



TOPS IN THEIR LEAGUES

Indians Edge Tigers 9-8; Cubs Snap Losing Streak

Roger Maris' second home run of the day in a wild ninth inning gave Cleveland Indians a 9-8 victory over Detroit Tigers Wednesday at Briggs Stadium.

Meanwhile New York Yankees blanked Baltimore Orioles 1-0 as Bob Turley pitched his third consecutive shutout over the Birds.

Two American League games were scheduled at night, Boston at Washington and Chicago at Kansas City.

In the National League, Chicago Cubs ended a seven-game losing streak when Lee Walls boomed out his 11th homer of the season to lead his club to a 7-3 win over Los Angeles Dodgers.

The loss was the first start in the east for the Dodgers and stretched their losing streak to six games.

Three night games were carded in the National League: Milwaukee at Philadelphia, Cincinnati at Pittsburgh and San Francisco at St. Louis.

Although Billy Harrell stole home just before Maris' blast in Detroit and put the Indians ahead 7-6, Maris' homer in the

ninth proved to be the key blow, when a Tiger rally fell short in the last of the ninth.

The Indians scored five times after the Tigers appeared to have things wrapped up. A Detroit castoff, pinch-hitter J. W. Porter, drove in the tying run with a soft liner that fell for a single. Cleveland catcher Dick Brown doubled in the run that made it 6-5 before Porter's safety tied it.

Harrell, sent to third to run for Brown, streaked for home on the first pitch to Maris. Tiger catcher Jim Hegan had the ball in plenty of time and ran down the line to meet Harrell, but the Cleveland player eluded the tag and scored.

Maris hit his first homer of the game in the eighth with one on.

MANTLE CLICKS

At New York, Mickey Mantle drove in the lone run for the Yankees in the continued domination of the league.

Tony Kubek, singled in the fourth, moved to second on Hank Bauer's infield grounder, and scored on Mantle's line double to right.

Bob Turley allowed just four

singles and struck out seven in picking up his fifth win without a loss.

At Chicago, Walls' homer left him leading the National League in that department. He also singled, doubled and scored three runs for the Cubs.

Jim Brosnan scattered five hits for his third win against the same number of losses. Carl Erskine was tabbed with the loss.

Peewee Reese hit a two-run homer for the Dodgers in the sixth.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Unbeaten Warren Spahn breezed to his sixth victory Wednesday night on a five-hitter as Milwaukee Braves whipped Philadelphia Phillies 4-1 at Connie Mack Stadium.

Spahn, who became the first National League pitcher to win six games this season, struck out seven batters, started two double plays and contributed to a triple in the Braves' two-run fourth inning. He drove in one run and scored another in that frame as the Braves shelved Phil's starter Ray Semproch, who dropped his third game in six decisions.

Del Crandall started the scoring in the second with a home run, giving Spahn a lead he never relinquished. Johnny Logan duplicated Crandall's blast with a homer in the third.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dick Gernert's leadoff homer highlighted a two-run Boston rally in the ninth inning Wednesday night and led to a 7-5 Red Sox victory over Washington Senators.

The Red Sox outburst at the expense of Truman Cleveland gave Boston relief pitcher Leo Kiely his first victory of the season.

Jim Piersall singled in one run during the five-run fourth inning and Bill Renna hit a two-on pinch homer.

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Pittsburgh Pirates' big bats notably those of Ted Kluszewski and Bob Skinner boomed again Wednesday night for 12 hits and a 5-4 victory over Cincinnati — their sixth straight and 15th in the last 19 games.

Kluszewski and Skinner each collected two singles and a double.

Ed Bailey's two-run homer in the second accounted for two Cincinnati runs.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Stan Musial's home-coming celebration of his 3,000th hit began with a first-inning home run as St. Louis Cardinals defeated the National League leading San Francisco Giants 3-2.

Musial raised his average 11 points, to .300. The 37-year-old Cardinal star had three hits in four times at bat.

The Redbirds extended their wins to seven, and stopped the Giants' six, on Vinegar Bend Mizell's four-hitter.

The start of the game was de-

Major League Trims Down

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Von McDaniel, a sensational \$50,000 bonus right-hander for the St. Louis Cardinals last year, and Curt Barclay, a right-hander who showed promise as a rookie with the Giants last year, were among the players cut down as the major league clubs trimmed their rosters to meet the 25-man limit by midnight Wednesday night.

