

Giants Lengthen Lead; Phillies Defeat Dodgers

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Unbeaten Juan Marichal posted his seventh victory with a six-hitter Thursday night as San Francisco Giants whipped Pittsburgh 3-0 and extended their winning streak to 11 games—the longest in the majors this season.

Marichal struck out six and walked only one as he recorded his sixth complete game and second shutout while lowering his earned run average to 0.76.

Jim Hart scored one San Francisco run and produced another with a homer.

Singles by Hart, Jesus Alou and Ollie Brown, off Pittsburgh starter Bob Veale, gave the Giants their first run in the second inning. Hart's sixth homer, over the left field wall, made it 2-0 in the fourth.

The Giants scored their final run in the eighth on singles by Willie Mays and Alou and an error by first baseman Donn Clendenon.



DICK GROAT

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Dick Groat's two-run homer and Los Angeles Dodgers Thursday bases loaded single by John Cal-

Jim Bunning won his fourth game in five decisions, with help from Darold Knowles, who snuffed out a Dodgers' threat in the seventh with the help of a leaping grab by Groat of pinch hitter Tommy Davis' line drive with two out and the bases loaded.

Don Drysdale took the defeat, his fourth against two victories. Drysdale was staked to a 1-0 lead on Jim Lefebvre's ninth home run. But in the third Groat followed the first of three singles by Bunning with his second home run, giving the Phillies a lead they never lost.

Philadelphia routed Drysdale in the fifth when they scored three times.

Commercial Loop Announces Slate

The following is the City Commercial Softball League schedule for next week:

Monday 16th — Royal Bankers vs. H. and C. Power Kings (QCHS).

Tuesday 17th — Canadian Tire vs. RCMP (QCHS).

Wednesday 18th — RCMP vs. Junior Signals (QCHS).

Thursday 19th — H. and C. Power Kings vs. Canadian Tire (QCHS).

Thursday 19th — Police - Firemen vs. Royal Bankers (Spring Park).



Joe O'Brien Draws Sixth

HOMEWOOD, Ill. (CP)—Arm-bro Flight, Canadian trotting champion out of Brampton, Ont., drew the No. 6 spot Thursday night when post positions were drawn for the \$63,000 L. B. Sheppard Stakes which goes at Washington Park Raceway here Saturday.

A HAPPY ENDING

Rick Reichardt, (RIGHT), who was obtained by the Angels two years ago for a bonus of about \$200,000, and Paul Schaal, Angels' third baseman, combined their skills with the bat last night to break a 6-6 tie in the 10th inning and beat the Washington Senators 7 to 6 at Anaheim, Calif. Reichardt drove in three runs, including a 2-run homer in the 5th, while Schaal drove in the winning run in the 10th with a two-out single. Reichardt, on base with a single, scored the run.

Minnesota Shade Yanks; Pale Hose Shade Birds

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Jim Merritt silenced New York Yankees after they had shelled Camilo Pascual for 10 hits in six innings and protected Minnesota's 4-3 victory Thursday night.

The outcome broke a three-game Yankee winning streak under new manager Ralph Houk and also snapped a three-game Twins' losing streak.

Merritt relieved Pascual with two out in the sixth after the Yankees crept to within one run. The young southpaw held the Yanks to one hit in the final three innings.

Successful doubles by pinch hitter Roger Repoz and Roy White, with two out in the sixth, scored New York's third run and finished Pascual. The Yanks had scored twice in the fourth on singles by Joe Peptone and Roger Maris, a walk and a force play.

The Twins scored three runs in the third inning on five singles—and in the fourth three more.

BASEBALL SCORES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American League

New York 000 201 000—3 11 0

Minnesota 003 100 000—4 11 0

Peterson (2-2), Womack (4), Friend (2), Reniff (8) and Howard; Pascual (5-1), Merritt (6) and Battey.

Chicago 100 021 100—5 7 5

Baltimore 102 000 000—3 5 2

Howard, Lamabe (1-0), Fisher (7) and McNertney; Bertina, Watt (2-1), (5), Drabowsky (8) and Etchebarren, Carreon (6). HR: Balt-Blefary (7).

