

# SPORTS

## Men's Golf League Opens Season Monday

The men's City Golf League will open its 1968 schedule Monday evening. This year, the league is comprised of nine teams, and each team has a limit of six players.

The league will be played in nine-week halves, and the winner of each half will meet in a play-off for the championship.

Monday's opening schedule: First State Bank vs Leland Smith Insurance, Holthouse on Highway vs Vigortones, Sherwin-Williams vs Decatur Industries, Kelly Cleaners vs Fortney Shoe Shop. Schafer Hardware drew the bye.

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## Jackets Blank Hartford City By 3-0 Score

The Decatur Yellow Jackets, behind Harley Wolfe's one-hit pitching, blanked the Hartford City Airedales, 3-0, at Hartford City Thursday afternoon.

Wolfe held the Airedales without a hit through the first six innings, only to have his spell broken when Strine, the first Airedale to bat in the seventh, lashed out a single. Three others reached base on two walks and on an error.

Decatur scored the only run Wolfe needed in the third inning on a walk to Rambo and Walters' single. Another run tallied in the fourth on a walk and hits by Cowan and Reidenbach. The final run scored in the seventh on a walk, an error and Wolfe's safety.

In a freshman game played at Worthman field, the Decatur frosh wallop Bluffton, 27-2.

The Jackets are scheduled to meet Marion in a double header Saturday afternoon at Worthman field, with the first game starting at 1 o'clock.

**DECATOR**

	AB	R	H	E
Walters, cf	3	0	1	0
Grabill, 2b	3	0	0	0
Marbach, 1b	3	0	1	0
Gay, c	3	0	0	0
Cowan, ss	3	1	1	0
Reidenbach, 3b	3	0	1	1
Ahr, rf	1	0	0	0
Clark, rf	0	1	0	0
Rambo, lf	2	1	0	0
Wolfe, p	1	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>

**HARTFORD CITY**

	AB	R	H	E
Cline, ss	2	0	0	0
Bennett, 3b	3	0	0	0
Ford, 1b	3	0	0	0
Clamme, p	3	0	0	0
Strine, c	3	0	1	0
Dewey, lf	3	0	0	0
Mills, cf	3	0	0	1
Shady, rf	1	0	0	0
Crockett, rf	2	0	0	0
Strohl, 2b	1	0	0	1
Landin, 2b	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>

Score by innings:

Decatur 001 100 1-3

Hartford City 000 000 0-0

Runs batted in — Walters, Stolen bases — Cowan, Reidenbach, Rambo. Bases on balls — Wolfe, 2. Clamme, 6. Strikeouts — Wolfe, 7. Clamme, 10.

The reductions will apply only on homes costing more than \$13,500. The biggest cutback would be \$525. on dwellings costing \$18,000 or more.

Congress gave Zimmerman authority last year to cut the down payments but he refused until now on grounds that loan money was too hard to get anyway. He told a news conference the loan situation did not begin to ease until two months ago.

Under the new schedule, 3 per cent cash will still be required on the first \$13,500 of house price.

The middle bracket will be extended from \$16,000 to \$18,000 and the rate lowered from 15 to 10 per cent.

On the portion of price above \$18,000, a rate of 30 per cent down will be required — the amount which has applied above \$16,000.

Down payment requirements of the Federal Housing Administration, which insures home mortgages, apply both to newly constructed and existing houses.

Zimmerman said a special survey April 15 indicated that more money was becoming available for mortgages and there were some indications that construction costs were coming down slightly.

He said he expected the situation to improve over the next couple of months, with a resulting spurt in home construction.

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# MAJOR League Results

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Pittsburgh	10	3	.769	—
San Francisco	9	4	.692	1
Milwaukee	6	5	.545	3
Los Angeles	7	6	.538	3
St. Louis	5	6	.455	4
Philadelphia	5	8	.386	6
Cincinnati	4	9	.308	6
Chicago	3	8	.273	6

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Detroit	5	3	.625	—
New York	5	3	.625	—
Kansas City	5	4	.536	1/2
Washington	5	5	.500	1
Chicago	4	4	.500	1
Baltimore	5	5	.500	1
Boston	4	6	.400	2
Cleveland	2	5	.375	2 1/2

**THURSDAY'S RESULTS**  
National League

Pittsburgh 3, Philadelphia 0.

San Francisco 7, Los Angeles 3.

Only games scheduled.

American League

Baltimore 6, Boston 1.

Chicago 3, Cleveland 1.

Kansas City 2, Detroit 1.

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# Adams Central Winner Of County Track Title In Annual Meet Thursday

## Little League Players Draft Held Thursday

With the drawing of David Winteregg, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Winteregg, the White Sox of the Decatur Little League selected the top draft choice at Thursday night's long but rewarding meeting to open the draft session.

After a short hassle about which

teams the sons of managers and coaches would be allowed to play for, the session settled down to one of serious, deliberate, and thoughtful selection. Lawrence Beal, league president, officiated with the assistance of league officers.

Listed below are the boys selected and the coaches and managers of the teams. Starting with the nine-year-olds in the order of draft:

**White Sox Selectees**

White Sox — David Winteregg, Tom Schultz, Ricky Archer, Tom Miller, Robert Martin, Harry Smith, Richard Fisher, Mark Keller, Rickey Hower, Kenny Macias, John Brown, Edwin Spangler, William Heimann, Robert Hess (9 yrs. old); Ronald Davis, Robert Wolf, David Schaffer, Mike Miller, Daniel Braun, Mike Reef (10 yrs. old); John Schultz, Joe Gonzalez, Tom Miller, Tom Hower, Joe Corbett, Dan Harden, Mike Reidenbach, Dan Evans (11 yrs. old); Tom Baker, James Miller, Donald Meyer, and Kenneth Birch (12 yrs. old); Herb Fravel, manager, and coaches Lloyd Conrad, Dale Myers, and Fred Kauffman.