

IT BEGINS TO LOOK AS IF THE BALKAN LEAGUE WOULD BLOW UP

Cynthia, Is It Proper for a Man to Remain Sober When His Health Is Drunk?

WHEN BOOKS WERE STONE
First Cave Man—So this novel is having a great sale?
Second Cave Man—Yes, it has just gone into its second stone quarry.

STRAIGHT STUFF

By the Sporting Editor

Let 'em all alone
My son, I've traveled 'round the world
And many maids I've met,
There are two kinds you should avoid,
The blonde and the brunette.

That Younger, who would rather be called J. Arthur than get an income in salary, has made a good manager for the state university and athletic activities. Under his management a profit of \$25,000 was made after all bills of the outstanding indebtedness he had incurred. Younger, according to the old folks, among whom he was born and raised, will some day be a great man, so that settles it.

witnesses of the 1914 race. Moving pictures of the finish show the prowess of the shells crossing the finish line at the same instant and the judges themselves were an hour picking the winner, finally giving the laurel to the blue.

We always thought Harvard on that showing was entitled to a draw at least. That would have satisfied everybody.

There is a six-foot blond-haired youth trying out for the Broadway football team who came from California. He played rugby there. Frisco folks have told us that Californians would play all around Washington in the open game, and we have believed a lot of it. Elmer Henderson, coach of the Broadway champions, rises to doubt. He says Thompson fumbles just as often as his American football talent. This may be explained by the fact that a California rugby ball, while shaped like an egg, is much larger than the real football, which would cause a rugby man to fumble considerably until he got used to the smaller oval.

Indiana university students are waging their father's money already on their football prospects because Jim Thorpe, who is still the greatest all-around athlete in the world, despite the fact he is barred from amateur competition, has signed a contract to help Childs, a Yale man, who is head instructor. Thorpe was a wonderful player himself, but it remains to be seen if he can impart his skill to others.

The same goes for Brickley, who is assistant at Penn State, but Charley is the smarter of the two and more apt to make good.

Ty Cobb, in one of his special articles, tells about an interview last winter with Chief Bender, regarding his so-called "iron-clad" contract with the Baltimore Feds, by which club he was canned a few weeks ago. Ty's article: "But, Chief, I said to him, 'are you sure you have left no loopholes of escape for your new employers in case they should wish to get rid of you before the term of your contract expires?'"

"Nothing doing," said Bender. "I have feathered my nest. My contract is so good that if the league exploded tomorrow I wouldn't worry. But it isn't going to explode."

"Such was the blind faith of ball players in the Federal league a few months, even weeks, ago. I think there have been a few eye openers within the past week or ten days. Certainly there is not the same air of confidence."

A game in St. Louis between two negro teams was stopped on account of darkness. How did it ever start?

MIKE TO RETIRE FROM RING GAME IN ABOUT YEAR

ST. PAUL, Sept. 22.—Michael Gibbons, especially well upholstered with that commodity that makes the mare go, has announced he would retire from boxing in about 12 months. His pecuniary, if not clearly fistic, victory at Brighton Beach, coupled with others of the same caliber, have run Mike's bank account into very comfortable figures, and he is willing to peel off his gloves for the last time, he says.

In the meantime, however, Gibbons declares he is going to meet Les Darcy, Jimmy Clabby, Young Abern, George Chip and all the rest whenever they call with the right word.

Gibbons later announced that following his retirement he would punch the bugs off potato vines on his farm near Oatka, Minn.

Gibbons denied the report from New Orleans that he had signed for a bout with Young Abern at that place in January.

These Two Stars Have Had Much to Do in Phil Dash



Fred Luderus beat Bill Jackson, with the Seattle Giants in 1912-13, out of a job in 1910. Luderus is one of the best hitters in the National and particularly dangerous in the small Philadelphia park, with its short right field cement wall.

Eppa Rixey, Jr., scion of a wealthy Virginia family, with Alexander and Meyer, has held the burden of the pitching. Rixey is a youngster.

