

AMERICAN LEAGUE PENNANT GOES TO NEW YORK

Senators Now Beginning To Favor the Sales Tax

YANKEES DEFEAT THE ATHLETICS THIS AFTERNOON; SCORE 5 TO 3

New York This Afternoon Cinched the Pennant, Overcoming Lead Obtained by Athletics Earlier in the Game.

BABE RUTH FAILED TO HIT SAFELY

Cleveland Will Be Unable to Overcome Lead Which the Yankees Acquired By Today's Victory In New York

(By Associated Press)

POLO GROUNDS, NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The New York Yankees this afternoon defeated the Philadelphia Athletics by the score of 5 to 3 and thereby won the American League championship, the first that the club has won in its history.

Regardless of the outcome of the remaining games, Cleveland will be unable to top the Yankees' standing in the percentage column. A crowd of close to 30,000 excited fans witnessed the game here today.

The play, in detail, follows:

First Inning Philadelphia—Witt grounded out to Pipp unassisted. McNally threw out Dykes at first. Peckinpaugh took Welch's bounce and tossed him out at first.

New York—Miller hit a hot single to right. Peck fled out to Welch. Ruth forced Miller at second. Brazzil to Calloway. Meusel forced Ruth, Calloway to Dykes.

Second Inning Philadelphia—Perkins' hot liner bounced off Mays' glove and was received by Ward, who threw him out at first. Welch fanned. Galloway bounced a hit off Mays' hand. Galloway out stealing.

New York—Pipp was a victim on strikes. Ward popped to Dykes. Galloway threw out McNally at first.

Third Inning Philadelphia—Ward took Galloway's grounder and got him at first. Brazzil led an infield single. Pipp took Sullivan's drive and doubled Brazzil at first.

New York—Schang fanned. Mays popped a single into left field. Mays scored on Miller's triple to left. Galloway robbed Peck of a hit, taking the ball near the bag and throwing him out. Miller holding third. Ruth lined out to Dykes.

Fourth Inning Philadelphia—Witt hit a long triple to right center and scored on Dykes' double to left. Dykes scored on Walker's single to left. Ruth to McNally. Peck Ward threw out Perkins. Welch tripled to right. Welch scored on Calloway's single to left. Calloway forced out McNally to ward.

New York—Meusel fanned. Pipp singled over second. Ward hit into a double play.

Fifth Inning Philadelphia—Brazzil singled over second. Sullivan hit into a double play. Witt singled sharply over Peck's head. McNally threw out Dykes at first.

New York—Dykes threw out McNally at first. Schang walked. Mays got a lucky leaguer into right. Schang going to second Miller forced Mays. Calloway to Dykes. Schang going to third. Schang scored on a double steal. Miller going to second. Peck lined out to Walker.

Sixth Inning Philadelphia—Walker went out. McNally to Pipp. Perkins fanned. Peck took Welch's roller and got him at first.

New York—Dykes threw out Ruth at first. Calloway threw out Meusel at first. Pipp singled to center. Pipp stole second and went to third on Perkins' wild throw and scored when Welch threw wild past third. Calloway threw out Ward at first.

Seventh Inning Philadelphia—Calloway got a single to left. Mays threw out Galloway at first. Calloway going to second. Mays also threw out Brazzil at first. Calloway going to third. Peck threw out Sullivan at first.

New York—McNally walked. Schang singled to second and McNally scored by daring base running. Mays sacrificed. Schang going to third. Schang scored on Miller's single to left. Peck walked and Ruth fanned.

Eighth Inning Philadelphia—Witt tied to Ruth. Miller took Dykes' fly. Ruth took Walker's fly on the run.

New York—Pipp lined out to Welch. Ward fled to Witt. McNally walked. Schang fled out to Welch.

Ninth Inning Philadelphia—Perkins fled out to Miller. McNally threw out Welch at first. Calloway fled out to Miller.

CONSIDERING PLANS FOR AID OF IDLE MEN

Conference Now Taking Up Methods For Initiating Emergency Measures

SECRETARY HOOVER CONSIDERING MATTER

Messages Are Being Planned For Dispatch To Governors And Mayors

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Methods for initiating the emergency measures for the relief of the nation's involuntary idle adopted by the national conference on unemployment were being considered today by Secretary Hoover and executive officers of the conference.

