

Benson Fails to Qualify; Church Breaks Record

Chisox Win to Move Within Game of Lead

Dodgers Rout Cards 12 to 1

Cleveland, Boston.
Split Doubleheader

By ED WILKS
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The Chicago White Sox, refusing to bow out of the American League race as predicted, moved to within a game of first place New York last night by edging the Yankees in a thriller 2-1.

Home runs by Walt Dropo and Mickey Mantle provided the lone runs of the contest as Chicago's Dick Donovan and New York's Whitey Ford put on a pitching duel for eight innings.

But, in the ninth, George Kell frustrated Ford's attempt to walk him by lining foul a 3-1 pitch and then slugging a single that scored the winning run.

Tribe Tops Sox

Cleveland's Indians, meanwhile, finally put an end to Boston's big surge, beating the Red Sox 3-2 after losing 6-5 in the first game of a day-night twin bill.

The tight American League race — the split left Cleveland 2½ games behind the Yankees — paid off at the turnstiles as 33,744 sat in at Yankee Stadium and 33,014 saw the Boston night game.

The day game drew 10,612 at the Hub. Baltimore upset fourth place Detroit 3-2 in 11 innings and Kansas City beat Washington 4-2 in the other AL games.

In the National, Don Newcombe whacked his fifth homer and won his 11th game as league leader Brooklyn broke a two-game losing streak with a 12-1 victory at St. Louis. Second place Chicago was chilled by Philadelphia as Stan Lopata's home run beat the Cubs 3-2.

Pittsburgh Wins

Pittsburgh defeated Cincinnati 3-1 after the Redlegs had taken two in a row from Brooklyn.

Donovan had two hits the Yankees until Mantle's 400-foot clout in the eighth, but gave way to Sandy Consuegra, who wrapped up Donovan's eighth victory, after Irv Noren opened the Yank ninth with a single.

The Chicago right-hander, who has lost two, fanned seven and walked two. Ford, now 7-3, struck out five and walked only one, but gave up three of the White Sox's five hits in the last two frames.

The Red Sox made it nine as Billy Klaus drove in five runs with a homer and three singles and reliever Tom Hurd put down a five.

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Jones Victor By TKO Count

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK (AP) — Ralph (Tiger) Jones, the persistent Yonkers, N. Y., middleweight, handled Ernie Durando with the greatest of ease Friday night, opening wide cuts around his left eye to win a technical knockout at the end of the sixth round at Madison Square Garden. Jones weighed 155½, Durando 161.

Dr. Vincent Nardiello of the New York State Athletic Commission advised Referee Al Berl to stop the uneven contest after examining Durando in his corner after the sixth.

Under New York rules, it went as a sixth round because the bell had not rung for the seventh.

One Good Punch

Referee Berl and Judge Joe Agnello had scored it 5-1 giving Durando the third round. Judge Harold Barnes had it 6-0. So did the A. P.

One right-hand punch to the jaw that seemed to shake Jones momentarily early in the third round was Durando's only threat. The rest of the night the 29-year-old Bayonne, N. J., slugger was strictly a catcher.

Once again the International Boxing Club announced no gate or attendance figures for the small crowd, estimated at about 1,500.

JUNIOR BALL PRACTICE

The Mill Supply Co. B team of the Junior Baseball League will practice at 3 p.m. Saturday at Leslie Field, reports Coach Wally Gibson.

In Waters Field Weekenders



Art (Curly) Leininger, left, who played for the Salem Senators in 1942 and who now manages the powerful Coos Bay-North Bend Lumberjacks semipro club, and Ron King, right, do-everything member of the current Senators will be in action at Waters Field tonight and twice Sunday afternoon in exhibition games. As feature of tonight's tussle, King will play every position for Senators, one per inning.

U.S. Gets 1960 Games . . .

Squaw Valley Picked For Winter Olympics

PARIS (AP)—The International Olympic Committee (IOC) Friday tapped Squaw Valley, Calif., a young resort which never has been the scene of a major competition, to stage the 1960 winter Olympics.

The Squaw Valley bid barely nosed out Innsbruck, Austria, in the final vote, which was delayed for hours as the committee debated the question and called both delegations for further descriptions of their facilities.

Unofficial reports said the count in favor of Squaw Valley was 32 to 30.

Selection of the California site represents, the first time the winter games have been moved out of Europe in 28 years and the second time in history.

1932 Games in U.S.

The 1932 winter Olympics were held in Lake Placid, N.Y. Since then Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, St. Moritz, Switzerland, and Oslo, Norway, have had the honor. The 1956 games will be held at Cortina D'Ampezzo, Italy.

