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BRONCHOS WILL MEET SAGINAW

SOUTHERN MICHIGAN CLUB HERE FOR TWO DAYS.

RECRUITS FORM LINE-UP

Smith Announces Bowerman, Drollinger, and Hobart on Firing Line —Craven and Phil Geier Arrive in Bond.

Manager Smith announced the following line-up, subject to change, for the Saturday game: Outfield—Rush, Grieve, Holt, left field, center field, and left field.

Infield—Varley, third base; Callahan, shortstop; Ellis, second base; Schmick, first base.

Catchers—Shea, Lindeke.

Pitchers — Hobart, Drollinger, Bowerman.

The first exhibition games of the season for the Bronchos are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday when the Bronchos meet the Saginaw Southern Michigan association club. The Saginaw club is managed by Mike Kittredge, the former Dayton leader. The games will be called at 2:30 o'clock, as will all the training season contests. Recruits will figure prominently in the line-up of the local club, according to Manager Smith, especially in the first game.

With the sun shining from a clear sky for the first time in days, Ed Smith led his Bronchos out to Spring brook this morning at the early hour of 9 o'clock. He has so many rookie dates on hand now he ordered one team to report at 9 and the other one other at 10 but the men were so anxious to start the ball rolling most of them joined the early squad.

All the Benders are now accounted for, the arrival of Phil Geier yesterday completing the roll. Afternoon setting pins have been busy the night have kidnaped, especially the winning Midge. Lefty Core is due to arrive here to-day or Saturday, having received permission from Manager Smith to leave Mobile, where the club would get in more training, to West Virginia, then with the Bronchos here.

Fight for First Sack.

The fight for the first sack began yesterday, when the Bronchos took their first work, and promises to be the hardest for any position on the cloth. Midge Craven and Phil Geier are both veterans at the job, and their daily promises for the garden place promises also to be interesting. "Doc" Schmick has the edge on "Buck" Connors now, however he is in much better condition than the latter, having gone back for weed, and will put forth his best efforts to earn back the initial sack berth. He is a better hitter than Schmick by far, but the latter is conceded the edge on the latter in fielding. "Doc" will stick with the job, even when is "Buck" does beat him out, because Smith considers him a good man for a ball club in any capacity.

Squad Swelled to 22.

The Bronchos candidates squad was swelled to 22 this morning, the additions being Bowerman, Drollinger, Hobart, Rush and Ellis, bringing the number of candidates up to that number. Phil Geier's arm may be dinky, as the Grand Rapids Press suggests, but he can whip that pill around like a bullet. Phil said immediately after he reached the diamond this morning about his having a poor arm with a field glass. And the kids and one local fan who saw him shoot the pill around City morning will corroborate that statement.

"Mike" Kelley took a short work out at short, and certainly looked sweet at the old job. The whole bunch is a likely looking aggregation of ball tossers, the worst of the recruits not seeming out of his sphere of action. Bowerman, despite his first appearance the morning, a number of the men kicking it around for fun as they took the regular fence circuit route before turning into the clubhouse.

Manager Smith said this morning Drollinger, the LaPorte recruit pitcher, looked like the best of the young twisters. His speed is great, and on his first work-out he began to put the hook on the ball, until "Dunky" Stewart stepped in and hit one over the rocky LaPorte second baseman, did not work out at second, so Smith was unable to discover any danger to Ben Koehler's hold on the keystone sack.

John Henry's New One.

John Henry Meyers has a new ball which he intends to spring on the unsuspecting Union Giants when they meet the locals here. John relies on the supremition of the "smokes" for the success of his new one, and he throws so when the spices leaves the fingers it takes on a curve which in the leather. It is delivered with great speed and when the ball almost reaches the batter the wind whistling through the scratch emits a blood curdling shriek which causes the Dr. in the name of the ghost ball.

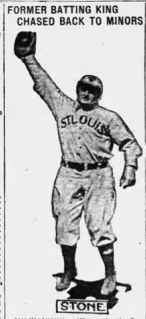
"Buck" Connors may be overweight, but he's the greatest jockey in the world. At least, that is the announcement Gardner, of the Gardner and Powers team, at the Crescent, and his two comedians, Powers and Ellis, know it well, for while the ball players were at the theater the other day they were astonished by the declaration of Gardner that the rotund "Buck" Connors was the peer of the world's jockeys.

