

# Milwaukee Club Captures Series Opener From Yanks

By JACK HAND

MILWAUKEE (AP)—Billy Bruto stroked a line drive single to right against fireballing Ryno Duren to give Milwaukee's Warren Spahn a 4-3 victory over New York Yankees Wednesday in a 10-inning opening world series game. Benched at the start because left-handed Whitey Ford was pitching for the Yankees, Bruto came in as a pinch-hitter in the ninth but fanned. Given another chance after singles by Joe Adcock and Del Crandall in the 10th, he came through beautifully with a drive that probably would have been good for two bases if more were needed.

A year ago Bruto was in the hospital undergoing a knee operation while his Milwaukee mates were upsetting the Yankees in seven games. He didn't get back into action until mid-season and he still has trouble with his knee. **IMPROVES WITH AGE** Spahn got better as he went along, justifying manager Fred Haney's move in starting him over Lew Burdette, the three-time winner of last year.

In one stretch from the sixth to the 10th, Spahn retired 14 straight Yankees. Ford, who had the edge in the early going, stumbled in the eighth when he tired, and gave way to Ryno Duren.

Duren was a hard-throwing speedster when he first replaced Ford in the eighth. But the Braves kept after him and finally got to him in the 10th. Hank Aaron, perhaps the Braves' most feared by the Yankees, struck out, opening the 10th. Then Joe Adcock ripped a single to centre.

Wes Covington sent Elston Howard deep into left with the wind helping the ball but the Yankee outfielder caught his long drive. Del Crandall, a Duren strikeout victim on three pitches in the eighth, bounced a high hopper to short centre for a single. **GAME-WINNING HIT** That brought up Bruto. Duren threw a strike and then two balls before Bruto lined the game-winning hit to the fence in right centre. Nobody had a chance to get close to it.

It was an appropriate ending for the roaring crowd of 46,367 who watched this opening game on a chill, sunny afternoon. Spahn, beaten by Ford in last year's opener at Yankee Stadium, lived up to his season .333 batting average as well as his 22-11 pitching record.

When Ford suddenly ran into trouble in the fourth on a first-ball hitting flurry by the Braves, it was Spahn who stroked the single to centre that scored Crandall with the tie-breaking run. Again in the ninth Spahn tried to start his own rally with a single to right. He got as far as second when Duren walked Red Schoendienst but both were left when pinch-hitter Frank Torre and Eddie Mathews failed.

Four of the eight hits off the 37-year-old lefty came in the first two innings. **BURDETTE VS TURLEY** In today's second game, Burdette, the Yankees' killer of '37, will try to make it two in a row for the Braves. He will be opposed by another right hander, Bob Turley. Turley was the Yanks' big winner with a 21-7 season.

Ford went to the eighth with a 3-2 lead on a pair of home runs by Bill Skowron and Hank Bauer. The chunky lefty had faltered briefly in the fourth when the Braves went on a first-ball hitting binge that produced two runs. It was apparent that Whitey was beginning to struggle. His curve was hanging and he walked Mathews on a 3-2 pitch. Aaron slugged a line drive to right. Bauer crashed into the wire fence attempting to make the catch, and possibly saving a home run—but he couldn't make it and it went for a double. **CALLS IN DUREN** Manager Casey Stengel came striding from the Yankee dugout with men on second and third and nobody out. After a few seconds of conversation with Ford and Yogi Berra he gave the signal for Duren.

Duren fanned Adcock on four pitches. Although first base was open, Stengel elected to let Duren

walked. Bauer, whose single in the first inning gave him a record hitting streak of 13 straight series games, then applied the big blow.

Bauer looked at two balls and then swung. There was a sharp crack and the ball soared deep into the bleachers in left centre about 370 feet away. Wes Covington moved back near the barrier where he made the sensational catch last fall. This time he could do nothing but watch the customers scramble for the ball.

**SHORT-LIVED LEAD**

Milwaukee's lead was short-lived. With one gone in the fifth, Ford took Spahn to 3-2 and finally

struggled through despite a wild streak. Bruto, pinch-hitting for Andy Pafo, went down swinging but Spahn grounded a single to right, his second hit. Red Schoendienst walked on a 3-2 pitch. Duren then reared back and got pinch-hitter Frank Torre on a pop fly and whipped Eddie Mathews with a high hard one.

Spahn wriggled clear despite two Yankee hits in each of the first two innings. He helped himself by picking Bauer off first in the first. Yogi Berra also gave him a hand by trying to go from first to third on Skowron's ground single to short left in the second. Covington threw him out with room to spare.

**HOMER TROUBLES** Spahn, the 37-year-old left-hander who won 22 games for the Braves but allowed 29 homers, gave up two more home runs—one to Skowron in the fourth and one to Bauer in the fifth. Ford was on base when Bauer connected.

Skowron has been slumping so badly in recent weeks that manager Casey Stengel pinch-hit for him with the bases loaded last Friday night. However, the hulking first baseman lined a 2-3 pitch over the left field fence, barely inside the foul pole but about 330



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## Casey Stengel Has Praise For Spahn's Great Hurling

By TED SMITS

MILWAUKEE (AP)—Casey Stengel paid full homage Wednesday to Warren Spahn, crafty 37-year-old left-hander of the Milwaukee Braves who turned his Yankees upside down.

