



INDIANA-OHIO CIRCUIT LOOMS BIG IN BASEBALL FIELD; RICHMOND IS BADLY NEEDED

Joe Carr, of Columbus, O., promoter for the Indiana-Ohio baseball league, has announced that his league is a certainty, for he has presented his plan to several cities within a small radius and all of these cities are favorable to his proposition and will no doubt sign up the final papers.

Although some very good offers have been made by a Michigan promoter and the territorial rights have been gained, these facts do not require the Carr league to stay out of the cities, as this league has made plans for obtaining ball teams there before the Michigan league promoter approached the respective club owners.

The Fort Wayne club has already been slated for the Indiana-Ohio league, and the Muncie Athletic association, the Remy team of Anderson, and the Springfield, Ohio, team are all favorable. Carr has shown these respective clubs that the radius and mileage circuit are ideal.

Mileage Is Low

The mileage is as follows: From Fort Wayne to Muncie, 65 miles; from Muncie to Anderson, 18 miles; from Anderson to Richmond, 49 miles, and from Richmond to Springfield, 64 miles. The populations of the cities are large enough to afford first class clubs and each city has a ball park and plenty of money to finance the teams.

Carr has been in communication with E. E. Eggenmeyer, of Richmond; W. H. Mahoney, of Springfield; J. J. Carter, of Anderson, and Don T. Sutton, sporting editor and agent for the Muncie Athletic association, and all are more than willing to attend the final meeting which will no doubt be held this week and make the complete arrangements.

Bert Nowblett, of Grand Rapids, is also very anxious to get in the league but his proposal is not being consid-

ered, as that location would call for too long a trip and jump for the teams. The sixth team in the league will be chosen from three cities—Dayton, Lima or Marion, Ohio.

Competition Would Be Keen. All of these cities are close together, the radius is very small and the competition would be keen. The Michigan league is composed of teams from cities of which several have populations of less than 10,000 and only two with parks.

Carr is sure of his league and announces that although the Dayton proposition is a hard one to deal with, he is sure to get a team from Dayton or Lima, and if not, from there, he is planning to get a location at Marion. Ludington and Manistee, Michigan, two of the teams in the proposed Central league circuit, have a population of less than 10,000. Ludington has no baseball park, and Manistee has a park but no grand stand. The expenses of a Richmond club to either of these places would be greater than the drawing power of the clubs could keep up.

Support Is Promised. Letters have been received by Elmer Eggenmeyer, who is being looked to by other members of the proposed circuit as the leader of the Richmond organization, promising support to a new league.

Word from Springfield, Anderson and Fort Wayne says that both places are ready for the league. Muncie is considering the Central circuit, but backers of the I-O league feel confident that if Marion and Richmond join the new league Muncie will fall in line.

A meeting of league leaders will be called for next week, it is believed, and the outcome of this meeting will probably decide the make-up of the baseball map in Indiana, Ohio and Michigan.

Junior High Sports

Large Boys' Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Harlan	3	0	1.000
Thomas	3	0	.625
Kissler	3	0	.625
Norton	3	0	.375
Chris	2	6	.250
Throckmorton	1	7	.125

Wednesday—Throckmorton vs. Chris; Harlan vs. Thomas; Norton vs. Kissler.

Small Boys' Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Anderson	7	0	1.000
Kelly	4	3	.568
Schradler	3	4	.432
Dallas	3	4	.432
Carroll	2	5	.284
Wickett	2	5	.284

Games This Week
Tuesday—Anderson vs. Kelly; Schradler vs. Carroll; Dallas vs. Wickett.

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Larry Doyle, veteran infielder, announces that he found, last winter, the fountain of youth for which Ponce de Leon and about ninety million other birds sought in vain. Said spring was in Cuba, he avers, and he states that, as a result of a winter on the sunny island he is set to play second base for the Giants as he played at his best, before age began to slow him up a bit.

Before Doyle reported to the Giants this spring, McGraw had about made up his mind that he would have to develop a youngster for the second sack, but now he means to start Doyle at the position and give him a chance to demonstrate the dope that he is "10 years younger."

