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## Yankees Favorites To Win Second Game Of Series

### Schumacher And Gomez Slated For Mound Duty; Warmer Weather Forecast

BY ALAN GOULD

Associated Press Sports Editor NEW YORK, Oct. 1—(AP)—The combination of two days of increasingly heavy rain and an unusually high tide, blocking the drainage facilities of the near-sea-level diamond at the Polo grounds, brought about a cessation of hostilities today in New York's Baseball civil war.

#### WELL NEEDED REST

Moreover, the delay appears to fortify the pitching advantage already gained by the Giants as a result of Carl Hubbell's masterful triumph over the Yankees in the mud and rain of yesterday's opening game. It assures an extra day of rest for Hubbell's talented left arm while paving the way for a duel tomorrow between Hal Schumacher, sinker-ball star of the National League Champions, and the southpaw ace of the Yankees, Vernon Gomez.

Three hours before today's scheduled starting time for the second game, Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis poked his walking stick into the soggy surface of the Polo grounds, examined mud that was feltlock-deep around the base-paths, and agreed with rival managers that the grounds were in no condition for play.

#### GROUND IMPROVED

Following the postponement, the sun came out, temperatures rose and a brisk breeze helped dry out the waterlogged premises. By early afternoon, conditions were so much improved, with workmen busy under the direction of the groundkeeper, that the entire field looked playable. Under the circumstances, however, officials of both clubs concurred with Landis in the belief that the postponement was practical from the standpoint of players as well as spectators.

With prospects of better and much warmer weather for the rest of the week, attendance figures should improve, with the Polo grounds likely to hold a crowd much closer to its capacity of 52,000 than the hardy gathering of 39,419 that braved pneumonia risks to see the Giants take the opener 6-1.

Today's postponement, while generally considered to strengthen the Giants' position, caused no change in the betting odds. Jack Doyle, Broadway commissioner, said it was still "4 to 5 and take your pick" for the series.

#### YANKEES FAVORITES

The Yankees ruled favorites to win the second game and square the series, despite indications that Schumacher is back in top form

and ready to back up Hubbell's great work the way he did in speeding the Giants to their decisive 1933 victory over the Senators.

Whether Schumacher wins or loses tomorrow, Manager Bill Terry of the Giants indicated he will give Hubbell a full three days rest before sending his southpaw ace back to the firing line. This means Fred Fitzsimmons likely will draw the starting assignment for the third game, Saturday, at the Yankee stadium, with Hubbell working the fourth game Sunday.

Backers of the Yankees still believe their favorites can concede the Giants two games, with Hubbell pitching, and still collect the winner's share of the world series player pool.

### Announces Schedules For Playdowns

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) AMHERST, N. S., Oct. 1—Schedules for the final round of junior and intermediate baseball playdowns for Maritime Championships were announced tonight by Sheriff C. D. Shipley, secretary of the Maritime Branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

Pugwash Maple Leafs, Nova Scotia title-holders and Loggieville, New Brunswick Champions, will play off for the Maritime intermediate title at a date to be arranged by the two teams. First game of their series will be in the Nova Scotia town.

Amherst St. Pats and Saint John Falcons will meet in Amherst next Monday and Tuesday in the junior finals. The third and fourth games of their series will be played in Saint John Thursday and Friday.

**SUDDEN DEATH GAME** MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 1—A. A. Chisolm, Vice-President of the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C, announced here tonight that a sudden death game for the Maritime Intermediate Baseball Championship would be staged here Saturday afternoon between the Pugwash Maple Leafs, Nova Scotia titleholders, and Loggieville, intermediate champions of New Brunswick.

Mr. Chisolm said he was advised by Sheriff C. D. Shipley, Secretary of the Maritime branch, to arrange the game.

### Aberdeens Win

FREDERICTON, N.B., Oct. 1—(CP)—Playing in rain here this afternoon, Fredericton Aberdeens defeated Moncton Britons, 16-2 in the first game of the finals for the New Brunswick senior softball championship. The second, and if necessary a third game will be played at Moncton on Saturday.

