

STIRRIN' the DOPE

By VEDDER GARD

FRANK LOCKHART, the young speed pilot who came out of the West to startle every one by his great driving on the Indianapolis Speedway, is in third place in the last national rating of the speed boys.

The standing put out by American Automobile Association is as follows: Harry Hartz, 2,259; Peter de Paolo, 1,475; Frank Lockhart, 1,250; Bennett Hill, 912; Norman Patton, 620; Fred Comer, 394; Earl Devore, 585; Frank Elliott, 572; Dave Lewis, 550, and Earl Cooper, 465.

It is a strange thing that four out of the last six years the winner at Indianapolis also has been the national champion. Lockhart hardly seems to have a chance to catch the flying Harry for the speed crown, but it is possible. He may take second place away from Pete de Paolo, however.

Pete has been having trouble with his 91 1/2 inch mount. His larger boat did not fall him in 1925 when he won the championship, but this year it is a different story. No matter how much skill a driver has, he also must have a mount that stands the gaff.

The race at Altoona, Pa., on Labor day will have quite a bearing on the national ratings. The winner of the event gets 500 points in the championship contest.

If Lockhart could win and Hartz and de Paolo fail to get in the money the Pacific Coast meteor would be in second place close on Harry Hartz's heels. Whatever happens, the youngster's driving has been a real sensation this year.

Pretty soft, Captain Clark! Back to your alma mater for three years with all expenses paid by a kind U. S. Government. Be sure and study hard. Many a college graduate has been heard to say, "Wish I could go back, now—knowing all I do."

The Ft. Harrison boxing impresario gets this opportunity. Some people get all the breaks.

Hill may be worth that \$40,000 whether the Indians got it or not—which is more or less of an Irish "bull" to match some of the rest of the bull put out from time to time. Another pitcher may put so much confidence and added pep into the Pirates that they will win that National pennant.

WHO will be the American woman tennis star to tour with Suzanne Lenglen? Surely, there is no harm in a little guessing. The stories out of New York eliminate Helen Wills, Elizabeth Ryan and Molla Mallory.

Just who is left? Well, it looks as though it must be Mary K. Browne, veteran of many court struggles. This isn't any "little dope." By a process of elimination the Pacific Coast woman is about the only one left.

If you want to be a wise guy pronounce the "u" in Tunney's name just like the "u" in funny. That's the way the New York lawyer who was here in the Dempsey injunction proceedings pronounced it. And according to a story from Tunney's camp, that's the way he says it. Gene ought to know if the lawyer didn't.

THE Indianapolis Derby was run off today at the State fairground track. Now for the anti-climax—purse, \$400. At any rate, the winner ought to be able to get his money at once. That was more than could be said of the \$100,000 American Derby at Chicago this summer.

How original some of these press agents are! Publicity from Chicago on the coming bout between Taylor and Rosenberg calls it the "bantamweight Battle of the Century."

HIS probably comes under the head of sport. A school has been opened in Bristol, England, where fathers can learn how to take care of the children while their wives go to the movies or elsewhere.

It is said the lectures are well attended. Good looking nurses are the speakers and smoking is permitted. The wives, doubtless, are at home taking care of the children.

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INDIANS ON HOME LOT TO MEET COLONEL FLAG CONTENDERS

THREE IN BITTER BATTLE

Cards, Reds and Pirates Continue Desperate Fight for Pennant.

By United Press
NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The National League pennant race was in a tight deadlock again today after the St. Louis Cardinals muffed a red-hot chance to cement their position in first place.

By losing Friday's game to the second-place Cincinnati Reds, while Pittsburgh was kicking the Chicago Cubs definitely out of the contention, the Cardinals found their lead reduced to one game. Only ten points separate the first three clubs.

St. Louis met the Reds again today in Cincinnati and Pirates played the Cubs a twin bill. A victory by the Reds and Pirates would tighten the race still further into one of the most amazing league finishes in baseball history.

