

White Sox Win Eliminates Yankees; Seattle Drops Beavers To Seventh

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It's certain today that the Yankees can't win the American League pennant and it looks more and more like the White Sox can't lose it.

The proud Yankee winners of four straight pennants and nine out of 10 under Casey Stengel, officially became "dead ducks" at 11:35 p.m. e.d.t. Tuesday night when Luis Aparicio's 10th inning single gave the White Sox a 3-2 victory over the Kansas City Athletics.

The White Sox' triumph means the Yankees are 17½ games out of first place with only 17 games left to play—and all the machinations and stratagems of Stengel himself can't repeal the laws of mathematics. As of today the Yankees' "magic number" becomes 1960.

The White Sox, of course, must still eliminate the Cleveland Indians to win their first pennant in 40 years but that, too, is rapidly becoming a mathematical certainty. Only eight victories their last 16 games would give the White Sox 94 wins for the season—and the Indians would have to take 14 of their last 18 for a 77½ pace to tie!

Early Wynn, an "old smoothie" who'd strangle his grandmother to get into the World Series, pitched a six hitter to score his 19th win of the year and put the White Sox five full games ahead of the Indians. The Athletics almost pulled out the decision by scoring two runs to go ahead in the ninth but the go-go Sox tied it in the bottom of the ninth and won out in the 10th.

Moving in for the "kill," the White Sox open a two-game series tonight against the Washington Senators, against whom they have a 15½ season mark. Manager Al Lopez is sending Bob Shaw (14-6) against Camilo Pascual (14-10) in an attempt to drive another nail into the Indians' coffin.

The Indians, who have scored four straight come-from-behind victories in an effort to spring a miracle, meet the Baltimore Orioles in a two-night double-header with Jim Perry (10-7) and Jack Harshman (5-9) facing Hal Brown (9-7) and Milt Pappas (14-7). It's a potential booby trap for the Indians because they have only a 10½ season advantage over the Orioles.

In the National League, the first-place San Francisco Giants are sending Jack Sanford (12-12) against Harvey Haddix (11-10) of the Pittsburgh Pirates while the desperately pursuing Milwaukee Braves play the St. Louis Cardinals and the Los Angeles Dodgers meet the Philadelphia Phillies. The Braves have Warren Spahn (18-13) going against Ernie Broglio (6-11) and the Dodgers have Don Drysdale (15-12) against Jim Dwens (11-11).

Lightweight Champ Meets Canadian

COLUMBUS, Ohio (UPI)—Lightweight champion Joe Brown, who fights as often as he can, and Canadian welterweight Gale Kerwin, launching a comeback after a year's absence from the ring, meet here tonight in a non-title nationally-televised 10-rounder.

Brown, who won the 135-pound title three years ago, rates a 4-1 favorite over the Canadian who fights out of Valley Springs, N.Y.

Lou Viscusi, Brown's manager, said he hopes to have the champion weigh in at about 138 or 139 in the over-the-weight fight. He said he expected Kerwin to weigh around 140 or 141.

Viscusi admitted that the fight looms much as a tuneup for Brown, who hopes to defend his title in Houston, Tex. in December, probably against Britain's Dave Charnley.

The bout was staged as part

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TO TEACH—Lou Bellissimo will offer bowling instructions at Blue Mountain Lanes through Friday.

Lou Bellissimo Offers Bowling Instructions At Local Alleys

Lou Bellissimo, nationally known instructor and bowling coach at the University of Oregon will be in La Grande for the next three days conducting classes at the Blue Mountain Alleys.

Bellisimo, who has earned the nickname of "Mr. Scientific" because of his ability to analyze bowlers, will teach three classes daily at the lanes. A beginners class will be held from 10 a.m. to noon daily. Intermediate bowlers will receive instruction from 1:30 to 3:30 for the three afternoons.

From 7:30 to 9:30, Bellissimo will offer on-the-alley instruction to all bowlers.

For the past eight years, Lou has been the bowling coach at Oregon. He teaches five to six classes each day, 20 in a class, three terms a year; not including the countless number of bowlers he tutors in open play. Bellissimo believes bowling can

Semi-Pro Player Returns Home Before College

Verne Welo returned to La Grande last week after a summer of playing semi-pro baseball for the Helena Wranglers of the Copper League.

