Yankees Polish Up Bats to Slug Way to Pennant

New York Americans Have Good Chance of Winning 1921 League Race Says Scribe.

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Copyright, 1921, By The Chicago Tribun-Shreveport, La. March 16 .- (Special.)-Led by the world famous Babe Ruth, the New York Yankees are all set to slug their way to the 1921 pennant in the American league. One has to admit there is a splendid chance, too, of their accomplishing that feat, for it is a wonderful aggregation of swatters gathered under the leadership of Wee Millers Hug gins and along with it he has a pitch

ing staff that has class. There appears to be no other idea in the mind of any of the host of ball players in Mr. Huggins' camp than that this is the year for the Yankee to win. It's a great thing to have such confidence and spirit among players. New York was close to the pennant a year ago. With a bit more speed on the bases, the trick might have been turned,

Speed Added to Team.

Now it is the belief of the little boss, that some speed has been added in the presence of Bobby Roth and the likelihood that young Chick Fewater may come through and fill a regular position. This, with the additional slugging power as well as defensive strength added by the re Baker, makes the Yankees look like a tean that is sure to be in the fight. Then, too, Wallie Schang has been procured to fill a weak spot behind the bat.

It is by far the most impressive and most formidable outfit of base ball talent I have seen this spring. There's a bigness about the Yankee's club that almost dazzles one. Babe Ruth alone is enough to make the whole team impressive, but there are others who are leading lights of the

game.
Strange as it may seem, Huggins probably has to do more experimenting this spring than any other leader in the league. Regardless of the presence of his prima donnas, his team at present writing is not put together at all because he is attempting to work out a new combination that will provide a stronger defense without sacrificing any of the attacking power of the machine.

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For instance, be has Babe Ruth playing center field, right field and left field, besides first base. He has shifted young Ward, who performed at third a year ago, over to second and back again. He has tried young Fewster at second as well as the outfield.

He has filled his outfields with youngsters on some occasions and then shifted back to Ping Bodle, Ruth and Roth. He has had Walter Pipp playing in the outfield as well as at first base and doesn't know at this writing how he will set up his machine for the opening game of the season.

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A combination that seems to suit him best at this time is to place Bob Mousel at first base. Ward at second. Peckin-paugh at short and Baker at third with Roth in right field, Ruth in center and Fewster in left. It would not be at all surprising should that lineup take the field for the spening game.

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Two Recruits Should Stick.

Alex Ferguson of the International league and Tom Sheehau of the Southern association are two others who should stick. Jess Doyle came from Greenfield. Tenn., with a fine record.

Mike McNally, last year with Boston, is out for utility infield work and might even take a regular place should any of the veterans falter. A youngster, Johnny Mitchell, last year on the the coast is almost sure to stick. He's a hummer at short, and Camp Skinner from Georgia is an impressive kid.

A. H. Wingo, brother of Ivy of the Reds, is a young outfielder who will stay up, He poles 'em lefthanded and poles 'em hard and runs in a big league stride Fred Hoffman will be a second string catcher and perhaps work in haif as many games as Schang.

Other Live Kids on Team,
Devormer, Gault, Gressick and Thole are live kids from which to pick a catcher for the bull pen. There are a lot more lads in the camp who aren't ready to trail along with Ruth this season.

Huggins is working his men twice a day and workins them hard. No one does more than Bambino Babe, who has perepired off 10 pounds and could work off another 10 to good advantage.

Central Athletic Club

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Angling for Games The Central Athletic club will put an independent base ball club in the field this year. The club is angling national indoor ice skating championfor games with local class B and C ship races which closed Tuesday. The teams. Last year the Central Athletics lost but one game of the 16 an easy winner over her lone opplayed. Two star hurlers of last ponent, Rose Johnson of Chicago. season's team have already returned to the ranks, Raymond Black and Abner Marcotte, the latter of whom won all of his eight games last sea-

Nebraska City Fans Will

Organize Base Ball Team Nebraska City, Neb., March 16.—
Special.)—Nebraska City will have base ball team this season and the season and the season are the season and the season are base ball team this season, according to a plan formulated by several fans at a meeting. Officers were elected and the work of organizing a team will begin at once.

