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SPORT NOTES.

We always knew Miller Huggins was a game little leader. Hug still insists the Cardinals are in the fight.

Rube Benton, the Cincinnati Reds' best pitching bet, is in the hospital again as a result of that motorcycle accident he had a year ago. It was found necessary to perform another operation on his damaged jaw, which has never been right since it was broken and caved in.

The Cincinnati Reds have purchased Pitcher Robbins from the Saginaw club of the Southern Michigan league and he will report to Manager Herzog in time to get a tryout on the eastern trip. He is a big left hander who looks very promising, according to Scout John McCloskey, who discovered him.

PLANK MAY START SERIES

Athletics Will Depend Much on Plank and Bender—Connie Mack's Southpaw Has Served in Four World's Series—Left Handed Pitcher Bothers the Braves—Plank and Mathewson Have Fought Many Hard Battles.

Will the veteran Eddie Plank, oldest player in either of the two major organizations, dean of American league twirlers and four times already one of the principal stars in a world's championship struggle, rise to the occasion once again this year and twirl the slugging Mackmen to baseball's supreme title?

Plank is Crafty.

Throughout the country the fans are asking this very question, and only when Connie Mack's great southpaw toes the slab against George Stallings' Braves will the time-defying left arm of the Gettysburg veteran give the answer. The anvil chorus is ready to start the slow music and sing the southpaws' swan song, but the crafty old portsider has fooled his critics before, and he may repeat the trick ere he passes from the big league limelight into the ranks of the "also rans."

That "Plank is slipping" is an old, old story now. For years the fans have been waiting for this great left-hander to "crack." Player-authors have predicted it and opposing batsmen have awaited said cracking as "a consummation devoutly to be wished," yet ever and anon the hoary old veteran bobs up serenely, and while recruits come and go the Philadelphia twirler pitches on and on, seemingly forever.

As in every preceding world's series, where the Mackmen have been contenders, this old southpaw is bound to be one of the principal factors as well as Mack's ochief pithing reliance. No matter how brillant a galaxy of pitching stars the Athletics may include among their younger twirlers, on the broad shoulders of Plank and Bender will fall the burden of the slab work, and on the effectiveness of this pair, in a great measure, depend Philadelphia's chances for success.

In but one big series has Plank failed to hold his own against the champions of a rival league. This was away back in 1906, when the Athletics met the Giants for the first time, and the tall left hander opposing Mathewson, who had entered fast company at the very same time as his rival, was forced to lower his colors twice to New York's "Big Six." But since then the Gettysburg veteran has had his fill of revenge. In 1910 he helped to wrest the world's title from Chance's Chicago Cubs, while in 1911 and 1913, with the Giants as the opposition, Plank had the supreme satisfaction of triumphing over his old rival Matty. And it may be remembered that during the big struggle last fall both Plank and Matty, realizing the flight of time, alike intimated that this was their final meeting. And in all probability, and especially through the year's triumph of the Braves, this pair will never clash in a world's series again.

Much Depends on Plank.

In spite of Chief Bender's great string of 13 consecutive victories this year, it is generally believed that Plank will prove Philadelphia's mainstay. Even though the closing struggles of the American league would seem to mark a rapid decline in Eddie's effectiveness, the fact that left handed pitching bothers the Boston Braves especially makes his selection as the chief twirler most likely. What if the old southpaw has been driven from the rubber in many recent games and relief twirlers found necessary? Plank always has had the happy faculty of rising to the occasion and showing his best at the eleventh hour.

Crafty above all other southpaws, with an uncanny knowledge of batters' weaknesses, the ability to work the corners of the rubber with exceptional skill, superb control and the power to field his position with brilliancy, Plank will undoubtedly prove worthy of the choice when the great test comes. Although the incentive furnished by the opposition of his old rival, Mathewson, may be lacking, the realization that this is undoubtedly his last appearance as a world's series hero may add to his great cunning and bolster up his arm's waning strength in this his last great entry. For Plank is but human after all, and the will and disposition cannot always prevail when the salary wing begins to suffer from the attacks of time.

