

BESS CITY WINS ITS FIRST GAME

High School Overwhelmingly Victorious in Grid Contest With Heavy Plymouth Team Friday.

In a one-sided game that averaged more of the race-track than the gridiron, the light, speedy Elizabeth City High School football team smothered their heavier Plymouth opponents under a 59 to 0 score Friday afternoon.

The line-up follows: Plymouth: left end Wood, left tackle Hogner, left guard Raper, center Hardison, right guard Ayers, right tackle Lucas, right end Stanton.

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H. Ange, quarterback; Jones, W. Bowen, fullback; Ballard, Jeff Hall, halfback; Colburn, right half; Jennette, left half.



FOR THE GAME'S SAKE

BY LAWRENCE PERRY

Minneapolis, Oct. 18.—Minnesota has it in her to be one of the top most teams of the Western Conference when the season ends. This is not to be taken as a prediction that the Sophomores will be entitled to a ranking so prominent.

"Outstanding Hero" Finds Peace In Kentucky Hills

NEA Service Writer

Fort Thomas, Ky., October 18.—Six years ago today a little company of American soldiers pressed forward at Canel, France.

The lieutenant in charge went ahead through a rain of machine gun bullets. He crawled to the side of the first "nest."

Three of the enemy started toward him. But the lieutenant was quicker on the trigger than they were. He got all three of them and grappled with a fourth.

In the struggle the fourth went down, too, and the Yank officer regained his revolver.

He pushed on to the next nest. Under fire, he killed several more of the Hun and captured three.

"Failing to kill them with his revolver," reads the official citation, "he seized a pick lying nearby and killed both of them."

Today that lieutenant—Samuel Woodfill—whose exploit on October 12, 1918, caused General Pershing to proclaim him the "outstanding hero" of the World War, lives in a modest little cottage a mile from here.

He spends much of his time in his garden, caring for plants. A skilled carpenter, he finds joy in putting around his house or doing odd jobs for his neighbors.

His income is \$133 a month, his retirement pay from the army. On this he supports his wife, formerly Miss Lorena B. Wiltshire, a descendant of Daniel Boone, and her mother.

He could have more money by government appropriation if he asked it, but he has never done so. His buddies started a campaign for congressional action, but he refused to participate in the plans, and they fell through.

None of the glories of the returned heroes are his. He has spurned offers to go on the stage. He accepts no invitations to social functions.



ABOVE—SAMUEL WOODFILL, "OUTSTANDING HERO OF THE WORLD WAR," AT WORK AT HIS HOME NEAR FORT THOMAS, KENTUCKY. BELOW—SAMUEL WOODFILL SCHOOL NEAR FORT THOMAS.

WORLD'S SERIES BETTING GROWS

And Major League Baseball in Danger of Becoming as Much of Gamble as Horse Racing.

By JOHN B. FOSTER (Copyright, 1924, By The Advance)

New York, Oct. 18.—With two extraordinary major league races finishing only a game or so apart this fall, baseball betting toward the close of the 1924 season, and in the 1924 World Series, was heavier than for five years.

These facts are worrying some of the club owners who, between one thing and another, are beginning to realize that the struggle to get in the World Series, has brought the major league championships into a gambling circle, while the series itself has become a speculative proposition that is involving everybody.

Attempted bribery in the ranks of baseball, such as that disclosed by Sand of Philadelphia, had not been expected. But the owners had been nervous for some time for fear of another affair like the White Sox scandal in which professional gamblers would attempt to tamper with the works.

The oral system of race track betting, which sprang up at the race tracks when the actual laying of wagers was legislated out, has been transferred to the national game.

Overnight baseball betting increased in 1924 from insignificant wagers to sums of \$5,000 and \$10,000 and the wagering of thousands as against hundreds turned baseball men bitter against the gamblers.

The owner of the New York Nationals of course, is in a position where he can not say much, for he operates a racing stable and cannot be regarded as an opponent of betting. Those who have fought betting in baseball are naturally antagonistic to any club which has a racing connection.

There has been some agitation to bring about a re-organization of baseball by which no one interested in racing may be interested in a big league club. That such legislation ever will go through, however, is practically

out of the question. The same thing was attempted with respect to club owners who operated saloons but the only way the saloon owner was kept out was through tacit agreement on the part of those who were in. But eventually this was broken through, and now anyone who has the price can get a big league interest.



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