the idea proved so popular that it was extended to epee and sabre competitions in December. This award has provided extra incentive for the young fencers who would not otherwise be taking part.

- Open Foil:** 1. Paul Gaylor, Indian Hills (N. J.) H. S.; 2. Lovis, Newfield H.S.; 3. S. Margolis, NYU.
- Open Epee:** 1. G. Bell, S. S.; 2. Ende, Huntington F. A.; 3. Gottesman, Columbia.
- Open Sabre:** 1. J. Melcher, F. C.; 2. W. Streeter, Long Island Swords; 3. J. Jost, Col. Alumni.
- Open Women's:** 1. C. Benjamin, S. Lucia; 2. J. Keneally, Huntington F.A.; 3. S. Satran, Long Island Swords.
- Open Men's:** 1. J. Brodeth, Long Island Swords; 2. Boutsikaris, unatt.; 3. M. Haselkorn, Columbia; Under 19 Award: Paul Gaylor, Indian Hills H. S.
- Open Women's:** 1. Boutsikaris, unatt.; 2. J. Aviles, NYU; 3. M. Lovis, Newfield H. S.; Under 19 Award: Lovis.
- Open Men's:** 1. J. Melcher, F. C.; 2. Fries, Columbia Alumni; 3. W. Streeter, Long Island Swords.
- Open Women's:** 1. J. Reid, S. S.; 2. C. Chesney, S.S.; 3. B. Wasserman, Wash.
- Open Men's:** 1. L. Pongo, NYAC; 2. G. Bell, S.S.; 3. Young, S.S.
- Open Women's:** 1. J. Aviles, NYU; 2. M. Lang, S.S.; 3. J. Canvan, F.C.; Under 19 Award: G. Nicholson, NYU.
- Open Men's:** 1. G. Belok, F.C.; 2. I. Bernstein, Columbia Alumni; 3. Koppa, Essex H.S.; Under 19 Award: Koppa.
- Open Women's:** 1. W. Streeter, L.I.S.; 2. B. Soriano, Columbia; 3. G. Soriano, N.C.E. Under 19 Award: B. Soriano.
- Open Men's:** 1. Adamovich, F.C.; 2. Kahn; 3. J. Keneally, Huntington, F.A.
- Open Women's:** 1. W. Weber, F.C.; 2. I. Bernstein, Columbia Alumni; 3. J. Jost, Columbia Alumni.
- Open Men's:** 1. F. Halmos, Long Island Swords; 2. D. Abby, F.C.; 3. A. Bachner, Long Island Swords; Under 19 Award: G. Soriano, Essex H.S.
- Open Women's:** 1. White, Wash., D.C.; 2. Chesney, S. S.; 3. Pumpian, Wash, D. C.

IOWA DIVISION

by Terry Westphal

- Women's:** 1. Jane McAuley, ISU; 2. Georgia Wellner, ISU; 3. Sherry Hermely; 4. Terry Westphal, ISU.
- Foil:** 1. Dan Sadoris, ISU; 2. John Kesling, ISU; 3. Sherman Turner, ISU; 4. Vince Jackson, ISU.
- Epee:** 1. Don Shapman, ISU; 2. Kevin Stodola, ISU; 3. Tom Jacobsen, ISU; 4. Michael Maifield, ISU.
- Sabre:** 1. Michael Gibbs; 2. Sherman Turner, ISU; 3. Dario Zaffarano, ISU; 4. Sam Hanft, ISU.
- Women's:** 1. Georgia Wellner, ISU; 2. Jane McAuley, ISU; 3. Terry Westphal, ISU; 4. Sue Miller, S.U.I.
- Foil:** 1. John Kesling, ISU; 2. Vince Jackson, ISU; 3. Sherman Turner, ISU; 4. Joel Good, ISU.
- Epee:** 1. Cap Hermann; 2. Kevin Stodola, ISU; 3. Michael Maifield, ISU; 4. Michael Gibbs.
- Sabre:** 1. Don Chapman, ISU; 2. Michael Gibbs; 3. Vince Jackson, ISU; 4. Dario Zaffarano, ISU.
- Women's:** 1. Georgia Wellner, ISU; 2. Jane McAuley, ISU; 3. Becky Taylor, ISU; 4. Sue Walters, SUI.
- Foil:** 1. Sherman Turner, ISU; 2. Vince Jackson, ISU; 3. John Ryan, SUI; 4. Phil Oshel, ISU.
- Epee:** 1. Keven Stodola, ISU; 2. Don Chapman, ISU; 3. Sam Hanft, ISU; 4. Dario Zaffarano, ISU.
- Sabre:** 1. Karl Luneckas; 2. Vince Jackson, ISU; 3. Phil Oshel, ISU; 4. Dario Zaffarano, ISU.
- Women's:** 1. Jane McAuley, ISU; 2. Sue Miller, SUI; 3. Sue Walters, SUI; 4. Becky Taylor, ISU.
- Foil:** 1. Sherman Turner, ISU; 2. Cap Hermann; 3. Don Chapman, ISU; 4. Kevin Stodola, ISU.
- Epee:** 1. Cap Hermann; 2. Don Chapman, ISU; 3. Michael Maifield, ISU; 4. Kevin Stodola, ISU.
- Sabre:** 1. Cap Hermann; 2. Dan Sadoris, ISU; 3. Dario Zaffarano, ISU; 4. Phil Oshel, ISU.

