

Yankee Victory End Of The Trail For Brooklyn Dodgers

Did you know that while you were listening or watching the Yankees pummel the Brooklyn Dodgers into submission in the seventh game of the World Series Wednesday that you had a ring-side seat as one of baseball's all-time great teams were writing in the throes of death on the playing field of Ebbetts Field?

Age is catching up with the Brooks and suitable replacements for the Reeses, Robinson's Campanellas, Furillo, Maglie don't seem to be anywhere in sight at the moment. These players with the exception of Maglie have been the backbone of Brooklyn since way back in 1947 when they won their second National League pennant and had it not been for the Giants and Phillies the Dodgers might well have matched the spectacular showing of the Yankees in the A.L. But the Dodgers are getting old, as baseball players go, and they are going to have to make room at the top of the heap for the Braves, Reds and Cards.

One of Brooklyn's fans said to Pee Wee Reese after the seventh game, "We'll get 'em next year Pee Wee." Reese replied, "Next year is a long way away for me." He is so right and his wry comment can well apply to the other aging Dodgers.

Much has been made of the great Yankee pitching since the final five games of the series. But it is not pitching on the part of the Yankees or was it that the Brooks had finally run out of gas and the great head of steam with which they won the pennant and dropped the Yankees in the opening games finally fizzled and left them for dead? To this writer the dismal showing of Brooklyn against Ford, Larsen, Sturdivant, Turley and Kucks is more indicative of a collapse of the part of Brooklyn Yankee pitching strength. It is true that Ford and Kucks pitched great ball for the Yankees in their series but the pennant Sturdivant was no ball of fire but he did his bit. During the regular season Turley was nothing and Larsen was slightly less.

The Yankee pitching just isn't that good that it can hold the

National League winners to 6 runs in 46 innings. That is why we say the Dodgers are dead. You can see them on the battlefield now with their heads bloody and very bowed.

For those of you who lie statistics here are a few from the series. Yogi Berra led all regulars in batting during the series with .360 with 9 hits in 25 at bats. Yogi's 9 hits tied him for the lead with Hank Bauer in that department. Enos Slaughter was next highest on the Yanks with .350 on 7 hits in 20 trips. Billy Martin hit .296 and Bauer was next with .281. Mickey Mantle hit only .250 more than 100 points lower than his season average. Not so good for Mickey Mantle.

Only two Dodgers hit over .300. They were Duke Snider and Gil Hodges each batting .304 with 7 hits in 23 at bats. Jackie Robinson had the next highest average on the team at .250 and Furillo was next with .240. Campanella hit only .192 and Gilliam and Amaro were .160 with 9 runs in 103 and 103 respectively. The Yanks hit .253 as a team and the Dodgers .195.

Here is a comment from a well known local sport fan on the incident in which Don Newcombe was involved following his early departure in the second series game. "The saw-mouthed guy who had the audacity to nag big Don Newcombe after Don's failure on the mound, has attained some questionable degree of fame for the audacious one - like the bouncer in a London police court who said his only claim to fame was the distinction of being kicked in the posterior portion of the anatomy several times by Lord Dunsraven. There may be a clause in U.S. law which justifies a slap or kick in the rear in case of extreme provocation. A situation such as occurred could be construed as extreme provocation."

One of the mysteries of this base ball age is the failure of Newk against the Yankees. Five times he has tried to beat them, twice he has been knocked out of the box and charged with the loss of four of the games. Don has been one of Brooklyn's big pitchers since they brought him up from Montreal and this season was the N.L.'S top winner with 27 victories. But he still can't beat the Yankees. Maybe Newcombe just doesn't have the necessary confidence when he faces Yankee bats. Maybe Don knows why but it would take a brave man to ask him.

Big Stock Owner Opposes Shift

WASHINGTON (AP)—The bid blew off a Washington Senator's front-offender, the club treasurer declaring he is flatly opposed to shifting the team's franchise and would fight it if necessary. Treasurer H. Gabriel Murphy, who also owns the biggest single parcel of stock in the American League baseball club, said he was "shocked and saddened" to learn that Calvin Griffith, the Senators' president, is seriously weighing a move to Los Angeles or some other city.

