

GIANTS HAVE MENTAL EDGE ON THE YANKS

By HENRY L. FARRELL (United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Age-worn and time-proven axioms that dope is never infallible and that nothing is certain in baseball make complicated this fall the process of arriving at some accurate forecast on the result of the 1923 world's series.

With the same two teams almost man for man that engaged in the two past series, the daps, but for its known tendency to get off the track at times, would indicate that the New York Giants would be a safe bet to win another world's championship at the expense of their Bronx rivals.

On the basis of form and past performances, the most approved method of doping, the Yankees have only a small chance to turn the tables and beat the team that won rather easily from them in 1921 and made them look like saps in 1922.

In personnel and the basis of mechanics of baseball, the Yanks are no better this year than they were last year. The biggest asset is the same superiority in pitching that was expected to overcome the Giants last fall and which failed miserably to do it.

Although superficial judgment would justify the belief that the Yanks are too old a ball club to stir themselves out of the beaten path that led them to two fine trimmings many wise baseball fans are picking the American league champions to beat the Giants because of the stability of harmony and the winning spirit they displayed in running away with their third straight pennant.

The Yanks did show a most impressive change in temperament from the very first day of the season. It was apparent that they considered the business of winning the pennant a very serious proposition in which the financial end was too important to permit of laxity in training or in playing.

Another important factor to consider in figuring the chances of the Yanks is the known fact that from the early part of the season, when it began to appear certain that nothing but bad luck or injuries could keep them out of the world's series the club has been living, playing and planning only to beat the Giants and vindicate themselves.

The Yankees felt, individually and collectively, the deepest humiliation over the sorry showing they made in the series last year, when the best they could do was to get a tie in one game. They felt that they were not only a better club than they looked, but that they were a better team than

the Giants. The claimed they were caught in a slump that came as a reaction after the hard fight they had to win the pennant and that the Giants found them in the state of a general let-down.

Perhaps the strain, which forced the Giants to go their limit until almost the last minute of the season, will have the same effect that it worked on the Yankees last year, although John McGraw has said in the past that he preferred to keep his club going at top speed instead of allowing them to let down and then getting them back on edge again.

While everything depends upon the mental factor on the Yankee team, it will be of no importance with the Giants. Two impressive victories over the Yanks will give the National league champions a mental edge over their opponents and will of necessity increase the confidence that they might lack with such mediocre pitching.

The Giants can be depended upon to outsmart the Yanks if it comes to a battle of brains, and it was quick thinking and spontaneous action that turned the tide in two of the games last fall when the Yankees gave evidence of having left their brains in the club house. McGraw's teams always play smart baseball because they take orders on every play from the bench and it is not to the discredit of Miller Huggins to give McGraw for more baseball brains. He has more baseball knowledge than any manager of all time.

Position by position, the Giants and the Yankees are not badly matched. Tomorrow the outfields of the two club will be discussed and compared.

AIR TRAVELERS SUBJECT TO REGULAR PASSPORT RULES

By Associated Press.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—An air traveler in Europe has to get his passport vised for every country over which he may fly, even if he does not intend to land in that country. This measure was found necessary in order to prevent a passenger, through accident or forced landing, finding himself in a strange state without the proper documentation.

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STATE of Texas, County of Eastland—ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Walter Murray, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Ranger Daily Times, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication, for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

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WALTER MURRAY, Publisher.

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THURSDAY EVENTS

W. C. B. M. of Christian church meets at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. B. F. Bennett.

1920 club meets at 3 o'clock in the League rooms of Methodist church.

MRS. CLEGG TO HAVE YOUNG MATRONS CLUB

The regular meeting of the Young Matrons Bridge club will be held on Friday at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Gifford Clegg.

FIRST BAPTIST T. E. L. MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church which was to have been held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Rhodes, has been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Barnes. Announcement of the meeting will be made later.

1920 CLUB WILL MEET AT METHODIST CHURCH

The first meeting of the 1920 club will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the League rooms of the Methodist church, which are situated on the main floor just back of the upper auditorium. All members are urged to be present for the opening session. The program will be on "Social Behavior in Man and Animals" with Mrs. Hagaman as leader and the following topics assigned:

- "Organic Behavior," Mrs. G. H. Bohling.
- "Animal Behavior," Chapter 1, First Corinthians 12:14-24.
- "Social Behavior in Animals," Mrs. C. O. Terrell.
- "Human Social Behavior in General," Mrs. C. L. Davenport.
- "Animal Behavior," Chapter V, Wasps, Social and Solitary, select a chapter.

Questions for discussion:
"Is social behavior possible without consciousness?"
"Account for the highly perfected social organization of the bee."
"What part does consciousness play in social behavior?"
"Speculate on the beginnings of consciousness."
"Which is more fundamental, consciousness or social behavior?"
"What is to be understood by the division of labor?"
"In what sense is social behavior similar to corporate behavior?"

