

SPORTS

YANKEES TAKE FIRST PLACE IN AMERICAN

Yanks Take 10 Out Of 12 Home Games; Cards Beat Cubs

New York, May 11.—(U.P.)—Smiling Joe McCarthy, with his prize rookie, Joe Di Maggio, under one arm and the American league lead under the other, took his New York Yankees and headed west today after the most successful home stand in many seasons.

Joe was all smiles when he bundled his tribe off for St. Louis because the Yanks had just routed the Boston Red Sox from first place and because of the new "murderers row" uncovered by the Yankees in winning 10 out of 12 home games.

Five New York regulars—Chapman, Dickey, Crosetti, Gehrig, and

ADAMS THEATER

"Perfectly Air Conditioned"

Tonight & Tuesday

ROBERT TAYLOR and JANET GAYNOR in "SMALL TOWN GIRL"

Also—POPEYE Cartoon. 10c-25c

WEDNESDAY ONLY—NOTE: Due to engagement of LITTLE LORD FAUNTELROY we are presenting "FARMER IN THE DELL" just one day only—Wednesday. Be sure to see this great story by Phil Strong with Jean Parker and Fred Stone.

Thurs. & Fri. — FREDDIE BAR-THOLEMEW in his greatest role "Little Lord Fauntelroy." Special Bargain Matinee 3 o'clock Friday. —O—

Coming Sunday—The Mightiest of them all! "Trail of the Lonesome Pine" in natural color. Sylvia Sidney, Fred MacMurray, Henry Fonda, Spanky McFarland.

AMATEURS WANTED — For Stage Performances. Cash Prizes to Winners. Apply Bob's Amateur Frolic, 9 Adams Theater.

Di Maggio—are hitting more than .355.

"Climbing into the top hole means a lot to me right now," Marsie Joe admitted. "It means that if we run into a slump later on, we can weather it, then fight back to the top."

The Yankees clubbed out a 7 to 2 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics in displacing Boston from the league lead yesterday. Di Maggio put the Yanks in the lead by smashing his first major league home run in the first inning, and Bill Dickey put the game on ice when he homered with a mate aboard in the fifth.

Buck Newsom showed a sharp return to form and blanked the Red Sox as the Washington Senators won, 4-0. He gave up only six hits.

The victory enabled Washington to climb above the Detroit Tigers into fourth place as the Tigers lost a bitter 15-inning struggle to the Cleveland Indians. Hughes triple and Pytlak's single did the damage. Marv Owen, who hit only two home runs all last season, collected pair for himself yesterday and Al Simmons connected for one.

Chicago at St. Louis was postponed because of rain.

The St. Louis Cardinals moved out further in front of the National chaise by winning their third straight over the Chicago Cubs, 5 to 1, in a contest clipped short by rain. Paul Dean gave up only three hits in the five innings played.

Paul Derringer, in his first pitching role since lifting of a suspension incurred for failing to slide home last Sunday, blanked the second place Pirates, 6 to 0, as the Cincinnati Reds collected 10 hits of Tising and Swift.

Bill Terry, playing first base again for the New York Giants led the way to a 6 to 2 triumph over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Tony Cuccinello broke up a 12-inning battle by driving out a single to push the winning run across in the Boston Bees' 5 to 4 victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Yesterday's hero: Roy Hughes of the Cleveland Indians, who tripped in the 15th inning to drive the winning run home against the Detroit Tigers.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	14	7	.667
Pittsburgh	12	9	.571
Chicago	12	10	.545
New York	11	10	.524
Cincinnati	11	13	.458
Philadelphia	10	14	.417
Boston	9	12	.429
Brooklyn	9	13	.409

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	7	.708
Boston	17	8	.680
Cleveland	15	8	.652
Detroit	10	11	.476
Washington	9	10	.474
Philadelphia	8	15	.348
St. Louis	3	19	.136

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
Boston, 5; Brooklyn, 4 (12 innings).

St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 1 (called end 5th).

New York, 6; Philadelphia, 2. Cincinnati, 6; Pittsburgh, 0.

American League
Washington, 4; Boston, 0. New York, 7; Philadelphia, 2. Cleveland, 9; Detroit, 7. Chicago at St. Louis, postponed; rain.

American Association
Milwaukee, 8; Columbus, 3 (second game postponed; rain).

St. Paul, 12; Toledo, 1. Minneapolis, 4-2; Louisville, 3-7. Kansas City, 4-0; Indianapolis, 0.

HOME RUNS

Fox, Red Sox	8
Dickey, Yankees	7
Trosky, Indians	6
Klein, Cubs	5
Ott, Gulls	4
Hafey, Pirates	4
Moore, Bees	4
Demaree, Cubs	4
Bonura, White Sox	4
Piet, White Sox	4
Vosmik, Indians	4
Puccinelli, Athletics	4
Gehr, Yankees	4

CORT

"Always Comfortably Cool"

Tonight and Tuesday

Al Jolson - Sybil Jason
"THE SINGING KID"

Yacht Club Boys, Cab Calloway and orchestra. Plus—Joe Palooka "For Love of Pete" and Fox News. 10c-25c

Wed.-Thurs.
Jessie Mathews
Princess Personality herself in a gay musical comedy,
"FIRST A GIRL"

Coming Sunday
Wallace Beery - Barbara Stanwyck
John Boles
"Message To Garcia"

BALL PLAYERS REPORT HERE FOR TRYOUTS

Local Semi-Pro Nine To Play First Game Of Season Sunday

Two former minor league ball players, both residents of Cleveland, reported for a tryout with Decatur's semi-pro baseball nine Sunday afternoon.

