

# Judgments

LD FATHER TIME will not be

swing of his scythe, no one has yet succeeded in entirely evading its touch. And this is just as true of base ball as it is of anything else. Much has been written at many times as to the passing of stars of the game, some times with regret, sometimes in terms of mawkish sentimentality, but the procession never ends, and each season sees a number of familiar names disappear from the box scores and a number of new ones appear, and the game goes right along. That is its grandest feature; it does not depend on any one man, or set of men, for its perpetuity. It perpetuates itself, because each season sees new blood come into it, youngsters pushing their elders off the map, for it is a game for lusty youth. The public doesn't like to part with its popular idols, but it bids the vanishing hero a farewell and godspeed and turns with interest to the newcomer, who is to make it forget that his predecessor ever existed. This doesn't mean that there is no sentiment connected with the game, for there is, and each generation of fans is much given to treasuring up stories and anecdotes of bygone great ones, the players whose names were shouted in triumph during their day on the diamond, and who have gone into the 'records" and allowed some other to take their places on the batting list. In the base ball hall of fame are many niches, each occupied by its hero, and new ones are being added year after year, but the loyal fan never gets tired of looking 'em over. Therefore, the going of an "old 'un" needn't be made the occasion of ton crew swamped the Saints when they sorrow; it is but the natural order of

With the closing of each season's playing schedule comes the announcement of the fact that certain stars of long service the field meet will make look rather trim the Monmouth Parks, because the are to retire. This time the interest of the gloomy, but regardless of this, the ban- latter have mustered tegether a strong public will be centered very largely quet will be given. Frank Quigley has contingent. Next in line comes the Co around the going of Fred Clarke and made arrangements with different Omaha lumbians. Honus Wagner of the Pirates. They have men to take care of the financial end of team for the last four years, but, albeen landmarks in the game and each a spread for the boys. He will disclose though they always made the Superiors goes to his home outside the ball park his plan to the different managers and if or Monmouth Parks utilize all their have admired them for their sterling be served at the Swedish Auditorium grab the winning number. This year, worth as men and as players. Others are Wednesday, October 21. He wants to however, finds them with a stronger likely to be added to the list. It would make it a combination banquet so the lineup, as follows: Jack Fitzgerald, forbe a daring man who would dispose of gathering will consist of base ball, foot merly with the South Omaha Shamrocks. Christy Mathewson by this route, for ball and other athletic men. This ban- Frank Quigley, formerly with the Suhe's getting old like the rest of us, and \$1,000. the question is how much longer he can And what the future holds for Frank | the Storz. Chance is yet to be determined. Writers have located him as manager for several Comiskey's Nine of the big league feams, both the Cubs of the big league teams, both the Cubs and the White Sox included, but the chances are he will stick to his orange groves in California. Chance was not much of a success in New York, no matter for what reason, and his quarrel with owners and subsequent resignation boys on that team how to play ball, but couldn't teach them how to hit and this erason the Yankees lost more games hit. No big league critic ever complained son, but he will have an uphill job wherever he goes.

parade, as he has done so often, he is stop him. fighting for second place, and with the Cardinals, the team that has been the butt of all National league jesters as often as the Giants have been their pride. It is the mutation of the game, the uncertainty that makes it a real popular sport. Stalings and his Braves have furnished s hrill in their progress from absolutely last to a cinch place at first, and it isn't too much to say that when they meet the Athletics at Fenway park for the world's championship, the majority of the rooters will be with them in spirit, at least, for whatever the dope may say, a win over Connie Mack's incomparable machine would give added interest to the

The real business of base ball is just now at hand. The minor league magnates are paying off their players and disbanding for the season, looking back over five months of disaster. It doesn't tter a great deal which one of several reasons are assigned to explain the i it, the loss has been sustained, and how to get even is the one thought upemost in the mind of the magnate Plans for better protection, and for better business management, will be before the meeting in Omaha next month, and the outcome is sure to be of great importance to organised base ball.

One thing only is really sure as to the future of base ball. The Federal league has just about all the bush league talent it can well take care of, and the minor league magnates are not nearly so likely to be annoyed by their players jumping to the Feds next year as they were this

## SANDLOT

Game Will Be in Chicago.

denied. No matter what efforts FIELD MEET NEXT SUNDAY PROSPECTS may be put forth to dodge the Big Event for Local Amateur Ath-

letes Will Be Staged at Rourke Park, with Extra Attrac-

Amateur Winners.
CLASS A.
Saturday afternoon league, Armours.
CLASS B. CI.ASS B.
City league, Vinton Street Merchants.
Commercial league, Council Bluffs.
Young Men's Christian association.
Mercantile league, Brandels Stores.
CLASS C.
Metropolitan league, O. D. Kiplingers,
Booster league, Auto Rows.

