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New baseball cards have arrived

Editor's note: Jeff Green, the author of the article dealing with the new baseball cards, is a member of the GKSML (Greater Kalamazoo Strat-O-Matic League) as well as a veteran of play-by-mail leagues. He's enother of the legion of S-O-M Baseball devotees who's a student of the cards.

BY JEFF GREEN, Kalamazoo, MI

Dale Murphy, last year's MVP, probably has the best all-around card for a hitter in the 1983 baseball set. He has 13 home run chances (card chances) against lefties and he also roughs up righties. In addition he's a "1" at all three outfield positions, has a -3 throwing arm and is an "A" stealer. That's what MVPs are made out of.

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Pedro Guerrero of the Dodgers has a very strong card, with home run chances at 1-5, 1-6 and 1-7 (1-6) versus lefties and almost as good of power against righties. Guerrero is also an "A" stealer, one of three

the Dodgers possess (Steve Sax and Ken Landreaux are the others).

The Los Angeles infield, together for so many years, has lost a step, however. Steve Garvey is still a "1" at first base, but Ron Cey (3b) and Bill Russell (ss) are "4s" and Davey Lopes was traded to Dakland.

Joe Morgan, 39-year-old oldie but goodie, apparently has found the

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fountain of youth as he's an "A" stealer with hits and walks all over his card.

San Diego has probably the best young pitching arms in the bigs in Eric Show, Luis DeLeon and Dave Dravecky. Best cards overall for hurlers in the N.L. belong to Mario Soto, Joe Niekro, Steve Rogers, Steve Carlton, Fernando Valenzuela and Joaquin Andujar.

CARDS WON WITH DEFENSE

St. Louis had the best overall defense as Keith Hernandez at first and Ozzie Smith at shortstop are "1s" and there are "2s" at second, third, center and right field.

As far as lefty killers, Mike Schmidt (as usual) and Tim Wallach Schmidt has 16 home run chances against of Montreal are both murder. southpaws, Wallach 14. And they're not bad against righties,

Gary Carter, Tony Pena, Lance Parrish, Mike Heath, Rick Dempsey and Buck Martinez are all -3 throwing catchers. But Bob Boone of California tops them all, possessing a -4 rifle.

At shortstop, Dave Concepcion, another oldie but goodie, is still a

"1" but Larry Bowa continues to tumble, being rated a "3".

Oave Kingman has a typical, well, typical Dave Kingman card. He
has 15 home run chances versus lefties and 10 against righties, with strikeouts sprinkled all over.

Milwaukce, as everyone knows, has an awesome lineup. But California isn't far behind. Its lineup features Reggie Jackson, Doug DeCinces, Brian Downing, Fred Lynn, Don Baylor, Rod Carew and Bob Grich--not an easy out among them.

WATCH RICKEY RUN...RUN...RUN

Rickey Henderson of the A's is a triple-A stealer and a "1" in left field. He has 42 on-base chances versus lefties, 56 against righties, all of which enhance his chances to steal bases. Oakland has three other Aroutine' A's in Dwayne Murphy, Lopes and sub Jimmy Sexton. Tony Armas is a "2" in right field otherwise Oakland would have again had an all-1 outfield.

If you're looking for pitchers to draft in the American League, steer clear of Minnesota's staff. All serve 'em up.

If you're looking for one player to build a team around, however, Robin Yount of Milwaukee is your man. He's a "1" at shortstop and a good hitter.

Cal Ripken Jr. is the best, in my opinion, of many fine rookies as Lai hapken Jr. is the best, in my opinion, or many fine rookies as he has 1-7, 1-8 home run chances versus lefties and is a "2" at third and "3" at short. Other rookies worth drafting high are Tom Brunansky of the Twins, Wade Boggs of Boston, Ryne Sandberg of the Chicago Cubs and Chili Davis of the Giants.

DWIGHT EVANS ANOTHER 'FRANCHISE'PLAYER

Dwight Evans of Boston is another you can build a team around, like Yount. He has a whopping 56 chances to get on base against lefties and 49 versus righties. Not only that, but he is a "1" in right field and has a -5 throwing arm.

Goose Gossage is probably the best fireman asche has strikeouts up and down his card and doesn't allow many hits. He has a much better card than Bruce Sutter, who was so effective in the World Series for the Cards.

The best of the American League's starting pitchers are Dave Stieb, Rick Sutcliffe, Jim Palmer, Jack Morris, Dan Petry and Len Barker. Don't trade, or draft high, Cy Young Award winner Pete Vuckovich, however. His card has a lot of "land mines" on it.

Check out Pittsburgh, too, while you're at it. Notice it has two AAs in Omar Moreno and Lee Lacy. Also notace how most of the Pittsburgh hitters struggle against lefties and how few times (percentage-wise) they batted against southpaws.

Remember Tim Raines, the AAA of last year's card set? Well, he's still got a good rating, being a AA.

Review's 1983 MVP Contest opens

Dust off the old crystal ball--the Review's Most Valuable Player Contest in baseball is ready to begin.

The winner, of course, will again receive a set of the new baseball cards (plus extras), compliments of the Review, while those that don't win will be out only a few minutes of their time and the cost of a stamp and envelope.

Only stipulations are that you be a subscriber to the Review and that only one ballot be turned in per subscriber.

Deadline for entries will again be May 10.

To enter, all you have to do is fill in the blanks below (or a facsimile of the entry blank) and send to the: Strat-O-Matic Review, P.O. Box 27, Otsego, MI 4907B. Do not, however, send to the Strat-O-Matic Game Co., Inc., as the contest is sponsored solely by the Review.

In addition to picking the MVPs in each league, you should also list the division winners and their percentages, with the latter being used to break ties, as was peressary last year.

used to break ties, as was necessary last year.

Paul Bressoud of Arcata, CA, was the winner last year and he should be enjoying his set of cards and extra players at this time. Bressoud was one of 10 gamers who forecast Dale Murphy's being named National League MVP correctly. He tabbed Eddie Murray in the American League. One gamer, Mike McConchie of Baltimore, MD, selected Robin Yount in the American League. No one, however, correctly picked both MVPs.

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Out of the 11 who got one MVP right, Bressoud had the best batting average at picking the division winners, forecasting Milwaukee in the A.L. East, St. Louis and Atlanta in the N.L. East and West, respectively. No other gamer had more than two division winners right.

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Now for the 1983 MVP Contest. Remember, you must be a subscriber to the Review, only one entry per contest is permitted and the entry must be post-marked no later than May 10.

MVP CONTEST ENTRY BLANK - 1983

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

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Remember the MVP Contest closes May 10; entries received after that date will be automatically disqualified. Send all entries to the: Strat-O-Matic Review, P.O. Box 27, Otsego, MI 49078.

Note: Twelve gamers have received new card sets from the MVP Contest, which started in 1972. Terry Ringen, Beattie, KS, is the only two-time winner, calling the MVPs correctly in 1977 and 1978.

Bostock Memorial July 16-17

The word is out early--there will be a third Lyman Bostock Memorial It will again be sponsored by James Sanders, the policeman Tournament. It will again be sponsored by James Sanders, the policeman from Gary, IN, trophies will again be donated by the Strat-O-Matic Game Company, it will again be in the summer...but the site has been moved

From bary south to Hobart, IN.

Date for the third annual gathering will the weekend of July 16-17.

And the site switch will be to The Gary Works Supervisory Club in Hobart

(County K Road).

Cost to the participants will be \$8.50, which will cover all the costs of the tournament. The tournament schedule calls for five events to be staged: advanced baseball and basketball, super advanced hockey and football and elementary baseball.

Actual teams will again be used, with teams chosen on a first-apply, first-choice basis. Mini leagues will be played on Saturday, opening day of the tournaments, with playoff and championship games on Sunday.

The elementary baseball tourney will be a backup for those who are eliminated on Saturday. Sanders also mentions that the nockey and basketball tourneys will depend on the number of gamers, as far as format and

As far as the trophies, they're again first-class all the way (see photo). "My first year the trophies were great," says
Sanders, "last year's were better and this year's are bigger and nicer than ever. Some of the winning trop-

hies are over 28 inches tall."

Trophies will again go to the winners and runnersup in each tourney. Last year's winners, most of whom will be back to defend their bionships, were: Gary Peck (super advanced football), Steve Poricini championships, were: (advanced baseball), Steve Dull (super advanced hockey) and Jeff Jenkins (elementary baseball). As you can see, a fifth tournament--basketball-has been added this year.

"My goal is to draw at least 100 people," continues Sanders, who

feels the change in location should boost attendance considerably. He also hopes getting the word out early will help gamers as they plan their summer itinerary.

For details on the tournament, plus a map to the site and a list of tournament rules, gamers can write:

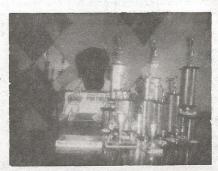
James Sanders Uirector, S-D-M Tourney 5806 Kennedy Terrace, Apt. 103 Gary, IN 46403

(phone: 1-219-938-6137).

Please, when writing Sanders for info regarding tournament, to send along an SASE.

Sanders, in his last communique before the February issue went to the printer, also said the 1961 season would be available for use in the advanced baseball tournament, as would the 1983 baseball cards, based on the 1982 season.

Hemember the dates, July 16-17, Saturday and Sunday; that's when the next equivalent of a national S-O-M convention will be staged.



Readers roll'em

SORRY ABOUT THAT ...

