

## BRINGING UP FATHER

By McManus

CHARLES BECKER  
TO BOSS LOCAL  
BASEBALL NINEFirst Game May Be Played  
with Indianapolis Club on  
May 18.

Promises of Sunday baseball for Richmond fans are materializing. Elmer Eggenmeyer, president of the old Central league club announced Wednesday the management would be able to open the baseball park about Sunday, May 18 and not later than May 25. The first game probably will be with the Indianapolis A. B. C's.

The management will secure the services of Charles Becker of Cincinnati to handle the new club. Becker has many years experience as baseball manager and knows amateur and semi-pro baseball from A to Z. He was here Sunday conferring with the Central league directors and will return to Richmond Friday and start to work organizing a club.

The Cincinnati Police baseball club has written the management asking for a game as soon as they are prepared. The Cincinnati club has the reputation of being a crack team.

The Central league park will be the scene of all the games. Games will be scheduled with Kokomo, Anderson, Muncie and Newcastle.

## In the Majors

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	12	7	.632
Cleveland	10	7	.588
New York	10	8	.556
Chicago	7	7	.500
Detroit	6	7	.462
St. Louis	7	9	.437
Washington	7	10	.412
Philadelphia	6	10	.375

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	16	1	.941
Chicago	11	5	.688
Pittsburgh	9	7	.563
Philadelphia	8	9	.471
Cincinnati	8	12	.400
St. Louis	7	11	.389
Brooklyn	6	11	.353
Boston	4	13	.233

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Louisville	5	1	.833
Milwaukee	5	1	.833
Kansas City	4	2	.667
Indianapolis	4	3	.571
Columbus	2	4	.333
St. Paul	2	4	.333
Toledo	2	5	.286
Minneapolis	1	5	.167

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Japan Has a New  
Foreign Minister

Baron Goto is the new foreign minister of Japan. He has assured the United States that Japanese troops will not enter Siberia except for the purpose of protecting Japanese subjects and preventing allied munitions at Vladivostok from falling into German hands.

Ray Bronson to Stage  
Boxing Card at Toledo

TOLEDO, O., May 8.—Ray Bronson, former Indianapolis boy, manager of many bouts in Indiana will stage a boxing show here, May 15. Bronson introduced Ted Lewis to the boxing ring. Bronson's card follows: Patsy Dugan of Youngstown and Young Christie of Buffalo at 120 pounds.

Patsy McMahon of Indianapolis and Chick Maglione of Akron, O., 135 pounds; Joe Thomas, Buffalo and Frankie Mason, Ft. Wayne 112 pounds; Wop English, Toledo and Happy McHenry, Ft. Wayne, 130 pounds. His ten-round bout will be between Dick Loadman, Buffalo and Willie Revore, Akron at batam weight.

ANSWER CHARGE  
OF BUTLER NINE

Coach Ray B. Mowe of Earlham college stated Wednesday that he was surprised to learn that Butler had protested the game here at Reid field last Friday. He denied that he made the statements alleged by the Butler authorities to have been made by him, relative to the decisions of the umpire being incorrect.

Milton Hadley, Earlham student, answers the charges of the Butler authorities as follows:

"Gwyn of Butler was called out at second. Tietz who played the second sack received the ball as he stood on the bag and stepped off to throw to first. Tietz was thrown out at first, is the second charge. Tietz dropped a fly to left field and was thrown out at third, the man on third reaching home long before Tietz was thrown out. On the third charge, Earlham denies that a runner slid into home or that Raiford, catcher, dropped the ball in touching home out. In the last charge Butler questions Horne's decision in ruling a man out at first who had reached the first bag on a passed ball without being thrown out. Raiford missed the ball but blocked it and regained it throwing to third catching a man there. Horne ruled this man out which made three outs, it then not making any difference whether the man at first was safe or not."

Horne, who umpired the game was a member of Indiana university nine and until recently was with the Boston Americans.