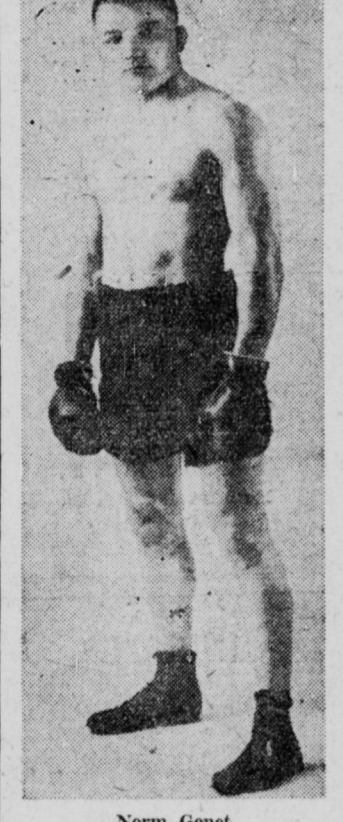
Carl Mays was master of the Cards in Friday's game and the Reds were on their toes to take advantage of the loose plays, such as Lester Bell's wild throw that let in two runs.

The Pirates again showed proof of their stamina when they took a ten-inning thriller from the Cubs by a typical Pirate batting rally in the tenth. Hill, the pitcher, obtained from Indianapolis, won his first start.

In the American League, the Yankees' lead was cut to five and one-half games again when New York divided with Philadelphia while the Cleveland Indians fell upon Detroit for a 9-10 victory, its eighth straight.

The Yankees, however, by stopping the Athletics in the second game, prevented what might have proved a serious setback for them.

Here Tuesday



Norm Genet
Having defeated Patsy Rocco at Ft. Harrison on two occasions in good fights, Norm Genet, the "Akron Iron Man," is being brought back to show his prowess against Joe Anderson, healthy scrapper of Cincinnati. They will battle in the main go Tuesday night.

Genet has fought numerous top-notchers, but he will find Anderson stepping right along. The Cincy pug defeated Bryan Downey a few days ago in a hard scrap and is in shape.

There will be the usual five bouts at the "punch bowl" Tuesday and it will be the next to the last show of the season.

NET FINALS

National Tennis Doubles Title at Stake.

By United Press
CHESTNUT HILL, Mass., Sept. 4.—R. Norris Williams of Philadelphia and Vincent Richards of New York, national doubles champions, were to defend their title today against William T. Tilden of Philadelphia and Alfred H. Chapin Jr. of Springfield, Mass., in the final round of the national doubles tennis tournament at the Longwood Cricket Club here.

In gaining the final bracket, the champions eliminated Lewis N. White and Louis Thalhimer of Texas, national clay court champions, after a four set match. The scores were 6-4, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4.

Tilden and Chapin came into the final round by defeating William M. Johnston and Edward G. Chandler of San Francisco.

ELMER CLOUTS 'EM
Smith can still ball the ball as hard and as far as ever. In the series with the Seattle Indians, the Portland outfielder set up the unusual record of cracking out seven round-trippers. In one of the games he smashed out a trio for the circuit and after missing a day, crashed out another trio in the first game of a doubleheader. The next afternoon he made his seventh hit for his thirty-first of the season.

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Louisville Within 3 Points of Brewers—Tribe Faces Battle for Third.

By Eddie Ash
Bill Meyer's Louisville Colonels, who are in a furious scramble with the Milwaukee Brewers for the A. A. lead, were here today to start a four-game series with the Indians. One battle was to be staged at Washington Park this afternoon, another single bill will be fought Sunday, but on Monday afternoon a

Big League Scores

Secretary Clauer of the Indians has arranged to receive scores by innings of major league games Sunday and Labor day and results will be announced at Washington Park between innings of the Colonel-Indians battle.

Interest in the wild scramble in the National loop caused Clauer to obtain the service.

double-header will be played, first fray at 2 o'clock. Sunday's fray will start at 2:30.

While Louisville is engaging the Indians, Milwaukee will be tangled up with the Blues at Kansas City. Only three points separated Colonels and Brewers this morning and fans here are certain to see some interesting pastime.

Pennant Hungry
Louisville is keyed up with pennant excitement, but the Indians are not going to be easy to knock off. The Bushmen must do some hustling if they are to stay in third place. Toledo is spurring and is extremely desirous of climbing over the Hoosiers.

The Indians got bumped again at Toledo Friday in the series finale with the Hens. The score was 5 to 1. Ferdie Schupp, obtained from St. Paul recently, did the chugging for the Tribe and McCullough operated for the Hens.

Punch in Pinch Lacking
The Indians were not guilty of kicking away the Friday frays, but managed to lose by failure to connect with the horsehide when the bases were occupied. They collected ten hits off McCullough, but couldn't make their safeties count.

