

GEHRIG'S HOMER UNSETTLED BUSH IN OPENING TILT

Circuit Smash in Fourth Frame Shatters Morale of Cocky Chicago Squad—41,459 Fans See Game

By EDWARD J. NEIL, Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Thanks to an old established act, as dependable for drama, thrills, and the triumph of virtue as was "East Lynne" back in the gas-lit days, the Yankees were booming along the victory trail today, possessors of their ninth straight world series triumph. Just when the skies were darkest in more ways than one, when it seemed as though Guy Bush was well



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on the way to breaking up an act that flourished through the post-season championship struggles of 1926, 1927 and 1928, the team of Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig rose in their might, smote the transgressor, and shattered the morale of the Chicago Cubs in the opening game of the world series. At the end of a stormy day, next to the poorest in the matter of attendance a Yankee world series event has known, a day that started in a rain storm and ended in glistening sunshine, the score stood 12 to 6 in favor of the American league champions. But the final score told nothing of the jawy return to world series play of the heroes of 1927 and 1928, when the Yankees won two world titles from the Pirates and Cardinals in eight successive games. It was Ruth, just recovered from a mild attack of appendicitis, who marched to the plate in the fourth inning with the Cubs leading 2 to 0, and Earle Combs, the first Yankee Bush had allowed on base, resting on second through the medium of a base on balls and an infield out. The Babe smashed a long single to right and the grey-haired, Kentucky colored ringer for Lou Gehrig, right tramped to the plate. The count reached three and two. He laid into the deciding pitch, a "screw" ball on the outside corner, and belted it far on a line into the deep reaches of the right field stands. The Yankees led, 3 to 2, and the game might just as well have ended there. That home run smash unsettled Bush, king pin of the Cub servers, and shattered the morale of a team that had pruned into battle, cocky and confident to grab a quick two-run lead off burly Charley Ruffing, best of the Yankee right hand pitchers. Bush lost his control and his stuff. His mates faltered behind him. And the game wore on to its inevitable conclusion, a dreary, pointless sort of duel, like two friends boxing for the fun of it. Ruth and Gehrig, their work done, faded into the background of the general scramble. Only 41,459 spectators, far under the record for world series attendance set at 63,800 by the Yankees in 1916, braved a chilly rainy morning and the decreasing showers that delayed the start of the opening game 15 minutes, to see the highly favored Yankees tear away to an impressive start.

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Koenig Makes First World Series Error

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Charge Mark Koenig, veteran Chicago Cub shortstop, with the first error of the world series and with a quick recovery as well. Mark was riting from the railroad station to the Cubs' hotel yesterday when he suddenly discovered his wallet and \$400 were missing. He made a record dash back to the station and found the wallet and the cash still resting in the ham-mock of his Pullman berth. Broken windows glazed by Snow-bridge Cabinet Works.

TROJAN FOOTBALLERS OUT IN FORCE



Eighty-five members of the gridiron squad at the University of Southern California greet Coach Howard Jones on the opening day of practice and receive from him their first instructions of the fall season. (Associated Press Photo)

CONNIE MACK TO REVAMP A'S BASEBALL MACHINE

(By Gayle Talbot, Associated Press Sports Writer.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Connie Mack, venerable pilot of the Philadelphia Athletics, has started tearing apart the great baseball machine he drove to three American league flags in 1929, '30 and '31, and the Chicago White Sox, at the same time, have thrown their resources into the market for players of proved ability.

In one of the most startling deals of recent baseball history, Manager Mack announced last night he had sold outfielders Al Simmons and George (Mule) Haas, and infielder Jimmy Dykes to the White Sox for cash. The price paid for the three stars was not announced, but Sox officials said it was the largest amount of cash they ever handed out and probably the greatest sum which ever exchanged hands in the American league. It was estimated the Sox put around \$150,000 on the barrel head.

Whether the sale presaged a general breaking up of the present Athletic team, Connie Mack would not say. The consensus was, however, that the 67-year-old leader had something of the sort in mind. Just 17 years ago he wrecked a glamorous team because it had become satiated with victory. At that time he sent one of his greatest stars, Eddie Collins, to the White Sox and Collins became the cornerstone of a championship club at Chicago.

