

## CURRENT BASEBALL PUBLICATIONS

### An Introduction to CBP

CBP is a quarterly publication of the SABR Bibliography Committee. Its purpose is to list all the baseball related publications published during each quarter. Publications are grouped into the following eleven broad categories:

1. Anthologies, Essays, Book Reviews
2. Biographies, Autobiographies, Personal Accounts
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4. History and General Works
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  - B. Rotisserie/Fantasy Leagues
6. Humor and Trivia
7. Instructionals, Fitness, Rules
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  - C. General Works
9. Statistics, Reference, Annual Works
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Although some publications may belong in more than one of these categories, they are listed only once in their most obvious (at least to the compiler) category. Entries are numbered and run consecutively through each issue. Each entry contains the following information (or as much as is known)

author (s). Title. Publisher. Address of publisher if a small press or self published. phone of small publisher. number of pages, whether it contains photographs, index, bibliography, notes, chronology, statistics, etc, price, paperback (P) or hardcover (H), ISBN or ISSN number. If a reprint, publisher and date of previous editions and occasionally comments on the publication.

For this issue, publications listed are those available by September 30, 1994. Entries are not normally repeated until the years end issue (the fifth issue usually out in February for the previous year). For other publications released in 1994 see previous issues of CBP. Contact John or Morris at the SABR office (216-575-0500) if you would like to subscribe to CBP (\$ 8 per year for 5 issues).

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### Section I: Anthologies, Book Reviews, Essays

01. Bell, John, editor. *The Grand Slam Book of Canadian Baseball Writing*. Pottersfield Press. \$ 16.95 0-919001-79-3. see SABR Bulletin
02. Wallace, Joseph, editor. *The Baseball Anthology: 125 Years of Stories, Poems, Articles, Photographs, Drawings, Interviews, Cartoons, and other Memorabilia*. Foreword by Sparky Anderson. New York: Harry N. Abrams, Inc. (ca. 308 pp., index, credits, \$ 39.95 h) 0-8109-3135-4

### Section II: Biographies, Autobiographies, Personal Accounts

03. Bak, Richard. *Turkey Stearnes and the Detroit Stars: The Negro Leagues in Detroit, 1919-1933*. Detroit: Wayne State University Press (300 pp., photos, \$ 24.95 h) 0-8143-2483-5. advertised in SABR Bulletin.
04. Clifton, Merritt. *36 Years of All-Star Rookies*. from Samisdat Press, P.O. Box 205, Shushon, New York 12873 (64 pp., \$ 8.00 p) advertised in SABR Bulletin.
05. Gibson, Bob with Lonnie Wheeler. *Stranger to the Game: The Autobiography of Bob Gibson*. New York: Viking (286 pp., photos, \$ 22.95 h) 0-670-84794-1
06. Harwell, Ernie. *The Babe Signed My Shoe*. Edited by Geoff Upward. South Bend: Diamond Communications (226 pp., photos, index, \$ 19.95 h) 0-912083-72-7; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
07. Mathews, Eddie with Bob Buege. *Eddie Mathews and the National Pastime*. Douglas American Sports Publications, P. O. Box 21619, Milwaukee, WI 53221-0619 (414-281-5183) (347 pp., photos, index, homerun list, \$ 13.95 p) 1-882134-44-3; advertised in SABR Bulletin.

- 2 - Biographies

08. O'Brien, James P. *Remembering Roberto (Clemente)*. James P. O'Brien Publishing, P.O. Box 12580, Pittsburgh, Pa 15241 (448 pp., photos, \$ 24.85) advertised in SABR Bulletin.
09. Shearon, Jim. *Canada's Baseball Legends*. Malin Head Press (order thru SABR) (248 pp., photos, stats, \$ 13.36 or \$ 16.80 Canadian) 51 profiles, advertised in SABR Bulletin.
10. Trumpold, Cliff. *Now Pitching: Bill Zuber from Amana*. The Lakeside Press, 5124 Mayfield Road, No. 191, Lyndhurst, Ohio 44124 (216-464-2005) (141 pp., photos, stats, \$ 8.00 p) advertised in SABR Bulletin. order thru SABR office.

