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FULL YEAR IS ABOUT THEIR LIMIT.

Trouble For Baseball Managers to Hold Their Jobs Now—The American League Will Have Four New Leaders, National Two or Three.



"THERE WAS A TIME when baseball managers could figure on at least a three years' engagement," says Tim Nurnane. "That time has passed, and now one full year is the limit that the most successful managers can bank on with any one club."

"The American League will have at least four new managers next season, if not five, while the National League will make two, and perhaps three changes. The managers passed on will continue in the business, some will make another failure, while others will succeed in new fields. There will be very little difference in the ability of the boys going and those coming."

"Here and there clubs will promote clever players, with very little experience in the new line of work; for the time has arrived where managers must know something more than the handling of players or the ball field to prove valuable to their employers."

"With large sums of money invested in the business clubowners must surround themselves with baseball brains, as well as with men who will prove wise in council, to protect property rights. Players lacking business experience will be handicapped, for the magnates must depend largely on their managers' judgment in selecting the material to work with, and have confidence they will get all that is coming to them during twelve months in the year. A good manager can handle the players, the press and the fans, and the manager that fails in any one of these important departments will cause a lot of worry for the clubowners and lose the chances for making big money out of the investment."

Clark, of Pittsburgh, should he come back to Pittsburgh, and the chances are that Clark would like to quit this year, with plenty of money and the satisfaction of looking back at the best all-around season that he ever had in baseball; Griffith, of Cincinnati, located in the city where he will have the best opportunity of his baseball career, and McGraw, of New York, with a big task before him.

"In Philadelphia they have soured on the clever Billy Murray and long for a new leader, and Charley Ebbets has secured Bill Dahlen, of Brooklyn, to hold the fans of that city. If John Dovey holds on to the Boston club, and he says that he will, Manager Smith may get another show. Lacking in experience and with no board of strategy to help out, Mr. Smith will have a difficult row to hoe."

"The American League will make changes in at least four cities. Hugh Duffy will take charge of the Chicago White Sox, well trained for the job; Jack O'Connor will take McAleer's place with the Saint Louis club, with the proper training for the big task on hand; Jim McGuire, another veteran, will be in full command at Cleveland, and Hugh Jennings will be back at his old job with the Detroit Tigers. Jimmie McAleer will try his hand with the Washington club, Connie Mack is stronger than ever in Philadelphia. George Stallings is booked for the New York job, while Boston is yet without a manager signed up for next season, Fred Lake having resigned."

"With the constant changing of managers, players and umpires, baseball has become a sort of human kaleidoscope, a sort of a three-ring circus, where once the fans enjoyed old faces and felt a personal interest in each club."

"Where once clubs changed ownership every year the magnates now remain in command for years, and the league executives hold their positions as a result of knowing their business and heaving to the line, although constantly a mark for a few disgruntled members who would not be satisfied with a snug berth of divine choice."

"Ben Johnson will once more handle the affairs of the American League. Here and there some magnate has a big

kick well backed to present at the annual meeting. Nine tenths of the clubs are conceived in the brains of managers who have found Mr. Johnson invaluable at every point and always on the job to call down any man connected with his organization when he is satisfied some wrongdoer is busy. Those protests look reasonable until the great president of the American League turns his flashlight on the real picture and before the meeting is over the entire band of magnates admire their chief more than ever for daring to do right."

"There are several gentlemen groomed for the presidency of the National League. John Heydler, the present occupant, has no enemies and yet one hears very little from his champions. With others looking for the place it looks as if modest John would become a compromise and be elected for the coming year. Mr. Heydler will simply follow the beaten path, and can be always counted on as a safe and sane officer. He, like other National League presidents, will always be handicapped by a board of directors, the hane of baseball during the playing season, and only good for political purposes."

"After a lot of time wasted in looking for a successor, Pat Powers has been re-elected president of the Eastern League. Some of these days Powers will throw up the Eastern League and attend to his extensive business enterprises. In fact, I believe Mr. Powers is anxious to retire, but doesn't care to be fired by two or three people who have spent much valuable time during the last five years in trying to put him out of the business. It's pretty hard to defeat a man like Powers, once he makes up his mind to fight."

