

# Porter Beats Out Scott To Equal Olympic Hurdle Mark

## Legion Nines To Battle in 4 Regionals

Local Post to Face Clinton at Richmond

Eleven American Legion Junior Baseball district champions, including Indianapolis Post No. 4, will enter the regional round of the state tournament Thursday and Friday.

The local Legion nine will face Clinton Post 140 at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Municipal Stadium in Richmond and the winner will oppose Richmond Post 65, defending state champion, in a night tilt at 8 o'clock.

Manager Walt Fries has selected Gene Dietz, Southport High School senior, to hurl against Clinton. Dietz has won 10 and lost one this summer and has allowed no more than three hits in any one of his last five games. He has hurled two no-hitters in that stretch.

Regional winners also will be decided at three other sites. Elkhart Post 74 will face Lafayette Post 11 at 2:30 p.m. in East Chicago and the winner will meet East Chicago at 5:30 p.m. At Crane, Ind., Brazil Post 2 and Jeffersonville Post 25 will tangle in a 2 p.m. tilt to play Madison Post 9 at 4:30 p.m. Ft. Wayne Post 47 and Kokomo Post 6 will play a best two-out-of-three series. The first two tilts are scheduled at Marion Thursday at 1:30 and 4 p.m. and the third game, if necessary, will be played Friday in Ft. Wayne.

The Indiana department of the American Legion hopes to have the four regional winners play here at Victory Field for the state championship between Aug. 11 and 13.

## Major Leaders

By United Press  
NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	G	A	R	H	Pct.
Montgomery	81	289	78	111	.308
Dark, Boston	81	286	87	101	.298
Farokh, Chicago	81	286	82	103	.298
Aspinwall, Pittsburgh	81	280	84	104	.298
Hoboken, Boston	83	283	83	112	.300

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	G	A	R	H	Pct.
Williams, Boston	81	289	78	111	.308
Brooksfield, Cleveland	81	286	87	101	.298
Zurilla, St. Louis	80	331	40	118	.232
Everett, Detroit	85	362	94	118	.232
Michelin, Cleveland	80	323	83	112	.231

HOME RUNS

Team	G	A	R	H	Pct.
DiMaggio, Yankees	91	216	10	111	.308
Stephens, R. Sox	90	216	10	111	.308
Williams, Yanks	84	216	10	111	.308

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Kiner, Pirates ... 20 Musial, Cardinals ... 24

Sager, Reds ... 27 Kellner, Cleve. ... 24

Mize, Giants ... 26 DiMaggio, Yankees ... 24

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Softball Notes

Last night's scores in the Em-Bee Indianapolis Softball League at Beech Grove stadium were: U. S. Tires 8, Francisco 4; Indiana 10, Indiana 10; Sales 4; Celtic, American Legion Post 2; Moon Lodge 12, Standard Merchants 4; CIO Biorball League at Beech Grove stadium 4; Little Flower vs. St. Catherine's 4; Indiana 10, Indiana 10; Sales 4; Assumption vs. Our Lady of Lourdes 1.

Horseshoes Pitching

Industrial League Horseshoes results: King A won by forfeit from American Legion Post 2; Indiana 10, Indiana 10; Indiana 10, Indiana 10; Sales 4; Celtic, American Legion Post 2; Moon Lodge 12, Standard Merchants 4; CIO Biorball League at Beech Grove stadium 4; Little Flower vs. St. Catherine's 4; Indiana 10, Indiana 10; Sales 4; Assumption vs. Our Lady of Lourdes 1.

Breaks Record

Grut, who won three of the five events—horseshoe riding, fencing and the 300-meter swim—broke the Olympic pentathlon record with a low score of 16 points. The pentathlon is decided on the basis of the lowest number of points.

In the javelin throw, husky

Martin Biles of San Francisco

qualified on the first toss with an effort of 22 feet,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch.

Both American women shot putters, Mrs. Frances Kazabek of Cleveland and Dorothy Dodson of Mundelein, Ill., failed to qualify in their specialty.

Likens' Javelin heave of 200 feet,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inches enabled him to become the 12th man to qualify for the afternoon finals after the judges had computed the competitors' performances. Thus all three U. S. Javelin throwers

qualified.

Only Emma Reed of Nashville, Tenn., qualified for the U. S. in the women's broad jump. Jean Walraven of North Olmsted, O. and Lillian Young of Chicago failed. Miss Young being only a quarter-inch off.

And the history-making U. S. athletic forces seemed certain to pick up two more gold medals today in the 110 meter high hurdles and the men's 400 meter free style swimming.

After the first four days of the super-carnival the amazing Americans had rolled up a total of 263 points in the unofficial scoring—just two points less than the next five nations combined. Although the games will continue until Aug. 14, observers found it impossible to believe that any country would come close to the United States in the final rankings.

Another Sweep

In the 400-meter free style swim, experts expect either 17-year-old Jimmy McLean of Akron, O., or veteran Bill Smith of Ohio State to splash off with the gold medal. Their chief opposition appeared to be Gess Kadas of Hungary, who beat Smith in one trial heat, and Alex Jany of France, who finished third in the same heat.

Six other final events were on today's program, but U. S. hopes in them were either faint or nonexistent. Four of these events were in women's track and field—the Javelin throw, broad jump, shot put, and 80-meter hurdles—and the others were the rapid fire pistol shooting and the modern pentathlon.

Whitefield After 2d

Mal Whitefield of Ohio State, the Army Air Force sergeant who set a new Olympic record of 1:49.2 when he won the 800-meter run on Monday, will start

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