

Boston Colored Giants Win 10-9 From Marysville in Exhibition Tilt

Homesters Outclassed In Heavy Slugging Bee

Marysville Fail to Hold Five Point Lead In Sixth Inning

The Colored Giants outpaced the Marysville squad 10-9 in an exhibition diamond engagement staged on the latter's stamping-ground last evening. Featured by heavy slugging by both teams, the game produced one of the best exhibitions of the summer pastime staged before a local audience this summer. The teams were evenly matched and it was anybody's game until the last inning.

Fresh from their 14-6 victory over the Saint John Indians on Wednesday, the Boston colored men staged a mighty offensive drive from the opening of the game. The heavy slugging sewed up the game for the visiting troops, but there was many times when their position was threatened by the York County leaguers.

The home troops were leading 8-3 in the sixth inning. The invaders opened up a heavy slugging barrage which raised their total to nine. Johnson and Phillips had clouted their way to base positions and a homer by Berry brought them romping home.

In the following inning the Marysville brigade raised its total to nine runs, while the Giants added two more runs to their scoring column. The game ended with Marysville tagging one run behind.

YANKEES TRIM WHITE SOX 13-8

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Featuring the continued clouting of Lou Gehrig, who banged out two homers, the Yankees walloped Chicago White Sox 13-8 today by staging an eight-run rally in the eighth inning, thereby sweeping the four-game series.

The win, which boosted the Yanks American League lead to nine full games and dropped the White Sox back into third place, was a costly one, since Jake Powell, Yankee outfielder, was put in hospital by a pitched ball in the fourth inning. One of Monte Stratton's fast ones clipped him high over the left ear and felled him. A preliminary examination determined he had suffered an injury to the ear.

Big Hank Greenburg's 25th homer of the season, coming with two on

Sport Dust

—BY—
"Timmy" Green

If the sports writers keep panning Tommy Farr there will be no Louis-Farr scrap, as fights are judged. True the men will be in there, Farr getting up and Louis knocking him down, but the gate, which also has something to do with deciding whether it was a fight or not, may just as well be one of those things that swing on rusty hinges, for crows to come through.

The Marysville nine couldn't keep up with the speed of the Colored Giants. We concede the fact that Marysville is a nice team, as average teams go, but the colored boys are a little better than average. Merely the difference between a team that works in daytime and has ball as a pastime, and a team that works at baseball and has it as a business.

T. O. M. Sopwith goes back to England again, with another unsuccessful attempt to capture the America's cup behind him. Not that we are so loyal to England that we would let our feelings overbalance the results of a fair, sporty battle, but for the fact that Sopwith has put up such a game battle to recover the cup, we would have liked to see him win. Without a doubt, the two attempts have cost the challenger a million and a half dollars, and the cup itself, in monetary value would not exceed \$100.

Devon climbed one more step in the league ladder, when they notched the Minto lead for last night's win. Apparently the boys are just getting settled into their stride, which may well develop into the winning gait.

and two out in the eighth, gave Detroit Tigers a 5-3 victory over the Athletics in Philadelphia.

In Washington, St. Louis Browns hopped on Pete Appleton with a heavy attack early in the game to defeat Senators 7-4.

Four singles and a walk accounted for four runs in the second and a pair of hits and a fly brought in another in the third. A pair of triples and a single scored the Browns final two runs in the fifth.

The Red Sox, took over second place in the league by whipping the Cleveland Indians 5-4, for their ninth straight victory not counting a tie game Sunday.

The Indians, trailing by two runs entering the seventh, pulled into a 3-3 when Hale walked and Pytlak drove out a line drive that went for a homer within the grounds.

The Sox went into the lead in their half when Newsom tripled and scored on Mills' long fly, and added the winning run in the next inning.

PENNANT ROYALS SHATTERED, ONLY FOUR ORIGINALS

MONTREAL, Aug. 5.—The pennant-winning Royals of 1935 have scattered to the four winds. Only Capt. Sankey, Smythe, Mylykangas and Dugas remain, stressing once again the uncertain of baseball as a livelihood. Not many of the championship Royals, we are sorry to relate, have advanced much in their chosen profession, indicating that diamond success comes strictly through individual effort. Let's check up on the heroes of '35, the most successful season from every angle in Montreal's 40-year-old history in organized baseball. The quartette already named appear to be fixed with the Royals for several seasons more. All playing good ball: What of the others?