"I see that one or two young men are groomed for Joe O'Brien's berth in the American Association. Don't worry about Joseph. It looks like a clambake for the Milwaukee diplomat who is in every way capable of handling both magnates and players and has his record to stand by when it comes to cases."

"The last of the week the delegates will be on their way to Memphis, Tenn., to attend the National Association convention. A large number will meet at Cincinnati next Saturday and leave that evening for the south. As the California League, the American Association and the Eastern League failed to accept the concessions granted to become a separate class and are still members of class A in good standing, it will be interesting to see what delegates they send to the convention."

"With no war talk and baseball in the most prosperous condition it has been in since the game was invented, the gathering at Memphis will have the time to discuss business from all angles and map out the future of the organization devoted to minor league baseball."

TEN PINS

The first tournament of the season will be held at the Hamilton Bowling & Athletic Club to-night. It will be a one night affair, all competitors being drawn, and when a game is lost the losing player drops out. It will be a handicap match. A class men being at 180, B class at 165 and C class at 145. Handsome prizes will be given the winner and runner up. All members desiring to compete must hand in their names prior to 8 o'clock, when the draw will be made. The schedule committee of the H. B. & A. C. leagues will complete their work to-night, and the first games of the season will be played on Monday night.

Wrestling.

The Britannia Amusement Company has matched Al Ackerman and Max Schmidt for a handicap bout to come off some time in November. Ackerman is to throw the Dutch boy twice in an hour. The date and place of the match will be announced later.

MRS. SCOTT.

How the Alleged Murderer Spends Her Time in Jail.

London, Nov. 5.—Mrs. Scott, who lies in the county jail, charged with the murder of her father-in-law, Harvey Scott, has hardly changed her manner since she was first brought to the jail. She apparently is not discontented, but takes no interest in anything that goes on about her. She seldom speaks unless asked some question, and then only in monosyllables.

She spends the greater part of her time in reading religious books and in sitting gazing straight ahead, although she does not seem to be worried. She acts more like a person who is stunned or is trying to realize something.

Rev. Mr. Fry, the English chaplain at Berlin, Germany, severely commented in the pulpit recently on the niggardly contributions of wealthy English and American visitors attending St. George's Anglican Church. They live, he said, in the most expensive hotels in Berlin, yet give in the church contributions they would be ashamed to offer to a waiter.

When in Rome few people are able to do as the Romans do them.

Jacobite First In Feature Race.

The Brewers' Handicap Was Won by the Second Choice.

Pimlico, Nov. 5.—The talent had another hard day picking the winners at Pimlico yesterday. The feature race of the day, the Brewers' Handicap, was won by the veteran gelding Jacobite, the second choice in the books. Spellbound was the favorite, with odds of 6 to 5, and with Burns in the saddle looked good to the knowing ones, and was heavily played. La Salle also had substantial support, while Jacobite was almost overlooked. At the rise of the barrier La Salle went to the front, closely followed by Spellbound, while Jacobite was a poor fourth. As they rounded into the stretch both Burns and Davenport gave their mounts their heads. Jacobite showed the greater speed, he responding to the whip nobly and passing both La Salle and the favorite, winning by a length and a half. Burns tried hard with Spellbound, but the favorite was unable to deliver the goods. Summary:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Gay Deceiver, 107 (McIntyre), 2 to 1, won; Zymole, 107 (Burns), 3 to 1, 2; Pocket, 107 (McCahey), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:09 4-5. Bar Sinister, Miss O'Toole, Lorimer, J. A. Baker, Lady Frederick, Miss Raffaello, The Prophet and Trudo also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Jacobite, 108 (Davenport), 7 to 5, won; Spellbound, 105 (Burns), 13 to 10, 2; La Salle, 99 (Brooks), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14 2-5. Eacutcheon, Red Doe, How About You, Selvik, Henry Crossedain, Nod and Charivari also ran.

Third race, mile—Cunningham, 105 (Goldstein), 2 to 1, won; Rito Grande, 105; (Grand), 3 to 1, 2; Silverin, 105 (Burns), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:42. St. Elmwood, The Speaker, Maxim Gun, Earl Rogers and Apologize also ran.