I've been meaning to write to you for well, about four months now, and the reality of my subscription ending has given me the extra 'urge' to do so.

I am embarrassed and sorry for the difficulties with my erating system and am very pleased with the way it was handled. I discovered the statistical 'lapses' in Baseball Digest about three weeks before I received your November issue (with Wayne Hedenschoug's excellent critique) and actually was hoping that someone else had spotted the error I made, and you had stopped printing the information, as it wasn't accurate.

Let me add, by the way, that we are talking about a total of "only" 71 players who played more than one position in all the old-timer cards.

I was in the middle of revising the ratings to reflect the one position listed in BBE (and try to compile, from immediate, past and future years of each player, 'substitute' ratings for the other positions) when I happily received your November issue.

Anyway, if any of your readers (including Strat-O-Matic), have the official league stats for the old-timer teams, I will be more than willing to do the calculations. If anyone else is doing similar calculations, it must be pointed out that accuracy will still be affected with players such as Ted Williams, who in 1956 played 110 games in the outfield, made five errors, and was given an e9 by S-O-M -- obviously, as any baseball fan knows, because Williams rarely finished games and was usually taken out in the late innings for defense.

STEVEN EDELL P.O. Box 3231 Jerusalem 91031 Israel

Editor's note: Writer Hedenschoug critiqued Edell's e-ratings and found them lacking from the standpoint that all research was done via the BBE (Baseball Encyclopedia), which bases its information for fielding on one position.

There is not a position-by-posi-

tion breakdown for errors and thus Hedenschoug's complaint, which Edell is acknowledgling this month. Not a major error, perhaps, but still an error purists will not accept.

FUMBLES FOR RECEIVERS

A couple of questions about S-O-M Pro Football:

Wouldn't it be possible to incorporate fumbles on receiving cards after catches?

For instance:

2. 8. 13 yards 3. 16 yards 9. 4. 10. 12 yards F, 2-6 5. 11. 14 yards 6. 11 yards 12. 10 yards

And how about right and wrong columns on defensive cards for elementary game?

RONALD BECKMAN, Jordan, MN

'MODERNIZE' FOOTBALL

I have played S-O-M Football, over a decade and the game needs "modernization."

There are hardly any passes completed in a 20-30-yard range. I have never had a receiver "catch" a ball while being double-teamed. I have never heard that bone-crunching block a lineman throws on a perfectly executed screen pass.

I have never had a receiver even fumble the ball. Come on, S-O-M, I wouldn't mind taking 10 extra minutes to finish a game.

I will admit my ideas are few, but I would like to see the receivers cards used more often and possibly a third-down efficiency built into the game.

I think it is time for the upgrading of the football game that has definitely fallen in a class behind the baseball and bask-etball versions.

PAUL UNGER, W. Seneca, NY Editor's note: You will be pleased at some of the upcoming changes in the pro football game, changes we are not at liberty to elaborate on at this time.

RETURNS TO THE REVIEW

I have been a fanatic for 11

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years. I subscribed to the Meview for a year and then stopped. I just recently renewed again. I had missed about two years, but I recently obtained the issues I missed from a friend.

I was very upset and surprised about what I missed; like the reissuing of pitchers cards in 1980 and some corrections. I feel it is the obligation of the game company to send this information to its customers.

I feel, even though I enjoy the Review, I shouldn't have to rely on it as a source.

RICH MEYERSON 2443 Cadillac Dr. East Meadow, NY

DON'T LIMIT GRETZKY

In reply to the letter by Carl Loerbs and his ideas concerning hockey trends (Jan., Review), I think his statements are totally in the wrong. In particular, his rules limiting Gretzky to one line shift per period are ridiculous.

I feel that I amy very qualified to speak about the sport of hockey. I have played S-O-M Hockey since its inception. I am a member of the THMHL II, now in its third year of play. Ithave won the championship both years. I am the commissioner of the Federal Hockey League and, living in the Detroit area, I see many hockey games via cable and free T.V.

Wayne Gretzky would never score a record 92 goals or record 120 assists if he played only one line shift per period. One of the reasons "The Great One" scores at such an unbelievable rate is that he gets much more ice time than any other player in the NHL (38 minutes, according to an article in Scorts Illustrated)

Sports Illustrated).
How many cards is 38 minutes in an S-O-M Hockey game?
There are three cards for every two minutes in a game (each card is 40 seconds). So, 38 minutes is 57 cards per game. That's what Gretzky should play.

If you played Gretzky the

If you played Gretzky the proper way (1st and 4th line, with the Oilers using four lines) he would play 15 cards per period from his two shifts, or a total

of 45 cards per game. Plus he would play about two power plays and kill about two penalties per game. At three cards per power play or short-handed situation, that's 12 or more cards, or a total of 57 cards, which is the accepted value for Gretzky as stated earlier.

I think S-O-M did a remarkable job creating a very realistic card. If you play him on two shifts like S-O-M and I recommend, you will come out with almost exactly 92 goals and 120 assists.

Also, Mr. Loerbs' rule about
"2 consecutive calendar days means
that you must start a different
goalie on the second day" would
apply to most teams. But for teams
like Pittsburgh (Dion), St. Louis
(Liut) and Vancouver (Brodeur),
the starting goalie should still
be able to start two straight games.
BILL MOJELSKI, Allen Park, MI

PASSING FEATURES EXAMINED

I'd like to comment on the passing features of the basketball and hockey games.

In the ice hockey game, once a player reaches about 45 to 50 assists, he is no better at setting up plays than a player who has 120 assists. By the same token defense defensemen such as Lee Fogolin, Ken Morrow and Ed Kea, to name a few, cough up the puck regularly for scoring chances. Why? Just because they don't get a lot of assists.

In the basketball game, however, every assist you get in reallife gives you a better chance for an open position shot or dazzler. In S-O-M, one key feature of the game is the ability of players such as Jamaal Wilkes, George Gervin and Tree Rollins to get the ball to a teammate without throwing the ball away. Even though they don't make the great pass to set up a basket, they don't make a bad pass costing a turnover.

Also, a comment on hockey's split deck (action): How about letting the defensemen have a chance at about 65 to 70 percent of the rebound chances. Instead of defense LW if a 3, if not opponent has reb. shot, how about Defense LD if a 2, if not off. LW has reb. shot? JOHN McTERNAN, Belleville, IL

Much more to '61 than 61 homers

Newest past baseball season should be smashing success

SIXTY-ONE in 1961

That's what the 1961 baseball season has always and will always be known for -- the year Mager Maris hit G1 home runs!
But as those who have already received Strat-O-Matic's newest card

set are well aware, there's much more to '61 than 61 homers

The power-laden New York Yankees had Mickey Mantle [54 homers], too, plus a bevy of other long-ball belters. Even though the Yankee pitching, outside of Whitey rord, wasn't Hall of Fame caliber, the hitting prowess carried the team to a whopping 109 victories.

ford, as a check of the 1961 cards reveals, is hard to hit by lefthanded batters, the same side he threw from. Making the pitching staff more effective was the presence of three "1s" in Bobby Richardson [28], Clete Boyer [38] and Elston Howard, a catcher with a -4 throwing arm. Five of the Yankees hit 20 or more homers, with John Blanchard, part-time player and pinch-hitter deluxe, almost as devastating as the "M & M" duo. Blanchard has home run chances on 1-5, 1-6 and 1-7 [1-17] against right-

Certainly everyone who is into card chances has checked out Maris' home run chances. But, also take a long look at Mantle's card, especially against righties. He sends 'em out on 2-5, 2-6, 2-7 [1-13] and ally against righties. He sends 'em out on 2-5, 2-6, 2-7 [1-13] and 3-6. And Mantle is a "1" in center field, giving the Yankees a total of Four regulars with the esteemed rating.

Maris and Mantle both have cannons for arms, too, as each is rated

1961 GOOD SUCCESSOR TO 1956 SEASON

In many ways the 1961 season is similar to 1956, the first season 5-0-M came out with in its ventures into past years. Again both the hitting and pitching are strong, there are plenty of defensive giants and there's speed, personified by 10 "A" stealers, including one AA, Luis Aparicio of the Chicago White Sox, who led the major leagues with 53.

The year 1961 also saw expansion as the American League expanded to 10 teams with the creation of the Los Angeles Angels and another team being put in Washington, replacing the former team that had pulled out and migrated to Minneapolis-St. Paul and was now called the Minnesota

The 1961 also, of course, was the year before S-O-M came out with its first full set of baseball cards. The 1962 season was the first to include all teams, whereas the two years previous contained all-star or only certain teams.

DON'T FORGET CINCINNATI IN THE N.L.

Everyone who has been on this planet for long, including E.T., is familiar with the Yankees and Maris in 1961. But a lot of folks probably don't remember that it was Cincinnati--not San Francisco or Los Angeles-that captured the National League pennant.

The Reds, although not possessing the awesome power of '56, still had four players with 20 or more homers. Frank Robinson had a super card, highlighted by 37 homers, while center fielder Vada Finson (a "1) was second in batting with a .343 average. Robinson, against righties, stroked homers on 2-5, 2-6 (1-13) and 3-6.

The most devastating card, however, belongs to Wally Post. He batted only 282 times, but he homered on 20 occasions. S-O-M rewarded him by placing home runs, against southpaws, on 2-8, 2-9, 2-10 and 3-7 (1-8).

Many of today's managers were playing in the 1961 season. Whitey Herzog of St. Louis and his World Series rival, Harvey Kuenn of Milwaukee, were with Baltimore and the San Francisco Giants, respectively. Kuenn, in the twilight of his career, batted .265 for the Giants.