Catchers—Benny Tate has retired. Buddy Lewis is still with the Boston Bees. Pitcher—Pete Appleton is coming through with his fast ball and winning for Washington. The piano-playing lawyer was always ambitious to get back under the big top. The other big winner of '35, Smythe, is heading for 20 victories for the Royals. Kimsey, victim of hard luck, is nursing a knifed cheque stabber at Baltimore. Mylykangas is going along at his usual gait for Maranville Pomorski has landed with Syracuse via Buffalo and Toronto. Ray Fritz, silent, at times unbeatable under the arcs, whereabouts unknown; Mangum with J. C. via Syracuse. Granger and Chagnon lost in the bushlands.

Infielders—Good old Del Bissonette, who starred in the play-offs, managing Des Moines in the Western League. Has his club out in front, too. Hal King, at Jersey City via Baltimore. Ben Sankey, a fixture at Delorimier and Ontario streets. Fresco Thompson, blending wise cracks with base hits for Minneapolis in the Association. Eddie Montague back on the Coast. Outfielders—Bob Seeds with Newark via Yankees. A half World Series share in the kick. Jim Ripple with the Giants. No gamer player up there. Jeems should be in the chips. Outplayed Di Maggio in the big series, but everybody seemed afraid to say so. Billy Rhee hobnobbing with Garbo and Gable on the movie lots at Hollywood. Glenn Chapman with Nashville via Baltimore.

Only Ripple, Appleton, Lewis and Seeds went ahead to frame and where the salaries are juicy. Lewis has caught intermittently for the Bees. Tate was nearing the end of his line in 1935, held on for another season, dropped out with a pretty fair stake. One of the best hitters Royals have had. Smythe is pitching just as good ball this year as in 1935. He has lost a lot of tough games that the '35 club would have won. Terry turned down Appleton. Bill wishes he had him now with the Cubs leaving the Giants astern. Sankey, Myly and Gus didn't improve. Still good AA workmen. The '35 Royals were a well-balanced team of veterans, which no doubt accounts for so many of them having moved in the wrong direction.

LADIES' SINGLES SEMI-FINAL WON BY I. MATHESON

FORT FAIRFIELD, Aug. 5.—It rained everything but potatoes in Aroostook County last night and play in the New Brunswick tennis championships was delayed until noon today. Despite the delay nearly all matches carded were run off and they produced the finest tennis of the week.

Tomorrow will be devoted to semi-finals in men's singles and doubles and ladies' doubles and that section of the draw in mixed doubles will be reached by the end of the day. All finals will be played on Saturday. The standout match of today's program was the semi-final of the ladies singles in which Miss Isobel Matheson of the Northland Tennis Club of Edmundston defeated Mrs. F. V. Woodbury of the South End Club, Halifax, in straight sets by scores 6-2, 9-7. Employing a perfect variety of shots, including smartly placed chop shots along the lines, powerful forehand drives to the corners and a clever game overhead on her frequent sallies to the net the winsome Edmundston miss, who graduated this year from the junior class which she dominated for three seasons, had control of her match throughout against her more experienced opponent.

Her superiority in the first set was quite evident, Mrs. Woodbury being unable to cope with her clever place ments and being unable to take the net where she has no peer in the Maritimes. Miss Matheson made it her business to keep the Halifax lady away from forecourt and she did a good job of it.

In the second set they fought game for game until Mrs. Woodbury led at 5-4, the Edmundston girl missing many opportunities to clinch the match by overhitting at crucial stages. Mrs. Woodbury employed all

OLD VETERAN RECALLS WHEN..

DENVER, Aug. 5.—Grover Cleveland Alexander—whom no one has ever accused of being a "sissy"—saw no reason today why baseball should be any "softer" than in the roistering days when he was a major league hurler. "The big show has more high school and college graduates than in my day," he said, "but that doesn't keep a real ball player from knocking the baseman head over heels to that bag."

"But I'm afraid a lot of these kids think more about what salary they can collect than about playing ball," he added.

"They ought to think first about bearing down in there and playing baseball. I thought the man was crazy when he offered me money to pitch for Galesburg, Ill., back in 1908. Why, I got \$250 a month the first year I was in the big leagues and thought I was getting rich."

"Old Pete" brought a Springfield, Ill., semi-pro team here for the Denver Post tournament and yesterday watched one of his pitchers, Jim Goff, strike out 22 batters in scoring Springfield's second victory.

"Alex" said the "high point of my career" was when he struck out Tony Lazzeri of the New York Yankees with the bases full to save the 1925 World Series for the St. Louis Cardinals.

