



## By Eddie Ash

RECORD FOR PITCHERS \$25,000

VANCE AND GROVE DREW TOPS

THE salary record for pitchers is \$25,000 and is shared by Dazzy Vance and Lefty Grove. . . . Dazzy Dean is reported to have received \$22,500 last year and Carl Hubbell moved toward the record with a new contract calling for \$22,000 in 1937. . . . Vance set the salary mark with Brooklyn in 1925, after he had won 28 games and lost only six, with an earned run average of 2.16 the previous season. . . . Grove equaled the mark in 1932, with the Athletics, following a season in which he won 31 games and lost only four, with an earned run record of 2.05. . . . The top salary for outfielders is \$80,000, which Babe Ruth got from the Yankees in 1931 and 1932.

FOR big league infielders the record is \$31,000, established by Lou Gehrig in 1935 and sure to be raised when he signs his 1937 agreement. . . . Rogers Hornsby got \$40,000 a year for several seasons with the Braves and Cubs, but he was manager as well as second baseman for that stipend. . . . The highest salary yet achieved by a catcher was \$23,000, and Gabby Hartnett of the Cubs was the lucky recipient in 1931. . . . However, \$5,000 of the sum was a bonus for Gabby's fine work the previous year. . . . It is said his regular contract called for \$18,000. . . . Bill Dickey, with his new contract calling for \$18,000, is the highest salaried backstop in the majors this year. . . . Mickey Cochrane draws down more, but he's the manager and must do the worrying for the Tigers.

A BAY filly named Love in Bloom is described as a corner in the harness horse world. . . . She is a 2-year-old and is in the stable of Sep Palin, Indianapolis reinsman. . . . It is said Love in Bloom has been showing starting form at the Seminole track in Florida. . . . She is a member of the Greyhound family. . . . Persons who bet on Seabiscuit to win the Santa Anita Derby won't feel any better when they learn that the horse ate too much before the race. . . . A loving admirer slipped the bangtail an extra ration of oats, according to the trainer in explaining how Seabiscuit happened to be nosed out by Rosemont at the wire. . . . Mrs. Ethel V. Mars is proud of her Sir Galahad III juvenile, Farrell, and expects the colt to develop into the summer season's turf sensation.

TORCHY PEDEN will team with Jules Audy, the Canadian blond, in the Chicago 6-day bike race. . . . They will form a fast pair, both seasoned by many cycle marathons. . . . Big Ten basketball teams do not share gate receipts with Conference opponents. . . . They keep all they take in and the schools with the largest seating capacity clean up when their quintets are contenders in the race. . . . Purdue is in a bad fix under these arrangements on account of limited seating capacity. . . . This rule does not apply in Big Ten football. . . . Net grid receipts are split on a 50-50 basis. . . . The Boiler-makers will begin catching up on basketball earnings when their new fieldhouse is completed.

BARNEY MIKE KELLY, the genial Irishman from the South Side, left Indianapolis last night for Charlotte, N. C., to direct his Syracuse Nationals in spring training. . . . Manager Kelly says his Chiefs will remain in Charlotte approximately five weeks. . . . The club is owned by Joe Condon, a son of the late Joe Condon. . . . When the Chiefs hit the bottom of the International League last season the fans there pleaded for Kelly to come out of retirement and take over the helm. . . . He was doing all right in the real estate business here and studying for a business career, but the lure of the diamond prevailed and Barney Mike soon was on his way. . . . The Cincy Reds have promised to send the Chiefs six players and Kelly hopes Manager Charlie Drennon doesn't forget the address.

## Women Bowlers to Open State Tourney Tonight

By BERNARD HARMON

The fourteenth annual tournament of the Women's Indiana State Bowling Association is to open at the Pritchett Recreation Alleys tonight at 7.

Two squads of entrants in the team events are on the opening night's schedule. Fourteen quintets are to see action on the 7 o'clock shift and 14 on the 9:30 shift. All but seven of the 28 teams are local entrants. Visiting teams hail from Shelbyville, Newcastle, Goschen, Terre Haute, Ft. Wayne and Evansville.

Minor events are on tomorrow's matinee schedule, while one squad of team entrants is to roll on the evening shift that starts at 7. Four teams from Kokomo, one from Richmond and nine local entries are on the evening program. Defending champions in the team events are: Class A, Sterling Brewery, Evansville; Class B, Ball Band, Mishawaka, and Class C, Cloverleaf Cafe, Evansville. Jessie Ferner and Mabel Kennard of Evansville were winners of the Class C doubles last year, while Lena Hein and Kay Maglaris, also of Evansville, won the Class B title.

