Yankees Barely Beat Indians in First Game of Big Series—Giants Win; Dodgers Lose

Homers by Pipp and Meusel Turn Back Leaders by 4 to 3

Speaker's Sluggers Score Three Runs in Ninth Before Collins Replaces Mays in Box and Throttles Rally; Caldwell Victim of His Old Team-Mates

For eight innings at the Polo Grounds yesterday Carl Mays's tantalizing underhand shoots had turned back Tris Speaker's pennant-hunting Indians, for eight innings the league leaders looked to be a bewildered outfit, hopelessly beaten and outclassed, and for eight innings it was the Yankees' ball game in the Yankees' park, with the Yankee fans crazily jubilant. They were convinced that the Cleveland team wasn't such a jam-up aggregation, after all.

That was the story for eight innings. But the Yankees and the bat boys and the crowd apparently had forgotten about the ninth—everybody had forgotten it except the Cleveland team. And it was in the ninth inning, the inning that is getting to be the Yankees' jinx, that the Cleveland team showed a reversal of form and began to look like the league leaders.

With the score 4 to 0 against them at the start of this session and with the crowds dribbling toward the exits, the Indians woke up. Led by the never-say-die Speaker they began to splash hits to all parts of the field, to streak around the bases and to behave like a league-leading outfit ought to behave. Their last-minute flare-up came within an inch of doing just what the White Sox had done the afternoon before—snatch a ball game from the Yankees when the latter had apparently tucked the game away in the winning column.

At the wind-up, when "Rip" Collins had fanned Ray Chapman, the score stood 4 to 3 in favor of the Yankees. To-day the Yanks will watch the Indians or eight innings, and then watch them again in the ninth.

Climax Comes in Ninth

Picture yesterday's ninth-inning climax. It was a case of where the punch came at the finish. The score was 4 to 0. The Yanks had grabbed those four runs not through fluky hits or glaring errors, but through sheer slugging ability. Wally Pipp and Bob Muesel had cracked out homers. Aaron Ward had jarred the right field fence with a triple and Pratt had been walloping the ball to all sections of the field. The Yanks had been hitting. And Mays, Carl of underhand delivery fame, had been pitching. He had been moving along serenely, with eight runless innings behind him. That was how it looked when Tris Speaker, of Texas, swaggered up to the plate in the ninth.

The Indians' manager, who had already made one hit and several spectacular catches, lashed the ball to center for a double. Elmer Smith grounded to Pipp and Speaker scudded to third. Larry Gardner, of the Order of Former Red Sox Stars, then doubled against the right field wall, scoring Speaker. Wambsganss slashed a roller to Peckinpaugh, who heaved the ball beyond Pipp's nimble grasp. Gardner scored. Doc Johnston singled to center and Wamby galloped home. Steve O'Neill came through with a sharp drive to left and Johnston halted at second. Joe Wood was sent to first to run for O'Neill.

Mays was relieved at this point and "Rip" Collins went in to pitch. Ray Caldwell, who was doing the hurling for the Indians, lined a single to center, which Bodie stopped. The Wop then saved the game for the Yanks by throwing Johnston out at the plate. It was a beautiful throw. Jamieson walked and up came Chapman. Collins did just what the crowd was begging him to do by striking out the Cleveland infielder. Collins was given an ovation when he whiffed Chapman.

Yankees Score Early

The Yankees did their scoring in the second and third innings. In the second Meusel took a healthy swing and drove the first pitched ball into the left field bleachers. In the third Pipp drove a homer into the right field stand. Pratt followed with his second hit, a sizzling liner over third. Babe Ruth stepped up and faced Caldwell. The former Yankee gamely put the ball over the plate for the slugger and Babe lined to Smith. Meusel hit a terrific liner to left center for two bases, Pratt taking third. Bodie skied to Chapman, but Ward came through with a drive that bounced over the right field fence, scoring Pratt and Meusel.