On the other hand, the Hens solved Schupp for only six hits, but they bunched them, scoring two runs in the second stanza and three in the sixth. With the exception of those two innings, Ferdie turned in a good brand of southpaw flinging. Toledo had only one man left on base and the Indians had ten.

The Indians lost three out of four at Toledo. They won the first frays Tuesday, were idle Wednesday, booted away a double header on Thursday and succumbed again Friday.

Sicking poled three singles Friday in five efforts at the plate.

The Indians are home now to remain until the 1926 curtain falls Sept. 26. Seven clubs appear at Washington Park during the long stay of the Bushmen.

Carmen Hill won his twenty-second game of the season Friday, but he wasn't on the mound for the Indians. The Pirates went over the hill with Carmen. "Specs" dazzled the Cubs and helped Pittsburgh make a gain in the thrilling National race. He got credit for driving in the winning run on an out.

Maurice Shannon, crippled trier shortstop, went in as a pinch hitter Friday and was tossed out by English. Maury may appear in action during the Louisville series.

With the Colonels are three past-timers slated for trips back to the majors, catcher Devermore has been sold to the Giants and Outfielder Webb and First Baseman Cotter have been purchased by the Cubs.

Manager Bush was struck between the eyes by a wild throw in Toledo Tuesday and his "glims" still show damage caused by the blow. He is sporting "shiners."

All reserved seats for the St. Louis-Cincinnati game in Cincinnati Sunday have been sold, according to reports from Cincy this morning. All grand stand seats for the Monday afternoon fray in Cincy, between Cubs and Reds, also have been sold in advance.

Phil Douglas, who once twirled puzzling ball in the A. A. and who gained fame in the majors and a world's series only to be outlawed when he kicked over the traces as a sensational game at Long Island City, N. Y., recently. Pitching for the Toronto Wildcats, an independent team, and using his splitter, Douglas was defeated, 3 to 2, in eighteen innings by the Long Island City Tigers, a Negro team. White, a Pullman porter from Jacksonville, Fla., who played with the Tigers, broke up the game with a home run.

He also solved Phil for a double, triple and single and stole home once. Douglas struck out fourteen and allowed six hits. Gilhooley, Oldring and Bodie, former major stars, were with Douglas' team.

Riggs Stephenson, former Indian now with the Cubs, is out of regular action with an injured hip. He is unable to run and is available for pinch-hitting purposes only.

Harry Layne, Peoria outfielder, formerly of Columbus, has been voted the most valuable player in the Three-I League. He has been sold to the Cardinals.

POSTPONED AGAIN
CAPE MAY, N. J., Sept. 4.—Miss Maxine M. Itzner, 16, who plans to swim Delaware Bay, was forced to postpone her attempt again today by high winds and rough water.

They're at It Again on the Grid!



Thudding impacts of bodies, cracking leather, flying cleats, haranguing coaches—King Piskin is coming into his own again. Limping collegians, bruised and sore from first practices, are hardening themselves for another season of grid warfare. Frank Briante, captain of the New York University squad, is shown evading a flying tackle by Al Lassman, the gentleman who is about to lose his shirt. Inset shows "Chick" Moeh-n, head coach and master strategist of the squad. Indiana collegiate grid practices start Sept. 8 and Western Conference players get in action Sept. 15.

Belmont Tigers Coming Back for Grid Honors; H. S. Stars to Perform

The Belmont Tigers, city football title claimants in the 100-pound class in 1924, will be in the field again this fall with a strong aggregation. The first practice of the year was Thursday night.

Many ex-high school stars will be members of this year's squad. Among the most prominent are: Forster Higgs, Lester Cruse, Kenneth Peak and Roscoe Bredell, former Manual stars; Bill Babcock, Ringwalt, members of last year's Tech team, and Emmett Miller, former all-city quarter back of Cathedral.

The Tigers were undefeated and were not scored on in their last year of competition and will try to uphold this record again this fall. The next practice will be Monday morning at Belmont Ave. and Washington St. at 9 o'clock. All old members and any new men wishing try-outs are asked to be present. Markey Snodgrass and Charley Woerner are asked to call Belmont 3454 R at 6 o'clock this evening.