### St. Dunstan's Holds Track And Field Meet

A very successful field day was held on the St. Dunstan's University track Tuesday, September 29th. Cold weather failed to lessen the enthusiasm of the youthful athletes and the spectators witnessed the best competition seen on that track for some years. The Senior All Round cup was won by Willard O'Brien and the Junior All round medal by Maurice Smith. In the evening a short entertainment was held at which many valuable prizes were distributed to the winners of each event. The winners are as follows:

#### SENIOR

- 100 yard dash—1. W. O'Brien, 2. C. McQuaid, 3. Regis Arsenault. Time—10 2-5 secs.
- 220 yard dash—1. W. O'Brien, 2. W. Simpson, 3. W. Hibbets. Time—25 secs.
- 440 yard dash—1. W. O'Brien, 2. J. O'Brien. Time—1 min. 3 sec.
- High jump—1. C. McQuaid, 2. R. Arsenault and W. O'Brien. Height—5 ft. 2 1-2 in.
- Running Broad—1. C. McQuaid, 2. R. Arsenault, 3. W. O'Brien. Distance—18 ft. 3 1-2 in.
- Standing Broad—1. R. Arsenault, 2. E. Murphy, 3. C. McQuaid, W. Hibbets and C. Lefebvre. Distance—8 ft. 10 in.
- Hop, Step and Jump—1. R. Arsenault, 2. C. McQuaid, 3. E. Murphy. Distance—38 ft. 9 in.

#### JUNIOR

- 100 yard dash—1. M. Smith, 2. W. MacDonald, 3. C. Boylan. Time—12 secs.
- 200 yard dash—1. M. Smith, 2. S. MacDonald, 3. C. Boylan. Time—27 1-5secs.
- 440 yard dash—1. M. Smith, 2. S. Larkin, 3. W. MacDonald. Time—1 min. 12 sec.
- High jump—1. S. Larkin, 2. M. Smith. Height—4 ft. 4 1-2 in.
- Running Broad—1. S. Larkin, 2. M. Smith, 3. W. MacDonald. Height—14 ft. 1 in.
- Standing broad—1. S. Larkin, 2. M. Smith, 3. S. Feehan. Distance—7 ft. 11 1-2 in.
- Hop, Step and Jump—1. S. Larkin, 2. S. Feehan, 3. A. Callaghan. Distance—30 ft. 8 in.

#### OPEN EVENTS

- Half mile—1. J. O'Brien, 2. W. O'Brien. Time—2 min. 29 sec.
- 1 Mile—1. W. O'Brien, 2. R. MacKinnon. Time—5 min. 54 sec.
- Shot Put (16 lb.)—1. R. Beaudet, 2. C. Trainor, 3. R. Henneberry. Distance—30 ft.
- Baseball throw—1. A. Kelly, 2. R. Paoli. Distance—256 ft.
- Green Race—1. Ron MacKinnon, 2. R. Paoli, 3. V. Connolly. Time—11 sec.
- 1 Mile Walk—1. John J. MacDonald, 2. S. Larkin, 3. J. MacLeod. Time—9 min. 49 sec.
- Backward race—1. Ron MacKinnon, 2. L. Connolly.
- Boot race—1. W. Shea, 2. P. Wood, 3. G. Lefebvre.
- Football Kick—1. P. Murnaghan, 2. A. Kelly.
- Three-legged race—1. Ron MacKinnon and P. Murnaghan, 2. E. Murphy and Ray MacKinnon.
- Wheelbarrow race—1. E. Murphy and Ray MacKinnon, 2. J. MacDonald and R. Beaudet.
- Relay race—1. Sophomores, 2. Seniors.
- Tug-O-War—1. Grade XII, 2. Sophomores.
- Handball Senior—W. Simpson and

### Injury To Canzoneri Causes Postponement Of Bout With McLarnin Until Monday

BY SAM ROBERTSON

Canadian Press Staff Writer NEW YORK, Oct. 1—(CP)—Roseate reports that a cut on the lip of Tony Canzoneri is "nothing at all, at all," came from the camp of the ex-lightweight king today as he sharpened his sights for his Monday night argument with jolting Jimmy McLarnin.

While the Canadian Celt continued to manhandle his sparring mates in a manner that bespoke woe for Antonio, the Italian gamester's training was curtailed to guard against aggravating the injury.

It already has caused postponement of the 10-round fight from Friday night. Further injury and another postponement would play hob with the hopes of Madison Square Garden to draw customers and cash from the influx of sports lovers in town for the world series.

The Giants are not given much chance of sweeping the Yankees aside in four straight, so it is generally agreed the baseball followers will still be here Monday.

In the gymnasium where McLarnin is going through his paces, the hangers on talk excitedly of the punching power being flashed by the Vancouver beauty. Jimmy jarred two punch catchers to the borderline of slumberland this afternoon.

He is concentrating his attack on the bumpy countenances of his sparmates. Fresh in Jim's mind, no doubt, is the havoc he wrought on Canzoneri's nose when they clashed here May 8.

McLarnin mashed Tony's ample proboscis with a first round attack that all but swept the little New Yorker out of the ring and later caused the taking of 40 stitches. Tony was walking in a daze, ready for the kill and there was thunder in the throats of the fans.

