

What Positions Furnish Most Baseball Managers?

Farnsworth Figures It Out That Shortstop and First Base Have the Call.

By W. S. Farnsworth. New York, N. Y., July 15.—What position on the diamond produces the most baseball managers...

Of the 16 major league managers, four had gained renown as first basemen, four had made their mark as shortstops...

First Basemen Managers. The first basemen who are now man-



The five men who are leading the main pennant contenders of 1911. Above are Frank Chance, manager of the Chicago Cubs...

agers are: Frank Chance, Chicago; Fred Tenney, Boston; Hal Chase, New York Americans...

As these three positions have given baseball most of the managers, it would not be amiss to enter into a discussion on the respective merits of the men upon whom hinges the success of baseball.

Chance in First Place. Taking the first base division: Of the array Frank Chance is the one who stands out most conspicuously...

Chase Comes Next. Hal Chase, manager of the local American league aggregation, follows Chance insofar as success is concerned...

NATIONAL LEAGUE. John McGraw, New York... 3b; Frank Chance, Chicago... 1b; Charley Doolin, Philadelphia... c; Roger Bresnahan, St. Louis... c; Fred Clarke, Pittsburgh... 1b; Clarke Griffith, Cincinnati... p; William Dahlen, Brooklyn... ss; Fred Tenney, Boston... 1b; Connie Mack, Philadelphia... c; Hugh Jennings, Detroit... ss; Hal Chase, New York... 1b; Hugh Duffy, Chicago... ss; Patsy Donovan, Boston... rf; George Stovall, Cleveland... 1b; James McAleer, Washington... cf; Roderick Wallace, St. Louis... ss; Total—First base, four; shortstop, four; catcher, three; right field, one; center field, one; left field, one; third base, one; pitcher, one.

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Tenney has been a rank failure and his displacement is looked for next season. It is not Fred's fault that the Redders do not win more games...

The Shortstop Graduates. Of the shortstop graduates, two are successes, while the other brace have yet to display anything worthy of mention...

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Wallace is booked for his old position at shortstop. The catching department has been responsible for three of the baseball geniuses of the season...

Connie Mack, Mack and Doolin have their Quaker collections showing the way in both leagues, and bid fair to have them around the topmost rung till the end of the season...

Mack is almost certain to have his White Elephants occupying the highest notch when the season closes. As for the Phillies, it is a question if the pitchers—especially Alexander and Moore—can hold out...

Doolin has been working this pair unusually hard and, if the veteran and crude youngster can stand the pace, then Sleepdown will have its representatives fighting it out for the world's championship in October.

Bresnahan's Revelation. Bresnahan and his Cardinals have been a revelation thus far this season. Roger can boast of only one or two stars outside of himself...

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BY MILES OVERHOLT.

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pounds of hair. What could he do? He couldn't shout and scare the bear away, and as the night was early, well, he couldn't wait for day.

"A noise, a shout," he softly thought,



"My kingdom for a shout." But that was all the good it did; he couldn't get it out. And then a thought occurred to him that knocked him off his pins, and over logs and rocks he fell and loudly barked his shins!

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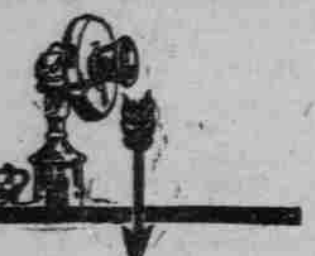
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Gossip of Games Here and On Other Fields of Sport

(By Ted Moorling.)

Although the Yale-Harvard athletes lost to the Oxford-Cambridge track and field team in the meet recently, there is one satisfaction left, the man who defeated the American representatives throughout was also an American, G. E. Putnam, of Kansas, who is attending college in England.

Harry Cassidy, the right gardener of the Denver Western league team, holds the record for consecutive games played in class A baseball. He is now rounding out his fifth year with the Denver club and has played nearly 800 consecutive games without a miss.

Philadelphia seems to be an easy mark for Detroit. The Athletics have one excuse, however, and that is the loss of Eddie Collins. He was the scintillating star of the team and his absence makes a hole that is hard for them to fill at this time.