Griffith made known Thursday, however, that as yet none of the groups speaking for cities wanting the franchise has come up with a concrete, written bid. When that happens, he said, the club's five-man board of directors will be asked to decide whether the team should stay or go. Six of the American League eight clubs must approve any switch by Oct. 31 for it to become effective next season. Although some opposition has been reported, Griffith has spoken confidently of receiving enough votes for any plan "that would benefit baseball."

Duke To Open Olympic Games During Trip Around World

LONDON (Reuters)—The Duke of Edinburgh starts a round-the-world trip Monday. Midway in his travels he will open the Olympic Games at Melbourne Nov. 2. Queen Elizabeth will be at the airport to see her husband off on his four-month journey. The duke will fly to Mombasa in the Argonaut aircraft Ajax, the plane which took Princess Margaret to Mombasa at the start of her present East African tour. The same pilots will be at the controls. The duke will board the royal yacht Britannia Oct. 18. Three days later he will visit the Seychelles, a group of 22 coral and granite islands in the Indian Ocean about 1,000 miles east of Mombasa.

Archbishop Makarios of Cyprus is in exile there. He will call at Ceylon and Singapore - making a flying trip in Kuala Lumpur in Malay - New Guinea, Rabaul in the Bismarck Archipelago and New Britain. On reaching Darwin, Australia, he will travel to Canberra where he is due Nov. 18. The return route to Britain will be through the South Pacific calling at the Chatham Islands. In the South Atlantic he will sail by way of Deception Islands, Falkland Islands, South George, Lonely Tristan de Cunha, St. Helena and Ascension Island. He will visit Gambia in West Africa from Jan. 29 to 31 and be back in Britain early in February.

Chicago Cubs Undergo Complete Housecleaning

CHICAGO (AP)—The last-place Chicago Cubs baseball team underwent a wholesale house cleaning Thursday with resignations from manager Stan Hack, personnel director Sid Matuschak and business manager James T. Gallagher.

Final Tournery Over Weekend

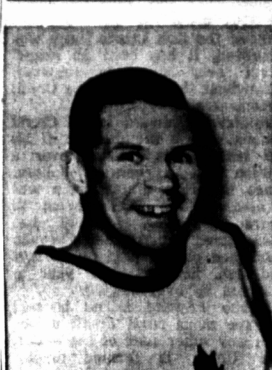
The Goodiose tournament the final golf tournament of the year will be held at the Belvedere Club over the weekend. It is a nine-hole tournament for both men and women. It will be played Saturday or Sunday and golfers are allowed to use only a 5-iron and putter.

will bring them to the top for the loyal fans who have stuck by and given us such wonderful support." The resignations were made as owner Philip K. Wrigley presided at a meeting to overhaul the club's front office and field staff.

Leafs, Boston Tie; Wings Nip Hawks

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HARRY LUMLEY

Lumley Agrees To Shuffle Off To Buffalo

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)—Harry Lumley, a goaltender with 11 years National Hockey League experience, announced Thursday he has agreed to play with Buffalo Bisons of the American Hockey League.

Lumley, who walked out of the Chicago Black Hawks training camp here last week in a contract dispute with general manager coach Tommy Ivan, said he signed with Ivan Wednesday and that he is "very happy" with his contract. Chicago has a working agreement with the Buffalo club. Lumley, sold to Haws by Toronto Maple Leafs after the 1955-56 NHL season, lost out against last year's goalie, Al Rollins, for the Chicago netminding job.

O'Brien Drives Scott Frost To Easy Victory

YONKERS, N.Y. (AP)—Scott Frost rushed up from fifth place on the final bend Thursday night and drew away to an easy victory in the \$30,100 Gotham Trot at Yonkers Raceway for his 16th straight triumph.