Section III: History and General Works

11. Berlage, Gai Ingham. *Women in Baseball: The Forgotten History*. New York: Praeger Press (208 pp., notes, index, sources, \$ 22.50 h) 0-275-94735-1. advertised in SABR Bulletin.
12. Cady, Lew. *They've Got Rockies in Their Heads! The Colorado Rockies First Season ... From the Fan's Point of View*. Mile High Press, P.O. Box 9783, Denver, Colorado 80209 (254 pp., photos, \$ 10.00) 0-9639257-0-9; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
13. Halberstam, David. *October 1964*. New York: Villard (380 pp., photos, bibliography, \$ 24.00 h) 0-679-41560-2; story of race relations in baseball & dynastic decline of New York Yankees.
14. Halberstam, David. *Summer of '49*. New York: Avon (336 pp., photos, index, bibliography, Bosox & Yanks stats, \$ 10.00 p) 0-380-72146-5; Reprint, Morrow, 1989.
15. Hall Ruggles Chapter of SABR. *Texas is Baseball Country: A History of Texas Baseball*. distributed at SABR's 24th annual convention in Arlington, June 1994. (48 pp., photos, \$ 6.50 p) order thru SABR Office.
16. O'Brien, Jim. *Maz and the '60 Bucs*. James P. O'Brien Publishing, P.O. Box 12580 Pittsburgh, Pa. 15241 (512 pp., photos, \$ 24.65 h or \$ 15.67 p) advertised in SABR Bulletin.

17. Okkonen, Marc. *Baseball Memories 1930-1939: A Complete Pictorial History of the "Hall of Fame" Decade*. Rutgers University Press. 109 Church Street, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901 (800-446-9323)(\$ 24.95 h) 0-8069-0574-3; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
18. Okrent, Daniel. *Nine Innings: The Anatomy of a Baseball Game*. New foreword by Wilfred Sheed. Boston: Houghton Mifflin (272 pp., index, \$ 9.95 p) 0-395-71040-5; Reprint, Ticknor & Fields, 1985.
19. Plaut, David. *Chasing October: The Dodgers-Giants Pennant Race of 1962*. South Bend: Diamond Communications (248 pp., photos, chronology, stats, bibliography, index, \$ 22.95 h) 0-912083-69-7; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
20. Rhodes, Greg and John Erardi. *The First Boys of Summer*. Road West Publishing, 1908 Dexter Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206 (144 pp., photos, \$ 13.95 p) \$ 3.00 p/h; call 1-800-232-9900; advertised in SABR Bulletin; history of the 1869 Cincinnati Red Stockings.
21. Spalding, Greg. *Sailing the Three Rivers to the Title: Pittsburgh's 1971 Voyage of the Pirate Ship*. City of Champions Publishing, 1709 South Braddock Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa 15218 (103 pp., bibliography, \$ 12.00 p) advertised in SABR Bulletin.
22. Vincent, Ted. *The Rise and Fall of American Sport: Mudville's Revenge*. Lincoln, Ne.: Bison (University of Nebraska Press) (358 pp., \$ 12.95 p) 0-8032-9613-4; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
23. Ward, Geoffrey C. & Ken Burns. *Baseball: An Illustrated History*. New York: Alfred A. Knopf (486 pp., index, bibliography, \$ 60.00 h) 0-679-40459-7; companion volume to the PBS series
24. Westcott, Rich. *Phillies '93: An Incredible Season*. Philadelphia: Temple University Press (215-204-1099) ( 208 pp., photos, \$ 19.95 h) 1-56639-231-4; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
25. Zimbalist, Andrew. *Baseball and Billions: A Probing Look Inside the Big Business of Our National Pastime*. New York: Basic Books (Harper Collins) (298 pp., index, notes, bibliography, appendix, \$ 12.00 p) 0-465-00615-9; Reprint, Basic Books, 1992; this edition has new preface and postscript.

Section V: Hobby

26. ***Build Your Own Yankee Stadium Collectible Model.*** Owner's Box , 1040 First Avenue, Suite 169, New York, New York 10022-2902 (212-355-4483) (\$ 30.00) advertised in SABR Bulletin.
27. Cohen and Cone. ***Foul Ball Trading Cards: Baseball's Greatest Scandals, Scoundrels, and Screw-ups.*** Eclipse Books, P. O. Box 1099, Forestville, Ca 95436 (800-468-6828) (\$ 8.95) 1-560-60119-1; advertised in SABR Bulletin
28. Morelli, Jack and Mark Chiarello. ***Stars of the Negro Leagues Trading Cards.*** Eclipse Books, see previous entry, (\$ 9.95 ) 1-560-60090-X; 36 portraits with bio info; advertised in SABR Bulletin.

Section VI: Humor and Trivia

29. Berman, Chris. ***Chris Names: An Illustrated Guide to Chris Berman's Unique Characterizations of Sports Personalities.*** Kansas City: Andrews and McMeel (\$ 8.95) 0-8362-1753-5; nicknames as provided by the ESPN host.

