TORONTO SHUTS OUT INDIANAPOLIS IN SECOND GAME OF SERIES

THE SPORT-LIGHT

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THE WORLD SERIES ROUND-UP, NO. 3, SHORT AND THIRD.

FLETCHER VS. WEAVER-RISBERG.

Judging by all the advance notices now at hand, the battle around shortstop will be between Art Fletcher and Buck Weaver, with young Risberg only an outside chance.

Weaver is a star. There is no chance to leave him off the line-up, and as McMullen has been playing as well at third and tapping the ball with such daily consistency, there is very little chance that he will be dropped to leave Weaver at third, with Risberg in at short.

The Sox, naturally enough, desire all the punching power they can master, and McMullen has been outbatting Risberg by a good 90 points.

Fletcher and Weaver are two very similar types. Both are brilliant infielders, with a tendency toward erratic days.

Both can hit above the shortstop average—and both are dangerous in a pinch.

What is still more to the point, both are scrappy, hustling, aggressive types—in the thick of every game, fighting for every inch and every ounce.

In 1915 and 1916 Fletcher outbatted Weaver. But through this waning season Weaver has been outbatting Fletcher, the Giant star having dropped some thirty points below his normal status at bat.

Fletcher, as a rule, is good for .285 or .295. This season he has spent most of the year under .260.

Weaver, a brilliant infielder, is an inspiration to his club. He is an eternal hustler, and his battling spirit has been a big factor in gearing up the Chicago machine.

Fletcher, as announced above, is a player of the same mold—one of the hardest workers and one of the best fighters in the game.

Yet, with all their brilliancy and effectiveness in other ways, neither Weaver nor Fletcher is a safe world series type.

Neither has the dependable steadiness of an Everett Scott or a Peckinpaugh. They can go far—they can go both ways—but, being inlaid with so much nervous energy, no one can tell just at what moment a fatal fumble or a fatal throw will upset the scheme of things.

If Fletcher and Weaver meet the advance comparison is a stand-off. If the Sox play Risberg the Giants have the call. For the Sox youngster is a good fielder, but he isn't nearly as dangerous as Fletcher is at bat.

ZIM VS. McMULLEN.

Heinie Zim sent out against Buck Weaver at third would have brought on a spicy situation.

Against McMullen, Zim will have more than gentle competition, but the odds should be his way.

It has been charged that Zimmerman, being a temperamental cuss, will be unsteady and rickety in a big series.

Gleason and Weaver may "ride" Heinie into a budding frenzy, but in a big series "riding" isn't as prevalent as it is through the year. Heinie's lone world series start was in 1916, when he took Johnny Evers' place at second for the Cubs. In that series Heinie must have restrained his temperament, for he gave vent to only one error in something like twenty chances. Heinie only batted around .235, but, as that was seven years ago, it has very little to do with the present argument.

Heinie has had seven years since then to establish a sedate and poised manner under fire.

Zimmerman has just completed the best year he has ever known. He had a better year at bat in 1912, when he turned in .372. But his play around third through the campaign now drifting to a finale has been superb, as brilliant an exhibition of third-baseing as Jimmy Collins and Bill Bradley used to give.

Heinie has been getting them to his left and to his right, coming in spectacularly on slow bunts and playing all in all a jam-up game. He has also been hitting well enough to hang within shouting distance of .300.

McMullen, who stepped in when Buck Weaver suffered a finger wound late in the race, has been playing first-class ball. But his batting has been a shade lower than .250 and far below Zim's slugging range.

On cold, unbiased form, McMullen could hardly be ranged in Zim's class. In a short series anything might happen, but we are ranging the rivals here man by man, and if McMullen works at third the Giants have a decisive edge.

TO THE LEFT.

This infield margin to the left sticks in New York's favor. If Risberg plays short Fletcher will have the call.

If Weaver plays short and McMullen works at third, Zim has the advantage. Neither Fletcher nor Zim will have any advantage over Weaver. But the advantage will be over Risberg or McMullen, as the case may be. Just as the White Sox have a shade the better of the right infield wing, so the Giants have the margin toward the left.

