

COLUMBIA FENCERS CAPTURE 2 CROWNS

Annex Sabre Team Championship as Intercollegiate Tourney Begins at the Astor.

NORMAN COHN WINS TITLE

Blue and White Captain Gains Individual Honors—Army Is Strong With the Epee.

SAERE TEAM STANDINGS.

| | Won. | Lost. | Tied. | Pts. |
|---------------------|------|-------|-------|------|
| Columbia | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Yale | 3 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Army | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Dartmouth | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1½ |
| Cornell | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1½ |
| Navy | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 |

By **BRYAN FIELD.**

Columbia University's fencers gained greater glory than in many years when they won the two championships decided on the first day of competition in the Intercollegiate Fencing Association's tournament which began yesterday at the Hotel Astor. Fencing will continue this afternoon and evening and the meeting will conclude with the holding of the Intercollegiate dance tonight.

Three individual and three team championships, besides the three-weapon championship, will be decided in all as the result of the two days of competition. The individual and team championships with the sabre were decided yesterday with Columbia doing the winning.

Norman Cohn, captain of the Blue and White swordsmen, came through in dashing style to take the individual honors. Undefeated in dual meet or other competition this season, Cohn made a remarkable score against the pick of the intercollegiate fencers yesterday. Twelve colleges sent fourteen representatives into the individual championship and Cohn toppled them with dispatch and precision.

In winning he supplanted Nussbaum of Yale, defending champion, and Columbia displaced Yale as the team champion. The victory of Cohn was by no means unexpected. He has been watched with increasing interest throughout the season because of the manner in which he defeated college sabre men of high ability. He was third in the championship last year.

While there was talk among Cohn's supporters yesterday as to the possibility of his being picked for the United States Olympic fencing team, veteran swordsmen said that he still lacked the experience and finish of the more mature club and other fencers who are prominent for such places.

Lorber Attracts Attention.

The runner-up to Cohn for the championship was one of the most interesting figures in the tournament. This was Ted Lorber of Ohio State, the only Westerner in the competition. Lorber is amateur fencing coach at Ohio State and attained that place by teaching himself fencing. Cohn profited by the able instruction of James Murray, coach at Columbia. Lorber ran up a fine string of victories, but when Cohn continued his flawless fencing fell by the wayside.

In the epee competition the Army again looked like a winner, although the competition will not be finished until this afternoon. Frank Sands of West Point is the defending champion, but his schoolmate, Hinrichs, had the best chance for winning as the result of yesterday's bouts. Out of ten contests to be fenced, Hinrichs had won five and lost but one. Sands had won four and lost two. Each has four bouts yet to fence and both may be displaced, although it is not likely.

For the epee team competition the Army has a fine chance to successfully defend its championship won last year. In all five bouts must be fenced by each team. At the end of yesterday's competition each of the six contending teams had fenced four. Army had won three and tied one bout to attain the best score of the day. New York University, a comparative newcomer to intercollegiate fencing circles, was giving the Army its sternest fight for the epee team honors. The violet fencers won two bouts and tied two with one still to go. N. Y. U. still has a chance to win, even though it is a slim one.

Prominent Fencers Attend.

The attendance at yesterday's competition included most of the fencing lovers of the East. In addition to the well known college coaches and a few other professionals there was a big turnout of the prominent club fencers, who acted as judges and referees. Among those present were Lieutenant George Calnan, Leo Nunes, Peter Mijer, Lieutenant John Grombach and others.

The team summaries:

SABRE.

COLUMBIA 3, YALE 1.

Cohn, Columbia, defeated Nussbaum, 5 to 3; Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Ely, 5 to 2; Ely, Columbia, defeated Blossom, 5 to 1; Cohn, Columbia, defeated Blossom, 5 to 0.

NAVY 3, DARTMOUTH 1.

Eller, Navy, defeated Cetrulo, 5 to 4; Dennis, Dartmouth, defeated Eller, 5 to 0; Loomis, Navy, defeated Dennis, 5 to 4; Loomis, Navy, defeated Cetrulo, 5 to 4.

DARTMOUTH 3, CORNELL 1.

Cetrulo, Dartmouth, defeated Good, 5 to 3; Dennis, Dartmouth, defeated Good, 5 to 4; Chardon, Cornell, defeated Dennis, 5 to 2; Cetrulo, Dartmouth, defeated Chardon, 5 to 3.

