

Now, Really, Mutt, a Little Harmless Joke Like This is All Right

By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

Baseball

To See the Game.
Harry Ervin, Leo Gallagher and Francis Burpee left last night for Boston to attend the post series game. They will also pay a visit to Philadelphia. John Fredman, Percy Howard and several others left on the Boston boat this morning to attend the game.

The Big League

American League.
Washington 4, New York 3.
Boston 17, Philadelphia 5.
Cleveland 11, St. Louis 6.

American League Standing	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	104	46	.693
Washington	90	60	.600
Philadelphia	89	61	.593
Chicago	75	76	.497
Cleveland	74	77	.490
Detroit	69	81	.460
St. Louis	52	100	.342
New York	49	101	.327

National League.
New York 4, Brooklyn 3.
Philadelphia 13, Boston 4.

National League Standing	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	102	47	.685
Pittsburgh	88	63	.583
Chicago	80	69	.537
Cincinnati	74	77	.490
Philadelphia	73	77	.487
St. Louis	63	88	.417
Boston	52	94	.357
Brooklyn	40	101	.283

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Marquard, notwithstanding that three runs were made off him in the fifth, the last inning he pitched well safely and three times, and for the first four innings flashed in his old record-winning style. His work looked encouraging. In warming up before the game he got the jump on his ball that was so paralyzingly effective against the opponents in the early part of the season. He also seemed to have recovered his old swing and looked very promising as a valuable factor against the Red Sox. McGraw has been somewhat in the background when the world's series predictions have been handed out. Mathewson and Tamm were looked on as the Giants' real hopes, but it is believed McGraw will flash much more brilliantly than is generally supposed.

President McAlister, of the Boston Americans, has already paid a visit to the Polo grounds and seen the Giants at play, but if any of his players have come they have come and gone strictly inconspicuous.

World Series Pictures.
Cincinnati, O., Oct. 3.—Persons who had expected to get a cheap look at the

world's series by attending a moving picture show may be disappointed this year, as it is quite probable that there will be no pictures taken. Last year the company paid \$3,500 for the privilege of taking the pictures, and some one spread the story that the National Commission was getting \$100,000 for the privilege and splitting the money.
Chairman Herrmann was called on the long distance phone from New York on Saturday by a man supposed to represent a moving picture film company.
"Will you give me \$1,000 for the moving picture?" asked the "picture man."
"Nothing doing," replied Herrmann.
"Make it \$1,500," responded the voice.
"Not a nickel less than we received last year," answered Herrmann.
"You heard what I said about last year's price," replied Herrmann, as he hung up the phone.

Good for McAlister.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 3.—The Boston club has proved a little gold mine for James R. McAlister during his one year's connection with the team. He has \$200,000 in the Boston club, of which \$100,000 represents his savings. The remaining \$100,000 was borrowed from President Charles Connely, of the Chicago White Sox. McAlister tells with pride that, for the last eight years, his income as manager and scout has been \$20,000 a season. He saved his money. Already the profits for this season are nearly equal his investment, and after the world's series he will have a snug sum left over.

The Boston Outfielders.

Greatest throwing outfield in the business. Who? Speaker, Lewis and Hooper, of course. The Giants will not take many liberties with that trio in attempting to score on near sacrifice flies or trying to score from second on singles. They better not get too gay or Speaker, Hooper or Lewis will spit them at the plate. Collectively, the trio has thrown out eighty men this season. Speaker having thirty-four, Lewis twenty-six and Hooper twenty.

Football

Played Tie Game.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 3.—(Special).—The Rugby season opened here today with Fredericton High school and the University of New Brunswick freshmen playing a tie game.

The game was played in an attempt to break the tie, but there was no further scoring and play was stopped on account of darkness.

The high school team was lighter but was superior in condition. Fumbling by the backs was evident, however. The freshmen team was without practice and will improve.

Edgemoor College for the High school in the first half, crossing the freshman line on a dash from scrimmage. Coy failed to convert.

