

Sporting News

CHICAGO WHITE SOX TAKE LEAD IN FIFTH GAME OF WORLD'S SERIES; SCORE 8 TO 2 IN THRILLING CONTEST

Playing at New York Today and if Necessary Tomorrow—The White Sox Tied Score Saturday and Then Won in Eighth Inning After Giants Had What Seemed to be Safe Lead—Twenty-five Played in the Game.

Chicago, Oct. 13. — In a game that thrilled and enthralled some 27,000 spectators Saturday afternoon, the Chicago Americans scrambled into the world series lead again by defeating the New York Nationals 8 to 5 and swinging to the fore three games to two. It was a game that ran the gamut of baseball from sensation and brilliant to mediocre, but never during the two hours and thirty-seven minutes of battle did it lose its intense hold on the spectators and at its conclusion the fans were almost as exhausted as the players. For more than two hours the adherents of the White Sox roared and cheered without a moment's intermission while the players, once the Chicago team went into the lead, became frantic with joy, and performed antics in front of their dugout that would have made a college cheer leader despair.

Indifferent Playing at Times.

While the enthusiasm and thrills enveloped the contest with the glamor that had been entirely missing in the preceding games, the fifth meeting of the White Sox and the Giants will not go down in world's series history as a diamond battle of either outstanding skill as baseball perfection. It abounded with errors of both omission and commission and was marred by misplays which would have brought censure on schoolboy competitors. All this was forgotten, however, when the American League combination finally wrested the lead from its rival and gained a position of advantage nearly as commanding as the two straight victories at the opening of the series had given it.

The two clubs left soon after the game for the Polo Grounds at New York, where the sixth game will be played on Monday and the seventh if necessary on Tuesday, the Giants having won the toss and the privilege of making the place of the deciding contest should each team win three games.

While the players of both teams have ceased to participate in the financial proceeds of the contest, the rivalry is none the less keen, for there is more than a thousand dollars difference between the individual shares that will fall to the winning and the losing combinations. In many respects today's game developed fea-

tures which have been foreign to previous diamond battles of the present series.

Twenty-five Players in Game.

Twenty-five players appeared in the line-up of the American and National League pennant winners. After having gone twenty-four innings without scoring a run against the Giants, the Sox turned and piled up eight tallies while the losers collected five, making a total for the day of thirteen, more than as many as the entire scoring of the two teams in the first four clashes. In making these thirteen runs the batters piled up an aggregate of twenty-six hits and nine fielding errors. Seventy-seven batters faced six pitchers and while there were unlimited thrills and tense situations, there was no one player who could claim the spotlight of heroism in this melee of hits, errors, fielding flashes and sprints from base to base.

A perfect autumn day greeted the players as they stepped on the diamond for the opening plays. It was clear and just a trifle cold but the fans did not appear to notice the tinge in the atmosphere. Here and there were vacant spaces in both stands and bleachers and there were no crowds upon the buildings overlooking Comiskey Park. Little time was lost by the two teams in getting into action and the Giants, first to bat, rolled up a two run lead before the White Sox could check their rush.

Score by Innings:

New York . . . 2 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—5
Chicago . . . 0 0 1 0 0 1 3 3—8

HUNS MAKE A NEW MOVE

London, Oct. 13.—The Germans have landed troops on the islands of Cosel and Dago, in the Gulf of Riga, according to a Reuter despatch from Petrograd.

Cosel and Dago islands are at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, and provide easy access to the mainland over small intermediate islands. They are off the coast of the Russian province of Esthonia. Dago Island is about 200 miles from Petrograd. Its position derives additional importance from the fact that it is almost at the mouth of the Gulf of Finland, at the head of which is Kronstadt, which defends Petrograd.

LOST LIFE IN A FIRE.

St. Angus, Que., Oct. 12.—Miss Robitau, 22 years of age, lost her life in a fire which destroyed the dwelling house and bakery belonging to Mr. H. Therrien this morning.

You can't tell much about a woman by the things that appeal to her sense of humor.

FREDERICTON HIGH WON EASILY

Beat St. John High 22 to 0 on Saturday—Visiting Team was Outclassed in Every Way.

In the first game of the Interscholastic Rugby League St. John High School took the zero end of a 22 to 0 score with Fredericton High on the other end Saturday. The visiting team was outclassed in every way and some of the members of the team showed lack of knowledge of even the rudiments of the game. What playing the visiting backs did was entirely of the individual variety and it was very seldom seen.

Fredericton High seemed to have one of the best teams the local school has turned out in some years. The backs were particularly good and were in the game at all stages. Of four tries scored three were by backs and the two field goals also were by one of the backs, Walker booting both over.

St. John High has not had grounds on which to practice this year and certainly showed the need of drill in every department.

The Scoring.

