World Series Opens in Chicago--Giants in Tie With Pirates

Yankees Make A Sorry Showing Against Indians

Wild Bill Injects New Blood Into Line-Up, but to No Avail

By W. J. Macbeth

Wild Bill Donovan injected a lot more young blood into his line-up for the farewell game against Cleveland at the Polo Grounds yesterday afternoon. But it didn't do a bit of good. The Yankees lost with the same reckless abandon. The score was 6 to 2.

Urban Shocker had the honor of losing the sixth straight. He is a young man of talent and arranged a real climax for his defeat. For seven innings Mr. Shocker gave an imitation of the Coveleskie family pitted against the Yankees. He had the fans kidded along expecting another one-hit game till he exploded in the eighth. What happened thereafter was pitiful.

Cub Outfield Wabbly

Of course Shocker found many willing hands to help him along the broad and easy path. Wild Bill had a complete new outfield under arms. It must be said it belonged. It looked just like the Yankee outfields of the last ten years. Lamar got by all right, for he had little to do. But Camp and Vick each contributed a ridiculous error or two that helped materially to keep the Yankees on their consistent way.

Mike Donlin, the eminent thespian, who graced the press box with his presence, seemed more perturbed over the two blunders of Vick than did Sammy himself. Mike had just been extolling the virtues of this youngster, who worked a while for Donlin in Memphis last spring, when Vick spilled the beans.

According to Mike, Vick was a sure-fire second Ty Cobb. And Mike may be right in the opinion after all. The writer saw Cobb break in with Detroit and he looked the biggest "bust" ever sent up to polite society.

It does seem out of place to throw hammers at this young talent, which was doubtless nervous and confused. The lads were trying, at least. That is more than can be said for Fritz Maisel. He might have kept the Yankees in the game had he not quit on Smith's foul. He gave this the college try, though he had lots of room and plenty of time. The bases were filled, and a catch would have retired the side. With a new lease of life Elmer Smith tripled off the right wall, converting a duel into a massacre.

These lean September days are somewhat dreary to the boys who have to sit 'em out. But Tom Connolly, the patriarch of the umpires, has been so case-hardened through dreary Septembers that he can now laugh in the face of death.

Friend Tom added a touch of comedy to relieve the gloom of Shocker's unexpectedly sad fate when he engaged in a verbal head-spinning contest with Leslie Nunamaker. As he retired to the bench after Cleveland finished its ninth Nunamaker grumbled at the umpire:

A Little Repartee

"You're the biggest joke that ever stood behind the plate."

"Look in the mirror," countered Connolly; "then send up somebody in your place who can hit."

As Nunamaker waited his turn to bat in the ninth he opened another broadside at the arbiter. Connolly halted the game, cocked his finger at the offender, then changed his mind.

"No, I'll not put you out of the game," he finally said. "I'll let you stay in so that Bagby can strike you out." Bagby didn't get the strike-out, but he did retire Nunamaker single handed in the last play and turned the laugh on the big backstop.

The only hit off Shocker for seven innings was Speaker's double that opened the fourth. With one out in the eighth, Vick misjudged O'Neill's line drive and it got through him for a triple. Roth, hitting for Klepfer, dingled for the run. Graney walked, but was forced by Chapman. Then Speaker walked, filling the bases.

Elmer Smith, who has broken up a half dozen ball games on the Yankees this season, tripled off the right field wall after Maisel permitted his foul to drop near the grandstand. Evans singled in the ninth and got to third when the hit rolled between Camp's legs. He scored on O'Neill's long fly to Vick. Vick then mussed up Graney's single for a two-base error, Bagby tallying. Ray Fisher then came in and prevented further scoring.

Barring the fourth inning, the Yankees were unable to hit Klepfer's spitter in the pinches. Vick and Fewster contributed timely hits toward New York's two runs in this inning. Pipp strolled to start the frame. He was forced by Lamar. Vick singled to left and Fewster to right, filling the bases. Nunamaker's single to centre scored Lamar and Vick as Speaker momentarily fumbled.

