

BASEBALL, ROWING,
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SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

Detroit Tigers Wallop the Mighty Cubs at Last
Superb Pitching by Mullin Turns the Trick

World's Champions Fail to Withstand Tigers' Fierce Onslaught—Cobb Stars at Bat.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Through the superb pitching of George Mullin today the Tigers were able to break their losing streak against the Cubs. After practically throwing the game away for the big twirler, the Tigers pulled themselves together and hammered Pfeister, the Cub south-paw, all over the lot, showing at their best in every department of the game. The rally was typical of the Tigers. If they can keep the pace they set in the closing rounds of today's game, the world's championship title is theirs.

When the clouting was over the Tigers led, 8 to 3. In the early rounds they seemed worried by the idea that the Cubs had the "Indian sign" on them, but Mullin, pitching the best ball of his life in the first inning, seemed to imbue them with new confidence, and once granted their chance, they were the same fighting mad Tigers the American League has feared for two wildly exciting seasons.

Chance's men, starting out bravely, collapsed under the strain and in the closing rounds, with Mullin still steadily mowing them down, seemed to go all to pieces. Jennings determined to change his line-up today and sent Coughlin back to third and Schaefer to his old position at second. The change worked well and this line-up will probably be maintained for the rest of the series.

Tigers Jubilant.
The Tigers are wildly jubilant over their victory. For the first time they have been able to humble the Cubs, and now they are no longer worrying.

"Tomorrow's game will decide it, I think," declared Jennings tonight. "If we win then the flag will just about be ours. After the way the boys worked today, coming from behind as they did, I am satisfied. Summers is ready for the game and I will use him. If he is right they will never touch him, and then we have Donovan again for Wednesday. If Summers wins, Donovan will surely come through. It is still a hard, uphill fight, but I am confident that the boys can do it."

Crawford, Cobb and Rossman led in the onslaught against Pfeister. Cobb was the star of the day with the stick, getting four safe drives—one a

double—in five times at bat. They called the Georgian a joke-batter here last year after the world series and they said Johnny Kling was the man who made him look like a "shine" by "kidding" him.

Cobb has nursed this grievance all year and today he had a chance to get back. He showed up Kling after the Tigers had secured a safe lead by stealing second and third. Then he came within inches of stealing home. It wasn't good baseball with two out, but the game was safe and Cobb was just having some fun at Kling's expense.

Mullin Tames Cubs.
Mullin, on the strength of his pitching, should have shut out the Cubs. He had them eating from his hand all day long. But in the fourth inning three wild heaves, two by Rossman and one by Coughlin, put him to the bed, and for awhile it looked as if the Tigers were to lose their third straight game.

They opened the game by getting a run when O'Leary singled, made second on Crawford's out and scored on Cobb's first hit of the day. This lead was overcome by the Cubs, when the Tigers' wild throwing gave them three runs.

But in the sixth the Tigers opened a run when Pfeister, with a vengeance, Mullin was the first man up and worked his way to first on four balls. McIntyre followed this advantage by a clean smash to left for a base. O'Leary, up to sacrifice, bunted to Pfeister. The pitcher turned to throw Mullin out at third, but was too late and the bases were full. Crawford lined one of the famous Wahoo variety past Chance and Mullin scored. And the bases were still loaded. One run behind, and with Cobb up, the big delegation of Tiger rooters went mad with joy. They cut loose with a bunch of rooting that made the Chicago fans ponder on the volume of noise.

Cobb hit a bouncer at Tinker and made first with a burst of speed. McIntyre dashed over the plate and the score was tied.

Rossman shot one on a line between Evers and Chance and O'Leary and Crawford scored, Cobb making third.

Tells Story.

Schafer fled to Hoffman in centre and "Circus Solly" threw to the plate to nail the Georgian. Kling made a brilliant play on the ball, getting it on the short bound and turning as Cobb dived for the rubber, ready for the game and I will use him. If he is right they will never touch him, and then we have Donovan again for Wednesday. If Summers wins, Donovan will surely come through. It is still a hard, uphill fight, but I am confident that the boys can do it."

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The Change in Detroit Line-Up Works Nicely—Mullin in Rare Form—Tigers Happy.