Squaw Valley, an unincorporated village near the California-Nevada state line, is "an unspoiled area of granite peaks and a vast lake, lying along the crest of California's Sierra Nevada, highest mountain range in North America," say its backers.

Alexander Cushing of Tahoe City, Calif., head of the Squaw Valley delegation, said the village had no mayor to represent it here, but California is behind the project.

He said California Gov. Knight would name the committee to organize the games.

Snow Plentiful

Squaw Valley, located at an altitude of about 6,100 feet, claims an average of 445 inches of snowfall a year, according to a 60-year average its backers claim sufficient snow is available for races from late November right up to July 4.

Most of the facilities to handle the games will have to be built, and the state of California has promised to supply \$1,000,000 to handle the construction. Most of this money is expected to be retained from admissions to the games.

Two ski lifts are already in place. One will have to be extended, and another built.

New Stadium Planned

Also to be built is an Olympic stadium with 4,000 seats for spectators at hockey games and figure skating.

Temporary stands will handle another 4,000 persons, according to the plans.

The Squaw Valley committee recommended the last week of January and first week of February as the best dates for the games.

Selection of Squaw Valley came a day after selection of Rome as the site of the 1960 summer games in the first important vote.

The Oregon Statesman SPORTS

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'Jacks' Next For Solons Club

The Salem Senators, idle last night, will return to exhibition games action at Waters Field tonight and Sunday afternoon. The locals have a three-day bye in Northwest League play, but will not be idle. The powerful Coos Bay-North Bend Lumberjacks, the outfit which plastered the Salems by a 19-3 score last season at Coos Bay, are to play three games with Hugh Luby's lads at Waters field, first one tonight at eight o'clock.

A Sunday doubleheader, starting at two o'clock, will complete the exhibition series.

As a special of tonight's game, Ronnie King of the Salems will play every position, on a one-inning basis. He'll start out by pitching the first inning.

Sparkling Roster

Few of the Lumberjacks need introducing hereabouts. They have such veteran standouts as Manager "Curly" Leininger, who played for the Senators in 1942; Dick Wenner, hard-hitting Senators left fielder in 1946; Johnny Kovenz, former Western International League who leads the Lumberjacks in hitting with a .401 mark; Ray Stratton, former Senator outfielder; Roy Nicely, longtime Coast League shortstop with San Francisco; Ward Rocky, one time W.L.E. with Spokane who has compiled a 38-8 record in four years of pitching for the 'Jacks; Jay Ragni, former W.L. and Oakland star who can pitch, play first base or the outfield; Ken Jensen, another ex-W.L. and Coast League player; Dick Allison, former Salem High, Willamette U. and Senators catcher; Irv Roth, the ex-Silverton and Willamette U. catcher who has had two years of pro ball and who has just recently been discharged from the service; 20-year-old Ron Trully, a hurler from El Camino JC in California; Ron Webb and Gordy Hersey, a couple of Buck Bailey's Washington-State Cougars collegiates; Jack Hankle, former Eugene High star now attending Oregon State, and Jim Ruggles, Oregon State varsity regular.

Also with the 'Jacks is Bob Hayes, who managed the Fort Lewis club last season and who has had three seasons of pro ball.

The Senators resume Northwest League play Monday night, opening a series at Spokane. In two recent games with Tri-City, the Lumberjacks broke even. The loss was their first of the season.

Eugene Tops Yakima, 5-3

EUGENE (AP)—Eugene pitcher Berlyn Hodges scattered eight hits as his club defeated Yakima 5-3 in Friday night's Northwest League baseball game.

It was his eighth straight pitching victory. The loser, John Kelly, allowed only six hits.

Eugene opened the scoring in the first inning with two runs, on a double by Ron Jackson, two walks and Grady Gladstone's single. The Emeralds went ahead to stay in the third inning with two more runs in which Hal Toso's double played an important part. Jackson singled in the final Eugene run in the eighth.

Doubles by Dick Hogan and Herman Lewis and Sam Mitchell's single accounted for two Yakima runs in the fourth inning. The losers added another in the ninth, aided by Dennis Luby's single.

Two other homers, both by the losers, were scored.

The five-run inning came when Tom Perez knocked out the first one with one man on and Milt Martin circled the bases after two teammates had gotten aboard.

Lewiston started ahead with a run scored in the second inning on two singles and an error and added another in the third when Gabby Williams homered. Its second homer was gained by Jim Barrett in the 9th when the bases were empty.