Craven announced when he hit the Bend that he was in fine shape, due to the fact that he had been working on the farm in order to put up the game of his life. He retired over yesterday because the sun was shining in Fort Wayne, and found sore weather that put a nasty grey suit to shame. "Midge" has wintered in Detroit and Chicago, and the boys have reported to have been following the fight game—as a fan. His favorite is one Sliber, whom "Midge" declares has Wolgast looking like a sheet. "He's fast, he's game, he's a hitter, he's betting the various one-two punches used by the wonder," Craven says he has a decision over Sunday Sherlock, the Chicago lightweight, and Sherlock is considered a good man.

"Midge" as a Bowler.

The midget also broke into the bowling game during time of mention, and the boys who were rolling for the cocktails of the gin variety, a bunch of novices induced him to roll with them one night, despite the bell tooser's protests he couldn't keep the ball in the alley. "Why, you can't do it," they said, and made him a member of their crack league team. "Midge" rolled with them again and

FORMER BATTING KING CHASED BACK TO MINORS



MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 7.—George Stone, the former crack outfielder and batting champion of the Americans, has signed to play with the Milwaukee team this season. President Manager Bobby Wallace asked for waivers on Stone, and as no major league club had in a claim for his services he was sold to the local club. Stone was the American league batting with a high percentage and was considered one of the greatest players in the game. In 1907-8 he fell off woefully in his stick work, in 1909 he regained his form and in 1910 showed his speed on the bases. Last year he showed little improvement over the previous season, and Bobby Wallace decided to part with him.

Quinn's Pitchers Busted.

His high score was 112. "They didn't can me," says Stone, "but they wanted to get rid me about it the next time I made a boner."

The peppery little outfielder was initiated into the South Bend cigar business several hours after he arrived in the city while the club secretary absented himself for a few moments "Midge" has been in the business, and he was in the act of sealed in cracking the cash register.

Pitcher Hobart, who it is thought will work in to-morrow's game, is in pretty bad shape. He is the only regular pitcher on the Bronchos who Milwaukee's team has figured out. Hobart reports a bad heel, neglected torn ligaments, making him a prospect for the hospital. He does not express confidence of making good, but will make the veterans fighter, up says.

MANY MAJOR GAMES.

Weather Breaks for Big 'Uns—White Sox at Terre Haute.

The weather broke yesterday for the big league major clubs, and the fear that the inclement weather would cake off the effects of several weeks' training in the sunny south disappeared. More than a dozen big league teams were in action. The Chicago White Sox II are scheduled for games with the Terre Haute club to-day, and to-morrow.

The results of yesterday's games are as follows:

Chicago Americans II, 7; Lincoln, 4.
Indianapolis, 2; New York Americans, 1.
Philadelphia Americans II, 6; Rosslyn, 2.
Brooklyn Nationals, 8; Lynchburg, 1.
Detroit Americans, 8; Columbus, 1.
Detroit II, 13; Kansas City, 8.
Cincinnati Nationals, 3; Atlanta Southerners, 2.
St. Joseph, 1; Boston Red sox, 4.
Denver, 3; Austin, 1.
St. Louis Cardinals, 8; Browns, 4.
Portland, 3; Oakland, 4.
Chicago Cubs, 3; Illinois university, 1.
Nashville, 4; Louisville, 3.
Chicago White Sox, 6; Danville, 4.

CLAFFEY REPORTS SOON.

Local Boy Will Go to Green Bay Next Wednesday.

Joe Claffey, the local ball player, will report to Green Bay, of the Wisconsin-Illinois league, next Wednesday. Joe is the shortstop who was suggested by Manager Rowe, of the Green Bay McCarthy, when the former heard of the probable appointment of Ed Smith as Bronchos manager. Claffey played last year with the local club for several weeks after "Speed" Kelley was sold in 1909, and he finishing was up in the fall of that year. Claffey is said to have put he a week with Joe Kelly.

FIRST WORK-OUT SUNDAY.

Kendallville Reds to Begin Spring Training Sun—Game With Ashers.

The Kendallville Reds will be given a workout at the Kendallville ball park Sunday afternoon. The Kendallville will open April 23, when the Ashland club will be here. The first game will be played Sunday, April 16, when the Reds will play the "Mags" of this city, the South Bend team of the Northern Indiana Base Ball Association. The grandstand will be enlarged about 25 feet and a bench will be arranged for the reporters.

WILL CLIP DOME.

