

M'GRAW TO ENTER SELECT SOCIETY

New York, May 31. If John Joseph McGraw succeeds in winning the National League gonfalon this year he will enter the select set of baseball managers who have won six pennants.

The select set is very select, indeed. At the present time it consists of Connie Mack, famous among present-day managers, and Harry Wright, who won his fame in the late seventies. If Jawn wins—well, that will be going some for Jawn, and he has a wonderful chance with his 1917 team.

Wright was the manager of the old Boston Nationals from 1872 until the early eighties, and it was in 1872 that he won his first pennant with the Boston club. He followed up that victory by winning pennants for Boston in 1873, 1874, 1875, 1877 and 1878, which gave him the distinction of being the first big league pilot to grab six championships. And Wright's teams were all "world's champions," too, for there was no American league to dispute the claim.

Next came Connie Mack, who started his pennant-winning campaign with the Athletics in 1902 and annexed streamers in 1905, 1910, 1911, 1913 and 1914. Fred Mitchell, now manager of the Cubs, was a pitcher in Mack's first pennant-winning club, along with Ed Waddell and Eddie Plank. Ossie Schreck and Dave Fultz were members of the same team. Three of Mack's American league champions became world's champions, and his record stands out as a greater one than that of Harry Wright, whose teams did not engage in world's series as do the big league winners today.

Just one pennant behind these two famous managers stands John McGraw, and his ambition is fired to enter their set. McGraw and Frank Selee, former Boston manager, are the only big league pilots who have won five pennants, while Frank Chance and Fred Clarke stand alone in the class of four-time pennant winners. McGraw has another distinction. He is the only manager New York has ever had aside from James Mutrie, who has won pennants with the Giants. Mutrie's teams of 1888 and 1889 annexed the National League pennants, and aside from the ones McGraw's clubs have won New York has been an aces-ran in all but seven pennant races.

When it comes to winning baseball pennants the state old burg of Boston is several jumps ahead and liable to stay there for all time to come. Boston teams have won eighteen championships since Harry Wright's old National leaguers grabbed their first gonfalon in 1872. The National League managers who have won with Boston are as follows:

Harry Wright, six pennants; J. F. Morrill, one; Frank Selee, five; George Stallans, one.

Jimmy Collins and Bill Carrigan each won two American league

ENTERS RANKS AND WORKS UP

By International News Service. Cleveland, O., May 31.—"What chance have I got, enlisting as a private?"

It's an oft-repeated question in these war times, and here is the answer: Charles X. Zimmerman has just been appointed by Governor Cox as brigadier-general of the newly formed Third Ohio brigade. And there is an interesting lapse between 1879 and May 1917—a life history to be proud of.

His father died when he was five, and Charles X. quit school at fourteen to help support his mother. He worked in a foundry, but he spent his evenings studying. He took bookkeeping, and at nineteen became a regular bookkeeper. He also enlisted in the Fifth Ohio infantry as a rookie, and a very green one at that. But he got ahead. He was made a corporal in a few months, then a sergeant and a first sergeant. And he kept on reading and studying, both business and military books.

When the war with Spain came he had risen to a captaincy in his regiment, and in civil life to assistant city auditor. After the war with Spain he was elected colonel of the Fifth. In private life he kept pace by becoming manager of Luna park and "father" of the Federal league club here.

Last summer, on the border, he won further honors by receiving medals for the efficiency with which he handled his boys. He is popular with his men, for he has always seen to it that they had "all that was coming to them."

Now he is brigadier-general of the Third brigade and his "old boys" are flocking by the dozens to be transferred to his command.

BOARD OF TRADE IN LINE

Five thousand dollars' worth of Liberty bonds will be purchased by the board of trade. This action was taken yesterday at a meeting of the board. In addition to deciding to purchase the bonds as a body, Secretary H. S. Herring sent letters to each member of the board requesting him to purchase bonds.

Flags for Boston, while Jake Stahl grabbed the title in 1912.

Chicago teams in the same period of time have captured thirteen championships—ten in the National League and three in the American. A. G. Spalding and "Pop" Anson won three National League pennants each for Chicago, and Frank Chance grabbed four. In the American league Charley Comiskey, Clark Griffith and Fielder Jones have piloted the White Sox to championships.

