

Walter Johnson Says Hitting Is What Crowds Want, Not Pitching

Says New Pitching Rules Make Better Game—Old Ruses Weren't Clever—Just Aids To Poor Pitching.

Contrary to the belief obtaining among most pitchers, Walter Johnson, for twelve years one of the great pitchers in the game, does not believe of his opinion that hitting and not pitching is the paramount issue. He believes that fans want to see hitting. This is in spite of the fact that he has made himself famous and has received a large salary for checking hit-

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YANKEES BEAT NAPS,
RIDDER'S HOMER PUTS

GRAND CIRCUIT
2:14 Trot, F. F. Keith Theatre Cup

**PIPP'S HOMER PUTS
NEW YORK UP NOTCH**

Lowly Elephants Cause Sox

Purse \$1,000, Three Heats.

Baroness Cochato, b.m., by
Cochato-FanTell (McDonald) ...1
Harvest Stream, b.m. (W. Fle-
ming) ...2
Hilda Fletcher, b.m. (Cox) ...4
Wicki Wink, b.g. (Geers) ...6
Alvance, b.m. (White) ...3
Carrie New Kid. (Kilne) ...7

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| Pet. | To Slip Down To Third | Peter Lafayette, b.s. (Thompson).5 |
| .764 | | Time 2:12 1/2, 2:14, 2:12. |
| .698 | | 2:22 Tort, Mile and one Hundred Yds |
| .593 | | Dash, Pure \$500. |
| .435 | | Dora Haynes, br.m., by Morgan Ax |
| .418 | | worth-Matha Bellini (H. Fleming) |
| .417 | NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Pipp's home | Charley Herre Jun, b.h. (White).... |
| .415 | run in the ninth inning today enabled | Harvest Silver, b. (McDonald)..... |
| .413 | New York to win from Cleveland by a | Harvest Silver, (Smele)..... |
| .411 | four-to-one favorite, running for | Time 2:11 1/2. |

Lewis, who had singled, scored ahead of Pipp. The latter hit went to the fence in right center field, and the inning the game was tied. A scorching battle between Bagby and Quinn, the latter retiring in the seventh to permit Meusel to bat for him.

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| The score: | R.H.E. |
| Cleveland..... | 100 111 000 3 5 0 |
| St. Louis..... | 100 000 102 4 9 1 |

N. G. R.

2:17 Trot, the Nabwebk Stock Firm, St. Louis, Three-Year Olds, Purse \$100,000.

Emma Harvester, br.f. by The Harvester-Adair Dillon (Brusie).
 Lucille Harvester, b.f. (W. Fleming).
 Lottie Bertha, b.f. (Serrill).
 Jane Thea, br.f. (Coe).
 Harvester, b.f. Horn, b.c. (Geers).
 Great Britton, b.l.c. (Dodge).

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| P.C. | Bargy and O'Neill; Quinn, Collins and Ruel. | Long Set, b.c. (Gregory). |
| 678 | | Time 2:12.4, 2:10.4. |
| 679 | SOX ARE STOPPED. | 2:12 Trot, the Winoga Stock Farm Sale, purse \$5,000, Three Heats. |
| 680 | PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 18.—Rommel | E. Colorado, b.h., by Colorado E. |
| 681 | scattered Chicago's five hits today and | Dainty Mary (Cox). |
| 682 | the pennant contenders lost the first | Tara's Hall, b.m. (McDonald). |
| 683 | game of their last series of the season | Princess, b.m. (McDonald). |
| 479 | here, 1 to 0. Dugan's five doublers | Prince Etawah, b.m. (White). |
| 480 | were the Sox's only hits. | Royal Palm, b.h. (Knowlton). |

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| score: | | R.H.E. |
| Chicago | 000 000 000-0 5 0 | |
| Philadelphia | 000 100 000-0 5 0 | |
| Williams | Wilkinson and Schalk; | |
| Rommel and Perkins. | | |

SOX BEAT TIGERS.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Myers pitched his first home game today for Boston, beating Philadelphia, 5 to 0.

Philadelphia's lineup was: Left Field, Ray (R. Granger); Center Field, Fred (F. Gregory); Right Field, Ray (R. Granger); First Base, Fred (F. Gregory); Second Base, Fred (F. Gregory); Third Base, Fred (F. Gregory); Catcher, Fred (F. Gregory); Pitcher, Fred (F. Gregory).

Time 2:08, 2:08½, 2:10½.

2:03 Pace, Home Association of Erica Cup, Purse \$1,000, Three Heats.

Goldie Todd, h.m., by Todd Mack; Golden Girl (Geers) by John R. Braden, b.r.s. (Thomas)...

eleventh inning, when McNally scored from second base on the pitcher's infield single, which escaped Hellman.

The score:

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| Detroit | | 000 | 004 | 010 | 005 | 8 | 2 |
| Boston | | 200 | 111 | 000 | 015 | 12 | 4 |

..... Myers and Stanger; Myers, Karr and Schang.

BROWNS WIN.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—St. Louis hammered Shaw and Acosta for a total of seventeen hits today and easily won from Washington, 15 to 2. Slater and Jacobson were the batting leaders. Shocker held the locals safe at all stages. The score:

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| St. Louis | 004 | 024 | 021 | 15 | 17 | 0 |
| Washington | 000 | 010 | 001 | 2 | 10 | 1 |

Shocker and Severoid; Shaw, Acosta

IF IT'S NOT MEASLES
IT'S ALWAYS POETRY

A SEER AND WHAT HE SEES.

459 A game of clout the ball,
456 By flying men, that's all;
394 A test for skill and brains—
Home runs in aeroplanes.

"What? Baseball in the air?"
You say, "They wouldn't dare!"
Come off! They hopped the deep,
Without a wink of sleep;
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A CHINESE LIPS

Through winter's muddy rain,
They jump from "plane to plane
While traveling a bare
If tricks like these get by,
Why not baseball in the sky?

Billy Bishop could do a slide
Like Walter Shav, or glide
Around the sacks just like
Our good ol' Ernie Neitzsike;

Commander Reef could use
Down base lines damn and thrive;
He crossed the ocean blue,
And splashed a time or two.

Sir Harry Hawker has grit
To steal a base like "Pitt";
He'll show the fans the zip
That marked his ocean trip.
They'll use the clouds for bases,

line.

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Among the upper spaces;
And side-line routs display
Along the Milky Way.

"The man that's in the moon
Will be a rooster soon,
And so will all the stars
From Jupiter to Mars.
The sprouting angel clans
Will all be bleacher fans

Some day you'll feel the earth.
To shake with cosmic mirth.
You'll know without our telling.
The planets all are yelling:
"Twill be a game for fair.
A whole-souled, grand old
Ball game in the air."

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"The 'BROGHI' has a brother to the league wherein he did act so bold."

He went away with a tremendous slam. And here he comes back as meek as a lamb.

No trumpets are heralding his return, But Shaughnessy claims he'll make the

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league burn.

For when he is winning, he is a great man.

But when he is losing—he's only a Ham.

When he did strike Umpire O'Hearne, The fans all thought he'd never return.

But here he comes back with a smile

—

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But a. Rick
 2-doubles
 ding Club
 won four
 of 57.
 The Club
 and H. V.
 with the
 small count
 overall score

And as President Maines has not the
 heart to refuse,
 The erratic Ham refuter returns with-
 out further abuse.

—P. B.

Lorne W.
Brown were
won four
the Thistle

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