

# Yankees Take Two-Game Lead Over Dodgers

## Two Down Two To Go, Yankees' Cry; Dodgers Are Glum

YANKEE STADIUM, New York, Oct. 1.—(AP)—"Two down and two to go," was the Yankee battle cry as New York's American League champions flocked into their dressing room after flattening Brooklyn Dodgers 10-3 today to take a 2-0 lead in the World Series.

"You can't win four if you don't get two," said Manager Bucky Harris, altering his statement of Tuesday when he noted that "you can't win four if you don't get one."

"It wasn't a photo finish today, for which I'm thankful," he added.

The Yankees, who always act like they're going to win, even though their personnel changes from year to year, were less demonstrative today than yesterday.

"They poured into their comfortable, richly-appointed clubhouse, passed congratulations around among themselves and relaxed with obvious satisfaction.

Allie Reynolds, who went all the way for the winners in his first World Series mound appearance, was the centre of attraction.

"I threw mostly fast balls," Reynolds disclosed. "It was a fast ball that Dixie Walker hit for a home run. It didn't have much on it—until after he got through with it. That ball must have torn out about three seats."

Harris, who announced that the veteran Bobo Newsom, acquired in mid-season, would be his starting pitcher tomorrow and said rookie Larry Berra would do the catching again, although there was some feeling that the Yankee skipper might switch to another backstop.

(By Harold Chasman)

YANKEE STADIUM, New York, Oct. 1.—(AP)—Burt Shotton, like a tolerant father, met his Dodgers at the door of the Brooklyn clubhouse as they dropped down singly and in pairs from the clouds in which they had blown during the second game of the 1947 World Series.

"They beat us and we don't like it," he said lily to the bevy of reporters, whose pencils made some feeling that the Yankee skipper might switch to another backstop.

"But we are human. We got a lot of bad breaks, most of them we set up ourselves."

Specifically which pitcher would draw the assignment tomorrow of trying to stop New York Yankees in the series start at Brooklyn's home field, the manager countered with "I'll have one by noon tomorrow and the entire team will show up at the ball park. We are definitely not going to stay at home."

Few of the Brooklyn players spoke as they changed into street clothes. Their attitude was best summed up by Hank Behrman, relief pitcher:

"I ain't got no comment," Behrman said as he hurried out of the stadium.

Vic Lombardi, Brooklyn's south-paw shorty who was shelled from the hill in the fifth, listened to a broadcast of the rest of the game. Lombardi smiled wryly as the announcer told his listeners that a pitcher with a big lead can win easier than one with a small lead.

"Man, isn't that the truth," he added sadly.

Lightning Kills Football Player

DENVER, Oct. 1.—(AP)—A lightning bolt struck in the midst of the Denver University freshman football game yesterday, killing a 17-year-old player and knocking four others unconscious.

The lightning killed Ken McCloskey, Jr., son of the superintendent of schools at La Junta, Colo.

The bolt leaped from a cloudy sky to a dirt football practice field north of the Denver University stadium, flattening virtually the entire freshman squad and coaches Paul McClung and Mike Jurich.

McCloskey said McCloskey, a right halfback candidate, had been shaken up in a scrimmage and was starting to run around the field when the lightning struck.

### Series Statistics

(By The Associated Press)

	W	L	Pct.
New York (AL)	2	0	1.000
Brooklyn (NL)	0	2	.000

First game at Yankee Stadium, New York:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn (NL)	3	6	0
New York (AL)	5	4	0

Second game at Yankee Stadium, New York:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn (NL)	3	9	2
New York (AL)	10	15	1

Remaining schedule:

Third game, Thursday, Oct. 2, at Brooklyn.

Fourth game, Friday, Oct. 3, at Brooklyn.

Fifth game (if necessary) Saturday, Oct. 4, at Brooklyn.

Sixth game (if necessary) Sunday, Oct. 5, at New York.

Seventh game (if necessary) Monday, Oct. 6, at New York.

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LEO PRAUGHT, Sec'y.

# SPORTING NEWS

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### Upper Bedeque School Captures Sports Trophy

A very large crowd of interested spectators gathered to witness the Bedeque Skating Rink semi-annual school sports on Friday last. Six schools competed with over one hundred and fifty scholars taking part.

