



Tennis Results 1931

April 18	U. C. defeated Wittenberg College	6-1	at Cincinnati
April 25	U. C. defeated Univ. of Ky.	5-2	at Lexington
May 2	U. C. defeated Denison University	6-0	at Cincinnati
May 4	U. C. defeated Indiana University	6-2	at Bloomington
May 9	U. C. vs. Ohio U (canceled, rain)		
16	U. C. defeated Ohio Wesleyan	6-1	at Delaware, O.
22-23	U. C. won singles and doubles championship of B. I. A. C.		at Cincinnati
28-29-30	U. C. won singles championship of Ohio Inter-collegiate Tennis Tournament		at Gambier

Doubles championship not decided as rain prevented the play of the final match. Oberlin and U. C. were to play for the championship.

Byron Huffman, U. C. won B. I. A. C. Championship in Singles

Byron Huffman and M. Flax won B. I. A. C. Championship in Doubles

Byron Huffman, U. C. won Ohio Inter-collegiate Tennis Singles

Lettermen 1931

Charles A. Brigham, *Coach*

Scott Bagby
Moses Flax
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Ever since Basement Joe first started to wear out brooms on the concrete floors of McMicken Hall, the University of Cincinnati had championship tennis teams. The 1931 team under the able direction of their diminutive coach, Charles A. Brigham, proved no exception and likewise won all its dual matches and were victorious in all tournaments. Byron Huffman, ace-man of the Bearcats, won the singles championship of the Buckeye and of the Ohio Intercollegiate Tournament. The latter victory of Huffman cinched for Cincinnati the permanent possession of the four foot, five gallon capacity trophy. Ellis Flax previously had won two legs on the trophy and with his graduation from tennis

eligibility it was up to Huffman to secure permanent possession of the handsome cup, emblematic of Ohio tennis supremacy; which he did in convincing style.

Moses Flax, number two man on the U. C. team, paired with Huffman for the Championship Doubles combination; and strange enough these same two lads fought it out for the Buckeye Singles Championship which, without doubt, proved that the U. C. racketeers were the best in the Conference. Varsity's two stars were capably assisted by Scott Bagby, Dick Martin, Chalmers Ratliff, and Clyde Taylor all of whom aided the Bearcats to remain supreme in the tennis ranks of college teams.