By FRANK QUIGLEY.

Today is the day set aside by the local base ball people for closing the season. A few games will probably be on the calendar after today, but the majority of the teams will finish.

Because of financial difficulties the schedule game between the local amateur in Chicago today.

Field Meet Next Sunday. The big field meet will be held at

attraction the association has secured the could be derived from an association of St. Paul champions to mix with the Vin- this kind is that it would be an easier ton Street Merchants. Although the Vin- matter to book games. invaded St. Paul, nevertheless, they are not gloating over what they are going to do with the Saints this trip.

with the well wishes of thousands who everything is satisfactory the dinner will steam to whip them, they were unable to "Big Six" seems to be all there yet, but quet will cost in the neighborhood of periors; Mart Flanaga, commonly known

pitch against the old man with the scythe Rourke base ball emporium today when celsions; Johnson, formerly with the Uniand not get knocked out. Big Ed Walsh the Storz meet the Kansas City Red versity of Nebraska: Payne and Lidell, has finished, and Nap Lajole is no longer Socks. In all probability Medlin will formerly with the Belmonts, and Rachspry enough to cavort around second base. pitch for Kansas City and Sanders for man, formerly with the Omaha High

# Youngest in Last Nineteen Years

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.-Manager Callahan did not especially surprise any who had is chaperoning the youngest club Combeen watching the progress of the Yaniskey has owned since he broke into Chiharness with the Monmouth Parks. kees. Chance surely taught some of the cago nearly fourteen years ago. John Collins is a comparative youngster in major league experience, but he is the "yeteran" of the Sox regulars. He came by a single run than any other team in to the Southside club in 1910 from Springthe business. It was for the lack of a field in the Connecticut league. He was Jud Taylor, discovered by Ted Sullivan and probably of the work of the Yankees except the is Ted's most famous "find" in the big punch was lacking, the vital element show. Russell Blackburne runs Collins needed to land the games. Chance may a close second, but the Palmyra boy has continue to linger along for another sea- been identified with the minors until recently. His real major league career dates from the time he went in to take Berger's from the time he went in to take Berger's Rourke park every Sunday on and after place several weeks ago. Friends of the Sunday, Octber 11. McGraw's machine seems badly out of former Milwaukee infielder think he is kelter, and instead of leading home the on his way now and believe nothing can

#### World's Series Will Open October Nine; Two-Game Series

CHICAGO, Sept. 26 .- Play in the series for the world's base ball championship will begin on October 9 at 2 o'clock, it was officially announced by President B. B. Johnson of the American league and member of the National Base Ball commission yesterday. The announcement was made after a telephone conversation with August Herrmann, chairman of the commission.

As the Boston Nationals and Philadelphia club of the American league appear to be the winners in their respective i leagues, the commission has decided on a two-game series in each city. Two games will be played in the city where the series open, and two will follow in the other city, alternating after each second battle until the title is won.

# Graham Organizes Athletic Reserves.

Seeds were planted by Tom Graham to raise a team to be known as the Athletic Reserves. He is still scouting the woods for a few real hard nuts. Many of the Dundee Woolen Mill Reserves base hall team will be affiliated with this foot hall spund. Any geezers wishing a tryout with this troupe tickle the buzzer on Harney 1961 and holler for Tommie Graham.

# CURTAIN TODAY LEATHER EGGERS LINING UP

Locals Will Play, but Butler-Vinton Amateur Footballists Getting Teams in Shape for Season.

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Outlook is Encouraging for an Interesting Schedule of Encounters Between Old and New

By FRANK QUIGLEY. Now that base ball is practically embalmed and approximately ready for the funeral services a new child of amusement has arrived in the form of foot ball. Activities will start today, when several teams will enter a practice debate for the supreme purpose of ascertaining who is who among the string of candidates. The season among the amateurs will start in full blast with all the pomp and splendor necessary for such an auspicious event next Sunday. With each season the interest in the leather egg game increases and the prospects are brighter than ever now. There will be several municipal grounds and base ball champions, Vinton Street Mer-these fields will prove rather effective chants, and the Chicago title holders in to install vitality into different fellows the same class, Butler Brothers, has been that aspire to be foot ball managers transferred to Chicago. The visitors re- Last season about fifteen teams enrolled, quested that they be given a certain but taking into consideration the extra guarantee, and at the last moment the enthusiasm already evinced it is a safe local contingent was unable to secure the bet that about thirty will be ready to enamount necessary, and so decided to play ter the ring. As the local base ball association was such a distinct success. probably it would be a good idea for some influential magnate to start s foot Rourke park next Sunday. As an extra ball association. One real benefit that

