

Three-Run Blast by Adcock Preserves Milwaukee Bulge

New York —(U.P.)— It's two down and five to go for the New York Yankees to clinch the American League pennant.

The Yankees mathematically eliminated the Senators Wednesday when they beat the Athletics and the Nats lost to the White Sox. Earlier, the Yankees had eliminated the As.

By FRED DOWN
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Joe Adcock has dealt the Brooklyn Dodgers many a crippling blow in person but he struck 90 miles away.

The blow, a three-run, ninth-inning home run, came Wednesday night to give the Milwaukee Braves a 4-1 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates while the Dodgers "sweated out" the result 90 miles down the tracks in Chicago. The world champions had walloped the Cubs, 11-4, in an afternoon game.

It was as important a blow as has been struck for the Braves all season because it was the difference today between a 1 1/2 game first-place lead and a slender half game margin over Brooklyn. Even the Dodgers would admit that none of the 11 homers he hit against them this season provided a greater setback to their pennant plans.

Adcock's 34th round-tripper of the campaign came after Hank Aaron singled and Ed Matthews drew a walk off Elroy Face. Matthews put the Braves ahead with his 33rd homer in the second inning but the Pirates tied the score in the ninth when Dick Groat singled home Dale Long. The game was held up by rain for 53 minutes at the start of the ninth.

Campanella Big Gun
Lew Burdette shut out the Pirates on four hits until the ninth and wound up with a seven-hitter to win his 17th game of the year.

Roy Campanella drove in five runs with a three-run homer and a double to spark an 11-hit Dodger attack on four Cub pitchers. Carl Erskine yielded 11 hits but went the distance for his 12th win. Duke Snider contributed his 37th homer for Brooklyn.

Johnny Temple and Roy McMillan, Cincinnati's "mighty mite" double play combination,

Homer Tips
Salem 4-2
By JOHN R. LONG
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Salem missed its chance to climb into a virtual first place tie with Yakima in the second half Northwest league pennant race last night when Bruce McIntosh smashed out a two-run home run to give Lewiston a 4-2 victory over the Senators.

The loss dropped Lewiston a full game behind the pace setting Bears from Yakima, who have been idle since Sunday.

But Salem's defeat enabled Spokane and Lewiston to crawl up on the pace setters.

Spokane trounced Eugene 11-3 and is now only 2 1/2 games behind Yakima while Lewiston is 3 games out of first.

Wenatchee and Tri-City staged a home run derby at Kennewick that finally saw Wenatchee come out on top, 9-6, after 10 innings.

Larry Segovia and Ron Foisy clouted Wenatchee's four baggers while Danny Holden, Tommy Perez and Mill Martin walloped home runs for the losers.

Doctor Praises Babe Zaharias
Galveston, Tex. —(U.P.)—Babe Didrikson Zaharias, who has received the accolades of sports fans the world over, today was paid tribute by her doctor.

In an unusual medical bulletin issued at John Sealy hospital, the Babe was praised for "her indomitable grit." It went on to explain that she remained the "same" in her battle with cancer.

The Babe was "entirely comfortable" and had "no additional troubles" the report said. That was affirmed by her husband George, who spends practically all of his time at her bedside. Zaharias said his wife spent a "comfortable" night and that her spirits are "wonderful."

Mickey Mantle Feeling Pinch
New York —(U.P.)— Mickey Mantle, beginning to "feel the pinch" of Babe Ruth's sensational September spurt in 1927, needs three home runs in the Yankees next six games to stay even with the Bambino's record pace.

Mantle hit his 46th homer in the Yankees' 128th game Wednesday but actually lost ground to Ruth. Mickey started Wednesday's game five games ahead of the Babe and came out of it only four games ahead. This is because Ruth hit two homers in the Yankees' 132nd game in 1927.

SPORTS

took over for their more muscular teammates to drive in two runs each in the Redlegs' 4-3 triumph over the New York Giants.

Robin Roberts was combed for 12 hits including a homer by Ray Katt but hung on for his 15th win as the Philadelphia Phillies, 8-4, Del Ennis smacked his 23rd homer, a double and a single for the Phillies.

Yanks Eight in Front
The New York Yankees remained eight games ahead in the American League when they rallied for three runs in the ninth to beat the Kansas City Athletics, 7-6, Mickey Mantle, who hit his 46th homer in the third inning and now is four games ahead of Babe Ruth's record pace, clinaxed the winning rally with a 400-foot single to score the decisive run.

Vic Wertz singled home the winning run in the sixth and knocked in the winning run with a sacrifice fly in the eighth to give the Cleveland Indians a 3-2 decision over the Baltimore Orioles.

Tom Brewer won his 17th game when the Boston Red Sox beat the Detroit Tigers, 4-2, as Dick Gernert came through with a run-scoring double and a two-run single.

Jim Wilson won his first game since July 3 when the Chicago White Sox beat the Washington Senators, 9-7, and mathematically eliminated them from the race. Nelson Fox had four hits

and Minnie Minoso and Walt Dropo three each for the White Sox.

