

Perritt Blanks Cubs for Giants' 16th Win

McGraw's Men Add One More to Long String of Victories.

RARIDEN'S HOME RUN FEATURE OF GAME

In Last Six Innings Only One Chicago Player Reaches First.

By W. J. MACBETH.

It's sixteen in a row for the Giants now. Poll Perritt shut out the Cubs by a score of 4 to 0 at the Polo Grounds yesterday afternoon and framed a real treat for this afternoon, the closing game of the season with McGraw's ancient and honorable rival. Victory for New York to-day will tie the earlier record that the Polo Grounders established on their first long road trip of the season.

Chicago's farewell for the moment overshadows the clever triumph of yesterday. If the home team can get by with this one the long standing record of the old Providence champions will be in real jeopardy. St. Louis, which comes to-morrow for a double-header, does not figure to present the front of either the Cubs or the Pirates. But sufficient unto the day—big Jim Vaughn has been groomed by Joe Tinker with the special idea of halting the Giants' spurt.

Vaughn in his last game shut out the champion Phillies. He held the Quakers to three hits and conquered Alexander the Great. It is Tesreau's turn to tackle the formidable southpaw of the Windy City. Slim Salter, ready to A-freak an attack of ptomaine, is back in uniform, but not quite right for a contest of such importance.

Perritt Strong in Pinches.

Foll Perritt outpitched Claude Hendrix all the way yesterday. Tinker's Bureau opened the attack with a lead for nine hits of various denominations. He was hit particularly hard through the early going. Perritt was far from his best during the first three innings, but even then was strong in the pinches and was admirably supported.

After the third inning only one Cub batter got as far as first and none further. With two out in the eighth, Eddie Zeider was in the line. Zeider, who had been in the ninth inning, there was not one really hard chance for the Giant fielders.

It didn't take the Giants long to put Hendrix at a disadvantage. George Burns opened the attack with a clean single to left field. He took second while Yerkes was throwing out Herzog and moved to third when Robertson beat a slow roller to right, scoring Burns and sending Davey on to the near corner.

An attempted double steal failed. Zimmerman was headed when Yerkes threw the throw, and was driven back for an out near first without once giving the fleet Robertson an opportunity to dash in. New York had to be satisfied with the one run. Fletcher struck out.

Kauf opened the second half of the second with a single to right, but was doubled stealing as Holke's double killing. The significance of this double killing was magnified a few moments later, when Bill Rariden cracked one to the exit gate in right center for a home run. A home run inside second grounds for Bill Rariden needs no further inside news.

Had throw by Williams helped toward the run of the fourth inning, Zimmerman, first up, hit through Zeider, Fletcher singled to center, and Heine, who had pulled up at second, went on to third, Fletcher taking second. Zimmerman tallied and Zeider took third while Robertson was thrown out. Kauf, Fletcher and Zeider stood up when he attempted to steal home.

Lost Opportunity.

Zimmerman got the last run for the Giants in the sixth inning. He walked, got two out, and stole second base. Fletcher singled to right center, and Heine had no trouble finishing the journey. The Giants failed to profit by Zeider's lead in the eighth. Perritt drew a walk as a starter, but Burns forced him. Herzog singled to left, and Doolan, running for Herzog, fanned on end, but Davey Kolb, fanned on end, but Zeider, Zimmerman this time ruined a perfect batting average with an easy footer to left.

Olaf Wilson, onetime Giant doubled, with only one out in the second. But Yerkes hoisted to Burns, and Wortman tapped straight to Herzog. The Cubs probably would have gotten at least one run in the third if Flack had not stumbled, as Flack, Mann and Saier singled in order, with two out, Kauf, made a beautiful throw to the plate on Saier's single to cut down Flack, trying for second.

Half-way home Flack stumbled. When he picked himself up he had no chance, and need back to third, a base occupied by Mann means safe. Rariden, who tagged Kauf for the third out.

Boots and Bingles.

The S. R. O. sign will be out at the Polo Grounds to-morrow if the Giants beat Jim Vaughn to-day. St. Louis is to appear in a double-header Saturday.

