:-: SPORT-O-GRAPHS :-:

BY INSIDER

The recent organization of the Old Timers' Baseball Association, and the election to the Presidency of that group of gentlemen, of William J. Marks, who, in 1900, was the first temporary President of the Catholic Baseball League, has caused the Catholic Courier to delve into records of by-gone days in an effort to revive memories of teams and individuals in the Catholic League of yesteryear, which none will deny was the most powerful amateur and semi-professional league this city has ever known. Through the courtesy of Attorney Bill Carey, who was Secretary-Treasurer of the League, we are able this week, and in succeeding weeks to come, to bring back some of those old days in box score form. This paper hopes the athletes of 1902 and 1903, as well as old time fans who were rabid followers of the circuit, will derive a lot of kick out of reviewing contests played 30 and 31 years ago, games that were bitterly fought at old South Park and Culver Field diamonds, before such huge crowds that, on more than one occasion, owners of the Rochester, Eastern League franchise, made futile attempts to break it up.

Mr. Carey's famed scrap book, yellow with age, has been loaned to the Catholic Courier. We assure no harm will come to this priceless record. The writer has perused the book and it vividly brought back games and incidents which, as a barefooted kid, he witnessed so many years ago. We number many of the old timers in the Catholic League among our friends today. Thirty years ago they were little tin Gods to us.

We know the Old Timers will relish these reminiscences as much as we did. It was pleasant to read of the play of such star performers of those days as Phil Regglesberger, Jimmy and Charley Heveron, Billy McNamara, Bill Karline, Lloyd Waldock, Charley Hall, Orrie Glasser, Paddy Boland, John Garin, Steve O'Rourke, Matty Cloonin, Jack Seiler, "Mush" Finn, Ollie Legler, Billy Stupp, Walt McRoden, and scores of others, many of whom have passed over the Great Beyond. Vic Schlitzer, of Corpus Christi, was one member of the league to make the grade in the Big Show. He twirled successfully for Connie Mack in Philadelphia several years ago. Vic is in St. Louis now. Bernie McNeil, Ed. Frank, McNamara, Courneen, and many others, played in the smaller minor circuits.

At the outset a word about the formation of the League might not be out of order. The real organizers of the circuit were George Hawken and Emmett K. Courneen, of the Immaculate Conception parish. Both were active members of the Young Men's Society of that Church. Seeking some means of recreation for the members of the Society, they set about to choose a team from among its members. Booking games with other teams proved to be difficult, for the Immaculates had no uniforms, or other equipment necessary to attract the attention of other nines, and not until the pair went into St. Bridget's parish, looking for opposition, were they successful. Bill Marks, a leader in that Young Men's Society at St. Bridgets, popular among parishioners, and a star ball player himself, immediately accepted the gauntlet thrown down by Hawken and Courneen, and a series of seven games was arranged.

This happened in the summer of 1899. The teams battled right down to the deciding fray, with the Immaculates winning the odd game. Little more was done until the next winter when invitations were sent to representatives of Cathedral, St. Monicas, SS. Peter and Paul, St. Mary's, and St. Michael's, to join the Immaculates and St. Bridgets in the formation of a permanent organization. It was necessary for Hawken, Courneen and Marks to throw every bit of mature optimism that they possessed into the venture before four teams, i. e., Immaculates, St. Bridgets, Cathedral and St. Monica's fell into line. St. Michael's, and SS. Peter and Paul begged off, due they claimed, to lack of good enough playing material to adequately field a team. With the games to be played at old Riverside Park, it looked like anything but a bed of roses. It appeared that first year to be a lost cause. More of this in another issue of the Catholic Courier, however. Let's play ball.

While no continuity of games can be successfully adhered to, we have chosen the opening game of the season of 1903 to reproduce this week. The Immaculate Conception team, winners of the pennant in 1901 and 1902, opened the schedule against Holy Apostles, and started off its conquest to win its third pennant, which, by way of mention, it did. This game was played at South Park on May 13th, and, according to newspaper accounts, was witnessed by 2,500 fans. It was a game replete with hard hitting but poor fielding. The winners erred eleven times, while Holy Apostles booted eight.

Edward "Bucky" Shaughnessy and Charley Hawken were the points for the Immaculates, while "Lefty" Miller and "Ginger" Gallagher formed the Holy Apostle battery. Although supported badly in the field, Bucky was also given a lot of runs to work with, and he was able to "breeze home" after the fifth inning. Shaughnessy struck out twelve hitters while Miller fanned nine of the Immaculates. Each pitcher walked one, but Miller had two balks and a wild pitch.

