

# SPORTS Up-to-the-Minute Athletic News SPORTS

## THREE-GAME LEAD FOR BOSTON TEAM

### Giants Lost Ground Early Last Week, But Now are Playing Better Ball.

## ASSOCIATION RIGHT CONTINUES ONE WEEK

### Louisville and Milwaukee in Merry Fight For Rag—Close in the Feds.

New York, Sept. 21.—Five victories for Boston and five winning games and two defeats for New York tell the story of the struggle of the past week between the rivals for the National league pennant. The Braves forged further ahead early in the week, while the Giants were winding up their disastrous campaign in Philadelphia, where they lost three out of five games. Since then, however, the race has been even. McGraw's men gained a half game by outplaying Cincinnati while the Braves were involved in a tie encounter with St. Louis.

**Three-game Gap.** A three-game gap now separates the two clubs. A decided advantage for Boston at this stage when little more than a fortnight of play remains before the season closes. Starting in with the Cincinnati series, the Giants began to play better ball than they have shown for months, indifferent fielding being offset by superior pitching and lively batting. It looks, however, as if the champions' reversal of form had come too late, their only apparent salvation now being the chance that the Bostonians will strike dead either in the remainder of the series with the westerners or in the clash with the Giants beginning September 30.

In the American league, Boston has made little progress. Philadelphia, although the latter team has been playing below its mid-season form. The Red Sox lost a good chance to get back into a leading position by taking a beating from Cleveland while the Athletics were losing to Detroit. Yesterday, with an exchange of opponents, both Athletics and Red Sox won, but the victory of the Athletics was a double one and the lead of the Mackmen was reduced to 5 1-2 games.

**Week Left in Association.** There is one week's campaign left in the American league, and four in the National. The Philadelphia Athletics is virtually a tie between Louisville and Milwaukee to be settled in the few remaining games. Louisville still has eight games to play, meeting the Athletics on its home grounds on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and Cleveland at home Friday, Saturday and Sunday, a double-header winding up the season. Milwaukee has nine games remaining, five in the next four days with Minneapolis, according to figures given out in President Chivington's office, and four with St. Paul, like Louisville, the Brewers finishing their season at home with a double-header.

Results of yesterday's games left Louisville in front with 21 victories and 69 defeats, and Milwaukee second with 89 games won and 68 lost. If Louisville wins all its games, its record will include 29 wins and 68 losses. If Milwaukee then wins all its games, its record will be 98 won and 68 lost, and by a small margin in percentage will take the pennant. Two of Milwaukee's games are postponed at Columbus and another stopped before completion by rain at Indianapolis. Can never be played off, so the champions' total will not be more than 168 games, while Louisville may play out its full quota, 168.

**Indianapolis Leads Feds.** In the Federal league, Chicago and Indianapolis ran neck and neck from the first of the week to the last ended with Indianapolis half a game ahead. The small advantage which Chicago gained last Sunday it lost Monday when Fink's men were beaten by Pittsburgh, and Indianapolis won the tie. Tuesday and Wednesday both won, and on Thursday did the same, but Friday Chicago fell a victim to Pittsburgh again and Indianapolis, taking a close game at Brooklyn, took the lead once more. Saturday, Chicago won from Baltimore, and Indianapolis finally lost, Buffalo games—The Hoosiers, so that the teams once more were up even terms. By winning from Buffalo yesterday, the Hoosiers once more are on top.

## FARGO HIGHS ARE BEATEN BY ALUMNI

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 21.—The Fargo highs went down to defeat Saturday at the hands of the alumni by a score of 41 to 0. The old timers had too much weight and experience behind them to permit the youngsters to make a showing against them. However, the high team fought hard all the time and never quit till the last whistle blew. Nesbit who played left half for the alumni made a touchdown in the first three minutes of the game.

The main weakness of the high school team was its inability to block the forward passes made by the alumni, practically every touchdown made by the alumni being the result of a forward pass. The lineup of the two teams was as follows: Alumni—Varsity. Healey, Perry, Bennett, Thompson, Breyer, Ruch, Nesbit, Hines, Berner.

