SPORTS

Chicks and Saints Open at Russwood

Mike Kelley Brings St. Paul Club, the American Association Champions, Here for Two-Game Series--Dyersburg Contest Goes Saintward by Score of 21 to 10.

BY BOB PIGUE.

The St. Paul Saints, champions of the American association, are in Memphis for a two-day stand and will open at Russwood park Saturday afternoon with the Memphis Chicks in the first of a series of exhibition games. The Saints and Chicks will meet in Memphis Saturday and Sunday, and on Monday and Tuesday they will go to Greenville and Belzoni, Miss., where they will stage exhibitions.

The Chicks and Saints got in late Friday night from Dyersburg, where they indulged in a batting bee on the Dyersburg High school diamond, the game ending 21 to 10 for the Saints.

HEAP MUCH MOISTURE.

The two teams were scheduled to play a real game in Dyersburg, but the high waters of the past several days had the regular ball park completely inundated and made it impossible to stage the game anywhere except on the diamond at the Dyersburg high school. So the clubs attempted to pull off the contest there.

The diamond was a miniature affair used by the schoolboys, and entirely too small for the professionals to play anything resembling real baseball.

There was no left field at all, as the diamond was too small, so the left fielder stood out in the road and retrieved balls that went over into a thicket adjoining the diamond.

Ground rules were necessary and called for any ball that went into left field being a one-base hit. Any balls that were hit through the windows of the school building, which was in right-center, were two-base hits. All others were good for as much as could be gotten.

Hy Fowlkes, the elongated right-hander of the Chicks, and a Dyersburg product, started for Memphis, and from the beginning Hy had his troubles. The Saints jumped on him and eleven of them went to bat with nine scoring before the big boy decided that he had enough. Hughie Canavan went in and two more Saints scored, making 11 runs for the frame. Seventeen Saints went to bat in the opening round. Canavan pitched the rest of the way.

Johnny Overlock, a right-hander, pitched the first five innings for St. Paul and then Howard Merritt, ex-Chick left-hander, took up the pitching duties. Howard hurled until the beginning of the eighth, when Bill Williams, another right-hander, finished the game.

McMenemee, Saint left fielder, had a field day, getting five hits out of six trips to the plate. Andy High, of the Chicks, got a three-bagger, a two-bagger, a single and a base on balls in five times up.

The Chicks kept battering the ball around and scored one in the second, two in the fourth, three in the fifth, one in the sixth, two in the seventh and one in the eighth. But they never had a chance to overhaul the Saints, who kept on making runs even after they had accumulated an 11-run lead. The Saints scored six runs in the fourth and three in the fifth by hitting the ball on the nose.

Pug Griffin helped himself to a solid smash in the fifth with the bases drunk. Pug hit the pill on the nose and it crashed directly through a window on the third floor of the school building.

O, HUGHIE! HUGHIE!

Hugh Canavan, Chick pitcher, pulled one that smacked of Ivory in the eighth when with the bases full and one out and a made-to-order double play in sight he took Boone's easy grounder and proceeded to run Riggert down between third and home. Hughie walked over to Tiny Goodbred and Tiny helped himself to a free kick for pulling the boner.

The umpiring of Charley Hall, St. Paul pitcher, behind the pitcher was very punk. Charley will have no other chance to serve as an ump, at least, back of the pitcher. He knows the game and every other ball player on both teams knows the reason.

Hall evidently figured the Chicks a lot of suckers, but he has found out otherwise by this time.

All of the Chicks returned to Memphis Friday night except Hy Fowlkes, who was permitted to remain over in Dyersburg until Saturday.

WHERE HE GOT IT.

While in Dyersburg Friday we learned how Hy Fowlkes happened to get his nickname, "Fitem."

Hy has a foot that looks like one of Swift's premium hams and one day he went into a shoe store and asked to be shown a pair of shoes. The clerk asked: "What size?"

Hy gave one slant at his gunboats and then roared:

"Fit 'em."

And then and there he was christened "Fitem."

Dyersburg proved that it has many true-blue fans when such an assemblage as was present Friday turned out. There was a cold biting wind, and the game was about the worst one ever staged anywhere, but practically all the fans remained until the finish.

