Still-Hustling Senators Open Home Series With Caps Tonight

No Announcements Yet Made On Vanni or Other New Help

The Salem Senators, wounded deeply in the standings but not in the morale, return to Waters field tonight to take on the Vancouver Caps in a new WIL series. Hoping to put an end to their slipping and sliding in the league race, the Salems will lead off with Rawbone Ray McNulty against Bill Brenner's band, Ray being the only Solon flinger to win a game last week in Canada. He beat Vancouver easily and fanned 11 Capilanos along the way.

Even though they have dropped six of their last seven outings on the road and have fallen from the first division, Manager Ad Liska's gang is still "up" in the determination department. All hands are convinced they will return to the upper regions of the first division pronto once the hitters begin coming through more consistently in the clutches.

It was hoped that the Senators would come up with Outfielder Edo Vanni Monday after the league meeting in Tacoma. But General Manager George Emigh, attending the meeting, made no announcement on the Vanni case or on other potential player deals in the fire with the Victoria Athletics. Emigh may have something definite on Vanni and the expected new catcher today.

An Associated Press report from Tacoma said the status of Vanni was left up to President Robert Abel by WIL directors at the windup of the meeting. President Abel said he would set the limit on Vanni's suspension if he is signed by another WIL team, otherwise the duration will be up to the National Association.

Vanni was suspended by the Victoria club recently and since then the Senators have been trying to land the fleet outfielding veteran. The club has also been dickering with Victoria for Catcher Al Ronning. A move was on to get Athletics Pitcher John Marshall, but that has been vetoed by the Victorians. Marshall's record for that club is now eight wins and one loss, three of the wins over Salem.

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Cougars Down Rutgers Nine

OMAHA, June 19—(AP)—A double by Terry Carroll in the last of the tenth inning gave Washington State two runs and a 3-1 win over Rutgers in a third round game in the NCAA baseball tournament here tonight. Rod Keogh held Rutgers to one hit. The win left the Cougars the only unbeaten club in the tourney. The loss was the first for Rutgers and didn't eliminate the easterners.

Hard-fighting Rutgers stymied a ninth inning bid by Washington State with a triple play.

The only hit against Keogh was a triple by Jim Monahan in the fourth. Monahan came home with the easterner's only score when Peterson grounded out.

Tappe's tremendous fourth-inning homer gave Washington State its first run. The ball cleared the rightfield wall, 360 feet from home plate, with plenty to spare.

Tomorrow Alabama will play Wisconsin at 7:30 p.m. (EST) and Washington State meets Texas at 10 p.m. (EST).

Wn. State	Ab	H	O	A	Rutgers	Ab	H	O	A
McGuire,cf	4	0	2	0	LeBoff,2b	5	0	2	1
Carroll,2b	5	1	2	3	VanCleef,cf	5	0	5	0
Coleman,ss	5	2	1	3	Suba,1b	4	0	8	2
Tappe,1b	4	2	13	2	Ruddock,ss	3	0	1	4
Brunswk,rf	2	0	1	0	Monahan,rf	2	1	3	0
Paul,3b	4	0	2	5	Peterson,c	3	0	5	1
Carr,c	4	1	8	1	Maskivch,lf	2	0	2	0
Boytz,lf	4	1	0	0	Kalapos,3b	3	0	0	2
Keogh,p	3	0	1	5	Willenbrk,p	2	0	1	1
					a-Hering	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	30	19	Totals	21	1	30	11

a-Walked for Willenbrock in 9th.

Washn State	000	100	000	2—3					
Rutgers	000	100	000	0—1					

E — Coleman, Suba, Maskalavich. RBI—Carroll 2, Tappe, Peterson. 2B—Carroll. 3B—Monahan. HR—Tappe. SB—Van Cleef, Monahan. S—Maskalavich, Keogh. DP—Keogh to Carr to Carroll to Tappe to Carr. TP—Kalapos to Peterson to Suba to Peterson. Left—Washington State 7, Rutgers 7. BB—Willenbrock 2, Keogh 8. SO—Willenbrock 1, Keogh 6. HBP—Willenbrock (McGuire). U—Tobin, Warneke, Soar. T—2:30.

