

# STIRRIN' the DOPE

By VEDDER GARD

ALTHOUGH we thought Washington would win the world series we admit that it looks as though the better club won the championship. When the Pirates finally found their hitting stride they cracked the ball hard. They showed splendid ability in the field as well. Their pitchers were cool under fire.

The bad weather conditions under which the final game was played was as bad for one side as the other. The series was more or less of a toss-up affair with both teams missing chances to end it before the seventh game.

Any short series with two fairly evenly matched teams is more or less a gamble. We believe this year, however, that the better club won out.

## ACROSS THE BOARD TODAY:

Thursday was a bad day and we don't have to figure any winners. Four horses were out of the money. One race was declared off in which Colonel Wagner was selected. The bank roll went down to \$207.95.

This is another day. INVASION in the first is worth a \$2 win, place and show play. The same goes on MARIAL BARTON in the second. GRAND KING in the sixth and ROCKY in the seventh will be combined in a \$5 win, place and show parlay.

WE will never understand why Walter Johnson was not taken out of the box in the deciding game of the world series. Everybody but Buck Harris knew the great veteran was through. Walter already had honor enough in the series with two victories. ad, anyway, what is the series played for? to make a hero out of somebody or to win the championship?

Sport followers can concentrate now on football. There are any number of feature games over the country on Saturday with Hoosiers especially interested in the annual Notre Dame-Army clash at New York. The Cadets have a good chance to defeat Rockne's club.

TWO Big Ten teams had better watch out or the eastern goblins will get them Saturday. Syracuse is at Indiana and Columbia is at Ohio State. The goblin is almost certain to get I. U. The Buckeyes are in for a scrap. Ohio has an unusually formidable team this season, but so has Columbia.

The New York institution, after a long slumber on the gridiron, has finally awakened. Ohio probably will be a slight favorite, but Columbia has a chance to upset the dope.

A very good sign in some of the larger high schools of the State is the appointing of coaches for the freshmen football teams. So many times the youngsters are neglected just at the time they should be receiving the best instruction.

HAIR to the champions! The Pittsburgh Pirates showed themselves to have what so many believed they lacked—a real fighting spirit. They came back after a discouraging start and battled their way to victory. Much credit must be given to "Oil" Smith, whose chatter kept up a team that had its back to the wall and a medal should go to Stuffy McInnis for his steady influence.

Kremer and Aldridge come in for their share of the glory as do Max Carey and "Pie" Traynor. Something should be done for Roger Peckinpaugh of the Senators, "the most valuable player in the American League," who also proved of inestimable value to the National League.

Walter Johnson is going to Florida to engage in the real estate business, according to reports. After that wet day in Pittsburgh, the old master probably believes the Everglades can hardly be much worse.

IT looks like a big crowd at Irwin field on Saturday to see the Butler-Franklin football game. The locals expect a struggle with the visitors and are likely to get it. The fans seem to sense an impending terrific battle and the advance sale of tickets has been heavy.

And don't for a minute think the grid followers have forgotten the Wabash contest on the following Saturday. Requests have been coming in to Butler officials for big blocks of seats. The demand has been so great that the tickets are to be put on sale Saturday morning at Spalding's.

Mrs. Malaprop said this morning that she knew all the time that Pittsburgh was going to be the victim in the serial, and that Washington was to meet its Valley Forge. "I read where Johnson's smoke was depended on," the old lady said. "What's a little conditional smoke in Pittsburgh? It's just part of the hemisphere."

THE famous "Duke" Slater, Iowa colored football star, all-western tackle in 1921 and selected on Camp's all-American third team, is back in college. Opposing eleven's need not be alarmed, however. Duke's playing days are over as far as college athletics are concerned. The big fellow has returned to complete his law course. He was rated a good student in his two years at the law school.

THREE CHANCES FOR UPSETS  
Army against Notre Dame.  
Columbia against Ohio.  
Pennsylvania against Yale.

# 'CLASS' TELLS IN SERIES WIND-UP AND PIRATES WEAR CROWN

## PECK IS LISTED AS 'GOAT'

Goslin Also Horns in 'Inferior Complex' Class as Senators Go Down.

By Frank Getty

United Press Staff Correspondent  
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 16.—In near-stygian darkness, idols of baseball were shattered as the Pittsburgh Pirates won the deciding game of the world's series and became world's champions of 1925.

