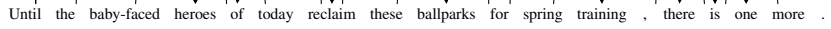
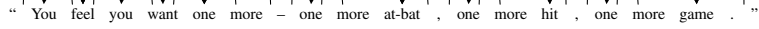
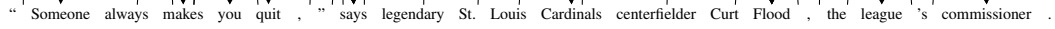
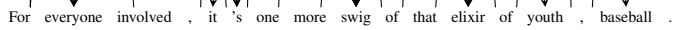
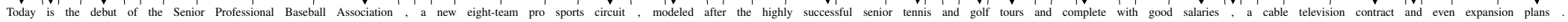
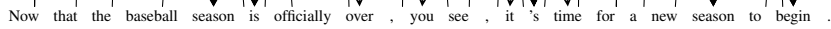
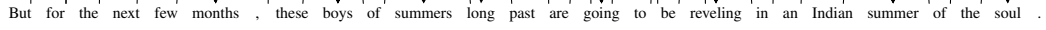
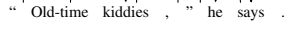
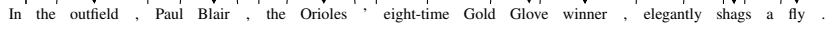
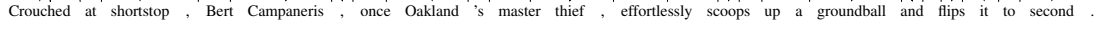
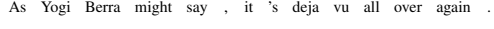
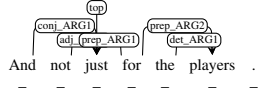


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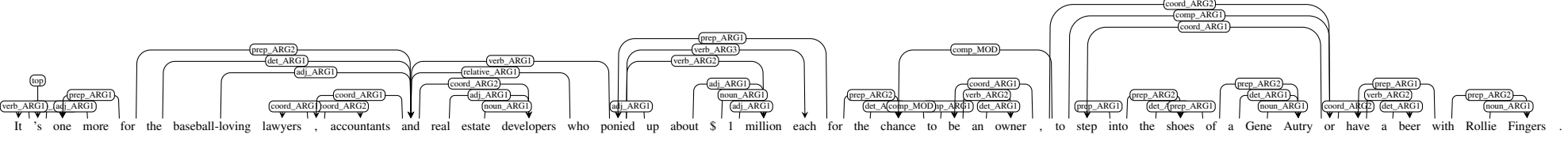


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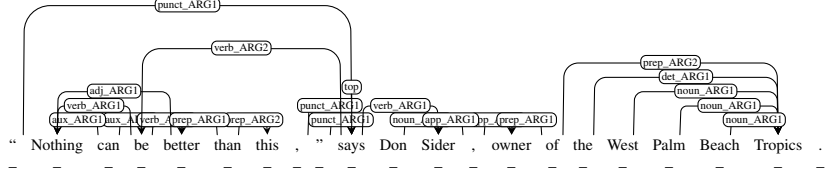


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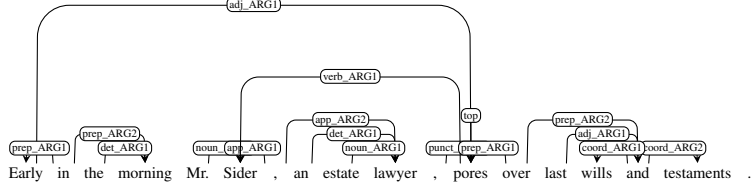


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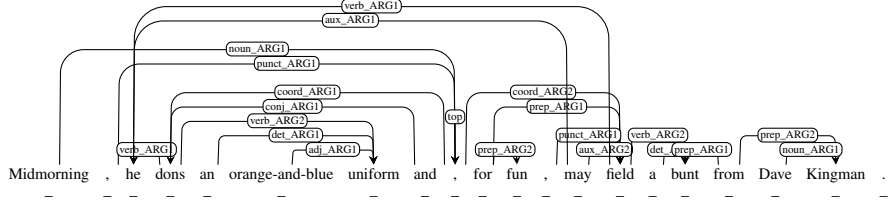
" Nothing can be better than this , " says Don Sider , owner of the West Palm Beach Tropics .