Doyle was born in Caseyville, Ill., which may have been named after the guy that struck out. Larry is 34 now and has been in baseball since 1905, when he started out with Mattoon in the Eastern Illinois league. He joined Springfield in the Three-I league in 1907 and was sold in June, that year to the Giants for the reported price of \$4,500. He became the Giants' regular second sacker the next season, and starred through the following campaigns until traded to Chicago on August 2, 1916 with Hunter and Jackson for Zimmerman. His usefulness with the Cubs was short-lived as he sustained a broken leg in a game September 9. He was with the Cubs the following season, but on January 4, 1918, was traded with Wilson and \$15,000 cash for Pitcher Lefty Tyler of the Braves. Four days later Larry was sold to pack up again and was traded to the Giants with Jess Barnes for Buck Herzog.

Doyle has always been there with the stick. He broke into the 300 class in five campaigns while with the Giants the first time. His stickwork, his spectacular and steady fielding and his baseball brains helped McGraw to land the National league flag three years in a row.

Handicap—146 pins.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl. Av.
Broderick	151	159	143	433
Boyer	166	119	170	455
Maag	156	148	137	431
Zeyen	158	174	169	501
Smiedinghoff	160	146	135	441
Totals	821	746	754	

Handicap—157 pins.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl. Av.
Quintin	177	138	165	480
Klinger	197	151	144	492
Maher	125	171	129	425
Mercurio	130	193	144	467
Kelly	159	153	192	509
Totals	798	811	774	

High average—Kelly, 169.
High score—Klinger, 197.

Feltman Tramps.
Handicap—90 pins.

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl. Av.
Sherer	214	159	168	541
Todd	125	171	171	467
Meyers	174	146	164	484
Erk	150	227	159	536
Huffman	209	166	171	546
Totals	872	889	833	

High average—Huffman, 182.
High score—Erk, 227.

Indiana Fives Best in West, Their Victories Show

That Indiana may well claim the interscholastic basketball championship of the West and even the United States is shown in the record of the victories this season of the two Indiana "outlaw" fives, Wingate and Crawfordville.

In the two tournaments in which these teams have contested this season, 63 teams representing ten states have fallen before the attack of the Hoosier fives. The following states are included in the list:

Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin, West Virginia, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Kentucky, Ohio and Louisiana. The closest score that either of the fives has been held to in either tournament was three points, Crawfordville winning by only three points over Hamilton, O., in the finals of the Cincinnati tournament.

Crawfordville's victory over Central High of Minneapolis in the Chicago semi-finals was the next closest score the Hoosier fives have been held to. Chicago's championship five, Oak Park, fell by a two to one count before Crawfordville, 34 to 17.

In addition to this pair of Hoosier battlers, Indiana has another brace of aggregations that would hold their own with any of the above competition, Franklin, state champions, and Anderson.

GARFIELD BASKETBALLERS TO PLAY CONTINUATION QUINT

The Garfield Varsity basketball quint will hook up with a team representing the continuation class of high school in the high school gym Thursday afternoon. Philip Kessler captains the Garfield squad. A return game will be played in the Garfield gym next week.

Miami U. Freshies Start Spring Football Practice

OXFORD, O., March 24.—Coach George E. Little started spring football practice at Miami University today. Forty men responded to the call, the most of them being members of last year's freshman team. Last year's old men who will return next year have been excused from football practice on account of work on the baseball and track teams.

Coach Little has chosen very promising youngsters for the football team this fall, among them Warr of Hamilton; Davis, of Pittsfield, Mass.; Engle, of Oberlin; Fox, of Bucyrus; Blum, of Lorain; Skillman, of Lockland; Pietsch, of Hamilton; Hawk, of Mansfield; Work, of Akron; Lingrel, of Sidney, and Davis, of Columbus.

Captain Bob Hale, of this year's team, and Earl Houser, of the Dayton Triangle team, are assisting Coach Little in rounding his men into shape.

Suburban

ECONOMY, Ind.—Mrs. Minnie Denry is recovering from her recent severe illness. Mrs. Tillie Clark and Miss Belle Conley arrived home from Indianapolis Thursday where they spent the winter with relatives. Lida Burnett returned home from South Bend Thursday where she was the guest of her daughter. Joe Cain made a business trip to Richmond Friday. Horace and Russell Kimball of Okeana are both ill with the flu and Herman Lamb left Friday to assist in the creamery until their recovery. Lou Lundy and Lou Peterson were at Centerville Thursday. Lundy purchased the property formerly owned by Syrus Gwin at Economy. Joe Morrison moved Friday in the house vacated by Harry Downing. Mrs. Calf Fennimore returned to her home at Economy Friday. Lindsey Cannady was in Economy a short time Thursday. Miss May Kimball visited her brothers, Horace and Russell Kimball at Okeana Thursday. Miss May Kimball visited her brothers at Okeana last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pegg entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Verly Love and daughter, Elizabeth. The McMillan family, Mrs. George and Harry Lacey of Richmond spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frazier. Frank Macey and son, Burr, of Pittsburg, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pedro spent Sunday with relatives at Modoc.

