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BANKERS WILL GATHER FULL STRENGTH AGAINST RICHMOND

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BY H. C. BYRD.

The Bankers will gather their full strength for the final base ball games with Richmond. Having lost the first contest of the series, it is up to the local nine to take both ends of the double-header in the Virginia capital next week if it desires to annex the southern championship. For that reason no stone will be left unturned to carry the strongest aggregation possible. Probably every man who has been a member of the team during the season will be taken along.

While the Bankers won out in the post-season series, there is not the least doubt about their having been handicapped by the absence of Chris Fienle. Then, after having had Hoffecker and Myers with them during the season, and the presence of the championship of the District they were compelled to play the first two contests with Richmond without him. Both these men will be along for the last two games of the year, and their presence will enhance the chances of the club greatly.

There is hardly any doubt that the long lay-off the Bankers have had will cause them to do a little less good work than ordinarily would have been the case. Had they been able to go right on, playing a game every two or three days, they would more than likely have been in better shape to do themselves justice. However, there is another way to look at it. The team went through a hard, grueling season. By dropping a game or two at inopportune times, they were always in danger of being beaten out for the championship. Thus the men were working under a strain all the time, and they were beginning to feel it at the time of the last two or three contests. The lay-off has been a fine rest for them and they will feel in better shape to play ball, whether or not they really are. That will mean something undoubtedly in their favor, and it may be that it was really better for the team that the games were scheduled with so much time intervening.

In order that the Bankers may keep in shape for the coming games a series of three games has been arranged with a team composed in the main of players who have returned from the minor leagues. Where there are vacancies the best men in the local amateur ranks will be selected to fill the gaps. The first game of the series will be played Monday, the next Wednesday and the final Thursday. Greene, Buscher and Barton will do the pitching for the professionals, while Dutch Munch and Joe Giebel will handle their deliveries. Cross, Ketter, Moreland, Walker and Handlow will be the outfielders. This makes up a very formidable team, capable of giving any nine a hard run, and the contests should be close and interesting.

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SELECTS ATHLETES FOR TOUR.

President Elliott of Pacific Association Names Boston Miller.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 12.—President John Elliott of the Pacific Coast Association of the A. A. U., selector of the all-American track team to visit Australia in November, yesterday announced the definite selection of Jim Powers of the Boston Athletic Association as the miler of the team, and Ruric Templeton of Stanford University and the Olympic Club as the all-around man of the team.

Templeton has accepted the invitation and word is expected from Powers within a few hours. Templeton is one of the most versatile men of the coast and without any training went into the national all-round championship in July, taking fourth place. He has a record of 15-25 for the high hurdles, 23-35 for the low, 12 feet 4 1/2 inches in the pole vault, 6 feet 2 1/2 inches in the high jump, 22 feet 7 inches in the broad jump and 136 feet in the javelin. The other members of the team have not yet been finally decided on. A New York sprinter is being considered and two other men have also to be named, one from the east and another from the coast.

Clarendons Want Games.

The Clarendon Athletic Club foot ball team, having reorganized for the coming season, would like to arrange games with first-class teams. Average 140 pounds. Would like to hear from the Nationals, James W. Turner, manager, Clarendon, Va.

The Giants will have a chance this week to look over Lührsen, the new Pirate pitcher, who is breaking in on the high speed. He has pitched three games and won them all.

The ten leading sluggers in the National League have made ninety-three home runs. Luderus and Cravath, with sixteen and eighteen, respectively, have made more than a third of the entire output.

MACK'S CATCHERS HAVE THROWN WELL TO BASES

Giants Will Not Steal on Them Easily If They Maintain Their League-Season Form.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

PHILADELPHIA, September 12.—If Connie Mack's catchers throw to the bases as well during the world's series as they have during the present American League pennant race the Giants will have a hard time negotiating steals. The average number of larcenies per game on Lapp, Schang & Co. to last Wednesday was 1.24, the Athletic receivers, in 131 controversies, having permitted 163 thefts. Eighty-one bases were fished on Jack Lapp in sixty-eight games; fifty-seven on Wallie Schang in sixty-one games; twenty-three on Ira Thomas in twenty games and two on Harry Davis in one game.