So far as the complete infield is concerned, you can enter it a stand-off and not be far wrong, with New York's infield just a trifle better balanced all the way around when both attack and defence are considered.

(Tomorrow—The Pitchers.)

CYCLISTS IN THIRD PLACE IN LEAGUE

Defeat A. S. C. in Military Football League Game.

The Cyclists forced the Army Service Corps into fourth place in the Military Football League game at Carling Heights on Wednesday evening, and squeezed themselves into third position when they defeated the A. S. C. one goal to nil. The game was slightly wild and the Cyclists showed up well at all times. They have a real team, and when they hook up with the infantry there should be a fine game. First one side and then the other made efforts to score, but most of the shots would have done credit to a rugby game. Hird was unlucky to get in the way of the ball, knocking it down with his hand. The resulting penalty was intrusted to Sergt. Dawson, who made no mistake. Fritz just managed to touch the ball, but was powerless to prevent it going through. Williams, the Army Service Corps' captain, again played a fine game, combining well with Holden at centre. The Cyclists are a well-balanced team, with a nippy forward line, and a sound defence.

The line-up:

Cyclists.		Army Service Corps.	
Timson	Goal		Fritz
Dawson	R. back		Hird
Davis	L. back		Billingsley
Trisis	R. half		Jenkins
Donovan	C. half		Williams
Lappin	L. half		Lofvengren
Alder	O. right		McKenzie
Porter	I. right		Pontin
McDonald	C. forward		Holden
Dicks	I. left		Kearn
Bridgwood	O. left		Burrows

The Standing.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
1st Depot Battalion	2	0	0	4
Army Medical Corps	1	0	2	4
Cyclists	1	1	1	3
Army Service Corps	1	1	0	2
Headquarters	0	1	1	1
Engineers	0	2	0	0

Today's game: Engineers vs. Headquarters.

CHARLIE HERZOG'S SUSPENSION LIFTED

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—President Hempstead, of the New York National League Baseball Club, announced tonight that the indefinite suspension of Captain Charley Herzog of the Giants had been lifted, and that he will play in the world's series.

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Gibson Now Aide to John McGraw

George ("Mooney") Gibson is now the right-hand man of the manager of the New York Giants. When Wilbert Robinson quit the New York club to become manager of the Brooklyn team, McGraw lost his first lieutenant. Robinson's place has been filled by "Mooney" Gibson. Gibson spent most of his time in the big leagues with the Pittsburg Pirates, and while with that team made a record of catching 150 consecutive games, a record which has never been equaled. His work now consists largely in acting in an advisory capacity to McGraw, and to take charge of the pitching staff. Gibson spends his winters in this city and is a regular fiend for curling.

EEL DIRECT TO RACE AT SAGINAW

SAGINAW, Sept. 26.—Patch Minor, the only Canadian horse to start in today's Michigan Shortship races, opened in impressive style by winning the first heat of the 2:22 pace, but then found the Michigan colt, Sir Arthur, more than a match for him. Sir Arthur squared away in the second heat and won in handy fashion, but each time the Canadian and green local pacer, Progress Regulator, gave the winner a stern chase. The other harness event of the day, the 2:16 trot, was an exact repetition of the pacing race. Pearl Thorn, after finishing fourth to Congo in the first heat, went out and won easily, but Congo and Jolly made her step. A running race completed the program. A carload of horses arrived from Columbus, Ohio, today, bringing the Canadian fliers, Eel Direct and Prince Rupert, for Friday's 2:09 pace. This is their third meeting in as many race meetings at Saginaw this summer.

Summary:

2:16 Trot, Purse $400.

Pearl Thorn, b. m., by Peter Leyborn (Shackett) 4 1 1 1
Congo, b. g., by Moko (Ashley) 1 2 2 3
Jolly, b. g. (Anderson) 2 3 3 2
Cricket, blk. m. (Wright) 3 5 5 4
Tropic Dawn, b. m. (Wright, Milloy) 5 4 4 5
Time—2:15¼, 2:15¼, 2:16¼, 2:15¼.

2:22 Pace, Purse $400.