The four-year-old son of Hoot Mon, driven by Joe O'Brien of Alberton, P.E.I., was the odds-on favorite of a crowd of 18,476, and turned in a 3 1/4 length victory over Lady's First in the mile and one-half race. Scotch Valley grabbed third place in the field of 11 trotters.

Injury May Keep Etcheverry Out Of Saturday's Game

MONTREAL (CP)—Sam Etcheverry, Montreal Alouettes' durable quarterback, may be forced to miss his first game since he came to the Big Four club in 1952. If Etcheverry's injured left knee hinders him out of Saturday's game in Toronto against the Argonauts, a string of 69 games will be ended - 62 league and seven playoff games, including Grey Cup games.

Etcheverry was injured in last Monday's game here against Ottawa Rough Riders.

Don Newcombe "Lost" But Catches Plane For Japan

By JACK HAND NEW YORK (AP)—Big Don Newcombe caught the plane to Japan with his Brooklyn Dodger team-mates Thursday after being "lost" for almost 24 hours. The Newcombe story was headline news overnight when the Dodgers' jumbo-sized right-hander disappeared after disobeying orders by leaving the clubhouse following his fourth-inning knockout in Wednesday's final world series game against New York Yankees. Newcombe finally turned up at his home in Colonia, N.J., in time to make a brief appearance in magistrate's court in Brooklyn to answer a summons for assault.

Irvin Appointed By N. H. L. As Goodwill Ambassador

MONTREAL (CP)—Dick Irvin, veteran hockey coach who retired two weeks ago because of ill health, has been appointed by the National Hockey League as a goodwill ambassador.

Irvin, now 64, will have something of a roving commission. It will be his job to boost hockey in general and the NHL in particular. Dependent upon his future health, Irvin will likely make public speeches, appear on television and radio and conduct schools for coaches throughout Canada.

Irvin's retirement as an active coach was announced Sept. 30 from the training camp of the Chicago Black Hawks. It marked the end of 46 years in hockey. He served 30 consecutive seasons in the NHL, 26 of them as a coach.

Irvin moved to the Black Hawks at the start of the 1955-56 season after a 15-year tenure with Montreal Canadiens. Following his playing days with Chicago he became coach of that club in 1930. From 1931 to 1940 he coached Toronto Maple Leafs. His teams missed the Stanley Cup playoffs only four times.

Charlie Grimm Mystery Man In Re-Building Of Cubs

CHICAGO (AP)—Field manager Stan Hack, player personnel director Sid Matuschak and business manager Jim Gallagher quit the Chicago Cubs Thursday when owner P. K. Wrigley launched a complete executive overhauling of the National League tail-enders.

There was strong speculation that former Cub catcher Bob Scheffing, current manager of Los Angeles Angels, would replace Hack.

John Holland, Los Angeles general manager, was expected to be named Matuschak's successor in a job tantamount to general manager. But a mystery man of the day's rapid-fire proceeding at Wrigley's downtown offices was Charley Grimm, former manager of the Milwaukee Braves and prior to that field manager and executive for the Cubs. Wrigley said Grimm was invited to the rebuilding meeting as a "good friend, who offered to help me out."

Wrigley said the Cub board of directors would meet later to consider Gallagher's resignation because Gallagher is a member of the board and a Cub stockholder.

Declining Health

Irvin's health was not good during his last season with Canadiens, particularly during the playoffs in the spring of 1955. His health improved and he took over the Hawks last season. He had to delay his appearance at the Hawks' training camp this year and remained with his players for only a week.

At his home, Irvin said he was highly pleased with his appointment and was grateful to the NHL for an opportunity to continue in hockey. He said he may not be able to give much thought to the new job for at least two weeks but hopes he can do a good job.

Irvin said he feels fine some days now and on others not so well. He said he had to give up coaching the Hawks because he wasn't able to give 100 per cent to the work because of his health.

