

ELY VS. CHISHOLM HERE SUNDAY IN BB OPENER

Teams That Shared Title in 1941 to Meet on Local Diamond.

The Ely baseball team, now fully organized, entered in the Range league, and ready for action, will open the league race against Chisholm on the local diamond Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Mayor John Kapsch will toss the first ball to start Ely on defense of its league title which it holds jointly with Sunday's opponent.

The pairing of these two ancient foes, who fought bitterly all last season for league honors, should be enough to attract a record crowd.

There will be a new manager and many new faces in the lineup when "Hissoner" sets the two clubs into action.

John Artensen, whose abilities were proven when he guided the Ely independent basketball team to the undefeated championship of the city, will manage the baseball team.

Tentative lineup announced by Manager Artensen follows:

Pitchers—Frank Vertnik and John Pucel, both veterans of last year's team which went to the finals of the league playoffs only to "lose" when league officials picked a date for the championship game against Virginia which Ely's mine-employed players could not keep.

Catchers—Frank Lobe and Dan Mestnik.

Outfielders—Mestnik, Ed Grahek, Carlo Colombo, Don Proia, Paul Proia.

Third base—John Glavan; first or pitcher, Ed H. Kurtzman, Chisholm; short stop or second, Russell Edward, Duluth, former Head of Lakes league player; catcher or outfielder, Anthony Zabacknick, Hibbing.

Al Banks, Miller Novak, Al Rowe, and Timmy Buckley may be on deck for competition until called into the service. They are now in college.

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MAYOR JOHN KAPSCH
To Open Baseball Season Here.

COLLEGE PROM IS SET FOR SATURDAY.

The annual Junior College Prom will be held at the Community Center auditorium Saturday from 9 to 12. The auditorium will be beautifully decorated with lilacs and assorted flowers, and the couples will dance to the music of Hoky and his orchestra. A free lunch will be served in the cafeteria during intermission.

Leading the grand march are Esther Tjader and Sig Olson, Jr., Peggy Lambert and Tony Grahek, Amelia Korosek and William Mills, Lucy Bouska and Roy Johnson, Theresa Bastiani and Dan Mestnik, Lois Anderson and Philip King, Ruth Erickson and Harold Gordon, Mary Jane Larson and Frank Stonich, Marigold Santineau and George Hendrickson, and Phyllis Hanson and Edward Grahek. The grand march has been planned and supervised by Miss Eleanor Kuntz.

All high school juniors and seniors, junior college students, and alumni are invited to attend.

High School Exhibit is Well Attended.

The annual high school exhibit was conducted on Wednesday. The sewing displays were under the supervision of Miss Marion Kraker, Miss Evelyn Arko and Miss Viena Somero, head of the domestic science department.

The industrial arts exhibit was under the direction of Thomas Murn, O. B. Hilliard, Stephen Smrekar, Fred Handberg and Joseph Fleming.

The exhibits were attractively arranged and the displays were more varied than heretofore. All met with the approval of the large attendance.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT NO. 12.

Ely, Minnesota, May 11, 1942.

Regular meeting of the Board of Education of Independent School District No. 12 was called to order at seven-thirty o'clock P. M. by the President, Ivan Tausell. On roll call, the following members were found to be present: Ahola, Gianotti, Richards, Stember and Tausell. Absent: Dragavon.

Moved by Ahola, supported by Richards, that the minutes of the regular meeting held on April 13 and special meeting held on April 27, 1942 be approved, as read. Motion carried unanimously.

Communication from Louis Zgone requesting full time employment was read and ordered filed.

Communication from Henry Pluth requesting a leave of absence for one year was read.

Moved by Gianotti, supported by Stember, that Henry Pluth be granted a leave of absence for one year. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Richards, supported by Gianotti, that the public liability and property damage insurance on the Bulck Sedan be renewed through the Friedburg Service Agency. Motion carried unanimously.

