

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. His 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 Fleischmann 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 175, Charles Graf 173 and Warren Eydel 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.

The summaries:

Erasmus Hall.		
	Sitting &	Total.
Neidhart	73	197
Demidowitz	62	182
Anderson	67	114
Lindsay	76	118
Thompson	74	118
Ross	51	105
Total	382	674
Thomas Jefferson.		
Glaubitz	62	101
Demidowitz	67	117
Kotter	55	102
Anderson	68	108
Rosenblatt	71	118
Orenstein	55	110
Total	378	653
Morris.		
Walsh	60	103
Byek	68	112
Schwartz	59	107
Pfeffer	68	108
Miller	67	112
Cohen	57	114
Total	370	650
Brooklyn Tech.		
Walsh	74	120
Anderson	64	115
Stachowski	53	113
Anderson	64	116
Crowley	57	105
Gilbert	54	108
Total	388	679
Richmond Hill.		
Mesurac	69	110
MacNeal	65	110
Simons	67	113
Eydel	50	112
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Fleischmann	70	114
Total	392	675
Jamaica.		
Urath	42	94
Shack	64	116
Goettsch	32	115
Reid	70	102
Price	68	117
Sieger	57	100
Total	353	644
Evander Childs.		
Leiterz	57	92
Schoeter	59	98
Hoch	62	95
Cohen	74	105
Vaderson	63	113
Savinsky	58	114
Total	364	627
Leading Individuals.		
1. Lindsay, Erasmus	194	
2. Walsh, Brooklyn Tech	194	
3. Thompson, Erasmus	192	
4. Stachowski, Brooklyn Tech	190	
5. Anderson, Richmond Hill	189	
6. Rosenblatt, Jefferson	189	
7. Fleischmann, Richmond Hill	184	
8. Demidowitz, Jefferson	184	
9. Byek, Morris	181	
10. Neidhart, Erasmus	181	
11. Needham, Erasmus	180	
12. Byek, Morris	180	
13. Anderson, Brooklyn Tech	180	
14. Neidhart, Jamaica	180	
15. Miller, Morris	179	
16. Wender, Brooklyn Tech	179	

Team Standing.

1. Richmond Hill	1067
2. Brooklyn Tech	1067
3. Erasmus Hall	1067
4. Thomas Jefferson	1061
5. Morris	1026
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 Eydel. Rear—Charles Graf, Percy MacNeal, Captain, and William Simons.