[20214019]



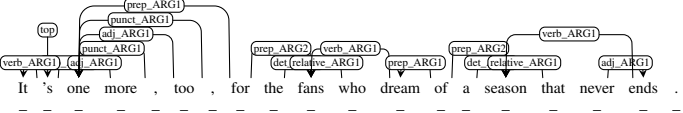
Early in the morning Mr. Sider , an estate lawyer , pores over last wills and testaments .

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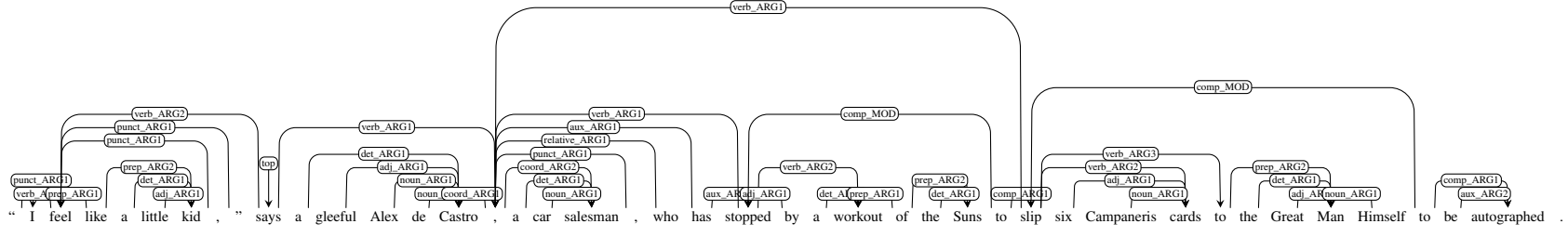
Midmorning , he dons an orange-and-blue uniform and , for fun , may field a hunt from Dave Kingman .

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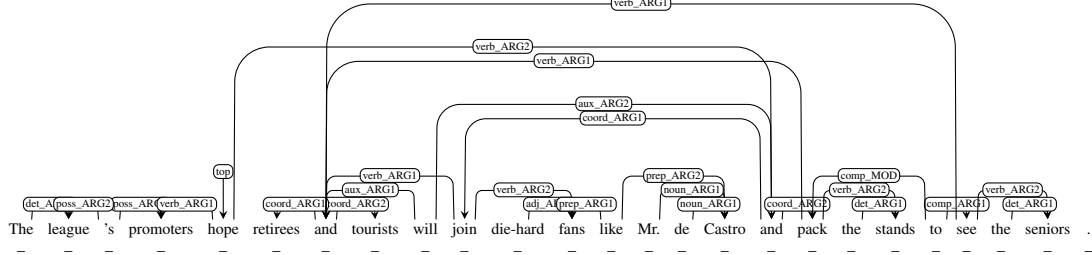
It 's one more , too , for the fans who dream of a season that never ends .

[20214022]



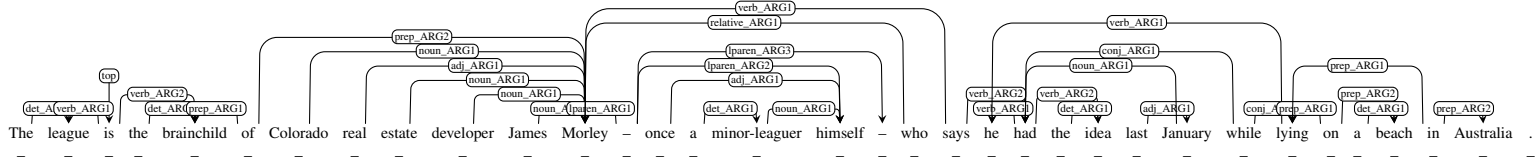
" I feel like a little kid , " says a gleeful Alex de Castro , a car salesman , who has stopped by a workout of the Suns to sip six Campaneris cards to the Great Man Himself to be autographed .

