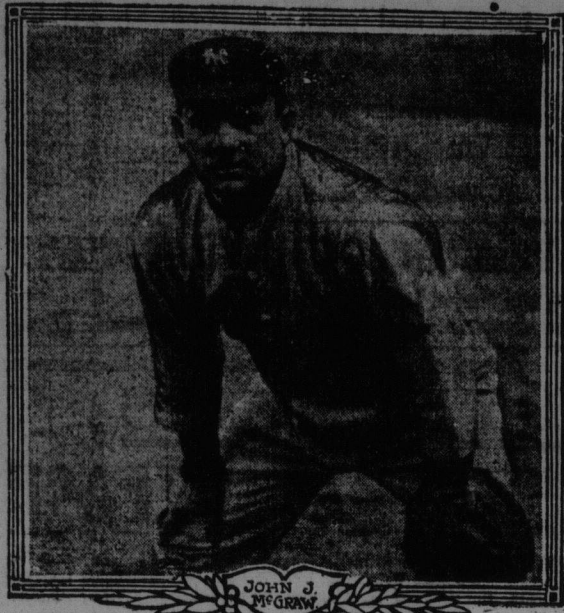


THE STANDARD'S PAGE OF SPORTS

BASEBALL WIZARD WHO PILOTE THE GIANTS TO VICTORY.



To John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, must be given the major portion of the credit for leading that team to victory in this year's struggle for the National League pennant.

HAL CHASE TELLS WHY HE PICKS ATHLETICS TO WIN

While He Admits that the Giants Have the King of All Pitchers He, Nevertheless, Expects to See Mack's Men Win Out.

(By Hal Chase.)
Two marvelous aggregations representing the pennant winners in the National League and the American League go to the bat on Saturday in what I would call the grand baseball derby, known to the baseball fans of the country as the world's series.
Last season the family of the keen-eyed Connie Mack had no trouble in crushing the Chicago Cubs and winning four out of five games.
I think the coming series will be an exceptional one, and it would not surprise me if the decision went down to the seventh game. I have made it my business to make a thorough study of each player who will work in the big set of games. I am going to compare each player to the best of my judgment, but before I start I want to say that I think the Athletics have a little shade on the Giants, and I pick them to win the great title.
I will start at first base. Fred Merkle the man who failed to touch second, is no longer a bonehead. I think he is the most valuable first sacker in the big series, although McInnis in the American League hit for a better

average than Merkle in the National League. Merkle is a player who will strike out a couple of times during the game, but will come along with men on the bases and break a game up with a mighty wallop. He hits them hard. McInnis, I might say, is a newcomer. He is a small fellow for a first sacker, but a little fighter, and will be on the move from bell to bell. So much for the first sacker.
Now we will move over to second base where we shall meet Larry Doyle, captain of the Giants, and Eddie Collins of the Athletics. I don't think Doyle classes with Collins as a fielder and a base runner, although Larry is fast. Collins will hit well and so will Doyle. It's a toss as to how they will hit in the big games. Collins was a mighty big factor in the smashing of the Cubs last season. He looks to have a shade on pure mechanical ability. He is one of the best players we have in the major leagues today.

Banks on Barry at Short.
I think that Barry is the best shortstop in the major leagues. He can make all kinds of plays to the right, to the left and in deep field, and follows this up with good throws from any angle. He has more experience than Fletcher. The latter is a flashy shortstop. So is Barry. The latter isn't such a great hitter, but is one of these fellows who will come along and break up the game when it looks won by the other side. He had done this all season in the American League and I look for him to pull

some of this kind of work in the World's Series.
I think Charlie Herzog is a better base runner than Baker. That is about the only thing in which he is superior to Baker. The latter is one of the hardest hitters in the game. He hits left-handers as he does the right-handed hitters. Baker is fast and a wonderful man in the fielding end on all kinds of plays. He has been in a World's Series and will stand the test.

Athletics' Outfield Better.
I think Danny Murphy will outclass anything McGraw has in the outfield. The veteran of the Athletics is a fine hitter and a good fielder, and is fast on the bases. He is another player who hits the ball hard and can break up a game almost any old time. Nor must Murray be overlooked. He is also a dangerous man and hits nearly as hard as Murphy. I think little, Neweyish Joe Devore has it on Lord in everything except hitting. There is no doubt in my mind that he is a fast man and has the hook slide down to perfection, which will help him a great deal in his base running.
I don't think that Snodgrass can be put in the same class with Oldring. The "Rube" will hit and run bases with the best of them. The Giants' center fielder seems to be there as a slugger. I look for Oldring to be one of the men to give the Giants trouble at the bat and on bases.

