



WALLY WESTLAKE

outfielder **CLEVELAND INDIANS**



TOPPS**192****WALDON THOMAS WESTLAKE**

Home: Sacramento, California

Born: November 8, 1920, Gridley, Calif.

Ht.: 6' — Wt.: 195

Bats: Right — Throws: Right

Wally played for the Cards and Reds before coming to the Indians in '52. After breaking into pro ball in '40 and spending 3 years in the Service, Wally came up to the Majors with the Pirates in '47. From '47 through '51, he had Batting Marks of .273, .285, .282, .285 and .266 and HR totals of 17, 17, 23, 24 and 22 during those years. Wally batted in 104 Runs for the Pirates in 1950 and led NL outfielders in '50 with a .991 Fielding Mark.

BATTING RECORD

	PAST YR.	LIFE
GAMES	109	762
AT BAT	326	2611
RUNS	47	394
HITS	69	705
DOUBLES	11	89
TRIPLES	1	30
HOMERS	4	107
R. B. I.	33	450
BAT. AVG.212	.270

FIELDING RECORD

PUTOUTS	231	1595
ASSISTS	12	140
ERRORS	1	35
FIELD AVG.996	.980

DUGOUT QUIZ

Who was the first paid professional baseball player?

Ans.: Al J. Reach, Philadelphia, A's, 1864.

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Cleveland is the fourth Major League team that Wally has played for in his career. After hitting .315 for Oakland in '46, Wally became a Pirate regular in '47 and in '48 hit .285. In '49, '50 and '51 Wally averaged 23 Homers per season, before joining the Redlegs in '52. Later that year he came to Cleveland in a reported \$50,000 deal.

MAJOR LEAGUE BATTING RECORD

FIELDING RECORD

	Games	At Bat	Runs	Hits	Doubles	Triples	H. R.	R.B.I.	B. Avg.	P. O.	Assists	Errors	F. Avg.
Year	82	218	42	72	7	1	9	46	.330	128	3	5	.963
Life	844	2829	436	777	96	31	116	496	.275	1723	143	40	.979

INSIDE BASEBALL



Wally is almost afraid to sit down to dinner anymore.



He was eating when he learned he was traded to the Cards. He was at dinner when



In '52, while in a restaurant, he found he was sent to the Indians.



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Although Wally played only part time last season, he added to the reserve power that helped make the Indians the A.L. Pennant Winners. A National League veteran, Wally played with Pittsburgh for 4 years before seeing service with St. Louis and Cincinnati. In '52 he joined the Indians and in '53 he hit .330 in 82 games. Wally can break up a game with his timely hitting.



IF A PITCHER ON THE "RUBBER" DROPS A BALL, IS IT A BALK?

ANS.: A balk.

MAJOR LEAGUE BATTING RECORD

	Games	At Bat	Runs	Hits	2b	3b	H.R.	R.B.I.	B. Avg.
Year	85	240	36	63	9	2	11	42	.263
Life	929	3069	472	840	105	33	127	538	.274

FIELDING

P.O.	Assists	Errors	F. Avg.
131	1	5	.964
1854	144	45	.978