The boiler inspector's reports on boilers and pressure vessels in the various school buildings were read and filed.

The proposal of the Danekio Typewriter Service to overhaul all typewriters three years old for the sum of \$12.00 each and to service typewriters one and two years old for the sum of \$5.00 each was read.

Moved by Gianotti, supported by the Danekio Typewriter Service to overhaul typewriters three years old at the rate of \$12 each and to service typewriters one and two years old for one year at the rate of \$5.00 each be accepted and agreement executed. Motion carried unanimously.

Communication from the Fire Prevention Committee with reference to Fire Prevention Day activities on May 21st was read and filed.

Communication from the Friedburg Service Agency with reference to fire insurance on buildings and contents expiring on June 1, 1942 was read.

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But It's True



Zaharoff ate only one meal a day, smoked all the time, jogged around his room a half-hour a day for exercise.

buildings and contents be renewed and placed with the First National Bank of Ely and the Friedburg Service Agency on the same basis as now in effect, namely—45% with the First National Bank of Ely and 55% with the Friedburg Service Agency. Motion carried unanimously.

The Committee on Finance reported that they had checked the following bills and pay rolls and recommended their payment:

H. A. Berg, Auxiliary Fund.	602.77
H. Channon Co., New Equip-	41.47
Churchill Mfg. Co., Supplies	15.44
Duro Test Corporation, Supp-	33.34
First National Bank of Ely,	43.59
Interest on Warrants	32.43
Flox Co., Supplies	469.06
Marshall Wells Co., Sup-	23.76
Matheson Alkali Works,	42.87
Inc., Supplies	13.92
Stowell, Minneapolis Paper	232.93
Co., Supplies	16,488.54
Trafford, Modern Materials	9,281.42
& Design, Supplies	22.93
Wells Bros., Inc., Supplies	2.05
Teachers' Pay Roll	3.96
Employees' Pay Roll	3.00
Agnew's Variety Store, Supp-	26.64
Edwin Allen Co., Library	85.05
books	1.50
American Council on Edu-	60.37
cation, Library Books	90.15
American Linen Exchange Co.,	36.80
Supplies	3.85
Frank Anderson, Mfg. Equip-	7.22
ment, Co., New Equipment	3.50
L. G. Bakour Co., Invitations	141.32
Bartrum Garage, Mainte-	6.75
nance	9.70
Beckley-Cady Co., Supplies	33.35
A. E. Berglund, Mainte-	97.45
nance	12.00
Blue Ribbon Market, Supp-	26.85
lies	3.77
Bobbe-Merrill Co., Library	13.13
Books	154.50
Books	6.83
Walter S. Booth & Son, Supp-	17.58
lies	93.87
Bouquet Shop, Supplies	56.25
Millon Bradley Co., Supp-	1.00
lies	
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals	
Corpn., Pyrofax Gas	
Central Camera Co., Supp-	
lies	
Central Garage, Mainte-	
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Central Scientific Co., Supp-	
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Chocolate Shop, Supplies	
City Meat & Grocery, Supp-	
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Coast-to-Coast Store, Supp-	
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Oyko Art Studio, Supplies	
Dayton Co., New Equip-	
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THINCLADS WIND UP TRACK AT CONFERENCE MEET IN VIRGINIA

Ed Grahek Looms as Star in Dashees; Six-Man Team to Compete.

The track season will be completed for Ely thinclads Saturday with the Northern Junior College conference meet in Virginia. The field events will be staged at 10 a. m., and the races at 1:00 p. m.

The Ely team is composed almost entirely of sprinters, with several of the boys in the front ranks to place high before the day is over.

Ed Grahek will enter the meet undefeated in his specialties, the 100-yard dash and the low hurdles. Ed may also compete in the 220, a race he won in a dual meet at Hibbing last week, and if he does the conference may see the bulk of the sprints honors carried off by the Vermilion range school.