No-Hitter Hurled

OMAHA, June 19—(AP)—Jim Ehrler pitched a no-hitter tonight as Texas ousted Tufts from the NCAA baseball tourney 7-0. The 20-year-old six foot one junior got stronger as the game progressed and allowed only one Tufts runner to get as far as third.

Solon Official Shoved Aside

JAMESTOWN, N.Y., June 19—(AP)—Young Johnny Jachym, the Jamestown Post-Journal said today, has been frozen out of the Washington Senators' active management and probably will call it quits tomorrow.

Jachym, the newspaper said in a front page story, will sell the 40 per cent interest in the American League club which he and several others bought just six months ago. That, the story added, is unless a hitch develops in the next 48 hours.

When Jachym and his group bought the interest of the late George Richardson last December, Washington President Clark Griffith reportedly held no more than an equivalent 40 per cent. Since then, sports editor Frank Hyde wrote, Griffith has bought up much of the remaining stock so that his control now is absolute.

WARNERS TO DRILL

The Warner Motors "C" league baseball team will practice on the West Salem field tonight at 6 o'clock. All players are asked to be present.

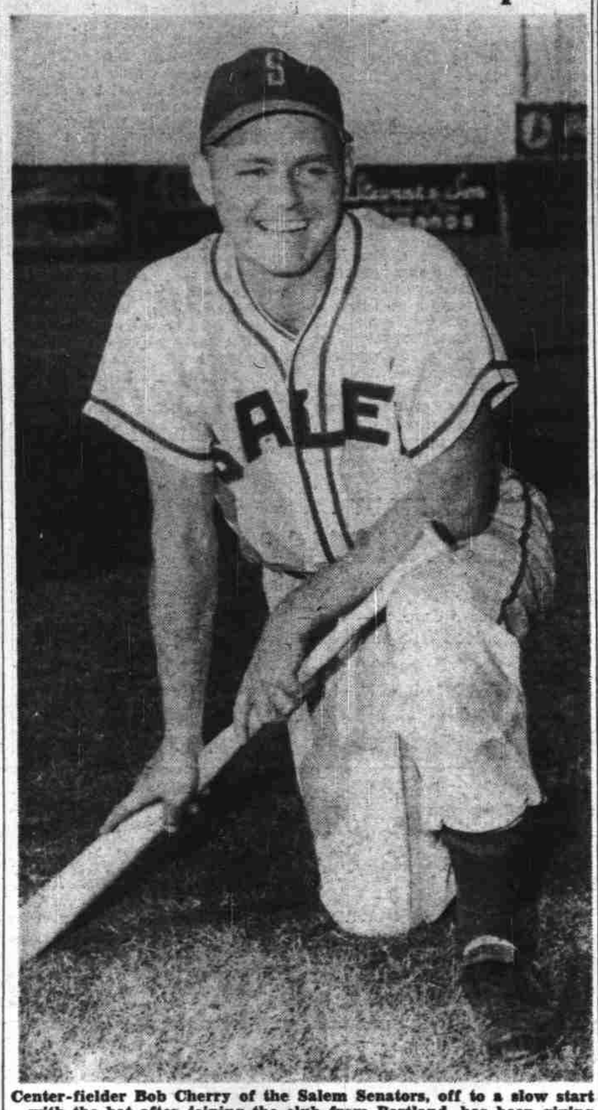
Big Six

	G	Ab	R	H	Pct.
Kell, Tigers	53	219	48	84	.384
Dropo, Red Sox	46	194	34	71	.366
Musial, Cardinals	49	184	38	67	.364
Evers, Tigers	45	181	37	65	.359
Robinson, Dodgers	52	198	40	71	.359
Slaughter, Cardinls	52	204	38	70	.343

Home runs: National League—Kiner, Pirates 14; Campanella, Dodgers 14; Gordon, Braves 13; Ennis, Phillies 13. American League—Williams, Red Sox 20; Rosen, Indians 17; Stephens, Red Sox 15.