On this page and the following are some other observations after a cursory check of the 1961 S-O-M Baseball card set:

* The Detroit Tigers are almost the equal of the New York Yankees,

although not having the fielding and down-the-lineup power. Colavito batters righties, having home runs on 1-5, 1-6, 1-7 (1-9), while Norm Cash, a lefty swinger who led the A.L. in hitting, has home run chances against righties on 1-5, 1-6, 1-7 (1-8) plus an all-around great card. Detroit also has two "A" stealers--Jake Wood and Billy Bruton--and two rifles in the outfield in Colavito (-5) and Al Kaline [-4]. Southpaw Don Mossi is tough to hit overall, but he does swerve 'em up to left-handed batters on 6-4, 6-5, 6-6 (1-6).

* Chicago White Sox have two "1s" in center fielder Jim Landis and

Aparicio at shortstop. Landis is also an "A" stealer. Southpaw Juan Pizanro; who struck out 188 in 195 innings in real-life, has 44 "K" chances (out of 108) when facing lefties.

* Baltimore, third-place finisher behind the Yankees and Detroit, has Hall-of-Fame third baseman Brooks Robinson ("1 e14"). Jim Gentile [46 homers] has a great card with long-ball chances on 1-5, 1-6, 1-7 [1-16] against righties. Jackie Brandt is a "1" left fielder but a "2" in center or right. Check out the walk chances on Chuck Estrada and Steve Barber's cards. Ouch!

* Kansas City's lineup includes Dick Howser, manager of the Kansas

City Royals today, who was an "A" stealer at the time.

* Carl Yastrzemski was in his rookie season with Boston in '61, batting .266 with 11 homers. The Red Sox also had towering (he was 6-foot-8) Gene Conley, who as a right-handed pitcher had home runs on 3-5, 3-6 and 4-8 (1-2).

* Jimmy Piersall, the volatile and vitriolic outfielder turned announcer, had a great season for Cleveland. He was rated "1" in center field, with an "e4" error ranking, plus batted .322. Cleveland also had another "1" in first baseman Vic Power. Willie Kirkland, equipped with a -3 throwing arm in right field, has a strange batting card. paw swinger, he has almost no power against lefties, but against right-handers he homers on 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5 (1-10).

* Diminutive Albie Pearson, 5-5, has 28 walk chances versus righties. He and first baseman Steve Bilko (home run chances on 1-8, 1-9, 2-8 (1-18), 3-6 against lefties) have the most interesting cards for the

expansionist Angels.

* Chuck Cottier, although he bats only 344 times, is rated a "1" at second with Washington. Cottier is also a "2" at short--but with an

e48 rating.

* Minnesota has Billy Martin in its infield and another big league manager in Joe Altobelli. The Twins also have some excellent fielding (catcher Earl Battey, -3 throwing, "1") and outfielder Bill Tuttle ("1"). Right-handed slugger Harmon Killebrew homers against lefties on 1-5, 1-6, and 1-10 (1-12).

 \pm Over in the N.L., the Los Angeles Dodgers have some interesting cards: Sandy Koufax, 44 strikeout chances against lefty batters; Johnny Podres, 18-5 record but home runs on 1-9 (1-18) and 1-10 against batters who hit the same side he pitches from; Frank Howard, a 4 e16 at every outfield position but yet with a -2 throwing arm, and John Roseboro, a "1" catcher with a great slugging card against lefties but with a 1-16"E" rating.

* Roberto Clemente, of course, has a super card, with 48 hit chances against righties and almost the same number against southpaws. He's also a "1" with a -6 throwing arm in right field, the best arm in the 1961card set. Dick Stuart, "Dr. Strangeglove," is a terrible fielder (1b4 e25)

but a terrific power hitter against southpaws.

* Milwaukee has Hank Aaron, who tears leftes apart, a "1" at short in Roy McMillan, Ed Nathews, who also works lefties over good despite swinging from the same side (2-5, 2-6 (1-16) and 3-6 home run chances) and Warren Spahn, who handles righties better despite being a southpaw hurler. Charlie Lau, famed batting coach, also played with the Braves. He

batted .207.

* San Francisco, third-place finisher in the N.L. behind Cincinnati and L.A., also packed plenty of power in Willie Mays and Orlando Cepeda. (continued on back page)

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Wanted

WANTED: 1967 Rams, Raiders; 1968 Cowboys, Colts, Browns, Chiefs, Jets; 1969 Vikings, Raiders, Browns; 1970 Dolphins; 1973 Vikings, Raiders, Bengals. Will trade 1975 football set for above. Send bids and/or deals to: Scott Johnson, 7998 E. 21st St., Indianapolis, IN 46219

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WANTED: To buy 1977=78 football, '78 baseball complete and/or playoff teams for each year. Also, '67 Raiders; '79 K.C.; '79 extras; '64 Twins, Dodgers, Giants '63, 64, 66, 68. Wanted good condition mimimum. All bids answered. Send bids [SASE] to: William Golden III, 1104 S. Spring, Springfield, IL 62704. Join our face-to-face league (524-4112).

WANTED: Extreme need for '72 Redskins. Also need '72 Steelers and '67-69 Raiders. Chuck Nyren, 5615 Gatewood Lane, Greendale, WI 53129

WANTED: 1962 Cincinnati, Pittsburgh; 1963 White Sox, St. Louis; 1964 Baltimore; 1965 White Sox, Baltimore; 1966 San Francisco; 1972 Cinn.; 1973 Oakland; 1974 Oakland; 1975 Cinn.; 1976 Cinn., NY Yankees; 1977 L.A., NY Yanks; 1978 L.A., NY Yanks. Bruce Winge, 591 E. Forum Dr., Roselle, IL WANTED: 1966 Dodgers. Will pay reasonable price. Write to: Joe Kostick, 548 Shiloh Pike, Bridgeton, NJ 08302

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WANTED: Baseball sets with extras for 1974, 1975 and 1976. Contact: Mike Mayko, 390 Welch's Point Road, Milford, CT 06460

WANTED: 1963 Cardinals, Braves, Giants, Pirates, Tigers, Twins, White Sox, Angels, Yankees. Have many teams from 1962 and 1964 to trade, or will pay cash. Luke Kraemer, 2550 Yeager Road 7-8, West Lafayette, IN 47906

WANTED: Manager with several years experience desires team with established, well-organized American League using advanced style of play. Prefer a draft league with 8 teams. I am tired of ill conceived leagues that fold after 2 or 3 years. If you need a dedicated manager with a 100%percent (continued on next page)

participation record over the last 10 years, write to: Ron Helsel, 219 Riverview Dr., DeWitt, MI 48820

WANTED: To buy or rent: 1962, 1963, '65 and '66 baseball sets; '69 Twins, Yankees [with extra players]; '70 Braves, Dodgers, Reds, Giants, Expos, Twins, Yankees, Orioles; '70 and '71 extra players; 1964 Vern Law, Joel Gibbon; 1967 Ron Santo, Ed Charles; 1969 Richie Hebner. Contact: Arlie Church, 1006 Hill Ave., Wilkesboro, NC 28697 [919-838-2790; 919-838-3951, work].

WANTED: Baseball commissioners! Yes, that's right. I am forming a Baseball Commissioner's Association that will be taking on such projects as rating managers across the U.S., organizing state competitions, ranking individual leagues and putting out a monthly newsletter. To do all this I need help from as many baseball league commissioners as possible. There is no charge to join. For more information, write: Sports Simulation, 727 Brummel, Evanston, IL 60202

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FOR SALE: The creator of the Florida Gold Coast Hockey Association (FGCHA), Bob Lopeck, would like to offer at no charge a very realistic penalty chart system for your consideration. In a comprehensive study of all 840 boxscores from the 1981-82 NHL season, I have been able to derive the most factual penalty combination tendencies (including misconducts) and set them down on three easy-to-read charts. The FGCHA Penalty Chart system incorporates S-O-M's AA, A, B, C and D ratings, is as easy to use as the S-D-M version (in most cases requiring only the selection of one split card), but takes into account the situations not covered in S-O-M's penalty chart (such as 5-0, 5-5, 10-0, 10-10, etc.). Please remember that this entire package is being offered at no charge. For those interested, please write to: Bob Lopeck, P.O. Box

380824, Miami, FL 33138

FOR SALE: Football teams, 1968-1978. Good-to-excellent condition. If you meet my price, I will sell immediately. Lower bids will be decided by the end of the month. J.M. Bordelon, 5445 Braesvalley #724, Houston, TX 77096 [phone: 713-724-5465]

FOR SALE: Unbreakable 20-sided dice. Forget split decks--20-sided dice are more random and easier to use. Available in a variety of colors: white, yellow, red, violet, lime green, burnt orange. \$1.25, postpaid, same day service. Paul Wooden, 5971 East 25th Place, Tulsa, OK 74114

FOR SALE: Super Stats second annual computer baseball card ratings for the 1982 cards are now available. Complete listings of on-base %, walks, and power for all cards plus extras. Immediate first class mailing upon receipt of your order. Fast service is our trademark. Send \$6 to: C. Super, 1333 N. Martel Ave., Suite 108, Los Angeles, CA 90046

FOR SALE: Complete baseball sets, 1966, and 1969 through 1981.
1979 set missing St. Louis. All cards in excellent to mint condition. Most modern sets have extra players. Send bids to: Jay Kuczma, 6336 Boone Avenue North, #204, Brooklyn Park, MN 55428, or call 612-537-0706.

