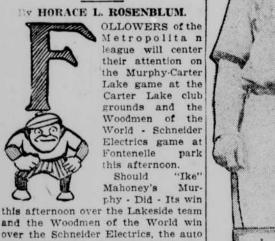
# Victories for Five Amateur Teams Today Will Cinch Titles in Leagues

### Murphys to Play Carters--Victory **Means Pennant**

Only 4 Games Remain to Be Played After Today in Metropolitan League-Woodmen Meet Schneiders.



and the Woodmen of the World win crew will cinch the pennant in the major loop of amateur baseball. But, on the other hand, should the Lakemen win from the auto crew and the Schneiders down the Woodmen, the Electric workers will be three games behind the leaders. But four games remain to be played after today.

Eddie Allen, premier hurler of amateur baseball, will be on the firing line for the Murphs, while either Emil Rokusek, former Murphy player, or Maney West, Tech High pitcher, will throw them over the platter for the Carter team. "Ike" Mahoney, manager and shortstop for the Murphys, may not be in the lineup this after-

ager Schneider will probably send fessional ball he has coached many "Stubby" Kibbler, who defeated the college teams in the east, Woodmen, to the firing line, while Leo Krupski, the ace of the Woodmen DRAKE GRIDSTERS

Another good game in the Metropolitan league will be the Standard-Several new faces will be seen in the ence in the season this fall. Laundrymen's lineup when they take the field this afternoon against the nounced today by Athletic Director

The Police and the U. P. Enginemen will settle a fight for the cellar honors Muny Beach. If the Enginemen win they will be tied with the Cops for the cellar berth. The Enginemen should win, judging from their showing in the last five games, which have all been lost by close scores.

The C., B. & Q. team, by winning Baseball Pitcher from the Paxton Billiards this afternoon at Athletic park, can practically cinch the American league flag. The a two-game margin, and with three games left to play, look like certain

Muny Baseball association.

William Street Merchants, connection with the ordination serv leaders of first place in the Junior ices, according to advices received in Omaha league and conquerors of Den- this city. nison's famous "Pie Molders," can cinch the banner in George Graham's More Tank Records circuit by winning from the West Leavenworth Merchants, whom they play at 3:30 p. m. at East Elmwood. What bids fair to be the best battle of the afternoon will be staged at tle of the afternoon will be staged at 3:30 p. m. at Riverview park, when the South Omaha Luniors leaders ternational Swimming Federation put the South Omaha Juniors, leaders of the Intercity Junior loop, tangle

De Palma After Reinstatement ords 26 of which were made by Los Angeles, July 12.-Ralph De American swimmers, Palma, veteran Italian racing driver, announced yesterday that he had ap- Wainwright, 400 meter free style for plied to the American Automobile women; Sibyl Bauer, 100 meters; 150 association for reinstatement. De yards and 200 meters back stroke. Palma left the A. A. A. ranks some time ago and has been driving at Ascot speedway under the banner of

the International Motors Contest as-

Important Boxing

Bouts This Week July 14—Rocky Kansas against Luis Vicentini, 15 rounds, in Long Island



Folks, meet Omaha's noon, due to an operation performed gray-haired ball player. His name is on his right foot Monday morning. James Sullivan and he is 42 years old. Should the Murphys' boss be unable The silver-haired gent plays the hot to play, Whitey Freitag will replace corner for the Kinney Shoes of the American league. A mass of gray 'Spark Plug' Schneider's Wiremen, matter covers the head of the Shoewith two straight wins to their credit, men's third sacker, and, according to will be out to win from the Woodmen his teammates, many games have when they battle at Fontenelle. The been won by the use of some good Electric Workers have added Jimmy headwork on the part of the veteran Baumgardner, former Central High hot corner guardian, who plays ball and amateur speed ball pitcher, to because he likes the game. When-their roster. In the first round the ever "Sully" steps on the "muny" Electric Workers won from the Wood-men, 3 to 2, in 11 innings in what was the hardest fought amateur con- "Come on Daddy, hit the ball!" Altest ever played on the sandlots. Man. though Sullivan has played no pro-

## TO SET RECORD

Des Moines, Ia., July 12.-With a K. C. mix at Fort Omaha. Great riv. schedule including trips covering alry exists between the two nines 6,000 miles, the Drake university footand a loss for the Standards will rele ball team will set a new mileage recgate them to the second division, ord for the Missouri Valley confer-The revised Drake schedule as an-

K. L. Wilson includes the following

homecoming). November 15: Kansas Aggles, at Man-attan.

