

"THE CHAP WHO TAKES A FLYER ON THE RACES DOESN'T ALWAYS HAVE CAUSE TO FEEL UPPISH," SAYS OLD KID HAYNER

Col. Ruppert Says Ban Johnson Should Resign From His Berth

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American League Boss Admits Owing Stock in Boston Club

The Judge Will Go Himself Next Time

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THINKS JOHNSON SHOULD RESIGN HIS PRESIDENCY

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—If Ban Johnson, American League president, has any sense whatever of the fitness—or the unfitness—of things he'll quit his job, was the opinion expressed today by Col. Jacob Ruppert, part owner of the New York Yankees.

Johnson's throne is about to topple, anyway, according to Ruppert, and abdication now would be a timely act.

The legal action started by the Yankee owners to prevent him from interfering with Patcher Carl Mays ended yesterday with a hearing before Referee George Gillespie. The testimony is now in the hands of Supreme Court Justice Wagner. The final hearing brought a statement from Johnson that he had owned stock in the Boston team, as well as the Cleveland club.

He should Resign.

"Johnson should resign after these disclosures," Ruppert said today. "He has a long time contract, and it would be hard to unseat him, but the club owners, after learning the methods pursued by Johnson in directing league affairs and after hearing that he owns stock in several clubs, certainly will take action to curb his power and make the board of directors more than a figurehead."

World "Punish Both Clubs."

Johnson admitted that he suspended Carl Mays, the pitcher, on July 31 "because he was transferred to the New York club without being disciplined." He admitted that his action was taken to punish both the Boston and the New York clubs, and asserted that he had power under

Big League Biffers of Yesterday

Player	AB	R	H	TR	Ave.
Grimes, Pirates	4	4	4	1,000	
Severid, Browns	4	4	4	1,000	
Whitford, Pirates	4	4	4	1,000	
Ruth, Red Sox	3	2	4	1,000	
Hilligan, Browns	1	2	4	1,000	
Hendryx, Cubs	1	1	1	1,000	
Schmidt, Pirates	1	1	1	1,000	
Cravat, Phils.	1	1	1	1,000	
Bieber, Pirates	5	4	6	500	
Fourth, Pirates	4	3	2	188	
Judge, Griffs	4	3	2	175	
Risberg, W. Soc.	4	3	2	175	
McHenry, Cards	4	3	2	175	
Veach, Athletics	4	3	2	175	
Griffith, Tigers	4	3	2	175	

JUNGLEERS HERE FOR THREE TUSSLES

The Detroit Tigers open a three-game series today at Georgia avenue. As Ty Cobb is still hitting and "Old Dr. Cox" is still a member of the team, many fans will go out to see Ty hit 'em and the Griffs hit Doc.

The Chicago White Sox broke even on their double-header yesterday. After Jim Shaw had hung up a victory over Kerr, 4 to 3, Claud Williams went out and paralyzed the home boys with as pretty an exhibition as has been seen here this season. He won under wraps, 5 to 0.

Eddie Collins' failure to throw the ball when Joe Judge stopped between first and second in the opening inning of the first game decided the victory, for both Judge and Foster were safe. They worked a double steal and then Rice singled and Pat Gharitty doubled. Result, three runs. Three hits produced another tally in the second, just enough to keep the Griffs in front.

The Griffs were held hitless for six frames in the second game. Then Rice smashed Williams' attempt at a double with a single to right. Picinich followed with a double, but neither could score, and after that nobody could hit, either.

WHITE SOX ARE PREPPING TO WIN ANOTHER PENNANT

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Joe Kiefer, called by up-State baseball men as a real "round 'n'd," will travel South with the Chicago White Sox next Spring. Kiefer has affixed his signature to a contract tendered by Scout Edward Walsh of the Sox, who has been pecking ever Kiefer's work here on an amateur team for the last three weeks.

Kiefer, who is only nineteen, has been twirling for Central New York nines for five seasons. Last year, pitching for a semi-pro outfit at Deerfield he captured twenty-four out of twenty-five games.

CHICAGO BATTERS FAIL TO LAND ON JAMES SHAW

Player	AB	R	H	OA
Liebold, 2b	2	0	0	2
Collins, 2b	2	0	0	2
Weaver, 3b	4	0	1	2
Jackson, rf	4	0	1	2
Felsch, cf	3	0	0	2
Gandil, lb	4	1	0	2
Risberg, ss	2	0	0	2
Schalk, c	3	0	0	2
Kerr, p	2	0	0	2
Totals	27	1	2	18

GRIFFS FAIL TO HIT IN SECOND AGAINST WILLIAMS

Player	AB	R	H	OA
J. Collins, 2b	4	0	0	2
E. Collins, 2b	2	0	0	2
Weaver, 3b	5	0	1	2
Jackson, rf	4	1	0	2
Felsch, cf	3	0	0	2
Gandil, lb	2	0	0	2
Risberg, ss	2	0	0	2
Lynn, c	3	0	0	2
Williams, p	3	0	0	2
Totals	28	1	1	18

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	81	45	.643
Cleveland	72	52	.584
Detroit	72	54	.571
New York	67	56	.545
St. Louis	64	62	.508
Boston	62	62	.500
Washington	48	79	.382
Philadelphia	54	91	.372

REGULAR CARDS FOR BIG SERIES SEATS

CINCINNATI, Sept. 12.—Directors of the Cincinnati National League baseball club announced today that no attention will be paid to requests being sent in for reserved seats for the world's series games, expected to be played here, unless they are made by regular application cards, which may be obtained at Cincinnati club's offices. It was also announced that no application should be for more than four seats, all orders to be for a three-game set of tickets.

Nine games will be played in the world's series baseball games this year, as against seven last year. August Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, announced today. Herrmann said a majority of the clubs of both the National and American Leagues had ratified the recommendation that nine games be played.

Herrmann said that the vote of the clubs on the proposition to lengthen the schedule from seven to nine games would not be given out at this time. A schedule of nine games will be prepared by the National Baseball Commission, but the series will be over and the winner determined as soon as one of the clubs wins five games.

BIRMINGHAM TRIUMPHS

A failure as manager of the Cleveland Indians, Joe Birmingham has triumphed with his Pittsfield club in the Eastern Association.

BUDD DOBLE IS DEAD

Budd Doble, who drove such wonderful harness horses as Nancy Hanks to world's records years ago and years ago, is dead.

EXPECT MUCH OF HIM

Pittsburgh has picked up a 17-year young first baseman in Charlie Grimm from the Little Rock club of the Southern Association.

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