

ALL ABOUT THE WORLD SERIES

In the world's championship baseball series either New York, Chicago or Pittsburgh team will represent the National league, and either the Tigers, Naps, White Sox or Browns the American league, but the owners of the lucky teams will have practically nothing to do with the arrangements for or the handling of the games. The national commission, made up of Harry Pulliam, Ban Johnson and Garry Herrmann, will have absolute control of the series.

In the winter of 1904-5, after the failure of the pennant winning teams of the two leagues—the Boston Americans and the New York Giants—to get together the club owners placed the control of future post season series in the hands of the supreme court of baseball, the national commission.

The results have more than justified this action.

In 1903—under the old plan—the net receipts of the eight post season games between the Boston Americans and the Pittsburgh Pirates were slightly over \$50,000.

In 1905—under the national commission's rule—the five games between the Giants and Athletics, \$68,435.

In 1906 the receipts of the six games between the Cubs and White Sox were \$106,550.

In 1907 the Cubs and Tigers in five games played to \$101,728.

There are no "quarter" tickets in games for the world's pennant. The seats usually sold at 25 cents command 50 cents. The 50 cent seats sell for \$1, the 75 cents grand stand seats for \$1.50, the \$1 box seats for \$2 and the "elevated" or \$1.25 box seats for \$2.50.

Last year the \$101,728.50 in receipts came from 78,068 people. In 1906 the \$106,550 represented total attendance of 99,845. In 1905 91,723 paid admissions were required to bring in the \$68,435.

The division of the gate money is made on this general plan: Ten per cent of all receipts go to the national commission for expenses. Last year this amount was \$10,172.

Of the 90 per cent remaining—in the first four games—the clubs receive 60 per cent and the club owners 40 per cent.

After the first four games the total amount taken in—barring the 10 per cent share of the commission—goes to the owners of the two clubs.

The "club owners' share" is always equally divided, regardless of results.

The "players' share" is divided on the basis of 60 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the losers.

An innovation this year is the rule prohibiting club owners from adding "bonuses" to the players' regular receipts as provided in the rules.

In 1903 the Pirates, though defeated by the Boston Americans, fared better than did their rivals, for Barney Dreyfuss added to their share the entire amount coming to the club.

In 1905 the Athletics lost the series to the Giants, but they were given the club owners' share in addition, raising the amount each one of Connie Mack's men received from \$382 to \$800 and over.

In 1906 Comiskey gave the White Sox \$15,000 as a present for win-

ning the world's series. Last year President Yawkey handed the defeated Tigers \$15,000, lifting the amount they divided to \$36,973.

The Cubs' share of the receipts last year was about \$34,900. President Murphy added enough to this amount to bring it up to \$45,000.

The giving of rewards by the club owners to the players winning the world's pennant will probably not be prevented by the new regulation, but its purpose is obvious. If the owners of one club should promise their team a bonus for winning the world's flag and the owners of the other club should not, unpleasant criticism would surely follow. Under the new rule, the presents may be given, but they are not likely to get much advertising.

Immediately after the pennant races in the two big leagues have closed the national commission promulgates a schedule for the world's series and makes other necessary arrangements.

One of the earliest—and wisest—regulations adopted by the commission was that the players should share only in the receipts of the first four games.

As four victories decide the share only in the receipts of the championship, this regulation gives the enemies of the game no chance to talk of a needlessly prolonged struggle.