Runs batted in—Sauer, Cubs 45; Ennis, Phillies 44; Kiner, Pirates 41; Williams, Red Sox 65; Stephens, Red Sox 65; Wertz, Tigers 56; Dropo, Red Sox 56.

Robust Robert Comin' Up



Center-fielder Bob Cherry of the Salem Senators, off to a slow start with the bat after joining the club from Portland, has been giving all indications lately that he'll soon be a member of the WIL's .300 hitting corps. Bob is currently batting at a .279 clip and will be in the lineup at Waters field tonight when the Salems tangle with Vancouver's Caps.

Wallick vs. Jap Atlas

'Yaquis' to Headline Armory Mat Go Tonight

The Yaqui boys—The Kids and The Chief—highlight Matchmaker Elton Owen's weekly mat production at the Ferry Street Garden tonight in their tag team struggle with nasties Irish Jack O'Riley and Rod Fenton. The Sonora, Mex., Indians will of course be seconded by famed old Yaqui Joe who has taught them all the tricks of the mat trade and molded them into what is considered one of the flashiest tag team duets now existing. The Kid has appeared here before but this will be the first run for The Chief.

CHIEF

O'Riley's recent claim to fame (?) came in Portland the other night when Scotchman Eddie Williams took his Coast light-heavy title belt from him in a roaring match. Williams appears tonight in the 8:30 o'clock curtain raiser with newcomer Bill Melby, a former "Mr. America" with a body beautiful.

"I don't like to put the champ in the opener," Owen reported Monday, "but the card looks like a good one and that's where he'll have to be."

The special puts Leo (The Crippler) Wallick and his pile drivers against Mr. Sakata, the Jap-American Atlas. The beautifully constructed Sakata has been improving greatly lately and this will be his big test tonight. Owen wants to find out just how tough he is. Wallick will bring it out of him as Leo hardly ever gets beat—just disqualified for being too rough.

Oilers Surprise Wools; G-P's Miller Uncorks One-Hit Chore

An A-1 upset and top hurling performances which included three shutouts featured softball action in the City and Industrial leagues Monday night.

In the City circuit Warren Miller gave only one hit as the Golden Pheasants blanked the South Salem Merchants, 8-0. The Randle Oilers surprised by topping the Campbell Rock Wools and Keith Marshall, 5-3.

In the Industrial loop Eldon Farlow's two-hitter carried the Naval Reserves to a 12-0 win over the Post Office Carriers. The Teamsters racked their sixth win in eight starts by beating the Post Office Clerks 7-0 behind Ed Micheel's three-hit job.

The Wools' Marshall gave up only four hits while losing but contributed to his own downfall with an overthrow to first which let in two Oiler runs. Al Alley's two-run double in the first inning started the Pheasants off to their victory over the South Salems. The Wool loss dropped that club into a second-place tie with the Pheasants.

Hal Barnwell socked a homer in the fifth to help the Teamsters to their win. Naval Reserve's triumph over the P. O. Carriers was sparked by a seven-run third inning.

Tonight's only City league game sees the South Salem Merchants and 12th Street Merchants clashing at 8 o'clock in a makeup tilt. In the Industrial circuit it's Paper Mill against Mayflower at 6:30 and Clear Lake vs State Unemployment at 7.

Rock Wool	012	000	0—3	7	5
Randle Oil	010	103	*—5	4	1

Marshall and J. Hoffert; Maurz and Nuss.

South Salem	000	00—	0	1	7
Golden Pheasant	303	2*—	8	6	2

Schlag, Carver (3) and Barnholt, Youngs; Miller and Alley.

P. O. Clerks	000	00—	0	3	4
Teamsters	300	13—	7	7	1

Kreft and Scott; Micheel and C. Bock.

Navy's	107	40—	12	14	0
P. O. Carriers	000	00—	0	2	1

Farlow and C. Swink; Hurd, Lebold and Gardner.

'Stran' After British Slam

NEW YORK, June 19—(AP)—Frank Stranahan, the Toelde, O., golfer who won the British amateur championship last month, left by plane today for Scotland where he will play in the British Open Title tournament. The Ohio muscle man will attempt to complete a British slam at Troon, Scotland, July 3 to 7. Stranahan won the amateur at St. Andrews, Scotland, May 27.