OKLAHOMA DIVISION

by Roger Van Denhede

- Foil:** 1. Oscar Parsons, Okla. City; 2. Art Wade, Tulsa; 3. Bob Saxon, Okla. City.
- Epee:** 1. Art Wade, Tulsa; 2. Elmer Hoyle, Tulsa; 3. Oscar Parsons, Okla. City.
- Saber:** 1. Bob Saxon, Okla. City; 2. Oscar Parsons, Okla. City; 3. Lee Lawyer, Okla. City.
- Women's:** 1. Jan Fightmaster, Okla. City; 2. Frances Duke, Okla. City; 3. Joan Hagers, Tulsa.
- Foil Team:** Won by Oklahoma City (Lee Lawyer, Oscar Parsons, Bob Saxon).
- Epee Team:** Won by Tulsa (Elmer Hoyle, Roger Van Denhede, Art Wade).
- Saber Team:** Won by Oklahoma City (Lee Lawyer, Oscar Parsons, Bob Saxon).
- Collegiate Foil:** 1. Mike McKee, C.S.C.; 21 Doug Roszel, O.U.; 3. Terry Eastham, O. S. U.
- Collegiate Epee:** 1. Terry Eastham, O.S.U.; 2. Mike McKee, C.S.C.; 3. Doug Roszel, O. U.
- Collegiate Women's:** 1. Janet Mickish, C.S.C.; 2. Jennifer Fulkerson, O.U.; 3. Kristy West, C.S.C.
- Collegiate Team Trophy:** 1. Central State College; 2. University of Oklahoma; 3. Oklahoma State University.