FOR SALE: Baseball - 1965 complete, very good-mint; 1969 NL with extras, VG-MT; 1978 complete with extras, MT; 1979 NL with extras, MT. Bids accepted until 20th of this month. Luke Kraemer, 2550 Yeager Rd. 7-8, West Lafayette, IN 47906

replay without breaking your budget. Send \$4 for your guide to: Scott Fetterman, 70 Eisenhower Dr., York, PA 17402

FOR SALE: Football - 1971 Bears, Steelers, Eagles, Falcons, Patriots, Chargers; 1974 Bills, Browns; 1975 Raiders, Colts. Basketball - 1972-73 Bullets, Celtics, Bulls, Warriors, Lakers, Bucks, Knicks, Hawks; 1974-75 Cavaliers, Kings, Supersonics, Pistons, Rockets. All excellentmint condition. Must sell or will throw away. Luke Kraemer, 2550 Yeager Road 7-B, West Lafayette, IN 47906

FOR SALE: Football - new X-chart for S-O-M fanatics, including newly calculated charts for fumble runbacks, double reverses, blocked punts and much more. Also enclosed is two new play selector cards with 12 new plays and four pages of added rules. All for only \$4. Write: Leon H. Kalayjian, 39 Gramercy Ave., Rye, NY 10580

FOR SALE: Football teams. All football teams from 1974 through '78. Dolphins from '73-78, also Seahawks and Tampa '76-78. Not available: 1975 Jets and '74 Redskins. Also the 1962 Packers. All teams in very good to mint condition. Teams will be sold on a first-come basis for \$\tilde{q}1.70. I pay postage. I will answer any questions; you must send SASE. Send all inquiries to: Gerald Dunnum, 1479 Redfield St., La Crosse, WI 54601

FOR SALE: 20-sided dice, 50¢ each without inked digits or \$1 each with inked digits. Because a plus sign has been molded in ont of half of the numbers, it is possible to use the die as a D-2 for heads or tails, D-10 for generating percentile numbers as well as 1 through 20. A plain 4 is read as 4, but +4 is the same as 14 because you simply add 10 to any digit preceeded by a plus sign, when 1 through 20 numbers are required. These are genuine gamescience high impact dice, which are guaranteed to survive at least 2 years of normal wear. No other company dares to offer such an extended lifespan because they know their dice can't last that long. There is no such thing as 90% high impact or hard impact, etc. Our dice are used by the U.S. Naval War College. We have 11 standard color opaques and 18 standard color gem style dice. Gems cost 75¢ each without ink and \$1.25 each with ink. Please include \$1.50 with order to pay for postage, handling, etc. Lou Zocchi, 01956 Passfload Box STRA, Gulfport, MS 39501

FOR SALE: Baseball - 1971 through 1977 and 1980. Have two sets of some years. Extra players included. All sets are in very good to excellent condition. Will accept any reasonable offer. Steve Carrico, 622 Beauregard St., Summerville, SC 29403

FOR SALE: 1972 football set, excellent condition, \$50. 1973 Reds, Pirates, St. Louis, Braves, Houston, Expos, Padres, L.A., Cubs, S.F., very good, \$20. 1978 NL,Cubs missing, \$10. 1976 St. Louis, Cubs, S.F., very good, \$1.25 each. 1976 Reds, Padres, good, \$1.25 each. 1967 Baltimore, good, \$3.50, 1970 good, \$2.25. Keith Fosness, 1542 15th St., So. Fargo, ND 58103

FOR SALE: 1972 football complete set with roster chart, excellent to mint condition. \$60. Basketball - complete game with '72-73 cards, excellent condition, \$25. Hockey - complete game with '78-79 cards, plus extra players, mint condition, \$48. I will pay all postage. Matthew House, 5042A Iroquois Ave., Ewa Beach, HI 96706

FOR SALE: 1963 Braves, Pirates,
A's; '67 Mets, Pirates, Cubs, Heds,
Dodgers, Braves, Giants, Cardinals,
Astros; '69 Red Sox, Mets, Expos,
Reds, Giants, White Sox; '70 Reds,
Phillies, Cardinals, Giants, Cubs,
Braves, Padres, Astros, Expos,
Mets, Dodgers, Pirates; '71 Cubs,
Cardinals, Mets, Phillies, Giants,
Pirates, Padres, Dodgers, Expos,
Reds, Astros, Braves; '72 Red Sox,
Angels, Indians, Brewers, A's,
Twins, Royals, Orioles, Riangers;
'78 Angels; '79, '80 and '81 baseball seasons. All teams in excellent condition, without extras
except for entire seasons which
are complete with extras. Send bids
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to: Steve Olson, 2222 Hoyt St., Dubuque, IA 52001, or call 319-582-6682.

FOR SALE: Tired of spending hours upon hours compiling stats for your league? Let us do the work for you. Spend more time throwing dice than pushing calculator buttons We're a professional statistical company using computers to produce high quality, professional results. Stats can be done periodically or seasonally, for however many games the stats represent. Standings, leaders and individual and team stats for any S-D-M game are done quickly and accurately. Ideal for all leagues (PBM and face-to-face). Multiple copies can be ordered to provide for all league members. For free information and price list, write: Jarbis, Inc., P.O. Box 81, Franklin Park, NJ 08823

FOR SALE: Baseball - 1976, 1977 and 1978 sets with extra players and roster sheets. Cards in good condition. Football - 1974, 1975 sets with roster sheets. Cards in good-to-excellent condition. Will sell only in yearly sets. Bids will be accepted until last day in month that this ad appears in Review. Flease send SASE. I will pay postage. Winners will be notified at end of month. Tony Cass, 1912 E. Linnwood Ave. #1, Milwaukee, WI 53211

FOR SALE: 1966 National League set (excellent, minus Bob Hendley), \$45. 1967 American League set (very good, minus Steve Barber), \$40. Complete 1978-79 hockey game with extras (excellent-mint), \$18. Need 1971 baseball set with extras (strictly excellent-mint or better). Paul Ladewski, 14332 Maple Lane, Midlothian, IL 60445

FOR SALE: Complete 1970-1979 football card sets and 6 old-timer teams. I also have a complete game, 27 nameless player teams and two pads of scoresheets. Asking price is \$20 per set, \$5 for the old-timers, \$15 for the nameless players and \$10 for the game and scoresheets or \$200 for everything. I also have complete 1972-'73

'79-80 basketball card sets plus a complete game and two pads of scoresheets. Asking price is \$10 per set and \$10 for the game and scorepads or \$80 for everything. I also have complete 1977-1978, 1979-80 hockey card sets, including additional players plus a complete game and two pads of scoresheets. Asking price is \$10 per set and \$10 for the game and scorepads or \$30 for everything. All items are in excellent or mint condition. For \$300, everything is yours. Oliver Burrows, 1703 E. Upham St., Marshfield, WI 54449

FOR SALE: New challenge for S-O-M Baseball fanatics. Time-tested super advanced game allows for pickoffs, cutoffs, rundowns, interference, balks and numerous options. Includes professionally typewritten rules, strategy cards and playbook and revised bunt and hit-and-run charts, all for \$5. Paul Ladewski, 14332 Maple Lane, Midlothian, IL 60445

FOR SALE: Football - 1971 Colts, Cowboys, Dolphins, Vikings, Chargers, Patriots, Browns, Packers, Broncos, Lions, 49ers, Redskins, Chiefs, Jets, Raiders, Rams, \$25.1974 complete NFL, \$30. Everything for \$50. All teams in excellent condition. Glenn Reigrod, 66-22 Fleet St., Forest Hills, NY 11375 (212-261-4287)

FOR SALE: Complete baseball sets including roster sheets and extra players (when issued) from 1964 to present, excepting 1968 National League and 1966 season. All cards must go--I need the room. Send SASE and price willing to pay for seasons to: Ron Helsel, 219 Riverview Drive, DeWitt, MI 48820

FOR SALE: 1961 and 1956 baseball schedules. Both American and National League. Send \$1 for one or \$1.50 for both to: Richard Breest Jr., 36 Arbour St., West Islip, NY 11795. Same day service.

FOR SALE: (or TRADE) Over 2,000 loose players (baseball), 1964-1981. Send your want list and trade list to: Chris Rosen, 731 Bergen St., Philadelphia, PA 19111. Phone: 215-745-5247.

FOR SALE: To highest bidder. Will sell only complete seasons or total [continued]

package. All excellent condition. X=extra players included. Baseball - 1956, 1971, 1975, 1981 (X). Football - 1968 AFL, 1972 both leagues. Hockey - 1980-81 (X). Cal Whitbeck, 206 North Ct., Mason, MI 48854. Phone: 517-676-5145.