TREAT 'EM ROUGH

ST. PAUL.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Dressen, 1b.	5	4	2	14	0	0
Duncan, 3b.	4	3	2	1	1	0
Riggert, rf.	4	2	2	1	1	0
Hallett, cf.	5	3	4	1	0	0
Hargrave, c.	6	1	3	7	2	1
Boone, ss.	6	1	2	0	5	0
McMenemy, lf.	6	3	6	0	0	0
Schauer, 2b.	6	1	1	4	5	1
Overlock, p.	2	2	1	0	3	0
Merritt, p.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	46	21	24	27	18	2

MEMPHIS.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Sloan, cf.	5	0	2	1	0	0
Lewis, 2b.	5	2	3	1	6	0
McLarry, 1b.	5	1	3	2	1	0
Griffin, rf.	3	0	1	1	1	0
Bischoff, c.	5	3	2	4	0	0
High, 3b.	4	2	3	2	1	1
Collenberger, ss.	5	0	2	2	5	1
Hale, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Fowlkes, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canavan, p.	5	2	2	1	2	1
Totals	41	10	18	24	15	3

By Innings—										R.
St. Paul	11	0	0	6	3	0	0	1	*	—21
Memphis	0	1	0	2	3	1	2	1	0	—10

Summary: Two-base hits—Riggert, High, Canavan, Griffin. Three-base hits—Duncan, High. Sacrifice hits—Duncan, Hale. Stolen bases—Dressen, Duncan, Riggert, McMenemy 2. Double plays—Duncan to Schaur to Dressen; Riggert to Hargrave to Dressen; Williams to Hargrave to Dressen; Griffin to High. Innings pitched—By Fowlkes 1 2-3, with 9 runs and 7 hits (2 on base, 2 out when relieved); by Overlock 5, with 6 runs and 8 hits; by Merritt 2, with 3 runs and 6 hits. First base on balls—Off Fowlkes 2; off Canavan 4; off Overlocw 2; off Merritt 1. Struck out—By Canavan 4; by Overlock 2; by Merritt 2; by Williams 1. Time—2:15. Umpires—Charlie Hall and Tiny Goodbred.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

		R.	H.	E.
At Nashville, Tenn.— New York Nationals	Boston Americans	6	10	3
		5	6	2

Douglas and Smith, Benton, Snyder; Russell and Devine, Hoyt, Hager.

		R.	H.	E.
At Birmingham, Ala.— Philadelphia Nationals	Birmingham (Southern Ass'n.)	3	11	1
		0	6	1

Causey, Meadows, Rixey and Tragesser; Sigman, Collins and Peters, Gooch.

		R.	H.	E.
At Mobile, Ala.— Philadelphia American (second)	Mobile (Southern Association)	0	5	1
		1	5	1

Pearson, Hasty and Myatt; Haid, Fulton and Ponds.

		R.	H.	E.
At Fort Worth, Tex.— Fort Worth, Texas league	Pittsburgh	1	6	1
		4	11	1

Appleton and Moore; Cooper, Ponder and Clarke.

		R.	H.	E.
At Oklahoma City, Okla.— Minneapolis (American Ass'n.)	Oklahoma City Western league	17	16	0
		2	8	8

Roberson, Whitehouse and Mayer; Malone, Ramsey and Moore, Clanton.

		R.	H.	E.
At Houston, Tex.— Chicago White Sox	Houston, Texas league	12	15	0
		6	12	5

Cicotte and Schalk, Lynn; Harlan, Busch and Harkins.

		R.	H.	E.
At Wichita Falls, Tex.— Chicago White Sox (second)	Wichita Falls, Texas league	4	7	5
		11	10	2

Lowdermilk and Less; Ruth and Kitchens.

		R.	H.	E.
At Wichita, Kas.— Kansas City, American Ass'n.	Wichita, Western league	6	9	2
		10	11	0

Henning, Beedle and Sweeney; Brock, Miller, Maun and Taryan.

		R.	H.	E.
At San Francisco— Chicago Nationals	San Francisco, Pacific Coast	1	3	3
		2	8	4

Hendrix, Carter and O'Farrell; Scott and Anfinson.

At Durham, N. C.—Boston Nationals-Detroit Americans, called off account of wet grounds.

OLE MISS DEFEATS L. S. U. IN OPENER

UNIVERSITY, Miss., April 3.—Ole Miss defeated L. S. U. in the ninth inning of the opening game of a two-game series on the campus yesterday afternoon, by a score of 2 to 0. For eight innings the score stood 0-0 and it seemed that the game would go for extra innings, but Farmer saved the day for the Ole Miss in the ninth when he hit the first ball thrown him over the left fielder's head, scoring Wilson and Kirk, who had been walked by Handley. Farmer fielded well and the hit in the ninth made him unquestionably the star of the game. Carney, for Ole Miss, pitched a good game. Handley pitched a fair game for L. S. U.