Led by Bill Love, now Justice of Supreme Court, the winners maced Miller's slants for fifteen solid swats. Love had two triples and three singles, and dented the rubber five times. Benny McGrady, Joe Hogan, and Tommy Curvin, the last named with a home run, ably supported Love with the willow. McGrady slashed out a double.

Paddy Boland, local contractor, whose younger brother, Bernie, pitched later for the Detroit Americans, was the leading hitter for Holy Apostles. Paddy duplicated Curvin's act of belting out a long drive for a homer. Boland, and Bert Major, also, batted out three base hits. Gallagher, Miller, and Bill Moran each had a brace of hits. Boland, it may be interesting to recall, played first base, caught, and performed at second and short, as well as cavorted in the outfield for Holy Apostles, and he played well in all positions. The fact that he was a left-hand thrower wasn't considered a handicap in those days.

The offenders in the field were John Kelly, deceased, Joe Hogan, Tommy Curvin, Love, Shaughnessy, Ed Burke, now a mail carrier, and Moran, all of whom messed up two chances of batted balls. Luke Norton, Boland, Major, Jack Spitz, and Gallagher, had one error each. The press account reads in part: "At times each team played rather loosely, the Immaculates being the chief offenders, but easily outclassed their opponents in base running. Holy Apostles seemed afraid to take chances."

Here's the box score of that game. How many of you remember it?

IMMACULATES 20— HOLY APOSTLES 11

Immaculate	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly, rf	6	1	0	0	0	2
Hogan, 2nd	5	3	2	5	2	1
Curvin, ss	6	3	2	1	4	2
Love, 1st	6	5	5	5	0	2
McGrady, 3rd	6	2	3	1	1	0
Ward, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Connolly, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Norton, cf	3	0	0	1	0	1
McNeil, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hawken, c	4	2	1	13	2	0
Shaughnessy, p	5	2	0	0	1	2
	48	20	15	27	9	11

Holy Apostles	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boland, 1st	6	3	3	7	0	1
Major, lf	6	2	1	0	0	1
Burke, cf	6	0	0	3	0	2
Mack, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Moran, ss	4	1	2	0	2	2
Spitz, 3rd	5	0	1	0	1	1
Flynn, 2nd	5	1	0	4	0	0
Gallagher, c	5	2	2	8	0	1
Miller, p	5	2	2	2	0	0
	46	11	11	24	3	8

Score by innings:

Holy Apostles	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	4	—11
Immaculate	0	5	3	2	5	0	1	4	x	—20

Two-base hits, McGrady; three-base hits, Love 2, Boland, Major; home run, Boland, Curvin; double play, Miller to Boland; base on balls, off Miller 1, Shaughnessy 1; hit by pitched ball, by Shaughnessy 2; struck out by Shaughnessy 12, by Miller 9; balks, Miller 2; passed ball, Hawken; time, 1::35; attendance, 2,500; Umpire, Lossie Stone.

NEXT FRIDAY

In next week's issue of the Catholic Courier the St. Bridget - Corpus Christi game, played on May 17, 1903. Hank Dailey, for Corpus Christi, and Matty Cloonin, deceased, were the opposing pitchers in this game.

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Catholic League Indoor Tossers Start 2nd Half

The St. Andrews band of indoor tossers received a severe shock on last Sunday morning, when, with Tony Ferrari on the mound, and girding at the loins for a winning start in the second half of the Catholic Indoor League, they went down to unexpected defeat at the hands of Our Lady of Sorrows. The champions bit the dust to the tune of 3 to 1 because Joe Cordaro meted out but four scattered hits to them, while Ferrari, heretofore undefeated in league competition, was clucked for six. These half dozen blows sufficed for three runs, two more than the champs were able to send over the rubber. Marky Chafel, who sometimes bowls in the winter, proved the handy man with the stick for the winners.

St. Boniface began auspiciously with a 5 to 4 win over St Monica's. This game showed up a Frank Merriwell finish. With the score tied at four all, Pitcher Paprocki, of St. Boniface, stepped up in the ninth and whaled one of Deprez's offerings to the tall timbers to bring home victory for the Gregory Street aggregation.