Sir Arthur, b. g., by Arthur Dillard (Sellers) 4 1 1 1
Patch Minor, blk. s., by Minor Heir (Mather) 1 2 3 2
Progress Regulator, blk. h. (Cherry) 2 3 2 5
Ginger L., b. m. (Calkins) 3 4 6 3
Lady May, b. m. (Ives) 6 7 4 4
Allenwood Jun., br. h. (Montague) 5 5 5 6
Lady Seymour, b. m. (Cares) 7 6 ds
Time—2:17¼, 2:17¼, 2:19, 2:17¼.

Running Race, ¾-Mile Dash, Purse $250.

Miss Menard (Blacklock), won; Billy Stewart (Mescott), second; Jack Stearns (Loomis), third; Fairfax (Todd), fourth; Nino Much (Cahoon), fifth; Black Sheep (Finch), Tom McFee (Jones), and Izzy Ham (Harns), also ran. Time 1:03½.

FIRST TOURNEY AT LIBERAL CLUB

Four Prizes Offered and Good Scores Turned In On Opening Night.

Bowling at the Liberal Club officially opened on Wednesday evening, a good crowd of trundlers turning out. Play for the highest aggregate of a series of three games was commenced, and some fine scores were handed in on the opening night. Four prizes were offered, three baskets of peaches and a melon, donated by Charles Francis and Alfred Hassan.

An executive meeting will be held on Friday night, when arrangements for the Liberal buchres will be made. The high-men in last night's bowling were: Joe Russell 350, George Cartier 346, W. Ball 335, and J. Cameron 328.

GIANTS LOSE TO CARDINALS AFTER 12-INNING BATTLE

St. Louis Defeats Leaders 2 to 1 in Long, Fast Game.

PHILADELPHIA WINS

Boston Braves Take Both Ends of Double-Header From Cincinnati.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 26. — A single by Smith in the twelfth inning scored the run that gave St. Louis a 2 to 1 victory over New York in the final game of the series here today. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
New York	000 100 000 000	1	4	1
St. Louis	000 000 010 001	2	9	2

G. Smith and Onslow; May, Meadows and Gonzales.

RIXEY HOLDS PITTSBURG TO 4 SCATTERED HITS

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 26.—Rixey held Pittsburg to four scattered hits today, while Philadelphia hit Carlson hard and won 5 to 0. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 0	5	10	0
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	2

Rixey and Killifer; Carlson and Schmidt, W. Smith.

MARQUARD GIVES CUBS HITS IN BUNCHES

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Chicago bunched three hits off Marquard in the sixth inning and shut out Brooklyn, 1 to 0, in the last game of the series. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	1
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 x	1	7	1

Marquard and Krueger; Waver and O'Farrell.

BARNES AND NEHF SHUT OUT CINCINNATI IN STYLE

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 26.—Boston took both games of a double-header from Cincinnati here today. Barnes and Nehf, pitching for the visitors, were in grand form, and each scored a shutout over the Reds. Scores:

First game:

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	8	0
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	6	0

Barnes and Meyers; Schneider, Regan and Wingo.

Second game:

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	3	8	2
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	0

Nehf and Tragresser; Schneider and H. Smith.

GATEWOOD WINS BREEDERS' FUTURITY

Outclasses Field at Columbus Grand Circuit Meet.

COLUMBUS, Sept. 26.—The American Horse Breeders' Futurity for 3-year-old pacers was won at the grand circuit meeting today by Robert Gatewood, who disposed of the field as he pleased. Four of the six horses were shut out by him in the first heat.

Summaries:

American Horse Breeders' Futurity, 3-Year-Old Pacers: Purse, $1,000; Two In Three Heats.

Robert Gatewood, b.c., by J. Malcolm Forbes (Geers) 1 1
Gold Quartz, ch.c. (Valentine) 2 2
Poor Man, br.c. (Murphy) 3 3
Rex Deforest c.b., (Cox) .... dis
Evelyn Rea Watts, b.f. (Pittman) .dis
Lady Fostyn, b.f. (Robinson) .... dis
Donna Lola, ch.f. (Wright) .... dis
Time—2:08¼, 2:15¼.

