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St. Marys Alerts Beaten 12-6 In Sudden-Death Game At Brantford By Hamilton Crew

Alerts Weakened In Final Quarter After Great Fight

Smith, Who Got Into Game by Squeak, Was Determining Factor.

Special to The Advertiser.

Brantford, Sept. 21.—St. Marys weakened in the final period, allowing Hamilton to net five goals and captured the O. A. L. intermediate championship, 12 to 6, here this afternoon. For the first three periods the game was a neck and neck battle with little or nothing to choose between the two teams, but the boys in green could not stand the pace, and the Bengals roamed the field at will during the final session. Smith, the outstanding star of the winners, only got into the game by the skin of his teeth, a telegram arriving five minutes before the game started, stating that he was eligible to play. He netted seven of the Hamilton goals, and in the third period slammed in the one which proved to be the winning tally. In spite of the fact that twelve goals were scored against him, Newman, the St. Marys goalie, was one of the best players on the field, time and again stopping shots that looked like sure counts.

Hamilton drew first blood when Farr scored after two minutes of play, but St. Marys came right back strong, and in the next seven minutes whirled three into the Hamilton net. Near the end of the period Smith gave the Tigers another goal, but the green-shirted boys had all the best of the play in this session and looked like winners. In the second period Hamilton evened the count. It took ten minutes to get one past Newman, but Smith beat the defence to shoot from close in and followed with Cowan and Lavell both scored for St. Marys again, putting them in the lead, but Cooper came to the aid of Hamilton and again tied the score.

The third period was the hardest fought of the lot, and only three goals were scored. Cooper beat Newman to again put the Hans on top, but Lavell came alone and made the score three to two. In the final period the Bengals had it all their own way and held St. Marys to only three goals. They completed the slaughter by tacking on two more. In the period St. Marys defence went all to pieces, and Newman was left to hold the fort practically alone. He turned in a fine performance, but with the shots coming thick and fast from all sides, he had little chance to stem the tide of defeat.

The teams were: St. Marys—Newman, Yates, Richardson, Mosson, Alberts, Tuer, Smith, Lavell, Cowan, Stewart, Smith, Hobbs and Riddels. Hamilton—Gannon, Bohmer, Anderson, Cooper, Dwyer, Droncher, Stuart, Farr, Ling, sub, Smith, Hobbs and Riddels.

Referee—Hughes Jack, Toronto; Fitzgerald, St. Catharines.

Penalties—Gannon (2), Farr, Lavell, Tuer (2), 10 minutes; Hobbs, 5 minutes; Cooper, Alberts, Cowan and Stuart, 5 minutes; First period—Hamilton, 2; St. Marys, 1; Second period—Hamilton, 2; St. Marys, 2; Third period—Hamilton, 3; St. Marys, 1; Fourth period—Hamilton, 5; St. Marys, 1; Total—Hamilton, 12; St. Marys, 6.

FAVORITES BUMPED OFF ON COLUMBUS TRACK

Murphy Drives Two Wins, Rose Scott Was One Favorite To Win.

Associated Press Despatch. Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 21.—Favorites found the going rather rough today as a three-day lay-off because of rain. Tommy Murphy drove winners in the first two events, but only by a narrow margin. Rose Scott, favored in the Capital City Stakes, won the race, easily showing her superiority, and was as pleased in straight heats.

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BASEBALL SUMMARY

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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New York	51	54	.485
Cincinnati	47	59	.442
Pittsburgh	42	64	.398
Chicago	35	71	.328
Brooklyn	29	77	.273
Boston	27	79	.256
Philadelphia	26	80	.245

Yesterday's Results.

New York 8, Pittsburgh 1, Cincinnati 3 (1 inning).

Today's Games.

New York at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia at Chicago.

Sunday's Games.

Boston at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Cincinnati. (Only three games scheduled.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	43	50	.463
Cleveland	38	55	.408
Detroit	37	56	.399
Washington	33	60	.354
Chicago	31	62	.335
Philadelphia	28	65	.304
Boston	26	67	.282

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago at Philadelphia, rain. Cleveland at Washington, rain.

Today's Games.

Chicago at Philadelphia, St. Louis at New York, Detroit at Boston (2).

Sunday's Games.

Syracuse at Buffalo, Cleveland at Jersey City, Newark at Reading (2).

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GIANTS GRAB TWO FROM PITTSBURG

Pinelli's Triple Scores Walk in the Eleventh—Reds Win.

Associated Press Despatch. Pittsburgh, Sept. 21.—The New York Giants strengthened their hold on first place by taking both games of a double-header from the Pirates today.

The Giants knocked both Meadows and Stone from the box in the first game, and continued their heavy hitting in the second, sending Cooper to the showers. Carey drove a homer over the left field wall in the ninth inning of the first game, scoring Maranville ahead of him.

New York 6, Pittsburgh 1, Cincinnati 3 (1 inning).

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Galt, Sept. 21.—The touring Free Foresters' visit to Galt for a game of cricket, with an all-star Western Ontario team was in vain. Although they made it necessary to suspend action yesterday's heavy rain there was a severe thunderstorm during the night, but this morning it was clear, and the ground was wet, and the visitors were anxious for action, and especially on the first grass wicket they had encountered.

The short time they were in the field the Free Foresters displayed their class with spectacular hitting, while the spin bowlers of Major Burnham and Capt. R. Fowler were splendid. J. Duffin of 21st and G. W. Hambleton of 22nd were the first pair to bat, and the Galtians were caught on the first ball. A. May of London then went to bat, and the pair carried the score to 16 before the first wicket fell.

H. Lowmough of Woodstock followed, and with Hambleton, added five more runs, the former being bowled and caught by Fowler. W. Ladbroke of Galt hit for four, and then Hambleton was eliminated after scoring seven runs. C. Maddock of Kitchener was bowled without scoring, and G. W. Harrison of Stratford failed to show his wares, the rain interfering.

The visitors were immensely pleased with the local field, declaring it to be the finest they had seen in Canada. Tonight the touring cricketers were the guests of the Galt Kiwanis Club at a banquet after which they left for Toronto on their way to Ottawa, which will conclude their tour.

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Babe Ruth Awarded Trophy As American League's Most Valuable Player In 1923

He Received Highest Number of Points and Can Never Be Beaten.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—George Herman ("Babe") Ruth of the New York Americans, pennant winners of the American League for 1923, was declared to be the most valuable player to the league trophy awarded the American League trophy for the season. Ruth received the highest possible number of points, and being a record that can be tied, but never beaten.

Ruth was the unanimous choice of the committee appointed to select the American League player who has been the greatest contributor to the team during the championship season, receiving first place on every ballot, one from each of the eight clubs in the circuit, for a total of 64 counts.

Announcement of the award was made by President Bar Johnson of the league.

How complete was the comeback can be seen from the fact that in the 1922 trophy contest, which was won by George Sizer of the St. Louis Browns with 53 points, Ruth was not mentioned among the best eight players.

Ruth's name will be inscribed on the 1923 trophy, which is to be presented to him by the American League as a memorial to baseball and a tribute to the greatest player of the year.

Twenty-two players figure in the voting for the trophy this year. The official count of which follows:

George S. Ruth, Jr.,