LINESCORES:
American League
Kansas City 401 001 000—6 6 1
New York 021 010 000—7 10 4
McHahan, Crimian (5); Shantz (9) and Smith, Kucks, Morgan (7) and Berra, Winner—Morgan (3-5); Loser—Shantz (2-7); HR—Robinson (6th), Mantle (4th), Collins (7th).

Chicago 004 020 111—9 14 2
Washington 000 000 106—7 9 2
Wilson, under (9) and Lollar, Wiersma, Kinder (9) and Lollar, Wiersma and Courtney, Winner—Wilson (12-12); Loser—Wiesler (3-10).

Detroit 001 000 100—2 7 1
Boston 130 000 000—4 10 2
Hoert (burning) (2); Masterson (6) and House, Brewer, Delock (6) and White, Winner—Brewer (17-7); Loser—Hoert (15-12).

Cleveland 000 002 010—3 9 1
Baltimore 001 100 000—2 9 1
Garcia, Most (7), Lemon (9) and Heagan, Fornieles, Wight (8), Loes (8) and Triandos, Winner—Moss (6-3); Loser—Fornieles (3-7).

National League
Brooklyn 000 030 210—11 11 0
Brooklyn 003 001 000—4 11 2
Erskine (12-7) and Campanella, Kaiser, Hughes (4), Hucker, Valenzetti (8) and Chitt, Landrith (8); Loser—Kaiser (3-8); HR—Hoak (4th), Campanella (15th), Baker (12th), Snider (37th).

New York 010 200 000—3 12 2
Cincinnati 030 100 000—4 9 0
Antonelli (13-13) and Sarni, Kippstein, Fowler (4) and Bailey, Winner—Fowler (6-10); HR—Sarni (9th).

Philadelphia 020 051 000—8 14 0
St. Louis 220 100 001—6 12 0
Roberts (15-15) and Lopata, Dickson, Collins (3), R. Blaylock (3), Konstanty (5), Little (7) and Katt, Loser—R. Blaylock (11-5); HR—Katt (12th), Ennis (2nd).

Pittsburgh 000 000 001—1 7 0
Milwaukee 010 000 003—4 7 0
Law, Face (8) and Shepard, Burdette (17-8) and Rice, Loser—Face (9-9); HR—Matthews (3rd); Adcock (34th).

INVESTMENT BUSINESS
Bob Atkinson, defending champion in the Southern Oregon Golf tourney now underway and representative of Columbia - Edgewater course, Portland, will enter the investment business. He's just out of the Air Force and was on leave when he won the title last year.

25TH TOURNEY
Bill Catey, Medford, is an "old soldier" of Southern Oregon Golf tournaments. The current one marks his 25th consecutive entry in the Labor day holiday competition.

NO NIGHT ON COURSE
Art Abrahamson, University of Oregon golfer from Everett, Wash., won't have to spend a night in a sleeping bag on a Rogue Valley club fairway during this SO meet. He has a bed to sleep in thanks to the Leland Clarks. Abrahamson and a buddy, both amateurs, traveled like pros last summer playing in tournament. They ran short of funds here last year. Hence the night on the course. The U of O linksman was a quarter-finalist in 1955.

MOWER CHANGES PUTTING
A lot of entries in the Southern Oregon have reported putting trouble. It's apparently the verticutter now in use for mowing greens and putts don't break the same as they used to.

KORTH TO STANFORD
Jim Korth, quarterback of last year's District 6 A-2 co-champion Phoenix high football team, will enter Stanford and plans to go out for the grid sport there. A straight A student at Phoenix, he received an academic scholarship to the Palo Alto school. Two Pirate star athletes plan to enroll at Shasta Junior college, Redding, Calif. They are Delmar Brood, star football tailback and Bill Madden, high scorer in Rogue league basketball.

EAGLES FAVORED
Coach Jack Woodward of Phoenix high rates Eagle Point the favorite in the Rogue league grid chase. He predicts that Illinois will have a greatly improved team. The mentor said that Henley is looking forward to fielding a good squad in District 6 A-2.

BUILD-UP TO BIG
Medford Cheney Studs received a sizable build-up prior to their baseball appearance

at Klamath Falls against the independent Lakers. A KF Herald and News story said, "Many former big league stars and stellar collegiate performers dot the Studs' line-up; which brings up the question: How big is a big league? To us it means the majors. The Studs had a few players with pro experience but there were no major leaguers among them.

MORE ON TISDEL
Mrs. M. E. Tisdell, writes from Lubbock, Tex., that her son, Bob, all-state basketball player at Medford high last year, chose Abilene (Tex.) Christian college, after receiving five bids for his hoop ability. Bob's father, minister of West Main Church of Christ congregation for 13 years in Medford, is in service at Lubbock as educational director and personnel worker at South Side Church of Christ for a year. The family plans to return to Medford.

