

# LATE SPORT NEWS AT HOME AND ABROAD

## WHERE THE WORLD'S SERIES WILL DECIDE A MOOTED QUESTION



To the victor belongs the spoils, and now it is the Boston Braves, not the Giants, who are being subjected to the scrutiny which every contender for a world's championship receives. This is in the nature of spoils, for there is a glamour and a hush to getting in the spotlight, and especially so when the team which is thus suddenly propelled into prominence is one that has been so long a meek and humble object as have the Boston Nationals. In this particular instance vast interest centres around the comparative baseball merits of the four men who will care for the centre of the inner defences of the two teams which in all likelihood will battle for the world's title. Boston has at short "Rabbit" Maranville and at second "Johnny" Evers, against whom the Athletics will align "Jack" Barry and "Eddie" Collins. A wonderful quartet of ball players are these four men, and the opinions regarding their respective value depends largely upon whether the person forming views is a resident of Philadelphia or Boston. Seldom has a world series been the means of furnishing such an interesting comparison as this promises to be. Maranville and Evers are a wonderful pair, but to the impartial critic the combination of Barry and Collins seems just a trifle more wonderful. The story will be told in October.

## RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia, 3; Washington, 2.	
At Washington: 010000011-3 6 3	
Washington, 100100000-3 11 1	
Batteries—Pannock and Lapp; Shaw, Johnson and Alsmith.	
Cleveland, 6; Chicago, 5.	
At Cleveland: 00020200010-5 12 3	
Chicago, 30100000011-6 3 2	
Cleveland, 30100000011-6 3 2	
Batteries—Benn and Schalk; Blasing, Bowman and Miller.	
Detroit, 9; St. Louis, 6.	
At St. Louis: (Called 8th account darkness.)	
Detroit, 30200001-9 13 1	
St. Louis, 020000040-6 9 1	
Batteries—Dubuc, Main, Baumgardner and Stange; Leverenz, Mitchell and Agnew.	

### AMERICAN LEAGUE Standing

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	96	50	.658
Boston	88	58	.602
Washington	77	71	.520
Detroit	78	72	.520
St. Louis	68	82	.450
Chicago	68	82	.450
New York	67	80	.453
Cleveland	61	100	.383

### Games to be Played

Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 6.	
Boston, 8; Chicago, 6.	
Washington, 6; New York, 7.	
Detroit, 4; Cleveland, 3.	

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston, 7; New York, 1.	
At New York, first game: Boston, 130300000-7 11 1	
New York, 00000000-7 11 2	
Batteries—Rudolph and Gowdy; Tesreau, Schauer and Meyers.	
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Second game: (Called 8th account darkness.)	
Boston, 22201000-7 12 1	
New York, 00000000-7 11 2	
Batteries—Strand, Crutcher and Whaling; Gowdy; Mathewson, O'Toole, Marquard and Meyers.	
St. Louis, 1; Pittsburgh, 0.	
At Pittsburgh: 000000000-0 3 0	
St. Louis, 000000000-0 3 0	
Batteries—Doak and Snyder; Cooper and Schang.	
At Philadelphia: 020000000-2 4 0	
Philadelphia, 000000100-1 5 3	
Batteries—Pfeffer and McCarthy; Alexander and Kilmer.	

### National League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	89	54	.621
New York	80	67	.544
St. Louis	78	69	.531
Chicago	75	73	.507
Philadelphia	72	76	.487
Brooklyn	72	76	.487
Pittsburgh	64	83	.435
Cincinnati	58	89	.394

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New York, 7; Brooklyn, 7.	
St. Louis, 6; Pittsburgh, 7.	
Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 7.	

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Buffalo, 10; Pittsburgh, 1.	
At Buffalo: 000000100-1 7 2	
Buffalo, 024001030-10 13 1	
Pittsburgh, 000000000-0 3 0	
Batteries—Barger, Dickson and Barry; Anderson; Knapp and Blair.	
Brooklyn, 8; Baltimore, 3.	
At Brooklyn: 000020001-3 11 1	
Brooklyn, 240020000-8 11 1	
Batteries—Bailey, Conley, Smith and Kerr; Benton and Lord.	
Indianapolis, 3; Chicago, 0.	
At Indianapolis: 000000000-0 3 2	
Chicago, 000000000-0 3 2	
Indianapolis, 000000120-9 2 2	

### FEDERAL LEAGUE Standing

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	88	64	.576
Indianapolis	81	65	.555
Baltimore	77	66	.539
Brooklyn	76	68	.525
Pittsburgh	73	73	.500
Kansas City	65	79	.451
Pittsburgh	59	81	.422
St. Louis	51	83	.384

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