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# Judgments

T IS not so much a question of losing money as it is of keeping up the standard of the game," says President Comiskey in concluding a very wise dissertation on the whys and wherefores of the great slump in base ball patronage this year. We are in entire accord with his view that too much stress has been laid on big incomes for owners and big salaries for players. The mercialization, but not to the subordination of the game. It is a sport before it is business, and that equation must be maintained if the game endures. So must the integrity of players and owners. Both must respect contract rights and mutual rights aside from those written on paper. Things certainly cannot go on with profit to anybody the way they have been going. A blab-mouthed egotist, who was lifted upon his pedestal of pre-eminence by others, made the statement in Chicago upon his supposed exit from the game as a proprietor that, "I started on a shoestring and am now a millionaire. Perhaps he is, we don't know, but this we know, that just such men and methods as his have had a lot to do with putting base ball on the blink this year. Closely allied with the patronage subject just now is the Federal league question in fact, the whole question of organized base ball. It is not surprising to us that rumors are rife of a capitulation on the part of the National Commission, looking toward admission of the Federals and concessions to the American association and Internationals. The disaffection is spreading too rapidly to be cured by halfway measures; they require drastic remedies. The virus is deep-seated. Under normal conditions, with the sport side of the game held above the business element, our opinion is that there is ample room for three major leagues and, as Comiskey says, if there is, well and good. If there is not, time will tell. In the meantime, again quoting the Old Roman, while players have a right to do the best for themselves that they can, they have ! their interests at the expense of their consciences in contract jumping. A contract should mean as much in base ball as in any other calling, and if it does not, then woe be to base ball. Let the player

Speaking of the depression of pyschology, a thing occurred at Rourke park Wednesday which almost tops President Wilson's citation as to business. With a intercepting the ball by dint of great speed, in time to hold Kane at third. pression, perhaps, six inches square, Kane found it out much to his delight. For James had been twitted a good bit by the stands for his beating of ye curred, he tore into ye third base with great solat and his ruby face rimmed and wreathed in smiles. And we didn't blame Jim. But, continuing the thought of the depression of psychology, a thing occurred also in Rourke park year before last on a par with this. Our fellow citizen, Mr. William Schipke, came to bat with two other of our eminent townsfolk on bases. such violent collision with the whirling all the plums go abroad. spheroid as to send said spheroid kiting fiercely toward the center field fence. The ward, whereupon Citizen Schipke con- tent with minor events. tinued his circuit of the bases with such had been recovered and returned to the battles pending in Europe. If the John- Rickenbacher, Duesenberg; Brouch, Ray; chology in this, but Bill was within his seems quite probable from this distance, nett. White: Oldfield, Stutz; Babcock, rights in opining that it was a France may lose much of its enthusiasm Sunbeam; Callahan, Stafford; Stringer,

Omaha leads the Western league in fielding and ranks fourth in hitting, yet recover from the shock, for it is Carseems unable to get above sixth. All of boom that has struck the French capital. which simply goes to emphasize the lack of pitching power. Give any team, that leads in fielding, comes fourth in hitting, ranks up well in base running, a firstclass pitching staff, and-well, what do belief that the team is going to give a much better account of itself, even though Procident Rourks should fall in his effort. to strengthen the box, for he has some pitching ability that ought to improve

bunch, he may be said to have done some- fielding and running bases like a demon-







no right and will not prosper, subserving Pugs Training for Big Fights on the Fourth of July.

MAY MEAN SOME CHANGES

not be the one to kill the goose that lays Developments in Fistic Affaire Among First-Class Glovemen Likely to Wear a Different Complexion.

NEW YORK, June 20 .- Heavyweight af-Sioux on second Jim Kane drove a ter- fairs will progress rapidly during the rific liner into left center. Thomason next few days. With Moran meeting started for it and, seemingly, would head Johnson, Smith tackling Carpentier and it off at a single, but suddenly the ball Jess Willard threatening to go abroad hit the ground and shot at right angle and meet the winners, it is quite possible due westward. Thither also Tommy shot, that an entirely new situation will develop before snow flies again.

