

Montreal Meets Toronto With Strategy in Doubt

MONTREAL (CP)—The strategy Montreal Alouettes will use against the Argonauts in their Eastern Football Conference opener Friday night at Toronto hinges on whether or not Bobby Lee Thompson will be ready to play.

Thompson, the snappy 22-year-old defensive halfback acquired by the Alouettes last year from the University of Arizona, sprained ligaments in his foot Sept. 24 in an interlocking game against Calgary Stampeders.

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Exciting Race Program Hed

There were three double dash winners at last night's harness racing card at the Charlottetown Driving Park.

Windy June picked up double triumphs in races one and five, while Scotty Light captured the third and seventh races while Mary Leah emerged on top in races four and eight.

Mr. McEliwyn Key and Mat Kai each picked up single victory with the Key horse grabbing the second race and Lorne Hennessy driven Mat Kai taking the first position in the sixth event.

The highest pay of the night was the quinnella of Scottish Light and Mighty Warrior which returned lucky ticket holders \$43.20.

The first daily double returned \$8.10 on a combination of Windy June and Mr. McEliwyn Key's Prize (G. Fitzpatrick) 2.8 and Scotty Light doing the honors. The exactor of Windy June, Direct Strike paid \$21.20, and Direct Strike paid \$21.20.

The highest single pay of the evening was a \$22.40 payoff on Windy June on Scotty Light in the third race. Mat Kai paid \$18.70 for a win ticket in the sixth race.

FIRST GAME BOX SCORE

AR	HR	BI	PO	A	8th.
Willis	5	0	0	2	0
Gilman	3	0	1	1	1
W.Davis	3	1	0	0	0
T.Davis	4	0	3	0	0
F.Howard	4	1	1	0	0
Fairly	0	0	0	0	0
Skowron	3	1	2	3	0
Tracewski	1	1	2	3	0
Roseboro	4	1	1	3	0
Koufax	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	55	9	27	4	0

Starters For Summerside Raceway Friday, Oct. 4, Post Time 9 P.M.

Races 1 and 5 - Division \$150
 Peter Federal, Money Royal, Rudy Price, Homestretch, Win Barnes, Jolly Lass, Richie, Mighty William.

Races 2 and 4 - Division \$100.
 Harless, Ahl, Nellie, Mighty Sandy, Maggie Gene, Tommy Collins, Eleanor Patch, Bold Jeanne.

Races 3 and 7 - Division \$200.
 Miss Tom Scott, Bitty Silver, Blue Mountain Girl, Roger Parlay, Chuck H.

Races 4 and 8 - Division \$300.
 Spineco's Magic, Caty's Girl, Cadillac Gold Dust, Princess Spangler, Phillips Queen, Frisco Hanover.

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Thrills Of Yesteryear

WORLD series competition brings to mind, for a lot of baseball folks, great thrills of other classes in years gone by. Undoubtedly some recalled a World Series fan, the answers you'd receive as to the one with the greatest thrills would number about 25. The opinion as to thrills varies with the individual and as a result of the replies you'd be amazed in any great agreement.

However, we think that Bill Mazeroski's home run in the ninth inning of the seventh game in 1960 with the Yankees, breaks anything we have ever heard or seen in these fall classics. Our first interest in the World Series was in Pittsburgh when the Pirates battled back from almost certain defeat and took the world series.

That was the year the Yankees broke all the records, shattered the Sox in three of the games and took away everything but what they really wanted—the series itself.

Yankee - Dodger Feuds

YANKEES and Dodgers provided their own outstanding shows in years gone by. Those great fights in 1947 and 1949 were hard-fought but the meetings in 1953 and 1955 were battles long to be remembered.

It was 1953 that Johnny Podres beat the Bombers twice, blanking them in the seventh game before a stunned crowd at Yankee Stadium. That was the year the Dodgers lost the first two games, yet battled back to grab their first series crown.