Thomas doubled to right, sending Rossman home with the fifth of the inning. Tinker threw out Coughlin. Chance is being criticized by those who watched the game because he did not take out Pfeister. But it is said by a man close to the Cub team that it was the only thing he could do. He was afraid to send in Brown, for it is claimed that Brown is about "in" for the season and was being saved for the opener in Detroit. Reulbach and Overall are not the men to send in to such a position, as there was no way of bettering the Cub chances.

Busy in Eighth.

The Tigers did nothing in the seventh, but in the eighth they started again. Cobb doubled to left, Rossman pulled off the unexpected bunt and got away with it as Pfeister was flatfooted. Schaefer fled to right and Cobb was held at third. Thomas was walked and the bases were again full. Coughlin lined to Schaefer and Cobb dashed home. Mullin lined one at Chance. It deflected from the Cub first sacker's mitt and while he was booting it around the lot trying to pick it up Rossman scored.

In the ninth, with two out, Cobb made his fourth hit of the day. The Georgian promptly stole second, beating Kling's throw by a swell slide. Then he dashed for third, again out-playing Kling, who threw low. By this time Rossman was walked and Ty and Claude tried the double steal. Ty was caught, Pfeister to Kling to Steinfeldt, but he had the satisfaction he wanted.

Mullin never looked better in the box. Opening with a one-run lead, he had terrific speed and a wonderful break to his curves. Not until after the Tigers made eight runs did he let up and then he seemed to be tied to send them over the plate and let them hit if they wanted to. But all the fight had been taken out of the Cubs by the batting of the Tigers and by Mullin's remarkable pitching in the early rounds. They tried to rally in the ninth, when Hoffman started with a single and Tinker, who made the home run Sunday, came to the plate. But Mullin struck out the Cub idol and after that there was no opposition.

Mullin Fans Eight.

Big George fanned eight of the Cubs. The fourth inning slump which nearly cost the game was in no way Mullin's fault. He struck out Schaefer, Evers and Chance, and then he struck out Thomas. With these two out, Mullin caught Evers off first base by a quick throw to Rossman. Evers tried for second and would have been an easy out but Rossman threw high to Schaefer and Johnny was safe. Chance followed this advantage with a single to centre, scoring Evers. The Cub manager stole and was safe on Thomas' low throw. Steinfeldt grounded to Coughlin, who threw low to Rossman. The ball bounded to the first sacker but got away. Rossman recovered it as Chance rounded third. He threw wide to Thomas and the second run was in. Hoffman tripled to left and Steinfeldt scored. O'Leary threw out Tinker, ending the scoring for the Cubs. At that stage of the game the two runs led looked good enough to win. But the Tiger hitters were in the sixth as described above and the tide had turned. The score:

CHICAGO.

A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Sheppard, I.F.	0	0	1	0	0
Evers, 2b.	1	0	1	0	0
Schaefer, 1b.	0	1	1	0	0
Chance, 1b.	0	1	1	0	0
Steinfeldt, 3b.	0	1	1	0	0
Hoffman, c.f.	0	2	3	1	0
Tinker, s.s.	0	2	3	1	0
Kling, c.	0	3	0	0	0
Pfeister, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Reulbach, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, p.	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	7	27	15

DETROIT.

A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McIntyre, I.F.	0	0	1	1	0
O'Leary, s.s.	0	2	1	1	0
Crawford, c.f.	0	1	2	3	0
Cobb, r.f.	0	1	2	3	0
Rossman, 1b.	0	1	2	3	0
Schaefer, 2b.	0	0	4	0	0
Thomas, c.	0	0	1	0	0
Coughlin, 3b.	0	0	1	0	0
Mullin, p.	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	8	13	27	12

Batted for Pfeister in eighth.

Chicago	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Detroit	1	0	0	0	5	0	2	0
Two-base hits—Hoffman, Cobb.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Three-base hit—Hoffman.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hits—O'Leary, 12 in 8 innings; off Reulbach, 1 in 1 inning.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen bases—Chance 2, Evers, Cobb 2, Rossman, Steinfeldt.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Double plays—Evers and Chance; Schaefer and Rossman; Hoffman and Kling; O'Leary, Schaefer and Rossman.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Left on bases—Chicago 3, Detroit 3.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
First base on balls—O'Leary 3, off Mullin 1.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Struck out—By Pfeister 1, by Mullin 1.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Time—2:06.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Umpires—O'Day and Sheridan.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

NOTES OF THE GAME.