Superiors Are Big Noise, For the last two years the Superiors have been the big noise in local foot balldom, with the Monmouth Parks trailing From present indications the chances close behind. If the Superiors organize for having a banquet out of the money this year they will have to go some to as one of the best halfbacks in town; A good game is looked for at the Foran and Sandau, formerly with the Exschool and University of Omaha. The Columbians will play all of their games at Rourke park and they will practice every Tuesday and Friday night at Twenty-fourth and Leavenworth streets. A new bunch that will probably wake a few of the old stars up this season is the recently organized Fontenelle herd.

which is looking for games. Gridiron Flotsam. Several fellows are playing foot ball inder the appellation of Swede Carlson So far. Ralph Tuttle hasn't decided what combination he will hook up with. For games with the Clifton Hill Mer-chants, call Webster 6516, and squawk for

For games with the Bernis Parks, call farney 5120, and make a noise for Swede Pete Carlson.

Some classy aggregation ought to grab dorgenthaler, who used to coach the Morgenthaler, who There will be two fot ball games at

Tom Foley is up a tree as to what he will do this season. When looking for a good referee or impire don't forget that Billiam Curran s nestling in South Omaha.

Madam Rumor has it that Harry Will-ams will be in the ring this season. robably with the Columbians. There will be two foot ball tangles at Chris Lyck park every Sunday, as soon as they ring the bell on base ball.

A practice game will be indulged in by the Monmouth Parks and the Fontenelle Parks at Fontenelle park this afternoon. Mazda Tigers would like to book some games with teams around 140 pounds. Call Tyler 1989, and ask for J. A. Ecker. For trouble with the Fontenelle Parks, call Webster 5786, and call for V. J. Schmittroth, or address him at 2624 Mere-

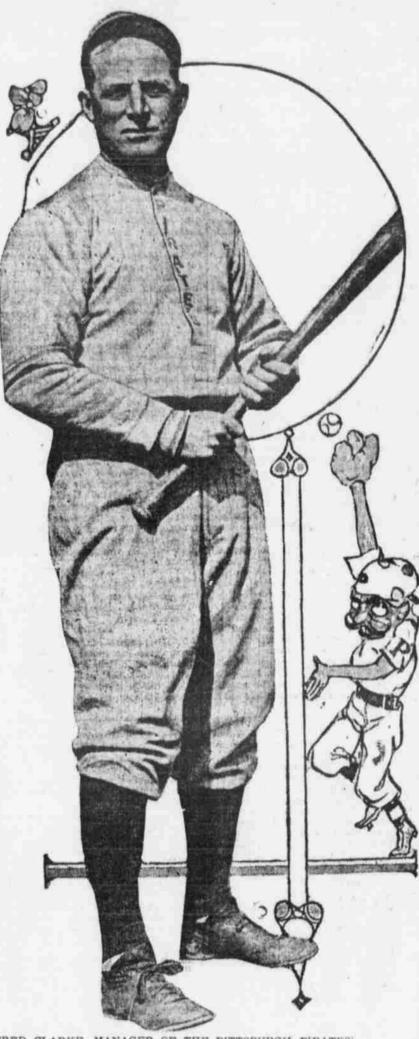
dith avenue. Tate Matters says he wouldn't mind mping into a game occasionally this ar. He used to be a star at the Neuniversity. There is a bunch of fellows in elighborhood of Elimwood park

would like to organize, but they are sadly n need of a leader. When the Clifton Hill Merchants olayed the Monmouth Park Reserves for the 140-pound championship last season they lost by eight points.

The California Athletic club organized last week. Thirty candidates showed up for their initial practice. The team will average 199 pounds and they are now ready to book games. For further information call Harney 325. Again the Thorpeian Athletic club will have a strong bunch of leather booters representing them on the gridiron. They will be in the 130 pounders. The Ancient Order of United Workmen is figuring on being represented in foot ball circles, but the arrangements as yet have not been completed.

gathered together a galaxy of foot ball stars that will shine real bright this term. Chet Dudley, assistant Creighton coach, will also coach this squad as well as hold down the fullback position for them. If any team is slighted at any time during the season through these columns kindly notify Frank Quigley at Douglas 256 and he will rectify the matter.