## TURTLE MOUNTAIN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Balocourt, N. D., Sept. 21.—B. Courtwright won the championship of the Turtle Mountain Tennis club by defeating Horaman in the annual tournament. The scores in the final match were 6-3, 3-4, 7-5. R. B. Clark and B. Courtwright won the men's doubles title, Miss Blanche Choiniere and Mr. Clark won the mixed doubles. Of the present title holders, B. N. Clark and B. Courtwright are the only ones to hold the championship a second year. B. N. Clark won the men's singles last year.

## HANK AND KNOBS—They Did't Know It Was a Submarine

By Farren



## COACH BAIRD IS BUSY AT HAMLINE

### Methodists Get Late Start But are Rounding to Rapidly.

St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Although one week behind other college events, the Hamline team has made great strides during the past week. With most of the sore spots removed, the men started work this week in fairly good condition. The practice has gradually grown more severe the last few days and the grind through which Coach Baird will send his warriors during the coming week is bound to be stiff. The new men have shown a good knowledge of the game and with a little more coaching ought to round into good varsity players.

## Standing of Clubs

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	78	55	.587
New York	72	69	.510
Chicago	72	66	.522
St. Louis	71	66	.518
Philadelphia	67	70	.489
Pittsburgh	62	74	.452
Brooklyn	60	74	.448
Cincinnati	56	80	.412

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago 4, New York 5			
St. Louis 0-6, Philadelphia 7-7			
Pittsburgh 3, Boston 9			
Cincinnati 0-5, Brooklyn 6-8			

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	81	69	.569
Milwaukee	79	68	.539
Indianapolis	82	71	.536
Columbus	84	74	.531
Cleveland	79	78	.505
Kansas City	78	80	.493
Minneapolis	75	85	.473
St. Paul	54	104	.344

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago 1, New York 5			
St. Louis 0-6, Philadelphia 7-7			
Pittsburgh 3, Boston 9			
Cincinnati 0-5, Brooklyn 6-8			

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	78	60	.565
Chicago	77	60	.562
Buffalo	70	63	.528
Baltimore	64	54	.538
Brooklyn	79	65	.535
Kansas City	62	74	.458
St. Louis	58	78	.428
Pittsburgh	55	77	.417

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis 3, Buffalo 2			

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 10			
Kansas City 2-6, Brooklyn 6-12			
Chicago 7, Baltimore 6			
Buffalo 4, Indianapolis 3			

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	90	6	.938
Detroit	88	54	.618
Boston	72	75	.488
Washington	75	65	.535
Chicago	65	73	.471
St. Louis	63	75	.456
New York	65	77	.448
Cleveland	44	95	.317

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston 10, Detroit 2			
Philadelphia 4, Cleveland 1			
Washington 3, Chicago 1			
St. Louis 3, New York 1			

  

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland 5, Boston 1			
Philadelphia 3, Detroit 6			
New York 4, Chicago 1			
Washington 4-2, St. Louis 1-3			

## ST. THOMAS HAS POOR PROSPECT

### First Week of Practice Fails to Uncover Anything For Cadets.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 21.—After the first week of practice, the prospects of the Cadets for a championship eleven this fall look very poor. Only about twenty-five men, the smallest squad in years, reported to Coach O'Rourke, of these, half are too young and light to do much in college football. It is true that there are eight St. T. men registered and one more is expected daily, but of these, Gallagher and Carmody are unable to play, and the rest are all backfield or end men except Griham.

Besides, there are Regan and Sullivan, backfield men; McPaul, end, and Nachtwitz, lineman, of last year's squad. A lineman who seemed certain of a position this fall was last week when Hans Schneider, a 200-pound tackle from Hampton college, Prairie du Chien, announced he would be unable to play, because of parental objections. The only new man to show up well is Edwards, a backfield candidate from Detroit. He is big and heavy, and has had considerable experience. What he can do in scrimmage remains to be seen.

