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SPORTS OF INTEREST WHILE THEY'RE NEWS

### First Scrimmage For Washington Last Saturday

Coach Brown Gives Gridders 30 Minutes Of Actual Playing

By GRIDDER

Washington College will have a fast, but light eleven, to represent it on the gridiron this season. This much was proven by the first scrimmage session of the season which Coach Phil Brown sent his Maroon gridders through last Saturday afternoon. Two fifteen minute periods were all that the hot weather permitted the Washington mentor to have his team in action. In this half an hour of work numerous faults were ironed out and several prospective stars uncovered.

No idea of the eleven that will take the field against Maryland on Saturday of this week could be gleamed from the scrimmage. Coach Brown divided his squad and placed a mixture of veterans and rookies on each team. That the two were evenly matched may be gathered from the score. Each side was able to Here is the former king of man when he trimmed Jess Willard title, Champion Gene Tunney was it. Why shouldn't he worry? cross the other's goal line just once. heavyweights as he appeared in for the championship and have had never more serious in his life than

squad, who will probably get the sig- Philadelphia last year.

Which he lost to Gene Tunney at DEMPSEY—It looks like a Demp- of his crown.

Sev fight to me. JOE WHEATLEY nal calling position, on the 1927 eleven. "city slicked" his opponents Parksley Winner In right at the start.

Receiving the kick off the ball was carried to one side of the field while Koble, a candidate for an end position, proceeded to "lie out" on the Parksley, of the Eastern Shore opposite side of the field. The League, won the "Five State" Series "Alexander" eleven lined up quickly on Monday by defeating Chambers- that feat. I cannot see where this ed, for the first Washington score of Ridge pennant this year. the season. The play was rather a The deciding game was the only sey is one of them. SPENCER mean one to pull so early in the sea- shutout of the lot and in it Parksley son and particularly on a group of team mates. But it worked.

The ball see-sawed back and forth Shore League team won four and lost during the rest of the first period, two games in the series. with Jimmy Chapman, Chestertown boy, giving an exhibition of running Chambersburg by a score of 6 to 4, that brought joy to Washington fol- lost the second 2 to 6; won the third lowers. Fast and shifty, Chapman at Hagerstown, 6 to 4; lost the fourhas plenty of weight for a good back. th at Parksley, 2 to 4; won the fifth In addition to his running ability he at Parksley 7 to 3, and on Monday is about the best passer on the squad took the sixth at Salisbury 5 to 0. and can receive them with the best. Monday's game was called in the He is also a kicker. Several times first half of the eighth because of Chapman dashed off tackle for size- rain. From the second inning on the able gains. two teams had battled for the cham-

One of Chapman's dashes would pionship honors in a steady downhave resulted in a touchdown had it pour. not been for a "jack rabbitt" back Besides getting the winning playon the other team. This was Fobert. ers' share of the money the Parksley He is fast and a real scrapper. He nine will be awarded gold base ball missed Chapman twice but got up emblematic of the championship team each time and finally made the tack- of the two leagues. le. Fobert is a fine defensive back and can carry the ball.

The touchdown scored by the oth- Maryland Team Chosen er team came as the result of a couple of line bucks by Captain Norris after he had snared a wayward pass. ed thru the center for about twenty lineup for the season's opener with so many years. Lacoste won the Ayards, bowling over everything that Washington College on Saturday. happened to be in the way. It was According to Byrd, when the two just an exhibition of what Norris can teams trot on the field for the first do when he wants to.

In the line Koble, the end who made will lineup as follows: Dodson and C. H. S. Preparing the first score, looked good. He Young, ends; Zulick and Adams, plays an alert, smart brand of foot- tackles; Wondrack and Crothers, ball and should prove a valuable ad- guards; Captain Bafford, center; dition to Washington's grid squad. Dubin, at guard also showed class.

A little light for the position he, howhim a place on the first squad. "Hack" Wilson, the Kent County boy from Rock Hall, showed that he

hadn't forgotten some of the tricks Greensboro Announces Slither, a 220 pounder, who is as green as they come, at the same time

showed promise. He is evceptionally active for such a big fellow.