The score:

CLEVELAND (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	NEW YORK (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Graney, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0	Camp, cf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Chapman, ss	4	1	0	1	2	1	Peckinpaugh, ss	3	0	1	3	5	0
Speaker, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0	Maisel, lb	4	0	0	1	1	0
Smith, rf	4	1	2	1	0	1	Pipp, lb	0	0	0	8	0	0
Harris, lb	4	0	0	9	0	0	Lamar, lf	4	1	0	5	0	0
Wagner, ss	3	0	0	3	2	0	Vick, rf	3	1	1	3	0	1
Evans, 3b	3	1	1	2	0	0	Fewster, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
O'Neill, c	3	0	1	3	0	0	Nunamaker, c	4	0	1	2	1	0
Klepfer, p	2	0	0	0	2	0	Shocker, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
*Roth	1	1	1	0	0	0	†Fisher, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Bagby, p	1	1	1	0	0	0							
Totals	32	6	7	27	12	2	Totals	32	2	5	27	11	2

*Batted for Klepfer in the eighth inning.
†Batted for Shocker in the ninth inning.

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	6
New York	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Two-base hit—Speaker. Three-base hits—Roth, Smith. Stolen base—Wanninkamp. Sacrifice—O'Neill. Left on bases—New York, 6; Cleveland, 6. First base on error—New York, 1. Bases on balls—Off Shocker, 6; off Klepfer, 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Klepfer, 4 hits and 2 runs in 7 innings; off Bagby, 1 hit and no runs in 2 innings; off Shocker, 5 hits and 6 runs in 8 1-3 innings; off Fisher, no hits and no runs in 0 2-3 inning. Struck out—By Shocker, 2; by Klepfer, 1. Umpires—Connolly and Nallin. Time—2 hours.

Dates for Ohio Series

The Ohio series between the Cleveland Americans and the Cincinnati Nationals will start in Cincinnati on October 4. The second game will be played in Cincinnati on October 6. The third and fourth games will be played in Cleveland on October 7 and 8, the fifth game in Cincinnati on October 9, and the sixth in Cleveland on the 10th. Umpires Hildebrand, of the American League, and Harrison, of the National League, will officiate in the Ohio series.

Women Golfers Busy

Women golfers of the metropolitan district played yesterday at the Ridgewood Country Club. The low gross score was turned in by Mrs. L. C. Stockton, of Riaraton Valley, who had 92—1—91. She also won the driving contest by a drive that measured 211 yards from the first tee.

BASEBALL TO-DAY, 3 P. M.—N. Y. Americans vs St. Louis. Polo Grounds. Admission 50c.—Advt.

The SPORT-LIGHT

by Grantland Rice

In Reply

The melancholy days are near,
As some one's said before,
When there will be no chance to write
About the daily score.

"What will you have to write about?"
The Fan asks, somewhat solemn.
What will we have to write about?
O, well, about a column.

For sport may come and sport may go,
With ever changing pace,
And yet, somehow, sufficient words
Remain to fill the space.

Via the Dope

"What is the use," queries a writer, "in trying to pick out a world series winner when you know that nearly every series brings about an upset?" An upset? Not at all. In 1911 it was generally established that the hard-hitting Mackmen would beat the Giants. They did—four games to two. In 1912 the Giants-Red Sox carnival was regarded as a toss-up. It was—going to the tenth inning of the eighth game. In 1913 the Mackmen were held to be far superior to the Giants. They were—by four games to one. In 1914 the Mackmen were picked to throttle the Braves. This was the first and only upset of seven years. For in 1915 and 1916 the Red Sox were held to be superior to the Phillies and the Dodgers.