It is seldom that America has to look It was a clean triple. Now, for the psy- toward Europe for new developments chology stuff. Evidently in that great in fistic affairs, but just at present big field there was just one little de- England and France seem to have corwhere the ball, if it struck, would do the heavyweight line. It is apparent that scheme, none of them would have any what it did, and the ball picked out that boxing is on the verge of a tremendous one tiny spot and did it. The thing prob- boom in both these countries. For the ably will not occur again in a year, if first time in history English promoters ever. So we say, there is such a thing as are offering big purses, and in the future the depression of psychology, and Jim it is probable that many of the best matches will be decided abroad.

According to the latest reports, an English syndicate has offered Johnson ambient air and when this episode oc- \$30,000 to meet Sam Langford in October. Willie Ritchie's share of the spoils for his bout with Freddie Welsh will total an even greater amount. It is expected that the Moran-Johnson affair will draw an enormous gate. Evidently American promoters, despite their loud outcries regarding the outrageous demands of the boxers, will have to loosen their purse strings Mr. Schipke brought his wardlub into still further or else stand seide and see

For years past California has seen one or more championship events decided on center fielder as fiercely sped for the July 4. This time the biggest pugilistic fence in the hope of intercepting the ball, date of the year will be barren, so far when, ker-bing, the ball hit the towering as San Francisco and Los Angeles are to hit on a trial—and flew as fast back fighting in some other clime, and the cars have been entered in the 300-mile toward the diamond a little to the north- California promoters will have to be con-

Whether this condition of affairs will is offered. The entries are: velocity as to reach home e'er the ball continue depends on the outcome of the Anderson, Stuts; Grant, Sunbeam; diamond. There may have been no pay- son-Moran affair proves a flasco, as Patchke, Marmon; Mason, Marmon; Benfor the sport. And if Gunboat Smith New York Special; Klein, King; Keene, shatters the French idol with one of his Beaver Bullet; Wetmore, Chalmers. overhand rights the Parisians may never harely keeps out of seventh place and pentier's success that is the cause of the Sandlotters Lined

thing worth mentioning. Collins, Baker, Barry, McInnis and the rest are not an easy lot to hold down to nothing with you think will be the result? It is our the willow. And yet, the Sox fall to win consistently. They still lack hitting and have none too strong a fielding team this

Muggsy McGraw was hooted here and there at the outset of the meason when he remarked that the toughest battle he saw for the Giants was Cincinnati, but Cincinnati, you observe is up there (ight).

Wagman against F. M. Valentines, first game at Fort Omaha.

Ancient Order of United Workmen against Black Kats, second game at Fort Omaha. Comiskey's Des Moines recruits, Benz, Cincinnati, you observe, is up there fight-Scott and Faber, make a big trio. Faber ing it out with the Giants for first place. pitched what should have been a no-hit And we are always glad to record the game during the week against the Ath- big part of this fighting which our former letics, the only bit being a scratch due fellow townsman, Mr. Bert Niehoff, is to a misjudgment by Blackburn. When doing. Bert is one of the sensations of a man pitches no-hit ball against that the National league this year, batting,

# HEAVYWEIGHTS ARE BUSY Intercollegiates May Change Racing

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 30 .-There is a plan under way to change the scene of the intercollegiate regatta from the Hudson course to Cayuga Lake Ithaca. The Cornellians have said little about their pet project, but it has been learned that they hope to see the change within the next few years, and for this reason have failed to follow Columbia's example of building a permanent boat house on the Hudson. Columbta will never consent to the move, as the Blue and White training quarters at Crum Elbow, two miles up the river, cost \$10,000. Whether Pensylvania will be won over to Cornell's side is doubtful also, The other crews-Wisconsin, Syracuse and Washington-row in the intercollegiate regatta by invitation only, and ralled everything of any importance in while it is known that they favor the voice in the matter.

Charles Halstead Mapes, chairman of the Columbia committee on athletics, declared that the idea would never become

"Of course," he added, "It would be a grand thing for Cornell, but aside from the fact that we have a permanent hoat house at Crum Elbow, there is the element of neutral water to be considered. Cayuga Lake is anything but neutral. The course is a little better than Poughkeepsie, but the facilities are less convenient and the spectators wouldn't have a chance to see the contests. No, we will never consent to the change."

#### Fourteen Cars Are Entered in Sioux City Fourth Races

speedway race, which will be held here on July 4, for which \$25,000 in prize money

# Up for Interesting Looking Contests

Games scheduled today among the Omaha ball tossers of the amateur leagues on the various diamonds in and out of the city follow:

Omaha.