The Cardinals, who also optioned rookie third baseman Ben Valenzuela to Omaha while beating the deadline, decided McDaniel will have a better chance of shaking a hitch in his pitching motion at Houston, where he'll be able to work regularly.

McDaniel, 19, was 7-5 last year with a 3.21 earned run average while giving the Cards a brother combination with right-hander Lindy McDaniel.

San Francisco sent Barclay, who was 9-9 last year, to Phoenix. The Giants reached the player limit, which does not include returned servicemen, by making catcher Nick Testa a bullpen coach.

BRVES CUT TRIO

The world champion Milwaukee Braves sent three to their Wichita farm to make the limit—rookie right-hander Carlton Willey, right-hander Don Kaiser and infielder Mel Roach.

The American League champed five minutes as National League president Warren Giles joined St. Louis club officials at the field microphone, praising Musial to 18,361 fans who gave Musial a standing ovation.

Musial responded as he best knows how, with his first-inning homer against lefty John Antonelli.

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

A meeting of utmost importance to all baseball followers in King's County is called for Friday night, May 16 in Morell Parish Hall.

This is the annual meeting of the King's County Baseball Association and the entire executive and at least one representative of each team in last year's league are urged to be in attendance. This does not mean that any other group in King's County is not welcome. They most certainly are and they will be afforded every opportunity to make proper representations to this annual meeting.

Last season this league enjoyed a banner season with teams from Morell, Peakes, Georgetown, Souris and Mount Stewart competing for top honors. Morell finally won the County championship after a great series with Peakes and the King's County winners went on from their to win the Island crown in a series with Tignish Aces.

Folks in King's County certainly take their baseball seriously as was evidenced by the crowds in attendance throughout the season. Over 2000 turned out for the games in the semi-finals and finals. And we mean for each game, not for the entire series. If that doesn't indicate a real baseball spirit well we don't know what does. Queen's and Prince could well afford to try to imitate the spirit that King's has demonstrated.

So folks in King's get away on the right foot this season. Be at Morell Parish Hall this Friday night at 8 o'clock for this most important annual meeting. League matters, such as constitution, finance, schedule, umpires etc., will be discussed.

Walter O'Malley, president of the Los Angeles Dodgers has been the target of many a verbal blast since the Dodgers began playing baseball in Los Angeles Coliseum. Probably we should have said since the Dodgers began trying to play baseball in the Coliseum. Any playing that has been done has been provided by visiting clubs.

O'Malley has finally come out of his shell and this is what he has to say.

"The Coliseum is one of the finest places in the world for football. You can't justify it as a permanent place to play baseball and Commissioner Ford Frick would never permit it. The people of Los Angeles are entitled to have the finest ball park in the world. That is what the Dodgers propose to build in Chavez ravine. Remember, there hasn't been a ball park built for that exclusive purpose since 1923 when Yankee Stadium was erected. Furthermore, there has been no baseball park built with private capital since that time. The Milwaukee, Baltimore and Kansas City parks were erected with public funds on public lands. We want to invest our own money and become taxpayers".

Bravo, Mr. O'Malley.

Cincinnati's third baseman has received a warm tribute from former major leaguer, Pie Traynor. The former Brooklyn player must have felt pretty good about the praise that the once-great Traynor heaped upon him.

Said Traynor: "If I were managing a ball club I would certainly do everything in my power to get a player like Don Hoak. He's a winner. I think of him as a throwback to the old days when players were supposed to fight for every advantage. Sure, there are better hitters—better fielders, too. But for fighting spirit and what it takes to win ball games, Hoak is something special in my book."

That's a fairly nice send-off.

The once-great Robin Roberts has been involved in six decisions so far this season. He has won only two, but one of his losses was a heart-breaking 1-0 11th inning affair to Pittsburgh Pirates last week. Monday night he proved to all that his fine showing against the Pirates was no fluke. He tackled the Milwaukee Braves Tuesday night when the world champions were on a seven game winning streak and he held them to six safeties as his mates pounded out a 5-2 win.

Robin's other victory came in the first week of the campaign and it was Milwaukee that fell victim on that occasion as well. The game he did lose to the Braves was a most respectable effort but the trouble was the Phils just wouldn't get him enough runs.

Other clubs with pennant ambitions would probably like to see Robin held in reserve just for that Milwaukee outfit. They need some outside help to keep those Braves from repeating.

Our friend Bill Ledwell in his column a few days ago suggested that the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association will have plenty of food for thought when they meet in annual session next month in Saint John, N.B. As the Prince Edward Island representative on the executive of that body, we heartily agree with Bill.