FOH SALE: Strat-Stats now available. Computerized breakdown of the 1982 cards. Strat-Stats summarize each player's card in 2 lines. Includes OBP, average, slugging, GA's and much more. Also, a special Ultra-Stat combines all of the card information into one easily understood number. No longer wonder whether to draft a player with a 50% OBP and a .250 average or a player with a 35% OBP and a .330 average. With Ultra-Stat you'll know who is better. Take first place this year. Send \$8.00 (make checks payable to cash) Strat-Stats, 260 Winston Lane, Bloomingdale, IL 60108

FOR SALE: Football - pro game with 1980 set. Baseball - 1927, 1936, '41, '51, '77 Yankees; 1953, '65 Dodgers; 1922 Browns; 1962 Giants; 1934, '46 Cardinals; 1919 White Sox; 1922 Browns; 1927 Pirates; 1931 A's; 1934 Tigers; 1946 Red Sox; four Hallof-Fame teams; 1979, '80 teams (with or without game). Write to: Samuel Rabi, 1245 E. 73rd St., Brooklyn, NY 11234

FOR SALE: 1978, 1979 baseball sets, with extras, \$46 each. 32 assorted baseball teams, 1969-present [several World Series teams included]. 1976, 1977 football sets, \$48 each. 26 football playoff teams; 1973, '74, '75, '77, '78, \$56. All cards very good to mint. Money order only, please. R. Gulezian, 1 Robin Hood Road, Windham, NH 03087

FOH SALE: Portable Strat-O-Matic football game board. Only two left. They are \$4.50 apiece and \$9.00 for both. Boards come with a set of dice and first down markers made for the board. Boards are hand made and in good condition. Please send to: Alan Rawiszer, 78 Milton Road, Rye, NY 10580

FOR SALE: Football - complete 1976-80 seasons, excellent condition. Football game, fair, but usable. All six old-timer teams ('58 Balt., '58 NYG, '60 Phil., '62 Green Bay, '63 Chicago, '65 Cleve.), excellent condition, 50¢ each, all six for \$2. Hockey - 1977-78 season; 1978-81 Boston. Winnipeg, Montreal, Philadelphia; 1979-81 Quebec. Excellent condition. Hockey game, good condition. Basketball - original game in good condition. 1976-77 season. All games come complete with parts, which can be purchased separately. Rosters included. Send bids. Paul Giangrossi, 18 Highview Circle, Middletown, NJ 07748 (phone: 201-671-2365]

FOR SALE: Football - 1978 (27 teams, unused); 1968 Atlanta, Det., Phil., Wash.; '69 Jenver, Green Bay, Miami; '70 Cin., Dal., Uak., S.Francisco; '71 Balt., Cleve., Los Angeles, Miami, Dak., S.F., Wash. All good. Baseball - American League '70 complete, excellent. Prefer to sell as sets by year. Postpaid to first reasonable bid. You pay insurance. Sky O'Callehn, 5242 Glenwood Circle, LaPalma, CA 90623

FOR SALE: Complete 1979 basebali cards with extras, in excellent condition, for \$14. Roster sheet included. Also selling hockey game with all game parts and scoresheets, in mint condition, for only \$7. I will pay postage. David Banos, 93 Elinore Ct., Oceanport, NJ 07757 (phone: 201-222-1098)

FOR SALE: Basketball - ABA stars;
'74-75 Bucks, Bulls, Warriors,
Bullets, Knicks; '75-76 Lakers,
Celtics, 76ers; '76-77 Warriors,
Bullets, Spurs, Knicks, Nuggets,
Braves, Suns, Lakers, Rockets,
76ers, Blazers, Jazz, Bucks, Cavaliers; '77-78 Blazers, Spurs,
Rockets, Nuggets, Pistons, Bulls,
Jazz, 76ers, Bucks, Braves, Celtics, Bullets, Lakers, Suns, Kings;
'78-78 Spurs, Rockets, Bucks, Lakers, Bullets, Suns, 75ers, Sonics,
Nuggets; '79-80 Lakers, 76ers,
Clippers, Bucks, Bulls, Celtics,
Suns, Kings, Sonics. Hockey 1577-78 all; '78-79 all; '79-80
all. Football - 1974 Packers,
Steelers, Chiefs, Cowboys, Eagles,
Redskins; 1975 Redskins, Oilers,
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Haiders, flams, Dolphins, Cowboys, Bills, Packers, Colts, Cards, Steelers, Chiefs, Eagles, Falcons; 1976 Packers, Broncos, Bears, Bengals, Vikings, Dolphins, Chiefs, Pats, Colts, Cowboys, Bills, Raiders, Dilers, Cards, Jets, Eagles, Rams; 1977 all; 1978 all; 79 all. Everything must go. Most in mint condition. Send bids to: Henry Johnson, 1 Essex Court, Greenville, SC 29609

FUR SALE: Start rolling precision dice and you'll see the most realistic results possible. Unlike the dice you're using, precision dice are balanced and properly weighed. If you're serious about Strat-O-Matic, send \$8 a pair, \$12 for 3 dice, to: Eric Corwin, 828 S. Holt #3, Los Angeles, CA 90035.

Specify color (red, green, white).

FOR SALE: Wilt Chamberlain, John Havlicek, Jerry West and all the greats of the '73-74 season. Complete set in near mint condition. Also, Knicks, Lakers, Celtics, Bullets, Pistons, Hawks, Warniors, Kings from 1972-73, in good condition. Must sell; all bids considered. Dave Shane, 7528 E. Pickard Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 [517-772-5098]

FOR SALE: Football - 1968 loose players (180); 1969 individual teams except vikings, Redskins, Jets, Bears, Colts (excell. condition); 1970 individual teams except playoff teams (excellent); 1970 complete set (excell.); 1972 complete set (fair); 1975 complete set (good to excell.); 1973 Oolphins (exc.); 1976 Rams, Cardinals, Steelers, Haiders, Colts, Cowboys, Bills, vikings, Patriots, Bears (good to excell.); 1977 Cowboys (mint); 1979 Cowboys (excell.). Baseball - 1965 White Sox, Tigers, Yankees, Pirates, Angels, Cards, Dodgers, Astros, A's, Reds, Senators, Indians, Cubs, Giants, Phillies (good condition); 1976 teams except Reds, Pirates, Yankees, A's (with extras, excellent); 1979 complete with extras (mint). Will trade for 1974-76 Street S Smith Pro Football Yearbooks; 1977 - back PFW magazines (Sept.-Jan.); 1977 football

Cardinals; 1972, '76 Broncos; 1969 Jets. Best reasonable offer takes. SASE receives reply. Jerry Fry, Box 161, Walnut Grove, MO 65770

FOR SALE: Baseball card sets in very good condition: 1971 (w/extras); 1972; 1973 (some extras). Also individual teams: 1966 Mets, Cardinals, Dodgers, Orioles, Senators; 1970 Angels, Chisox; 1971 Yankees, Bosox; 1975 Reds, Phillies, Dodgers, Padres; 1976 Dodgers, Royals, Phillies, A's. Send offers to: Marc Jacobson, 11990 Ferndale St., Philadelphia, PA 19116

FOR SALE: 1970 Colts, Vikings, \$20; 1970 Lions, 49ers/1971 Colts, Chiefs, \$10; 1972 Cowboys, 49ers, Browns, Packers; 1973 Steelers; 1974 Cardinals, Dolphins, Vikings, \$7. 1975 Bengals; 1976 Steelers. Highest bid wins. Lower bids regarded at end of month. Write: Leon Kalayjian, 39 Grameray Ave., Rye, NY 10580

FOR SALE: Baseball - 1972 set w/o extras [\$32]. 1973 set missing 7 players. All teams have extras except: Atlanta, SF, LA, Houston, Cubs (\$25). 1976 set missing Speier. All teams have extras except Cincinnati (\$25). 1977 set with extras (\$35). 1978 set with extras (\$20). 370 assorted 1974 players (\$8). 425 assorted 1976 players (\$8). Football - Set 1 includes 1976 complete set, 6 old-timer teams, '79 LA Mams, Pittsburgh; '80 Eagles, Raiders (\$20). Set 2 1978 complete set in excellent condition (\$15). Set 3 - 6 oldtimer teams, '79 LA, Pittsburgh; '80 Eagles, Raiders; '73 Buffalo; '72 S.F. All in excellent condition (\$15). Set 4 - 1973 complete set in excell. condition (\$35). Set 5 - 6 old-timer teams, '79 LA, Pittsburgh; '80 Raiders, Eagles and 565 assorted cards from 1973 and 1976 (\$10). All cards will be sold on a first-come. first-serve basis for prices listed above, or highest bid. I'll pay all postage. Contact: Jeff Williams, Box 1031, Santa Clara, CA 95053 or call 408-985-3428.

FOR SALE: New random number method for serious S-O-M Baseball players. Forget annoying split decks,

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cumbersome 20-sided dice or dice conversion tables. RLM's new 20-number spinner produces quick, accurate and 100% random number selection. This compact, durable spinner is your ticket to truly realistic statistical results. Send \$3 (postage included) to: RLM Enterprises, 725 Elm Court, Le Sueur, MN 56058. Order now to make 1983 your best season ever.

FOR SALE: (or TRADE) to highest bidder. Football seasons (full sets, excellent condition) 1967-81. Basketball seasons (full sets, excellent condition] 1974-75 through 1981-82. Baseball seasons 1964 (average condition, without Vern Law and Joel Gibbon); 1967 (above average condition, without Ron Santo, Ed Charles); '68 (excellent, with extra players); '69 (very good condition, with extra players, without Richie Hebner, 7 Yankees, 8
Twins); '70 (excellent condition, without Braves, Dodgers, Reds, Giants, Expos, Twins, Yankees, Orioles, without extras); '71 (excellent condition, without extras); '72-81 [excellent con dition, with extras]. Preferance will be shown to those bidders wishing larger orders and those capable of a direct transfer (a face-to-face meeting). Winners of the bidding will be notified (as to delivery and method of payment). Send bids to: Arlie Church, 1006 Hill Ave., Wilkesboro, NC 28697 (919-838-2790 or 919-838-3951)

FOR SALE: Baseball cards based on 1980 season. 24 cards per team. Good condition. Minimum bid \$20. Buyer pays postage. Bidding closes March 31. Only high bidder will be notified. Send bids to: Tim Austin, 3723 Greenland Ave., NW, Roanoke, VA 24012

League Forming

LEAGUE FORMING: Face-to-face league to start in St. Louis area; 162-game schedule, 16 teams, 16 managers, advanced baseball league. Will use both AL and NL straight teams with 16 players protected and rest will be drafted. Trading will be

permitted. Also use of OH in both leagues. Please respond ASAP to: J.E. Kienzle, 4075 A South Grand, St. Louis, MO 63118 (1-314-752-7310, 6-11 p.m.). All replies will be answered.