[20214023]



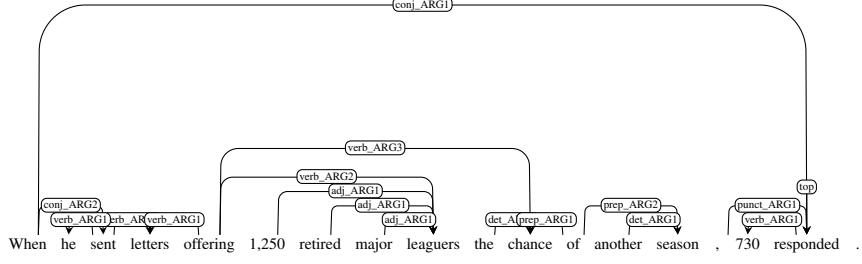
The league 's promoters hope retirees and tourists will join die-hard fans like Mr. de Castro and pack the stands to see the seniors .

[20214024]



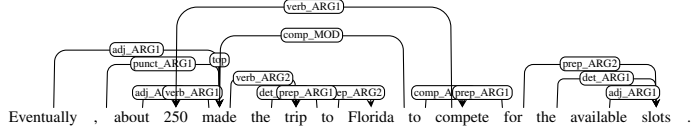
The league is the brainchild of Colorado real estate developer James Morley - once a minor-leaguer himself - who says he had the idea last January while lying on a beach in Australia .

[20214025]



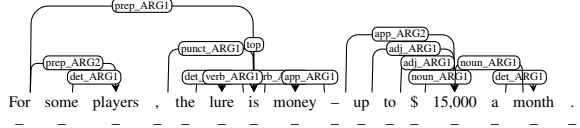
When he sent letters offering 1,250 retired major leaguers the chance of another season , 730 responded .

[20214026]



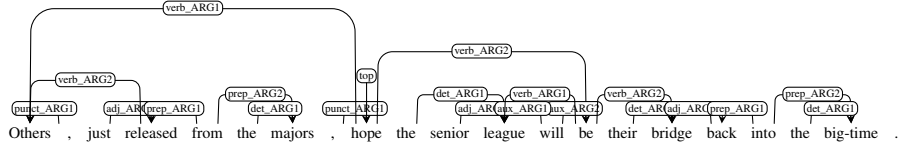
Eventually , about 250 made the trip to Florida to compete for the available slots .

[20214028]



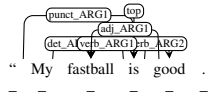
For some players , the lure is money - up to \$ 15,000 a month .

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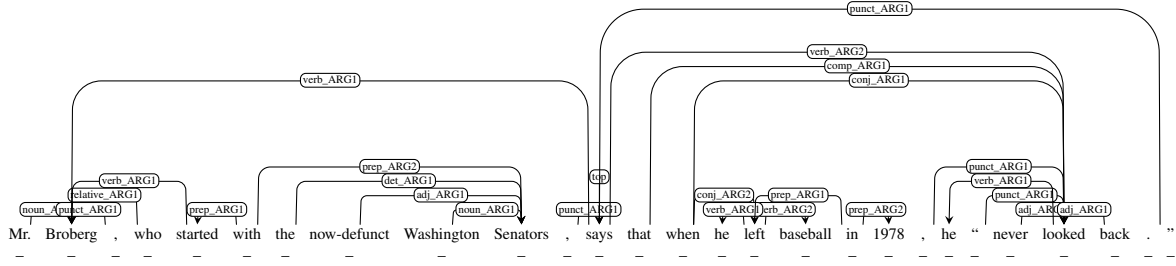


Others , just released from the majors , hope the senior league will be their bridge back into the big-time .