South Bend baseball fans should not be shocked or worried for their lives if they should see a suspicious looking individual, looking like a convict, hanging around the ball park. The Bronchs should remove his cap in that position the clipped dome of the convict will be brought to view, but the fanatics need not fear, for it will be only Ed Smith, who is to be on hand to "do do dirty a Phelps" expressing for "my hair is at the barber's." "Teddy" announced last night he intended to massacre those beautiful wavy locks "locks, and all" this morning.

Catcher Pitcher Frank Korbe was have several years ago, he had his skull shaven. Korbe caught in the Wisconsin-Illinois league last year. He nearly met his death from electrocution while pitching for Ottumwa, Ia., who also played in that organization in 1910. Korbe would like to get back in the league, although he didn't mind having.

In discussing the league situation Stone did not predict a pennant for South Bend, but stated his belief the Bronchos present the strongest line-up in the league.

CLASSY COMPETITION IN N. D. CARNIVAL

Fitzpatrick Features Second Day in Mile Race.

The second day's round of the intersall handicap athletic carnival at Notre Dame brought out a keen competition in several of the events. The Corbyites led the point column with a total of 18. Brownson followed with 11; Walsh, with 12; Sorin, with 5, and St. Joe, with 3.

The performance of Fitzpatrick, of Brownson, in the one mile run was easily the feature of the day. Fitzpatrick ran from scratch in 4:11-5, and finished in 4:24-5 flat.

Fitzpatrick's work was a surprise to many of the local followers of the sport, and he is considered one of the top-ranking contestants. Fitzpatrick looks fine, he looked his race yesterday apparently in good condition, and, it is thought, he could have gone faster had the competition warranted.

Walsh, Corbyite, finished his hurdles in 16 1-5, with Lacks, of Walsh, second, and O'Rourke, of Brownson, third. O'Neill, of Corbyite, won the broad jump, with a mark of 21 feet 1 inch. He had a handicap of 1½ feet. In the high jump the two Walsh men, Lacks and Ryan, tied for first, with a mark of 5 feet, 4 inches.

Bisler, of Walsh, and Hanahan, of Brownson, tie two scratch men in the pole vault, and they have a show in their yet event.

The finals in the 40-yard dash, 40-yard low hurdles, 220-yard dash, half-mile run and pole vault will be held to-morrow afternoon. A relay race has been arranged between a picked team and preparatory students and college men.

Quinn's Fate Delayed.

What Hade Meyers and Ike Quinn will do in the matter of a job will not be decided in three or four days, which the national commission is called together. In the recent ruling of the commission in the Three-I league squabble Waterloo was allowed to retain Quinn, and Quincy, the team that won the league pennant, was forced to put into the Three-I and as is now stands has a club but is in no league.

Kiser V. M. C. A. Champion.

Lloyd Kiser is the champion of the Y. M. C. A. bowling alley's by virtue of his securing high score in the last week's bowling. He leads the field with a score of 195, with George Brown second with 24. A silver medal is offered as first prize in the individual event, while second place takes a bronze medal.

CIRCUIT SPARKS.

Manager Joe Raidy has handed out his first contract for his club, and it is doubtful if Infielder Mooney was the unlucky one. He figured there was no chance for him with the group of infielders he has on the reserve list, so he let him go to cut down unnecessary expense.

Joe Herold and "Gloomy Gus" Hilinger stand alone. Hugo swarming with the Kansas City Federal League while Gloomy Gus is still with Manager Raidy.

Zazzarella arrives, now announces Joe Raidy is going to secure Outfielder Stocker. Dayton by quick action get Compton, who was an object of Manager Raidy's affections. Stocker is a possible Raidy may pick off shortly from under "Monty's" nose. It was announced at Sterling several days ago Bert might be secured by the Steglics.

Pitcher Ed Ruelbach, who was last year Varnell, of the Hilltoppers, may go to Indianapolis this week. Jimmy Burke has written the Wayne magnate asking him to see Owney Watkins, of Indianapolis, and it is thought Indianapolis may get a couple of men to Fort Wayne.

Dr. Parker, a lad of 19 headed by the worthy physician has hit Grand Rapids, and the scribes are in ecstacy. And Harley is promising some class to the Grand Rapids club. Dr. Parker is a pitcher, but it is perhaps he will be converted into a fielder.

"Kaiser Dick" Hill ups up with the Stoglins in a few days, dispatches from Coal city state.

"Heinie" Zimman is touted as a contender for the Detroit third base job. He is in good condition slowly, and but never been able to get into the spring practice games, Jacksonville settling.

The Cleveland Naps played the Dayton Veis this afternoon, 7-2. Young was expected to hurl for the big leaguers.