Zimmerman seems to improve his offensive game every day. He led McGraw's attack with two hits, two runs and a stolen base.

Walter Holke seemed easy for Hendrix. The Cub pitcher struck out the young Giant first baseman in both the third and seventh innings. On his other time at bat Holke fouled to Zeider.

Perritt's last six innings would have been perfectly pitched had he not lost Zeider in the eighth inning in trying to work the corners too closely.

Holke saved Herzog an error in the seventh by making a wonderful pick-off with his throw. He had plenty of time, as Yerkes is not so fast as he was once.

Zimmerman and Doolan, of all the Giants, were alone successful in stealing on the Cub battery. Even Zimmerman failed in his first attempt. Fischer flagged Jim, Kauf and Fletcher at second, and picked off Fletcher when the latter tried to steal home.

In only three of the nine innings was Hendrix able to set down the Giants in one-to-three order. In four of the five innings when they got runners on the paths McGraw's men improved their chances by scoring.

Feature Facts for the Fans

The Giants won their sixteenth straight.

McGraw's men are now four games behind the Braves and six behind the Phillies.

Cheney won his twentieth contest of the season.

Carey made four of the Pirates' eight runs. He stole three bases.

Griffith, of the Reds, in five times at bat made a triple and three singles.

The Indians made fifteen hits off Walter Johnson. Three were triples.

Walker, of the Red Sox, made a homer and a triple in three times at bat.

Yankees Humble Browns by Rally in Ninth Inning

Hendryx Makes Four Hits, One Being Triple—Miller Stars in Fielding.

St. Louis, Sept. 21.—The Yankees arose in their wrath against the oppressor this afternoon and actually won a series from the St. Louis Browns by a grand ninth inning rally. The final score was 5 to 4.

Tim Hendryx, of the Southern League a year ago, were the heroes of the slugger. Hendryx contributed four hits in five times at bat. His triple in the ninth inning got the Yankees into the lead. Tim scored the winning run on a "squeeze," when Peckinpaugh bled safely past Davenport.

The Browns got two in the second half. Pratt doubled and Marsans walked. Austin popped to Baker, but Bartley walked, filling the bases. Lavans' single scored Pratt and Marsans. With one out in the ninth Magee singled. He scored on Hendryx's triple. Peck squeezed Tim across with the winning run. In the second half Borton batted for Ward Miller and walked. Miller, who had been in the eighth, scored on a single. Elmer Miller then saved the day by heading Tobin after he caught Pratt's fly.

The score follows:

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	E
Yankees	25	5	10	1
Browns	25	4	10	2

Total: 50 9 14 20 3

PIRATES PUMMEL SLANTS OF RIXEY, BEATING PHILLIES

Carey Scores Four Runs for the Winners and Steals Three Bases.

Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—Pittsburgh knocked Rixey off the rubber in five innings to-day and easily defeated Philadelphia by a score of 8 to 3.

Carey scored four of the visitors' runs and stole three bases. Grimes was most effective, only two hits being made off him in the first six innings.

The score follows:

PITTSBURGH	AB	R	H	E
Pirates	25	8	14	1
Phillies	25	3	10	2

Total: 50 11 24 24 3

LAJOIE CONSIDERS BID TO BECOME MAGNATE

Cleveland, Sept. 21.—Napoleon Lajoie is considering an offer which will end his big league career and make him a magnate and manager in the Class AA Western League.

The Salt Lake City ball club in the Pacific Coast League has offered Lajoie the place as playing manager, with the option on a big block of stock in the club. Lajoie is now in Cleveland, his playing days for the present season being over because of a strained ligament in his leg.

JOE BUSH BIG PUZZLE TO WHITE SOX TEAM

Chicago, Sept. 21.—The Chicago White Sox failed to keep pace with the city's champions to-day and dropped the final game of the season with the Philadelphia club, 8 to 9. The locals now are two and a half games behind the league leaders.

Joe Bush was in fine form and, ably supported by his team mates, held Chicago to five scattered hits.