Contract Signed For World-Wide Coverage Of Olympics

MELBOURNE, Australia (Reuters)—A contract has been signed for worldwide film coverage of the Olympic Games in Melbourne next month. W. S. Kent Hughes, chairman of the Olympic Games organizing committee, said Thursday.

He said a contract had been signed in Paris and London two days ago between Fremantle Overseas Radio and Television on behalf of the organizing committee and a combined English-French motion picture production distribution company.

He declined to disclose the name of the company, but said special camera crews would be flown from England in November to film the games. Last month many overseas and Australian newswreel agencies announced they would boycott the games because they claimed the organizing committee demanded cash payment to film the games. Hughes said that more than 100 American television stations would run Olympic programs involving separate camera cover.

This would be controlled by the committee's own film unit with Australian cameramen and a few American senior cameramen and American editing staff.

Hazelbrook Races

The weather ideal, the track in perfect condition and every class filled with horses ready for the word "go" was the treat for horse racing fans at Hazelbrook circuit on Saturday, Oct. 5. The next race is Oct. 13. If not fine Oct. 15.

BOSTON (CP)—Sid Smith flipped in Jim Thompson's rebound midway in the third period Thursday night to give Toronto Maple Leafs a 4-4 tie with the Bruins in their National Hockey League opener at Boston Garden.

Tod Sloan, Toronto's 37-year-old scorer of last season, got the Maple Leafs' first two as the Canadian visitors rallied four times to achieve the deadlock. Smith scored at 8:46 of the final after Rudy Migay had fed a long pass to Thomson whose shot bounced off goalie Terry Sawchuk's pads.

WEAKNESS SHOWS Boston, weak in passing and in such clearing, got away only 10 shots against Toronto rookie goaltender Ed Chadwick in the last two periods. Two were goals. Al Stanley, Boston's defenseman acquired in the off season from Chicago Black Hawks, opened the scoring at 8:11 of the first period with a 55-foot shot. Don McKenney, Jerry Toppazzini and Johnny Peters each contributed Bruins goals but Toronto always came right back.

Rookie Gary Alcorn tied the score 3-3 at 14:09 of the second period. Lineups Toronto — Goal: Chadwick; defense: Thomson, Morrison, Bolton, Horton, Reame; forwards: Sloan, G. Armstrong, Duff, James Harris, Aldron, Stewart, Migay, Smith, Brian Cullen, Barry Cullen.

Boston — Goal: Sawchuk; defense: Stanley, Flaman, R. Armstrong, Boivin, Mohs; forwards: McKenney, Chevrefils, Labine, Pelsson, Gardner, Stasiuk, Toppazzini, Regan, Mackell, Cafery. Referee: Red Storey. Linesmen: Doug Davies, Matt Pavelich. Summary First period 1. Boston, Stanley (Mohs, Gardner) 8:11; 2. Toronto, Sloan

Ottawa Claims Wirkowski For Waiver Price

OTTAWA (CP)—Ottawa Rough Riders Thursday claimed import rider, Czechoslovak Nobby Wirkowski for the \$750 Big Four waiver price. The 27-year-old quarterback, first brought to Canada in 1951 by Frank Clair, then coach of Toronto Argonauts, was put on waivers by Hamilton Tiger-Cats. Clair now is coach here.

Riders, who finished in the 1955 league cellar, have first call on Wirkowski's services under the rule which gives other teams 72 hours in which to claim any player cut by a league club. Speculation is that either second-string quarterback Chuck Harding, also used by Clair as a defensive halfback, or halfback Tirrel Burton, will be cut to make room for Wirkowski. Both are imports and each club is allowed only 10.

In Hamilton, President Jake Gaudaur of the Tiger-Cats said that Wirkowski has indicated to club officials that it won't be possible for him to go to Ottawa, preferring to stay with Ticats as an assistant coach and scout. Speculation is that either Wirkowski does not have to report to the Rough Riders if he does not wish to play football. However, if Wirkowski wanted to play, he would have to go with Ottawa since they had claimed him.