Pat scrimmaged a few minutes on Tuesday evening, September 27. Saturday and broke up several well intended plays. but who was out of school last year, of his opponents. Thus his title K. O. son.

is back and will probably handle a In Wolfe, however, who weighs 210, backfield berth. Repeating the opening line— he will meet by far the best scrapper that he has ever glared at in the ring. Bill Johnston Is Washington College will have a fast, Besides the main go the Greensbut light eleven. It will be one that boro Athletic Club is offering four is entirely too light to expect many preliminary scraps. The first will

squad are all well set up youngsters mott, 119 pounds, of Baltimore. but the team won't average much more over the 150 mark in poundage. Coach Brown feels that he has an eleven that will play a smart brand of football but is not overlooking the limitations that the lack of beef places upon them.

The varsity eleven that will face Maryland in the season's opener on Saturday has not been chosen and according to Coach Brown it won't be until game time. Every berth on the team is open and the men who Tomlinson, 140 pounds, and Kid show the best this week will be the Ronner, 140 pounds, together. Tom- profession.

starters. Several new men have joined the

Another thing this country needs last winter's suit. They had eaten a He is spending a few days at his The Rock Hall Public Elementary Exchange Building, Chesteris some executives who can write hole big enough to make several home in Galena before going to Phil- School Commission by their names so they can be read. | doughnuts.

The fourth bout will bring Young

Washington.

Jack Dempsey

scored five times. The Eastern

Parksley won the first game at

DEMPSEY-If I were a betting

TUNNEY. Gene Tunney is the pole horse and carries my bets. B. H. TITTER, Restaurant Owner. DEMPSEY—I'm a Dempsey horse. Old Jack's going to knock him loose. PHIL SEWELL, Mechanic.

old Slick 'em Flynn, his manager. Therefore I'm a Dempsey man. P. V. Kratzer, Radio Engineer.

HADAWAY, Butcher.

TUNNEY-I'm pulling for Tunney but know that he has a hard job. A. F. SHURE, Road Engineer.

Both failed to score the extra point. final workouts at Chicago for his no reason to change. P. T. BRAMBLE in the finishing hours of his train- Gene Tunney, getting his first crack

TUNNEY-Gene is my man in the coming fight. JOHN E. BARNES,

"Five State" Series DEMPSEY—I was a Dempsey man before he became champion, and will be a Dempsey man until he is put down to stay, but I can see no presambled across the goal line, unmolest- burg, which had captured the Blue will be much of a fight, as it takes two men to make a fight and Demp-



Rene Lacoste, great French ten-In the final buck, that ended in the Coach Curley Byrd, of the Univer- nis ace, has finally toppled our Big score, the Washington leader crash- sity of Maryland, has announced his Bill Tilden from the throne he ruled merican title last year—and this month defeated Tilden—the team taking the Davis cup to France.

Snyder, halfbacks; Linkous, fullback. Chestertown High School, called the first so touched. This provision Coach Phil Brown, of the Wash- candidates for the soccer team to- shall apply whether the ball strikes that ever had the padded mits shovever, displayed enough fight to earn ington eleven, has not announced the gether for the first time on Tuesday the ground in the field or behind the team that will take the field for afternoon.

by graduation from its soccer ranks. the rules as a note under (B) and Particularly hard to replace will be (C) section 1, rule XVII, reverses I'll probably feel that Dempsey should the Williams brothers who were stars the tentative ruling made at the have won. of the team last season.

Fine Boxing Card is being arranged and as in former ing the goal line, makes a backward Ricards. They'll all win plenty. The Greensboro Athletic Club, will meet with the winner in another the ball bounds forward across the Battle of Chicago I say—JACK which is doing much to promote the county in the elimination series con- line and strikes the ground in the The return of Pat Schnauffer giv- are of modified murder on the East- ducted to determine an Eastern Shore end zone, it is a touchdown." es Washington stock a slight boost. ern Shore, is planning a big card for championship that will battle with The change was made to avoid the Western Shore winner for the possibility of a "fluke" touchdown The main bout will bring together state title.

