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**Dodgers' "Bell-Cow" Is Team's Salvation During Final Drive For Pennant**

By JOE REICHLER

BROOKLYN, Oct. 7.—(AP)—Phil (The Scooter) Rizzuto, smallest Yankee of them all, was holding court in the Yankee dressing room after their epic 1-0 defeat at the hands of Brooklyn's Preacher Roe.

"The first time you face Roe, you actually feel sorry for him," he said. "He looks so sad and skinny."

"The second time you bat against him, you still feel certain you can hit him with your eyes closed, even though he struck you out the first time. The ball comes to you as big as a balloon."

"When you get up there to hit against him the third time, you're cursing him all over the park, and hope you never see him again. He's a cutie. That's what he is. He never gives you that fat, fast one. He's always throwing that trick stuff at you."

That probably is the best way to describe the 31-year-old left-hander, six-foot one, and weighing 155, the pipe-smoking native of Hardy, Ark., who once taught high school mathematics, looks like he'd fall apart if caught in a cross-wind.

**He's Team's Bell-Cow**

He's supposed to be unable to work more than once a week, yet, next to Don Newcombe, he was the hardest working Dodger pitcher during the stretch September drive. If ever a team had a bell-cow, the Brooks had one in him in those hectic four weeks.

It was Roe who won two key ball games, both from the St. Louis Cardinals, just when the outlook was darkest. Manager Burt Shotton maintains that those two triumphs did more than any other to bring the flag to Flatbush.

That "Preacher" nickname —



**BROOKLYN IN THE BRONX**—A touch of Brooklyn was transplanted to the New York Bronx for the first game of the world series as the faithful gathered to see "Dem Bums" grapple with the Yankees. Apron and all, Mrs. Carrie Koschnick (center) of Brooklyn braved the trip into the hinterlands beyond the East river, but came well fortified with groceries. Helping whoop things up during lunch is Mrs. Mary Widman (right) of Maspeth, in Brooklyn's neighboring borough of Queens. The Yankees won the game, though, 1 to 0, with a ninth inning homer by Tommy Henrich.—(AP Wirephoto.)

how about that? Is it because of his solemn appearance?

"No," he said. "My uncle pinned it on me when I was three years old. I complained to him about the name of Elwin my father had burdened me with. I hated it. He asked me what I wanted to be when I grew up. I told him I wanted to be a preacher."

"All right, then," he said. "We'll call you Preacher," and Preacher it has been ever since."

Among the 70,053 who watched Roe pitch his masterpiece were his wife, father and eight-year-old son. The boy's name? Why Elwin, of course.

**Hollies Defeat Padres In Third Game Of Series**

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The Hollywood Stars try to even up at home tonight in their final Pacific Coast league governors' cup playoff series with the San Diego Padres.

Willard Ramsdell pitched the stars to a 6-to-4 win last night in San Diego, their first in the three games played there. The rest of the best-out-of-seven series will be played here.

Hollywood took a 2-1 lead in the fifth and was never headed. The pennant-winners pounced on losing Pitcher Al Jurisich for three runs in the seventh. George Genovese walked and was doubled in by Gene Handley. Singles by Herb Gorman and Chuck Stevens scored the other two. Handley and Irv Noren each doubled to produce two tallies in the fifth. Ramsdell gave up nine hits.

Orestes Minoza smacked a two-run homer for the losers.

Red Adams (8-8) for the Padres and Glen Moulder (14-9) for the Hollywoods are tonight's probable pitchers.

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**RING INJURIES FATAL**—Enrico Bertola, former heavyweight boxing champ of Italy, died from head injuries suffered in his 10-round decision defeat by Lee Oma in Buffalo, N. Y. Bertola collapsed in his dressing room shortly after the fight and never regained consciousness.

hall Thursday evening, elected Pat Gregory as its delegate to the general council which will be held Nov. 19 in Portland. Bob Harvie was elected alternate.

Resolutions to be presented for action by the general council concerning a wage program, deduction of insurance premiums from pay checks, and more news from the headquarters office were approved. A proposed amendment to the by-laws was defeated. An efficiency program designed to effect savings in both administrative and operating costs to the state was considered.

Plans for a social evening Friday, Oct. 21, at K of P hall, to which all state employees at their wives or escorts are invited, were discussed.

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