of games with strong clubs arranged for the first weeks in April.

At St. Augustine, Campbell beat Wright three straight sets in the contest for the tropical tennis championship. This is the third year that Campbell has won the trophy, and if he wins it again it will become his personal property.

The tie between Hopkinsons and the Roxbury Latin School for the B. A. A. cup in the Interscholastic League, will be settled by giving a cup to each school.

The B. A. A. will give a series of cross-country runs on April 4th, 11th, and 18th. These, together with two or three hare and hounds runs given by the Institute Club, will afford many golden opportunities to the long-distance runners of Boston.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the New England Intercollegiate Athletic Association, held in Springfield, on March 14th, it was decided that May 27th should be the annual field day. Robert W. Taft, of Brown University, was elected grand marshal for the day,—he to appoint his aids, one from each college. The guarantee fund of $800 was accepted, and a vote of thanks extended to the contributors. No definite action was taken respecting the selection of Hampden Park as a permanent meeting place. The following is the programme of the field and track events: 100-yards dash, preliminary heats; half-mile run; 120-yards hurdle race, preliminary heats; 2-mile bicycle race; 100-yards dash, final; 1-mile run; 440-yards dash; 220-yards hurdle race, preliminary heats; 1-mile walk; 220-yards dash, preliminary heats; 120-yards hurdle race, final; 2-mile run; 220-yards hurdle race, final; 220-yards dash, final; pole vault, tug of war, first heat; standing broad jump; putting 16-pound shot; running high jump; tug of war, second heat; throwing 16-pound hammer; standing high jump; running broad jump; tug of war, final.

The following is an extract from the Boston Transcript: "In August last the President approved an Act of Congress making an annual appropriation to each State of $15,000 the first year, and a yearly increase of $1,000 up to $25,000, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, arising from the sales of public lands, for the more complete endowment and maintenance of colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, now established or which may be hereafter established, in accordance with the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862. This appropriation was to be applied only to instruction in agriculture, the mechanic arts, the English language, and the various branches of mathematics, physics, and natural and economic science. When the State treasurer received this appropriation last fall, the trustees of the Agricultural College met, passed an order on the treasurer for the money, and apportioned the appropriation; but before it was paid the Massachusetts Institute of Technology put in a claim for a part of it, under Chapter 186, Acts of 1863, by which the State granted each year, for its endowment, support, and maintenance, one third of the annual interest or income which may be received from the fund created under or by virtue of Chapter 130 of the Acts of the Thirty-seventh Congress, Second Session, approved July 2, 1862, being the act referred to above. The Agricultural College has now petitioned the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus to compel the treasurer to pay over to it the appropriation."

Marigold.

I love confinement in thy bonds,
I love thy little stock to hold,
Thy very scent,
Aye, marigold!
I'll love confinement in thy bonds,
I'll love thy little stocks to hold,
Thy every cent,—
I marry gold!
—Trinity Tablet.