Only four times this year have the opposition succeeded in getting more than four stolen bases in one game, and on each of those occasions the Tall Tactician's twirlers were fledglings. The day the Mack catchers showed poorest was July 4, when the Boston Speed Boys stole eight bases on Lapp and Thomas. Houck, Wyckoff and Morey were the Athletic pitchers in that game. The Naps stole six bases on Schang August 16, the Tigers stole five on Lapp and Thomas May 19, and the Yankees stole five on Schang August 29. The pitchers in these games were as follows:

Against Cleveland, Bush and Wyckoff. Against Detroit, Wyckoff and Bush. Against New York, Shawkey and Houck.

Schang has proved to be the Athletic catcher hardest to steal on, the average number of thefts per game charged against him being .93. The other backstops have allowed more than one larceny to the contest, Thomas' average being 1.15, Lapp's 1.19 and Davis' 2.00.

Schang Leads.

Schang also leads the Mack catching corps in thwarting steals, though Thomas, who has caught only twelve complete games, has a slightly better record. Connie's receivers have turned back 135 their opponents who set out on pilfering expeditions, Lapp nailing 58, Schang 57, Thomas 19 and Davis 1. Schang has averaged .93 victims to the contest, Thomas .95, Lapp .85 and Davis 1.00.

The greatest number of men thrown out in one game by an Athletic catcher this year is four, Schang obtaining a quartet of victims in the game with Cleveland June 16, while backstopping for Eddie Plank. In the double-header with Frank Chance's Yankees August 30 Schang threw out six men who tried to do the Raffles act, getting three athletes in the first contest and three in the second. Schang has caught Clyde Milan once this season when the speedy National tried to steal, while Lapp has nailed Milan three times and Cobb twice. Tytus is not numbered among Schang's victims, Wallie only having been used occasionally in the series with the Tigers.

The Athletic pitcher who makes runners hug their bases the closest probably is "Chief" Bender. The artful aborigine has pitched eleven complete games for the Mackmen this year, and in those games his opponents garnered six stolen bases. Plank, who has gone the

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route fifteen times, has seen eighteen of his adversaries try to steal and succeed.

Figures Show Relative Ability.

These figures will give a pretty good idea of the ability of Mack's catchers: Schang has caught forty-eight complete games and parts of thirteen contests, throwing out fifty-seven men who tried to steal and permitting fifty-seven larcenies.

Lapp has caught fifty-three complete games and parts of thirteen contests, throwing out fifty-eight men who tried to steal, and permitting eighty-one larcenies. Thomas has caught twenty-two complete games and parts of eight contests, throwing out nineteen men who tried to steal, and permitting twenty-three larcenies.

Davis has caught part of one contest, throwing out one man who tried to steal, and permitting two larcenies.

Turning to the other side of the picture, as to how the Athletics have fared, 31 of their attempts at larceny have been successful, the most in one endeavor, a purloin hassoekis is "Rube" Oldring. He has been out on twenty-one occasions. Eddie Collins has been caught trying to steal eighteen times, the other Mackmen's record in this respect being as follows:

Barry, caught 17 times; Baker, caught 17 times; Strunk, caught 13 times; Walsh, caught 12 times; E. Murphy, caught 12 times; Schang, caught 7 times; McInnis, caught 5 times; Daley, caught 4 times; Ott, caught twice; Egan, caught once; Lapp, caught once, and D. Murphy, caught once.

The catcher who has nailed the greatest number of Mackmen who set out on thieving expeditions is Ray Schalk of the White Sox, he having nipped 18 such Sam Agnew of St. Louis has flagged 14 White Elephants and John Henry of Washington 12.

New Pitcher for Pittsburgh.

GRANT FALLS, Mont., September 12.—Dan Dury, who won his fourteenth straight game for Great Falls yesterday by defeating Butte, left last night to join the Pittsburgh Nationals.



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BASE BALL BRIEFS.

The hardest thing for the New York Americans to do this year is to make runs against Johnson. They haven't scored on him since the opening game, and then they made only one run. He has gone in against them in four games since then, one of which was a fraction of a game. One run in an expense representing thirty-seven innings in their fight against the monarch of the mound, but they don't monopolize trouble in scoring against the Washington wizard.

While wearing the road garb of the Athletics, the Red Sox won a double-header from the Athletics. While wearing the road togas of the Athletics, the Athletics lost a double-header to the New Yorks. Herewith was had a paradox—consistency; also in and out playing, as it were.

