

Those A's Aren't Going Anywhere, Except Down'

Connie's Boys Will Battle For Cellar

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NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—On May 18 back in 1901 a group of young West Pointers rolled down to Annapolis to play themselves a spot of baseball with the Midshipmen.

It was the first baseball game ever played between the two service schools. A tall cadet somewhere on the third-base side played left field in that game. He was destined to touch the stars with his saber in later years. Today he stands out as America's No. 1 military figure, MacArthur, of course.

In those days, as now, MacArthur was tall and straight as a ramrod. He stood 6 feet 1 inch in his bare feet. He weighed around 145 pounds. He was fast, had a DiMaggio throwing arm, could go and get the ball and hit well enough.

A Clutch Hitter

YOU WILL NOTE the coach had him hitting second, which would suggest he could lay the ball down, a popular strategem in the dead ball days. In this particular game he was at bat three times, didn't get a hit, but scored a run and stole a base. Nobody hit one out his way so he had an idle day in the field.

Army won the game by scoring three runs in the third—and it was MacArthur who started the rally and scored the first run. The details as to how he got on are not available but presently the bases were full and he came home on Hobson's fly ball.

There was a return game the following spring. This time Army was beaten but one of the features of the game was a peg by MacArthur from deep in the outfield which robbed the Navy pitcher of a home run. . . . The West Point historian writes: "MacArthur's perfect peg to the plate held Radenbush's tremendous drive to a triple. . . . Even in those days the young man knew a thing or several about slowing up the enemy, didn't he?"

Cancel Turney Of Deaf Schools

The Central States basketball tournament for the Schools of the Deaf has been canceled, Jake Caskey, net coach at the Indiana State School for the Deaf, announced today.

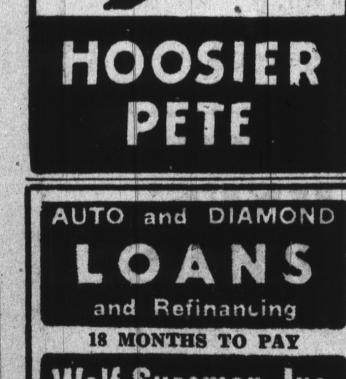
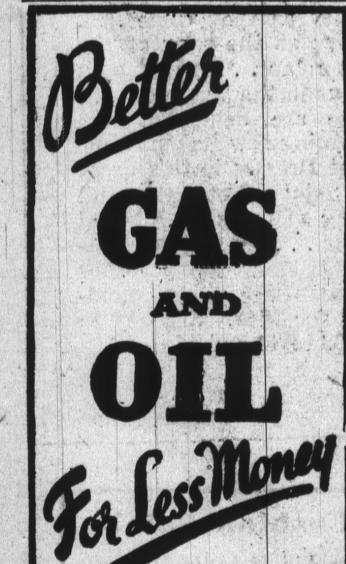
The Silent Hoosiers have won the tournament five times, piling up 52 victories against 17 defeats in the 16 years the meet has been run.

It was to have been held Feb. 26-28 at Jacksonville, Ill., this year and member schools from Illinois, Ohio, Wisconsin, Missouri and Indiana were to have participated.

The cancellation was made because of the long distances schools would have been forced to travel and the suspension was voted "for the duration."

Eastern Dog Show

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Thirty-third annual Eastern Dog Club Show will be held once again in the Mechanics Building, Boston, Feb. 22-23.



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Jenkins Loses Comeback Trial

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18 (U.P.).—A jolting left hook thrown by Marty Servo, U. S. Coast Guardsman, sent Lew Jenkins, former lightweight champion, reeling down theistic ladder last night.

Battered from the opening gong until the final bell, Jenkins went through 10 rounds of pummeling that left him a reeling, bloody hull, game to the end but unable to cope with the dynamite in Servo's left.

In handing Jenkins the worst beating of his career, Servo avenged the defeat of his cousin, Lou Ambers, who lost the lightweight title to the Texan nearly two years ago.

The Coast Guardsman, who halls from Schenectady, N. Y., carried the fight to Jenkins from the beginning. At the opening gong, Servo came out with his left cocked and let it go.

The blow caught Jenkins full on the face and kept the former champion wary from there on. Jenkins tried to spar with Servo but he kept coming in, landing left after left. At the end of the second round Jenkins' left eye was bleeding.

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Don't Mention Pitching

Frank Hayes, happily, is a first-rate catcher but when you mention catching you must mention pitching and I'd rather not. You'll find better pitchers in any China shop than on the A's roster. John Knott and Phil Marchildon won 23 games between them last year and are the mainstays. With few exceptions, the others are five-and-dime store brie-a-brac.

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Monarch Steel Upset

In the other games, the Richardson Rubber team beat the Castleton Eagles, 62 to 47, and the Eli Lillys upset the Monarch Steel five, 48 to 42.

First-round tilts will be played again tomorrow and Friday and Feb. 24 and 25.

Tonight's schedule:

6:30—Libby Turret Lathe vs. Turtles.

7:45—Silver Circle Bar vs. Decatur All Stars.

8:30—Degerly Printers vs. Drikold Jrs.

9:30—Eminence, Ind. vs. Pure Oil.

41 Commissions

EVANSTON, Feb. 18.—A total of

41 Northwestern lettermen graduated in the last two years now hold

commissions in the armed services.

Minnesota's Finest

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—Big Ten

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Shorthridge, Tech Win Frosh Tilts

Shorthridge and Tech high school

basketball teams scored intra-city victories yesterday, the former whipping Manual, 33 to 11, for its 11th triumph of the season, while Tech downed Howe, 24 to 21, at Tech.

Bob Klein paced the Shorthridge offense at Manual with 12 points.

Bob Barrick captured scoring honors for Tech with 11 points as his team won its 12th of 15 games.

BASKETBALL

The Hope Merchants will meet the

Stewart-Warner Dual Temps at the

Brookside Community Center.

Hope girls will play against the

Victory Girls and the 7-Up Girls will

play in a preliminary. The final game will

start at 9 o'clock.

Two tilts will be played to-

night at the Brookside Community Center

at 7 and 8 o'clock. The Eagle Community

team will play the South Side Com-

munity Center seniors in an all-

star senior combination in the final game.

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