K. O. Lister, of Greensboro, and Jack Rock Hall and Galena who have code throughout the country, Wil-Purcell, who played fine football Wolfe, of Baltimore. Lister, who put teams on the field in past years liam S. Langford, secretary of the for the local college two years ago, weighs in at 225, has been slaying all are expected to do so again this sea- rules committee, explained.

victories considering the calibre of bring together Tiger Corp, 120 been with the Cambridge nine in the Kent County, for the Rock Hall Pub-

at Washington College and like Jake seen at the office of Louis C. Robin- Long Cove to the said southern In the third bout will be Student | Flowers on the Chestertown summer | son, County Superintendent of | boundary of the aforesaid Trumping-Marth, of Washington College, Ches- team for several years, intends to Schools, Chestertown, Maryland, and ton; it being the identical vacancy

linson claims Dover, Del., as his home and Ronner hails from Philadelphia. squad since the opening of school. The management of the club states an infielder and filled the same pos- Elementary School Commission, in Among them are several likely look- that in case of rain the bouts will be ition at Cambridge for two seasons. care of Louis C. Robinson, Chesterheld the following evening.

We kicked the moth out of our he was right at home.

### Gene Tunney

Below will be found the choices of many of Chestertown's sports enthusiasts in the Tunney-Dempsey fight scheduled for tomorrow night in Chicago.

I PICK

man my money would go on Jack Dempsey. A. L. STERLING, Drug-

DEMPSEY-Half of Dempsey is

TUNNEY-I believe Tunney is a better fighter than he is given credit for. J. T. KIBLER, Athletic Director. DEMPSEY-They've got to lick old Jack again for me. "TOOTS"

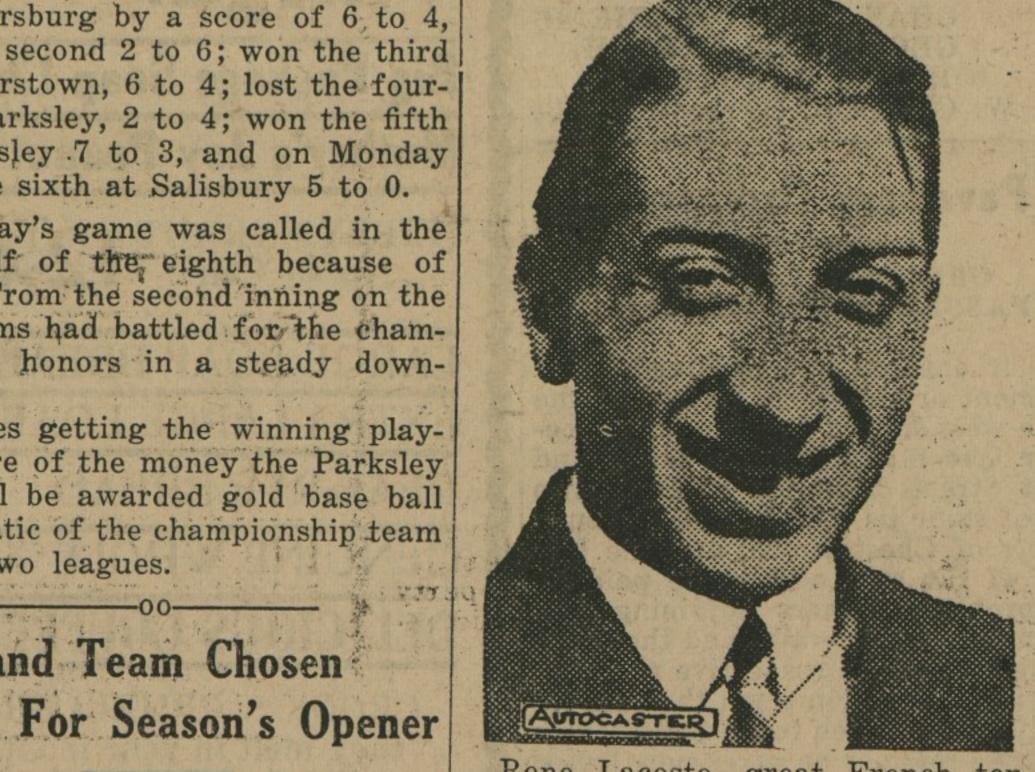
DEMPSEY-I have always been, and still am, a Dempsey man. "DUTCH" DUMSCHOTT, Professor and Former Basket Ball Star. TUNNEY-I expect to read these head lines in the papers the day after the fight, "They Can't Come Back," so therefore I can see nothing but Tunney. ELLSWORTH GREEN-WOOD, Printer.

