

MICHIGAN IS BIG TEN CHOICE

300 Track Aces Clash

Illinois Chief Threat in Title Event Opening Today.

EVANSTON, Ill., May 22.—Michigan ruled a strong favorite to win the thirty-first annual Big Ten track and field championships opening at Dwyer stadium. Trials in fourteen of the sixteen events were scheduled today, with finals in all events Saturday. More than 300 athletes, a dozen or more of them promising candidates for the 1932 Olympic team, composed the formidable field.

Michigan won last year's meet with 51 points, followed by Illinois, 44½; Wisconsin, 35; Ohio State, 31½; Iowa, 24; Indiana, 20; Northwestern, 18; Chicago, 7; Purdue, 7; and Minnesota, 4.

The battle for the first four places will again be between Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana and Ohio State. Michigan has entered thirty-four athletes, headed by Eddie Toland, Negro sprinter, who is expected to add ten points to the Wolverine's total with victories in the 100 and 220-yard dashes.

Numbered in the field were seven of last year's individual champions. Of the title holders, Lee Sentman of Illinois seemed to be confronted with the hardest task of retaining his two hurdle championships. Bothered by injuries Sentman has had an inconsistent year, and Jack Keller, Ohio State's sophomore ace, and James Hatfield, Indiana, have both beaten him.

Among the records most likely to be threatened are the shotput, the pole vault, the 120-yard high hurdle mark, the javelin mark and the half-mile record.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 22.—Notre Dame was a heavy favorite as athletes from eleven schools opened competition in the sixth annual central intercollegiate track and field championship here today. Butler of Indianapolis was the other Hoosier entry.

La Barba Title Choice



Fidel La Barba

NEW YORK, May 22.—Fidel La Barba of California, who as a flyweight was one of the truly great ring champions of recent years, will battle for the world's featherweight title tonight when he meets Christopher (Bat) Battalino of Hartford, Conn., in a fifteen-round bout at Madison Square Garden.

Both of the title bout participants are graduates of the amateur ranks. La Barba won the Olympic flyweight title in 1924 and then turned pro-



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essional, winning world flyweight honors and retired undefeated in 1927.

Battalino started boxing as an amateur in 1925, and in 1927 won the national flyweight title.

He turned professional the same year, and after twenty-three bouts won the world's championship on a fifteen-round decision over Andre Routis of France in September, 1929.

The little Hartford Italian is an 8 to 5 underdog in the betting.

Three Top Scraps Set

Chief Elkhart Returns to Take on Anderson in Ten.

Three ten-round matches to a decision will feature Tuesday night's final Legion show at the Armory, and were announced today as follows:

Ten Rounds—Benny Touchstone, Detroit, vs. Morris Kerr, Indianapolis; heavyweights.

Ten Rounds—Harold Anderson, Indianapolis, vs. Jack C. Elkhart, Calver; light-heavyweights.

Ten Rounds—Eddie Earl, Jacksonville, Fla., vs. Soldier Dombrowski, Detroit; featherweights.

Jack (Chief) Elkhart, who, according to a prominent sports writer, came from a "leading Alabama tribe," is back in ring harness once more, after a year's layoff due to illness, and his manager, Don Curley, states Jack is "better than ever." Fort and Armory fans will recall the exciting battles in which Elkhart engaged a few seasons ago.

Soldier Dombrowski, who gave Tracy Cox his hardest fight of the season here, has been matched with Eddie Earl, just arrived from Florida and boasting wins over Jackie Rogers, Babe Manning and others.

The supporting bouts will be arranged by Saturday, Legion officials state.

Yanks, Canadians Even in Davis Cup Singles Test

UNITED PRESS
MONTECARLO, May 22.—With each country having won one of the opening singles contests, the United States and Canada met in the doubles match today of their final North American zone round of Davis cup tennis play.

Frank Shields and Sidney Wood, both of New York, will form the

United States pair and will be pitted against Dr. Jack Wood and Marcel Rainville. Shields and Wood ranked as slight favorites.

Shields won an easy victory Thursday over Wright, 6-5, 6-2, 6-2, while Rainville beat Wood in a grueling five-set battle, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Columbus	15	12	.556
St. Paul	15	11	.577
Louisville	14	12	.538
Indianapolis	14	14	.500
Minneapolis	13	15	.464
Kansas City	13	15	.464
Indianapolis	12	17	.414

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	15	7	.682
St. Louis	14	10	.583
N. York	13	10	.565
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Eastern Big League Clubs Hold Edge in Intersectional Battles

BY LEO H. PETERSON
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW YORK, May 22.—Major league baseball teams prepared to resume sectional competition today with the Philadelphia Athletics leading the St. Louis Cardinals holding first place in their respective circuits.

The first intersectional imbroglio of the year came to a close Thursday with the east holding a decided edge over the west. In the American League, representatives of the Atlantic seaboard won thirty-

two contests while losing eleven, while eastern clubs of the National League registered twenty victories against twelve defeats.

The Philadelphia Athletics profited most by the intersectional strife, for they won all eleven of their games and established their leadership in the American League to two and one-half games over the second-place New York Yankees. The St. Louis Cardinals, who built up a substantial lead in the National circuit against western teams,

fared badly in the east and lost four of six contests. Their margin over the second-place New York Giants was reduced to .004 per cent.

The records of the clubs in the first intersectional series follow:

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Eastern teams of the American League registered three victories Thursday, as all of the clubs in the National circuit were idle because of rain.

Heine Manush hit a home run, triple and single off Tommy Thorman and Hal McKinn to account for all of the runs in Washington's 4-to-2 triumph over the Chicago White Sox.