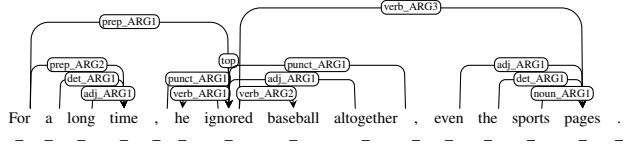
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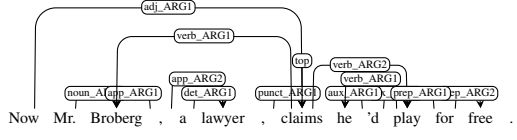
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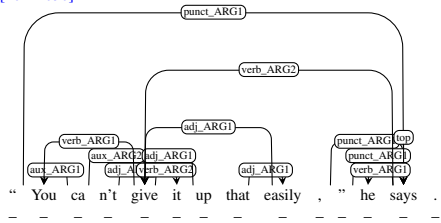
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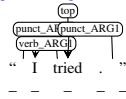
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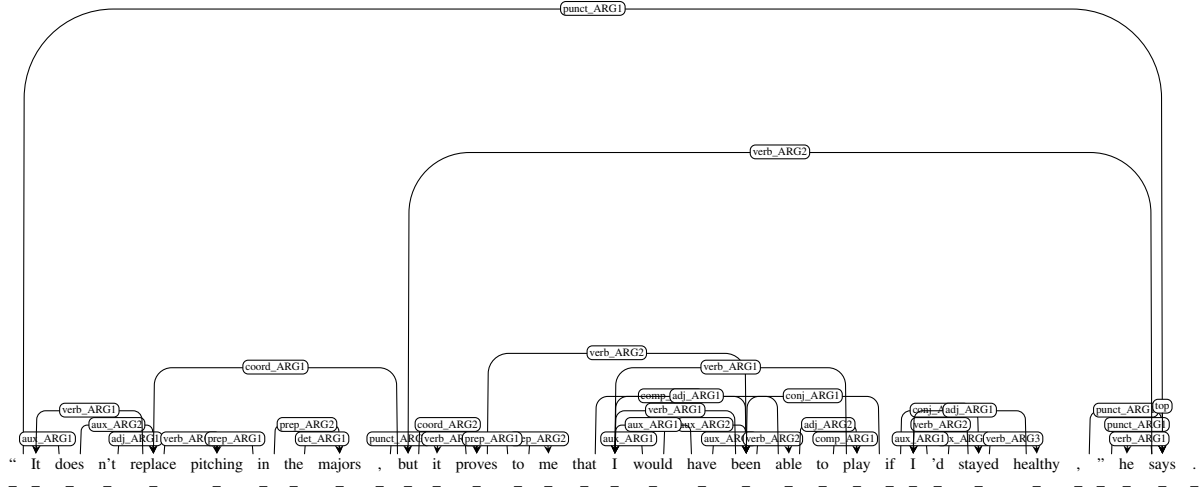
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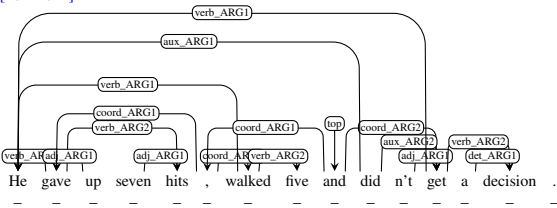
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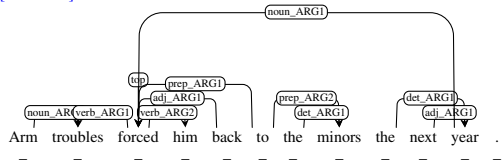
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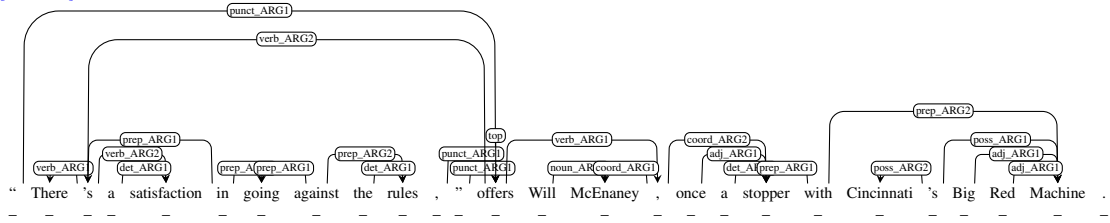
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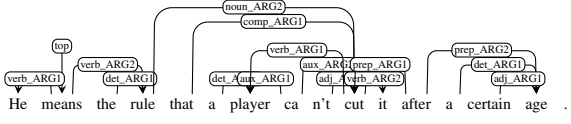