Present title holders in the singles division are: Class A, Helen Gies of Evansville; Class B, Dess Myers of Indianapolis; Anita Rump of Ft. Wayne is the defending Class A all-events champion and Marion Green of Evansville holds the title in Class B.

The event is to continue over the following two week-ends.

### Gib Smith Paces Leaguers

The score of last night's heavy scoring shifted from the Pennsylvania Alleys, where the Beam loop usually furnishes the Friday night highlights. Individual scoring honors of the evening went to Gib Smith, who in posting a new three-game record for the season in the Big Four Railroad League at the Fountain Square Alleys, totaled 633. Smith, who was the only 600 shooter of the railroaders' session, reached his top total through games of 237, 244 and 212, leading Payroll Department to a sweep over the opposing Car Shops. Freight Shop and General Superintendents also nabbed shutouts. Voucher Department and Accounting being the victims.

Pritchett Gets 662 Runnersup honors of the city were won by Larry Langbein of the Construction League rolling at Pritchett's. He tossed games of 216, 224 and 238 for a 676. Ed Stevenson with a 619 and Paul Taylor with 614 were other pastimers to pass the 600 mark.

Jess Pritchett Sr., who in his regular noontime matinee of Wednesday stacked up an 811 total in three games, set the pace in the Beam loop. He had games of 233, 193 and 236 for a 662, which with Don Johnson's 648 and Johnny Murphy's 627 boosted Earlbaum to a two-game victory over Packard Motors and the top team total of the loop. The winners reached 3089 on 1035, 963 and 1091, while the Packards, paced by John Blue's 620 and Bobby Wilmoth's 618, totaled 2990 through a 1046 finish.

Bowes Win Two With three members over 600, Lieber Beer shut out Hiller Office Supply. Fred Schleimer had 635, Percy Meyer 610, and Phil Bles 601. Marmion - Herrington, also nabbed a triple victory. J. W. Bader Coffee being the victim. Paul Strie-

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## PLAINFIELD'S HEIGHT MENACE TO TECH

### Orner's Crew Led by Weber, Giant Center

Fortville to Play Indians in Second Game on This Afternoon's Schedule.

It's almost a cinch that there won't be any sit-down strike in Anderson this afternoon. The basketball teams from Tech and Plainfield will take care of that.

The two quintets were to meet in the feature contest of the Anderson regional, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. At the same time the second round of state basketball tournament warfare opened in 15 other regional centers.

Although the majority of the favorites came through the sectional by fairly impressive scores, there were a few startling upsets topped by the Rossville conquest of Frankfort's state champions. The regionals will produce even more upsets according to the experts.

At the Anderson elimination, Fortville is to oppose Anderson in the 3 p. m. game today. Then the winners of the 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock games will meet in the final contest tonight at 8 o'clock.

Coach Archie Chadd's Anderson boys are given the edge over the Fortville team because of superior scoring power as well as an excellent defense. Other teams throughout the regionals today which are being rated the chance to come through unscathed are Central of Ft. Wayne, Logansport, Martinsville and Lafayette.

Coach Bayne Freeman's Tech outfit left Indianapolis today at noon for the Anderson gym. They spent the week in drilling strenuously to improve their defense, bearing in mind the unusual scoring power of Forest Weber, Plainfield giant center who is the main threat in the Plainfield attack. Coach Henry Orner's Plainfield crew practiced Thursday in the Anderson gymnasium, "just to get the feel of the place" according to Coach Orner. His squad is in excellent shape and there will be no alibis either way, he said.

Plainfield has had a more consistent season than Tech, winning 21 games during the season and sectional. Such teams as Anderson, Decatur Central, the Marion County champs, Bainbridge, Garfield of Terre Haute, St. Mary's of Anderson, the state Catholic champs, Cathedral and Washington, have fallen before the Orner avalanche.

Plainfield has Height The Plainfield crew excels the Tech team considerably in the matter of height. Weber, the Plainfield center is 6 feet, 6 inches tall, weighs 215 pounds. Others on the Orner team who are over the 6-foot mark include Newby, forward; Kinsey, guard; Johnson, center; and Chandler, forward. Lee, a guard, and Morris, a forward, just miss the 6-foot mark by one inch.

Richards is the only member of the Tech team who is 6 feet tall. Field, the stellar guard from the East Side school, just lacks an inch of reaching six feet, as do Stoner and Higginbotham. But Bohn, the Tech scoring flash, is only five feet 8 inches in height.

