

Dodgers Win First World Series Championship

Podres Blanks Yanks, 2-0, to Take 7th Tilt

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK (AP)—Brooklyn's beloved Bums finally won a World Series on the eighth try Tuesday after long years of bitter frustration, tumbling the mighty New York Yankees in a tense seventh game, 2-0, on Johnny Podres' gritty pitching.

Scorned as 19-5 underdogs after dropping the first two games at Yankee Stadium, the Dodgers slugged back to become the first team ever to win a

Viks, Saxons Eye Grid Foes

North Vs. Lebanon; South Vs. Eugene

South Salem's Saxons and North Salem's Vikings will be favored to add another mark in their win columns this Friday when the two schools take on another pair of football foes. South Salem travels to Eugene to meet the Axemen there and North Salem will host the Lebanon Warriors.

Both teams held workouts Tuesday on soggy fields.

South Salem will be aiming for its fifth straight victory, the last victim being Bend by a 21-7 count. Eugene will be a non-district foe in Friday's clash while the North Salem-Lebanon game is a district 8-A-1 contest. Eugene has split in its four games so far, losing to Corvallis, 14-9, and Cottage Grove, 20-13.

Two Narrow Losses

Both of Eugene's losses have been to teams ranked among the top 10 in the state and both were only narrow losses. The Axemen edged Klamath Falls, 13-6, and blanked Roseburg, 6-0. Eugene has proven itself capable both in a running attack and in passing. Dave Powell, a 190-pound fullback, is the principal ground gainer.

Coach Lee Gustafson of the Saxons says he will use the same lineup as last week, with only the starting quarterback position still undecided. It will be either Bob Beals or Larry Thompson.

Still nursing injuries on the Saxon team are Brad Kruger, tackle, and Gary Mellinger, center.

Viks Eye Victory

Coach Al Gray at North Salem hopes his Vikings will hand Lebanon its fourth straight defeat. The Warriors have bowed to Astoria, Corvallis and Albany, three more teams that are all ranked in the top 10 of the state. North Salem stopped Sweet Home, 33-19, last Friday.

Still a thorn in the side of Gray is the 7-6 upset the Lebanon team won over the Vikings last year. "We don't want that sort of thing again this year," said Gray Tuesday. He expects that the Viks will be "up" for Friday's game so that no such surprise will happen again this year.

It's All Over and Johnny's the Toast of Brooklyn



YANKEE STADIUM—Pitcher Johnny Podres is flanked by Gil Hodges, left, and Carl Furillo in Dodgers dressing room after win over Yankees in final game of 1955 World Series Tuesday. Podres blanked the Yanks, 2-0, and Hodges knocked in both runs. Brooks took Series four games to three to garner their first championship. (AP Wirephoto.)



YANKEE STADIUM—Dodgers' boss Walter O'Malley, left, lets out a holler as he grabs Manager Walter Alton in dressing room after win in 1955 World Series. Brooks beat Yankees, 2-0, in final game to take their first series in history. (AP Wirephoto.)

Dodgers Rave After Victory

By TED SMITS

NEW YORK (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers cut loose Tuesday in their dressing room after winning the World Series as no other baseball club has done in recent years.

There was shouting and back-pounding, cheering and smiles, hand shaking and embracing—and it was spontaneous, genuine, and totally unabashed.

Five heroes were singled out: Johnny Podres, the superb pitcher; Sandy Amoros, whose catch of Yogi Berra's high pop to left field corner saved the day when he turned it into a double play; Gil Hodges, who drove in the two all-important Dodger runs; Manager Walter Alton, who did what no other Brooklyn manager could do in winning baseball's biggest prize; and Duke Snider, the slugging center field star.

"That Podres—that Amoros," catcher Roy Campanella shouted. "He never shook me off on anything I called for all day except the last pitch of the game. I wanted a fast ball. He wanted a change-up."

Campanella roared with laughter. A changeup it was, and Elston Howard grounded out to Reese.

Huskies to Drill On Defense Work

SEATTLE (AP)—Washington's trouble next Saturday, Coach John Cherberg opines, will be in maintaining a defense against the point-blank offense demonstrated this year by the University of Southern California football team.

