

Erskine Sets Record In Defeating Yankees

Campanella Hits Home Run In 8th As Brooklyn Wins First Game 3-2

By JACK HAND
BROOKLYN, (AP) — Trim Carl Erskine, a handsome hoosier right-hander, shattered Howard Ehmke's 1920 world series knockout record Friday by fanning 14 New York Yankees for Brooklyn's first victory, 3-2, in a brilliant comeback. The Yanks still lead in the series, 2-1.

Yanked from the box after a disastrous four-run first inning in the opener, the 26-year-old Dodger bounced back to restore Dodger confidence after two shocking defeats.

Roy Campanella, playing with a painfully puffed right hand, blasted an eighth-inning home run that gave the soft-spoken Erskine his greatest triumph.

Applaud Pitcher

As Erskine gathered in Joe Collins' soft tap to the mound and threw to Gil Hodges for the final out, the entire Dodger bench erupted onto the field to slap the back and wring the accomplished right hand of their pitcher.

Ehmke's record, set for Philadelphia A's against Chicago Cubs, Oct. 8, 1929 when he was Connie Mack's surprise choice to pitch the opener, had endured for 24 long years until Erskine came swinging down the pike.

On the way he struck out Mickey Mantle and Joe Collins four times each, only one short of a series record. Going to the ninth inning with 12, just one short of the Ehmke high, he whizzed three strikes past the swinging bats of

pinch-hitters Don Bollweg and Johnny Mize. Then he walked pinch-hitter Irv Noren before retiring Collins to put it in the bank.

Drama Mounts Steadily

The drama mounted steadily throughout the bright, summery afternoon with Erskine firing his blazing fast ball and sharp curve past the Yank hitters in a clutch duel with Vic Raschi.

From the moment that Erskine shot a third strike past lead-off man Gil McDougald in the first inning, it was obvious he was a far different pitcher from the wild, shaky man who flopped so badly on opening day.

Erskine started out as though he had taken aim at Ehmke's record. He fanned two men in each of the first three innings. Mantle went down swinging for his second strikeout in the fourth, boosting Erskine's total to seven. Then Collins for his third straight in the fifth, and Mantle once more and Gene Woodling, too, in the sixth for a total of 10.

Erskine didn't whiff a man in the seventh but picked up again in the eighth to get Collins and Mantle for the fourth time with a brilliant display of clutch work. Pinch-hitters Bollweg and Mize finally sent him over the top with his final total of 14.

Despite Erskine's spell, the Yanks managed to get out front in the fifth on three infield singles, none of which ever reached the outfield grass.

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Annual Meeting of Charlottetown Skeet Club

The last official shoot of the Charlottetown Skeet Club was held on Wednesday, September 30. More gunners than at any other shoot of the season took part. Shooting began at approximately 2 p.m. and carried on through until dark. At that time the members, their wives and guests met at the Highfield Tourist Club for the closing banquet of the season and the annual meeting.

After a delicious turkey dinner the members held their annual meeting. Reports were given by the president, and the secretary treasurer. Election of officers was held with the result that the former slate was voted back in as a body. These officers consist of the following: President, T. M. Gillies; vice-president, Dr. G. G. Houston; secretary treasurer, A. G. Hogan; directors, O. S. Harper, W. E. Rodd, G. Willis.

A very gratifying part of the meeting was the receipt of a telegram from Syl Apps, manager, Sporting Goods Dept., Simpson-Sears, Toronto, in which he notified the Club that his firm is donating a 12-gauge shot gun to the local Club. The message was met with a round of applause and many complimentary remarks continued on page 15.

S.D.U. Meets Mt. A. Today In Intercollegiate Opener

A large number of last year's Saint Dunstan's football squad, Maritime Intercollegiate and Curly Champions of 1952 will not be in uniform for the Red and White when they take the field at Mount Allison this afternoon in the first game of the Intercollegiate series of 1953. Those missing from last year's team are Phil Coyle, Pete Dunphy, Clarence MacDonald, Cy McIsaac, Joe Mullally, Fred Driscoll, Copy Callaghan, John Millally and Charlie Cheverie. Also missing will be Art Pendergast who is out with torn ligaments and speedy Paul Jay who has a pulled muscle in his chest.