Large Entry of Horses

In First Week's Races Toledo, O. March 16.—More than 170 horses are entered in the eight stake events during the first week of the Grand Circuit meet at the Ft. Miami track beginning July 11, it was announced Tuesday.

Chicago, March 15.—Norman Ross tonight broke the world's record for the 500-meter swim by covering the distance in six minutes, 44 2-5 seconds, lowering the previous record by 7 1-5 seconds. He held the former record.

Al Badoud, the Frenchman, who has held the title of welterweight champion of Europe since his victory over Johnny Basham in 1912, has announced his retirement. Badoud never quite recovered from the territic facing Johnny Griffiths gave him last year in Paris, when the Akron (O.) boxer, during 20 rounds, hit the European champion with every variety of blow known in boxing.

Working Off Weight at Hot Springs



Otto Miller (in uniform), catcher of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and Babe" Ruth, the Yankee Homerun King, playing ball at Hot Springs, Ark., where both worked off much excess avoirdupois before going to their respective training camps

Class A Managers to

Jacobs requests all managers to be

Thursday night at the city hall,

the board of directors of the Municipal Amateur base ball association

Miller Park Athletic

Three Teams Tied Commercial Loop

Thorpians, Bluffs High and Commerce Cubs Leading Basket Ball Race.

OFFICIAL STANDINGS.

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21	Thorpian A. C
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	C. B. High
3	Commerce Cubs
2	Hughes-Parmer4
2	Commerce Tigers
8	McKenney Dentists3
9	C. B. Nonpartels
	Last Night's Results

Tuesday Night's Results.
Council Blufts High school against Mc-Kenney Dentists. Hughes-Parmer against Thorpian Athletic Club, Commerce Tigers against Lion Bonding Co., C. B. Nonpariels against Commerce Cubs.

First place honors in the Commercial league still remain a three-cornered tie between the Thorpian Athletic club, Lion Bonding Co. and the Council Bluffs High school quintets, as the result of Tuesday night's

games In the feature game of the even-ing the Council Bluffs High warriors defeated the Commerce Cubs,

By the score of 35 to 11, the Thorpian Athletic club easily defeated the Commerce Tigers, due to the sensational shooting of Chesno, Bernstein and Corenman, each scoring eight points. The guarding of E. Speed on the Bases.

In this way, he would have speedy base runners in Fewster and Roth to precede Babe in the batting order and Babe would be followed by such clean-up slurgers as Baker and Meusel with capable hitters following in Ward, Peckinpaugh and Schang.

There is considerable doubt about Fewster's batting strength. So far he hasn't been impressive with the stick and some players—Mellor and Larsen, who Levinson and Duke Levinson for the

