

# PITTSBURG TEAM HAS BEST CLAIM TO BIG NOISE OF THE EAST

## Georgia Tech Wins Palm in South and Ohio in Western Conference.

### THE FINAL GAME THURSDAY

Cornell and Pennsylvania Meet Thanksgiving Day—Quakers Are Favored to Win Year's Last Contest.

New York, Nov. 25.—(U. P.)—Picking an eastern champion for the war football season will not be hard this year. Pittsburg spells it all. The palm in the south belongs to Georgia Tech. Fans in the west have nominated Ohio State, and there the matter stands.

### NORTHWESTERN TEAM BASKS IN GLORY OF VICTORY OVER MICHIGAN

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(I. N. S.)—“Silent” Murphy, coach of Northwestern university football team, is being hailed as the “Miracle Man” of the 1917 Big Ten season today. The victory over Michigan scored over Michigan has brought Murphy to the front as the outstanding figure among Big Ten coaches this year.

### Team Develops Gradually

The Northwestern team developed gradually. It was overwhelmingly beaten by Ohio at the start of the season and fell before Stagg's Maroons, but it found itself in the closing weeks of the season and was playing real football at the finish.

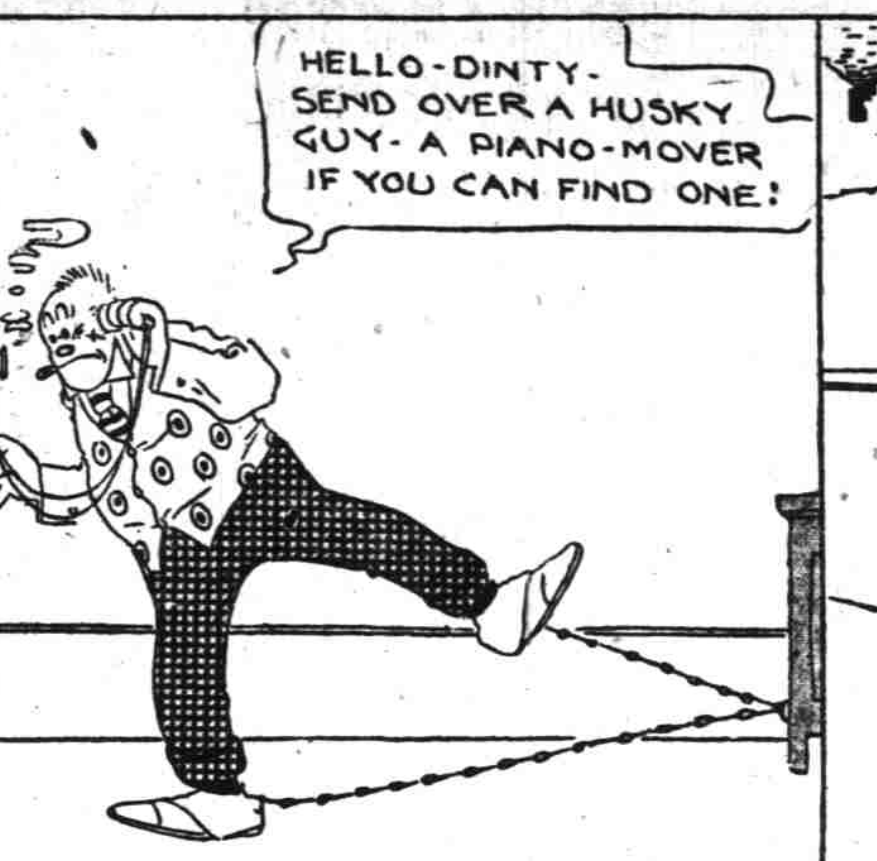
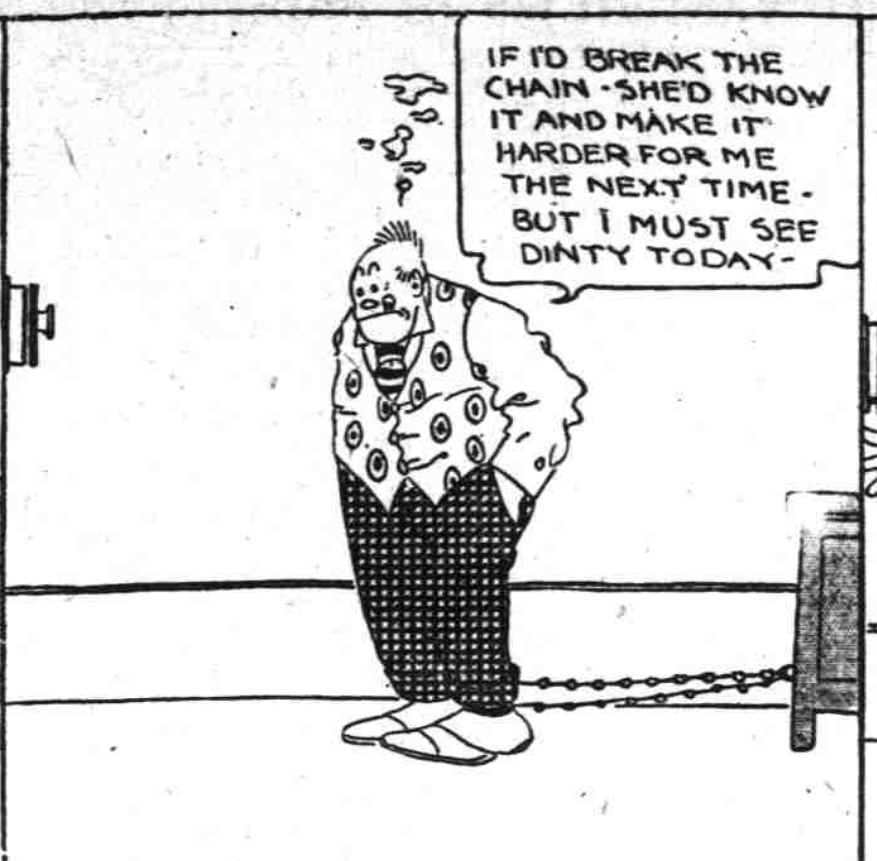
Outside of the defeat of Michigan by Northwestern, there were no upset of the Big Ten season. Minnesota's powerful grid machine trampled roughed over the Illinois and Wisconsin, and Wisconsin's victory over Chicago was by no means a surprise.