"There just wasn't much we could do with him," said manager Casey Stengel. "The first part of the game we had our chances to get at him but we couldn't do it. He pitched better the last part of the game. He pitched a real, good game."

The Yankee dressing room, barred for an unusually long period of time to newspaper men, was subdued and quiet. There was some joking, but it was highly restrained.

**CENTRE OF ATTENTION** Hank Bauer was the centre of

considerable attention.

"That ball that Hank Aaron hit in the eighth for a double, I never touched it. It went under my glove and hit the fence," said Bauer. The blast advanced Eddie Mathews to third and he scored to tie the game 3-3 on Wes Covington's sacrifice fly.

"I thought it was going for a homer," said Bauer. Bauer had an ugly skinned patch below his left knee. He got it sliding into second base in the first inning when he was picked off by a wide margin.

"Signals got mixed?" he was asked. "Nope, I just got caught running," he grinned. Whitey Ford, the little Yankee lefty who was lifted from the game in the eighth, said after-

ward he never felt tired.

Yogi Berra explained one of the mysteries of the game that occurred in the fourth inning after Aaron had been walked. One of Ford's pitches got away from Berra for a passed ball, and the Yankee catcher remained squatting at the plate while Aaron raced to second. When he finally retrieved the ball it was too late to throw out the Milwaukee outfielder.

"Did you lose the ball?" Berra was asked. "No, I thought I had it in my glove," he trimmed sheepishly. Stengel spoke barely above a whisper to the little circle around him.

"We're still around," he said with a smile. "We'll be back tomorrow."

## Series Notes

By DION HENDERSON

**MILWAUKEE (AP)**—Hank Bauer, 37-year-old Yankee right-fielder, wasted no time Wednesday extending his own record as he hit safely in his 15th consecutive world series game.

Bauer laced a Warren Spahn pitch between third base and shortstop when he led off in the first inning. But a minute later he was out, caught by Spahn's famed pickoff move as he roamed too far off base.

Ninth hitter in the Braves order—he batted .333 during the season, Spahn gave himself a temporary lead when he hit the third of three straight singles off Whitey Ford in the fourth, scoring Del Crandall with Milwaukee's second run of the inning.

Hank Aaron's eighth-inning double kept his personal hitting record going. He's hit safely in each of the eight world series games he's played.

Skowron's fourth-inning home run provided the first score off Milwaukee pitching in 14 innings of world series play at County Stadium.

It was the 29th extra-inning world series game in the long history of the fall classic.

The first ball was thrown out by Jimmy Cruserberry, 78, one of the 20 reporters who gathered at the 1908 Detroit Tigers-Chicago Cubs world series to form the Baseball Writers Association.

## Manchester Club Appoints Jack Aston As Coach

LONDON (CP)

Jack Aston, former Manchester United full-back, Wednesday was appointed coach of the soccer club.

He succeeds Bert Whalley who was killed in a Feb. 6 plane crash at Munich.

Aston, a member of Manchester United's Football Association Cup-winning team in 1948, made 17 appearances for England before retiring from soccer in 1954.

**HEAVY SUBJECT**

**GENEVA (AP)**—More than 2,400 scientific reports were submitted to the recent atoms-for-peace conference here. At an average of 20 pages each, the total was estimated at more than 19,000,000 words.

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## Queen Charlotte School Wins Track, Field Meet

Queen Charlotte High School captured top honors in a track and field competition with Birchwood High yesterday afternoon at Memorial Field.

The North River Road scholars amassed a total of 124 points compared to 74 for Birchwood and will receive the Taylor Jewellers Ltd. trophy for this year. The trophy will be up for competition between the two schools each year.

Bill Jardine was the top male athlete with 14 points. Another Queen Charlotte lad, Gordon Whitlock, was second with 12½. Bill will receive the Polyclinic trophy. The Charlottetown Clinic trophy for the best girl athlete, went to Margie Bradley also of Queen Charlotte. Margie's 10½ points were just ½ point better than Frances Mahar of Birchwood.

This was the first track and field meet between the two schools but from now on the two high schools have agreed to make it an annual affair.

A very large crowd of pupils was in attendance despite the threatening weather.

The meet was arranged by the physical instructors at both schools, Jack Ready and Bill Ledwell.

Girls, 12 and under, 75 yards — 1. Diane Burke, Q.C.; 2. Kathy Kemp, Q.C.; 3. Linda Clarke, Q.C. Time: 9 2-5 seconds.

Girls, 13 years, 75 yards — 1. Frances Mahar, B.; 2. Carol Foster, Q.C.; 3. Carol Ward, B. Time: 10 4-5 seconds.

Girls, 14 years, 100 yards — 1. Pat Sherry, B.; 2. Barbara Cantwell, B.; 3. Marlene Lewis, Q.C. Time: 14 1-5 seconds.