With all those loyal London fans in Detroit today rooting for the Tigers, the latter should win handsily, but—

Francis Reid flatly refused to make any statement in regard to yesterday's game. The Cub leader had a "grouch" for fair, and could do nothing but glare and snap his teeth.

To win that fourth game would give them an even break with the Nationals, two and two. And to get it would give them the big edge in the final standing for the flag, for it

looked as if they had the Cubs completely on the run in yesterday's game.

President C. W. Murphy, of the Chicago team, remained in his office throughout the game, owing to a severe cold. He stated that he would not accompany the team to Detroit to see the games Tuesday and Wednesday, as his doctor had advised him to cure his present indisposition before further exposing himself.

If Summers can get his game, Donovan will be sent in on Wednesday. Despite the defeat of Sunday the Tigers still swear by Bill. They argue with reason that if the wind had not caught Tinker's long fly it would not have gone for a home run, as Cobb could have caught it easily.

Summers will hitch up against Brown. The three-angled marvel has not yet opened against the Tigers. He finished the game on Saturday in Detroit. They say that he is tired from his hard season's work and is not as effective as he once was. If this be true, the Tigers' chances are bright, for they have no fear of the other Cub twirlers.

With Ty Cobb working again, as he did earlier in the year, with Crawford slugging the ball, and with Rossman also in his stride, the Tigers looked like a different ball team today. The Tigers showed more spirit and fight today than they have shown all during the series. Once they threw off that fear of a hoodoo, they were eating up everything that came their way. The Cubs will find them a far different team from now on.

The opening game at Bennett Park will make the fourth one of the series. It is the last day in which the players get in on the gate receipts. The series has been by no means the money maker for the players it has in other years. The light attendance at Detroit on Saturday and the disappointing Chicago crowds Sunday and Monday have put a crimp in the hopes of the athletes to make quite a clean-up. However, they are banking on a good crowd in Detroit for the opener with any kind of weather.

SPORTING NOTES

London will witness two games of rugby football Saturday at Twickenham Park. The Western University juniors will hook up with Petrolea, and the Londoners will meet the strong Dunelm Intermediates. Both of the visiting teams have trimmed the local fourteen-teams away from home. Will they repeat Saturday?

Edward Barry, the English oarsman, yesterday defeated George Towns, the Australian, by two lengths, in London.

The Clinton Gun Club will hold a live bird shoot on Oct. 20 and 21.

The annual field games of the Western University will be held Friday on the "Varsity" grounds. These games are always popular, and will draw a well. Last year they were held at Queen's Park.

Montreal has become wearied of the pro, brand of hockey, and will attempt to revive the amateur sport again this winter.

London will be asked to join a pro, hockey league, including such places as Toronto, Berlin, Guelph, Galt, Hamilton and London. It is doubtful if London could enter in the league. Nov. 13 is the date set for a final meeting to be held at Toronto.

The amateur standing of "Kid" Smith, of the Hamilton Cubs, and Jack Ryan, of the Ottawa Victorias, will be investigated by the C. A. U. Both are held to be professional baseball players, and the latter is held to have played pro, hockey as well.

The Oxford Marathon games at Woodstock on Monday, Nov. 5, promise to draw a large field of entries, and it is probable that many Londoners will compete. The events include: 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, one mile, three mile, 120 hurdle, one-mile relay, vaulting, and running long jump. For further information address Alby Robinson, Box 34, Woodstock.

YESTERDAY'S ENGLISH FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, Oct. 12.—Following is the result of today's game in the Southern League: Queen's Park Rangers, 4; Coventry, 2.

FIRST DIVISION.