With this in mind, most of the Husky workouts this week are being devoted to defensive maneuvering against USC plays—and shifting players to fill gaps left by the weekly injured list.

Cherberg moved Dell Jensen, a reserve, to the position of varsity center but still hopes to play Bert Watson, the regular center. Watson was injured in the Oregon game last Saturday and hasn't been able to participate in any rough work this week.

Cherberg said he doubted if he would run the squad through any all-out scrimmage this week, concentrating on looking over the USC attack.

Jinx Park Fails To Stop Dodgers

By AL LIGHTNER

YANKEE STADIUM, New York City—(Special)—Myrt can now go home to Alabama with what's left of her \$32,000. Pee Wee Reese gets the World Series victory he's been denied on five other occasions, Johnny Podres gets to drive around in a new Chevrolet Corvette, the Sport magazine award for the Series' "top performer" and all Flatbush will rock with joy for weeks. The Brooks did it in their eighth trip to the post.

It was a tremendous 2-0 game, one for and in which tension was so great that even pre-game singer Lucy Monroe's voice seemed to quiver as she sang the national anthem. The pressure didn't bother the Dodgers as many figured it would, since they were playing for the blue chips in their "jinx" park. They played like real champions in all but that one brief instant in the fourth inning when Gilliam and Snider did an Alfonso-Gaston act on Berra's high fly, letting it fall for a double. That hit, incidentally, cheap as it was, gave Berra a record-tying achievement of having hit safely in all seven of the games. Only eight other players have been able to do that over the years.

Podres Terrific
Podres was terrific. His victory in the third game, which was the highlight of his 23rd birthday, was a sharp effort. Tuesday's was sharper. The kid pitched with the finesse of an ancient veteran and as if he just knew he would shut out the Yanks, a feat which was accomplished only five times during the regular campaign. It was a great victory for the brash, cocky Podres, who is also quite a pop-off. He was at his greatest when he had to be. While the youngster used 106 pitches to subdue the Yankees last week, he needed 143 in the finale.

The great breaks helped Podres to the triumph which means over \$8,000 for each Dodger player, and around \$6,000 for each Yankee. The biggest of the two came in the sixth (Continued on next page.)

Kiesling Gets Fine of \$500

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Walter Kiesling, coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers in the National Football League, Tuesday was fined \$500—

heaviest fine in league history—for his behavior toward officials during and after the Steelers-Los Angeles Rams game last Sunday.

Commissioner Bert Bell announced the fine and confirmed that it was the heaviest such levy against player or coach in league history. The commissioner said it was necessary to protect the officials.

"Officials have to call more than 100 judgment plays a game and they must be protected against abuse from coaches, players and others. The fine is in the best interests of professional football," Bell said.

The commissioner, who made his decision after a "telephone" hearing with Kiesling, said the fine was tempered by Kiesling's long and faithful service to the game as well as his unblemished record to date. Under the NFL code, the Pittsburgh coach was liable to a fine of up to \$2,000 and suspension for life.

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Stanford Jumps to 20th...

Terps Top Grid Poll; UCLA 7th, Troy 10th

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

Maryland, well out in front in the national football ratings after only three games, faces a real battle from here on. It isn't the battle to win games that troubles Jim Tatum's mighty Terrapins, but one to avoid being forgotten.

The Terps have finished the toughest part of their schedule—Missouri, UCLA and Baylor—in a gratifying fashion. From now on they'll play mostly in their own territory. They'll play in the Atlantic Coast Conference with two outside games that apparently don't pose any serious problems. And in the ACC, still so young that there's no round-robin schedule or official championship, Maryland doesn't meet its most important rival, Duke.

Michigan Second

Meanwhile, Michigan, a solid second in this week's Associated Press poll of sports writers and broadcasters, takes on sixth-rated Army Saturday when plunged into the Big Ten title race, where every game is a tough one and every victory makes a big impression.

So far Maryland has been sufficiently impressed that the Terps garnered 88 of 185 first place votes and a total of 1,568 points to Michigan's 27 firsts and 1,223 points. Oklahoma, with 13 firsts and 1,146 points, edge out Georgia Tech for third place with Notre Dame, Army, UCLA, Texas Christian, Wisconsin and Southern California completing the top ten.