The judges were: Messrs. Howard Schurman, Walter Stavert, Robert Jardine, Frank Jardine, Sydney Murray, Hudson Jeffery, with John Forbes and Miss Ruth Johnson acting as secretaries, and T. J. Inman as starter and master of ceremonies.

Upper Freetown School won by quite a large margin, making a total of 235 points, and at the close of the events the Trophy was presented to their teacher, Mr. J. B. Lewis, who thanked the Rink management for the splendid day that they have conducted these semi-annual school sports over a period of years, and are looked forward to from time to time by the scholars, for their friendly competition with the adjoining schools.

Other schools taking part won points in the following order: Bedeque, 167; Central, 145; Lower Freetown, 115; Lower Bedeque, 50; North Bedeque, 10. The 20 events were won as follows:

50 Yard Dash, pupils 7-8: 1. Carman Paynter; 2. Ronald Wright; 3. Carlyle MacEachern.

50 Yard Dash, pupils 9-10: 1. Roger Burns; 2. Amy Cairns; 3. Audrey MacEachern.

50 Yard Dash, pupils 11-12: 1. Ross Matheson; 2. Mary Gaudet; 3. Percy Mizuno.

100 Yard Dash, girls 13-15: 1. Jenny Reeves; 2. Ruth MacFarlane; 3. Marion Schurman, Phyllis Reeves, Norris Mizuno.

100 Yard Dash, boys 13-15: 1. Billy Callbeck.

Wheelbarrow Race, pupils 7-8: 1. Garth Toombs and Joyce Poland.

Wheelbarrow Race, pupils 5-10: 1. Wendell Taylor and Rose Matheson; 2. John MacFarlane and Harold Leard; 3. Eustace Reeves and Roger Burns.

Wheelbarrow Race, pupils 11-12: 1. Lea Jewell and Buddy Pollard; 2. Lloyd Reeves and Maurice Burns; 3. Wendell Taylor and Ross Matheson.

Wheelbarrow Race, pupils 13-15: 1. Alfred Balm and Preston Murray; 2. Arthur Arsenault and Norris Mizuno; 3. George Reeves and Edgar Taylor.

Three-legged Race, girls 11-15: 1. Marjorie Smith and Phyllis Reeves; 2. Ruth MacFarlane and Betty Arsenault; 3. Lillian Jack and Theresa MacDonald.

Best Stunt: 1. Central Bedeque; 2. Bedeque; 3. Upper Freetown.

Honeycomb Race, Speed: 1. George and Jimmie Johnston.

Honeycomb Race, best costumes: 1. Roy MacCaul and Helen Poland; 2. David Schurman and Shirley Newell; 3. Amy Cairns and Maurice Burns.

Relay Race: 1. Central Bedeque; 2. Lower Freetown; 3. Bedeque.

Best Tickets: 1. Upper Freetown; 2. North Bedeque; 3. Central Bedeque.

Teachers' Race: 1. Jean MacCallum (C. Bedeque); 2. Helen Green (Bedeque); 3. Miss Sabine (Lower Freetown).

### Storm Causes Postponement Of Sports Events

Rain, which fell heavily from Tuesday night played havoc with sporting events scheduled for the City yesterday as a City League baseball final, Riverside harness racing meet and the wrestling show at the Forum were either postponed or cancelled.

The wrestling show featuring Tony Galento former world heavyweight title contender was cancelled when the performers were unable to reach the Province due to the ferry being held up by the storm and planes grounded.

The baseball game between Legion Rovers will likely be played next Sunday afternoon, weather permitting, while the harness racing meet has been set ahead to next Wednesday afternoon.

### King Wins Decision Over Bagnato

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—(CP)—With the crowd clamoring for action all the way, Lt. Arthur King won a narrow decision tonight over Joey Bagnato in an eight round feature boxing bout at Maple Leaf Gardens.

It was the third meeting between the two Toronto scrappers with tonight's triumph giving King a 2-1 edge. Bagnato captured the first bout against the slender Negro.

### Little World Series Tied At Two-All

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 1.—(AP)—Milwaukee's Brewers cashed in on Heinz Beck's big bat and some wobbly Yankee's fielding tonight to whip the Chiefs 6-4 and square the Little World Series between the American Association and International League at two games each.