COLUMBIA 4, ARMY 0.

Cohn, Columbia, defeated Goodrich, 5 to 2; Cohn, Columbia, defeated Giddings, 5 to 2; Ely, Columbia, defeated Giddings, 5 to 4; Ely, Columbia, defeated Goodrich, 5 to 4.

ARMY 2, DARTMOUTH 2.

Cetrulo, Dartmouth, defeated Giddings, 4 to 1; Goodrich, Army, defeated Dennis, 5 to 0; Cetrulo, Dartmouth, defeated Goodrich, 5 to 3; Giddings, Army, defeated Dennis, 5 to 0.

YALE 4, NAVY 0.

Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Eller, 5 to 3; Blossom, Yale, defeated Loomis, 5 to 4; Blossom, Yale, defeated Eller, 5 to 2; Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Loomis, 5 to 3.

YALE 4, CORNELL 0.

Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Good, 5 to 4; Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Seldin, 5 to 4; Blossom, Yale, defeated Chardon, 5 to 3; Blossom, Yale, defeated Good, 5 to 2.

COLUMBIA 4, NAVY 0.

Cohn, Columbia, defeated Eller, 5 to 4; Cohn, Columbia, defeated Loomis, 5 to 1; Ely, Columbia, defeated Loomis, 5 to 3; Ely, Columbia, defeated Eller, 5 to 3.

ARMY 2, CORNELL 2.

Good, Cornell, defeated Giddings, 5 to 2; Giddings, Army, defeated Seldin, 5 to 4; Goodrich, Army, defeated Seldin, 5 to 4; Good, Cornell, defeated Goodrich, 5 to 2.

ARMY 3, NAVY 1.

Eller, Navy, defeated Giddings, 5 to 1; Goodrich, Army, defeated Loomis, 5 to 1; Goodrich, Army, defeated Eller, 5 to 3; Giddings, Army, defeated Loomis, 5 to 4.

YALE 3, DARTMOUTH 1.

Cetrulo, Dartmouth, defeated Nussbaum, 5 to 1; Blossom, Yale, defeated Eller, 5 to 2; Ely, Columbia, defeated Blossom, 5 to 1; Cohn, Columbia, defeated Blossom, 5 to 0.

5 to 1; Blossom, Yale, defeated Cetrulo, 5 to 4; Blossom, Yale, defeated Dennis, 5 to 3; Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Dennis, 5 to 4.

COLUMBIA 3, CORNELL 1.

Cohn, Columbia, defeated Larco, 5 to 3; Ely, Columbia, defeated Larco, 5 to 2; Seldin, Cornell, defeated Ely, 5 to 2; Cohn, Columbia, defeated Seldin, 5 to 3.

CORNELL 3, NAVY 1.

Larco, Cornell, defeated Eller, 5 to 1; Seldin, Cornell, defeated Loomis, 5 to 3; Loomis, Navy, defeated Larco, 5 to 4; Seldin, Cornell, defeated Eller, 5 to 3.

ARMY 3, YALE 1.

Nussbaum, Yale, defeated Goodrich, 5 to 2; Giddings, Army, defeated Blossom, 5 to 2; Giddings, Army, defeated Nussbaum, 5 to 2; Goodrich, Army, defeated Blossom, 5 to 4.

EPEE.

ARMY 3, HARVARD 1.

Sands, Army, defeated Modell; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Modell; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Berliner; Berliner, Harvard, defeated Sands.

N. Y. U. 3, YALE 1.

Kapner, N. Y. U., defeated Hill; Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Hill; Walker, Yale, defeated Capriles; Kapner, N. Y. U., defeated Walker.

N. Y. U. 2, HARVARD 2.

Modell, Harvard, defeated Kapner, Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Modell; Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Berliner; Berliner, Harvard, defeated Kapner.

ARMY 4, PRINCETON 0.

Sands, Army, defeated Jaekel; Sands, Army, defeated Kimball; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Kimball; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Jaekel.

PRINCETON 3, COLUMBIA 1.

Jaekel, Princeton, defeated Cohn; Kimball, Princeton, defeated Tompkins; Kimball, Princeton, defeated Cohn; Tompkins, Columbia, defeated Jaekel.

YALE 3, COLUMBIA 1.

Hill, Yale, defeated Cohn; Hill, Yale, defeated Tompkins; Walker, Yale, defeated Tompkins; Kohn, Columbia, defeated Walker.