LEAGUE FORMING: Need 10 managers to start advanced draft PBM league, the World S-0-M Baseball League. We will have two leagues, A.L. and N.L. Pick any city, state, providence or wherever you want in the world. A.L. will have DH, N.L. won't. Starting next spring. If interested, contact: Greg Bucurestean, 7427 Sarena Apt. 4, Detroit, MI 48210 (313-361-3077), or Brad Long, 517 East North "D" St., Gas City, IN 46933 (317-674-1428)

LEAGUE FORMING: Needed, 1 manager for face-to-face 4-year-old, draft league: must live in Detroit area. The teams A.L. and N.L. are competitive with '81 A.L. team champion. Trades are allowed. Voigt Albright, 3838 16th St., Wyandotte, MI 48192 (282-8019)

LEAGUE FORMING: The North American Baseball League is preparing for its eighth season. We are looking for one experienced and dependable manager for our U.S. division and another for our Eastern Canadian division. If you are seriously interested, please write, stating who you are and whether you would be willing to serve as a backup manager for up to one year before getting a team. We are a 15-team continuous draft league which plays April through Sept. League fees are \$20 for managers and \$10 for backups, which includes a copy of our annual yearbook. Brian Webster, #310-2233 Bowker, Victoria, B.C., Canada V8R 2E3

LEAGUE FORMING: Experienced managers needed for advanced PBM baseball league to begin when new cards come out. 16-team league (8 A.L., 8 N.L.). Protect 15 players per team, draft remaining players. League features complete quarterly stats and newsletters, All-Stargame, World Series. All managers vote on A.L. and N.L. managers of year. Cash prizes to both. \$3 entry fee. Send list of 10 teams, in order of preference, and a brief description of yourself and (continued)

Strat experience to: Dave Owens, 810 Magdalene, Houston, TX 77024

LEAGUE FORMING: New face-to-face baseball league forming in Wheaton, IL area. This is a new league being formed by an experienced S-O-M player. Advanced rules will apply. First annual draft will allow you to pick the top players instead of joining an older league and getting stuck with the "leftovers." If interested, call Steve Miranda at 979-3183 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. or at 351-1095 after 6 p.m.

LEAGUE FORMING: 1973 actual teams replay in second exciting season looking for backups for American League. Advanced, actual schedule, playing now with reliable and talented managers. Must have 1973 cards with extras. Format allows maximum managing at minimum cost with professional notebook, stats, and results. Sky 0'Callahan, Decade, 5242 Glenwood Circle, La Palma, CA 90623

LEAGUE FORMING: LBOESOML needs managers for Expos, Mets, Indians, Rangers. No fees. 60-game schedule. Write for details and state preferred teams, to: Mark Guerra, 1125 Bell Ave., Yeadon, PA 19050. LBOESOML will be entering its seventh season in April.

LEAGUE FORMING: The Gopher State Advanced Hockey League is looking for coaches and backups for its initial season. This is an excellent opportunity for serious coaches to get into a league at the ground level. The GSAHL will use several unusual features, including minor league systems for each of its 12 teams and a commissioner and division presidents who are not permitted to hold teams in the league. Interested persons should contact: John A. Kuczma at 6336 Boone Avenue North, #204, Brooklyn Park, MN 55428 or call 612-537-0706.

LEAGUE FORMING: Wish to join or form face-to-face league in Long Beach-Los Angeles area. Would prefer draft type league with 1982 season cards and 162-game schedule. I have five years experience with advanced draft leagues. Please write to: Larry

Weber, 2506 Spaulding St. Apt. #3, Long Beach, CA 90804 or call 213-433-2749.

LEAGUE FORMING: The National League of the World-Wide Baseball Association wishes to enroll some managers on a stand-by basis. There presently no openings in this PBM league that uses the adwanced version, with some modi-fications. This is not an allstar league and requires a keen values in trading abilsense of ities. 1982 featured 43 newsletters, an 80-page preseason yearbook, a 40-page stat book at seasons end, mature road results and much more. Any person accepted as a stand-by manager will receive, gratis, the newsletters and all other materials members receive until awarded a team. Dues are \$30 per year but worth it to every member. Call or write for further details. Jack Luzzi, 2729 Skylark Road, Wilmington, DE 19808. [302-994-0027]

LEAGUE FORMING: Immediate openings available in established PBM league already in its third season. Can Am Baseball League (CABL) is an advanced played, spring and summer National League draft league (including extra players). There are no limitations for use of players. Only experienced, mature, dependable managers will be accepted. Send resume to: George Smilka, 236 Northcliffe Blvd., Toronto, Ontario, Canada, MSE 3K7. A fee will be charged to help cost of newsletters.

LEAGUE FORMING: The Montana/Dakota's League is now forming. Both
PBM and some face-to-face action
is wanted. Where are all of the
S-O-M lovers in this region? Baseball, football, hockey and basketball played. Will start as soon as
we have enough managers. All letters answered. Contact: Paul Weltz,
Box 158, Parshall, ND 58770. The
year of the cards has not been
determined--open to suggestions.

LEAGUE FORMING: If you are interested in joining an established PBM league, then the Eastern States S-O-M League (ESSL) is for you. The ESSL is an 18-team, 18-manager, advanced baseball league. (continued)

We will begin our 7th season in June. Managers are needed for the upcoming season. You will draft players from the teams given up this past season. Also, backups will be needed. Please respond quickly and only serious managers should apply. Bruce Kutler, 405 South 40th St., Philadelphia, PA 19104. All replies will be answered.

LEAGUE FORMING: Managers needed to start a 14-team PBM continuous draft hockey league. Include a team name. League will start with 1981-82 cards and will run continuously. If interested, write to: Kevin Koban, 2510 Tomlinson Crescent, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada 57L-3N2 (phone: 306-382-1419)

LEAGUE FORMING: Wanted to join our face-to-face baseball league in the Conneant Lake or Harmonsburg area. We use the advanced version. For more information, contact: Keith Spencer, Box 102, Harmonsburg, PA 16422, or Bob Motzing, R.O.#3, Box 499, Conneaut Lake, PA 16316

LEAGUE FORMING: The Totally Unauthorized League for the Inquisition of the Past (TULIP) is now forming and needs six reliable This league will be managers. an eight-team, advanced baseball the 1956 set. We league, using will play a 100-game schedule at a relatively laid-back pace. We will use straight teams, but each manager will draft five additional players from the un used teams. Play is scheduled to start on June 13. Please send resume including your age, PBM experience and all other info you consider relevant. Also include your preference league (A.L. or N.L.) and list teams in each league in order of preference. If interested, write to: Barry Hendges, 50 East 19th St., Holland, MI 49423

LEAGUE FORMING: Two established, advanced, PBM baseball winter leagues need managers. We use American League plus extras and managers retain their own players even if traded to the National League. We draft minor leaguers, too. One league gives

priority to New York city area residents and the other league does not. Both leagues are PBM but one league already has 6 managers from NY city area and we wish to encourage face-to-face games when possible. We will draft soon but will start play in the fall. Write: Wayne Slaven, 226 W. Elm, Marion, KY 42064

LEAGUE FORMING: Wanted to form or join face-to-face baseball in Michiana area. Also wanted to form or join P8M league using 1961 season cards. Contact: Ken Donnelly, 18644 E. Cleveland Rd. Apt. #11, South Bend, IN 46637 or call 219-277-6098.

LEAGUE FURMING: Minneapolis-St. Paul area gamers wanted for face-to-face league. Also interested in playing in any face-to-face league already established in same area. Please call Kevin Hennessy (after 6:30 p.m. weekdays and anytime weekends) at 612-292-8021.

LEAGUE FORMING: Considering forming face-to-face baseball league in Spokane/Couer D'Alene area. Am interested in hearing from other face-to-face league organizers on rules you use. Am flexible on whether league is to be draft or replay. All rules flexible and will be discussed at league's first meeting. For info contact: Larry Hill, 9218 E. Grace, Spokane, WA 93206 (505-926-7675)

LEAGUE FORMING: The Calcan League is expanding to an N.L., advanced, PBM league. Interested managers please send a brief resume with list of teams preferred in order to: Tom Millard, 111 Cleaveland Road #48, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Contests

CONTESTS: Third annual Lyman Bostock Memorial Tournament will be held the weekend of July 16-17 (1983) in Hobart, IN, at the Gary Works Supervisory Club. Features advanced beseball and basketball, super advanced hockey and football and elementary baseball. Trophies awarded to winners and runnerups. Entry fee is \$8.50. Actual teams will be used; chosen on a firstapply, first-chose basis. For a weekend of fun, meeting other gamers,

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Jerry Dattilo, a 16-year-old gamer from Philadelphia, PA, reigns as king of the 1981-82 Hockey Challange Tournament and is \$60 wealthier

because of his feat.