NEW ENGLAND DIVISION

by Dorothy Sullivan

- Sabre Open:** 1. Ed Richards; 2. F. Carroll, MIT; 3. Koskowitz, Boston Fencing Club.
- Women's:** 1. L. Aylward, Boston Y; 2. Pat Mullarkey, Salem Y; 3. K. Fairbanks, Boston Y.
- Under-19 Foil:** 1. Jack Mullarkey; 2. Ed Mullarkey; 3. Chris Jennings.
- Sabre:** 1. Cetrulo, Harvard; 2. F. Carroll, MIT; 3. Brainard, Dartmouth.
- Epee:** 1. Waterman, Boston Y; 2. True, Boston Y; 3. Jack Mullarkey, Salem Y.
- Novice Women's:** 1. N. Maynard, Boston Y; 2. Maureen Sullivan, Salem Y; 3. Roxanne Pappas.
- Novice Foil:** 1. Ed Mullarkey; 2. Chris Jennings; 3. Len Sullivan.
- Novice Epee:** 1. Peter Sils, Concord-Carlisle; 2. Chris Jennings, Salem Y; 3. M. Wegener, Concord-Carlisle.
- Novice Sabre:** 1. Ben Edes, Concord-Carlisle; 2. Victor Sils, Concord-Carlisle; 3. Stan Kozzeb, Salem Y.
- Women's Open:** 1. L. Aylward, Boston Y; W. Donna Call, Salem Y; 3. T. Korzeb, Salem Y.
- Under-19 Women:** 1. Maureen Sullivan, Salem Y.
- Under-19 Epee:** 1. Jack Mullarkey; 2. Chris Jennings; 3. Ed Mullarkey.
- Under-19 Sabre:** 1. Victor Sils, Concord-Carlisle; 2. Mark Williamson, Concord-Carlisle; 3. Steve Wrage, Concord-Carlisle.
- Under-19 Foil:** 1. Jack Mullarkey, Salem Y; 2. Chris Jennings, Salem Y; 3. Phil Reed, Concord-Carlisle.
- Novice Women's:** 1. Morschower, Brandeis; 2. Ellen Sebring, Concord-Carlisle; 3. Donna Call, Salem Y.
- Epee Open:** 1. True, Boston Y; 2. Chris Jennings, Salem Y; 3. J. Raudseps, Boston Y.
- Foil Open:** 1. Ed Richards; 2. Frank Anger, Boston Fencing Club; 3. Rich Copeland, Boston Fencing Club.
- Sabre Championship:** 1. Larry Cetrulo, Harvard; 2. Victor Sils, Concord-Carlisle; 3. S. Crimone.
- Women's Championship:** 1. Nancy Chase Kuker, Salem Y; 2. Sherry Posthumus; 3. Lillian Aylward, Boston Y.
- Under-19 Epee Championship:** 1. Jack Mullarkey; 2. Scott Bozek; 3. Chris Jennings.
- Under-19 Women's Championship:** 1. Donna Call, Salem Y; 2. Maureen Sullivan, Salem Y; 3. E. Hirsch, Brandeis.
- Under-19 Foil Championship:** 1. Scott Bozek; 2. Jack Mullarkey; 3. Chris Jennings.
- Under-19 Sabre Championship:** 1. Victor Sils, Concord-Carlisle; 2. S. Wrage, Concord-Carlisle; 3. N. Lazaris, MIT.
- Foil Championship:** 1. Tom Keller, Harvard; 2. Frank Anger, Boston Fencing Club; 3. Scott Bozek, Salem Y.
- Epee Championship:** 1. Scott Bozek, Salem Y; 2. Frank Anger, Boston Fencing Club; 3. Jack Mullarkey, Salem Y.
- Women's Open:** 1. Donna Call, Salem Y; 2. Nancy Kuker, Salem Y; 3. Nancy Iffland, Concord-Carlisle.
- Sabre Open:** 1. Elliot Lilien; 2. J. Dobbins, Boston Fencing Club; 3. Len Sullivan, Salem Y.

MICHIGAN DIVISION

by Ella Hrabar

- Novice Foil:** 1. W. Ordshorn; 2. M. Pope; 3. B. Berschback.
- Novice Women's Foil:** 1. S. Matthews, London Jewish Youth Center; 2. M. Leonardon, U. of D; 3. J. Sapulski, Downriver YWCA.
- State Championship Foil:** 1. C. Bruce, U. of D; 2. M. Bruce, DFC; 3. D. Parshall, Unatt.
- State Championship Women's Foil:** 1. C. Valdewski, DFC; 2. L. Boche, Ann Arbor; 3. E. Hrabar, DFC.
- State Championship Epee:** 1. C. Bruce, U of D; 2. M. Bruce, DFC; 3. J. Zygolewski, DFC.
- State Championship Sabre:** 1. W. Goering, DFC; 2. F. Bitonti, DFC; 3. J. Campoli, DFC.
- Under-19 Foil Championship:** 1. S. Danosi, DFC; 2. M. Pope, London; 3. A. Ringle, DFC.

INDIANA DIVISION

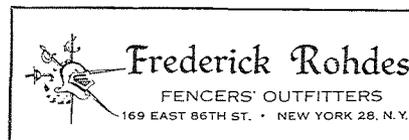
by Elmer White

- Chris Held, a cadet at Culver Military Academy, took sixth place in the Under-19 foil at the Midwest Championships in Cleveland.
- Foil:** 1. Jared Foster, Culver; 2. Kenneth Kamke, Indianapolis; 3. Randy Majors, I. U.
- Epee:** 1. Kenneth Kamke, Indianapolis; 2. Ronald Farrow, Indianapolis 3. Greg Kiel, I. U.
- Sabre:** 1. Galinton Bryan, Jr., I. U.; 2. Marty Kramer, Indianapolis; 3. Fred Coons, Bloomington.
- Women's:** 1. Betty Marchesani, I.S.U.; 2. Myra Bays; 3. Bonnie Lewton, Indianapolis.
- Foil Under-19:** 1. Randy Majors, I. U.; 2. Jon Fatula, Culver Military; 3. George Blackburne, Culver Military.
- Women's Under-19:** 1. Sara McDaniel; 2. Anne Shellabarger; 3. Kelly Conley.