Ordained as Pastor Hermann, Mo., July 12 .- The Rev. Otto Krueger, former pitcher of the railroaders are leading the loop by Hermann baseball team, will be ordained as pastor of the Evangelical church at Steinauer, Neb., next Sunwinners in the loop. If the Omaha day, July 13. The principal sermon Sporting Goods lose to the Sam Ellas will be delivered by the Rev. R. H. at Miller park this afternoon the Kassman, pastor of the Evangelical Burlington team will cinch the pen-church in this city and of whose church Krueger had been a member On account of the Security Benefit for a number of years. Krueger was association disbanding for the season regarded as one of the most promisthe West L Improvers have cinched ing hurlers that ever performed on the pennant in the Southern league the hillock for the local team and his This afternoon the Improvers will play friends felt that he could have made at Gretna and all money made above the professional grade had he cared expenses will be turned over to the to turn to baseball. But he chose the ministry. Krueger was widely known Should the Vinton Merchants, lead in this section among baseball players of the Gata City league, win from ers and fans and was one of the most the National Guards this afternoon popular men that ever donned a Her the Merchants will cop the flag in mann uniform. A large missionfeats service will be held at Steinauer in

Added to Weismuller Paris, July 12 .- Johnny Weismuller, world's greatest swimmer, Friday had 11 new swimming records added the stamp of approval on his perwith the Brown Park Merchants. The formance in the following events:

The federation recognized 36 rec- platter

Among other records were Helen

#### Here's Buffaloes' Pitching Records

| Name. G.    | W. | L. | Pct. |
|-------------|----|----|------|
| Dailey, R16 | 11 | 2  | .846 |
| Mack, R     | 10 | 3  | .769 |
| Koupal, R17 | 10 | 3  | .769 |
| Lee, L23    | 12 | 7  | .632 |
| Bailey, L25 | 9  | 9  | .500 |



Denver, July 12.—Teddy Gartin, Omaha, won the decision from Abe Mishkind, Sait Lake City, here. They are welterweights July 12.—"Battling Siki Valentino dimensions. tay Bennett. New York, negro heavyits boxed a slow 12-round bout here.

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"I'll admit I'm thinking of havity—one downtown, one at his studio
ing my face worked on by one of the
and another in the suburbs. Gener-

Mickey Flynn, Canton, went eight rounds to a draw in the semi-final.

Boston, July 12—Johnny Sheppard of Woburn, gained the judges' decision over Joe Lynch, of New York, former bantam-weight champion, in a 10-round bout here.

AMATEUR

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. C. B & Q. 9
Omaha Sport, G'ds. 7
Sam Ellas 6
Paxton Billiards 6
Kinney Shoes 5
McKenney Dentists 4

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

JUNIOR OMAHA LEAGUE.

INTERCITY JUNIOR LEAGUE.

doesn't stop Myron Taylor from play-Union and the Nebraska Tires. The

# Catching Em on the Fly RUSEY

Lehr decide it would be best to play

Ecker, the flashy Ernie Holmes short-stop, hit one on the hose for three sack last Sunday at a critical moment of the Holmes-Ajax Tire game.

of the Metropolitan league is sure slugging the old agate. Jim is hitting the pill for an average of .515.

The Dietz M. E. team has one of the less that three years. Six pairs of players turned in sasociation. All of the regulars are battering over the 300 mark. In the last five games the Dietz team have collected 62 lits for an average of 12 per game.

