

Harmony, the star forward. Captain Bingham will be back at his old position at forward, however, and will have Oxreider as a running mate. Dillard, who has shown up so well at half-back in previous seasons, is again in the harness and promises to fill the vacancy left by Skinner's graduation."

SOCCER IN NORTHWESTERN NEW YORK.

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The season of 1922-23 was the best the Northwestern New York State Football Association has enjoyed since its inception in 1913, the balance sheet showing a substantial gain over other years. One notable feature stands out in the Challenge Cup competition, in that not a single protest arose out of the games.

Some hard-fought contests were witnessed. In the semi-final games the Swedish Gymnastic Club of Jamestown eliminated the Rochester Celtic, 6-0, after a drawn game of two goals each, and the Kodak Park team upset all dope when it sent the strong Buffalo Auto Radiator eleven back with a defeat of four goals to one. The Kodak team ran to form in the final game and won the Northwestern New York State Challenge Cup, defeating the Swedish Gymnastic Club, 2-0, before a large crowd.

The Western part of the Association is making better progress than the Eastern, particularly the district around Buffalo, in and around which five teams are playing, and most of these promise to enter the 1923-24 State Challenge Cup play. The two Niagara Falls teams, the Wanderers and



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