

YANKS' LINEUP DECIDED ON BY HUGGINS--GIANTS LOSE

YANKEE MANAGER SELECTS LINEUP FOR FIRST GAME

Names Ward for Third Base and Bodie for the Outfield.

TEAM ON LAST LAP HOME Opens Three Day Series With Dodgers in Brooklyn To-morrow.

Huggins Announces Yankee Batting Order

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. RICHMOND, Va., April 7.—Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, today announced his lineup and batting order for the opening championship game next Wednesday as follows:

By WILLIAM B. HANNA. Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. RICHMOND, Va., April 7.—Into each life some rain must fall, or something like that, and today came the first appointment in the Yankees-Brooklyn baseball tour with its grand galaxy of celebrities, including Babe Ruth and Babe Ruth.

It is unsportsmanlike to wish a rival any harm before the start of a contest or to gloat over his misfortunes. Nevertheless, the Yankees cannot be oblivious to the fact that their chances are not going to be lessened any by the hard luck recently experienced by their chief rival, Cleveland. Numamaker's bad ankle, a fractured arm belonging to Wambansans, Wood's injured shoulder and some spike cuts suffered by Speaker may have an important bearing on the result of this year's race.

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THE BIG DAY. If any reader of these lines happens to be an intimate friend of the weather man he might say to him that a great opportunity to make himself solid with a number of fans is staring him right in the face.

IF in selecting the weather for to-morrow he could pick out a nice warm spring day, with just a little lazy breeze, and cover it with a blue sky, his popularity would be equal to that of a single flower in a colony of bees. For to-morrow is the big day when the teams come home.

THE GIANTS. When the Giants first trot out on the diamond at the Polo Grounds the eyes of most of the fans in the stands will be turned in the direction of third base. Goldie Rapp will have to play a mighty good brand of baseball to live up to the stories of his prowess that have preceded him on his way north. Some great third basemen have held down that corner for the New York team.

With Kelly, Frisch, Bancroft and Rapp, the Giants should have an infield second to none. Last year they started the season with Doyle at second and Fletcher at short. These fine ball players had commenced to slow up a little, and Bancroft and Frisch should make a stronger combination.

About the only thing that is worrying McGraw now is Ross Young's knee. With a youngster, though, such an injury is not apt to prove serious. The chances are that Young will be back with all his old speed and hitting ability before long.

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DRIVES BY SHANKS BEATS THE GIANTS

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By DANIEL. Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

NORFOLK, Va., April 7.—Hitting in general, and in pinches in particular, was not among the divers accomplishments exhibited by the Giants this afternoon, and as a result they finally had to yield a game to the Senators. The score was 2 to 1. New York had three victories as against one for Washington.

The Giants not only could not hit, but they did a few things which gave the enemy material assistance and practically presented the game to Washington. Neither side did any scoring until the fifth, and then it was the McErides who varied the monotony of a string of soose eggs with a long run.

Shanks, regular third baseman of the Senators, who had been out of the game for quite a while with a sore stomach or a lame arm, we don't know which, came back and celebrated the occasion by getting more than his just share of the hits. Shanks was responsible for both of Washington's runs, the first, by getting more than his just share of the hits. Shanks was responsible for both of Washington's runs, the first, by getting more than his just share of the hits.

Shanks opened the fifth with a double to left, this off Jess Barnes, who had taken the place of Fred Toney after the second inning. Shanks' double was a sacrifice, and he was out. Shanks to third. Garrity bounced an easy one at Barnes, who let the ball dribble through him. Shanks scored. Frisch came up behind Barnes' feet, enough to recover the ball and get Garrity at first.

Washington got another center in the seventh, and again it was Shanks who organized the trouble. He doubled to center this time and got home when O'Rourke followed with a lone timer to Brown's territory.

New York's determination to escape a shutout bore fruit in the eighth. Rapp singled to left and reached third when Snyder, hitting for Smith, poked a single into the same sector. Billy Patterson was sent in to bat for Barnes and he came through with a long sacrifice to Miller, Rapp reaching home after the catch. Burns again failed at bat and lifted a fly to Milan.

The score: NEW YORK (N.) WASHINGTON (A.) Burns, I. 2 0 0 0 Judge, I. 3 0 2 9 1 0 Monrath, 4 0 0 0 Miller, I. 4 0 0 1 0 Frisch, 2 0 0 1 0 Rapp, I. 4 0 0 1 0 Walker, 4 0 0 1 0 Miller, I. 4 0 0 3 0 Kelly, I. 2 0 0 1 0 Frisch, 2 0 0 1 0 Brown, I. 3 0 1 2 0 Shanks, I. 3 2 3 4 0 Rapp, I. 2 1 1 0 Frisch, 2 0 0 2 0 Smith, I. 2 0 1 0 Garrity, I. 2 0 0 5 0 Toney, P. 0 0 0 1 0 Erickson, P. 1 0 0 0 0 Barnes, I. 0 0 0 0 0 Bancroft, 0 0 0 0 0 Brower, I. 1 0 0 0 0 Snyder, I. 1 0 1 0 0 Patterson, I. 0 0 0 0 0 Gaston, I. 0 0 0 0 0 Ryan, I. 0 0 0 0 0 Totals, 27 14 8 10 1

GIANT YANNIGANS WIN. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 7.—The New York Yannigans beat Maryville College at Alton Park to-day by a score of 14 to 2. The score: New York Yannigans, 14 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 Washington, 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 2

Judge Landis Declares Benny Kauff Ineligible to Play in Organized Baseball

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. CHICAGO, April 7.—Benny Kauff, star outfielder with the New York Giants to-day was declared ineligible to play in organized baseball by Judge K. W. Landis, baseball commissioner, because of the indictments returned against him in New York charging him with the theft of an automobile.