Won.	Lost.	Drawn.
Newcastle United	0	1
Manchester United	0	1
Sheffield Wednesday	0	1
Aston Villa	0	1
Chelsea	0	1
Blackburn Rovers	0	1
Bristol City	0	1
Sunderland	0	1
Notts Forest	0	1
Stolen bases—Chance 2, Evers, Cobb 2, Rossman, Steinfeldt.	0	1
Double plays—Evers and Chance; Schaefer and Rossman; Hoffman and Kling; O'Leary, Schaefer and Rossman.	0	1
Left on bases—Chicago 3, Detroit 3.	0	1
First base on balls—O'Leary 3, off Mullin 1.	0	1
Struck out—By Pfeister 1, by Mullin 1.	0	1
Time—2:06.	0	1
Umpires—O'Day and Sheridan.	0	1

SECOND DIVISION.

Won.	Lost.	Drawn.
Birmingham	0	1
Bolton Wanderers	0	1
Glossop	0	1
Hull City	0	1
Sheffields Wednesday	0	1
Fulham	0	1
Tottenham H.	0	1
Burnley	0	1
Derby City	0	1
Blackpool	0	1
Wolverhampton W.	0	1
Leicester F.	0	1
Gainsborough	0	1
Clapton O.	0	1
Grimsby	0	1
Bradford	0	1

PREVIOUS CHAMPIONS OF THE WORLD

Year.	Champions.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
1876—Chicago	52	14	788	
1877—Boston	31	17	648	
1878—Providence	41	19	707	
1879—Providence	55	23	795	
1880—Chicago	67	17	798	
1881—Chicago	55	23	567	
1882—Chicago	55	29	555	
1883—Boston	63	35	643	
1884—Providence	84	28	750	
1885—Chicago	87	25	770	
1886—Chicago	90	34	725	
1887—Detroit	79	45	637	
1888—New York	84	47	641	
1889—New York	83	43	659	
1890—Brooklyn	86	43	637	
1891—Boston	87	51	630	
1892—Boston	102	48	630	
1893—Boston	86	44	682	
1894—Baltimore	89	39	695	
1895—Baltimore	87	43	669	
1896—Baltimore	90	39	698	
1897—Boston	93	39	705	
1898—New York	102	47	689	
1899—Brooklyn	101	47	682	
1900—Brooklyn	92	54	633	
1901—Pittsburg	90	49	647	
1902—Pittsburg	103	36	745	
1903—Pittsburg	91	49	650	
1904—New York	106	47	693	
1905—New York	105	48	686	
1906—Chicago	116	38	763	
1907—Chicago	107	45	704	
1908—Chicago	99	55	642	

THE EEL WINS \$2,000 STAKE

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 12.—In the Wilson stake, the event of the day's trotting and pacing, The Eel, defeated last Tuesday by Jerry B., easily beat both Jerry B. and Hal Raven. Summary:

The Wilson stake, 2:12 class, pacing, purse \$2,000, 3 in 5.
The Eel, gr. h., by Gamboller-Belle Bidwell (McEwen) . . . 1 1 1
Jerry B., ch. g. (McMahon) . . . 3 2 2
Hal Raven, br. m. (Mallow) . . . 3 2 3
2:14 class, trotting, purse \$1,000, 3 in 5.

Directum Penn, br. h., by Directum-Lulu (Durfee) 4 2 1 1 1
Nellyon, b. m., by Wilkes, dam, by Nelson (F. Howell) . . . 2 1 1 4 5 2
Damarest, b. g., by Ariel-Highwood-Lady Disdail (Geers) . . . 1 2 3 6 7 3
Dan K., b. g. (Burns) . . . 10 3 7 2 8 8
Montell, b. h. (McMahon) 7 9 4 9 2 2
Reshen S., ch. h. (Nichols) 7 9 3 3 3 2
Judge Lee, gr. h. (Lazell) 3 5 8 8 6 6
Allex Edgar, b. m. (Ben-ryon) . . . 9 5 6 7 4 4
Robert L., Jun., b. g. (Steele) . . . No time
Medium Line, blk. h. (Lou Green) . . . 5 8 8 9
Time—2:12½, 2:10½, 2:12½, 2:13, 2:14, 2:12½.