From the standpoint of sentiment, as well as of baseball common sense, Mack will be forced to start the Gettysburg veteran, even though two clever young southpaws in Bressler and Pennock are crazy to get into the fray; and the history of three big world's series proves that old Eddie has always been able to do his part when called upon.

UMPIRE KLEM ESTABLISHED BANISHING RECORD

Cleared the Players' Bench—Christy Mathewson Led the Men in Lock Step to the Club House.

New York, Oct. 1.—Umpire Klem established what is believed to be a record in baseball history today at the game between the Boston and the New York National League teams. In the seventh inning, while the Giants were at bat, Klem took exception to what he regarded as unusually loud talking on the New York bench. He ordered the players to lower their voices.

Deciding presently that he had not been obeyed, Klem directed that the bench be cleared of everybody except Acting Manager Mike Donlin and the bat boy. Christy Mathewson headed the banished players and they marched single file, hands on one another's shoulders, across the field to the clubhouse, imitating in their progress the so-called lockstep required of convicts in some prisons.

Roger Bresnahan is described as the heaviest second baseman in captivity, but he seems to be getting by on the job with the Cubs.

NOT MUCH ENTHUSIASM AMONG QUAKER FANS

Perhaps Philadelphia Has Tired of Baseball Honors—Boston Fans Are Wild.

Strange to say, Philadelphia fans are not much excited over the big series. For some unknown reason they have lost interest in the Athletics. So far there has been no great demand for reserved seats at Shibe park. Perhaps the Quaker City is tired of leading baseball honors or regards the Athletics' supremacy over the Braves as a sure thing. In Boston, on the other hand, the Braves have stirred up tremendous enthusiasm. All New England is ablaze with excitement and the games at Fenway park probably will draw enormous crowds. It was shown on Labor day that the home of the Red Sox afforded room for nearly 40,000 fans in the afternoon—attendance figures that ought to be duplicated. Shibe park's record attendance for a world's championship game was 26,891, when the Cubs and Athletics played there on October 17, 1910. The Giants drew 36,286 there on October 16, 1911, while in last year's struggle the biggest attendance in Philadelphia was 20,568. In 1912 the Giants' best attendance at Fenway park was 34,683. These figures therefore would seem to indicate the advisability of opening the coming championship series in Boston, if players and magnates want to obtain the best financial results.

GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY.

American League.
Washington at Boston
New York at Philadelphia

National League.
Boston at Brooklyn
Philadelphia at New York

Federal League.
Brooklyn at Buffalo
Pittsburgh at Baltimore.
St. Louis at Indianapolis
Kansas City at Chicago

MONDAY'S RESULTS.

Federal League.
Chicago 2; Kansas City 0.
Indianapolis 13; St. Louis 8.
Brooklyn 2; Buffalo 4.
Pittsburgh 8; Baltimore 6. (First game)
Pittsburgh 1; Baltimore 1. (Second game, 8 innings—darkness)

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	82	58	.819
New York	83	69	.546
St. Louis	81	71	.533
Chicago	77	76	.503
Brooklyn	74	78	.486
Philadelphia	73	79	.480
Pittsburgh	69	83	.448
Cincinnati	60	94	.389

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	98	52	.653
Boston	90	61	.596
Detroit	80	73	.523
Washington	80	72	.526
St. Louis	71	82	.464
New York	69	83	.454
Chicago	69	83	.454
Cleveland	51	102	.346

FEDERAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	86	65	.569
Indianapolis	85	65	.567
Baltimore	79	68	.537
Buffalo	77	68	.531
Brooklyn	74	74	.500
Kansas City	65	83	.439
Pittsburgh	62	81	.434
St. Louis	62	86	.419

Athletic's Regulars Came Back with a Victory.