Grand Circuit Results

At Syracuse, Friday
2-10 Pace (purse \$800). 11-10-mile heats: McKee, b. m. by Peter McKee, Dan by Moko (Pittman)..... 10-0
Helo Frisco, b. g. (Pittman)..... 10-0
Silver Grass, b. g. (Pittman)..... 10-0
Providence Trust, b. g. (Loman)..... 10-0
City McGee, b. g. (Pittman)..... 10-0
Time—2:11.9, 2:14.2.
At Syracuse, Saturday (2:20 trotters):
Purse, \$2,000.
The Syracuse Hotel Stake (2:03 pacers, purse, \$2,500).
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SAILOR TO TRY SWIM

Member of U. S. S. Maryland Crew Will Attempt Catalina Channel.

By United Press
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 4.—The first attempt to swim the Catalina Channel since William Wrigley announced his offer of \$25,000 for the feat will be made Sunday morning by an American sailor.

John Radowich, a sail maker's mate on the U. S. S. Maryland, announced he would make the attempt for the glory of the Navy, but not for any prize. He will take off from Bong Point on Catalina Island and head for Point Firmin, Los Angeles, accompanied by two boats.

FOUNTAINS vs. LINCOLNS

Fountain Square A. C. Sunday in the final game of a three-game series at Garfield diamond 3 at 3 p. m. Carr and O'Brien will form the battery for the Fountains.

GRID PRACTICE GAME

The Tuxedo Bulldog football team will play its first game of the season Sept. 15 with the Southeastern A. A. This will be a practice game. All Tuxedo players wishing to participate report in uniform 10 o'clock next Sunday morning at Jameson Park.

Y. P. C. DOUBLE BILL

The Y. P. C. will play the East End Independents in a double-header Sunday at Rhodes Park, first game starting at 1 p. m. On Monday the Y. P. C. will play the Indianapolis Cubs at the same place. Ken Dugan take notice.

HILL, PETTY AND FITZ

Indianapolis received some wide publicity as a result of the outcome of games in the National League Friday. Carmen Hill, recently of the Indians, pitched for Pittsburgh and defeated the Chicago Cubs in ten innings, 3 to 2.

REFEREE QUESTION NEXT THING TO WORRY ABOUT

Third Man in Ring for Dempsey Battle Not to Be Announced Until Day of Fight.

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 4.—Speculation in boxing circles centered today around who will be the referee in the coming heavy-weight championship bout between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney in the Sesqui-centennial stadium.

The Pennsylvania State athletic commission has been giving the matter much thought. The task of obtaining a satisfactory man from among the scores of available third men for the ring will not be an easy one.

The candidates most frequently mentioned and best known to fans

Greb and De Forest "Knock" Dempsey

By United Press
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 4.—Two expert observers have an unfavorable impression of Jack Dempsey today. Gene Tunney has an excellent chance of winning the heavyweight boxing crown when he meets Dempsey, Sept. 23, in the opinion of Harry Greb, former middleweight title holder, while Jimmy De Forest, veteran trainer, believes the champion is not snappy enough.

After witnessing Dempsey's workout here Friday, Greb said Dempsey impressed him as being "all dried out."

"Dempsey is not showing up to his previous good form," Greb said. "He is missing too much and he is being hit too often by sparring partners, who are not particularly brilliant."

De Forest, who conditioned Dempsey for his fight with Jess Willard said:

"His condition looks all right, but he is not stepping around as lively as he did in Toledo. He's not snappy enough in his work to suit me."

Indiana observers, chiding him for weather, which was chilly with a stiff wind blowing, as the cause of the poor showing made by the champion in the workout Greb and De Forest witnessed.

Contrary to those experts' views, Harry Persson, Swedish heavy-weight, said, through an interpreter, that he was impressed with the size and physical fitness of the champ.

Tex Rickard, the fight promoter, was expected to be a visitor at the camp sometime today.

Amateur Boxing Results

Results of the amateur boxing show Friday night at Fairbanks-Morse A. C. open air arena were as follows:

Morty Lee (F. M.) won judges' decision over Roy Robertson (S. T.), three rounds.
Lon Lovelace (Terre Haute) won judges' decision over Roy Rodgers (F. M.), three rounds.
Tracy Cox (Arcade Gym) won over Harry Henslinger (Terre Haute), technical knockout, first round.
Frankie Clark (F. M.) won referee's decision over Otto Alters (Terre Haute), three rounds.
Alvin Leonard (S. T.) won judges' decision over Roy Underwood (F. M.), three rounds.
Casey Jones (F. M.) won judges' decision over Dick Donahed (F. M.), three rounds.
Bob Walters (unattached) won judges' decision over Lewis Grice (F. M.), three rounds.