Then came 1956 and after the first two with the Yankees, Dodgers appeared to have their own championship. They put the first two games in the victory column yet lost 4-3 in the best of seven set. This was the classic that Don Larsen hurled and set a record in the seventh game which has never been accomplished such a feat. This was the year that Dodgers forced a seventh game after Alvin Libani's terrific pitching evaded the series for the Dodgers in the sixth contest.

It was a strange twist in Ebbett's Field that 1956 opened to see and hear Flatbush fans cheering their heroes off for Alvin Libani's pitch hit that ruined Floyd Bennett's no-hitter. Sal had come over from the Giants and while with the Giants he was the most hated man in Brooklyn.

But it was altogether different once The Barber put on a Dodger uniform. The hate turned to love and the love increased as the Yankees fell victims. The next day the Bombers chased Bill Newcombe in a hurry, built up a huge 4-0 lead but couldn't hold it as Russ Hoadson came to win 1-3. Then it looked as though the Yankees were finished but it was far from behind the case. They responded with three straight triumphs, dropping a 1-0 ten inning decision in the sixth before crushing the Dodgers before the bewildered Brooklyn fans in the seventh.

Many Great Moments

THERE are many great memories of Dodgers and Yankees in the past. Sandy Amoros's curch in the final game in 1960; Cookie Lavagetto's pinch hit that ruined Floyd Bennett's no-hitter and gave the Dodgers a 3-2 triumph; Al Giofriddo's sensational save of Dimaggio's would-be-homer; Carl Erskine's strikeout record ten years ago yesterday; Don Larsen's perfect game; Jackie Robinson's terrific base running; Mickey Vernon's drive of the third strike which would have ended game number four in victorious fashion for the Dodgers in 1941; Hugh Casey's and Joe Page's dramatic relief pitching. These are but a few of the great moments served up by Dodgers and Yankees when they clashed in world series play since 1941.

Attention - Football Officials

AN interscholastic football clinic will be held for officials on this coming Saturday at 10 a.m. at St. Dunstan's University. Chief instructor will be Ft. LI Ian M. Hardy, recreation officer, RCMP Station, Summerside, and referee-in-chief of the provincial interscholastic football officials.

It is most important that the probationary list of officials approved at a recent meeting of the interscholastic association executive be on hand. A practical session will be conducted in the afternoon when Alberta Regional High School meets Moncton Regional in an exhibition game.

beat out an infield single. That Ford, went to 2-2 and finally struck out on a fastball with run but for a fine stop by Traj- jet.

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MEETS CHALLENGE

With three on and two out, the 50 had didn't look as big as it had one-half inning ear- lier. But Koufax was up to the challenge. Lopez, batting first, walked. He got on third and Roseboro on a full count. After he threw two balls to Koufax, he struck out pinch hitter Harry Moseley behind second base that kept Howard on third.



Willie Davis, Los Angeles Dodger centerfielder, slides safely into first base, advancing from third base on hit and World Series game today at Yankee Stadium. Cleo Boyer hurler Willie Ford backs up the play (AP Wirephoto).

SETS STRIKEOUT MARK

Koufax stars As Dodgers Take Thrilling 5-2 Win

By JACK HAND
 NEW YORK (AP) — Sandy Koufax broke Carl Erskine's World Series strikeout record just 10 years later and apologized to the ex-Dodger Wednesday after fanning 13 New York Yankees in a 5-2 opening game in Los Angeles.

Erskine, now a 28-year-old insurance man in Anderson, Ind., was waiting in the Dodger clubhouse to congratulate the 27-year-old lefty after pinch-hitter Harry Brier's last-out strike-out had created the old record. Erskine set it Oct. 2, 1953, against another Yankee club at Ebbett's Field.

"Sandy sort of apologized to me," Erskine said. "He told me that when we had 14 he thought maybe he had enough. I told him he deserved the record, as long as he kept it in the family."

