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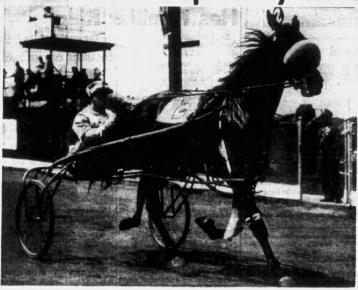
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# 3-Year-Olds Top Sulky Card



Billy Haughton behind Belle Acton, favorite in the \$7500 Vic Fleming Memorial Pace tonight.

A field of 3-year-old pacers, including Belle Acton, top 2-year-old of 1955, are featured at Rosecroft in the \$7500 Vic Fleming Memorial Pace.

Von Albers Looks

Karl Von Albers, confident he will stop Chief Don Eagle in the featured match at Capitol Arena to-morrow night, today offered to take-on anyone who will get into the

"That Don Eagle won't last long

and I want the promoters to line up the others right away," said the 245-pound German.

Von Albers and Eagle are sched-uled for a two-out-of-three fall, 60-minute time limit event.

-Calway, Prince Gallon, Ballard Hanover, -ABBE GENE, Canterbury, King Casco, -Saler Mack, Eastern Star, Irish Ali, -Saler Saler, Eastern Star, Irish Ali, -Rose York, Mighty Billy, Kinge Knight, -Rose York, Mighty Billy, Kinge Knight, -Ballar Knight, Extra Special, Some Knight, -Knight, Patrol, Newport Frisco, Belle Actor, -Snow Mile, Afton Patch, Mac Brewer,

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Three of tonight's entries are candidates for the \$65,000 Little Brown Jug. Horses which raced at Rosecroft in the past and went on to win the Jug include Tar Heel, Meadow Rice, Keystoner and Quick Chief. Keystoner will be in tonight's sixth race, the A-AA Pace.

### BELLE ACTON FAVORED

Belle Acton, which set the world's record of 2:02.2 for 2-year-old pacers on a half-mile track and won more than \$40.000 last season, will be the 2-1 favorite with Billy Haughton driving. This will be her first start of the season, and she goes from the four post,

Newport Frisco is a strong second choice from the rail.

Del Miller's Knight Patrol, which beat out Belle Acton in the \$25,000 William E. Miller Memorial classic for 2-year-olds last year here, also is entered.

### THREE SUSPENDED

Meanwhile Rosecroft judges cracked down on three more drivers last night with suspensions. The three were Buck Minniear, leading driver so far during the meet, Charley Lambertson and Dave

Minniear, with seven winners in 21 starts, was set down for five days for causing Volo Dian to take up while driving Frisco Sota.

Lambertson frew 10 days and he was charged with allowing Home-stretch Sandy to go thru on the rall while driving Princess Linday.

Legum got five days for crowding two horses while driving Jess Direct.

Last night's feature, the Casual Corner Pace, produced the biggest winner of the night when Miss Dawn Grattan returned \$82.20, \$23 and \$8.80.

## **Landon Ties** for IAC Title

Blackie Bruner and Tom Kern combined to pitch Landon to a one-hit, 10-2 victory, over Sanford Prep of Delaware at Landon yesterday.

The win, Landon's fourth in five loop games, tied the Bears with St. Albans for first place in Interstate Academic Conference.

Pat Carter walloped two homers and batted in four runs to pace Chamberlain's 13-5 win over Wood-ward Prep on the losers' field, while Western tripped Anacostia, 6-3, at Western.

Other results: St. Anthony's 8, Coolidge 6; Sherwood 16, Gaithers-burg 7; and Loudoun 13, Herndon 4.

Today's games:

Phelps at Anacostia, 3-30.
Landon at Georgetown Prep. 3-30.
Armstrong vs. Fairmont Heights at Dunar. 3.
Annandale at Mt. Vermon, 1-30.
Bludenaburg at Montgomery, Blair, 3-30.

### Managers Will Meet

Managers of Montgomery County Boys Bascball Association senior division teams will meet at the Montgomery County Department of Recreation May 28 to discuss plans for the season which opens June 9. A division representative will be elected during the meeting.

Franchises already have been awarded to 12 teams, including last year's champion Ramblers.

### WHIP at Rosecroft

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Abbe Gene. Canterbury Boy. King Casco.
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-Mac Breeger, Mighty Gold Mighty Saubby

### Long Takes Over Batting Lead

PITTSBURGH, May 23 (P)—First-baseman Dale Long of Pittsburgh took over today as the majors' new batting leader.

Long had three hits in four trips to the plate on the Pirates' 6-3 loss to the Cardinals last night to lift his average to .411.



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