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spring when he was hit in the head and put off of the game for nearly the entire season. In fielding either at second base or at outfield, the boy looks great and on hases he is a streak of lightning. Should his hitting be too far below par, he is likely to be only a utility man with the veterain Ping Bodie still holding his place in the game crashing the ball to the fences.	By winning a forfeit game from the Council Bluffs Nonpariels, 2 to 0, because the latter team failed to appear, the McKenney Dentists, are now out of the cellar position. First Game. C. B. High, 11. Pos. Commerce Cubs. 9.
Concern Over Slab Staff. The pitching staff while strong and sturdy, is giving the manager some concern because there isn't a good seasoned left hander on it except Harry Harper who was obtained from Boston. Shawkey, Hoyt, Mays and Quinn are likely to take turns with Harper working as often as possible against teams that are weak when facing southpaws. Harper never has been a real steady and consistent southpaw. Huggins needs a real southpaw and	Owens R. F. Krasmer Dwoky L. F. Krebs Quren C. Johnson Robey R. G. Brookover Hanthorn L. G. Shoemaker Substitutes: Currie for Johnson, Capel for Quren, Field goals: Krasmer, Shoe- maker, Currie, Dwoky (2), Quren, Han- thorn, Free throws; Krebs (3), Owens (2), Quren, Fouls committed: Currie (2), Shoemaker, Brookover, Owens (2), Han- thorn. Second Game.
needs him badly, and unless one can be obtained in some manner, it may prove coatly. Pat Collins, regular last year, is a houldout at present. There are some fine looking recruits for the slab but not one of the good looking ones is lefthanded. Bill Piercy, big righthander from the Pacific coast, looks like he might crowd some regular out of a place on the staff Two Recruits Should Stick. Alex Ferguson of the International league and Tom Sheehau of the Southern association are two others who shoulr stick. Jess Doyle came from Greenfuld.	Hughes-Parmer, 14. Lion Bonding Co., 13 Zobel R. F. Mackay D. Alberti L. F. Wieser Nelson C. Peabody Heath R. G. Wilkenson Alberti L. G. Cholcer Substitutes: Mellor for Zobel, Larsen for D. Alberti, Lundgren for MacKay, Field goais: Mellor (3), Larsen (2), Al- berti, Mackay (2), Wieser (2), Peabody (2), Free throws: Larsen, Alberti, Mac- kay, Fouls committed: Nelson, Heath, Alberti, Mackay, Wieser, Peabody (2), Wilkenson, Cholcer (2), Lundgren (2), Wilkenson, Cholcer (2), Lundgren (2), Officials, Peferse Verna Moore, Time-

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Officials—Referee, Carl C. Weigel.
Time of halves, 15 minutes.

Gladys Robinson And Joe Moore Win Honors At Indoor Ice Races

Pittsburgh, March 16.-Gladys Robinson, world's champion woman ice skater, and Joe Moore of New York, won the honors in the interponent, Rose Johnson of Chicago. The Canadian skater took first place in each of the six women's

Wrestler Injured in Match With Charles Hanson

Sioux Falls, March 16.-After 63 ha, breaking his kneecap. The match, as far at is went, was declared to have been the best ever staged here.

Another World's Record

Chicago, March 15 .- Norman Ross mer record.

Win Referee's Decision Baltimore, March 16,-"Kid" Wiliams of this city was awarded a referee's decision over Marty Collins get relief." of New York in a 12-round bout Tuesday night

Griffin And McGrew Play Babe Ruth Roles

Local Base Ball Club Rounding Into Good Form-Expect Three Players From Chicago Cubs.

Fort Smith, Ark., March 16.— (Special Telegram)—In the first real patting practice of the training came season Tuesday afternoon. "Pug" Griffin and "Kid" McGrew performed in stellar fashion for the Buffaloes, both lads parking several balls against the left field wall. Manager ack Lelivelt also connected with the ball in good shape.

Tonight two more hotel berths were required to accommodate the Omaba crew. These were occupied by the veteran Charley Kopp, and Ernie Poulman, youngster, who ar rived just in time, for the batting Poulman came from St. practice. louis, and Kopp from Omaha, Mike

Davis Drawings Made

New York, March 16.-Members Basketeers Win Games of the Davis cup committee of the Council Bluffs High, 11; Commerce Cubs, 9, C. B. Nonpariels forfested to McKenney Dentists, 2 to 0. Hughes-Parmer, 14; Lion Bonding Co., 13; Game forfested to Lion Bonding Co., 13; Game forfested to Lion Bonding Co., 13 to 5, on account of Hughes-Parmer using ineligible players.) Thorpian Athletic Club, 25; Commerce Tigers, 11.

Basketeers of the Miller Park United States Lawn Tennis association gathered here today to make a "blind" drawing for pairs among the Deaf on the Miller Park floor Monacount of Hughes-Parmer using ineligible players.) Thorpian Athletic Club, 25; Commerce Tigers, 11.

