

Bill Swift to West... Bigger Deal to Sign... PITCHER PUTS ON HIS HOLDOUT ACT IN SCRANTON HOSPITAL

Bansawager and Mrs. Dreyfuss Go With First Squad to Paso Robles; Pirates to Cover 6000 Miles on Trip

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—The Pirate advance squad... Pittsburgh farewells... on Saturday night...

Trainer Charles A. Jorgenson of Columbus, O.; Pitcher Ralph Brkoff... at Cincinnati...

He starred at first base for Chicago Cubs with Thicker and Evers... Bill McCarty pilots this club...

He is asking for more money than we have offered him... He is not a new wrinkle with the resident of Scranton...

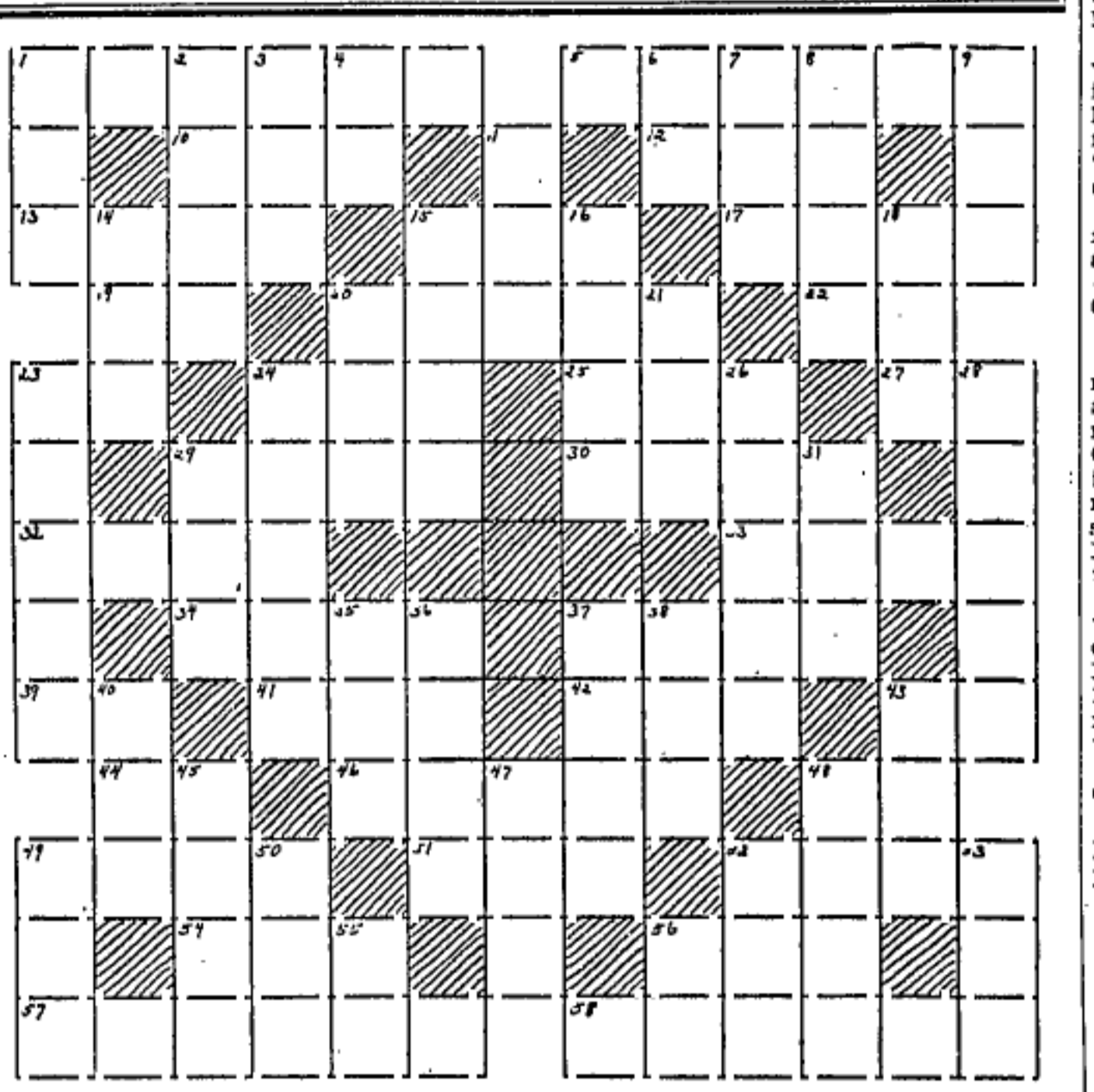
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- ACROSS. 1. He starred at first base for Chicago Cubs with Thicker and Evers. 2. Bill McCarty pilots this club. 3. Nickname of Baltimore Oriole organizer...

