

TINKER-EBBETS SQUABBLE STARTED BASEBALL WAR AND CUBS HOPE TO GET REVENGE

TINKER HOPES TO SETTLE OLD SCORE WITH EBBETS IN SERIES WITH BROOKLYN

Cubs Will Give Dodgers Harder Battle Than Other Western Teams and Phillies Should Gain on Robinson's Team

JOE TINKER, manager of the Chicago Cubs, has been waiting since the winter of 1913 to square an old score with Owner Charles Ebbets, of the Brooklyn club, and he believes the time is ripe to land a body blow to the pennant hopes Ebbets is cherishing.

But the facts of the case follow: Joe Tinker had been a failure as a manager of the Reds in the opinion of Garry Herrmann and he placed the famous shortstop on the market. Ebbets, who had been looking for a shortstop ever since Bill Dahlen was traded to the Giants in 1908 (and he still is looking for one), purchased Tinker's release.

Ebbets immediately started claiming the pennant, as usual, when Tinker hustled into New York, where the magnates had gathered, and made known his demands.

At first Tinker insisted that he would not play with the Dodgers under any conditions, but finally agreed to sign if he got the salary he wanted and a bonus. Ebbets believed he had Tinker at his mercy and politely told him to take what was offered or quit the game.

While Ebbets and Tinker were exchanging compliments, Gilmore, Ward and Wegmann realized that a grand opportunity was at hand, and before the baseball populace knew what was happening Joe Tinker was the manager of the Chicago Federal League club.

Ebbets and Tinker at War

JUST at this time Charley Herzog was appointed manager of the Reds, much to the disappointment of Otto Krabe, who expected and was entitled to the position. Tinker found Krabe a willing listener and he also jumped.

When the boat carrying the all-star teams arrived in New York there was some merry bidding for the stars, which sent Tris Speaker's salary up to the \$11,000 a year mark and caused trouble in more than one ball club.

Before long the war was on in earnest and Joe Tinker was blamed for it all, but when peace finally was made Tinker was welcomed back into the fold (if every one but Ebbets) as manager of the Cubs under Wegmann.

Tinker claims that Ebbets started the rumor that he was to be released after this season because he had forfeited a game before five innings had been played and with a record crowd on hand.

Anything to Beat Dodgers Is Cub Slogan

WHETHER there is any truth to the story that Ebbets started the rumor that he had made things very unpleasant for Tinker has not been proved satisfactorily, but the fact remains that the Cub manager declares he will put the Dodgers out of the race.

Just how Tinker figures upon beating Brooklyn is beyond us, as he surely cannot do it with the team he had on the field on Saturday.

One must give Tinker or Owner Wegmann great credit for the attempt to give Chicago another National League winner.

Manager Mack neglected to sign Shay to a contract and Tinker picked him up at St. Johnsbury, Vt., where Witt made his reputation.

Moran Now Has Ideal Batting Order

JUST because the Phillies outplayed the lifeless Cubs in Saturday's double-header is no proof that Manager Moran has found the proper remedy to prevent a waste of base hits, but we believe that he has taken a step that should have been taken many weeks ago when it was apparent that Dave Bancroft was not going to return to his 1915 batting form.

If Bancroft would listen to Moran he would be another Keeler, or at least another Huggins, one of the type of the opposing pitchers fear and for whom the defense cannot play.

The placing of Niehoff in the seventh position was not done as a demotion, but to utilize some of Bert's long drives.

All good hitters lose a great number of hits by sensational fielding of the opposing team because they are hitting drives that are difficult to handle, but we cannot recall seeing a player with the poor luck Milton Stock has in this respect.

According to Chicago scribes, the White Sox beat "Dutch" Leonard in the first two innings by hitting the first ball pitched.

This Speaker's three hits out of three times at bat against the Yankees yesterday just about clinches the batting championship for the Cleveland wonder.

WELLING MAKES PHILL DEBUT IN ROBIDEAU MATCH

Chicagoan, on Fred Welsh's Trail, Boxes at Olympia Tonight

JAMISON STILL A NOVICE

Olympia Boxing Program Scheduled for Tonight

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

Since becoming famous with his fists, Welling has been boxing in and around New York. His bouts have proved him to be a good puncher and a dangerous man during his stay in the city.

Johnny Moloney gets back into professional competition in the third bout and he will meet a perfectly good set-up in Tommy Allen.

Jamison Didn't Conquer

Tommy Jamison is not ready yet for major bouts with real big-league boxers. This was proved Saturday night at the National, when he tried and failed to capture Joe Azevedo's championship.