Babe Ruth had a comparatively quiet afternoon. He failed to get a hit and was walked once. He played a nice game in the field, making one fine running catch after he had slightly misjudged Doc Johnston's fly.

One of the features of the afternoon was Speaker's catch of a long drive by Pipp in the fifth inning. The drive looked good for a sure triple, but the fast-moving Indian manager went almost to the center-field fence and snagged it.

The Yankees fielded excellently and had a perfect day until Peckinpaugh tossed the ball over Pipp's head in the ninth.

Biggest Series of Year

Yesterday's game looked to be just what it was—the first game of the most important series the New York team has played this year.

The appearance of Ray Caldwell on the mound for the visitors added interest to the affair. Barring the second and the third innings, the former Yankee gave a good account of himself, and did more than his share with the bat. He got two singles.

The crowd cheered Mays until the ninth, and then greeted Rip Collins with a whoop of welcome when he took the veteran's place in the box. Collins was coolness itself and wore a broad grin even with the bases filled. The crowd swarmed on the field and congratulated him after he had fanned Chapman in the ninth inning for the final out.

The Score

CLEVELAND (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	NEW YORK (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jam'son, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0	Peck'gh, ss	4	0	0	3	2	1
Chap'an, ss	3	0	0	4	3	0	Pipp, 1b	4	1	2	9	1	0
Speaker, cf	3	1	2	3	1	0	Pratt, 3b	4	1	3	1	3	0
Smith, rf	4	0	0	4	0	0	Ruth, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Gardner, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	0	Meusel, rf	4	3	2	3	0	0
Wam's, 2b	4	1	1	3	1	1	Bodie, cf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Johns'n, 1b	4	0	2	6	0	0	Ward, 3b	3	0	1	0	3	0
O'Neill, c	4	0	1	0	1	0	Ruel, c	4	0	0	4	2	0
Caldwell, p	4	0	2	0	3	0	Mays, p	2	0	1	1	1	0
*Wood	0	0	0	0	0	0	Collins, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	10	24	10	1	Totals	32	4	10	27	13	1

*Ran for O'Neill in ninth inning.

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3—3
New York	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	x	—4

Two-base hits—Gardner 2, Meusel, Speaker. Three-base hits—Ward. Home runs—Meusel, Pipp. Sacrifice—Ward. Double play—Speaker to Chapman. Left on bases—Cleveland, 8; New York 7. Bases on balls—off Mays 1, Collins 1; of Caldwell 2. Hits—off Mays, 9 in 8 1-3 innings; off Collins 1 in 2-3 inning. Hit by pitcher—by Mays (Jamieson). Struck out—by Mays 1; by Collins, 1. Winning pitcher, Mays. Umpires—Chill and Moriarity. Time—2:15.

Jackson's Homer Saves White Sox From a Shut-Out

BOSTON, July 21.—The Red Sox defeated the Chicago White Sox 2 to 1 to-day in the opening game of the series. Jones excelled Williams in a pitchers' battle.

Chicago's only run was scored in the second inning, when Jackson drove the ball into the right field bleachers for a home run. Boston scored in the fifth on Walters's double, Hooper's triple and Vitt's sacrifice fly.

The score:

CHICAGO (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	BOSTON (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leibold, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0	Hooper, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
E. Collins, 2b	4	0	1	4	2	0	Vitt, 3b	2	0	1	0	2	0
Weaver, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0	Menosky, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Jackson, lf	4	1	3	2	0	0	Schang, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Felsch, cf	3	0	0	5	0	1	McInnis, 1b	4	0	0	11	0	1
J. Collins, 1b	4	0	0	6	0	0	Scott, ss	4	0	2	3	4	0
Risberg, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0	McNally, 2b	3	0	0	3	6	1
Schalk, c	4	0	0	2	0	0	Walters, c	3	1	1	4	1	0
Williams, p	3	0	1	0	0	0	Jones, p	3	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	33	1	6	24	4	1	Totals	31	2	7	27	16	2

Chicago	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Boston	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	x—2

Two-base hits—Risberg, Jones, Walters. Three-base hit—Hooper. Home run—Jackson. Stolen bases—Scott, Vitt. Sacrifice—Vitt. Double play—Vitt to McNally to McInnis. Left on bases—Chicago, 7; Boston, 7. Bases on balls—Off Williams, 1; off Jones, 2. Struck out—By Williams, 2; by Jones, 1. Umpires—Nallin and Connolly. Time of game—1:44.