Stranahan said he considers his chances to win as "pretty good."

"I practiced at Troon after I won the amateur and made out fairly well," said Stranahan.

Norman Von Nida, the Australian pro who has been competing here, left on another plane. He also plans to play in the open.

Newcombe May Run

Finale Looms For Gehrmann

MADISON, Wis., June 19 —(AP)—Here's good news for college milers—Don Gehrmann makes his valedictory timorrow.

The little Wisconsin distance runner, the only one in history to win the Big 10 outdoor mile four years in a row, goes for the last time as a badger in the 10th annual Pacific Coast-Big Ten interconference dual meet.

The finale, on Gehrmann's home camp, Randall stadium track, could be a dilly and probably will. That's especially so if Jim Newcomb, Southern California's Indian ace, is elected to run the mile against him.

Newcomb was credited with a 4:07.7, the best of the year by a collegian, on June 9. Gehrmann's best this season is 4:10.2 with which he set a new central collegiate conference meet mark at Milwaukee the following night.

The two didn't meet in the NCAA carnival at Minneapolis over the weekend. Gehrmann won the mile easily for his third straight crown, while Newcomb ran second to Don McEwen of Michigan whe set a new meet mark in the two mile.

Jesse Hill, USC coach, has promised to enter Newcomb in the mile here. The Trojan sophomore is eligible for both distance runs. Gehrmann, in addition to his specialty, may run both the 880 and a leg on the one-mile relay team.

NCAA Tennis Meet Begins

AUSTIN, Tex., June 19 —(AP)—Two of the nine seeded players were eliminated in opening rounds of the NCAA Tennis tournament today.

Richard Savitt of Cornell, No. 5, was downed by the Texas heat and Glenn Bassett's steady game, 7-5, 6-0.

Tony Vincent of Miami university, No. 9, went out by default, passing up the National Collegiate tournament to play in the Tennessee Valley Invitational.

Herb Flam, of UCLA, only seeded player to face two opponents, was impressive as he blasted Hugh Sweeney of the University of Houston, 6-0, 6-1, in 40 minutes in the morning. He took slightly longer but had little difficulty with the two-handed batting of Lorne Main, stopping the University of California lad, 6-2, 6-2. Flam is seeded No. 2.

Aching Shoulder Plagues Joe Page

CLEVELAND, June 19—(AP) —Joe Page, the New York Yankees' relief pitching ace, said today he has an ailment in his shoulder which he "can't shake." The fireman said the ailment popped up on May 28 in Philadelphia when he saved the first game of a doubleheader but lost the second.

"It's not what you'd call a pain but an ache that I just can't shake," the champions' world series hero added. "I had some trouble for a while last year but it disappeared, so far, no dice."

ITALIANS ADVANCE

BRUSSELS, June 19 —(AP)— Italy moved into the semi-finals of the European Davis Cup tennis eliminations after a hard fight against Belgium Sunday.

The victory was in doubt till the last singles match on the third day.

Here's '51 ND Hoop Schedule

MOSCOW, Idaho, June 19 —(AP)—The 1951 northern division Pacific Coast conference basketball schedule was released here today and it has Oregon State meeting Idaho here Jan. 2 as the opener.

Gale L. Mix, Idaho's general manager of athletics, prepared the schedule for the five-team loop and it was approved last week at a conference meeting in Victoria, B. C.

The Oregon State-Idaho curtain raiser comes on a Tuesday and opens a two-game series here.

That same week the other three division members also begin play. The Beavers move on to Pullman, Wash., Jan 5 and 6 to play defending champion Washington State and Oregon faces University of Washington.

