

## Inter-city Pro League Opened by Illinois and Michigan

INAUGURATING what it is hoped will develop into pro golf league matches on the same basis as organized baseball is conducted, 12-man teams representing the Illinois and Michigan Professional Golfers' Associations will meet at Hawthorne Valley C. C., Detroit, June 2. The match will be the first of a home and home set, the return game to be played in Chicago the latter part of June.

Proceeds of the match, outside of expenses of the visiting players, are to go to the Michigan Society for Crippled Children. A big advance ticket sale is assured and the charity will net around \$2,000 as a result of the pros' contribution of services. Ordinarily a charity is lucky to get a few hundred dollars from any one-day affair except a prize fight, so it is planned that charity organization participation will be enlisted by the pros in financing future matches. For the exhibition players, such as Espinosa, Armour and Cooper, it means

a possible sacrifice of some income, but as the day selected for these team matches is almost certain to be Monday, the big-shot performers' off-day, they are out very little in actual cash and are giving considerable needed impetus to the development of golf as a profitable and lively exhibition sport.

Arrangements are under way for matches with teams from the Ohio and Missouri P. G. A., with the prospect of an interesting six-game schedule this year.

Forecasters of the Detroit-Chicago match pick a neck-and-neck race.

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