Matty the King Pitcher.
I think that Matty is the greatest pitcher in the land. There is no doubt in my mind that he will be as great as ever when it comes to the test. I think that he will be the big factor in the series. Whether he is the great pitcher he was in 1905 remains to be seen. Some who have hit against him say he is not. Nevertheless he plays havoc with a strange team which has never hit against him, and that's what he will do when he bends them over against the Athletics.
I would not be surprised to see Ames work in one of the games. Marquard is a good left-hander, but will be an uncertain quantity in the world's series. Bender is also a great pitcher. He has speed and a fast curve with which he can make the best of batters who when he is right. He is a wonder when it comes to holding men on the bases.
I might say that Thomas and Meyers are on a par, but I think the chief will outwit the Athletic backstop.

Where McGraw is Strong.
In Connie Mack and McGraw the fans will get the best there is in baseball brains. They are leaders of a different type. Mack runs his team with what we call the iron hand, but that same hand is covered with a soft glove. He has a sharpshooters' eye and never misses a trick.
McGraw will be there with the goods, and I think he will have a little advantage on Connie in that he will be on the coaching lines. There is no more serious nor more conscientious worker than McGraw. He is aggressive and will be on the job all the time. Both are great leaders and will miss a trick, as I have said before.
Luck counts in baseball, whether it's for the world's championship or a 10-cent ball. A book by a player may toss away the championship. I do not think I will be far away when I say that it will be one of the best sets of games we have seen since teams in the American and National leagues have been battling for world's championships.

The Seamen's Mission.
A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Seamen's Mission was held yesterday afternoon to prepare the comfort bags, and to make preliminary arrangements for the fair to be held in the institute this month.



"CHIEF" MEYERS.
"Chief" Meyers, the Indian catcher of the New York Giants, and his big war club have done more than anything else to land the pennant for McGraw's team.

PLANS AS COMPLETED FOR THE GREAT WORLD'S SERIES

Conditions Under Which the Giants and Athletics Will Line Up for the First Game Tomorrow Afternoon.

(New York Sun.)
A busy day was put in by the National Commission yesterday arranging for the world's series between the Giants and Athletics. August Herrmann, Thomas Lynch and Ben Johnson of the National Commission were present yesterday, as well as John T. Brush, president of the New York club; John Heydler, the baseball editor and secretary of the National League; William Grey, secretary of the Athletics; and Ben Shibe and Connie Mack of the Athletics. After the meeting the commission visited the Polo Grounds and it was decided that no additional seats will be put in at the local ground. The spacious stands, which he made to suffice for the crowds here.

The New York club won the toss for the right to name the place of the first game. Herrmann flipped a Philadelphia made quarter, vintage of 1909, and Shibe called heads. It fell tails and the first game will be played in New York on Saturday, October 14. The rest of the schedule is adopted as follows: October 16, Philadelphia; 17, New York; 18, Philadelphia; 19, New York; 20, Philadelphia. Regarding postponed games and related matters the commission makes the following announcement:
In case a scheduled game be postponed for legal cause, or shall end with a score tied, it shall be played off on the grounds on which it was originally scheduled before the game following it in the schedule for the grounds of the opposite club is played.

If the standing of the teams shows the probability or necessity for the playing of the seventh game to decide the winner, the grounds on which such seventh game shall be played must be determined, as provided by the rules, by the commission before the commencement of the sixth game. The Bulletin contains a paragraph to the effect that the umpires have supreme authority, that they can inflict such penalties as they see fit and that fines will be deducted from the offender's share of the prize money. Attention is called to rule 17, which provides that "neither one of the contending clubs shall be permitted to pay a bonus or prize to any of its players who may take part in the series."

The list of eligible players is as follows:
New York—Devore, Becker, Murray, Snodgrass, Merkle, Doyle, Fletcher, Devlin, Mathewson, Whitte, Ames, Brandall, Marquard, Latham, Meyers, Wilson, Herzog, Drucke, Hartley, Paul, etc.

Philadelphia—Baker, Barry, Bender, Collins, Coombs, Davis, Danforth, Derick, Hartzel, Krause, Lapp, Livingston, Lord, Martin, Morgan, McInnis, Murphy, Oldring, Strunk, Thomas.

All applications for press seats must be made to William G. Wentz, secretary of the Baseball Writers' Association, Philadelphia.

Proceeds of the first four games only are divided among the players, and the commission decided yesterday that this refers to the first four games only, regardless of whether or not one of them is a tie.