Pirate Chief Decides to Quit Base Ball



FRED CLARKE, MANAGER OF THE PITTSBURGH PIRATES

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 26 .- On account; that his fame as a manager began to

championship. At that time Hans Wagner also said that he was through, but burgh club, prevailed on these two stars ager." not to quit at the height of their glory and popularity, and both agreed rather reluctantly to remain in the game.

Clarke will leave the game well proquit taking an active part in the game team next season.

Across the waves the Joe Smiths have

cess of directing a team from the bench. manager.

Conce before Clarke announced his determination to quit; that was in 1969, point of view from the bench who can after he had led the Pirates to a world's championship. At that time Hans Wag.

Clarke's greatest mistake was made

cant place in the base ball roster that Perhaps all this would be changed vided. The money he has carned in the chief's shoes, and, since he has been rec. mer lightweight champion as a nucleus national game he has wisely invested in ommended for this position to Dreyfusa there should be no difficulty in building land out in Kansas, and it is to his by Clarke, it is probable that the wonder- up the division until it is once more on Kansas farm he is headed when he quits ful veteran will be given a chance to a level with the lightweight class, esthe game for good. It was when Clarke show what he can do at the head of a pecially now that Weish with his un-

around 140 pounds. For games call Frank Gillian at Harney 3439.

The California Athletic club organized last week. Thirty candidates showed up

pionship battle. The Bemis Parks will be represented this year with a fast gang of youths that will hover around the 140 mark. Swede will nover around the 140 mark. Swede Carison will captain this aggregation and his big brother Gus, former star end, will do the coaching. Hiere are the boys of the Bemis Parkers: F. Borghoff, J. Borghoff, Mulick Schultz, Hubanks, Cari-son, Gurnett, Carson, Busten, Morton. Christiansen and Irwin.

out with this troupe tickle the buzzer on Harney 1961 and holler for Tommie Graham.

Graham.

Glants Buy a Pitcher.

In an effort to strengthen his unsteady pitching staff John J. McGraw has just purchased Johnny Verbout, the star and are siready out with a challenge to right-hand twirler of the Jersey Skeeters.

# Where There's Soap There's Hope

Worlds' Series 1914. Once more is heard a lusty cheer, Once more crowds storm the gate, Once more the losers shed a tear, Once more they curse their fate.

Once more is heard the crack of bat, Once more Frank Baker swings, Once more Rube Oldring litts his hat, Once more Chief Bender filings.

Once more McInnes smacks the pill, Once more Ed Collins steals.
Once more the fans will get their fill,
Once more they'll see four reels. Once more Ed Plank will cop a game,

Once more Jack Barry will star, Once more it will be quite the same Once more they'll crowd each car. Once more they'll cheer a winning team, Once more they'll cheer again. Once more of hits and runs they'll dream, Once more they'll blow their yes.

Once more the Macks will cop the dough, Once more all tandom raves, Once more the Macks will fight the foe, Instead of Giants it will be Braves,

You Can Search Us. 'Oh, tell me what this soccer is, why is it they play?

they play?
I see that out at Miller park they have a match each day? We have got a slight idea on why it is they play, But think that it is merely—to pass the time away.

Evers is thinking of splitting his world's series coin with C. Webb.

As a result of his good work Johnny

Speaking of foot ball, we also see by

#### RITCHIE TAKING ON FLESH

Pug Is Reported to Have Added to His Weight Since Losing Title.

Become a Welterweight as a Result of His Increased Avoirdupois.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 .- According, to reports from the west Wille Ritchie has taken on a lot of weight since he lost the lightweight title and is likely to find making even 135 pounds a most difficult matter in the near future. As Welsh declared he has changed the class limit kle will not be present. back to the 133-pound notch, favored by Nelson and Wolgast, Ritchie seems to be

frozen out as a contender. Welsh's stand regarding the weight at which he will defend the title is certain to find little favor. But in view of the fact that both Nelson and Wolgast were allowed to name their own figures, there seems to be no reason why Welsh should not enjoy the same privilege. However, since both Johnny Dundee and Charlie White, who threaten to cause Weish considerable trouble, both favor the lighter mark. Weish may finally decide not to change the scale after all. As a matter of fact, if Ritchie were forced into the welterweight division it would be a great deal more helpful to Ritchie is rather played out, but he would be a shining star in the class above Ritchie would make a wonderfully popular welterweight champion. He is still young enough to fight his way through to the top.