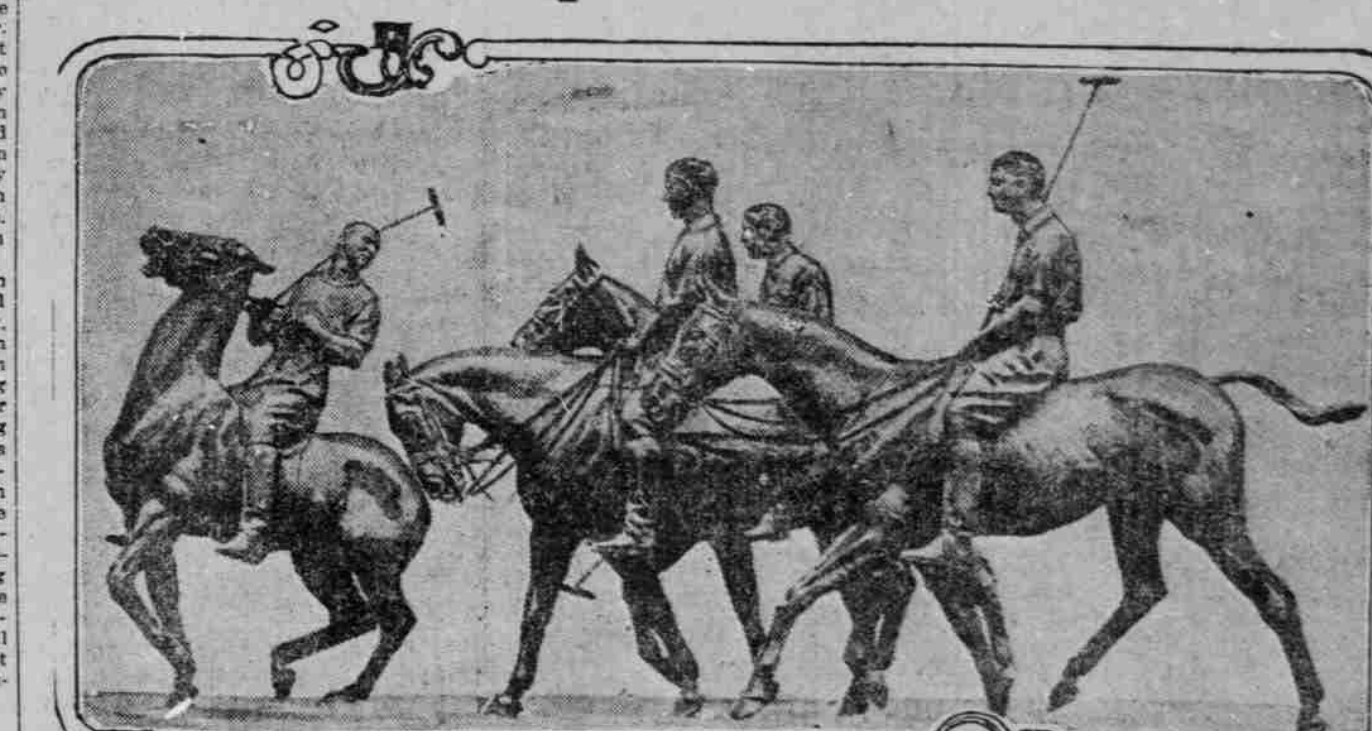
The fight fans of New York are trying to arrange a match between Jim Flynn and Carl Morris. "The white man's hope." Flynn received a telegram in Pueblo, Colo., from Morris' manager and left at once for New York.

Carl Flick, an old El Paso player, who has been playing this season as second base for Boise, Idaho, in the Union association, has been ordered by the Detroit Americans to report at once.

With Adair out of the game from an accident, the White Sox are somewhat crippled. Bokahr plays hard ball, but he is a better shortstop than third basemen and the absence of Tommy will hurt the Populars somewhat.

Charles W. Evans, Jr., the American western open golf champion, captured the French amateur golf title in Versailles, France, July 8, by defeating J. G. Anderson, of West Newton, Mass.

America's Champion Polo Team In Bronze



This bronze group, by Hubert Hazeltine, is now on exhibition at the Salon des Artistes Français in New York. It represents, from left to right, Devereaux Milburn, Harry Payne Whitney, Lawrence Waterbury and Monte Waterbury, the American team which won the international polo championship from the British.