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JOHNSON LEADS SHUTOUT KINGS Washington Walter Clinches Title by Seven Straight Games This Season.

The records of Walter Johnson, who by blanking the White Sox Sunday 1 to 0, registered his seventh victory this season against three defeats, has not only entered the ultra select class of pitchers with a lifetime average of 600 or better, but has clinched his title to the champion shutout king of the majors. Sunday's blank drawn by the White Sox was the ninety-fifth Johnson has handed out in his big league career. Johnson's total number of 237 victories again 217 defeats for an average of 601 is considered a remarkable tribute to his powers as he has been backed by clubs of only mediocre ability in most of the 16 seasons he has worked in a Washington uniform. There is only one pitcher now in harness who is considered to have a ghost of a chance to top Johnson in shutout fame and that is Grover Alexander of the Chicago Nationals. As Alexander had but 80 goose egg victories to his credit at the start of the present season the chance of his overhauling the Washington twirler is deemed exceedingly slim.

LITTLE BITS.

The game last night between Plumbers and Tanners was unavoidably postponed on account of the rain and many fans were disappointed as a result. Both these teams have won two games and lost none and the battle would have decided the leadership of the group.

Printers do not like rainy weather but promise a great old revival when the sun shines again.

Who are the few people who have had Ontario Hall and an orchestra to themselves lately for a little "hop"? Many are curious and anxious to join in.

Latest dope: Strawberries and cream, green onions and two percent beer, followed closely by old-fashioned castor oil for dessert.

Another old wheeze—asthma.

Funny how the Toronto Leafs give all their anxious supporters thrills and hopes, only to fade away as suddenly as the appeared.

After this year is over the Mercantiles hope to put out such an All-Star team as the old Limestone City has never seen before. More power to the league which is ruled by Commissioner Kane.

Amherst Island, once famous for speed horses, broke into the limelight again when M. Wemp's speedster took second money in a race here on June 5th. They make time up there, pulling heavy buggies, which would make some of the liveliest step.

The longest distance for which there is any authentic bicycle record is the 108.74 miles ridden by Arthur Nieminsky in 5.26.40.

The women's record for the standing broad jump—3 feet 10 inches—is held by Esther Rountree, of Hollins College.

While comparisons of infields is largely a matter of opinion, it is generally conceded that the Athletics' "million-dollar infield" was the best the game has seen.

City affair, although, of course, the spectacle would be of much longer duration, seeing that such a strong friendship has sprung up between the two principals and their managers. "The public gathers its impressions on such matters from the press, and it is surely the duty of boxing critics to speak out honestly and strenuously to oppose this match, which is not a sporting event at all." "Grislet," in the "Referee," says that there is no indication that this match will leave the British public anything but cold. Moreover, he doubts if any English promoter would have the nerve to attempt to offer the proposal purse of £75,000.

- HOME RUN DOPE.**
- Leading Sluggers.**
1. Kenneth Williams, Jr., St. Louis Americans (17).
 2. Rogers Hornsby, 2b, St. Louis Nationals (15).
 3. Edmund Miller, cf, Philadelphia Americans (13).
 4. Clarence Walker, lf, Philadelphia Americans (12).
 5. Harry Hellman, rf, Detroit Americans (11).
 6. Eddie Ainsmith, c, St. Louis Nationals (8).
 7. Zach Wheat, lf, Brooklyn Nationals (8).
 8. J. F. Baker, 3b, New York Americans (7).
 9. Joseph Judge, 1b, Washington Americans (7).
 10. B. A. Falk, lf, Chicago Americans (7).
 11. Emil Meusel, lf, New York Nationals (7).
 12. M. J. McManus, 2b, St. Louis Americans (7).
 13. G. H. Sisler, 1b, St. Louis Americans (7).
 14. James Dykes, 3b, Philadelphia Americans (6).
 15. Babe Ruth, lf, New York Americans (6).
 16. John Tobin, rf, St. Louis Americans (6).
 17. Cy Williams, cf, Philadelphia Nationals (6).
- League's Leading Teams.**
- National League—St. Louis (33).
American League—St. Louis (46).
- Total to Date.**
- National League—162.
American League—199.
- Home Runs in 1921.**
- National League..... 460
American League..... 477
Total..... 937

White Sox Seek Herman.
Ab Herman, star third baseman of the fast Colgate University ball team, has received his latest big league offer from the White Sox. Herman is hitting second among all college ball players with an average of .447.

Last summer Ab Herman played with the Oneonta team under the tutelage of "Big Ed" Walsh, who declared him to be one of the most promising college players that he had seen in some time. Herman does not intend to play big league ball, however, until he has finished his college course, which will be completed next year.

Murphy Wins Again.
Jimmy Murphy the Pacific Coast driver, Saturday won the 225-mile universal trophy automobile race on the Uniontown Speedway, Pa., averaging 102.2 miles an hour, the fastest time ever registered there. Murphy jumped into the lead on the 116th lap, after his machine threw a wheel and crashed through a grandstand rail. Murphy's time was 2:12:15.13.