Welo lead the league in most sacrifice hits and bunts, and was third in stolen bases with 10. He ended the season with a .309 batting average.

Helena won the regular season play but dropped the post-season playoff to second-place East Helena, three games to two.

Welo will leave this week to resume his studies at Washington State University at Pullman.

of a combination wrestling-boxing show by the Columbus Dispatch-Oregon State Journal charities.

The fight will be televised nationally by ABC starting at 10 p.m. e.d.t. The Columbus area will not be blacked out.

Kerwin's career was halted nearly a year ago due to a severe case of anemia. He lost a 10-round decision to Frankie Ryfi in Washington on Sept. 28, 1958 in his last fight.

Suds Lead By Points

By United Press International

The Portland Beavers slid to seventh place in the Pacific Coast League Tuesday night.

The Beavers, who not too long ago were in first place, dropped a 10-5 decision to Seattle. The defeat put Seattle ahead of Portland percentage-wise, although each team is 9½ games behind the leader.

Salt Lake City, meanwhile, moved a step nearer the pennant with a 7-1 victory over San Diego. The Bees have a two-game lead over second-place Vancouver with just five games to play. Vancouver stayed alive by downing Spokane twice, both times by 3-1 scores.

Sacramento took Phoenix 4-2.

Bevan Hit Homers

Hal Bevan smacked two homers to lead Seattle's win over Portland and Lou Skizas hit one. Jim Greengrass hit his 24th of the season for Portland. Don Rudolph was the winner and Art Houtteman the loser.

The crowd at Multnomah stadium was only 726.

Umbricht Wins 13th

Big Jim Umbricht tossed a five-hitter at the Padres as he won his 13th game of the year for the Bees against eight losses. He was backed by an 11-hit attack. San Diego's only run came on Allen Jones' 15th homer of the season. Chuck Harmon homered for the Bees.

Chuch Estrada and George Bamberger handled the mound work as Vancouver took a pair from Spokane. Bamberger checked the Indians on eight hits in the seven-inning first game for his 10th win, and Estrada pitched a four-hitter over the nine-inning route in the second affair. The win was Estrada's 13th against six losses.

Vancouver got but five hits in each game. In the first affair, Spokane lapses aided the Mounties in scoring all their runs. In the second game, a two-run homer by Frank Kellert was the big blow. Tony Roig homered for Spokane.

Bevan Leads Seattle Assault
Seattle racked up Portland on 16 hits as Don Rudolph was credited with his seventh win in 10 tries. Hal Bevan smacked a pair of homers for the Rainiers—his 12th and 13th of the season. Jim Greengrass crashed his 24th round tripper of the year for the Beavers and Lou Skizas hit a solo shot for the Rainiers.

Roger Osenbaugh pitched a five-hitter while continually forcing the Giants to hit the ball into the dirt.

NASSER MEETS SAUD

CAIRO (UPI)—United Arab Republic President Gamal Abdel Nasser and visiting King Saud of Saudi Arabia conferred for one hour and 45 minutes in their second round of private talks here Wednesday. Details of the meeting were kept secret.

Heryford Wins Hotel Title At CC

Bill Heryford edged Everett Reynolds by a stroke to capture the Sacajawea Hotel Trophy for the third time in weekend golf action over the La Grande Country Club course.

Heryford fired a net 146 for the 36-holes of competition while Reynolds shot a net 147.

Heryford, who has won the trophy twice before, will retire the present award from active competition.

The first five golfers finished only five strokes apart. Following Reynolds, Don Stiff grabbed off third spot with a net 148. Ray Murphy with a net 149 finished fourth and Don McCall's 150 earned him fifth place.

While the men were vying for the Sacajawea Trophy, the females from the club were competing for the Sand Trap Trophy. Anna Mae Thibeau grabbed the 18-hole competition with a net 71.

Mae Schriver with a 76 was second and Verla Gregory was another three strokes back with net 79.

Two women tied for fourth spot in competition. Betty Bohrenkamp and Sylvia Courtney fired identical net 80's to finish in a dead heat.