MINNESOTA DIVISION

by Paul E. Dahl

- Women's Foil:** 1. Polly Ross, (7v-1d); 2. Sharyn Sunda, (6v-2d); 3. Rose Foster, (6v-2d); 4. Barbara Luoma, (5v-3d); 5. Sheila Green, (4v-4d); 6. Sarah Nelson, (3v-5d); 7. Kriston Anderson, (2v-6d); 8. Katie Nelson, (2v-6d); 9. Ann Takle, (1v-7d).
- Foil:** 1. Paul Ross, (7v-0d); 2. Paul Heller, (6v-1d); 3. Edward Opstein, (5v-2d); 4. Robert Meek, (3v-4d); 5. James Humphrey, (3v-4d); 6. Kevin Green, (2v-5d); 7. Tom Vetter, (1v-6d); 8. Russell Anderson, (1v-6d).
- Epee:** 1. Guy Pinter, (7v-0d); 2. David Juncker, (4v-3d); 3. Paul Ross, (4v-3d); 4. Tim Sullivan, (3v-4d); 5. Edward Opstein, (3v-4d); 6. Robert Meek, (3v-4d); 7. Skip Leininger, (2v-5d); 8. James Dillinger, (2v-5d).
- Saber:** 1. Wayne Hansen, (5v-0d); 2. Stephen Mayberg, (4v-1d); 3. George Battis, (3v-2d); 4. Terry Hecmovich, (1v-4d); 5. Robert Meek, (1v-4d); 6. Larry Goss, (1v-4d).

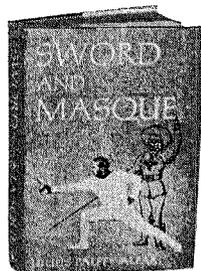


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NORTH ATLANTIC SECTION CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Steve Sobel

The XV North Atlantic Section Championships were held at the Benjamin Franklin High School in Philadelphia. It attracted 166 entries, required a fence off in each event to determine the individual champion, and with the exception of Steve Netburn who successfully defended his epee title, resulted in a new champion in each weapon.

Ruth White, an outstanding 18 year old competitor from Baltimore, after only one loss in the final to Olympian Sally Pechinsky, tied Madeline Miyamoto of New Jersey for first, and then defeated Madeline in a fence off to take the title. A three way tie for third with only three defeats was determined in a count of touches in which Denise O'Connor of New Jersey was third, Veronica Smith of Washington fourth, and Sally Pechinsky of New England fifth. Completing the strong final round was Anne Drungis of Philadelphia sixth, Jay Reid, newly elected secretary of the New Jersey Division seventh, and Sherry Posthumus of New England eighth.

The men's foil resulted in a three way tie for first place in which Uriah Jones who was second last year after a fence off, this year came out on top. Larry Anastasi was second, and Mike Gaylor third. Completing the final were Bruce Lyons fourth, Norm Campbell fifth, Kevin McMahan sixth, Marty Long seventh, and Wally Krause eighth.

In epee, endurance as well as ability was required to complete a final after a long day of fencing, which started after 8:30 and lasted well into the evening. The two Philadelphia rivals — Steve Netburn and Dave Micahnik ended tied with one loss each. Steve, who lost 5-4 to Dave in the Final round, came out on the top of the 5-4 fence off to successfully defend his epee title. Scott Bozek, the strong 18 year old competitor from Massachusetts who defeated Dave in the finals to create the fence off, had to settle for third place with two losses, one to Steve Netburn, and one to Todd Makler. Todd was fourth, Frank Anger fifth, James Wetzler sixth, Arthur Peterson seventh, and Dave Herzig eighth.

Tom Balla, who won the sabre title two years ago, and was second last year to Laszlo Pongo, regained his championship by defeating Bob Dow in a fence off, after each ended with a 7-1 record. Todd Makler took third from Nelson Fishman after a count of touches. Cal Schlick was fifth, Laszlo Pongo sixth, David Devore seventh and Larry Cetrulo eighth.

The competition next year will be hosted by the Maryland Division.

1969 SOUTHEAST SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

by Hap Holden

Sophie Trett of Cocoa Beach went undefeated in the finals for the second year in a row to win the Woman's Foil event. Dean Alexander culminated a three year climb to victory by defeating Fred Sharfstein in a fence-off to take the Saber crown. Bob Neal of Florida Presbyterian College scored a double victory in winning both the foil and epee events.