The Schneider Electrics of the Metropolitan league have signed Jimmy Baumgardner, well known amateur hurler, to their lineup. Jimmy has pitched for some of the fastest amateur teams in Omaha in past seasons.

The South Side Christians of the Church league have signed Freddy Krajicek, pitcher; Ted Veat, outfielder, and Bob Kaiser, ehortstop.

George Krebs, leading hitter of the

George Krebs, leading hitter of the Dietz M. E. church team, returned to the lineup after a short vacation trip. Freddy Krug, veteran center fielder of New York, July 11.—The state ath-

Demhpsey about to retire?

tures now in the making here.

Dempsey has taken his false front to

"I'll admit I'm thinking of hav-

operate to improve his looks, espe- great difficulty.

face made over.

with the Brown Park Merchants. The Merchants are but one game behind the Juniors for the lead in this loop and a win for the Parks will tie the Juniors for n as many trips to the must be on the records by August 15. | where.

Dempsey May Get NoseWorkedOver

Rumors Grow Champion May Retire From Ring

for Career in Movies.

There are two things to indicate one wants to fight any more."

wears a putty nose in his new pic- classic nose is one of the rare bits ex-

The inside information is that visit him at his movie studio here.

heart and intends to have surgeons to Los Angeles to see him they have

cially adjusting his nose to perfect In the first place. Dempsey has Valentino dimensions.

hibited by Dempsey when friends

When the champion's friends com

scores made:

"Specs" Taylor SUNDAY.

Thirty-second and Dewey Avenue.

1:30 p. m.: Vinton Cubs-Corr Electric.

3:30 p. m.: Kinney Shee-Postoffice.

Miller Park.

1:30 p. m.: Twenty-fourth and Ames
Merchants-Swift Independents.

3:50 p. m.: Omaha Sports-Sam Ellas.

Fontenelle Park.

1:30 p. m.: Vinton Street MerchantsNebraska National Guards.

3:30 p. m.: Woodmen of the WorldSchneider Electrics.

East Elmwood.

1:30 p. m.: Gibson Ramblers-Polish Athletes.



Cooper turned in his fifth straight vic-tory for the Pirates in defeating the Braves, 8 to 2.

STAGES FOURSOME

## Olympic Fights Start Tuesday By SPIKE WEBB.

nent m.: Union Stockyards-McKenney

Carter Lake Club.

3:30 p. m.: Carter Lake-Murphys. Fort Omaha. 1:30 p. m.: Holmes-Frost Batterles. 3:30 p. m.: K. C.-Standard Laundry.

Rocquencourt, France, July 12 .rest of the circuit. Taylor has played boxers was ended today. All are signed Maxwell to fill the gap. Al good for 139 total bases. On June amateur ball around Omaha for six within two pounds of the required though a little awkward, the former 28, he started a string of consecutive once played with other American Five runs in the tenth gave the Giants | some of the fastest teams on the sand- to use Mulholland or Gitliz as second 10 to 5 victory over the Cards, three lots including the Riggs. Western man for the 175-pound class. Kirby some of the fastest teams on the sand- to use Mulholland or Gitliz as second is a certain competitor.

The Olympic competitions, which will start Tuesday, will have morning, afternoon and evening programs Therefore we are working out those various hours in order to get the men accustomed to them.

Evening practice begins at 9 o'clock while it is still light at Rocquen-

ed with special automobiles by Col. Olympic committee, to visit the American hospital at Neuilly, where Patsy Ruffalo of Yonkers, N. Y., is a pa-

Ruffalo suffered a hemorrhage of the stomach following ulcerations

## LARGE PRIZE LIST

Sofio, shortstop for the Dietz M. E. New York, July 12.—Although the team of the Church league, is there and over when it comes to handling the throws from the catcher at second base. Last Saturday the midget shortstop made way off—the dates being the middle. way off-the dates being the middle of September-those in charge of af-Bob Ambrose, infielder for the Dietz of September—those in charge of all fairs at French Lick Springs, where the golfers will be entertained, are the golfers will be entertained, are Degmetich, second sacker for the losing no time in arranging details. Michkas, is a handy gent with the stick. Thomas D. Taggart has an investhandy gent with the stick. Thomas D. Taggart has an invest-in the grocery men's offense, ment of more than a million dollars enders, should remember that any team tion to make that resort one of the that disbands before the season closes is franchise fees.