Holy Apostles swatted the offerings of Joe Mason and Krenzer for fifteen blows and sent Holy Family home on the short end of a 12 to 7 score. McConnell and Barnes divided the mound work between them for Lyell Avenue. Barnes relieved McConnell in the sixth and handcuffed Holy Redeemer while his team mates came from behind. Shatzel, swatted out two long circuit drives to feature.

"Lefty" Schlafer found Holy Redeemer tough pickings and his St. Augustine outfit wilted before the slants of Cubica. Holy Redeemer had one big inning, the fifth, during which they pushed over five runs, which was big enough margin to win. The final was 9 to 2.

With two favorites, St Andrews and Holy Family, defeated the first time out, it appears that the league has strengthened, which means a tighter race and more interesting games this half. The defeat of St. Andrews was unlooked for. The Portland Avenue lads had won the first half championship quite easily.

Score by innings of last week's games:

St. Andrews—
0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 1
O. L. O. S. —
0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 x—3 6 0
Ferrari and Tischler, Cordaro and Terry.

Holy Redeemer's—
0 0 1 0 5 0 0 2 —9 10 1
St. Augustine's—
2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 3
Cubica and Boehley; Schlafer and Nally.

Holy Family—
1 2 1 3 0 0 0 0 0— 7 8 3
Holy Apostles—
2 3 1 0 0 2 2 2 x—12 15 3
Mason, Krenzer and Rosenbauer; McConnell, Barnes and Volzano.

St. Monica's—
0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1—4 8 1
St. Boniface—
0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 1 -5 8 2
DePrez and Bedford; Paprocki and Gallagher.

Schedule for Sunday, July 16

Holy Rosary vs. St. Monica, Genesee Valley Pk.

St. Boniface vs. St. Augustine, Athletic Field.

Holy Apostles vs. St. Andrew, St. Andrew Field.

Holy Family vs. O. L. O. S., Shuler's Field.

Holy Redeemer gets the bye.

Obituary

CARL F. DRAXL

Funeral services for Carl F. Draxl, aged 24 years, who was killed when his automobile overturned on the Rochester-Lakeville Road, near East Avon on Monday night, July 3, were conducted Friday morning at the home 54 Gilbert Drive and at St. Ambrose Church where solemn high Mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Walter B. McCarthy, pastor.

In the sanctuary were the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John F. Bonpel, Chancellor of the diocese; the Rev. Joseph Vogt, the Rev. John J. Burke, the Rev. Joseph E. Maloney, the Rev. Roy F. Hagerty and the Rev. Joseph E. Grady.

The bearers were: George Deisenroth, Raymond C. Lettau, John P. Rodman, Eugene Sadler, Charles Wiesner and Harold Weiss.

Mr. Draxl was a member of the Board of Directors of St. Boniface Club, Beta Theta hPi fraternity and the Holy Name Society of St. Ambrose Church.

Interment was made at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery where the final blessing was given by Father Burke and Father Hagerty.

He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Draxl; four brothers, Joseph, Rudolph, Jr., Paul and Robert and one sister, Miss Mary A. Draxl.

ORDAINS FIRST PRIEST

Salt Lake City—(NCWC) — The Rev. William Edward Vaughn is the first priest to be ordained by the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Salt Lake. The ordination took place in the Cathedral of the Madeleine, here. Father Vaughn is the second native son to be ordained for the Diocese of Salt Lake.

Delegates of Catholic Men's Federation Will Attend Pittsburgh Convention

Pittsburgh has been selected as the place of the 1933 annual national convention of the Catholic Central Verein of America, as well as of the convention of the National Catholic Women's Union, a sister society. These conventions will be held from the 20th to the 23rd of August simultaneously, in two sections.

The Most Rev. Bishop Boyle, D.D., a great friend of the Central Verein, who extended a cordial invitation to the organization to convene in his episcopal city, has accepted the honorary chairmanship of the arrangements, and is expected to pontificate at the opening Mass.

It is just in a crisis of the kind at present encountered throughout the world that the Catholic Central Verein has done its most effective work in the eighty years of its existence, for God, for the Church, for nations, countries, and for all mankind. Its officers and members include the hierarchy, clergy and laity who devote all their studies and energy to the solving of intricate social problems, and to the practical applications of the fundamental principles of social justice, so strongly advocated in recent times by Pope Leo XIII., Bishop Kettler and Pope Pius XI.

