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BOSTON DOWNS ATHLETICS; SCORE 7-1; BENDER IS KNOCKED OUT OF THE BOX

Colors of Philadelphia Champions Lowered in the Opening Contest—First Time a Mack Pitcher Was Ever Retired in a World's Series Game

WYCKOFF TAKES "CHIEF'S" PLACE

New Englanders' Fast Play and Heavy Hitting a Surprise to the Quakers—22,000 Fans Crowded the Stands—Many Spectators Were Turned Away From Grounds

Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 9.—The Boston Braves won the first game in the World's series baseball championship contest this afternoon, humiliating Connie Mack's Athletics by the score of 7 to 1.

Chief Bender was knocked out of the box in the sixth inning and Wyckoff took his place. Lapp was later substituted for Schang as catcher.

THE COMPLETE SCORE

BOSTON		ATHLETICS	
R.	H.	R.	H.
Moran, rf.	0	0	0
Evers, 2b.	1	2	2
Connolly, lf.	1	1	1
Whitted, cf.	2	1	0
Schmidt, 1b.	2	1	1
Gowdy, c.	2	3	1
Maranville, ss.	0	2	3
Deal, 3b.	0	1	2
Rudolph, p.	0	1	0
Totals	7	11	13

ATHLETICS	
R.	H.
Murphy, rf.	0
Oldring, lf.	0
Collins, 2b.	0
Baker, 3b.	0
McInnis, 1b.	1
Strunk, cf.	0
Barry, ss.	0
Schang, c.	0
Bender, p.	0
Wyckoff, p.	1
Lapp, c.	0
Totals	1

Boston 7, Athletics 1. Two-base hits, Gowdy, Wyckoff, Baker; three-base hits, Gowdy, Whitted. Double plays, Barry to Collins; Bender to McInnis, Baker to McInnis; bases on balls, off Bender, 2, Rudolph, 3; off Wyckoff, 1. Struck out, by Bender, 3; by Rudolph, 8; by Wyckoff, 2. Stolen bases, Schmidt, Gowdy. Umpires, Dineen and Hildebrand.

Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 9.—The Boston Braves, pennant winners of the National League, and the Philadelphia Athletics, champions of the American League, clashed to-day in the first battle for the world's baseball championship of 1914. About 22,000 persons saw the opening engagement of the seven-game series. Hundreds were turned away at the gates unable to obtain admittance to the crowded stands.

The Bostonians prepared to send their slow ball boxman Dick Rudolph to do the pitching. The American leaguers groomed the Indian, Bender, to pitch off the Boston invaders with his fast ball. "Slow ball pitching is not relished by the Mack artillery of batters, and I guess it will be Rudolph for the fray to-day," remarked Manager George Stallings. "Still I may switch to James or Tyler. They are all good you know."

Waited 40 Hours for Seats. The outfield stand, seating four thousand persons, was thrown open at 10:50 o'clock. It was filled within a short time and the gates were closed. The first in line for seats in this unreserved section had waited more than forty hours for the gates to open. Several women had stood in line since day-break. The crowd holding reserved tickets in the covered and double-decked stand came to the park later. Hundreds viewed the contest from temporary stands erected on the roofs of houses that overlook the back field walls.

The day was warm and humid and one suited for fast baseball. An insistent sun burned through the menacing clouds and there was only a slight threat of showers from the southwest.

LINE-UP OF TEAMS FOR TO-DAY'S GAME

The batting order at the start of to-day's game follows:

ATHLETICS	BOSTON
Murphy, rf.	Moran, rf.
Oldring, lf.	Evers, 2b.
Collins, 2b.	Connolly, lf.
Baker, 3b.	Whitted, cf.
McInnis, 1b.	Schmidt, 1b.
Strunk, cf.	Gowdy, c.
Barry, ss.	Maranville, ss.
Schang, c.	Deal, 3b.
Bender, p.	Rudolph, p.

Umpires: Dineen, behind bat; Byron on bases; Klem and Hildebrand on left and right field foul lines, respectively.



CHIEF BENDER
Athletics' Pitcher Who Was Knocked Out of Box To-day

The infield and other gardens were bone dry and hard.

Betting favored the Athletics at 2 to 1 and 9 to 5 when the two teams came upon the field for batting and field practice. Preliminary field play was snappy and scintillating. The work of the Boston player Deal, who substituted at third base for Smith, who broke his leg this week, was keenly watched. He displayed no fielding faults in warming up.

