Sports

Cubs Hold Second Place, Upset Writers' Predictions

By The Associated Press

Phil Cavarretta is mixing a "mickey" for the contenders who expect to fatten up on his Chicago Cubs.

Nobody gave the Cubs a tumble in the pre-season picks. One brave soul gave them fifth place. But 93 of the 124 baseball writers stuck them in the cellar, a position they may yet merit.

Now, with a 4-2 record they're traipsing along in a second-place tie with Cincinnati — of all people.

The Brooklyn Dodger surplus, gleefully unloaded on the Cubs in the last few years, is doing a big share of the job. Paul Minner, Turk Lown, Bob Ramazzotti, Toby Atwell and the rest.

Minner threw a three - hitter at Pittsburgh Monday night for a 7-1 victory while the Cubs racked rookie Ronnie Kline and three successors.

Bobby Thomson found the home range for the first time since his dramatic pennatn -clincher in the dramatic pennant-clincher in the 1951 playoffs as the New York Giants walloped the Phillies, 10-4.

Thompson Finds Range

Don Mueller also homered and added a triple and single to drive in four runs in the attack on loser Howie Fox and three other Phil pitchers.

League-leading Brooklyn, scheduled for a twi-night doubleheader with the Boston Braves Tuesday night, was idle Monday. So were the Braves, St. Louis Cards and Cincinnati Reds.

The Cleveland Indians with seven straight wins were not scheduled in the American. They open a series at St. Louis with the giddy Browns Tuesday night. St. Louis, Chicago and Detroit also were not scheduled.

Vic Raschi racked up the Philadelphia A's for the eighth straight time, running his lifetime record against them to 22-2, with the New York Yankees' 5-1 triumph. Actually the relief work of Bob Kuzava and two glaring errors by Gus Zernial and Joe Astroth were as important as Raschi's work.

Julio Moreno, fit and ready after a winter in the Cuban League, whipped the Boston Red Sox for the second time, 3-2. Moreno is the only pitcher to beat the Sox this season. Sam Mele's long fly to center with the bases loaded in the eighth gave Washington its winning run.

Padres Slate Tough Test With Angels

By The Associated Press

All the fire Lefty O'Doul has ignited in the San Diego Padres will be needed Tuesday night when his Pacific Coast League leaders tangle with the climbing Hollywood Stars who currently ride a five-game win streak.

Meanwhile the Los Angeles Angels —one-half game off the pace and the third party with the Stars and Padres in a three - way battle for the lead—seek to extend their winning ways in opening at Portland.

In other games, Sacramento plays at San Francisco, and Seattle hosts Oakland. All were idle Monday night.

Baseball followers who wonder what has kept the unheralded Padres atop the heap may get their answer this week, or they may see a new leader. Hollywood, with help from the Pittsburgh Pirates, has climbed from sixth place to third with five straight wins over Joe Gordon's Sacramento club. That put them three and one-half back of San Diego and three behind Los Angeles. Oakland rounds out the first division, five games off the early pace.

Portland, tied with San Francisco in fifth place six games back of the Padres, will try to use the Angels as steps into the first division. Manager Clay Hopper sends Lyman Linde (2-0) against Doyle Lade 3-0) in the first game Tuesday night.

Vern Kindsfather (2-2) will start for cellar-dwelling Seattle against Oakland's Al Gettel (0-2) or Ronnie Mahrt (1-1).

Curtain Rises Tonight On Western International

Western International League

By The Associated Press

The curtain goes up Tuesday on the 1952 Western International League baseball season with eight teams opening a summer - long scramble for the loop's first pennant under its new Class A rating.

Some 18,000 fans were expected to fill the stands at Spokane, Wenatchee, Yakima and Lewiston, Idaho, newest member of the circuit, for the first games of what WIL President Robert Abel has predicted will be a record-breaking year.

Traditional pre-game ceremonies will precede the umpires' first "Play Ball" of the new season in the four cities.

