

BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY ST. LOUIS IN THE SEVENTH GAME OF THE SERIES, 3 TO 2

Three Hits Off Hoyt and Two Errors Give Cardinals All Their Runs in Fourth Inning—Alexander, Relieving Haines in 7th With Bases Full, Saves Game by Fanning Lazzari—Ruth Hits Homer No. 4

SCORE BY INNINGS

	R	H	E
St. Louis	0	0	3
New York	0	0	1

YANKEE STADIUM, NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—St. Louis Cardinals are the baseball champions of the universe for 1926. The National leaguers toppled the champions of the American league by a score of 3 to 2 today in the deciding game of the world's series.

The Cardinals collected all their runs in the fourth inning when, with three hits and two errors by the Yankees, three tallies pattered over the plate. The Yankees' defense crumbled in this inning, Meusel dropping a fly ball and Koenig making a bobble of Bell's bouncer. The first run of the game was registered by Ruth on his fourth home run of the series. It came in the third inning. New York's other run was scored in the sixth by Dugan, who singled and later went home on Severoid's double.

It was Alexander, the veteran pitcher, who saved the game for the Cardinals when Haines was benched in the seventh inning with a split finger. With the bases full and two men out, Alexander retired the Yankees by striking out Lazzari. New York's last chance to win came in the ninth, after the first two batters were retired. Ruth was given a base on balls, but he was thrown out at second on an attempted steal after two strikes had been called on Meusel.

Official Box Score:

St. Louis Cardinals	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Holm, cf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Southworth, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hornsbey, 2b	4	0	2	4	1	0
Bottomley, 1b	3	1	1	14	0	0
L. Bell, 3b	4	1	0	0	4	0
Hafey, lf	4	1	2	3	0	0
O'Farrell, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Thevenow, ss	4	0	2	1	3	0
Haines, p	2	0	1	0	4	0
Alexander, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	8	27	14	0
New York Yankees	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Combs, cf	5	0	2	2	0	0
Koenig, ss	4	0	0	2	3	1
Ruth, rf	1	1	1	2	0	0
Meusel, lf	4	0	1	3	0	1
Gehrig, 1b	2	0	0	11	0	0
Lazzari, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Dugan, 3b	4	1	2	3	1	0
Severoid, c	3	0	2	3	1	0
S. Adams, z	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hoyt, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Paschal, zz	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pennock, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	2	8	27	10	3

z Batted for Hoyt in 6th.

zz Ran for Severoid in 6th.

Two base hit: Severoid. Home run: Ruth. Sacrifice: Haines, O'Farrell, Koenig, Bottomley. Left on bases: St. Louis 7; New York 10. Bases on balls off Haines 5 (Ruth 3, Gehrig 2); off Alexander 1 (Ruth). Struck out by Haines 2 (Lazzari 2) by Alexander (Lazzari); by Hoyt 2 (Hafey, Haines). Hits off Hoyt 5 in 6 innings; off Pennock 3 in 3; Haines 7 in 6 2-3; Alexander 1 in 2 1-3. Winning pitcher: Haines. Losing pitcher: Hoyt. Umpires: Hildebrand at plate; Klem at first base; Dinneen second; O'Day at third. Time of game: 2:15.

THE BABE HITTING



Photograph shows Babe Ruth at bat in the opening of the first world's series game played in St. Louis. He was out on a fast play, Hornsby to Bottomley. The game was played between showers, but the fans remained in their seats throughout.

Play By Play Description Of the Game

First Inning

Cardinals: Holm up. Hoyt warmed up a bit in the box and the game was on. A big cheer went up as Hoyt took his wind up for the first pitch. Ball 1, high and wide. Ball 2, low and outside. Ball 3, wide. Strike 1, called. 1st out. Heart of the plate. Strike 2, called. This pitch was on the outside. Foul. Hornsby went out to Gehrig, unassisted. Southworth up. Ball 1, outside. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, called. This was a slow drop curve. Ball 2, inside. Southworth sent out a fly to Meusel. Hornsby up. Hornsby got a big hand. Ball 1, low. Strike 1, called. Ball 2, high and inside. Hornsby shot a hot single past Lazzari. Bottomley up. Ball 1, high. Foul. Strike 1. Bottomley sent up a high foul to Gehrig who took the ball near the visitors' bench. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Yankees: Combs up. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 1, outside. Holm gathered in Combs' long liner. Koenig up. Strike 1, called. Haines sunk a ball over for a first strike. Ball 1, wide. Koenig grounded out to Bottomley unassisted. Ruth up. Ruth was cheered. Ball 1, outside. This was the slow ball and the crowd booed. Ball 2, wide. More boos from the crowd. Ball 3, inside. Strike 1, called. Ball 3, wide. Ruth got a base on balls. Meusel up. Strike 1, swung. Haines fooled Meusel on a fast curve. Ball 1, outside. Strike 2, called. On the hit and run play Meusel singled over second, Ruth going to third. Hornsby went over and talked to Haines. Gehrig up. Ball 1, outside. Ball 2, low. O'Farrell kicked, claiming it was a strike. Hornsby knocked down Gehrig's warm drive and threw him out. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Second Inning