Section VII: Instructionals, Fitness, and Rules

30. Adair, Robert K. ***The Physics of Baseball. Revised Edition.*** New York: Harper-Collins (160 pp., illustrated, \$ 10.00 p) 0-06-095047-1; Reprint, Harper & Row, 1990
31. Bean, Kenneth. ***Bean's About Baseball: Teach Your Kids.*** OBL Publishing, 2206 Stillmeadow, Suite 200, Missouri City, Texas 77489 (713-835-8830) (130 pp., \$ 9.95 p) 0-9634557-8-8; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
32. Mathewson, Christy. ***Pitching in a Pinch or Baseball from the Inside.*** Introduction by Eric Rolfe Greenberg. Lincoln, Ne: Bison (University of Nebraska) (304 pp., \$ 12.00 p) 0-8032-8212-5. ghost written by John N. Wheeler. Reprint, G.P. Putnam's, 1912 and Amereon House, 1993, (\$ 27.95 h)

Section VIII: Juvenile Works

Biographies

Chelsea House. Baseball Legends Series. (64 pp., photos, stats, index, chronology, reading list, \$ 14.95 h) each. I'll list all the titles published so far, with the new 1994 entries receiving a number.

1990

Appel, Marty. Joe DiMaggio. 0-7910-1183-6.  
Eckhouse, Morris. Bob Feller. 0-7910-1174-7  
Grabowski, John. Willie Mays. 0-7910-1183-6  
Grabowski, John. Jackie Robinson. 0-7910-1188-7  
Kavanagh, Jack. Grover Cleveland Alexander. 0-7910-1166-6  
Macht, Norman. Jimmie Foxx. 0-7910-1175-5.  
Shannon, Mike. Johnny Bench. 0-7910-1168-2  
Wolff, Rick. Brooks Robinson. 0-7910-1186-0

1991

Bjarkman, Peter. Roberto Clemente. 0-7910-1171-2.  
Gallagher, Mark & Neil. Mickey Mantle. 0-7910-1181-X  
Kavanagh, Jack. Rogers Hornsby. 0-7910-1178-X  
Kavanagh, Jack. Dizzy Dean. 0-7910-1173-9  
Macht, Norman. Babe Ruth. 0-7910-1189-5  
\_\_\_\_\_. Christy Mathewson. 0-7910-1182-8  
\_\_\_\_\_. Satchal Paige. 0-7910-1185-2.  
\_\_\_\_\_. Frank Robinson. 0-7910-1187-9  
Tackach, James. Roy Campanella. 0-7910-1170-4

1992

Appel, Marty. Yogi Berra. 0-7910-1169-0  
Grabowski, John. Sandy Koufax. 0-7910-1180-1  
Kavanagh, Jack. Walter Johnson. 0-7910-1179-8  
Macht, Norman. Cy Young. 0-7910-1196-8.  
Shannon, Mike. Willie Stargell. 0-7910-1192-5  
Tackach, James. Henry Aaron. 0-7910-1165-8

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Chelsea House Series, continued.

1993

Macht, Norman. Ty Cobb.  
Macht, Norman. Lou Gehrig. 0-7910-1176-3  
Wolff, Rick. Ted Williams.

1994

- Bjarkman, Peter. Duke Snider. 0-7910-1190-9  
\_\_\_\_\_. Ernie Banks. 0-7910-1167-4  
33. \_\_\_\_\_. Warren Spahn. 0-7910-1191-7  
34. Kavanagh, Jack. Honus Wagner. 0-7910-1193-3  
Macht, Norman. Jim Abbott.  
Macht, Norman. Tom Seaver.

Juvenile, General

35. Burns, Ken with Paul Robert Walker. *Who Invented the Game?* New York: Alfred A. Knopf. Baseball, The American Epic Series. (64 pp., photos, \$ 15.00 ) 0-679-86750-3; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
36. Burns, Ken with S.A. Kramer. *Twenty-five Great Moments in Baseball.* New York: Alfred A. Knopf. Baseball, The American Epic Series (64 pp., photos, \$ 15.00) 0-679-86751-1; advertised in the SABR Bulletin.
37. Burns, Ken with Jim O'Connor. *Shadow Ball: The History of the Negro Leagues.* New York: Alfred A. Knopf. Baseball, The American Epic Series (64 pp., photos, \$ 15.00 p) 0-679-86749-X; advertised in the SABR Bulletin.
38. Jennison, Christopher. *Baseball Math.* Good Year Books (Harper-Collins) (103 pp., illustrated, \$ 9.95 p) 0-673-36122-5; for grades 4-8; advertised in SABR Bulletin.
39. Shannon, David. *How George Radbourn Saved Baseball.* New York: Blue Sky (Scholastic) (32 pp., illustrated, \$ 14.95) 0-590-47410-3; ages 4-8

Section IX: Reference, Statistics, Annual Works.