M.C.A. Wins Opener From New Waterford 7 To 2

Maritime Central Airways won the first game of the best-of-three series for the Maritime Intermediate baseball title as they defeated the New Waterford Giants 7 to 2 in a game played at Memorial Field.

Paul Jay, the regular shortstop of Maritime Central Airways who at game time was a doubtful starter due to a pulled muscle in his chest, pitched the M.C.A. team to

their victory. He limited the visiting New Waterford club to two runs on seven hits in going the nine inning route. Jay also had eight strikeouts to his credit.

A. Pittie who opposed Jay on the mound gave up a total of six hits, two of which went for extra bases. He was given little support by his teammates as they committed six errors and left fourteen men stranded on the bases. He had six strikeouts over the nine

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October, the month of the Hunter's Moon, crimson mists and golden stubble, the whisper of wings in the dawn and coveys of brown birds against a blue sky is with us once more. October is my favourite month. It conjurs up memories of frost whitened stubble and the pulse stirring music of incoming geese; of sun dappled wood roads and the twitt twatt of Ruffed grouse and the familiar scap of snipe zig-zagging from alder covers. Yes, its the outdoorsman's month.

The 11th of the month will see thousands of hunters afield in quest of game. Some are of two minds whether to rig out for ducks or geese or try a combination of both. Once the morning flight of ducks peters out there are Huns to walk up or the elusive pheasant to outwit. Prospects are good for a successful shoot on ducks but many 'rats' of blacks have foregathered on the salt flats. When the tide rises they'll probably seek change of fare on inland rivers, lakes and ponds. Methinks the birds are dining on choice fare on the tidal flats. It could be the small black seeds that go hand in hand with the eel grass beds.

I remember in the days before the eel grass died (1932-33) I shot black ducks that came in from the salt water bays and estuaries for fresh water whose necks were filled to the throat with small black seeds that would give out a grinding sound when the necks of the birds were pressed between thumb and forefinger. I had never shot ducks that had been dining on this type of food since the eel grass was killed off by an unknown blight. This fall, with the eel grass beds once more firmly established, I hope to find the same little black seeds of twenty years ago in their necks.

Hungarian partridge are back in numbers comparable to the late thirties and early forties. A mild winter is the answer. The increase or decrease of Hungarian partridge is not governed by shooting but by weather conditions. A couple of more winters like the last one would see Huns almost as thick as rabbits in Australia before they were inoculated with a germ and practically wiped out.

The question whether or not hen pheasants will be legal game this season will be decided next week. Pheasants have increased to the point where far sighted sportsmen are beginning to wonder to what adverse extent they will affect our Huns and Ruffed grouse in the near future. Visiting hunters from the States warned up about allowing the pheasants to gain a foothold in the province eight or 10 years ago. It's too late now to do much about it except to try and hold them in check and unless hen birds are made legal game putting the brakes on John Pheasant is somewhat of a hopeless task.

Hen birds have increased greatly this past three years and observers contend that quite a few nests are filled with infertile eggs. Furthermore the feeling is prevalent that a sizable percentage of gunners do not make any effort to distinguish between hen birds or cocks while the conscientious hunter goes home pheasantless. One sportsman told me that last fall he got into a long, narrow strip of cover and flushed 11 hen birds before a snipe cock broke cover well out of range and scaled off into a dense swamp giving the hunter the old familiar raspberry. Hen pheasants will learn fast on hunting pressure is turned on full force and the poacher who has paid no attention to game regulations in the past will not have such easy pickings this fall... if

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PLYMOUTH, England, (CP)—One hundred men entered a sea angling contest here. But one of the eight women contestants won the best-specimen award with a 19-pound dogfish. The heaviest fish a 108-pound shark, was also hooked by a woman.