But McLarnin erred when the spoils were within his grasp. Too cocksure, he came out for the second round wide open as the "road to hell." He misjudged Canzoneri's recuperative powers and apparently believed there was nothing to fear. Without warning, a right and a left whistled out of nowhere, erased the McLarnin dimples and changed the whole plan of things.

#### DIED AS RESULT OF ELECTRIC SHOCK

WINNIPEG, Oct. 1—(CP)—Albert Medynski, 28-year-old hockey player who played one season with Moncton Hawks in the Maritimes, died as the result of an electric shock while operating a beef-sawing machine at the packing plant where he was employed, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury at the inquest.

It is written in the historic account of one of the greatest battles of recent times that the lion-hearted Canzoneri went on to take an unanimous decision and that only the equally brave heart of the veteran Canadian permitted him to go the full distance of 10 rounds.

Funniest man of the day was Vernon "Lefty" Gomez, Yankee pitcher. Scheduled to pitch the second game, he arrived at the clubhouse among the first. He was told at once the game was off.

#### OFFICIALS

Starter—Rev. Oswald Murphy. Timers—Rev. W. McGulgan and J. Mahar. Announcer—L. Landrigan.

### World Series Sidelights

(By SCOTTY RESTON)

(Associated Press Sports Writer) (A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Commissioner Landis was on the spot today: He postponed the second game of the world series before the scribes had recovered from the night before, and then he vanished.

His announcement was brief: "The game is off because of wet grounds." But this was not enough. The writers wanted him to elaborate on the announcement.

"Elaborate on wet grounds, gentlemen?" he asked. "Why that's ridiculous."

One reporter insisted. "All right, sir, I'll elaborate," beamed the judge. "You may say I said the game is off because of very wet grounds."

Bill Terry took a ribbing all day. While he was having lunch a reporter went by the table and said "you didn't cover your tracks very well this morning, Bill."

"How's that?" asked Terry. "I saw you out there flooding the field with that fire hose this morning."

Terry didn't think it was a very good joke.

Most partisan rooster of the day, newsboy in Times Square yelling, "Rain saves Yankees."

Given an off-day, 500 visiting newspapermen, a lobbyful of baseball officials, and a little stimulation, it was inevitable that the rumors would be flying.

Samples: (1) Bill Terry will move into the Giants' front office as general manager, Bill McKechnie will leave the Bees to take his place, and "Rabbit" Maraville will manage the Bees. (2) Larry MacPhail, who recently quit as vice-president and general manager of the Reds, definitely will (A) buy the Browns with Branch Rickey, (B) take over the Dodgers, (C) buy the Reds, (D) take over the Toronto club, (E) get out of baseball altogether, and (3) Chuck Dressen will leave Cincinnati and manage the Cubs.

White Sox Win From Cubs

CHICAGO, Oct. 1—(A.P.)—Chicago's hustling White Sox today belted out a 5-1 triumph over the Cubs in the opening game of the Chicago City championship series at Wrigley Field. Vernon Kennedy allowed the Cubs only four hits.

The game was played before only 12,314 fans who saw Jimmy Dykes' White Sox cram all their punch into one inning, the fifth, at the expense of Big Bill Lee, who started for the Cubs. Tex Carleton, who replaced Lee after the lusty fifth, yielded only two hits and struck out six batters in four innings, but the best the Cubs could do against Kennedy was a run in the ninth, scored with the aid of an error.

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MONTREAL, Oct. 1—(CP)—The steady stream of Canadian hockey talent that has flowed towards Europe will be augmented tomorrow when 17 players leave for France aboard the liner Duchess of Bedford. A smaller group leaves Saturday on the liner Montcalm.

### Pam Barton In Running For U. S. Golf Title

BL BOB CAVAGNARO

Associated Press Sports Writer SUMMIT, N.J., Oct. 1—(AP)—American golf seemed headed today for its second international final of the year as Pamela Barton, stocky British titleholder, and three Americans advanced to the semifinals of the United States women's golf championship.

Equally probable was the prospect that the 19-year-old titian-haired Miss Barton might become the first invader in 23 years to carry the trophy across the big water hole.

Pam was joined in the penultimate round by Marion Miley, youngster of Lexington, Ky., Kathryn Hemphill, who only a few years ago was the no. one player on the Columbia, S.C., high school golf team, and the veteran Maureen Orcutt Crews of Englewood, N.J., twice Canadian open champion.

In tomorrow's matches Miss Barton meets Miss Miley, and Miss Hemphill plays Mrs. Crews.

