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BASEBALL

AT

WEST HAM STADIUM

WEST HAM

v.

PIRATES

(LONDON MAJOR LEAGUE GAME)

SUNDAY, MAY 23rd, 1937

PITCH-OFF - 3.30 p.m.

PROGRAMME TWOPENCE

TEAMS

WEST HAM

(GRIMSON AND BLUE)

<i>Position</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Name</i>
3rd Base	3	BILL IRVINE
1st Base	16	HANK WILSON
Catcher	8	GEORGE ETHEZE
Short Stop	15	ROLAND GLADU (Capt.)
Pitcher	7	JERRY STRONG
2nd Base	6	ERIC WHITEHEAD
Right Field	11	HANK YEANDLE
Centre Field	4	ART DUNNING
Left Field	12	SAM WHITEHEAD

PIRATES

(BLACK & WHITE)

<i>Position</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Name</i>
2nd Base	7	SAM HANNA
Catcher	5	RON RUMPAL
3rd Base	3	EDDIE MUMMA
Short Stop	11	SLIM TYSON
1st Base	9	ELLIS LYDIATT
Centre Field	8	BILL DAVIES
Right Field	4	LEFTY DUNNING
Pitcher	10	VIC POPE
Left Field	12	JIMMY BURDEN

Umpires :—(Chief) ; (Base)

RUNS BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
WEST HAM ..	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
PIRATES ..	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	4

GOSSIP!

- ☞ Good afternoon folks.
- ☞ To-day's fixture brings together West Ham and the Pirates—a local Derby and the game we have all been waiting for since the ball game started this season.
- ☞ Many of you supporters and visitors who saw the West Ham team last year will recognise many old faces and will note several new ones.
- ☞ Within the course of the next few weeks, we shall be giving you our magazine programme as of last year and we shall incorporate pen-pictures of the new West Ham boys together with those in the Pirates line-up.
- ☞ To-date neither team has fared too badly. West Ham have won one of the two games they have played while the Pirates lost their first game at West Ham against Nunhead. This was no disgrace, for after having seven scored against them in the first innings they tied the game in the seventh innings at twelve runs each. Many of you know that seven in the opening innings is enough to make any ball team crack up. The Pirates didn't. They just went in, played hard and were a trifle unfortunate not to win.
- ☞ At the time of going to press we cannot say that the Pirates have beaten the Catford Saints at Nunhead, but we can say that they will play the game and play to win.
- ☞ Now that our season is well under way, you can look to both our teams to be right out there in the running for Championship honours.
- ☞ We know that you wish them all success. And you are not by yourselves. Even from abroad we have received letters and telegrams from some of your own favourites of last season. We can quote from a letter received from Pam Yvon
- “ . . . wishing you the best of luck for the coming season, and to all the boys and all our fans, best regards and wishes—Up the Hammers.” Pam and Bill Turner.
- ☞ And now to the game—may the best team win.

NEXT SUNDAY!

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