The tentative lineup follows:
100-yard dash and broad jump—Ed Grahek.
200 dash—Ed Grahek, Tony Grahek.
Low hurdles—Ed Grahek, Paul Proia.

High hurdles—Ted Grahek, Proia.

High jump—Ted Grahek, Proia.

Shot, discus—Dan Mestnik.

Relay team—Ed Grahek or Mestnik, Ted and Tony Grahek, Proia.

Ely will have no entries in the mile, two mile, or pole vault.

Hibbing 56 1-2
Ely 29 2-2

The Ely junior college pitted its team of five thinclads against a full-fledged 16-man squad at Hibbing Friday afternoon and came off on the short end of the score but on the long end of the willingness to try anything once.

Duluth was supposed to have made

it a triangular and provide competition for Hibbing in the field events, in which Ely is weak, but the Blue-jays didn't show up. To provide the missing competition, Ely sprinters took on some of the field events in which they never claimed any degree of proficiency.

Ely took all the firsts in the sprints and hurdles for which the boys have been training, and Hibbing captured the rest of the events to win by a top-heavy score. Ely scored a moral victory, however, by defeating Hibbing in everything that Ely claimed it had competent performers.

Speedster Ed Grahek was the star of the day, winning the 100, in 10.7, his best time to date, the 220 in 25 flat, and the low hurdles in 28.1. He got third in the broad jump.

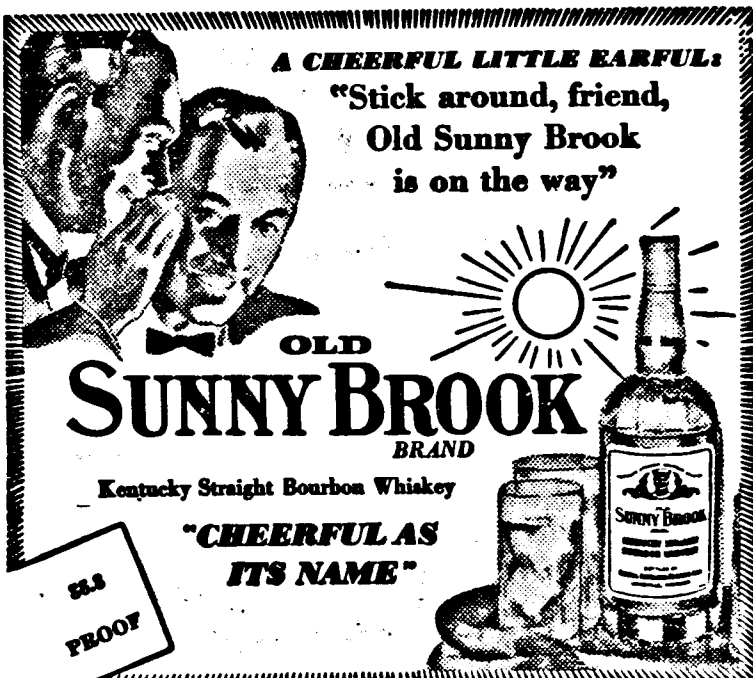
Tony Grahek garnered the high hurdles in 17.1, with Paul Proia getting second. Proia also won third in the low hurdles and tied with George Perkovich and a Hibbing man for third in the high jump. Perkovich finished second in his specialty, the 800 run.

NO ONE IN STATE

Memorial high school will not have an entry in the state track meet for the first time in three years. None of its entries in the regional at Coleraine Saturday showed up as state material.

Stanley Mestnik tied with the other men for first in the high jump, all knocking the bar off at 5 feet, 6 inches. All may go to the state, but the height usually started at there is around 6 feet. The Ely boy, however, will not compete at Minneapolis.

Mestnik won third and Tom Murn, fourth, in the low hurdles. The relay team of Murn, Mestnik, Keith Brownell and John Novak finished third. Only first and second place winners are advanced to the state meet.



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