


Walden



Fred Walden

Position: Catcher

Bats: Right • **Throws:** Right

Born: [June 25, 1890](#) in Fayette, [MO](#) 

Died: [September 27, 1955](#) (Aged 65-094d) in Jefferson Barracks, [MO](#)

Buried: Memorial Park Cemetery, St. Louis, MO

Debut: [June 3, 1912](#) (Age 21-344d, 3,696th in major league history)

[vs. WSH](#) 0 AB, 0 H, 0 HR, 0 RBI, 0 SB

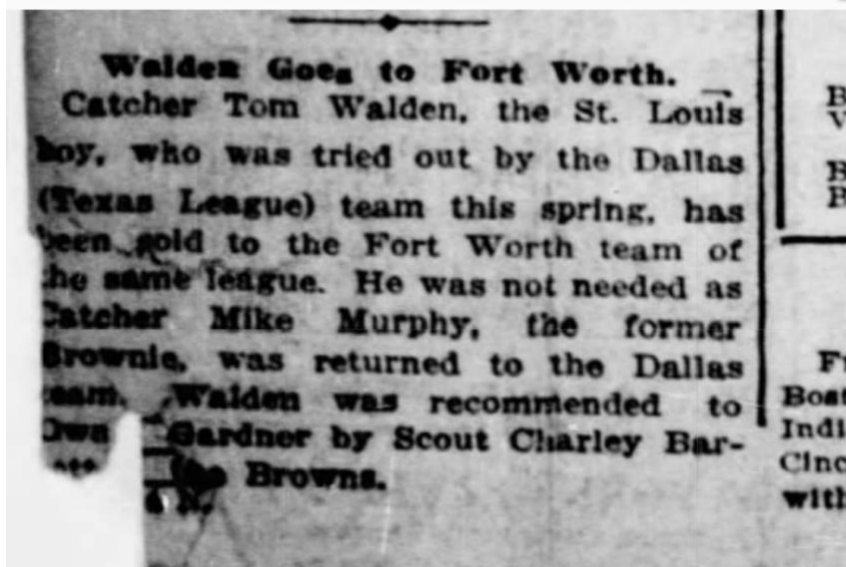
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Texas League Results.												
SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GLOBE-DEMOCRAT.												
At Fort Worth—In a game of lot ball to-day Dallas pounded three Panther pitchers and won, 13 to 4. The locals fielded miserably. Bader was effective. The score:												
Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Dallas	0	0	1	1	8	0	5	3	0	13	13	2
Fort Worth....	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	4	0	0
Batteries—Bader and Blinke; Windham, Hiett, Dischner and Kitchen and Walden.												
At Waco—The locals outbatted and completely outplayed the league leaders to-day.												

Walden with Fort Worth in spring 1912

Stovall is certainly hard up for catchers. Yesterday he was forced to send Lou Criger behind the bat to start the game and the chap who was formerly one of the greatest in the business did some rattling good work, especially so when it is taken into consideration that he has not caught in a game for months. Lou had but one good opportunity to catch a runner stealing and then he caught Milan, one of the fastest National runners, at second. At bat he walked the first time, the second got to first on an error and eventually scored, while the third time he was thrown out at first.

When Kutina batted for him in the eighth inning Tom Walden, a local amateur, had to go behind the bat. Walden ran into a hot inning in the ninth and he is to be excused for being somewhat rattled. He had Foster at the plate until he dropped the throw. Milan stole on him when he made a throw which hit the ground before it reached the bag. But the team with which he was playing was up in the air about as high as Walden.

One and only game in majors

St. Louis Typos to Make Clayton Team Hustle to Win Sunday's Game

A fast game is expected next Sunday afternoon at Clayton, Mo., between the Typos of St. Louis and the Clayton team. The Typos are the pick of No. 8 Typographical Union, and will represent St. Louis at the championship games to be played at Boston next month. Tom Walden, late of the Texas league, will don the mask and pad for the Typos. A large delegation of St. Louis printers and their friends will attend the game, and be on hand to make things "pleasant" for the Clayton bugs. After the game a banquet will be held at Autenreith Hotel, Clayton.

Wilbur Walden.
Funeral services for Wilbur Walden, 72 years old, a linotype operator, who died Wednesday at his home, 6630 Clayton avenue, will be held tomorrow at 1:45 p. m. at the Alexander & Son chapel, 6175 Delmar boulevard. Mr. Walden was a member of Typographical Union No. 8. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mollie Walden, and a son, Thomas Walden, former professional baseball player here.