Where Mack contented himself with the bare announcement of the deal, Sox officials were less reticent. "It means we are through trying to develop a winning team with rookies," said Secretary Harry Grabiner. "This is only the beginning. We are out to get the players we want."

While Haas and Dykes are considered valuable players, Simmons is the big gun in the deal. Possessed of a nine-year major league batting average of nearly .300, he is recognized as one of the game's greatest stars. He is one of the most feared batters in the big leagues, a ball hawk in left field, and withal, a player any manager would welcome with open arms.

During the last season he finished with an average around .323, but he still is comparatively young and should prove a sound investment for the Sox. He was the batting champion of the American league both in 1930 and 1931.

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NORMAL GRIDDERS POINT FOR CLASH WITH CAL. AGGIES

SOUTHERN OREGON NORMAL, Ashland, Sept. 29.—(Spl.)—Coach Howard A. Hobson, new grid mentor from Benson Tech of Portland, is working his Southern Oregon Normal school varsity squad overtime in preparation for what promises to be the hardest game of the 1932 season Saturday when he takes his team south to meet the California Aggies in a night game at Sacramento.

With less than two weeks of practice Hobson is faced with the task of moulding a team into a new system of play and getting it into condition to meet an eleven which has already held two coast conference teams, the Ucla Bruins and Navy Bill Ingram's Bears, to tie position at the top of the ball carriers has eased the precarious backfield situation a good deal. Claude Hines, sensational negro half-back, and Bud Jones, formerly of Grant high of Portland, were expected to carry the brunt of the attack. The finding of two combinations of ball carriers has eased the precarious backfield situation a good deal. Claude Hines, sensational negro half-back, and Bud Jones, formerly of Grant high of Portland, were expected to carry the brunt of the attack. The finding of two combinations of ball carriers has eased the precarious backfield situation a good deal. Claude Hines, sensational negro half-back, and Bud Jones, formerly of Grant high of Portland, were expected to carry the brunt of the attack.

Jim Crockett is handling the quarter-backing job and Cliff McLean, flashy basketball star also of Benson, is working at the remaining halfback post.

"Swede" Anderson, the great lineman from Medford, has been shifted from his old position at tackle to guard, where he is teamed with Dwight Patterson, also a veteran.

The tackles are Mike Balkovic, a reliable letterman, and another Benson man, Harvey Oakes, who stands six-four and weighs considerably over 200 pounds.

Bob Patterson and Frank Sapp, both veterans, have Hobson's end problems in their hands while Con Mahoney, a fighting 150-pounder, has the edge on the center job.

Ross Green, another of "Prink" Callison's proteges, back in the state championship days, is playing a whale of a game at guard and is a constant threat to step into one of the first string assignments.

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M'GALE, GIBBS IN MAIN EVENT DRAW ON ARMORY CARD

Frisco McGale of Seattle and Jack Gibbs of this city fought a 10-round draw at the Armory in the main event of last night's boxing bill. McGale showered Gibbs with leather most of the way, and in a couple of rounds gave the local entry a boxing lesson. Two or three times, Gibbs missed the slippery colored gent three feet with what he intended to be a knockout punch. Some of the fans thought McGale won the fracas. McGale landed oftener, but Gibbs hit the hardest punches. The negro was an expert at covering up and stopping licks with his elbows.

Circus Red Howe and Turkey Red Hanaker clouted to a draw. Circus Red outwitted his foe and put the Turkey's eye in the second round. Hanaker finished in a rush and was peppering his foe lively at the finish of the six-round affair.

Charles Norman of Medford slugged down Lloyd Barkdull in the second round for the count. Cost Mitchell was given a technical knockout over Jack Simms, and Frank Nelson was knocked out by Emerson Babb in the second. The preliminary winners had little opposition, and the first three fights were short.

The main event, however, was a fast, furious and scientific engagement, and was rated by many as the best battle of the year.

Sen. of "Ham" Lewis Is Ill In France

PARIS, France, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, who has been confined to his hotel here for more than a week by an attack of appendicitis, said he was feeling much better today.

Greenway Becomes London Lord Mayor

LONDON, Eng., Sept. 29.—(AP)—Alderman Percy Greenway, who was given knighthood Monday as one of London's retiring sheriffs, was elected lord mayor of London today to succeed Sir Maurice Henke. La Grande—New airport to be dedicated October 9.

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