

P. S. A. L. Rifle Title Is Won by Richmond Hill; Brooklyn Tech Team Is Second

RICHMOND HILL HIGH TAKES RIFLE TITLE

Ties With Brooklyn Tech on Total, 1,067, Standing Position Scores Deciding Crown.

WALSH AND LINDSAY ON TOP

Share Individual Honors, Each Making 194 to Equal Mark for P. S. A. L. Shoot.

The Richmond Hill High School yesterday captured the annual Fall P. S. A. L. rifle championship from the defending titleholders from Brooklyn Tech High School at the General Wingate Rifle Range in Brooklyn. Both schools amassed grand totals of 1,067 points, but P. S. A. L. rules call for the awarding of the championship in the case of a deadlock to the school with the greatest total of points earned from a standing position. Richmond Hill's standing-shot total was 392, to 388 for Tech.

With competitors compelled to shoot from three positions, standing, prone and sitting, many high scores resulted in both individual and team totals, the winning gross exceeding that of last year by 35 points.

In finishing third, Erasmus Hall High School, high scorer in the qualifying rounds, also compiled a surprising total of 1,037. Continued competition throughout Fall and Spring semesters is the reason for this advanced by officials.

Walsh and Lindsay High Scorers.

Ed Walsh, P. S. A. L. record holder and Brooklyn Tech captain, shared individual high scoring honors with Harold Lindsay, Erasmus Hall captain. They both scored 194 points, to equal the recognized P. S. A. L. mark, made by Walsh last year. Another Erasmus Hall representative, George Thompson, turned in 192 points to finish third.

The only perfect mark of the day's shooting was contributed by Walsh. He 120 in the sitting and prone positions were the totals allowed for those parts of the competition.

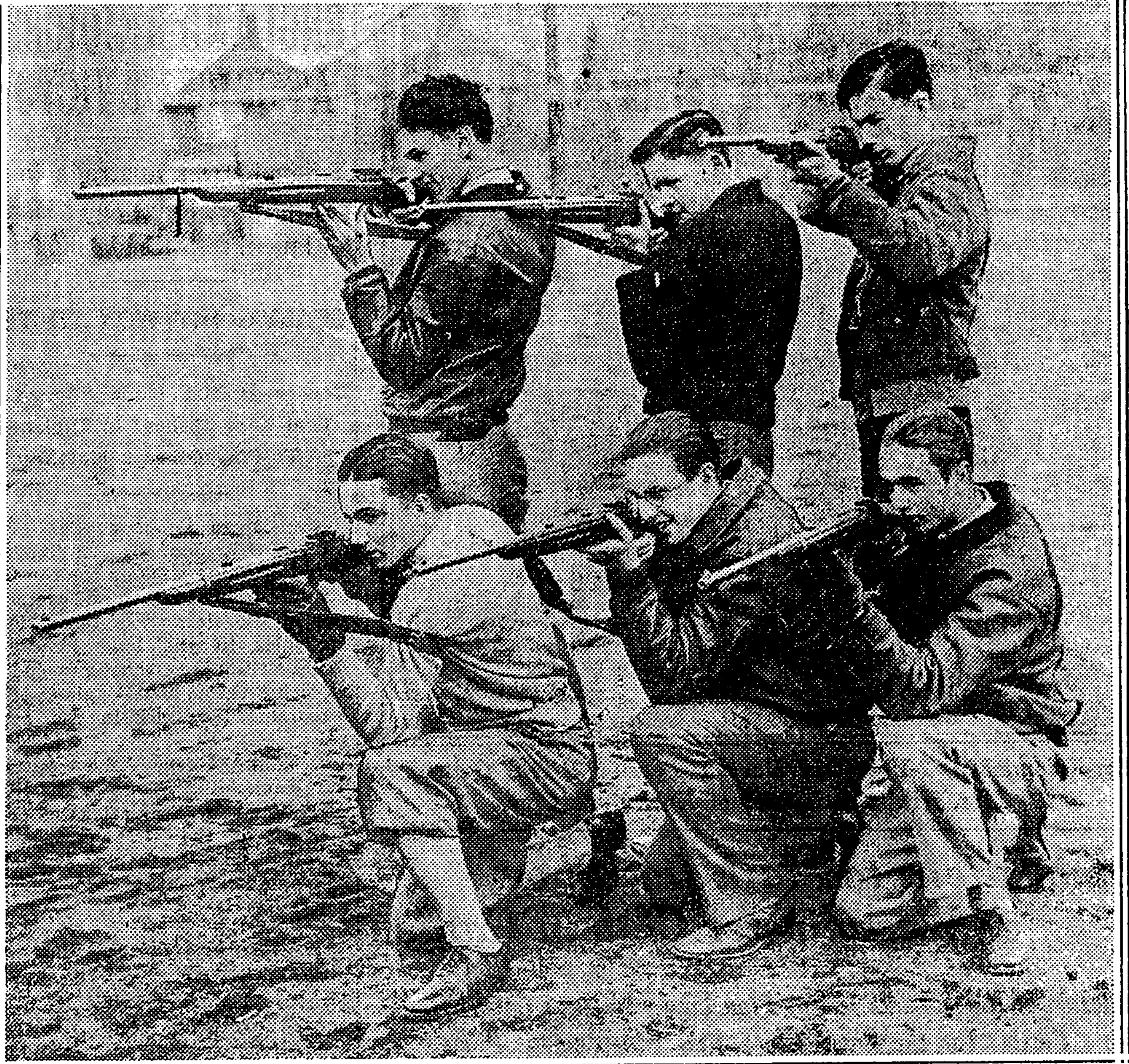
The Richmond Hill victory was achieved through the accomplishment of a well-rounded team, only two of whom managed to place among the individual high scoring fifteen. William Simons led the list with a 189, which gained for him fifth place in the individual standing. In previous competition Simons was always among the leading scorers. In seventh place, George Fleischman was the only other Richmond Hill man to star. A recent addition to the team, he surprised with a 184.

