



BREAKING ALL RECORDS, these members of U. S. women's 400-meter relay team are all joy after winning event in Helsinki in 45.9 seconds, setting new world, Olympic marks. From left: Catherine Hardy, Barbara Jones, Mae Faggs, Janet Morreau. (International)

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SPORTS

Athletics Start To Drive; Bob Shantz Gets 19th Win

By UNITED PRESS

The baseball season moved Friday into the hot, pressure-packed "dog days" of August and wily little manager Jimmy Dykes had his underdog Philadelphia A's all set to make their bid for the 1952 American League pennant.

Dykes turned the A's loose in a ferocious finish last year and they played the best ball in the league during the final six weeks, winning 29 of their last

43 games. But they got going too late.

Shantz Wins 19th

This year, they are making their move a little earlier. They've won 12 of their last 16 games, including Thursday's double sweep at Detroit, in which Bobby Shantz won his 19th game, against just three defeats, 2 to 1 on four hits, and lefty Alex Kellner pitched six-hit ball to win the second game 3 to 2.

The second triumph came at the last moment when the A's put over all their runs in the ninth on a pinch-single by Allie Clark, a pinch double by Kite Thomas, a passed ball, Eddie Joost's single, and Ferris Fain's double. That offset earlier homers by losing pitcher Virgil Trucks and Walt Dropo, his 19th. Skeeter Kell drove in both Philly runs with a single in the opener and Detroit's only run off Shantz was unearned.

Yankees Win
The victories left the sixth place A's only eight games behind the first place Yankees, who beat the Chicago White Sox 6 to 2 behind Vic Raschi. The second place Indians topped the Red Sox 8 to 2 and the Washington Senators beat the Browns 10 to 5 in other American League games.

In the National League, the Dodgers moved six full games in front of the faltering Giants by winning a pair from the Pirates 7 to 6 in 11 innings and 4 to 1, while the Cubs pummeled New York 11 to 8, and the Cardinals topped the Braves 8 to 3.

Pernicious anemia was first described by Thomas Addison, English physician (1793-1860), one of the early students of the ductless glands.

Millers Slate Last League Game Sunday Against Butte Falls Nine

Central Point — The Central Point Millers will play their last league game of the season Sunday at 2:30 p.m. on the Central Point field when they tangle with Butte Falls. A game scheduled with Prospect was forfeited to Central Point at a league meeting this week when Prospect dropped from the league.

The forfeit gave Central Point a league record of four wins and seven losses. Sunday's contest may decide fourth place in league standings as both teams are still in the running for the position. Glendale now holds the fourth spot, but has three more contests to play.

A protested game between Glendale and Cave Junction was voted no contest at the league meeting. The game will be played from the point at which the contest ended in a riot two weeks ago, at the end of the fourth inning with Glendale leading, 8 to 5.

For Sunday's game, Miller Manager Ben Fagone has signed up two new players to bolster the lineup. They are Dick Wooten, Medford high school catcher, and Jim Kelly, St. Mary's high school pitcher.

The tentative Central Point lineup for the Butte Falls game is Carl Isenberg, catcher; Joe Pizzuto, first base; Dale Graham, second base; Bob Fasel,

shortstop; Jack Burns, third base; Ken Troutman, right field; Ben Fagone, center field; Dick Niles, left field, and Dick Kidwell, pitcher.

Utility infielder Curt Holzgang, Wooten and Kelly may also see action.

Central Point players who are among the top 10 in the league in batting include Burns, who is hitting .375, Fasel, .359, and Isenberg, .335.

Near No-Hit Win Feature Of WIL Play

By UNITED PRESS

A near no-hitter and the initial win in organized baseball for a young righthander highlighted play in the Western International League Thursday night.

Jehosie Heard of Victoria rapped on the door of the pitchers' hall of fame at Wenatchee as he hurled the Tyees to a 13-1 victory over the Chiefs. Heard allowed but one hit, a fourth inning single by Laurie Monroe, but wildness cost him a run in the seventh.

Yakima Beats Caps

At Yakima, rookie Chuck Donley fired a good curve ball to hold the Vancouver Capitanos to seven hits as the Bears downed the Canadians 6-4. It was Donley's first win in pro ball. Earl Richmond's triple with two aboard in the fourth inning and Jerry Zuvela's double which scored Richmond gave the Bears the victory.

John Kovenz' double and Tommy Marier's single tallied two Tri-City runs in the top of the ninth as the Tri-City Braves downed the Spokane Indians 6-4 at Spokane. Ralph Romero registered his 13th decision of the campaign.

Salem Splits Two

Salem and Lewiston split a doubleheader as Lewiston took the seven-inning opener, 7-5, but dropped the nightcap, 7-6. Connie Perez with a home run in each game paced the long-ball hitting, but Salem tallied the winning run of the nightcap when Bob Nelson's single tallied Jim Deyo in the eighth. Yakima tallied three times in the fifth inning of the opener to take that contest.

Legion Tourney In Second Round

Salem — (U.P.) — Pitchford Motors of Eugene defeated Boulevard Lumber of Portland, 6-2, and Urness Motors of The Dalles dropped Valley Motors of Salem, 8-5, Thursday night in opening round games of the double-elimination American Legion junior baseball tournament on Waters field here.

Jack Henkel, the Eugene pitcher, gave up only two hits in leading his teammates to victory over a favored Portland nine. Henkel held the Portlanders hitless until the eighth inning when Sammy Noto singled to right field.

Sylvester Johnson pitched The Dalles to its win over Salem, limiting the Valley Motors batters to six hits and striking out 15.

Spiders are not insects, but arachnids, having four pairs of legs and bodies divided into two parts.

Bums Send Labine Down

Brooklyn, N. Y. — (U.P.) — Clem Labine, who once was Manager Charlie Dressen's choice to take Don Newcombe's place on the Brooklyn pitching staff this season, Friday was optioned to St. Paul on 24-hour recall as the Dodgers brought up right-hander Ray Moore from their American Association farm club.

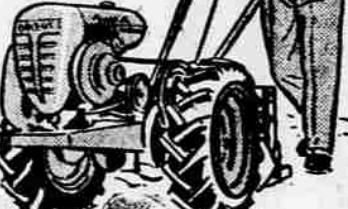
Labine has a sore arm and a 7-3 record but his performances have not been as impressive as his won and lost mark. He failed to complete any of his six starts. Moore, a 26-year-old hurler, was with the Dodgers in spring training after performing with Montreal of the International League and Fort Worth of the Texas League in 1951.

Poor control has been his big weakness but, in his last three games for St. Paul, he managed to limit his walked batters to 11 while striking out 26. He was with Fort Worth this season before moving to St. Paul and has a 4-4 record.

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