The Hilltoppers have signed the great Joe Doty has written Owner Varnell for a job, according to reports from Fort Wayne. The Evansville Reds are said to be in the market, while trying to dispose of him to their Hoosier rivals, he has been up at St. Varnell can't figure Edgar as a Hilltoper.

Dr Harley Parker is going in the deal to beat Wheeling out of Bert Shotten. Manager Wallace of the Bluebloods is said to have written Manager Raidy he wants Shotten, and Joe Steglics has his eye on Shotten and as a result Christy signed contract arrived yesterday at local headquarters.—Grand Rapids Daily News.

Pitcher Ed Ruelbach, who was with the Colombus team this fanning was so astounding on reports from the Senators' camp. Billy is proving himself a valuable man and the chances are that he will not be back with the Senators. The Senator management has begun treating Ruelbach as a regular and Snyder is slated for a regular berth.—Evansville Courier.

WALKS DOWN 2,000 STEPS ON HER TOES

Mazie King, Ballet Dancer, Accomplishes Remarkable Feat.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Walking all the way on the tips of of her toes, Mazie King, a dancer, has done the 46 flights of stairs in the Metropolitan Life Insurance building yesterday without stopping, making the descent in 14 minutes. The dancer is a member of the ballet now playing at the Broadway theater.

She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Wrath, and Dr. J. Z. M. Dermott. The feat was watched by a number of newspaper men and officers of the building.

Miss King wore a light, strong gown, cut short, and her feet were as bare as a lady. Her feet were enclosed in the regulation ballet slippers.

It is calculated that she covered 2,000 steps, and she did not appear to be flat on her feet. In addition to this, on reaching the bottom, Miss King made a round of the corridor on her toes.

Until the last 15 flights the top dancer walked easily, but she did not come down almost on a run. Dancing teachers say that it is a remarkable feat, and one of the performances they had ever seen or heard about.

"ZEKE" PROSPECIVE EVA.

Black Haired Twirler Returns from Trip as Traveling Salesman.

"Zeke" Ferrier, former South Bend hurler, has returned from a trip as representative of the stephenson Tobacco mills, a prospective Eva. "Zeke" pitched good ball in the Three-I last season, but is dissatisfied with his south time. Ferrier is a fine fellow the old Green, and it is possible Ferrier will pitch for the Evansville Perrian was in Evansville not long ago.

Perrian is one of three ex-South Bend players who have represented the Stephenson mills on traveling salesmen this winter. Bob Wells and Dolly Gray are the other two members of the 1910 Bronchs squad, traveling for the Stephenson mills. Wells was in Chicago Gray, of the Central league, is now traveling for the firm, taking up Indiana territory.

PRACTICE OUT OF DOORS.

Notre Dame Teams Work Outside—Nine Leaves for Chicago.

The Notre Dame track and baseball athletes had their first workout outside yesterday, in nearly three weeks. Coach Jones, of the track team, and Coach Kelly had the ball players out on the Brownson campus. "Red" gave the team a light workout, which consisted of a short game with a few outsiders, and a long fly.

The opportunity for an outdoor workout before the contest with the Chicago Nationals was highly pleasing to "Red." Although the Notre Dame players had been in outdoor work for a long period of time, it was thought advisable to give them a just a much better game against the Chicago team to-day than was at first expected. The team left Gas morning 17 strong.

TERRE HAUTE LOSES.

St. Paul Defeats Miners by Score of 9 to 8.

By Associated Press.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 7.—One home run, one triple and seven doubles were collected by the sluggers in yesterday's game won by the St. Paul American association team over the Terre Haute Central league club, 9 to 8. The six round tripper of Charlie Jones, of St. Paul, featured. Score:

	R	H	P
Terre Haute	1 2 3 2 0 0 0 0 0	8	12
St. Paul	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 9	9	12

Batteries—Beasley, Alberts and Jones and Holder, Coach, Gehring and Howe and Allen.

Stone Will Play Farmer.

OMAHA, Neb., April 7.—George Stone, who led the American league batters in 1908, has deserted the diamond for the farm. Stone turned off at Omaha yesterday on his way to Chicago from his farm in Iowa. He is a farmer. Recently he was sold by the St. Louis Browns to Milwaukee, but he says he is through with baseball and not report.

Local Boys Reach Fort Wayne.

Walter Kirby and Kenneth Berkey, high school athletes of this city, left Wayne Thursday afternoon, making the journey from here to that city on foot. They report bad roads. They left here at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning and were miles out of Goshen when the boys will return Sunday, by rail.

