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Terry and Cochrane Are Facing Crisis in Baseball Jobs

DEFINITELY Bill Terry and Mickey Cochrane now are in the midst of what higher class writers might term a crisis. Aside from their spot efforts to keep crippled and hard luck teams in the first division they also are undergoing tests which may determine whether it is worthwhile for them to continue in baseball.

Because each of them won a world championship early in his managerial career and so, immediately, was acclaimed as one of the greatest of all time pilots this view may require a bit of explaining. It involves putting the reverse on that old "Don't do as I do but as I say" bit of philosophy by which the youth of the nation once was entertained.

Terry possibly was the best first baseman who ever played the game and Cochrane holds similar high rating among the catchers. They took over their manager's jobs while still able to perform in sprightly fashion. They starred in their own right while their example undoubtedly inspired lesser teammates to reach hitherto (and since then) unthought-of heights.

Now, when they are sorely tried by an assortment of the ailments which inevitably take toll of aging athletes, things do not add up the same. Reibers, Myatts, Leslies and such folk are hired men of average worth, but they simply do not possess the spark that makes Terrys and Cochranes. So, as has been apparent all season, the two managers immediately are beset by problems even more vexing than thyroids or sciatica while attempting to readjust their baseball lives.

If the law of averages operated properly there could be some compensation for all this. Blood streams, which formerly had to do double duty while generating both base blows and strategy, could be entirely at the service of deep thinking. In place of the line drives which once encouraged their championship ambitions the Tigers and the Giants could be inspired by daily strokes of managerial genius.

This, of course, would indicate a most sublime future but, unfortunately, neither Hoyle nor Hughie has much influence with the law of averages.

Both Bill and Mickey are men of action. They seem to function best, mentally as well as physically, while on their feet in the midst of heated action. Probably a proper appreciation of his own muscular possibilities has inspired each of these managers as much as it has inspired his followers.

Undoubtedly this has been true of Terry during the past two years. Without attempting to second guess a guy who has been trying hard in the midst of severe handicaps most fans are aware that he is a far better manager when playing than when spending an afternoon in the dugout.

Less opportunity has been provided for judging Cochrane as a dugout executive.

Yet it is possible that the future may be even harder on him than on Terry. Mickey is an intensely nervous type—in some ways resembling Ty Cobb who failed as a manager. At least once during each of his best playing years when he could release pent-up emotions through direct actions he came close to just such a breakdown as finally overtook him this season. He also is excessively irked by players who cannot comport themselves according to his own high athletic standards.

During one inning at Yankee stadium recently I watched him. He made six trips from one end of the dugout to the other. He knelt in front of the dugout five times. He sat down and immediately arose eight times.

There you have the question for the future. Will Cochrane wear himself out of the majors with worrying? Will Terry achieve the same results through disgust over the essential dumbness of his fellow men?

TIRES on those midget autos last only four miles during a race... Did the Giants pay \$21 dividend on each share of stock last year? Jockey Sonny Workman during his recent suspension improved his time upon the golf links where he is almost as good as he is in the saddle... Fortune tellers probably can improve their batting averages if they give Bob Pastor a high rating for 1937. The Washington Heights youngster is the most improved heavyweight of the year... His coaches say that sixteen-year-old Bob Sandbach, kid brother of the Princeton star, will be even better than Ken.

If the president of the Phils had not vetoed the deal at the last minute a Frenchy Bordagaray-Johnny Moore swap would have been made in May... The Giants will operate the Jersey City club as a farm when an International league franchise is moved to Haguerville next season... Unless thoroughly-bred prices are upped considerably Colonel E. R. Bradley will not take his yearlings to the Saratoga sales next month. He still is annoyed at the low receipts obtained last August... Charley Gehring and Billy Herman, the game's two best second basemen, share an easily understandable weakness. Ballplayers say they do not like to be slid into with spikes.

The U. S. G. A. is sadly perturbed because of rumors concerning four-ball tournaments and the auction pools which so often make them more than interesting to the performers. These pools—you buy tickets on teams you think are hot—often are worth from \$1,000 to \$3,000. That, so evil-tongued gents sneaker, is enough sugar to bring the racketeers in so that they can arrange such "amateur" golf matches to suit their own high purposes... Hun school, right there in the shadow of Princeton's famed Gothic towers, will have five regulars (Everson, McNamara, Ober, Mischeau and Shinn) on the Penn varsity next fall... Don Lash, the runner, earns his way through college by mopping up floors in the dormitory at Indiana university... Ivy Wilson, the very good twenty-four-year-old girl athlete from the Mercury A. C., makes dolls' wigs when not winning 50-meter championships.

Landis Irks Scribe By Talking Golf

A veteran reporter is very indignant because he had to wait fifteen minutes in Boston before getting some All-Star game information from Judge Landis. It seems that baseball's high commissioner was spending some time in entertaining his audience of club owners with blithesome comment concerning his golf scores.

Could it be true the New York racing commission now has planted dictaphones in the betting ring and other gossip juicy sections of local tracks? Or are naughty boys just blaspheming when they whisper that this cunning device, which was tried out last winter by Florida and Don Meade, produced a carload of worthless chit-chat when secreted in the Aqueduct jockey room during the recent meeting?

