

Sporting News

CARDINALS AND YANKS FAVORED

New York, Sept. 24.—(U.P.)—All signs point to revival of the 1926 world series between the New York Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals.

Entering the final week of the 1928 baseball season, the Yankees hold a 2-game lead over the Philadelphia Athletics and the Cardinals hold a 1-game lead over the New York Giants.

Neither team can afford to slacken its pace, but both leaders appear to have the strength left to send them across the wire in front.

The Yanks need only five victories out of their seven remaining games to clinch the pennant, while the Cards must win all seven of their games to take the flag, provided the two contenders in both leagues win all their remaining games.

The Yanks are crippled and their pitching staff is shot, but they refuse to quit fighting and nothing less than a complete collapse can knock them off.

The Yanks have two more games with the Indians and then they move to Detroit to wind up the season with a 5-game series against the Tigers.

The Athletics practically have tossed away their last opportunity and must win all of their six remaining games to have any chance, depending on what the Yanks do in their games.

Another shining example of grit and courage is on display in the National league where the Giants are hanging onto the heels of the Cardinals.

If the Giants can win the rest of their games up to the final game of the season with the Cardinals here next Sunday, the National league race may end in a tie.

The Giants have seven games left, two with Cincinnati, four with Chicago and one with St. Louis. On the other hand, the Cards have six games with second division teams, three each against the Robins and Braves, and the final game with the Giants.

The Cards have had little trouble with the Braves this season, winning fifteen out of twenty games from them, but they have won only eleven out of nineteen from the Robins.

STANDINGS

National League			
	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	90	57	.612
New York	89	58	.605
Chicago	85	61	.582
Pittsburgh	83	64	.566
Cincinnati	77	71	.520
Brooklyn	73	74	.497
Boston	49	98	.333
Philadelphia	41	104	.283

American League			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	96	51	.653
Philadelphia	94	53	.639
St. Louis	79	69	.534
Washington	71	76	.483
Chicago	71	77	.480
Detroit	66	82	.446
Cleveland	60	87	.409
Boston	53	84	.387

American Association			
	W	L	Pct.
Indianapolis	99	68	.593
Minneapolis	97	71	.577
Milwaukee	90	77	.539
Kansas City	88	80	.524
St. Paul	87	80	.521
Toledo	70	88	.473
Columbus	69	100	.405
Louisville	62	106	.369

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
New York 2; Cincinnati 1.
St. Louis 7; Brooklyn 1.
Only games scheduled.

American League
New York 5; Cleveland 0.
Philadelphia 11; St. Louis 7.
Detroit 4; Boston 1.
Chicago 8; Washington 3.

American Association
Indianapolis 1; Toledo 0.
Milwaukee 5; Minneapolis 4.
Kansas City 6-10; St. Paul 5-7.
Louisville, 6-8; Columbus 5-12.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

National League
New York 8; St. Louis 5.
Brooklyn 4; Chicago 0.
Pittsburgh 9-5; Philadelphia 7-3.
Boston 11-9; Cincinnati 4-6.

American League
Chicago 5; New York 2.
Detroit 5; Philadelphia 4.
Boston 5; St. Louis 3.
Washington 6; Cleveland 0.

American Association
Indianapolis 7; Toledo 6.
Milwaukee 6; Minneapolis 3.
Kansas City 6; St. Paul 4.
Louisville 4; Columbus 3.

YESTERDAY'S HOMERS

Bottomley, Cards, 1; Stripp, Reds, 1; Fox, Athletics, 1; Shires, White Sox, 1; Hauser, Athletics, 1; Dykes, Athletics, 1.

Totals: American league, 456; National league, 583. Season's total, 1,039.

WITH THE BIG LEAGUE STARS

Rogers Hornsby (391) idle.
Paul Waner (384) idle.
Goose Goslin (378) singled twice in four times up. Scored one run and drove in one.
Lou Gehrig (370) got a double and single in four trips and drove in one run.
Al Simmons (352) got a double and single in four trips, scored one run and drove in one.
Babe Ruth (319) got a double and single in four trips, scored one run and drove in one.
Freddy Lindstrom (356) singled three times and scored the winning run against the Reds.
Jim Bottomley (323) hit home run No. 20 with two mates on base off Jess Petty.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Ohio Northern 13; Bluffton, Ohio 13.
Findlay, 6; Otterbein, 0.
Wilmington 18; Antioch, 0.
Transylvania, 6 Centre College 0.
University of California 19; Santa Barbara, 0.
Stanford 21; Army Post 8.
Davis Elkins, 7; West Virginia 0.

H. S. FOOTBALL

North Side, 6; Auburn 6 (tie)
South Side, 52; Kendallville 8.
Central 27; Warsaw 0.
Jefferson (Lafayette) 13; West Side (Lafayette) 7.
Sheridan, 19; Knightstown, 0.
Lebanon, 7; Westfield 6.
Carmel, 0; Thorntown 0, (tie)
Clinton, 6; Muncie 0.
Peru 20; Bluffton 6.