The main hope of Tech is that its own ability to hit the basket under fire, as displayed during the recent sectional, will be "on" today. The team showed its cool manner of trimming down fast teams against Decatur Central in the sectional game of the Indianapolis sectional and then romped to a 38-13 victory over the staunch Ben Davis aggregation which had been a runner-up to Decatur in the county finals.

The schedule for this afternoon in State High School basketball regional competition:

AT ANDERSON  
2:00—Tech vs. Plainfield.  
3:00—Fortville vs. Anderson.

AT ATTICA  
2:00—Greencastle vs. Dan.  
3:00—Kokomo vs. Williamsport.

AT AUBURN  
2:00—Kendallville vs. Garrett.  
3:00—Warsaw vs. Columbus City.

AT BLOOMINGTON  
2:00—Wiley (Terre Haute) vs. Martinsville.  
3:00—Bloomfield vs. Brazil.

AT COLUMBUS  
2:00—Franklin vs. Greensburg.  
3:00—Columbus vs. Ellettsburg.

AT EVANSVILLE  
2:00—Owensville vs. Central (Evansville).  
3:00—Dale vs. Tell City.

AT HUNTINGTON  
2:00—Central (Ft. Wayne) vs. Hartford City.  
3:00—Clear Creek vs. Berna.

AT LAFAYETTE  
2:00—Lebanon vs. Rossville.  
3:00—Lafayette vs. Otterbein.

AT LOGANSPORT  
2:00—Monon vs. Flora.  
3:00—Peru vs. Logansport.

AT MARION  
2:00—Kokomo vs. Wabash.  
3:00—Atlanta vs. Marion.

AT MICHIGAN CITY  
2:00—La Porte vs. Emerson (Gary).  
3:00—Goodland vs. Hammond.

AT MITCHELL  
2:00—Bedford vs. Seymour.  
3:00—New Albany vs. Paoli.

AT MUNICIE  
2:00—Richmond vs. Newcastle.  
3:00—Muncie vs. Wayne.

AT ROCHESTER  
2:00—Mishawaka vs. Elkhart.  
3:00—Plymouth vs. Rochester.

AT RUSHVILLE  
2:00—Veray vs. Rushville.  
3:00—North Vernon vs. Connersville.

AT WASHINGTON  
2:00—Washington vs. Vincennes.  
3:00—Dugger vs. Huntington.

Winners in each of the regional games at 8 o'clock tonight will play in one of the four semifinal tournaments March 20.

BALL LEAGUE TO MEET The Gus Habich fraternal soft ball league is to meet Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the Gus Habich Co., 136 E. Washington St. All fraternal teams are requested to have representatives present or telephone McDaniel at Riley 3973.

### Michigan Hurdle-Hopper in Relays



One of the outstanding names on the list of entrants from the University of Michigan in the Butler Relays is Steve Mason, shown above, who is one of the best hurdlers in the Big Ten. He will appear at the Butler Fieldhouse, March 20, along with a large delegation from the Ann Arbor school. Among other big names from Michigan will be Sam Stoller, runner.

### 3045 Total Gains A.B.C. Team Lead

By United Press

NEW YORK, March 13.—The Pastime A. C. team of Syracuse, N. Y., crashed out a 3045 total to take an early lead in the team competition in the annual American Bowling Congress tournament today.

Putting over games of 1055, 970 and 1011, this outfit not only rode far into the lead in the team event but it also set a new mark for high scoring in the first week of the show. It also added further to its laurels by going through the entire first game without a "break," no misses or splits being recorded.

But one other team, the Tea Shops of Milwaukee, which won the title at Peoria, Ill., in 1937, has equaled this record. The difference is that the Milwaukeeans accomplished their unique stunt in their final game while the Pastimes were in cold from the start and showed a perfect closed game.

### Hill Billy Giant On Mat Program

The return of Orville Brown, exponent of the "Indian deathlock" hold and the first local appearance in months of Daniel Boone Savage, Kentucky "hill billy" grappler, will feature the Armory all-heavyweight mat card next Tuesday night. The complete program:

MAIN GO  
Babe Zaharias, 235, Pueblo, Col., vs. Orville Brown, 228, Wichita, Kan. Two falls out of three. Ninety minutes.

SPECIAL SEMI-MAIN  
Daniel Boone Savage, 290, Boyd County, Kentucky, vs. Cowboy Luttrill, 332, San Antonio, Tex. One fall. Thirty minutes.

PRELIM BOUT  
Eddie Newman, 220, New York, vs. Frank Brown, 218, Wichita, Kas. One fall. Thirty minutes.

