

Homers, Dom's Pitching Nets Sweep for Senators



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Ol' Sidewheeler Back Again



Joe Nicholas, above, record 23-game winner for the Senators last season and sold to Portland on the strength of his fine showing, is again with the local club on option from the Beavers. The sub-mariner requested the assignment here. He is expected to considerably bolster a weak hurling staff here.

In 10 Innings . . .

Stars Edge Bevos 4-3; San Diego Nips Angels

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Jack Phillips' single through third base in the tenth inning gave Hollywood a 4-3 victory Thursday night over Portland. The Stars had the bases loaded with two down when Phillips smashed a grounder through Rocky Krsnich's legs. Carlos Bernier scored.

First of Grid Giants Arrive

First members of the New York Football Giants started moving into Salem for their summer training session Thursday. Looking over and arranging equipment at McCullough Stadium were three trainers and managers and Bill Austin, former Oregon State College great and an offensive regular at guard for the Giants.

In the group were Sid Moret and John Johnson, trainers, and Joe Pagni, equipment manager.

Today they will set up facilities for the team and lay out equipment. The players themselves should all be here by Saturday. Sunday the team will get their physicals and be issued equipment. First practice is slated for Monday morning.

Head Coach Jim Lee Howell is expected to arrive either late Friday or early Saturday.

The team and coaches will be housed at Willamette University's Baxter Hall.

Denny Shute First in Open

CLEVELAND (AP)—Denny Shute, Akron's aging pro, made one of his rare tournament appearances Thursday and gave the youngsters a golf lesson in the first round of the \$25,000 Manakiki Open.

The rubber city granddaddy arrived late at the tee and fired the first hole wearing his street shoes. He negotiated the 408 yards in two strokes, canning a 140-yard seven-iron shot for an eagle duce.

Then he donned his spikes, birdied five other holes and sauntered in with a 31-35-66 over the 651-yard par 36-72 tree-dotted and hilly layout.

That performance, along with the disqualification of Jimmy Clark of Huntington Beach, Calif., gave Shute a one-stroke edge over his nearest foe. Clark matched the 66 with a 32-34-66 round, but was erased because he posted the wrong score for two holes.

Freddie Haas, the long lad from New Orleans who fired a sensational 62 in last year's final round, stormed down the finish Thursday with a 35-32-67 for second place.

Haas, in the next to last threesome, had seven birdies as the result of a red hot putter, but had two bogies.

Shute, now gray-haired and almost 50, won the PGA championship in 1936 and 1937, and the British Open in 1933.

Warner, Perez Smash Drives

Bellotti Is Injured In 6-1, 3-Hit Win; Nicholas Checks In

By AL LIGHTNER

Statesman Sports Editor

For a team that could beat the Tri-City Braves only five times in 16 tries during the first half of the WL League pennant scramble, the village Senators definitely aren't showing such feebleness thus far in the No. 2 half.

Powered by well authored home runs by Harry Warner (his 12th) and Cuban Conrado Perez (his sixth), the Senators last night squashed the Tri-City crew again, 6-1, to sweep the local three-game series.

The foes now switch the week's warfare to Tri-City for games to-night, Saturday and Sunday. The Senators return to their home arena next Tuesday night, playing Victoria in the start of a full week of action here. Joe Nicholas, who reported last night, may hurt tonight's mix.

The mighty wallops—and they were exactly that—by Warner and Perez weren't the only highlights of the final mix with Edo Vanni & Co. Pitcher Ernie Domenichelli had one of his good nights, holding the Braves to three hits, not a one of which came about until seven full innings had been played.

Ernie was scored on in a wacky first inning when he walked Terry Carroll and Vic Buccola to start with, and was victimized by two consecutive errors by Gene Tanselli.

The run was earned, inasmuch as it would have arrived at third base on Artie Wilson's sacrifice bunt, which Tanselli bobbed, and then crossed the plate on Jack Warren's high bouncer to Tanselli, which Gene threw badly to second base in an attempt to start a double play.

A fine bases-loaded catch by Len Tran's long liner by Mel Krause hauled Domenichelli out of further damage in the inning.