New York Masters Earn Special Prizes

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 21.—The eighth American Chess Congress was formed at a dinner here to-day by participants in the Masters' Chess Tournament, which ended yesterday. A. U. McClure, of Lakewood, N. J., was elected president; M. D. Markland, of Atlantic City, and Herman Behr, of New York, vice-presidents; E. S. Jackson, of Philadelphia, secretary, and Walter P. Shipley, of Philadelphia, treasurer.

E. S. Jackson was awarded the first prize for the most brilliant game during the tournament. Charles Jaffe, of New York, received second prize. Frank J. Marshall, of New York, United States champion, was awarded the special prize for the best game.

Southern Association

Memphis, 10; Nashville, 3.
Other games postponed, wet grounds.

Somebody Is Always Taking the Joy Out of Life : : : By BRIGGS

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Phillies Trounce Alexander, 6 to 1; Rixey Stops Cubs

CHICAGO, July 21.—Eppa Rixey held the Cubs to three scattered hits, after an unsteady start, and Philadelphia won, 6 to 1, in the first game of the series to-day. Rixey's four bases on balls in the first inning gave the locals their only run. The visitors hit Alexander hard. The score:

PHILA. (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	CHICAGO (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
L'Bour'n, cf	5	1	1	0	0	0	Flack, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0
J. Miller, lb	4	0	1	14	1	0	Herzog, 2b	2	0	0	3	4	0
Stengel, lf	5	1	2	2	0	0	Terry, ss	3	0	0	1	3	1
Fletcher, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0	Merkle, 1b	3	0	1	14	0	0
Meusel, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0	Robert'n, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Wright, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	1	Paskert, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Rawlings, 2b	4	1	1	2	5	0	Deal, 3b	4	0	1	0	4	0
Wheat, c	4	0	1	4	0	0	Killefer, c	3	0	0	8	0	1
Rixey, p	4	0	1	2	4	0	Alexan'r, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
							Carter, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
							*Daly	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	6	10	27	16	1	Totals	28	1	3	27	14	2

*Batted for Robertson in ninth inning.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	—6
Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hits—Deal, Wheat. Three-base hit—Fletcher. Sacrifices—Terry, J. Miller. Double plays—Terry to Herzog to Merkle; Rixey to J. Miller; Fletcher to Rawlings to J. Miller. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 5; Chicago, 6. Bases on balls—Off Rixey, 5; off Alexander, 2. Hits—Off Alexander, 10 in 8 innings; off Carter, 0 in 1. Struck out—By Rixey, 4; by Alexander, 3. Losing pitcher—Alexander. Umpires—Moran and Rigler. Time of game—1:42.

Gymnasts Meet for Title

Forty-nine athletes from all sections of the country will compete to-night at the Twenty-third Street Y. M. C. A. for the gymnastic championship of America. Fifteen men will compete in the all-around event. The survivors in the various events will compete in the final Olympic try-out next Wednesday.

The Sportlight by Grantland Rice

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The Crime of the Ages

Why is the mad mob howling,
Hurling its curses out?
Why is the wild crowd yelping?
What is it all about?

Who has committed the murder?
Who has slaughtered a child?
What is the crime incarnate
Driving the thousands wild?

Why do they shirk in anguish?
Why do they yell for gore?
Why do they raise a clamor
Worse than a tidal roar?

Maybe you've guessed the answer
Hung to the bitter truth—
Only the rival pitcher
Starting to walk "Babe" Ruth.

All in the Family

The brilliant playing of the American tennis team beyond the Atlantic water hazard is now a matter of history.