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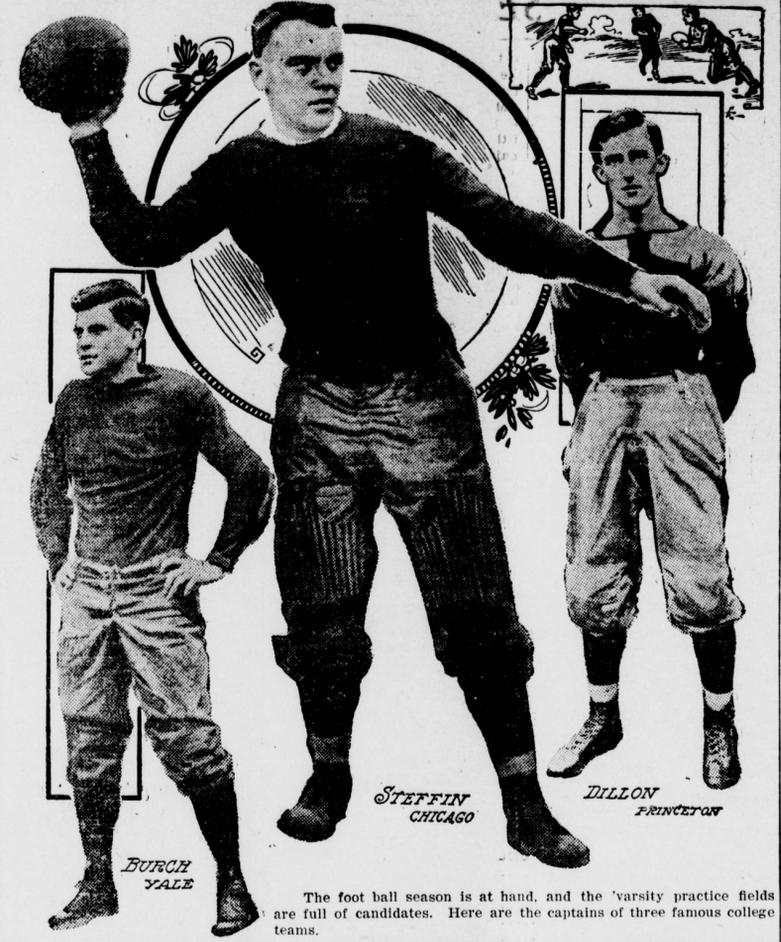
A new leader of the National league appeared yesterday when Pittsburg, by defeating St. Louis 7-4 and 2-1, went ahead of both New York and Chicago, leading New York by half a point. Chicago is two points behind New York. Hans Wagner's home run in the last game won for Pittsburg. Brooklyn defeated Boston, 2 to 2. Chicago 5, Cincinnati 0; New York 7, Philadelphia 2.

Put Waddell to bad

Detroit won from St. Louis yesterday by disposing of Rube Waddell in the first inning, and retained its lead in the American league. After Waddell was taken out and Howell substituted, Detroit almost threw the game away by reckless fielding. The final score was 7 to 6. Cleveland is four points behind Detroit by winning from Chicago, 1 to 0. Boston 8, Philadelphia 1; Washington 12, New York 2.

Nothing impoverishes a good deed uglier than thinking of its profit.

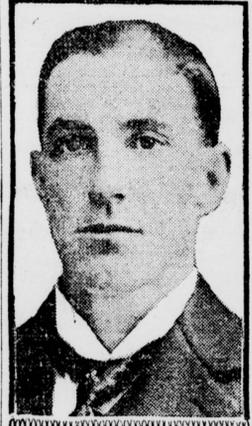
LEADERS OF BIG ELEVENS, EAST AND WEST



The foot ball season is at hand, and the 'varsity practice fields are full of candidates. Here are the captains of three famous college teams.

Pennant Winning Managers of '08

Now that Jack Dunn has copped the Eastern league flag with his Baltimore Orioles, it is quite likely that a big league berth will be offered him for next season. It would not be surprising to see him at the



JACK DUNN.

head of the New York Highlanders or the St. Louis Cardinals.

Dunn was born at Meadville, Pa., in 1874. He learned to play ball with the New Jersey Athletic club, at Bayonne, N. J. His first professional engagement was with Birmingham, champions of the New York State league. He pitched and acted as substitute infielder and outfielder.

In 1896 he was with Toronto of the Eastern league, as a pitcher. Brooklyn purchased him, and he remained with Brooklyn until the end of the 1900 season. His pitching aided materially in winning the National league championship for Brooklyn in 1899 and 1900.