NORTHEASTERN INDIANA

	W	L	T	Pct.
Central (Fort Wayne)	1	0	0	1000
Bluffton	1	0	0	1000
South Side (Ft. Wayne)	1	0	0	1000
Auburn	1	0	1	1000
North Side (Ft. Wayne)	0	0	1	1000
Kendallville	1	1	0	.500
Columbia City	1	1	0	.500
Huntington	0	1	0	.000
Garrett	0	1	0	.000
Decatur	0	2	0	.000

FOUR TIED FOR LEAD IN NIHSC

Fort Wayne South Side and Columbia City were victors in two of the three football games played in the Northeastern Indiana high school conference last week. Auburn and Fort Wayne North Side turned in a 6-6 tie in the only other game played.

The South Side aggregation opened its season by handing the Kendallville Red Devils a crushing defeat, 52-8, while Columbia City buried Decatur, 42-0.

As a result of the games played last week, the Central and South Side elevens of Fort Wayne, Bluffton and Auburn are tied for the lead in the conference with one victory and no defeats each. Decatur is the only team with two defeats charged to it, while Huntington, Garrett, Columbia City and Kendallville have lost one each.

Three of the conference teams met non-conference opponents last week, two of them turning in victories. Huntington won from Logansport, 13-0, and Fort Wayne Central triumphed over Warsaw, 27-0, while Bluffton lost to Peru, 20-6.

Several conference games will be played this week. Huntington will play at Decatur and Bluffton will invade Fort Wayne to meet Central on Friday afternoon. Kendallville will play at Columbia City on Saturday.

Desire Never Fulfilled

Our desires always disappoint us; for though we meet with something that gives us satisfaction, yet it never thoroughly answers our expectation.—Rochefortannd.

Says the Old-Timer

The old-fashioned woman who got the bed full of crumbs eating crackers now has a daughter who burns holes in the sheets from smoking cigarettes in bed.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Engine for Monument

In recognition of its nearly 50 years of service a steam engine of the heavy-duty type has been converted by an iron works in Germany into a monument. A circular stairway has been erected so that from the top visitors may view the entire plant.—Washington Star.

"Pop" May Spring Something New

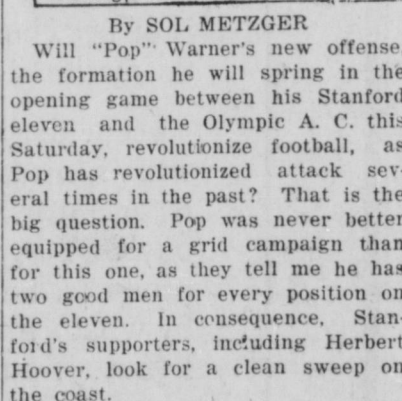
Will "Pop" Warner's new offense, the formation he will spring in the opening game between his Stanford eleven and the Olympic A. C. this Saturday, revolutionize football, as Pop has revolutionized attack several times in the past? That is the big question. Pop was never better equipped for a grid campaign than for this one, as they tell me he has two good men for every position on the eleven. In consequence, Stanford's supporters, including Herbert Hoover, look for a clean sweep on the coast.

The new formation Pop is about to launch is a more open one than he has been wont to use. The line is unbalanced as hitherto; but in the set of his backs radical changes are noticeable. Two flank the opposing tackles and are stationed outside their own ends and a yard and a half behind the line of scrimmage. The No. 2 back, the quarter, plays three yards back of his right guard; the No. 1 back directly back of center 6 yards. He is the triple threat man. From this set of backs Pop plans to run, pass and punt.

This formation is not entirely new to football, as Lafayette, coached by Herb McCracken, a Warner pupil at Pitt, has used a somewhat similar one. But before we take up that let us look at Warner's system of place-kicking, quite different from that usually in vogue, in tomorrow's article.

You can't win football games by abusing the stomach. Sol Metzger has prepared a fine leaflet on "Diet and Training for Football," which he would be pleased to send to any reader requesting it. Send stamped, addressed envelope in care of this paper.

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On Athletics' Board of Strategy



You're right the first time. The battle-scarred veterans above are none other than Ty Cobb, the Georgia Peach, and Tris Speaker, an able citizen who hails from Texas. Both are members of Connie Mack's rejuvenated Philadelphia American team. (International Illustrated News)

The Fourth Down



By Willie Punt

The Huntington Vikings, fresh from a 13-0 victory over the Logansport Loganberries at Logansport last Friday, will invade Decatur next Friday for a battle with the Yellow Jackets. Will the Yellow Jackets be equal to the task and will the fans lend a helping hand by their support? Time will tell.

Decatur Got It Again

"Decatur Yellow Jackets were hit their second blow of the season, at Columbia City yesterday afternoon, when the latter's football squad scored a 42 to 0 victory over the Adams county eleven. Decatur's bad beginning continues but watch out for their good ending. They have been known to spring a surprise once or twice" —Bluffton Banner.