The score follows:

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	E
Phillies	25	8	14	1
White Sox	25	5	10	2

Total: 50 13 24 24 3

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION RESULTS.

St. Louis, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2 (12 in.).
Washington, 4; St. Louis, 3.
St. Louis, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2 (12 in.).

Ain't It a Grand and Glorious Feeling?



Red Sox Crush Tigers in Final Game of Series

World's Champions Hammer Coveleski from Box and Win Easily.

Detroit, Sept. 21.—The world's champion Red Sox, of Boston, practically assured their entry in the approaching world's series when to-day at Navin Field they slaughtered Detroit by a score of 10 to 2. It was the third straight victory for the plucky club aggregation over the Tigers in the home jungle. As the White Sox were smothered by the lowly Athletics in Chicago, nothing short of the most pronounced reversal of form can now tumble the pacemakers out of the lead.

Today's was a victory worthy of the name. The Red Sox just hammered their way to the pennant. Harry Coveleski, the star southpaw of the Jungebers, was knocked out of the box in less than three innings. Boland, Cunningham and Daus by turns succeeded to the mound. Only Daus showed any disposition to halt the onslaught. He came too late. He pitched the last inning only, and already the Tigers had been buried under a landslide of runs.

The Tigers were never dangerous. In all but one inning Southpaw Babe Ruth had the reputed slugger muzzled. The Jungebers bunched four of their seven hits in the fourth inning for their brace of tallies. Crawford, Heilmann, Stange and Burns furnished the motive power of the rally, which Scott nipped before it reached threatening proportions. He hauled in Viti's terrific liner for the third out.

The score follows:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	E
Red Sox	25	10	14	1
Tigers	25	2	10	2

Total: 50 12 24 24 3

REDS MAKE IT TWO IN ROW WITH BRAVES

Boston, Sept. 21.—Heavy, consistent and timely hitting resulted in another victory for Cincinnati over Boston to-day. The score was 5 to 4.

Griffith led at the bat with a triple and three singles in five times up, driving in three of the five runs.

The score follows:

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	E
Reds	25	5	10	1
Browns	25	4	10	2

Total: 50 9 14 20 3

WALTER JOHNSON LOSES THIRTEEN-INNING GAME

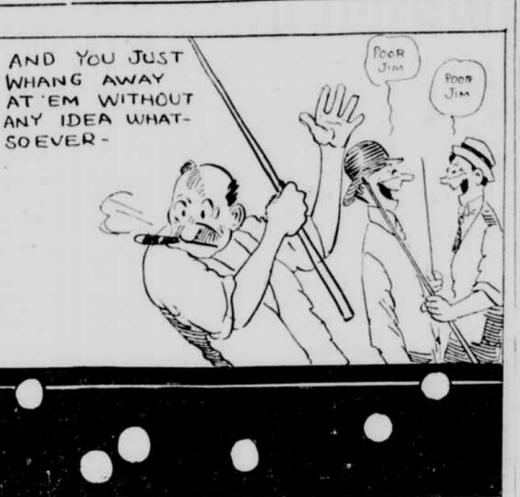
Cleveland, Sept. 21.—Although Cleveland made fifteen hits, including three triples, off Walter Johnson, the latter was effective with men on bases, and the thirteenth inning was reached before Cleveland won, 3 to 2.

The score follows:

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	E
Cleveland	25	3	10	2
Washington	25	2	10	1

Total: 50 5 20 20 3

Robins Make Big Gain in Race for Pennant



The Robins' Roost.

Bill Klem was the only man on Ebbets Field who didn't know that Buck Wheat played left field for the Robins. In the eighth inning Robbie sent Fred Merkle into left, and allowed Buck to retire. Bill turned to the stands and began to announce: "Merkle, now playing left field for Brooklyn in place of Wheat." Bill turned to Robbie for help, but about half the crowd came to his aid and belittled: "Wheat."

Stengel's throw to the plate which cut down Smith in the second inning was a dandy, and Miller did his part in blocking the runner off as he slid in.