DEMPSEY—Jack Dempsey will win as sure as the fight take place. H. G. SIMPERS, Physician.

sey fight to me. JOE WHEATLEY,

Rural Letter Carrier.

PETERSON, Linotype Operator.



game of the 1927 season, the Ravens

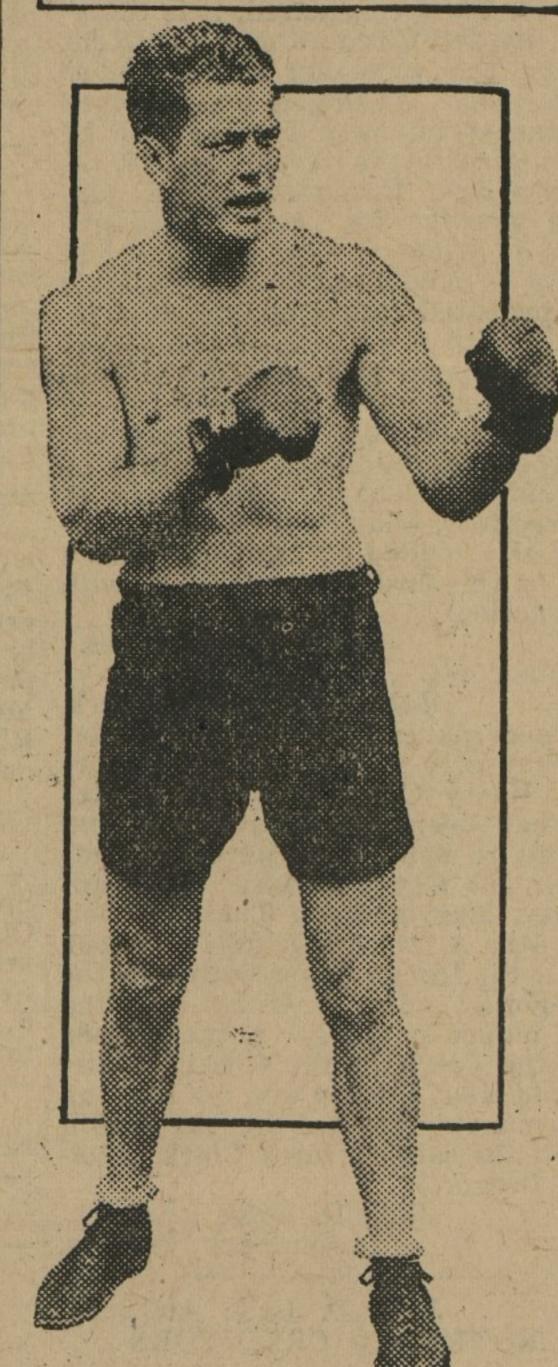
Kessler, quarterback; Thomas and Principal Mark Creasy, of the the pass at the spot at which it was

A schedule for the county teams | Sept. 10 that "when team A, near-

teams it must face. The boys on the pounds, of Pinney, and Eddie McDer- Eastern Shore League, every year lic Elementary School Commission in ed Trumpington, and running in a since the league was organized, is accordance with drawings and spec- southerly direction by and with Ches-The second scrap will see Jack thru with baseball. At least, Bill ifications as prepared by A. C. Leach, apeake Bay to a point of land called Errie, 135 pounds, of Greensboro, said so Monday. take on Teddie Dix, 135 pounds, of Johnston, who formerly was a star Drawings and specifications may be Cove, then with the western shore of

Johnston, while playing for Washington College and Chestertown, was

All proposals or bids shall be addressed to "The Rock Hall Public DR. H. C. HUGHES Since that time, however, Johnston, town, Maryland."