COLUMBIA PUTS TEAM IN FIELD

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Columbia university today returned to football after having abandoned the game 10 years. Seventy candidates are working out for the varsity. All are "green," as none has played the game in two years.

The Eastern football season begins tomorrow, with five teams of the Big Six competing. Cornell is the only member which does not start, beginning a week Saturday. The big games tomorrow are: Harvard vs. Colby, at Cambridge; Yale vs. Maine, at New Haven; Pennsylvania vs. West Virginia, at Philadelphia; Princeton vs. Georgetown, at Princeton, and Dartmouth vs. Massachusetts Aggies, at Hanover.

BAUM GOING UP

A major league club has offered \$5,000 for Spider Baum, the Toledo pitcher, who has won 20 out of 22 games, and is leading the league. Baum is no chicken, having been in the league for years. The Phillies are after him.

Aha! This Wily Coach Will Have an Invisible Team

The European war is going to have its effect on football this season, according to the plans of Fred Murphy, coach of Northwestern university. Murphy will use "invisible" uniforms for his players, like the uniforms worn by German soldiers.

When Murphy read that greenish gray uniforms worn by the Germans made it hard to see them on the ground or against a natural background, he immediately adapted the idea to the business in which he is most expert.

Northwestern footballers have always worn purple. Murphy has decided purple is too conspicuous. He will get greenish gray uniforms, figuring they will be less attractive and deceive the other fellows.

Big Games May Start October 8

Ban Johnson wants the world's series to start Oct. 8, the day after the season ends in both big leagues. Garry Hermann, chairman of the national commission, suggests the players be given a day's rest, and advocates starting it Oct. 9. Johnson will likely have his way.

Hygiene experts who provided the individual drinking cups, etc., ought to look at the sponges, water buckets and towels used during a boxing match.

AUTO RACING MAY MAKE A BOW IN JAPAN

Hashimura Toza, a Japanese schoolboy, is bringing over with much excitement, thank you, and is getting ready for a shivering spine. The honorable sport of automobile racing is to be introduced soon in the realm of the mikado, and two daring sons of Nippon hope to emulate the spectacular feats of Barney Oldfield, Ralph de Palma and Dario Resta on the island of maximum efficiency across the Pacific.

The yellow peril, a subject of much interest to California, and Lieut. Richard Hobson, is to take the reverse English. America will supply the yellow peril, not the Japanese. Two yellow Mercer racing cars have been purchased in Los Angeles and shipped to chrysanthemum land to challenge the supremacy of the jinrikisha.

Japanese are confident that automobile racing soon will be as popular with the Japanese as that other great American sport, baseball.

Teams Evenly Balanced In "Big" Nine This Year

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The dull thud of the booted pig-skin is the dominant note in the Middle Western sporting world. Coaches of the nine universities composing the Western Conference are driving their squads for the preliminary games.

The question that looms highest is whether Illinois, champions of 1914, will repeat. With almost a veteran team, little Zappke, the "football wizard of the West," will attempt to do what no other Big Nine team, with the exception of Minnesota, has ever done—in the championship two successive years.

The cloud on the horizon is ineligible Pogue, all Western half back and candidate for the all-American, and Putsy Clark, his fellow star, will form the nucleus of

ORPHEUM ACTRESS RABID BALL FAN



Miss Brownie Dupont, known as the living Venus, who does the posing act in the "Aurora of Light," now playing at the Orpheum theatre, is a rabid baseball fan. When she is playing the Eastern end of the Orpheum circuit, every afternoon finds her at the ball park, when her position on the bill permits her to get away.

On many occasions she has gone to and from the park in a taxi in order to make all connections.

Frank Bancroft, secretary of the Cincinnati baseball club, is her uncle. She knows all the big leaguers and calls them by their first names.