Dattilo, guiding the 1980-81 Quebec Nordiques and '80-81 New York Rangers in Larry King's first national hockey tournament, defeated John McDonough of Jackson Heights in the finals to capture the championship and the \$60 that went to the winner. McDonough, who lives in New York won \$30 for Finishing second.

King, commissioner of the well-known Empire State S-D-M Baseball League, gave out \$120 in prize money to the four semifinalists. Results of the tournament have been found in the Review's Scoreboard section, with the second and third-round results in the November, 1982 îssue.

King, who makes his home in Forest Hills, NY, also reported that the 1982-83 Hockey Challenge Tournament is starting Wed., Feb. 23, and

that results will again be sent to the Review as he plays the games.

Now for the finals of the 1981-82 tournament, pitting McDonough's
1979-80 New York Islanders and 1979-80 Edmonton Oilers against Dattilo's tandem of 1980-81 Quebec and '80-81 Rangers. Remember, when coaches choose teams they couldn't exceed a combined 160 points.

The first three games pitted Quebec (78 points) against the Islands

ers (91 points).

In the opener, Quebec scored the first four goals for an easy 4-2 victory. In the second, however, Butch Goring's four goals, including a short-handed tally (Anders Kallur also had a short-handed goal), gave the Islanders a 6-4 victory. The third game was a 5-5 deadlock so the two finalists were tied going into the final four games, which matched the 80-81 Rangers (74 points) against Edmonton (69).

The crucial series opened with the Rangers, trailing 4-0 and 5-1, rallying for a 5-5 stalemate. Three power play goals by the Rangers

decided game five of the championship series, 4-2.

Edmonton extended the series to a seventh game by scoring five consecutive goals, overcoming a 4-2 deficit, and raking the Rangers, 7-4. Wayne Gretzky scored twice for Edmonton and Eddie Johnstone duplicated that for the Rangers.

Normaiques goalie Dan Bouchard was the hero of the finale as he turned aside 13 of 14 shots in the third period to protect a Quebec lead that ended up in a 4-3 win over the Islanders. Michel Goulet's goal

Proved to be the game, and tournament, winner.

King, because of the deadlock after six games, had gone back to the first two teams--Quebec and the New York Islanders--for the decisive

Semifinalists in the tournament and also money-winners were Irwin Steinberg, Brooklyn, NY [1979-80 New York Islanders/1979-80 Edmonton] and Robert Scott, Bossier City, LA [1980-81 St. Louis/1979-80 Winnipeg]. Scott, with 28 points in the tourney, finished third and won \$20, while Stemmberg, 23 points, received a check for \$10 for fourth place.

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Here are the fourth-round and semifinals results of the 1981-82

Hockey Challenge Tournament:

* John McDonough, Jackson Heights, NY ('79-80 NY Islanders, 91/ '79-80 Edmonton, 69] vs. Jerry Dattilo, Philadelphia, PA ('80-81 Quebec, 78/'80-81 NY Rangers, 74). Matchup of finalists, with McDonough winning three of four games, including the Islanders' ripping of Quebec, 8-1, in the second game as Bryan Trottier and Butch Goring each had hat tricks. But Dattilo, with 19 points, and McDonough, who built his total to 20, both advance--and will meet again!

* Irwin Steinberg, Brooklyn, NY (*79-80 NY Islanders, 91/'79-80 Edmonton, 69) vs. Robert Scott, Bossier City, LA ('80-81 St. Louis, 107/'79-80 Winnipeg, 51). Scott, with St. Louis whipping the Islanders twice, won series 2-1-1, although both advanced.

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* Bob Willnus, Ann Arbor, MI ('79-80 Montreal, 107/'78-79 St. Louis. 48) vs. Ira Feuerlicht, New York, NY ('79-80 Islanders, 94/779-80 Edmonton, 69). Series split 2-2, both are eliminated with only 18 points. * McDonough vs. Paul Harasen, Regina, Sask. ('79-80 Islanders, 91/'79-80 Edmonton, 69). McDonough won series 3-0-1 and advances.

SEMTETNALS ...

* Jerry Oattilo, Philadelphia, PA ('80-81 Quebec, 78/'80-81 Rangers, 74) vs. Irwin Steinberg, Brooklyn, NY ('79-80 Islanders, 91/'79-80 Edmonton, 69). Dattilo wins series 3-1-1 and advances. Most memorable game was 9-6 shootout won by Rangers over Edmonton as Eddie Johnstone of New

York and Edmonton's Stan Weir had hat tricks.

* Robert Scott, Bossier City, LA ('80-81 St. Louis, 107/'79-80 Winnipeg, 51) vs. John McDonough, Jackson Heights, NY ('79-80 Islanders, 91/ '79-80 Edmonton, 69). McDonough needed two wins by Edmonton (11-4 and 5-1 over Winnipeg) to advance, capturing series 3-2-1. Gretzky had hat trick in game five and Weir scored Edmonton's final three goals in game

Semifinals scores: '80-81 Quebec (JD) d. '79-80 Islanders, 4-2 tie 5-5 '' 'T9-80 Islanders (IS) d. '80-81 Quebec, 8-4 '80-81 Rangers (JD) d. '79-80 Edmonton, 5-2 '80-81 hangers (35)
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Expanding NAHA completes third season

Most play-by-mail leagues leap onto the Strat-O-Matic scene...and then plummet out of sight almost as quickly as they appeared.

There are some exceptions, of course, with one of the most notable being the North American Hockey Association, which recently completed its third full season and expansion from 10 to 14 teams.

Co-commissioners Dave Oldham of Newark, DE, and Harold Coleman, Bear, DE, were stabilizing influences and had a lot to do with the league's success. The NAHA initially played a 44-game season...then 56 its second year and finally for its third campaign went 70 games. The growth in The growth in number of games and lineup of coaches is proof that the NAHA is here to stay as one of the few successful PBM hockey leagues.

The league holds an annual draft and each team is allowed 26 skaters, 4 goalies and 5 inactive players. Only 18 skaters and 2 goalies

can dress for each game, however.

Winner of the NAHA's third season was Louis Ferrara of Newark, DE, who took over for a departed coach in mid-season and directed the newlynamed Newark Steamer to a championship. The Steamer's main source of firepower was in the form of a trio of 100-point-plus scorers: Marcel Dionne, 129; Dave Babych, 1.11; and Darryl Sittler, 101. Overtime was also a Steamer specialty as Ferrara's Mr. Clutch Squad was 4-0 in overtime playoff games.

Wayne Gretzky was, of course, the regular-season scoring king, ducing 70 goals and 66 assists for the expanionist Minnesota Lynx (coach: Lonnie Whitehead, Amboy, MN). Other outstanding individual performances were turned in by Charlie Simmer, who had 81 goals in only 63 games; Mike Bossy, who had a second-best total of 74 goals; Bobby Smith, who led with 89 assists; Wilf Paiement, with 21 power-play goals; Bob Bourne, 12 short-handed goals; Peter Feeters, 2.53 GAA; and Simmer, who had 14 game-winning goals. (continued on next page)

The NAHA also featured a newsletter, entitled the "NAHA News," with its final issue chronicling the playoffs and the season's highlights.

Some team highlights included Joe Paldino's Brooklyn Assassins allowing a league-low 189 goals (2.49 GAA); brother Tony Paldino having the highest scoring team (351 goals; 4.62 average) while guiding last year's league champing, the Booklyn Kinston of the Tony Paldino having the season of the sea league champions, the Brooklyn Kingsmen, from afar as Tony was stationed in Germany while serving in the army. Junu Kim, who annually supplies the Review with most frequently used power-play and penalty-killing lines, was also a member of the NAHA, guiding the expanionist Northern Illinois

Maple Leafs.

The other expansion teams were, in addition to the Gretzky-led Minnesota Lynx and the Maple Leafs, Kurt Smeby's Las Vegas Polar Bears and

the Calumet Cardinals, coached by Duane Lyons, Highland, IN.

In the playoffs, the Steamer chugged past the defending champ Kingsmen, 4-1, in the semifinals, and then disposed of the Delmarva Voyageurs, coached by Oldham, in the championship series, 4-2. Lance Nethery's goal two minutes into overtime gave the Steamer the first game, 5-4. The Voyageurs evened the series at a game apiece by winning 5-3. But then the Steamer romped 8-6 and 5-3 in games three and four, with Dionne's hat trick--his only goals of the finals--deciding game four. But then the

The Voyageurs kept their flickering hopes alive by winning game five, 4-1, but Sittler's goal early in overtime snapped a 2-2 deadlock and gave the Steamer the series in game six.