For this reason all eyes are being directed to the forthcoming convention, and efforts are being made to include among its speakers those of highest authority and well known eloquence. A Catholic mass meeting is scheduled for Sunday evening, August 20, in one of the largest auditoriums available. Among the speakers will be the Rev. H. J. Miller, of Fort Wayne, Ind., who will treat the subject "The Seventh Commandment and the Social Question," while the Very Rev. Sigmund Cratz, O.M Cap., will speak on "Man, Created in the Image of God, a Social Problem." W. Eibner, of Minnesota, is national president of the men.

F. P. Kenkel, national director of the Central Verein, from St. Louis, and Mrs. S. Wavering, national president of the Catholic Women's Union, will attend and report on the work accomplished in the past year.

For the greater convenience of all delegates to the convention, all sessions of the men and women will be held in spacious halls in the Fort Pitt Hotel, while all religious services will be conducted in the beautiful St. Augustine's Church, a short distance from the headquarters of the convention.

Delegates of the Catholic Men's Federation of Monroe County named to attend the national convention of the Central Verein of America of which the Federation is the local branch are as follows, the Rev. Joseph H. Gefell, Hon. Phillip H. Donnelly, Joseph T. Oho, Frank C Hehnlein, Ray Hermle, William J. Fuehrer, Charles T. Trott, John F. DeVelder, Lawrence Weider, George J. Leicht, Killian F. Eckert, Peter Lotto, Benedict Ehmann, and Alphonse J. Berleth.

Three Girls Complete Grammar Course At Holy Angels Home

The annual June entertainment, marking the close of the school year, was held at Holy Angels Home, Winton Road North, on Friday, June 30. A capacity audience of relatives and friends of the girls enthusiastically greeted their efforts to entertain and all agreed that this entertainment was the best yet. The program was diversified and offered an opportunity to each girl to participate, according to her special ability.

The chorus numbers revealed not only many pleasant voices but also a natural ability and a real joy in the singing. There were dances, an operetta and a shadow play, besides the usual recitations on the program. The closing number was a dramatic episode in one act, in which the participants created, in a real fashion, an atmosphere of mystery and romance. The stage decorations and furnishings as well as the costumes worn were all designed and executed by the girls themselves.

Three of the girls finished the required work of the eighth grade and will receive the State Regents Diplomas. The others completed the work of their respective elementary grades and of the commercial department and will take up new work in the Fall. Following the entertainment, several of the girls left the institution, some going to their homes, others taking up domestic service in the city.

Holy Angels Home is an institution, located on Winton Road North and conducted by the Sisters of the Good Shepherd. It is a boarding school and intended for girls who need or will benefit by the training, given in the institution, to prepare them for the responsibilities of life in the community.

It is strictly a training school and not a detention home for the more serious moral delinquents. A thorough study of each girl is made in co-operation with the Child Study Department of the S. P. C. C. and treatment is on an individual basis in the light of the findings of such study. Besides the academic work, which meets the requirements of the Diocesan school board, the school also offers courses in sewing, handiwork, first aid and music. Ample facilities for recreation are afforded and the religious training is under the supervision of priests of the diocese.

Attorney William Carey Located In New Offices

William J. Carey, well known attorney and a past grand knight of Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus, has moved his law offices to 408 Ellwanger and Barry Building. Mr. Carey has been located in the Ellwanger and Barry Building for 25 years. He is well remembered as the secretary of the famous Catholic Young Men's Baseball League of about 30 years ago. Mr. Carey is associated with James A. Whitley and George J. Whitley in the new location.

EDITOR 50 YEARS A PRIEST

Carthagena, O. — The Rev. Benedict Boebner, C. PP. S., editor of The Messenger of the Most Precious Blood, will observe the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on August 1. He will also observe the sixtieth anniversary of his entrance into the Society of the Precious Blood on the same date. Father Benedict for many years has been a member of the Catholic Press Association of the United States, and has regularly attended its annual meetings.

When using an electric fan, if the buzz is annoying, slip a thick newspaper or magazine under the base of the fan and the noise will cease.

Holy Redeemer Parish Outing Scheduled for Tuesday, July 18th

Close to 1,000 parishioners and friends of Holy Redeemer Parish are expected to attend the annual parish picnic at Ontario Beach Park, Grounds No. 2, Tuesday, July 18, which is being sponsored by the Sacred Heart Sodality.

The arrangements are under the supervision of the Rev F William Stauder, pastor. President Mary Werner of the Sacred Heart Sodality has appointed Mrs Anna Storandt as general chairman over a large committee of workers.

