

SPORTS

HORSESHOE MEET RICKARD FILES HAS 19 ENTRIES

Schedule for City Tournament Announced Today
By Coach H. L. Curtis

Nineteen "athletes" have entered the city horseshoe tournament, which will open tomorrow. The drawing for the first round schedule was made yesterday evening, by H. L. Curtis, athletic director of the city schools. Mr. Curtis will leave Friday for a two weeks' vacation, and the management of the tournament will be turned over to Melvin Thomas, who holds the title of city horseshoe champion at present. All scores must be reported to Mr. Thomas as soon as the matches are played.

There will be no doubles in the tournament. The shoes to be used must be the regulation size and weigh 2½ pounds. The shoe must be within six inches of the peg to be counted. Fifty-point games will be played and the winner must take three out of five games. The matches must be played on regulation courts, preferably on the court at the Nickel Plate station or the one at the Starost meat market, on Winchester street. Both courts are electrically lighted. Spectators and players are asked to be courteous at all times. The officials must be agreed on by the contestants.

The first three matches must be played by Thursday night. These matches are: Ed Bowers vs. Chester McIntosh, Dick Engle vs. Werst, Ray Langwell vs. Glen Barkley.

The following matches must be played by Sunday night:

Winner of Bowers-McIntosh match vs. winner of Engle-Werst match.

Winner of Langwell-Barkley match vs. Harry Thomas.

Zearl McClure vs. John Spahr.

Carlos Hey vs. Audley Moser.

Melvin Thomas vs. Lester Johnson.

Archie Long vs. Ivan Reynolds.

L. Chryser vs. Ray Smith.

Dewey Gallogly vs. Melvin Smitley.

The second round matches must be played by Tuesday night of next week; the semi-final matches by Thursday night, and the final match must be played on Friday night of next week.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

National League		
W	L	Pct.
Pittsburgh	61	45 .575
St. Louis	64	50 .561
Cincinnati	64	51 .557
Chicago	59	54 .522
New York	57	54 .514
Brooklyn	55	61 .474
Boston	46	66 .411
Philadelphia	42	67 .385

Billy Evans Loses to Lucas, Judges Decide

American League		
W	L	Pct.
New York	43	57 .415
Cleveland	65	54 .541
Philadelphia	64	54 .542
Detroit	60	56 .517
Washington	59	56 .513
Chicago	58	58 .509
St. Louis	50	68 .424
Boston	40	79 .336

American Association		
W	L	Pct.
Louisville	76	43 .639
Milwaukee	76	44 .633
Indianapolis	71	51 .582
Toledo	60	55 .522
St. Paul	56	64 .464
Kansas City	57	65 .467
Minneapolis	52	66 .441
Columbus	29	89 .246

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Chicago, 7; New York, 0.

Cincinnati, 8; Philadelphia, 2.

St. Louis, 8; Brooklyn, 7.

Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.

American League

Boston, 5-4; St. Louis, 1-0.

Chicago, 5; New York, 3.

Philadelphia, 9-6; Cleveland, 4-4.

Detroit-Washington, rain.

American Association

Milwaukee, 11; Indianapolis, 7.

Toledo, 6; Minneapolis, 1.

Columbus, 2; St. Paul, 0.

Louisville, 3; Kansas City, 3 called.

New Coach of Bluffton

High School Arrives

Bluffton, Aug. 18.—Louis E. Means,

as athletic coach of Bluffton high school at the opening of school this fall, has arrived in Bluffton. Coach Means will take the Bluffton high school football squad to Camp Crosley, along Lake Tippecanoe, for a ten-day training period before the opening of school. The squad will go to the camp on August 25.

Theatre Awards Toy

The Blue Streak Automobile was given away by the Adams theatre last night was awarded to Mrs. Aiat Smith 403 Fornax street. Considerable interest was shown in the awarding of the prize.

BROOKLYN TEAM GETS MAX CAREY

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 18.—(United Press)—Max Carey, veteran Pirate outfielder, was today awarded to the Brooklyn Robins for the waiver price of \$4,000.

Waivers were asked on Carey by the Pittsburgh club following an alleged attempt by several of the players, including Carey, to remove Fred Clarke from the Pittsburgh bench.

Carey has been a member of the Pirates since 1910 when he came up from the South Bend, Ind., team and ranks with the greatest of Pirate stars.

When informed that he had been awarded to the Brooklyn team Carey said that he was not sure whether he would report or not.

"I may go fishing," he said.

EDERLE ISSUES RACE CHALLENGE

American Girl Swimmer Is Ready to Race Others Across Channel

New York, Aug. 18.—(United Press)—Edna Ederle was taken today to bring about an international free-for-all race for swimmers across the English channel.

Ederle announced that she would be willing to engage in such a race for a \$20,000 purse against any swimmer in the world, Fred S. Ferguson, president of the Newspaper enterprise association, and the Scripps-Howard Newspapers were ready to contribute \$5,000 to such a purse in behalf of Miss Lillian Cannon, Baltimore, who now is awaiting her chance to swim the channel.

