

WORLD'S RECORD EQUALED BY DREW

Negro Sprinter Runs 70 Yards in Millrose A. A. Race in 71-5 Seconds.

GOULDING LOSES THE WALK

Handicap of Over a Lap Enables Eddie Renz to Defeat Famous Champion at Two Miles.

Howard P. Drew of the University of California traveled three thousand miles across the continent to compete in the games of the Millrose Athletic Association in Madison Square Garden last night, and demonstrated to the largest crowd that ever viewed an athletic meet in the old arena that he could again become the world's greatest sprinter. The colored sprinter placed himself once more on the top of the athletic ladder by winning the seventy-yard invitation race, which brought together four of the best sprinters in the world.

In order to win the event Drew had to equal the world's indoor record of 71-5 seconds, which was made first in 1903 by W. A. Schick, then equaled in 1910 by Jimmy Archer, and in 1912 by Drew himself.

Right at the world's record holder's shoulders as he breasted the worsted first was Roy F. Morse, another negro sprinter, who holds the junior national 100-yard and the senior 220-yard championship. Joe Loomis, the Chicago A. A. representative, who won the national century championship from Drew at San Francisco last year, was third, barely a foot back of the victor, while Frank Stephenson, the military title holder, who completed the field, pulled up last. It was a great race, for it could not have been closer at the finish. It certainly served to make Drew the leader in his class again.

To many of the spectators it seemed as if Morse, who was on the outside, had caught Drew on the tape, and some of the judges must have agreed with them, for there was a conference before the verdict was awarded to the Californian.

So great was the crowd which witnessed the sports that the doors of the Garden were closed by order of the Fire Department long before 9 o'clock. Speculators gave the police considerable trouble despite the fact that they had few tickets.

When Morse, Drew, Loomis, and Stephenson lined up before Starter McHugh, in the order named, from the outside there was not a sound to be heard.

All four got off practically together, with Drew perhaps receiving a slight advantage. It was the Drew of 1912 who rose gracefully from his mark and darted down the second lane like a dark streak. In fifteen strides the stocky colored boy showed slightly in front, with Morse, Loomis, and Stephenson practically together. Two-thirds of the way down the board chute Drew was still in front, with Morse drawing away from the others.

In a flash the worsted was snapped with the former "Springfield sprinter" still in the van. Morse made a courageous jump in the last five yards but to no avail.

Drew's style is just as attractive as ever, and there was not a trace of the lameness which virtually broke him down last year.

Although he walked one of the best board floor races of his sensational career, George H. Goulding, the world's amateur champion, representing the Toronto Central Walkers' Club, had to bow to Eddie Renz, the American title holder, in the two-mile handicap event. Goulding conceded allowances of forty seconds to ten rivals, including Renz, and he was beaten fifty yards by the Mohawk A. C. standard bearer, Richard F. Remer, unattached, finished third, far in Goulding's wake.

Renz, who was in great form, walked the two miles in 14 minutes 17 4-5 seconds, while Goulding, who was in quest of a new world's record, was clocked in 18:50 2-5. This mark is 12 1-5 seconds behind his own record.

From the outset of the race Goulding had to do his swiftest pace if he hoped to get up with the leaders, for they received an allowance at the start of a lap and a sixteenth on the champion.

Never varying from the strictest heel-and-toe gait, the Canadian marvel had gained more than half a lap in the first 880 yards, and at a mile he had closed up the gap between himself and Renz and Remer, who were fighting for the lead, to about half a lap.

With six laps more to go Goulding had passed all his opponents except Renz and Remer, Willie Plant of the Long Island A. C. being the last to drop behind.

Renz gained a lead of fifteen yards on Remer at one and one-half miles, and a quarter of a mile beyond the latter fell back of Goulding. The champion tried desperately to catch Renz, but the American's lead was too much to overcome. Goulding slipped in the final lap, but it did not affect his chances to win in the slightest.