Cardinals: Bell up. Bell lined out to Dugan, who stood still and made the catch. Hafey up. Foul. Strike 1. Hafey tried to bunt. Foul. Strike 2. Hafey struck out on three pitched balls, swinging for the third strike. O'Farrell up. Ball 1, inside. Foul. Strike 1. Ruth made a wonderful running catch of O'Farrell's seeming three base hit. The stands roared with applause as Ruth came to the bench. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Yankees: Lazzari up. Ball 1, inside. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 2, inside. Foul. Strike 2. Ball 3, wide. This pitch went to the grand stand. Lazzari struck out, with the count 3 and 2. He swung for the third. Dugan up. Strike 1, called. Ball 1, outside. Ball 2, outside. Dugan spun a single over second. Severoid up. Ball 1, Dugan was out stealing. O'Farrell to Hornsby. The play was close at second. Ball 2, outside. Strike 1, called. Ball 3, outside and low. Strike 2, called. Severoid singled to left, with the count 3 and 2. Hoyt up. Ball 1, inside. Strike 1, swung. Hoyt nearly fell down swinging. Hoyt went out. Haines to Bottomley. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Third Inning

Cardinals: Thevenow up. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, called. Hoyt worked two curves on Thevenow. Thevenow singled to left on the next pitch. Haines up. Haines sacrificed to Gehrig, unassisted. Holm up. Foul. Strike 1. Foul. Strike 2. Holm fouled out to Severoid. Southworth up. Southworth sent out a fly to Meusel for the second time in this game. No runs, one hit, no errors.

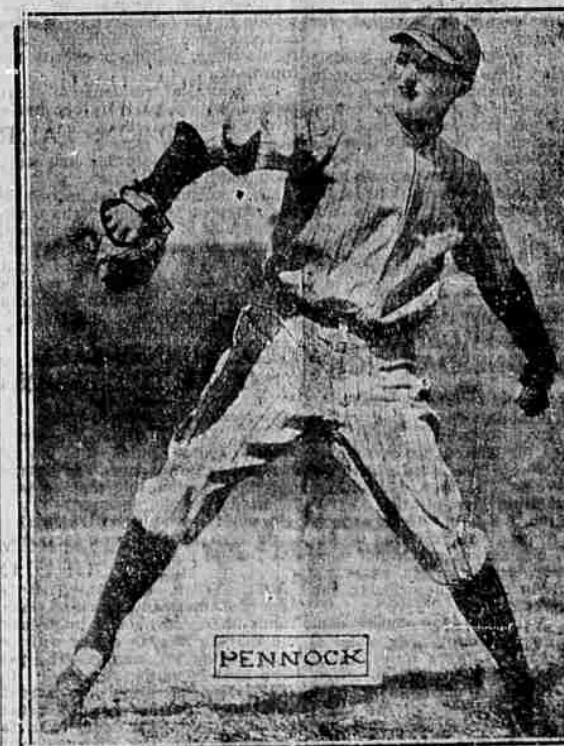
Yankees: Combs up. Strike 1, called. Foul. Strike 2. Ball 1, high. Ball 2, wide. Bottomley took Combs' hopper and beat him to the bag. Koenig up. Foul. Strike 1. Strike 2, called. Ball 1, high and outside. Hafey came in fast and took Koenig's fly. Ruth up. Foul. Strike 1. Ruth went after a ball that was inside. Ball 1, low. Ruth made a home run into the right field stands. He got hold of one of

BATTED IN THE WINNING RUNS



Thevenow, youthful shortstop for the Cardinals, shared the spotlight with other heroes of the St. Louis team in the final game of the world's series, by driving out the single which scored Hafey and Bell with the winning runs in the fourth inning.