## Yesterday's Games

Clubs	Score
At Washington	R. H. E.
Boston	000 002 000—2 4 1
Washington	001 411 007—7 14 2
Batteries—Leonard and Agnew; Johnson and Almsmith.	
At Detroit	R. H. E.
St. Louis	001 110 020—5 7 2
Detroit	000 000 200—3 5 3
Batteries—Kallio, Jones, Boland and Yelle; Gallia and Nunamaker.	
At Philadelphia	R. H. E.
New York	102 003 003—9 9 1
Philadelphia	000 001 000—1 3 4
Batteries—Love and Hannah; Myers, Adams, Fahey and Perkins.	
At Chicago	R. H. E.
Cleveland	012 020 011—7 10 1
Chicago	000 000 010—1 3 4
Batteries—Bagby and O'Neill; Benz, Russell, C. Williams and Schalk.	

Clubs	Score
At Pittsburgh	R. H. E.
Chicago	000 000 100—1 8 2
Pittsburgh	200 000 000—2 7 4
Batteries—Weaver, Walker and Ellett; Miller and Archer.	
At New York	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	100 200 000—3 12 6
New York	000 141 027—7 9 0
Batteries—Hogg, Main and E. Burns and Adams; Barnes and McCarty.	
At Boston	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	000 000 000—0 8 3
Boston	242 003 507—16 17 0
Batteries—Cheney, Durning and Krueger; Ragan and Wilson.	
At St. Louis	R. H. E.
Cincinnati	000 012 000—3 8 4
St. Louis	000 000 057—5 5 1
Batteries—Bressler, Eller and Wingo; Horstman, Doak and Synder and Gonzales.	

Clubs	Score
At Toledo	R. H. E.
Indianapolis	100 100 101—4 11 0
Toledo	000 003 207—5 7 1
Batteries—Northrop and Gossett; Brady, Bowman and Devine.	

George Carpentier, the famous European boxing champion, has been appointed instructor at the Ecole Militaire de Joinville-le-Pont, one of the army physical culture schools near Paris. Carpentier has had a brilliant career in the army ever since the outbreak of the war and has distinguished himself in every branch of the service in which he has served—artillery, infantry, dispatch rider and aviation. After eighteen months as a flight sergeant he came to be regarded as one of the most accomplished aviators in France, but a long illness has kept him unfit for fighting.

## Famous Casino in Paris Turned Into Club for Yankee Fighters



View of the Casino of Aix and grounds and (below) an American colored band giving a concert in the garden of the Casino.

Nothing is too good for the Samurais in France. Every United States soldier is a hero, and government and people vie in their efforts to make our boys feel at home.

The famous Casino of Aix in Paris has been turned over to the American expeditionary forces and has been converted into a clubhouse for the use of American soldiers on leave from the front. Here the boys forget their troubles and have a rare good time. There is always plenty of music and the boys put in their time reading American newspapers and magazines, playing games and swapping tales of their experiences in the front line trenches.

Dishing Up  
the Sport Dope  
by JACK KEENE

It's beginning to look as if Jess Willard and Fred Fulton may not come together in a championship fight on the Fourth of July after all. Minnesota has definitely placed its taboo on the contest, and Minnesota seemed to have the inside track to the affair a fortnight ago. Colonel Miller, the promoter, still holds the signed articles of the two heavies and apparently hasn't given up hopes of staging the contest somewhere, sometime under some conditions.

It was evident for some time that if a bout is held it will be a ten-rounder. Willard doesn't want a longer mill, and he's doing the dictating. Of course, it will be ten rounds to a decision, and the championship would go with the decision. Which is probably fair enough. Granting that a competent and impartial referee is in the ring the contest would most probably develop into an interesting tussle. There's a question whether the short distance would favor Fulton or Willard. Fulton stops 'em early. Witness, Langford, Moran, Morris and Cowler.

## S. A. L. Gleamers

The Saturday Afternoon league is all set for the opening, Saturday, with more players than can be "handled."