### New York Power Asserts Itself In Second Tilt Of Series

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—(AP)—Having accepted the opening world series game as an outright gift, New York Yankees returned today to give Brooklyn a humiliating 10-3 beating in the second tussle with an exhibition of raw power reminiscent of other and probably greater bomber clubs.

With nearly 70,000 looking on at Yankee Stadium, and for the most part relishing the degradation of the Dodgers, the American League champions whaled the tar out of four Brooklyn pitchers and left their rivals a sorry sight. Many of those who saw it happen were saying "four straight" tonight. The Dodgers looked badly shaken toward the end.

While their own Allie Reynolds was spinning an adequate nine-inning and receiving gilt-edged support, the Yanks piled into the luckless Dodger quartet for 15 blows, including a 375-foot homer by Tommy Henrich. Their three triples tied a world series record held jointly by a Brooklyn team of 1916 and the Cincinnati Reds of '19.

As late as the fourth inning the Dodgers owned a 2-2 tie, thanks partly to a homer by their pride and joy, Dixie Walker. But from there on it fast became a shambles. Vic Lombardi, the little pitcher who started for the National Leaguers, was slugged out in the fifth after having yielded nine hits and four bomber runs.

Treating all pitching alike, Manager Bucky Harris' sluggers scored in every inning except the second and eighth. Every man who worked the winners' line-up except catcher Larry Berra collected at least one safety.

Five of the six Yank rallies were broken up by a strikeout for the third time. But for that there is no telling what the final tally might have been.

George Stinnett, Yank second baseman, set the pattern by belting Lombardi's first pitch for a clean single to right. Before the game was over, George also had smacked a triple and another single and scored twice.

Big Johnny Lindell, whose two-run double featured the first contest, weighed in today with a terrific triple to right-center and a double which went into the left stands on the first hop. Third baseman Billy Johnson laced a triple to center and a single. Henrich, in addition to his four-base blast, rapped a single. George McQuinn and pitcher Reynolds combined for a brace of singles each to the onslaught.

With all their slamming the ball about, the Bombers did not hit a safety chance at Peewee Reese, the Brooklyn shortstop. His blink in the putouts and assist column for the day tied a World Series mark set on two other occasions.

Reiser Makes Poor Showing

The day's most strikingly poor exhibition probably was put on by Pistol Pete Reiser, Brooklyn's usually superb centerfielder. Pete, possibly bothered by the shadows of an unfamiliar park, couldn't do anything right.

Eddie Stanky also made a bad error on a double play throw in the fifth, and in the seventh, when the Yanks poured their final four runs across, the whole Dodger infield played shabbily.

The Dodgers have used up their two top pitchers, Ralph Branca and Vic Lombardi, and their relief staff took a bad pounding today.

Shotton again declined tonight to name his starter in the third game tomorrow at Ebbets Field, but the supposition was he would go with Joe Hatten, a big left-hander with a 17-8 record for the year.

It sounds like heresy to complain about a seat in the press box for the world series, but most sections reserved for the scribes are so crowded that some left their seats occasionally to work out the kinks. During the first game of the series the writers filed 266,000 words of copy from the telegraph offices in Yankee Stadium. As if that wasn't enough, the sky writer blazed the score of the game high in the sky above mid-town Manhattan. It seemed strictly superfluous—every one on the streets knew the score anyway.

### BOX SCORE

Brooklyn (NL)	AB	R	H	PO	A
Stanky 2b	4	0	1	3	2
Robinson 1b	4	0	2	6	0
Reiser cf	4	0	1	4	0
Walker rf	4	1	1	0	0
Hermanski lf	3	1	0	3	0
Edwards c	4	0	1	6	1
Reese ss	2	1	2	0	0
Jorgensen 3b	4	0	1	3	5
Lombardi p	2	0	0	0	0
Gregg p	0	0	0	0	2
Vaughan x	1	0	0	0	0
Behrman p	0	0	0	0	0
Barney p	0	0	0	0	0
Giofriddo xx	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	9	24	10

X-killed out for Gregg in 7th. xv-forced out Jorgensen for Barney in 9th.