Mike Mowrey had a little pal in the grandstand yesterday who was of invaluable assistance to Bill Klem and Bob Emslie. The umpires always wait until after a play is made before making a decision, but this fan called them in advance. His howls of "One out" or "Here's a hit," or again, "Come on, Mike," when Mowrey was at the bat, afforded much amusement.

Fabrique, the shortstop from Providence, joined the Robins yesterday afternoon. He was secured in the draft, and is highly recommended by experts.

About everything in this life depends on the point of view. Larry Cheney hit a grander down to the Pirates in the sixth inning which was called a hit. After the game we met Larry and he said: "Did they give Miller an error on my hit?" He asked, "Yes," we answered, and Larry replied, "I thought they would." That he was told that it had been scored a hit. "Well, I hit it an awful wallop, and deserved a hit," said Larry.

Robins and Red Sox Increase Leads

Results yesterday practically assure baseball fans that the world's championship series will be fought between the Brooklyn Nationals and the Boston Americans. The former won, while its nearest rivals, Philadelphia and Boston, lost.

Brooklyn still has fourteen games to play, one against St. Louis, six against Chicago, three against Philadelphia and four against New York.

Won	Lost	P. C.
Brooklyn	85	57 60714
Philadelphia	82	57 58993
Boston	78	57 57777

In making it three straight over Detroit Boston pushed Jennings' men another full game behind, now leading them by three contests. Chicago holds second place, though it lost to Philadelphia.

Boston has eleven games yet to play. Four are with Cleveland, four with New York and three with Philadelphia.

Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	84	59 58741
Chicago	83	63 56943
Detroit	83	64 56463

EBBETS BOOSTS PRICES FOR WORLD SERIES CONTESTS

Confident of Winning Pennant, Brooklyn Makes Seats One to Five Dollars.

There will be no fifty-cent seats at Ebbets Field when the Robins face the Red Sox in the world's series. The National Commission has decided that it is highly probable that part of the world's series will be held in Brooklyn, and Charles Ebbets, the thrifty Squire of Flatbush, is already considering the most important work of a world's series, the fixing of the prices.

Box seats at Ebbets Field will be \$5. This is the price that was charged for the world's series boxes at Philadelphia and Boston last year. But, in addition, the thrifty Squire plans to charge \$5 for the first nine rows downstairs in the grandstand. For the left field bleachers, seats of the type which sold for fifty cents at Boston last year, the Squire plans to charge \$1.

In defence of the raise in prices Squire Ebbets is quoted as saying: "Considering the fact that the seats are not as comfortable as we can make them. No, sir, the prices are not exorbitant at all. Nothing of the sort!"

"Penway Park in Boston is bigger than my park and they have more seats. What a chance to make a nice running catch, which the Polo Meter accepted gladly, and Gonzales popped out a single by Long, to the plate on a drive containing two strikes, which was caught by Hornsby. In the second inning when Smith hit safely, 'Columbia' taken out of the afternoon's entertainment.

The score follows:

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	3	10	2
Brooklyn	25	5	10	1

Total: 50 8 20 20 3

AMUSEMENTS

Will be found to-day on page 7

Results of Games in Two Leagues And Standing of Battling Teams

NATIONAL LEAGUE

GAMES TO-DAY.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Boston.

RESULTS OF GAMES YESTERDAY.
New York, 4; Chicago, 0.
Brooklyn, 5; St. Louis, 3.
Pittsburgh, 8; Philadelphia, 3.
Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

GAMES TO-DAY.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Washington at Detroit.

RESULTS OF GAMES YESTERDAY.
New York, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Boston, 10; Detroit, 2.
Philadelphia, 8; Chicago, 0.
Cleveland, 3; Wash'ton, 2 (12 in.).

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

W. L. P. C.
Brooklyn, 85 57 60714
Philadelphia, 82 57 58993
Boston, 78 57 57777

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

W. L. P. C.
New York, 49 58 75151
Chicago, 43 63 56943
Detroit, 43 64 56463
Cleveland, 38 68 52558
St. Louis, 32 72 51025