On a sea of mud, beneath dripping skies that were lit with a baleful yellow glare from the steel factories along the Monongahela, Pittsburgh hats cracked the pedestals erected for the heroes of our national game—and turned what might have been an epic of baseball into a tragic travesty.

Pirate Fans Jolify

Thursday night and until an early hour today, Pittsburgh fans, amidst the hooting of automobile horns in the jammed streets, the blaze of horns ad imprudent bands, danced a frenzied "hop" of victory.

His graying head bowed on his massive chest, Walter Johnson, a broken, but a respected, idol of the game, rode back to Washington with the comrades who tried their best to cheer him.

"Barney" was not the only idol among the Senators who needed cheering as the team sped back to the Capital to disband for the winter.

Roger Peckinpaugh, voted the most valuable player in the American League this season, attempted to hide away after the game. Peck contributed two costly errors in the game which Pittsburgh won, 9 to 7, Thursday, bringing his total of bobbles to eight for the series, a record.

That Peck Homer

There was a moment in the eighth inning, with the score tied, when it seemed as though Peck had lifted himself from the throes of godhood to the heights of heroism. Roger followed up an expensive misplay an inning earlier by smashing out a home-run into the left field stands, which put the Senators in the lead and looked to have the game won.

But the gods of darkness, who were directing the destinies of the men who floundered through the mire of Forbes Field, willed otherwise and five minutes later the Washington shortstop had made another error which cost his team the game, the championship, the glory and the prize money.

Goose Goslin, the Washington slugger, who had made three home runs in the series, failed to try hard enough for a long drive hit close to the jutting edge of the left field boxes and his failure helped lose the game. Goslin also suffered the ignominy of striking out in the ninth when his team was behind. Oldham fanned him for the final put-out of the game.

## FRANKLIN AT BUTLER IN HOME-COMING GAME

Wabash at Minnesota, Syracuse at Indiana, Notre Dame vs. Army in Feature Battles Saturday.

The usual Saturday array of football battles will be on tap for State fans tomorrow with the Butler-Franklin clash at Irwin Field holding local attention. Notre Dame will buck the Army at Yankee Stadium, New York, while Syracuse made the trip west to meet Indiana at Bloomington.

The other Hoosier Big Ten school, Purdue, has an easy game with Rose Poly at Lafayette. Wash goes to Minnesota to fight a Big Ten club.

Other games include State Normal at De Pauw as the feature of Old Gold day, Cedarville at Earlham, Louisville at Hanover, Valparaiso at Kalamazoo Normal and Manchester College at Indiana Central.

Home-Coming

Encouraged by its showing against Illinois and buoyed up by an appreciative audience of returning alumni, Butler is all set for the home-coming day game.

None of the team was seriously injured in the Illinois game, and Coach Page will be able to throw his strongest team against Franklin.

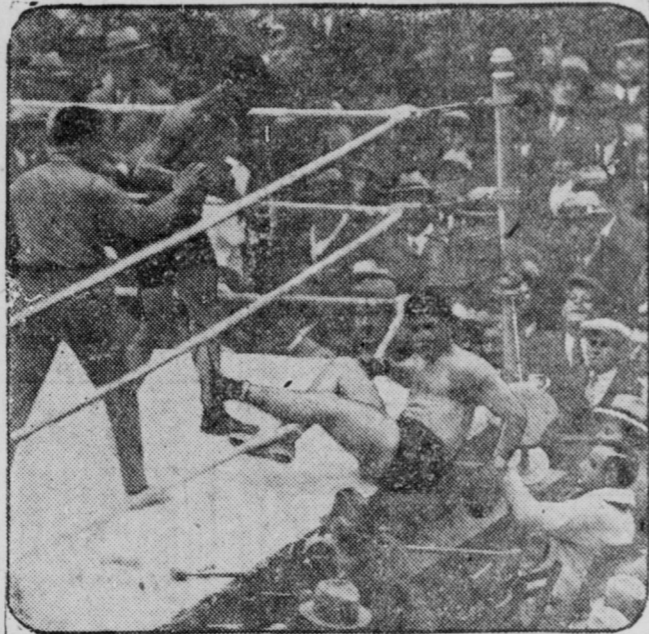
The pass work which scored a touchdown against the Illini has been polished this week and probably will be aired against the invaders. A hard battle is expected.