Women's: 1. Sophie Trett, Cocoa Beach (5-0); 2. Joan Coll, Dunedin (4-1); 3. Kate Alexander, MFC (2-3); 4. Jessica Roberts, MDJC (2-3); 5. Anna Herrero, MDJC (1-4); 6. Mona Robbins, CFD, (1-4).

Saber: 1. Dean Alexander, MFC (6-1); 2. Fred Sharfstein, MFC (6-1); 3. Silvio Martinez, MDJC (4-3); 4. Bob Neal, FPC (4-3); 5. Jose Sasek, U. of F (3-4); 6. Exact tie between Manny Forrest and Ron Brown.

Foil: 1. Bob Neal, FPC (5-1); 2. Stephen Hintlian, FPC (5-1); 3. Bob Colwell, CFD (3-3); 4. Hap Holden, MFC (3-3); 5. Jose Sasek, U. of F. (3-3); 6. Bill Tench, FPC (1-5).

Epee: 1. Bob Neal, FPC (11-0); 2. Richard Coll Dunedin (10-1); 3. Ron Brown, FPC (7-4); 4. Hale Baugh, CFD (6-5. Jose Sosek, U. of F. (3-3); Jack Steinman, MDJC (5-6).

Under-19 Women's: 1. Pam Culshaw, Maison de Capri (5-0); 2. Liz Dowd, Denedin (4-1); 3. Kathy Christensen, MDJC (3-2); 4. Pythia Mathis, MDJC (2-3); 5. Ellen Rabe, CFD (1-4); 6. Imelda Valladares, CGCC (0-5).

Under-19 Foil: 1. Rudy Valladares, CGCC (4-1); 2. Oscar Valladares, CGCC (3-2); 3. Dick Whitehead, MFC (3-2); 4. Hoake Smith, CFD (2-3); 5. Kevin Patnode, CFD (1-4); 6. Rene Valladares, CGCC (1-4).

Under-19 Epee: 1. Hoake Smith, CFD (5-0); 2. John Finger, CFD (3-2); 3. Rudy Valladares, CGCC (2-3); 4. Steve Rawls, CFD (2-3); 5. Cory Richards, CFD (2-3); 6. Rene Valladares, CGCC (1-4).

Under-19 Saber: 1. Oscar Valladares, CGCC (3-0); 2. Rudy Valladares, CGCC (2-1); 3. Hoake Smith, CFD (1-2); 4. Rene Valladares, CGCC (0-3).

MARTINI-ROSSI COMPETITION

by William J. Latzko

ninth annual Martini-Rossi Competition distinguished with a new event, foil. Twenty-two competitors including foreign stars competed.

WOMEN'S FOIL (22 ENTRIES)

competition was won by Miss Amy Dani a bank secretary. She was the national champion in 1966 and a member of the 1968 Italian team in Mexico which placed sixth.

second place in the exciting final was Anna Drimba who is a student of physical education in Bucharest. A left-hander, Drimba is a two-time champion of the world, as was on several Olympic and World Championship teams.

Sally Pechinsky and Denise O'Connor of the United States made the direct elimination round of 8. Miss O'Connor was eliminated by the runner-up, Mrs. Drimba while Pechinsky was eliminated by third place G. Ildiro Rajto of Hungary.

Pool 1

R. White (USA) 3v, O. Drimba (Rumania) 2v, K. Aoyama (Canada) 2v, V. Smith (USA) 2v, J. Reid (USA) 1v.

I. Rejto (Hungary) 4 v, S. Pechinsky (USA) 2v, D. O'Connor (USA) 2v, S. Pierce (USA) 2v, Machnowa (Canada) Ov.

G. Lorenzoni (Italy) 4v, S. Posthumus (USA) 3v, A. Genton (USA) 3v, C. Benjamin (USA) 3v, P. Weidel (Canada) 2v, L. Dingel (USA) Ov.

A. Drungis (USA) 4v, E. Schlede (West Germany) 3v, C. Josland (France) 3v, B. Linkmeyer (USA) 3v, C. Eskensen (USA) 1v, K. Denton (USA) 1v.

Pool 2

Lorenzoni 5v, Pechinsky 3v, White 3v, Aoyama 2v, Genton 1v, Schlede 1v. Drimba 4v, Rejto 4v, O'Connor 3v, Josland 3v, Drungis 1v, Posthumus Ov.