But the big battle is still ahead—not quite yet for the Davis Cup—when the family row starts at Forest Hills late in August.

Having eliminated all outside opposition, it will be a different matter when they begin tearing into each other and quite an afternoon when the two Bills—Johnston and Tilden—stand face to face in the big test.

Big Bill should be a different Tilden from the Tilden of a year ago, when he fell before Johnston rather easily. He has come far since the defeat and has proved his tennis greatness beyond argument. He has shown, too, that he can stand a long time siege better than the Californian can, and this is no light factor in a championship test.

All in all, this family party at Forest Hills will be one of the neatest affairs of many seasons, where not even Tilden and Johnston will have an old-fashioned cakewalk all the way.

Hanging On

For the greater part of the year it has been taken for granted that the American League race rested between Cleveland and New York.

No one in particular has cared to give Chicago a tumble. And yet for many weeks now, with Red Faber back at his best stride, the White Sox have maintained their pace within simple striking distance under a lighter strain than the two pace setters.

Faber's return and the powerful offensive strength of the club have been sufficient factors to make it a serious contender. The pitching staff, supposed to be uncertain, is much stronger than it was a year ago, when Cicotte, Kerr and Williams were the only winning pitchers. The return of Faber has added more than a pittance of strength, and to count the White Sox out is foolish stuff.

Four good pitchers surrounded by Schalk, Collins, Weaver, Jackson and Felsch complete a combination not to be taken too lightly—not even by such robust machines as Cleveland and New York.

New Definitions

The National Pastime—Walking "Babe" Ruth.
The Nineteenth Hole—"Make mine an orangeade."
The World's Greatest Alibi—The caddie who moved.

L. H. C.—Speaker joined the Red Sox in 1908 as a big league débutante.

They know he's a bit crippled and no longer a kid, now serving his sixteenth season under the Big Tent, but for all that, the weather eye which Sisler, Speaker and Jackson are casting backward is still fixed intently upon a bloke named Cobb. They have seen him "out of the running" too many times before in July to take it for granted with August and September still beyond.

The Duffer's Revision

"Alas for him who never sees
The stars shine through his cypress trees."
—Whittier.

Alas for him who never sees
A tidy flock of 4s and 3s,
But has to curse the bitter Fates
Which only bring him 9s and 8s.

A new world's record—Walter Johnson, surrounded by a flock of .300 hitters, unable to win half his games.

If Wills and Fulton are worth a $62,000 purse, how much would Jeffries and Sharkey or Fitzsimmons and Corbett have been worth?

Douglas Checks Champion Reds After Toney Is Batted From Box

Prodigal Son Shows Fine Form in Pinch and New Yorkers Win, 5 to 3

From a Special Correspondent

CINCINNATI, July 21.—All teams look alike to the rejuvenated Giants these days. This most successful second invasion of the West was further enhanced this afternoon by a 5 to 3 victory over the world's champion Reds.

The victory, by the way, might easily have furnished occasion for a double celebration. Had St. Louis been beaten the Giants would have moved into the first division. But the Cardinals won out in overtime and New York was enabled but to clamber into fifth position at the expense of the Reds.

There was occasion, however, for reassurance in this particular victory in the first game of a series of five to be played with the world's champions during the present stand. The Prodigal Son, Phil Douglas, proved conclusively that he will be on deck to furnish aid and comfort to McGraw's pitching staff when the big pinch comes in the immediate future. Faulty pitching has been one of the crying weaknesses of the club so far. Phil seldom was better than to-day.

Toney Weakens in Fourth

Douglas did not start the game. He came in as a willing rescurer of Big Fred Toney. The latter, after three innings of gild-edged work, showed signs of weakening. When the Reds had reduced the Giants' five run advantage to a lead of 5 to 3 McGraw decided it was unwise to gamble further with Toney. Douglas stepped through the last four innings in a manner that had the champions' reputed sluggers handcuffed.