Fourth race, about 2 miles—Pickett, 150 (Helder), 8 to 5, won; Bobbie Kean, 151 (Allen), 5 to 1, 2; Philatist, 148 (Hopper), 2 to 1, 3. Time, 4:58 4-5. Village King also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—G. M. Miller, 109 (Grand), 7 to 1, won; Scarpia, 116 (Nicol), 7 to 1, 2; Busy, 113 (Goldstein), 8 to 3, 3. Time, 1:15. Forez, Sotemia, Chilton Queen, Chickasaw and Western Lady also ran.

Sixth race, mile—Takahiru, 115 (Reid), 4 to 5, won; Scars, 91 (Ramsey), 4 to 1, 2; Roshampton, 88 (McCahey), 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:41 4-5. Live Wire and Everard also ran.

Seventh race, mile—Campaigner, 109 (Nicol), 9 to 10, won; Neoskaleeta, 104 (Mulligan), 5 to 1, 2; Robert Cooper, 109 (McCahey), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:42 5-5. Mazarin, Misspillon, Hammon Pass and Chepoutie also ran.

PILGRIMS FIRST DEFEAT

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—The Pilgrims of England met their first defeat of their American tour here yesterday, when the Hibernians, the champions of the Pennsylvania League, beat them at soccer by the score of 1 to 0. As four of their players are suffering from injuries, the Pilgrims were obliged to play on the defensive during the greater part of the game.

SOCCER

On Saturday afternoon at Britannia Park the Westinghouse team will play the International Scots, kick off at 3.30. The Westinghouse team will be as follows: Teague, Thomas, Hunter, Wilson, Nevelin, Howard, Wands, White, Thomas, Wands, Houston. Reserves, Gillespie, Thomas.

It has been rumored that the Scots are having some difficulty in getting a team, but Mr. John Neville will be there with some dark horses, as he thinks there is still a chance of them landing the championship.

The result of the Ottawa and Tiger game will be played to the ground.

OWNER THOMAS OUT OF DANGER

New York, Nov. 5. R. L. Thomas, the Kentucky turman, was stambed by Jockey Carroll Schilling at Sheepshead Bay last Saturday, is now out of danger. His physicians said last night that Mr. Thomas would be up within a fortnight.

Basketball.

The Commercial Basketball League has been organized with the following teams entered: Stanley Mills & Co., T. H. & B. Wood, Vallance & Co. and the Hawks. This league will commence next Tuesday at 8.30 p. m.

Saturday night the Church League will commence at 7.15 o'clock, and the indoor baseball game at 8.30 p. m. The East Hamilton Y. M. C. A. will play the senior Harriers, of the Central.

The junior champions of Canada will have their hands full when they line up to-night on the local gymnasium floor against the husky Guelph College basketball team. The Guelph five have got a reputation of having the fastest basketball team that the college has had for years, and when they meet the Hamilton champions there will be something doing. Game called at 8.30 p. m.

Jack Has Got New Joy Wagon.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Jack Johnson returned yesterday from Detroit in a big new blue and cream colored automobile, which he bought in that city, and says he is much pleased with his new purchase. He asserts he can go 70 miles an hour.

"I've been fined in nearly every town I've been in for speeding," he remarked with mingled pathos and pride in his tone, "and I don't think it's right. I've never hurt anybody."

Johnson's expansive smile was his chief response when the statement credited to Jeffries that he could stop Johnson in six rounds was repeated to him.

"Maybe the bout is six rounds," he said, "but Jeffries has picked the wrong man as winner."

Unfortunately the political orator's logic is seldom as strong as his lungs.

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GRIDIRON GOSSIP

It is interesting to listen to the opinions of the rival football kings on the probable outcome of the big gridiron battle at the Cricket Grounds to-morrow. The majority of the experts are convinced that the yellow and black will pull off a victory, while King Clancy, Dr. Nagle, Walter Nixon and other Ottawa officers expect to see the Rough Riders spring a big surprise. Here are some of the predictions:

Capt. Jack Williams, Ottawa—"I think we will beat them on all round play. Tigers are a great team, but they will find Ottawa just a little bit better."

