

STRONG AFTER HARVARD

Yale and Princeton Getting Ready to Attack College Champs.

CAMBRIDGE MEN IMPRESSIVE

Crimson Game is Generally Recognized as Being More Formidable Than Any Played by Big Schools.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—There is every prospect of an unusually interesting football season in the east because of the fact that both Yale and Princeton will throw against Harvard's brand of football that has stood the test of the last few years, new coaching systems that fundamentally must be heavily approved by the Blue and Orange and Black. It is perhaps hardly necessary to state that since the advent of Houghton, Harvard football has achieved not only distinction but distinction. In other words, it has been something new to match, but to beat. We shall see whether the new systems at Nassau and at New Haven are designed primarily to account for whatever may be turned out at Cambridge, in itself a laudable effort, or for a revival of sound football at the two institutions in question—a revival that goes deeper than a mere victory in the annual game.

There can be no gainsaying the fact that at Cambridge in recent years the type of football on view even so early as the October games has been impressive. As a result it is fairly evident that opposing coaches must face the best of qualitative football with a type of gridiron game that is easily immeasurably superior or else of value along the same lines. In other words, to win in the east one must beat Houghton and Harvard. Can it be done? Until the season draws into the more important games it is sufficient to study the type of play; whether it be built around a Brickley or a Mahan.

Both in oldtime and in the new. Both have been in the throes of adjusting the best thoughts of the oldtime with all that his prestige means, with that of the newcomer, perhaps just a trifle too sure of himself. Neither man, the youngster with the new idea, nor the oldtimer with the fairly sure foundation, has been worth throwing overboard. Oldtimers in football are apt to believe that they know all that there is to be known about the game. The same is true of the average youngster. The problem seems to be to combine the viewpoints of the two.

Harvard seems to have been able to combine them in the person of Percy Houghton. The task has not been so easy for Yale and Princeton. Both have experimented widely, if not always wisely. The Blue will be handled this year by Frank Hinkey, with all that Hinkey is able to gather around him, while the Tigers will be under the immediate command of Penfield, the Rhodes scholar, who seems to be the "field" nucleus of a group of all that is worth while in Princeton football past and present.

Harvard Well Entrenched. In the east, then, one finds Harvard well entrenched under the coaching of Percy Houghton and such aides as that remarkable head coach gathers around him: Yale, with Hinkey at the helm and every prospect that he will be the rallying point of coaches so widely different as Ray Tompkins and Joseph P. McKeon under the titular leadership of Penfield and the support of such worth-while players, men and strategists as Knowlton Ames and Don Herring.

There remain outside this triumvirate in the east, of course, Pennsylvania and Cornell, naturally forming a two-team group of their own. The Ithacans are in their third and possibly their last year under Dr. Sharpe, while the Quakers will be handled for the second time by George H. Brooks. Unlike such institutions as Yale, Harvard and Princeton, these two will reflect markedly the styles of their head coaches. Dr. Sharpe, of course, will have the services of two excellent men in the persons of Dan Reid and Ray Van Orman, while Brooks will be able to call upon old Pennsylvania players who are of his point of view. The battle between these two will, of course, be interesting, for either under the play at present in vogue, may turn loose some of the most advanced football of the year.

German Army is Needing Food Badly

LONDON, Sept. 12.—(G.I.I. a. m.)—The Daily Chronicle's Ghent correspondent says:

"The German army is in dire straits for lack of food. Ghent has been unable to furnish the supply of foodstuffs demanded by the Germans, who are now pushing a column of from 40,000 to 60,000 men toward Courtrai in west Flanders."

Villa Is Assigned to South of Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 12.—Francisco Villa, recently appointed general of division by General Carranza, will be assigned to the army destined for the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. This announcement was made today by General Carranza in a statement which declares Villa is in "entire harmony" with and complete subordination to the present government in Mexico.