National League

Los Angeles 010 000 000—1 9 0

Phila. 002 030 000—5 11 0

Drysdale (2-4), Perranoski (5), Miller (7) and Roseboro; Punning (4-1), Knowles (7) and Dailrymple. HRs: LA-Lefebvre (9); Phi-Groat (2).

San Fran. 010 100 010—3 11 1

Pittsburgh 000 000 000—0 6 1

Marichal (7-0) and Barton; Veale (3-2), Cardwell (8), McBean (9) and Pagliaroni. HR: SF-Hart (6).

GADGET SPOTS FIRE

Infra-red forest fire detection apparatus can spot a blaze one foot across from an aircraft one mile high.

ATTENTION HORSEMEN

The sustaining fee for the Summerside Early Closers is due on May 15th

Jack Nicklaus Has Hot Round

NEW ORLEANS, La. (AP)—Jack Nicklaus got off to a ragged start, turned in a wild round, but carded a four-under par 68 Thursday for a share of the first round lead in the \$100,000 Greater New Orleans open golf tourney with Tony Lema, Frank Beard, Bob Goalby and Charles Coody.

Nicklaus toured the first nine holes of the 7,020-yard Lake-wood Country Club course, which plays at a par of 36-36, in 37. He charged home with a blaze of birdies for a 31.

Lema, who has been plagued with a sore elbow, carded a 33-35. He had four birdies and 14 pars.

"I missed some good birdie chances, but this is probably the best round I've played in six months."

Lema brushed away questions about his ailments. "I'm sick and tired of talking about it," he hearing about it. I just swing at it."

ers were caught in a downpour which delayed play for 30 minutes. Just behind the five co-leaders were veteran Tommy Bolt, Jack Montgomery, who hasn't won a dime on the tour this year, Lionel Hebert and Tommy Aaron—all with 69s.

Nicklaus said he felt his timing was off because he hadn't played since the Tournament of Champions a month ago.

He was all over the course on the front-nine. He hit into the trees on the second hole and was among the timber again on sixth and on the next hole put his drive on the No. 3 tee.

Defending champion Dick Mayer, who won a year ago with a sensational 35-yard wedge shot for a birdie on the final hole, pulled out just before the start of the first round because of illness.

Arnold Palmer turned in 71, and as did Doug Sanders—this year's leading money winner.

PLAYED IN MORNING

Beard turned in his 34-34-68 in the morning round and it stood up until nearly dark when Nicklaus, Lema, Goalby and Coody joined him in first place.

The Kentucky shotmaker, who has earned more than \$25,000 on the PGA circuit this year without a tournament victory, had five birdies in his round.

Beard and the morning start-

SPORTS FRONT

LA Dodgers Team To Beat

By CHRIS ANNETT

For years and years managers have raved that pitching was the name of the game and that is just why the Los Angeles Dodgers stand more than an average chance to become the first repeat winner in the National Baseball league.

The Dodgers, who last year returned to the style of play that was common in your grandfathers' day, have the finest quartet of starters in the major leagues in the persons of Koufax, Osteen, Sutton and Drysdale. Who's Sutton you're asking? Sutton is the Dodger rookie who was brought up from Santa Barbara and he is proving to be the big find of the year in all departments. Wednesday evening for example he went the route again and won his fourth game, while going three for three at the plate. Koufax, the accepted king of the hurlers is now 4-1 and he is moving them down as rapidly as ever. Osteen has been coming up with his usual strong performances and the only minor disappointment on the club staff so far has been Drysdale. He has been hit rather soundly in the past few games.

Relief pitching is excellent with both Ron Perranoski and Bob Millar to help out so the Dodgers have little to fear on the mound. Howie Reid is still around and he was a big man in the September surge last year so look out bettors.

HITTING PROBLEMS?

