

PHILLIES' SHORTSTOP PUTS UP GREAT OFFENSIVE GAME, DISPLAYING MODERN METHODS

BATting FROM BOTH SIDES OF THE PLATE, DAVE BANCROFT PROVES A REAL 1916 PLAYER

Phillies' Short Fielder Gets a Double From Left Side of the Pan and Two Hits From the Right Against Giants

THERE still remain a few of those who will not be persuaded. They believe yet that the old school of baseball is as good as the new. It may be true and probably is that such men as Dan Brouthers, Willie Keeler et al. were just as great hitters as are Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker, Joe Jackson and Jake Daubert.

Bancroft is of the 1916 type of baseball player. Not only has he been taught modern methods by Pat Moran, but he has brains enough himself to realize that every man who is in the game today, to make a success, must learn to execute on his own initiative, regardless of the greatness of his manager.

It has often been contended that a left-handed hitter should bat from the right side of the plate, regardless of the pitcher, for the reason that he is not only closer to first base in the beginning, but has the advantage of going in that direction when he swings and is not pulling away from the initial sack, as a right-handed batter necessarily must do.

Did the Giants Try to Pull an Old One Over? IN THE fourth inning of yesterday's double header, Alexander singled against the right-field wall after Killefer had filed to George Burns.

Chief Bender pull a "bone" in telling him to score, when it was obvious that the effort might affect his pitching to such an extent that he would be bombarded in the following inning?

Philadelphia Tennis Players Should Start Something NOW in progress at Newport has caused somewhat of a reaction regarding the location of the national event for 1917.

Municipal Links Users Begrudge Tournament Play ATTOURNAMENT play at Cobb's Creek on Saturday afternoons has not met with a whole lot of favor among the golfers who wish to play there and do not care to join the Cobb's Creek Golf Club.

Evers Missed in Braves' Line-up IT MAY have been the absence of Johnny Evers or it may not, nevertheless the fact remains that the Boston Braves put up a very poor exhibition of pastime against the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Gavvy Cravath and Bill Killefer crossed every one by getting into the line-up yesterday. If they are as successful in crossing the opposing pitchers in the future the pennant race will be all over but the official returns by the middle of September.

WHEN YOU RETURN TO THE CITY FROM THE VACATION



DAN PATCH WAS GREATEST OF ALL STALLION PACERS

M. W. Savage's Steed, Who Died of Athletic Heart, Earned Brilliant Reputation in 1906, Covering Mile in 1:55

DAN PATCH, pacing stallion, owned by M. W. Savage, of Minneapolis, who died of athletic heart at the owner's farm at Savage, Minn., had a remarkable record. In 1906 he paced a mile over the Hamline track in 1:55, the world's sulky record.

Although veterinarians declared that the real cause of the famous horse's death was "athletic heart," he had been sick from inflammation of the bowels. Dan Patch was 20 years old, and for the last four years had been kept in retirement for breeding purposes only.

Never Went Behind Shield Dan Patch never went behind a wind shield and was never hitched double. Dan Patch's record mile of 1:55 was made September 8, 1906, over the Hamline (30.) track. A correspondent thus describes the race:

Some of Philadelphia's star "banjans" weigh heavier, and others even over, the featherweight limit. But tonight's tilt at the Ritz will be between Joe Fisher and Terry Ketchell, who is a "real" lightweight. The contest will be on the scales at that weight before indulging in the return contest. Ketch is the more aggressive, but Fisher has the advantage in experience, and even money on the winner would be a fair bet.

SCRAPS ABOUT SCRAPPERS

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

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The new West Philadelphia boxing arena will be known as the Washington Sporting Club. William M. Stringfellow, the promoter, has arranged his opening program for Friday night of this week with Eddie Hart, a West Philly favorite, opposed to Tommy Jamison, the Schuylkill knackerout, in the wind-up.

Eddie Mey, of Allentown, is fascinating Australian fans with his brawny, and at the same time he is pulling up a big bank account. In his last match he defeated Fernand Quijano, a Frenchman, and his headlining exhibition has led him to be the subject of good matches. Before invading the kangaroo country Eddie was Fred Weisk's sparring partner.

With the beginning of the season but a fortnight off, a local match that stands out as a big feature has been announced at the Ritz and Eddie McAndrews. Several attempts to get the boys together have failed because of financial reasons. However, it is probable they will clash before the season is well under way.

The meeting between Johnny O'Leary and Johnny Dundee in Boston tonight will be their second scrap. They met several months ago in Boston in a 10-rounder and Dundee won the reason of his cleavage. Tonight's match will be for a closer finish.

Henry Hinckle was very anxious to get Frankie White's ring, few were so glad as he was. He had seen White at the South Philadelphia and wanted an opportunity to prove it. He saw some signs that he did not care for White's game and the easiest way out for him was to demand a guaranteed consideration. This would have been Hinckle's first

IS IT ANY WONDER JACK BARRY SUCCEEDED IN BASEBALL? NO, HE'S A MEMBER OF J. J. FAMILY

Former Mackman and Evers, Members of the Same Clan, Only Players to Take Part in Five World's Series—What's in a Name?

By GRANTLAND RICE

OF THE old \$100,000 or the \$200,000 in-field you hear less about him than any of the others. He never batted .300 in his life. He has batted over .260 but three times in nine years. His present mark is under .250.

There is Barry helping the Red Sox in their upward drive, a vital figure in the club's success. There is Collins poised as another vital figure in the White Sox dash to the top.

Another Point Barry belongs with success. He belongs to the winning species of the game. There are now just two ballplayers who have taken part in five world series and who have their chance for sixth shot at the October kilt.

World Series Returns If the Red Sox finish first again this year, Barry's full return from his six world series ventures will be around \$18,000, for he has been on four world series winners out of five starts, showing that his success has not been limited to pennant play.

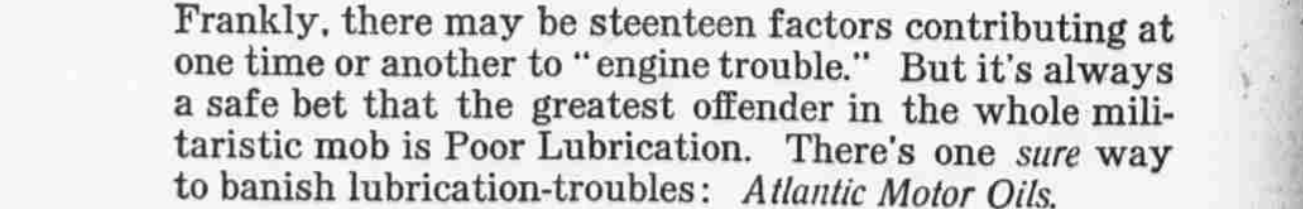
He deserves all the more credit for the place he has achieved with a .250 batting eye, for it belongs to very few to reach the heights without the old .300 walloping attached.

Old Cubs vs. Old Mackmen Outside of Evers, none of the old Cubs when turned adrift or sold was of any surpassing advantage to other machines.

It was one of the big jokes of the year. His old machine had just caved in and he was trying to build up another.

Frankly, there may be seventeen factors contributing at one time or another to "engine trouble." But it's always a safe bet that the greatest offender in the whole militaristic mob is Poor Lubrication.

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