

SPORTS NEWS

Cardinals Win By Lone Point Over Warren

The Geneva Cardinals, by edging Warren, 50-49, at the Geneva gym Saturday night, pulled back up to the .500 mark on the season with a record of five victories and five defeats.

The Cardinals worked to a 10-point margin at the first quarter, 19-9, and maintained this lead at the half, 35-25. The Huntington county team cut this lead to six points, 43-37, at the third period, and the Cardinals barely staved off the invaders in the final eight minutes of play.

Mike Newcomer, of the victorious Cardinals, topped all shot-makers with 24 points, but he was the only Cardinal in double figures. Poulson led Warren with 15, and Boxell and Stucky each counted 11.

The Cardinals have a pair of games this week, meeting the Decatur Commodores at the Decatur gym Tuesday night, and traveling to Marion Bennett Saturday night.

| Geneva | FG | FT | TP |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Webb | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| Toland | 3 | 3 | 9 |
| McCabe | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Hollenbacher | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| Buckingham | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Newcomer | 10 | 4 | 24 |
| TOTALS | 19 | 12 | 50 |

| Warren | FG | FT | TP |
|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Poulson | 6 | 3 | 15 |
| Brown | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Boxell | 4 | 3 | 11 |
| Stucky | 5 | 1 | 11 |
| Holmes | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| TOTALS | 21 | 7 | 49 |

Officials: Baldwin, Bultemeier.
Preliminary
Geneva, 27 - 24.

H. S. Basketball

Fort Wayne Central 91, Fort Wayne Luers 52.
Fort Wayne South 52, Elmhurst 40.
New Haven 50, Harlan 44.
South Bend Riley 79, Fort Wayne

Semi-Finals Feb. 10 In Lutheran Tourney

Emmanuel Soest defeated Flatrock, 31-29, in an overtime battle at the Hoagland gym Sunday afternoon to complete the semi-finals lineup for the Lutheran Laymen's grade school tourney.

The semi-finals will be played at Hoagland Sunday, Feb. 10, with Emmanuel Soest meeting St. John's of Bingen at 2 p. m., followed by Zion of Decatur and Bethlehem of Ossian.

The championship game will be played at 3 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 17.

| Emmanuel Soest | FG | FT | TP |
|----------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| R. Lepper | 6 | 0 | 12 |
| T. Dietrich | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| J. Saalfrank | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| D. Rohrbach | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| S. Lepper | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| S. Oehler | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 14 | 3 | 31 |

| Flatrock | FG | FT | TP |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| D. Hockmeyer | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| W. Guenin | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Melcher | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Denny Hockmeyer | 3 | 4 | 10 |
| J. Mueller | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| R. Gephart | 4 | 4 | 11 |
| TOTALS | 10 | 9 | 29 |

Central Catholic 66.
Huntington 73, Columbia City 60.
Garrett 68, Avilla 50.
Petroleum 57, Chester Center 50.
Fremont 60, Orland 55.
Kokomo 73, Peru 72.
South Bend Central 84, Marion 65.

| Bedford 55, Bloomington 48. |
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| Muncie Central 76, North Central (Marion Co.) 50. |
| New Castle 86, Muncie Burris 50. |
| Madison 56, Lafayette 49. |
| Columbus 83, Warren Central 48. |
| Michigan City 89, Hammond 59. |
| Mentone 77, Manchester 44. |
| Anderson 85, Shelbyville 57. |
| Vincennes 64, Evansville Central 59. |
| Mishawaka 72, Gary Wallace 58. |
| Winchester 81, Liberty 57. |
| New Albany 52, Evansville Reitz 33. |
| Jeffersonville 80, Jasper 65. |
| Frankfort 86, Rossyville 81. |
| Gary Roosevelt 61, South Bend Adams 55. |

Week's Schedule For Adams County Basketball Teams

| TUESDAY |
|--------------------------------------|
| Geneva at Commodores. |
| Bluffton at Berne. |
| FRIDAY |
| Hartford at Commodores. |
| Yellow Jackets at Portland. |
| Monroeville at Adams Central. |
| Woodlan at Monmouth. |
| Lafayette Central at Pleasant Mills. |
| Montpelier at Berne. |
| SATURDAY |
| Geneva at Marion Bennett. |

Four Players Are Named To Hall Of Fame

NEW YORK (UPI)—Sam Rice and Eppa Rixey displayed happiness mixed with bitterness and 87-year-old Elmer Flick said, "I figured I was too old for anybody to remember me."

That was the reaction of three of baseball's old-timers who were elected Sunday to the Hall of Fame along with John Clarkson, a National League pitcher before the turn of the century who died 53 years ago.

Rice, repeatedly passed over in past balloting by the main body of the Baseball Writers' Association of America, finally won the nod from the Hall of Fame's 12-man veteran's committee. He and Rixey were elected from a category of players who retired before 1931 and 1943.

Clarkson and Flick were chosen from another category of old-timers who retired before 1931.

Finally Make It
Rice and Rixey both admitted they were "very happy" over their selection. However, they wondered out loud why they didn't rate entry to the Hall years ago.

"I was disappointed at the number of times I had lost out in the voting," declared Rice, 70, a star outfielder with the Washington Senators from 1916 to 1933 who had a lifetime batting average of .322. During his 19 seasons in the American League, he collected 2,987 hits but hit only 34 home runs.

Rixey, 71, former National League pitcher, also admitted he "was getting a little discouraged" after past rebuffs.