In 1915 we recall making a slight wager with Colonel Frank P. Adams that the Phillies would not win over one game. Which they didn't. So Since 1910 there has been but one upset. The club which the majority of critics picked to win has won, with the lone 1914 exception. We are not counting here the opinions of managers and players from the rival leagues. Naturally they pick their own league to win—in print. Their private opinions are often different. So far there has been no widespread verdict rendered on the Giant-White Sox affair. But the dope will be exploited. Never fear! And it will very likely come bounding safely through.

And a Few Others

Dear sir: I have just read your comment on world series high spots. I have a few others I would like to add.

One is the great record of Jack Coombs, the only pitcher in the world to win all five of his world series starts. I do not recall any other pitcher who ever weathered three world series without a defeat.

There was also the sensational work of Walter Maranville in the 1914 series. A third great feature was the great world series catching of Johnny Kling. His work was the heaviest I have ever seen back of the bat in a post-season championship.

W. W. D.

The Record Breaker

A short missed putt brings a ringing curse;
A topped drive's often even worse;
But a fouler thing than a slice or a hook
Is to pop a mashie into the brook,
Into the mud, and slime, and goo,
When you dreamed of being dead in two.

"Tris hopes to overtake Ty." Can it be that Tris has equipped himself with one of these new Liberty motors?

The Nine-Stroke Handicap

"I note," observes a bystander, "that several writers state that Mrs. Gavin has proved that no male golfer can give a star woman player nine strokes and win. Could the best woman golfer that ever lived have stood up to that Western sweep of Jim Barnes, even with a nine-stroke handicap at match or medal play?"

The answer, in a word, is "No." Barnes played seventy-two holes in a 71 average.

We don't believe there is a woman player in existence who could play seventy-two holes in an average of nine strokes higher to the round. If it has ever been done the record is missing from the archives.

Answering a Query

"Can the White Sox trim the Giants?"
"Can they shatter Perritt's spell?"
"Can they play with greater science?"
"Can they hit the ball as well?"

We've the ancient answer ready,
Which we happen to remember—
We can tell you more about it
In October—or November.

"What," asks a fanatic, "will Cicotte do with his shine-ball on a cloudy or misty day?" Who knows but what Eddie has an umbrella-ball all primed for a weather shift?

CARATS FROM THE BIG DIAMOND

Make room for the mighty gladiators. St. Louis Browns will grapple the Yankees for three days, beginning to-day.

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No player in the American League has been more troublesome to Yankee pitchers than Elmer Smith. Invariably he unloads the bases when he comes up in a pinch.

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Tris Speaker's batting average was not fattened much during his visit here. The champion slugger hit like a house afire while Cobb was in a slump. When Ty straightened out Tris skidded.

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The Yankee Colts defeated the Regulars in yesterday's six-inning practice game by a score of 3 to 2. Nick Cullop, who started for the cubs, was hit on the foot and forced to retire.

Pipp got a very peculiar hit off Klepfer in the first inning. His hard grounder struck the rubber and bounded about seventy-five feet straight into the air.

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This lad Fewster seems to know how to handle himself and his bat. He throws well from every position. He had a clean pinch single and made a beautiful bunt. Graney robbed him of an extra base hit by a sensational catch in the ninth.

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The peace of mind of Leslie Nunamaker does not appear to have improved since the arrival of Muddy Ruel. Les is giving the pitchers the old "Ed Sweeney"—that is, he is calling for pitchouts on every possible occasion with a runner on first.

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Peckinpaugh is one Yankee veteran who does not have to worry over next year's job. He is easily the class of the present day shortstops. In the ninth he came in to the box for a slow roller from the bat of Chapman and held Graney on third while he got the batter at first.

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When Shocker blew he blew wide open. He mixed up three bases on balls with the deluge of extra base knocks that hit him suddenly in the eighth round.

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The fans were indulgent with the fielding slips of Camp and Vick. The Polo Grounds is a particularly difficult field in which to judge fly balls because of the lights and shadows when looking into the great stadium.