Lewiston had a rally going in the eighth which scored two runs on two singles and a double by Max Schmidt but a shoestring catch by Tom Perez stranded two men.

It was family night and 2,000 fans turned out but only 732 were paid.

In the third NWL game Friday night, veteran John Conant returned. (Continued on next page.)

Willamette Ace Misses



Willamette's Dean Benson (going over hurdle) couldn't quite hold this form Friday and failed to qualify in the NCAA meet at Los Angeles. After banging into first hurdle, Benson managed to close distance between other hurdlers but couldn't catch them. Defending Champ Willard Thomson won the race.

OSC Javelin Ace Tops Mark

220 Record Broken In NCAA Track Meet

LOS ANGELES (Special) — Willamette's Dean Benson failed to qualify in the high hurdles in the 34th annual NCAA Track and Field Championships Friday but another Pacific Northwest star, javelin thrower Jerry Church of Oregon State, helped set the qualifying pace along with sprinter Jim Golliday of Northwestern.

The record performance of Church and Golliday and the stunning failure of defending half-mile champion Arnie Sowell of Pittsburgh to qualify highlighted the day, but nothing changed the position of the host University of Southern California as favorite to win its seventh straight national collegiate title.

Church unleashed the javelin for a toss of 232 feet six inches to become one of three to surpass the old NCAA javelin mark of 228-8½ held since 1952 by George Roseme of California.

The other two were Charley Higgins of Brigham Young at 225-5 and Phil Conley of Pasadena's Cal-Tech with 231-7. All three and the four others with the best tosses Friday will have three more chances in Saturday's finals.

220 Mark Broken

Golliday turned in an NCAA and Los Angeles Coliseum record of 20.9 seconds for 220 yards around a turn as he won his qualifying heat.

Previous fastest 220 around a turn was by Barney Ewell of Penn State at 21.1 in 1940. The blazing Northwestern star also tied the Coliseum mark of 9.5 seconds in winning his heat in the 100-yard dash.

Willamette's Benson was fifth in his heat and the four men before him all qualified for the semi-finals. Benson got off to a fast start but missed his stride going over the first barrier and caught his trailing foot on the upswing under the hurdle. Slowed and off-stride, he skinned over the remaining hurdles in almost amazing speed, even though he hit the fifth and seventh, and closed much of the space between him and the others in the race.

Oregon Coach Bill Bowerman said that Benson was probably the fastest man not to qualify. His statement is easily understood when it is considered that Benson's heat was the fastest in the qualifying and was won by Willard Thomson of Illinois, the defending champion, who has had a best time this year of 13.7.

Thomson Hurts Leg

Thomson pulled up, limping later in the lows. It wasn't immediately known how it would affect his later performances.

Sowell blamed only himself and a mental lapse for his failure to qualify for the 890-yard finals.

Along with high jumper Ernie Shelton of USC, the Pittsburgh man was considered one of the defending champs almost certain to repeat.

"I just went to sleep," he said after finishing fourth in a heat in which only the first three qualified. The heat was won by Lowell Janzen of Kansas in 1:32.5 compared with Sowell's best time this year of 1:49.1.

Tom Courtney of Fordham, beaten several times this season by Sowell, won one of the other two heats in 1:51.1.

Moderate Temperature

Although the sun was shining and the temperature in the moderate 60's, only 3,875 fans were on hand in the coliseum for the qualifying.

Preliminaries included all but four of the 14 events on the championship calendar. The exceptions were the mile, two-mile, high jump and pole vault. Southern California strength is largely centered in the latter three.

At Friday night's coaches meeting the field for the mile run finals Saturday was cut to 22. All will run in a single race. A move to have two heats and judge the placing by times was defeated.

Dellinger, Bailey Race

A surprise was the entry of Jim Bailey of Oregon as a running mate to defending champion Bill Dellinger. The move by Oregon Coach Bill Bowerman was seen as a possible move to have a pace set for Dellinger, who has been broadjumped 23 feet 6 inches and Martin Pedigo, Oregon, soared 23 feet 3½ inches to qualify for the finals in that event. The longest jump was made by Joe Shankle, Duke, at 24-3¼.

Bob Gary of Washington State qualified for two events, the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes. His time of 21.9 seconds was fastest in the third qualifying heat for the 220 but was an even slower dash than that of Jim Golliday.

Tommy Spouts in Open . . .

Harvie Ward Shoots 70 To Tie Bolt for Lead

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Amateur Harvie Ward of San Francisco shot an even par 70 to tie fading front-runner Tommy Bolt for the lead at the halfway point of the National Open Golf Championship Friday with a 36-hole score of 144.

