



By Eddie Ash

STAR TOURIST AMONG HOOSIERS
WHITEHEAD WITH MANY TEAMS

LEWIS WHITEHEAD, new outfielder with Wade Killefer's Indians, has moved around during his seven years in league baseball. . . . A graduate of the University of North Carolina, he entered the professional game in 1931 and saw service with Greensboro, Elmira and Scottsdale. . . . In 1932 Whitey increased his traveling and in one season performed at Springfield, Mo., Danville, Springfield, Ill., Greensboro and Columbus. . . . The 1933 campaign was spent with Greensboro and Columbus, and the traveling was continued in 1934. . . . Whitehead started with Rochester, went to Houston, back to Rochester and then returned to Houston. . . . What was he riding, a shuttle train?

IN 1935 Lewis reduced his galloping and only played on two clubs, Houston and Bloomington, while 1936 was spent at Asheville, Portsmouth, Va., and Durham. . . . It is said Indianapolis is actually his 20th assignment in seven years and his 14th team. . . . The St. Louis Cardinals kept him on the jump for five years and last season the Cincy Reds pushed him here and there.

Whitehead's batting average was .303 in 1936. . . . He batted out 27 doubles, six triples, five home runs and stole 16 bases. . . . The right-handed thrower and batter is 23 years old, stands 5 feet 10 inches and weighs 165.

HUBERT LE BLANC, the boy jockey from down New Orleans way, is burning up the track at Tropical Park. . . . And looks like the winner of the \$500 gold watch offered for the most successful rider during the meeting. . . . Eddie Arcaro, Albert Schmidt and Wayne Wright are next in line, but when Le Blanc rode four winners on one day recently he jumped far out in front. . . . The Louisiana lad and Schmidt will lose their apprentice allowance on April 15. . . . Kiki Cuyler, at 36, shows no signs of slowing up as a runner. . . . He circled the sacks in 15.2 seconds recently when challenged by Cincy rookies. . . . Only two players on the entire Red's squad made faster time.

HAROLD MANDERS, a pitcher with the University of Iowa nine, has caused a commotion among big league scouts and they are just as eager to interview him. . . . It so happened that Manders is a cousin of Bob Feller and in six innings against St. Louis University the other day struck out 10 and allowed only four hits.

He had to say of his famous cousin, "Every time we went over to the Feller farm near Van Meter, Iowa, Bob and his dad would be playing catch. If it was summer time they'd be out on a lot, but if it was winter, they'd be warming up in the barn."

GREY COUNT, the surprise winner of the Louisiana Derby in sensational time, was not nominated for the Kentucky Derby. . . . And it's too late now. . . . Dead Calm, second to Grey Count, is entered in the Blue Grass classic and is quoted at a long price in the winter books. . . . Sunday can't come soon enough for the baseball fans of New Orleans. . . . The New York Giants and Cleveland Americans will be the attraction, but there is an added feature. . . . Carl Hubbell, the screw ball king, and young Bob Feller are scheduled to clash on the mound for a few innings. . . . It will be their first meeting when directly opposed. . . . "Some" Feller fanned six Giants in three innings last Sunday. . . . Joe Dwyer, veteran rookie with the Reds, collected 65 doubles in the Southern League last year and batted .363. . . . He bats and throws left-handed.

Playing the outfield for the Pirates during spring training are Jensen, Dickshot and Schulte. . . . It's a strange combination without the Waner boys. . . . Paul is a holdout and Lloyd is ill. . . . Slip Madigan has been football coach at St. Mary's in California for 16 years. . . . Catcher Paul Chervinko and Outfielder Johnny Rizzo have been turned over to the Columbus Red Birds by the St. Louis Cardinals. . . . Chervinko was with the Birds last year, Rizzo with Houston.

**City to Be Represented
In Annual A. B. C. Meeting**

By BERNARD HARMON

Indianapolis is to be well represented at the annual meeting of the American Bowling Congress to be held in the Majestic Theater in New York City Friday afternoon.