HARDY AND VOSHELL WIN THEIR PLACES

NEW YORK, April 3.—Samuel Hardy, former Californian, and S. Howard Voshell, New York, won their places in the final round of the national indoor tennis championship doubles here yesterday. The pair defeated W. C. Grant and G. C. Shafer, former national titleholders, in straight sets. The score was 7-5, 6-4.

ANDERSON PULLS ONE.

PEORIA, Ill., April 3.—W. Anderson of the Vermont team, Chicago, had a 1,301 score and an excellent chance to take the lead in the all-events in the American Bowling congress when he finished his team and double games here yesterday. Then he discovered he had overlooked the individuals in filing his entry list. A. B. C. officials refused to allow him to go on in the singles. He had scored 679 in the team play and 622 in the doubles and needed 615 in the individuals to take first place.

Few prize winning scores were made yesterday and changes of importance failed to come in any of the classes.

RED HERRING SCORES KAYO OVER LEO WITT

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 3.—Red Herring, of Memphis, knocked out Leo Witt, of St. Louis, here last night in the first round of a scheduled ten-round bout. The men are lightweights.

DUNDEE BEATS GRIFFIN.

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 3.—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill., won by a shade from Dick Griffin, of this city, in a fast 12-round bout last night.

Dundee was the aggressor throughout the fight.

RICHARDS VS. TILDEN.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Vincent Richards, 1919 indoor tennis champion, and William T. Tilden II, runner-up, were opponents again in the finals of the national indoor tournament at the Seventh regiment armory here today. In the final of the doubles Richards and Tilden, title-holders, faced Samuel Hardy, former Californian, and S. Howard Voshell, of New York.

The Florida State league, which opened its first season in 1919 with six clubs, was increased to eight at a meeting of the league backers held recently in Orlando. The new members are Daytona and St. Petersburg, both of which have well equipped ball parks and now are seeking managers and players. The league this year will include Orlando, Lakeland, Tampa, Bradentown, Bartow, Sanford, Daytona and St. Petersburg.

Joplin's fears that it would get the worst of it in the Western league schedule do not seem to be borne out. Joplin gets 15 Sundays and the Memorial day games. President Al Tearney is too big a man to let league politics interfere with a square deal for any of the clubs of the league, and the hints that it may be made hard for Joplin to win games will be dispelled when he gives his umpires instructions.

The 200 bleacher seats at the Washington ball park, which are seldom used by any but negro fans anyway, may be set aside for a boys' section at a 25-cent admission price. If there are more boys than can be taken care of in the bleachers, room will be made for them in one of the covered pavilions.

Matty McIntyre, Ex-Mobile Manager Dies Of The Flu

DETROIT, April 3.—Matty McIntyre, a leftfielder with the Detroit Americans from 1905 to 1910, died here last night of influenza. He was 40 years old. He also played with the Chicago White Sox and after leaving the majors managed clubs in the Western league and Southern association. He piloted Mobile while in the Southern.

HIGH GIRLS AND "Y" BOYS LAND BASKET TITLES

Normal Nosed Out in Last Minute of Play—Y. M. I. Forfeits to Y. M. C. A. Refusing to Play.

M. A. A. TITLE SERIES.
Senior Division.
Standing of Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Y. M. C. A.	2	0	1.000
Y. M. I.	0	2	.000

Friday Night's Results.
Y. M. C. A. 2, Y. M. I. 0 (forfeit).
C. H. S. (girls) 18, Normal (girls) 17.

The largest crowd that has ever witnessed a basketball game in Memphis was on hand Friday night to see the final windup of the M. A. A. post-season series. The Central high school girls proved their right to the championship of the senior girls' division by nosing out Normal by the close score of 18 to 17.

The Y. M. I.-Y. M. C. A. title was forfeited to the latter when the Y. M. I. failed to put in an appearance. Religious reasons were advanced for the decision to forfeit, the day being Good Friday, one of the most solemn feast days in the Catholic church. The Y. M. I. claims, furthermore, to have notified the proper authorities in advance that its team would not be on hand. No protest will be made, however.

The "Y" squad was matched against an all-star club and won, 16 to 14.

The Normal school girls started off as though they were going to dispose of C. H. S. in quick fashion. Miss Roberts threw a field goal in the first minute of play, which was followed by a point from foul tossed by her running mate, Miss Lovelace. The ball was kept in Normal territory almost entirely during the first five minutes of play and their team work was superb. The fast pace soon began to tell on them, however, and the C. H. S. girls made a desperate spurt towards the last half and ended the session in front, 7 to 5.

