# 240 Mississippi Valley Aspirants To Report Next Month THE ROBIN IS HERE!

# VETERAN MATERIAL UNLIKELY TO NUMBER MORE THAN SEVENTY

Each Club Expected to Report About Thirty; Some Have Surplus Of Vet Talent; Buns Only Team To Train Away From Home.

PPROXIMATELY 240 diamond aspirants of assorted sizes ages and shapes will report to the various headquarters of the eight Mississippi Valley clubs on or about one month from today. Of this number sixty to seventy will be classed as veterans while the remainder will come under the head of rookies.

Official Blanks

or face suspension, unless injury of

Bowling

For Future Races

These figures are based on available statistics which indicate that each club will request about thirty Nurmi Must Sign candidates to report. Some probably will have less and others a few

more.

The Bunnies, for instance, now have about thirty-five hands under contract, eight of whom are veterans, but it is altogether probable that several of the rookies will be axed off the roster before transportation; cost to the four winds. tation is cast to the four winds. Bung Report In Peoria.

far as known at this writing, the Bunnies will be the only team to cial entry blanks at the amateur train away from its own pasture, athletic union offices here today for Bill Speas and his worthles will congregate in Peorla where they are billed to combat Bill Rogers' Tractors in daily conflicts for the mu-tual benefit of the respective clans. From a couple of the 'Sippi harhors word passes out that the rookie trouble the directing pilots In some cases, of which our own Bunnies' are one, it will be neces-eary to cast adrift two or more vet-

offer the various managers more experienced talent to select from.

As far as the Buns are concerned to the opinion around headquarters that, two of the four pitchers sociation of the A. A. U. for his will draw the pink tickets. It is unfailure to appear at a meet in Bos. four veteran moundsmen as it is a Ritola's entry in the case was custom to try and develop a couple made yerbally by his manager, Hugo

Denison is regarded as a fixture which leaves Flanagan. Hardin and Radioff to battle it out for the other berth if this plan of cambridge with the constraint of the constrain

### Chicago Hi Fivè Winner Catholic Basketball Title

CHICAGO, March 23.—(By Associated Press.)—St. Mel high school of Chicago defeated the Marquette university high school quintet of Allwaukee, 15 to 7 Saturday night, winning the National Catholic Interscholastic basketball championship. In token of its victory, the St. Mel was awarded the Cardinal Mundelein cup, emblematic of the national interscholastic champion-

St. Patrick's high school team of Pueblo received two trophies. One was for its feat, of, counting the highest score of any team in a single game, and the other was for traveling the longest distance to the competition.

Thirty-two teams figured in the

### RED SOX PLAYERS GIVEN A VACATION

BOSTON, March 23.—(By Associ-ated Press.)—Manager Fohl of the ited Sox, gave the Red Sox a vaca-tion at their New Orleans training camp today because the players showed signs of staleness after 23 days of hard work. In their game-yesterday with New Orleans, Boston won, 9 to 7.

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# GOWDY FIELD TO BE DEDICATED MARCH 3

ort Benning Stadium To Be Named In Honor Of Pvt. Hank Gowdy.

NEW YORK, March, 23 ..... That ame scheduled at Fort Benning, for March 31 between the Ga., for March 31 between the Washington Senators and New York Giants, champions of their respective leagues, may well be worthy to be marked as an epoch in the annals of the national game. Gowdy field will be dedicated by these champion teams on this date. The contest will be held under the auspices of the United States govauspices of the United States government. Both clubs have agreed to donate their share of the receipts to the further improvement and development of this United States army arena.

This naming of a regular army post stadium after a soldier who was just a volunteer, never having

was just a volunteer, never having served in the regular army, is unique in army annals. It is not believed there is in the records any NEW YORK, March 23.—(By Associated Press.)—Paavo Nurmi, fleet of the New York Glants team. footed Finn is expected to sign offi-If baseball men count this dedica

tion day struggle as an epoch, none the less, do progressive army offi-cials look to it as a further step in the development of athletics on the Frederick W. Rubien, secretary of the National A. A. U. said yesterday has the government gone so far in the National A. A. U. said yesterday that the proceeding was necessary to avoid such mixups as, come from the recent meet in Hartford when the low this Fort Benning gesture. It sent its officers and soldiers to the Polo Olympic champion failed to appear.

It developed that Nurmi's entry old "Hank" last summer, and now for that set of genes consisted of it sets apart a dedication day for for that set of games consisted of it sets apart a dedication day for his name written by another than "Hank" and for the teams of both on the back of an ordinary major, loagues and will turn Forts card.