OPENING BOUT  
Andy Chiles, 215, Dallas, Tex., vs. Al Getz, 220, Boston. One fall. Thirty minutes.

Orville Brown, who holds verdicts over both George and Chris Zaharias, hopes to make a clean sweep of the "Zaharias clan" by upsetting Babe, the "middle one" of the Colorado family of wrestlers. The bewhiskered Daniel Boone Savage has an idea he can "lame" Cowboy Luttrill in what promises to be a hard fought bout between two powerhouses.

### ARMSTRONG WINS BOUT ON KNOCKOUT

By United Press

NEW YORK, March 13.—New Yorkers were convinced of California Featherweight Champion Henry Armstrong's vaunted punching power today after watching him score a four-round knockout over Mike Belloise of New York, recognized feather titleholder in this state.

In his first eastern appearance Armstrong completely captured the spectators with a smashing attack that had the hometown boy completely bewildered. It was a hard left hook just before the bell ending the fourth that dropped Belloise. Referee Art Donovan had counted seven when the bell rang, but Belloise's seconds could not revive him when the fifth round gong sounded.

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### Indians Leave Tomorrow to Start Spring Training

Facing a month of spring training in the Blue Grass country, at Bowling Green, the first contingent of Indians will depart for the western Kentucky camp tomorrow and by the first of the week the heavy work will be under way.

Pitchers, catchers and a large brigade of early invaders and in charge will be Manager Wade Killefer, who will motor with President Norman A. Perry to Bowling Green tomorrow.

Outfielders and infielders will join the camp on March 21 and by that time many of the youngsters who "graduated" from the Tribe baseball school last summer will be weeded out and tagged for shipment to leagues of lower classification.

Twenty-eight players have been ordered to report at the Helm Hotel in the Kentucky city tomorrow. They are:

Catchers John Riddle, Indianapolis; Bill Lewis, Memphis, Tenn.; Jimmy Crandall, Bell, Cal.; Oliver Willis, Warren; Max Miller, Ft. Wayne; Earl Carmine, Clayton; Minor Moore, Columbus; Ronald Parrish, Richmond; Rex Chamberlain, Lafayette; Edward Berwert, Columbia City; Charles Byrket, Knightsbridge; Jimmy Sharp, San Bernardino, Cal.; Lyle Tuning, Chicago.

Vance Page, Elm City, N. C.; Tom Gallivan, St. Paul; Elmer Riddle, Columbus, Ga.; Kola Sharpe, Nashville, Tenn.; Clarence Phillips, Paul Valley, Ark.; Emmet Nelson, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Lloyd Johnson, Santa Rosa, Whitehead, Sherwood, N. C.; Otto Myers, Wauson, O.; Joe Hoover, Pomona, Cal.

The following players will form the squad reporting on March 21:

Infielders Joe Lawrie, Indianapolis; George Coffman, Indianapolis; James Deakney, Teton; Robert Kahle, Richmond; Vincent Sherwood, Buffalo, N. Y.; Robert Fausett, Galveston, Tex.; Charles Parker, Tulsa, Okla.; Robert Lashaw, Montebello, Cal.; Frank Parker, Granite City, Ill.; Douglas Wheeler, Fullerton, Cal.

Outfielders Victor Mettler, Hammond; Chester Francis, Danville; Pete Ray, Shelbyville; Roy Rash, Brentwood, Tenn.; Fred Berger, San Francisco, Cal.; Oscar Eckhardt, Yorktown, Tex.; Ronald Hibbard, Byron, Mich.; Rosa Whitehead, Sherwood, N. C.; Otto Myers, Wauson, O.; Joe Hoover, Pomona, Cal.

CORBETT WINS BY KAYO SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Young Corbett, III, weighing 159, Fresno, knocked out Gus Lesnevich, 163, Hackensack, N. J., in boxing here last night.

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## Hornsby Near Record

If Rogers Hornsby goes to bat once this season, or acts as utility infielder for one inning, he ties Rabbit Maranville's record for length of big league service.

## Don Lash Aiming at Two Track Marks in Big Ten Indoor Meet at Chicago

Indiana University's Long Distance King Only Hope for Record Smashing as Michigan Team Holds Edge To Regain Championship.

By STEVE SNIDER United Press Staff Correspondent CHICAGO, March 13.—Don Lash, Indiana's blond distance king, appeared to be the only hope for new records today in the 27th annual Big Ten indoor track meet which threatened to be just like the last three—a breeze for Michigan.

Lash, who set a new world record for two miles during his winter campaign in the East, also is a great miler. The slender Hoosier is convinced he can smash both conference marks set in 1933 by Henry Brooksmith, first in a line of Indiana milers.