Elimination Round of 8

White 2/4, 0/4

d. White 3/4, 0/4

d. O'Connor 2/4, 4/1, 2/4

Pechinsky 2/4, 0/4

Pool 3

White 3/4, 0/4

d. Rejto 2/4, 4/1, 2/4

ACE MATCH

Josland 2/4

CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT

White d. Drimba 3/4, 3/4

MEN'S FOIL (50 ENTRIES)

The men's foil field featured 50 strong entries which included such stars as Ian Drimba the 1968 Olympic Champion.

The competition was hard fought right from the start. The biggest upset of the day came when Murice Kamhi of the United States defeated Drimba in the direct elimination round of 16. Kamhi himself was later eliminated by Poland's, Woyda in the round of 8. Woyda then went on to win the foil championship by defeating Romania's Tiu in a hard-fought match. Kamuti of Hungary took third place by defeating Parulski of Poland.

ROUND 1

Pool 1: I. Drimba (Rumania) 5v, L. Anastasi (USA) 5v, V. J. Kestler (USA) 3v, G. Obeid (Argentina) 2v, A. Shaw (USA) 1v, A. Messing (USA) Ov.

Pool 2: J. Kamuti (Hungary) 5v, V. Caldron (Mexico) 4v, A. Kestler (USA) 2v, H. Powell (USA) 2v, J. Nonna (USA) 1v, J. Checkes (USA) 1v.

Pool 3: C. Noel (France) 5v, E. Bozek (USA) 3v, M. Kamhi (USA) 3v, K. Morgareidge (USA) 2v, Wayne Krause (USA) 2v, Roca (Argentina) 1v.

Pool 4: Tiu (Rumania) 5v, M. Davis (USA) 5v, Paul Gaylor (USA) 3v, W. Lovis (USA) 3v, C. Borack (USA) 3v, Weidel (Canada) 1v, Borkowsky (USA) 1v.

Pool 5: W. Woyda (Poland) 6v, Walter Krause (USA) 4v, M. Conyd (Canada) 4v, U. Jones (USA) 3v, M. Valsamis (USA) 2v, Rose (USA) 1v, E. Zeizig (USA) 1v.

Pool 6: R. Parulski (Poland) 4v, Pete Gaylor (USA) 3v, E. Carfagno (USA) 3v, V. Mannino (USA) 3v, N. Costantino (USA) 1v, H. Obst (Canada) 1v.

Pool 7: G. Saucedo (Argentina) 3v, N. Campbell (USA) 3v, A. Axelrod (USA) 3v, J. Aviles (USA) 3v, Jaffee (USA) 2v, A. Davis (USA) 1v.

Pool 8: A. Pinnelli (Italy) 5v, A. Zombolas (USA) 3v, M. Lang (USA) 3v, D. Lyons (USA) 2v, M. Razukas (USA) 1v, C. Calderon (Mexico) 1v.

ROUND 2

Pool 1: Tiu 7v, Pinnelli 5v, Conyd 5v, Jones 5v, M. Davis 3v, Zombolas 2v, Powell 2v, Carfagno Ov.

Pool 2: Kamuti, 7v, Saucedo 5v, Krause 4v, Morgareidge 3v, Calderon 3v, Paul Gaylor 2v, A. Kestler 2v, Axelrod 2v.

Pool 3: Noel 7v, Mannino 5v, Parulski 4v, J. Kestler 3v, Bozek 3v, Lovis 3v, Campbell 2v, Obeid 1v.

Pool 4: Drimba 6v, Woyda 5v, Kamhi 5v, Anastasi 4v, Lyons 3v, Aviles 3v, Pete Gaylor 1v, Lang 1v.

Direct Elimination

Round of 16

Noel d. Morgareide 0/5, 2/5

Parulski d. Saucedo 2/5, 1/5

Woyda d. Krause 5/2, 4/5, 0/5

Kamhi d. Drimba 4/5, 4/5

Tiu d. Jones 5/4, 4/5, 1/5

Pinnelli d. Anastasi 4/5, 1/5

Mannino d. Conyd 5/4, 1/5, 3/5

Kamuti d. Kestler 2/5, 3/5

Round of 8

Parulski d. Noel 4/5, 4/5

Woyda d. Kamhi 0/5, 0/5

Tiu d. Pinnelli 1/5, 4/5

Kamuti d. Mannino 3/5, 5/4, 2/5

Round of 4

Woyda d. Parulski 2/5, 4/5

Tiu d. Kamuti 3/5, 0/5

3rd Place Bout

Kamuti d. Parulski 3/5

Championship Match

Woyda d. Tiu 3/5, 1/5

EPEE (46 ENTRIES)

The epee competition of 46 entries was the smallest of the men's fields but made up for the lack of number by the intensity of fencing.