Large Purses Searce Of course there are no large purses offered for welterweights. But that is of the poor showing made by the Pirates grow dim. He is a manager of the type merely because there are so few weiters inder his command this season. Fred that is most effective when a cog in of any calibre. The addition of a boxer Clarke has announced his decision to in his own machine. When out in the of Ritchie's prowess should do much to sever his connection with the national field with the gang a manager is right restore interest in that class. For Ritchie, pastime once and for all with the end- in touch with his team every minute. despite his lack of polish, is undoubtedly ing of the 1914 season. Hans Wagner is There are few men who, after having the most interesting fighter in either said to be slated to succeed the veteran been active in the field, have made a suc- the lightweight or welterweight division. For years the welterweights have at-

Clarke's greatest mistake was made no recognized leader since Joe Wolcott when he put away his base ball uniform reigned supreme. Of late years there the liver, kidneys, bladder and skin work Barney Dreyfuss, the owner of the Pitts- and decided to become a "bench man- have been a few class welters, but all in harmony; stops accumulations that have have found it more profitable to mas-querade as members of the lighter class, sore throat and skin cruptions. The retirement of Clarke leaves a va- querade as members of the lighter class. will be difficult to fill. Wagner seems with the event of a real fighter such as division.

Ganzel to Lead Naps

John Ganzel, who led the Reds one season in the dim past and who has since earned the reputation as one of the best minor leagues managers in the Class AA leagues, is stated to succeed Joe Birmingham as the pilot of the Naps during 1915. In securing Ganzel the Cleveland club will get a heady, strict and able leader.

Star Pitcher Joins Giants. Big Bill Ritter, the star flinger of the oin the New York Giants at the order of Manager McGraw. He turned down Federal league offer of \$3,000 bonus and salary equal to what he expected from the New York club.

Griner in Hard Luck. Dan Griner, the Cardinal right-hander, has been pitching in hard luck this seadue to the apparent inability of his team-mates to make runs behind him.

from the thirty-five-yard line, With due credit to George Stallings, Rudolph, James and Tyler, it must be admitted that the gink who really put the Beantown lads on top is none other than

rendy booting 'em over the cross-bar

C. Webb Murphy Gross. We see that the lows foot ball team captain has returned and is in his oldtime form.

A kid by the name of Peacock trimmed Francis Ouimet the other day and surprised the enthusiasts of Greenwich, Conn., where the match was played. But the enthusiasts at Greenwich, Conn., have nothing on Mr. Peacock in that

the Austrian army will fight it out for the booby prize of the world some time this fall. The other day a writer of head lines

It is said that the Cleveland Naps and

announced that the "Naps defeat Cleveland." At that he didn't miss it far. Too Much Johnson

This year has been a sad one, Not a Johnson has come back, To all it's been a had one, Meaning Walter, Ban and Jack.

If it is true that the German finances are running low, Kaiser Bill ought to the papers that the Harvard team is come over and borrow a little from Johnny Evers.

> Grover Alexander, the Nebraskan lad, was given \$1,000 by President Baker of the Phillies for copping twenty-five (25) games. The reason Baker made Grover the offer is probably Baker thought Alex couldn't do it.

MAY CHANGE CLASSIFICATION It was a base ball magnate, he grouned in agony, He busted out his very lungs, he was a sight to see.

The reason for this outburst, right under

Cleveland's skies,

two amateur teams play went After 'Em, Lads. Quoth John McGraw to his men:
"We gotta cop that bunch of yen,
so win a few more games, you slaves
And lick that gang of Boston Braves."

Connie Mack will be shy the services of two of his most valuable athletes in the series this year. Snodgrass and Mer-

After Connie Mack finishes with the Boston Braves he will be ready to take on the well known Mr. Krupp.

If Uncle Sam wants to cop off some coin for running expenses he might tax Heine Zimmerman every time he gets kicked out of the pastime.

## Severe Blood **Troubles Vanish**

boxing in general. As a lightweight With Magic Effect, Great Remedy Makes Disease Disappear.



Just as food makes blood, so does S. S. S. follow the process of digestion to stimu-late natural secretions to protect us against to be the logical man to step into his Ritchie to take the lead. With the for-the ravages of disease germs. We are well chief's shoes, and since he has been rac- mer lightweight champion as a nucleus aware of the fact that these germs are apt to be latent within us to break forth in violent eruptions of the skin whenever the system is in a low state of resistance. a level with the lightweight class, especially now that Weish with his unpopular tactics has ruined the lighter such an ally as S. S. It is purely vegetable, contains no mercury, and yet it overcomes those serious troubles for which mercury has been employed for ages. every community are people who know this to be true. They owe to S. S. S. their recovery. Get a bottle today. Refuse all substitutes. Read the folder around the bottle that tells of the wonderful work being done by the medical department in assisting users of S. S. B. For a special book on blood troubles address The Swift Specific Co., 51 Swift Bidg., Atlanta, Ga