The slender righthander, who posted his fourth victory, had things easy through the next six innings. A spectacular play by Carl Bellotti at short, on Warren's hard smash in the third, started a double play for Ernie, and Perez made a fine running catch of Carroll's long drive in the fifth.

No doubt few realized that Domenichelli was going for a no-hitter—not after that first inning.

His bid was crushed in the eighth, however, as Carroll led it off with a line drive to right field which Gene threw safely by a couple of feet and went for a stand-up double.

Then in the ninth Bob Moniz led off with a bloop single to center and Tran, with one out, bounced another one-baser off Domenichelli's glove.

For his sparkling stint Domenichelli whiffed seven and walked six. Needless to say, he was mighty tough when he had to be.

Warner put the Senators into a 1-1 tie in the second by slamming Jack Hemphill's first pitch high and far over the right field wall. It was one of the hardest hit round-trippers here this or any other season, going over the top of the cross-wires between the light towers.

Hemphill held the Salems there until the fifth when he walked Kellogg, gave a left-field double to Tanselli and then dished up a three-run homer to Perez. This wasn't hit quite as masterfully as was Warner's, but there was little doubt when the sphere left Conrado's bat.

Some dandy relief pitching by Lefty Bill Tomkins checked another Salem threat in the seventh, when Hemphill was knocked out, but in the eighth Jim Deyo, Domenichelli, Manager Hugh Luby and Tanselli all hit safely for two more runs.

Salem biffed 14 hits in the impressive win, four by Tanselli, who found left field a vulnerable spot for three of the safeties, and three by Deyo, who now looks more like the capable hitting "Jeemy" of a season ago.

The Senators lost the services of young Carl Bellotti in the eighth when he and Tanselli collided just as Gene was hauling down a foul pop-up in deep left field. Carl limped off the field with a knee condition which isn't believed to be too serious.

When Bellotti was forced out (he had two hits in three trips), Tanselli moved to short, Krause to third, Kellogg to right and Generalissimo Luby to second.

Colorful Vanni, never one to stay hidden, started off the night by firing a cap pistol at Umpires Jacobs and Bogle, but then became harnessed by the fact that there isn't much occasion to be funny when your ball club is getting its pants kicked by another.

Edo did light up a real "Fourth" sparkler and decorated first base with it in the seventh inning, however. He also jumped a few unexpected feet when someone let fly with another firecracker later in the game, this one booming off between the grandstand and third base bleachers.

Attendance was 804. Season total is now 36,467.

Senators Get Tom Herrera

Tomas Herrera, hard throwing righthander with the San Diego Padres this season, has finally been optioned to the Salem Senators. It was announced by General Manager Hugh Luby last night.

Herrera was on three other occasions this season ticketed for Salem, but all three times turned in fine mound performances for the Padres in his "final" games.

Of Mexican descent, Herrera was with the Big Springs, Tex., club of the Class C Longhorn League last season. He batted .263 in 29 games and posted a 3-10 mound record. He has been highly impressive as a rookie with the Padres this season.

He's expected to join the Senators immediately, which will give the club an 8-man pitching staff.



WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

W L Pct.	W L Pct.
Victoria 5 1 .333	Salem 4 4 .500
Lewiston 3 3 .500	Edmonton 4 5 .444
Yakima 2 3 .400	Vancouver 2 3 .400
Tri-City 5 4 .556	Wenatchee 1 8 .111

Thursday's results: At Salem 6, Tri-City 1; At Vancouver 3, Lewiston 13; At Victoria 5, Wenatchee 4; At Edmonton 3, Yakima 2.

COAST LEAGUE

W L Pct.	W L Pct.
Hollywood 55 49 .526	Seattle 45 55 .448
Diablo 51 53 .490	Sacramento 46 50 .479
Oakland 55 49 .529	Portland 43 56 .436
San Fran 54 51 .514	Los An 43 59 .422

Thursday's results: At Hollywood 4, Portland 3; At Oakland 4, Seattle 1; At San Diego 3, Los Angeles 2; At Sacramento 2, San Francisco 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W L Pct.	W L Pct.
New York 57 27 .679	Cincinnati 42 30 .583
Brooklyn 52 34 .605	St. Louis 40 43 .482
Philadelphia 40 39 .506	Chicago 31 50 .385
Pittsburgh 33 56 .369	Pittsburgh 2-0