Philadelphia, Oct. 5.—The Athletic's regulars began their tuning up for the world's series after a week's rest when they defeated New York today 2 to 1. All of the regular infielders, outfielders and catchers that Manager Mack expects to send in against the Braves next Friday were in the game with the exception of McInnis. The latter has two sore fingers and he merely took part in the batting practice. The injury is not serious enough to keep him out of the big games.

Walsh played first base for Philadelphia in good style. The American League champions showed the effect of the layoff by their weak hitting, but this was offset by excellent fielding and splendid twirling by Bush, Bressler and Shawkey. Each pitched three innings, Bush not permitting a hit and Bressler and Shawkey only one each. Score:

New York (A)	ab	h	po	a	e	Philadelphia (A)	ab	h	po	a	e
Maisel, 3b	3	0	1	2	0	Murphy, rf	3	1	2	0	0
Hartzell, lf	4	0	0	1	0	Oldring, lf	4	1	1	0	0
Cook, rf	3	1	4	0	0	Collins, 2b	2	0	1	3	0
Cree, cf	3	0	2	0	0	Baker, 3b	3	1	2	1	0
Mullen, 1b	3	0	6	0	0	Walsh, 1b	3	0	13	0	0
Peck'gh, ss	3	1	2	3	1	Strunk, cf	3	1	1	0	0
Sweeney, c	3	0	8	2	0	Barry, ss	3	1	1	4	0
Roth, 2b	3	0	3	3	0	Schang, c	1	0	3	0	0
McHale, p	1	0	0	0	0	Lapp, c	2	0	3	1	0
xDaley	1	0	0	0	0	Bush, p	1	0	0	0	0
						Bressler, p	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	27	2	24	6	1	Shawkey, p	1	0	0	1	0
						Totals	27	5	27	13	0

xBatted for McHale in 9th.

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Philadelphia	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	—2

Three base hits. Strunk.

Demaree Too Much for Phillies.

New York, Oct. 5.—New York shut out Philadelphia in the first game of their last series here today, 4 to 0. Demaree held the visitors to three scattered singles while Rixey was hit fairly hard. The all-round work of Smith, a recruit New York catcher, featured.

Wednesday's game has been moved forward to tomorrow, when the local National League season will end with a double header. Score:

Phila.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0 3 2
New York	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	x	—4 10 1

Rixey, Mattison and Dooin; Demaree and Smith.

Chicago 4, St. Louis 3.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 5—The St. Louis team closed its major league baseball season today by losing to Chicago 4 to 3. The visitors by bunching hits with errors in the seventh scored three runs off Perdue. Zimmerman's single by Sweeney counted one off Robinson in the eighth. A base on balls, three singles and an out was St. Louis' scoring combination. The score:

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	—4 8 1
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	—3 9 3

Zabel and Tyree; Perritt, Perdue, Robinson, Williams and Snyder.

Washington 9, Boston 3.

Boston, Oct. 5.—Heavy hitting by Washington resulted in a 9 to 3 victory over Boston today and enabled the visitors to break the tie with Detroit for third place. Collins pitched for seven innings, being taken out to make way for a pinch hitter. Gregg finished the game and not only was he wild, but he was hit freely. Johnson kept the locals' hits well scattered and he contributed a home run drive into the center field bleachers. The score:

Wash'ton	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	2	—9 11 2
Boston	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3 10 3

Johnson and Ainsmith; Collins, Gregg and Cady.

Champion Braves Win Another.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 5.—The Boston champions played rings around the Brooklyns in today's double header, winning both games, the first 15 to 2 and the second 2 to 5. Boston hammered Aitcheson and Schmutz at will in the first contest, while Crutcher held the locals safe throughout. The second game was close until the ninth, when with Brooklyn one run ahead, Whitted won the game for Boston by driving out a home run with the bases full. Ragan had struck the side out in the eighth on nine pitched balls, but he blew up in the ninth.