Missouri Crematory. Deceased member of Gas Workers' Union Local No. 6.
WALDEN, MOLLIE—6600 Washington av., entered into rest Wed., Feb. 16, 1944, dear daughter of Margaret Kelly, dear mother of Thomas F. Walden, our dear sister and grandmother.
Funeral Sat., Feb. 19, 1 p. m., from Shepard Funeral Home, 1167 Hamilton av., to Oak Grove Cemetery.
ANNA BELLE—2806

Thomas Walden Dies; Catcher for Browns

Thomas F. Walden, 65, a catcher for the St. Louis Browns in 1912 and retired Post-Dispatch printer, died Tuesday at the Veterans Administration Hospital from a stroke.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Laura Walden, 8828 Riverview bl., and two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy White, an employee in the Globe-Democrat's classified advertising department; and Mrs. Jane Loser, of St. Louis.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, 9:30 a. m., at Sullivan's Funeral Home, 2849 North Euclid ave. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

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Walden, Ex-Catcher For Browns, Dies

Funeral services for Thomas F. Walden, a St. Louis Browns' catcher in 1912 and retired Post-Dispatch printer, will be held Saturday at 9:30 a.m. from the Sullivan undertaking establishment. He died following a stroke Tuesday at Veterans Administration Hospital.

Mr. Walden, who was 65 years old, managed the Typo baseball team in 1927. He is survived by his wife, Laura, and two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy White and Mrs. Jane Loser, both of St. Louis. The family home is at 8828 Riverview boulevard.

'RED' KICKHAM SHINES.

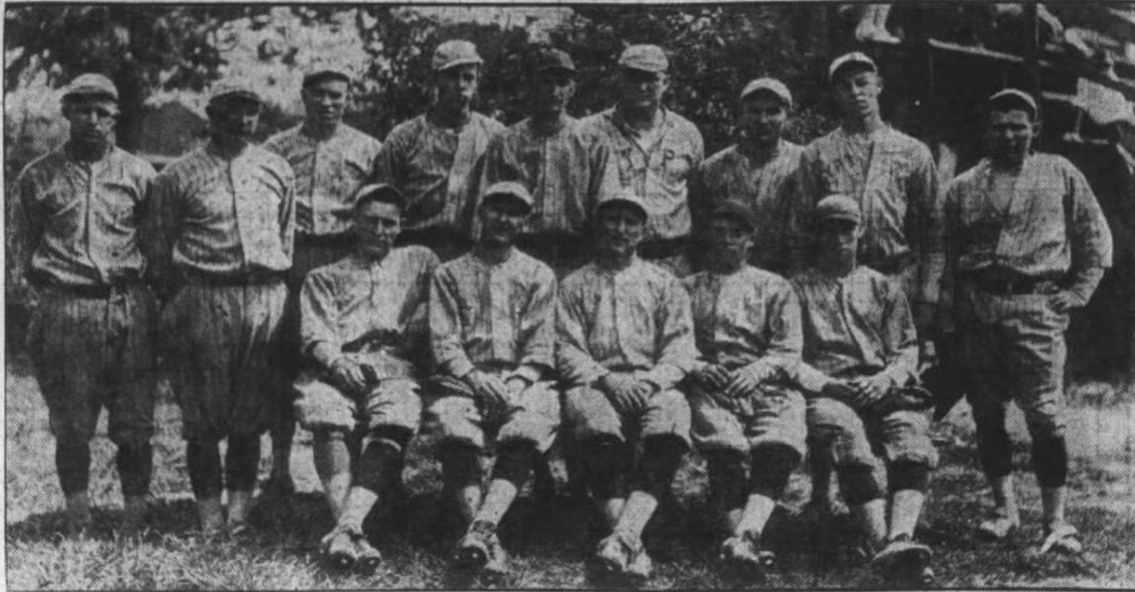
Manager Tom Walden of the Typos has uncovered a young "find" in Tommy "Red" Kickham, judging by his work in Sunday's contests with the Y. M. H. A., in which the Typos lost both contests of the double bill at Forest Park. "Red" was up seven times and hit three safe drives to the outfield. His other tries were hard shots to the outfield. "Red" has a great "soup-bone," one of his pegs from deep right nailing a "Y" runner at the plate, and just failing by inches of duplicating his feat in the closing session.

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St. Louis' Entry in International Printers' Baseball Tournament



Left to right, standing: "Lefty" Hines, pitcher; Henderson, pitcher; Tom Walden, catcher; Andy Meagher, utility; Benny Mertens, center field; Judson Urie, pitcher; Tony Stockman, left field; Larry Roberts, first base; Ray Thomas, shortstop. Seated, left to right: Charles Reis, second base; Walter Kling, right field; Barney Meyers, catcher (manager); Gene Roberts, outfielder; Buddy Keenoy, third base.

For the first time in several seasons the local union will be host to the national body, August 23, 24 and 25, right on the heels of the leaders Meyers doing the catching. It was originally planned to play

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