

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

The silver bowl pictured above was presented to the Association by the Annapolis Yacht Club, Annapolis, Maryland, in September, 1941, on the occasion of the first Penguin National Championship Regatta to which A. Y. C. was host.

Thirty-five Penguin skippers and their crews enjoyed two days of fine racing and entertainment. At the conclusion of the regatta, A. Y. C. Commodore "Pete" Magruder awarded the bowl to Walter E. Lawson, owner and skipper of "Potlach".

The National Championship Trophy has not been raced for since the war began but it is sincerely hoped that it will be put up for competition when transportation facilities are such as to allow national representation.

Any organized fleet may race for these awards. To qualify, a boat must have an approved measurement sheet and the skipper must be a member in good standing of the fleet with whom he is racing as well as the national organization. The boat must have raced in a fleet averaging three or more boats per race, in six or more races sailed over a period of at least five weeks.