Indiana, however, furnished somewhat of a surprise when it humbled Purdue under a 7 to 0 score.

### RUTGERS ELEVEN BIG FOOTBALL SURPRISE BY BEATING EVERETS

New York, Nov. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Foster Sanford's Rutgers eleven, from New

### BRINGING UP FATHER



### SACRAMENTO IS ANXIOUS TO SEE IF OTHERS PAY

### Business Men Say They Won't Sink Their Money in Franchise.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 25.—(U. P.)—Maybe Sacramento will not get that Coast League franchise after all. It was reported today that there has been no consuming enthusiasm in the capital city for paying money for the Portland franchise. Men who are willing to back a club, if one is placed in Sacramento, declare they will not sink money in a franchise.

### Multnomah Players Enlist Club Football Is Finished

Several members of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club football team, which closed its season last Saturday, will enlist in various branches of the country's service this week.

Jack Day, who starred for the clubmen in their battle against the Camp Lewis team a fortnight ago, has joined the signal corps of the aviation branch. Henry Jones is going into the flying corps and Clayton Patterson plans to join the signal corps with Jack Day.

### COACH HUNT HAS TROUBLES WITH U. OF W. OUTFIT

### Formidable Team from Pullman Tosses Big Scare Into Coach "Jump" Hunt.

University of Washington, Nov. 25.—Again has Coach "Jump" Hunt reached into the line of the varsity eleven and plucked out a man for backfield. Last Saturday, Captain "Tramp" Murphy made his debut as fullback after having held down a place at tackle for many games, and now Theisen, the new left end, who sprung into prominence in the Whitman game with a 40 yard run, has been pulled out of his place to try out the job at right half in place of Gardner, star fullback, who left Seattle, Thursday, for Fort Leavenworth, having received his commission in the United States army.

Powers, second string fullback, and who was picked for Gardner's position by various sport writers, is still in the running and a merry fight is being staged on University field between the big backfielder and the novice Theisen.

### Brownsville Team Beats Springfield

Brownsville, Or., Nov. 25.—The Brownsville high school team won from the heavier Springfield team Saturday by the score of 21 to 13. The losers put up a plucky fight, but could not hold the charging Brownsville backs, particularly Miller and Howe. Halstead, the regular fullback, was out of the game on account of sickness. Miller is the boy who ran the entire length of the gridiron for a touchdown at Harrisburg recently. So far the Brownsville boys are undefeated, and they have a strong chance to win the every contest. On Thanksgiving they go to Cottage Grove to try conclusions with the high school team at that place.

### Fifteen Teams to Start in 6-Day Race

New York, Nov. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Fifteen well balanced teams comprising the pick of riders on two continents will start the 1918 team by members of the annual winter classic horse race, which this year amounts to \$3000. In all \$16,000 in cash prizes is being offered to contestants by Promoter William H. Wallman.

### Seattle Boy Named Captain

Palo Alto, Cal., Nov. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Norbert J. Korte of Seattle, giant Santa Clara rear ranner, has been elected to captain the 1918 team by members of the Rugby squad immediately after the game.

### Weeghman Says Chicago to Get Good Baseball

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(I. N. S.)—"We are going right ahead laying our plans for the 1918 season. If the army draft hits us, all well and good, but we are not going to cry before being hit. If we are struck by the draft we will manage to give Chicago National league baseball fans a good brand of baseball next season."

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### ON THE ALLEYS

### EVERETT SQUAD MAY PLAY HERE ON DECEMBER 8

### Franklin Champions Considering Game With Conqueror of Portland.

### Olympic Club Stars Be Seen at M.A.A.C.

### Will Prepare Army Men for Bayonets

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