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Klepfer and Shocker took particular delight in pitching to each other. Each fanned the other twice.

Feature Facts For the Fans

Kauff and Zimmerman made doubles.

King got a home run and a single.

The Giants' tie necessitates a double-header on Saturday.

The Giants scored four runs in the fourth on one hit—Thorpe's triple.

Shocker allowed the Indians only one hit in seven innings.

The White Sox gained a full game in the big race.

Walker's double was the only extra base hit in the Red Sox game.

Ban Johnson Upholds Protest of Griffith

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—President Ban Johnson of the American League to-day notified Manager Griffith of the Washington club that his protest of the game Detroit won from Washington in Detroit on Sunday, August 19, had been allowed.

Johnson upheld Griffith's contention that Cobb, who was coaching, violated the rules in touching Burns, a base runner, as the latter was rounding third base with the run that gave Detroit victory. Permission is being sought to have the game played off here Monday as part of a doubleheader.

Guards Organize Team

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga., Sept. 20.—Several former well known college football players are members of a football team organized by the 2d Company of United States prison guards here. They include Burns, University of Pennsylvania; Ray, St. Louis Tech; Hogan, Hawes and Steele, of Massachusetts Tech, and Juhre, of Milwaukee. The team is arranging games for the coming season.

Favor Women Races

Thomas Coggswell was renamed president of the Southern Association of the Amateur Athletic Union at its annual meeting held recently. Swimming has taken a great boom in the district, and one of the recommendations adopted was the sanctioning of championship events for women.

White Sox Win From Athletics, Cinching Lead

Single by Schalk in the Eleventh Inning Decides Close Game

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 20.—Chicago gained a full game on Boston in the fight for the American League pennant by winning to-day's game here in the eleventh inning, the score being 5 to 3, while Boston was defeated by Detroit.

With the score tied and two men out in the eleventh inning, Schalk's single sent in two runners and decided the contest. An error by Felsch in the fourth inning paved the way for two runs for the home team, while a base on balls to Palmer and Strunk's double scored another in the sixth.

Myers held his opponents to three hits until the eighth inning, when he was knocked off the rubber and the score tied. Palmer made four singles and received a base on balls in five trips to the plate.

The score:

CHICAGO (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	PHILADELPHIA (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leibold, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0	Jamieson, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
McM'n, 3b	5	0	1	3	1	0	Grover, 2b	5	0	0	2	2	0
E.Collins, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	0	Bodie, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Jackson, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0	Palmer, 3b	4	2	4	1	2	0
Felsch, cf	4	0	0	4	1	1	Strunk, cf	5	1	1	5	0	0
J.Collins, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0	McInnis, 1b	5	0	2	14	0	0
Gandil, 1b	5	2	3	12	0	0	Witt, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Weaver, ss	5	1	3	3	6	0	Perkins, c	4	0	1	6	2	1
Lynn, c	1	0	0	3	0	0	Myers, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Schalk, c	3	0	1	2	0	0	Seibold, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Williams, p	2	0	0	0	2	0	‡Lavery	0	0	0	0	0	0
Danforth, p	2	0	0	0	2	0	§Schang	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Murphy	0	0	0	0	0	0							
†Jourdan	1	0	0	0	0	0							
Totals	40	5	11	33	15	1	Totals	40	3	11	35	12	1

*Batted for Lynn in the 8th inning.
†Batted for Williams in the 8th inning.
‡Ran for Bodie in the 11th inning.
§Batted for Witt in the 11th inning.

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	—5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Bodie, Strunk. Stolen bases—McMullin, Collins. Sacrifice hit—Lynn. Sacrifice flies—Murphy, Witt. Left on bases—Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 7. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 1. Bases on balls—Off Williams, 1; off Danforth, 1; off Seibold, 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Williams, 7 hits and 1 run in 7 innings; off Danforth, 4 hits and 0 runs in 4 innings; off Myers, 7 hits and 3 runs in 7 2-3 innings; off Seibold, 4 hits and 2 runs in 3 1-3 innings. Struck out—By Williams, 2; by Danforth, 2; by Myers, 4; by Seibold, 2. Umpires—Moriarty and O'Loughlin. Time, 2:02.