The schedule:

January 2, 3—Oregon State at Idaho.
January 5, 6—Oregon State at WSC; Oregon at Washington.
January 12—WSC at Idaho; Washington at Oregon State.
January 13—Idaho at WSC; Washington at Oregon State.
January 19, 20—Idaho at Oregon; Washington at WSC.
January 26—Washington at Idaho; Oregon State at Oregon.
January 27—Washington at Idaho, Oregon at Oregon State.
gon February 2, 3—Oregon at Idaho, Oregon State at Washington.
February 5, 6—Oregon at WSC.
February 9, 10—Idaho at Oregon State.
February 13, 14—WSC at Oregon.
February 16, 17—Idaho at Washington; WSC at Oregon State.
February 23—Idaho at WSC; Washington at Oregon.
February 24—WSC at Idaho; Washington at Oregon.
March 2—WSC at Washington; Oregon at Oregon State.
March 3—WSC at Washington; Oregon State at Oregon.

SPORTSLIGHTNER by Al Lightner

The town Senators, laden with a new load of WIL lumps, return to their home lot for another week tonight. There has been considerable comment—none of it good—on the club's drop downward in the standings lately, all of which has refreshed the woeful plight of the 1949 team. No one feels worse about it than the Senator players themselves, who definitely have not quit trying or hustling. They know they aren't as bad a ball club as their position in the standings indicates. It has been the absence of the base hit in the clutch that has wounded the Townies mostly, and once that item is revitalized all will be well again. The management is trying to correct it by adding new player strength.

The tumble from a solid second to a poor fifth in the standings has stirred up the animals so to speak. We've heard little other than complaints, spiced with the usual wise cracks, aimed at the club, and no doubt the week's attendance will disclose that many fans have given up on the boys. When they trot onto the field tonight they'll be fully expecting a fusillade of hoots, hollers and haw-haws from the few customers who'll be present. They'll feel as if they don't have a friend in the joint other than their own wives, immediate relatives and special gal friends.

The Seattle Rainiers a few weeks ago were in the same fix. They had just staggered home from a nasty road trip and were expecting to have everything thrown at them but the Sick Stadium seats when they took to the field. But earlier that day Seattle P-I Sportster Royal Brougham appealed to the Rainier fans to show their true color by turning out to the park that night in goodly number, not to jeer the team but to give it a rousing cheer of welcome and encouragement. The Rainier players almost fainted when 12,000 fans were in the stands at game time, and every one of them letting loose their vocal patriotism full blast. The Seattles won that game and since then have kept right on winning until they are now only a few short nods away from the first division. The visual vote of confidence snapped the Rainiers' rubber and off they went, a "new" team.

Let's Give 'Em Encouraging Pat on Back

Now we're not pleading with Senator fans to repeat this measure of confidence and patriotism. Nor do we believe we're a Royal Brougham. But we do ask you, if you are at al' interested in the Senators and want them to know you're interested in them—to show up at the ball yard tonight if you possibly can. Not to give the team the blast it is fully expecting, but instead to give it a look and a listen to the hometown fans who are still 100 per cent behind them win or lose. The boys are still hustling and trying. A pat on the back such as your appearance at the park cannot help but make 'em try even harder.

They might even pull a Seattle and start right back up

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Bums Tie Cardinals

Statesman SPORTS
Al Lightner, Editor

Corvallis Star Shows Up Pros

DeMoss Grabs Medalist Honors, Western Action

DENVER, June 19—(AP)—A smiling amateur from Corvallis, Ore., slipped past a quartet of favorte professionals today to claim the medal award with a 75 in the 18-hole qualifying test for the 21st western women open golf championship.

No one was paying much attention to pretty Grace DeMoss, a 22-year-old co-ed from Oregon State college, when the firing started today. She was playing in her first western open and was paired with Louise Suggs, defending champion from Carrollton, Ga., when Miss Suggs clicked off a neat par 36 on the front nine and Miss DeMoss came in with a 38 she still was not given much notice.

But as winds and rain made the already damp course tougher and tougher, the honey-haired Oregonian hit her stride by shooting birdies on 11 and 12, the latter by sinking a 40-foot putt. She held par even the rest of the way except for a five on the par four 16th and finished with a one under 37 for the back side and the one over total for the 6,633 yard course.

Meanwhile, Miss Suggs took three from the edge of the green on the 10th to go one over, three putted the 13th and scuffed a second shot into the water on the 16th to wind up with a 41 that gave her a 77 and a tie with Betty Jameson of San Antonio for second place. Miss Jameson scored a 38-39 for her 77.