The Pennsy-Malleable team will also be composed of men from the Indianapolis Glove company. The team is working out on the Exhibition park this week.

Sam Vigran who heads the league as of yore says he must have some good "pop bottle" dodgers to umpire the games this year.

Big John Holmes is out after three bats this year. Ask him. John must do some tall batting this year to grab the bats, however, and probably will have to break a few to land a high percentage.

"Rus" Hawkotte has taken the Natco bat and will pitch for that team. Rus is right their with the hotstuff.

"Googus" Reddinghouse will decorate the third sack of the Simplex nine.

Sturm and Hawk will form batteries for Jenkins-Vulcans against the Malleable-Pennsy nine.

"Bud" Hunnigar, "Ho" Hawkotte, "Milt" Pitcher, Felix Metzger of the Johnson company and the I. G. C. will be in the Malleable-Pennsy lineup.

Bill Winters, Pete Minner, "Ev" Haas, Tom Kattler, "Googus" Reddinghouse and other baseballers will handle the sphere for the Simplex.

"Bo" Stein, "Wib" Sturm and many more star players compose the Jenkins-Vulcans along with Hawk, H. Fry, Rife and the Fry Brothers.

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With Willard it would be matter of condition. He is slow, careful fighter, willing to wait for openings, and take his time. He has any amount of power and strength to take punishment. But if winning depended upon a decision at the end of ten rounds, with both men in condition, Fulton's chances should be good. He fights at a faster clip than Willard and his speed would offset the champion's superior bulk and strength.

Who's going to stop them there Giants?

Manager McGraw's National league entry started out like a domicile ablaze, as the descriptive writers say, and to date their speed hasn't been seriously retarded. The Dodgers, Braves and Phillies proved reasonably soft—so soft, in fact, that fears have developed that the Giants may make a runaway race of the pennant chase. A runaway race is bad enough at any time. But this year, with the game facing the acid test, it would be a most unfortunate occurrence.

And yet the New Yorkers are unquestionably the class of the old league, and with any sort of luck at all McGraw should finish in first place with many points to spare. The Giants are getting more than their share of luck, too. Look at the wonderful comeback Larry Doyle has made at second base. Dave Robertson, a star outfielder, retired. Did it hurt McGraw? No, it helped him, because he picked up young Ross Young, gave him Robertson's job and every critic in the National league agrees the San Antonio boy is a much better man than Dave.

Moreover, the Giants stand to lose

fewer men in the subsequent drafts than any other club in the league. On dope, then, the Giants look unbeatable. Worse still, the race won't even be close unless the Cubs or the Reds succeed in developing a sharper defense and a more powerful offense than the present outlook promises. But this is only May and many things can happen between now and October. Maybe all the Giants will fall down and break their legs!

Slim Caldwell has promised to win thirty games for the Yankees this season. Slim is the most promising young pitcher on Miller Huggins' payroll.

If the Giants do succeed in making a job of the old league campaign this summer they should come very close to fracturing a record the Cubs made back in 1906, when Frank Chance's boys won the flag with a mark of .763, winning 116 games and losing thirty-six. No club in the major leagues before or since has ever equaled this record. To win 116 games a club must outclass the rest of the league. The Cubs of 1906 stood heads and shoulders beyond their company. Apparently the Giants of 1918 stand just as far beyond the rest of the league as Chance's record makers did. The Giants broke the consecutive game record of the Providence club in 1916. The Providence mark had stood for thirty-six years. Now they seem to be after the season's games won record of the Cubs of 1916.

It's been a long time since Detroit has had a real first baseman, but "Swift" Drensen seems to be filling the bill to the complete satisfaction of everyone concerned. The Tiger scout picked Drensen as the best first baseman in the minor leagues last season. He is very fast, a sensational fielder, and a smart batsman. Manager Jennings has placed him at the top of his hitting list. Drensen was tried by the Cards two years ago, but wasn't ready for major league company. Drensen played 153 games at first base for the St. Paul team of the American association last season and had a batting average of .291. He led the association in base running with fifty-five thefts, and promises to get away with a flattering number of steals in the American league this summer.