Boston (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	Brooklyn (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Mann, rf	6	1	4	2	0	Dalton, rf	4	2	1	0	0
Evers, 2b	4	1	2	1	0	Hummel, 1b	4	0	8	0	0
Cather, lf	4	3	3	0	0	Stengel, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Whitted, cf	3	2	1	0	0	Wheat, lf	3	1	2	0	0
Schmidt, 1b	5	3	12	0	0	Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	0	2	0
Smith, 3b	5	2	2	3	0	Getz, 2b	4	2	0	2	1
Mar'ville, ss	4	1	1	3	0	Egan, ss	4	0	1	5	0
F. Tyler, c	4	1	2	1	0	McCarty, c	1	1	6	1	1
Crutcher, p	4	0	0	3	0	Fisher, c	2	1	2	1	0
						Alt'son, p	1	0	0	1	0
						Schmutz, p	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	14	27	13	0	Totals	32	7	27	14	2

Boston	2	0	2	0	5	0	0	3	3	—15
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2

Two base hit, Cather. Three base hits, Mann, Smith, Meyers, Wheat, Schmidt. Home run, Whitted.

Batted for Hughes in 9th.

Boston (N)	ab	h	po	a	e	(Brooklyn (N)	ab	h	po	a	e
Mann, rf	4	2	2	0	0	Myers, cf	1	0	1	0	0
Deseore, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Dalton, lf	4	0	0	0	0
Evers, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	Hummel, 1b	5	1	7	0	0
Tinker, 2b	3	0	1	1	0	Stengel, rf	4	2	3	0	0
Cather, lf	4	2	3	0	1	Wheat, lf	4	2	2	0	1
Whitted, cf	4	2	4	0	1	Cutshaw, 2b	5	1	3	3	0
Schmidt, 1b	4	1	7	0	0	Getz, 2b	5	1	1	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	1	4	2	0	Egan, ss	3	0	2	1	1
Mar'ville, ss	2	0	1	0	1	McCarthy, c	4	1	9	2	0
Deal, ss	2	0	0	2	1	Allen, p	2	0	0	2	0
F. Tyler, c	3	1	3	2	0	xxFischer	1	1	0	0	0
Hughes, p	3	0	0	0	0	Ragan, p	1	0	0	0	0
zGilbert	1	1	0	0	0						
Heac, p	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	37	10	27	8	2
Totals	35	10	27	7	4						

zzBatted for Allen in 7th.

Boston	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	5—9
Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0—2

Two base hits, Mann, McCarty. Home runs, Mann, Whitted.

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ALL THIS WEEK

Reds and Pirates Divided a Double Header.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 5.—Pittsburgh and Cincinnati closed the National League season here by dividing a double header. Pittsburgh won the first game 4 to 3 and Cincinnati captured the second 4 to 1. The second contest was called by agreement at the end of Pittsburgh's half of the seventh inning.

The first game was closely contested, Cincinnati rallying in the ninth but falling one run short of tieing the score. Cincinnati won the second contest by bunching hits in the fourth inning.

Scores:

(First game)

Pittsburgh	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4 7 4
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—3 8 1

McQuillan and Smith; Ames, Douglass and Glockson.

(Second game)

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1 4 1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	3	1	0	x			—4 6 0

H. Kelley and Schang; Schneider and Gonzales.

Mayor Curley Will Lead the Rooters.

Boston, Oct. 5.—Mayor Curley will lead the Royal Rooters, a band of 300 baseball enthusiasts, when they go to Philadelphia to cheer the Braves in the world's series contests there on Friday and Saturday, he announced today. The Royal Rooters have followed the fortunes of every Boston team that has taken part in an important series in the past twenty years. They have yet to support a loser.

STAFFORD.

Republicans Win Election—Town Votes 417 for License, 372 Against.

By a normal majority of 16, Stafford elected a republican set of town officers on Monday, but the democratic tax collector, Patrick J. Murray, defeated his republican opponent by 17 votes.

From a tie last year, on 354 votes on the license question, the town voted 417 yes and 372 no on the question of license.

