

Yankees Gain in Pennant Race by 4-3 Victory Over Tigers

Wones Allows 4 Hits, Three Coming in First Two Innings

Pipp's Double and Meusel's Triple Score Winning Run; Ruth Clouts Homer With One On and Is Thrown Out at Plate on Another Long Smash

By W. B. Hanna
DETROIT, Sept. 19.—Sam Jones, who has the trickiest curve ball of the Yankee entourage of pitchers, was a wizard against the Tigers this afternoon. He was a wizard after the second inning. He wobbled in the first two, then settled down to probably the best game he has pitched this summer. With that sort of encouragement from the occupant of the rubber, the Yanks, after taking the lead and losing it, won the game, 4 to 3, by putting on scoring spurts in the seventh and eighth innings.

Long-distance slams in the eighth inning by Pipp and Meusel, both adroit to slams of that sort, gave the Yanks one run and a perfectly legitimated chance to double their lead, and forthwith they increased to both about what the score might tell of the St. Louis game. They knew their league lead would not suffer whatever their late victims, the Browns, might do. Ruth had delivered a long hit in the eighth before Pipp and Meusel collaborated with their extra base hits to win the game, but the Babe was thrown out.

As the Browns were set down by the Senators about an hour after the Yankees had finished here, the New York lead in the pennant race was stretched to two and a half games.

Pitting Tells Story
Keeping up with the Yanks has its trials and vexations, for the Hugenens' hitting hard enough to create apprehensions that they're going to win the pennant. It is a perfectly legitimate fear, but since they left Philadelphia, but they are getting some of the best pitching any team could be expected to have, and they are making their hitting so effective from the pitcher's box that it is about all that could be expected. The Yanks played smarter baseball than the Tigers to-day, and in the seventh inning outscored the home team on a double which produced two very useful runs. Ruth in the first inning let fly with his thirty-fourth home run, a drive good for two tallies and not a negligible feat in itself.

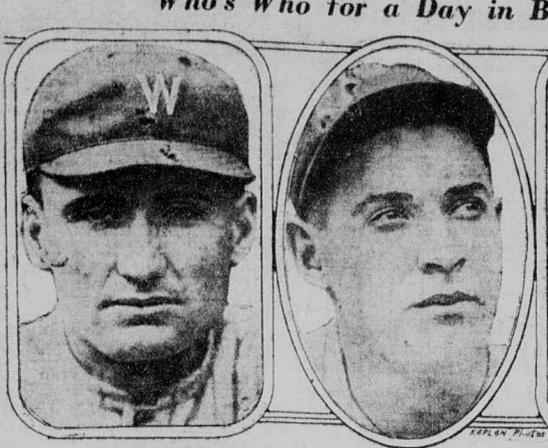
Pilletto's early effort from the opening to the seventh, but stumped a good deal in the eighth, in which the Yanks would have made more runs. Ruth had tried to stretch a three-run homer, but a perfectly legitimated chance to take, however—a change he was justified in taking. The Yanks prior to that had been missing chances by hitting into double plays. The pitcher, however, was good pitching of Pillette.

In the last seven innings the Detroiters made but one hit off Jones. In the last seven innings only one run was scored. A hit was given to Meusel on what the writer would have scored an error by Pipp, although Pipp would have headed his man if Jones had done his job. The error of omission put Pillette on first, and only three real hits were made off Jones.

If there's anything around to be hit with, White is the first to be pitched. He hit his first home run, a pitched ball, when he was in the first inning to-day. Dugan forced him when Haney, the hampered-down little man with a wonderfully quick pair of hands, waded in at second. Ruth met the ball with the end of his bat, a ball in the outside, and hit over Cobb's head into the center field stand, sending Dugan to the moon.