Johnny Kibane, Actor

Johnny Kibane is a good boxer, otherwise he wouldn't be sporting the featherweight laurels, and reports from Baltimore state that the Clevelander is just as good an actor.

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WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND



PENN MAY PLAY VINCOME ELEVEN NEXT SATURDAY

Folwell Now Arranging Practice Game With Team of Former College Stars

By NEIL MATHEWS

LANGHORNE, Pa., Sept. 18.—Penn steeled real hard work this morning and the football men went through a strenuous practice.

The game Saturday did not show very much to Folwell and it is likely that another will be played at Franklin Field next Saturday.

During the first week of practice little was done save getting acquainted with the new coach.

The one thing I have noticed—and it will help the team considerably—is that the players have more confidence now than at any other time last season.

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WOMEN TENNIS STARS PLAY FOR DISTRICT TITLE

Large Entry List for City Championship at Philadelphia Cricket Club

By NEIL MATHEWS

With an entry list of more than thirty players in singles alone, the annual tennis tournament for the women's championship of Philadelphia and district in singles and doubles and mixed doubles will begin this afternoon, on the turf courts at the Philadelphia Cricket Club, St. Martin's.

The entries in singles include Miss Dorothy Diston, Mrs. Gilbert Harvey, individual champion of the Women's Interclub League and holder of the Philadelphia indoor title.

Although Miss Cunningham has not sent in her name, it is generally believed that she will play in the tournament next Saturday.

The tennis committee of the Philadelphia Cricket Club will handle the event in the same efficient manner it has run off the national championship for years.

Brooklyn Wins Exhibition Game

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 18.—The Brooklyn Nationals, with their regular players in the line-up, defeated Bridgeport, of the Eastern League, in an exhibition game here yesterday, 2 to 1.

Thompson to Enter Dartmouth

East Thompson, of the Los Angeles A. C., who won the all-around championship in 1915, is expected to enter Dartmouth this fall.

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BAKER ONE OF FEW STARS WHO SHOWED REAL FORM AT BAT IN A WORLD'S SERIES SKIRMISH

But Now That Tigers Have Chance of Getting Into Classic Fans Are Wondering if Cobb Will Come Through, Says Rice

By GRANTLAND RICE

THE possibility, or probability, depending upon whether you live in Detroit, Boston or Chicago, of seeing Ty Cobb in another world's series brings up a number of important details.

There first of all would be the advance guessing as to just how hard Ty would assault the ball in such a circumstance, for the great hitters of the game are not always the star performers in the big October show.

John Franklin Baker, as a matter of record, was one of the excessively few top-notchers who continued his pace, with something lacking on, when the closing smear arrived.

Ty in the old days was not able to go very far against Cub pitchers when Brown and Overall were at their best. He did better in the Pittsburgh engagement, but a mark above 400.

But world series glory is seldom to the Batting Eye. In 1914 Hank Gowdy drove Baker and Collins off the reservation with a mark above 400.

The Turning Tiger

Sir—Speaking of the worm turning, so will the Tiger if you twist his tail sufficiently. Which reminds me of what I started out to say: Watch Princeton even up a good part of the count this fall against Yale and Harvard.

Why Not?

This does not just at present looks to be reasonable enough. Speedy Rush proved last fall that he was a high-grade instructor and leader.

As for Hunches

In the way of the standing broad hunch, we have a kinked idea that if Alexander Cravath are permitted to participate in another world series their 1915 status will be somewhat changed.

The Duffer Plus Tom Hood

I remember, I remember, I stood upon the tee And thought how tidy it would look To get myself a 2.

There is one club in the American League circuit that can see no great hilarity in the

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Evening Ledger Movies - JAWN KILBANE PUTS HIS ACT OVER, HUGH, AS WELL AS YOU. AHA! TO DAY WE HAVE A VAUDEVILLE SHOW. GRAB A CHAIR AND WATCH THE PERFORMANCE. DIDJA EVAN HEAR THE STORY PEACOCK? IT'S A BEAUTIFUL TAIL! O CHISEL, IF THE FOLKS DOWN HOME KNEW YOU WERE ON THE STAGE THEY'D DIE OF SHAME! YES, ISACH THY THYK A SHOPLIFTER! NOW HAMILCAR, HOW MANY DAYS A WEEK DO YA WANT ME TO WORK? CURTAIN. QEE WE HAVE THIS SPACE LEFT OVER! ALL RIGHT, WE'LL ASK YOU A QUESTION. DO YOU THINK THE PHILS WILL WIN THE PENNANT? YOU SHOULD SAY, 'PERHAPS'.