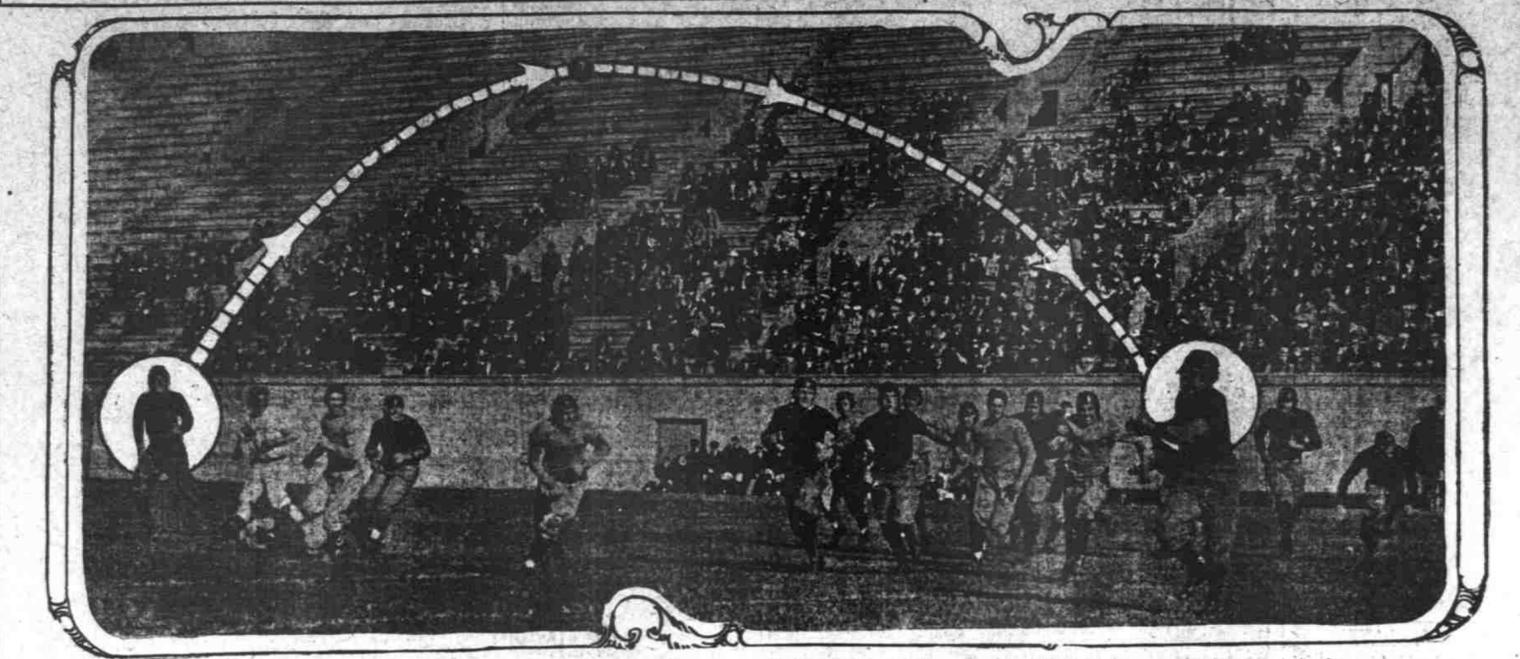


Thomas Will Travel Route Today---Of the Scholastic Gridiron

HOW MAHAN MAKES A FORWARD PASS TO HARDWICK



This remarkable photograph shows the great Harvard football machine in action. It was taken at the opening game of the season, in which the Crimson trampled Bates under foot. Mahan (outlined) is shown at the extreme left. The arrow indicates the course of the ball going to Hardwick (also outlined.) The frequent use of the forward pass and open play formation this season has caused a great outcry from Foster Sanford and other oldtimers, who say that American football is doomed. However, the spectator will undoubtedly find a most interesting game to watch this fall when the time for the big contest comes around.

THOMAS WILL GO DISTANCE TODAY

District Feather-weight Boxer Will Travel Twenty Rounds with Sparring Partners. WITHIN WEIGHT LIMIT Public Is Invited to Attend Work-out. Kid Marshall is Training Hard and is Confident.