YANKEE PITCHERS IN FINAL GAME



When the Yankees threatened in the sixth inning Huggins with drew Hoyt, who had been pitching good ball, to put in Paschal as a pinch hitter. Pennock then took the mound for the Yankees and twirled air tight ball during the balance of the game.

Haines' slow balls. The crowd went frantic. Meusel up. Ball 1, low. Meusel sent out a high fly to Hafey. One run, one hit, no errors.

Fourth Inning

The bleachers gave Ruth a great hand when he went out to right field. Hornsby up. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 1, high. Hoyt took Hornsby's high hopper and tossed him out. Bottomley up. Bottomley shot a single into left. Bell up. Foul. Strike 1. Koenig knocked down Bell's hot grounder and it went for long. Bottomley going to second. High. Gehrig got a base on balls, the fourth pitch being wide. Lazzari up. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 1, inside. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, swung. Ball 2, outside. Koenig took Holm's grounder and touched second. Three runs, three hits, two errors.

Yankees: Gehrig up. Ball 1, inside. Strike 1, called. Ball 2, outside. Foul. Strike 2. This was a high. Gehrig got a base on balls, the fourth pitch being wide. Lazzari up. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 1, inside. Ball 2, low. Strike 3, swung. Lazzari sent up a high one to Holm. Dugan up. Ball 1, outside. Foul. Strike 1. Haines threw out Dugan at first. Gehrig going to second. Severoid up. Thevenow batted into the air and speared Severoid's liner with his glove hand. This sacrificed fly. Thevenow up. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, swung. Bell and Hafey scored on Thevenow's single to right, O'Farrell going to second.

Fifth Inning

Cardinals: Southworth up. Ball 1, wide. Strike 1, swung. Ball 2, outside. Southworth fouled out to Gehrig. Hornsby up. Strike 1, called. Ball 1, outside. Combs camped under Hornsby's fly and the batter was out. Bottomley up. Ball 1, inside. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 2, outside. Ball 3, inside. Bottomley went out. Lazzari to Gehrig. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Yankees: Hoyt up. Hoyt got a hand as he came to the plate. He had been pitching good ball but his defense had crumbled behind him. Ball 1, inside. Strike 1, swung. Thevenow threw out Hoyt. Combs up. Ball 1, inside and low. Combs singled over second. Koenig up. Ball 1, wide. Foul. Strike 1. Ball 2, inside. Koenig flied out to Hafey for the second time. Ruth up. Ball 1, wide. Ball 2, wide. Ball 3, wide. Ruth was given a base on balls, the fourth pitch being wide. Meusel up. Ball 1, low. Haines threw out Meusel at first. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Sixth Inning

Cardinals: Bell up. Bell sent out a high fly to Meusel. Hafey up. Dugan took Hafey's hot smash and threw wide to Gehrig and the batter was safe. Error for Dugan. O'Farrell up. O'Farrell popped to Dugan. Thevenow up. The stands applauded Thevenow. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, swung. Hafey was out stealing. Severoid to Koenig. No runs, no hits, one error.

Yankees: Gehrig up. Strike 1, called. Ball 1, inside. Strike 2, called. Ball 2, high. Foul. Thevenow made a nice play on Gehrig's seeming hit and threw him out. Lazzari up. Strike 1, called. Ball 1, inside. Strike 2, swung. Lazzari struck out swinging for a third strike. Dugan up. Ball 1, low. Ball 2, outside. Ball 3, inside. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, called. Dugan singled over Thevenow's head. It was Dugan's second hit. Severoid up. Ball 1, low and outside. Ball 2, outside. Ball 3, outside. Hornsby came over and talked to Haines. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, called. Dugan swung on Severoid's two base hit to left. Hafey tried to make a shoestring catch but the ball bounded over his head. Paschal batted for Hoyt. Paschal up. Adams ran for Severoid. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, swung. Ball 1, outside. Haines threw out Paschal at first. One run, two hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning

Cardinals: Collins went in to catch. Pennock went in to pitch. After Pennock warmed up Thevenow came to the plate. Thevenow up. Strike 1, called. Foul. Strike 2. Ball 1, high and inside. Dugan threw out Thevenow at first. Haines up. Haines got a single into left. Holm up. Holm fouled Haines, Dugan to Lazzari. Southworth up. Ball 1, wide. Ball 2, high. Ball 3, low. Strike 1, called. Foul. Strike 2. Southworth went out. Pennock to Koenig to Gehrig. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Yankees: Combs up. Everybody stood up and cheered for a rally. Strike 1, called. Combs got a single off Thevenow's glove. Koenig up. Ball 1, inside. Koenig sacrificed. Bell to Bottomley. Combs going to second. Ruth up. The St. Louis players consulted in the middle of the field. Ball 1, wide. Ball 2, wide. Ball 3, wide. Ruth was purposely passed and the crowd jeered Haines. Meusel up. Strike 1, swung. Foul. Strike 2. Meusel fouled into the grand stand. Meusel forced Ruth. Bell to Hornsby. Combs going to third. Gehrig up. Strike 1, called. Foul. Strike 2. Ball 1, high and wide. Ball 2, wide. Ball 3, wide. Gehrig got a base on balls, the fourth pitch being high. The bases were now filled. The St. Louis team huddled together at the pitchers box, talking to Haines. Hornsby, after talking with Haines sent Haines to the showers, and signalled for Alexander who was warming up in the bull pen. Alexander received a big cheer as he slowly trudged across the field wearing his big sweater. He took off the sweater and then began to warm up with O'Farrell. Alexander seemed to have plenty of stuff on the ball. Lazzari is up. Ball 1, low. Strike 1, called. This was a curve on the outside corner. Foul. Strike 2. Lazzari struck out, swinging for

St. Louis Owes Its First Baseball Championship to Rogers Hornsby, Fighter

(Associated Press Local Wire.)

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—Not until this year has a St. Louis club ever won a pennant in either the National or American League, and Rogers Hornsby is the first playing manager to pilot a team to a National league pennant since the day of Frank Chance, the old "peerless leader" of the Chicago Cubs, back in the day when the famous triumvirate of "Tinker to Evers to Chance" made baseball history.

The fighting manager of the Cardinals led his team in the hottest finish seen in the National league since 1908, when Chicago and New York finished in a tie.

Hornsby's leadership and ability to maintain a fighting spirit among his players share the tribute of Cardinals fans for this season's performance.

All Good Hitters. Hornsby took charge of the



Cardinals in the early spring of 1925. He knew his men and set about immediately to put St. Louis on the World Series circuit. The club at that time was rated as a dangerous outfit, but it lacked the

a wide curve. Alexander was given a big cheer as he walked to the bench. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Eighth Inning Cardinals: The Cardinals hugged Alexander as he went to the bench. Hornsby up. Ball 1, inside. Ball 2, outside. Ball 3, outside. Strike 1, called. Hornsby singled over second. Bottomley up. Bottomley sacrificed. Dugan to Gehrig. Bell up. Strike 1, swung. Ball 1, outside. Strike 2, swung. Bell flied out to Combs. Hafey up. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, called. Ball 1, high. Ball 2, high. Foul. Hafey got an infield hit which Dugan knocked down. Hornsby stopping at third. O'Farrell up. O'Farrell forced Hafey. Koenig to Lazzari. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning Cardinals: Thevenow up. Strike 1, swung. Ball 1, outside. Ball 2, outside. Ball 3, outside. Strike 1, called. Ruth snared Thevenow's fly. Alexander up. The crowd gave Alexander a hand. Strike 1, called. Foul. Strike 2. Alexander went out. Koenig to Gehrig. Holm up. Holm

balance and polish to make it a real factor in the National league fight. The Cardinals packed a terrific wallop at the plate, and their offensive strength was formidable, but pitching and an astute defense kept the team down in the percentage column. Hornsby finished the season with his machine in good shape, and passed a busy winter gathering wool for the pennant from the ranks of his rivals.

He began the 1926 season with a stronger aggregation and further balanced the team by signing Bill Killefer, former manager of the Chicago Cubs, as his assistant. They have worked together harmoniously.

When Hornsby was appointed manager there was much discussion as to whether his new duties would hinder his wonderful work as a player. He continued his stellar performance at second base and at bat, however, and last year earned the trophy awarded the most valuable player in the league.

Holds Series of Records. Hornsby came to the Cardinals as a shortstop a decade ago, and immediately made good. It was not until he switched to second base, however, that he became a great star. He led the league in batting for six consecutive years, finishing 1924 with a new National league record of .424. In 1925 he fell to .403, but batted in 143 runs for the league leadership and drove out 39 round-trip blows during the season. In 1922 he established the National league home run record with 42.