A few minutes afterward Cass scored on a similar play, Edgemoor failing to convert.

Scores 3 to 3.

In the second half Turner crossed the high school line, but the try was not allowed.

Fredericton High school forced the freshmen to touch down twice to prevent scoring.

In the overtime, play was fairly even.

Hut Murray, Captain of the U. N. B. team, was referee.

The U. N. B. Team.

Fredericton Mail.—There was a big turnout at the U. N. B. Rugby practice yesterday.

Church, the coach, had the boys hard at work from start to finish.

He was very pleased with the way things went. Church made no attempt to pick or place players, believing that a hard practice without any selection of players would be the best thing. There were a number of absentees, however, because of the fullback position is very much in doubt.

"Doc" Laughlin was put in the scrum yesterday and the other candidates were not out. Kuhring may be tried out in that position when he returns.

Provincial Notes.

Fredericton Gleaner.—Frank McGibbon turned out for the first time yesterday with the U. N. B. squad and several other veterans were on hand for the first time.

It therefore looks as if McGibbon, Bender and Morrison will fight it out for the other quarterback position, with chances probably favoring McGibbon, although both Bender and Morrison are playing much better football than last year.

Ken Dunphy and "Sheeney" McKnight, two former U. N. B. football players, are playing this season on rival teams in the west.

McKnight, who was one of the best full backs ever turned out at U. N. B., is playing for Edmonton, while Dunphy, who was a Red and Black star, is playing for Calgary, Y. M. C. A.

From Mount A. it is learned that one of their most promising candidates has left college and has gone to Queen's College at Kingston, Ont., but at the same time it is said that Lou Buckley, who has been the "Gazet" and "Gold" star for several years, will be back on the job again this season, not having taken his degree as yet.

With Buckley in charge of the team that his services will of course be missed by the Tantarum athletes.

The Ring

Bouts Tonight.

Billy Willis vs. Clarence Ferns and Tommy Dixon vs. H. Smith, Philadelphia.

Johnny Marto vs. Joe Borrell, Brooklyn.

Wednesday's Bouts.

Dave Smith, Australia, won from Freddie Hicks, Detroit, in twelve rounds.

Charley Silverio, Beverly, won from Joe Nelson Lawrence, in five rounds.

Tired Men

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THE WORLD SERIES, BY JOE PAGE

Gus Lenny, South Boston, and Johnny Munroe, Chelsea, in a sixround draw.

News of the Boxes.

Harry Trendall, a St. Louis lightweight, and Jerry Murphy of Indianapolis, will meet in a ten-round bout at the Mound City on Oct. 11.

New Orleans fans seem to think that Mandot will have his hands full in negotiating Joe Sherman next week when they meet at Memphis in an eight-round bout.

Both boxers are to weigh in at 133 pounds at three o'clock, which will give Sherman some rough work when they meet at Memphis in an eight-round bout.

Johnny Conlon asserts that he is willing to give Frankie Burns, the clever New Jersey bantam-weight, another chance.

Jimmy Coffroth has arranged a tentative list of matches which, if he could bring off, would add quite a bit to ring history. Some for which Coffroth is angling are: Packey McFarland vs. Ad Wolgast, no chance; Frisco Frankie Burns vs. Joe Rivers; Jim Driscoll vs. Johnny Kilbane or Driscoll vs. Volcast; Jim Ryan vs. Al Kaufman and Greek K. O. Brown vs. Eddie McGorty.

Moncton Transcript.—Moncton is going to have a hockey team and there is going to be a maritime province pro league, meetings should be held at once and plans for the coming season mapped out. The Moncton promoters had better get busy at once and get into communication with some of the fast men of Upper Canada and other places.

A few members of last year's avul chor us who have kept quiet all summer, have come out and are busily engaged knocking hockey and doing all in their power to down Canada's National pastime in Moncton. It is hoped that their efforts will not meet with success and that Moncton will have a hockey team able to stand as last year's, if not better.