We read that the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association is putting on a very poor mouth and are moaning over the fact that Allan and Memorial Cup games have ceased to be the attraction that they once were. Naturally the C.A.H.A. depends on good receipts from these playoffs to keep their treasury on a good financial basis. Such has not been the case this past season and expenditures show no sign of dwindling.

Here in the Maritimes the 1956-57 season was one of the healthiest for many a moon but this past season was one of the worst the M.A.H.A. has had for quite some time. The Cape Breton semi-finals and finals followed the pattern of other years with terrific crowds in attendance and the New Glasgow-Amherst battle was a financial success. But after that things really went to pieces.

The Cape Breton-Royals series was expected to jam them in but nobody seemed to care who the affair and the fans really stayed away in huge numbers. The New Glasgow-Royals scrap was even a worse sham and the teams didn't draw peanuts. As far as that Bathurst-Royals farce is concerned the less said about that the better.

These were the games that the M.A.H.A. had expected to pick up a few dollars to help keep their budget balanced. But they were in for a big disappointment. But one thing continued on a par with last year and that was the expenditure.

Here in Prince Edward Island for example the M.A.H.A. certainly was not "grabbing" all the time these past two seasons. The association returned in excess of 1700 dollars to this province. This money was put to good use in the minor hockey program, the grants to Island Intermediate winners, a small grant to this past two seasons. Naturally expenditure in the other provinces would be greater but Prince Edward Island was certainly not overlooked by the M.A.H.A.

Assistance of this kind can only continue if the M.A.H.A. can get sufficient from its gate percentages to keep on giving. The old Latin maxim, Nemo dat quod non habet, is still a most realistic truth. Nobody can give what they have not.

Miles Receiving His Citizenship Papers Friday

EDMONTON (CP) — Rollic Miles, a 30-year-old halfback who came to Edmonton without fanfare eight years ago and became one of the outstanding football players in Canada, drops his "import" tag here Friday.

The Edmonton Eskimo backfield star is to receive his Canadian citizenship papers in a ceremony at the legislative buildings.

Miles, a native of Washington, D.C. and a graduate of a small Negro college at St. Augustine's in North Carolina, was picked up by the Eskimos when he was in Edmonton with a touring baseball club.

In his seven seasons with the club, he has become a perennial Western Interprovincial Football Union all-star.

He has been a school teacher here for several years.

Liston Scores TKO In Third

CHICAGO (AP)—Sonny Liston of Philadelphia, one of the best looking heavy weight prospects seen for some time in Chicago Stadium, Wednesday night scored a third-round technical knockout over Julio Mederos of Havana.

Referee Bernard Weissman stopped the scheduled 10-round nationally televised bout at the end of the second round on the advice of Dr. Irving Slott of the state athletic commission.

Mederos was bleeding freely from the mouth. Slott said he suffered a deep laceration of the lower lip and advised the fight be halted. Mederos, 199, did not rise from his corner stool as the bell signalled the start of the third round and it went as a third round TKO.

Liston, a 4-1 favorite, registered his 12th straight victory in impressive fashion. He nearly knocked out the 25-year-old Mederos in the first round. Liston weighed 204.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK (AP) — Probable pitchers in today's major league baseball games (won-lost records in parentheses):

American League
Baltimore at New York: Harman (5-0 vs Ford (2-2))
Cleveland at Detroit: Narleski (4-2) vs Hoelt (3-1)
Chicago at Kansas City: Wilson (3-1) vs Garver (3-1)

National League
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh: Hadix (1-2) vs Friend (5-1)
Los Angeles vs Chicago: Koufax (0-0) vs Drott (1-0)
San Francisco at St. Louis: McCormick (2-0) vs L. McDaniel (2-2)

Milwaukee at Philadelphia (N) Burdette (3-2) vs Sanford (2-3)

Morgan Goes To Buffalo

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Buffalo Bisons of the International League Wednesday announced the purchase of shortstop Bob Morgan from Chicago Cubs.

Morgan, 31, was voted the IL's most valuable player in 1949, the year he was the league's top hitter with Montreal.

For the last seven years Morgan has been with Brooklyn, Philadelphia, St. Louis Cardinals and the Cubs.

League Officials Are Nominated

Pius Callaghan last evening was elected President of the City Softball League at a meeting held in the Union Hall on Queen Street. Other members of the executive were: Bill Ledwell, 1st vice president and Harold Power, secretary treasurer. Colonel L. T. Lowther, who acted as president of the league last season, was nominated honorary president.