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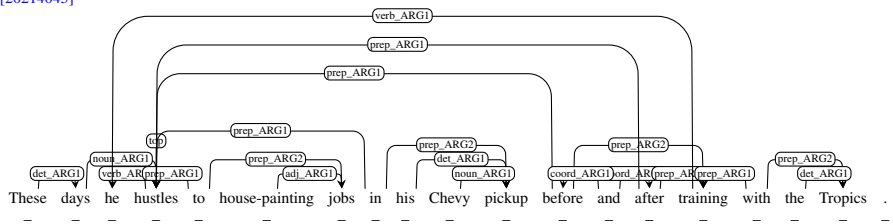
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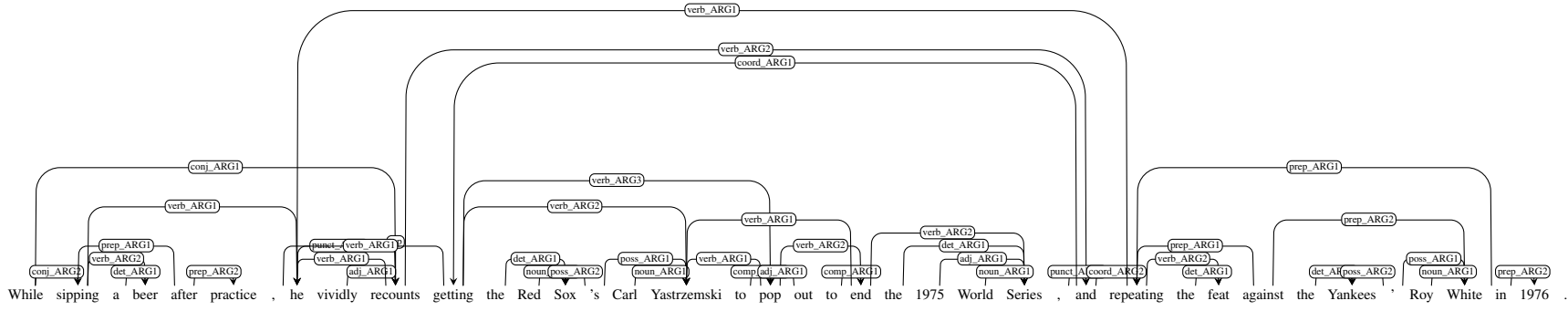
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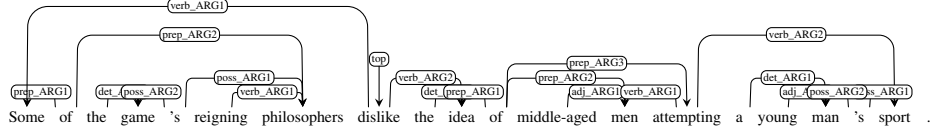
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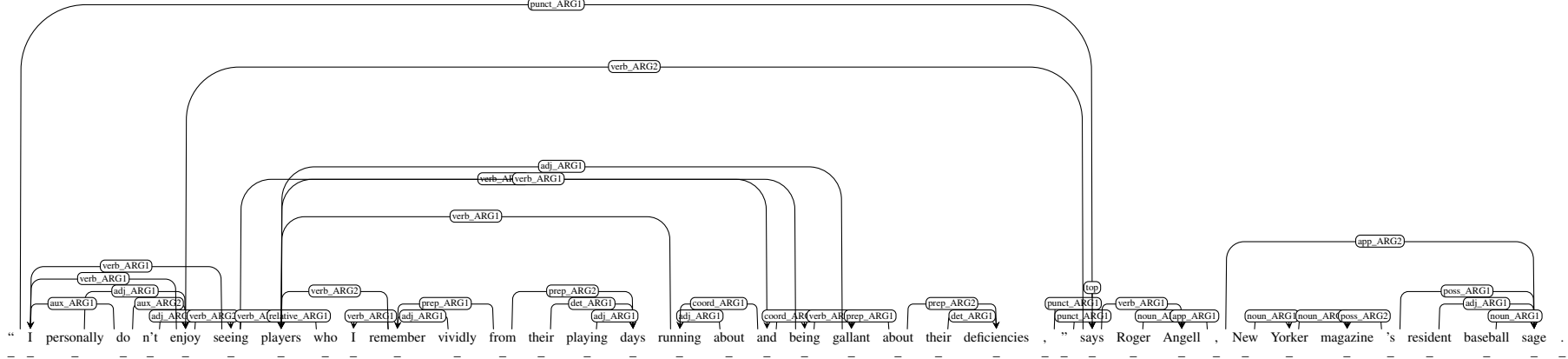
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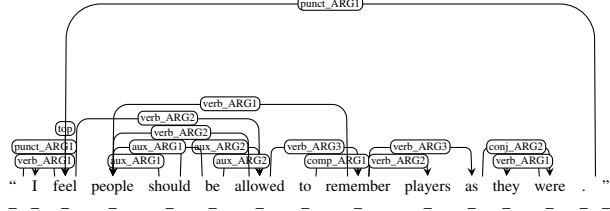
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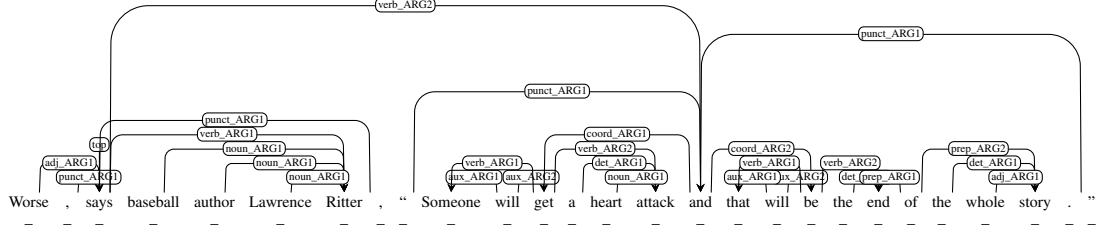
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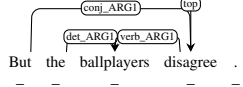
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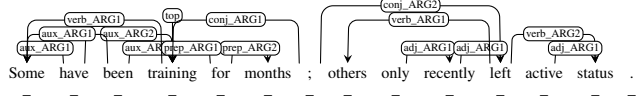