Local Teams Get 5 Players From Minors

CINCINNATI, Sept. 20.—The New York Giants, Yankees and Brooklyn obtained four men in the draft of minor league players which was held by the National Commission here to-day. The Yankees got two players, while the Giants and Brooklyn drew one each.

The Giants drafted Roy Johnson, of McAllister, in the Texas League. The Yankees fared much better, as in Beck, from Milwaukee, and Kane, from Providence, they have two promising players. Brooklyn decided to take only Wise, of Toledo, although it also was awarded Cochran, of Joplin, the option upon whom was later cancelled.

Detroit will have two Cobbs on its team, as Paul Cobb, a brother of the incomparable Ty, who has been playing a splendid game with Cumberland, was landed. Five claims were put in for Muesel, of Los Angeles, the Phillies securing him.

The teams of the National League secured the largest number of drafted players when they obtained twenty-two men to twelve for the American League. Cincinnati led all the clubs by gathering seven players, while the Phillies got six and the Washington American club three. The Boston Braves drafted six, but declined to exercise their right to four of them.

Browns Profit By Big Inning

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—St. Louis defeated Washington to-day, 4 to 2, in the last game of the series, by making all its runs in the first inning.

The score:

ST. LOUIS (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	WASHINGTON (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Shotton, lf	5	1	2	0	0	0	Menosky, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Austin, 3b	4	1	0	2	0	0	Leonard, 1b	5	0	1	14	1	0
Smith, cf	3	1	2	1	0	0	Milan, cf	5	0	3	3	0	0
Demmitt, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0	Rice, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Pratt, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0	Foster, 3b	5	0	2	0	4	0
Jacobson, 1b	4	0	0	14	0	1	Morgan, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Hale, c	4	0	0	7	0	0	Shanks, ss	4	0	0	6	1	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	1	5	0	Murray, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Davenport, p	4	0	0	0	3	1	Ainsmith, c	4	0	0	5	2	0
							Gallia, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
							Shaw, p	1	0	0	1	1	0
							*Gharrity	1	0	0	0	0	0
							†Dumont, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
							‡H. Milan	1	1	1	0	0	0
							§Craft, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
							Johnson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	5	27	14	2	Totals	38	2	10	27	14	1

*Batted for Shaw in the fourth inning.
†Batted for Dumont in the seventh inning.
‡Batted for Craft in the ninth inning.

St. Louis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hit—Foster. Three-base hit—Menosky. Stolen bases—Smith, Jacobson. Double plays—Shaw to Ainsmith to Leonard; Pratt to Gerber to Jacobson. Left on base—St. Louis, 6; Washington, 10. First base on errors—St. Louis, 1; Washington, 2. Bases on balls—Off Gallia, 2; off Shaw, 3; off Davenport, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Gallia, 5 hits and 2 runs (none out in 1st inning); off Shaw, 1 hit and no runs in 4 innings; off Dumont, 1 hit and no runs in 3 innings; off Craft, no hits and no runs in 2 innings; off Davenport, 1 run. Struck out—By Shaw, 3; by Davenport, 7; by Dumont, 1; by Craft, 1. Passed balls—Ainsmith (2), Hale. Umpires—Owens and Evans. Time—1:47.

Fort Jay Soldier Games

Several military events will feature the athletic programme of the 22d Infantry, of Fort Jay, which is stationed on Governor's Island, to-morrow afternoon. A bomb throwing contest has appealed greatly to the soldiers, as the entry is exceedingly big.

