

National League Sees Tight Race

Dodgers, Cincinnati Virtually Tied for Lead; Cleveland Beaten by 6-Hit Hurling.

By JUDSON BAILEY (Associated Press Sports Writer) National league fans, who have endured enough hat-raising races in recent years that they can feel blue about the child's play now going on in the American league, never had anything closer than the Cincinnati Reds and Brooklyn Dodgers are today. They are tighter than a tie, if such a situation is possible. The Dodgers are on top in percentage .714 to .710, but they are

half a game behind in won-lost calculations. Cincinnati has won two games more (22) than the Dodgers, who have just one less (eight) than the Reds. The Reds did all that was in their power to capture the lead in stopping the Pittsburgh Pirates 2-1 and 7-3 yesterday. In the first game Whittey Moore and Joe Boga combined to hold Pittsburgh to four hits and won the game on two runs donated them in the first inning. Helped by two three-run frames, Jim Turner went the route in the nightcap, scattering nine hits. **Dodgers Blank Phillies.** But Cincinnati's best just wasn't good enough to erase that percentage margin as long as the Dodgers continued to win—and they chalked up their fourth straight victory with a 6-0 shutout of the Philadelphia Phillies. Waitt kept four hits nicely spaced while his mates rapped up

on Clyde Smoll and Frank Hoerst for an even dozen. **Newsom Halts Indians.** The Cleveland Indians slipped half a notch in their efforts to overtake the Boston Red Sox in the American league by losing a night game to the Detroit Tigers 6-1. Newsom simply took charge, holding Cleveland to six hits, striking out nine and retiring the last 11 batters in order. The Red Sox were rained out at Philadelphia. The New York Yankees pulled a pitching chestnut out of the fire in old time fashion. They got only

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four hits, the same as the Washington Senators, but triumphed 5-0. Chandler allowed nothing but singles, well separated, while the Yankee blow included Keller's fifth home run with two on and DeMaggio's third. This enabled the Chicago White Sox to climb back into the first division by outgunning the St. Louis Browns for a 7-5 victory.

Moore Still Leading Coast League Swatters

LOS ANGELES, May 28.—(AP)—Improving his average by seven points, Johnny Moore, Los Angeles outfielder, easily retained coast league batting honors with 427 in the past week's games through Sunday. Three runners-up, still holding their relative places, lost ground in points. In second place, Mike Christof of Oakland dropped back 29 points to 356. Third was Ten Jennings, San Francisco, at 355, down seven, while Steve Mesner of San Diego eased off three at 352. The league's home-run king, Lou Novikoff of Los Angeles, increased his total by one to 15 while his teammate, Bob Collins, clouted two and jumped into second place with 3. Oliver Cromwell had all England writing paper marked with a fool's cap and bells design, to show his contempt for King Charles I. This "fool's cap paper" originated.

OSC Ends Season By Beating U. of O.

(By the Associated Press) The Oregon State Beavers, newly crowned northern division, Pacific coast conference baseball champions, closed their successful season with a 4-1 victory over the Webfoots in Eugene yesterday. Clayton Shaw, on the mound for the Beavers, had the best of Bob Rieder in a pitching duel although he allowed six hits to the Beavers' five. Bonney singled home two runs in the fifth to decide the contest. The Washington Huskies dug deeper into the cellar when they met defeat from the Idaho Vandals in Moscow 15-4. The Huskies close their season against Idaho today. The Vandals and Washington State Cougars wind up the conference schedule with games Friday and Saturday. The first game will be played at Pullman and the final at Moscow. The scores: Oregon State 4 5 0 Oregon 1 6 3 Shaw and Leovich; Rieder and

Walden Washington 4 7 2 Idaho 13 18 2 Izzard, Heath and Watson; Stoddard and Price.

Standings

National League			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Brooklyn	20	8	.714
Cincinnati	22	9	.710
New York	17	12	.586
Chicago	18	15	.545
Philadelphia	11	15	.423
St. Louis	11	20	.355
Boston	9	18	.333
Pittsburgh	8	20	.286
American League			
Boston	19	9	.679
Cleveland	20	12	.625
Lancet	17	14	.548
Chicago	15	17	.469
Washington	15	18	.455
New York	15	17	.433
St. Louis	12	18	.400
Philadelphia	12	18	.400

Magic Missing
GREEN BAY, Wis.—No wonder Fred Colb, who lost the key to his fame, was so embarrassed at having to call firemen to help him gain entrance through a window by means of a ladder. He is a magician by avocation.

Hoover Favors One Preparedness Head

NEW YORK, May 28.—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover says the nation's preparedness should be entrusted to a single-headed munitions administration. The head of such an administration, he said in a nationally broadcast speech last night, should be an industrialist and not a politician. He should be assisted by a non-partisan advisory board and sub-directors for agriculture, labor and industry, the former president declared. "The whole of the purchasing and manufacturing for the army and navy from private industry should be done by this administrator," Hoover said. "The business of the army and navy is to state what they want. It is for the munitions administrator to deliver it." What the country needs, Hoover said, is a sign of "keep off the grass" with a fierce dog plainly in sight. The former president was critical of what he described as the implication in Mr. Roosevelt's Monday address "that previous administrations had been derelict in providing national defense." "These statements have a partisan flavor," said Hoover. Declaring he could "challenge the implications of Mr. Roosevelt's figures" on what had been accomplished toward preparedness under the new deal, Hoover said that national defense was a "relative" thing—"relative to the military menace in the rest of the world." Up till the end of his administration, he said, the world "was kept

turned toward peace," adding: "The suggestion we should have armed against menaces that had not been born seems overdue." During the last five years the country has been warned often of impending warlike events, he went on, yet we "obviously have not gotten preparedness."

EFFECTIVE PENALTY

DENVER—(AP)—John Haynes, ninth grade teacher, has what he says is a sure remedy for students who sleep, dawdle or waste time in classes. He requests them to stay one hour after school and forces them to sit squarely in front of a clock and watch it constantly as one second flows by. It is particularly effective, says Haynes, in the springtime when the classroom window is open, birds sing and the air is balmy and classmates laugh and shout at each other as they romp on the school grounds.

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