

YALE FENCERS WIN EPEE TEAM TITLE

Also Lead for Sabre and Foils
Honors as Championships
Start at Hotel Astor.

BENNETT INDIVIDUAL STAR

Navy Swordsman Clinches Epee
Laurels—Eskilson Ahead
With the Sabre.

After the first ten hours of fencing in the championship bouts of the Intercollegiate Fencing League, the Blue of Yale predominated at the Hotel Astor last night. The swordsmen of New Haven, represented capably by Snow and Brown, carried off the épée championship and held a substantial lead for the sabre and foil title as well when the first session was concluded.

The team matches with the duelling sword were concluded last night and Yale went through her five matches without the stain of defeat. The Blue triumphed over Hamilton, Navy and M. I. T., and, though held to ties by both the Army and Pennsylvania, still had the best record at the end.

The Army was second, though far behind the Blue leaders, with only two victories, two ties and a defeat. Hamilton was third by virtue of gaining three ties, winning one match and losing the other.

The Yale sabre team concluded its matches and had a final standing of three victories, two ties and no defeats, but the swordsmen from the United States Naval Academy still have a chance of winning this title, as they have two more bouts to fence and are as yet undefeated. The Navy must meet and defeat both the Army and Columbia in order to overtake the Blue. A defeat by either would relegate the Midshipmen to second place, and a tie by either would assure Yale of at least a tie for the team honors.

Army Still Has Chance.

The Army also has yet to face defeat in the sabre team matches, although the best it can hope to gain is a tie with Yale for first honors and to do that it must defeat both Navy and Hamilton in its two remaining bouts.

The competition for the team honors with the foil and the historic Iron Man which the championship carries with it, was late in starting and only a few bouts were run off before midnight, when the first day of duelling was brought to a close. But in the short time it had to display its ability with this weapon, Yale also took the lead, winning all three of its first bouts, which included victories over Columbia, Cornell and the Army.

Harvard, too, went through its foil contests without a blemish, beating Army and Navy, but Harvard has three more battles to go through while Yale has only two. Already it is apparent that the Iron Man will hang in the balance of the meeting between the old rivals from Cambridge and New Haven, which is scheduled for this afternoon.

The title which the Yale épée team won was not the only one that was clinched yesterday. Rawson Bennett of the Navy completed his matches for the individual épée championship with a string of eight victories and only two defeats, thereby clinching the honors. There still are bouts to be fenced with the épée but none of the contestants for the individual crown has a mathematical chance of equaling Bennett's mark.

Three May Tie for Second.

Jaekel of Princeton, with five victories, four defeats and one match still to fence, has a chance of tying with Brown and Snow of Yale and Briton of Hamilton for second place, the last named trio having finished out their strings with six victories and four defeats. Brown and Snow, the Yale swordsmen who carried the Blue to the team championship, were the only men able to defeat Bennett with the duelling sword.

Another Navy representative took a lead that hardly will be overtaken when Eskil Eskilson won six successive victories in quest of the individual sabre title. He defeated Hoyt of Cornell, Kutz of Hamilton, Paradise of the Navy, Bookler of Penn, Huffman of Yale and Wolfe of Yale with very little trouble and has only to defeat Mayo of the Army in order to gain the championship. He may capture the honor even with a defeat in his one remaining bout for Mayo is the only swordsman with a possibility of tying the Midshipman and he must not only beat Eskilson but Kutz and Paradise also to do it. He already has suffered one defeat.

The summaries of yesterday's team matches with sabre and épée follow:

Epee Teams.

YALE 3, NAVY 1.

Brown, Yale, defeated Bennett, Adams.
Adams, Navy, defeated Snow.
Snow, Yale, defeated Bennett.

YALE 2, ARMY 2.

Snow, Yale, defeated Ford.
Brown, Yale, defeated Ford.
Doyle, Army, defeated Snow, Brown.

YALE 2, PENN 2.

Brown, Yale, defeated Applebaum, Clark.
Applebaum, Penn, defeated Snow.
Clark, Penn, defeated Snow.

HAMILTON 2, M. I. T. 2.

Briton, Hamilton, defeated Cole.
Whitbeck, Hamilton, defeated Levis.
Levis, M. I. T., defeated Briton.
Cole, M. I. T., defeated Whitbeck.

ARMY 3, PENN 1.

Ford, Army, defeated Applebaum, Clark.
Applebaum, Penn, defeated Doyle.
Doyle, Army, defeated Clark.

NAVY 2, HAMILTON 2.

Bennett, Navy, defeated Briton, Whitbeck.
Briton, Hamilton, defeated Adams.
Whitbeck, Hamilton, defeated Adams.

NAVY 2, M. I. T. 2.

Bennett, Navy, defeated Levis.
Adams, Navy, defeated Cole.
Cole, M. I. T., defeated Bennett.
Levis, M. I. T., defeated Adams.

YALE 3, HAMILTON 1.

Brown, Yale, defeated Briton, Whitbeck.
Snow, Yale, defeated Whitbeck.
Briton, Hamilton, defeated Snow.

M. I. T. 3, HARVARD 1.

Levis, M. I. T., defeated Davidson, Outerbridge.
Cole, M. I. T., defeated Davidson.
Outerbridge, Harvard, defeated Cole.