Girls, 15 years, 100 yards — 1. Marge Bradley, Q.C.; 2. Margaret Bradley, Q.C.; 3. Peg Anderson, B. Time: 14 3-5 seconds.

Girls, 16 years and over, 100 yards — 1. Carlene Llewellyn, B.; 2. Lorraine Boudage, B.; 3. Lorraine Doucette, B. Time: 15 3-5 seconds.

Girls relay — 1. Queen Charlotte High; 2. Birchwood High. Time: 1 minute, 5 seconds.

Girls high jump — 1. Marge Bradley, Q.C.; 2. Kathleen McKenna, B.; 3. Margaret Bradley, Q.C. Height: 3 feet, 9½ inches.

Girls running broad jump — 1. Frances Mahar, B.; 2. Margaret Bradley, Q.C.; 3. Aileen Kane, B. Dist: 12 feet, 2 ins.

Boys, 12 and under, 75 yards — 1. K. Foley, B.; 2. J. Webb, Q.C.; 3. R. Boyles, Q.C. Time: 10 2-5 seconds.

Boys 13 years — 1. Wayne Flynn (B); 2. Jimmy Cullen Q.C.; 3. Arnold MacLeod, Q.C. Time: 10 1-5 seconds.

Boys 14 years — 1. John Burhoe, Q.C.; 2. Roy Biggar, Q.C.; 3. Gary Nicolle (B). Time: 11 3-5 seconds.

Boys 15 years — 1. Gordon Whitlock, Q.C.; 2. Dennis Kelly, Q.C.; 3. Leroy Barnett (B). Time: 12 seconds.

Boys 16 and over — 1. Don Kelly, Q.C.; 2. Bill Jardine, Q.C.; 3. Derrill Doyle (B). Time: 12 4-5 seconds.

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Running broad jump (boys) — 1. E. Martin, Q.C.; 2. Bill Jardine, Q.C.; 3. A. Worth, Q.C. Dist: 15 feet, 9½ inches.

High jump (boys) — 1. Bill Jardine, Q.C.; 2. Athol Worth, Q.C.; 3. Fred Burke (B). Height 4 feet, 6 inches.

Shot put — 1. John Arsenault (B); 2. Bill Jardine, Q.C.; 3. B. MacMillan, Q.C. Dist: 32 ft, 4 in.

220 yard dash (Boys)—1. Gordon Whitlock, Q.C.; 2. Dennis Kelly, Q.C.; 3. Bob Ward (B). Time: 27 3-5 seconds.

440 yard dash (boys) — 1. Don Kelly, Q.C.; 2. F. Burke (B); 3. Emmet Beagan (B). Time: one minute 2 2-5 seconds.

1 mile run (boys) — 1. Jimmy Cullen, Q.C.; 2. Leonard Gauthier, Q.C.; 3. Gerald Mitchell, (B). Time: 5 minutes, 22 3-5 seconds.

Boys' relay — 1. Queen Charlotte; 2. Birchwood. Time: One minute, 5 seconds.

Legend: Q.C. — Queen Charlotte; B — Birchwood.

**Braves Given Odds In Series**

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Milwaukee Braves, winners of the first game of the world series, Wednesday were made 6-to-5 favorites in the man-to-man odds to beat New York Yankees in the best-of-seven classic.

Before their loss Wednesday, the Yankees were 7-to-5 favorites. The Braves also were made 11-to-10 favorites to win today's second game. Milwaukee's Lew Burdette, a three-game winner in the 1937 series, will oppose Bullet Bob Turley.

**FINE CATCH** OSHAWA, Ont. (CP)—Thirteen-year-old Michael Bell caught his first muskellunge, weighing 30 pounds six ounces, with a worm that he'd kept in the refrigerator after using it to catch a pickerel two weeks earlier.

## Durelle, Jones Battle Tonight

**MONCTON (CP)**—Yvon Durelle, who challenges champion Archie Moore Dec. 10 in Montreal, takes on Louis Jones, Rockford, Ill., heavyweight here tonight (Thursday).

The battle is scheduled to go 10 rounds. Durelle's British Empire and Canadian light-heavyweight title won't be at stake.

The lobster fisherman from Baie Ste. Anne, N.B., will be gunning for his 21st victory without a setback at the local stadium. Durelle made his first appearance in a Moncton ring in July, 1950, against Tiger Warrington of Yarmouth, N.S., and pounded out a decision.

Favored to beat Jones, Durelle will be looking for the 76th win of his career. He has 39 knockouts to his credit. Jones and his handlers are expected in town tonight. Jones is reputed to be a fast starter and good puncher.

On the same card, Gaston Roy, Lewis, Que., takes on Nick Kovacs of Moncton and Hungary in a scheduled 10-round fight for the Maritime middleweight title. Roy stopped Kovacs in the eighth round here Aug. 29 to win the crown.

Six-rounders will match Leroy (Recco) Jones of Halifax against Bob Speight of Saint John and Norman Gautreau of Moncton against Sugar Ray Mastoll of Sydney.

Durelle has been training

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