In addition to his advanced age, Flick attributed his failure to gain the Hall of Fame earlier to the fact that "I never had anybody pulling for me in these elections." The former outfielder said he was informed of his selection by Branch Rickey, a member of the selection committee and a one-time American League rival.

"Rickey remembers me when I was good," Flick said, "and I'm sure he's the one responsible for getting me in. I honestly didn't think I had a chance."

Plays Both Leagues
Flick, who broke into the majors with Philadelphia of the National League in 1898 and later was sold to Cleveland of the American League, compiled a lifetime batting average of .315.

Although Rice possessed the best credentials of the four new members, Rixey wasn't exactly a slouch. The six-foot-five southpaw, who was the tallest major league player of his time, pitched in the National League for 21 years, winning 266 games and losing 251.

Clarkson, a rubber-armed right-handed pitcher, won 53 games and lost 16 for Chicago of the National League in 1884. He pitched a no-hitter against Providence of the old NL the following year and retired in 1894 with a lifetime record of 328 victories against 176 losses. He died at the age of 47 in 1909.

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BOWLING

| End of First Half | W | L | Pts. |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| Drips | 30 | 18 | 41 |
| Dunkers | 30 | 17 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Perks | 29 | 19 | 38 |
| Saucerettes | 27 1/2 | 20 1/2 | 37 1/2 |
| Warmers | 27 | 21 | 36 |
| Cups | 26 | 22 | 36 |
| Cream | 24 1/2 | 23 1/2 | 32 1/2 |
| Sugar | 22 | 26 | 32 |
| Sippers | 23 | 25 | 28 |
| Cubes | 21 | 27 | 27 |
| Spoons | 19 | 29 | 26 |
| Coasters | 20 1/2 | 27 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| Instant | 19 | 29 | 25 |
| Caffeine | 17 | 31 | 23 |
| High series: J. Ewell 212-134-155 (501). | | | |

High games: M. Reef 188, M. Merriman 172, M. Schrock 169, M. Shoaff 167, P. Dick 167, M. Conrad 166, V. Hammond 164, A. Ewell 160-158, M. D. Cochran 159, L. Gehrig 156-155-155, C. Schafer 156, S. Mutschler 154, M. Geisler 154, M. Tutewiler 151, H. Haugk 151, B. Drake 150, J. Lutes 150.

EDDIE'S RECREATION Ma & Pa Mixed Doubles

| W | L | Pts. |
|--|----|------|
| Shaffer's Restaurant | 31 | 17 |
| Davidson Bros. TV | 28 | 20 |
| Ideal Dairy Bar | 19 | 29 |
| Eddie's Recreation | 18 | 30 |
| High games: Women—M. Lovellette 156, 139, J. Pickford 141, 147, 149, E. Gling 137, B. Feasel 140, 158. Men—V. E. Kling 184, L. L. Davidson 197, L. Lovellette 178, W. Frauhiger 196, 221, 178, F. Pickford 176, 173. | | |

High series: Women—M. Lovellette 428, J. Pickford 437, B. Feasel 407, Men—W. Frauhiger 595.

Splits converted: B. Davidson 2-9, J. Pickford 3-10, F. Pickford 3-10.

Cincinnati And Loyola Extend Winning Ways

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It will take something of a major upset in the next few weeks to prevent Cincinnati or Loyola of Chicago from completing the regular college basketball season with unblemished records.

The two standouts of the 1962-63 campaign went right on winning Saturday night, top-ranked Cincinnati turning back third-ranked Illinois, 62-53, and second-ranked Loyola, beating Santa Clara, 82-72, and at the rate they're going it appears a cinch they'll be battling it out for the national championship in March.

Cincinnati has won 33 straight games over the last two seasons with nine remaining on the regular schedule. The Bearcats are at home for two of those games this week, hosting Drake on Thursday and St. Louis on Saturday.

Loyola, with a 19-0 mark and boasting the top offensive unit of any major school, also will have friendly surroundings for two contests this week when it meets Washington and Iowa. Following this, the Ramblers will have six games remaining.

Oddly enough, the chief obstacle for both Cincinnati and Loyola will be the same team—eighth-ranked Wichita. The Bearcats travel to Wichita Feb. 16 and Loyola entertains the Wheatshockers March 2.

Illinois is idle this week, but the remainder of the top 10 teams all see action following the completion of mid-year examinations.

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Adams Central Wins Freshman Tourney

Adams Central's freshman basketball team defeated Bluffton, 37-35, to cop a four-team meet at Bluffton Saturday, following a thrilling triple overtime triumph over Decatur in the morning game.

The winners came from far behind in the morning game to defeat Decatur's freshmen, 33-28, in three overtimes, while Bluffton had beaten Berne in the morning to advance to the championship game. Decatur downed Berne, 46-35, in the consolation game in the afternoon.

Adams Central led at all quarter stops in beating Bluffton, holding leads of 8-7, 17-15 and 27-25, in the close title game. The young Greyhounds had trailed at all period stops in the Decatur game.

Decatur held a 7-4 first quarter lead, and led 13-6 at the half and 17-12 after three quarters. Adams Central more than doubled their score in the final quarter, however, and tied the count at 23-23, to send the game into overtime.

The teams were tied 24-24 after the second. A basket and a free throw by Smith and two free throws each by Schnepf and Morningstar sent Adams Central to victory in the third extra