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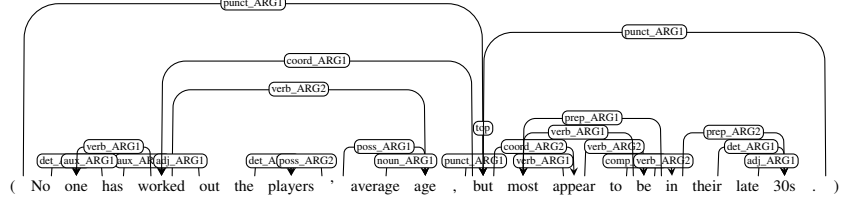
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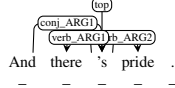
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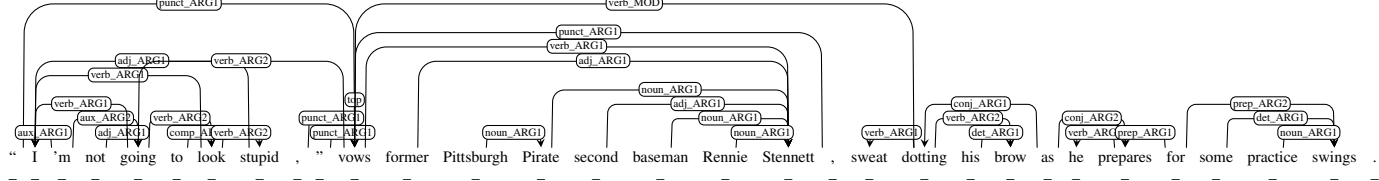
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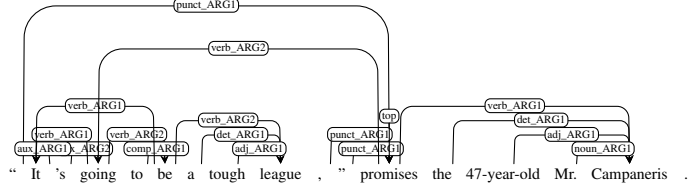
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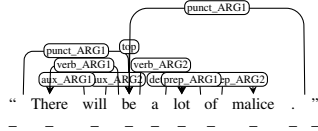
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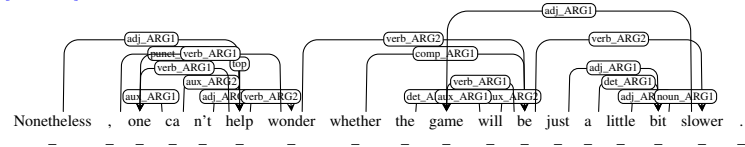
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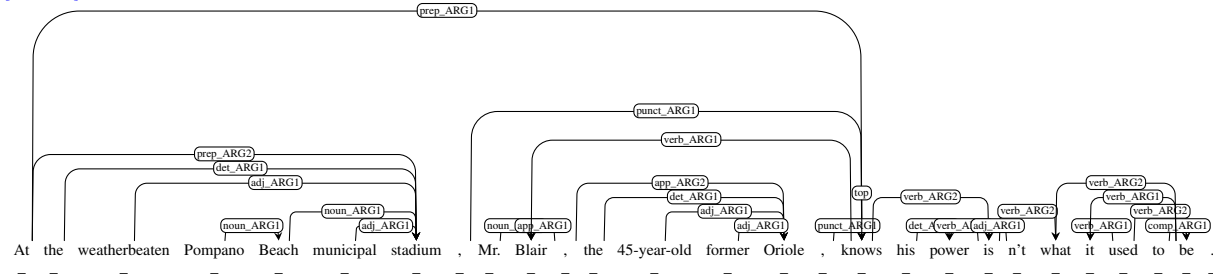
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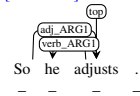