WILSON VEToes POSTAL ACT FAVORING RESERVE BANKS

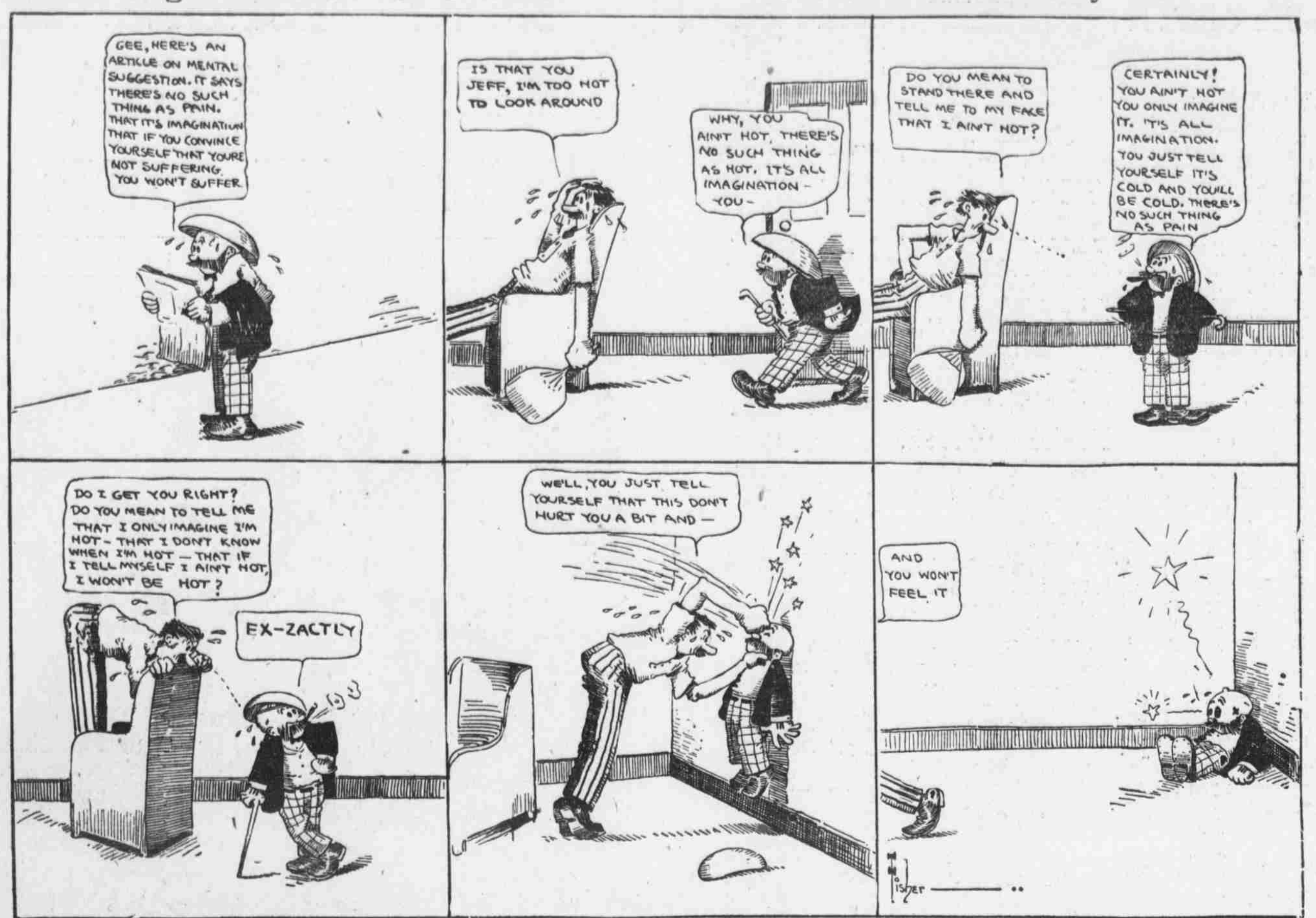
WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—President Wilson today vetoed the bill to raise the limit of individual deposits in postal savings banks to \$1,000 because it contained a provision repealing a section of the new bank law which provides that federal funds may be deposited only with members of the federal reserve system.

FIVE LINERS BRING THOUSANDS TO THE U. S.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—Five transatlantic liners bringing Americans home from Europe landed 6,622 passengers in New York today. Among the vessels was the Southern Pacific liner, Creole, chartered by the government for relief of Americans in England, which arrived with 122 persons aboard.

Other incoming vessels were the Celtic, which reached quarantine from Liverpool with 1,861 passengers; the Cunard liner Ansonia from Glasgow, with 288 passengers; the Italian steamer San Giorgio from Naples with 106, and the French liner Leads with ninety-five. Several steamers had room to spare in their cabins and stowage indicating that the high tide of westbound transatlantic traffic had passed.