Young Thomas, who meets Kid Marshall, of the Engineers, in a twenty-round bout, October 19 in the Ardmore Arena, has trained himself down to fighting weight, and is ready to enter the arena at a minute's notice. Today he will go over the twenty-round bout with three of his sparring partners, Young Barn, of Baltimore; Joe Thomas, his brother, and young Joe Walcott. All three of the assistants are good fighters, but he is confident that he will be able to go the full distance in good order. The public has been invited to attend the work-out, which will take place at Ninth and D streets southwest, a place known as McCreary's Club. Young Thomas weighed in after a long run yesterday, and tipped the beam at 123 pounds. He is in the pink of condition, and when he enters the roped arena he will not have any excuses to offer if he is beaten by Kid Marshall. "I am ready to fight at once, and when I meet this Kid Marshall if he should happen to beat me, which I don't think he will, then I will have no excuse to offer, none in the least. I will be a beaten man, and that will end it for all time."

BIG BOWLING ACADEMY WILL OPEN TOMORROW

Ten New Alleys Under Management of W. P. Hildebrand Welcome Public at National Rifle Army. The bowling leagues and public of Washington will be given quite a treat in the city when the new National Rifle Bowling Academy opens its ample pathways to the general public tomorrow night. Ten new alleys have been installed on the entire ground floor of the G street hall, and all bowling experts in the city will be invited to try their skill in the new alleys. The academy is the greatest in all lines south of New York City. W. P. Hildebrand, formerly manager of the Arcade alleys, is handling the big end of this enterprise, and offers a cordial invitation to the general public to be on hand at the grand opening.

FANS ARE OPPOSED TO INTENTIONAL PASSES

Most Rooters Do Not Like Practice of Pitchers Giving Base on Balls to Heavy Hitters in Pinches. The fans who are opposed to the practice of pitchers giving intentional passes to batters seem to be perfectly in accord with the suggestion made recently that a batter be allowed two balls when the pitcher purposely gives him a base on balls. The opponents of the intentional pass declare that this practice is in violation of the spirit of the game, and that whenever a heavy hitter comes to bat in a pinch they are robbed of possible slugging power. They believe that a pitcher who intentionally gives a base on balls is acting unethically.

JOHN K. TENER HAS PROVEN REAL LEADER

Governor of State of Pennsylvania is Second "Moses" for the National League. John K. Tener has proven to be a second Moses. He has led the National League from out of the state of quarantine, and has shown to the world that a man can lead a team of men. He has shown that a man can lead a team of men, and that a man can lead a team of men. He has shown that a man can lead a team of men, and that a man can lead a team of men.

FALSE CHARGES ARE MADE BY BIRMINGHAM

Manager of Naps Wrong When He Claims Lajoie Laid Down During Season Just Closed. There are few fans in the country today who can believe the charges brought by Manager Joe Birmingham, of the Naps, that Larry Lajoie has laid down on him. Lajoie has been a great player, and has done a hundred times more for baseball than he ever has done or ever will do, and whose memory will live and be cherished for decades after Birmingham's has been forgotten.

SCHEDULE OF THE WESTMINSTER LEAGUE

Table listing the schedule of the Westminster League, including dates and matchups for various teams.

VIGILANTS PLAY CAVALRY TEAM

Local Semi-pro Eleven Is in Fine Trim for Today's Game. Joe Oliver's Vigilants line up today against the strong Fifth Cavalry team from Fort Myer in what promises to be one of the best football battles ever staged at the Vigilant Park, Fifteenth and H streets northeast. The Cavalrymen are noted for their prowess on the athletic field, and they have one of the best football teams in the United States.

PADDOCK NOTES FROM THE LAUREL TRACK

Little Nearer, the winner of the Howard stakes, had outwitted any horse at the Laurel track with the exception of Andrew Miller's champion, Roamer, and the "clockers" had him up their sleeve. More than \$7,000 was taken in by the ticket splitters yesterday. The argument against the machines on the ground is that they are not tenable has been demonstrated every day. The prices yesterday in all the races were good, and Little Nearer's fast trials did not make Whalen confident, for Little Nearer's performance in public has been somewhat erratic.

THAT MYSTERIOUS TOMORROW

I don't want to go tomorrow, like the man who wrote the song. For tomorrow may involve me in a dicker that is wrong. Within the mighty Vale of Fear Sherbeck may solve his puzzle. For goodness sake, who knows but that Bill James, unto his sorrow, will grove a slant for Baker and submerge himself tomorrow. I don't want to go tomorrow, while today I lay in bed. I haven't even done a thing to irritate the joy. It's well enough to look ahead, but better not to know it. For goodness sake, who knows but that Bill James, unto his sorrow, will grove a slant for Baker and submerge himself tomorrow.

BRAVES-MACKMEN STORY IN DETAIL

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY LEAGUE TO START

The Southern Railway Clerks' Duckpin League was re-organized at a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting held in the general office building, 1300 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, and the prospect for a very successful season are bright. The six teams which will comprise the circuit, were represented as follows: Blue-Copers, William Wyrick; Mechanical, H. C. Sparks; Managers, D. Fegan; Law, L. Terry; The and Timber, H. C. Lawrence; and Treasurer, U. Thompson.

