

# Yellow Jackets Score Victory In First Game, 7-6

**DECATUR TEAM  
DEFEATS C. C.  
BY 7-6 SCORE**

**Local Eleven Wins Open-  
ing Game By Scoring  
In Last 5 Minutes**

The Decatur Yellow Jackets, coming from behind, opened their season Saturday afternoon with a 7-6 victory over Central Catholic at the South Side stadium in Fort Wayne.

After playing along in rather dull fashion for the first three quarters of the game, both teams opened up in the final period with a passing attack which netted a touchdown for each eleven.

Central Catholic scored first. Taking the ball on down deep in their own territory, the Irish opened up with passes. One was completed, Murray to Romary and netted a gain of 55 yards. On the next play, Romary passed to Murray, good for 15 yards, and Murray ran 15 yards for a touchdown. Grout's attempt for the extra point by a place kick failed.

With less than five minutes of the game to play, Red Schultz tossed a 20-yard forward to Dick Sheets, who dodged his way 20 yards for a touchdown. Butler made the point which brought victory when he plunged through the C. C. line from a fake kick formation.

The game was well played for the season's opener for both teams, and surprisingly few penalties were assessed against the two squads.

Decatur will play its second game of the season next Saturday afternoon, journeying to Auburn to meet Zeke Young's Red Devils.

The lineups:

Catholic, Murray; Decatur, Sheets. Point after touchdown—Decatur, Butler (plunge).

Substitutions: Central Catholic—Romano for Hoch, Flannery for Schott, O'Connor for Sorg, Hoch for Romary. Decatur—Sheets for Brodbeck, Harkless for Blythe, Blythe for Harkless, Smith for Worthman, Ritter for Blythe, Meyers for Kolter, Worthman for Smith.

Officials: Referee—Elliott. Umpire—Chambers. Head linesman—Gombert.

**LIST SCHEDULE  
FOR SOFTBALL**

**Schedule Revised: Will  
Play Four Nights Week-  
ly Rest Of Season**

Starting this week, the Decatur city softball league will see action four nights a week, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights. The change has been made to speed the end of the season and to take care of the many postponed games.

The schedule tonight will pit the Decatur Floral company against the Cloverleaf team, starting at 7 o'clock, followed by the Phi Delt and Ford team game.

Tuesday the Moose team will play the Schafer Hardware in the opener with the General Electric and Floral teams meeting in the nightcap. The City Confectionery and K. of P. teams will tangle in the first game Thursday, with the Ford and G. E. teams winding up the evening's play.

Friday night the Ford and A and P teams play at 7 o'clock, followed by the Phi Deltas and Schafer Hardware.

**STANDINGS**

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	87	47	.649
New York	84	52	.618
Cleveland	73	61	.545
Boston	68	67	.504
St. Louis	61	73	.455
Washington	60	73	.451
Philadelphia	55	76	.420
Chicago	47	86	.353

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	85	49	.634
St. Louis	79	53	.599
Chicago	79	53	.599
Boston	69	64	.519
Pittsburgh	65	65	.500
Brooklyn	57	75	.432
Philadelphia	48	81	.372
Cincinnati	47	84	.359

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	82	62	.569
Milwaukee	78	67	.538
Columbus	79	68	.537
Indianapolis	76	70	.521
Louisville	74	73	.503
Toledo	68	79	.463
St. Paul	65	81	.445
Kansas City	62	84	.425

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**

**American League**

Chicago, 11-1; Washington, 3-2 (second game ten innings). Detroit, 5; Boston, 4 (ten innings).

Cleveland, 8-6; Philadelphia, 3-5 (second game ten innings).

New York, 5-2; St. Louis, 5-1 (first game fourteen innings; second game six innings, darkness).

**National League**

Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 0. Chicago, 4-1; Boston, 1-1.

Brooklyn, 5-3; Cincinnati, 0-0.

St. Louis, 6-7; Philadelphia, 1-3 (second game called end eighth inning, Sunday law).

**American Association**

Indianapolis, 3-2; Columbus, 2-1 (first game ten innings; second game seven innings, Sunday law).

Kansas City, 13-5; Minneapolis, 6-3.

Milwaukee, 9-10; St. Paul, 5-5.

Toledo, 5-0; Louisville, 4-6.

**YESTERDAY'S HEROES**

George Selkirk, Yankees: Rookie outfielder, hit homer in 14th to beat Browns, 6-5.

Paul Dean, Cards: Pitched four hit game.

Gus Suhr, Pirates: Ninth-inning Homer scored, 1-0 victory.

**LEADING BATTERS**

Player	Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Gehrige, Yankees	136	522	119	191	.366	
P. Waner, Pirates	128	530	106	193	.364	
Gehring, Det.	134	527	122	191	.363	
Manush, Senat.	124	497	83	176	.354	
Terry, Giants	134	522	104	184	.353	

**HOME RUNS**

Player	Team	Home Runs
Gehrige, Yankees	45	
Foxx, Athletics	41	
Ott, Giants	32	
Collins, Cardinals	32	
Berger, Braves	32	
Trosky, Indians	32	

## HANCHER WINS TENNIS TITLE

**Paul Hancher Defeats  
Roland Reppert For  
City Singles Crown**

Paul Hancher won the Decatur men's singles tennis title this morning by defeating Roland Reppert in a hard-fought, long drawn out match which went the limit of five sets.