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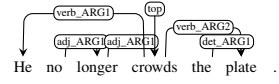
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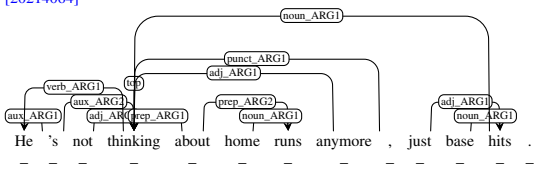
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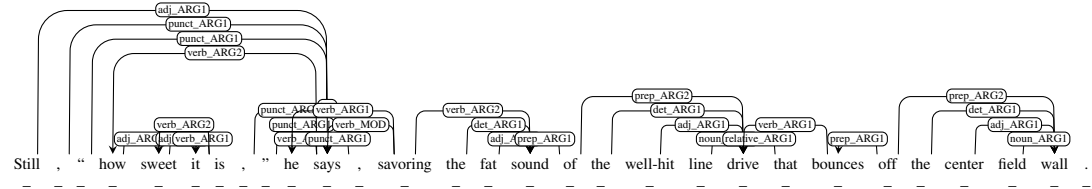
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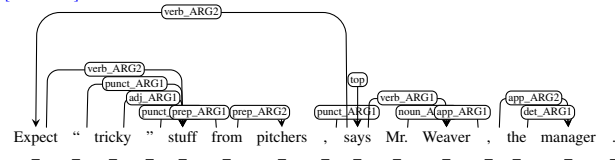
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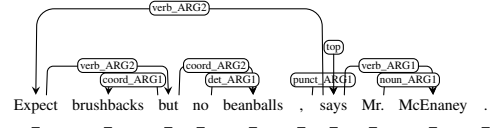
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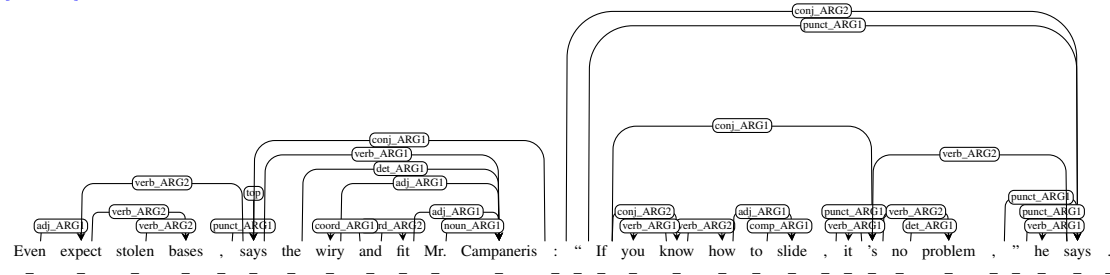
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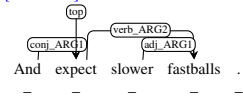
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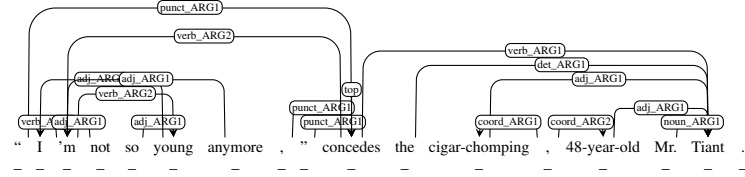