The game was not far advanced before Fredericton High showed that they had nothing to fear from the visitors. Walker scored first dropping a goal after the ball was heeled from a scrum some fifteen yards out. Kane scored next, going around the left end of the St. John half line for a try between the goal posts. Lounsbury failed to convert. The next try was by Lounsbury who went through the St. John back division and scored under the goal posts. McAdam took the kick and converted nicely. The half ended with the score 12 to 0.

In the next period Fredericton High kept right after St. John. Except for short periods of time the visitors were defending.

After a scrum had broken and the play became loose among the forwards Bridges went over for a try. Lounsbury crossed the line for another soon after. Neither was converted. St. John kicked on Lounsbury's try claiming that one of their players was on the ball but to the referee it looked like a try. Walker, who is one of the slickest drop kickers who has appeared on a local Rugby field in some time, scored another field goal.

The teams were.

Fredericton High.	St. John High.
Fullback.	
Goodspeed	Akerley
Halves.	
B. Hagerman	Kerr
Lounsbury (Capt.)	Robertson
McAdam	McQuade
Kane	Dawson
Quarters.	
H. Porter	Sinclair
Walker	Hutchinson
Thompson	Wilkes
Forwards.	
Bridges	McRae
D. McFarlane	McKee
D. Porter	Hoey
E. Hagerman	Malcolm
Donovan	Moses
Flanagan	Gill
S. McFarlane	Cunningham
Referee, C. W. Clark.	

Forgive your enemies, but if you have no enemies forgive a few of your friends.

HERE'S A NEW CAUSE OF WORRY IN WARTIME

Life Getting Sadder Than the Movies Since the Soldier Boys Began to Wed War Nurses.

(Chicago News.)

"Violet Schy's mother is afraid that the young soldier Vi is engaged to will fall in love with a Red Cross nurse," remarked Mrs. Ramble.

"Well?" responded Ramble. "Every time Violet's mother sees a picture of a Red Cross nurse she fancies she sees the very one who is going to steal Vi's soldier as soon as he comes into the hospital."

"The other day Mrs. Schy saw a picture of a Red Cross nurse helping a lame soldier to walk, and they had their arms around each other, and nothing on earth could convince Vi's mother that they were not in love."

"Violet is a nawfully sweet, pretty girl, and Andy is such a nice big, manly fellow, and they are so fond of each other and make such a nice young couple and she is so young and so trusting that it seems a shame!"

"It does," mused Ramble. "I don't blame M. Mother Schy at all. I, too, have seen pictures of those nurses, and they seem—er—well high irresistible, that's certain."

"Isn't there anything that can be done about it?" inquired Mrs. Ramble. "It will break the poor girl's heart, and she has heart trouble anyway, and it will kill the mother to see the daughter suffering."

"Too bad, too bad!" murmured Mr. Ramble. "So you think that the contemplation of a heartbroken daughter will be too much for Mamma Schy and that she will never recover! Well such things do happen, of course, but didn't Mrs. Schy break up an affair between Violet and young Sprightly Spratt a year ago? Vi's heart was broken then but Mamma Schy survived all right."

"Yes, but that was different. Young Spratt was a very gay young jackanapes, and Andy McSamson is altogether different. He's a handsome young soldier—"

"I see. I know. I understand. I get you. I'm on. It's like this: When a girl is in love with a jackanapes, and ma busts it up, the girl's heart doesn't break and ma does not lie down and die. But when a pretty Red Cross nurse runs away with a handsome soldier boy, then the girl's heart gets a real break and both mother and daughter perish with disappointment, mortification, chagrin and grief."

"Vi will get a letter something like this," continued Mrs. Ramble. "Dear Vi, please forgive me. I really thought I loved you, but I know now that I did not and that I owe my very life itself to dear Hortense, who nursed me through—"

Here Mrs. Ramble stopped and reached for her pocket handkerchief. "Gee whiz!" growled Ramble. "This life is getting sadder than the movies. It's intolerable. Where's the comical cartoons!"

HUN SEAMEN AFRAID OF SUB

(Canadian Press direct wire.) London, Oct. 13. — Reliable reports received here by way of Holland indicate the growth of a strong disinclination on the part of German seamen to serve on submarines. This news, the authenticity of which is not doubted, is to the effect that several seamen already have been shot for refusing to perform U-boat duties. The shootings are said to have occurred prior to the mutiny in Wilhelmshaven.

EGYPT HAS A NEW SULTAN

(Canadian Press direct wire.) Cairo, Egypt, Oct. 11. — The accession of the new sultan of Egypt, Ahmed Fuad, was marked today by great pomp and ceremony. He rode in an open carriage, accompanied by the premier, through flag bedecked streets. The equipage was escorted by Egyptian cavalry and the streets were lined with English and Australian infantry as a guard of honor, while guns boomed and crowds cheered. After the procession Sultan Ahmed Fuad received in reception many notables.

RESIGNATION BY WIRE.

Edmonton, Oct. 13.—Hon. Arthur L. Sifton, premier of Alberta, telegraphed his resignation to Lieutenant Governor Brett from Ottawa last night.

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