40. Adomites, Paul, editor. *The Baseball Insider's Tour Guide to Baltimore*. Sheraden Publishing, 649 Sherwood Ave, Dept SB2, Pittsburgh, Pa 15204 (\$ 12.00 & \$ 1.50 p/h) advertised in SABR Bulletin.(best places to sit, eat, motels, card shops, etc.)
41. Adomites, Paul, editor. *The Baseball Insider's Tour Guide to Pittsburgh*. Sheraden Publishing (see above entry). advertised in SABR Bulletin.
42. Alvarez, Mark, editor. *The National Pastime: A Review of Baseball History. No. 14*. SABR. P.O. Box 93183, Cleveland, Ohio 44101 (112 pp., photos, \$ 9.95 p) 0-910137-56-0
43. Wayman, Joseph M., editor and Publisher. *Grandslam Baseball Annual 1993. 9th edition*. P.O. Box 4203. Downey, Ca 90241-1203 (128 pp.) advertised in SABR Bulletin.

Section X: Newsletters, Magazines, Newspapers.

44. Baron, Stuart D., editor and publisher. *Baron's On Deck*. P.O. Box 224, New York, New York 10044 (212-308-8671) 6 issues for \$ 12, 12 for \$ 20, 24 for \$ 32. rookie prospects, interviews, analysis aimed at rotisserie players but helpful to those who do not play.
45. *Braunstein's Met & Yankee Minor League Reporter*. 117 West 74 th St. # 4C, New York, New York 10023, bimonthly, 20 issues for \$ 19.95 advertised in Baseball America.
46. Beverage, Dick. *Pacific Coast League Potpourri*. bimonthly.call Beveridge at (714-524-0939). advertised in SABR Bulletin.
47. *Coors Field Facts*. 1660 17th Street, Suite 100, Denver, Colorado 80202 call 303-825-0401 (free with photos and info on new Rockies park) advertised in SABR Bulletin.
48. Lemke, Bob, publisher. *Sports Card Price Guide Monthly*. call 800-258-0929, \$ 21.45 (covers baseball, football, hockey, basketball cards)
49. SABR Chapter Newsletters (contact SABR Office about availability)  
Halsey Hall Chapter (Minnesota). The Holy Cow. \$ 10.00, monthly  
Arizona Chapter. The Hot Corner.  
Great Britain. The SABR Examiner, \$ 2.00 per issue

50. *Strike: Le Magazine du Baseball*. 2 Bis, Rue Georges Lardenois. 75019, Paris, France. (source: Ted Hathaway)

Section XI: Movies, Videos, Computer Software

51. Burns, Ken, producer. *Baseball: The American Epic*. over 18 hours on 9 videos. at your local video store or order thru the SABR office. (The series as shown on PBS in September 1994) \$ 179.95 retail for the entire series. SABR price is \$ 134.95 plus \$ 13.63 p/h.

52. Cronin, Mark X., producer. *Baseball '94: The Complete Interactive Preview Guide for Windows*. New Gutenberg Software, 142 McGuinness Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11222 (718-349-6936) \$ 24.95

53. Cronin, Mark X., producer. *Baseball '94 for Windows: The Midseason Edition*. see address above. \$ 14.95

54. Hall, Don. *ScoreCard PC*. Sporting Illusions. \$ 129.99 . lets you score a game by computer. (DOS 3.1 or higher, VGA monitor, 640 K memory, 1 MB on hard disk) call Hall at 206-833-1602.

55. Kisseloff, Jeff and Mel Allen. *Baseball's Greatest Hits*. (CD-ROM Mac/Windows) 1-559-40553-8; \$ 49.95; advertised in SABR Bulletin.

56. *Major League II*. Warner Brothers. starring Charlie Sheen, Tom Berenger, Corbin Bernsen, and in the front row, Bob Uecker. Directed by David S. Ward.

57. *The Scout*. 20th Century Fox. starring Albert Brooks, Brendan Frazer, and Dianne Wiest. Directed by Michael Ritchie.

Note: Section IV: Fiction and Poetry. Time Restrictions prohibited me from tracking down titles in this section during this quarter. Obviously there were some, and I'll list as many as I find next quarter.

further note: Many of the entries this quarter say "advertised in SABR Bulletin" This refers to the Inland Book insert in the September issue of the SABR Bulletin. While I haven't seen many of these books, I assume they are available and can be ordered thru Inland Books (800-457-9599 or P.O. Box 120261, East Haven, Ct 06512) as stated in the SABR Bulletin.

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