Hempstead Loses on Toss of Coin to Decide Place of Opening Game of Big Contest

New Yorkers Will Get First Glimpse of Title Struggle on October 9

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 20.—When the silver half dollar tossed by Frank Navin, of the Detroit Club, fell tails up, after President Harry Hempstead of the New York Nationals had called heads, the National Baseball Commission here to-day officially announced that Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago Americans, had won the toss and had the privilege of saying where the first game of the next world's series should be played.

Shortly afterward it was announced the series will open on the grounds of the Chicago Americans on October 6, while the second game will be played there on Sunday, October 7. On October 8 the two ball clubs will be found travelling on their way to New York, where the third and fourth games of the series will be played on October 9 and 10.

October 11 will see the players travelling back Westward, and the fifth game, if five games are necessary, will be played at Chicago on October 12. Then in case another game is found to be required, a two-day wait will take place, Saturday, October 13, and Sunday, October 14, being open, and the sixth game being played at New York on October 15.

Chicago Thrice Lucky

In the toss of the coin Chicago was thrice lucky. The first toss made by Mr. Navin fell on the floor, after Mr. Hempstead had called heads, and was declared no toss. The same thing happened to the second toss, but in each of these tosses it was found that the coin had fallen tails up. It was not until the third toss had stayed on the table that Comiskey was declared the winner.

The commission selected Umpires O'Loughlin and Evans, of the American League, and Umpires Klem and Rigler, of the National League, to officiate.

That the soldiers who are now doing battle for the country, as well as those who are preparing to fight for liberty, were remembered was indicated by an announcement that a 1,000-word story will be cabled to France after each game for the benefit of the soldiers there, while an exhibition game before the soldiers at either Rockford, Ill., or Mineola, L. I., will be played after the series is over.

In addition to this a special invitation to attend all of the games will be sent President Wilson and Generals Barry, Carter, Bell and McCain, while at the opening game in Chicago 1,500 seats have been set aside, reserved for the soldiers at Fort Sheridan.

One Per Cent for Fund

The commission also decided to give 1 per cent of the total of the commission's revenue of the games to the bat and ball fund of the soldiers in France.

The headquarters of the commission during the New York series will be at the Waldorf, and while the teams are in Chicago, at the Congress Hotel.

The admissions are as follows: At Chicago—Individual box seats, $5; grandstand, reserved, $1.50; pavilion, $1; bleachers, 50 cents. At New York—Boxes (four seats to the box), $25; upper grandstand (open), $2; pavilion, $1.

Tigers Shut Out Boston Red Sox

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—Detroit to-day ended its 1917 series here by defeating Boston, 1 to 0. Two games were scheduled. After three scoreless innings the first game was held up two hours by rain and then resumed.

With two out in the seventh, Heilman walked and scored on successive singles by Burns and Young.

The second game was started at 5:25 p. m. by Umpire Dineen, despite the protest of the Detroit manager, but was called at the end of the second inning because of darkness, with Detroit leading, 1 to 0.

The Detroit club has won twelve out of twenty-one games from the world champions this season.

The score:

DETROIT (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	BOSTON (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bush, ss	4	0	0	2	2	0	Walsh, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Witt, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0	Barry, 2b	3	0	1	2	5	0
Cobb, cf	4	0	1	6	0	0	Gainer, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Veach, lf	4	0	2	3	0	0	Lewis, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Heilman, rf	2	1	0	1	1	0	Walker, cf	3	0	1	3	1	0
Burns, 1b	3	0	1	7	1	0	Scott, ss	4	0	1	2	2	0
Young, 2b	2	0	1	4	4	0	McNally, 3b	4	0	2	0	0	0
Stanage, c	3	0	0	1	0	0	Agnew, c	3	0	0	2	3	0
Mitchell, p	3	0	0	1	0	0	Ruth, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	28	1	6	27	10	0	Totals	29	0	5	27	14	0

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hit—Walker. Sacrifice hit—Walker. Double plays—Barry to Gainer; Agnew to Scott; Walker to Scott. Left on bases—Detroit, 3; Boston, 7. Bases on balls—Off Mitchell, 4; off Ruth, 2. Earned runs—Off Ruth, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Ruth (Young). Struck out—By Mitchell, 3; by Ruth, 2. Umpires—Dineen and Hildebrand. Time—1:44.