2:08 Class Pace. Purse $1,000; 3 in 5.

Directum J, blk.h., by Chamberlin (Murphy) 1 1 1
Mary Rosalind Parr, blk.m. (Valentine) 9 3 2
Cliff Moquette, ch. (Hunnell) .11 2 3
Peggy C., ch.m. (Schuler) 2 5 10
Mary Peters, b.m. (Hoskins) . 3 8 6
Tramp a Bit, r.g. (Jamieson) . 5 4 4
Spring Maid, ch.m. (White) . 4 7 8
Major Hoyt, b.h. (Snow) 10 12 5
Pat Connor, br.h. (Renin) 8 6 7
Canute, b.h. (Leep) 9 9 9
Redetta, ch.m. (Brown) 12 11 11
Robert E., br.g. (McCoy) .... 6 10 dr
Tiptop, ch.g. (Coombs) .... dis
Time—2:05¼, 2:05¼, 2:05¼.

2:15 Class Trotting; $1,000; 3 in 5 (Unfinished).

Michaelowa, b. m., by Peter the Great (Serrill) 5 1 1 3 3
Lottia Watts, b. m., by General Watts (Stout) .. 5 6 3 1 1
David Look, br. g., by Wilask (Casey) 4 2 6 2 2
Yace G., s. h. (Jones) 9 3 2 8 4
Frances Belmont, b. m. (Ervin) .... 2 9 8 5 ro
Richard Hunter, br. g. (Murphy) .... 7 4 10 6 ro
Eva Bingen, br. m. (McMahon) .... 8 10 9 4 ro
George Summers, b. g. (Wright) .... 10 8 4 9 ro
Sillocke, b. g. (Hoskins) .. 6 7 5 7 ro
Letanna S., b. h. (Snow) ... 11 5 7 dr
Ira C., b. g. (Erskine) .... 1 dis
Anne Cecil, br. m. (Leep) .dis
Dorothy Sweeney, b. m. (Owen) .... dis
Time—2:06¼, 2:07¼, 2:10¼, 2:08¼, 2:10¼.

2:14 Class Pace; Purse $1,000; 3 in 5.

Rascal, b. g., by Sun Glass (Willis) 1 1 1
Lady Fuller, b. m., by George Fuller (Owen) 4 3 2
Uhlan Simmons, b. g., by King Simmons (Gray) 5 2 4
Dan Hedgewood, b. h., by Hedgewood Boy (Erskine) 11 8 3
Flora A., ch. m. (D. Valentine) . 9 4 5
Count Marque, br. g. (Casey) .. 8 5 9
Birdie Welch, b. m. (Fleming) . 7 6 7
Lady Aubrey, b. m. (Grady) 6 7 8
The Squaw Man, b. g. (Clarke, Nuckols) 10 9 6
George E. Hutton, br. g. (Erwin) 3 dr
Loyal W., b. h. (Hendrick) .... 2 dr
Baron Wood, b. g. (Hopkins) .... dis
Time—2:05¼, 2:06¼, 2:07.

MEDICALS STAR AT MILITARY FIELD DAY

Weekly Contest Proves Popular With Men Training Here—Fine Events Staged.

With ideal weather conditions the third military field day held since the new order was issued, making the sports part of each unit's syllabus, yesterday proved as great a success as its two predecessors. Once more it was a runaway for the boys of the Army Medical Corps.

Five of the seven events were won by that unit. Infantrymen trimmed them in a closely contested football match by a score of 3 to 0. Gillies took first place in the 100-yard dash, with Reske a close second. The relay race was won by a team entered by Sergt. Howard Reske, carrying off the initial honors easily.

In a baseball game the A. M. C. bunch captured 17 of the 22 runs which were chalked up during the nine innings.

LONDON BOWLERS AT LAMBETH.

Two Elmwood rinks and three St. Matthew's rinks visited Lambeth Wednesday evening and played friendly games with the Lambeth bowlers. The five London rinks played an equal number of Lambeth rinks, and enjoyed some fine sport. Following the games luncheon was served at Mr. Hamlin's. President McLeodfi flof the St. Matthew's Club, made a brief speech, congratulating the Lambeth men on their play.

