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Township Ahead in Annual Drive By County Red Cross

Bloomfield Township today tops the list in the annual Oakland County Red Cross membership drive, with 887.25 certified. Mrs. D. C. Mills, roll call chairman, announced.

Farmington, Avon, and West Bloomfield townships follow in order with a total of \$3,713.55 reported.

Latest township reports follow:

- West Bloomfield \$177.25
- Miss Ida Durkee, director
- Waterford 10.00
- Mrs. Thad Seeley, director
- Orion 151.00
- Mrs. Jacob S. C. Mills, roll call chairman
- Oakland 25.00
- Mrs. Elmer Andrews, director

CHEVROLET GETS FIRST PLACE

(Special to The Eccentric)
Detroit, Dec. 28.—When the New York Automobile Show opens next week, with more than 40 motoring manufacturers exhibiting their 1929 models, Chevrolet Motor company will again be awarded first place at the show. This award carries with it the honor of being the standard of comparison for all manufacturers because of its allotment on a strict merit basis.

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By NORMAN E. BROWN

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after a year as pilot of the Newark International league club, was signed to a three-year contract to manage the Washington Senators, with which team he pitched from 1907 until last year. Johnson succeeds Bucky Harris at the Senator's helm, the latter having been signed to manage the Detroit Tigers.

Football came into its own during the month, the early games giving some indication of what was to follow as the schedules drew to a close in November. Upsets were the order of the day. Teams rated as those of the first rank were beaten by minor colleges—a proof of the general belief that good football teams are no longer limited to the favorite big fellows.

October witnessed the passing of one of the outstanding figures in minor league baseball circles—Jack Dunn, manager and owner of the Baltimore Orioles, who died in Baltimore, Oct. 22. Dunn held many notable records, the outstanding one being the great run of the Baltimore team in winning seven straight pennants in the International league, from 1919 to 1925, inclusive. It was Jack Dunn who gave Babe Ruth his start in baseball. He found him in a school in Baltimore where the Babe was being reared. The boy looked like an athlete to the manager and Dunn decided to give him a chance on his team.

OCT. 1.—Tommy Logan, light heavyweight champion, won a 10-round decision over Jack Gross, Salem, N. J., heavy, at Philadelphia.

OCT. 2.—Argentina evaded up the international polo series with the United States, 10-7, at Westbury, N. Y.

OCT. 4.—Waite Hoyt pitched the New York Yankees to victory in the first game of the world's series with the St. Louis Cardinals, 4-1, at New York.

OCT. 5.—Yankees drove the veteran Alexander from the mound to win the second game of the world's series, 3-2.

OCT. 6.—Law Diegel won the national professional golf crown, defeating Abe Espingola, 1 and 5, at Baltimore. The United States polo team defeated the Argentinians, 13 to 7, for the third consecutive time.

OCT. 7.—New York won the third game from St. Louis, 7-3, at St. Louis.

OCT. 8.—George Courtney won a 12-round bout from Jack McVey at Cleveland.

OCT. 9.—Babe Ruth pounded out three home runs as the Yankees took the fourth and final from St. Louis, 7-3.

OCT. 10.—Victorious Yankees received great ovation from home town fans as they returned to New York.

OCT. 11.—Bene de Best, Belgian middleweight, beat E. C. Logan in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden.

OCT. 12.—Scotty's greatest crowd, estimated at 116,000, saw Notre Dame beat the Navy, 7-0, at Soldiers Field, Chicago.

Tommy Thevenaz, infielder, was traded by the St. Louis Nationals to the Phillies for Heinie Sand and \$50,000.

of the Olympic marathon, outran Joe Ray at Madison Square Garden.

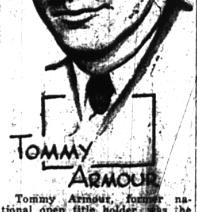
OCT. 2.—Jack Dunn, owner and manager of the Baltimore Orioles, and an outstanding figure in minor league circles, died at Baltimore at the age of 53.

OCT. 25.—George Gauthier, Ohio Western football coach, whose success that he would succeed Dr. John W. White as coach of Ohio State University.

OCT. 27.—Arny 18, Yale 6; Harvard 19, Dartmouth 7; Navy 6, Pennsylvania 0; Nebraska 24, Missouri 0; University of Southern California 29, Washington 8; Georgia Tech 20, North Carolina 9.

OCT. 29.—Donie Bush agreed to a contract to again manage the Pittsburgh Pirates.

OCT. 30.—Joeey Ray beat El Ouan in a 16-mile indoor race at Philadelphia.



Tommy Armour
Tommy Armour, former national open title holder, was the first to cash in on the winter golf season now under way in the Pacific coast. He won the Sacramento open, the first of a series of money tournaments in California courses.

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The Westcott
A Kansas City insurance agent entered a store the other day and was surprised to hear voices rising in anger from the rear of the store. He stroked back and found the proprietor in violent altercation with a customer, the proprietor brandishing a revolver and the customer wielding a wide-edged-looking knife.

The proprietor, the insurance man was related to, with a policy-holder in the agent's company for \$25,000 insurance. Then the agent glanced at the customer, and was shocked to observe that he also was a policy-holder in the sum of \$15,000. "Lately gentlemen," spoke the agent, "many things are patched up."—Kansas City Star

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