HAMILTON 4, PENN 0.

Whitbeck, Hamilton, defeated Clark, Applebaum.
Briton, Hamilton, defeated Clark, Applebaum.

PENN 3, NAVY 1.

Leslie, Penn, defeated Bennett, Adams.
Clark, Penn, defeated Bennett.
Adams, Navy, defeated Clark.

ARMY 4, M. I. T. 0.

Ford, Army, defeated Cole, Levis.
Doyle, Army, defeated Cole, Levis.

YALE 3, M. I. T. 1.

Snow, Yale, defeated Levis, Cole.
Brown, Yale, defeated Cole.
Levis, M. I. T., defeated Brown.

M. I. T. 3, PENN 1.

Levis (M. I. T.) defeated Leslie, Clark.
Cole (M. I. T.) defeated Clark.
Leslie (Penn.) defeated Cole.

ARMY 2, HAMILTON 2.

Ford (Army) defeated Whitbeck, Briton.
Briton (Hamilton) defeated Doyle.
Whitbeck (Hamilton) defeated Doyle.

Run of 241 Was Hardest Test Of His Career, Says Schaefer

Young Jake Schaefer described his record-breaking cluster of 241, a new 18.1 balkline high run mark, as the hardest test he has undergone in his billiard career. He said after the afternoon block, in which he had an unfinished 219, that two of the most difficult shots he had ever made were included in the string. One, Schaefer said, was a massé and the other a three-cushion drive. Schaefer is the holder of the high run record of 432 for 18.2 world's championship competition. He ran 400 from the spot in 18.2 championship play against Eric Hagenlacher a year ago.

YALE 3, M. I. T. 1.

Snow (Yale), defeated Cole, Levis.
Brown (Yale) defeated Cole.
Levis (M. I. T.) defeated Brown.

NAVY 4, ARMY 0.

Adams (Navy) defeated Doyle, Ford.
Bennett (Navy) defeated Doyle, Ford.

Sabre Teams.

NAVY 4, DARTMOUTH 0.

Eskilson, Navy, defeated Townsend, 5-4;
Cetrulo, 5-2.
Paradise, Navy, defeated Cetrulo, 5-3;
Townsend, 5-3.

NAVY 4, HAMILTON 0.

Eskilson, Navy, defeated Michaels, 5-2;
Kutz, 5-1.
Paradise, Navy, defeated Michaels, 5-2;
Kutz, 5-4.

ARMY 2, DARTMOUTH 2.

Mayo, Army, defeated Townsend, 5-3;
Cetrulo, 5-4.
Townsend, Dartmouth, defeated Smith, 5-4.

YALE 4, DARTMOUTH 0.

Wolfe, Yale, defeated Townsend, 5-4;
Cetrulo, 5-3.
Hoffman, Yale, defeated Cetrulo, 5-1;
Townsend, 5-3.

COLUMBIA 2, HAMILTON 2.

Cohn, Columbia, defeated Kutz, 5-4.
Ely, Columbia, defeated Michaels, 5-3.
Michaels, Hamilton, defeated Cohn, 5-3.
Kutz, Hamilton, defeated Ely, 5-4.

YALE 4, HAMILTON 0.

Hoffman, Yale, defeated Kutz, 5-0;
Michaels, 5-1.
Wolfe, Yale, defeated Kutz, 5-2; Michaels, 5-1.

ARMY 3, COLUMBIA 1.

Mayo, Army, defeated Cohn, 5-1; Ely, 5-3.
Bixel, Army, defeated Cohn, 5-3.
Ely, Columbia, defeated Smith, 5-4.

NAVY 2, YALE 2.

Eskelson (Navy) defeated Huffman, 5-1;
Wolfe, 5-2.
Huffman (Yale) defeated Paradise, 5-4.
Wolfe (Yale) defeated Paradise, 5-4.

YALE 4, COLUMBIA 0.

Wolfe (Yale) defeated Cohn, 5-2; Ely, 5-3.
Huffman (Yale) defeated Cohn, 5-3; Ely, 5-2.

ARMY 2, YALE 2.

Mayo (Army) defeated Huffman, 5-3;
Wolfe, 5-0.
Huffman (Yale) defeated Bixel, 5-2.
Wolfe (Yale) defeated Bixel, 5-3.

ARCHER, NAVY FENCER, WINS CLEMENS MEDAL

Midshipman Shows Fine Form in Outclassing the Field in Novice Competition.

Midshipman R. J. Archer of the United States Naval Academy yesterday won the Clemens Medal, the trophy offered annually for novice fencers and competed for just prior to the start of the intercollegiate finals. Archer, who is in his second year at the Naval Academy, gave promise of becoming one of the best men with a foil in the intercollegiate ranks, according to the experts who witnessed and judged the competition.

Another navy representative, J. L. Lane, finished third in the bouts, being nosed out of second place by Beard of the New York Military Academy.

A dozen young swordsmen competed for the medal, which marks the passing of an undergraduate from the novice ranks to the intercollegiate. Strong opponents were faced from almost as many institutions as there were individuals, but Midshipman Archer clearly outclassed the rest of the field.