Rochester Rockets Ready To Fold

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP)—Rochester Rockets, freshman entry in the Ontario Rugby Football Union, was believed Thursday to be on the verge of folding. It was reported that the Rockets, who have failed to win in five starts, would be dissolved after Saturday's game in London, Ont. Club officials declined to comment on the report. The club's debts were reported to total about \$5,000.

Harness Races

QUEBEC (CP)—Ralph Hal, owned by Roy Bevan of Charlottetown, P.E.I., and driven by A. Lewilyn, won a \$200 pace bet Thursday night at Quebec Raceway. The bay came home in 3:18 4-5 to pay \$9.70, \$6.50 and \$4.30. Kalmuck's Last, owned by Charles Sutherland of Sydney, N.S., ran third in a \$250 pace event. Earl MacDonell drove the mare which paid \$4.50.

(Horton) 8:51; 3. Boston, McKenney (Mackell, Flaman) 10:04. Penalties: Stasiuk 3:51, Morrison 6:51.

Second period: 4. Toronto, Sloan (G. Armstrong) 11:52; 5. Boston, Toppazzini (Mackell, Regan) 12:13; 6. Toronto, Aldcorn (Brian Cullen, Harris) 14:09. Penalties: Labine 1:33, Sloan major 6:35, McKenney 6:35, Labine 6:50.

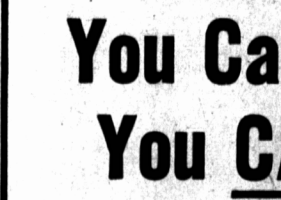
Third period: 7. Boston, Pelsson (Gardner, Stasiuk) 2:31; 8. Toronto, Smith (Thomson, Migay) 8:46. Penalties: Regan 5:02.

Chadwick 11 3 5-19 Sawchuk 8 8 10-26

DETROIT (AP)—Detroit Red Wings spotted an early goal to Chicago Black Hawks and then rallied in the last two periods to win their National Hockey League opener, 3-1, Thursday night. Victory gave Detroit first place in the standings, since Boston and Toronto tied 4-4 in the other opening game. Neither Montreal nor New York has started league play yet. Norm Ullman and Metro Prystai scored to send Detroit ahead

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in the middle period and Ted Lindsay fired an insurance tally in the final period.

FAIL TO CLEAR Hank Ciesla clicked for the Hawks at 2:25 of the first period while Lindsay was in the penalty box. He slammed home a board pass by Wally Hergesheimer after defenseman Marcel Pronovost and goalie Glenn Hall failed to clear the puck as it drifted slowly across the goal mouth.

The three Detroit kills also came from close in. Ullman called a clever pass - out from Gordie Howe early in the second and Prystai converted Alex Delvecchio's goal-mouth pass while Jack McIntyre served a Chicago penalty.

The Hawks kept the pressure on until Lindsay's goal on Howe's pass at 15:12 of the third period.

Chicago — Goal: Rollins; defense: Morrison, Vasko, Wolt, Pileto, Martin; forwards: Mosdell, Littenberger, Watson, Ciesla, J.

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Wilson, Hergesheimer, Skov, Mickoski, Kennedy, Kachur, Mazur, McIntyre.

DETROIT — Goal: Hall; defense: Pronovost, Godfrey, Kelly, Hillman, Hollingsworth; forwards: Delvecchio, Prystai, Deal, Ullman, Howe, Lindsay, Ferguson, Reibel, Dineen, Pavelich, Costello, Bucyk.

Referee: Frank Udvari; linesman: George Hayes, Bill Morrison. Summary First period: 1. Chicago, Ciesla (Hergesheimer) 2:29. Penalties: Lindsay 2:05, Pileto 7:15, Morrison 11:37, Pronovost 15:40.

Second period: 2. Detroit, Ullman (Howe, Kelly) 2:15; 3. Detroit, Prystai (Delvecchio, Reibel) 12:11. Penalties: McIntyre 10:48.

Third period: 4. Detroit, Lindsay (Ullman, Howe) 15:12. Penalties: None.

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