Wallace to Coach Freshies

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 20.—Donald J. Wallace, of Los Angeles, who today received two months' leave before joining the staff of Brigadier General Sweetser, promptly agreed to coach the Harvard freshman football team, the candidates for which are to report next Tuesday. Wallace played centre on the Harvard 'varsity for two seasons.

Hoosiers Beat Reds

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 20.—The Indianapolis American Association team, winner of the pennant, defeated the Cincinnati National team in an exhibition game here to-day.

The score:

Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	—4	11	1
Indianapolis	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	2	10	1	

Reuther and Wingo; Falkenberg and Schang.

Standing of Major League Clubs

NATIONAL LEAGUE

GAMES TO-DAY

New York at Pittsburgh (two games)
Brooklyn at Cincinnati
Philadelphia at Chicago
Boston at St. Louis

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York, 9; Pittsburgh, 9 (10 in., dark).
Philadelphia at Chicago (wet grounds).
Brooklyn at St. Louis (rain).

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
N. York	91	50	.645	Chicago	72	72	.500
Phila	77	60	.562	B'klyn	63	73	.463
St. Louis	78	66	.542	Boston	63	76	.453
Cin'nati	73	71	.507	Pittsb'gh	47	96	.329

AMERICAN LEAGUE

GAMES TO-DAY

St. Louis at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at Boston

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland, 6; New York, 2.
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 3 (11 in.)
Detroit, 1; Boston, 0 (first).
Second, postponed, darkness.
St. Louis, 4; Washington, 2.

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	95	49	.660	Wash'ton	67	71	.514
Boston	84	56	.600	N. York	66	76	.465
Clevel'd	81	63	.563	St. Louis	58	82	.387
Detroit	72	72	.500	Phila	50	90	.357

Facts About World Series

SCHEDULE OF DATES

Saturday, Oct. 6—Giants vs. White Sox, Comiskey Park, Chicago.
Sunday, Oct. 7.—Giants vs. White Sox, Comiskey Park, Chicago.
Tuesday, Oct. 9.—White Sox vs. Giants, Polo Grounds, New York.
Wednesday, Oct. 10.—White Sox vs. Giants, Polo Grounds, New York.
Friday, Oct. 12 (Columbus Day).—Giants vs. White Sox, Comiskey Park, Chicago.
Monday, Oct. 15.—White Sox vs. Giants, Polo Grounds, New York.

SCHEDULE OF PRICES

At Chicago—Box seats (reserved), $5; lower grandstand (reserved), $1.50; pavilion (open), $1; bleachers (open), 50 cents.

At New York—Boxes (reserved), $25 (four seats in box); upper grandstand (reserved), $2; lower grandstand (open), $2; pavilion, $1.

UMPIRES

American League—Frank O'Loughlin and William Evans.
National League—William Klem and Charles Rigler.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Seventh game, if necessary, will be awarded to city winning toss of coin before sixth game is played.

Block of 1,500 pavilion seats in Chicago for first game set aside for soldiers and officers at Fort Sheridan, to be paid for by military.

One per cent of commission's revenue will be donated to Bat and Ball Fund for soldiers in France.

Exhibition game for soldiers between contesting teams to be played at Camp Mills, if series concludes in East; at Rockford, Ill., if it ends in West.

Giants Battle to a Draw With Bezdek's Buccaneers

McGraw Uses All His Right-Handers—Poll Perritt Gets Pounding

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 20.—Poll Perritt, the Giant pitcher, went to the well once too often to-day, but his string of victories was saved through the slugging abilities of the McGraw men, who managed to tie the Pirates at 9 to 9 after ten innings.