The umpires themselves will get a briefing from Abel before they take the field to look at the strikes and balls. Abel called a meeting of umpires in Spokane Tuesday morning to hand out final assignments.

4 Local Shotgun Artists Win 10 Trophies In Meet

Four Roseburg shotgun artists walked off with 10 of the 82 trophies on the block at the Southern Zone Pacific International Trapshooting Association Shoot at Medford over the weekend.

H. M. Shirtcliff Sr. and Stan Short each captured three trophies in the 700 target shoot and Forrest Solomon and Ken Gilkeson snared two. Shirtcliff swept practically everything in sight in C class on Friday. He fired 95x100 and won a first place shootoff in the second 100 for his first two trophies. This gave him the high overall shoot for the day at the 16-yard range for a third cup.

Stan Short made the same kind of performance in Class D. In the two 100-target shoots, he scored 96 and 85. His second score was made against a high wind that blew up in the afternoon. His over-all score was 181 for the 200 targets.

Corners A Cup

Saturday afternoon, Ken Gilkeson scored a 93x100 in the afternoon to corner one cup in the handicap. He won his second trophy with a score of 174 in the 200-target shoot at the 22-yard range.

Forrest Solomon won the doubles trophy on Friday with a score of 45x50. Then on Saturday, he won the yardage trophy in the 100-target handicap. His 88 score was good enough for runnerup honors in the A class. Sunday, Solomon tied with Ted Jantzer of Medford, John Willner of Eugene and Everett Armstrong of Oakridge. Each had 98x100. Solomon lost, however, in the shootoff.

Ivan Pickens also made a fine showing in Class B when he tied with Harry Hanseth of Washington at the 16-yard range with 98x100. He also lost in the shootoff.

Medford's Jantzer was the high over all gun in the three-day shoot. He fired 645 to 633 for Solomon and 606 for Gilkeson, both Roseburg men.

Drain Warriors Nip Local Jayvees

Drain's Warrior thinclads heralded themselves as real threats to dethrone Yoncalla as the county track champions this week by outpointing the Roseburg Jayvees at Finlay Field Monday, 66 1-2-55 2-3.

The Warriors won eight events and shared a first place in a ninth. They found most of their strength in the sprints and field events. Roseburg was strong in the distance runs and hurdles.

Rand Holder of Roseburg pulled the big surprise by scampering over the 180-yard low hurdle course in 24.3 seconds. This is one of the best Roseburg showings in this event this year. He was the only double winner for the Indians, also taking the high-hurdles event.

Edward Voelker continued to look like one of the best weight men in the county. He hoisted the shot 39 feet 11 inches to win that event and added the discus with a throw of 106 feet 8 inches.

Drain 66 1-3, Roseburg JV 55 2-3.
100-yard dash — Sawyer (D), E. Duncan (D), Gilbert (R). Time: :11.2.
220-yard dash — Sawyer (D), Duncan (D), Duvall (R). Time: :25.3.
440-yard dash — Brown (D), Desbiens (R), L. Swift (R). Time: :57.1.
880-yard run — Morgan (R), Hatcher (R), Rand (R). Time 2:21.7.
Mile run — Hatcher (R), Grubbe (R), Langham (D). Time: 5:21.5.
120-yard high hurdles — Holder (R), Kern (R), Overcash (D). Time: :16.4.
180-yard low hurdles — Holder (R), Kern (R), Overcash (D). Time: :24.3.
Shotput — Voelker (D), Shaeffer (R), K. Swift (R). Distance: 39' 11".
Discus throw — Voelker (D), Steele (R), B. Baken (R). Distance: 106' 8".
Javelin throw — Sweziz (D), Henderson (D), Landis (R). Distance: 139' 3".
High jump — Backen (R) and Weaver (D), first-place tie, Hatcher (R), Holder (R), and Duncan (D), three way tie for third. Height: 4' 10".
Broad jump — Weaver (D), Sawyer (D), Duvall (R). Distance: 16' 7½".
Pole vault — Berg (D), H. Backen (R), and Brown (D), two way tie for second. Height: 9' 9".
880-yard relay — Drain (Brown, Sawyer, Henderson and Duncan.