The team-mates grouped their totals well above the average, with Charles Mesurac totaling 179, Captain Percy McNeal 173, Charles Graf 173 and Warren Eydler 167. The team is coached by Harvey Linder.

Fifteen Teams Entered Match.

Two qualifying rounds were held before the holiday period, to determine the seven teams which competed yesterday. A total of fifteen schools entered the match, the largest in years, requiring a division of the teams into two groups. Erasmus Hall and Jefferson High School were victorious in the previous matches.

Erasmus Hall.			
	Sta.	Sitting & Prone.	Total.
Needham	43	107	180
Doodittle	42	114	156
Dameral	67	114	181
Lindsay	69	118	194
Thompson	74	118	192
Ross	51	103	154
Total	383	674	1,057
Thomas Jefferson.			
Chafstein	62	101	163
Denedowitz	65	117	184
Kotler	55	82	148
Lelcowitz	68	108	176
Rosenblatt	71	118	189
Orenstein	55	116	171
Total	378	633	1,011
Morris.			
Walsh	60	103	163
Byck	68	112	180
Schwartz	59	107	157
Pfeffer	68	108	176
Miller	67	112	179
Cohen	57	114	171
Total	370	636	1,006
Brooklyn Tech.			
Waltch	71	129	194
Wendler	64	115	179
Straminski	73	117	190
Anderson	64	116	180
Crowley	57	105	162
Gilbert	54	108	162
Total	388	679	1,067
Richmond Hill.			
Mesurac	69	110	179
MacNeal	65	109	173
Simons	72	117	189
Graf	61	112	173
Eydler	55	112	167
Fleischmann	70	114	184
Total	392	673	1,067
Jamaica.			
Fruth	42	94	136
Slack	64	116	180
Goetichius	32	115	147
Reid	79	102	179
Price	58	117	175
Sieger	67	100	167
Total	333	644	977
Evander Childs.			
Lateiza	57	92	149
Schreier	60	108	169
Hegart	52	95	147
Cohen	74	105	179
Vaderson	65	113	178
Savinsky	28	114	142
Total	384	627	1,011
Leading Individuals.			
1. Lindsay, Erasmus	194		
2. Walsh, Brooklyn Tech	194		
3. Thompson, Erasmus	192		
4. Straminski, Brooklyn Tech	190		
5. Simons, Richmond Hill	189		
6. Rosenblatt, Jefferson	189		
7. Fleischmann, Richmond Hill	184		
8. Denedowitz, Jefferson	184		
9. Dameral, Erasmus	181		
10. Needham, Erasmus	180		
11. Byck, Morris	180		
12. Anderson, Brooklyn Tech	180		
13. Slack, Jamaica	180		
14. Miller, Morris	179		
15. Wendler, Brooklyn Tech	179		
Team Standing.			
1. Richmond Hill	1,067		
2. Brooklyn Tech	1,067		
3. Erasmus Hall	1,057		
4. Thomas Jefferson	1,031		
5. Morris	1,026		
6. Evander Childs	991		
7. Jamaica	977		



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Richmond Hill Rifle Team, Which Won P. S. A. L. Title Yesterday.
Front (Left to Right)—Charles Mesurac, George Fleischmann, Warren Eydler. Rear—Charles Graf, Percy MacNeal. Captain and William Simons.