Due to the method of seeding in direct eliminations, Gyozo Kulscar of Hungary, winner of the 1968 Olympic Epee Championship, fenced against Gian Luigi Saccaro of Italy, former World Champion. In spite of a spirited defense Olympiaci Champion Kulscar eliminated Saccaro. Kulscar went on to defeat Jeanne of France for the championship. Pesthy of the United States defeated Chamay of Switzerland to take third place.

ROUND 1

Pool 1: S. Netburn (USA) 5v, Lewis (USA) 4v, G. Szunyogh (USA) 4v, W. Mathieson (USA) 3v, Vergara (Argentina) 2v, Moore (USA) 1v, Gwazda (USA) 1v.

Pool 2: G. Saccaro (Italy) 6v, J. Miller (USA) 6v, A. Davis (USA) 5v, D. Chamay (Switzerland) 5v, Knecht (USA) 3v, Nordin (Sweden) 2v, Braine (USA) 1v, M. Matranga (USA) Ov.

Pool 3: B. Gonsior (Uoland) 6v, P. Pesthy (USA) 4v, Masnik (USA) 3v, P. Bakonyi (Canada) 3v, R. McManhan (USA) 2v, D. Herzig (USA) 1v, W. Weber (USA) 1v.

Pool 4: F. Jeanne (France) 6v, J. Melcher (USA) 6v, D. Micahnik (USA) 3v, G. Masin (USA) 3v, U. Jones (USA) 3v, Hardinge (USA) 3v, Anderson (USA) 2v, D. Wigodski (USA) 2v.

Pool 5: G. Kulscar (Hungary) 6v, E. Bozek (USA) 5v, Davidson (USA) 5v, W. Reith (USA) 3v, E. Carfagno (USA) 3v, G. Obeid (Argentina) 3v, V. Mannino (USA) 2v, A. Peterson (USA) 1v.

Pool 6: Jacobson (Sweden) 5v, F. Anger, (USA) 5v, G. Weidel (Canada) 4v, B. Makler (USA) 3v, Shanzer (USA) 3v, Morgareidge (USA) 3v, G. Belok (USA) 2v, Roca (Argentina) 2v.

ROUND II

Pool 1: Chamay 4v, Anger 3v, Pesthy 3v, Jeanne 2v, Masnik 1v, Davidson 1v.

Pool 2: Saccaro 5v, Micahnik 3v, Melcher 3v, Weidel 2v, Reith 1v, Lewis 1v.

Pool 3: Gonsior 4v, Mathieson 3v, Masin 3v, Miller 2v, Jacobson 2v, Davis 1v.

Pool 4: Netburn 4v, Bozek 3v, Szunyogh 3v, Kulscar 2v, Bakonyi 2v, Makler 1v.

Direct Elimination

Round of 16

Saccaro d. Masin 2/5, 3/5

Kulscar d. Miller 2/5, 4/5

Szunyogh d. Anger 3/5, 4/5

Chamay d. Mathieson 3/5, 5/3, 3/5

Netburn d. Weidel 2/5, 3/5

Pesthy d. Melcher 4/5, 4/5

Jeanne d. Bozek 2/5, 5/1, 0/5

Gonsior d. Micahnik 4/5, 3/5

Round of 8

Kulscar d. Saccaro 3/5, 4/5

Chamay d. Szunyogh 4/5, 5/4, 2/5

Pesthy d. Netburn 2/5, 3/5

Jeanne d. Gonsior 2/5, 2/5

Round of 4

Kulscar d. Chamay 5/3, 1/5, 0/5

Jeanne d. Pesthy 4/5, 4/5

3rd Place Bout

Pesthy d. Chamay 4/5

Championship Match

Kulscar d. Jeanne 3/5, 4/5

SABER (50 ENTRIES)

As always, sabre proved a most exciting event. Jerszy Pawlowski of Poland a current Olympic Champion and many times a World Champion in sabre performed as he had in the past several Martini-Rossi Competitions. As in past, he was heavily challenged by Tibor Pezsa of Hungary.