In 1901 he played on McGraw's Baltimore American league team as a third baseman. He was with the New York National league team in 1902, 1903 and 1904, playing third base and short. He went from New York to manage the Providence team of the Eastern league and won the pennant. He came to Baltimore as manager in 1907.

Charley Swain discovered

The fact that Charley Swain has played much better ball with the Outcasts than with Spokane has often been remarked and the reason conjectured. Here is probably the solution: Charley was married Thursday night to a charming California girl. Here is how he played in yesterday's game against Seattle which the Outcasts won 6 to 1. He made a home run and accepted four chances in the field. When he first went to bat his teammates presented him with a handsome toilet set and the crowd threw rice.

Emery Horton yesterday was chosen captain of the North Central high school football team.

SPORTING SIDELIGHTS

Bulletins, giving the day's baseball results, are now posted each evening on the "flyers" of several railroad lines. What next? Wireless scores to steamers at sea?

After the Olympic games, Bob Edgren, the New York sport critic, had a lot of fun roasting the British officials who mishandled the events. Recently the A. A. U. had some championship games at Travers island, and the five mile run had to be contested three times because the officials couldn't count up to five, when it came to marking off the laps. Thereupon various British residents of Gotham wrote letters to Edgren, asking him whether English incompetency had that record beaten. Bob gamely printed the letters, and finally answered one of them by saying: "Yes, the British officials probably were more capable than the American, because it takes a smart man to make a good burglar." Which wasn't very nice, but kind of funny, at that.

Hughie Jennings declares shortstop is the big job of the infield. Says he: "The position is what you make it. The star shortstop of today has more to do than any other man on the diamond, if he goes into the play for all there is in it. "He must back up third and second. He should be over backing up the first baseman frequently and also the catcher. In fact, there is no part of the diamond he should not be watching for a play at certain times."

Hughie ought to know. He was one of the best shortfielders in the game once upon a time.

Mike Donlin won the New York Evening Journal's voting contest for the most popular ball player. He got 344,083 votes, to Tim Jordan's 332,475. Bowerman was voted the most popular visiting player, with 319,986 ballots. Christy Mathewson got only 82,222 votes, which would seem to show that good hitting is more popular than great pitching.

Billy Papke is proclaimed as the first German who ever won a national championship in fisties. Duff, passing to the statistics of bowling—

A Briton named Hugg tried to beat Johnny Hayes' Marathon time. After falling down twice, afflicted with a "painful stitch," he beat the best time made by any English Marathonist by nine minutes, but let Hayes' mark undisturbed.

There's a nasty scandal on, following the close of the season in the Eastern league. It does not involve the pennant, which Baltimore won, but does cover the last four games played by Baltimore and Providence. Providence took all four, nosing Newark out of first place. Newark is putting up an awful howl. Each of the four games was a farce. Baltimore played pitchers and outfielders in the infield and infielders in the outfield. In one game Baltimore made 18

hits, including three triples, and scored two runs, while Providence scored a dozen times. Newark is justified; such a mess as that is a disgrace to base ball.

The only fight left in the Northwest league now is between Tacoma and Aberdeen for second place, and that isn't much of a fight after all when it is considered that Aberdeen, to oust Tacoma from second place, must win its game today and two more on Sunday. The way the Tigers are bracing up Aberdeen would be lucky to win two.

Vancouver has the pennant cinched. Spokane will finish in fourth place the Outcasts fifth and Seattle last.

USUAL INDIAN RESULT

SPORTS

The Indians were unable to do much that counted with Rusty Hall's pitching yesterday, and Vancouver won 7 to 2. Hall gave seven hits, one of them a home run by Jack Hickey. Hickey allowed eight hits, one a homer by Nordyke, which came in the sixth inning with the bases full.

No. 2798
Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR Spokane County, State of Washington.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Sommer, deceased.

Mark F. Mendenhall, the administrator of the estate of Charles Sommer, deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court, on Friday, the 25th day of September, 1908, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the courtroom of said Superior Court, at the courthouse in Spokane, County of Spokane, State of Washington, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Mar. F. Mendenhall to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in Spokane Press, a newspaper printed and published in Spokane County, Washington.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1908.

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