

# Giants Trim Cards 10-3 to Retain 21-2 Game Lead in National

## Both Pitchers Driven From Mound in First Frame Batting Spree

Cubs Edge Dodgers — Yanks Whitewash Tigers — Red Sox Split With Browns

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—By the simple means of getting away to a flying start and then giving Carl Hubbell the job of staying in command, New York Giants walloped the Cardinals 10-3 in St. Louis with a 13-hit attack today to retain their 21-2 game National Baseball League lead.

The victory, featured by a first-inning outburst in which each club connected for six straight hits, driving both starting pitchers to the showers, gave Hubbell the honor of becoming the first pitcher in the National League to win 20 games this year.

In Chicago, the Cubs stopped a big Brooklyn Dodger rally with the tying and winning runs on base in the ninth inning to squeeze out a 5-4 victory.

### Gomez Also Wins 20th

"Lefty" Gomez became the American League's first 20-game pitching winner of the year, with a classy four-hit whitewashing job against the Tigers.

The Red Sox wound up their seasons series with St. Louis Browns by splitting a doubleheader at home. After losing the opener, 8-6, the Sox came back to take the nightcap, 7-5.

Two Red Sox rookies enabled Boston to emerge with a split. Jose Gonzales, former University of Southern California athlete, started his first major league game in the nightcap, and although he yielded 14 hits, he went the route. He won when rookie Bobby Doerr parked a home run over the left centre screen with one on in the sixth.

## YANKS PROTEST DEADENING OF 1938 BASEBALL

The season of 1938 may find a dead-end baseball in use but if so it will be over the vigorous protests of the New York Yankees. And the Yankees may enlist other clubs to its support.

Joe McCarthy has spoken, and his remarks indicate the wishes of his organization, the most powerful in baseball.

The Yankees, with such home run stars as Di Maggio, Gehrig and Dickey, probably feel that the dead-end baseball will do them much damage in future pennant races but more important will do them damage at the gate.

They pay some tribute to Babe Ruth in his expression. I was Babe who inaugurated home run hitting on a wholesale scale. And directly following was the building of a mammoth Yankee stadium to take care of the crowds attracted by the home run explosions.

## Sport Dust

—By—  
"Timmy" Green

Hubbell takes the prize for being the first 20 game pitcher this year. Really no prize offered other than the cheers and backpats of his team mates, but they come with all sincerity and say more in the end than any trophy.

Lefty Gomez was not far behind in also reaching the 20 game mark and you notice that neither of these men were blowing about the number of games they were going to win, when they first came out last spring. "Take a lesson Diz!"

With 3½ champions going into the ring for the Carnival of Champions, gate receipts promise to climb above those of the Louis-Farr scrap, and Uncle Mike Jacobs is a bevy of smiles about the 3½ crack, the N.Y. Athletic Commish refused to recognize the winner as the champ. Steele is recognized as the 160 pound ruler, so the only title at stake is Thill's European Title.

Henry White has taken the Moncton Stadium for the winter at a price of \$1,800. A lot of money for a hockey arena, especially if they don't get a better turnout than they did last year.

Jimmy Johnston is stepping out of the Garden to go into promoting on his own hook. Garden Boss for many years, the man who has been crossed and doublecrossed is through as the Garden promoter, Jacobs stepping into his shoes. The change takes place on October 1.

Burdo shouldn't kick about the turnout for the rugby squad this year, when 34 men in red and black trotted out onto the field yesterday for practice. Light practice is the order as yet, running, kicking and passing, but in a little while the lads will be down to stiff drill with Burdo snapping them through their paces.

### NICE GAIN

One of the star batting achievements of the National league's 1937 season was the feat of Lew Riggs, Cincinnati third baseman, in jumping his batting average 44 points in one afternoon. The University of North Carolina grad did it with two homers and two singles.

## THE WINNER



The square-rigger Seven Seas (left) which crossed the finish line at Brenton Reef Lightship at 10:45 A. D.T. yesterday, far ahead in a return race from Bermuda with the Joseph Conrad (right) another square-rigger. The latter was not in sight. The sailing vessels left Bermuda last Monday in charge of their professional crews. They had raced to Bermuda, leaving Newport Aug. 26, and arrived about one minute apart on corrected time after a "drifting race." After an argument over a time allowance the Joseph Conrad was declared the winner.