Games will be started promptly at 3 p. m. There will be the customary races. Prizes will be awarded for the oldest woman and the oldest man on the grounds, the latest newlyweds, the youngest baby, and other special events.

The committee in charge asks that each person attending the outing bring a cup.

Camp Stella Maris To Be Scene of Card Party For Benefit of the Camp

The second in a series of card parties for the benefit of Camp Stella Maris will be held on the Camp grounds Thursday afternoon, July 20. Cards will be played from 2 P. M. until 5:00. Thursday afternoon is the regular visiting time for parents and friends of the campers but everyone is invited to come to the card party and remain for supper and the camp fire in the evening.

Arrangements are in charge of Mrs. Ben Ehmann and Mrs. Martin Wahl. Tickets for the card party may be procured at the Camp or at Columbus Civic Centre.

Local People Cruising On Great Lake Steamers

The following residents of Rochester are cruising on the Great Lakes aboard Steamship Juaniata, of the Great Lakes Transit Corporation: Mrs. C. F. Warrant, Rochester, R. F. D. No. 2; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Morley, Gertrude E Morley, and Robert F. Morley, 115 Windemere Rd.; Mr. Joseph Grady, 267 Kenwood Ave.; Mr. Kenneth B. McEwen, 240 Seneca Parkway.

Mrs. Cecelia I. Hughes, 111 Westminster Road; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hart, Ruth, Betty, Margery, and Hazel Hart, 1200 East Avenue; Miss Hazel B. Case, 5 Castle Park; Miss Anne L. Ade, 129 Highland Parkway.

Mrs. Anna Wegman, Mr. Walter E. Wegman, Miss Cecelia Wegman, Robert Wegman and James Wegman, 4316 St. Paul Blvd.; Mrs. Frank Dennis, 5 Castle Park; Mrs. H. C. Peoples, 88 Golfside Parkway; Mrs. J. M. Scanlon, Mrs. Dorothy Scanlon, Miss Lucille Kavanagh, 225 Dorchester Road; Alfred B. Heggie, Chamber of Commerce.

The following residents of Rochester are cruising on the Great Lakes aboard the Steamship Tionesta, of the Great Lakes Transit Corporation: Mr. and Mrs. Dwight S. Wetmore, Mr. Eugene Wetmore, 14 Gramercy Park; Mr. William D. Clapp, Mr. Stephan A. Clapp, 50 Beverly St.

MASS RETURNS TO CHEDDAR

London. — (NCWC) — Cheddar, Somersetshire village famous throughout the world for its cheese, has never had a Catholic church, at any rate not this side of the Reformation. Now it is to have regular Sunday Mass, said by one of the Benedictines of Downside Abbey. The Downside Benedictines say Mass each Sunday in ten or eleven centers in the neighborhood of their abbey.

35th Anniversary To Be Observed By Auxiliary No. 43

St. Joseph's Auxiliary, No. 43, Knights of St. John, will celebrate their 35th anniversary with a High Mass and Holy Communion on Sunday, July 16, at which they will be escorted by the Sir Knights of St. Eustace Commandery, No. 39. The Mass will be celebrated by the Rev. Frederick Nastvogel, C. SS. R., spiritual adviser of the Auxiliary.

Tuesday evening at 7.00 P. M., a banquet will be held in the Columbus Civic Center Ballroom as a climax to this celebration. Invitations have been extended to the Vicar Capitular Rt. Rev. Wm. Hart, Rev. Frederick Nastvogel, C. SS. R., Col. Frank Biel, Col. Joseph Weis, Supreme President of the Ladies Auxiliary, Teresa Ganster and the Sir Knights of St. Eustace Commandery, No. 39. After the Dinner, an Exhibition Drill will be put on by the District Drill Team, No. 1, of New York, under the command of Major Fred Wegman; songs will be sung by Mrs. Rose Fromm assisted by Miss Mary Bach.

General Chairlady of celebrations, Mrs. Cora Verhoeven; Honorary Chairlady Pres., Margaret Kolb, assisted by the six Charter Members, Mrs. Margaret Groh, Mrs. B. Diesenroth, Mrs. Clara Twitchell, Mrs. Mame Vogt, Mrs. S. House and Mrs. Anna Englert. Miss Anna McHale, chairlady of Reception Committee, assisted by Mrs. Adele Heinzle, Mrs. Rose Biel, Mrs. Verena Ernst, Mrs. A. Wegman, Miss Ida Angele, Mrs. Maymo Bayer, Mrs. Helen DeRoller, Mrs. Augusta Brewer, Miss Ruth Crevilling, Mrs. Anna McDowell, Mrs. Julia Hillingas, Mrs. Anna Mayer, Mrs. Anne Smith, Miss Teresa Lavery, Miss Elizabeth Carmier.