The competition was held over the three-day Labor Day week-end.

Standings

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	77	60	.562	
Milwaukee	74	63	.540	3
Los Angeles	74	63	.540	3
Pittsburgh	71	68	.511	7
Cincinnati	68	71	.482	11
Chicago	65	70	.481	11
St. Louis	64	75	.460	14
Philadelphia	59	80	.424	19

Tuesday's Results

No games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Chicago	86	52	.623	
Cleveland	80	56	.588	5
Detroit	69	69	.500	17
New York	68	69	.496	17½
Baltimore	66	69	.489	18½
Boston	64	74	.464	22
Kansas City	59	77	.434	28
Washington	56	82	.406	30

Tuesday Nights Result

Chicago 3 Kan. City 2 (10 inn.)
Only game scheduled.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Salt Lake	82	66	.554	
Vancouver	79	67	.541	2
Sacramento	75	73	.507	7
San Diego	74	74	.500	8
Spokane	74	75	.497	8½
Seattle	73	76	.490	9½
Portland	72	75	.486	9½
Phoenix	63	86	.423	19½

Tuesday's Results

Vancouver 3, Spokane 1 (1st)
Vancouver 3, Spokane 1 (2nd)
Sacramento 4, Phoenix 2
Salt Lake 7, San Diego 1
Seattle 10, Portland 5

Ancient Heritage Explains Perverse Peruvian Net Star

FCREST HILLS, N.Y. (UPI)—Down in Peru they refer to Alex Olmedo, their greatest tennis star, as "El Mistiano."

This is because, as a youngster, he came down from the slopes of Misti Mountain, which overlooks the tiny city where the houses are made of the white volcanic ash.

Once upon a time Arequipa passed a law that all of the houses would have to be painted white. Immediately the independent Peruvians began to paint their houses every color of the rainbow. The law was rescinded. Immediately everybody painted his house white.

They say, in Peru, that when a fight breaks out, most people ask "Who's fighting?" but in Arequipa they rush outdoors and ask "who am I fighting?"

Wants To Win

Which, in a way, explains the inner workings of "El Mistiano," the embattled son of the Incas who currently is bearing the scorn and censure of the tennis world for his "indifferent play."

Alex Olmedo wants to win. But it irritated him beyond words when they started telling him to paint his house white. And, like any native of Arequipa, he isn't going to sit still and ask "who's fighting?"

Of course, in this strange new world into which his tennis racket became a passport, one doesn't go out and throw rocks. So "El Mistiano" simply adopts a go-to-blazes attitude and lets the chips fall where they will.

A year ago he was the hero of U.S. tennis after winning two singles and teaming in the victorious doubles as the Davis Cup was recaptured from Australia, 3 to 2. This year, after winning at Wimbledon, he was expected to duplicate his performance in the big silverware snatch.

He Just Shrugs

But, on the heels of a "give-away" defeat which brought official wrath down on his head for acting like an amateur in the U.S. clay court championships, he blew a singles match and the doubles as Australia regained the Davis Cup. There was an evident feel-

CARDS SIGN ROOKIE

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UPI)—Phil Gagliano, a 17-year-old shortstop who batted between .333 and .375 in three years of high school and American Legion ball, has signed a contract with the St. Louis Cardinals and will report to their Billings, Mont., farm club in the Class D. Rookie League next spring.

Fire Ruins Pro Shop

PORTLAND (UPI)—Fire early today wiped out the pro shop at the Columbia - Edgewater Country Club here and destroyed 500 to 600 golf carts filled with clubs. Replacement cost was estimated at \$100,000.

Kip Taylor, manager of the club, said the shop was to be replaced soon with a new pro shop nearby but the old one contained nearly all the golf clubs, bags, carts and other golfing equipment of members. The new building was not damaged.

The main club building, located across the street, was not threatened.

ASK WAIVERS ON PAIR
WESTMINSTER, Md. (UPI)—The Baltimore Colts Thursday asked waivers on Harold Ballard, a Lenoir Ilyne fullback, and John "Big Thunder" Lewis, an end from Michigan State.

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