For the second time within a week David S. Caldwell of the Boston A. A., former intercollegiate half-mile champion, took the measure of Ted Meredith of the University of Pennsylvania, national quarter-mile title holder, in the 600-yard invitation race for the E. H.

Post Trophy. Waiting as usual for the final lap before making his challenge, Caldwell sprinted away from the Philadelphian and won by two yards in 1:14, three-fifths of a second behind Tom Halpin's record of 1:13 2-5.

The field which competed in this event comprised the best men at the distance who could be assembled. Joseph T. Higgins, Holy Cross College, New England half-mile champion; Homer Baker, unattached, English and Scotch title holder at 880 yards, and Tom Halpin, Boston A. A., former leader of American quarter-milers, followed Meredith across the finish line in the order named.

Arthur Engels, a Brooklyn boy, triumphed over a high class field of timber toppers in the 70-yard hurdles invitation race, which he won in 74-5 seconds. Loomis, a 1914 hurdles champion, was placed second, and John J. Eller of the Irish-American A. C., a local champion, was third.

Only three hurdles were placed in the 70-yard lane, and Engels's time established a new world's record, for it is the first time a race of this character has been contested indoors.

William H. Meanix of the Boston A. A., 440-yard hurdle champion and American record holder, and Walter Bursch, New York A. C., 200-yard junior national champion over the sticks, were unplaced.

Engels, formerly of the Central Congregational A. A., now a prospective wearer of the New York A. C. Mercury Foot, hurdled like a veteran, clearing the obstacles with grace and ease. Loomis's long legs were stretched to their utmost in the chase of Engels, but the Chicagoan lacked a foot at the tape of overtaking the local boy.

John W. Overton, who won the intercollegiate cross-country championship for Yale last Fall, scored a splendid victory in the 1 1/2-mile invitation race in 6 minutes 53 seconds. Overton, competing unattached, sprinted to an easy victory over Mike Devaney of the Millrose A. A. and William F. Gordon of the New York A. C., with J. M. Burke of Yale and Sidney Leslie of the Long Island A. C. out of the prize-winning positions. Each of the five men took a turn at making the pace, but in the last quarter Overton set his own clip. Yale's champion drew away like a sprinter on the closing lap. Devaney was fortunate to secure the second award, for he ran inside the rail while trying to pass Gordon half a lap from the tape.

In his third contest the versatile Joe Loomis succeeded in coming through to a victory in the invitation high jump with a leap of 6 feet 1 inch. He tied at that mark with Harry Barwise of the Boston A. A., but on the jump-off he took the honors at 6 feet.

Summary of the events:

600-Yard Run, Handicap. (Closed to Church Athletic League.)—Won by W. Hunter, Knights of St. Antony, (24 yards.) Elliot Balestier, Knights of St. Antony, (scratch.) second; J. J. McAuley, Knights of St. Antony, (15 yards.) third. Time—1:17 3-5.

50-Yard Dash, Junior, Handicap. (Closed to John Wanamaker Commercial Institute.)—Won by T. McGrath, (3 feet.) J. Shannon, (3 feet.) second; G. Mayer, (scratch.) third. Time—0:06 4-5.

Two-Mile Walk, Invitation, Handicap. (Limit 40 Seconds.)—Won by Edward F. Renz, Mohawk A. C., (40 seconds.) George H. Goulding, Toronto Central Walkers' Club, (scratch.) second; Richard F. Remer, unattached, (40 seconds.) third. Time—14:17 4-5.

70-Yard Dash, Handicap.—Won by C. W. Loomis, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, (4 yards.) Irvin T. Howe, Boston Y. M. C. A., (2 yards.) second; W. La Rose, Knights of St. Antony, (5 yards.) third. Time—0:07 2-5.

600-Yard Run, Novice.—Won by S. Knarmer, Meadow Brook Club; E. Helfer, unattached, second; F. Schulte, unattached, third. Time—1:21 3-5.

