

SPORTS

Berra's Home Run Defeats Red Sox by 5 to 4 Margin

New York—(U.P.)—Yogi Berra beat both the rain and the Red Sox Saturday when he blasted a three-run homer in the sixth—his 11th of the season—to give the Yankees a 5-4 victory and protect their two-game lead in the American League pennant race.

Berra's homer, his 24th of the season, came on the first pitch from Mickey McDermott, who had relieved Ray Scarborough following Phil Rizzuto's single and Mickey Mantle's walk.

Reynolds Wins 15th
Allie Reynolds, shaky all the way, gave up nine hits but gained his 15th victory of the campaign and his 100th as a Yankee.

Berra's first inning single drove in the first New York run and Hank Bauer's 14th homer tied the game at 2-2 in the fourth.

Doubles by Clyde Vollmer and George Kell plus Hoot Ever's single gave Boston a 4-2 lead in the fifth but then came Berra and finally the rain which, after an hour and 30-minute delay, resulted in the game being called.

Dale Mitchell's eighth-inning homer snapped a 3-3 tie and gave the second-place Indians a 4-3 conquest of Chicago. Billy Pierce, the loser despite his six-hit pitching effort, had retired 13 straight batters before being racked for Mitchell's blow.

Trucks (Relief)
Virgil (Fire) Trucks entered the game in relief and choked a ninth-inning rally by the Browns to help Detroit to a 5-2 decision. Trucks relieved Ted Gray with the bases loaded and one out.

The Washington Senators pounded three Philadelphia pitchers for 12 hits and rolled to a 10-3 victory as Walt Masterson scattered eight hits. Washington rallied for four runs in the second inning off loser Alex Kellner on George Bradshaw's three-run double plus another double by Eddie Yost.

Brooklyn stretched its National league to eight games over the rained-out second place Giants by burying the Phillies, 15-0, in a game called in the seventh inning because of rain.

Get 15 Hits
In running up their highest shutout margin in history, the Dodgers battered Curt Simmons and three of his successors for

St. Louis Cards Batting Leaders
New York—(U.P.)—While the Giants and Dodgers are making the noise, the Cardinals Saturday quietly moved into a spot as a major National league contender.

Less than a dozen games out of first place, the Cards lead the league in batting and have two of the top four spots in the individual race.

The Cards have a team average of .269 for day games through Thursday. Stan Musial leads the league with .330. Enos Slaughter is fourth with .309.

The Dodgers are second in team batting with .265 and have one batter among the top five.

Lindell Gets Knocks From Sassy Seals

San Francisco—(U.P.)—The Pacific Coast League's winningest pitcher mumbled into his crunchy-wunchies Saturday about the ferocious San Francisco Seals.

"Can they be the same club that's in seventh place?" Johnny Lindell might have asked. Whacked By Seals

Lindell, Hollywood's master knuckleball artist, drew the mound assignment against the sassy Seals Friday night. The huge right-hander was shooting for his 20th pitching victory. But the Seals won 9-5, after knocking Lindell from the hill with a five-run fifth inning.

It was only two weeks ago Saturday that Lindell, glorying in reports he might be getting another chance in the major leagues, got his come-uppance from those same San Franciscans. The Seals blasted him out with a wild early-game flurry and tabbed him with one of his losses, the eighth of which he suffered Friday night.

Increase Lead
The Hollywood setback was costly. First-place Oakland trampled Los Angeles 11-1 to increase its league lead to 1½ games over the Stars.

The Star-Seal thing was wild. It took 2 hours and 38 minutes to resolve itself. Seven pitchers saw action. And 30 hits were rapped out.

In other affairs, San Diego nailed Sacramento 9-1 and Portland nipped Seattle 2-1 on Eddie Basinski's homer.

Men Keglers Begin League Schedules Here This Week
Men's bowling league battles are to open this week with Classic loop tangles Monday evening to start the pins tumbling, according to Fred Anderson, proprietor of the Medford Bowling lanes.

Teams in the Classic circuit will be Walker's Real Estate, E. H. Mann company, Gold Arrow Stamps, Hight Real Estate, Valley Music company, Danielson and Hawley, White City Lumber and Sam's Sporting Goods.