The Egyptians embalmed the dead ones; the majors send them to the bushes.

The New Haven, Conn., fight officials who staged the fifteen-round bout between Lew Tendler of Philadelphia and Willie Jackson of New York recently lost considerable money on the show. The gross receipts amounted to only \$6,326. The reason the officials had to dig down in their pockets to make good several hundred dollars was the big guarantee they gave the fighters—each man \$2,500. It is quite surprising that a bout of the magnitude of the Tendler-Jackson affair didn't play to a capacity house. Are we to say that the result reflects the fans' attitude during war?

## GREENSFORK

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith entertained with a family dinner Sunday for their son Raymond, who left Monday for the training camp in Indianapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Ora Smith and children, James and Margaret Jane of Williamsburg, and Misses Helen and Ruth Smith and Anne Piehe of Williamsburg. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris entertained with a dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Harris, Sarah Bane of Sugar Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Oler of Economy, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris of near Williamsburg, Francis, Olive, Joe Dan, Ben Neal Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Morse and son Floyd were the guests of Pat Breen and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ernberger left Monday to visit with their daughter at Abington. Clifford Crump of Ohio University who spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crump, returned to school Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Charles Shultz and baby of Newcastle took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bradbury. Mr. and Mrs. William Roller, Helen Roller

and Mrs. Sarah Borton spent Monday evening in Richmond and attended the shower given for Mrs. L. V. Schneider, nee Miss Mona Porter. William Gunkle spent Monday in Richmond. The Red Cross will give a musical entertainment at the K. of P. hall Saturday evening, May 11, at 7:30, for the benefit of the Red Cross. Admission of ten cents will be charged. Revivals will begin Monday evening, May 13, by Evangelist J. Walter Gibson. The meetings will be held at the Sugar Grove Liberal U. B. church. Public is cordially invited. Pastor D. P. Codrington.

## AMERICANS ARE NAMED.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 8.—The names of the following Americans appear in today's Canadian casualty list: Wounded: R. Wilkie, Chicago; A. L. Breen, Omaha, Neb. Killed in Action: W. O. Holwick, Cleveland, Ohio.

Of the old-time vegetable dyes Brazil possesses an almost endless variety.

## SKIN DISEASES

Caused by Humors in the Blood.

There is nothing more distressing than an itching, burning skin disease and upon the return of warm weather thousands of people know they are to be tormented through the Summer months. The blood is heated with humors and acrid matter and as these impurities are forced to the surface the skin seems to be literally on fire.

At this season of the year the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels become torpid, dull and sluggish and fail to perform their duty. Accumulations remain in the blood, producing Eczema, Tetter, Psoriasis, Acne, Salt Rheum and skin diseases of every description.

Eczema appears usually with a slight redness of the skin, followed by pustules from which flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds, and is often very painful. The acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, causing a dry, feverish, hardened condition and giving it a leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and blackheads, and is particularly disagreeable because of its unsightly appearance. Psoriasis, a scaly disease, comes in patches on different parts of the body. Salt Rheum

discharges a watery fluid, forming sores and producing intense itching.

These and all skin disease are due to the same thing—burning acids and humors in the blood, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and made pure they will continue. External applications of salves and lotions can not reach the trouble for it is in the blood. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S., a remedy that is purely vegetable, being made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, and acts directly on the blood with a cleansing, healing effect. It neutralizes the acids and purifies the blood so that the skin, instead of being blistered and burned by the fiery fluids, is nourished by a supply of cooling, healthy blood. It goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of waste or foreign matter, builds up the blood and relieves all skin diseases promptly and permanently. S. S. S. does not leave the least particle of the poison for future outbreaks, but entirely rids the blood of the cause for all skin diseases.

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