One plan under consideration was said to contemplate a message to the governors of states and the mayors of all towns with a population of 25,000 or more, setting forth the situation and recommending immediate cooperation to put the recommendations in effect.

In addition, it was suggested that President Harding might, by some official word from the White House, call upon various federal, state and municipal authorities to combine their efforts to relieve the situation under the conference program.

No meetings of the conference committee are expected before next Wednesday, although some of these bodies adjourned subject to call.

MRS. CHURCH FUNERAL WAS HELD HERE TODAY

The funeral services of Mrs. Arthur L. Church, who died last night, were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Christ church, Rev. Dr. MacKinnon officiating. Many friends of the family were in attendance and there were numerous and beautiful floral offerings attesting to the esteem in which she was held by the citizens of New Bern. Interment was in Cedar Grove cemetery. The sympathy of the entire town is extended to the bereaved husband and children.

HOLLAND PRESIDES OVER MAYOR'S COURT

In the absence of Mayor Clark, John Holland, mayor pro tem, presided at the session of the mayor's court this morning. Two cases were brought up. Leslie Sanders, charged with being intoxicated, was fined \$5 and costs. The same verdict was reached in the case of Ed. Sanders, charged with being disorderly on the streets of the city.

INCOME TAX OFFICIAL HELD ON CHARGE OF ASKING BRIBE

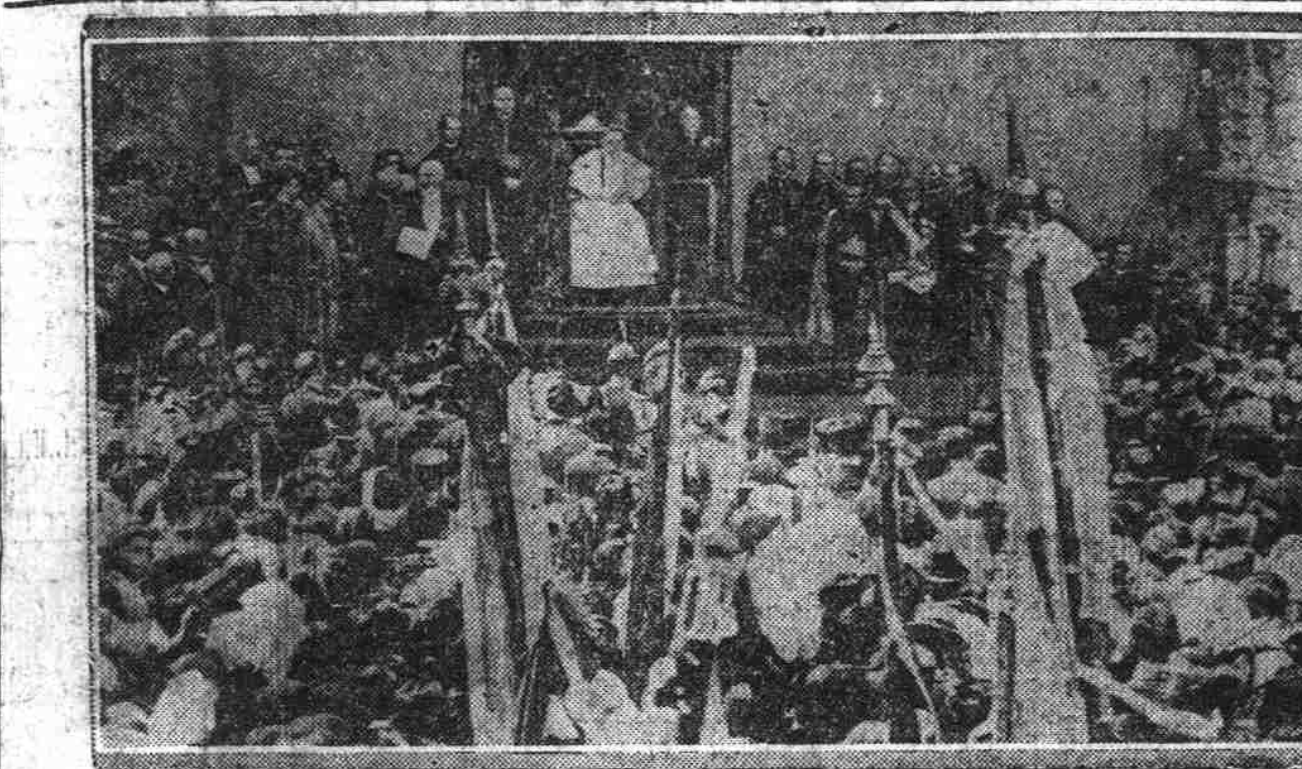
WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Charged with attempting to obtain bribes, E. G. Rickmeyer, assistant chief of the income tax unit of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, and Garrie Underwood, a local insurance man, were arrested recently by agents of the government upon orders of Commissioner of Internal Revenue David H. Blair.