The Umpires Confer. The umpires came upon the field at 1:55 and they were promptly photographed. Umpires Dineen and Hildebrand conferred with Captain Thomas, of the Athletics, and Captain Evers, of Boston, regarding ground rules.

FIRST INNING. First Half—Bender's first over was an outcurve for a strike. Moran went out on a high foul to McInnis. Evers sent up a high fly to Collins and walked back to the bench. Connolly took a strike and then fouled off. Connolly fanned, missing a slow one around the next. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Half—Rudolph put over a strike and then fouled off. Connolly struck single to center and the crowd started to cheer. It was the second ball pitched. Oldring sacrificed, Gowdy to Schmidt. Collins walked, Baker fouled out to Schmidt and Murphy was out trying for third, Schmidt to Deal. No runs, one hit, no errors.

SECOND INNING. First Half—Bender put over three balls and then two strikes on Whitted. Whitted walked. Schmidt fied out to Oldring. Whitted scored on Gowdy's two-bagger to the left field stand. Gowdy scored on Maranville's single over second. The Boston hits were hard and clean. A double play followed. Barry took Deal's grounder and tossed to Collins, forcing Maranville. Collins then threw out Deal. Two runs, two hits, no errors.

Second Half—McInnis walked on four pitched balls. McInnis scored when Strunk's single went through Moran's legs to the fence. Strunk took third on the play. Barry fanned. Strunk was out at the plate when Evers took Schang's grounder and threw to Gowdy. Maranville took Bender's grounder and threw to Evers, forcing Schang. One run, one hit, one error.

THIRD INNING. First Half—Bender threw out Rudolph at first. Moran couldn't see Bender's speed and struck out. Oldring took care of Evers' hoist. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Half—Murphy fanned. Oldring also struck out. Rudolph threw out Collins at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

FOURTH INNING. First Half—Connolly sent a liner over Collins' head after two strikes had been called on him. A double play followed. Bender took Whitted's smash and threw to Barry, forcing Connolly. Barry then tossed out Whitted.

SKY LIT UP BY FLAMES IN ANTWERP

The Germans Now Occupy the Third Fortified Line of the Town's Defenses

BOMBS DESTROY CITY BUILDINGS

Bombardment of Antwerp by Germans Reported as Terrible—Many Parts of Town and the Palace of Justice Burning

London, Oct. 9, 2:45 P. M.—In a dispatch from Amsterdam filed at 12:46 this afternoon the correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Company says:

"The uninterrupted thundering of guns was heard at Rosendaal from Antwerp throughout the night. The firing slackened a little in the early morning but it has now resumed with full force. The sky last night was made red by the flames of burning Antwerp."

Rosendaal is about twenty miles north of Antwerp in Holland.

London, Oct. 8, 10:15 P. M.—Borghout, a suburb of Antwerp, is burning, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam to Reuter's Telegram Company.

London, Oct. 9, 1:11 A. M.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Ostend dated Thursday says:

"The Germans have occupied the southeast semi-circle of the third fortified line of Antwerp. The Belgians have made several sorties on the left bank of the Scheldt.

"The Belgian government is completely installed at Ostend."

London, Oct. 9, 6:05 A. M.—The bombardment of Antwerp has been terrible, says an Ostend dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company under date of Thursday.

"The Germans threw incendiary bombs," the dispatch adds, "with the result that many parts of the town between the railway station at the south and the Palace of Justice are in flames. It is rumored here that the Germans have been repulsed on the left bank of the river Nethe.

"A Taube aeroplane flew over Ostend at 4 o'clock this afternoon."

20 SHELLS A MINUTE FALL IN BOMBARDING ANTWERP

London, Oct. 9, 3:50 P. M.—The "Evening Star" Antwerp correspondent, telegraphing by way of Amsterdam, says that eyewitnesses of the Zeppelin flights over Antwerp insist that they saw one such craft hit by shells from the forts and fall to the earth.

During the bombardment of Antwerp Thursday night it is estimated that shells fell at the rate of twenty a minute. Many civilians were killed.

In addition to the law courts, the museum was damaged by shells and fires broke out at many points in the city.