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DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

As the Grand Circuit nears Lexington new records are constantly being made. A Reading, Pa., half-mile track where rich stakes attract the best in the land, Newport Dream won the Reading Fair Futurity Two-Year-Old Trot, purse \$18,276, with Seminole Hanover next best in the summary. Newport won the first elimination heat, Seminole the second and in the race off Newport was first again, best time, 2:07 1/5. Interesting to note is the fact that Seminole Hanover was driven by Sam Caton, who at one time trained and raced horses for the Czar of Russia. The win boosted Newport Dream's money winnings to \$81,012, making it possible for him to win over \$100,000 this season.

The following day a world's record was made in the Three-Year-Old Pace Reading Fair Futurity, purse \$11,397. Torrid, a bay colt by Knight Dream, dam, Torresdale by Abbedale, won all three heats with Hersey Hanover by Dean Hanover 2-2-2, time, 2:03, 2:03, 2:06 2/5—a world's record for three heats by a three-year-old pacer on a half-mile track. Still another world's record was made on the following day when Tommy Berry, who is probably the oldest horseman on the Grand Circuit, won the Reading Futurity for three-year-old trotters, purse \$14,447 with Kimberley Kid, a bay colt by Volomite. He made it 1-1-1 with Lark Hanover 2-2-2, time, 2:04, 2:05, 2:06—a new world's record for three heats for a three-year-old trotter over a half-mile track.

In the Two Year Old Pace Reading Fair Futurity, purse \$19,976, Rose Adios won the first elimination heat with Chief Knight Star 2; Champ Adios by Adios won the second elimination heat with Diamond Hal, owned by Sol Camp, and driven by Joe O'Brien 2. In the final heat race Rose Adios was the winner with Diamond Hal 2, time, 2:04 3/5—a record for this stake—2:07, 2:07 3/5. To give a better idea of the great performances of the juveniles, here is the result of the Free For All Pace, purse \$2000—Direct Rhythm (Arthur) 1-1, Signal P. Direct (Lose) 2-2, five other starters. Time, 2:06 3/5, 2:06, 2:05 1/5—state record for two-year-old pacers—2:06 1/5. The Wolverine is a half-mile track and Mack Primrose was in with two of the three top two-year-old pacers of the season, the other being Meadow Face which Joe did not start and is evidently saving for Lexington.

The 15th annual auction of the Standardbred Horse Sales Company will be held at Harrisburg, Pa., November 9th to 13th. Entries will be limited to 900 horses and closes October 10th.

The writer had the pleasure of a visit to Blue Bonnets Raceway last week and on our way to the stables the first man we met was Jimmie McIvor, well known caretaker of Lucky Chief. We had a grand little talk and I directed to where the other Martimers were. Jimmie's stable in addition to Lucky Chief includes Flaxcott, June Bee and Betty Playdale, with Rannie MacDonald trainer and driver. Next we met Reg McCallum, who drove P. E. I. Budlong a few years ago. Later we saw P. J. Cadogan at the hotel. The Harry Hirsch stable was nearby with Stanley Lewis in charge. He has Roll On, Globe-trotter and Joan Chief and we were talking to Don Ratchford.

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World Series Facts, Figures

Third game, at Ebbets Field, Oct. 2.	R	H	E
New York	2	6	0
Brooklyn	3	9	0

Raschi and Berra; Erskine and Campanella.

Remaining schedule:
Fourth and fifth games at Ebbets Field, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 3 and 4; sixth and seventh games, if necessary, at Yankee Stadium, Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 5 and 6.

Financial Figures

Third game:
Attendance paid 35,270.
Receipts net \$209,352.68.
Players' Pool—\$106,785.17.
Commissioner's Share—\$31,407.40.
Clubs' and League's Share—\$71,190.11.

Three-game figures:
Attendance paid 171,430.
Receipts net \$987,432.34.
Players' Pool first four games only—\$489,000.50.
Commissioner's Share — \$146,764.85.
Clubs' and League's Share — \$332,666.99.

Royals Win Little World Series 10-0

MONTREAL, (CP)—Ed Roebuck, a husky, 22-year-old right-hander, limited Kansas City to seven scattered hits as Montreal Royals blanked the Blues 10-0 Friday night to take the first game of the little world series before 8,686 fans.

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