Stars of the World's Series

By W. R. Hoefer

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DAVIS A. ROBERTSON.
(Right Fielder, New York, Giants.)

A college football game, a broken collarbone, and John McGraw decided the outfield fate of Dave Robertson. Dave was a-pitching when McGraw first saw him in 1912, while still a college student. Mac needed a good left-hander, he liked the work of the young southerner and signed him to report the following spring.

In the meantime Robertson, who was a football star, played the pigskin game that fall and received the injury that ended his pitching career. It was then that the Giant boss decided to make an outfielder of Dave. Six feet tall, weighing about 170 pounds, and clean-limbed, the latter was one of the fastest birds that McGraw had ever seen and, moreover, was a natural slugger. So Davis went to the outfield, began pumping out long drives and beating out bunts with his terrific speed, and after a year with Mobile he became a Giant regular and a National League star.

Robertson is one of the fastest men in sheer sprinting speed in the game today. He has a keen batting eye, a free, slashing swing at the bat and is a long, clean-up batter. With Bennie Kauff's fire and dash, and his own natural physical advantages, Dave would be a close rival of Cobb.

The chief trouble with Robby, the thing that has kept him from leading his league in both fielding and batting, is his easy-going temperament. He lacks some of the cockyness of Kauff and the intense nervous tension of Cobb.

Dave is a flashy, sensational fielder. He covers as much outfield ground as anyone, has a good arm, and in defensive play is almost as good as they come. In 1913 he hit .335 with Mobile, and stole 57 bases. His first year as a Giant he hit .260, poled the onion for .294 in 1915, and last year hit .307. With all his speed Dave ought to steal more bases than he does. Last year he stole 21, the year before 22, when other players were getting bigger total on less actual speed, but perhaps, better judgment.

The present season has been a poor one for a player of Robby's ability. He has been down around .260, when normally he is a .300 swatter, and, potentially, the best batter on the club.

Portsmouth, Va., is the birthplace of this southerner, and he is 25 years old.

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JOSEPH JACKSON.
(Right Fielder, Chicago White Sox.)

Ten years ago a 20-year-old lad was working 13 hours a day in a cotton mill for $1.25. Today he is about to step into the famous world series, and make from $2,000 to $4,000 for playing a few games of baseball.

Sounds like melodramatic fiction, doesn't it?

Yet it happens to be actual fact. For the lad was Joe Jackson, now the famous right fielder of the White Sox, one of the oddest characters in the game's history.

The story of Jackson reads like a dime novel, and could properly be entitled "From Poverty to Riches." Joe is one of a family of eight children, and was born near Brandon Mills, a poor section of South Carolina, July 16, 1887. His early training consisted of hard work in the cotton mills, instead of schooling, and he was called "Shoeless Joe" as a youngster.

At 13 years of age he was a mill hand. At 21 he played ball for $75 a month, and considered himself lucky. His rise to diamond fame is one of the most sensational in baseball history.

Jackson has led every league in batting he ever played in. In 1908 he led the Carolina Association with .346, in 1909 the South Atlantic League with .358, in 1910 the American League in 20 games with the astounding mark of .387, and the Southern League the same year with .354. His first regular season in the majors he busted the pill for .408, and followed it the next year with .395.

Walter Johnson calls Jackson the greatest natural batter he ever saw, and baseball sharps agree that he is the most natural player in the game today.

Joe, who greatly resembles Cobb in build is 6 feet tall, weighs 175 pounds, and is built like a greyhound, lean, sinewy and fast. There isn't a physical weakness in his make-up, and with Cobb's mental quickness, Joe would be the greatest player of the age.

"Shoeless Joe" started as a catcher, and today bears a scar on his forehead received while backstopping. He also tried pitching and quit after breaking the arm of a mill hand in his first effort.

Connie Mack signed him in 1908 on a tip from a man named Stoush, but before getting to Philadelphia Jackson became homesick, left the train and beat it back south. Later, he played for Mack until sold to Cleveland.