Tigers Score Early
Jones, with two out, passed Cobb in that inning, and Veach scored by a triple sent Pipp. Jones passed Pipp, making two walks in the inning, and then Scott threw out Cutshaw. The Tigers made two runs in the second, but Jones still still slandering, hit Rigney and Woodall tripled on a hit and run play. Rigney tallied, which he would have done without his being hit on a run play. Jones mentioned doublets on Pillette followed, and after it a sacrifice fly by Blue to Ruth, on which Woodall tallied.

The Yanks began the eighth meekly enough, being called out on a strike. Ruth tripled to the left in the ninth, the ball came back fast on the rebound, and Veach, who had gone out for it, had to turn to pursue it toward the outfield. He collected. Ruth by making a great throw to Woodall's left, appeared that the Babe lost some speed in the O'Leary signaled him to stop at third, but he had carried his speed all the way it would have been good for him to make the hit a home run.



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How Giants and Yanks Are Waging Flag Fight
WHILE the Giants were resting yesterday the Pirates moved a bit nearer to the league leaders, but not enough to cause any foreboding. The only hope for the Pirates at this stage is in the nature of defeats for the champions, as Pittsburgh is charged with seven defeats more than New York. This morning the Giants are leading by 5 1/2 games, and have only thirteen more to play, as against ten for the Pirates.

If the Giants can win seven of their thirteen games they will win the pennant, even if the Pirates win all their remaining contests. The standing then would be:
New York..... Won Lost P.C.
Pittsburgh..... 92 61 .604
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Cardinals Even Up Braves Series by Taking Final, 8 to 4
BOSTON, Sept. 19.—St. Louis played its last game of the season against Boston to-day and won, 8 to 4, evening this inter-club series at eleven wins for each team. Miller was hit hard. Stock's play was brilliant at bat and field. Hornsby hit safely in his third and consecutive game.

White Will Finish Training at Saratoga for Leonard Battle
By Jack Lawrence
Charley White, who may or may not be the next lightweight champion of the world, will trickle into our busy midst to-morrow, and will make his headquarters at Madison Square Garden until Friday, when he starts for Saratoga for the purpose of finishing his training for the big battle with Benny Leonard at Boyle's Thirty Acres on October 3. Charley had a telegraphic argument yesterday with Ike Dorgan, his manager, in the course of which some eight or ten telegrams were exchanged.

Leonard, who is working hard and not saying much, took a flying trip to Holyoke, Mass., yesterday to see his brother, Joe, box. He returned last night and will be on the job again to-day. He runs several miles in Central Park in the mornings and boxes in the afternoons.

White's blow into town yesterday with Tommy McGinty, his manager, and repaired to Stillman's Gymnasium, where he will finish his training. The fight will be the first decision contest in being at stakes to-morrow night when the bantamweight crown from Johnny Buff at the Velodrome. Wolfe has a large following here due to his sensational scraps with Frankie Jerome.

Senators Make Late Rally and Defeat Browns

Another Home Run by Ken Williams Is of No Avail; Sisler Is Out of Game
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—St. Louis dropped two and one-half games behind in the pennant race to-day by losing to Washington, 4 to 3 while New York was defeating Detroit. Washington came from behind in the eighth and by punching hits, including doubles by Harris and Rice, ran up three tallies.

Williams' home run into the right field stands was his thirty-ninth of the season. He is now leading all other major league players by two circuit drives, Rogers Hornsby, of the local Nationals, his closest rival, having thirty-seven.

George Sisler was out of the lineup because of his injured right shoulder, but batted for Van Gilder in the eighth and struck out. Sisler's physical condition is such that he is out of the field for the remainder of the season, but Sisler said he believed a three-day rest would allow him to get in the three-game series with Philadelphia, which opens Friday.

Williams put the Browns in front in the fifth inning with his home run into the right field stands, but in Washington's sixth he hit a homer to the same section, and evened the count. In the home seventh another circuit smash, this one by Pat Collins, put the Browns in front again, but not for long.