Neil C. King, fourth vice-president, and Robert Bryson, past president and lifetime member of the A. B. C.; Herman Deupree, president, and Norman B. Hamilton, secretary-treasurer of the Indianapolis Bowling Association; Henry Davis and Joe Cripe of the Indianapolis Convention Bureau, and members of the Hudepohl Beer and Fendrick Restaurants teams, who are competing in the 1937 tournament on Friday and Saturday, have been appointed as local delegates.

The group will have a voice in any Congress problems that may arise and be entitled to a vote on the selection of the site of the 1938 event. Although uninstructed, is expected they will cast their votes for Chicago. If the Windy City gets the 1938 event, Indianapolis will probably have the largest A. B. C. entry that ever left the city for competition in the annual tourney. Cleveland is also in line for the next tournament, but because of its Eastern location, Chicago is expected to get the nod from mid-West and Western cities.

The Indianapolis delegation, with the exception of King, is to leave the city tonight for the Eastern journey. King has been in New York since Sunday aiding congress officials in preparations for the annual gathering. Al Lattin of the 1936 host city is to become president at the meeting and King automatically moves up to third vice president.

To Enter 1941 Bid

The Indianapolis pinmen are to enter their bid for the 1941 tournament during the meeting. The event was held here last year and new entry records, since broken by the New Yorkers, were established. Pinmen who participated voted the event as one of the most successful in A. B. C. history. The mammoth layout at the State Fair Grounds met with the approval of visiting pinmen and local authorities were assured of the support of the Middle West should they elect to entertain the congress in 1941.

A 26 middle game gave Harmon Pritchard of the Patrick Henry Beer League a 688 total and individual scoring honors of last night's loop sessions. He opened with a 238

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1937

AMATEUR FIVES REACH QUARTERFINALS

Eight Teams Playing Today In Tournament

Winner Will Be Crowned
After Final Contest at
Pennsy Gym Tonight.

Eight teams opened play this morning in the quarterfinal round of the state independent basketball tournament at the Pennsy Gym. Semifinal games were scheduled for this afternoon and the state champion is to be crowned after the final contest at 8:45 p. m. tonight.

The Hoosier Optical quintet, city amateur champion, was a favorite today after advancing to the quarterfinal round yesterday by trimming the Seymour Noblitt Sparks five, 33 to 24.

Other quarterfinalists were the Crown Point Independents, defending state champions, Peru, Huntington, Terre Haute, Lawrence Trojans and Frankton. The Crown Point team won two games yesterday, defeating Lyons, 34 to 32, and Camden, 52 to 27.

Other results of yesterday's games are:

Huntington, 31; Lucerne, 30. Peru, 2; Evansville, 0 (forfeit). Terre Haute, 33; Elkhart, 25. Lawrence Trojans, 41; Carlisle Buddies, 25. Link Bell Dodge, 37; Rockwood Buddies, 25. Frankton, 36; Inland Container, 30.

Nine Bouts Carded For Amateur Show

Eighteen amateur pugs are to swing into action tonight in the nine-bout all-star boxing show to be staged at Kingan's Garage Gym. All the bouts will be for three rounds, the first beginning at 8:30 p. m.

Featuring the show will be a tussle between Milton Bess, of the Bess A. C., and Bob Blue, of the Kingan A. A., both 135-pounds.

Other bouts scheduled are:

105-pound Class—Lee Prettyman, Bess A. C., vs. Robert Simmons, Boyce A. C.

112-pound Class—Alfred Osborne, Bess A. C., vs. Walter Wilcox, Boyce A. C.

126-pound Class—James Wilson, Bess A. C., vs. Jimmy Lloyd, Kingan A. A.; Leroy Ducus, Bess A. C., vs. Walter Williams, Boyce A. C.