New Shutout Record.
The great record of the Minneapolis club of the American association in avoiding shutouts was ended Saturday and at the same time the team lost the association leadership to Indianapolis.

Louisville twice upset Minneapolis, 4 to 3, and 7 to 0. At the close of the first game Minneapolis held a world record of 237 consecutive games without a shutout.

HAWAIIAN SPRINTER.
Honolulu. (By mail to United Press).—Milton Beamer, sprint star of Kamehameha Schools in Honolulu, will enter national A.A.U. championships in New York this year. During Charlie Paddock's recent visit to Hawaii Beamer competed with the "fastest human" and made such a good showing in the century dash that Hawaiian sport fans have arranged to send him and his trainer, Ralph Borden, to New York.

Beamer is a Hawaiian boy. The beggars on the streets are the only ones whose mind still run under five ciphers.

Miss Trickey Applies for License.
Miss Corena Trickey, twenty-two, winner of a number of rodeos in the west, applied to the New York Jockey club for a jockey's license.

The Jockey club secretary refused at first to consider the application, then, when told of the young woman's horsemanship, consented.

The application will be considered at the next meeting of the stewards.

Miss Trickey came out primarily to receive the McAlpine trophy, which she was awarded for the woman's all around riding championship at Cheyenne, Wyo.

King Ferdinand of Rumania drives his own car.

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Disagrees With Commission.
The Ontario Athletic Commission took the following stand in the matter of the stripping of championships from Wilson and Kilbane by the New York State Commission, in a wire to Walter M. Liginger of Milwaukee, chairman of the National Association of State Boxing Commissions:

"Statement that Canada backs action of New York State Commission in depriving Wilson and Kilbane of championships is not correct. Ontario Commission is quite satisfied that some such action should be taken, but is of opinion that it should be done, not by one State Commission, but through the National Association, representing many States.

Intercounty League.
The Frontenac and Lennox and Addington Baseball League is holding a general executive meeting at Verona on Saturday evening at eight o'clock. A full executive meeting of this body has never been held before and the officers are hoping for a full attendance at this opportune time. Cordial invitations have been extended to the press to be present.

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A CLOSE FINISH Four contestants rounding into the home stretch in a recent race at Belmont Park, New York.

BRINGING UP FATHER

WOW!! I THINK I'M GONNA DIE - I'D BE HAPPY IF I WUZ SURE OF IT!!

OH!! WHERE IS THE DOCTOR OF THE SHIP?

DO YOU WANT TO SEE HIM?

I DON'T WANT TO - I HAVE TO!

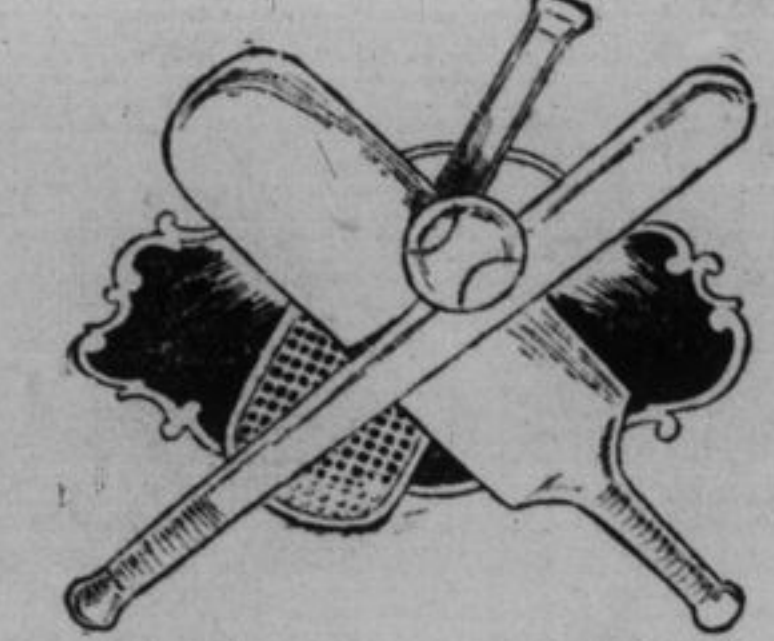
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O-U!! THAT'S HIM, SIR!

OH!! OH!! OH!!



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LONDON PAPERS SOLD FOR DEMPSEY-CARPENTIER

It will be interesting to see just how much enthusiasm the well-known methods of Kearns, Descamps and company will be able to arouse over the return battle between Dempsey and Carpenter. One thing is certain—they will have to overcome the influence of a press which just now is decidedly adverse. The London experts can't see that fight in any shape or form, and they have been panning it with all the strength of their hard-hitting typewriter fingers.

"Punch," the well-known London "Observer" critic, says that if a return match between Dempsey and Carpenter is a good one, then so is a return match between the Frenchman and Ted Lewis.

"If the London public is gulled," he says, "into accepting this proposed battle as a championship fight in which Carpenter holds a chance of victory, then they will get what they deserve—a repetition of the Jersey