

The Last Pennant: A Nostalgic Journey Through the History of the Washington Senators

The Washington Senators were one of the most beloved baseball teams in the United States. They played in the nation's capital from 1901 to 1960, and they won the American League pennant in 1924. The Senators were also known for their colorful characters, including manager Bucky Harris and slugger Josh Gibson.



The Wrecking Crew of '33: The Washington Senators' Last Pennant by Gary A. Sarnoff

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In *The Washington Senators Last Pennant*, author John Thorn tells the story of the Senators from their early days to their eventual move to Minnesota. Thorn draws on a wealth of primary and secondary sources to create a comprehensive and engaging account of the team's history.

The book begins with the Senators' founding in 1901. The team struggled in its early years, but it began to find success in the 1920s. In 1924, the Senators won their first and only American League pennant. They went on

to lose the World Series to the New York Giants, but their pennant win was a major accomplishment for the team and the city of Washington.

The Senators continued to be a competitive team in the 1930s and 1940s. However, they began to decline in the 1950s. In 1960, the Senators moved to Minnesota, where they became the Twins.

The Washington Senators Last Pennant is a must-read for any baseball fan. It is a comprehensive and engaging account of the history of one of the most beloved teams in the United States.

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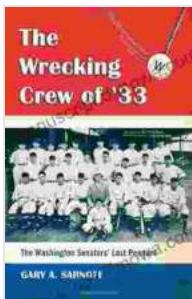
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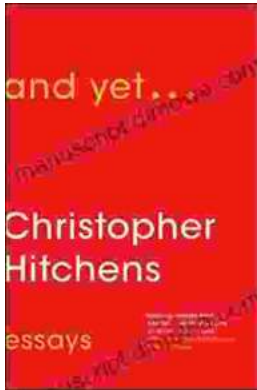
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