This year, for the first time in his life, Jackson has hit under .300 most of the year. But his collective major league batting mark outclasses that of every other member of either series cub.

clubs, both Jackson and Robertson have played below form this season. At their best Jackson outclasses Robertson, good as the latter is. And even this year has outhit him consistently by 30 points. Jackson has the edge by a good margin.

Gould, in Great Form, Shuts Out Hoosiers

Toronto Defeats Indianapolis 4 to 0—Gould Gives Only One Hit in Second Game of Series With American Association Champions.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Toronto	1	1	.500
Indianapolis	1	1	.500

TORONTO, Sept. 26.—The International League champions made it fifty-fifty today in their inter-league series with the Indianapolis American Association champions when Gould, the diminutive right-hander, secured from Cleveland, held the invaders down to one hit, a two-bagger by Kirke, which came in the eighth frame. None was on at the time, and by tightening up, Gould kept the Indians from scoring during the remainder of the game.

The brilliant mound work of Gould tells the entire story of the Leaf victory. At no time was he in danger, and only one man drew a pass. Dawson, who opposed him, on the other hand, was hit for a dozen safeties, and his miserable fielding combined to defeat his team. The Leafs grabbed off two tallies in the fourth stanza by virtue of successive bingles by Lajoie, Steve Yerkes' juggling of Schultz's grounder, and when Dawson fumbled a bunt off Blackburne's bat all hands were safe with none out. McDonald then singled to centre, bringing in Manager Lajoie and Schultz.

Dawson took another ascension in the eighth inning when Lalonge singled, Gould's grounder was mishandled by Derrick, and Truesdale's single scored Lalonge, Gould romping to third, whence he scored on Jacobson's single through short.

A coincidence was that the two players participating in the series from other clubs, Murray, playing short for Toronto, loaned Buffalo, brought in the first two runs, while Kirke, borrowed from Louisville, to play first for the Indians, robbed Gould of a no-hit game by doubling in the eighth. Kantlehner, the former Pittsburg hurler, will oppose Toronto in the third game of the series tomorrow, while Manager Lajoie announced that he would probably work Hearne, his big southpaw.

The attendance was 3,000.

Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	1	3
Toronto	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0	4	12	0

Dawson and Schang; Gould and Lalonge.

Umpires—Murray and Bedford.

Indianapolis—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Dolan, 2b.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Reilly, l.f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Zeider, c.f.	3	0	0	3	1	0
Yerkes, 2b.	3	0	0	1	3	1
Kirke, 1b.	3	0	1	11	0	0
Derrick, s.	3	0	0	1	5	0
Latshaw, r.f.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Schang, c.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Dawson, p.	2	0	0	0	4	1
xDale	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxWickland	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxxKentlehner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	1	24	13	2

x—Batted for Schang in 9th.
xx—Batted for Dawson in 9th.
xxx—Ran for Wickland in 9th.

Toronto—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Truesdale, 2b.	5	0	2	1	4	0
Jacobson, c.f.	5	0	2	3	0	0
Whiteman, l.f.	5	0	1	2	0	0
Lajoie, 1b.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Schultz, r.f.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Blackburne, 3b.	3	0	1	2	2	0
McDonald, s.s.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lalonge, c.	2	1	1	5	2	0
Gould, p.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	36	4	13	27	12	0

Summary.—Stolen bases—Whiteman. Sacrifice hits—Blackburne. Two-base hits—Kirke. Double play—Yerkes, Derrick and Kirke. Struck out—By Gould 5, Dawson 2. Bases on balls—Off Gould 2, off Dawson 4. Wild pitch—Dawson. Left on bases—Indianapolis 2, Toronto 13.

Speaker Says Shine Ball Will Spoil Baseball

If the White Sox win the pennant it will be because Ban Johnson will not rule out the delivery of Eddie Cicotte and Dave Danforth.

That is the settled conviction of Manager Lee Fohl and Tris Speaker of the Indians, expressed in a fanning bee recently in the Cleveland club's office.

No team in the league has protested against Danforth and Cicotte more than the Indians have this year, and Speaker in a burst of fervid oratory insisted that the continuance of shine balls and sail balls would break up the game. He drew a pathetic picture of poor, hard-working major leaguers being sent back to the forge and the woodpile because their earnings were menaced by this delivery.