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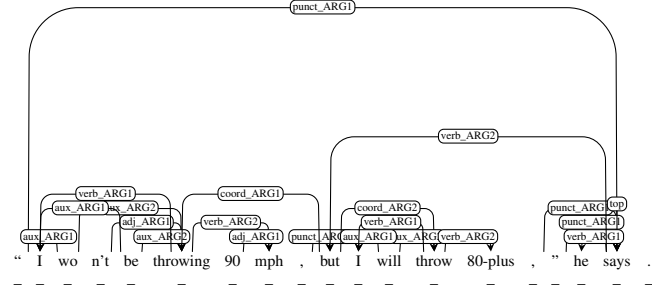
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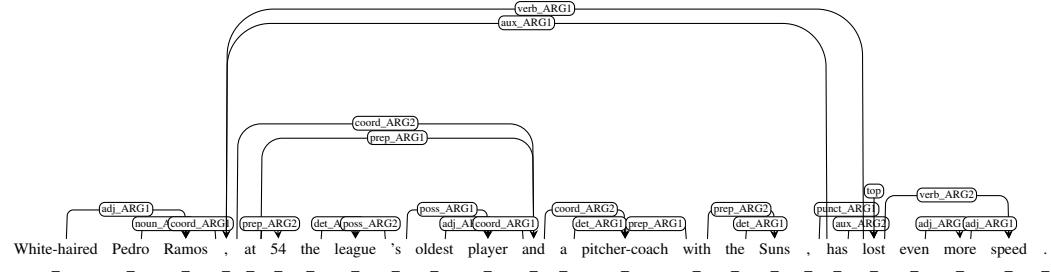
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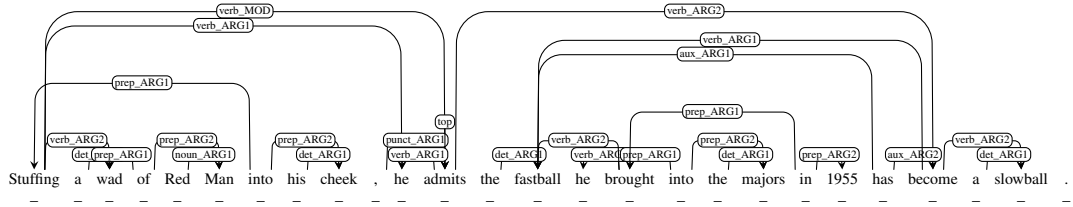
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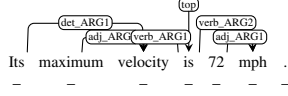
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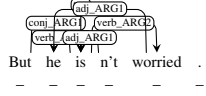
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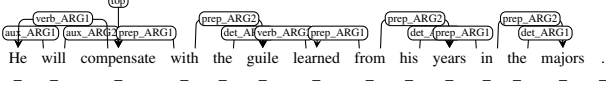
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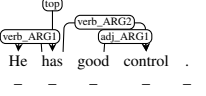
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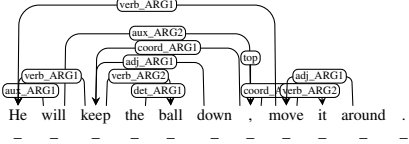
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