**Out at Camp.** A new departure in state college athletics was taken Wednesday when Coach O'Rourke sent his veterans out to camp at Fort Snelling under the charge of Lieutenant Perkins. In this way, the coach figured he could get a better line on his new men and at the same time the veterans could get right down to hard work without the green men to keep them back.

The way it looks now, the Cadets are strong on the ends with Conway, McGrath and McPaul, and in the backfield with Malone, Conny, Ward and Doherty, but must add a quarterback to fill Culligan's shoes and an entirely new line with the exception of center. Captain Mahoney probably will be shifted from full back to his old position of tackle where he played the better part of last season. This change would strengthen the line greatly without materially weakening the backfield, as there would still be Ward, Conny and Doherty all veterans.

**Three for Quarter.** Egan, Malone and Broderick are the only candidates for quarterback to show up yet. Malone and Egan are too light for college football and Broderick is a ten-inning game. McGrath ran the team in practice last year; he could be shifted there without weakening his end position appreciably as McPaul is a very capable performer.

Nothing has shown up yet that looks capable of taking Vassau's place as a booter. McPaul, McGrath and Broderick are the best candidates in this department to date, but their best efforts fall far short of Vassau's long spirals. With the hardest schedule in years, and the poorest material, the outlook is certainly very blue for the Saints.

## BASEBALL

### National League

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
PITTSBURG	5	9	1
AT BOSTON	6	9	1
ST. LOUIS	6	15	1
AT PHILADELPHIA	3	12	2
CHICAGO	6	9	1
NEW YORK	0	7	4

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
CINCINNATI	2	11	1
AT BROOKLYN	3	10	1

### American Assn.

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
ST. PAUL	2	8	0
AT KANSAS CITY	0	4	0
CLEVELAND	5	10	3
AT COLUMBUS	7	7	0
INDIANAPOLIS	5	9	0
LOUISVILLE	5	10	3
MINNEAPOLIS	0	6	0
MILWAUKEE	4	8	4

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
INDIANAPOLIS	3	8	2
AT COLUMBUS	7	7	0
LOUISVILLE	5	9	0
MINNEAPOLIS	0	6	0
MILWAUKEE	4	8	4

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
DETROIT	10	14	4
AT BOSTON	10	14	4
DETROIT	3	7	1
AT BOSTON	10	14	4
DETROIT	3	7	1
AT BOSTON	10	14	4
DETROIT	3	7	1

## Federal League

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
KANSAS CITY	1	14	1
BROOKLYN	3	12	2
INDIANAPOLIS	9	9	2
BUFFALO	1	9	1
CHICAGO	2	10	1
AT BALTIMORE	3	7	1
ST. LOUIS	5	13	1
AT PITTSBURGH	2	8	1

## American League

CLUB	R.	H.	E.
NEW YORK	4	6	1
AT ST. LOUIS	3	9	1
PHILADELPHIA	4	10	0
AT CLEVELAND	5	12	0
BOSTON			
DETROIT			

Philadelphia, Shawkey, Bresler and Lapp; Cleveland, Bowman, Combe and O'Neil.

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**Philadelphia Wins.** Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—Philadelphia won a pitchers' battle from Cleveland yesterday, 4 to 1. Morton and Bender allowed one hit each prior to the eighth inning; only three members of these two teams having reached first up to that time. In the eighth Strunk walked and Oldring was safe on Johnson's error. Schanz tripped and Ben-

## EXPERTS DECLARE MANDOT WON MILL

### Wolgast Was Out-classed in Fight at Milwaukee is General Opinion.

To a man in the second story, it looks very much as though Ad Wolgast is through. His comeback ride with Joe Mandot as a vehicle flivvered and now Wolgast is busy with the alibi stuff and looking for more purses. On October 9 he is to fight "Harlem Tommy" Murphy in Milwaukee. His fight with Mandot last Friday was a disappointment to his supporters. The Associated Press correspondent sent out the report that the fight was a draw, but, according to all the ring experts present, Wolgast was out-classed. Of course, under the Wisconsin no-decision law, an A. P. writer could give no other statement. Milwaukee and Chicago experts agree, however, that the fight was Mandot's.