The Senators put over the winning drive in the eighth. Judge was out on a pop at first base, and a two-bagger when his fly dropped safely between Tobin and McManus. Rice sent Harris in with the tying run when he doubled to right center. Goslin bounced a single off McManus's shins which advanced Rice to third, and Brower followed with a single past first base, scoring Rice and putting Goslin on second. Pittsburgh's grinder to Gerber forced Brower at second as Goslin raced home with what proved to be the winning run. Lamotte's fly to Williams ended the inning.

The Browns rallied to the extent of one run in the ninth.
LEAGUE TOTALS TO DATE
American League..... 1923 1921
National League..... 181 444
Totals..... 916 895

Home Run Hitters In Games Yesterday
Williams, Browns..... 3 20
Ruth, Yankees..... 1 24
Judge, Senators..... 1 10
Collins, Browns..... 1 8

Home Runs 1921
American League..... 457
National League..... 460
Total..... 917

Pirates Take Last Contest of Series From Phillies, 6-1
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—Pittsburgh made three out of five from Philadelphia to-day by taking the final game of the series, 6 to 1. Both Ring and Winters were hit hard in the last three innings. Glazner kept the Phillies at bay until the ninth, when three tallies were scored their only run.

Robins Score Victory Over New Haven, 6-3
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 19.—The Brooklyn Robins defeated New Haven, Eastern League champions, in an exhibition game here this afternoon, 6 to 3. Woodward pitched excellent ball for the locals, but poor support cost him the game. Eayers and Hargrave, of the locals, hit home runs.

Gans Outpoints Nate Siegel in 12-Round Bout

Brooklyn Boxer Clearly Outclasses New England Champion at Pioneer A.C.
At the reopening of the Pioneer Athletic Club last night Italian Joe Gans was awarded the judges' decision over Nate Siegel, the New England writer and middleweight champion, in the final bout of twelve rounds. Gans weighed 154 and Siegel tipped the beam at the same figure.

The Brooklyn middleweight had the better of practically every round, hitting Siegel five times to one. In fact, generally the New Englander so often that he was almost exhausted from his own efforts. Although there was plenty of punching throughout the twelve rounds the blows were either inaccurate or lacked power. At no stage of the game was either batter in trouble.

In the semi-final, George Eagle, of the Pacific coast, defeated Charley Pitts, of Australia, in a fast twelve-round bout. Pitts weighed 134 pounds, while Eagle was four pounds heavier.

Joe Silvers defeated George Pouta in the first preliminary of four rounds. In another four-rounder Joe Baker defeated Sid Wain.

Jake Stahl, Former Big Leaguer, Dies Of Heart Disease
CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Garland (Jake) Stahl, president of the Washington Park National Bank of Chicago and former University of Illinois athlete and major league ball player and manager, died of heart disease today in Los Angeles, according to information received at the hotel where he was staying. Stahl was a star football and baseball player at the University of Illinois from 1900 to 1903. He was born at Elkhart, Ill., April 23, 1881.

Charges Brought Against Downey To Be Probed
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 19.—Kirk Dobson, chairman of the Columbus Boxing Commission, said to-day that at the regular meeting of the commission Wednesday it is probable the commission will order an investigation into last night's Malone-Downey fight in which Downey's body was covered with a laceration in the twelfth round.

Games at Celtic Park
At Celtic Park, Laurel Hill, L. I., next Sunday afternoon, the Cumma Naun Association will hold its annual field day and athletic carnival. A fine program of events will be decided, which will include Gaelic football and hurling and five events for children. In the Gaelic contests six of the best teams in the Gaelic Athletic Association have been secured.

Lexington Entries
First race (course, \$1,000 for two-year-olds and upward; claiming, for farthings): Salamander, 107; Forest Fire, 104; Ground Hog, 104; James B. Brown, 102; Bobby Shea, 106; Ruby, 107; Janka, 108; Sewell Collins, 109; Courtship, 110; Carnation, 113.

Standings in Major Leagues
National League
Yesterday's Results
Pittsburgh, 6; Philadelphia, 1.
St. Louis, 8; Boston, 4.

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