147-pound Class—Dave Williams, Boyce A. C., vs. Willard Troutman, Kingan A. A.; Thomas Graves, Boyce A. C., vs. Jimmy Meyers, Kingan A. A.; Herbert Brown, Bess A. C., vs. Albert Sheridan, Boyce A. C.

175-pound Class—Joe Duffey, Fairview Club, vs. George Woods, Kingan A. A.

Tilden Scores Win Over English Rival

By United Press

PITTSBURGH. March 31.—Big Bill Tilden, 44-year-old tennis veteran, last night scored his first victory over the youthful Fred Perry, whipping the English professional by a decisive 6-2, 8-10, 6-3, 6-3 score before 3208 cash customers.

Tilden, playing his third match with Perry, actually carried the baton to his rival and flashed some of his old-time form. Perry previously defeated Tilden in exhibitions in New York and Chicago.

**Vaughn Named Pro
At Municipal Links**

Tommy Vaughn, 261 N. Holmes Ave., former Pleasant Run golf course assistant professional, has been named professional at the South Grove links for the coming year. He is a brother of Johnny Vaughn, Pleasant Run pro.

Vaughn's appointment completes the list of golf professionals for the municipal courses in Indianapolis. Others are Russell Stonehouse at Riverside, William Heinlein at Charles E. Coffin, Johnny Vaughn at Pleasant Run and Paul Douglas at Sarah Shank.

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Local Golf Pros Busy as Birdie Season Opens



Ralph Stonehouse . . . won first tourney.

The Stonehouse boys, Ralph and Russell, are figuring prominently in the opening of the Indianapolis golf season again this year. Russell has been reappointed as professional at the Riverside golf course.



Russell Stonehouse . . . teaches Riverside.

Sunday afternoon, Ralph, formerly an Indianapolis pro, was a member of the winning team in the pro-amateur tourney held at the Willowbrook Golf Club.

State Collegiate Champs Honored

Times Special

DANVILLE, Ind., March 31.—

Members of the Central Normal

College basketball team, undefeated

during two successive seasons

and winners of the Indiana Inter-

collegiate title, were honored at a

banquet here last night.

The banquet, held in the Danville

High School Gymnasium, was

sponsored by the Danville Com-

mercial Club and attended by ap-

proximately 200 club members and

former state champions.

5000 Play Annually

It has been estimated that 5000 different persons patronize the municipal courses annually. A total of \$48,885.05 was poured into the city treasury last year from receipts at the golf courses. Expenditures amounted to \$44,090.71, leaving a net profit of \$4792.34.

So the city's links are paying propositions even if patronage has dropped off 48 per cent since 1930. The depression hit hard, the local courses are coming ahead gradually and the biggest year since 1930 is expected this season.

Even with its huge receipts total the local courses turned in big de-

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Tribute
A picture of the late Miller Huggins is the only decoration in Manager Joe McCarthy's office at St. Petersburg, where the Yankees have set up their spring training camp.

Pitchers Put Through Stiff Batting Drill

Manager Killefer Changes
Plans to Allow Hurlers
Chance at Plate.

Times Special

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., March 31.—With the weather a bit breezy and chilly the Indianapolis Indians' spring training practice yesterday was limited to a single drill. Manager Wade Killefer made a change in the routine and the records will show that the Hoosiers have won several games each season in recent years as a result of well-placed bunts or timely safeties delivered by the pitchers.

Killefer believes it's a wise move to compel the chucks to learn to stand up at the plate and take a healthy cut at the ball. He has been successful in the past with this system and the records will show that the Hoosiers have won several games each season in recent years as a result of well-placed bunts or timely safeties delivered by the pitchers.

Shortstop Salty Parker was given another light workout and then dismissed for the day. He is several pounds below normal weight and far too weak to participate in the heavy drills. The former Detroit player had his tonsils removed before reporting to camp and a blood transfusion was necessary. Joe Lawrie is holding down the short-field during the heavy workouts and is turning in a fancy job.

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