Alumni on Hand

Graduate Manager Justus Paul reported that a number of alumni had reserved tickets for the home-coming game. Franklin followers are planning to make the trip to Indianapolis to witness the tussle.

The entire student body of Wabash College turned out at noon today at the Crawfordsville Monon station to

## Smack! Exit Solomon!



PAUL BERLENBACH, light heavyweight champion of the world, knocking his opponent, King Solomon of Panama, through the ropes in the eighth round at the Polo Grounds, New York City.

## S. H. S. SPORT

Forty Report For Track—Gridders Have Rest.

Forty candidates have reported for track practice at Shortridge and J. A. Culbertson, the new coach of the thin clad, believes the Blue and White is due to enjoy better days in this branch of athletics. Workouts for the present are being held at Riverside Park.

The grid warriors of Shortridge have a record of four "wins" in a row and the boys are out to keep a clean slate. Their last victory was over Elwood last week, when they displayed fine fighting spirit and came from behind to snare the honors.

The gridgers do not play this week and only light practices have been held. Friday, Oct. 23, Shortridge will meet the Boys' Prep team at Prep Field. The game is expected to be interesting. The Shortridge eleven is in excellent condition, with few injuries. No member of the first squad was made ineligible on account of poor marks.

Basketball is in full swing. Coach Enoch Burton is running the boys through a steady workout each evening. Bad marks received by some of the try-outs have somewhat decreased the available material for a good team.

Coach Burton has begun early preparation for the opening game with Warren Central, Nov. 14.

Coach John Kuebler has announced that, regardless of the outcome of the school tennis tournament, the 1926 tennis squad will be selected from those remaining in the fall finals. Wet courts are slowing up the progress of the meet.

## Pirates Are Champs

WORLD'S SERIES WIND-UP

WASHINGTON									
Rice	AB	R	H	E	O	A	E		
S. Harris	26	5	0	0	0	3	0		
Goslin	11	3	1	1	1	1	0		
J. Harris	11	3	1	1	1	1	0		
Judge	16	3	0	1	0	0	0		
Ruesch	20	4	0	0	0	0	0		
Peckinpaugh	28	3	1	1	0	2	0		
Ried	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Johnson	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	135	27	7	24	9	2			

PITTSBURGH									
Moore	AB	R	H	E	O	A	E		
Moore	26	4	3	1	2	0	1		
Cuyler	11	4	0	2	4	0	0		
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Bieber	11	1	1	1	0	0	0		
Wright	16	4	0	1	1	3	0		
McMinn	10	0	0	0	2	0	0		
Gonch	5	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Smith	6	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Aldridge	9	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Morrison	9	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Oldham	9	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Grantham	6	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Yde	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	138	27	15	27	7	2			

Grantham batted for Morrison in fourth. Yde ran for Smith in eighth.

\*Peck given base in first on Smith's interference.

Washington..... 400 200 010-7  
Pittsburgh..... 003 010 29-9

Two-base hits—Carey (3), Moore, J. Harris, Cuyler (2), Smith, Bieber. Three-base—Cuyler. Home-run—Peckinpaugh. Stolen base—Carey. Sacrifices—Cuyler, double play—S. Harris to Judge. Left on bases—Washington 5, Pittsburgh 7. Bases on balls—Off Aldridge, 3 (Goslin, J. Harris, Judge); off Johnson, 1 (Moore). Struck out—By Morrison, 1 (Johnson); by Kremer, 1 (S. Harris); by Oldham, 2 (Rice, Goslin); by Johnson, 1 (Cuyler, Harbart, 2 hits); off Aldridge, 2 in 4 innings; off Morrison, 4 in 3½ innings; off Kremer, 1 in 4 innings; off Oldham, 0 in 1 inning; off Johnson, 15 in 8 innings. Wild pitches—Aldridge, 2. Winning pitcher—Kremer. Losing pitcher—Johnson. Umpires—McCormick (National League), plate; Moriarty (American League), first; Ricker (National League), second; Owens (American League), third. Time—2:31.

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## 5 SCRAPS OFFERED MONDAY

Capital City A. C. Card Filled—Fans Show Keen Interest in Bouts.