A number of new bowlers will be in the league with several high average keggers coming from other cities. Among newcomers are Harold Schroeder, 182 average from Waterloo, Ia.; Jerry Jennings, 178, from San Francisco, and Richard Patterson, 175, from Portland. Schroeder is one of the new owners of Western Decorating company and Patterson is new sales manager at Bear Creek orchards.

DeVore Back
William Howell will be here from Grants Pass to bolster the circuit. Ron DeVore will be back this year as will Jack Gardner, who just returned from the service.

The first league on Wednesday night will find Quality Market, Morning Fresh Bread, Bates Candy, Table Rock Lumber, Darling Real Estate, Domestic laundry, Eagles Lodge and First National bank in action. On the second shift will be Stevens Kaiser-Frazer, Big Y Market, Skinner's garage, E. H. Mann company, Snoboys and three teams with sponsors to be announced later.

On Thursday night's first shift Moose Lodge, Foresters lodge, Barnes Chevrolet, Brown's Insurance, American Legion, 20-30 club, Henry's Drive-in and Home Appliance will start their schedules. A league of three-man teams will roll on the second shift. Names of teams are yet to be announced.

Copco League
A California Oregon Power company employees' league will

Lady Bowlers Slate Opening
Medford women keggers will have special interest in the 1952-53 season which starts Tuesday night, August 19th, at 7:30 p.m. not only because of the keen competition expected but because of the new telescope lights to be installed at the Medford Bowling lanes.

The 8-team league is now complete. Sponsors are Beck's Morning Fresh, Green Lantern, Medford Feed and Seed, Elk Lumber, Mann's Department Store and Western Decorating. Teams No. 7 and 8 are formed but not sponsored to date.

Officers Named
New officers for this season are: president, Lois Leaming; vice-president, Eisel Beck; secretary, Vivian Knox; treasurer, Dorothy Virtue; sergeant-at-arms, Claudia Lownd, Kathryn Jennings will be publicity chairman.

Owner Andy Anderson stated that a Friday night women's league might be started if enough interest is shown. Those desiring to bowl in league competition should register with president Lois Leaming or directly at the Medford Bowling lanes.

Sport Parade



By OSCAR FRALEY
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Sports Writer

New York—(U.P.)—Fearless Fraley's facts and figures: The Bambino has been gone four years today but his most famous mark is safe for another year.

Record Safe
Babe Ruth, who died of cancer at 53 just four years ago, blasted his immortal 60 homers in 1927. As of today, Hank Sauer, this year's leader, is only half way to that mark with but little more than a quarter of the season left.

Bucky Harris, who has done a magnificent job with the Washington Senators, rates old Satchel Paige as the surprise of the baseball year.

"If we had him we could win the pennant," Bucky insists. "If Cleveland had him, they'd win easily. Without him, the Browns would be in the cellar." ... Probably right on all three counts, too.

Best Wishes
Happy Birthday: Today, Amos Alonzo Stagg 90, Gene Woodling 30, Willie Jones 27 and Tony Trabert 22; Sunday, Vern Bickford 32 and Rudy York 39; Monday, Max Lanier 37 and Burleigh Grimes 59; Wednesday, Al Lopez 44; Thursday, Murry Dickson 35, Gerry Staley 31, Rinty Monaghan 32 and Hector (Toe) Blake 40; Friday, Wally Schang 62 and Mel Hein 43.

Charley Dressen claims that if his Dodgers win the pennant this season he will become the only diamond-studded world series ring as player, coach and manager. Dressen copped one as a player with the Giants in 1933

and as a coach with the Yankees in 1947.

Poetry Poem
Golfing corner: "Who's the stranger, mother dear; Look, he knows us, ain't he queer? Hush, my own, don't talk so wild. That's your father, dearest child; That's my father? No such thing. Father died, you know, last spring; Father didn't die, you dub. Father joined a golfing club."

"But they closed the club, so he, had no place to go to room; No place left for him to see; That's why now he won't come home; Kiss him, he won't bite you, child. All those golfing guys look wild." ... Libel, that's what it is.