During the rest period Prof. Schrock put on an exhibition tumbling match with four of his performers which antics, together with the spirited yells from the student bodies of the two schools, kept the house in an uproar throughout the intermission. The cheer leaders from both schools had their members well organized and did their share in the fight.

The beginning of the second half found the Normal girls again full of dash, and they soon passed the lead of High School and seemed as though they were bound to win the game. The better wind of their opponents soon became evident, however, and the tables turned in favor of Central High, who nosed ahead by one point in the last minute of play.

This game will go down in history as the best that ever has been played on local courts and the great work of Miss Barnett, forward for Central High, will stand for some time to come as a mark for others of the fair sex to shoot at. She was ably assisted in her passing by her running mate, Miss Butler.

C. H. S.	Position.	Normal
Barnett	Forward	Roberts
Butler	Forward	Lovelace
Jamison	Center	Strong
Warren	Center	Yancey
Leigh	Guard	Brown
D'Ardell	Guard	Kyle

Field goals—Miss Barnett 7, Miss Butler 1, Miss Roberts 4, Miss Lovelace 4. Foul goals—Miss Barnett 2, Miss Roberts 1. Referee—Hodges. Timer—Hosey. Time of halves—15 minutes.

In order that the large crowd of fans would not be disappointed basketball officials picked an all-star club to play the "Y" exhibition contest, and the game was thoroughly enjoyed.

The all-stars had three men in their lineup who have been playing with the "Y" first team throughout the season, and while they put up a creditable showing they were downed by the score of 16 to 14.

Y. M. C. A.	Position.	All-Stars.
Crutchfield	Forward	Magee
Campbell 1	Forward	Barnes
Johnston	Center	Blackburn
Kinney	Guard	Ivy
Ransom	Guard	Valle

Field goals—Crutchfield 1, Campbell 1, Johnston 4, Kinney 1, Ransom 1, Magee 4, Barnes 1, Blackburn 2. Referee—Glancy. Timer—Hosey. Time of halves—20 minutes.

MOTORCYCLISTS TO COMPETE SUNDAY

Endurance Run of 78 Miles To Be Staged Over Shelby County Roads.

The motorcycle riders of Memphis will open the season Sunday with an endurance run over Shelby county roads. This run will be 78 miles.

The riders have been divided into two classes, namely, class A, which will be required to make 35 miles per hour average. Class B will average 27 miles per hour.

The class A riders are boys who have had previous experience in endurance runs. Class B riders are boys who have not had endurance run experience.

All riders must be at starting point at 7:30 o'clock. The starting point is Speedway and Poplar. Prizes have been donated by the local tire manufacturers and motorcycle dealers. The first rider leaves at 8 a.m., the following three minutes apart. Finishing point, Speedway and Lamar.

Checking stations are at Collierville and Arlington. Fourteen riders have already paid their entrance fee of $1. Any riders wishing to enter can do so by applying to C. F. Lyons, Main 2156.

This promises to be a very interesting run.

KELLEHER IS NAMED PILOT OF ST. JOE

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 3.—John Kelleher, shortstop for the St. Joseph team of the Western league, will manage the team this year, Edward Hanlon, owner, announced yesterday.

Kelleher played in 1915 with the St. Louis American league team.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

At Clemson College, S. C.—University of Georgia 6, Clemson College 2.

At Atlanta—Auburn 3, Oglethorpe 1.

At Charlottesville—Cornell 7, University of Virginia 4.

At Baltimore—Princeton 16, Johns Hopkins 5.

At Lexington, Va.—Amherst 4, W. and L. 5.

At Raleigh, N. C.—Maryland State 2, North Carolina State 1.

COUNTING ON CANAVAN PRIZE S. L. PORTSIDER

HUGH CANAVAN.

Manager John J. McGloskey, of the Chicks, believes that in Hughie Canavan, the Tribe has the class of the Southern league, when it comes to left-handers. Hughie last season was one of the best in the circuit, and this year he is expecting to be the chief troublemaker for Rube Robinson, of Little Rock, who has long been at the head of the column of star portsiders in Dixieland. Canavan will probably oppose Robinson in the opening game of the season in Little Rock, April 14, in a battle of left-handers.

Soccer Champs Meet At Hodges In Opener

St. Louisians Confident They Will Take Measure of Memphians, But Latter Kickers Believe They' Will Turn the Tables on the Missouri Co ntingent.

The first of the inter-city matches for the soccer championship will start Saturday afternoon when the Floyds, the local contenders, will take on the St. Louis champions at Hodges field, Somerville and Jefferson. The second or Sunday game will also be played at Hodges field, but will start at 2:30 o'clock, as the St. Louis team will leave that evening.

