

BRINGING UP FATHER



BOSTON FANS SEE NATCO PLAYERS FIRST EASTERN GAME OF SERIES

Small Crowd Witnesses 4th Match of Baseball Classics—Red Sox Favorites.

(By Associated Press)

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Notwithstanding a heavy rain that lasted nearly all night, baseball fans took heart at the sight of the sun when they awoke today and early indications were that the Boston American and Chicago National teams would be able to play this afternoon the first Boston game of the world series. Ground keepers said the playing field at Fenway Park had been prepared as far as possible from the rain and they hoped that with a drying sun this morning conditions would permit a resumption of the series which now stands two games to one in favor of the Red Sox.

There were a few early arrivals at the park in readiness for the opening of the sale of bleacher seats, but the number waiting in line was below the mark of former world series contests.

The train which brought the players from Chicago was held its schedule and as it was midnight when they reached their hotel they were allowed to sleep late this morning. When they came down to breakfast it was apparent that all the members of both teams were brimful of determination. The Red Sox were bent on clearing up the series with two games on the home grounds while the Cubs were equally set on evening things up in the first game here and then forging ahead to final victory.

In spite of the intense rivalry, the players of the two teams were a unit in declaring that they would back up to the limit the joint committee which they appointed on the train coming from Chicago to demand of the national baseball commission the fulfillment of the guarantee which they assert was given of payment of \$2,000 to each player on the winning team and \$1,400 to each loser.

They were informed yesterday that the receipts from tickets were proving so small this year that their shares would be cut to \$1,200 and \$800 respectively.

HAGERSTOWN, IND.

Miss Odetta Needham and Miss Opal Honold, teachers of the public school, will be guests for the year in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brant... Everett Root of Jefferson Barracks, who has been home on a few days' furlough left Wednesday. Mr. Root and family were entertained at dinner Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strickler. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strickler were also guests... George Keagy, who is engaged in war work in Philadelphia, spent from Friday until Monday here with his family... Jerome Day has been transferred from camp at Syracuse, N. Y., to Camp Merritt, N. J.

Mrs. Jerome Day of Greensboro, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Day Monday... Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Hunt were entertained Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Arville Daily, near Centerville... Mr. and Mrs. Roy McConaughay and family have moved to Newcastle... Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Brown are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagstaff and Miss Sarah Brown of Waynesburg, Ohio. The ladies are nieces of Mr. Brown. They arrived Wednesday and will spend two weeks here and will also be guests of other relatives here... The W. H. M. S. of the local M. E. church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Daniel Plost... Herbert Hotspur of Richmond, was the guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crull... Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Feely will move to Connerville soon... Mr. and Mrs. Fons Ledbetter went to Hooperston, Ill., where Mr. Ledbetter obtained employment in the railroad yards. Mrs. Ledbetter has returned to their home here... Miss Irene Sears of Newcastle, Lester Hanscom and Miss Florence Bell and mother, Mrs. Sarah Bell, spent from Saturday until Monday at Indianapolis, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hanscom and mother, Mrs. Alice Hanscom.

NATCO PLAYERS MAINTAIN LEAD

Won Lost Pct.

Natco	10	3	.763
Simplex	10	4	.714
J. Vulcans	4	9	.363
M. Pennsy	3	11	.214

The Natco team of the S. A. L. held its lead when it defeated the Malleable, Pennsy, 5-1. The Simplexers still are running a close second by winning from the Jenkins-Vulcans Saturday, 8-4.

Minner and Hawekotte held their adversaries down to few hits, and Hawekotte struck out eleven men in nine innings, while Minner whiffed two.

Hawekotte's only letup was in the ninth when he allowed the Malleables to score a run. Haas of the Simplex squad made the long smash, of the day, a three-bagger. Two batters were made by Minner, Schepman and Hee-

ry. Scores: (First game.)

Malleables—	A. R. H. O. E.
Hill, 2b	2 0 0 1 0
Long, ss	3 0 0 2 0
Burkett, 1b	2 0 0 2 0
Rety, 3b	3 0 0 0 0
Line, c	3 1 2 0 0
Cammeron, cf	2 0 1 0 0
Hass, rf	2 0 0 1 0
Craycraft, p	2 0 0 0 0

Totals 22 1 2 18 0

Score by Innings: Malleable-Pennsy.... 000 000 001—1

Natco..... 131 000 000—5

Two base hits—Schepman. Sacrifice hits—Hewitt, Rety, Schattel, Schepman. Struck out by Hawekotte, 11; Craycraft, 2. Hit by pitcher, Hill.