Counting Connie Mack's six pennant winners, Philadelphia boasts eight championships. Away back in 1871 Hicks Hayshurst grabbed the National League honors with the original Athletics, and in 1915 Sir Patriots Moran and his Phillies gave Quaker town her second National League bunting.

Pittsburg, Brooklyn and Detroit have each won four pennants in professional baseball circles under big league managers. Fred Clarke piloted Pittsburg's champions in 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1909. W. H. Watkins, veteran owner and manager, won Detroit's first pennant in 1887 in the old National league. Hughie Jennings, in the American league, grabbed the honors for Detroit in 1907, 1908 and 1909.

Brooklyn's first pennant was won in the National league in 1890 by Bill McGraw. In 1899 Ed Haulon won the flag, and he duplicated in 1900. Last year Wilbert Robinson broke a jinx that had followed the Dodgers for sixteen years, by capturing the National league rag.

AN OFF DAY FOR BASEBALL GAMES

New Orleans, Atlanta and Chattanooga were yesterday's Southern league winners. Mobile and Little Rock fighting to a tie. Results:

Southern League table with columns for team, wins, losses, and runs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

National League table with columns for team, wins, losses, and runs.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

American League table with columns for team, wins, losses, and runs.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

American Association table with columns for team, wins, losses, and runs.

HOOVER STARTED WORK AS OREGON OFFICE BOY

Portland, Ore., May 31.—From office boy in 1895 to national food administrator in 1917 for the United States and perhaps for all its allies, is the brief history of "Bert Hoover," now Herbert C. Hoover.

The gap of twenty-two years in which "Bert" passed into "Herbert" is filled with many incidents of world-wide renown. Twenty-two years ago Bert Hoover began his business career as an office boy in the employ of his uncle, Dr. Minthorn, who had charge of the Oregon Land company at Salem. After a thorough trial the uncle said with conviction that as an office boy Bert was not worth \$35 a month, which he had been receiving.

But Bert was equally firm in his conviction that he was easily worth \$35 a month and more. That was the start, and the office was left behind with Stanford university as the goal. There young Hoover attained his degree by working his way through college.

As an engineer his success is well remembered by Westerners in Arizona mining operations. His fame in solving intricate mining problems spread and he was called to Australia and later to England, with bigger jobs always in sight.

Then the greatest task of his life came in the feeding of the war-stricken Belgians. His work in Belgium made impossible the selection of any other man for the solving of America's greatest problem of the war, and the Salem office boy was called to the White House and given charge of the world's food supply.

10,000 NEGROES IN YEAR MOVE INTO CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 31.—Cleveland's population has been increased in the last year by an influx of 10,000 negroes from the South. There are 5,000 negro workmen here who were brought in during the past twelve months. Many of the 5,000 workmen brought along their families, making the total about 10,000. There are not enough houses for them and health officials are asking that some restrictions be placed upon their coming. The demand for labor here caused big companies to bring hundreds of workmen. It cost in some instances \$75 to \$150 to instruct the new arrivals in their work and they are paid from \$3 to \$6 a day.

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WILL TAKE MONTHS TO PREPARE CAMPS

Washington, May 31.—Before training of the first half-million men called to the colors under the new selective draft can be started a bewildering amount of preparatory work must be disposed of by the war department. High officers of the army general staff are convinced that it will be nearer October 1 than September 1 when the first of the troops raised on the basis of universal liability to service enter the training camps, despite the fact Secretary of War Baker has announced that the first half-million men would be called September 1.

Some idea of the enormous mass of work that the war department must do before September 1 if the training of the new army is to start then is shown by the fact that sixty-four thousand buildings must be built in the thirty-two cantonments to house this first contingent. It means that 600 million feet of lumber must be converted into barracks, mess halls, bathhouses and the various other structures of a modern camp. This lumber item alone will cost the government \$8,000,000, according to lumber experts on the council of national defense, who have been in Washington assisting the government in the preparation of its plans and specifications.

According to an official announcement by the government, it plans to build two thousand buildings at each one of the fifty-two cantonments scattered throughout the country, and that in doing this it will employ between sixty-four thousand and ninety-six thousand men. One hundred and twenty-eight thousand cars of material will be used in building them.

But the question of supplying building to house the first contingent of the new draft army is not the most vital of the present time. When that half-million goes into camp it means that the war department must have uniforms and other personal equipment for approximately 1,200,000 men. It is intended to have the regular army to its maximum war strength of three hundred thousand by that time; the national guard is to have four hundred thousand and the new army a half-million.

