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Athletics Need To Win But One More Game

INTEREST KEEN TODAY

Four to One Against New York is the Betting on Series and Few Will Take It—Coombs Likely Against Marquard—Cool But Good Weather

(Canadian Press) New York, Oct. 25.—The New York Giants are fighting in the last ditch today to wrest the title of world's champions from the Philadelphia Athletics. With three victories won, the American League team needs but one more to clinch the title for 1911. The Giants having captured but one contest, are trying to stem the tide of defeat, and gain a new foothold, from which to win the series.

The eve of the fifth struggle today, saw the same big crowd moving toward the polo grounds and even though the home team seemed to have but a bare chance of victory, still there was no lack of enthusiasm and interest.

There was a death of batting, the Athletics being regarded as the ultimate winners of the series, and only a few cards to take short end of 4 to 1 against the home club.

Coombs and Lapp for the Athletics and Marquard and Meyers for the Giants, looked to be the batteries selected for today's game. The batting order, subject to last minute changes, follows:

Giants—Devore, H. Doyle, Snodgrass, H. Myers, Henry, Fletcher, M. Morris, Marquard, P. Marquard, Philadelphia—Loring, H. Oltling, Collins, Baker, Murphy, Davis, Barry, Lapp, Coombs.

Unhappy—Klem and Brennan, National League; Conroy and Dineen, American League.

The crowds that advanced on the polo grounds carried ulsters, sweaters and fur and the smell of camphor and moth balls pervaded the air of subway and "L" sections. When the fall chill in the air, the weather was all that could be asked. The sun in a cloudless sky, poured its rays through an atmosphere clear and dry.

Col. William H. Coffin, commander of the Narragansett defense district announced last night that he had received instructions from the war department, to suspend target practice at Forts Adams and Fort Mifflin, during the illness of Ida Lewis.

The instructions came too late, however, for the woman was dead when Col. Coffin announced the suspension of target practice. During the last few days, the continued bombing of the guns disturbed the patient considerably, and jarred the lightings, with the result that last night, the matter was taken up with the Washington officials.

General Oku promoted to be field marshal. Tokio, Oct. 25.—General Oku, chief of the general staff and one of the four Japanese commanders who led the forces who accomplished notable achievements during the Russo-Japanese war, has been promoted Tuesday to the rank of field marshal.

Weather Bulletin. Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS. Temperature Past 24 Hours. Max. Min. Dir. Vel.

H. B. CLARK SAYS HE WILL NOT MAKE STATEMENT YET

Tells New York Reporters He May Talk After Bank Man Arrives

He Does Not Appear Downcast and Eats Well of Prison Fare When a Good Brand of Coffee is Supplied—Detective Killen Leaves to Bring Clark Here

(Special to Times)

New York, Oct. 25.—H. B. Clark, the young man who was arrested in New York and held on a short affidavit which charges him with theft from the Bank of New Brunswick, St. John, N. B., has consistently refused any interview. He is in a cell in the Harlem jail. His case is to come up tomorrow morning in the Hall police court when it is expected that certain papers of evidence will have been brought to this city.

In reply to a request for an interview this morning Clark sent out word that until a representative of the Bank of New Brunswick arrived it would be impossible for him to make public any statement.

Clark's answer to the request for an interview was as follows: "I am very sorry, but I cannot at the present time and in view of the circumstances grant an interview. Until the representative of the bank gets here, such a possibility is out of the question. After he arrives, however, if it is advisable, I will be only too glad to receive the reporter." (Signed) H. B. Clark.

During his stay in prison, he has not minded all the time. Not only have newspaper men been to see him, but he has not had a call from anyone. He reads most of the time. He shows great interest in the newspaper stories of his case and has the paper before him every edition of all the dailies. Taking it all in all he does not seem greatly upset by his predicament, but whether the demeanor is of stolidness or disregard for consequences no one knows.

After ten hours of sleep on the little cot in his cell, Clark was up early this morning. He had a hearty appetite and partook with relish of the plain fare. He seems, however, to have a dislike for the jail coffee so the officers have obtained a certain kind for his exclusive consumption. With the correct brand of coffee the young man eats ungrudgingly of the prison food.

Provided there are no further delays or unforeseen complications in the case, he will be assigned again tomorrow morning to the cell in the Hall police court where he will be kept until developments at that time.

Detective Killen, accompanied by Sgt. F. Sanford, of Barnhill, Ewing & Chase, left last evening for New York with a warrant to bring Clark here.

Ontario Man Used Revolver With Good Effect and Thieves Ran Away. Milton, Ont., Oct. 25.—(Special)—G. H. Barnett, a tailor here, had the experience of seeing three men attempt safe holding at the post office early yesterday morning.

Hon. L. P. Farris Must Go Into Hospital. Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 25.—(Special)—Hon. L. P. Farris has been confined to his room in the Queen's Hotel for several days by illness. He is suffering from internal trouble and it is quite likely that he will be taken to the hospital this afternoon for an operation. Mrs. Farris is at present undergoing treatment in a Montreal hospital.

Electric Lights in Hotels, Jury's Advice. Toronto, Oct. 25.—(Special)—A jury last night investigating the death of the five men in the Occidental Hotel here on Oct. 15, advised that public houses should be equipped with electric lighting.

Rev. Mr. Brewer Home. Rev. W. W. Brewer, pastor of Esmouth street Methodist church, returned to the city this morning on the Montreal express from Toronto, where he had been attending the sessions of the Ecumenical Conference. He characterized it as a great success, and said that many matters of interest had been dealt with.

Martin Walsh Dead. New York, Oct. 25.—Martin J. Walsh, sought for more than a year by federal authorities in Europe and in South America on indictments charging him with having shared in the wrecking of the National City Bank of Cambridge, Mass., two years ago, was dead here.

German Elections. Berlin, Oct. 25.—It is understood that the election for members of the Reichstag will be held on January 12.

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The government is endeavoring to obtain a loan of 12,000,000 taels (\$8,000,000) repayable in one year at 8 per cent, with the guarantee of an imperial edict, from British, French, German and American bankers.

Another Capture. Shanghai, Oct. 25.—The revolutionists captured Chang Chou, an important railroad centre in the province of Honan, yesterday. It is reported that the rebels, who are leaving Peking in large numbers, are moving their treasure to the foreign concession in Shanghai and Tientsin, and even to Mukden, where it is believed security will be found under Japanese protection.

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