The Beavers Bark

By Mort Bosniak

Last year during the football season, the Sports Editor of The Tech decided that he would predict the outcome of some of the football games of the week. He met with only moderate success.

If the number of wrong predictions during any one particular week was a bit high, many readers seemed to remember these mistakes as an Athlete's Order topped by little brickling. That is why I am a little hesitant in making my predictions of the final standings in the Major League pennant races. However, I do have the safety factor of time working in my favor. Very few people will remember who I predict for the final standings by next September and if I am wrong, well then perhaps no one will remember my bad judgment. However, if by some stroke of good fortune my prognostications are correct, when you can be sure that if you forget what I have predicted, I'll most certainly remind you of my success.

With this in mind, here are my predictions for the 1950 Major League campaigns.

American League

Detroit—I'm sticking my neck out on this one. I hope I'm not sorry for what I've done.

Boston—Pitching is still keeping them from the top. If McDermott comes through the pennant they might cop.

New York—The Yanks also appear to be strong, and they may very well prove that I am wrong.

Cleveland—It looks like Feller is through. The same with Koetter and Gordon too.

Philadelphia—The A's want to win for old Connie Mack, but weak batting punch will hold them back.

Chicago—The Champs have improved in pitching and batting, but at the end of the year they'll still be sitting in the first division.

Washington—There is plenty of hot air in Washington, but there should be no reason, for the Senators to have a cold team this season.

Pittsburgh—Mighty Ralph Kiner is his name. He'll win for the Pirates many a game.

National League

Chicago—The Cubs are uncertain. I believe they'll hold their ground, but they might cop.

New York—Pitching will hold them down, but in the second division.

St. Louis—The saddest team in the National League will have a red face, as he sees his boys landing in last place.

Boston—The batting of Gordon and Mushial one men, but fear, and Johnny Sain will have a better year.

St. Louis—Musial, Slaughter, and Pollet they still hold—but the team is getting mighty old.

Philadelphia—Plenty of speed and hustle they'll show—but fourth is as high as they will go.

New York—Bummers get Stanky and back in his decision but Leo will only get a first in the second division.

Pittsburgh—Mighty Ralph Kiner is his name. He'll win for the Pirates many a game.

Cincinnati—Chicago and this Blackwell feller, will keep the Reds out of the cellar.

Chicago—Poor old Frankie Frisch will have a red face, as he sees his boys landing in last place.

Calendar of Events

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Physics Department, Spectroscopy Laboratory, Research Laboratory of Electronics, and Laboratory for Nuclear Science and Engineering. Sixth of a series of ten lectures by Hans Kopfermann, University of Gottingen. Room 4-321, 4:30 p.m.


TUESDAY, APRIL 18

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