Yanks and French Fighters Meet in Bout Before Marshal Foch

Paris, March 15.—(By The Associated Press.)—Members of the American colony and many persons prominent in French political and social life, including Marshal Foch and General Ni-velle, tonight witnessed boxing matches given for the Paris post

of the American Legion. There were eight hard-fought contests between champions from the American forces on the Rhine and the United States navy and French pugilists. The contests resulted in a traw.

Entry List in "Y" Meet Closes Today

Expect Stiff Competition at Indoor Athletic Affair Next Saturday.

Entries in the fifth annual indoor amateur athletic meet to be held at Finn, half-owner, joined the club last the "Y" gymnasium. Saturday night night from Hot Springs and will at 8 o'clock closed at 9 o'clock last stick with it until it reaches Omaha, light. One of the largest entries ight. One of the largest entries in the history of any meet was ex-

Managers to

Meet at City Hall

April 25.

The ground was too damp today for a yannigan game. The schedule as it now reads calls for the first practice game, a six-inning affair, will enter two relay teams, composed of the following athletes: Managers to rinal plans for the opening of the season and the approval of the players who will be connected with the six teams in the City Class A least six teams in the City, Class A league this season, was completed at the meeting of the managers at the city hall tonight. President Frank H.

Third Because Head of Council Bluffs High will be repressed the end of the Cubs' spring training. These players will come in the exchange players.

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Four Cage Players Nelson Wins in Two Falls From Jack Harbertson Logan, Utah, March 16.—George Nelson of Preston, Idaho, heavyweight wrestler won two falls from Logan Cage Players Logan Cage Players Logan Cage Players Opportunity is knocking—Read

Captain Clement, Good, Bun- Jack Harbertson of Ogden here Opportunity Tuesday. There of Harbertson's ribs Bee Want Ads. nell and Corenman Will Graduate in June.

Four of the members of the Central High school basket ball team played their last game in a Central uniform at the High school tournament last week. Those who will be graduated this spring are Captain Ray Clement, Lloyd Good, Frank Bunnell, and Sidney Corenman,

Coach Mulligan will give out six letters next week. The above four and Beerkle and Keyt will receive

nonograms. While the Central aggregation did not go far in the tournament, the team had a successful season. Out of eighteen games played it won twelve. Of the six defeats two were cancelled by victories later in the

The only teams who succeeded in hanging defeats on the Central quintet were St. Joseph, Beatrice, Commerce and Kimball county in the

Foul Over "Kid" Miller

Chicago Ill., March 16 .- (Special posed of the following athletes: Ma- Telegram-Morrie (Kid) Schlaifer,

to the Cubs last iall.

Third Baseman Haney has not yet by Allen, Church, Brown and Galt.

The Y. M. C. A. relay team will be battle to Schlaifer in the third stanza accepted terms, but neither Lelivelt The Y. M. C. A. relay team will be on a technical foul. Schlaifer outnor Burch are worrying because of composed of Synggs, Walker, Dennis pointed his opponent from start to the showing of Clayton, a recruit.

Arrival of players today brings the total number in camp to 21.

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were broken in the first fall, which

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10-INCH DOUBLE FACE, \$1.00 EACH
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MELODY IN F
45061—HUMORESQUE
AMOUREUSE VALSE
45176—IRENE (from "Irene")
ALICE BLUE GOWN (from "Irene")
45180—VIRGINIAN JUDGE—First Session—Part I
VIRGINIAN JUDGE—First Session—Part I
VIRGINIAN JUDGE—Second Session—Part I
VIRGINIAN JUDGE—Second Session—Part II
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Declares Tanlac Enabled Him to Eat Better, Sleep Better and Work Better.-Has Gained Thirty Pounds.

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as I did to take this medicine and Presbyterian church and is highly The above remarkable statement Tanlac is sold by the leading was made by Harry M. Allen, resid- druggists.



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