SOME ECONOMY RECORDS.

In an economy run recently made by the Aberdeen (S. Dak.) Motorcycles Club, O. M. Erickson, rode 23.5 miles on one gallon of gasoline. E. A. Wood made 28 miles. A. M. Olson 30 miles, and W. A. Burham 31.5 miles, to the gallon. H. A. France, the only entrant in the single cylinder class, succeeded in getting 34.2 miles out of a single gallon of gasoline.

NATIONAL CAPITAL LEAGUE NOTES

The close of the first week of bowling in Washington's crack duckpin league, the National Capital, found the Velvet Kind team in first place, as it was the only quint who managed to win three straight games, the Nationals being their victims on this occasion. The best teamwork of the week was the 1,204 set of the Casino team, who won when they came from the Climbers. In making this early season record the Casino team rolled a single game of 569. Green rolled 124, Bontz 117, Bass 107, Mann 106, and Brandt 105.

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UMPIRES AT FAULT IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

John McGraw Claims Indicator Handled are Totally Unfit—Tried to Act Right on Ball Field. New York, Oct. 10.—John McGraw, who leads the Giants whenever the umpires lead him into the ball park, wishes it to be publicly known that it isn't his fault that he's been chased off the field so often this year. It's the fault of the umpires. "As to the umpiring in the National League this year—well, it's something awful," remarks John. "At least four of these fellows holding jobs in the National League today, are totally unfit for the job. They ought to be fired."

PUBLIC TO DECIDE BEST SECOND SACKER

Fans at World Series Games Deciding Question of Ability of Johnny Evers and Eddie Collins. "New York, Oct. 10.—Second in importance to the battle between teams in the world's series will be the battle between Johnny Evers and Eddie Collins, of the Athletics, in which each will attempt to convince the public that he is the greatest second baseman in baseball today. For many years the question as to which player was the more valuable to a team has been a mooted one. Collins has a big edge on Evers in batting, but the supporters of "Trojan Johnny" declare Collins' supremacy ends here. They claim that Collins' brainy as he is, must yield to Evers in field generalship. Evers' hands and shoulders above any second baseman in the National League. Collins holds the same position in the American League, and so the battle between the rival second basemen in the world's series may enable the fans to decide which is entitled to the honor of being the real "keystone king."

TAKES OWN MEDICINE.

R. S. Maxwell, of Beloit, Wis., "takes his own medicine." Maxwell is a motor cycle man, and all the year round tells people of the pleasure and health they can get from motorcycling. This summer he spent his vacation on a tour of the different parts of the country. He was in Wisconsin, Illinois, and Indiana. Mrs. Maxwell accompanied him, riding in a side car.

MUTUELS PROVE POPULAR STYLE

Public Generally in Favor of Machine System Used at Laurel Track. Pari-mutuel betting will be the universal system of speculation on the American race courses and will likely lead to a revival of the sport in those States where racing has been discontinued because of legislation against bookmaking. The adoption of the mutuel system at Laurel Park in the few days it has been in operation has demonstrated that mutuels are favored by the general public. It does away with the big player and subordinate betting to the sport itself, and this, it is claimed by those who are striving to build up thoroughbred racing, after the severe blow it has been dealt, will dissipate the arguments of those who have opposed racing and re-establish the sport on a firm basis. The European war has drawn attention to the importance of the thoroughbred horse as a foundation for a suitable type of army mount, and at the same time has directed the attention of government officials to public-spirited citizens to the poverty of thoroughbred blood in this country. The system of calculation by which the mutuels is simple, in a race in which there are twelve horses, for instance, there may be a total of \$7,500 in the straight bet pool. \$1,000 of this pool is set aside for the winner, and the remainder apportioned among those who had wagered their money on the winner. If the total of \$7,500 had been sold on the winning horse, the sum representing the total amount sold would be \$7,500, less the 5 per cent commission, would be \$7,125. The amount sold on the winner, which would be \$1,000, would be deducted from this amount, and the remainder apportioned among those who had wagered their money on the winner. If the total of \$7,500 had been sold on the winning horse, the sum representing the total amount sold would be \$7,500, less the 5 per cent commission, would be \$7,125. The amount sold on the winner, which would be \$1,000, would be deducted from this amount, and the remainder apportioned among those who had wagered their money on the winner.