Flowers Going Great

scribes the way that Jake Flowers he worry? is ending up the 1927 season with The tables are turned this year in

ing hand was the first of his tough shouldn't he worry? breaks. A sore arm and a wrenched Then there is Dempsey. If he of the finger mishap.

one of the minor leagues.

### Backward Pass Rule Changed By Grid Committee The football rules committee today

followed the lead of the Western Conference in making a change in regulations to prevent a "fluke" touchdown on a backward pass. By a telegraph vote, the rules committee accepted the ruling, already adopted among Western Conference teams, that "in case a backward pass is touched without a ball then strikes the ground or goes out of bounds in advance of the For Soccer Season spot at which it was touched. It

The local high school was hard hit This change to be incorporated in eastern interpretation meeting,

defensive goal line."

and to make for uniformity in the

PROPOSALS

Thru With Baseball ceived until 12 M. On Monday, being in the Fifth Election District October 3rd, 1927, for the construc- of Kent County, State of Maryland, Bill Johnston, of Galena, who has tion of a school house at Rock Hall, bounded and described as follows: Architect, Baltimore, Maryland. Wilsons Point and a cove called Long tertown, who will sling gloves at Lew | enter business in Philadelphia. | a copy of thereof may be obtained | resurveyed for Thomas Smyth called | Resurvey on part of Trumpington, | two scrappers balance the beam at managed the Cambridge team and be refunded upon the return of said Smiths Meadows, etc., No. 179, had a fair year. However, seeing drawings and specifications. The Unpatented Certificate of Kent Counno future for himself in the national successful bidder will be required to ty, and never paid for. pastime he thinks it wiser to end his furnish sufficient bond with approved base ball days and take up another security for the erection and completion of said public school house.

> has been shifted to the outfield where The Commission reserves the right WILLIAM C. FRANCIS, Chairman. town, Md.

Dempsey Victor;

## Three Winners In Big Fight

Conditions Of Last Battle Reversed For This Year's

By H. S. ARE

psey, then Heavyweight Champion of all the world, was feeling the bound- Old Bill Tilden, at one time, age of his heavy crown. Every man could boast a pair of under-pins that that had ever had any dealings with the two classifications. the then Champ was trying to get a slice of the gravy that the Champ was supposed to have salted away. Summons after summons was being served upon the heavy king. Reports is going to get dirty. that gamblers, who had bet heavily upon Tunney, were out to dope him cluded his movie-star wife, the beau- it. tiful Estelle Taylor. Dempsey was worried. The strain he was going thru told heavily and he failed to maybe they'll fight. round into condition as had been expected. He knew that he wasn't hitting with his old time accuracy New York will go to Chicago for the onds always know more about a batand zip and this added to his already fight. overwhelming worries. He knew that he stood a chance of losing his DEMPSEY-I was a Dempsey Carrying the responsibility of the title and the millions that went with the return trip to New York.

mark added to the end. Joe Alexander, from last year's battle there to regain the title, Poultryman and Sports Writer. ing at Chicago for the first defense at the big money, he had every thing to win and nothing to lose. If he er and just where he was before in the ring. As Season Nears Close If he won over the champ he was the heavyweight king with millions rea-