70-Yard Dash, Scratch, (Invitation.)—Won by Howard P. Drew, University of Southern California; Roy F. Morse, unattached, second; J. G. Loomis, Chicago A. A., third; Frank L. Stephenson, Trinity Club, fourth. Time—0:07 1-5.

1,000-Yard Run, Handicap.—Won by William Anderson, New York A. C., (15 yards.) J. Flaherty, New York A. C., (45 yards.) second; A. H. Dolder, West Side Y. M. C. A., (45 yards.) third. Time—2:19 4-5.

One-and-One-half-Mile Run, Invitation.—Won by John W. Overton, unattached; Michael A. Devaney, Millrose A. A., second; William F. Gordon, New York A. C., third. Time—6:53.

Special Match Relay, One Mile, Between Millrose A. A. and Meadow Brook Club.—Won by Meadow Brook Club, (Edward M. Horter, Frank Gillen, Joseph Haney, and Elmer W. Smith.) Millrose A. A., (Fred Wilkins, Ferd Safarawic, Win Gough, and Edward J. Hussey.) second. Time—3:35.

70-Yard Hurdles, Scratch, (Invitation.)—Won by Arthur L. Engels, unattached; J. G. Loomis, Chicago A. A., second; John J. Eller, Irish-American A. C., third. Time—0:07 4-5.

300-Yard Run, Handicap.—Won by W. Freedman, Central Congregational A. A., (12 yards.) E. W. Marks, Central Congregational A. A., (12 feet.) second; C. F. Blush, Knights of St. Antony, (6 yards.) third. Time—0:33 3-5.

600-Yard Run, Scratch, Millrose Invitation.—Won by David S. Caldwell, Boston A. A.; James E. Meredith, University of Pennsylvania, second; Joseph T. Higgins, Holy Cross College, third; Homer Baker, unattached, fourth. Time—1:14.

Putting 16-Pound Shot, Handicap.—Won by G. Kuell, Anchor A. C., (5 feet.) with actual put of 40 feet 7 1/2 inches; Howard G. Cann, New York University, (3 feet 6 inches.) second, with actual put of 41 feet 4 inches; John J. Cahill, Millrose A. A., (2 feet.) third, with actual put of 42 feet 8 1/2 inches.

Half-Mile Run, Senior, (closed to John Wanamaker Institute.)—Won by J. Best, (scratch.) M. Berenzweig, (40 feet.) second; J. Greenwald, (25 yards.) third. Time—2:12.

Running High Jump, Scratch, (Invitation.)—Won by Joe G. Loomis, Chicago A. A., with 6 feet 1 inch; Harry Barmise, Boston A. A., second, with 6 feet 1 inch, (Loomis won on jump-off of a tie, with 6 feet.) A. T. Crane, Meadow Brook Club, third, with 5 feet 10 inches.

Three-Mile Run, Handicap.—Won by Willie Kyronen, Millrose A. A., (80 yards.) Pat Flynn, Irish-American A. C., (60 yards.) second; Nick Gianakopoulos, Millrose A. A., (60 yards.) third. Time—14:50.

One-Mile A. A. I. Relay.—Won by Loughlin Lyceum, (P. Auser, R. W. McDonald, E. Bennett, and J. E. Buckley.) Irish-American A. C., (R. J. Hillman, J. E. Ball, R. J. Egan, and Hugh Hirshon.) second; Fordham University, (M. Golden, T. Takasch, E. Grace, and P. Fuerick.) third. Time—3:25 1-5.

New Rochelle Handicap Shoot.

Twenty-four shooters faced the traps of the New Rochelle Yacht Club in its special handicap open shoot at 100 targets yesterday, and B. M. Higginson showed the best form by taking the high scratch prize, breaking 90 out of a possible 100 blue rocks. Aided by his handicap of 12, W. B. Ogden captured the high handicap prize, with a total of 100 clay birds. The four matches at twenty-five birds each were won by W. McVey, Jr., Dr. Culver, B. R. Stoddard, and A. L. Burns, respectively.