

## **SIX PENCE and RAILS MILLER - Sportsmen**

**Note:** these two articles came from a collection of cut-out newspaper clippings that belonged to Joan Oppy, one fine lady. The first one is probably from the Danville III. Commercial News and the one on Miller likely the Crawfordsville Journal Review - no clue the year but would assume the Pence article is Dec 6, 1917 since it indicates today and chosen to lead the 1917 team. The Miller one no clue - sorry -- kbz

**Greencastle, Ind Dec 6** - That Charles (Six) Pence, halfback on this year's Old Gold 11, would be chosen to lead the 1917 DePauw football at the meeting of the team players late today was regarded as a certainty. Pence who is a junior in the university, has played three years on DePauw eleven and won merited praise for his work each season. For the last two years Pence, although he is one of the lightest back field men playing in the state, has been rated as one of the best defensive halves in Indiana. His work in advancing the ball is equally valuable to the team, he being counted one of the eleven's surest ground gainers. His \_\_\_ection is popular with team and student body. In addition to his football record, Pence has made good in basketball and baseball to the extent that he is rated the best all-around athlete in DePauw.

Late Wednesday evening Pence was honored by the 16 "D" men of the squad. Charles W. Pence is a native of Linden. He gained his high school football experience at New Richmond and in his first college year played with the Purdue freshman team. During the three years he has been at DePauw, Pence has played exceptionally at half back, both offensively and defensively. Brilliant defense play marked his performance during the \_\_\_ gridiron season. Measuring 5'8" and weighing 145# Pence is one of those diminutive \_\_\_ who is not only a good field runner, but a line plunger as well.

**New Richmond, June 29-** The New Richmond ball team that has been playing such good ball all season has filled its schedule for the remainder of the year up until the middle of August. Linden will be met on the home field next Monday and the return game will be pulled off two weeks from that date on the Linden lot. The Lafayette Red Sox will be the biggest attraction and they are scheduled to appear July 23 on the local field. Mellott and Yeddo are other nines to be met on the schedule already prepared. Frank "RAILS" Miller is expected to be home from Ann Arbor, Michigan where he has been attending Michigan University in time for the game Sunday, July 2, between New Richmond and Linden on the home grounds and quite a number are expected to be out to see "Rails" perform on the home diamond. A good game is anticipated as both Linden and New Richmond teams have been putting up a good article of ball. Manager Campbell has announced the following schedule for the New Richmond baseball team

July 2 - Linden at New Richmond

July 9 - New Richmond at Yeddo

July 16 - New Richmond at Linden

July 23 - Lafayette White Sox at New Richmond

July 30 - Open

August 6 - New Richmond at Mellott

August 13 - Mellott at New Richmond.

WONDER HOW THEY DID ??????????????????