The five-bout card to be staged by the Capital City A. C. at Tomlinson Hall Monday night was completed Thursday and thirty-eight rounds of milling are scheduled. The opening prelim, the last match signed, will bring together Johnny Murphy, Indianapolis, and Young Tucker, Louisville, in a six-rounder. There will be two ten-round scraps and three six-rounders, the first encounter to start at 8:30.

Fistic fans have decided that Matchmaker Goldstein is offering a real treat in bringing fast boys here, among them being the Schaefer brothers of Chicago, Jackie Dugan, Babe Ruth and Billy Cecil of Louisville.

Sidney Glick will be sent against Frankie Schaefer and this affair is expected to be a thriller. Schaefer holds a newspaper decision over Mike Bailerino, junior lightweight champion, and he will be all set to show plenty of gloves to the Indianapolis lightweight.

Herbie Schaefer, who meets Jackie Dugan, is equally as famous as his brother and is a very good drawing card in pugilistic circles.

Fans are keenly interested in Babe Ruth, who will clash with Reamer Roberts. Ruth stopped Brett Waggoner, Petersburg coal miner, not long ago.

## Monday Boxing Here

Double Windup  
Sidney Glick, Indianapolis, vs. Frankie Schaefer, Chicago; ten rounds at 130 pounds.  
Jackie Dugan, Louisville, vs. Herbie Schaefer, Chicago; ten rounds at 128 pounds.  
Preliminaries  
Babe Ruth, Louisville, vs. Reamer Roberts, Indianapolis; six rounds at 118 pounds.  
Joe Sully, Indianapolis, vs. Billy Cecil, Louisville; six rounds at 124 pounds.  
Johnny Murphy, Indianapolis, vs. Young Tucker, Louisville; six rounds at 126 pounds.

## SHIFT MADE

Erehart Makes Change in Ferndale Line-up.

The last polish will be administered to the Ferndale football players tonight by Coach Archie Erehart preparing them for the game Sunday with the Louisville Brecks at Washington Park.

A change has been made in the line-up in an effort to strengthen both the offense and defense. Erehart has moved Mathias, the full back, to tackle and replaced him with Zevich. Mathias will strengthen on the line with his tackling ability and aggressive drive on offense. Zevich will fit in with the two feet half backs, Duttenhaver and Bennett.

Sapp has been drilled on running back punts and a style of defense to cope with the return of the long spiral punts of Wiggs, the famous kicker of the Brecks.

## TREMAINE VICTOR

By United Press  
CLEVELAND, Oct. 16.—Carl Tremaine tore out of his corner in the tenth round and knocked out Benny Gershe here Thursday. Benny got up, but a second blow put him completely out.

## Pittsburgh Pastimers "Out-Hustle"

Veteran Senators and Win Title—Harris' Judgment Is Criticised.

By Henry L. Farrell

United Press Staff Correspondent

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 16.—Last year when the Washington Senators won the world's baseball series from the New York Giants it was said the better team did not win. The breaks—two balls that took a freakish bound over the head of Freddy Lindstrom, Giants' third baseman, tied the score and then won the game in the finale of the series.

The victory of the Senators over the Giants in 1924, even to the most fervent admirers of the American League champions, could have been attributed to luck.

But—  
There can be no question that the Pittsburgh Pirates are a better ball club than the Washington Senators. There was no factor of luck in that 9 to 7 victory that the young, hustling, hard-hitting Pirates scored over an older and more experienced Washington team in the final game of the world's series Thursday.

Hustle and Hit  
It was hustling and hitting, poise in the pinch and nerve in the pitcher's box that enabled the Pirates, famed once for their lack of courage, to win baseball's championship.

There were occasions in the early games of the series when the Pirates seemed lazy both of limb and brain, when Buck Harris was making himself look more like a manager than a player, and when the Senators looked like a cinch in the hands of Walter Johnson.

But Fred Clarke, that grand old hero, the manager of the Pittsburgh champions in 1909, who came back to

the club this year, wrote for the United Press:

"Wait until our boys start tng."

Fred Clarke's boys started hitting in the fifth game, and they kept hitting until Goose Goslin, the world's series home-run record holder, had stood in the rain and haze of a terrible afternoon, and, with his bat on shoulder, allowed the third strike to go past him for the last out of a hectic series.

The series was twice interrupted.

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