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# BOXING DOUBTS TO ENTER

## SPEED TRIALS WILL BE TESTS

### Auto Creations Must Prove Right to Start in Sweepstakes.

It is not expected that the elimination trials at the speedway Friday morning will show any of the forty-six entered cars in the big race lacking in speed ability. However, the speed trials will be held Friday, beginning at 9 o'clock and the cars must show that they are able to do seventy-five miles an hour. Any car not being able to show that speed will be refused the right to enter.

A new driver will be at the wheel of the Amplex 44 as Gaston Morris, who ran into the retaining wall Sunday, says he will not drive.

F. E. Edwards of the technical committee examined thirty-five of the cars, leaving for Chicago Tuesday night. He will return Friday to complete the examination and to watch the running of the speed trials.

David Bruce Brown drove his big Fiat racer 147 miles at the speedway Tuesday as a practice spin, maintaining a terrific speed. Most of the two and one-half mile laps were made at the rate of 1:55. He was experimenting for the big international race next Tuesday. He stopped four times to change tires. Mulford averaged 1:56 for fifteen laps in a Lozier. Tower drove at 1:57 in a Jackson and seemed to take things easy. Spencer Wishart, New York, was out with a giant Mercedes. Caleb Bragg, Cincinnati, who will drive a Fiat, and Fred Belcher, driver for the Knox company, arrived Tuesday. Practice spins at eighty and ninety miles an hour were common.

## EARLHAM ATHLETES BUSY THIS WEEK

## POLICE WAR ON BASEBALL GAMBLING

BOSTON, Mass., May 24.—The gun in a war on baseball gambling has been fired by the local police and are under arrest today on the charge of maintaining a gambling place. Police seized twenty-five envelopes promoting a baseball pool.

Since the opening of the baseball season the practice of selling pools on games has grown to such an extent that thousands of dollars a week are in the hands in local stores, cafes, bowling alleys and other places where men congregate.

## FT. WAYNE'S NEW PITCHER

FT. WAYNE, Ind., May 24. Claude H. Varnell of the Ft. Wayne Central league team, has signed Pitcher Werder of the Philadelphia Athletics team. He will join Ft. Wayne today.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE ORGANIZATION

### Players Who Play Baseball Sunday Barred From Organization.

The opening games of the Marion Sunday School Baseball league were played Saturday afternoon.

From all indications the race pennant will be the closest contest has ever been held in the county.

West Park, champions of last year, are strong, and Manager Woodson says the team that defeats them for the pennant will know that they have been in the Central Christians are also strong and are counting on a surprise on some of the teams in the