During the course of the Meeting plans were made for the coming season, which officially gets underway on May 26th. The Rollaway Aces were officially accepted into the league.

Team representatives voted each team be allowed to sign 18 players and that the deadline for registration be June 15th. Also that at that time the eighteen players or less of each team submit their registration fee of one dollar. Members of a team from outside the city, such as the Summerside air force, have to pay a higher fee of \$1.50.

It was also voted that the first four teams in the league would participate in the playoffs. The representatives also voted that two softball diamonds be used: Queen Charlotte and Victoria Park.

Other issues voted on were

Matches May Be Postponed

NEW YORK (AP) — Postponement or change of site for the United States-Venezuela Davis Cup matches appeared likely Wednesday although U.S. captain Perry Jones said, "I think we will play."

Jones, scheduled to fly out of New York, postponed his flight until today. His three-man team already is in Caracas, swept Tuesday by rioting and anti-American demonstrations.

The United States team is scheduled to meet Venezuela in an American zone elimination at the Altamira Tennis Club in Caracas Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Jones said there was no significance in his postponing his trip. He said he had hoped the matches could be played quietly and without incident, but he added:

"In Davis Cup competition, that is almost impossible. There must be fanfare and publicity. It's the United States against Venezuela. There's playing of national anthems and raising of flags."

"I'm not sure what the reaction might be to that with the situation tense as it appears to be."

Will Take Part In Race

SOUTHAMPTON, England (AP) — Three British yachts sailed aboard the steamship Alsatia Wednesday night for New York to take part in the Newport-Bermuda ocean race.

They are the Drumbeat, Belmore and Uomie.

The 18-ton Drumbeat will be captained by its owner, Max Aitken, wartime fighter pilot and son of newspaper magnate Lord Beaverbrook.

It is the largest yacht of the three—57 feet long with a 15-foot beam. The Belmore, owned by T. W. Steele, is 37 feet long and the Uomie, owner Geoffrey Patinson, is 33.

Expect Pact To Be Signed

TORONTO (CP) — A special committee of the National Hockey League and the American Hockey League, meeting here to discuss the agreement between the two bodies, reported Wednesday it has reached an amicable solution. It said it is expected a formal five-year agreement between the leagues will be signed at a meeting in Montreal June 2.

The existing five-year agreement expires Aug. 31 and the new agreement will be a continuation of it.

President Conn Smythe of Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, who represented the NHL, along with president Clarence Campbell of Montreal, and Frank Selke of Montreal Canadiens, said: "We had an amicable session. There was a little give and take."

REMEMBER WHEN . . .

Rocky Marciano knocked out challenger Joe Walcott in the first round at Chicago five years ago tonight, to retain the world heavyweight title he won from Walcott on a 13th-round knockout eight months previously. Marciano also disposed of Roland LaStarza, Ezzard Charles twice, Don Cockell and Archie Moore before he retired in 1956.

RESUME TALKS

LONDON (AP)—Russia's Premier Khrushchev and visiting President Nasser of the United Arab Republic met in Moscow's Kremlin palace Wednesday to resume talks aimed at strengthening ties between Russia and the United Arab Republic.

BACKS RUSSIA

WARSAW (Reuters)—Poland's Communists are siding with Russia against Yugoslavia for the first time since an ideological dispute between the two countries erupted a month ago. The Polish communist party newspaper, Tydzien Ludu drops its previous middle-of-the-road attitude toward the dispute by accusing Tito's followers of "introducing ideological confusion into the ranks of Communist parties."

DETECTIVES ON TRIAL

TORONTO (CP)—Three Metropolitan Toronto detectives Wednesday went on trial under the police act before a five-man metropolitan police commission. The detectives are charged with beating false confessions out of three suburban Etobicoke youths suspected of breaking and entering a service station.

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

National League			
W	L	Pct.	GBL
Milwaukee	16	8	667 —
Pittsburgh	17	9	654 —
San Francisco	17	10	630 ½
Chicago	14	14	500 4
St. Louis	10	14	417 6
Cincinnati	9	13	409 6
Philadelphia	10	16	385 7
Los Angeles	9	18	333 8½

American League			
W	L	Pct.	GBL
New York	15	5	750 —
Washington	13	11	542 4
Detroit	13	13	500 5
Baltimore	11	11	500 5
Cleveland	12	14	462 6
Boston	12	15	444 6½
Kansas City	9	12	428 6½
Chicago	9	13	408 7

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I FEEL BETTER ALREADY

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