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How They Stand In the Leagues

| NATIONAL LEAGUE | | | |
|-----------------|------|-------|------|
| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
| Philadelphia | 52 | 59 | .514 |
| Brooklyn | 47 | 66 | .413 |
| St. Louis | 46 | 70 | .396 |
| Pittsburgh | 41 | 77 | .348 |
| Cincinnati | 37 | 75 | .327 |
| St. Louis | 33 | 74 | .298 |
| Chicago | 25 | 75 | .244 |
| New York | 16 | 77 | .142 |

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | | | |
|-----------------|------|-------|------|
| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
| Boston | 47 | 45 | .512 |
| Detroit | 34 | 51 | .400 |
| Chicago | 33 | 62 | .347 |
| Washington | 24 | 74 | .243 |
| New York | 23 | 74 | .237 |
| St. Louis | 21 | 63 | .234 |
| Cleveland | 15 | 61 | .197 |
| Philadelphia | 10 | 59 | .145 |

| FEDERAL LEAGUE | | | |
|----------------|------|-------|------|
| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
| Pittsburgh | 39 | 61 | .389 |
| Chicago | 29 | 63 | .315 |
| St. Louis | 29 | 65 | .308 |
| Newark | 24 | 67 | .262 |
| Kansas City | 24 | 69 | .259 |
| Buffalo | 22 | 72 | .234 |
| Brooklyn | 20 | 77 | .207 |
| Baltimore | 15 | 97 | .133 |

| COAST LEAGUE | | | |
|----------------|------|-------|------|
| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
| San Francisco | 103 | 74 | .582 |
| Los Angeles | 95 | 81 | .542 |
| Salt Lake City | 84 | 83 | .503 |
| Vernon | 85 | 87 | .494 |
| Oakland | 78 | 100 | .440 |
| Portland | 73 | 94 | .437 |

| BASEBALL RESULTS | | | |
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| (American)—Boston 5-6, Cleveland 4-2; Detroit 6, Philadelphia 3; Chicago 2, Washington 9; New York 7-5, St. Louis 9-1 (National)—Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 1; New York 7, St. Louis 3; Pittsburgh 6, Boston 4; Philadelphia 5-3, Chicago 1-2 (Coast)—Salt Lake 19, Vernon 3; San Francisco 3, Ogilind 2; Oakland 10, Los Angeles 4. (Federal)—Chicago 2-1, Newark 1-2; Buffalo 5, Pittsburgh 3; Brooklyn 3, Kansas City 9; St. Louis 16, Baltimore 0. | | | |

TIGERS WIN FROM GIANTS

TACOMA, Sept. 24.—The Tigers won the third game of a post-season series with the Seattle Giants yesterday in the ninth inning. Roy Grover cracking out a single that scored Hoffman with the winning run. Score 3 to 2. Tacoma took the lead in the sixth but Seattle pushed over two runs in the seventh and tied the score. Schmutz opposed Hendrix.

Would you believe it! Only seven years ago, But Nelson beat Joe Gans at Colma.

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| Men's Suspenders, regular to \$3c, Sale Price 7c | 25c Rubber Collars, sold, worth 15c to 25c, Sale Price 1c | Men's Hats, worth to \$2.00, now 49c | Big Line of Hats, including Stetson's, worth to \$2.50, now 98c | Stiff Hats, sold, worth to \$3.00, Sale Price 29c | Linen and Rubber Collars, sold, worth 15c to 25c, Sale Price 1c |
| Ladies' Finest Dress Shoes; well-known makes; worth to \$5.00, now \$1.98 | 20c Linings; now, yard 9c | Floss Silk, all colors 1c | 10c Silk Thread 2c | Men's Finest Dress Pants that sell to \$5.00, now \$2.48 | Overalls that sell to \$1.00, now 39c |
| Men's Finest Dress Pants that sell to \$5.00, now \$2.48 | Overalls that sell to \$1.00, now 39c | Men's Pants, worth up to \$2.50, now 98c | Dress Shirts, worth to \$1.50, now 49c | Men's Shirts, that sell to \$1.00, now 19c | Lot of President Suspenders, now 15c |
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| Children's Underwear 8c | Children's Sweater Coats, worth to 75c, now 19c | Men's Pants, worth up to \$5.00, now \$1.49 | Men's Finest Dress Pants that sell to \$5.00, now \$2.48 | Men's Shirts, that sell to \$1.00, now 19c |

Winding Up—Closed Friday to Re-mark and Arrange Stock—Wait