TY COBB SUGGESTS GOLF RULE CHANGE

World's Famous Batter Takes Six Strikes at Ball and Gives Up in Disgust. They tell this story about Ty Cobb, who recently became afflicted with colic: Ty, in his first time out, took his ball and then swung at it. He missed, he swung again, and again. Six times did he miss. Then Ty stopped down, picked up the ball and tossed it to his caddy. "Hey, boy," he called, "pitch this thing to me." The boy did, and Ty, using his wooden driver as a bat, met the ball with terrific force and sent it sailing toward a little valley, 300 yards away. "They ought to change the rules of this game, so as to give everybody a fair chance," remarked Ty.

CYCLE AIDS CATTLE BUYING.

Mounted on a powerful motorcycle, R. W. Andrews, of Conley, Ga., has scoured the Big Bend country in search of cattle. Andrews makes cattle buying his business. He used to ride a horse to inspect the different herds, but with the two-wheeler he says he can visit a great many more ranches in a day and get a much wider selection.

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OCHSEBREITER IS A LOSS TO TECH

Dashing Half Back of Manual Trainers' Eleven Hurt in Practice.

CENTRAL LOOKS STRONG

Western Lacks a Capable Punter to Work in Scholastic Series—Brewer and March Show Good Form.

By BUCK HOWARD. The Technical High School football team will, in all probability, enter the interscholastic series at a great disadvantage in that "Gene" Ochsenreiter can hardly be depended upon to participate in the initial game with Eastern on October 20. Ochsenreiter was hurt in the Georgetown prep game of last week to the extent of having the chip knocked off of his shoulder which in itself is very stubborn to heal, and while this injury is not expected to keep him out of the game for the remainder of the season, a few weeks is surely required before he will be back in the game. Ochsenreiter is one of the mainstays of the Manual Trainers and the man around which most of their strategy is built, and to have him out of the line-up is quite a handicap to the Blacksmiths.

If the performance of the Central eleven in their game with the Georgetown Prep last week is to serve as a criterion, O Ochsenreiter did not seem to annex another football championship this season. Although it is rather early to predict the outcome of the interscholastic series, the work of the Central team, so close to the advent of the season, is worthy of mention. There seems to be an unusual amount of material at Central this fall and the team is a great deal heavier than the average. With Coach Thomas at the helm it is a good thing that the attack date, that Central will be quite in evidence this fall.

THE WISE BROTHERS, "BUCK" AND "RAY," ARE PROVING GOOD RUNNING MATES IN THE BACKFIELD AT BUSINESS.

To date both have shown class in this capacity and again this season the work of the Blacksmiths seems to lie in the personnel of the Wise family. One of the most striking deficiencies in the Western eleven seems to lie in not having a capable punter. While this fact does not seem to be the concern of followers of the game, deficiencies in this department has lost many a scholastic football game. The most advantageous attack for any high school team is a low line of the kicking game, provided that it is in possession of a strong defense. With this in mind good punting is quite an asset to high school football teams.

WHILE THE EASTERN TEAM IS NOT EXPECTED TO OBTAIN MUCH OF A FUTURE IN THE SERIES THIS FALL, THE CAPITOL HILLERS SEEM TO BE IN POSSESSION OF A BUNCH OF GOOD MATERIAL WHICH WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO FOLLOWERS OF THE GAME.

The greatest drawback at Eastern is that the personnel of the team is mostly inexperienced, and little can be expected this first year. "Unts" Brewer and Peyton March, formerly of Western, played classy football for St. Albans. These two men would fit in nicely in the Red and White line-up at the present time, and Western should have good athletes from Brewer and March discontinued their scholastic work at Eastern.

"BUCK" OCHSENBREITER, OF CENTRAL, IS DISPLAYING SOME UNUSUAL CLASS IN THE BACKFIELD AND IT IS GENERALLY CONSIDERED THAT HE WILL BE ONE OF THE STARS OF THE SCHOLASTIC SERIES THIS FALL.

Some few weeks ago an effort was made by St. Albans to land the present Central star and if such had been accomplished Central's chances for the title would have greatly decreased. Although the Western line is comparatively heavy, its back field will probably be the lightest in the series. Fuller, O'Brien, Wheelchell, McKelway and Beck are the present backfieldmen on the Red and White.

CHOBENREITER, STEED, ROBERTS AND GIBSON ARE THE MEN WHO, IF TEMPORARILY DISABLED, BUT IT IS EXPECTED THAT ALL SEVEN OCHSENBREITER WILL BE IN THE LINEUP FOR THE INITIAL GAME OF THE INTERSCHOLASTIC SERIES.

Hume, of Western, has managed to land the job at center from Giblin of last year's team. This in itself is a proof that Western is developing some good men, as Giblin played some classy ball for the Western eleven last fall.

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