Yesterday's Scores
(6 innings, rain)
Philadelphia.....0 6 4
Brooklyn.....15 15 0
Simmons, Hansen (2), Konstanty (3) and Burgess, Lopata (4), Loes (11-5) and Campanella, Home runs—Padtko (16th), Furillo (7th). Losing pitcher—Simmons (10-7).

Boston at New York, postponed, rain.
Cincinnati at St. Louis, night.
Pittsburgh.....2 6 0
Chicago.....1 6 1
Poliet (6-12) and Fitzgerald; Minner, Leonard (8) and Chiti. Home runs—Serena (11th). Losing pitcher—Minner (11-6).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago.....3 9 0
Cleveland.....2 8 1
Pierce (12-8) and Lollar; Lemon (14-9) and Hegon. Home runs—Padtko (4th), Mitchell (5th).

(6 innings, rain)
New York.....5 6 0
Boston.....4 9 0
Reynolds (15-7) and Berra; Scarborough, McDermott (6), Nixon (6) and White. Home run—Bauer (14th). Berra (24th). Losing pitcher—McDermott (7-7).

Washington.....10 12 0
Philadelphia.....3 8 1
Masterson (7-5) and Bradshaw; Kellner, Kuca (6), Wright (9) and Astroth. Home run—Zernial (22nd). Losing pitcher—Kellner (9-11).

DETROIT.....2 7 0
St. Louis.....5 9 1
Cain, Fanning (8) and Moss; Trucks (9) and Batts. Home run—Souchock (8th). Winning pitcher—Gray (10-13); losing pitcher—Cain 8-8.

SUNDAY'S PROBABLE PITCHERS
(Won-Lost Records in Parentheses)
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Philadelphia (Drews 10-11) at Brooklyn (Brinkine 11-4)
Boston (Surkont 8-10) and Spahn (11-12) at New York (Hearn 12-4 and Kosko 2-7)—2 games.
Cincinnati (Wehmeier 5-9) at St. Louis (Boyer 6-6).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago (Kretlow 3-2 and Stobbs 7-8) at Cleveland (Garcia 14-8 and Feller 8-12)—2 games.
New York (Lopat 5-5) at Boston (Trout 8-9).
St. Louis (Bearden 6-2 and Stuart 3-2) at Detroit (Newhouse 5-7 and Garver 7-10)—2 games.
Washington (Merrero 9-5 and Gumpert 3-6) at Philadelphia (Schelb 7-4 and Zolask 0-5)—2 games.

with the bags loaded in the third, to the Gilbert, but Tookie blasted two homers to retain his leadership. He got one in the sixth with none on and another in the seventh with one mate aboard.

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Rams Nudge College Grid Gang 10 to 7

Chicago—(U.P.)—The winner had the alibis Saturday after the Los Angeles Rams' 10 to 7 triumph over the college All-Stars in the 19th renewal of the annual grudge battle between the best of the pro's and the best of the collegians.

"Our performance was below par," head coach Joe Stydahar of the Rams said. "Their fumbles helped us a lot."
"The rain slowed us down," he added. "Then too, particularly Babe Parilli and Bill Wade."

The game was played in a light but steady drizzle, but the Rams played exactly the same type of game they used in smashing to the National Football league championship last year.

With Norm Van Brocklin and Bob Waterfield alternating as usual at quarterback, they threw 37 passes but it took a pass interference penalty to set up their game-tying touchdown. That call came on a throw by Van Brocklin to Skeet Whelan, and the officials ruled that San Francisco's Ollie Matson interfered on the play.

The penalty gave the Rams possession on the All-Stars seven, and Van Brocklin tossed to Tank Younger for three yards to score.

This deadlocked the match early in the final period, and set up Waterfield's 31 yard game winning field goal with seven minutes to play. The boot finished off a Rams drive from their own 25 in eight plays.

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Sacramento Wins In 13th Inning Of League Play
San Diego, Calif.—(U.P.)—The Sacramento Solons staged a four-hit attack in the 11th inning of a Pacific Coast league game here Saturday to down San Diego, 3 to 1, and clinch the series.

Padre hurler Memo Luna had allowed the Solons only three hits in holding them scoreless for 10 innings.

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