Babe Ruth's fifth homer of the season, a triple and double, aided the Yankees in noosing out Cleveland, 7 to 6. It was the twelfth straight setback for the Indians. Earl Combs of the New Yorks stretched his safe hitting streak through twenty games.

The Athletics drove off eighteen hits off four Detroit pitchers to turn in a 12-to-5 triumph. Three hurriers were used by the Mackmen and gave up fourteen hits.

St. Louis Browns turned in the only western triumph, when Collins held the Red Sox to four hits in winning a 2-to-1 decision.

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Froebel of Gary Favored to Retain State Track Title

With a well-balanced, eleven-man squad, Froebel of Gary, Indiana, and national interscholastic track and field champion, will invade Butler bowl Saturday a favorite to retain the Hoosier laurels they won last spring race.

Coached by Carl Olsen, the Steel City athletes have many point winners in their group, although the squad is not the largest representing any one school.

Tech of Indianapolis ranks among the chief contenders, although Neely hurdler, was the only performer to turn in an outstanding performance in the sectional last week.

In the century dash, Perrotta of Froebel, who turned 10.1 last week and Smith of Michigan City, who ran the distance in 10 flat, loom as the outstanding contenders, with Beldon of Seymour, Hollis of Warren Central, McQuene of Lafayette and Henderson of Wiley of Terre Haute as others counted in the running.

Bartlett of Bloomington with 16.1,

and Hampton with 16.3, made the best showing in the 120-yard hurdles in the sectionals and will fight it out with Abrams of Froebel, who set a new record last year.

Abrams appears a certain winner in the low sticks, in which he set another mark last year.

Scott of Froebel and Hollis of Warren Central both broke the broad jump record in sectionals last Saturday, and the nine-year mark appears doomed. Bolding of Bedford bettered the state record in the mile.

Elser of Horace Mann (Gary) put the shot 53 feet 6½ inches, shattering the state mark. Froebel and Tech loom strongest in the mile relay, while Froebel is hoped to battle it out with Bloomington and Elkhart in the half-mile team event.

The pole vault and high jump records appear safe, but with the fine performances in the sectionals, it appears some of the other marks are due to tumble barring heavier handicaps.

State Prep Track Mark

EVENT	RECORD	WINNER	SCHOOL	DATE
100-Yard Dash	9.5 sec.	Fowles	Muncie	1928
220-Yard Dash	21.6 sec.	Walter	Kokomo	1928
440-Yard Dash	50.3 sec.	Fuqua	Brazil	1929
880-Yard Dash	2:00.2 min.	Sears	Technical	1928
1 Mile Run	4:32.1 min.	Woolley	Wiley (T. H.)	1930
1.60-Yard Hurdle	16 sec.	Abrams	Froebel (Gary)	1930
120-Yard Hurdle	24.6 sec.	Abrams	Froebel (Gary)	1930
High Jump	6 ft. 1½ in.	Evans	Brazil	1921
Broad Jump	22 ft. 3¼ in.	Carthar	Sheridan	1928
Pole Vault	12 ft. 4¼ in.	Northam	Washington	1930
Shot Put	51 ft. 5 in.	Wanslowles	Froebel (Gary)	1930
Hammer Throw	140 ft. 3¼ in.	Knee	Wabash	1928
Discus Throw	117 ft. 6¼ in.	Conwell	Van Buren	1928
Mile Relay	8:24.4 sec.	Stockton	Monticello	1928
Half Mile Relay	1 min. 53 sec.	Brazil	Brazil	1927
		Muncie	Muncie	1928

State College Golfers Clash

By Times Special
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 22.—Thirty-four golfers, representing seven schools, teed off at Rea park municipal links here today in the annual Indiana interscholastic golf tournament. Team championship honors were to be decided in today's thirty-six-hole round.

All players within sixteen strokes of today's low medalist will play another thirty-six holes Saturday, to determine the individual title winner.

Purdue, Indiana, Notre Dame, Valparaiso, De Pauw, Wabash and State Normal have teams entered.

IRISH CAPTAIN NAMED
By Times Special
SOUTH BEND, Ind., May 22.—William McCormick of Granite City, Ill., has been elected 1932 track captain at Notre Dame. He has been a consistent winner in dash events for two years.

SOUTHWEST TRIPS PARK
Getting nine hits off R. Cline and F. Cline, while Waymann held Park school to three safeties, Southwest high school nine turned in a 5-to-1 triumph Thursday. Waymann fanned ten and issued no walks.

French Matman on Cadle Bill

Cowboy Jones, Wyoming, and Al Baffert, French mat performer, will meet in tonight's main go on the wrestling card at Cadle. They are heavyweights. Women will be admitted free and the first bout will start at 8:30.

In the semi-windup the popular Charlie Stanton, California heavy, will oppose John Arnold, German, while Harold Sims and Buck Lipscomb, local light heavyweights, will meet in the prelin.

LAWLESS SEEKS REVENGE
By United Press
CHICAGO, May 22.—Bucky Lawless, Syracuse, N. Y., welterweight, who defeated Jack Thompson, 147-pound champion in a non-title bout here recently, will attempt to avenge a knockout at the hands of Gorilla Jones when he meets the Akron, O. Negro in a 10-round bout at the Chicago Stadium Monday night.

IN THREE-1 THURSDAY
Featuring: Quincy, S. Evans, 135 lbs. vs. Haute, S. Springfield, S. Bloomington, S. Decatur, S. Danville, S.

ROBINSON FARM COHEN
Brooklyn has released outfielder Al Cohen to Hartford of the Eastern League.

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