After 10 per cent of the gate is taken out for the national commission 60 per cent of the balance of the first four games goes to the players. Of this 60 per cent the winning team gets 60 per cent, and the losers 40 per cent. The balance is divided equally between the two clubs. After the first four games the commission takes 10 per cent, and the remainder is divided equally between the two clubs.

President Lynch was asked yesterday to settle a much mooted point

whether the Giants were the National League champions of 1911 or 1912. "Nineteen hundred and eleven," was the reply, "there's nothing else to it."

The place of the seventh game is decided by lot. In case of an incomplete game tickets are good for the day on which it is played off.

The umpires appointed are Klen and Brennan of the National League and Connelly and Dineen of the American League. The official scorers will be Francis Richter of Philadelphia and J. G. Taylor Spink of St. Louis. The headquarters of the National Commission will be the Waldorf in New York and Bellevue-Stratford in Philadelphia. John Heydler and Robert McRoy will be the business representatives of the National Commission.

The following prices of admission will prevail:
Philadelphia—Boxes and lower grand stand reserved \$2; upper grand stand (first twelve rows) reserved, \$3; balance, \$2; general admission, \$1.
New York—Boxes, \$25; lower grand stand reserved, \$2; upper grand stand reserved, \$3; general admission, \$1.

The commission issues this warning:
The public is cautioned against paying higher prices than those fixed in this bulletin. The commission, which has the assurance of hearty co-operation from the municipal authorities of each city in the suppression of ticket scalping, requests patrons to purchase reserved tickets only from the representatives of clubs at the regular place of sale.

All games will begin at 2 o'clock, and it is announced that spectators will not be permitted to encroach or stand on the playing field at any point. Should there be a temporary stand it must not be less than 25 feet from the playing field, and not less than 25 feet in center field. At the Polo Grounds the National League ball will be used and at Shibe Park the American League ball.

Asked who was going to win Mr. Lynch tersely replied: "New York." The latter opinion, however, is not official. Ben Johnson dissents. The New York Baseball Club issued the following bulletin:
The commission has declared that a mail order accompanied by a remittance for the series of three games will be given preference in the allotment of seats and boxes and placed a time limit for such applications to Monday evening, October 9.

All out-of-town orders must be accompanied by a post office order, express money order or a New York exchange made out to the National Exhibition Company. City orders must be accompanied by a certificate check or post office or express money order for the exact amount. Enclosures of money will be at the sender's risks. Any other remittance than such as specified above will be returned.

All applications and remittances should be mailed to the New York Baseball Club, 1133 Broadway, New York.

In the event of a third game not being played the money for same will be refunded on presentation of the tickets at the New York Baseball office.

After the mail orders of three games have been filed the advance sale will take place at 1133 Broadway, second floor, on Thursday, October 12.

All applications for seats must be limited to four.

Tickets will be forwarded to the

THE STETSON FIELD DAY AT THE GOLF CLUB

Yesterday the official closing of the golfing season on the local links was observed as Stetson field day. There was no lack of interest in the various matches played. Ladies' singles were played in the morning and mixed foursomes during the afternoon. The great event of the day was the play for finals in the Stetson cup match between H. N. Stetson and J. U. Thomas.
Luncheon was served in the clubhouse at 1 o'clock and 5 o'clock tea during the afternoon. The following committee was in charge of both affairs: Mrs. Geo. McLeod, Mrs. H. B. Schofield, Mrs. Geo. F. Smith, Mrs. Simeon Jones, Mrs. Stetson, Mrs. Busbee, Mrs. Esson and Mrs. Edwards.
The prizes won during the year in various matches including those won yesterday were presented to the winners after the finish of play. The presentations were made by the ladies' president, Mrs. Geo. McLeod; Chief Justice Barker, Hon. J. V. Ellis, His Worship Mayor Prink, President H. B. Schofield, Vice-President J. U. Thomas and George McAvity. The list of prizes for the year and the names of the winners were as follows:
Men's Championship—Won by C. M. Sprague.
Ladies' Cups.
Riley Cup—Won by Mrs. H. C. Schofield.
Barker Cup—Won by Miss S. R. MacLaren.
Tweedie Cup—Won by Miss Sara Hare.
Clinch Cup—Won by Miss Christie.
Handicap Cup—Won by Mrs. George Wetmore.
Handicap Cup for lowering handicaps—Won by Miss Laura Hazen.

Gentlemen's Cups.
Thorne Cup—C. M. Sprague and Andrew Jack have twice won and another playoff will take place later.
Stetson Cup—Won by J. U. Thomas. There was a very exciting finish in this contest. Mr. Thomas winning from his opponent, Mr. Stetson, by one hole.
Veldin Cup—Won by Andrew Jack.
Stetson Cup runner-up—Awarded to H. R. Stetson.
Championship runner-up—Won by H. N. Stetson.