Ghost Prayer Meeting The Ghost Prayer service will be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Robert Waters at 221 Spencer Avenue. Mrs. O. R. Brinson will be the leader. All members are requested to be in attendance and to bring someone else with them.

BRITISH WANTS DELAY IN THE ARMS PARLEY

LONDON, Oct. 1.—From a source close to Premier Lloyd George it was learned recently that the premier may make a move to have the Washington conference on limitation of armaments postponed from November until next March.

Pope Receives Delegations Of Catholic Youth of World



Pope Benedict (on throne) listening to the president of the Catholic Youths of the World making his address to several thousand members of the organization in the court of St. Peter's Cathedral. The occasion was the 500th anniversary of the founding of the order.

Strikers Active At Newport Shipyard

Charles J. Bedell, government inspector at the Newport Shipbuilding company at Wilmington and S. R. Miles, manager of the same concern, were in New Bern today on their way North. Mr. Bedell is making the trip for the purpose of conferring with government officials regarding the company. Mr. Miles has severed his connections with the corporation and is on the way to take up new employment elsewhere. Both men were formerly located at New Bern and are well known here.

TWO DEATHS ARE MOURNED TODAY

Miss Hannah Osgood and Mrs. A. L. Church Died Yesterday and Last Night

New Bern is today mourning the death of two of her citizens, who passed away yesterday afternoon and last night.

Miss Hannah Osgood died yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Meadows. She was 75 years of age and was well known throughout Craven county, having many warm friends here. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Centenary Methodist church, of which she was a member. Interment will be in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Arthur L. Church, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, died at her home on East Front street at 2 o'clock this morning. She was one of New Bern's most highly esteemed residents and her host of friends in the city anxiously inquired daily concerning her condition. Her death was due to pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, two children, Ann and Jean; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. X. M. Brock, of this city; three sisters, Mrs. W. C. Jenkins, of Delaware; Mrs. Donald Dunham, of Florida and Mrs. Numa Nunn of this city; and two brothers, J. W. Brock, of Newport News, and X. M. Brock, Jr., of this city.

EARTHQUAKE IN UTAH DOES \$100,000 DAMAGE

ELSINORE, Utah, Oct. 1.—Three residences and the new public school building were wrecked by an earthquake this morning and every residence and business house was more or less damaged.

The most severe shock occurred at 7:30 and was followed by thirteen or more shocks in quick succession, the last occurring about eight o'clock. No one was reported injured. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, according to first reports.

Healthy children are seldom dullards; if slow in one subject they are unusually bright in another.

JAPAN AGREES TO AMERICAN PROPOSAL

(By Associated Press) TOKYO, Oct. 1.—The Japanese cabinet, after lengthy deliberation yesterday decided in principle, according to a local newspaper, to accept the American suggestion as to the agenda for the Washington conference on limitation of armaments and far eastern questions.

"Euler" Brandon, former umpire in the Eastern Carolina League, who has been officiating in the Virginia League during the past month, arrived here this morning. Mr. Brandon is hopeful of securing employment here to enable him to stay in New Bern during the winter months.