Thursday's results: At Milwaukee 2-0, Brooklyn 6-8; At St. Louis 0, New York 1-0; At Cincinnati 2-4, Philadelphia 1-3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W L Pct.	W L Pct.
Cleveland 57 27 .679	Washington 33 47 .413
New York 52 34 .605	St. Louis 32 49 .395
Chicago 42 32 .567	Philadelphia 30 50 .375
Detroit 36 45 .444	Baltimore 31 52 .373

Thursday's results: At Philadelphia 0, Cleveland 3; At New York 3, Baltimore 1; At Boston 3-2, Detroit 1-4; At Washington 3, Chicago 2.

Broncs Down Caps by 13-5

VANCOUVER (AP)—The Lewis-ton Broncs capitalized on Vancouver's pitching problems to swamp the Caplans 13-5 in the opener of a five game Western International League series here Thursday night.

Victoria stayed on top of the WIL second half standings by winning their fifth game in the six starts by edging the Wenatchee Chiefs 5-4. The Edmonton Eskimos made it three in a row with Yakima by downing the Bears 9-8 in an extra-inning contest before a crowd of 1,000 at Edmonton.

Arnie Holgren, Vancouver's starter, walked 10 before he was sent to the showers after four and one third innings. Bob Roberts came to the mound in the fifth and allowed one walk to load the bases, setting the stage for a four-run circuit clout by the Broncs' Clint Cameron.

The homer gave the Broncs a 6-4 lead at the end of the fifth. Vancouver scored once in the sixth but was blanked from there on as the Broncs scored three runs in the eighth and four in their ninth.

Broncs' Manager Larry Barton shared hitting honors with Cameron, slugging two doubles and a single for two runs batted in.

Slow-working lefthander Art Yaxilian took the win.

Lewiston	001 000 034-13	13 0
Vancouver	000 000 000-5	5 0
Yaxilian and Garay; Holgren, Roberts (5) and Pesut.		
Wenatchee	001 000 300-4	6 5
Victoria	000 120 011-5	10 1
Beamon and Helmuth; Hodges, Kashiha (9) and Lundberg.		
Yakima	100 010 402-8	12 2
Edmonton	300 001 013-1	10 0
Home Runs: Mantle, New York 12; McNeilly, Worth (7), Widmer (10) and Partee.		

Major League Leaders

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Player	Team	Rate
Nolan, N. Y.	g	ab r h pct.
Avila, Cleveland	71	274 33 93 .339
Abrams, Balti	49	176 24 58 .330
Hammel, N. Y.	77	285 65 91 .314
Rosen, Balti	72	249 65 91 .314
Fox, Chicago	87	356 66 111 .310
Bunby, Wash	80	322 43 103 .310
Home Runs: Mantle, New York 12; Vernon, Wash 7; 316 32 97 .307		
Bauer, N. Y.	69	232 47 71 .306
Home Runs: Mays, New York 12; Doby, Cleveland 15; Minoos, Chicago 14; Rosen, Cleveland 14; Boone, Detroit 14; Zernial, Philadelphia 14; Vernon, Washington 14.		

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Player	Team	Rate
Snider, Brooklyn	83	323 66 117 .360
Mueller, N. Y.	84	338 56 120 .355
Bell, Cincinnati	85	345 66 115 .339
Musial, St. Louis	82	325 75 109 .335
Moore, St. Louis	82	346 61 115 .332
Schoendienst, St. L.	83	363 70 119 .328
Mays, N. Y.	85	318 72 103 .321
Jablonski, St. L.	83	341 44 109 .320
Adcock, Milwaukee	80	300 41 90 .300
Hammel, Phila	79	295 46 97 .329
Home Runs: Mays, New York 11; Musial, St. Louis 2; Hodges, Brooklyn 2; Bauer, Chicago 2; Klusavec, St. Louis 2.		

Bernie Bond, leading trainer at Monmouth race track, fought in both the European and Pacific theaters as an infantryman. He rose from private to captain.