With a perfect soccer day to greet them the St. Louis contingent, 20 strong, arrived Saturday morning. They are accompanied by Rodowe Abekin, superintendent of recreation of the department of parks of St. Louis. The St. Louisans have the appearance of being a young, agile crowd of athletes. All are brimming with enthusiasm and confidence, although they are expecting a hard tussle in the series here.

Saturday and Sunday will go down in the annals of the M. A. A. as the red letter days of soccer. The local athletic association deserves unstinted praise and co-operation in this great undertaking.

The greensward at Hodges field should be the scene of the greatest gathering of fans that ever turned out for any event put on by the M. A. A. if one may judge by the way that this new branch of sport has taken a hold here. The soccer crowds of the last three weeks outnumbered anything ever put on by the association.

That the fans will be greatly repaid for their visit to Somerville and Jefferson goes without saying, as both teams are composed of stars of the first magnitude.

The lineup:

ST. LOUIS		FLOYDS.
Wilcox	Goal	Semple
Daley	L. B.	B. Bishop
H. Prevaliet	R. B.	B. Bishop
Farmer	L. H.	Wildash
Bischoff	C. H.	Burnett
Kineally	R. H.	J. Ackerman
Wimer	O. L.	W. Ackerman
V. Prevaliet	I. L.	Griffith
Miller	C.	Webb
Bub	I. R.	Chisholm
DuRocher	O. R.	Senior

Americans vs. British.

As the teams line up they will represent an all-American born team against an all-British team. The Floyds is composed of English, Scotch and Welsh players, all of whom have learned the game on the other side of the water. No less than two of them are the proud possessors of medals which show that they were on some of the greatest teams of the British islands.

The heterogeneous collection of nationalities as is indicated by the St. Louis lineup are native Americans and most proud of the same.

The St. Louis champions have battled their way to the top by decisively eliminating the victors of at least eight other leagues, composed of four teams such as our DeSoto and Chickasaw leagues. From reports they are masters at everything that is known to the expert soccerite. They seem to be specialists in speed as well as with the short pass and at heading the ball. Their goal tender, Wilcox, is the most experienced man on the team as he has been playing the game much longer than the others. He and his backfield will have their hands full in taking care of such masters of the game as Senior, Chisholm, Webb, Griffith and Ackerman. Bub and Wimer seem to be the trump forwards of the St. Louis attacking line. The former is an adept at the heading game. Miller at center has a wicked low shot and is to be feared if he gets near the goal. The wing men, V. Prevaliet and DuRocher, are the speed merchants of the club, and are artists at crossing.

Farmer, Bischoff and Kineally are a rugged trio and have been stumbling blocks for many an adverse forward.

Floyds Look Good.

It is hard to see a better wrought together combination of players than the Floyds. The defense lines of the Memphis team seems to be the best balanced part of the machine. With Semple in goal and the Bishop brothers as backs it is hard to imagine a better combination. In what is known as the backbone of a soccer team, Memphis has three of the hardest playing half-backs that can be expected to be found anywhere.

The great popularity of soccer with the lady folks should make the Wilson stadium a mass of color, as no less than one-half of the soccer fans are ladies who have become keen judges of the niceties of the game.

Brother James, of C. B. C., will officiate, while Ison and Senior will act as linesmen for Memphis.

Arrangements have been made with the street car company to stop at Somerville.

Ladies and children will be admitted free to all games.

Hunter Hill Gets Bob Tarleton's Job As Galveston Pilot

GALVESTON, Tex., April 3.—Hunter B. Hill last night succeeded Bob Tarleton as manager of the Galveston, Texas league baseball club. Hill is a veteran of the Texas league, having at one time been manager of the Houston and Dallas, Texas league teams. Neither Tarleton nor the directors of the Galveston club would make any statement early tonight regarding the reason for the change. Hill arrived in Galveston today.

ROUND THE TICKER

Grain.

Chicago.—Stock land last month total 87,700,000 vs. 55,100,000 last year; meat stocks, 349,000,000 pounds vs. 399,000,000 pounds last year.

Grain belt forecast: Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas: Rain or snow tonight and Sunday, colder. Minnesota and North and South Dakota: Generally fair tonight and Sunday, warmer Sunday.

Chicago.—Broad demand both corn and oats. Orders all for small quantities. Babcock to Clark & Co.