Also, as in former competitions, a fence-off resulted between these powerful competitors. This year, however, a third contestant

became involved in the fence-off. Ian Drimba proved amazingly strong in sabre, moving up rapidly into the fence-off. Mr. Drimba was several times Roumgnian sabre champion showing by his superb style that he is a master at sabre as well as foil.

Pawlowski defeated Drimba in a closely-fought 4-5 bout. He then went on to defeat Pezsa in another close and exciting bout, 4-5, to take the Martini-Rossi saber Championship for the third time in a row, Pezsa took second place by defeating Drimba.

ROUND I

Pool 1: J. Pawlowski (Poland) 5v, R. Dow (USA) 4v, Matienzo (Argentina) 3v, N. Fishman (USA) 1v, U. Milletari (USA) 1v, Bamer (USA) 1v.

Pool 2: T. Peza (Hungary) 5v, R. Blum (USA) 3v, W. Goering (USA) 3v, A. Cohen (USA) 3v, Kaplan (USA) 1v, Webb (USA) Ov.

Pool 3: Bonnissent (France) 5v, J. Keane (USA) 4v, J. Campoli (USA) 3v, E. Carfagno (USA) 2v, Kendrick (USA) 1v, H. Shore (USA) Ov.

Pool 4: C. Gall (USA) 5v, Quinos (Argentina) 3v, Carter (USA) 3v, H. Obst (Canada) 2v, P. Tishman (USA) 1v, R. Nagorney (USA) 1v.

Pool 5: I. Drimba (Rumania) 6v, Montano (Italy) 5v, T. Makler (USA) 3v, Glassgold (USA) 3v, Marion (USA) 3v, Grzanka (USA) 2v, H. Spector (USA) Ov.

Pool 6: C. Borack (USA) 4v, D. Zimmerman (USA) 4v, Saucedo (Argentina) 4v, T. Balla (USA) 4v, Kerner (USA) 3v, Emory (USA) 1v, Bryan (USA) 1v.

Pool 7: A. Orban (USA) 4v, V. Calderon (Mexico) 4v, N. Braslow (USA) 3v, F. Nagorney (USA) 2v, R. Battle (USA) 1v, P. Tishman (USA) 1v.

Pool 8: A. Morales (USA) 4v, S. Sobel (USA) 3v, Griffin (USA) 3v, R. Garbatini (USA) 2v, W. Fajardo (Mexico) 2v, Lina (USA) 1v.

ROUND II

Pool 1: Pawlowski 7v, Keane 6v, Dow 4v, Makler 3v, Quinos 3v, Nagorney 1v, Obst Ov.

Pool 2: Pezza 7v, Gall 6v, Blum 5v, Glassgold 3v, Campoli 2v, Fishman 2v, Carter 2v, Griffin 1v.

Pool 3: Orban 7v, Balla 5v, Drimba 4v, Goering 3v, Matienzo 3v, Carfagno 3v, Sobel 3v, Calderon 1v.

Pool 4: Montano 7v, Bonnissent 5v, Morales 4v, Zimmerman 3v, Cohen 3v, Braslow 3v, Saucedo 2v, Garbatini 1v.

Direct Elimination

Round of 16

Pawlowski d. Glassgold 4/5, 0/5

Drimba d. Balla 4/5, 5/4, 4/5

Morales d. Gall 1/5, 5/3, 4/5

Orban d. Borack 1/5, 1/5

Montano d. Zimmerman 1/5, 3/5

Bonnissent d. Dow 5/4, 2/5, 4/5

Keane d. Blum 5/0, 4/5, 3/5

Pezsa d. Goering 5/4, 1/5, 1/5

Round of 8

Pawlowski d. Drimba 4/5, 4/5

Morales d. Orban 2/5, 4/5

Montano d. Bonnissent 4/5, 0/5

Pezsa d. Keane 5/3, 2/5, 0/5

Repechage

Drimba d. Orban 1/5, 1/5

Bonnissent d. Keane 3/5, 5/4, 4/5

Final

Pawlowski 4v, Pezsa 4v, Drimba 4v, Bonnissent 1v, Montano 1v, Morales 1v.

Fence-off: Pawlowski d. Pezsa 4/5, Drimba 4/5; Pezsa d. Drimba 2/5