Poll lasted just two innings and a quarter. Big Jeff Tesreau went to Poll's rescue. He remained on the mound three-quarters of an inning and then gave way to Al Demaree, who in turn was succeeded by George Smith and Fred Anderson before darkness enshrouded Forbes Field and Bill Klem said "Enough."

It was a bad day for the right-handers from the metropolis. They were pounded by the lowly Buccaneers for seventeen hits, including a home run by King, a triple by Max Carey and a double by Mollwitz. The Giants in the mean time were able to gather only nine safeties, the total comprising a three-bagger by Jim Thorpe, which was most timely, and two-base blows by Benny Kauff and Heinie Zimmerman.

Timely Hitting

The explanation as to why the Giants are out in front and the Pirates miles in the rear is found right here. The coming champions reaped nine runs from their nine hits, while Bezdek's crew tallied the same number of counters on nearly twice as many safeties.

The first four innings were prolific in runs for both teams, thirteen of the eighteen finally recorded pattering across the plate in these early frames.

The Pirates began their attack on Poll Perritt in the second inning, when Boeckel bounced a hit off Poll's glove and King followed with a home run to right field. The next frame saw the finish of Poll. Caton, the new Pittsburgh shortstop, opened the onslaught with a single to left field. Jack Smith threw out Mollwitz, but Bigbee beat out an infield hit to Perritt, which advanced Caton to third.

Max Carey delivered a safe smash to right which scored Caton and put Bigbee on second. This satisfied McGraw that Poll was decidedly off color and Jeff Tesreau was drafted for box duty. The big fellow failed to terrorize Boeckel with his spitter, the third baseman of the home nine singling to right and tallying Bigbee as Carey raced to third.

Boeckel followed up his hit with a clean steal of second. King singled to centre, bringing Carey and Boeckel across the plate, only to be tossed out trying to reach second on the throw-in. Pitler continued the bombardment of Tesreau with a single to right, and Fischer followed with a safety to left. Steele ended the batting spasm with a roller to Jeff.

The Giants in their sessions at the bat up to this time had managed to score three runs. They gathered one in the second on Fletcher's single, a steal of second and a wild pitch, and added the other two in the third on a single by Burns, a double by Kauff and a single by Zimmerman.

A Wild Rampage

The four runs the Pirates had made in the third sent the Giants off on a wild rampage in the fourth, which did not end until the visitors had sent the same number of tallies across the rubber.

Holke walked as a starter. Steele threw too late on McCarty's bunt to catch Holke at second. Hans Lobert, batting for Tesreau, fanned, but Burns strolled, filling the bases. Jim Thorpe then distinguished himself by tripling to right centre, clearing the bags. Carlson went to the mound for the Pirates and threw out Zimmerman, while Thorpe scored with the run that put the Giants in the lead.

The Pirates tied the count in the fifth, as a result of Boeckel's single and steal and Fischer's drive to left. They took the lead in the following inning on Bigbee's single and Carey's triple. In the eighth, with George Smith, late of the Rochester International League team, in the box for the Giants, Bezdek's men added their final tally. Caton walked with one man out and scored on Mollwitz's double to right field.

The Giants came right back in the ninth with two runs, which tied the score. Kauff walked and counted on Zimmerman's double to right field. Fletcher singled to the same territory, tallying Zimmerman.

Anderson went into the box for New York in the ninth and easily disposed of the Buccaneers who faced him in that inning and the tenth. Cooper, who had succeeded Carlson, was just as effective, and the battle was drawn.

One to Play Over!

NEW YORK (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	PITTSBURGH (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Burns, lf	5	2	1	1	1	0	Caton, ss	5	2	2	0	3	0
Thorpe, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0	Mollwitz, 1b	4	0	2	13	0	0
Robinson, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0	Bigbee, 2b	4	2	2	3	4	0
Kauff, cf	5	2	1	2	1	0	Carey, cf	4