These players are Pete Mihalic, an outfielder and Johnny Doljack, a second sacker. Mihalic has seen experience in the Central and South Atlantic leagues, while Doljack has played in the American Association, Texas and Southern leagues.

The Decatur team will be known as Mutchlers.

A large number of interested fans watched candidates for the local nine go through their paces at Worthman Field Sunday.

The Mutchlers will open the season next Sunday afternoon, May 17, with the Garrett Shamrocks playing at Worthman Field.

Several loads of dirt are being hauled on the field today to level the diamond and the infield will be skinned an additional 15 feet to better playing conditions.

"Molly" Mies, minor league veteran, manager of the Mutchlers, stated today that the field will be in the best possible condition for the opening game Sunday. The entire field will be enclosed with a large canvas.

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ducked out of sight. "Those guys'll run you nuts. They make me sick. People try and tell me it's those kinds of birds who pay us. I don't believe it. I get paid because I can get out there and produce. I ain't one of those glory boys. I'm in it for the dough."

"So'm I," echoed Dour, formerly Dizzy. "I ain't gonna leave this dugout. Sure as I do there'll be ten thousand of 'em hanging around up there saying 'sign this, sign that, sign this.'

From down the bench Leo Durocher called to Sour, formerly Daffy, to point out that Lynwood King, rookie centerfielder, who was swinging in practice at the plate, was lifting his right foot much higher when he took a cut at the ball.

"He's copying the style of Paul Waner," Durocher said, "and he's hitting better."

"Better quit copying," answered Sour, formerly Daffy. "It won't do him any good. You can't copy your way to the top in this business. You gotta deliver. That's all that counts."

"It's helping him," answered Durocher.

"Yeah," said Sour, formerly Daffy. "If you can copy yourself into a three-fifty hitter, why don't you start copying that Vaughan of Pittsburgh, and quit popping to short."

Durocher abandoned the argument.

More autograph hunters stuck their heads around the corner of the dugout, and all were given the same treatment—a sort of bum's rush without the actual laying on of hands.

I report this change in the Deans more in regret than anger, for they were sweet copy while dispositions were sweet. The Dizzy Dean who came swaggering out of the bushes in 1932 came close to being your ideal ball-player.

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Fishing Season Lures Thousands



Did you ever sit on a river bank with a line in the water and a hook on the end of the line—waiting for a bite? Certainly, you did, and so did 12,000,000 other Americans. Well, it's time to go fishing again, for the season's on! Yes, and that goes for you ladies, too. In the streams, rivers and lakes and in the ocean waters, America's most popular recreational sport is in full swing. And say, are the stories piling up! You haven't heard any? Well, we have. How's this? A fisherman (or fibber) in Glencoe, Md., landed a trout and a duck without a line or a shot. The duck, a flying one, dropped into a stream, scaring a fish so that he jumped out of the water and upon the bank. The duck also was stunned. Thus Mr. Fisherman just picked them both up! Now you tell one!



COUNTY MEETS

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own corn.

Since not enough hybrid seed corn will be available to meet the growing demands of farmers for possibly a few years, these demonstrations in the meantime will furnish farmers reliable information on the most desirable and highest yielding local varieties of corn.

Franklin C. Mazelin of Monroe township and William Patterson of Blue Creek township are making demonstration plantings of hybrid corn this year. County-wide field meetings will be held at each of these farms. At this time the yields will be checked, the results discussed, and the farmers can see for themselves the actual performance of the different varieties as to maturity, quality, and ability to stand up.

LEADING BATTERS

Player	Club	G	A	B	R	H	B	Avg.
Gerry, Giants	14	36	5	18	.500			
Brubaker, Pirates	10	37	5	16	.432			
Sullivan, Indians	12	38	5	16	.421			
Demaree, Cubs	22	93	13	38	.409			
R. Ferrell, Red Sox	25	86	21	35	.407			

New Labor League To Back Roosevelt

Washington, May 11.—(U.P.)—Formation of labor's non-partisan league, dedicated to re-election of President Roosevelt and the "complete unmasking" of all anti-new deal organizations, was described to the president today by John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers' president, and Maj. George L. Berry, industrial co-ordinator.

The labor delegation informed Mr. Roosevelt that more than 4,000 speakers in every state are ready to campaign actively in his behalf.

Berry described the president as "much interested and highly pleased." He said the organization would be "neither afraid, bashful or timid" in fighting organizations "formed to defeat the president."

One of the first to add night

G-Men Captured Campbell



G-men rounded up the last of the notorious Karpis-Barker gangsters and bank robbers when they staged an early morning raid on a Toledo, O., hideout, above, and captured Harry Campbell and Sam Cokar. Mrs. Genevieve Fosnaught, inset, resident in the apartment across the hall from Campbell's hideout, was only witness to the raid.

Double Shifts On Highway Projects

Indianapolis, May 11.—(U.P.)—In an effort to speed up completion of the 1936 highway construction program, the state highway department today announced that double shifts, one working under flood lights, have been placed on many projects.

Another night shift is to be added to the project