Miss Suggs, Miss James, Patty Berg of Minneapolis and Mrs. Babe Didrickson Zaharias of Chicago made up the highly regarded "big four" among the pros before the play started but the latter two hit trouble also. A shaky putter forced Miss Berg to a 41 on the front side and although she rallied markedly with a 37 coming in her 78 gave her no better than a fourth place tie. Others at 78 were Miss Hanson, Mrs. Zaharias who shot a 39-39, Peggy Kirk of Finlay, Ohio, another 39-39 shooter, and Marilyn Smith of Wichita, Kans., who had 38-40.

Match play begins tomorrow morning in the 32 player championship flight as well as in the lower flights.

'Phog' to Treat Henrich, Mize

ST.LOUIS, June 19 —(AP)— Tommy Henrich, New York Yankee first baseman, has decided to try osteopathic treatment for the chronic lameness in his left knee.

He and Johnny Mize, also a first baseman, left here Sunday night for Lawrence, Kan., where they will be treated by Forrest C. (Phog) Allen, famed Kansas university basketball coach and osteopath.

The STANDINGS

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

	W	L	GB		W	L	GB
Tacoma	35	22	---	Salem	27	31	8½
Wenatch	33	37	3½	Victoria	26	33	9
Yakima	32	27	4½	Spokane	26	35	11
Tri-City	31	30	6	Vancouv	24	34	11½

(No games scheduled Monday.) Series starting Tuesday: Vancouver at Salem, Victoria at Tri-City, Tacoma at Yakima, Spokane at Wenatchee.

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	GB		W	L	GB
Hollywd	51	31	---	San Fran	41	41	10
Oakland	45	35	8	Los Ang	39	44	12½
San Diego	43	41	9	Seattle	37	44	13½
Portland	39	39	10	Sacramen	32	52	20

(No games scheduled Monday).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	GB		W	L	GB
Brooklyn	32	20	.....	Chicago	25	25	6
St. Louis	32	20	.....	New York	24	26	7
Philadlp	30	21	1½	Pittsburg	20	35	13½
Boston	30	24	3	Cincinati	15	37	17

Monday results: At Brooklyn 8, New York 5; at Boston 0, Pittsburgh 1; at Philadelphia-Cincinnati, rain. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	GB		W	L	GB
Detroit	37	15	.....	Washngtn	24	31	14½
New Yrk	37	19	2	Chicago	23	32	15½
Clevelnd	31	24	7½	St. Louis	19	34	18½
Boston	31	28	9½	Philadelp	19	38	20½

Monday results: At Chicago 4, Washington 3 (11 innings); only game scheduled.

Callow Takes Middie Post

NEW YORK, June 19 —(AP)— Russell S. (Rusty) Callow, head rowing coach at the University of Pennsylvania since 1927, will succeed Comdr. Charles S. (Buck) Walsh as head crew coach at the U. S. naval academy, the New York Times reported tonight.

Allison Danzig, writer for the Times, said he had this information from an "unimpeachable source." Callow will leave shortly for Annapolis to take over his new duties, Danzig said. He added that no successor had been named at Pennsylvania.

Callow is a graduate of the University of Washington, long dominant in crew races. He was a varsity oarsman there and later coach, boating three Poughkeepsie champions. Callow coached championship crews at Washington in 1923, 1924 and 1926. His crew finished second to Navy in the Poughkeepsie in 1925. He went to Penn in 1927.

Brooks Clout Giants, 8-5

Dyer Outfit Idle; Pirates Edge Braves

By Joe Falls

NEW YORK, June 19—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers caught the league-leading St. Louis Cardinals tonight by trimming New York's Giants 8-5.

The victory, their 32nd against 20 defeats, moved the Dodgers into an exact tie with the idle Cardinals, each having identical .615 percentages.

Ralph Branca, a Brooklyn question mark, hurled his first complete game of the season. He struck out ten, all in the first five innings, and granted a dozen hits.

Jackie Robinson and Carl Furillo led Brooklyn's 10-hit attack against five New York pitchers with three hits each. One of Furillo's blows was a two-run homer in the second inning.

