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## SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD

### BASEBALL

#### President Comisky Happy.

President Comisky was proud and happy as a result of Chicago's victory over New York on Sunday. Both he and Manager Rowland expressed relief that the victory assured the Sox the championship of the world.

"I never felt happier in my life than I did in that fourth inning when the boys went out and knocked in those five runs," he said. "That clinched the ball game for us and I figure it just as good as clinched the world championship."

"I was proud of the Sox because they came from behind in this game, when they almost went to pieces. They picked up that game, though, just as champions should and now we have the battle half won and McGraw's team is in a tough place."

#### "The Giants looked like winners at the start of the second inning and produced two runs in such high spirited style that for the moment it looked bad. But, as usual, they were taken care of by the Sox."

#### WRESTLING.

##### "Doc" Roller vs. Marvel.

Next Wednesday night will see the first wrestling that has been staged in Montreal for a long time, when Doctor Roller and the Masked Marvel will meet at Solmer Park in a catch-as-catch-can bout, the best two out of three falls to count.

#### SOFTBALL.

##### Good Rolling on Black's.

A match game between the Sweeps and Ramblers yesterday morning on Black's alleys, was won by the latter by a small margin. Covey was high again with a grand total of 841. The individual scoring follows:

Ramblers—	Total.	Avg.
Jovey	100 144 97	341 1182-8
Leattley	80 85 108 274	91 1-3
ordan	84 95 88 267	89
cott	72 94 89 255	85
V. Riley	91 109 98 298	91 1-3
	427 528 480 1435	

#### FOOTBALL.

##### Interscholastic League.

The first game in the interscholastic football league will take place on next Saturday afternoon in Fredericton, when St. John High School boys will meet the Capital High School team.

Never have the local boys been so badly handicapped. Only two weeks ago they succeeded in securing the Shamrock grounds for practice and since that time have been able to have only eight or nine try-outs, owing to unfavorable weather conditions. On Saturday they arrived for practice as usual, only to find that the grounds had been leased to a circus and that they would have to go elsewhere. Yesterday morning they went to a section of the rifle range and had a work out, but the ground was boggy. What they will do for grounds is a problem.

### BASEBALL

#### Howland Burns His Hand.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—Clarence Howland, manager of the White Sox, Monday, is wearing a bandage on his right hand on account of a burn which he suffered at the ball park. During the excitement after the game on Sunday, when he was preparing to leave for New York, the victorious manager, in turning on the hot shower at the club house, thrust his hand into a great volume of escaping steam, and it was so badly burned that it had to be bound up in oil.

#### THE TURF.

Moncton, Oct. 8.—Fully 500 people witnessed Thanksgiving day races on Moncton speedway, when the class was run, the 2:16 and 2:30. Both races were contested, the winners being pushed to the limit. Lacopia, owned by Phil Belliveau, of Moncton, won consecutive heats in the 2:16 class as did J. W. Fenwick, Bathurst, in the 2:30 class. The track was in good condition and time was considered good.

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### UNIQUE—Today

#### "Danger Underground"

5th Episode (A startling one) of "THE FATAL RING"

Pathe News—Of Interest Always.

Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran in "Merry Mixup, 'NIGHT CAP'"

THURS.—"The Cook of Canyon Camp"—Geo. Beban.

### LYRIC—Today

#### "BIG TIMBER"

A play of strength and purpose, and the kind of a play that pleases all.

A Brilliant Comedy.

Geo. Ovey in "Beach Nuts"

THURS.—FRI.—SAT.—"THE SEVEN PEARLS" and Others.

Coming — Vivian Martin and Sessue Hayakawa in "Forbidden Fats"

### COLD RAIN FOR DAY OF THIRD OF THE GAMES

#### Early Outlook Not Promising For Match Today

#### Betting Has Changed

#### Two To One and Five to One on Chicago Team — History of Other Series Points to White Sox as Winners of 1917

New York, Oct. 9.—A light, cold rain that fell intermittently in the early hours made weather conditions uncertain today for the third game for the baseball championship of the world. The weather bureau forecast was fair and colder, but fans became anxious as the rain continued to fall.

The atmosphere was decidedly colder, but shivering fans stood outside the gate of the Polo grounds all night. Rain fell early last night and then ceased, but at four o'clock it started again and for a time fell freely, making the well-groomed playing field heavy for the game.

The all night crowd was the smallest that has waited up for a world's series game here in years.

With the first streaks of dawn the lines began to grow. About 27,000 seats were to be sold on the basis of first come first served.

Despite every precaution taken, reserved seat tickets were to be had from speculators. Last night \$35 was asked for one set to the three games, but prices fell today, due to the weather. The total attendance was expected to be more than 85,000, the capacity of the grounds.

#### Betting Has Changed.

While the betting odds favored the American League champions all the way from two to one and five to one, supporters of the Giants still were outwardly optimistic. While admitting the superiority of the White Sox, the first two games, they insisted that McGraw's men have not yet displayed their real baseball ability.

Outside the main question as to whether the Giants can stage a spectacular comeback, the followers of the game devoted the rest of their speculations as to the rival pitchers. The opinion seemed to be general that either Cloutier or Russell would start for the Giants, while McGraw would pin his faith on Seale or Benton.

New York rooters admitted that the Giants must win the third game to have a look-in at the championship. To lose this game they agreed would mean that the world series title would probably go west for the first time since 1909 when Pittsburgh captured the series from Detroit. Records of past games show that since world's series have been played under the rules laid down by the National Commission no team that lost the first two games ever came through the winner of baseballs classic.

Chicago's attack against New York so far is above the average so far as records go. It is pointed out that prior to Sunday's contest which Chicago won, seven to two, seven or more runs have been made in only seven of the sixty-seven

### games played under National Commission regulations.

In fire of the last twelve world's series the winner of the blue ribbon event captured the first two games.

