



By Eddie Ash

Hiestand has eye on clays  
MAY WIN HIGH AVERAGE TITLE

GENERALLY recognized as the world's ace shotgun marksman, Joe Hiestand, Hillsboro, O., farm product, who lives comfortably off the prize money he collects at trapshooting tournaments, has never won a national high average championship. . . . The high-average crown is to trapshooting what winning a batting championship is to a ball player. . . . Somehow, the title always has managed to miss Hiestand by a fraction of a percentage point or so, although he probably shoots more registered targets than any other "claybuster" in the country, winter or summer.

To date this year, Hiestand has fired at 3750 registered birds, and indications are that he will win the first high-average title of his career. . . . He leads now with the remarkable average of .9888—approximately 99 hits out of every 100 registered targets fired at.

Hiestand will have a chance to hike his average in the coming Grand American tournament, trapshooting's annual world series, held at the permanent home grounds of the Amateur Trapshooting Association, Vandalia, O. Last year, Hiestand won the North American Clay Target title, the Doubles and the High Over-All crown at the Grand American, among other triumphs.

As Ohio champion this year with 200 straight, he is eligible for the State Champions' race, and will be among the favorites to win. . . . Hale Jones of Wood River, Ill., was last year's national high-average champion.

BOOKLYN is trying to buy Outfielder Carl Reynolds and Shortstop Red Kress from the Minneapolis Millers. . . . Seasoned timber and entitled to another chance in the majors. . . . Carl is slapping the leather at about .370 and Red at .350. . . . The Millers look like being the bookie's . . . At the start of the American Association season a customer wagered a half C-note that he could pick a higher 1937 hitter than the bookie. . . . The bookie named Oscar Eckhardt of Indianapolis who batted .353 last year. The customer named Reynolds. . . . And Eckhardt is 19 points off his 1936 pace. . . . Reynolds, with Washington last season, hit .276.

BOB JOHNSON of the Philadelphia Athletics has brought a measure of fame to himself and the lowly Mackmen this year. . . . He has robbed two pitchers of no-hits games. . . . The only hit off Eldon Auker of the Detroit Tigers on June 9 was a one-baser by Johnson, and on June 30 the lone hit off Lefty Gomez of the New York Yankees was a round-tripper by Johnson. . . . And he was below the .300 mark in the last published averages.

THE EAST defeated the West, 7 to 2, in that annual Negro All-Star game in Chicago. . . . A crowd of 30,000 turned out. . . . Ted Strong of the Indianapolis A's, banged out a single and triple for the Westerners, who were held to five hits. . . . Fenway Park attaches will arise early tomorrow morning to clear the decks for a record mid-week crowd in Beantown. . . . The Red Sox and Yankees are to clash in a double-header. . . . Cleveland has not won a game in Yankee Stadium this year. . . . The Clevelanders will be glad when the season ends.

BARNEY ROSS, world welterweight champion, will engage in a warmup bout with Al Manfredo of California at Des Moines Aug. 19 in preparation for his title go with Ceferino Garcia in New York on Sept. 23. . . . Johnny Hopp, outfielder with the Rochester Internationals, will receive a thorough tryout with the St. Louis Cardinals next spring. . . . Hopp is an all-around star for the Red Wings. . . . Matty Bell, Southern Methodist grid coach, told a Dallas sports writer that Vernon Huffman, Indiana University's 1936 quarterback, was the equal of Slingin' Sam Baugh of the Mustangs in the art of tossing the football.

ANSWER to fan—Three more night games remain on the Cincy Reds' schedule at Crosley Field, as follows: Aug. 17, St. Louis Cardinals; Aug. 20, Chicago Cubs; Sept. 3, St. Louis Cardinals. The Aug. 20 tilt with the Cubs is the postponed night game of July 12. The Reds will be away from home next Sunday, Aug. 15, playing at Wrigley Field, Chicago, in a double-header with the league-leading Bruins. . . . Johnny Rizzo, hard-hitting Columbus outfielder, was the property of the Reds in 1932 when he was a raw rookie and landed in the St. Louis Cardinal chain in the deal that sent Jim Bottomley to the Queen City.

## Baseball at a Glance

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W	L	Pct.
Minneapolis	67	47	.574
Columbus	66	49	.574
Toledo	64	51	.561
Malta	63	52	.556
INDIANAPOLIS	54	55	.495
Kansas City	53	58	.477
St. Paul	44	66	.400
Louisville	42	68	.382

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	54	51	.565
Boston	57	58	.546
Detroit	58	60	.533
Chicago	58	64	.500

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	58	41	.585
Brooklyn	58	42	.576
Philadelphia	51	57	.500

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W	L	Pct.
INDIANAPOLIS	54	55	.495
Louisville	53	58	.477
Columbus	51	59	.456
New York	48	61	.427
St. Louis	46	63	.393
Pittsburgh	46	63	.393

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	54	51	.565
Boston	57	58	.546
Detroit	58	60	.533
St. Louis	58	64	.500

Yesterdays' Results

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

(First Game)

Minneapolis . . . . . 0-0 0-0 0-0 1-1

Louisville . . . . . 1-0 1-0 0-0 1-1

Peterson and Berres: Henry and Dickey.

(Second Game: Seven Innings, Rain, 1-1)

Minneapolis . . . . . 0-0 0-0 1-1 1-1

Louisville . . . . . 0-0 0-0 1-1 1-1

Terry, Shaffer and Berres: Baker and Peacock.