Benning over to baseball for an

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: By direction of the City Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, no-tice is hereby, given that the following resolution of necessity is proposed for passage and adoption by the City Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, lowa, and that the said Council has fixed the time for the consideration thereof at 10 o'clock on the forenoon of April 19th, 1925, at the council room in said city at which place and time all objections.

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.....City Clerk. You are further notified that at said time, and place there will be conducted a hearing on the proposed plans and specifications and proposed form of contract which have heretofore been adopted by the Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, lown, for the public improvement hereinbefore described, the estimated cost of which is \$1,527.08.

At said hearing any person interested may appear and file objections to the proposed plans, specifications or contract for, or cost of such lim-

c contract for, or cost of such im-rovement. Dated at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, this

23rd day of March, 1925
L. J. STOREY.
City Clerk.
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March 23rd and 24th, 1925.

Oh Henry! A fine candy:



# RED PEPPERS

HOT SPORT CHATTER

Eddie Collins, White Sox manager, evidently has taken the place in the hearts of baseball fandom that was held by Stanley Harris of Washington, last year. Practically every fan we have come in contact with is pulling for the new Sox pllot and hopeful that he will lead the Pale Hose out of the rut into which

It looked like other days around local sporting emporiums to see the faces of several boys who won fame at Washington high not so far back. Among those home from different unithose home from different universities for spring vacation are Elmer Marek and Leo Uridil of Ohio State, Harold Murrel of Minnesota and Freddy Crawford

they lumbered last summer un-

der the direction of Johnny

that he will be eligible for foot? ball next fall. He flunked ten hours' work in the mid-year examinations but 'says he already has made up five hours and, by going to summer school, will clear the scholastic ban now hovering over him. He expects to

MASON CITY PINMEN

TOPS ELKS' TOURNEY

EXAMPLE 1

FORT DODGE, March 23.—(By Associated Press.)—Mason City bowlers went into first place in all events in the first day's bowling in the state Elks tourney here. The Wall-Nash team shot into first place in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Wall were in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Wall were in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Wall were in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Wall were in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Wall were in the five-man events with a 2492 score. Craven and Gaylor law, and to be considered for passing of the appearance of the considered by four public inspection, as required by section 5993 of the 1924 Code of low are on file in the office of the city Clerk; publish four terms are considered for public inspection, as required by section 5993 of the 1924 Code of low are on file in the office of the city Clerk; publish four terms are considered for public inspection, as required by section 5993 of the 1924 Code of low are on file in the office of the city Clerk; publish four terms are considered for public inspection, as required by section 5993 of the 1924 Code of low are on file city Clerk; publish four terms are considered for public inspection are considered for public inspection are considered for public inspection. PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND IN the singles lead with a 589 score. The tourney will continue until Tuesday with the heavy shooting Fort Dodge bowlers taking the drives today. Team's from Boone, Mason City, Dubuque, Waterloo and Fort Dodge Tourney Team's from Boone, Mason City, Dubuque, Waterloo and Fort Dodge Tourney and Fort Dodge Tourney and Fort Dodge Tourney and Fort Dodge Tourney Toure Fort Dodge rolled yesterday.

### **JACK JOHNSON PINCHED** SPEEDING AT FORTY PER

WAUKEGAN, Ill., March 23.—
(By Associated Press.)—Jack Johnson, 145, Chicago Negro, formerly world's heavyweight puglistic champion, was arrested here yesterday charged with speeding 40 miles an hour. He furnished bonds for his appearance here April 2 and proceeded to Milwaukee. eeded to Milwaukee.

By direction of the City Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, no-tice is hereby given that the followtice is hereby given-that the following resolution of necessity is proposed for passage and adoption by the City Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and that the said council has fixed the time for the consideration thereof at 10 o'clock on the forenoon of April 9th, 1925, at the council room in said city at which place and time all objections to said improvement or the passage of said

council room in said city at which place and time all objections to said improvement or the passage of said resolution must be made or filed for consideration by said council.

RESOLUTION No. —

RESOLUTION OF NECESSITY FOR SANITARY SEWER.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CED.