Officers elected were the following:

Selectmen—William R. Preble r, Louis McLaughlin r, William S. Wallbridge r.

Board of Relief—Herbert A. Glazier r, Hannibal Alden r, Anthony Adams d.

Assessor—Charles H. Moore r.

Tax Collector—Patrick J. Murray d, by 17 votes.

BALTIC

Fine New Organ at Methodist Church—Recital Wednesday Evening—Barry-Gareau Wedding.

A magnificent new organ has been installed in the M. E. church recently by builders from New York. The organ is placed in an addition which has been built at the rear of the church. It is to be run by water power. The parishioners have worked hard to raise the money necessary to purchase the organ and are naturally greatly pleased at the result of their efforts.

Invitations have been extended to the people of the town to attend an organ recital at the church to be given at 7.30 Wednesday evening by Henry P. Noll, A. A. G. O., of New York.

5,000 COMMUNICANTS

At Mission for French-Speaking Parishioners at St. Mary's Church.

The mission for the French-speaking men of St. Mary's parish came to a close at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon with special services, consisting of the recitation of the rosary, sermon and benediction of the blessed sacrament.

In the evening at 7.15 a mission was opened for the English-speaking parishioners, and there was a large attendance. The mission is being given by Rev. Peter J. Corr, a Redemptorist, from New York. The exercises during the mission consist of masses in the morning at 5 and 8 o'clock, at which a short sermon is preached, and services in the evening at 7.15. During the French mission over 5,000 received holy communion.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. John Nugent of Blackstone, Mass., is the guest of James McGuire, Sr., and family of Main street.

William I. Cronin of Plainfield was in town Sunday.

John L. Cronin, who has been working as telegrapher in Whitinsville, Mass., spent the week end with his parents and left Monday for Hope, R. I., where he is to be telegrapher.

WEDDING.

Barry—Gareau.

Monday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Mary's church Victor J. Barry and Rose de Liman Gareau were united in marriage by Rev. U. O. Bellerose of Taftville, who also was celebrant of the solemn high nuptial mass which followed, Rev. Fr. Belanger being deacon and Fr. Landry sub-deacon. Miss Dinorah Gareau, twin sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Delord Davignon of North Grosvenordale was best man. The bride's gown was of white satin with lace overdress. She wore a wreath and veil and carried bride roses. The bridesmaid was dressed the same.

The bride has been a popular member of the Children of Mary society, and a large number of the members were present at the mass and wore their veils and medals. They stood on either side of the center aisle of the church as the bride passed on to the main altar attended by her father, F. A. Gareau, while the wedding march was finely rendered by the organist, Miss Milner. The singing of the mass was by the musical choir. At the offertory an Ave Maria was sung in a most effective manner by Mrs. V. Quinn of Versailles.

After the church ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home on railroad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry left Monday evening on the 6.20 train for New Bedford, Mass., where they will spend a short time, afterwards going to Minneapolis, Minn., where they will reside.

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Boston Braves Have Smiling Faces, Perhaps Because of the World's Series.

The Boston Braves have smiling faces these days. Look at them. There is Dick Rudolph, the star pitcher, who will probably officiate in the first game. His smile looks confident. And see Connolly's grin. He is probably thinking of how he will take "Home Run" Baker's honors away from him. Connolly can do it, too, if Plank and Bender and the other Athletic twirlers will only pitch so he can hit the ball. And "Rabbit" Maranville, who shortstops for the Braves—he is also grinning. He knows what he can do with that extra $3,000 or $4,000 he is to receive. "Butch" Schmidt, who owns a half a dozen butcher shops in Baltimore and has an income of perhaps $8,000 a year besides what he gets for first basing—his mile rivals that of Outfielder Cather. And there is George Davis, the young collegian who recently pitched a no-hit game. His smile is contagious. Perhaps those hirelings of Connie Mack will rub those smiles off. Perhaps.

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