> the Brooklyn Dodgers in the Nation- one sense of the word but remain the al League. After spending the same side up in another. The champ greater part of the season on the is still the harassed one and this Sep- ter to Gene, the scholarly Champ had the root of the superior mesentric bench due to a series of injuries tember it is Gene Tunney who is be- an opportunity to shut Jack up with Flowers is back at his old stand at ing served by summons from those a few big words, but didn't. shortstop and playing remarkable who hope to cut in on the big melon ball. His two hits on Monday play- that has come the way of the titlethe league-leading Pittsburgh Pir- every thing to lose. It means mil- wished him luck. lions and social position to Gene and Flowers has been kept on the the social position means nearly as bench during the season because of much as the millions to the present injuries that made it impossible for heavy ruler. It is Gene who is worhim to play at his best. An old in- ried because he is not rounding into jury to the index finger on his throw- shape as fast as he should. And why

back followed close upon the heels loses he will be a half million richer and just another that failed to find The pace that Flowers is hitting at his way up the comeback trail. If this time may save him from a trip he wins-fame, glory and still more to the minors at the end of the sea- wealth to his already overflowing cofson. Had he continued on the bench fers. He will be the first to march until the season was finished he or stagger up that rocky trail to the would have probably been farmed to peak of Comeback Mountain. He is the challenger. He isn't worrying and why should he?

Mr. Tunney is a book man. He probably has heard a little of physicology. He, maybe, knows that the mental condition is at least half the battle. Being a book man he will probably worry even harder than did Dempsey even be it that he has less actual cause for worry.

If I am not badly mistaken this mental stuff will play a large, and rather large at that, part in the Battle of Chicago.

Picking a winner is hard under any circumstances. But where sentiment enters it is doubly hard. Dempsey player gaining control of it and the has been, and always will be, my favorite fighter. When I think of a Champion of All Champions it isn't a John L. Sullivan, a Jefferies, a shall belong to the team which made Corbett, or a Tunney, that I see in my mind. It is Jack Dempsey, the most colorful and the greatest heavy ed on his hands. In the words of a more illustrious critic, "They've got to lick this old fellow once more for me to be convinced." And even then

> As to a winner there will be three: Mr. Tunney, Mr. Dempsey and Mr.

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### SPLASHES SPORTS By H. S. ARE



The only thing left to do now | He then went over to Jack's is to put white flannels on Helen camp and wished him luck. Wills and send her after the Davis Cup next year.

Legs, or lower limbs, are es-The tables are turned. At this sentials in tennis, as well, as in the point of the game last year Jack Dem- front row of the Follies.

could get under the wire in one of the time is ten seconds Heaven help

Now he's "burnt up." 

ney continue to sling mud, someone

tle than the participants, although they never fight. Six hundred and one will make

Mr. Tunney will be the straight

was defeated by Dempsey he was wouldn't be a bad idea to turn Mr. several hundred thousand dollars rich- Leo Flynn and Mr. Billy Gibson loose

than ten rounds.

ed an important part in the defeat of holder. It is Gene Tunney who has respondent, looked Gene over and couldn't prove this by any prize

The answer is which kind of luck did he wish who.

If the fight doesn't come soon certain rabid local fans are going to argue themselves sick.

TIME WILL TELL. And if the horizontal guy.

They Call 'Em

SECONDS in the prize ring be-If Jack Dempsey and Gene Tun- cause, like the seconds of the old duelists, they are supposed to wise up the gladiator what to do and what not to do. No fight today is If this "baiting" will get them complete without about a gang of were rife. These reports even in- real mad with each other, we are for seconds in each corner, gesticulating and splashing water between rounds. The fighter who usually Then when they get in the ring loses has more seconds than the winner, and he gets so much advice between rounds he doesn't know what Six hundred millionaires from to do when the gong sounds. Sec-

They Call It

A SOLAR PLEXUS, in the realm of the padded punch, not because the recipient thereof seels all the bodies After Jack and Gene finish it of the solar system gaily flitting about, but because of the section of the body where the wallop lands. The Solar Llexus—one of the most "In a blaze of glory" aptly de- dy to pour into his lap. Why should 160,000 spectators to death in less clout, says a medical dictionary, "landed in a nervous plexus situated in the abdomen behind the stom-When Jack sent his "open" let- ach, surrounding the coelias axis and artery. The S. P." continues this dope, "distributes filaments to all Jack Sharkey, now a press cor- abdominal viscera," although you

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