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## SWISH GOES DOPE, EVERYBODY HELPS GIVE BUCKET TILT

English Swipe Polo Title—  
Welsh Raps Ritchie—  
Boston Leads Giants—Feds  
Finish Season.

BY KARL ALLISON.

The "dope" has been upset so often this year that it must be very dizzy by this time.

The American polo team, if you'll remember, was to have one of those lead pipe ditches against the British invaders. But the British championship now rests on the other side.

The tennis fans were sure that McLaughlin et al. could turn aside any foeman that attacked them, but Wilding and Brookers came into our midst and left with the championship laurels circling their domes.

The Harvard crew was doped to beat that Yale outfit by half a mile or so. Yale won.

Ritchie Gets His.

Willie Ritchie was doped to knock the consciousness out of one Frederick Welsh, an English person. Frederick is now doing vaudeville skits as "Lightweight Champion of the World."

The Pirates were doped to make a great fight for the National League pennant. And they made a grand fight to keep out of the cellar.

The Cards were assigned a place in the second division but look where they ended.

The Giants were expected to repeat, but did?

R. Marquard who pitches in the summer to keep his form divine is another person who assisted in upsetting the "dope."

Organized baseball had it all doped out that the Feds would turn up their tootsies and provide a job for the embittered long before July 4th. But—

The Athletics preserved the dope to win the American League pennant. The Red Sox tried their darndest to do a little upsetting in this case, but they fell a bit shy in their aim.

### HOW THEY RANK

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	94	59	.614
New York	84	70	.546
St. Louis	81	72	.529
Chicago	78	76	.508
Brooklyn	75	79	.484
Philadelphia	74	80	.480
Pittsburg	69	85	.447
Cincinnati	60	94	.388

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	98	53	.649
Boston	91	61	.599
Washington	80	73	.523
Detroit	80	73	.523
St. Louis	71	82	.464
New York	70	83	.456
Chicago	70	84	.454
Cleveland	51	102	.333

### FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Indianapolis	86	65	.570
Chicago	86	67	.562
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Baltimore	80	68	.541
Brooklyn	74	75	.497
Kansas City	67	83	.447
Pittsburg	62	82	.431
St. Louis	62	87	.416

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York, 5; Philadelphia, 1.	(First game.)		
Philadelphia, 8; New York, 0.	(Second game.)		
Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 2.	(First game.)		
Boston, 7; Brooklyn, 3.	(Second game.)		

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	98	53	.649
Boston	91	61	.599
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### GAMES TODAY.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
American League.	8	4	.640
New York, 2; Philadelphia, 1.	(First game.)		
Philadelphia, 8; New York, 0.	(Second game.)		
Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 2.	(First game.)		
Boston, 7; Brooklyn, 3.	(Second game.)		

### FIGHT CARD OFF;

### BUSSEN RETIRES

The boxing card announced for Oct. 14 by Billy Bussen, promoter, has been called off. It will be probably the last of the month instead. Glenn Coakley, who was to furnish the main bout with Kid Clarke wrote that he had sprained his side and would be unable to go on.

Boxing fans will receive with regret the announcement that Urban Bussen who put up such an interesting bout with Oakley in the preliminary a few weeks back has quit the fighting game.

### SOX ARE FAVORITES IN CHICAGO SERIES

BY LEASED WIRE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—The White Sox-Cubs city series opens this afternoon at Southside park with Bense scheduled to pitch for Comiskey and Vaughn for the Cubs. The advance seat sales indicated an attendance of 25,000. The Sox are slight favorites, having won four and tied one of seven previous series with the Cubs.

Chile plans to use oil burning equipment on all government railroads.

## Baseball Generals Whose Men Meet in World's Series Fight



## PREBLE NINES LOAD FOR TITLE BATTLES

### "Allie's" Dope

KARL ALLISON

James (Red) Smith, third baseman of the Braves, broke his leg in sliding to second in the first game of the double header played at Brooklyn yesterday, and what seemed a catastrophe for the Braves' chances in the world's series to the average fan has been offset by the announcement from Stallings that he has a man who will put up just as good a game at the hot corner as would Smith.

Charles Deal is the man who will get into the fray in his place. Deal has been sick the greater part of the summer, but has rounded into shape and should give a good account of himself. Remember, a few years back when George Rohe took up the third base job for the White Sox, and got away with it to such an extent that the Sox won the world's championship.

The game will be started at 2:30 instead of 2:45 o'clock.

New Madison has made another addition to its line-up. Lester Clark, who was captain and catcher of the Richmond team last year, and held the same position with Winchester this summer, will do the catching. Negotiations are on between Glenn Liebhardt, the former Cleveland star, and Marshall, and if proper arrangements are made he will twirl the game for New Paris.

Marshall has also signed Cooney, this year's demon slugger of the Winchester crew, and Clements the leading hitter of the S. A. L. for the outfit. The other local men in the New Paris line-up are Lucas, Roop, Clapp, Hampton and Niebuh. Raney, the heaviest hitter on the team, after a long lay-off because of an injury, will be back on first.

### COFFEY TO FIGHT

BY LEASED WIRE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—James Coffey and Al Reich are scheduled to appear in ten round bouts at the Stadium A. C. tonight. Coffey will cross gloves with Terry Kellar of California, and Al Reich will mix punches with Tom Kennedy, who recently arrived from France.

### CHIFEDS GO DOWN.

Pennant hopes for the Chicago Federals are very slim as the result of Kansas City capturing both ends of a double header yesterday. The double disaster, linked with the victory of

## BOSTON FANS MOURN ACCIDENT TO SMITH

Odds on Series Jump to 10 to 3 After Mishap to Brave Player.

BY LEASED WIRE.

BOSTON, Oct. 7—Boston baseball fans were in gloom today over the news that Red Smith, the Braves' third baseman, had broken his leg in the game at Brooklyn yesterday. The odds on the Athletics in the world's series lengthened to 10 to 3. Many fans believe that Smith's purchase six weeks ago from Brooklyn meant the winning of the pennant. Aside from Connolly, he was the best hitter on the team, a fine fielder and an excellent thrower.

Mayor Curley will not attend the games at Philadelphia on Friday and Saturday. Former Mayor Fitzgerald will lead the hub delegation or rooters. Mayor Curley and Former Mayor Fitzgerald are bitter political rivals.

the Indianapolis crew over St. Louis, the Indians' scrappers to second place, a full game from the top. A slight chance still remains, but the Hoosiers must lose their two remaining battles, and the Chifeds must grab their lone engagement. It is almost a hopeless case.



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