Mutt's Imagination Didn't Go That Far



IRISH-AMERICAN IS WINNER

New York Club Carries Off Honors at Baltimore Meet.

SHOTPUT HONORS TO McDONALD

J. Loomis of Chicago Athletic Association is Victor in the Hundred-Yard Dash—Time, Ten and One-Fifth.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 12.—Irish-American club of New York won the meet. Summary:

16-pound shot put: Pat J. McDonald, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, first, 45 feet 3/4 inches; J. C. Lawler, Irish-American Athletic association, Boston, second, 44 feet 2 1/2 inches; 45 feet 3/4 inches; Illinois Athletic club, third, 43 feet 1/2 inches; 45 feet 3/4 inches; American Athletic club, Boston, fourth, 42 feet 1/2 inches; 50-yard run: Homer Baker, New York Irish-American Athletic club, New York, first, 1:10.5; W. R. Granger, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, second, 1:11.5; E. S. Fraser, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, third, 1:12.5; J. Higgins, Irish-American Athletic association, Boston, fourth, 1:13.5; 100-yard dash: J. Loomis, Chicago Athletic Association, first, 1:10.5; T. T. Howe, unattached, Boston, second, 1:11.5; I. T. Meyer, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, third, 1:12.5; E. L. Stephenson, Trinity club, Brooklyn, fourth, 1:13.5; Running broad jump: Platt Adams, New York Athletic club, first, 23 feet 2 inches; H. T. Worthington, Boston Athletic association, second, 22 feet 8 inches; New York Athletic club, third, 22 feet 4 inches; Irish-American Athletic club, New York, fourth, 22 feet 0 inches; Three-mile walk: Edward Benz, Mohawk Athletic club, New York, first, 1:10.5; J. J. Donahue, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, second, 1:11.5; Frank Platt, New York Athletic club, third, 1:12.5; Island Athletic club, New York, fourth, 1:13.5; 100-yard hurdles: Patrick Ryan, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, first, 1:31.5; W. Kohler, Illinois Athletic club, second, 1:32.5; J. J. McDonald, Irish-American Athletic club, fourth, 1:34.5; 400-yard hurdles: N. Goelz, Chicago Athletic association, first, 5:10.5; Thomas Christian, Baltimore Young Men's Christian association, second, 5:11.5; W. H. Whitt, Cleveland Athletic club, third, 5:12.5; 800-yard run: J. E. Ahern, Illinois Athletic club, first, 4:18.5; T. J. Ahearn, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, second, 4:19.5; Platt Adams, New York Athletic club, third, 4:20.5; M. J. Fahy, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, fourth, 4:21.5; Pole vault: K. H. Curtis, New York Athletic club, first, 12 feet 11 inches; M. J. Phillips, Chicago Athletic association, second, 12 feet 10 inches; M. S. Wright, Boston Athletic club, third, 12 feet 9 inches; 55-pound weight throw: P. J. McDonald, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, first, 12 feet 11 inches; J. J. Donahue, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, second, 12 feet 10 inches; M. J. Grath, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, third, 12 feet 9 inches; Patrick Ryan, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, fourth, 12 feet 8 inches; Discus throw: J. E. Ahern, Illinois Athletic club, first, 110 feet 11 inches; T. J. Ahearn, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, second, 110 feet 10 inches; M. J. Grath, Irish-American Athletic club, New York, third, 110 feet 9 inches; J. W. Ray, Illinois Athletic club, fourth, 110 feet 8 inches; 500-yard run: J. E. Ahern, Illinois Athletic club, first, 1:40.5; J. J. Donahue, Irish-American Athletic club, second, 1:41.5; T. J. Ahearn, Irish-American Athletic club, third, 1:42.5; M. J. Grath, Irish-American Athletic club, fourth, 1:43.5; Five mile run: V. Kronen, Kaleva Athletic association, Boston, first, 24:10.5; Patrick Ryan, Irish-American Athletic club, second, 24:11.5; J. W. Ray, Illinois Athletic club, third, 24:12.5; J. J. Donahue, Irish-American Athletic club, fourth, 24:13.5; Running high jump: J. Loomis, Chicago Athletic association, first, 4 feet 1 1/2 inch; E. Jennings, unattached, New York, second, 4 feet 1 1/2 inch; H. J. Grumpit,

Standing of Teams

Table with columns: Team, Played, Won, Lost, Pct. Includes Western League, American League, and National League standings.