E. Hand Fires Perfect Round

Enos Handy scored the only perfect 25 Sunday at the Winchester Traps of the Roseburg Rod and Gun Club in the weekly Oregon Journal Telegraphic Trapshooting League. Roseburg's total score was 73.

Charles Klingler, H. Hannor and Wes Topping each broke 24 targets in the Telegraphic. Roy Medley also scored a perfect 25, but his mark could not be entered in the Journal trapshooting race.

Scoring 23 for the 16-yard shoot were: Bruce Yeager, Roy Strader, Carl Beach, George Roberts, Robert Topping, Lee Miller and A. E. Rice. George Brosi had a 21.

In the handicap event, Handy, George Voytella and Klingler each only missed one of the 25 targets. Lee Miller and Wes Topping each had 23 hits.

Meanwhile, plans were speeding up for the big Pacific International Trapshooting Association Shoot which the Roseburg Club will host May 10 and 11. The new clubhouse si expected to be ready for occupancy by that time.

PACIFIC WHITEWASHED

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FOREST GROVE, Ore. (AP) Willamette whitewashed Pacific 6-0 Monday in a Northwest Conference baseball game featuring three-hit pitching by Andy George.

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Pacific	000 000 000—0	3	4

George and Koenf; Ross and Plaza, Langman (4).

SCORES DECISION

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Little Paddy DeMarco of Brooklyn swarmed all over Johnny Gonzalves of Oakland, Calif., to win an unanimous 10-round decision Monday night.

DeMarco, third - r z contender for the lightw t title, weighed 138¼, Gonzalves, 136.

Ducks Lead Baseball Pack; Huskies, Vandals Hold 2nd

Northern Division Standings
By The Associated Press

	W	L	Pct.
Oregon	2	0	1.000
Washington	2	1	.667
Idaho	2	1	.667
Oregon State	1	2	.333
Washington State	1	4	.200

Northern Division Baseball

Washington and Idaho moved into a tie for second place in the tight Northern Division baseball race Monday with victories over Washington State and Oregon State, respectively.

Washington defeated the luckless Cougars 6-4 at Seattle, and Idaho edged the Beavers 16-15 in a wild game at Corvallis.

Oregon, the division leader with two wins and no losses, was idle.

Bob Houbregs of the Huskies' basketball team made his first appearance as a college pitcher in the game at Seattle. Lany Bob held a 6-3 lead in the ninth inning when he was relieved by Jim Rothaus who halted a WSC rally that netted the Cougars one run.

There were six home runs in the game at Corvallis.

Idaho took a 3-0 lead in the first inning on Bruce McIntosh's round-tripper with two aboard, added another run in the third, and seven more — including four on Dave Paulsen's bases-loaded homer — in the fourth.

Other homers were by Chuck Fisk, Dwane Helbig (2), and John Thomas, all of Oregon State.

Circuit blows by Fisk and Helbig accounted for five OSC runs in the last of the ninth. Danny Johnston grounded out with the tying and winning runs on second and third for the Beavers to end thedthreat — and the game.

Matthews, Layne Schedule Battle

PORTLAND (AP) Harry (Kid) Matthews and Rex Layne will meet in a 10-round main event here May 19, Promoter Tex Salkeld announced Monday night.

Terms were not disclosed but Salkeld said his offer topped any previous bid for a fight between the Seattle lightheavyweight, No. 3 contender for Joey Maxim's crown, and the Salt Lake City slugger who is attempting a comeback.

Salkeld said a clause in the agreement provides for a return match in Boise, Salt Lake City or Seattle in the event Layne wins in Portland.