AR RAPIDS, IOWA, that it is deemed, advisable and necessary to im-

report for spring - practice - as soon as he returns to Columbus

Bad luck seems to trail Cedar Rapids automobile and motor-cycle racers. Minard Waln, state champion motorcycle rider, made a bid for national fame at made a bid for national fame at Los Angeles last fall only to suffer an accident that caused his, removal to a hospital for three months. And today word is received that "Shorty" Elliott was killed in an automobile race at Houston, Tex., yesterday. Both were well known in all sections of Iowa for their programs on the dirt tracks. prowess on the dirt tracks.

which probably will be next Mon-

Ed Weir of the University of Nebraska lip, indeed, a remarkable athlete. Weighing around pounds, or big enough, to win unanimous choice for an all-American tackle, he stepped out Saturday and showed sufficient speed to win both the fifty yard high and low hurdles in the Missouri Valley track meet. Backfield mon frequently win fame on the cinder path, but it is seldom that a tackle can show his heels, to a classy field of sprint-

proposed form of contract which have heretofore been adopted by the Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, for the public improvement

hereinbefore described, the estimated

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Steak 15c

Choice Pot

Roast 10c

Fresh Country

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Fresh Creamery

Butter 41c

1 lb. to customer

- City Clerk

law, and to be considered for pas sage on the 9th day of April, 1925, at 10 a. m. You are further notified that at said time and place there will be conducted a hearing on the pro-posed plans and specifications and

NOTICE OF RESOLUTION OF NECESSITY AND NOTICE OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PORM OF CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION

ous material every fifty (50) feet and at radius corners.

That the property abutting on Jacent thereto will be assessed as by law provided, and particularly to by law provided, and particularly Chapter 308, Code of lower 1924 to used, and the method of construction

improvement and property adjacent thereto will be assessed as by law provided, and particularly Chapter 308. Code of Iowa, 1924, to pay the

# Illini To Enter Star Athletes In Drake Relay Meet

DES MOINES, March 23.-As usual, Coach Harry Gill, of the Uniusual, Coach Harry Gill, of the University of Illinois, will enter several classy relay teams and a number of of stars for special levents in the 16th annual Drake University relay meet here, April 24-25.

Strength of the Illini track and field athletes was revealed recently when they sprang a surprise by defeating Iowa, 68 5-6 to 30 '1-6, in a dual meet in which the dopesters

when they sprang a surprise by de-feating Iowa, 68 5-6 to 30 1-6, in a dual meet in which the dopesters previously had given the Hawkeyes

an edge.
Yarnell of Illinois demonstrated that he will be a strong contender for dash honors at the Drake classic

### Philly Clubs In Final Stages Of Spring Training

Manager Mack of the Athletics, is particularly well pleased. Fletcher said the Phillies' pitching staff was in unusual form.

The Phillies met the New York Giants today at Bradentown. Advices from Fort Myers said that Connie Mack had arranged with Miller Huggins, manager of the New York Yankees for Babe Ruth to play with the Athletics Wednes-

# cost of which is \$11,430.00. At said hearing any person interested may appear and file objections to the proposed plans, specifications or contract for, or cost of FEATHER CHAMPION TO

SAN DIEGO, Calif, March 23 .- Ar

for dash honors at the Drake classic by winning the 75-yard indoor event in fast time.

Kinsey, another Illinois star and Olympic champion in the 110-meter high, hurdles, has become eligible for intercollegiate competition and is conceded to be the favorite\* for first honors in winning the 120-yard high sticks at the Drake carnival. Illinois will be represented by one of the strongest one-mile relay teams entered in the university section at the Drake meet. Sittig, Yates, Menock and Shock have been performing in fine style over this distance, with a mark of 3:27 for the mile against Iowa.

# Barnes has been pole-vaulting 12 feet indoors this year, and he should be able to better that mark in comnetition here next month.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—(By Associated Press).—The Philadelphia National and American league baseball clubs swung into the last lap of their spring training today at their Florida camps with their respective managers expressing entire satisfaction with the condition of the playars.

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Louis Kall Rapins, world's feather-weight boxing champion, and Ernic Gooseman, San Diego featherweight to meet Friday night at the Collscum at the club here in a 12 round nodecision bout:

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days-and word that the frost is out of the ground and the roads in fair shape-



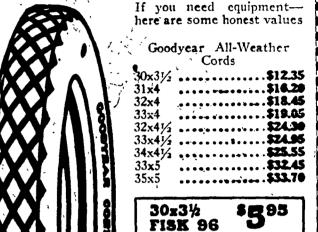
What a thrill to drive the old "Boat" out in the glorious country for the first Spring ride—to breathe deep of the exhiberating spring air and to enjoy the

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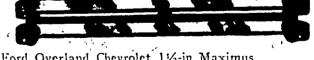


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