Soccer in Pennsylvania

COMPETITIONS IN THE PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT.

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While the season of 1922-23 locally could not be considered a howling success from an American League standpoint, owing to the Phillies making such a weird showing, the outlook for the current season is far brighter, as the Phillies are thoroughly reorganized. The club, through the inclusion of such well-known sporting men as Messrs. Hohlfeld, Disston and others, has



1, Coleman; 2, Rodgers; 2, Kucklick; 4, Whyte, Capt.; 5, Fleming; 6, Dudy; 7, Mallay; 8, Purvis; 9, Stradan; 10, McLaughlin; 11, Galloway.

FLEISHER YARN FOOTBALL CLUB, PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Winners of American Football Association Cup, American Champions of New
York, New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania District, 1922-22.

not only been placed on a sound basis financially, but the management has been instructed by the officers to sign none but the best players obtainable.

Although the Phillies, the big professional club, had a disastrous season, it was not a lean year as far as championships were concerned. It will be called that Fleisher Yarn, considered one of the greatest elevens ever organized, had the honor of winning the American Cup for the first time in its young career and also defeated such great teams as Paterson, winner of the National Cup, and J. & P. Coats, present champion of the American League. Both these teams were eliminated by the strong Yarners, who accomplished the seeming impossible feat of an amateur team defeating the leading professional aggregation of the country.