Both Matthews and Layne are familiar to Portland fight fans.

Matthews has six Rose City knockouts — including last week's kayo of Charley Eagle — to his credit. Layne holds a Portland decision over Joe Kahut of Woodburn, Ore.

Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press

Providence, R. I. — Rocky Marciano, 189¾, Brockton, Mass., knocked out Gino Buonvino, 196¾, Italy (2).

New York — Jimmy Walker, 190, Orange, N. J., knocked out Gil Newkirk, 206¼, Brooklyn, (2).

Boston, Mass. — Bob Murphy, 182½, San Diego, Calif., outpointed Reuben Jones, 180, Richmond, Va. (10); Coley Wallace, 199, New York, outpointed Sandy MacPherson, 231, Tulsa, Okla. (10).

St. Louis — Wesbury Bascom, 183½, East St. Louis, knocked out Larry Watson, 176, Omaha (5).

Chicago — Kid Riviera, 220, St. Louis, defeated Jackie Thompson, 202, Detroit (8).

Reno, Nev. — Jackie Romero, 125, Sacramento, knocked out Willie Price, 123, Salt Lake City (1).

San Francisco — Paddy DeMarco, 138, Brooklyn, outpointed Johnny Gonzalves, 136, Oakland, Calif. (10).

Baseball Scores

TUESDAY'S BASEBALL
By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	7	0	1.000
Boston	6	2	.750
St. Louis	5	2	.714
Washington	4	3	.571
Chicago	2	5	.287
Philadelphia	1	6	.143
Detroit	0	7	.000

Monday's Results
Washington 3 Boston 2
New York 5 Philadelphia 1
(Only games scheduled)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	5	1	.833
Chicago	4	2	.667
St. Louis	3	3	.500
New York	3	3	.500
Boston	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	5	.287
Pittsburgh	2	6	.250

Monday's Results
New York 0 Philadelphia 4
Chicago 7 Pittsburgh 1
(Only games scheduled)

The use of vinegar, a mild acid, tends to loosen the hard deposit that forms inside a tea kettle.

Natural gas consists of about 90 per cent of methane, known as "marsh gas," since it is formed by decaying vegetation in marshes.

In very sunny regions, dark clothing may actually be better than white, reflecting clothing

Marciano Knocks Out Italian Gino Buonvine

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Rugged Rocky Marciano knocked out squat Gino Buonvino of Italy with a looping right to the jaw in 1:35 of the second round Monday night to run his undefeated string to 40 bouts and 33 kayoes.

The Brockton, Mass., belter showed his best form since beating Joe Louis.

In Boston, two other heavyweights who hope to clash with Marciano—Irish Bob Murphy and Coley Wallace — punched out victories Monday night.

2 Track Meets Slated Thursday

In a year of great track meets on Finlay Field, probably the most spectacular will be this Thursday's combination affair under the lights.

The track and field event will combine the Grants Pass - Roseburg dual meet with one of the fastest Douglas County "B" school meets in recent years. Both meets will be well worth any price of admission.

A host of records have just about run their string in the "B" school circuit judging from performances this year and Roseburg will be up against one of the best dual meet teams in the state.

As an added attraction to the extravaganza, Canyonville's brilliant girl Olympic hope, Wanda Loftis, will be pitted in an exhibition race with some of the best girl runners in the Roseburg area. She will make her bid for an Olympic berth later this spring in the Pacific Coast Athletic Association meet in California.

Golden West Trapshoot Opens Tuesday In Reno

RENO (AP) — The Golden West Grand American, billed as the richest trapshoot in sports history, starts Tuesday for more than 300 marksmen from all parts of the country.

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They will compete in the six-day, 1,000 target event for $11,890 in added cash and $10,000 worth of trophies.

Harry Schomerus of Chicago will direct the event at a 20-trap range at nearby Spanish Springs Valley. He officiates at trapshooting's annual national tournament, the Grand American at Vandalia, Ohio.

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