

# New York Giants Defeat Gashouse Gang to Capture Three-Game Series

## Dick Martell's Homer In Ninth Paves Way for Decisive 7-4 Victory

Pirates, Cubs, White Sox, Senators, Indians, Tigers Win

NEW YORK, May 20—Dick Bartell exploded a home run with the bases loaded in the ninth inning to pale three brief Cardinal flare-ups today as New York Giants defeated the "Gashouse Gangsters," 7-4 to take the long end of a three-game series in St. Louis.

Except for a pre-game flurry of jibes and two arguments in the eighth inning, when they took a lead that Bartell's blow overcame, the Cardinals displayed no tendency to take up yesterday's free-for-all.

Manager Frankie Frisch of the Cardinals, still embittered because of Umpire George Barr's ruling which precipitated yesterday's fireworks, drew his "walking papers" this afternoon before a ball had been pitched.

The immediate target of Cardinal jeers when he took his station at third base, Barr strutted to the mouth of the team's dugout and waved Frisch from the bench. His right hand, pointing emphatically along the row of players, halted a general swarm of protest.

### Three Hurlers Each

Harry Gumbert, starting his first game of the season for the Giants, then hooked up in a short-lived pitching duel with Ray Harrell. Neither of the young hurlers went the full route. Fred Fitzsimmons and Cliff Melton did yeoman work for the Giants, while Bob Weiland and Lon Warneke saw service for the Red Birds.

The hustling Philadelphia Phillies made five double plays but dropped the third and deciding game in their series with Pittsburgh Pirates, 5-2.

While Billy Swift limited the visitors to six hits, the Pirates blasted southpaw Wayne Lamaster from the mound in three frames, including a second inning home run by Woody Jensen, and piled up a winning lead.

In Chicago Roy Parmelee not only did his mound duty effectively but led the way at the plate as Chicago Cubs scored a 6-1 victory over Brooklyn Dodgers and Van Mungo.

Parmelee limited Brooklyn to seven hits for his third win of the season. In the seventh, after Mungo had purposely passed Billy Jurgens to go at him, he hit a homer with two mates aboard to wind up the Cub scoring.

Five-hit pitching by rookie James Turner and a pair of home runs by outfielder Vince Di Maggio gave the Boston Bees a 4-1 victory that enabled them to sweep the two-game series in Cincinnati.

A line drive from the bat of out-

fielder Wally Berger in the fifth inning struck "Wild Bill" Hallahan, veteran Cincinnati southpaw, on his bare hand and forced him from the game. After first aid treatment, he remained on the Red bench.

### Handcuffs Yankees

NEW YORK, May 20—For the second time this season, "Lefty" Lee humbled the world champion Yankees today, limiting them to three hits in pitching Chicago White Sox to a 3-1 victory here.

The Yanks' only run came with Tony Lazzeri's homer in the seventh. The White Sox found Johnny Broaca for 13 hits, including a homer, by Zeke Bonura.

Cleveland Indians gained the league's top place by pounding five Boston pitchers for a total of 21 hits and a 16-5 victory in Boston.

Lyn Lary opened by tripling to right field. He lashed another three-bagger later and also a double to share the game's batting honors with Jack Heath, Frank Pytlak and Roy Hughes.

Detroit Tigers defeated the Athletics 3-2 in Philadelphia for the second successive win as Roxie Lawson shaded Edgar "Lefty" Smith in a pitcher's battle. Except for the sixth and seventh when the A's pushed over their two runs, Lawson was effective in the pinches.

Ossie Bluege's 12th-inning single scored the winning run to bring Washington a 5-4 triumph over St. Louis and give the Senators a clean sweep in the three-game series.

The Browns were off to an early lead when they scored twice in the fourth inning on three singles and a long fly and another in the fifth on a single and Carey's triple.

## BASEBALL'S BIG SIX

Manager Joe Cronin of the Red Sox celebrated his return to active duty yesterday by taking over the lead in "baseball's Big Six" in hitting. Injured by a thrown ball a few days ago, Cronin got back into the batting order yesterday to hit three-for-five, boosting his average 10 pts. to .447 and pass Beau Bell of the Browns in the hitting race. Bell went hitless in five chances and fell 25 points to .446. There were no other changes among the leaders in either league. Standings of the leaders: (First three in each league):

G A B R H P.C.	
Cronin, Red Sox	13 76 13 34 .447
Bell, Browns	22 92 17 41 .446
Medwick, Cards	15 103 23 45 .437
Lary, Indians	19 85 21 37 .435
Arnovich, Phillies	25 98 15 38 .388
Brack, Dodgers	23 93 20 35 .376

## ENDEAVOR II AT BRISTOL

British Invader Met by Potential Racing Rivals

BRISTOL, R. I., May 19—T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour II, newest contender for the America's Cup which the British have sought since 1851, arrived here yesterday, 18 days out of Gosport, England.