Vulcans— A. R. H. O. E.

Fuller, ss	3 0 0 1 0
Reddinghaus, 3b	4 1 1 1 0
Long, ss	3 1 1 1 1
Holmes, 1b	3 0 2 2 0
Hewitt, cf	3 0 2 2 0
Haas, c	3 0 1 5 1
Froeb, 2b	1 0 0 2 0
Reece, cf	2 0 1 0 0
Clapp, rf	1 0 0 0 0
Kuetter, p	2 0 7 18 1

Totals 21 0 7 19 1

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District War Industries

Chairmen Meet Friday

The district chairman of the War Industries region will meet at the War Industries headquarters in the Masonic Temple next Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock for a consideration of routine business. The business brought up at the Region meeting at Cincinnati Tuesday will also be considered. The two representatives from this district for the Cincinnati meeting are J. S. McQuinn of Newcastle, and F. I. Barrows of Connerville.

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Rich Deposit of Manganese

Has been discovered in Honduras

Within two miles of a railroad.

THE HORRIBLE HANDICAP OF POISONED BLOOD

The Innocent Suffer Even Unto the Third and Fourth Generations, But Relief Is Now In Sight.

It has long been accepted as a matter of course that the sins of the fathers must be suffered by innocent posterity, yet it is hard to become reconciled to this condition. The heritage of physical infirmity is a handicap under which thousands must face the battle of life.

Seroful is probably the most noticeable of the transmitted blood disorders, though there are other more severe diseases of the blood that pass from one generation to another. No matter what inherited blood taint you may be laboring under, S. S. S. offers hope. This remedy has been in gen-

Belgium Paid \$466,000,000 to Germany in Four Years

PARIS, Sept. 9.—Germany has ex-

acted war contributions from Belgium during the first four years of the war amounting to a total of \$466,000,000.

This is in addition to the vast amount of machinery, materials and men taken from Belgium to sustain Germany.

In this fifth year of war it is interesting to review the "financial activi-

ties" of the Germans in Belgium

since that fatal year in Belgium's history, August 20, 1914, when the German hordes entered Brussels.

During that month, as the German armies were hacking their way through the little kingdom, numerous towns and cities were "fined" and war contributions were levied from each province as the Germans progressed southward.

The first move of the German staff when entering a town was to proceed to the city hall and announce to the burgomaster that for resisting the advance of Emperor William's armies, his city or town had been fined so many thousand or million francs, as the case might be. When the burgomaster would remonstrate, Uhlans and Death's Head Hussars would covet innocently in City Hall Square or the burgomaster would be taken prisoner.

In one instance in the province of Liege, the German commander of the company entering the town informed the burgomaster that a war contribu-

tion of 100,000 francs would have to be forthcoming within two hours.

The burgomaster demurred. Never in the history of the little town had there been so much money in the city treasury.

At the present moment, there was only a little over three thousand francs in the strong box.

"Well, we'll take that" calmly responded the German.

More than 200,000,000 francs were

thus levied from August and Novem-

ber, 1914.

The flow of francs into the coffers of the war lord was too small to sat-

isfy the gargantuan appetites of the military men, however, and on the 12th of September, 1916, they "seized" 430,000,000 million marks, constitut-

ing all the deposits in German bills

of the Banque Nationale and the Societe Generale de Belgique, the two

largest banks in Belgium. When one of the directors of the Societe Generale refused to divulge that part of

the combination of the vaults which

the vaults could not be opened, the Ger-

mans said that they would blow them

open with high explosives. The di-

rector rather than have the vaults of

the institution wrecked, decided to

go down as the greatest burglary of

modern times was perpetrated.

Then Field Marshal Baron von der

Goltz-Pasha decreed that Belgium

would have to pay a monthly contri-

bution of 40,000,000 francs during one

year and it would not be increased and

that it would not be renewed. The

Pasha's decree, however, proved to

be but another scrap of paper.

In November, 1915, Baron von Biss-

ing called upon the councils of the

nine Belgian provinces to meet and

informed them that the promise of his

predecessor had been made in good

faith but with the implied condition

that the war would be ended within the

year and that he saw no alternative

but to renew the monthly contribu-

tion of 40,000,000 francs for another

year.

On the 20th of November, 1916, in-

stead of abolishing the onerous tax on

Belgium, von Bissing decided that,

owing to the duration of the war, the

increase in prices, high cost of living,

he would have to increase the monthly

payments to 50,000,000 francs. He

added ominously, "temporarily."

It proved to be so, indeed, for, on

the 21st of May, 1917, the contribu-

tion was further raised to 60,000,000

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