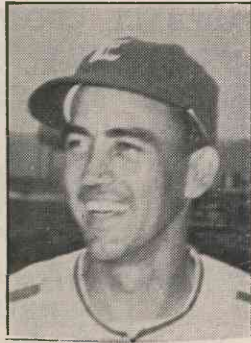


**PETE
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Pete Dockens of the Tigers baseball team copped the Ecusta Baseball League's batting crown for the 1951 season with a batting average of .591 percent.

Troy Drake of the Cardinals and Hubert Bryson of the Indians tied for the second place honors with each posting a .500 percent average.

In capturing the 1951 batting championship Pete Dockens came through with 13 hits out of 22 official times at bat while Troy Drake banded out 17 hits in 34 chances, and Hubert Bryson had 14 hits for 28 times at bat.

To be eligible for the batting championship a player had to participate in at least half of his teams scheduled games.

Listed below is the batting averages of all the players who participated in six games or more.

Name, Team	GP	AB	H	Pct.
P. Dockens, Tigers	6	22	13	.591
T. Drake, Cardinals	13	34	17	.500
H. Bryson, Indians	8	28	14	.500
C. Thomas, Indians	11	35	17	.486
D. Robinson, Yankees	9	33	17	.485
H. Gregory, Yankees	12	42	20	.476
M. Gillespie, Tigers	7	22	10	.455
F. Miller, Yankees	12	44	18	.409
E. White, Yankees	7	27	11	.407
B. Brown, Yankees	9	25	10	.400
R. Head, Yankees	11	39	15	.385
A. Sealey, Tigers	8	26	10	.385
T. Davis, Tigers	11	38	14	.368
J. Kilpatrick, Cardinals	8	19	7	.368
B. Charles, Yankees	8	28	10	.357
D. Sams, Cardinals	9	31	11	.355
J. Phillips, Yankees	8	29	10	.345
D. Norton, Tigers	7	18	6	.333
J. Houston, Tigers	6	18	6	.333
J. Clay, Tigers	12	40	13	.325
P. Jackson, Cardinals	13	50	16	.320
C. Chastain, Indians	9	25	8	.320
M. Taylor, Cardinals	13	42	13	.310
F. Merrell, Indians	11	40	12	.300
G. Suttles, Yankees	8	25	7	.280
H. Tiger, Tigers	6	19	5	.263
C. Compton, Yankees	9	27	7	.259

J. Rigdon, Indians	11	35	9	.257
C. Clayton, Cardinals	13	50	12	.240
L. Jones, Cardinals	12	27	6	.222
P. Riddle, Cardinals	13	43	9	.209
C. Parker, Tigers	11	32	6	.188
D. Landreth, Cardinals	12	35	6	.171
F. Wilson, Cardinals	11	33	5	.152

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fective ball holding the Cards scoreless and allowed only one hit.

The Tigers scored their two runs in the third inning on two singles, a double and one error. However after this Jones tightened up and held the Tigers scoreless and allowed only two hits to cap the victory by a score of 3 to 2.

Joe McCarthy is the only manager to win pennants in both major leagues—Chicago Cubs in 1929 and New York Yankees in 1932-36-37-38-39-41-42-43.

The first purely professional club in baseball history was the Cincinnati Red Stockings of 1869—and they finished their season of play undefeated.

Babe Ruth had a slugging average of .847 for the season of 1920.



Sam Kent, left, and Obie Willingham are shown above with their string of small and largemouth bass, caught in Lake Chatuge. Their nine fish weighed 42 pounds—one 7½ pounds, one 7 pounds, one 6½ pounds, one 6 pounds, one 5¼ pounds, and three smallmouth, weighing 9¾ pounds. Both Sam and Obie are employed in the Power Department.