Koufax conceded he was "a little waxy" in the middle of the game and again at the end. He certainly wasn't weak at the beginning when he struck out the first five Yankees, tying a record set by the old St. Louis Cardinal Mort Cooper against the Yanks in 1943.

Nobody got a hit or even a foul foul until Euston Howard singled with two out in the fifth. The Yanks were shut out until Tom Tresh hit a two-run homer in the eighth.

The Dodgers hopped on Whitey Ford for four runs in the second, three on a home run by Johnny Roseboro, his first off a left hander pitcher. Moose Skowron, an old-Yankee, drove in the other two with a pair of singles. Skowron knocked out the first in the second and the last in the third. After that early outburst against Ford, the drama of the day was reserved for the dying moments.

Euston Howard was a quick out as he opened the last of the ninth with a line drive. Joe Penning, who had fanned in the third, had a 2-2 count on him and then singled. Cleo Boyer flied out.

DOWN TO LAST MAN

It came down to Bright, batting for reliever Steve Hamilton. Harry went 2-2 before he succumbed for the record-breaker on a humming fast ball.

When the series resumes Thursday afternoon at Yankee Stadium, it will be another battle of left handers. Al Downing, a 23-year-old farmhand moved from Richmond in June, will work for the Yankees. Downing had a 13-5 record during the regular season.

Johnny Podres, a two-time winner in 1955 when the Dodgers' (Brooklyn version) captured their only series, will pitch for Los Angeles. Podres, now 31, had a 14-12 regular season record. The 27-year-old Koufax who won 25 and set a strikeout record of 206 in the regular National League season, blew down the first 14 Yankees.

Koufax's total of 15 included Bobby Richardson three times and Tony Kubek, Tom Tresh, Mickey Mantle twice each. He also whiffed Roger Maris, Elin Howard, Joe Peppone and pinch hitter Hector Lopez, Phil Lintz and Bright.

YANKS FAN TEN

Ford's struck out four. Stan Williams five and Steve Hamilton one for a total of 10 making it 25 for the two clubs. That broke the old mark of 22 set by St. Louis Cardinals' Mort Cooper and St. Louis Browns' Denny Galehouse in 1944 in the fifth

SPORT ECHOES

By Norman Macdonald
 Summerside Bureau of The Guardian

Drama Rides The Last Pitch

There was surely a lot of drama riding on those last pitches to Bright today in the first of the World Series. Three things could have happened. Bright could have got a base hit, and the Yankees could have come back. Koufax could have pitched for a surprise victory. Or — and this has to begin to show — Bright could have hit a pop fly or an easy grounder and the game would have been over. But Bright's striking out, not only gave the Dodgers the victory, it set a new world series record in strikeouts—15, breaking the record of 14 strikeouts held by Erskine.

The fact that Whitey Ford has hit so hard in the early stages of the game was probably a surprise to many. But the law of averages was against Ford, and besides he's 25 or thereabouts and has great power, including the splitter, which will have to dry up sometime. He looked good this year, but he's never been able to hold a lead. He has to begin to show some sense, and father time like the calf is growing within a person's life.

Dodgers Will Win In Seven

Don't forget we said the Dodgers strike out or hit into a double play. We were very exact in our analysis. The Dodgers will win in seven. The Yankees will make a fight of it. Peppone or Mantle or Moe may hit the ball and of the park occasionally. Bobby Richardson will probably misplay in the World Series games. Mantle will punish his bum leg for a spectacle in a large way. He will be able to hit the ball. Maybe that sounds to you like a lot of bull, but it makes sense, and father time like the calf is growing within a person's life.

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SANDY'S ELATED

An elated Sandy Koufax struck today. Sandy had just blanked the Los Angeles Angels 15-0 in the game, a new World Series record. (AP Wirephoto)

Bright of the Yankees for his 15th strikeout in the game, a new World Series record. (AP Wirephoto)