Field Day.
Ladies' Singles—1st prize, Mrs. Wm. Angus; 2nd prize, Mrs. E. A. Smith; 3rd prize, Miss Mabel Thomson; 4th prize, Miss Helen Smith.
Mixed foursomes (ladies)—1st prize, Mrs. A. L. Fowler; 2nd prize, Mrs. L. W. Barker; 3rd prize, Mrs. Geo. Murray.
Mixed foursomes (gentlemen)—1st prize, H. B. Schofield; 2nd prize, R. M. Sprague; 3rd prize, J. M. Magee.

Batteries—Ragon and Miller; Ames and Myers.
Second Game.
Brooklyn, 21000020—5 9 2
New York, 00000010—2 8 5
Batteries—Deut and Krwin; Maxwell, Brucke, Faust and Hartley.

We Told You So!

Labatt's Lager

The Best on the Market!

TRY IT

John Labatt & Co. Ltd. London

City Cornet Band

Around the World

Fair

St. Andrew's Rink

Commencing TUESDAY EVENING, October 10th

Open Each Evening at 7.30

Admission 10c.

FRI. SAT. N. I. C. K. E. L.

A CHARMING VITAGRAPH STORY

"SUNSHINE AND SHADOW"—A Child's Story

SIDE-SPLITTING BURLESQUE

"CAUGHT IN THE ACT"—A Motion Picture Skit.

WHEN KNIGHTS WERE BOLD

"THE KNIGHT-ERRANT"—Medieval Sketch.

"THE PLAYWRIGHT"—Essanay

Trials and Tribulations of a Worthy Lad.

MARGARET BRECK "Happy Days"

GEORGE STEADMAN "The Same Old You"

SPECIAL FILMS SATURDAY MATINEE

FIRE, MOTOR CAR AND MOTOR BOAT INSURANCE

JARVIS & WHITTAKER, General Agents, 74 Prince Wm. St.

Canadian to the Core

All Canadian Sportsmen choose

RED CROSS GIN

MADE IN CANADA.

From choice Canadian grain, under Government control. Not a bottle sold without the Government guarantee, that it is fully matured.

BOIVIN, WILSON & CO., Agents, 520 St. Paul St., Montreal.

OUR MILLS CO. LTD.
Mr. Chas. Chaput
Directors—Statement

Meeting of the shareholders
the head office of the
chair.
Sir Edward Clouston,
Mr. Chas. Chaput, Mr.
Mr. C. R. Black, Mr. T.
Mr. J. A. McLeod,
Mr. S. A. McLeod,
following report and

ities of the company to
the maintenance of
Messrs. Creak, Cushing,
is submitted herewith.
her properties are being
are doing most effective
year on the preferred and

ing director, in seconding
of wheat during the
gratified with the financial
to carry over a large
the successful operation.
nds, as owing to the ex-
much uncertainty as to
possible up to the present
yield, it promises to be
stage of high grade wheat

red and nineteen interior
to the best possible advan-
unipeg, referred to in our
successful operation.
the highest possible degree
have been carried out
at up-to-date and thor-
ordinary repairs, and the
this standard have been
directors decided to trans-
of \$250,000 from the same
notwithstanding the fact
with your company's
a company.
y was signally honored
of purveyors of flour to
of the company for

son, Vice-President and
Sir H. Montagu Allan,
George Edward Drummond,
A. McMurtry, Treasurer,
ineau, Assistant Secretary
H. Thompson, Assistant
or, Mr. George A. Condit
Manager Province of
ker, Province of Quebec;
to.
31st, 1911, showed
\$432,742.00 at credit
Of this amount interest
on stocks required \$445,
account, and \$10,000 to
carried forward of \$434,
48,747.68. Of this amount,
contingencies, \$101,
st, flour, oatmeal, \$161,
son, Vice-President and
the amount of \$75,000
the credit of General Plant
same source in reduction
account, and \$10,000 to
very greatly appreciat-

ities.
& Power
nds

trations in Canada has
as investment will yield
in can be purchased.
& Power Co., already
more than last year for
the premier town of

SHERBROOKE RAIL-
and interest with a bon-

SH & CO.

range.

NEW GLASGOW.

CE

London Mutual
company

Building, Prince William
agent for New Brunswick,
business and policies, must

COMPANY OF CANADA.

ids to thrift is an

count, because it

provides you with an

to have such an

New Brunswick.

EVER DIES"

Company

Trustee, Guardian.

RGUSON, Manager for N. B.