Side team would be disqualified from Manager Gus Kudlacz yesterday. The further competition in the Church two players were released following loses its franchise fees. Dick Wages, shortstop for the Standard Laundry, is sure smacking the agate Wages' hitting has been the only bright spot in the Laundry team's play in the laundry team's play in the last few weeks.

Bigeatest in the country. He has put turtner competition in the Church two players were released following loop on account of the semi-pro rule which was passed by the eligibility batting practice at Fontenelle park committee last Wednesday.

Thursday afternoon. According to



approach of millenium for Walter Johnson. Speed king now has real Mrs. Henry Bohling and Fred P. ball team in back of him for first Jimmy Mirasky, center fielder and man- Hamilton carried off honors for low time since John McGraw was able to

low net score in the mixed foursome Freddy Krajicek, who last season led staged at the Omaha Country club afford to give opposing team more the Metropolitan league in home runs, made his first appearance on the mound for the South Side Christians yesterday.

Friday.

Fifteen couples took part in the win. Forced to carry eight other than two runs per game and hope to The North Presbyterians of the Church league have signed Ed Hughes and Al scoring for an event of its kind to be Hildinger. held over the course of the Country that his catcher would hold on to third strikes.

Now all is changed, as the German Following are some of the best bartender remarked when he tried to buy a pretzel with a million-mark

lost, including four shutouts. New York, July 11 .- The state ath-

the Murphy-Did-Its, is having one of the letic commission today approved of the washington traveling faster best years that he ever had in his whole the contest for the Johnny Dundee-than second-hand clothes man after amateur baseball career. Kid Kaplan world featherweight title setting fire to his store, other clubs

> Meanwhile Johnson continues to stand batters on their collective ears. Like highly-touted European boxers, all they can do is take three

#### Olympic Standings

Los Angeles, July 12.-Is Jack Maybe that won't be so far away, either. Don't seem like there's any. July 12.-With the next the last day of the Olympic track and field sports The champion's interest in face-recompleted, the standing of the na modeling and plastic surgery was tions on points was as follows:

First, he can't get anyone into a modeling and plastic surgery was heightened recently when he watched Finland Secondly, he is going to have his one of his sparring partners undergo Great Britain Sweden ace made over.

For, lo and behold!

Since Dempsey went into the distribution of the d novies it has been discovered his on the "beak" in an exhibition match In fact, it's so far from perfect that he world's heavyweight champjion of an Adonis these days, and his Denmark and the perfect of the part bits extracted by the part bits extracted the world's heavyweight champjion of an Adonis these days, and his

#### Baseball Today DOUBLEHEADER Omaha vs. St. Joseph

FIRST GAME 2 P. M. Box Seats For Sale at Beaton's Drug Store, 15th and Farnam Until 11 A. M.

GAMES TODAY Hard-Working Catcher



this lad, but according to his team mates he is the hardest working Purdy Leading Maxwell, better known as Joe, came o Omaha from St. Joseph. Mo. where he played on some of the fastest Maxwell started the season with the West Leavenworth Improvement

### Menloe to Fight Munroe in Bluffs

light heavyweight fighter, and "Batwill meet in the main event bout, a will meet in the main event bout, a 10-round affair, at Council Bluffs next WILLS TO TRAIN Saturday night.