#### Stronger on Mound.

Aside from the games won, Chicago has a decided advantage in the pitching. Manager Rowland's men have now battered against McGraw's best pitchers. The White Sox tapped Seale sufficiently to win, and hammered Schupp, the New York star, out of the box. Both are left handers. McGraw still has Rule Benton, another southerner, but he may decide to try Boell Peritt, his best right hand pitcher, to stop Comiskey's men.

Chicago's pitching has been up to Manager Rowland's expectations. Cloutier and Faber, the White Sox only two offerings so far, came through with victories. Neither has been hit very hard, and both now have confidence born of victory. Rowland may decide to pitch a chance on Russell or one of his other twirlers.

The probable batting order will be: Chicago—J. Collins, 1. f.; McMullen, 3b.; E. Collins, 2b.; Jackson, r. f.; Felsch, c. f.; Gandil, 1b.; Weaver, s. s.; Schalk, c.; Cloutier, p.

New York—Burns, 1. f.; Herzog, 2b.; Kauff, c. f.; Zimmerman, 3b.; Fletcher, s. s.; Robertson, r. f.; Holke, 1b.; Rairden, c.; Seale, p.

Umpires — Plate, Klem; bases, O'Loughlin, Rigler and Evans.

#### BIG YEAR FOR PEANUTS.

##### They Are Growing in Two Million Acres of American Soil.

Listen to this—there are 2,001,000 acres planted to peanuts this year! The statement comes from the agricultural department, and just note the exactitude of the count! Not a rough guess of two million acres, but an actual count of the peanuts on another thousand acres! Texas alone will gather a crop from 600,000 acres planted to peanuts this year! The only 100 bushels to the acre there will be more than 200,000,000 bushels of this joyous ground-nut added to the country's food stock!

Apparently Mr. Hoover forgot when he was sending out the calls last April to "raise more corn, raise more beans, raise more potatoes, raise more pigs, &c., to mention peanuts. But, all the same, the peanut farmers began to hustle. They increased the acreage 61 per cent. over that planted last year. Weather conditions have been good all over the area, which embraces all the Southern States from North Carolina to Texas.

Peanuts are used in these enlightened days in more than a score of different forms of food service. There are many people who take the goober above the chestnut. It is a commodity retailed all over these United States from a millinery grocery store and from ten thousand push-carts. It is exported by shiploads. The boys in the camps and likewise in the trenches will not be short-rations on this particular delicacy. Nobody has a corner on the peanut crop, and there is no reason whatever why the price should be boosted.—Baltimore American.

#### Real Optimist

"Would you consider Jassbery an optimist?"

"I'm sure he's one."

"Quite positive, eh?"

"Yes. I've seen him follow a golf crank to the links, hoping he would get a chance to talk business with him."

Mr. C. Rank—"Why do you persist in putting water in your milk, my good man?" Mr. Chawlett—"Well, do you know of anything cheaper?"

### Says White Sox Are Better Team

#### Joe Page Sends Despatch to The Times on the World's Series—Box Score of Sunday's Game

The Times has received the following special from Chicago:

"In the two games so far played between the Giants and the White Sox the latter have shown a far greater superiority than I predicted in my summing up of those who would take part in the battle for the world's championship. So far, comparing the teams man for man in their various positions, the White Sox have shown a class of play against their rivals that clearly demonstrates why the American League is on the whole the better of the two leagues in playing strength."

"There is no question in my mind now that the pitching staff of the Giants is much inferior, man for man, to that of the White Sox. I look to see Russell and Benton oppose each other in the third game of the series in New York and one cannot see, after viewing the first two games, where New York can hope to win. Their only hope lies in an utter reversal in form on the part not only of Russell, but of the all around strength of the White Sox."

"As a team the Giants may do the unexpected but one cannot look to see it especially after their showing in the second game. Practically all the unbiased critics and fans are saying the White Sox have the Giants on the run and will win in four straight games, certainly within five."

The second game of the world's series between the Chicago White Sox and the New York Giants, which was played in Chicago on Sunday afternoon, resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of 7 to 2. That the result was disappointing was evident, for even the most ardent Chicago fan was confident that the Giants would put up a better fight. Present indications are all in favor of the windy city team clinching the series, but the optimistic Giant fans entertain a hope that their favorites will come back strong and turn the tide of victory.

The box score of the game and the summary follow:

#### New York

	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Burns, 1f	0 0 0 0 0 0
Herzog, 2b	0 0 0 0 0 0
Kauff, cf	0 0 0 0 0 0
Zimmerman, 3b	0 0 0 0 0 0
Fletcher, ss	0 0 0 0 0 0
Robertson, rf	0 0 0 0 0 0
Holke, 1b	0 0 0 0 0 0
McCarthy, c	0 0 0 0 0 0
Harden, c	0 0 0 0 0 0
Schupp, p	0 0 0 0 0 0
Perritt, p	0 0 0 0 0 0
Wetherth, p	0 0 0 0 0 0
Tresau, p	0 0 0 0 0 0
	31 2 8 24 9 1

#### \*Batted for Perritt in 8th.

#### Chicago

	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
J. Collins, rf	1 0 0 0 0 1 0
Leibold, rf	0 0 0 0 0 0 0
McMullen, 3b	5 1 0 0 0 0
E. Collins, 2b	4 1 2 4 2 0
Jackson, 1f	3 1 0 0 0 1
Felsch, cf	2 1 0 0 0 1
Gandil, 1b	4 0 0 1 1 0
Weaver, ss	4 1 8 7 6 0
Schalk, c	4 1 1 2 1
Faber, p	0 0 0 0