A balanced team from Michigan, with points assured in every event but the high jump, took the edge off the team race. Neither Indiana nor Ohio State, two strongest contenders, possessed the all-around strength to crowd out the Wolverines.

Qualify Three Men The defending champions demonstrated their power in the opening trials yesterday by qualifying three men in the 440 and 880 yard events. Stan Birleson, winner of the fastest in three heats of the 440, became a favorite to win the first title for Michigan, Howard Davidson, another Wolverine, won the third heat of the half-mile.

Unless Ohio State's national champion, Charlie Beetham, recovers from fever and a cold, Davidson Michigan as well.

Beetham, however, was reported recovering quickly from the illness that caused him to run a listless race in the trials. He finished second to Jimmy Trout of Indiana in the fastest heat of the half-mile.

Depend on Buckeye Jumpers Ohio State's bill for the team title rested with Beetham and the two Negro high jumpers, Dave Albritton and Mel Walker. Albritton and Walker apparently had the high jumps under wraps. Either is capable of breaking the record of 6-feet 5-inches, set by Charles McGinnis of Wisconsin in 1927.

In Lash, Jimmy Smith, Mel Trutt and Tom Decker, Indiana had positive point winners in events ranging from one-half to two miles. If Michigan fails to come through, these distance runners may compile enough points to repeat their outdoor triumph of last spring.

The Big Ten two-mile record is 9:18.4, approximately 20 seconds slower than Lash's best mark this season. Decker also has bettered this record.

The mile record of 4:12.5 also may fall if Chuck Fenske of Wisconsin threatens Lash.

Swimmers Set 3 Big Ten Records By United Press BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 13.—With three conference records already shattered, Big Ten swimmers entered final heats of the conference indoor meet today, chasing Michigan's undefeated team for the championship.

Two of the records set yesterday were by Michigan stars. Dan Zehr of Northwestern broke the one mile record by clipping one-tenth of a second off his own mark of 1:39 for the 150-yard backstroke.

The Michigan 400-yard relay team set a new record of 3:36.9 and Wayne, Wolverine sophomore, broke the 400-yard free-style mark with 4:56.2.

Michigan qualified nine men, including two relay teams. Ohio State sent five men and two relay teams into the finals, Northwestern and Iowa four men and two relays each. Illinois four men and the medley relay team, Chicago four men, Minnesota three men and 400-yard relay team, and Indiana one man. Purdue and Wisconsin failed to qualify.

Notre Dame Tops Detroit Five, 36-18 Times Special DETROIT, March 13.—Notre Dame's high scoring basketball team ended its season here last night by defeating University of Detroit, 36 to 18. The Irish record for the season was brought to 20 victories in 23 starts.

Johnny Moir, eagle-eyed forward, closed the season by bagging 18 points to make his total 550 points in two seasons. This is the best individual scoring record in Notre Dame's history.

Notre Dame never was threatened in last night's game, holding a 17 to 6 lead at halftime.

The summary: Notre Dame (36) Detroit (18)  
Moyer, f. . . 10 1 Kolbar, f. . . 3 0  
Sedwick, f. . . 10 2 Cavanaugh, f. . . 3 0  
Moir, f. . . 7 4 Laske, c. . . 1 3  
Nowak, c. . . 3 2 Black, g. . . 0 0  
Brown, g. . . 1 0 Luszewski, g. . . 0 1  
Wukotich, g. . . 2 0 Hayes, g. . . 0 0  
Totals . . . 13 16 51 Totals . . . 7 4 11  
Score at Half — Notre Dame, 17; U. of D., 6.

South Bend Central Wins Swim Tourney By United Press SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 13.—Central of South Bend today held the Northern Indiana High School Conference swimming championship after winning the annual meet in competition against five other schools.

Central captured the 100-yard free style event and placed men in nine others to score 43 points. Other teams totals included Horace Mann (Gary), 37; Washington (East Chicago), 34; Hammond, 25; and Whiting, 17. Lew Wallace (Gary) failed to score.

GERMANS BIKE WINNERS By United Press ST. LOUIS, March 13.—Gustave Kilian and Heinz Vopel, German team, today were winners of the six-day bicycle race held in the Auditorium here. It was their 14th victory in 16 starts.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13.—Everett Marshall, heavyweight champion, defeated Orville Brown, one fall in 90 minutes; Drove Roche, heavy, and Cowboy Luttrill, drew, one fall each in 60 minutes; Archie Lee, heavy, defeated Milo Steinborn, one fall, in wrestling here last night.

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