2:10 pacing, purse \$1,000, 3 in 5:
Elesis, br. m., by Alatus-Queen (Herrick) . . . 1 1 1 1
Shamrock, ch. h. (Loomis) . . . 2 2 9
The Duke, b. g. (W. Marvin) 10 4 2
Tax Title, b. h. (Keating) . . . 9 3 4
Reelfoot, dun. g. (Lee) . . . 6 7 3
Helen Gould, b. m. . . . 5 10
J. B. ch. g. (Bosworth) . . . 4 11
Diamond King, blk. g. (Funk) 5 8 8
William M., b. g. (Haywood) . . . 10 5
Gold Coin, ch. h. (Robinson) . . . 7 6 6
Betty Brent, blk. m. (Nichols) 11 9 7
Rudy Lacey, b. m. (Tallmadge) 12 dis
Time—2:09½, 2:08½, 2:08½.

LONDON AND SAINTS MEET HERE TONIGHT

Tonight the Olympic A. C. basketball team, of St. Thomas, meets the senior Y. M. C. A. team, of this city, at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium in a practice game. No admission will be charged to the game, and everybody is invited to attend. The Y. M. C. A. has erected stands in the gymnasium this season, and the seating accommodations are much greater than formerly.

The St. Thomas team is managed by Norman McMichael, and the railroaders have been playing the game all summer on an outdoor court.

WHITE SOX ROOTER FINED

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Robert E. Cantwell, an attorney, and president of the White Sox Rooters' Association, today was fined \$100 by a jury in Judge Foster's court of assaulting Umpire John Keri and breaking his nose on Sept. 28, following a dispute over a decision of the game.

The offence is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100. The court will fix the amount later. A motion for a new trial will be heard on Oct. 24.

JOCKEY FREIT LOSES ACTION

New York, Oct. 12.—It took the jury only half an hour Monday afternoon to decide in favor of August Belmont in the suit for \$100,000 damages brought against him by John H. Freit, the jockey.

Freit claimed he was libeled by Mr. Belmont when he posted him in the Racing Calendar as having left his employ without authority, saying Freit had been discharged because he failed on one occasion to take off his hat in saluting Mr. Belmont.

TO MEET IN AUSTRALIA

London, Oct. 12.—It is learned that the proceedings at the Congress of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire will be in three sessions, held respectively at Sydney, Melbourne and Adelaide, and occupying altogether, it is expected, just forty days.

Col. Lamb, S. A., returned from Canada especially gratified by the promptness of the Empire for emigrants to British Columbia, which he thinks one of the most vigorous and prosperous provinces of the Dominion.

The London County Council has given permission to Maurice Fitzmaurice, chief engineer, to go to Canada in connection with rebuilding the Quebec bridge.

Five Hundred and Forty Fans Go to Tiger-Cub Game Via G. T. R.

Record Run of Two Hours and Forty Minutes Made to Windsor—London Fans Still Loyal to the Tigers—Predict Victory Today.

Five hundred and forty baseball fans left this morning on the Hermitage special over the Grand Trunk Railroad for Detroit. The run was made in 2 hours and 40 minutes.

"The Tigers will win sure today," said the parting salute as the train pulled out.

The Tigers.

And the Tigers look to have as good a chance today as in any of the previous games, for they have for the first time gained a fall on the mighty Cubs, and on the latter's own back lot, at that. The Tigers are full of confidence, and the local fans feel certain that the yellow and the black will wave proudly again tonight, even as it did last night.

The first of the popular Advertiser baseball bulletins is expected to arrive in London at 3:15 this afternoon, the same, so that the Londoners could not get away to Detroit today will know how the game is going a few minutes after each play. Special wires on the ball grounds make it possible for the news to be transmitted to London rapidly.

A Great Crowd.

The scene in front of The Advertiser office last evening was an inspiring one.

SATURDAY'S SCORES IN OLD LAND LEAGUES

London, Oct. 12.—Following are results of football games played on Saturday:

League—First Division.

Woolwich A. 3, Manchester C. 0.
Notts County 3, Middlesbrough 2.
Newcastle United 2, Preston N. E. 0.
Sheffield W. 2, Bristol City 0.
Leicester Fosse 3, Liverpool 2.
Everton 4, Burnley 1.
Manchester United 2, Sheffield U. 1.
Bradford City 1, Aston Villa 1.
Blackburn Rovers 0, Nottingham F. 2.
Chelsea 2, Sunderland 1.