TRIBE BOX SCORE

INDIANAPOLIS

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Archie, 1b	4	2	5	2	2	1
Shaffer, 2b	5	2	5	2	2	1
Richards, 3b	4	1	2	1	1	1
Taylor, lf	5	2	5	2	2	1
Biddle, cf	5	2	5	2	2	1
Berges, ss	5	1	2	1	1	1
Pausett, dh	5	1	2	1	1	1
Page, p	4	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	45	18	27	12	1	1

ST. PAUL

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
McCullough, cf	5	0	2	1	1	1
McKee, ss	6	1	2	1	1	1
Boken, ss	5	0	2	1	1	1
Steinbacher, lf	5	0	2	1	1	1
Norman, cf	2	1	1	1	1	1
Todd, 1b	5	1	2	1	1	1
Landrum, 3b	5	1	2	1	1	1
Pausett, dh	5	1	2	1	1	1
Coombes, p	3	1	1	0	0	1
Welch, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Washington	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	45	6	28	12	1	1

SCOTT DEFEATS TAYLOR

BALTIMORE, Aug. 10—Cowboy Scott of Washington was awarded the decision over Bucky Taylor, Baltimore, in a 10-round boxing bout here last night. They are lightweight.

POWERS STOPS BOYLE

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 10—Johnny Powers, Los Angeles, won by a technical knockout in the fourth round over Eddie Boyle of Cleveland in the main event of a boxing show here last night.

TAKES GRANDVIEW TITLE

ANDERSON, Aug. 10—Robert Phillips defeated Charles Rutherford, 2 and 1, in a scheduled 36-hole match in the Grandview Golf Club's tournament finals.

NATIONALS BUY HURLER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10—The Washington Nationals have purchased Arnold Anderson, 6-foot-3, 175, from Toledo, Ohio, who has been a star pitcher for the Indians. . . . Anderson has won 14 and lost 3.

TRIBE BATTING

(Including Yesterday's Game)

	G	A	B	H	Pct.
Riddle	74	291	100	.357	
Eckhardt	111	479	160	.334	
Taylor	107	411	130	.326	
Sherlock	111	468	150	.321	
Archie	97	389	120	.311	
Berges	106	399	122	.306	
Page	37	90	26	.283	
Kahle	76	258	73	.287	
Lewis	53	150	43	.263	
Pausett	97	373	98	.263	
Latshaw	34	87	19	.218	
Hoover	8	17	1	.050	

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1937

## It's Hard to Believe

Rudy York catching for the Tigers; Bobby Reis in left for the Bees; Mel Ott at third for the Giants! You see some strange things in the box scores these days.

## GRONAUER ADVANCES IN STATE AMATEUR

### Indianapolis Star Defeats Huffine of Elwood, 5 and 3, At Kokomo Country Club

64 Compete in Match Eliminations Second Day of Title Tournament; Polkow, Speedway, and Stevens, Evansville, Reach Championship Flight.

Times Special

KOKOMO, Aug. 10—Fred Gronauer, Indianapolis, eliminated K. W. Huffine, Elwood, 5 and 3, today to advance to the afternoon round as match play began in the 37th annual amateur tournament of the Indiana Golf Association.

Displaying the same brand of golf that landed him in a tie with three others for medal honors in the opening day of play over the Kokomo Country Club links, Gronauer disposed of his Elwood opponent with little difficulty.

The afternoon, Gronauer will oppose Leonard Polkow, representing the Speedway links, Indianapolis. Polkow defeated Steve Rose, Terre Haute, who was one of the star performers in the recent state junior tournament.

Talbot, Mover Up

Other results this morning: W. C. McClure, Richmond, defeated Dick Aughe, Frankfort, 3 and 1.

H. Klein, Kokomo, won from R. W. Wood, Washington, 3 and 2.

Phil Talbot, Bloomington, eliminated Dick Elliott, Logansport, 5 and 3.

R. L. Phillips, Terre Haute, was eliminated by Don Rink, Speedway, 4 and 3.

Mike Stefanich, Gary, won, one up, from H. Yelch Jr., Gary.

Don Orlick, Gary, won 2 and 2 from L. T. Boyd, Kokomo.

Polkow, go to the champion ship flight with Ralph Stevens, Evansville, in a playoff this morning. John Brittenbach, Indianapolis, the loser, qualified for the second day.

The short Kokomo course, approximately 6100 yards with par 70, again offered difficulties to the 64 golfers who entered this morning's round and none among the early finishers had achieved or bettered par.

Miss Estabrook and Miss Barrett, both of Kokomo, were tied at 38-39-77, while Beatrice Barrett, Minnesota state champion, and Dorothy Gustafson of South Bend, Ind., were tied for third with 79.

Miss Miley, Leads Derby

By United Press

KOKOMO, Aug. 10—Marion Miley of Lexington, Ky., defended her one-stroke lead in the women's Western Golf Derby today as the 96 of 90 played the second round of the 72-hole medal play championship.

The dark-haired daughter of a Kentucky professional began her quest for a third straight derby crown with a record 34-42-76 at Owentwents Club yesterday, shattering men's par by two strokes and women's par by six on her first nine.

Edith Estabrook, 16, of Dubuque, Iowa, was her nearest rival with 38-39-77, while Beatrice Barrett, Minnesota state champion, and Dorothy Gustafson of South Bend, Ind., were tied for third with 79.

Miss Miley, who had to come from behind to win her two other derby titles, played perfect golf on her first nine and had to slip on the eighth hole to slip into the lead.

Harriet Randall, Indianapolis, turned in an 85. She had 41 going out and 44 coming in.

RUPPERT HOLDINGS LARGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 10—In addition to his brewery and the New York Yankees and their stadium, Col. Ruppert owns seven office and four apartment buildings in New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

No games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION