

# STIRRIN', the DOPE

By VEDDER GARD

IT DOESN'T appear as though Indianapolis this year either in college or high school, but whatever is in store, the fans won't have to jam into tottering Tomlinson Hall to witness the struggles.

There will be no fear of the room caving in or the balcony crashing down at the Manufacturers' Bldg. at the State fairground. Butler has obtained the use of the structure for basketball. During the auto show, from Feb. 8 to 24, the building must be given up.

A lease was signed at the very reasonable rental of \$100 a game. Butler, however, must pay for putting up bleachers, heating and lighting.

The next thing to do seems to find some good games to stage in the huge building. Butler's schedule at present calls for only five home games with Manchester, Earlham, Franklin, De Pauw and Wabash. A couple more probably will be added, however.

The local high schools also will use the fairground building for their games. However, they are not playing many of the State's best in Indianapolis. Shortridge plays Martinsville here on Jan. 16, but from present indications, the Northsiders won't furnish much opposition.

Shelbyville and Connorsville are two good ones brought here by Tech and Shortridge. The city series games, of course, are always interesting and draw many spectators. The big enrollments of city schools assure crowds to any of the games, but the general public needs more than just a game before it will leave the radio and home brew on a cold night.

Some of the high schools have conflicting dates. We wonder just which one will get the fairground floor on these nights? As a suggestion—why not a high school double-header some of those evenings?

On Jan. 9 Shortridge plays Connorsville, Tech plays Shelbyville, and Butler plays Earlham. One of the high school contests could be put on as a curtain raiser to the college game. On Feb. 26 Shortridge meets Crawfordsville and Butler takes on Wabash. There's a fine opportunity for a double-header attraction.

**I**T begins to look as though Coach Case of Frankfort is bent on repeating with his State championship basketball team. He has only two of his title squad back, Plunkett and Spradling, the slim formers, but others seem to be carrying on.

Shultz at center towers about six feet, four inches and almost always starts the play at the tip-off. He was a second stringer last year. Shultz, the player ruled ineligible last season, is proving a bulwark of strength at back guard.

The two champs of the past two years, Martinsville and Frankfort, are setting the early season pace, and on present form look right up at the top.

According to dope gathered from coaches and officials (we have not seen Frankfort, as yet) Coach Case's team must be rated second to none at this stage of affairs.

**H**ORACE GREELEY surely was not referring to boxers when he put out that famous ad, "Young men, go West!" Just ask Mike Balleiro, Phil Rosenberg, Pal Moran or Frankie Genaro what they think of California. The latest gold rush to California has proved highly unsuccessful to many of the eastern fighters looking for easy coin. Florida publicity agents should get statements from these boxers on what they think of the Golden West.

There are no half-way measures about Red Grange. When he joins the pro game he comes right out and says the men who play for the filthy lucre do less dirty work than the college gridiron.

**SUNDAY NETTERS WIN**

**WEST NEWTON**, Ind., Dec. 5.—Manual High School basketball team ran up 44 points against West Newton Friday night while the losers were getting 24. Rubush led the scoring for the winners with five field goals and one from the foul line. Yeager of the losers made seven field goals.

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**By United Press**

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**Friday H. S. Basketball**

**Manual**, 44; West Newton, 24. Greensburg, 42; Broad Ripple, 14. Greensburg, 33; Geneva, 18. Frankfort, 41; Kokomo, 33. Millville, 14; Marion, 12. New Augusta, 33; Franklin, 18. Orlans, 44; Indianapolis, 28. Munice, 69; Linton, 18. Morton, 31; Portland, 19. New Augusta, 33; Franklin, 27. Lebanon, 29; Rochester, 21. Amherst, 22; Freeport, 12. Indianapolis, 31; Indianapolis, 10. Plymouth, 30; Culver, 15. W. Wayne, 33; Marion, 23. Anderson, 32; Indianapolis, 23. Sweetser, 25; Hartford City, 23. Anderson, 32; Indianapolis, 23. Ambler, 32; Indianapolis, 16. Martinsville, 35; Franklin, 23. New Winchester, 23; Beech Grove Schools, 12.

Clarendon, 38; Rosedale, 17. Avon, 28; Indianapolis, 26. McCordville, 38; Lawrence, 23. Columbus, 32; Indianapolis, 21. Columbus, 32; Indianapolis, 21. Bedford, 43; Newcastle, 24. Indianapolis, 32; Indianapolis, 24. Tipton, 35; Wood, 22. Seymour, 30; Vandalia, 26. Alexandria, 31; Middletown, 19. Indianapolis, 27; Indianapolis, 21. Mooreland, 30; Knightstown, 22. New Augusta, 33; Action, 9. Green, 33; Indianapolis, 23. Markleville, 35; Kendall, 25. Indianapolis, 32; Terre Haute, 17. Rose-  
dal, 12.

City, 56; Catholic High (Anderson), 15. Swayze, 32; Union, 31. Remington, 26; Jefferson (Lafayette), 17.

Bowen, 57; Wolcott, 21. Indianapolis, 35; Indianapolis, 23. De Soto, 47; Harrison, 24. Center, 33; Gaston, 23.

Greco, 33; Vandalia, 26. Albany, 39; Upland, 30.

# NINE COLLEGES REPRESENTED ON BILLY EVANS' ALL-AMERICAN

TULLY  
DARTMOUTH  
ENDWEIR  
NEBRASKA  
TACKLEHESS  
OHIO STATE  
GUARDBROWN  
MICHIGAN  
CENTERMCMILLAN  
PRINCETON  
GUARDLINDENMEYER  
MISSOURI  
TACKLEOOSTERBAAN  
MICHIGAN  
ENDGRANGE  
ILLINOIS  
QUARTERBACKOBERLANDER  
DARTMOUTH  
HALFBACKFLOURNOY  
TULANE  
HALFBACKNEVERS  
STANFORD  
FULLBACK

## VETS ARE WABASH NUCLEUS

Robinson and De Vol Backbone of Scarlet Basketball Coming Season.

*By Times Special*

**CRAWFORDSVILLE**, Ind., Dec. 5.—With only a few days left to develop new material before the opening game of the basketball season against Lombard College at Galesburg, Ill., next Friday, Coach Vaughan is sending the Wabash net candidates through long and intensive practice sessions.

Only two of last year's State championship quintet remain, "Red" Robinson of Anderson and "Benny" De Vol of Lebanon. Vaughan's chief worry is to develop a defense.

At present, McCorkle, a Milroy product, and guard on this year's football team, is the most promising of the back guard candidates, while "Shrimp" Englehardt of Marion, baseball captain and letter man of year before last, is being groomed for the floor guard berth.

**Englehardt Back**

Englehardt received a broken ankle in the Wabash-Butler basketball game here in 1924 and was unable to compete in basketball last season, but is a versatile player and won renown as a forward when playing on the Marion High School team in 1922.

Dimidelle, center of the Crawfordville High School quintet that went to the semi-finals in the State high school tourney two years ago, appears the best of the candidates for the center position. Thompson, a member of last year's squad, is pushing him hard for his position.

**Weir Holds His Place**

Weir, of Nebraska and Lindenmeyer of Missouri are the tackle selections. An All-American last year, Weir has been even greater this season. Lindenmeyer of Missouri was the outstanding player on the fine eleven that represented that college this year. He is fast and aggressive and makes an ideal running mate for Weir.

The three best centers of the year were Brown of Michigan, McMillan of Princeton and Lowry of Northwestern. I rate them in that order. Brown gets the call at center on my team. McMillan, who formerly played guard at Princeton, is too good to be left off any team, and is given one of the guards.

Hess of Ohio State, the outstanding guard in the Big Ten, gets the call at that position as a teammate to McMillan. Hess played brilliantly all season.

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**All Name Oberlander**

Oberlander of Dartmouth gets one of the half backs without a dissenting vote from a single coach or scout. There was much difference of opinion about the other. I have it to Flournoy of Tulane, leading scorer of the South, one of the greatest players ever turned out of the football schedules the center of attention.

Some of the colleges which went through an unusually stiff schedule last season want lighter ones for 1926. But there are comparatively few "soft spots" in the Big Ten these days, as Coach Fielding S. Yost of Michigan declared.

Jimmy Phelan, coach of Purdue, and Bill Ingram of Indiana, were here lining up their 1926 grid programs. Purdue and Indiana were the weakest of the Big Ten schools last season, but were very dangerous all season.

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**Friday H. S. Basketball**

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**CHARLOTTEVILLE**, Ind., Dec. 5.—The recently completed high school gymnasium here, will be opened next Wednesday night in a game with the Westland H. S. basketball team. The new structure was erected at a cost of approximately \$40,000 and is modern in every respect. It is possible to seat 1,000 spectators comfortably.

Charlottesville is the last of the Hancock County's nine schools to obtain a modern gym. Floyd T. Walker is faculty manager of athletics.

**Y. P. C. AT LAFAYETTE**

Smarting under the two-point deficit handed them by the Hoosier A. C. in an overtime game, the Y. P. C. will make the trip to Lafayette, Monday evening intent on taking the strong A. C. team of that city into camp. Harmonson, Jessup and Behrent played best for the Hoosier A. C. Thursday night at St. Anthony's Hall, when they defeated the Y. P. C. 34 to 32 in a wild overtime game.

**STIRRING VICTOR**

*By United Press*

**GRAND RAPIDS**, Mich., Dec. 5.—Young Stribling, Georgia light heavyweight, outpointed Tommy Burns of Detroit, here Friday night in a ten-round bout.

Michigan and Dartmouth Each Land

Two Positions on Choice 1925 Squad

—Tulane Star Is Rewarded.

### Evans' Mythical Elevens

#### FIRST TEAM

Position	Player	College
Left End	Tully	Dartmouth
Left Tackle	Weir	Nebraska
Left Guard	Hess	Ohio State
Center	Brown	Michigan
Right Guard	McMillan	Princeton
Right Tackle	Lindenmeyer	Missouri
Right End	Oosterbaan	Michigan
Quarterback	Grange	Illinois
Left Half	Flournoy	Tulane
Right Half	Oberlander	Dartmouth
Full	Never	Stanford

*By Billy Evans*

**SECOND TEAM**

Player	College
Left End	Army
Left Tackle	Pittsburgh
Left Guard	Dartmouth
Center	Lowry
Right Guard	Northwestern
Right Tackle	Mahan
Right End	West Virginia
Quarterback	Yale
Left Half	Kassel
Right Half	Wilson
Full	Princeton

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## ADVANCE 500-MILE DETAILS

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The 1926 International Sweepstakes 500-mile race at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway will be held Monday, May 31. It will be the first appearance of the Httle 91½ cubic inch engines, which have been set as the standard for American Automobile Association sanctioned races.

Whereas engines that have been used beginning with the 1923 500-mile race have been of 122 cubic inches displacement—two-thirds the size of a Ford engine—the next year's models will be only half the size of a Ford engine. Cylinders will be twice as many as the Ford, in all most all cases, so they will have to be very small. In spite of this small size race drivers and builders predict there will be very little difference in the speed of the little cars over those of previous years.