There is more than a chance that the Ivy league, which now protects the more holy colleges from rude beatings in basketball and baseball, will also provide the same smooth gridiron guardianship in 1938... Although he is a motorboat enthusiast, John D. Spreckels, millionaire horse owner from the West, believes in keeping aquatic sports in their proper place. He has no liking for the regattas which are becoming so popular with the regatta committees at too many Eastern racetracks... Another effort may be made next winter to put the Cards in Detroit and leave St. Louis as a one-club (American League variety) town... If Joe Louis can score a decisive victory over Al Ettore there need be little doubt about the Brown Bomber having the proper comeback ammunition.

Although he can take the walls of disappointed fans as well as he can give his money to Connie Mack, there is one rift in Tom Yawkey's serenity. The owner of the Red (and frequently) Socked Boston team has been hearing the whispers of his mates among the magnates. They refer to the youthful business man as a "Sap" and a "Sucker," which is rather hard to take considering all he has done for them... Each member of that great Husky crew is a native of the state of Washington, is working his way through college and never handled a racing sweep until his freshman year... Winsett, the big outfielder listed for the Dodgers, is a good hitter. That is, he is until the pitchers start throwing too close to him.

A Finnish vapor bath has been installed in the Olympic village at the request of Helsingfors... The bath was placed on the edge of a lake because the Finns like to cool off with a cold plunge after the baths... Paul Waner of the Pirates still uses a bat, now taped half its length to keep it from falling apart, that he borrowed during the 1934 All-Star game in New York.

what Irvin S. Cobb thinks about:

Presidential Straw Votes.

B—Every baby, as I've always heard, is born with a soft spot in its head, and once in a while there's one who never gets over it, but grows up and, in presidential years, goes around taking straw votes on railroad trains in order definitely to find out which ticket will be elected.

He is a kindred spirit to the other fellow, who, to settle the whole issue right now and avoid crowding at the polls in November, offers to bet you a cool thousand that his man beats your man, and then, before leaving, tries to borrow five dollars from somebody so he can get his laundry out of hock.

Having met both types within the ten days before coming here and being fearful that both species is going to multiply rapidly during the ensuing three months, I'm thinking seriously of taking the veil until after the campaign ends. Politics certainly does breed its ticks.

The Little Red School House.

YES, in my early days we also had the little red schoolhouse. Maybe the reason we liked it then was that it got its red tone from the paint on the outside and not from the teaching staff on the inside.

Likewise, in those unprogressive times, we thought the youth of the land should be taught to cherish the American flag for something besides private hissing purposes. Hopelessly old fashioned, eh, what?

The Dictator Business.

IT LOOKS as though, when the battle dust lifts from that distracted country, Spain will have a dictator, dictators being fashionable.

It seems to be comparatively easy to make a success of it, too. Just follow a formula: Make it a blasphemous violation of the first commandment for anyone to assign you second place.

Be sure all sentences personally uttered begin with the capital letter "I" and end with the pronoun "me."

Convince yourself that, in order ever to behold any human being who is your equal in moral and mental stature, you must carry about with you a full-length mirror.

Never permit yourself to be photographed in your nightshirt, but always in full uniform.

On arising, lock the jaws and clench the fists and leave 'em that way all day.

And—this is very important—have a dependable police force and somebody to pick on, preferably somebody without any friends.

Political Claim-Alls.

SHRINKING JEEMS FARLEY announces the Democrats will carry every division of the Union, although privately he is said to be a little bit doubtful of two very backward counties in Vermont. While generously conceding the central part of Mississippi and the western end of Kentucky to the enemy, diffident John Hamilton is sure the Republicans will sweep everything else.

Congressman Lemke, most modest of the claimers, is certain he'll win in 40 states. Really, he doesn't need that many, but 40's a nice even number. If the shy Dr. Townsend also should run, he counts on 20,000,000 votes in this country, besides clean-cut majorities in Sweden, New South Wales and the Island of Yap.

Oxen Versus Onions.

WITH no aim to set up as a specialist in human behavior, I think I've stumbled on a significant, timely discovery. I found in a scientific work this statement: "Each living growth has to begin in a single microscopic cell. Moreover, every future thing of either animal or vegetable kingdom contains in that first cell a fixed number of even more infinitesimal bodies called chromosomes. In the ox, the guinea pig, the man and the onion, the number is the same invariably."

I contend this natural kinship in classification may explain why, in campaign years, some of us are bellowing oxen, some are docile guinea pigs and most of the rest of us are just plain onions.

IRVIN S. COBB.

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Mormons Made Own Sugar
Cut off from the states and harassed by Indians, the Mormons undertook the production of their own sugar. Beet sugar machinery was purchased in Liverpool, shipped to New Orleans, then up the river. Fifty-two ox teams in 1852 finally tugged the equipment from Leavenworth to Utah and 500 bushels of beet seed arrived. This was the inception of the beet sugar industry of Utah.

Uncle Phil Says:

Watch Your Manners

Is politeness decaying? Don't permit that. It will develop into sheer brutality.

If you care a great deal for a man as he is, you may be able to reform him, but be careful.

People have to become thoroughly exasperated before they thoroughly punish crime.

Religion of most people is a very good one if they would pay more attention to it.

What Price Relief

Hurling a bad egg has never settled an argument; but hasn't it been a great relief.

Some can enter a room impressively; and not so many can leave it that way.

You must expect to see displays of ignorance all the time. Don't let them perturb you.

In these days, indeed, the king can do no wrong. He's lucky if he is allowed to lay a corner stone.

Much of one's youth is clouded by a perpetual nagging to break trifling bad habits.

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