Miss Barton ground out a 4 and 3 victory over Beatrice Barrett, Minneapolis' latest sensation since the collapse of Patty Berg; Miss Miley squelched Mrs. Carl Donner of Springfield, N.J., 5 and 4; Miss Hemphill rammed down a 40-foot putt for a birdie 4 to beat Mrs. William E. Shepherd of Los Angeles on the 19th hole and Mrs. Crews eliminated the veteran Kansas City links-woman, Mrs. Opal Hill, 3 and 2.

After three days of rain the quarter-finalists received a welcome break from the weatherman. The skies were leaden, but it didn't rain. However, the Canoe Brook county club fairways were spongy.

Greyhound Wins Feature Event Of Grand Circuit

LEXINGTON, KY., Oct. 1—(AP)—Greyhound, winner of the Hambletonian purse last year, won the 47th renewal of the Transylvania free for all trot, which had a value of \$3,200 at the Grand circuit meeting here today.

The winner, owned by the Hotel Baker Stable, St. Charles, Ill., established a new record for the stake in the third heat, when his time was 2:00.

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### Probable Batting Order

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—(AP)—Probable batting order of the Yankees and Giants for the second game of the world series Friday, showing players, positions and batting averages in the first game of the series. (In the case of the pitchers, the won and lost record for the season is shown).

Yankees	Ave.
Crosetti, ss	.250
Rolle, 3b	.233
Dimaggio, cf	.250
Gehrig, 1b	.000
Dickey, c	.000
Selkirk, rf	.250
Powell, lf	.750
Lazzeri, 2b	.000
Gomez, p	13-7

  

Giants	Ave.
Moore, lf	.000
Bartell, ss	.500
Terry, 1b	.500
Leiber, cf	.000
Ott, rf	.000
Mancuso, c	1.333
Whitehead, 2b	.300
Jackson, 3b	.000
Schumacher, p	11-13

Game time 2:30 P.M. AST.

### Red & White Prepare For Rugby Season

With the football season right with us Saint Dunstan's University ruggerers are once more hard at it preparing for the coming football wars in defence of their Island title. Four times a week the college gridiron presents a scene of busy activity as 40-odd men go through their paces battling for a place on the team. There is no scarcity of material and the coach Rev. Father McGulgan already is confident of keeping the title within the walls of his alma mater even though the challenge from the City Nomads will be stronger than ever.

When the wearers of the red and white make their first appearance this year over a dozen new faces will be on the lineup. Last year's championship forward line is still intact but it is in the backfield that the changes come. Graduation cut deeply into the ranks of the backfield men and only two of last year's men remain, Pineau their fullback and Trainor a halfbacker are the survivors.

But the material trying out now for the backfield positions is plenty good. Jerry Connolly a boy hailing from Boston, Higgins, Ronnie McKinnon and J. A. MacDonald probably right now are the outstanding newcomers but according to the coach they will have to keep on dishing out the goods if they are to catch a place on this year's varsity.

The Saints will be there as usual. There's no doubt about that. But while the teams are rounding into shape the men who are keeping football going year after year are attempting to pep up interest and attendance. Mainland teams may be booked and rumors going the rounds have the centrefield of the exhibition grounds as the new place where the games will be played.

Certainly if this site was suitable and permission could be obtained to play there the grounds would make an ideal spot. Fans would have a stand to sit in and the railing around the track would insure the players from being interfered with by too ardent fans who in the past have literally been yards out on the playing field.

Then there is a trophy being mooted also. This would be something new in Island senior circles and would pep up both teams and followers if there was a piece of silverware to battle for.

### Hockey Team To Make Tour

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Oct. 1—(CP)—Toronto Goodyears, finalists in the Toronto and York Metropolitan Hockey League last winter, will sail from New York Oct. 14 for a 12-game tour of England and France. The team will return in time for the opening League game here late in November.

Coach-Manager Bob Ecclestone said tonight he would take 11 players. They will arrive in Cherbourg, France, Oct. 20 and play two games in Paris before crossing the Channel for 10 games in England. They sail for home Nov. 14.

—By George McManus

### BRINGING UP FATHER



## BOXING BOUTS

### SOIRIS RINK

#### Wednesday, October 7th at 8.30 P. M.

Main Bout:  
George A. Leslie ex-champion of Prince Edward Island  
VS.  
William MacInnis, Souris,—10 rounds, with winner taking the purse

ALSO  
Daniel McCormack vs. Urban Cheverie  
Charles McDonald vs. Frank Cheverie  
Jackie McLellan vs. Jimmie McIntyre

All Five Round preliminaries with winners taking purse.

ADMISSION—75c Ringside. 50c Rush  
Tickets on sale at M. S. Acorn's, Souris.  
Promoters—Beaver Hockey Club.