While on the subject of batters an interesting point to note is that the Dodger's .245 batting average last season was the lowest of any pennant winning club since the league began in 1896. And this was without two-time National league batting champ Tommy Davis. Davis is back this season and the Dodgers have responded with joy and a lot more hits.

The entire Dodger infield are effective switch hitters and this gives them equal strength against righthanders and southpaws. However the Dodgers are not a power club by any means. The team hit a combined total of 78 homers last year, and did not have one hitter over .300. Top man for runs batted in was Ron Fairley who had 70. This can be compared with the Chicago White Sox, eight place finishers who hit 134 homers and the RBI leader Deron Johnson who brought home 130 batters.

The Dodgers made up for their lack of hitting with hit and run play, steals and good base running. They will do it again this season.

WHAT ABOUT INFIELD

Many anti-Dodger fans point out that the club has a weak infield. This is not so. Jim Parker at first was the top fielding first sacker in the loop last year and he is joined by Rookie of the year Jim Lefebvre at second base and Maury Wills at shortstop. The only weak spot that the Dodgers might have is at third but that is no source of worry to them. In the past few seasons they have tried out 26 different players at the hot corner and in that time they have won two world championships. Apparently they have not got too many problems. Catching is strong with both Roseboro and Jeff Torborg calling the signals for the best pitchers in the business and both have proved that it is an unwise policy to run against the Dodgers.

The outfield is strong with Tommy Davis, Ron Fairley, Willie Davis and Lou Johnson all circulating. All are strong on defense and fair at bat which is all the Dodgers care about.

The only thing left is spirit and that the Dodgers have in spades. They fought back in September last season after all appeared lost and will more than likely do so again this season. However, for the superstitious there is always the consolation that the Dodgers have not been able to put together two pennants in a row not for 6 years even though they have won 7 of the last 14 races. They have the best manager in the loop, the best pitching and one of the best all round rosters minus hitters: They should take the works again.

Baseball Registration

Minor baseball registration will be held again tomorrow morning at Memorial field and all parents are asked to see that their youngsters register so that practices can be scheduled beginning May 21st.

191 players registered on the first day of registration and this is more than double the figures for the same time last year.

HUNTER'S CORNER

Trout Caught This Season Don't Seem Full Of Fight

The trout fishing season is just two days short of being a month old and this columnist has yet to wet a line. I watched anglers trying their luck and landing some nice trout but they lacked the fighting zip that causes a slender fishing rod to bend in an arc that tingles ones arm muscles and telegraphs every wild surge of power or shake of the head. I have tangled with a fighting two pounder, or better, in June when I thought at times I'd never wear the fighter down but the end comes suddenly. One minute you have battle royal on your hands and the next a tired fighter is being towed, apparently limp and placid to boat-side but there is always that unexpected last effort that often wins their freedom if the landing net is handled carelessly. Some old, experienced battlers are hard to handle. My partner hooked one last season, on a fly, who immediately sounded and sat tight on the bottom. Heavy pressure was put on all that the rod would stand in fact, but a steady tick took vibrated up the rod. Apparently he saw a weed away till the leader parted and the rod tip came up like a coiled spring. That old timer knew his stuff.

It's impossible to please some people in this dam building program. Take the dam at Tignish for instance. It was constructed with a bypass some years ago and trout moved up freely into the dam. I was warned that the dam would go out with the heavy spring freshets as the bypass was not wide enough. We did have a heavy snowfall that spring with a real humdinger about May 1st... it was a freshet to end all freshets. I was tipped off on the quiet that even if the dam withstood the spring flood it was slated to go out in any event. I slipped up to this dam one evening after the big flood was over and it had held like the rock of Gibraltar. About three days after I received a call from Tignish to come up as the dam had gone out as predicted. I called on my informant. He showed me his calloused palms that had resulted by the fight he and his son had made to save the dam. I inquired as to date of the breakaway and was told the night it went out which was four or five days before my visit. When I told him of my visit three days ago and the dam was still intact his eyes fairly bugged out of his head and he took his departure swiftly and never looked back.

Two years later I was given the whole story and the names of those involved... and what an eye opener that was... I knew

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