Bolt drew to a 77 after taking a first round 67.

The two leaders had a one-stroke edge over two past champions and a pair of dark horses of the blackest hue.

Tied at 145 were the four-time champion Ben Hogan, still the most feared man in the tournament; Julius Boros, 1952 open champion; Walker Hagan, Jr., of Augusta, Ga., and Jack Fleck of Davenport, Iowa.

Inman is a 25-year-old former Air Force officer making his first professional tour, and Fleck is a 32-year-old home professional who limits his competition primarily to the winter tour.

Bolt Blows Stack

Bolt, his temper and his golf game breaking their bonds after an opening round 67, rocketed to a scattershot 77 after blowing himself to a double bogey six on the final hole.

Fuming mad, he barked at newspaper reporters who sought to interview him and stalked from the course.

The rugged Olympic course took its toll of well-known players and a number failed to make the final 36 holes.

These included former open "world" champion Lew Worsham, 156; Dick Mayer, third place finisher last year, 158; Ted Kroll and former Masters champion Claude Harmon, 159 each; Ed (Porky) Oliver, 160; former champion PGA Little, 161, and former PGA champion Walter Burkemo, 166.

Hogan, playing the steady, deliberate game which carried him to four previous championships, added a 73 to a previous 72. Boros, broke into Hogan's dynasty back in 1952, carved out a sub-par 69 over the 6,700 yard, par 70 Olympic Club Lakeside course.

Inman Shoots 73

Inman, who had been in second place after the first round with a 70, shot a 75. Fleck came out of nowhere with a 69 in the late afternoon after opening with a 76.

Bracketed at 148, still very much in contention going into Saturday's (Continued on next page.)

NW Scores Given For National Open

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Second round scores of Pacific Northwest entrants in the National Open Golf Championship Friday follow:

George Puetz, Renton, Wash., 76-77-155.

William C. Mawhinney, Vancouver, B. C. 77-80-157.

Bob McKendrick, Oswego, Ore., 85-78-163.

John G. Hoetmer, Seattle, 88-75-163.

Bob Duden, Portland, 84-83-167.

Eddie Hogan, Portland, 81 — withdrew.

Other scores included: Marvin (Bud) Ward, San Mateo, formerly of Spokane, 76-76-152.

Al Zimmerman, Scottsdale, Ariz., formerly of Portland, 78-74-152.

Ted A. Neist, Clayton, Mo., formerly of Walla Walla, 79-75-154.

Edward S. Oliver Jr., Lemont, Ill., formerly of Seattle, 79-81-160.

Harry Umbinetti, Seattle, 75-85-160.

Wendell E. Wood, Eugene, Ore., 82-81-163.

a-Ralph Dichter, Warrenton, Ore., 85-78-163.

a-Amateur.

Yale Crews Sweep Races in Regatta

NEW LONDON, Conn. (AP)—Yale crews swept the Thames river against Harvard Friday for the first time since 1935 in the 90th renewal of America's oldest sporting event—the Yale-Harvard regatta.

The Yale oarsmen came from behind in all races with the varsity four-mile in doubt until the final quarter-mile when the Elis' experience and power proved decisive.

The Yale heavies won by a length and a quarter in 20:05, four seconds better than the sophomore-dominated Harvard crew.

The blue JV's won by two lengths in 9:53.4. Harvard's time in this one was 10:01.

The Yale freshmen crossed the finish line two and a half lengths in front of their rivals in 9:40, nine seconds to the good.

Twinks Edged By Bevos, 3-1

San Diego, Seattle Gain PCL Victories

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Southpaw Royce Lint allowed only three hits in pitching Portland to a 3-1 victory over Hollywood Friday night and giving the Beavers a 3-1 lead in the series.

Joe Taylor and Carl Powis hit homers for Portland. Taylor's homer tied the score, a single by Powis put the Beavers ahead, and his homer in the seventh was merely insurance.

Hollywood's first inning run was the first the team had scored in 19 innings.

Portland had shut out the Stars twice in succession. After Friday's first inning tally the Twinks reverted to their old ways. It was the third straight Portland win.

George O'Donnell was touched for nine hits and was relieved in the ninth by Joe Trimble.

The game drew 7,000. San Diego trounced Oakland, 7-1, with John Carmichael allowing only two hits, one a ninth inning homer by George Metkovich. Los Angeles kept Sacramento in the cellar, winning a 3-0 game highlighted by a fist fight in the first inning. Hal Rice and Steve Bilko hit back-to-back homers to help the Angels in the fourth. John Oldam officially faced (Continued on next page.)