Ferguson cabled to London to determine whether the Westminster Gazette and Lord Riddell, both interested in channel swimming, would be willing to make similar contributions on behalf of possible British Entrants.

"If the gesture of Gertrude Ederle offering to swim any or all channel as a means for a purse of \$20,000 as reported in press dispatches from Germany is a bona-fide challenge," Ferguson said, "N. E. A. service Inc., and the Scripps-Howard Newspapers will contribute \$5,000 immediately toward such a purse on behalf of Miss Lillian Cannon of Baltimore, Md.

"I have cabled to London inquiring whether the Westminster Gazette or Lord Riddell of the News of the World would care to contribute a similar amount on behalf of a British swimmer, either man or woman.

"If the backers of Miss Ederle then care to contribute the purse she suggests, it would seem that the swim might be possible."

Bluffton Family Is Admitted to Mooseheart

Bluffton, Aug. 18.—The Bluffton Moose Lodge has received word from Mooseheart, Illinois, that Mrs. Dan Coleman and her six children will be admitted to the Mooseheart home, today. George Johnson, past dictator of the local lodge accompanied Mrs. Coleman and children to the home. The husband and father of Mrs. Coleman and children died at the Well County hospital several months ago, following an illness of pneumonia. The children range in age from two to twelve years.

East Chicago—A campaign to take the punch out of punch boards in East Chicago has been launched by chief of police Regan. Several places have been raided and many of the boards confiscated.

The Boston Red Sox thumped the St. Louis Browns twice. Heimach led the Browns to six hits and won the first game, 5-1. Welzer shut them out in the second 4-0.

Southworth's two homers helped the St. Louis Cards to beat the Brooklyn Dodgers 8-7.

The Chicago White Sox defeated the New York Yanks, 5-3. The game was called at the end of the fifth when rain soaked the field.

Hitting Dean and Willoughby hard the Cincinnati Reds won an easy victory from the Phillies 8-2.

Man Seriously Injured Near Bluffton Today

Bluffton, Ind., Aug. 18.—(By A.P.)—Tom Kaiser, 56, of Blackford county, was severely injured by a car driven by Theodore Peck, of Fort Wayne, near Bluffton this morning. The Peck car overturned and Mr. Peck and Miss Estella Miller, who was in the car, were slightly injured. Mr. Peck and Miss Miller are being held at Bluffton on a technical charge of reckless driving.

Everybody Worked But Father

Father's stomach trouble seemed to be getting worse all the time and finally he had to quit work altogether. Two brothers and myself gave up school and went to work to support the family. Father had lost sixty pounds in weight and was yellow as saffron and no medicine helped him. Telling a friend about it six months ago, she advised taking MAYR'S. I got a bottle and it helped father at once. He was able to go back to work a month later, has regained his weight and strength and eats like a wood-chopper." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Holthouse Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

COUNCIL PLANS SPECIAL SESSION

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piration will be made for covering the expense of making the old cemetery on Winchester street into a city park and, more than likely, a levy will be necessary to cover the expenditures made at the city swimming pool.

The certificate of valuation of the city of Decatur was certified to the council as being \$6,638,390.00. Last year the amount certified was \$6,769,270.00. On the valuation figure, the city or any taxing unit bases its tax rate or levy for next year. It was thought that an increase in the taxable valuations would be shown this year, but the figures certified now show a decrease, which may mean an increase in the tax rates. The state's assessment of railroads and utilities in the city are those assessed last year, as the new assessments have not yet been certified to the counties by the state board.

All drivers and operators of any vehicle must observe all "stop and go" signs and otherwise comply with regulations governing traffic.

The ordinance was compiled by City Attorney J. Fred Fruchte at the suggestion of the members of the street and sewer committee and members of the public safety committee. It is similar to the one in effect in Huntington, except that the Decatur ordinance does not prevent the making of a "left turn" at any street crossing.

The council also ordered the printing and distribution of a thousand copies of the new traffic ordinance and the public is asked to acquaint itself with the provisions of the ordinance between now and the time it comes effective on August 25. A complete copy of the ordinance is printed on page two of tonight's Daily Democrat.

Get the Habit—Trade at Home, it Pays

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CHANGES MADE IN REGULATIONS OF CITY TRAFFIC

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SAFETY

When

Chicago

Stop at the

MORRISON

HOTEL

Tallest in the World

46 Stories High

Closest in the city to offices,

theatres, stores and rail-

road depots

Rooms \$2.50 up

all outside, each with

bath, running ice water

and Service

Get the Habit—Trade at Home, it Pays

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Electric

Light

Bills

BY PAYING ON

OR BEFORE

Aug. 20

POWER BILLS

are also due and must

be PAID by twentieth

of month at

CITY HALL

Michael Stern Clothes

Start tomorrow — collar attached shirts —

just the caper for your vacation capers at a cool

saving of \$1 each—

Buy one—then you'll be started on your way

to a million and look like a millionaire while you

are gathering the balance.