It will take months before this big force is supplied with machine guns, field pieces and other ordnance equipment necessary to make it a well-rounded out army. Complaints that are coming in from the various parts of the country indicate that the people of the United States generally have no conception of the vast amount of work that confronts the war department because of lack of preparedness when the country went into war, and it is expected there will be an avalanche of criticism as soon as those enrolled under the selective draft law are called to the colors.

ROYAL ALLIANCE FOR SWEDEN AND DENMARK

Stockholm, May 31.—Another royal marriage is in prospect, linking the houses of Denmark and Sweden. It is reported that the object of King Christian's recent visit to Sweden was to discuss a possible engagement between the crown prince of Denmark and Princess Margaret, daughter of Prince and Princess Charles of Sweden. Prince Frederick of Denmark was eighteen years old last March. Princess Margaret of Sweden, a niece of King Gustavus, will be eighteen next month.

PLANS "MADE IN GERMANY"

Stockholm Conference Promoted by the Kaiser's Purse. Petrograd, May 31.—The full extent of the German peace "plot" through the alleged "peace conference" of Socialists at Stockholm has been revealed to Russian Socialists. A message received from German Socialists of the Haase-Lobbe group—the true Socialists of the central empires—told their Petrograd comrades to take notice that every one of the German, Austrian and Hungarian "Socialists" in or to be in attendance at the Stockholm meeting is a disciple of kaiserism and in the pay of the German government.

From an authoritative source Petrograd Socialists are advised that the German delegates in Stockholm are to bring the message that Germany is willing to conclude the war on the basis of the present map of Europe—in other words, that the only peace in sight is that of a victor. Authentic information reported that the Austro-Hungarians are in apparent agreement even with this extremist German viewpoint of a German conquest.

RACING ENTRIES AT BELMONT

Racing entries table for Belmont with columns for race number, horse name, jockey, and odds.

RACING RESULTS AT BELMONT

FIRST RACE — Maiden 2-year-olds, selling, purse \$600; four and a half furlongs, straight course; Paganini, 10.30, 11.20; Amackassin, 12.40, 13.30; Santiago, Robinson, 14.50, 15.40; 53. Scratched: Dianthea. SECOND RACE — Steeplechase; for 3-year-olds and up; about two miles; selling, purse \$600 added; Creshill, Kennedy, 1-7.5, 7-10; Moshack, Bush, 7-2, 6-5, 3-5; Escanaba, Byers, 3-1, 6-5, 3-5. Time, 1:25. No scratches. THIRD RACE — For mares; three-year-olds and upwards; five and a half furlongs; straight; purse \$800 added; Regret, Robinson, 1-6, Yankee Witch, Byrne, 5-1-2; Admiration, Kloeber, 15, 3. Time 1:07 2-5. Scratched: First Bayot, Fairy Wand, Wistful, Serenest. FOURTH RACE — The Hollis Stakes; purse \$1,500; 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs, straight course; Gloomy Gus, Collins, 5-2, 1; Starling, Robinson, 9-2, 8-5; Kildoe, J. McTaggart, 3, 6-5. Time, 1:14 4-5. Scratched: Quartz, Genesis, Straight Forward. FIFTH RACE — The Mincola Handicap; one mile; for three-year-olds and upward; purse \$800 added; A. M. Dick, Williams, 8-5, 7-10, 1-3; Skeptic, Robinson, 3, 4-5, 1-2; Colandria, Loftus, 12, 4-8.5. Time, 1:11. No scratches. SIXTH RACE — Three-year-olds and up; maidens; six furlongs, straight course; purse \$600; Sun Flash II, Ball, 6, 2, 1; The Cock, Loftus, 5-2, 1, 1-2; Achilles, Keogh, 2, 4-5, 2-5. Time, 1:11 3-5. No scratches. HERMAN CLAIMS EXEMPTION Philadelphia, May 31.—Pete Herman of New Orleans, who recently won the world's bantamweight championship from Kid Sullivan, registered here today under the selective draft act and his registration card was forwarded to his home city. He claims exemption on the ground that he is the sole support of his parents. Herman is training to meet Williams in a return six-round fight here June 14.