THREE HITTERS LEAD COBB

Hoblitzel Leads League, While Collins and Jackson Follow.

LEJEUNE ON TOP IN WESTERN

Jim Kane Close Behind, While Deposed Congalton Heads List of Omaha Hitters and is Only One in Charmed Circle.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Ty Cobb is within five points of a tie for the batting leadership of the American league, but three hard hitters are ahead of him, and it will take a brisk spurt by the Detroit star again to win for him the championship. Averages published here today show the 300 hitters of the league to be: Hoblitzel, Boston, .346; Collins, Philadelphia, .332; Jackson, Cleveland, .333; Cobb, Detroit, .331; Cree, New York, .332; Speaker, Boston, .331; Crawford, Detroit, .329; Baker, Philadelphia, .323; Mitchell, Washington, .319; McInnis, Philadelphia, .308; C. Walker, St. Louis, .308; Fournier, Chicago, .303; Philadelphia with 289 and Detroit with 253 lead in club batting. The best home run hitter is Baker with nine, while Matzel, New York, has most stolen bases, 54.

Erwin, Brooklyn, leads in the National with 348; Dalton, Brooklyn, .333; Becker, Philadelphia, .334; Daubert, Brooklyn, .327; Mader, Philadelphia, .327; Grant, New York, .313; Connelly, Boston, .313; Wheat, Brooklyn, .312; Miller, St. Louis, .308; Stengel, Brooklyn, .306; Phelan, Chicago, .304; Gonzalez, Cincinnati, .301; G. Burns, New York, .300. In team hitting Brooklyn with 270 and New York with 253 lead. Saler, with 17, sets the pace in home runs and G. Burns, with 44, has the most stolen bases.

Leading pitchers of the American league are Bender, Philadelphia, with 15 and 4; Leonard, Boston, 19 and 5; and Platt, Philadelphia, 15 and 4. In the National league, James, with 23 won and 6 games lost, is the leader, while Rudolph, Boston, has 20 and 8; and Deak, St. Louis, 15 and 6.

Lejeune, Sioux City, leads the Western league with 271. Then come Kane, Sioux City, .348; Butcher, Denver, .336; Koerner, Topeka, .336; Congalton, Omaha, .332; Edgington, Denver, .331; Patterson, St. Joseph, .309; Coffey, Denver, .288; Baird, Sioux City, .282; Williams, St. Joseph, .282. In team hitting, Denver, with 256, and Sioux City, with 236, leads. Nicholson, Wichita, with 53, has most stolen bases, and Jones, Des Moines, most home runs, 19. Leading pitchers are Gaspar, Sioux City, 21 and 5; Gaskel, Denver, 24 and 5; Sterzer, St. Joseph, 25 and 19.

Manager Hinchman of Columbus leads the batters of the American association with .326. Kauff, Indianapolis, leads the Federal in batting with .313 and in stolen bases with 57.

In the International league Kriteble, II, Toronto, leads with .343. Get into business via the "Business Chances."

PLAYERS WHO DO NOT THINK

Nothing Aggravates a Manager's Impatience More Than Bonehead.

FAIL AT THE CRITICAL MOMENT

When They Should Be Up on Their Toes, They Often Get Absent-minded and Fall Down Completely.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The bone of every manager's existence is the player who will not think. Beneath the cover of the bench the nerves of a manager are racked time and again by the sight of a pitcher being baited to every corner of the lot, a catcher dropping a throw at a plate, or a ball trickling through the hands of an infielder or outfielder. But all these combined leave a manager as patient as Job when compared to the same manager as he sees a player pull a "bone." The great army of fans has united upon "bonehead" as the title for the player who will not think, yet not one fan in a hundred ever realizes one-tenth the number of bonehead plays that are being enacted right before his very eyes.