Clint Hartung, who was hammered out in the five-run second inning outburst, was charged with his fourth setback. Branca, in completing his first game since Aug. 1, 1949, picked up his second victory.

New York's Whitey Lockman, who has had 15 hits in his 26 at bats, cracked his second home run in the ninth inning. Lockman had three other safeties.

Lefthander Cliff Chambers hurled the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 1-0 victory over the Boston Braves.

Chambers, while outdueling Warren Spahn, became involved in a "rhubarb" with Boston first baseman Earl Torgeson. Torgeson rushed Chambers in the third inning after being "low-bridged" by a close pitch. They were separated before any blows could be struck.

Torgeson and teammate Gene Mauch, who had rushed off the Braves' bench, were ejected from the game.

Chambers checked the hard-hitting Bostonians with four hits, posting his seventh triumph. Spahn was charged with his seventh loss against eight victories.

Catcher Earl Turner knocked in the game's lone run with a single in the second inning.

The Chicago Whit Sox turned back the Washington Senators, 4-3 in 11 innings. Randy Gumpert, who relieved Ray Scarborough in the tenth, got credit for the victory.

National League

Pittsburgh	010 000 000—1	5	0
Boston	000 000 000—0	4	1

Chambers and Turner; Spahn and Cooper.

New York	001 012 001—5	12	4
Brooklyn	051 020 00*—8	10	1

Hartung, Hansen (2), Maglie (3), Higbe (6), Kramer (8) and Westrum; Branca and Campanella.

American League

Washington	000 100 200 00—3	7	1
Chicago	001 100 001 01—4	10	1

Hudson and Evans; Cain, Scarborough (8, Gumpert (10) and Malone.

Today's Pitchers

NATIONAL LEAGUE: St. Louis at New York (night) — Brecheen (4-3) vs Hartung (2-1) or Kennedy (2-3). Cincinnati at Brooklyn (night) — Raffensberger (5-7) vs Roe (7-3). Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (night) Law (0-1) vs Meyer (0-6). Chicago at Boston (night) — Rush (7-5) vs Sain (9-4).

AMERICAN LEAGUE: New York at Cleveland (night) — Lopat (7-4) vs Lemon (8-3). Washington at Detroit (night) — Consuegra (1-0) vs Hutchinson (7-3). Boston at Chicago (night) Kinder (3-7) vs Wight (5-7). Philadelphia at St. Louis (night) — Shantz (5-6) vs Garver (8-5).

Coaches Ask Chandler to Take Action

Fight Renewed Against 'Snatching'

OMAHA, June 19—(AP)—The National Association of College Baseball Coaches today announced a new attempt to keep professional baseball scouts from snatching players who still have college eligibility left.

The association made public a telegram sent to Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler asking "affirmative or negative action on resolution concerning pre-contractual relationships of college baseball players originally submitted December, 1945, to your office and resubmitted many times thereafter."

J. F. McHale, of Arizona State, president of the association declared "the situation is getting worse, year by year. Michigan State has lost 20 players since the war to the pro's.

"My own team probably could have gained the finals this year had not Walt Kelner, our best pitcher, joined the Lincoln (Neb.) Athletics. And Texas U. lost Tom Hamilton to the same team."

The coaches pointed to the huge turnout of scouts watching the National Collegiate Athletic Association baseball finals in progress here now, declaring they "corner our boys in corridors and talk to them about our careers, and disturb them to the point where they can't play good ball that night."

The resolution to which their telegram referred called on organized baseball to refrain from opening contractual relationships with college students until they have completed their full period of collegiate competition and have been graduated except in hardship cases where a student must leave school, and has the approval of the dean of students to enter into a contract.

The resolution would deny protection under its terms to any member of the coaches association who is subsidized or retained by a professional baseball club in any way, and would make such a coach's players ineligible to join the professional team which has such a connection. It would exempt part-time coaches from the ban.

The coaches also called on professional baseball representatives to stop contacting college players pending a decision of the professional association.

In their telegram, the coaches asked that the professional baseball leagues of America take definite action on the resolution at the meeting July 24.

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