Will Go to Dogs.

"The game will go to the dogs," quoth Tris, "unless a stop is put to the doctoring of the ball by Cicotte and Danforth. Don't tell me that Cicotte, close to the 40s, can handle a regular ball in a regular way and ring up the victories he has this year. And there is Danforth. I faced him in Chicago and didn't get a respectable foul off of him."

"Yes, and you met him here and got four hits in a row," someone suggested.

"Well, that was something else again, but the delivery is irregular and must be stopped or the game will be ruined," continued Spoke.

"A lot of ball players will be looking for their bread and butter in some other line if the delivery isn't ruled out. If the Sox win that is what will give them the pennant."

In the meantime Lee Fohl was digging into the secretary's desk for exhibit A in the form of a ball, which had hopscotched into the Indians' dugout while Danforth was twirling.

"Look at this," pointed Lee with triumph, as he exhibited a pill the seams on one side of which were incrusted with some waxy substance which the manager claimed had raised the threads about one-thirty-second part of an inch higher than the normal surface.

Some with their own eyes, others with the aid of specs, took a squint at the pill, and one observer allowed that perhaps the raise of the seam might be an optical illusion.

Discolors Them All.

"Sure," said Fohl, "but the ball has dried out by this time and that is the reason Ban Johnson never has discovered the ridge. When it is wet first the threads rise instantly and the ball goes on its uncanny way to the plate. The discoloration naturally aids it. Didn't Nallin throw out new balls to Danforth yesterday? Did the pitcher have them an instant before they were spotted? He did not. They looked like Joseph's coat when they reappeared."

Taken with other protests along the circuit it is a cinch that the Sox will have to beat seven teams all laying for their scalps. For some reason every club is putting forth frantic efforts to beat Rowland's crew. If they can harass the team by protesting every pitched ball it will be done. It looks like a grand finish.

COBB AND SPEAKER IN BENEFIT GAME

Boston, Sept. 27.—Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker and other baseball stars came to this city today to participate in a game between an all-star team and the Boston Americans in honor of the memory of Timothy Murnane. Murnane, in his younger days a player, for many years was sporting editor of the Boston Globe and one of the leading baseball writers in the country. The gate receipts are to be used in any way that his family may elect.

IN KINCARDINE TP. FOR SIXTY YEARS

KINCARDINE, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Forbes Robertson, aged 85, died at the home of her son, James Robertson, Kincardine Township, yesterday. Deceased had been a resident of the township for 50 years. Her sister, Miss Margaret Donald, died here last week. They were both from Aberdeenshire, Scotland.

SENATORS EVEN UP WITH CHICAGO BY BEATING SOX 5 TO 2

League Champions Get Jolt at Nation's Capital.

TIGERS AGAIN BEAT YANKS

Athletics Give Myer Great Support and Freeze Out the Browns in Snappy Game.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Washington evened up the series with Chicago today, by taking the second game 5 to 2. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0	4	8	0
Washington	1 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 x	5	10	1

Faber and Schalk; Dumont, Johnson and Ainsmith.

INDIANS CLOSE SERIES AT BOSTON BY SHUTOUT

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—Cleveland closed its 1917 series here today by defeating Boston 2 to 0. Scor:

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0	2	9	1
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	8	1

Coumbe and O'Neill; Leonard, Jones and Agnew.

MYERS' HURLING AND TEAM'S SUPPORT WIN

PHILADELPHIA. Sept. 26.—Myer's excellent pitching, which was backed up by splendid support by a team of young players, defeated St. Louis today by a score of 4 to 0. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	3	5
Philadelphia	0 1 0 0 0 2 1 0 0	4	5	1

Davenport and Hale, Hartley; Myers and Perkins.

TIGERS' WINNING STREAK STICKS RIGHT WITH THEM

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Detroit defeated New York again in the second game of the present series today by a score of 5 to 1. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	1 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0	5	6	2
New York	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0	1	5	3

Boland and Stanage; Enright, Love and Ruel.