AID FARMERS IN MARKETING OF POTATOES

Organization To Be Formed This Afternoon To Help Them Market the Spuds

The Eastern Carolina Potato Growers Association will be organized at a meeting this afternoon of the directors of the Farmers' Co-operative Selling Agency, to be held in the Chamber of Commerce offices. County Agent Layton, in explaining the purposes and motives of the Potato Growers' Association, stated that it would provide better facilities through which the products of members may be grown, harvested, cleaned, graded, packed, marketed and distributed on a uniform plan. He hopes that the organization can be perfected and members enrolled to be ready to handle next year's crop of potatoes.

Mr. Layton also stated that within the next two weeks a party of business men, bankers and farmers would leave New Bern for a visit to Nash and Edgecomb counties to inspect the storage warehouses for sweet potatoes, which have been established in that section.

Following the adoption of by-laws and placing the organization on a business basis, which will be done this afternoon, it is planned to start a campaign for members in the near future and to secure the cooperation of farmers in all sections of the county.

Optimistic Tone Is Prevalent As A Result of Devalera's Acceptance

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Oct. 1.—England was today filled with hope that a settlement of the Irish problem would follow the meeting of British cabinet members and the representatives of Sinn Fein Ireland in this city on October 11. The prompt reply from Eamonn Devalera accepting Lloyd George's invitation to the conference and the conciliatory tone of the last exchanges between London and Dublin seemed to promise that out of the conference would come an agreement which would solve a problem which has proved a stumbling block for the ablest statesmen of the British nation.

LONGSHOREMEN GO ON STRIKE IN NEW YORK

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Several thousand longshoremen and checkers walked out today in protest against new working terms agreed upon recently by steamship operators and the international Longshoremen's Association.

GENERAL PERSHING IS NOW IN PARIS

PARIS, Oct. 1.—General John J. Pershing arrived from Coblenz this morning and went immediately to the hotel Crillon, where he spent the forenoon, considering plans for tomorrow's ceremony at the grave of the "unknown soldier" and attending to official business.

Astronomers say the moon is running away from its calculated place in the sky.

SMOOT'S PLAN IS FAVORED BY SENATORS AS SUBSTITUTE

Manufacturers' Sales Tax Plan Gains Increasing Number of Advocates

SUBSTITUTE FOR MANY WAR LEVIES

Republicans Have Joined Democrats In Fight Against the Committee Bill

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—A growing sentiment in the senate in favor of Senator Smoot's plan for a manufacturers' sales tax as a substitute for the many miscellaneous war levies was claimed today by proponents of such a tax. They predicted that the more that senators studied the pending revenue measures, the more they could come to favor the sales levy.

Republican leaders had not made a canvass of the majority membership and were without accurate information as to the strength of advocates of this form of taxation.

Features of the committee bill against which the greatest opposition appeared to have developed are those proposing retention of the transportation taxes and reduction of the maximum sur tax to 32 per cent. Republicans in the agricultural bloc have joined democrats in the fight on the former and a number of them have stated privately their opposition to the latter.

Senator Smoot said today: "The sales tax plan has received general approval throughout the country, and I am confident it will be adopted by the senate as a substitute for the bill now under consideration."

Advocates of the sales tax and other groups in the senate continued their conferences today on plans to overthrow the Finance Committee's programme.

Farb Bloc to Meet. Members of the Agricultural Bloc will meet today and discuss whether to support sales tax in return for the repeal of the transportation tax and the retention of high income surtaxes.

IS BEST TIME FOR BUILDING

Local Lumber And Building Supply Man Gives Opinion On the Situation

That the present is the best time for building, as far as prices and economy are concerned, is the opinion expressed by John R. Rodney, manager of the Neuse Lumber company.

"There are several reasons for this," said Mr. Rodney in an interview with a representative of the Sun-Journal this morning. "Prices are comparatively low, although in some lines of building materials has been a slight reaction. I believe that as the demand increases, prices are going to be higher. Therefore, from the standpoint of economy, the present is considered by everyone who keeps in touch with the market as being the most opportune for the prospective home owner to make his preparations for building."

"There is also plenty of labor to be had, and this facilitates speedy construction. Many new homes are going to be built in this section during the next few months and we have made preparations for supplying a heavy demand. We are of the opinion that the building boom is going to hit all parts of the country within the next few months. Persons who build now will save both money and time."

Don't worry—it wears your body, while anger ages.