Standings and leaders:

Howe Conference	W L T Pts GF GA
Assassins (AS), Joe Paldino, Brooklyn, NY	48 16 12 108 311 189
Voyageurs (VY), Dave Oldham, Newark, DE	45 20 11 101 334 261
Comets (CM), George Benson, Hicksville, NY	37 27 12 86 294 272
Lynx (LX), Lonney Whitehead, Amboy, MN	29 34 13 71 288 322
Polar Bears, Kurt Smeby, Las Vegas, NV	31 36 9 71 295 295
Black Swampers (BS), B.J. Fischer,	23 41 12 58 279 341
Bowling Green, OH	20 41 12 30 279 341
Bruins (BR), Eric Siegel, Wellesley, MA	22 44 10 54 256 337
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Kingsmen (KM), Anthony Paldino, APO, NY	51 19 6 108 351 217
Steamer (ST), Lou Ferrara, Newark, DE	43 20 13 99 339 272
Blue Hens (BH), Harold Coleman, Bear, DE	35 35 6 76 322 303
Cardinals (CA), Duane Lyons, Highland, IN	24 34 18 66 303 348
Firebirds [FB], Jeff Kerkowitz, Phil., PA	26 43 7 59 234 307
Maple Leafs (ML), Junu Kim, Wilmette, IL	20 42 14 54 270 368
Islanders (IS), George Lantz, Buffalo, NY	21 44 11 53 254 298
Scoring G A Pts Goals	Assists
Gretzky LX 70 66 136 Simmer AS	81 Smith BH 89
Trottier KM 46 87 133 Bossy KM	74 Trottier KM 87
Dionne ST 51 78 129 Gretzky LX	70 Murphy AS 79
Maruk CA 60 61 121 Gare VY	69 Dionne ST 78
Bossy KM 74 45 119 Richard VY	65 Persson PB 78
Middleton CA 45 72 117 Maruk CA	60 Carlyle BR 76
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S-O-M league, replay scene

1980-81 BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS - Rick Guzman, an insurance salesman from Phoenix, AZ and a seven-year S-D-M veteran, replayed the playoffs and wound up watching raughshod over the Phoenix Suns in the championship series...In the finals, Phoenix surprised by winning the opener, 109-94, swishing 33 of 40 free throws. But that was it as the Suns were obliterated in the next four games, losing by scores of 107-105, 110-108, 112-105 and 127-113...Kevin McHale was the hero of the second game for the Celtics, scoring 19 points in only 18 minutes of playing time...McHale was also indomitable in game three, scoring 25 points, grabbing 14
rebounds and blocking six shots as Boston outboarded the Suns, 63-43...
Larry Bird--remember him?--rang up 30 points and had 14 rebounds and 7
assists in game four, while Robert Parish totaled 27 points and 17 rebounds. Dennis Johnson led the Suns with 30 points... Boston clinched it in game five as Bird scored 25, Parish 23...In the Eastern finals, Boston swept Philadelphia in four straight, while in the Western showdown it was Phoenix surprising Houston, 4-2...First-round playoff results: Boston d. Milwaukee, 4-1; Philadelphia d. Detroit, 4-0; Phoenix d. Kansas City, 4-3; Houston d. San Antonio, 4-2.

1972 DETROIT TIGERS REPLAY - Nick Saidoo, II, of Flint, MI, was on the dice-rollin' end of a 155-game schedule (due to baseball strike at start of season)...Playing the basic version, Saidoo couldn't guide the Tigers to a division title as Billy Martin did, instead finishing four games behind Boston and in second place...Four straight losses at the end of the season squelched Detroit's playoff hopes...Tom Timmerman, although inconsistent most of season, had seven shutouts. Tiger pitching delivered a 3.17 ERA, but only three hurlers had winning records...Al Kaline (.307) was the only regular to bat over .300...Injuries devastated Detroit as Mickey Stanley, Jim Northrup and Dick McAuliffe all were sidelined for key games down stretch.

FACE-TO-FACE FOOTBALL REPLAY - The new penalty system was incorporated into a full-season replay conducted by Tom Tigges, Dale Wieder-holt, Dean Brown, Arnie Fritsch and Steve Olson, all of Dubuque, IA... Olson said realism was increased but that an offshoot of new timing system was that 25 of 28 teams had to go over in attempts...San Diego scored a whopping 626 points and Philadelphia had the best record, 15-1, and allowed the fewest points, 338. Baltimore inflicted Philadelphia's only defeat, 44-41 in overtime...Most penalized team was New Orleans (97 for 788 yards), while Miami, as in real-life, played "Mr. Clean" by drawing only 60 for 395 yards...Atlanta was a surprise winner of the Super Bowl, defeating Dan Fouts and the super-charged Chargers, 38-34. Fouts passed for 458 yards, but William Andrews offset that by rushing for 108 yards and three touchdowns and Super Bowl MVP Steve Bartkowski connected on 25 of 41 passes for 373 yards...Atlanta defeated San Francisco, real-life Super Bowl king, in NFC championship game, 24-20, as Bartkowski was 21 of 42 for 313 yards. Joe Montana went to the air 61 times, completed 36 for 440 yards for 49ers...Only shutout of season was recorded in playoffs as San Francisco blanked the New York Giants, 17-0. 17-0 ... San Diego erupted for 3D points in the fourth quarter en route to 53-34 walloping of Buffalo in AFC wild card game. Playoff scores, standings and leaders:

Playoffs: AFC wild card - San Diego 53, Buffalo 34.

" semifinal - Cincinnati 14, Kansas City 13
" - San Diego 24, New York Jets 12
" championship - San Diego 26, Cincinnati 17
NFC wild card - San Francisco 17, New York Giants 0

" semifinals - Atlanta 38, Detroit 24

- San Francisco 34, Philadelphia 17 (con't)

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WORLD-WIDE BASEBALL ASSOCIATION - Play-by-mail league with 24 teams, divided into 12-team American and National leagues...Latest season was N.L...162-game schedule, beginning April 6 and ending Oct. 6...both leagues are independent of each other and use both players from reallife leagues...latest draft was held in January, with members coming from as far as 1,000 miles (Florida to Delaware) to attend...average age of general managers is 28, with oldest 38...Jack Luzzi, Wilmington, DE, is commissioner of N.L...no other names were included in statistical report sent to Review...Port Jersey Pilots, featuring pitchers Jerry Reuss (19-8, 2.57 ERA, 8 shutcuts), Jack Morris (22-6, 2.59) and Tom Seaver (15-9, 2.95) and go-go game that stole 271 bases, 93 by Rickey Henderson, won the pennant, knocking off Davis Park Dunes in the play-offs. Port Jersey had 102-60 record and Davis Park 116-46, which was built off Tim Raines' 111 steals, an attack that produced 796 runs and seven players with 10 or more home runs and a pitching staff that had six hurlers with 10 or more wins. Steve McCatty was 24-6 (2.51), Scott Sanderson 21-11 (2.50) and Bob Forsch 18-9 (2.93)...Davis Park Dunes' ERA was a minuscule 2.40.

Standings and leaders:

	W	Long	GB	Batting		RBI		
Javis Park Dunes	116	46	-	Carew PJ	.346	Dawson CH	135	
Port Jersey Pilots	102	60	14	Paciorek MA	.328	Garvey CH	112	
Mastic Catalysts	94	- 68	22	Lansford PE	.325	Grich DP	107	
Brandywine Griffins	92	71	25	Madlock CO	.324	Otis CO	104	
Christiana Cavaliers	91	72	26	Rose DE	.321	Buckner BR	102	
Long Island Railroad	82	77	31					
Peninsula Tides	79	83	37	Home Runs				
Concord Couriers	76	86	40	Dawson CH	42			
Delaware Federals	75	87	41	Grich DP	31			
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Gullickson DE	2.26	Rogers BR	55	Soto PE	247	SA:	Saucier DE 23
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Coming Next Month...

...Next month the April issue of the Review will feature the newest Who Should You Braft in baseball article...a replay of the 1961 World Series, matching the New York Yankees and Roger Maris and Mickey Mantle against the underdog Cincinnati Reds...the GKSML holds its National League draft and you are there...a sneak preview of the changes in S-O-M Pro Football will also be coming your way...and much, much more.

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In this corner...the editors

The Review editors, like yourself we're sure, are concerned with the large number of ads in this month's issue of the Review. We're hoping, because it's new card time, that it was for this month only.

The number of ads was the largest ever in the Review, and forced the Heview to hold back some articles and corners (no-hitters, Spotlight, etc.) for next month.

We know a lot of leagues are forming and that subscribers who wish to sell cards feel this is the time of year when their ads will reach more people, but we're still greatly concerned.

We don't want the Review to become all advertisements, or even 50

percent. Some advertisers, sorry to say, continue to write long ads. They pay accordingly, but perhaps that's not enough. The alternative is to raise rates, something we're reluctant to do in these difficult economic times. So, hopefully, subscribers will heed the plea to cut down on the size of ads and again make the Review a representative magazine for all segments of the Strat-O-Matic world. Roll 'em!

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Both hitting, pitching featured in '61 set

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Cepeda is dynamite against lefties, exploding for home runs on 1-5, 1-6, 1-7, 1-8 (1-4) while Mays is a "1" in center field with a -5 throwing arm.

* St. Louis has three "1s" in Curt Flood (cf), Ken Boyer (3b) and Bill White (1b) plus Bob Gibson, who has a good pitching card and yields few home runs.

* One player who certainly doesn't have a good card, at least as far as batting goes, is Pancho Herrera of the Phillies. Herrera, a righty, has 46 card chances to strike out against right-handed pitchers.

Since all gamers dom't have an opportunity to research and find the standings for 1961, here is the way they were that year:

NATIONAL	W	L	GB	AMERICAN	W		GB
Cincinnati	93	61	_	New York	109	53	==
Los Angeles	89	65	4	Detroit	101	61	8
San Francisco	85	69	8	Baltimore	95	67	14
Milwaukee	83	71	10	Chicago	86	76	53
St. Louis	80	74	13	Cleveland	78	83	30%
Pittsburgh	75	79	18	Boston	76	86	33
Chicago	64	90	29	Minnesota	70	90	38
Philadelphia	47	107	46	Los Angeles	70	91	38%
				Kansas City	61	100	47%
				Washington	61	100	47%