

CROWD OF 30,000 ASSEMBLE EARLY FOR FIRST GAME

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Three thousand baseball fans stood in line at daylight awaiting the opening of the ticket office at the Polo grounds. They wanted tickets for the first game between the Giants and Athletics in the series which will decide the world's baseball championship.

On account of the murky weather New York fans figured Marquard would pitch the opening game for the Giants because of his tremendous speed, with Tesreau as McGraw's second choice. Snodgrass, the Giant infielder, injured his foot again yesterday and probably will be out of the series. Doyle is better and is certain to start in this afternoon's game.

Both Teams Confident

The Athletics' board of strategy, consisting of Manager Mack, Davis and Murphy, remained in session until midnight. Bender and Plank, it was said, are in excellent shape. Mack says he neither fears the Giant twirlers nor hitters and says if Matty pitches the opening game McGraw will be playing into the Athletics' hands.

The gates to the Polo grounds opened promptly at 9:37 o'clock and 30,000 fans poured through the twenty-seven gates, occupying 30,000 unreserved seats. One hundred and fifty police were stationed inside the grounds.

It was estimated that \$1,000,000, mostly in even money, has been wagered on today's game.

Crowd of 30,000

Three hundred and seventy outside newspaper men are here to cover the series, 100 special wires running into the press stand. Twenty-three Cuban papers have arranged for detained descriptions.

At 11:30 the last \$2 seat was sold and the crowd swept into the bleachers.

At 12:30 o'clock it was estimated that 30,000 persons were at the Polo grounds, with several thousand others waiting to enter. The lower grandstand was packed, but few of the holders of box seats had arrived.

Although the weather was cloudy, the weather man at noon said there was little chance of rain.

Giants in New Uniforms

The Giants appeared in new hosiery and hats, while Manager McGraw looked spick and span in a new suit. The opposing players shook hands and then posed for the photographers.

The Athletics wore muddy uniforms, the same they have worked in all year. Wyckoff pitched to the visitors in the batting practice.

Manager McGraw refused to indicate his pitcher for today's game, but Matthewson, Marquard, Demaree and Tesreau warmed up. The Giants' practice was peppery, with Fromme pitching to them in the batting practice.

LONG TIME LOANS TO CALIFORNIA FARMERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 7.—Long-time loans to California farmers on easy terms is the alleged object of a "credit corporation" which opened for business here today. Its eleven directors are prominent business and professional men of San Francisco and other California cities.

In addition to these directors, it has behind it an advisory committee of fifty, of whom thirty-nine are bankers. The corporation, it was announced, will make ten-year loans to farmers, which, however, the farmers may have the option of paying back any time before the loan expires.

This system, it was said, has prevailed for many years in Europe and the directors of the corporation assert that the bonds issued abroad against agricultural mortgage loans have a better sale than national bonds.

"CONNIE" MACK'S CRACK TEAM THAT WILL MEET THE GIANTS IN THE WORLD SERIES



THE PHILADELPHIA ATHLETICS.

ATHLETICS DEFEAT GIANTS

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Official Score table showing runs, hits, and errors for Philadelphia and New York teams across various innings.

double play, Barry to Collins to Melnes; bases on balls, off Marquard 1 (Collins), Tesreau 1 (Murphy); struck out, Marquard 1 (Strunk), Crandall 1 (Bender), Tesreau 1 (Strunk), Bender 3 (Burns, Murray, Shafer); hits, off Marquard, 8 hit and five runs in five innings; off Crandall, 3 in two and two-third innings.

Umpires—National, Klem and Egan; American, Conolly and Egan.

First Inning Philadelphia: Murphy filed out to Murray; Oldring singled to right; Oldring caught off first, Marquard to Merkle; Collins singled over second; Baker filed to Burns. No runs.

New York: Shafer filed to Murphy; Doyle filed to Strunk; Fletcher singled through short; Fletcher caught stealing second, Schang to Collins. No runs.

Second Inning Philadelphia: Melnes out, Herzog to Merkle. Strunk fanned, Barry out, Fletcher to Merkle. No runs.

New York: Burns fanned, Herzog out, Melnes unassisted, Murray singled to left. Meyers filed to Oldring. No runs.