Reppert copped the first, two sets by scores of 6-4 and 6-3, but Hancher rallied to pull the match out of the fire by taking the last three sets by scores of 6-3, 9-7 and 6-4.

Hancher had previously qualified for the finals by defeating Harold Hoffman in one semi-final, 1-6, 7-5, 10-8. Reppert reached the final by eliminating Pete Reynolds, defending champion, 6-0, 8-6.

Results of all other matches played in the tourney are as follows:

First round—Hancher defeated Audley Moser, 6-1, 6-2; Reppert defeated Vance Fenimore, 6-0, 6-1; Robert Frisinger eliminated Ivan Reynolds, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Pete Reynolds won by default from Ed Musser; Bud Townsend defeated Dick Wertzberger, 6-1, 5-7, 6-2; Hoffman defeated Ronald Parrish, 9-7, 7-5; Harold Blythe defeated James Kocher, 6-3, 6-1; Jack Moyen eliminated Harold Strickler, 6-1, 6-3.

Second round—Reppert defeated Frisinger, 6-1, 6-2; Reynolds defeated Townsend, 6-2, 11-9; Hancher defeated Blythe, 7-5, 6-3; Hoffman defeated Moyer, 6-2, 9-7.

One set remains to be played in the finals of the doubles tourney. This match, weather permitting, will be played Tuesday evening. In the final, Bud Townsend and Harold Hoffman are opposing Ronald Parrish and Pete Reynolds. Four sets were played previously, with each team winning two sets.

## Horseplay Feared Of Movie Stars In Hollywood Premiere

**Two Convicts  
KILLED DURING  
ESCAPE EFFORT**

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frouthing a long home-made knife. He was beaten off, however, by the engineer, George Tatro who used a coal shovel to strike the convict over the head.

The convicts returned with Pentowski to the prison yard. By this time other guards had been warned and began to close in on the group. Pentowski was held between Bellinger and Barry and when the order to open fire was given guards shot the two convicts dead and wounded Pentowski.

Souder was wounded in the same

sally but Donahue escaped unhurt

safe for the beating administered by the trainman.

**Report Klinger To  
Be Named Secretary**

**Shorty Canton Wins Race**

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stead of being allowed in some cases to perish in their cabins.

3. Why the fire spread with such strange rapidity from end to end of the ship.

4. Why the engines apparently

were stopped, although the fire

was not in the hold. The ship

was anchored instead of making

inshore for beaching.

5. Why such a large proportion

of the crew instead of passengers

were saved.

6. Why the lifeboats were so



## DECATUR YOUTH AWARDED PRIZE

**Franklin Lough Wins  
Award Presented By  
Conservation League**

Franklin Lough of Decatur will be awarded the prize given by the Adams county fish and game conservation league for the largest carp caught in waters of the county this summer. Charles Knapp, chairman of the fish conservation committee of the organization, announced today.

The prize will be a jointed bait rod, reel and line. It has been on display at the Henry Knapp and Son Hardware store all summer.

Under the rules established by the League, the fish was caught by hook and line by a boy under high school age in one of the quarries or rivers in the county. The fish, caught by Franklin Lough, weighed seven and a half pounds and was slightly heavier than the nearest competitor.

Considerable interest was raised by the contest.

Mr. Knapp stated today that the state conservation department will soon distribute five cans of small mouth bass and 10 cans of large mouth bass in the waters of the county.

When these are received, Adams County will have been allotted two or three times as many fish as it has in the past. This increase has largely been due to the efforts of the local organization which is the largest league in the state.

## PROBE STARTED TO DETERMINE FULL DETAILS

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hurt. She suffered a leg fracture and internal injuries. The others were cut and bruised.

Thomas Austin, 52, Mrs. Bessie Raso, 45, and Miss Elsie Farris, 24, all of Rockport, were injured when the automobile in which they were returning home from a dance struck a bridge abutment in a dense fog. All were taken to an Evansville hospital.

Five persons were injured in Indianapolis in a collision of two automobiles and a truck. Those most seriously hurt were Miss

Doris Brunnemer, 20, Indiana, Miss Margaret Coleman, 21, near Poland and Charles Lee, Spencer.

**Youth Is Held For  
Attempted Att**

Fort Wayne, Ind., Sept. 10.—Robert D. Shipley, 19, was here today under \$10,000 bond and two men took \$300, and woman into unconsciousness and then robbed them near Show Boat tavern near here yesterday.

Victims of the attack were Charles H. Bissell, salesman, for whom the two men took \$300, his companion, Miss Velma Lee, man, both of Fort Wayne.

The two bandits followed couple from the night club to an automobile where the attack took place.

Shipley, who denies he participated in the crime, is being held on charges of assault with intent to kill and robbery.

**At LEAST FIVE  
DIE IN WRECKS  
OVER WEEK-END**

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all of Narpane, riding in one automobile, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Whitesell, Newport News, Va., and Ralph Keller, Cincinnati, O., riding in a car driven by Whitesell.

Mrs. Tobias was most seriously

hurt. She suffered a leg fracture

and internal injuries. The others

were cut and bruised.

Added—"Jack and the Beanstalk" a cine color cartoon.

Universal News.

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