Buckeyes Drop

Oklahoma registered the big gain this week, advancing from fifth place to third on the strength of a 26-14 victory over well-liked Pitt and shoving Tech and Notre Dame down a notch.

Wisconsin, an impressive 37-14 winner over Iowa, moved up to replace Ohio State in the top ten and TCU advanced from tenth to eighth place after whipping Arkansas 26-0.

The leading teams with first place votes and won-loss records in parentheses (points on 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis)

1. Maryland (3-0) (88)	1568
2. Michigan (2-0) (27)	1223
3. Oklahoma (2-0) (13)	1146
4. Georgia Tech (2-0) (9)	1108
5. Notre Dame (2-0) (4)	1048
6. Army (2-0) (8)	898
7. UCLA (2-1)	816
8. Texas Christian (3-0) (5)	514
9. Wisconsin (2-0) (11)	479
10. South California (3-0) (3)	412
11. West Virginia (2-0) (13)	380
12. Navy (2-0)	283
13. Duke (2-0) (3)	176
14. Auburn (2-0)	65

VANDALS BRAVE RAIN

MOSCOW, Idaho (AP)—The Idaho Vandals braved a driving rain Tuesday preparing for their football homecoming with College of Pacific Saturday.

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19th Hole News

By BUNNY MASON

Salem Golf Club Professional

The first round of the annual Husband and Wife tourney is a thing of the past now and a fine turnout was had at the Salem Golf Club. The starting field of 30 couples played all of their matches except two. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill had to drop out of the fun fest because of an injury to big Tom's back. The best golf was turned in by Dr. and Mrs. Harold Olinger. Their combined effort on the first nine added up to a slick 74.

Mrs. O. came close to matching men's par on the front nine with a 39 and then the lefthanded molar-mauler came back with a 35. It seems to be the week for left-handers, with such heroes as Tommy Byrne and Johnny Podres holding forth in the baseball spotlight. The lead the Olingers built up with that hot front nine was good enough to dump Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Wood. Mrs. O. has been one of the city's best women players for some time and this duo should be tough to handle in this tournament. All of the players who lost their first match will drop down to form a consolation flight but they will have to wait a little while for the loser of the Oslund-Moorehead match. The Robert Oslunds and George Mooreheads tied at the end of the regulation 18 but it was too dark for the sudden death playoff so they will play it out this week sometime. The match was tied in a very unusual way in that there was a difference of 12 holes between the women and 12 more between the men.

We saw the rules of golf given an awful lacing in Sunnyside, Wash., over the weekend. If you can figure this one at first glance, you are better than the rules committee for this particular tourney. A young pro who, for the first time in his life, was in a position to win a tournament came to the 18th tee needing only a par three. Without a doubt his Adam's apple was pounding against his brain about this time.

Skeet Range Adds to Trouble

His tee shot went wide of the green on the right and came to rest beside a skeet range in a position that forced him to stand on a concrete block to hit the next shot. And hit it he did but not very well, getting the ball only about half way to the green. At this point he hit the ball again and dumped it on the green about six feet from the hole. The rest of the four-some putted up to the cup. Then someone in the gallery told the young pro that he could have dropped his ball away from the skeet range if it interfered with his shot. The lad took this as a statement of fact and went back to the skeet range to play another ball despite being warned not to do so by the players in his group as well as other nearby players.

His second ball from the skeet range ended up about a foot from the hole. He putted out this first ball and scored a five with that ball. Then he putted out the second ball and made a three with that ball. What do you think the lad made on the hole? The rules committee said he had a five, which put him well down the line but still in the money.

If he had been given the three he made with the second ball, he would be \$170 richer today. However, if he had been given what he really made on the hole he would not have won a single dime. According to the rule book, the lad made a seven on the hole because when he left the first ball to play another one, he was declaring the first ball unplayable, which is a two-shot penalty. The guy deserved better than what happened to him but that ball still goes right where you hit it.

OSC Won't Telecast Homecoming Game

CORVALLIS (AP)—Oregon State's Oct. 22 homecoming football game with Washington State will not be carried by television as planned earlier.

Roy S. Keene, OSC athletic director, said the California-Southern Cal game will replace the scheduled OSC-WSC telecast.

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