A Bad Day

"Friday must be just naturally an unlucky day for the Decatur Yellow Jackets. They lost their football game at Columbia City yesterday, 42 to 0. Comparing scores with Columbia City it would seem that the Tigers have a little the edge on the Yellow Jackets as matters stand right now." —Bluffton Banner.

This Explains Something

"It was an entirely different looking outfit that faced Decatur from the one which lost to Bluffton Saturday before. The overconfidence that lost the first game was lacking and the sadness which follows an undesired defeat brought the local lads to a realization that football games are not won until the final whistle sounds. It seems that Columbia City elevens in past years have had to learn that lesson. Central high school of Fort Wayne put over three touchdowns in the final quarter several years ago to overcome three made by C. C., so Bluffton was only doing what Columbia City teams were in the habit of having done to them. But Bluffton may have taught them the lesson early this season, and if so, the lads representing the local school have much to be thankful for, as they face some stiff competition in the near future." —Columbia City Post.

Joe Shows 'Em

In a story discussing the first week of practice by the Butler University football team, the Indianapolis Sunday Star said yesterday: "Another 'Find' has come in the person of Joe Bebout, a battling sophomore from Decatur. Bebout has shown some real class during the past few days and it is very likely that he will see considerable service during the coming season."

Bebout, who put in four years of service with Decatur high school football basketball, baseball and track teams, won his numerals in football, basketball and track at Butler last spring. He was prevented from winning a fourth numeral in baseball by a sprained ankle, sustained in track. Joe is in fine physical condition this fall and should be able to give some real performance for "Potsy" Clark at Butler. The Bulldog's first game is at North-

FOUR KILLED AT CROSSING

Jefferson, Ind., Sept. 24.—(U.P.)—Four members of one family were dead today as result of an automobile-train crash here yesterday.

The dead: Edgar G. Jones, 47, Crothersville, Indiana.

Cora Jones, 44, his wife.
Velma Jones, 11, daughter.
Gladys Jones, 5, daughter.

The automobile was carried approximately two hundred yards from the point where it was hit and burned.

Trueman Jones, 8-month-old-baby, was thrown clear of the wreckage and was found lying in a patch of grass by Mrs. Ann Sohn, first to the scene of the crash. The baby was not believed seriously injured. Warren Jones, 6, was the only one to escape injuries. It was believed he escaped through a door which was open.

A coroner who investigated the tragedy has been unable to determine whether the car stalled on the track or whether Jones failed to see the train.

Watching The Scoreboard

Yesterday's hero: Travis Jackson, New York Giants shortstop, who kept the Giants in the National league pennant race by breaking up a pitcher's duel between Adolfo Luque and Joe Genewich with a single in the fourteenth inning which scored Lindstrom with the run by which the McGrawmen beat the Cincinnati Reds, 2 to 1. Joe Stripp's home run in the seventh was the only run made off Genewich.

Jess Haines left the Brooklyn Robins down with three singles, the St. Louis Cardinals winning, 7 to 1 and maintaining their one game lead over the Giants. Jim Bottomley hit his thirtieth home run of the season with two on base.

Waite Hoyt blanked the Cleveland Indians, 5 to 0 and the New York Yankees held their two-game lead over the Philadelphia Athletics. Joe Shaute held the Yanks scoreless for four innings, but weakened in the late innings.

Jimmy Dykes' home run in the ninth with two men on helped Philadelphia Athletics beat the St.

Louis Browns, 11 to 7. Hauser and Fox also hit home runs.

Phil Page, recruit southpaw from the Springfield eastern league club, won his second game in two starts by pitching the Detroit Tigers to a 4 to 1 victory over Boston Red Sox.

The Chicago White Sox went into a tie for fourth place with the Washington Senators by beating the Griffmen, 8 to 3. Ted Lyons held the Senators to eight hits.

Makes a Detour

We have never known a sensible pursuer of happiness who ever figured up what his car cost him in the course of a year.—Ohio State Journal.

British Empire Largest

The British empire covers more territory than any other country in the world, comprising 13,230,749 square miles. France and her colonies comprise 5,870,401 square miles.

Credit Given Moliere

Literary critics regard Jean Baptiste Poquelin (Moliere) as being one of the first, if not the first, great Seventeenth-century dramatist to write a notable comedy.

Canterbury Tales

"Ye Canterbury Tales," written by Geoffrey Chaucer about 1300, was the work which first gave literary permanency to the English language.

Old Roman Glass

Roman imperial glass dates from the First century before Christ during the reign of Constantine the Great and Theodosius II. Great encouragement was given to glass making. Eastern workmen were urged to come to Rome. This was the important period of Roman imperial glass making.

Not So Sweet

Life is a series of contradictions. Use enough sugary phrases on a vain person and he thinks he's the salt of the earth.—Farm and Fireside.

NOTICE

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