New Stadium for Ottawa.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—Within the course of a day or two, plans will be definitely announced for the new hockey stadium which Ottawa will have in full swing by December 1 of next year. The matter has been kept secret for some time, but work will be started about November 1. The new stadium will be a masterpiece of the city. The electric interests are said to be heavily interested in the project.

Athletic

St. Yves Near Death.

Hampstead, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Henri St. Yves, the French Marathon runner, who has been studying as an apprentice aviator for some weeks, narrowly escaped death at the Hampstead Plains aerodrome.

He was making a low flight in a biplane when he tried to turn a pylon too sharply. His craft crested and then dropped to the ground, 100 feet. Mr. Chance ran to the spot, thinking the aviator was killed, but when they lifted him out of the wreckage he was able to stand, his only injuries being a number of severe bruises.

Aquatic

Lipton Not to Challenge

New York, Oct. 3.—Sir Thomas Lipton will leave England for a visit to this country next Saturday. Many reports have been called that he is coming here to try to arrange another race for the American Cup, which he already has tried to win three times with the Shamrocks. This report is contradicted by A. W. Melville, who is the representative of Sir Thomas Lipton in this country. This visit of Sir Thomas is to be one of pleasure, he says, and while yachting is his favorite sport, he does not expect to discuss yachting at all.

Three years ago Sir Thomas came here to make an extended tour of this country, which he never has been able to do. He wanted to visit Canada, cross the Rockies, see the far west, and Pacific Coast and then visit the south, but after he had been here a few weeks he was called home on important business and had to cancel all engagements. Now he is coming to continue what he started then.

HENDERSON & HUNT SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

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Batting Average

G. A. B. R. H. S. S. H. P. C.
New York. 140 4603 773 1286 271 128 278
Boston. 142 4609 714 1287 167 134 278

Fielding Average

G. P. O. A. E. T. C. P. C.
Boston. 142 3789 1720 248 5767 857
New York 140 3117 1731 278 5726 851

New York Pitchers' Averages.

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Marquard	23	9	.743
Tamm	17	6	.729
Quinnell	12	6	.667
Mathewson	22	12	.647
Wilkes	9	5	.643
Ames	9	5	.643

Boston Pitchers' Averages.

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Wood	32	4	.889
Hall	17	8	.680
Collins	14	7	.667
Bedient	15	8	.652
O'Brien	16	12	.571

Figure show that for 140 games on the New York end that the Giants have batted for 278. Boston in 142 games has batted for 274. New York has scored 773 runs against Boston's 714. The Giants have stolen 271 bases and the Red Sox 167.

It will be noticed that New York has stolen 104 more bases than the Sox. It is also worthy of note that in the stealing of these bases New York has seven in the first ten players of the National League, and Boston has only one, Tris Speaker, in the first ten of the American League.

Curious, the Sox's catcher is the one best when it comes to knowledge of the game and how to work the fine points, and he certainly will be one of the big factors in the race for the championship. It is another question, however, when it comes to stopping McGraw's leading base stealers on the paths. They have not been able to stop them to any extent, but with Johnny McGraw behind them, Stahl, Carrigan & Co. will have to keep their eyes open and their throwing arms in good working order to stop the Giants pilfering after they reach the first sack.

SPEAKER AND DOYLE WIN THE AUTOS

Chicago, Oct. 4.—Tris Speaker, centre fielder for the Boston Americans, and Larry Doyle, captain and second baseman of the New York Nationals, are the recipients this year of the two automobiles awarded annually by a Detroit manufacturer to the two baseball players adjudged to have been the most useful to their respective teams.

The players were chosen in a mail vote taken by baseball writers who report the big league games.

Doyle, batting fifth in the National League, with an average of .325, engaged in 139 games, went to the plate 541 times, scored 100 runs and made 177 hits for a total of 235 bases. He made thirty-one doubles, nine triples and ten homers. He is credited with nine sacrifice hits and thirty-five stolen bases.

The prizes will be presented to the winners during the world's series. Last time the winners were Tris Cobb, of Detroit, and Frank Schulte of the Chicago Nationals.

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