"Of course, the mere return of an indictment does not imply guilt," said Judge Landis. "But indictment does imply that in the judgment of the grand jurors there is probable cause to believe the accused guilty. Section 2 of Article 4 of the major league rules, relating to players under indictment for conduct detrimental to the good repute of baseball, applies here. This provision is that any player who participates in a game with or against a club containing a player under such indictment shall be considered ineligible. An indictment charging felonious misconduct by a player certainly charges conduct detrimental to the good repute of baseball. The mere presence of such a player in the lineup would be an unjust to the other players and so deeply offensive to the baseball public that it is an obvious impossibility.

"More than thirteen months have elapsed since the filing of formal charges of the commission of felony. The record does not show that this long period of the accusation was altogether over the player's protest. On the contrary, the conclusion is irresistible that the reverse is true. It is perfectly apparent that earnest insistence on a hearing by the defendant would have been brought the matter to a finality."

Kauff went South with the Giants for the spring training trip, but was ordered to appear before Commissioner Landis two weeks ago to explain his connections with the alleged automobile thefts. After the hearing Kauff returned to New York instead of joining the team in the South pending Judge Landis' action on his case.

Double plays—Rice and Shanks; Milan, Harris and Garrity. Bases on balls—Off Erickson, 2; Toney, 2. Struck out—By Erickson, 4; by Barnes, 1.

Notes of the Players. Smith was guilty of a Merkle in the fifth. Rapp walked and then Smith slammed a long hit to right which should have been good for at least two bases. Rapp was out. Toney poked a single to second to get Smith on base. Smith got to third he was touched out, as he had failed to stop long enough at second to get acquainted with the bag.

Kelly had a miserable day against the pitching of Erickson, former Giant. Long George did nothing but fan the air. Several thousand turned out for the game and cheered mostly for the Giants. It was here that Matty was developed. Norfolk sold him to New York for \$500.

To-morrow the scene of conflict shifts to Washington. Walter Johnson may pitch for Washington, but we doubt it. Johnson most likely will be saved for the game in New York on Sunday.

Some of the lucky Giants were sent on to New York to-night. Young, Rapp and Toney headed the delegation. Young's bad knee is responding to treatment. Bancroft got into the game to-day as a pinch hitter for Toney.

FORDHAM PREP NINE WINS. Fordham Prep yesterday afternoon opened its baseball season on Fordham Field by defeating the Cathedral College Prep nine, by 14 to 6. Dobbins, the Maroon pitcher, allowed the Cathedral bats only three hits and struck out fourteen. The game went seven innings. Cahill and Fitzsimmons, the opposing pitchers, were touched for fourteen hits. Ten Fordham players went to bat during the third inning, when the Maroon scored seven runs on four hits, three bases on balls and two errors. The score: R. H. E. Cathedral, 6 0 2 3 0 3 1—6 3 5 Fordham, 14 0 7 3 2 0 2—14 14 3 Batters: Cahill, Fitzsimmons, O'Brien and Kelleher; Dobbins and Smith.

RAIN STOPS COLLEGE NINES. WASHINGTON, April 7.—The Williams College University baseball game, which was to have been played here this afternoon, was postponed because of rain.

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Other Exhibition Games. At St. Louis, Mo., R. H. E. St. Louis Nationals, 0 4 4 St. Louis Americans, 1 0 1 Batters—May and Clemens; Shocker and Sewell. At Charlotte, N. C., R. H. E. Philadelphia Americans, 6 3 2 Baltimore Orioles, 4 1 1 Batters—Haley and Perkins; Baumgartner, Bruggy and Weeks. At Memphis, Tenn., R. H. E. Chicago American-Association, 10 14 0 Indianapolis Americans, 3 9 2 Batters—Linton, Kiley and Wingo; Hargrave; Paetzel, Jones, Gave and Dixon. At Chattanooga, Tenn., R. H. E. Cleveland Americans, 1 5 2 Chattanooga Southern Association, 1 5 2 Batters—Caldwell and O'Neill; Boone and Stewart. At Nashville, Tenn., R. H. E. Louisville American Association, 6 13 0 Nashville Southern Association, 1 8 3 Batters—Kane and Crocker; Meyer; Matton and Jondard. At Macon, Ga., R. H. E. New Haven Eastern League, 1 3 2 Toledo American Association, 8 14 0 Batters—Buckland, Kalbf, Winans and Nagle; Rhinatti; Brady, Wright and Leach. At Wichita, Kan., R. H. E. Wichita National, 4 9 1 Wichita Western League, 4 9 1 Batters—York, Hanson and O'Farrell; Boels, Mann, Halse and Griffin. Klem Will Not Start Season as Umpire. Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. RICHMOND, Va., April 7.—William Klem will not be able to umpire when the National League season opens next Wednesday. He wired to Manager Robinson of Brooklyn to-day that the injury he suffered from a foul tip in Atlanta, on Tuesday, turned out to be an incomplete fracture of the tibia, with contusions. Klem is in an infirmary in Atlanta. He expects to reach New York next Monday, but said in his message he would not be able to umpire again for two weeks. At Dallas, Texas, R. H. E. Pittsburgh Nationals, 2 4 2 Dallas Texas League, 0 4 2 Batters—Cooper, Ponder, Zinn and Schmidt; Fitzpatrick, Rolague and Bruner. At Tulsa, Okla., R. H. E. Detroit Americans, 8 11 0 Tulsa Western League, 0 6 0 Batters—Emmke, Boland and Ahamathi; Hier and Innis. At Darlington, S. C., R. H. E. Boston Americans, 11 9 1 Boston International, 4 9 1 Batters—Nyers, Fullum and Waters; Russ; Sedgewick, Brawley, Snyder and Harrovay; Connor.

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