CITY OF ANTWERP REPORTED BURNING AT FOUR PLACES

The Hague, 6 A. M. via London, Oct. 8, A. M.—The bombardment of Antwerp's inner forts and the outlying parts of the city started at 12:30 Thursday morning. At noon the city was burning in four places. It is reported that inner forts Nos. 4 and 6 have been silenced.

The exodus of the panic-stricken people of Antwerp continues. It is reported that the dikes have been opened.

King Albert at Selzette. London, Oct. 9, 2:45 A. M.—An Amsterdam dispatch to Reuters Telegram Company dated Friday quotes the Nieuws Van Der Dag of Ghent as saying that King Albert left Antwerp this morning and has arrived at Selzette, a village near the Dutch frontier town of Sas Van Rent.

SKY LIT UP BY FLAMES IN ANTWERP

FRENCH OFFICIAL REPORT SAYS NO CHANGE ON AISNE

Paris, Oct. 9, 3:06 P. M.—The following official announcement was given out in Paris this afternoon:

"The general situation has undergone no change. On our left wing the two opposing bodies of cavalry are still operating to the north of Lille and la Basse, and the battle continues along the line marked by the regions of Lens, Arras, Bray-sur-Somme, Chaulnes, Roye and Lassigny.

"On the center of the Oise and on the Meuse only actions of minor importance have been reported.

"On our right in the Woëvre district there has been an artillery contest along the entire front.

"In Lorraine, in the Vosges and in Alsace there has been no change.

"In Bosnia Montenegro troops have continued their advance in the direction of Sarajevo as far as the fortified line which protects the city at a distance from it of eight kilometers."

SEVERE FIGHTING PROCEEDS ON OUTSKIRTS OF ANTWERP

London, Oct. 9, 3:23 A. M.—A dispatch to the "Chronicle" from Rosendaal, (Holland, dated Thursday evening, says:

"Severe fighting is proceeding outside of Antwerp. I am informed that shrapnel struck the Erasmus hospital on Fontaine street, breaking many windows. In Turnhout and its vicinity many houses have been destroyed.

"It is reported here that the Germans have been compelled to retreat for a short distance.

"A number of Ursuline nuns have arrived at Brad, Holland, from Londerzeel, near Malines, where their convent was destroyed by the German fire, although they were nursing there, it is said, hundreds of wounded. The wounded were courageously rescued by Belgian soldiers, who dashed through the flames to get them out."

Russians Took 10,000 Prisoners

Paris, Oct. 9, 3:50 P. M.—In the recent battles along the East Prussian frontier, the Russians took 10,000 prisoners and forty cannon, according to a dispatch from Petrograd to the Havas News agency.

CAMPAIGN PROBE POSTPONED

Senate Committee Delays Action Until After November Election. By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Postponement until after the November elections of action on the Norris resolution to direct an investigation into financing of the Senatorial primaries in Illinois and Pennsylvania was decided on today by the Senate elections committee.

The committee had agreed at its last meeting to vote on the resolution to-day after weeks of preliminary inquiry into allegations of excessive financing of the campaigns for Roger C. Sullivan, Democratic nominee for Senator in Illinois, and Senator Boies Penrose, Republican nominee in Pennsylvania.

That the committee was prepared to vote in favor of the resolution was indicated by the fact that an effort was made to-day to find members who might serve on the committee of inquiry at this time. So many were planning for work in connection with the approaching campaign that it was decided to defer action.

Well-Known Historian Dies

Berlin, Via The Hague, Via London, Oct. 9, 7:05 A. M.—Professor Richard Meyer, of Berlin University, the well-known historian, died on Thursday.

FIREMEN DEPARTING AFTER BIGGEST PARADE IN HISTORY OF THE STATE

MIDDLETOWN WINS FIREMEN'S DRILL

Union Hose Company Takes \$75 Prize in Contest Held This Morning

ALTOONA MEN IN FINE ARRAY

Other Events in Prize Competition Booked for This Afternoon Among the Closing Features of the Big Convention

The large crowd that was on hand at the firemen's drilling contest this morning at Seventeenth and Chestnut streets, was treated to some of the best drilling that has ever been seen in Harrisburg.

At 10 o'clock A. L. Patton, chairman of the committee that arranged for the contest, announced that each team would be given twenty minutes for fancy military drill.

Only two teams contested, one being the Union Hose Company, of Middletown, and the other the Altoona Volunteer Firemen's Association of Altoona, each team having twenty-four men, two lieutenants and a captain.