Mrs. Louise Bach has charge of Dinner assisted by Mrs. R. Hofmyr, Mrs. Verena Ernst, Mrs. Clarine Heinzle, Miss Virginia Ernst, Mrs. Rose Pemberton.

Decorations: Miss Marie Staub, Miss Mary Bach, Miss Martha Mintel.

Entertainment: Mrs. Anna Brundage assisted by Miss Ida Englert, Mrs. Mabel Willis.

Jubilee Gift Committee: Mrs. Margaret Kolb assisted by Mrs. Cora Verhoeven, Miss Margaret McCormick.

Press Committee: Miss Martha Mintel, Miss Clara Mintel, Miss Margaret McCormick.

Knights of St. John Baseball League

July 7, 1933

Commandery	W.	L.
St. Michael, No. 40	7	0
St. Eustace, No. 39	7	0
St. George, No. 43	5	1
SS. Peter & Paul, No. 28	3	3
St. Boniface, No. 25	3	3
Cathedral, No. 106	2	5
Holy Family, No. 197	1	5
St. Louis, No. 17	0	7

Schedule July 14, 1933

Holy Family vs. Cathedral—Diamond 6.

St. Louis vs. SS. Peter and Paul—Diamond 3.

St. Michael vs. St. Boniface—Diamond 4.

St. Eustace vs. St. George—Diamond 2.

If mean were as ready to commend what they approve as to condemn what they disapprove, the world would be a much pleasanter place.

Parochial Baseball League

Well, it's all over! O.L.P.H. beat Sacred Heart by a score of 10-3. We salute our new Champions! We congratulate the boys, their priests, and the whole parish on their ability not only to play ball but to be real sports men.

It was a decisive game O.L.P.H shelled hits all over the diamond to prove that there was no doubt about their being the Champs. Their team functioned like a well oiled machine. One impression everyone carried away was the smooth power with which they worked like a twelve cylinder car. They certainly have a sweet team.

When Billy Heim walked to the bat in the first inning he was presented with the Home Run Trophy donated by the Rev. Joseph Vogt. He took the Trophy modestly and handed it to a team mate to hold for him. Herron pitched a ball to him and he promptly drove it over the left fielder's head for a Home Run. Just to prove that he was not fooling two innings later he drove out another over the centerfielder's head. A voice floated over from the Sacred Heart rooters, "That's enough, Billy! We are convinced!"

The mystery was what happened to the Sacred Heart team. Herron seemed to have lost his magic and the infield seemed to be all thumbs. Ryan could not seem to locate the bases and the outfield were uncertain. It was just an off-day and the tragedy was that it came at such an important time. It reminded us of the St. John's team two years ago in the finals. Everything went wrong.

But—once in the finals, and once in the semi-finals and in three years is not a bad record for Sacred Heart. No other school has equaled that record.

A big crowd attended the game and the enthusiasm was intense. The Joseph Avenue contingent gave hearty support to their team as they have done all through the season.

After the game the President of the League presented the Pennant to Msgr. Shellhorn who was an enthusiastic spectator of the game. He accepted in behalf of his team. Then — what meant more to the boys—applications were given to the team for that week at Camp Stella Maris. Oh, boy! what cheers and whoops!

Many priests were present at the game their interest in their boys or in the League bringing them there. Fathers Hudson, Lambert, Joseph Vogt, Randall, Newcomb, Ryan, Azzi, Walz, O'Beirne, Msgr. Burns, Cleary, George Vogt, Casey, Mahoney, Waterstratt, Bisky, Eugene Golding, T. Brennan, Kelly and Maloney, were interested spectators.

Welcome to Camp, O.L.P.H.! We know that you will have a good time. You owe your victory to your own ability to play and your ability to take orders and obey your coach and your priests; also to the generosity and support of your parishioners. And remember that the greatest lesson sports can teach you is to be fair and honest with your opponents and to play unselfishly with your teammates. It is the teams that plays and the team that wins. This is the case with the Champions of this year. All season they have played together for the team and the parish, and they have been fair and square with their opponents. They deserve to win.

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