N. Y. U. 3, COLUMBIA 1.

Kapner, N. Y. U., defeated Cohn; Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Tompkins; Tompkins, Columbia, defeated Kapner; Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Cohn.

YALE 4, HARVARD 0.

Hill, Yale, defeated Modell; Walker, Yale, defeated Berliner; Walker, Yale, defeated Modell; Hill, Yale, defeated Berliner.

N. Y. U. 2, ARMY 2.

Hinrichs, Army, defeated Kapner; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Capriles; Capriles, N. Y. U., defeated Sands; Kapner, N. Y. U., defeated Sands.

ARMY 4, YALE 0.

Hinrichs, Army, defeated Hill; Sands, Army, defeated Hill; Sands, Army, defeated Walker; Hinrichs, Army, defeated Walker.

FOILS.

NAVY 5, ARMY 2.

Wait, Navy, defeated Quill, 5-3, and Dohs, 5-3; Howard, Navy, defeated Breckinridge, 5-4, and Quill, 5-4; Grant, Navy, defeated Breckinridge, 5-3.

Dohs, Army, defeated Grant, 5-4; Quill, Army, defeated Grant, 5-2.

YALE 5, CORNELL 3.

Every, Yale, defeated Chardon, 5-0; Robbins, 5-2, and Pirone, 5-1; Righeimer, Yale, defeated Pirone, 5-4, and Chardon, 5-3.

Chardon, Cornell, defeated Overstreet, 5-1; Robbins, Cornell, defeated Righeimer, 5-4; Pirone, Cornell, defeated Overstreet, 5-4.

COLUMBIA 5, HARVARD 4.

Alessandrini, Columbia, defeated Modell, 5-4, and Hollister, 5-1; Cautino, Columbia, defeated Berliner, 5-3; Tompkins, Columbia, defeated Modell, 5-2, and Hollister, 5-2.

Berliner, Harvard, defeated Tompkins, 5-3, and Alessandrini, 5-4; Hollister, Harvard, defeated Cautino, 5-3; Modell, Harvard, defeated Cautino, 5-4.

CORNELL 5, HARVARD 1.

Chardon, Cornell, defeated Modell, 5-3, and Berliner, 5-1; Pirone, Cornell, defeated Hollister, 5-0, and Berliner, 5-4; Robbins, Cornell, defeated Modell, 5-1.

Berliner, Harvard, defeated Robbins, 5-3.

YALE 5, NAVY 3.

Every, Yale, defeated Howard, 5-3 and Grant, 5-3; Righeimer, Yale, defeated Howard, 5-3 and Grant, 5-1; Overstreet, Yale, defeated Howard, 5-2.

Wait, Navy, defeated Righeimer, 5-4 and Overstreet, 5-3; Grant, Navy, defeated Overstreet, 5-4.

ARMY 5, COLUMBIA 4.

Breckinridge, Army, defeated Tompkins, 5-1 and Alessandrini, 5-4; Dohs, Army, defeated Cautino, 5-2 and Alessandrini, 5-4.

Alessandrini, Columbia, defeated Quill, 5-2; Tompkins, Columbia, defeated Dohs, 5-4 and Quill, 5-1; Cautino, Columbia, defeated Breckinridge, 5-3.

ARMY 5, HARVARD 0.

Breckinridge, Army, defeated Berliner, 5-2 and Modell, 5-3; Dohs, Army, defeated Modell, 5-1 and Berliner, 5-3; Quill, Army, defeated Hollister, 5-1.

CORNELL 5, NAVY 2.

Robbins, Cornell, defeated Howard, 5-4, and Wait, 5-3; Chardon, Cornell, defeated Grant, 5-1, and Wait, 5-3; Pirone, Cornell, defeated Howard, 5-3; Wait, Navy, defeated Pirone, 5-2; Grant, Navy, defeated Robbins, 5-3.

YALE 5, COLUMBIA 3.

Every, Yale, defeated Tompkins, 5-3, and Alessandrini, 5-3; Overstreet, Yale, defeated Cautino, 5-3, and Alessandrini, 5-4; Righeimer, Yale, defeated Cautino, 5-0; Alessandrini, Columbia, defeated Righeimer, 5-4; Tompkins, Columbia, defeated Righeimer, 5-2, and Overstreet, 5-4.