NOTE—In Puzzle No. 2, 37 down key should have read LAST name of pitcher for 1904 Giants instead of FIRST name and 40 down should have been marked possessive.

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COLUMBIA, NORFOLK FILL OUT PIEDMONT TWO NEW ADDITIONS LEAVE CIRCUIT ON SAME SIX-CLUB BASIS

President Hill, Reviewing Outlook, Sees Good Year Ahead for His League; Four Managers Named

RENSBORO, N. C.—With the Piedmont League making up for the 1934 season...

The circuit will be composed of clubs from three states, including Norfolk and Richmond, of Virginia; Charlotte, Greensboro and Wilmington, of North Carolina...

HOUSTON A. LAWING. Benny Tate Quits Sheriff Race To Join Cubs' Camp Vanguard

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill.—Benny Tate, veteran catcher, who receives another major league chance as a member of the Cubs this year...



Walter Johnson THE Cleveland baseball experts re-examined Guy Lacy, a brawny Californian...

Under the latter heading they acquired Lloyd Brown in a deal with the Red Sox...

ANY of us pride ourselves on what we know about the game, but how many would score 100 per cent in a quiz of ten questions...

LEAVES FROM M... A FAIR'S SCRAMBLER ROBERT ARTHUR (BOB) O'FARRELL

Catcher-Manager, Cincinnati Reds. Born October 10, 1896, Waukegan, Ill. Height, 5 feet 11 inches. Bats and throws right-handed. Married. One child—son. Home address, 424 Water street, Waukegan, Ill.

Another of those long-wearing athletes, Bob O'Farrell is about to embark on seventeenth full season as major catcher...

Figured in three games with Cubs upon recall and long National League career began from that point. First full game came on September 25, 1917, against Brooklyn...

LEAGUE RECORD. Year-Club League G AB R H HR SB Ave. PO. A. E. Ave. 1916-Chicago N.L. 1 0 0 0 0 0 .000 1 0 1 .500

WORLD'S SERIES RECORD. Year-Club League G AB R H HR Ave. PO. A. E. Ave. 1918-Chicago N.L. 7 23 2 7 0 .304 35 8 0.000

CLEVELAND---Looks Like Second Division! Weak Infield and Lack of Reliable Left-Hander Seen as Big Handicaps in A. L. Race

By BILL DOOLY of the Philadelphia Record The Cleveland baseball experts re-examined Guy Lacy, a brawny Californian...

The Indians have a general look of futurity around the infield. At first base he has Harley Easing, a veteran...

Virgil David, a former pitcher, once the property of the Cincinnati Reds, was killed in an auto accident near New Sharon, Ia., February 18...

ROSTER OF OAKLAND OAKS FOR 1934. Player's Name Position. Age. Hgt. Wgt. Bats. Throws. Club, 1933. Home Address.

KIEBE KAMP HINTS AT BID FOR COLONELS COURT WILL DECIDE WHETHER CLUB SHOULD BE DISPOSED OF

Team, as It Stands, Not Likely to Go Far In A. A. Race; Blue Grass Backers File Incorporation Papers

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Bill Knebelkamp, former president of the Louisville Colonels, has indicated that he expects to be a bidder for the club...

In event the court decides to let the re-creation ride, it is reported that Receiver Barker figures there is enough cash available to make it possible to go ahead...

On the surface, however, if the club does not add some worth-while players, it is hard to see how its prospects for 1934 are as good as they were last year.

Competition in the league this year promises to be keen among the better clubs. Minnesota, though not as strong as last year...

Buffalo Faces Heavy Schedule Spring Program Lists 18 Games, Seven of Which are With Major Clubs.

Buffalo, N. Y.—One of the most pretentious pre-season exhibition slates ever announced by Business Manager Leo T. Miller...

George R. (Dick) Mappes, who caught for the St. Louis Browns in 1924, the only year the Union Association operated...

NECROLOGY

Thomas F. Ryan, (father of John Blundy) died of a heart ailment in Lynn, Mass., February 24...

JACK LA ROCCA, the strike-out king of the NYP League last season while pitching for the New York Yankees...

ON THE AIR LINES

Response of San Francisco fans to the broadcast of the game to whether the game should be broadcast this season...