WHEN THE HOME TEAM WINS ---By Tad



"BEST CHANCE I HAVE EVER HAD," SAYS THOMAS LIPTON

Pleased With Conditions of America's Cup Race and Praises Sportsmanship of Yachtsmen of This Country.

HYDE, Isle of Wight, September 12.—The signed conditions for the America's Cup race next year were received by Sir Thomas Lipton on board his yacht the Erin yesterday.

Speaking at a dinner aboard the yacht Enchantress last night, he announced that the conditions included the inclusion of competitors and yachtsmen of the international motor boat races.

Sir Thomas said that it took nearly seven months to arrange the contest and he more than once feared that it would fall through. He added:

"While I was personally always willing to race under any conditions with a ninety or a seventy-five footer, I had to be careful not to agree to terms that would impose any undue handicaps on the future challengers or boats from this side of the water. Several times I was advised to withdraw my challenge, but stuck to it, and now the signed conditions are in my pocket."

"I am glad that I did; I am perfectly satisfied with them. It is true that they do not compel the Americans to meet me with a boat of the same size as the Shamrock, but I was always convinced that this would be done."

Sir Thomas expressed the belief that Nicholson, who is building the Shamrock IV, is the best designer in the world, and that Burton, who will command the challenger, knows how to steer to victory.

Both the challenger and the defender, under the conditions signed," said Sir Thomas, "will be better types of useful yachts than the freaks that, one was formerly compelled to send across the Atlantic, and I can say without hesitation that I have a better chance of winning the cup that ever I had before."

In conclusion he commended the sportsmanship of Americans and his treatment at their hands.

Commander Mansfield S. Cumming, royal navy, president, Comte de Faramond, spoke for France and W. Hale Thompson, commodore of the Chicago Yacht Club, for the United States.

SMASH ALL RECORDS IN MOTOR BOAT RACE

Maple Leaf IV Wins Second Contest for Harmsworth Cup.

LONDON, September 12.—All records for high speed motor boats were broken yesterday when E. Mackay Edgar's "Maple Leaf IV" defeated the Desperjans II, a forty-footer Maple Leaf IV, representing the Royal Motor Yacht Club of London, in the final race of the Harmsworth Cup, Isle of Wight, the winner of the second race of the present series for the British international trophy for motor boats, popularly known as the Harmsworth Cup.

Starting against two French and two American boats, the Maple Leaf IV, in an amazing burst of speed, traveled six times around a course measuring 5.7 nautical miles in 38-29.5. This means that she covered the entire course of 32.4 nautical miles at the rate of a mile in 1.18, or at an average speed for the whole distance of 49.23 knots, or 66.84 statute miles an hour.

The Desperjans II (France) finished second, in 42 minutes 48 seconds; the

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probable that Latrobe Cogswell of the Baltimore Country Club will be re-elected as president, as will W. J. Leimkuhler and Joseph T. English again be chosen to fill the positions of secretary-treasurer and official handicapper, respectively. The only local officer, J. P. Stowell, can very likely be re-elected vice president if he wants to be, but it is understood that he does not seek re-election, and Charles J. Dean of Carroll Institute and Reginald Rutherford of the Washington Swimming Club are likely to be candidates to succeed him. Both of these men, although young, have had lots of experience in athletic matters and are hard workers, and could be depended upon to look after the local end of the game.

It is expected that there will be but one change on the registration committee, which is one on which the members are elected to serve. William P. Burdick will undoubtedly again be made chairman of the association. John T. Meany will be ineligible for re-election, and another local man will be chosen to succeed him.

At this meeting the dates and places of the annual championship events will be decided upon. As Baltimore held the three events last year, it is Washington's turn to get them this year, with the swimming championships going to Baltimore.

Go-Between Falls Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, September 12.—Go-Between, the famous racing steepler, fell dead under the wire at Reading yesterday. He won \$187,000 in one year, and his former owner was Henry Shoemaker, a New York banker.

AMATEUR UNION MEETING.

Officers to Be Elected Monday Night in South Atlantic Branch.

The annual meeting of the South Atlantic Branch Association of the A. A. U. will be held Monday night at Carroll Institute, at which time new officers will be elected and the usual yearly business will be gotten out of the way.

The most important business to be taken up is the election of officers. It is