Tribe Ends Streak, Blanks A's 4-0; 'Bums' Drop Pair

NEW YORK (AP)—The Cleveland Indians broke a four-game losing streak Thursday night, defeating the Philadelphia Athletics 4-0 to retain their half game lead over the New York Yankees in the tight American League race.

Homers Twice



Eddie Mathews slammed his 20th and 21st homers for the Braves as Milwaukee downed the Dodgers twice in a doubleheader Thursday.

Phillies Pick Terry Moore For Manager

CINCINNATI (AP)—Terry Moore, a "gentleman" player with the raucous St. Louis Cardinals in the old Gas House Gang days, Thursday was named manager of the Philadelphia Phillies, replacing blunt-spoken Steve O'Neill.

Moore, whose previous managerial experience has been confined to two weeks of "sick leave" fill-in duty for Marty Marion with the Cards in 1951, took charge of the Phils Thursday night for the club's two-night twin bill against the Redlegs here.

Roy Hamey, general manager of the Phils, said the shift—his first major move since assuming office—was made because the Phillies "just decided to change managers."

O'Neill, who had been selected in June 1952 to replace Eddie Sawyer and try to pull the sliding Whiz Kids back to the top of the National League heap, turned the reins over to his successor with the remark "I hope you have better luck than I did."

Rumors of a managerial move in the Phillies ranks had been coming thick and fast for the past several weeks. Moore had not been prominently mentioned, although he was already within the club's fold as a scout for the past two years.

Some action had been expected ever since Hamey was named general manager by Phillies' owner Bob Carpenter, still hoping to lift the team back to the baseball place he enjoyed when the so-called "Whiz Kids" won the 1950 National League pennant under Sawyer.

In the second division when O'Neill took over, the team finished the 1952 season in fourth and last year was tied for third.

Thus far in 1954, the Phils are in third spot, 13½ games behind the front running New York Giants.

Giants Granted Right in Suit

NE WYORK (AP)—The New York Giants Thursday were granted a temporary injunction by New York state Supreme Court Justice Benjamin Rabin to restrain a New York man, Martin Fass, from "pirating" baseball game broadcasts and providing information for re-broadcasts while the game still was in progress.

The Giants claimed Fass "pirated" at least 60 games, operating from his home and using teletype service to transmit play-by-play descriptions to radio stations in San Francisco, Seattle, Cheyenne, Dallas, Tex., Houston and other cities.

The club cited a National League radio agreement of Dec. 10, 1951, whereby each club has exclusive right to sell radio and TV privileges for its home games.

Sweep 'Em

Tri-City (1)	BHOA	(6) Salem	BHOA
Carroll 3	4 1 1 4	Bellotti 3	2 0 3
Buccola 1	3 0 1 0	Keig 2	4 0 2 3
Warren 1	1 0 0 0	Tansell 2	4 0 1
Warren 2	4 0 2	Perez 1	4 1 0
Moniz 4	1 2 0	Warner 1	4 1 0
McGinn 4	0 3 0	D Lby 4	1 7 1
Tran 2	4 1 2	Deyo 0	4 3 0
Watson 3	3 0 3	Krause 3	2 0 4
Hemphill 2	0 0 0	Domani 4	1 0 1
Tomkins 0	0 0 0	H Lby 2	1 0 1
Jonson 0	0 0 0		
Robson 0	0 0 0		

Totals 29 324 12 Total 35 14 27 10
 *Walked for Tompkins in 9th.
 *Ran for Johnson in 9th.
 Tri-City 100 000 000-1 1 1
 Salem 010 030 022-6 14 2
 Losing pitcher: Hemphill
 Pitcher ip ab r h r so bb
 Hemphill 5 27 10 4 4 1 4
 Tompkins 1 4 2 2 0 0
 Domenichelli 5 29 3 1 1 7 6
 PB: Luby, LOB: T 9, S 10, E; Tansell, Watson, HR: Warner, Perez, SEB; Tansell 2, Bellotti, Carroll, RBI: Warren, Warner, Perez 2, Domenichelli, Tanselli, SAC: Wilson, Hemphill, Krause, DP: Bellotti to Kellogg to Warner, T: 2:22, U: Jacobs & Bogle, ATT: 804.

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