HOW THE WEATHERMAN SLANTS TODAY'S GAMES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg, clear, 3 p.m.
Boston at Cincinnati, cloudy, 3 p.m.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at Washington, clear, 3 p.m.
St. Louis at Philadelphia, clear, 3 p.m.
No other games scheduled.

COMISKEY DOING BEST TO ELIMINATE ALL TICKET SPECULATORS

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 27.—President Comiskey of the Chicago Americans today started aggressive action against speculators who have announced that they will have for sale tickets to the world's series baseball games to be played here. The first step in the attempt to eliminate speculation was taken when he conferred with States Attorney Hoyne and Mayor Thompson as to what legal action may be taken against the brokers.

There has been some dissatisfaction expressed at the ruling which compels the purchase of seats in sets of three, it being said that an injustice was done to those who might be able to see only one game. President Comiskey announced today all tickets sold will be redeemed at the South Side Park at the price paid for them. He expressed the belief that all "square fans will turn back their surplus supply and thus give another patron an opportunity to see a game without paying toll to the scalpers."

Announcement was also made today that plans have almost been completed for enlarging Comiskey Park, giving it a permanent seating capacity of 45,000. It is expected this work will be completed when the season opens next spring.

ENEMY HARASSED ON ENTENTE FRONT BY ITALIAN TROOPS

Prisoners, Arms and Ammunition Brought in by Patrols.

ROME, Sept. 26.—The Italian official communication issued today says:

"Along the entire front our gallant patrols have caused damage to the enemy and otherwise harassed him. Prisoners have been taken in the Posina region and arms and ammunition on the Carso front.

"This morning our airplanes bombarded railway establishments in the Podberda Bazza Valley and this evening those of the Proseccio coastal line. Altogether five tons of bombs were dropped with visibly effective results."

LIFE FOR SOUKHOMLINOFF.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 26.—Gen. Soukhomlinoff, former minister of war, was sentenced to hard labor for life, after a conviction on the charge of high treason in the court here today.

Mme. Soukhomlinoff was acquitted.

ROBINSON TROPHY GOES TO INGERSOLL

The Robinson Challenge Cup didn't decorate the walls of the Thistle Club very long. It was only the other night that the Thistles took it from the Elmwoods, and on Wednesday evening "Harty" Sumner brought his Ingersoll rink to town and took the silverware home with him after a hot game with the defenders. To be exact, the Robinson Cup rested 24 hours at the Thistle Club, Bert Heaman's rink having defeated the Elmwoods on Tuesday night for it.

Yesterday's game was a tight one all the way through. C. K. Bluett's rink did good work, leading in the scoring through most of the play. Seven dead ends were played. The final end was a close one, and an unlucky shot by Bluett made the score 14-13.

The score and rinks:

Ingersoll.	Thistles.
Kenneth Rae	James Gray
O. E. Robinson	C. S. Smallman
Edward Lee	W. T. Douglas
C. Sumner, s....14	C. K. Bluett, s..13

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REORGANIZATION IS NOT EXPECTED TILL ELECTION IS OVER

Borden Administration May Go Into Fight With the Present Line-Up.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Sept. 26.—Premier Borden will be back from his fishing trip early next week. The dissolution of Parliament will be one of the first things that will engage his attention. Parliament would be dissolved by statute on October 7, but the Government does not propose to let the law take its course in this case, and will have the Governor-General take action and dissolve the House.

The date of election has not been fixed or even calculated. The preparations for taking the votes at home or abroad have not advanced sufficiently to enable the Government to calculate the date of polling. Still it is not believed that the prediction of Sir George Foster will be realized, and the election held as late as February.

January seems the favorite date for the event.

Hon. Arthur Meighen has returned to Ottawa, and Sir George Foster will be back on Friday.

Government reorganization now is not expected till after this election. According to general belief the Administration will go into the fight with its present line-up. Inside organization for the election is now being pushed.

INSURANCE COMPANIES WILL SUPPORT LOAN

OTTAWA, Sept. 26.—Finance Minister White had today a conference with representatives of leading Canadian insurance companies. Full support was promised for the coming loan.

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