The Giants won the game off Ray Fisher, former Yankee. They bunched hits on the Vermont schoolmaster in the first and third innings for all five of their runs. "Slim" Sallee, former Giant southpaw, was rushed, too late, to the rescue. The Sheriff blanked his old buddies the rest of the way.

Bancroft and Young furnished the heavy artillery for the victory. Banny, who scored two runs, had two singles and a three base hit; Young two singles.

The Giants broke away to a lead of two runs in the first inning. Burns singled and went to third on Bancroft's hit, which Sicking knocked down but could not handle. Young walked, filling the bases. Frisch forced Young, Sicking to Kopf, Burns scoring. After Kelly was called out on strikes, Bancroft and Frisch worked the double steal for another run.

Bancroft tripled with one out in the third. Young scored him with a single over short. Frisch was safe on Groh's fumble. Kelly doubled to left, scoring Young. Spencer "squeezed" home Frisch.

Cincinnati scored twice in the fourth. Duncan and Kopf singled. See's single scored Duncan and put Kopf on third. Sicking popped to Frisch. Spencer muffed Wingo's fly, Kopf scoring. Reuther struck out for Fisher. With one out in the fifth Roush tripled and scored while Doyle was tossing out Duncan.

The Score

NEW YORK (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	CINCINNATI (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Burns, lf	5	1	1	0	0	0	Groh, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bancroft, ss	5	2	3	2	8	0	Daubert, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Young, rf	4	1	2	3	0	0	Roush, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Frisch, 2b	4	1	0	2	1	0	Duncan, lf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Kelly, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	0	Kopf, ss	4	1	2	4	3	1
Spencer, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1	See, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
King, cf	2	0	1	3	0	0	Sicking, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	1
Doyle, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0	Wingo, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Smith, c	4	0	0	4	1	0	Fisher, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Toney, p	2	0	0	1	0	1	Reuther	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Gonzales	1	0	0	0	0	0	Sallee, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Douglas, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	‡Rath	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	8	27	10	1	Totals	35	3	8	27	7	2

*Batted for Toney in sixth inning.
†Batted for Fisher in fourth inning.
‡Batted for Sallee in ninth inning.

New York	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	—5
Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hit—Kelly. Three-base hits—Roush, Bancroft. Stolen bases—Kopf, Bancroft, Frisch. Sacrifice—Wingo. Double plays—Sicking to Kopf to Daubert. Left on bases—New York, 7; Cincinnati, 3. Bases on balls—Off Fisher, 1; off Sallee, 1; off Toney, 2. Hits—Off Fisher, 8 in 4 innings; off Sallee, 2 in 5 innings; off Toney, 6 in 6 innings; off Douglas, 2 in 4 innings. Struck out—By Fisher, 4; by Toney, 2. Winning pitcher—Douglas. Losing pitcher—Fisher. Umpires—O'Day and Quigley. Time—1:54.

BASEBALL TO-DAY, POLO GROUNDS, 2:20 P. M. Yankees vs. Cleveland.—Advt.

Cardinals Defeat Braves in Twelfth On Error by Eayrs

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 21.—St. Louis defeated Boston, 3 to 2, in twelve innings to-day, Doak scoring from first with the winning run when Eayrs made a wild return of Smith's double to right.

The game was marked by sharp fielding by both clubs. Heathcote's leaping catch of Holke's line drive in the final inning with two out and two on base kept Boston from two runs.

The score:

BOSTON (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	ST. LOUIS (N. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powell, cf	5	0	0	2	1	0	Smith, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Pick, 2b	4	0	1	5	6	0	Fournil'r, 1b	4	0	1	16	1	0
Mann, lf	4	1	1	4	0	0	Stock, 3b	5	0	1	0	5	0
Eayrs, rf	5	1	3	2	0	1	Hornsby, 2b	5	1	3	4	7	0
Holke, 1b	6	0	1	13	2	0	Kopsie, ss	3	0	1	2	6	2
Boeckel, 3b	5	0	0	2	4	0	Clemons, c	4	0	0	3	0	0
Maranville, ss	4	0	1	3	5	1	Heath'te, rf	5	0	2	3	0	0
O'Neil, c	4	0	1	3	2	0	M'Hen'y, cf	5	0	4	7	0	0
Fillingim, p	5	0	0	0	3	0	Doak, p	4	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	46	2	8	*34	23	2	Totals	39	3	13	36	18	2

*One out when winning run was scored.

Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—2
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1—3

Two-base hits—Eayrs, Maranville, McHenry, Smith. Sacrifices—Fournier, Doak, Knode. Double plays—Maranville, Pick and Holke (2); Pick and Holke. Left on bases—Boston 12, St. Louis 9. Bases on balls—Off Fillingim 4, off Doak 3. Hit by pitcher—By Doak (O'Neil). Struck out—By Fillingim 2, by Doak 2. Wild pitch—Doak. Umpires—Klem and Emslie. Time—2:30.

Scott Perry Defeats Bayne and Brownies

PHILADELPHIA, July 21.—Perry's fine pitching and Witt's good hitting gave victory to the Philadelphia Athletics to-day by a score of 7 to 2. Bayne was unsteady for St. Louis and was relieved by Sothoron, who also failed to hold the locals.

The score:

ST. LOUIS (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e	PHILA. (A. L.)	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Tobin, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0	Witt, rf	3	2	2	2	0	0
Gedeon, 2b	4	0	0	3	3	1	Dykes, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	1
Sisler, 1b	4	1	2	9	2	0	Walker, lf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Jacobson, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0	Welch, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, lf	4	1	0	0	1	0	Dugan, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	1
Smith, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0	Perkins, c	4	1	2	3	1	0
Gerber, ss	4	0	1	4	2	0	Griffin, 1b	3	1	1	11	1	1
Severeid, c	3	0	1	5	0	0	Thomas, ss	3	1	1	3	4	0
Bayne, p	1	0	0	0	2	0	Perry, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
*Billings	1	0	0	0	0	0							
Sothoron, p	0	0	0	0	1	0							
Totals	32	2	5	24	13	1	Totals	28	7	10	27	16	3

*Batted for Bayne in seventh inning.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2
Philadelphia	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	3	x	—7

Two-base hits—Gerber, Witt, Perkins, Perry. Three-base hit—Walker. Sacrifices—Bayne, Witt, Dykes (2), Griffin (2). Double plays—Gedeon and Gerber; Dykes, Dugan and Griffin. Left on bases—St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 8. Bases on balls—Off Bayne, 5; off Sothoron, 1; off Perry, 2. Hits—Off Bayne, 5 in 6 innings; off Sothoron, 5 in 2. Struck out—By Bayne, 3; by Sothoron, 1; by Perry, 2. Losing pitcher—Bayne. Umpires—Evans and Hildebrand. Time—1:31.

Osgood Beats Reese To Reach Semi-Final

Warren E. Osgood, the star schoolboy player from the Mount Pleasant Tennis Club, won his way into the semi-final round of the singles in the annual open lawn tennis tournament of the New Rochelle Tennis Club at Quaker Ridge yesterday afternoon. In the fifth round Osgood defeated E. B. Reese by a score of 8—6, 2—6, 6—2.

Among the other favorites to win their matches yesterday were Herbert L. Bowman, of the New York Athletic Club, and Franklin T. Osgood, Warren's brother. Bowman defeated Harvey Husted at 6—1, 6—3, while Osgood eliminated F. P. Fox by a score of 4—6, 6—1, 6—1. The doubles will begin this afternoon.

The summaries:

Quaker Ridge men's championship singles (second round)—T. Stoddard defeated F. Kerr, 6—1, 6—4.

Third round—E. B. Reese defeated Richard Bradley, 6—2, 4—6, 6—3; Fred Pianisani defeated Albert J. Ostendorf, 6—4, 7—5; Alfred D. Hammett defeated L. V. Robinson, 6—1, 6—2; R. de Castro defeated C. Sheridan, 6—3, 6—4.