## AMER. ASSOCIATION

**Divided Honors.** Columbus, Sept. 21.—As a result of excellent pitching with men on bases by Northrop and Davis, the Louisville and Columbus clubs divided yesterday's double header. McClary's double in the opening inning decided the first game that Louisville won, 6 to 1. Columbus tripled to lead, 3 to 2, but Northrop returned for the second inning only. Shelton's single and Shovin's homer bringing two runs. The score: Louisville, 6; Columbus, 1.

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## SEVEN LETTER MEN FOR S. D. U.

### Coach Cortright has Nucleus for Fine Team—Three Hard Games Booked.

Vermilion, S. D., Sept. 21.—Two teams of South Dakota huskies, including seven old varsity men, have been breathing fresh air, eating hearty meals, practicing strenuously the new plays and callathetic drills introduced by Coach J. J. Cortright, followed by a cold dip in the Vermilion, and hardening themselves for the gruelling football season of 1914, which in many ways is the heaviest of any western eleven. After the comparatively light state college game comes one a week with Nebraska, Minnesota, and Notre Dame in the order named, a combination which would demand the best of any team. Barring incapacitating injuries, Cortright believes his men will surmount successfully the triple ordeal, and if not victors will acquit themselves well.

**Switching the Order.** J. Brown, end; Captain Ferguson, half; E. Henge, full; T. Coffey, half; Vidal, quarter, and Brooks, guard, are the first team men at the camp, with McCormack, end, in town. It is seen that a complete varsity backfield, and it is suggested that Ferguson will play end, his natural position. A prominent eastern coach once said that he could make Fergy an all-American end his second year in football. There is likewise a rumor that Coffey and Vidal will switch places. Vidal has been doing some beautiful punting this season and is likely to alternate with Ferguson in that department.

**Line is Uncertain.** The big concern has been with the line. Former Capt. Charley Brown, the greatest on Dakota tackles, will be back shortly to head that part of the team. Brooks forms a splendid nucleus. W. Willy, the old tackle and center, is in school and eligible, and appears to be yielding to the importunities of his friends to come to the rescue. Potts may be back at the center. Manary, with his 225 pounds, is counted on for a guard. Rig Seelye, who saw his first football on last year's scrubs, also may materialize. Those of the 1913 second team to report at camp are Rose, a guard, a school quarterback named Duncanson, a 190-pounder from Humboldt, S. D., with a long reach to his kicking leg; Carroll of Miller high; Sprague of Clark and Barton who held second team position at state college last season.

## Idle Chatter

There seem to be a lot of young people here who've never seen the town before.

It appears that a bum hand is not all that bothered Wolgast. Joe Mandot seemed to be quite a pest, too.

Those fellows who started football work last week will now learn that a little knowledge has to go with the rough stuff.

And Andy Gill says a little learnin' is a mighty good thing—especially when it comes to exercisin' the noodle in a gridiron fraca.

Considering the fact that Norway and Sweden have adopted Minneapolis, isn't it a little presumptuous of J. H. Ritchie to kick his resorders about the "Sportin' editor of the North Dakota Svenska Montly Jorbrucker"?

George Stallings is having all the inconsequential things about his past exhumed and thrust in the full glare of the spot light. Such is the life of a hero!

And if the Braves do not finally come through, George Stallings will get just what Muggsy McGraw is getting.

Now that the co-eds are in town, Andy Gill will be able to get more hard work out of his huckle. There is nothing like a flashing co-ed to make a football player lose his head and wipe the earth with the other fellow.

**BOSTON TURNS DOWN REQUESTS FOR SEATS**  
Boston, Sept. 18.—Although President Jim Gaffney isn't yet giving the Braves as sure pennant winners, tentative arrangements for the world series are being made. Hundreds of applications for seats for the Boston games already have been received by Secretary Nickerson. The letters contain checks, bills and money orders. All have been returned, including one check signed, but with the amount left blank to be filled in, the fans not knowing the price of the seats. Telegraph operators do business on a second basis, even if it is done on tick.

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