'Sailor" Liston of Council Bluffs and Ray Carter of Sioux City have will swap punches in the third bout.

ranks of the North Presbyterians of

Osborn, Omaha....65 177 55 71 .401 

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Player Club G. AB. R. H. Pct. Ruth, New York ... 79 259 77 97 .375 Falk, Chicago ..... 64 238 58 88 .373 Jamieson, Clev'and 75 306 49 110 .359 Cobb, Detroit.....81 324 59 114 .352 Boone, Boston....53 188 22 66 .351 NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Hornsby, St. Louis 78 283 48 113 .399 Wheat, Brooklyn...72 288 42 107 .372 Wilson, New York 39 130 23 47 .362 Holm, St. Louis ... 37 106 12 38 .358 Amateur lans have not heard much Young, New York .. 73 296 65 103 .348

# Tristate League

Sioux City, Ia., July 12 .- "Pid" team, but sickness got the best of the Purdy, third baseman for the Beatrice of the Washington club has built up scrappy backstopper and he was Blues, getting 23 hits in nine games a splendid ball team by exercising forced to quit the Improvers. Later is now leading the Tristate league keen judgment in selecting efficient in the season John Stanesic, mana- hitters with a percentage of .359. In playing material and by appointing a ger of the Janda Funeral team, was 61 games he has been at bat 245 wonderful hustler to the position of The heavy work of all the American in need of a catcher and he promptly times, scored 49 runs, made 88 hits, manager. Missourian is a handy man with the hits and was only stopped on July league teams. They are Catcher Ruel, stick. He is still playing with the 11 by Mike Harkins, Sloux City pitcher, after 12 games. The 300 per Russell and Mogridge, formerly of the cent hitters of the Tristate league, Yankees: Centerfield Matthews and including games on Friday, July 11, Pitcher Ogden of the Athletics and

has picked a spot in Southampton, rect to the Washington team from the coming argument with Luis Firpo. The "Brown Panther," however, will to time has taken Rice, Harris, Gos-Mike Rozgall and Joe Morrocco meet not begin his active preparations un- lin, Judge, Bluege, Hargrove, Zachary, til three weeks before the fight. In Martina, Zahniser, Marberry, Rich the past he has done so much train- bourg and others. Blue Devils drum corps of Council ing with nothing coming of it that Bluffs under the auspices of the this time he is determined to wait who played brilliantly during the re until Firpo is on the ground and the cent absence of Judge, was unknown last wrinkle is ironed out before he last year. Griffith has just landed gets down to hard labor. Training another promising colt in Taylor, a is bad enough without doing it for nothing at all, according to Harry's Prothro and Carr Smith have been way of looking at the situation.

h Metropolitan league were released by Bluege and greatly improve the penloop on account of the semi-pro rule an argument with Kudlacz during "Mo" Pressly, Art and Herb an eye witness, the two players made Klauschie, who play Sunday ball with an unnecessary and abusive verbal Plattsmouth, Neb., and Henderson, assault on the Woodmen manager who performs with McCelland, Ia., following an argument over the are the gents notified not to play any quality of balls used during the prac-

### Clark Griffith's Judgment Is Keen in Building Team

Washington Magnate Has Harris Works Wonders.



EW YORK, July 13 -A baseball expert says that if the Washington Senators get into the world series next October President Clark Griffith cannot be charged with "buying the pennant." Griffith has spent money freely for minor league recruits and

cards, but he has American league clubs for exorbitant

Shortstop Peckinpaugh and Pitchers the White Sox and Red Sox before Matthews and Ogden were principals in swaps arranged by Griffith with rival managers. Matthews recently was obtained from the Milwaukee club, to which he had been returned by Connie Mack, while Ogden was claimed when the Athletics asked for

waivers several weeks ago, Got Walter From Minors. Walter Johnson, the Senators' star pitcher, who leads the American New York, July 12.—Harry Wills league with a fine record, came dithe smaller circuits Griffith from time

Shirley, the young first baseman

Much Expected of Taylor. Heavy batting and consistent pitch Released by W. O. W. ing have put the Griffmen up in the the Church league when "Dynamo"
Dennison, secretary of the Municipal
Baseball association announced yesterday that four more of the North
Metropolitan league were released by

Luther "Red" Tucker, star thirdman, lives up to his reputation as one of the hardest hitters in the Southern league, he will supplant





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