### NEW YORK (AL) AB R H PO A

Stinnett 2b	4	2	3	1	2
Henrich rf	4	1	2	3	0
Lindell lf	4	1	2	2	0
DiMaggio cf	4	0	1	4	0
McQuinn 1b	5	1	2	6	1
Johnson 3b	5	2	2	1	0
Rizzuto ss	5	0	1	3	4
Berra c	3	1	0	6	1
Reynolds p	4	2	1	0	0
Totals	38	10	15	27	10

Brooklyn (NL) 001 100 001—3  
New York (AL) 101 121 40x—10

### Series Notes

By Alan Harvey

YANKEE STADIUM, New York, Oct. 1.—(CP)—The second game of the 4th world series demonstrated decisively that although New York Yankees may not be the greatest team ever to represent the American League in the post-season classic, Brooklyn Dodgers will have to pull up their socks to avoid being tagged as the worst ever to represent the National League. In losing 10-3 the Dodgers looked extremely ragged at times.

Reiser appeared lost in centre field, twice missing on long hits over his head and once falling to get up in time on a bloop that Pistol Pete normally would handle faultlessly. Even mild-mannered Burt Shotton who manages the Dodgers, admitted he "didn't like some of the things that went on in centre field, either."

Reiser, though, drew a word of encouragement from Joe DiMaggio, his opposite number for the Yankees. "That sun and the haze that hangs over the stadium make it tough out there," said the Bomber. "I have a little trouble myself. It might be that the faultless fielding DiMaggio hasn't come close over, Mass. all experienced, qualified men at this type of sporting event."

The Trials are of championship nature and it will be possible for a cog to complete his championship at these trials.

Competitions include on Wednesday puppy stakes, open for dogs up to one and a half years old and Shooting Dog Stake open to dogs of all ages.

Thursday the event concludes with the holding of the Derby Stakes, for dogs up to 2 1-2 years and an open all-age stake which concludes the program.

Much interest is being evidenced by local dog fanciers with inquiries being received and it is expected that before the closing date for entries is reached, the number of dogs participating will be increased greatly.

The Trials are under the chairmanship of Mr. Stewart Jones with Messrs. Frank Acoorn, Wallace Rock, William Phillips and Robert Hyndman, and other members of the committee.

### Field Trials Here October 22nd & 23rd

First Joint Field Trials for all pointing breeds ever to be held in Canada will take place in the vicinity of Charlottetown the days of October 22nd and 23rd. It was announced here yesterday.

Staged under the auspices of the Charlottetown Kennel Club and being governed by the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club, the event has already attracted over 50 entries, coming from all over the Maritime Provinces and the United States with the possibility of an entry being received from Mexico. Fifteen entries from this Province are expected.

The trials are sponsored by the Provincial Department of Agriculture with the object of improving the standard of pure bred cogs on Prince Edward Island.

Breeds taking part will comprise English and Irish setters, German short hair pointers, Pointers, Biltani Spaniels and Gordon Setters. Judges named for the occurrence are Messrs. Paul Bauer, Marbhead, Mass., Raymond Golland, Afton, Mass., and Raymond Hoyer, Andover, Mass.

For the second straight time Rovers and Legion failed to get about the business of deciding this year's City League winners and now it seems apparent that the two squads will have to wait until Sunday afternoon to decide the possessors of the Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan Trophy which brings about the unusual occurrence heretofore of football, scheduled to get underway Saturday poking its nose into the picture before the City baseball champions are crowned.

### Entries For Dog Show

Entries must be in by Saturday & the latest in order to be in the printed catalogue. Write, wire, or phone the Secretary, Mrs. W. M. Brehaut, 75 Brighton Road, Charlottetown. The date of the Show is October 13th but entries MUST be in this week.

### Financial figures:

Attendance—60,368.  
Receipts—\$317,731.20.  
Commissioner's share—\$47,859.66  
Players' share—\$192,042.52.  
Each league's share—\$27,007.15.  
Each club's share—\$27,007.15.  
Attendance for the first two games—143,230.  
Receipts for the first two games—\$96,533.98.  
Commissioner's share for the first two games—\$36,533.98.  
Players' share for the first two games—\$328,215.56.  
Each league's share for the first two games—\$54,702.59.  
Each club's share for the first two games—\$54,702.59.

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