## AND LOSER



## CASS UNDECIDED ABOUT COACHING F.H.S. RUGBY 15

The Lads Are Quite Decided that They Will Have Old Coach

Whether or not Fredericton High School Rugby squad will again be piloted by Coach Egbert Cass is still an undecided issue as far as Mr. Cass is concerned, but in the minds of the rugby material for this season, it is decided that they will again play under their old coach.

Interviewed this morning, the last year's coach stated that his work and the coaching of the team together really took too much of his time, and at the same time, he did not know whether the shortened season would make it worth while to work with the team. He has not reached a decision yet, but it was stated that it would be made sometime this week.

The boys are working out daily at Queen Square, under the direction of Captain Johnny Thorpe, and Paul Kileen, a former F.H.S. and Fredericton City player, who are whipping a team together on the nucleus of Thorpe, Elgee and Brewer, the only three men left of the last year's squad.

Coach Cass stated that he was going out to Queen Square this afternoon to look the boys over, and hinted that his decision may be based upon this afternoon's inspection.

## WHITE SOX TALK OVER CHANCES OF CUBS IN SERIES

The White Sox are the best qualified gents in the world to expect the World series in the event the contestants are the Yankees and the Cubs. They have beaten the Yanks nine times this year and they habitually have been defeating the Cubs for years, in recent years both in the Spring and the Fall.

The Cubs figure that Bill Lee would be a good bet to pitch three of the games of the series. Fellows on the Comiskey roll who have seen what the Yanks can and cannot hit in twenty games this season and who also know Lee's stuff say that even if Bill's sore ribs are in perfect condition he may be a soft touch for the New York long distance sluggers, though he may be effective against the rank and file of the New York lineup.

Some of the keenest observers on the Sox say that Larry French, if he sticks pretty well to his underhand screwball, is the most likely conqueror of the Yanks. Next, they say, is Tex Carleton, with his sweeping side arm curve.

Some of the Sox place Charley Root ahead of Lee on the theory that Charley has slowed down a little, the Sox arguing that any Cub pitcher who throws a fast ball is likely to see it sail right out of the park.

The Davis of 1935 and 1936 would have been a good bet against the

## DODGERS DO RIGHT THING FOR CHANGE

The Daffy Dodgers of Brooklyn make sure the essential qualities of their peculiarities are spread around. Not only the players, but the front office as well becomes affected.

Noted for their seemingly complete lack of knowledge as to what should be done to strengthen the club, and an amazing slowness in buying, trading or selling to further these ends, the executives of the club startled the faithful by performing an act, quite normal to the average team but daffy according to all Dodgers precedent.

In the eighth inning of the opening game of a double-header recently Heinie Manush strained a muscle in his side. Before the second game started, a bulletin from Business Manager Gorman's office stated that, owing to Manush's injury, the Dodgers had exercised their 24-hour re-September because of an appendicitis. The White Sox, is the only symmetrical field in the big leagues.

Real speed, eh??

Yanks, Sox commentators say. But his record this year is against his getting a start. That Bud Parmelee would be murdered is the opinion of several, and the same encouragement is held out for Bryant. The lads haven't had much to say about Clyde Shoun.

The White Sox expiring, it should be noted, is based on the hypothetical proposition that the Cubs appear in the series and is in no sense to be construed as a forecast that the Cubs are a certainty to win their own pennant.

The Sox, of course, are ready to face the Cubs in a city series. That, they contend, is the easiest money they ever earn.

It may be, however, that there will be no city series. The Cubs in other years have not challenged after the team has curled up when it really figured to win a pennant.

## MOUNT ALLISON HOLDS FIRST RUGBY PRACTICE

Much Promising Material for 1937, Garnet and Gold Fifteen

Coach Bob Brodie turned Mount Allison's gridiron aspirants loose on the first football field in Eastern Canada this afternoon as students from all parts of the Maritimes, Quebec, Newfoundland and other places arrived in Sackville for the opening of the academic year at Mt. Allison institute.

Among the players on the field this afternoon who played for Mt. Allison last year were Bob Copp, Ken Homer, Russ Johnston, Archie Cameron, Vic Martinell, Merv Upham, Lawrence P. Utman, Carl MacWilliam, Geo. Hill, Roy MacKay, Steve Clark, Johnny Murphy and Roger Mills.