A shower will be given for Miss Pearl Pugh at the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon. Miss Pugh is to be married soon to Mr. Alfred Kimball, of Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Downing moved Thursday in part of the property occupied by Harold Hutchens, who will vacate at the end of the school term. Randolph Nelson was at Richmond Thursday. Miss Blanch Fennimore is recovering from her recent severe illness. She is in the care of a nurse, Mrs. Elliott, and Dr. Ralther. Misses Fanny Cain and Elizabeth Manning were at Richmond Saturday. Martin Pegg was in Newcaste Friday and Saturday.

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Men Don't Lay Off on Pay Day, Says Employer

When do Richmond factory employees lay off most? Not on pay-day! Figures furnished by an employment manager of one of the largest concerns in the city, show that the least number of men laying off is on Wednesday. Most factories of Richmond pay on this day and the men come to work in order to draw their pay.

The per cent is greater on Thursday, increases Friday and reaches the highest point Saturday.

Most factories work but a half of the day Saturday, and the men figure they might as well make it an all-day event. The number is decreased on Monday, grows less on Tuesday and reaches the bottom point on Wednesday.

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The Buttons Are Here

But there are still some buttons remaining unsold. Merchants have agreed to sell 6,700 buttons.

The Manufacturers of the city will be called on to complete the campaign and put the Booster campaign over the top.

Here are the individuals and concerns that have agreed to sell \$100 worth of buttons:

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Steinhart Motor Sales Company
Ed N. Wilson Dry Cleaning Company
Westcott Hotel
The Kandy Shop
The Richmond Palladium
C. T. Price & Sons
J. J. McManus & Hunt
Bartel & Rhoads
Richmond Casket Company
J. M. Eggenmeyer & Sons
John Zwissler (Restaurant)
Damas S. Coe
Joe Hill Floral Company
Richmond Light, Heat & Power Company

Hirsch Radio-to-Wear Store
Charles W. Jordan
Waldorf Cafe
Bethard Auto Agency
Reed Furniture Company
Nicholson & Brother
Guy S. Roble
Lewis E. Hiff
Palais Royal
Richmond Lumber Company
Frankel & Harding
E. J. Hill Cigar Store
Lee B. Nussbaum Company
Webb-Coleman Company
Sam Wiggin
Tepple & Wessel Shoe Company
Mashmeyer-Granger Company
C. W. Jessup
Harter Barber Shop
S. J. Beebe
Rex Hotel
Richmond City Water Works
Reliance Foundry
Geo. H. Knollenberg Company
H. C. Hasemeier Company
Romey Furniture Company
Will R. Dill
Jenkins and Company
Whelan Feed Store
D. & S. Drug Company
Engle Cigar Store
George Brehm Company
The Richmond Item
Henry Farwell Restaurant
H. D. Lacey Sewing Machine Company
N. K. Toney Shoe Hospital
Neff & Nussbaum
Frank Meyer Cigar Store
William H. Bockhoff
Elks Club
Railroad Engine Shops
G. N. Hayat
Hackman-Kieffoth
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H. W. Gilbert
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Richmond Baking Company
P. B. Mercurio
The McGonaha Company
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\$10,000 for Real Baseball in RICHMOND
Get on the Honor Roll

EARLHAM BASEBALL SQUAD LOOKS GOOD

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Chief stress, however, was laid by Mow on batting. Mow told the squad that a good hitter is born, not made, but a poor batter could learn valuable pointers.

Because of the roughness of the diamond, no brilliant work was done by the infield candidates. The outfield, however, went far and wide.

Goar, Templeton and Hillard were given opportunities to display hurling ability. Coach Mow was most impressed with the performance of Hillard.

Raiford Probable Catcher.

The first string backstop job seems to be clinched by Raiford. Raiford held the job last season and has all the earmarks of a good catcher.

Coach Nash Higgins