Chicago.—The car situation is the cause of high prices of corn. Farmers are anxious to sell. Reports from reliable sources say Eastern railroads are to furnish 300 cars a day to ship grain. We have had a big advance and should there be an increased movement premiums would go very fast. It is nearing the time when the elevator men and handlers of corn do not care to keep a stock on hand as the heating season is not far off. There may be some money made on the long side yet, but I think there are much better investments than playing the long side of an overbought corn market.—O'Brien of Clement Curtis.

Chicago—Grain Opinions as Sent to Clark & Co.—Lambson Bros.: Indications point to a freer distribution of cars. Simons: Receipts not expected to show any increase until farmers are through with field work. Ware-Leland: Look for reactions but do not suggest any material change in basic condition which make for strength in farm products for some time. Clement Curtis: With a prospect of high wheat price the trade expects corn to run high. Pressea Co.: If he could do it, the farmer would sell every bushel of corn he has because he is well satisfied with present price.

Chicago—It is said few millers will be willing to sell their wheat, as present market prices are higher than it cost them and it can not be replaced at the same figures as not more than 500,000 bushels are held here other than that owned by the millers. Any wheat resold to the grain corporation will be resold to the millers. The price will be around $2.25 and will include storage charges. What wheat there is resold will be resold to other millers at the regular price plus 22 cents charges up to April 18. Allotment of wheat taken back will be made here April 12.—Clement, Curtis and Co. to McFall.

Chicago—The time between now and first delivery day of May contracts is so short the corn market will not be weakened by anything other than liberal receipts and disappearance of premiums. Severe temperatures the last 36 hours, together with low condition of winter wheat crop, are factors of a sentimental nature. Oats is giving indications of responding to strength in cash situation. It's an open question as to whether the investment side markets is warranted, but it is well demonstrated there is no virtue in selling side of the May deliveries.—T. & M. to Clark & Co.

INCREASED DEMAND SENDS STERLING UP

NEW YORK, April 3.—Dealers in exchange reported an active market for London remittances today. The rate for demand bills rose to $3.97 with cables at $3.98.

These are the highest quotations in this market since last December and show a recovery of almost 50 per cent from the low of February when demand fell to $2.18.

French and Italian quotations were only nominally better today and remittances to other continental European centers were light.

Carpentier's Life's Story

BY JACK VEIOCK.

CHAPTER III.

Descamps began to have visions of his wildest dreams for the boy being realized. He had been the first to see in this raw youth the material for the making of a fistic champion. He had discovered the gold in young Carpentier's fists. To Descamps goes the glory of having discovered Carpentier, and to Georges the credit for never flinching, even in defeat, from the moment he set out to conquer unknown fields.

Carpentier made his debut in the ring as an amateur, rather than as a professional, as some writers have recorded. In 1907 he was entered in the amateur championship in France and lost in the final bout on points to a boxer named Mazoir. But he gave away weight in this tournament and prior to being outpointed by Mazoir he defeated Bourgeois and Wetinck. In face of the fact that Mazoir became one of the best amateur champions of France, Carpentier's initial setback at his hands was anything but a disgrace. And at this time he was scarcely more than 12 years old.

From his tournament Carpentier went back to Lens with Descamps, and a year later entered professional ranks. In the meantime Descamps did everything possible to bring out and develop every ounce of boxing talent possessed by his protege, and on several occasions Georges took part in impromptu scraps. One of these occurred when a traveling circus, boasting a troupe of "man eating" professional boxers, came to Lens. In this troupe was a rough-and-ready American scrapper. The official ballyhoo orator of the circus loudly proclaimed the merits of this boxer. In the crowd were Descamps and Carpentier. The "American" boxer, it was explained, challenged any man to stand before him. Carpentier clenched his young fists and nudged Descamps. The professor nodded assent.

When Carpentier slim and pale, stood up to announce that he would meet the terrible slugger the ballyhoo man protested that it would be unthinkable. Surely Carpentier must be joking. But the crowd howled down the speaker and followed Carpentier into the tent to witness the contest, uneven though it appeared. It was there that Carpentier scored his first knockout. In the second round the burly "American" went down, oblivious to what was going on around him. When he came to his senses he refused to believe that Carpentier had knocked him out. He was sure someone must have dropped a brick house on him.

This victory determined Carpentier to start out professionally. It created a real sensation in Lens, and before so very long Carpentier's reputation as a fighter began to spread. In company with Descamps he often visited adjacent towns, where traveling circuses were holding forth for the purpose of showing up the mediocre bruisers who were posing as champion boxers. Even in this Carpentier picked up points of the game that were unknown to him—unknown also to Descamps, who at that time knew but little of the real English and American styles of boxing.

Carpentier's real debut as a professional was made against a boxer named Moinereau, whom he knocked out in three rounds. His first long bout in the professional ring, however, was his battle with the sturdy Kid Salmon.