At the entrance to Newport harbor the Endeavour II was met by Gerard B. Lambert's Yankee, one of three potential American contenders.

Awaiting her when she arrived at the Herreshoff shipyard, where she will be fitted out, were the other two, Harold S. Vanderbilt's Ranger, which was dismantled Saturday, and Chandler Hovey's Rainbow.

Rainbow is the sloop with which Vanderbilt defeated Sopwith's Endeavour in 1934.

Capt. D. H. Williams, Endeavour II's professional skipper, reported an uneventful voyage. He said: "We remained on a towline from our escort, the Belgian trawler Jean, the entire voyage."

Within the next few days, according to the shipyard officials, Endeavour II will be prepared for the approaching international sailing classic.

She came across rigged, they said, but the two comparatively short spars must be removed and a towering 165-foot mast stepped in their stead before she can appear as a challenger.

## 'PHANTOM FIGHT' TICKET SALE IS TO OPEN TODAY

NEW YORK, May 20—Extra Tickets for the 'phantom fight' go on sale tomorrow.

Without so much as winking an eye or crossing a finger, Madison Square Garden solemnly announced its box office will open at 9 a.m. with a full supply of tickets for the championship match between James J. Braddock and Max Schmeling on June 3, in the Garden Bowl at Long Island City.

Meantime Schmeling is training at Speculator, N.Y. Orders have been issued to get the bowl dusted off, and Garden press agents have been instructed to turn on the 'build-up.'

All this notwithstanding champion Braddock is training at Grand Beach, Mich., to fight Joe Louis at Chicago, June 22, and all legal efforts in the Garden's behalf thus far have failed to halt the titleholder's disregard of New York contracts.

"We've got several ticket requests already," said Harry Newman, Garden publicity director. Matchmaker James J. Johnston said a ticket for every one of the 70,000 seats in the Garden Bowl had been printed, but other estimates put the number printed at nearer 1,000.

If you want one, you can have a ringside seat for \$23; one in the inner circle for \$11.50 or \$5.75, or a perch in the outer circle for \$3.45. P. S.: All include tax.

"What's all the noise about?" Johnston wanted to know. "We're under contract to put on a championship fight June 3 and we're going to carry out every detail of that contract."

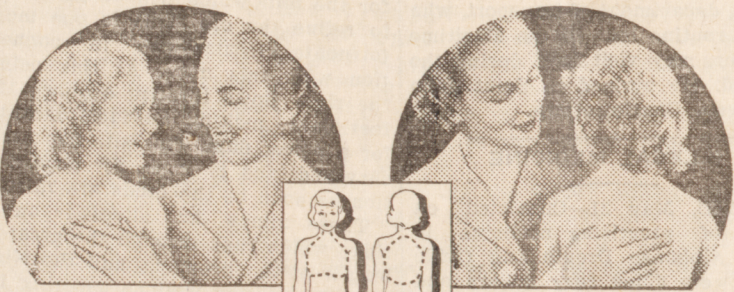
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# CANADIAN PACIFIC

## EIGHT NEW CHAMPS ARE ACCLAIMED IN BOXING MEET

MONTREAL, May 20—Eight new Canadian boxing champions were crowned as the Dominion championships ended with Tommy Osborne of Montreal as the ruler of the heavyweights.

Osborne, who lost a surprise decision to George Bird of St. Catharines, Ont., in last year's final, drubbed Lennie Stein, Toronto, in three quill rounds. The heavies, expected to steal the show, flopped badly.

But what the big boys lacked was made up by the courageous, heavy-hitting Gordie Schmaltz, Kitchener, Ont., in winning the welterweight championship, and dancing Joe Gagnon, a wee bit of fighting machinery in a torrid set-to against Winnipeg's Billie Brade.

Three titles were taken to Ontario, the others being left in Montreal. Adding to Schmaltz's welterweight title Steve Sloan of Niagara Falls took the middleweight and Mike Martyk, of St. Catharines the featherweight.

The Montreal winners, besides Gagnon and Osborne, were Joe Debrofsky, bantamweight; Jean Paul Lachapelle, lightweight; and Eli Brown, light-heavyweight.