YOUNG SCHOOL PARENT-TEACHERS MET TUESDAY

The Young School Parent-Teachers

association met Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Shipp, president, and various topics of interest were discussed. It is the aim of the association to do everything possible for the comfort and convenience of the children, and it is expected that arrangements will soon be completed for serving hot lunches at a nominal cost. Special efforts will be put forth to furnish a suitable diet. Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Burden are working on this committee.

After hearing the report of the committee appointed to investigate regarding the erection of speed-limit posts, it was decided that the association would take steps to have same put up immediately. Being a straight thoroughfare and good road, it is a great temptation to speeders, and quite dangerous for the children.

It was with regret Mrs. Neill's resignation as third vice president was accepted. Mrs. Perry was elected to fill out her unexpired term.

Mrs. Hagaman of the Child Welfare association, introduced Miss Nixon, the community school nurse, whose services have been obtained by the club and P.-T. associations of Ranger. Miss Nixon gave an interesting outline of her work, and one day a week will be spent in each school. She will also make home calls wherever necessary, and everything possible will be done for the good of the children. Permission to purchase a complete first-aid kit for the school was granted.

Since Oct. 19 is the birthday of the Parent-Teachers association, it was decided that same be observed with an appropriate program, Oct. 17, the date of the next meeting. Members are requested to bring a penny for each year of their age. It is promised the secret will never be told. A special program is being prepared. Every one is cordially invited to attend and learn something of the good work the association is doing for the children.

RUSSIA BUILDING AIRPLANE WITH ADJUSTABLE WINGS

HARBIN, Manchuria—(By mail to the Associated Press)—An airplane with adjustable wings, enabling the pilot to alter his speed materially during flight, has just been given a series of tests here with highly satisfactory results. The inventor, J. J. Dill, a Russian engineer, believes his device will correct a long recognized defect in the science of air navigation.

Dill's invention consists of an apparatus for altering the "angle of incidence" of the plane while flying. In the tests it was found possible to alter the angle eight degrees, causing a corresponding difference in speed ranging from 180 kilometers an hour to 90, and to make a landing within a space of 15 meters.

TEXTBOOKS TO BE BOUGHT FOR USE IN SCHOOLS OF RANGER

"Book situation is acute," E. O. McNew, superintendent of schools, told the members of the Ranger Independent school district board. Geography, writing and arithmetic books are short, due to the federal district court at Austin declaring the textbook contract between the American Book company and the educational commission of Texas to be not valid.

Because of a plentiful supply of textbooks being on hand last year, the school authorities did not order new books then, and this year the shortage of books at the opening of school became pronounced.

McNew was instructed to purchase what books may be needed and charge it up to the board in the expectation that the state will later reimburse the board.

S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of instruction, in a letter to McNew told him to purchase books needed and the state legislature would refund the amount.

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THREE CAPITAL CASES ARE SET FOR TRIAL

Gilvie Hubert, who has been appointed assistant prosecuting attorney to succeed Elzo Been, resigned, while in Ranger last night in attendance at the Bob Morton circus, said that two murder cases and one statutory charge case have been set for trial in October and November.

John W. Owens of Ranger, charged with the murder of Jack Payne of Ranger, will be tried Oct. 24 in the Eighty-eighth district court. J. W. Burns, who lives south of Gorman, charged with the murder of Bud Hamilton, will go to trial Nov. 12 in the Ninety-first district court. Jim Carter, charged with a statutory crime, will be tried on Oct. 19 in the Ninety-first district court. The maximum penalty on this charge is death in the electric chair.

The trial of Bob Mohler, charged with the murder of Hugh Maples, Cisco service car driver, will be set for trial as soon as matters having to do with the change of venue are settled.

DENTON.—A melon weighing 92 pounds was sent to the Kansas State university by J. P. Carter of Garza. About a month ago Carter shipped two melons, one weighing 85 pounds and the other 90, to the Iowa State university.

HARDING MEMORIAL STAMPS BEING ASKED FOR HERE

Postmaster J. F. Dreinhofer said today that he wrote to Washington two weeks ago asking the postoffice department to send the Ranger office a supply of Harding memorial stamps. The new issue is a special one and he has not received word as to when the local office will receive the stamps.

"The requisitions go through very slow," he said. "The present supply may be exhausted, in which case we would have to wait our turn." Harding memorial stamps have been in circulation for several weeks and many of the incoming letters bear the new stamp. It is black and bears a likeness of the dead president. It is a side view picture. Many requests for them have been received at the Ranger postoffice.

TOWNFOLKS

H. E. Seward, city engineer, has returned from Waco, where he was under treatment for a chronic ailment. He is better.

H. H. Howard of Shreveport, La., who became suddenly ill at the Gholson hotel Monday night, recovered sufficiently to leave his room at the Gholson hotel today.

AUSTIN.—As result of numerous recent false fire alarms here, the city council is considering adoption of an ordinance which would subject those turning in such an alarm to a fine of from \$25 to \$200. Fire department officials say the ordinance would serve as a "cure" against false alarms.

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Men's Ribbed Union Suits for	\$1.28	Men's Blue Work Shirts only	75c
Genuine Hope Domestic at	17c	36-inch Outing, any color	22c
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