The speaker was Hughie Jennings, manager of the Detroit Tigers, who led the Junglers to three pennants and who regards the injuries to Cobb, Dube and Moriarty as the only reason why he is not battling the Athletics for this year's flag. Hughie has always ranked as one of the great strategists of base ball, even in the days when he was a player in the ranks. He played on the quickest thinking club of all time, the old Baltimore Orioles, and he was one of the most brainy players on the club, which astonished the base ball world by its quick thinking.

Echoes of the Strike

Call for Canadian Ports. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Three large transatlantic liners today sailed from New York and one from Philadelphia for Canadian ports. The prizes, which were brought here last night had aboard 600 tons of coal and a six months supply of provisions for the Grand Trunkway, Great Eastern and Kariberu. The Bethanias crew was composed of 590 reservists. They have been placed in various detention camps here.

Apply for War Risk

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Applications for more than \$1,000,000 war risk insurance had reached the federal bureau today. Most of the applications cover ships and cargoes in the Transatlantic and South American trade. Rates and regulations probably will be announced within a few days and policies will be written immediately.

Portugal Sends Reinforcements

PARIS, Sept. 12.—A dispatch to the Havana agency from Lisbon says that reinforcements composed of 1,000 Portuguese troops departed today for the Portuguese colonies in Africa.

Part Company

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The Glory and the Suffolk, which parted company last night after lying side by side for two hours today, eight miles southeast of Cape Cod, were sighted by the Suffolk steamed southwestward and the Glory took an easterly direction.

French Editor in Trouble

GRENOBLE, France, Sept. 12.—Because he announced in large headlines the evacuation of the military zone of Paris, Joseph Besnon, the editor of Grenoble newspaper, must appear before a court-martial. This decision was rendered by Minister of War Millerand, who considered that a republican newspaper administered to the editor had proven insufficient.

Flier Dies from Injuries

LONDON, Sept. 12.—A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says Count D'Ukull, a German military aviator, has died from the injuries received in a fall of his aeroplane while reconnoitering.

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Bey Thinks Papers of United States Too Rough with His Country.

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PETROGRAD (via London), Sept. 12.—How a large squad of Russian cavalry met death from drinking poisoned water given them by a German peasant on the road near Koenigsberg, East Prussia, is described by the Moscow correspondent of the Hetsch. "The cavalry men were riding from Insterberg over rough roads and in intense heat," says the correspondent. "The thirsty troopers stopped at a small village and asked a peasant for a drink. He brought out two pails of water. Shortly after drinking it nearly 100 men were attacked with spasms, indicating poisoning. Four of the troopers returned to the village and demanded that the peasant drink from the same pails. When he refused they turned him over to the officers for court martial."

Woman Drowns in Effort to Save Son

FALLS CITY, Neb., Sept. 12.—Mrs. James Fleck, 25, and her 5-year-old boy were drowned in the Missouri river near Rulo today. They were visiting at a neighbor's and the boy, wandering to the river bank, fell into the stream. The mother sprang in after him and both were carried away by the current. The bodies have not been recovered.

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Not Always to Blame. "We hear a lot about the bonehead," said Jennings in a discussion on this species of ball player, "but one has to be on a club and playing the game to realize how many players belong to the class. The title is a bit hard, I admit, and I have often felt sorry for a player who was called such a name. Many times it is undeserved, being applied to a player who makes a brainy effort which falls short of realization. The player who miscalculates a play or underestimates the skill of an opponent does not deserve censure. He is generally of the thinking kind and willing to take a chance, though sometimes it is a rash attempt. But the fellow who forgets all about the one thing he is supposed to do is the one that brings gray hairs to a manager. "Ask the average fan how many major leaguers are of the unthinking kind—the sort to clog up a rally or a well planned play—and he might answer 'Three or four.' Ask me the same question and I will tell you that there are at least fifty of them in the two major leagues. Each major league club carries on an average from twenty to twenty-five men. And it is no exaggeration to say that every major league club will average about three of those players, who cannot be relied upon to think properly. By that I do not mean that all except three play perfect base ball, for we all make mistakes at one time or another. I make three the average when referring to the player who is continually making the play that works against his own team and to the advantage of the opposing club. "I could cite numerous instances of players who have been regarded as top-notchers by the fans, but their work on the ball field would drive a manager crazy. If they could win as many games for their own team as they have won for the other fellow by forgetting something at a critical moment they would be in the major leagues all their life. When I had my championship team in Detroit I once

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