A sprightly little kid in gold colored tights, Gagnon won a unanimous decision over Brade.

Though he had the advantage of a longer reach, Brade had not the fighting ability to match the little Frenchman, only 15 years old.

Joe Debrofsky won the bantamweight crown in a fast, three rounder against Bill Barrie, another Montrealer. They fought in flurries, suddenly slugging toe to toe, after dancing about without striking a hard blow.

Little Mike Martyk, a business-like two-fisted puncher, swarmed all over Harry Hurst of Montreal, to take a decision and the featherweight championship.

Jean Paul Lachapelle retained the lightweight title for Montreal by taking the award from a fellow Montrealer, Joe Polisen. The Frenchman took the edge with his stronger and more effective hitting which had his opponent losing blood from the face most of the time.

## N. B. Baseball Officials Annual Session Today

Election of Officers to Feature the Meeting

SAINT JOHN, May 21—The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Baseball Association will be held in the Royal Hotel here on Wednesday May 26 at 8 p.m.

This announcement was made last night by Kenneth H. Staples, Fredericton, secretary-treasurer of the association, who had been in touch with the president, William T. Whitlock, St. Stephen, before making the announcement.

President Whitlock will be in the chair and the minutes of the last annual and financial statement for the year will be made by Mr. Staples.

All clubs affiliated with the provincial parent body are asked to have representatives at the annual.

The date is the earliest for an annual in the history of the New Brunswick association but it is planned in order to have everything transacted before the season gets actually under way.

The main items on the agenda will be the election of officers and the reading of the yearly reports.

It is believed that the following clubs will be represented at the meeting: St. Stephen, St. Croix, St. John Pontiacs, Saint John Maroons who will not be playing this season; Devon, Minto, Marysville, Fredericton, the three teams in Moncton, the Hampton Ossekeags and perhaps some members from the teams who were entered in the East End League last season.

Blood streaming from a gash under the right eye almost from the start of the bout, tough Gordie Schmaltz of Kitchener, Ont., belted his way to the welterweight title over Rolfe Potvin of Montreal.

A 16 year old Montrealer, Eli Brown, won the light heavyweight title by belting Otello Mattiussi of Guelph, Ont., around the head often enough to gain the nod from the three judges.

## HISTORIC KING'S PLATE CLASSIC AT QUEEN CITY

TORONTO, May 20 — Battle between four consistent 1936 juvenile thoroughbreds was predicted today for the 78th running of the King's Plate here Saturday before an estimated crowd of 20,000. It is generally believed a field of 13 will go to the post for the oldest continuously run race on the continent.

The quartet, Red Pirate, Goldlure, Sycat and Golden Silence have warned they are ready for the final test over the mile and a furlong route. All they need is a couple of more breezers before being pronounced fit.

Goldlure a three year old chestnut colt by Sweepster-Golden Lure, is ready to fight for the King's 50 guineas won last year by onswep for H. C. Hatch of Agincourt. The Hatch colt has trained well and provided rain does not turn the turf into slop, railbirds scrutinizing the ins and outs of probable starters call him "hot." Yesterday Goldlure was given a slow breeze and today will go out for final test to assure Bill Bringle, Hatch's trainer, that the spring's work has not been in vain.

Stirling Young, who has piloted horses successfully on Canadian and United States tracks, will be aboard the fleet colt when the bugle calls the field on the track.

Red Pirate hope of R. S. McLaughlin of Oshawa, for a second Plate victory, has shown top form for the assignment. Harry Giddings, McLaughlin's trainer who had saddled more Plate winners than any other person, has not announced which horse he will name to accompany the grandson of Man o' War. It appeared, however, that Silver Jubilee, another colt boasting the blood of Man o' War, would take the call.

## RADIO NEWS

### Again, Casey Jones Rides Once More

When Andre Kostelanetz, first to take advantage of the removal of a network ban, played "Casey Jones" several months ago, it evoked so much varied interest that he will repeat his unique version of the ballad on his broadcast, starring Lily Pons, Wednesday, May 26, at 9 p.m., EDT, over the WABC-CBS network.

Among the letters received by the conductor after his first airing of the American classic were many from old railroad engineers and technicians commending the authenticity of his graphic musical depiction of a train-wreck.

One man even sent in a shrill-pitched whistle he said approximated that of the old Illinois Central, offering it as a possible addition to the realistic picture.

Other programme features are "In a Little Swiss Chalet" and "Where or When," sung by the Kostelanetz chorus of eighteen.

Soloist Lily Pons' selections, in the spirit of spring, will include Buzzi-Peccia's "The Little Birdies" and Saint-Saens' "Rossignol de Parisatys."