Medalist Out In Coed Meet

LAKE BLUFF, Ill. (AP)—Tall, straight-shooting Berridge Long, 18-year-old student at Sophie Newcomb College of New Orleans, spilled medalist Barbara McIntire of Rollins College, 4 and 3, in Friday's semifinals of the Women's Collegiate Golf Tourney.

In the other semi-final, Honolulu's tiny Jackie Yates, 19, of Redlands, Calif., University, won 2 up on the 18th green against another gal from Rollins, Anne Richardson.

Misses Long, who is 5-8 and weighs 140, and Yates, 5-2½, and 118 pounds, face for the title Saturday at 18 holes.

Major League Leaders

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Kaline, Detroit 58 227 46 370
Kuenn, Detroit 50 204 31 343
Fox, Chicago 56 229 35 328
Power, Kan. City 51 205 36 327
Lollar, Chicago 49 159 25 408
Mantle, N. Y. 42 219 37 305
Klus, Boston 43 141 25 305
Doby, Cleveland 48 184 35 299
Veron, Wash. 39 217 27 284
Smith, Cleveland 61 255 49 73 284
Elmer, Cincinnati 20; Campanella, Brooklyn 19; Mays, New York 17; Banks, Chicago 14; Mathews, Milwaukee 14.

Runs batted in: Jensen, Boston, 45; Mantle, New York, 45; Kaline, Detroit, 44; Berra, New York, 42; Delmonico, Detroit, 38; Zarnia, Kansas City, 38; Vernon, Washington, 38.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Ashburn, Phila. 47 180 34 64 256
Muesler, N. Y. 56 222 27 78 338
Kuzewski, Cin. 54 217 37 73 338
Campbell, Brooklyn 60 226 40 75 333
Long, Pittsburgh 51 150 23 350 333
Solder, Brooklyn 52 222 37 71 329
Aaron, Milwaukee 60 230 42 78 312
Musial, St. Louis 56 221 33 68 308
Schmidt, St. L. 54 212 35 65 307
Virdon, St. Louis 49 184 27 56 304

Home runs: Snider, Brooklyn 22; Kuzewski, Cincinnati 20; Campanella, Brooklyn 19; Mays, New York 17; Banks, Chicago 14; Mathews, Milwaukee 14.

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Allan Charlton, Michigan State freshman football candidate, never has seen the American game played. He is an Australian rugby player.

Pitchers Shine as Mt. Angel, Prison Club Win Softy Games

Pitching held the center of the stage in the City League softball games Friday night as Gene Heficker of the State Prison Officers pitched a one-hit 6-4 win over Kay Woolen Mills and Carl Beyers of the Mt. Angel Coop struck out 18 and gave up only two hits to blank Randle Oil, 5-0.

In the Prison-Woolen contest, the Prison collected two runs in the first inning as Thompson walked and scored on Bill Rose's home run. They scored four more in the fourth on singles by Thompson, Huddleston, Rose and George Willkenson and a sacrifice fly by Heficker.

Kay Woolen got all four of their runs in the bottom of the fourth frame. Their only hit of the game, a bun' single by Bob DeGeer, two walks, a passed ball, a wild pitch and catcher's interference accounted for them. Bill Rader, who took over as relief hurler for Kay in the fourth, blanked the Prison in his fourth-inning stint.

Mt. Angel started their scoring in the first inning with a walk followed by an error that brought the runner home. They added another in the sixth with one hit, a single by C. Beyers and then scored the final three in the sixth. These came on a two-on double by Carl Beyers, who in turn scored on a long sacrifice fly by J. Beyers.

The only two hits off pitcher Beyers were a single by Dick Norton and a triple by Armond Carrow. "his win put Mt. Angel into second place behind Burklund Lumber who hasn't yet lost a game. Mt. Angel's only loss has been to Burklund, that one a 10-inning 7-2 game in which Burklund scored five runs in the 10th.

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Today's Pitchers

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Kansas City at Washington—Raschi (1-1) vs. McDermott (5-6). Detroit at Baltimore—Moss (4-3) vs. Dorish (3-0). Chicago at New York—Byrd (3-2) vs. Turley (8-5). Cleveland at Boston—Garci (3-7) vs. Sullivan (7-6).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati—Donoso (9-6) vs. Staley (4-4). New York at Milwaukee—Mazie (7-3) vs. Nichols (8-4). Philadelphia at Chicago—Roberts (8-2) vs. Jones (6-4). Brooklyn at St. Louis—Podres (7-3) vs. Woodridge (6-0) or Lawrence (2-5).

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