Capt. Ben Simpson, Tigers—"Our line will tear them to pieces."

Coach Tom Clancy, Ottawa—"Our back line will out run and out kick them and our wings won't give them a chance to get away. Ottawa will win out."

Art Moore, Tigers—"I don't think Ottawa has a chance against our team. Our line will prove too strong for them."

Dr. Nagle, Ottawa, president—"If I am not badly mistaken, Tigers will find out our team even better than they will when they played here. I think Ottawa will win out. It will be close."

Chaucer Elliott, Montreal coach—"Tigers all the way as far as I can see."

Mac McGillon, Ottawa—"Any team that can overcome a six point lead in as many minutes cannot be beaten by Tigers. Ottawa for me."

Joe Wright, Argonauts—"I'm going to Hamilton to see Tigers wallop Ottawa."

Tommy Stinson, Montreal—"Ottawa has a fine team, but they can't beat Tigers at Hamilton."

Walter Nixon—"This Ottawa team is the finest in years. They won't lose a game this season."

Hal B. McGilverin, M. P.—"Ottawa have the greatest back division and the line will hold its own against Tigers. Yes, I believe Ottawa will down them."

George Ballard—"Tigers cannot be beaten on their own field. I call them to win by a big score."

George Kennedy—"We are in better shape and will stand the pace longer than Tigers. If we don't come home with the championship, it will be a big surprise to me."

Billy Hewitt, sporting editor Toronto Star—"Tigers should have little difficulty in holding the Interprovincial championship."

"Only," Robertson, Toronto Telegram—"How Ottawa is ahead of Hamilton is a mystery. There is no comparison between the two teams."

Paul Kent, Argonauts—"Ottawa are better stayers, and will win the championship."

Toronto Star: The eyes of the football world are on the Hamilton Ottawa game at Hamilton on Saturday. The Tigers need the game to make it a tie, while a win for Ottawa will give them the championship with a clean slate.

Despite the fact that Tigers are almost universally picked by the press outside of Ottawa to win, the Ottawa players boldly declare that they are prepared to back themselves to come out on top. Tom Clancy is positive his team will win. He will have the strongest lineup of the season, and he claims his team has what is known in sporting circles as the "Indian sign" on the Tigers, meaning that they know Hamilton's weaknesses and will win as a result of the play in that direction.

The Rough Riders will run a special train to Hamilton, leaving Ottawa to-night at 9.30. They will take 30 rosters with them. The team will take eighteen men, Doc, Sheriff, Reg, Gaisford, Er, Pope and Wilkinson being the spares.

Confidence is expressed by every member of the executive, as well as by all the players. "Something seems to tell me that we are going to win," said Tom Clancy after last night's practice, and that the other officers feel alike about it is quite evident from their remarks.

Yesterday refers probably to the battle of Thursday, concerning which conflicting reports have reached New Orleans and Washington. Sympathizers at New Orleans with the Nicaraguan rebels, received advices stating that Gen. Estrada was gaining ground and had taken Paso Las Lajas. At the same time the Nicaraguan charge d'affaires at Washington received word from President Zelaya to the effect that the government troops had met.

EXPORT OF WHEAT.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The calendar year 1909 will show a smaller exportation of wheat than any year in the last decade, and an increased home consumption both in amount and per capita average, says a report of the bureau of statistics, today on wheat production, exportation and consumption of the United States.

Hate furrows the brow.—French.

GENERAL KILLED.

Nicaraguan Government Troops Defeat Revolutionists.

Managua, Nicaragua, Nov. 4.—(Delayed in transmission)—Government troops defeated the revolutionists in a sharp engagement to-day, many of General Estrada's followers being killed, wounded or captured. The Government lost 15 men, including Gen. Castillo Chamorro. President Zelaya's forces attacked the rebel general, Fornos Liaz, at Paso Las Lajas, capturing that point, which has been defended by 400 men. The rebels fled in the direction of Rama and were pursued.

The above despatch, which the correspondent was unable to get through