Fifteen Freshmen, whose abilities will be proven in the preseason tryout were on the field for the first time. Among the Freshmen is Solly Cherin of Glace Bay, who is said to have played for Caledonia intermediates. Another chap by the name of Fraser from Korea looked good today.

Coach Brodie had little to say after today's workout. Other members of the varsity's squad of last year are expected back during the week along with a number of new-men.

## Lengthy Fights In Days Gone By

In bare knuckle fighting, a round ended when a man was knocked down. Accordingly, some rounds were lengthy indeed. Under this rule, James Kelly and Jonathan Smith battled for six hours, 15 minutes, near Melbourne, Australia, in November, 1855. Mike Madden and Bill Hays slugged for six hours, three minutes (185 rounds) at Edenbridge, England, July 17, 1849.

## 34 TURN OUT FIRST PRACTICE U.N.B. RUGGERS

10 Veterans to Form the Nucleus of the 1937 Squad

The prospects for the University of New Brunswick rugby team look brighter than they have in the past two or three years. As 34 prospective players turned out at College Field yesterday afternoon for the first practice session of the current season, under the able eye of Coach Clarence B. "Burdo" Burden. Burdo, who feared another small turnout this year like the one last season, expressed himself as being very pleased, and stated that he would continue to coach the team if the turnout of the students keeps on the upper side of 30.

The turnout is expected to be increased later this week and next week, as the enrollment at the University is increased, and as more of the U.N.B. rugby players of last season return to college.

### 10 Veterans

Ten members of last season's team turned out for practice yesterday, and will form the nucleus of the 1937 squad. Among the halves are Captain Owen Sleep, Fredericton; Lloyd "Kid" Bartlett, Edmundston; and Jim Colby, Fredericton. Among the forwards are Bill Wolstenholme, Moncton; John Coombes, Fredericton; Bill Logie, Belleville, Ont.; and Roy Brown, Rotherham. Veterans returning to the three-quarter line are "Hepp" Wilson, Rimouski, P. Q.; Alan Stuart, Fredericton Jct.; and Bert McDermott, Edmundston.

The turnout of freshmen yesterday was good, and there are several heavy lads among them who will probably fit in among the forward pack, and it is hoped, alleviate what has for the past few years been one of the great weaknesses of the Red and Black fifteen—a weak scrum.

Ken Corbett, Barker's Point, and Don MacKinnon, Fredericton, are two members of the 1936 squad who have not returned as yet. They are expected back in about two weeks. There are several members of last year's second team who look good for varsity berths this season, among them being Hugh Brennan, Newbury, Eng.; and Bert Smith, Moncton.

### Play in Two Weeks

The first game of the current season will probably be held in two weeks, with either Fredericton City or Saint John, it was stated by J. A. K. Leger, manager of the U.N.B. team. The intercollegiate schedule will be drawn up shortly, it is understood.

As part of the initiation, the freshmen have been at work reconditioning College Field, under the eagle eyes of the sophomores. At present the field is in the best shape it has been in years, having been returned last year.

### WONDER HORSE

Phar Lap is known in sports history as the wonder horse. Born in New Zealand in 1926, he died in Mexico, in 1932, from poisoning at the peak of his career. He had won \$322,250. Yet Phar Lap was sold for \$800 as a yearling. And at two years of age he entered five races, and won only one.

### THIRD HIS JOB

Kenny Keltner, third baseman bought by Cleveland from Milwaukee, is definitely an infielder. He has been in baseball two years. He was started as an outfielder at Fieldale, in the Bi-State league, but finished at third. Milwaukee started him as an outfielder, this season, but he was soon back at third. He batted .360 this season.

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## This Golfer Takes His In Large Doses

It may or may not be a record, but when Wilson Morris, 21, finished playing 147 holes of golf over the Warrensburg, Missouri, course in one day recently he was ready to submit it as his bid.

Morris' score testifies to the fact he was playing golf, not a hit-and-run game. He was 33 strokes under par for the distance. He covered the 16 and a fraction nine-hole rounds in 555 strokes. Par for 147 holes total 589.

With Jack Bishop of Cartersville, Ill., a visitor, as a companion, Morris started play at 5 a. m., when unable to see the first green clearly. Bishop was forced to give up after 99 holes because of illness. He took 430 strokes, 34 over par.

Morris continued playing, with a caddy and another witness. The first 80 holes were played without a caddy, the men lugging their own bags and dragging the sand greens.

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