### Fugitive Melodies

"Fugitive Melodies," a programme of familiar music under the direction of Samuel Hershencoren, will be broadcast over the CBC eastern network on May 21, at 7 p.m., EST. The presentation will feature The Guardsmen, male vocal octette, and Nellie Smith, contralto.

Based on well loved songs of earlier days which have survived the passing vogue, "Fugitive Melodies" will be comprised of selections from opera and ballad.

Among the numbers to be played will be "March of the Musketeers" by Friml; "Valencia," by Padilla; "Chinese Lullaby," "Chiribiribin," by Bucalossi; "O. Katherina," by Fall, and "Song of the Bayou," by Bloom. The Guardsmen will be heard in a special arrangement of "Soldier's Chorus," from "Faust," by Gounod, and Nellie Smith will sing "Beautiful Ohio," and "Little Man You've Had a Busy Day."

### STUDIO NOTES

Robert L. Ripley will present Norman Curtis, who, on his first airplane ride, lost his pilot but made a perfect three-point landing, as the living believe it or not, Sunday, May 23, at 7:30 p.m., EDT, over the WJZ-NBC network.

When his plane looped the loop high over a Columbus, Ohio, suburb, Mr. Curtis thought his pilot was stunting till he turned and found there was no pilot! Ripley will reveal the manner in which this first-flight passenger defied death.

How two American school teachers from New Haven, Conn., bought a string of beads in New Haven, Eng., and gained a fortune, indirectly bringing 6,000 pounds to an old shopkeeper, will be the believe-it-or-not dramatization.

The Gillette Community Sing celebrates its return from Hollywood to guest-stars Mr. and Mrs. New York by introducing Gillette Song Book Number Two, Sunday, May 23, at 10 p.m., EDT, over the WABC-CBS network.

Wendell Hall will lead the audience in songs from the new song collection, hot off the press, in the Manhattan "Welcome Home" festivities.

The song-fest comedy capers will feature the New York premiere of Milton Berle's "Brevities," Jolly Gillette, the Sponsor's Daughter, will do a request repeat of the hit song, "Johnny One Note."

### IF

If Robert L. Ripley can find time to visit about 40 more countries, he will have been in every country known to the world, since he has already visited 178.

If Gracie Allen hadn't gone to Union Hill, N. J., to watch a girl friend try out a new act, she might never have met the front half of a song and dance act headlining there, known as "George Burns and Billy Lorraine."

If Eddie Cantor hadn't heard Deanna Durbin on an amateur hour, and started telling the world what potential gifts she had for radio and screen, she might still be concentrating all her efforts on operatic arias.

If Morton Downey, who had tried about 20 different jobs and lik-

### Oakie Presents Olsen, Johnson

"Prexy" Jack Oakie brings Olsen and Johnson, stage and screen zanies, to the cloistered confines of the Oakie College "Ephus Hall," Tuesday, May 25, at 9:30 p.m., EDT, over the WABC-CBS network.

Youthful pongstar Judy Garland will contribute her dynamic version of current tune favorites.

Shaw and Lee, double-talk comics, carry on their series of garrulous and giddy gab-fests.

Georgie Stoll and his music-men ride the airwaves from Hollywood and Benny Goodman and his torrid swingsters will send out a melodic heat-wave from WEEL, the CBS station in Boston, Mass.

### SAVE THE SHOW

Jay C. Flippen, who has been a headliner at New York Loew's State theatre many times, stopped backstage to call on George Burns and Gracie Allen when the two were clowning there on one of their visits to Manhattan.

Jay and George are brother members of The Friars, famous theatrical organization, and there was import-business to discuss in a hurry. A new stagehand backstage refused to let Jay or anyone else see George Burns.

Too many autograph hunters had been trying to trick their way past him. "Don't you know who I am?" said Jay. "I've simply got to see, George Burns. It's an emergency!"

The man was unmoved. "I don't even care who ya are. Ya can't come backstage. Burns and Allen are too busy to see anyone, anyway."

"Yes," said Flippen with a sudden anguished inspiration, "but I'm Gracie Allen's missing brother!"

"Holy Gosh," came a squawk from the stricken watchman, "why'n't ya say so." He grabbed Jay's arm and began rushing him in. "They need ya for the act—and they're goin' on in about two minutes!"

ed none, hadn't been coaxed by a friend to sing in Brooklyn at an Elks' banquet, he says, it never would have occurred to him to sing for a living—he thought singing was "just for fun!"

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