RACING ENTRIES AT MONTREAL

Racing entries table for Montreal with columns for race number, horse name, jockey, and odds.

RACING RESULTS AT MONTREAL

FIRST RACE — Two-year-olds; claiming; purse \$500; five furlongs; Sam Pickett, 16.70, 4.20, 2.90; Lady Eileen, 2.80, 2.50, Near, 3.00. No scratches. SECOND RACE — Four-year-olds and up; claiming; purse \$600; five and a half furlongs. Nellie B., 11.60, 5.10, 4.00; Bachelor's Blend, 2.80, 2.50; Encore, 5.00. Scratched: Bars and Stars. THIRD RACE — Three-year-olds and up; Quebec Handicap; purse \$800; six furlongs. Red Post, 50.60, 48.00, 5.50; Corn Broom, 3.80, 2.70; Last Spark, 3.20. No scratches. FOURTH RACE — Dorsal Selling Stakes; purse \$1,000; 3-year-olds and up; one mile, Sands of Pleasure, 5.00, 2.50, 2.20; Christie, 2.60, 2.20; Goldenrod Boy, 2.40. Scratched: Renz, Paymaster, Sky Pilot. FIFTH RACE — Claiming; purse \$700; 3-year-olds and up; one mile and 20 yards, Prim Harry, 6.50, 3.50, 2.60; The Busy Body, 3.10, 2.70; Tom Caro, 4.30. Scratched: Tito. SIXTH RACE — Claiming; purse \$500; 3-year-olds and up; one mile and twenty yards, Edith Baumann, 5.00, 3.10, 2.90; Galaway, 4.10, 2.50; Sun Slick, 2.60. Scratched: Perseus. SEVENTH RACE — Four-year-olds and up; claiming; purse \$500; one mile and a sixteenth. Colonel Matt, 4.10, 3.10, 2.30; Athena, 4.10, 2.40; Monocacy, 2.30. No scratches. ESTABLISH SWIMMING RECORD Alameda, Cal., May 31.—The world's record for seventy-five yards back stroke was broken yesterday by Norman Ross, of the Olympic Club, of San Francisco, swimming the distance in 51 4-5 seconds.

RACING ENTRIES AT LOUISVILLE

Racing entries table for Louisville with columns for race number, horse name, jockey, and odds.

RACING RESULTS AT LOUISVILLE

FIRST RACE — Claiming, 70 maiden colts and geldings, 2-year-olds; five furlongs. B. McDown, Hanover, 11.30, 5.10, 4.90; Little Roll, Garner, 8.80, 5.00; Laggard, Connolly, 6.30. Time, 1:02 1-5. SECOND RACE — Claiming, 3-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Fuzzy Wuzzy, Tudor, 22.60, 7.90, 5.20; Brizz, Barrett, 11.20, 7.10; Safe First, Louder, 10.20. Time, 1:14 2-5. Scratched: Miss Bagdad, Sister etc. THIRD RACE — Claiming, 700 year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Palatable, Keisey, 5.20, 3.30, 3.00; Blue Cap, Martin, 3.60, 3.10; Court. Henry, 10.10. Time, 1:14 2-5. Scratched: Milbrey, Katahdin. FOURTH RACE — Claiming; purse \$1,000; four-year-olds and up; one mile. Sleeth, Goose, 3.80, 3.00, 3.00; Mary H., Louder, 5.30, 4.00; Prince Albert, Gentry, 14.80. Time, 1:41 2-5. Scratched: Ask Her, Arch Plotter and Sayonara. FIFTH RACE — Highland Park Stake, \$900; two-year-olds; five furlongs. Silk Lady, Clover, 12.60, 4.30, 2.90; Norman Peddler, Schilling, 5.20, 3.70; R. L. Owens, Shannon, 5.00. Time, 1:02 1-5. No scratches. SIXTH RACE — Claiming; 6-year-olds and up; one mile and one-sixteenth. Irish Gentleman, Louder, 9.00, 2.70; Waterproof, Connolly, 2.50, 2.10; White Crown, Goose, 3.60. Time, 1:18 2-5. SEVENTH RACE — Claiming; purse \$800; three-year-olds and up; one mile and a sixteenth. Princess Thurber, 98.00, 37.50, 8.40; Sunny Gatewood, Wingfield, 3.90, 2.90; E. J. Gardner, Louder, 2.70. Time, 1:18 3-5.

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