Third Inning Philadelphia: Schang filed to

Burns. Bender out, Fletcher to right. McCormick singled over second. Shafer out, Collins to Melnes. Doyle safe on Barry's low throw to Melnes, Merkle scoring. Fletcher singled to right scoring McCormick and putting Doyle on third. Burns forced Fletcher, Baker to Collins. Doyle scoring. Herzog filed to Collins. Three runs.

Fourth Inning Philadelphia: Collins tripled to deep right. Baker singled scoring Collins. Melnes sacrificed to Merkle. Strunk hit to Marquard who threw Baker out to Herzog. Barry doubled to left but Strunk stopped at third. Schang tripled to center, scoring Strunk and Barry. Bender out, Marquard to Merkle. Three runs.

New York: Burns doubled to left. Herzog hit to Bender, out. Bender to Collins to Baker. Murray fanned. Meyers filed to Oldring. No runs.

Fifth Inning Philadelphia: Murphy out, Marquard to Merkle. Oldring out, Marquard to Merkle. Collins walked. Baker up, Collins stole second, Baker home run to right bleachers scoring Collins ahead of him. Melnes popped to Fletcher. Two runs.

New York: Merkle singled to

right. McCormick batting for Marquard. McCormick singled over second. Shafer out, Collins to Melnes. Doyle safe on Barry's low throw to Melnes, Merkle scoring. Fletcher singled to right scoring McCormick and putting Doyle on third. Burns forced Fletcher, Baker to Collins. Doyle scoring. Herzog filed to Collins. Three runs.

Sixth Inning Philadelphia: Schang out, Herzog to Merkle. Bender out, Tesreau to Merkle. Murphy walked. Murphy caught, Meyers to Doyle. No runs.

New York: Merkle out, Barry to Melnes. McLean batting for Tesreau, popped out to Barry. Shafer fanned.

Seventh Inning Philadelphia: Bender fanned. Murphy out, Doyle to Merkle. Oldring lined out to Shafer. No runs.

New York: Crandall out, Barry to Melnes. Shafer singled to center. Doyle singled to right, sending Shafer to third. Fletcher hit into a double play, Barry to Collins to Melnes. No runs.

Eighth Inning Philadelphia: Collins beat out a

hunt. Baker singled, sending Collins to third. Melnes doubled to left.

scoring Collins. Strunk fanned. Melnes off second, Baker dashed for home, but was caught, Meyers to Doyle to Meyers. Barry filed to Doyle. One run.

New York—Burns out, Baker to Melnes. Herzog out, Collins to Melnes. Murray singled to left. Meyers lined to Strunk. No runs.

Ninth Inning Philadelphia: Schang out, Herzog to Merkle. Bender out, Tesreau to Merkle. Murphy walked. Murphy caught, Meyers to Doyle. No runs.

New York: Merkle out, Barry to Melnes. McLean batting for Tesreau, popped out to Barry. Shafer fanned.

Tenth Inning Philadelphia: Collins beat out a

hunt. Baker singled, sending Collins to third. Melnes doubled to left.

LARGE CROWD HEAR BASEBALL RETURNS AT MAIL TRIBUNE

Interest in the world series game at New York furnished by the United Press through the Mail Tribune reached fever heat locally this morning, and a crowd of 200 stood around in the rain to listen to the returns. The crowd was with the Giants, and cheered lustily whenever the Big Town scored a run. However, the Mackmen were not without their supporters.

Considerable wampum was wagered on the Giants by the same crowd that has always backed them against the Athletics, and generally lost. The chief mourners today were Edgar Hafer, Bobby Bravard, "Dad" Beveridge, Judge Colvig and Dave Woods. The major part of the rejoicing was let loose by Judges Tou Velle, Kelly and Withington.

Towns and cities adjacent to Medford also showed interest in the game, and telephoned in for news regarding the game.

The second game of the series will be played tomorrow at Philadelphia, and the returns of the second contest will be received and given by the Mail Tribune, beginning at 11 o'clock.

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\*Batted for Marquard in fifth. \*\*Batted for Tesreau in ninth.

Summary Two-base hits, Barry, Melnes; Burns; three-base hits, Collins; Schang; home run, Baker; sacrifice hit, Marquard, Melnes; left on bases, Philadelphia 1, New York 3.

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