Drexel Shoe Company against P. O. Hupmobiles, Fontenelle park, east diamond, this morning.

Advos against Murphy Did Its, looking for a diamond, probably play at Fontenelle park.

enelle park.

Vinton Street Merchants against Mon-nouth Parks, first game, east diamond, Contenelle park. Walnut Hill Merchants against No-

The upper picture shows Cornell rowing in turbulent water, and below the Morningsiders are shown in a fast tryout, the rough water being favorable to

Course at Ithaca braska Auto School, second game, Thirty-second and Dewey avenue. Chris Lycks against J. H. Bourgeois, first game, Chris Lyck park. K. & Ms against Storz, second game, Chris Lyck's park.

bine, Ia. Windeor Hotel at Minden, Ia. Florence Athletics against Twentyfourth Street Merchants, second game,
Florence park.

King-Peck Company against Browning
King Company, Thirty-second and Dawners Star Theater against Mickel's Victroins, first game at Florence park.

King Company, Thirty-second and Dewey avenue, this morning.

Sailee, St. Louis 19 117
Marquard, N. Y. 11 83 Ring Company, Traity
avenue, this morning.

Brandels Stores against Thomas Kilpatricks, Fort Omaha, this morning.

Brown Park Pharmacy against Beacon
Brown Park Pharmacy against Beacon
Crutcher, Bost'n. Il
Griner, St. Louis II
Allen, B'klyn... 9
Fromme, N. Y...13

Vinton.
Dundee Woolen Reserves against Auto tow, second game, Elmwood park, new lamond.

Promme, N. Y...13 25
C. Adams, Pitts. 16 104
Demarce, N. Y...17 76
Marshall, Phila...14 70 Row, second game, Elmwood park, new diamond.
Council Bluffs Joe Smiths against Council Bluffs Devol Victors, Athletic park, Council Bluffs.
Trimble Brothers against West End

Merchanta, second game, Miller park.
Victors against Fontenelles, Twentyseventh and Grand avenue.

Ak-Sar-Ben against Jepsen Brothers,
first game, Miller park.
Western Auto Supply at Missouri Valley, Ia.

Humphries, Chl. 16 64
Robinson, St. L. 15 96
Reulbach, Brkly, 17 94
Rudolph, Boston 13 98
Davenport, Chn. 10 54
Davenport, Chn. 10 54
Davenport, Chn. 16 64
Robinson, St. L. 15 96
Davenport, Chn. 16 64
Robinson, St. L. 15 96
Davenport, Grand, Davenport, Chn. 17 94
Rudolph, Boston 13 98
Davenport, Chn. 17 94
Rudolph, Boston 13 98
Davenport, Chn. 18 64
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Walter G. Clarks against Krebb Trans-fers, second game, Elmwood park, old diamond. Alamitos at Plattamouth, Neb.

Luxus against Townsends, looking for diamond . Hollys against Sherman Avenue Mer-hants, first game, west diamond, Fontenelle park.
R. L. Tinkham against Bemis Park
Reserves, second game, east diamond,
Fontenelle park.
Independents against Imperials, second
game, Twenty-fourth and Vinton.
Omaha Rubber Company at Under-Omaha Rubber Company at Underwood, Ia.
Mountclares against Heltz Pharmacy,
first game, old diamond, Elimwood pars.
Brodegaard Crowns against Council
Bluffs Stolz, Twenty-first and First
avenue, Council Bluffs.
Armours at Atlantic, Ia.
Council Bluffs Dundee Woolen Mill
Imperials against Polish Athletic Club,
first game, Athletic park, Council Bluffs.
Shamrocks at Arlington, Neb.
Farrell Syrups against Ford Motor Car
Company, west diamond, Fontenelle park,
this morning.

### National League Averages

Club Batting. New York.
Brooklyn ...
Cincinnati ...
Pittsburgh Chlcago ...
Et. Louis ...
Roston Team Fielding.

Individual Batting.

or more innings:
Pitcher.

Bitcher.

Grama Auto School, second game, Thirtysecond and Dewey avenue.

Chris Lycks against J. H. Bourgeots,
first game, Chris Lyck park.

K. & Ms against Storz, second game,
Chris Lyck's park.

John Deere Plow Company at Woodbine, is.

Windsor Hotel at Minden, Is.