Salmon, in his day, was one of the best French fighters of his weight who had ever drawn on a glove. He had been discovered by the Maisons-Lafitte trainer, "Snowy" Lawrence, as he came into prominence in a series of bouts with another boxer named Pepper. The two were deadly rivals for the affections of a ballet girl at the Folies Bergere, where they were engaged to spar. Both had been taught some of the finer points of the English method of boxing and Lawrence claims that they were the real pioneers in opening the eyes of Paris to the fact that scientific boxing is a worthy sport.

Under the tutelage of Lawrence Salmon became a fistic idol. He repeatedly challenged anyone of his weight in France to meet him. He easily defeated all comers. After a time opponents for Salmon could not be found. None could stand against him. And then, at a time when Salmon was mourning the fact that the French nation had failed to produce more good boxers he received a challenge from Carpentier, then a 14-year-old, for a 20-round bout with four-ounce gloves. The challenge was backed up by an offer of a side bet, all of which created considerable merriment in Maisons-Lafitte, Salmon's home town. But articles were duly signed, forfeits posted and Maisons-Lafitte awaited the coming of this presuming youngster from the north of France who dared to face the invincible Salmon.

(To Be Continued.)

MISCELLANEOUS

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Poultry, unchanged. Butter, creamery, 64c. Eggs, 38½c.

KANSAS CITY, April 3.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs, current receipts, 20c higher; $12.30 per case; firsts, 1c higher, 42c.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Butter, strong; creamery firsts, 63@66½c. Eggs, firm; fresh gathered firsts, 41½@44c. Cheese, irregular; average run, 28@29c.

Live poultry nominal; no prices quoted. Dressed steady; prices unchanged.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Butter, higher; creamery, 49@65c.

Eggs, higher; receipts, 18,926 cases; firsts, 40½@41½c; ordinary firsts, 39@40c; at mark, cases included, 39@40½c.

Poultry alive unchanged.

SAVANNAH, April 3.—Turpentine steady; 253; no sales; receipts, 48; shipments 10; stock 2,274. Rosin steady and unchanged. No sales; receipts, 248; shipments, 522; stock, 18,266. Quote: B, $16.25; D, $7.50; E, F, G, H, I, $7.60; K, $8.00; M, $8.25; N, $8.70; Wg, $9.25; Ww, $9.75.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Bar silver, $1.26. Mexican dollars, 96c.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Potatoes, strong; receipts, 28 cars; Northern white round, sacked, $5.95@6.10; Northern white round, bulk, $6.10@6.25; Idaho russets, $7.00@7.35.

BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week show that they hold $21,815,700 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $10,010,240 from last week.

The statement follows:

ACTUAL CONDITION.

Loans, discounts, etc., $5,182,776,000, increase $67,646,000.

Cash in vaults, members federal reserve bank, $90,782,000; decrease $5,155,000.

Reserve in federal reserve bank of member banks, $560,755,000; increase $4,891,000.

Reserve in own vaults, state banks and trust companies, $12,698,000; decrease $43,000.

Reserve in depositories, state banks and trust companies, $11,303,000; increase $394,000.

x—Net demand deposits, $4,240,218,000; increase $199,144,000.

Time deposits, $251,692,000; decrease $6,995,000.

Circulation, $36,525,000; increase $450,000.

Aggregate reserve, $584,756,000.

Excess reserve, $21,819,000; decrease $10,010,240.

x—U. S. deposits deducted, $70,681,000.

Joe Mandot Loses In Comeback Bout To Bobby Harper

SEATTLE, Wash., April 3.—Bobby Harper, Seattle, won a decision over Joe Mandot, New Orleans lightweight, in a four-round bout here last night.

Pal Moore Arrives For Bramer Battle

Memphis Bantam Already in Condition and Confident He Will Be Returned Winner Over Pacific Coast Flash in Monday Engagement—Prelims Promise To Be Fast.

BY BOB PIGUE.

Pal Moore, Memphis bantamweight and leading contender for the bantam crown now embellishing the dome of Pete Herman, arrived in Memphis Saturday morning fit and fine, and ready for his Monday night glove engagement with Harry Bramer, of Frisco. Moore was accompanied to Memphis by his manager, Nate Lewis, who will second him Monday night. Pal appears to be in excellent condition, and states that he will need little work to put him on edge for the Monday show. Moore will work out Saturday and Sunday afternoons at the Southern A. C.

JUST OUT OF GOTHAM.