Play Long Opener.

OAKLAND, Cal., April 7.—The Oakland Pacific league baseball season opened yesterday with an 18-inning game between Los Angeles and the home club, which only one pitcher was used by each side. Los Angeles won, 4 to 2.

BOXING NOTES.

"Spike" Kelley, the recent addition to Fred Gilmore's stable of ball fighters, Barrett at Kenosha on April 25. The bout is down for 10 rounds and the weight set at 141 pounds at 3 o'clock. Kelley is a clever boxer and a hard hitter known here. He appeared in the main bout at the Temple theatre show recently.

Although Harry Forbes' trip to England for a whirl at "Digger" Stanley is still hanging fire, offers on this show are coming in rapidly. Tom O'Rourke, the Madison Square Garden boss of New York, yesterday received Howard Carr, Forbes' manager, that he was trying to arrange a match for Harry in New York.

He has dropped negotiations with Frankie Burns on account of his poor showing with Abe Attell last week. He expects to know something more definite by the first of next week, and is anxious to bring the game lambkin veteran east.

Jones will appear here in a windup bout, allowing to the plan of the Empire Athletic club, April 18.

Ray Temple, the clever boy who gave Rudy Unholz such a good fight here before the Empire Athletic club, is scheduled to appear here April 17. The bout is down for 10 rounds, and April 17. The boys will weight in at 125 pounds at 3 o'clock. Their bout is scheduled to go 10 rounds.

The Commercial Athletic club will stage a boxing and wrestling show tonight. Young Pardello and Joe Kelley, 125-pound wrestlers, will hold sway for 45 minutes or less on the mat. Young Sartul and Pete Cole will box 10 rounds. Young Sartul defeated Cole two weeks, while Young Oliver will oppose Dick Hamming in the wind up.

PENNILESS, SAYS SHE IS FIANCEE OF A BEY

Miss Taaffe Goes to New York Municipal Lodging House.

NEW YORK, April 7.—In the municipal lodging house, at the foot of East 25th street, Eva Taaffe, who says that she is a singer and dancer who appeared before Abdul Hamid, one time sultan of Turkey, is waiting for funds from friends in Turkey or on the Continent.

Miss Taaffe says that she has wealthy relatives in San Francisco and that when they learn of her present condition they will forward money to her. She has not been able to locate friends of her parents, though she has found any of her friends. She told William C. Yorke, superintendent of the lodging house, that she was soon to marry Khedir Bey, of Constantinople, and Mr. Yorke mailed a letter from her to a man of that name in Constantinople.

According to Miss Taaffe's story, she left Constantinople with enough money to reach San Francisco, but unexpected expenses she met in Africa in Paris and New York drained her purse and she was left in the lodging house. She was also known as Miss de Lesel.

POULTNEY BIGELOW TO WED HIS HOUSEKEEPER

Author's Bride-to-be Also a Librarian at Institution Is Established.

KINGSTOWN, N. Y., April 7.—Poultney Bigelow, author, journalist and fiery critic of political affairs, who was divorced in 1903 by Edith Jaffray Bigelow, also a writer of distinction, is to be married soon to Miss Lillian Pritchard, librarian of the public library, which Mr. Bigelow established in his home town, Malden-on-Hudson.

Miss Pritchard, is a native of England. In her library is a crack official in the postal department.

Mr. Bigelow, in addition to her duties at the library, has been housekeeper for Mr. Bigelow. It is said that their intimate friends have expected the betrothal announcement for some time.

At the time when Mrs. Edith Jaffray Bigelow obtained her absolute divorce in New York, it was reported that one of the prohibitions of the decree was that Mr. Bigelow should not marry again in this state during the lifetime of his former wife. The second marriage of Mr. Bigelow is expected to take place in Connecticut.

ECKERT "WIFE" IMPOSTOR

N. Y. Court Orders Arrest of Mrs. E. L. Davies in Will Fight.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Surrogate Cohalan to-day ordered the arrest of Mrs. E. L. Davies, also known as Mrs. Dorr, who appeared last week in the $1,000,000 will contest being waged by the children of the late Gen. T. T. Eckert, former president of the Western Union Telegraph company, and swore that she had been married to Eckert in 1904. Mrs. Dorr failed to appear to-day with her marriage certificate, and Mr. Eckert's lawyer in surrogate immediately declared her an impostor and adventuress and ordered her arrest.

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