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Star Theater against Mickel's Victrolas,
first game at Florence park. Pitcher. Perdue, Boston. 7 Jacobs, Phila.... 7 Pierce, Chicago. 13 Harmon, Pitts. 10 Bucker, Brooklyn 7 48 Ragan, Brooklyn !

# American League Averages

Club Batting. Club Fielding.

Chicago Individual Batting. Pitching Records. All pitchers who have pitched eighteen

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Wood, Boston... 4 20 12 4 6 9 2 .
Hoehler, Detroit 5 18 13 7 16 7 2 1 .
Wykoff Phila... 15 97 97 40 61 41 7 7 1
Plank, Phila... 14 60 55 19 9 40 2 5 1
Hall, Detroit... 14 51 40 19 19 11 3 4 1
Steen, Clave... 9 60 49 10 18 24 4 1
Pennock, Phila... 12 61 52 27 27 29 2 8 1
Shawkey, Phila... 12 78 78 32 28 29 1 5 2
W. James, St. L... 16 98 87 43 41 37 4 7 3
Leonard, Beston 14 90 57 16 25 71 1 7 3
Dauss, Detroit... 18 118 96 38 32 52 39 4
Caldwell, N. Y... 16 160 69 23 27 43 2 8 4
Boehling, Wash... 12 98 94 28 40 51 3 6 3
Hender, Phila... 8 47 56 2 51 23 4 2
Bressler, Phila... 8 25 18 6 12 15 2 2 1
Main, Detroit... 15 79 74 20 37 31 2 5 3 .875 Reilly, Des Moines... .887 Fitz, Wichita .800 Bossolori, Wichita .800 O'Rourke, Wichita .750 Coffey, Denver .714 Zamloch, Denver 100 C. Clarke, Topeka... 18 700 Burrell, Des Moines. 44 602 McAllister, Topeka... 34

een or more funings: G. Foster, Bos'n.16 99 73 22 21 48 . 7 Johnson, Wash. 16 134 95 31 29 68 5 1 Player, Club. G.ip.hb.bb.so.wo.wi.pct. Cleotte, Chicago 17 109 78 38 23 41 16 7 Collins, Boston...15 98 105 42 20 27 ... 5 7 Shaw. Wash....16 84 82 44 43 59 44 6 Engel, Wash...12 40 35 24 35 10 2 2 3 R. Mitchell. St. L. 9 46 51 21 9 17 1 2 3 Hagerman, Cleve.14 90 83 38 46 46 5 5 8 Taylor, St. L. 9 34 27 14 18 13 ... 2 4 Bowman, Cleve. 7 24 17 8 10 6 1 1 2 W. Mitchell. Clev.19 96 91 55 47 53 4 9 Russell, Chicago 15 96 74 32 15 35 5 4 9 A. R. Johnson Ros. 9 61 53 19 15 6

## Western League Averages

Cavet, Detroit... 7
Bisnding, Cleve. 15
Keating, N. Y...12
Warhop, N. Y...12
Brown, Phila... 9

Block, Denver ..... Forsythe, Topeka ... Graham, Wichita ... Spaur, Denver

Faye, Denver ... 52
Haley, Des Moines ... 48
Nicholson, Wichita ... 55
Tallion, Topeka ... 54
R. Watson, St. Joe ... 51
Britton, St. Joseph ... 52
Jordan, Lincoln ... 15
Paully For Maines ... 55

Club Batting. Club Fielding.

Individual Batting. Player.
Lejeune, Sioux City, 51 173 29 71 20 410
Happs, Topeka ... 33 101 24 41 3 406
Mullen, Lincoln ... 56 196 29 78 15 38
Congalton, Omaha ... 45 188 40 79 7 372
Shaw, Des Moines ... 28 63 8 23 3 365
Ward, Omaha ... 47 158 26 57 5 361
Butcher, Deputer Butcher, Denver Butcher, Denver 59
Kane, Sloux City 55
Koerner, Topeka 54
Schipke, Omaha 48
Lattimore, Topeka 10
Lioyd, Lincoln 53
Baird, Sloux City 46
Fox, St. Joseph 52
Patterson, St. Joseph 52
Callahan, Sloux City 51
F Thomas, Omaha 38 F. Thomas, Omaha. 35 Starzer, St. Joseph. 26 Cochran, Topeka. .54 Mitchell, Denver. 42 Crisp. Sloux City. 51

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