

**13th YMCA National/International Swimming and Diving Championship
April 26-27, 1935
Hosted by the Downtown YMCA Swimming Club of Pittsburgh**

The meet was held in the Carnegie Tech University Pool in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Twenty-four YMCA associations and 135 participants that took part in this year's meet, possibly making it the largest meet to-date. Thirty-five officials were enlisted to conduct the event under the leadership of Allen E. Risedorph, the swimming coach of Carnegie Tech, who served as the meet referee.

Championship Events

200 Yard Freestyle Relay	100 Yard Backstroke
200 Yard Breaststroke	100 Yard Freestyle
50 Yard Freestyle	1 Meter Board Diving
400 Yard Freestyle	220 Yard Freestyle
	300 Yard Medley Relay

Conduct of the Championship

Preliminaries were held Friday afternoon in the 50 and 100 yard Freestyle events and Fancy Diving. Friday evening preliminaries were held in all events, along with the semi-finals of the 50 and 100 Yard Freestyle. The Finals in all events were held Saturday evening, April 27.

Event Results

200 Yard Freestyle Relay

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Freeland, Ralph Gilman, England, Lindegren.	San Francisco, CA	1:38.6
2 nd	No Names Available	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	NT
3 rd	No Names Available	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	NT
4 th	No Names Available	Camden, NJ	NT

200 Yard Breaststroke

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Gorman	Cleveland, OH	2:34.0
2 nd	Donald Horn	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	NT
3 rd	Winberg	San Francisco, CA	NT
4 th	Cox	San Francisco, CA	NT

50 Yard Freestyle

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Freeland	San Francisco, CA	24.2
2 nd	Paul Auerbacher	Montclair, NJ	NT
3 rd	Brennen	Downtown BR. St. Louis, MO	NT
4 th	Amgwert	Lincoln, NE	NT

400 Yard Freestyle

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Ralph Gilman	San Francisco, CA	4:32.8*
2 nd	Gerald Rudig	Huntington, IN	NT
3 rd	Clark	Downtown Br. Detroit, MI	NT
4 th	Bartosch	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	NT

100 Yard Backstroke

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Hines	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	1:05.0
2 nd	Walker	San Francisco, CA	NT
3 rd	Charles Bowman	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	NT
4 th	Mowat	San Francisco, CA	NT

100 Yard Freestyle

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Lindegren	San Francisco, CA	53.9
2 nd	Brennen	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT
3 rd	Hahn	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	NT
4 th	Paul Auerbacher	Montclair, NJ	NT

Fancy Diving

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Points:</u>
1 st	Raymond Ziegler	Buffalo, NY	?
2 nd	Theron Feigel	Huntington, IN	?
3 rd	William McQuillen	Downtown Br. Pittsburgh, PA	?
4 th	Patmik	Downtown Br. Pittsburgh, PA	?

220 Yard Freestyle

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Ralph Gilman	San Francisco, CA	2:18.3
2 nd	Queenon	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT
3 rd	Bartosch	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT
4 th	Gerald Rudig	Huntington, IN	NT

300 Yard Medley Relay

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Names:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Horn, Hines, Nelson	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	3:11.4
2 nd	No Names Available	San Francisco, CA	NT
3 rd	No Names Available	Norristown, PA	NT
4 th	No Names Available	West Side Br, NY	NT

(*) *New YMCA Record time*

Meet Scoring

<u>Place:</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
Individual Events:	5	3	2	1
Relay Events:	8	6	4	2

Final Team Standings

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Points:</u>
1 st	San Francisco, CA	41
2 nd	Lawson Br. Chicago, IL	24
3 rd	Downtown Branch St. Louis, MO	17
4 th	Huntington, IN	7
5 th T	Cleveland, OH	5

5 th T	Buffalo, NY	5
7 th T	Montclair, NJ	4
7 th T	Norristown, PA	4
9 th	Downtown Branch Pittsburgh, PA	3
10 th T	Camden, NJ	2
10 th T	West Side Branch, NY	2
10 th T	Detroit, MI	2
13 th	Lincoln, NE	1

T indicates a tie

Special Demonstration Event: Lenore Knight and her teammates from the Homestead Carnegie Library, a National Championship Girl's Team, gave a Swimming Exhibition during the meet finals.

Editorial Note: There is a lack of information indicating 2nd, 3rd and 4th place times. Also, during these early years, when reporting National Results, the first names of the participant is not shown.

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