Pal and Lewis are direct from New York city, where they have been for the past several weeks. They went over to New York to welcome Georges Carpentier, French heavyweight, who only recently arrived in this country for a prolonged stay. Nate Lewis has been the representative of several New York promoters in negotiations with Carpentier for his bout with Jack Dempsey for the heavyweight championship of the world, and prior to Carpentier's arrival in the United States Lewis was in constant communication with him.

Moore knew Carpentier before the Frenchman came over, having met him while he was over in London and Paris meeting Jimmy Wilde and Eugene Criqui. Lewis states that he has secured the signature of Carpentier for an eight-round no-decision match for Memphis the later part of May or the first of June.

Pal has had an earful about Harry Bramer since he landed in Memphis and enthusiastic bugs have been telling the Memphian that he has a tough boy to fight Monday night. Moore merely says that he has fought every tough boy in the business and that one more makes no difference.

"I have fought them all," says Pal. "When I fought Jimmy Wilde I think I took on the best little man in the business, and as I feel that I defeated him I have nothing to fear from any of the others. I understand Bramer is a good boy and he must have been good to put up such a good fight as I understand he did against Kid Wolfe here a while back. I am not looking for a soft evening by any means, but believe I will be able to take care of myself and my fistic reputation without any great amount of effort."

TO STAY HERE WEEK.

Moore will remain here visiting his family for about a week. He gets home about three times a year, and always pays a visit to his mother, father, brothers and sisters. Pal's wife is here with him.

Bramer has been working hard daily at the Southern A. C., getting ready for the Monday bout, and announced Saturday that he never felt better or finer fighting trim. Harry is going to make 120 pounds for Moore at 6 o'clock Monday evening, and had to take off a pound or so to come in at that figure.

He says that he will be able to make the stipulated weight without hurting himself. Moore will probably enter the ring weighing 118 pounds.

Tickets have been going fast, and all ringside "squats" have already been gobbled up. But there are still quite a few of the reserved pasteboards available, and these are expected to be taken fast. It is more than probable that every seat in the house will be gone before noon Monday, so great is the interest in the approaching mill.

There will be two eight-round contests, and two of four, to make up the card. Moore and Bramer will travel eight rounds, the Mexican Kid and Billy Smith, local lighties, are down for eight. There will also be a battle royal.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 3.—Hogs—Receipts fair; steady; heavy, $14.50@15.25; medium, 15.25@16.25; packer sows, $11.00@12.00; thin, $10.00@11.00; skins, $8.00@10.00; stockers, 60 to 80 pounds, $10.00@11.00; 80 pounds and up, $11.00@13.00; pigs, fat, $12.00@15.50; thin, $10.00@11.00.

Cattle—Receipts, light; steady. Steers, medium heavy, $9.00@11.50; light butchers, $8.00@9.00; thin common, $6.50@8.00; choice light stockers, $8.00@9.50; butcher heifers, $8.00@10.00; fat cows, $7.00@9.50; cutters, $5.25@6.00; canners $4.00@4.50; veal calves, good, $12.00@14.00; light and poor, $7.00@10.00; bulls, fat, $8.50@9.00; thin, $5.00@6.50; milch cows, medium, $60@85; good, $85@125.

KANSAS CITY, April 3.—Hogs, 12,000. Steady to 25c lower. Bulk, $14.75@15.00; no heavies; mediums, $14.75@15.75; lights, $15.25@15.50.

Cattle, 350, for week. Better grade beef and butcher cattle strong to 25c higher; others steady; calves, 25c to 75c lower.

Sheep, 500; higher for week.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Cattle: Receipts, 6,000, compared with a week ago, market mostly steady; fat steers, $14.25; beef steers and fat she stock, 35c to 50c higher; yearlings, 50c to 75c up; canners, irregular; mostly steady; feeders and calves dull.

Sheep: Receipts, 8,000, compared with a week ago; market steady; 80 to 82-pound shorn lambs, $17.25@17.50; wooled stock unchanged.

Hogs: Receipts, 9,000, light grades steady to 10c higher. Other grades, steady to 25c lower. Bulk, $15.00@16.00; heavy, $14.50@15.65; pigs, $12.50@15.25.

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 15c to 25c lower; bulk, $15.75@16.40; heavy, $14.00@15.75; medium, $15.75@16.50; light, $15.50@16.60; pigs, $11.00@16.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 600; higher for week; calves, lower.

Sheep—Receipts, 900; for week, lambs, lower; sheep, steady.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 1,800; active, 25c higher; 250 pounds up $15.25; 165 to 250 pounds, $16.25; 120 to 165 pounds, $15.75;