MARTINSVILLE BASEBALL

By Times Special
MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 4.—The Invaders of Indianapolis will play the Artesians of this city Sunday. The Artesians have an open date Sept. 12. Teams playing in the 18-20-year-old class address Carl M. Holler, 260 W. Walnut St., Martinsville, or call H-169.

SOCCER BATTLE SUNDAY

Cincinnati Kickers Meet Thistles on Local Field.

The Thistles, champion soccer football team of Indianapolis, will play the Cincinnati Kickers Sunday at old Premier grounds. The second teams will play at 1:30 p. m. with the main contest at 3 p. m. Line-ups:

THISTLES—R. Ferguson, goal; McDonald and McKenzie, full backs; Hogan, Grassless and Pitter, half backs; Ford, Schroeder, W. Ferguson, Bartling and Bickel, forwards.

KICKERS—Brosnan, goal; C. Welling and Benginger, full backs; Hertz, Walters and Aericola, half backs; J. Welling, Kiemer, Bachman, Glasel and Scholl, forwards.

WORKS OUT

Tunney Boxes for First Time at New Camp.

By United Press
GLEN BROOK COUNTRY CLUB, Stroudsburg, Pa., Sept. 4.—For the first time since establishing his training camp here, Gene Tunney was to work out with his sparring partners today. A large crowd of spectators from among the persons here for the week-end was expected.

Jack Dempsey's challenger said he is in the pink of condition and intends altering his training schedule. "I am going along easy," Tunney said. "I am in condition to enter the ring with Dempsey today, so I am not going to take any chances of overtraining."

"I shall box only three days a week, but about nine rounds a day. Then I'll take it easy the rest of the time, hiking over the mountains and playing a little golf."

Baseball Calendar

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
Win.	Lost.	Pct.	
Indianapolis	20	13	.606
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GAMES TODAY

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Indianapolis at Indianapolis.
Dayton at Columbus.
Indianapolis at Kansas City.
St. Paul at Minneapolis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago at St. Louis.
Cincinnati at Cleveland.
Washington at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati (two games).
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Boston at New York (two games).

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Indianapolis..... 400 031 100—9 13 0
Columbus..... 000 001 000—1 12 0
Dayton..... 000 000 000—0 0 0
Hayworth..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

Milwaukee St. Paul; rain.
Kansas City-Minneapolis; both games postponed; rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

(First Game)
New York..... 001 000 010—2 6 1
Philadelphia..... 010 101 31—7 11 3
Cochran..... 000 000 000—0 0 0

(Second Game)
New York..... 000 000 500—7 9 0
Philadelphia..... 000 000 000—0 0 0
Jones, Shawkey, Seaver; Grove, Quinn, Pale, Cochran.

(First Game: Ten Innings)
Washington..... 000 100 010—3 8 3
Cincinnati..... 000 000 000—0 0 0
Crowder, Marberry, Ruff; Wiltse, Weller, Gaston.

(Second Game)
Washington..... 000 040 100—5 7 1
Boston..... 000 010 000—1 5 0
Murray, Tate; Zahniser, Lundgren, Stiles.

Detroit..... 000 000 001—1 4 0
Cleveland..... 000 210 00—6 17 0
Whitell, Holloway, Basser, Manion; Gile, Sewell.

(Only games scheduled.)
New York..... 000 000 030—3 7 1
New York..... 000 512 000—17 23 0
Benton, Goldsmith, Morridge, Stearns, Taylor, Siemer; Fitzsimmons, Florence, McMullen.

Philadelphia..... 010 001 100—3 8 1
Philadelphia..... 000 011 000—4 11 3
Pierce, Kelly, Wilson; Pettit, Deberry.

(Ten Innings)
Pittsburgh..... 000 100 000—3 5 0
Chicago..... 000 010 000—1 5 0
Hill, Smith; Kaufmann, Hartnett.

St. Louis..... 020 000 000—2 7 0
Haines, H. Bell, O'Farrell; Mays, Hargrave.

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SATURDAY, SUNDAY and LABOR DAY

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