Fourth round—Herbert L. Bowman defeated Harvey Husted, 6—1, 6—3; F. T. Osgood defeated F. P. Fox, 4—6, 6—1, 6—4.

Fifth round—Warren E. Osgood defeated Reese, 8—6, 2—6, 6—2.

Mens doubles (first round)—T. Lawrence and Husted defeated A. Gilbert and H. Hudson, 6—4, 6—3.

Five Leading Batters In Two Big Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Player, Club.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	PC.
Speaker, Clev	87	336	83	140	.417
Sisler, St. Louis	86	347	67	141	.406
Jackson, Chicago	73	330	61	133	.403
Ruth, New York	85	282	94	109	.386
Rice, Wash'ton	81	328	48	121	.369

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Player, Club.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	PC.
Hornsby, St. L.	86	340	53	122	.359
J. Smith, St. L.	57	184	39	61	.332
E. Smith, N. Y.	50	149	10	49	.329
Roush, Cincinnati	79	297	56	97	.327
Konetchy, B'klyn.	74	288	34	93	.323

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GAMES TO-DAY

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Brooklyn at Pittsburgh
Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York, 5; Cincinnati, 3.
Pittsburgh, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
St. Louis, 3; Boston 2 (12 ins).
Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 1.

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
B'klyn	52	36	.591	N. York	41	42	.494
Cin'nati	46	36	.561	Chicago	43	46	.483
Pittsb'h	41	39	.513	Boston	33	43	.434
St. Louis	43	43	.500	Phila	34	48	.415

AMERICAN LEAGUE

GAMES TO-DAY

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

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York, 4; Cleveland, 3.
Philadelphia, 7; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 2; Chicago, 1.
(Other teams not scheduled.)

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Clevel'd	58	29	.667	Wash	39	42	.481
N. York	59	32	.648	Boston	39	44	.470
Chicago	52	35	.598	Detroit	29	53	.354
St. Louis	42	44	.488	Phila	25	64	.281

American Association

St. Paul, 2; Louisville, 0 (1st).
Louisville, 5; St. Paul, 3 (2d).
Toledo, 7; Kansas City, 3 (1st).
Kansas City, 6; Toledo, 5 (2d).
Indianapolis, 5; Minneapolis, 3.
Milwaukee, 2; Columbus, 0.

Elliott's Wild Throw Presents Game to Pirates

Marquard Forced to Take Early Shower; Leaders Beaten by Score of 4 to 3

From a Special Correspondent

PITTSBURGH, July 21.—The Pirates put an unexpected dent in the Brooklyn Dodgers today by winning the first game of the series by 4 to 3. "Rowdy" Elliott's fence-busting throw over Kilduff's head to catch Bigbee going to second, after Myers's throw home on Bigbee's single in the fifth inning, was responsible for the winning run.

Elliott is a great little thrower when in a hurry. The only game the Dodgers lost in Chicago was due to a throw by "Rowdy" in the ninth inning. That ball went so far that it has not yet been found. When the ball was found yesterday Bigbee was over the plate.

Elliott's arm was too strong and Rube Marquard's too weak. The Pirates slammed nine hits off Rube before he retired with one down in the fifth inning in favor of Clarence Mitchell, who put the squelcher on the Pirates with his southpaw spitball.

"Rowdy" Heaved a Wild One

Marquard was sampled for a run on a double and a single in the first inning. Two hits were made off him in the second and a run was on the fire when Jimmy Johnston saved himself from mortal injury by catching Walter Schmidt's wicked liner as it was about to tear Jimmy's head off. Jimmy threw to Kilduff and doubled up Grimm off second just for spite.

Bill Southworth opened the fourth with a single, but was left. Next came the triple, three singles and the big error by the powerful "Rowdy" in the fifth, which gave the Pirates three runs and the game.

The game began brightly by each side scoring a run in the first inning. Ponder threw out Olson in the first, but Johnston doubled to center. Griffith tore a leg off Grimm with a grounder.