"But I wasn't the least bit nervous," Alexander said. "I'm more nervous on the bench managing this team than I ever was out there on the mound."

her cleverness in a fighting finish but her opponent had the necessary edge to put the set away when the time came. The final on Saturday afternoon between Miss Matheson and Mrs. Jones should be worth going miles to see.

JOE CATTARINICH INTERESTED IN MAROONS IF PRICE RIGHT

No Offer Yet But Is Considering Plan to Buy Club and Transfer It To St. Louis

OTTAWA, Aug. 5.—"At a right figure I would be interested." This was the laconic rejoinder of Joseph Cattarinich today when asked if he was thinking of buying the Maroons.

His name has been linked with a proposal to take over the club, and apparently he is about to enter into negotiations for it.

It is understood he would transfer the club to St. Louis if he could make the purchase, provided he found St. Louis interests as receptive as they appear to be towards the present Maroon management at the moment.

It is stated he might try to keep the club here a year, and then transfer later. It is certain he is interested in the idea. Just what constitutes a right price he did not say. Joe is a rare bargainer, and recently he helped to put over the deal for Connaught Park which was bought at a very low figure considering its original cost.

Thomas Arnold stated this afternoon that no tangible offer had been received, but stated that word of the Cattarinich interest in the Maroons had come in a roundabout fashion.

"We have not received any offer from that source for the club as yet. I imagine there has been some discussion among members of the Cattarinich enterprises, but I cannot say anything official as no offer has been made."



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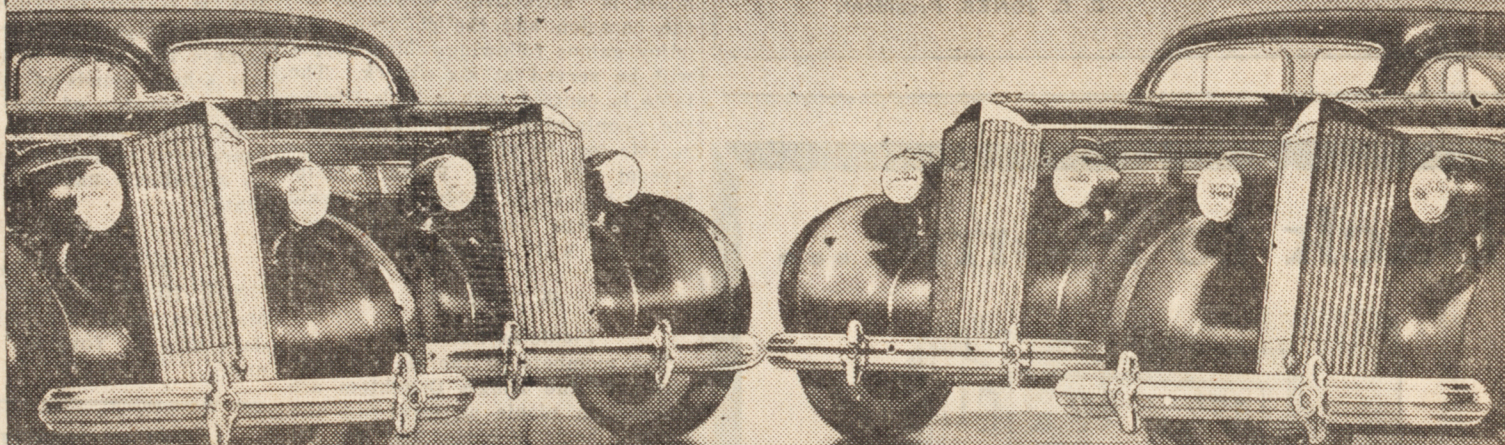
SAINT JOHN, August 6.—The New Brunswick senior baseball play-downs will open next Wednesday night, August 11. This was decided at a meeting of the New Brunswick Amateur Baseball Association which met in session at the Royal Hotel last night to complete the draw for the senior, intermediate and junior playdowns.

The first round of the senior play-offs brings together the Saint John Pontiacs and St. Martin in the best three of a five-game series opening here on August 11. The winner of the Moncton City League will be at home to the Campbellton nine August 18 and 19 in the two opening contests of another best of five first round series.

The Maritime champions, St. Stephen St. Croix, drew the winner of the York-Sunbury League in the first round and a bye in the semi-final round. The first game between the champions and the winners of the York-Sunbury League will be played at the border town on August 17.

Winners of the Saint John and St. Stephen series will meet the winners of the Minto-York County series in the semi-finals with Moncton tackling the winners of the Shediac-Sackville games. The semi-finals will be played from August 2 to 28. The finals to be played from August 30 to September 4 will bring together the winners of the semi-finals.

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