His six years' leadership in batting broke the record of Hans Wagner of Pittsburgh, who led for four consecutive years from 1909 to 1912. By finishing with a batting average over .400 in 1922, 1923, and 1925, he matched the record of Jesse Burkett, who accomplished the three time feat for the old Cleveland Nationals.

Hornsby began to play ball with Dallas, in the Texas league in 1914. He went to Dennison before the season was over and the next year found him with the Cardinals. Several years ago John McGraw of the New York Giants made the alluring offer of \$125,000 for the Hornsby contract, but this bid was promptly declined by St. Louis.

went out to Gehrig, unassisted. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Yankees: Combs up. Ball 1, wide. Strike 1, called. Strike 2, swung. Ball 2, outside. Foul. Ball three out. Combs at first. Koenig up. Ball 1, wide. Foul. Strike 1. Foul. Strike 2. Ball also threw out Koenig. Ruth up. Strike 1, called. Ball 1, wide. Foul. Strike 2. Ball 2, wide. Ball 3, wide. Ruth got a base on balls, the fourth pitch being wide. Meusel up. Strike 1, swung. Strike 2, swung. Ruth went out stealing. O'Farrell to Hornsby. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Saturday's Football

Saturday's Coast Football.
At Portland — Washington 23, Oregon 9.
At Missoula — Idaho 27, Montana 12.
At Berkeley — St. Marys 20, California 7.
At Palo Alto — Stanford 7, Olympic Club 3.
At Los Angeles — U. S. C. 16, W. S. C. 7.
At Caldwell — College of Idaho-Williamette, cancelled.

Sunday's Coast Baseball.
At San Francisco: Missions 2; Los Angeles 1.
At Oakland 9; Seattle 6.
At Sacramento, rain, no game.

BABE ON BATTING SPREE

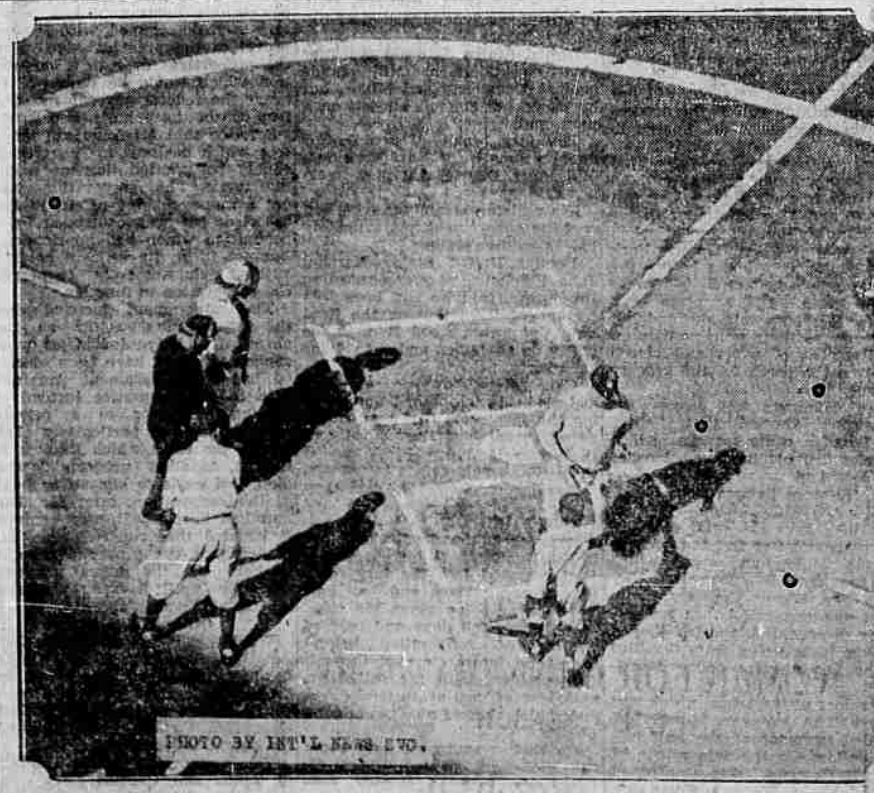


Photo shows Babe Ruth, King of Swat, crossing the plate in the first inning, scoring the first Yankee run of the afternoon after swatting a home run out of Sportsman's Park. He later scored two more homers and was given two walks, therefore establishing a new world's record for a daily batting average. The Yanks took this, the fourth game of the series, from the Cardinals by a score of 10 to 5.