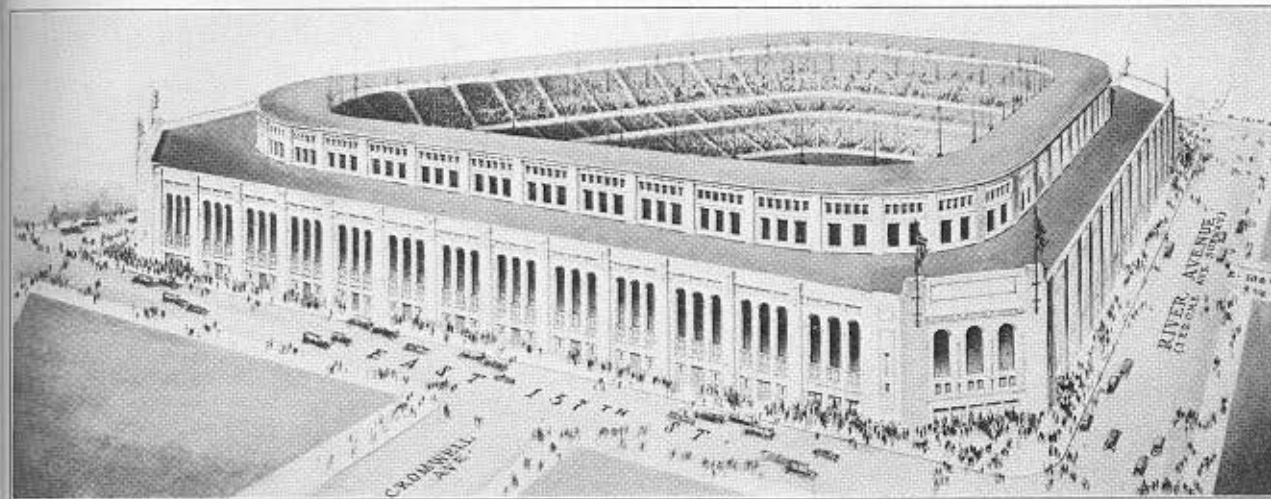


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"Babe" Ruth's New Playground



NEW BRONX HOME OF THE NEW YORK AMERICAN LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB

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BOARD HELPS OPEN BIG YANKEE STADIUM

Wednesday, April 18th, was a big day in The Bronx, one that will be remembered for many a day by the members of The Bronx Board of Trade and their friends.

On that day, with grand eclat and much ceremony, enjoyed by all, the Board's members assisted, to the number of 3,500 or more, in the dedication of the magnificent Yankee Stadium, the new home of the New York American League Base Ball Club in The Bronx, at 161st Street and River Avenue; they saw all records for attendance at a base ball game smashed by the crowd that filled every nook and corner of the finest baseball plant in the universe; they saw "Babe" Ruth "bust one on the nose" for the circuit with two mates on the paths ahead of him; and they saw the Yankees, our own "home team" now, win their first game of the season.

As the principal patrons of the day, the members and their friends occupied the best seats in the Stadium, and all wore white silk ribbon badges proclaiming to the world at large their affiliation with The Bronx's premier civic organization.

President Albert Goldman and Executive Secretary Charles E. Reid, as the Official Representatives of The Board, took part in the formal flag-raising and pennant-raising activities that preceded the game, and, in addition, President Goldman bade "Babe" Ruth welcome to The Bronx and gave him permission to bust just as many fences as he has a mind to.

Boys, it was *one big day!*

J. WYNNE JONES and EDWARD W. RASP CLAIMED BY DEATH IN APRIL

It is with a deep sense of loss that we record the passing, on the same day in the month of April, of two staunch supporters of our Board of Trade.

Early on the morning of Friday, April 20th, at St. John's Hospital, Yonkers, Mr. J. Wynne Jones entered into eternal rest, after an illness of several weeks' duration. A few hours later, at his home in Pelham Heights, Mr. Edward W. Rasp passed away, also after an extended illness.

Mr. Jones, who was Public Office Manager for the New York Telephone Company in The Bronx, was a member of the Board of Directors of our Board, Chairman of the Membership Committee, and Chairman of the Noonday Luncheon Committee. He had been a member of our Board for some ten years, and was serving his second year as a Director.

Mr. Rasp, who was manager of the Union-Westchester Branch of the State Bank, Union and Westchester Avenues, was a member of the Noonday Luncheon Committee and the Finance Committee.

At an appropriate moment during the April Board meeting, former President J. Harris Jones presented a suitable preamble and resolution on the death of Mr. Jones, which was seconded by former President James Brackenridge and adopted unanimously by a rising vote, the members standing in silence for a moment out of respect for the memory of their deceased colleague.