The Middletown drill team was the first to go through the drills and they did some splendid work, going through intricate and difficult maneuvers under the direction of Captain P. M. Black, First Lieutenant David Houser and Second Lieutenant Leroy Snavely.

The Altoona Volunteers were next and for twenty minutes they drilled with clock work precision, working like beavers under Captain W. B. Allen, First Lieutenant N. P. Fowler and Second Lieutenant Roy P. Lange.

The judges, Captain Frank E. Zeigler, of Company I, Eighth Regiment, N. G. P.; Captain Jerry L. Hartman, of Company D, and Christian Nauss, decided that the Middletown drill team was the best and so awarded to them the \$75 prize.

Captain Black, of the Middletown team, said that in appreciation of the prize his team would give an exhibition drill to-night at 7 o'clock in Market square.

This afternoon a large crowd was on hand at Seventeenth and Chestnut streets where the hose races were to be held at 2 o'clock but no fire companies were on hand to participate.

The engine tests were scheduled to be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the city pumping station at Front and North streets. It was reported that up to 3 o'clock three companies had been entered in the contest.

PRESENTS FOR FIREMEN

Hope Company Gets Two Trumpets and Citizen Gets One

The Hope Fire Company yesterday received two silver and gold-lined trumpets from visiting companies, one from the Humane company, of Norris-town, and one from the Rainbow company, of Reading. Speakers who presented the trumpets congratulated the local company on the hundred years of its existence.

The Good Will company, of York, a guest of the Citizen company, last evening presented the latter company with a handsome trumpet. In every instance visiting companies extended invitations to local firemen to pay them a visit.

Companies and Bands Returning to Their Home Cities Praise Harrisburg Firemen's Union for Success of Record-breaking Pageant—March Lasted Almost Six Hours

THE OLD-TIME APPARATUS SEEN

Hand Engines More Than a Century Old in Sharp Contrast With the Modern Auto Machines—Most of the Crowd Had Left the City by Midnight

Following the big parade of yesterday the visiting fire companies began to leave Harrisburg almost as fast as they had invaded the city in the morning. The greatest crowd the city has ever entertained came and went with practically no disorder. To be sure there was a jam and a crush at the railroad stations, but that was to be expected as unavoidable.

At least ninety per cent. of the men and musicians, who took part in the parade, left the city before midnight. Those few companies remaining expected to take part in to-day's contests or to make visits of several days. Many of the 100,000 out-of-town spectators of the parade also departed before midnight.

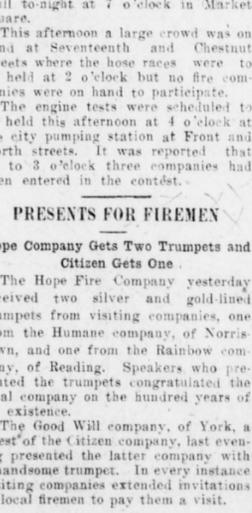
It was a gigantic task on the part of transportation officials to handle the crowds and elaborate policing arrangements were necessary, but definite lanes of traffic were maintained on the streets and through the railroad stations and the crowd was handled with friction reduced to a minimum.

Before departure however, the crowd had a jolly time on the streets in the central part of the city. Confetti fell about like snow, noise-making toys were everywhere, impromptu bands with toy instruments were organized and paraded the streets. By 8 o'clock last evening pedestrians used the middle of the streets. Policemen were lenient and were called on to reprimand but a few. Band concerts at the various fire company houses attracted not a few of the people from the streets.

Most of the Delegates Gone. Fire companies marching back of their hands to the railway stations added picturesque scenes in the evening. To-day the city looked comparatively deserted, knots of scores on street corners taking the place of hundreds yesterday. Most of the delegates to the convention left the city last night, as did the officers of the State association. Various fire companies are arranging entertainment for the remaining guests to-night. The Humane Fire Company band, of Reading, will give an open air concert at the Hope house this evening.

Many delegates were disappointed because an additional supply of guest badges did not arrive in the city in time for distribution. Eighteen hundred have been ordered and, it is expected, will arrive to-day.

ALTOONA VOLUNTEERS ON PARADE



This picture shows the Altoona Volunteers Association, a crack drilling organization, which took part in the contest to-day.

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