Webb Battered, Beats Calhoun
Chicago —(U.P.)— Spider Webb had the glory, but he also had the aches and pains today after his 10-round decision over middleweight Roy Calhoun for the latter's first professional defeat after 23 straight wins.

"Every punch he threw hurt," Webb moaned as he clutched his sides in the dressing room. And as to whether anybody else ever hit him that bad, "he hits much better," the victor or victim said.

Calhoun, though beaten, was sounder physically. His only mark was a swollen left eye, which came up in the late rounds after Webb scored frequently with grazing left jabs and occasionally with right hooks.

Webb by winning gained a match, probably in the stadium Oct. 31, against the winner of the Bobby Boyd-Joey Giardello fight slated for Cleveland next month.

Roseburg Legion Tiff Postponed
Billings, Mont. —(U.P.)—The scheduled game last night between Roseburg, Ore., and Hastings, Neb., for the sectional American Legion Junior baseball title was washed out. The two clubs are slated to play for the crown tonight and the right to enter the national tourney.

Chance of Radioactive Birds Regarded Remote
Washington —(U.P.)— Hunters can stop worrying that game birds might become "hot" by flying through radioactive clouds.

A fish and wildlife service spokesman said today the chances are very remote of an edible bird becoming harmfully radioactive by blundering into the left-overs from a nuclear explosion.

STANDINGS

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	96	51	.653
Seattle	81	65	.555
Hollywood	74	72	.507
Portland	71	75	.486
Sacramento	71	76	.483
San Diego	67	81	.449
San Francisco	65	81	.445
Vancouver	62	85	.422

Wednesday's Results			
Portland 3, Los Angeles 4	Seattle 5, Vancouver 1	Sacramento 3, Hollywood 4	San Francisco 9, Portland 4

How Series Stand			
Los Angeles 2, Portland 1	Seattle 1, Vancouver 1	Sacramento 3, Hollywood 0	San Diego 1, San Francisco 1

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	82	46	.641
Cleveland	72	52	.581
Chicago	70	53	.567
Boston	68	57	.544
Detroit	61	65	.484
Baltimore	52	73	.416
Washington	52	73	.416
Kansas City	41	84	.328

Wednesday's Results			
New York 7, Kansas City 6	Kansas City at Detroit (night)	Chicago 9, Washington 7	Cleveland 3, Baltimore 2 (night)

Friday's Games			
Cleveland at Chicago (night)	Philadelphia at Pittsburgh (night)	New York at Washington (night)	Baltimore at Boston (night)

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	76	49	.608
Brooklyn	74	50	.597
Cincinnati	72	52	.581
St. Louis	63	63	.500
Philadelphia	59	64	.480
Pittsburgh	54	72	.427
New York	50	73	.407
Chicago	50	75	.400

Wednesday's Results			
Brooklyn 11, Chicago 4	Milwaukee 4, Pittsburgh 1 (night)	Cincinnati 4, New York 3 (night)	Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 3 (night)

Friday's Games			
Brooklyn at New York (night)	Philadelphia at Pittsburgh (night)	Chicago at Cincinnati (night)	St. Louis at Milwaukee (night)

NORTHWEST LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Yakima	60	44	.571
Salem	52	34	.371
Spokane	48	28	.349
Wenatchee	36	36	.338
Tri-City	25	29	.463
Eugene	24	32	.429
Lewiston	19	32	.368

Yesterday's Results			
Spokane 11, Eugene 3	Wenatchee 9, Tri-City 5	Lewiston 4, Salem 2	

League Leaders			
(By United Press)			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Player	Clubs	AB	R.
Williams, Bob	108	307	52
Norman, Balt.	104	349	51
Kuenn, Cin.	124	372	48
Vernon, Bos.	98	333	57

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Player	Clubs	AB	R.
Moon, St. L.	124	445	78
Aaron, Milw.	123	481	88
Schlar, N.Y.	121	372	118
Klusk, Cin.	120	462	85
Homes, St. L.	128	484	68

Home Runs—Mantle, Yanks 46; Snider, Dodgers 37; Robinson, Redlegs 34; Adcock, Braves 34; Matthews, Braves 33; Kluzavsky, Redlegs 33.			
Runs Batted In—Mantle, Yanks 117; Kaline, Tigers 102; Simpson, Athletics 83; Kluzavsky, Redlegs 93; Mostal, Reds 83.			
Runs—Mantle, Yanks 110; Robinson, Redlegs 107; Snider, Dodgers 96; White Sox 93; Aaron, Braves 88.			
Hits—Mantle, Yanks 167; Fox, White Sox 165; Kaline, Tigers 159; Aaron, Braves 157; Kuenn, Tigers 153.			
Pitching—Newcombe, Dodgers 21-0; Niekro, Braves 16-0; Pierce, White Sox 18-6; Ford, Yanks 14-5; Freeman, Redlegs 11-4.			

Doves Plentiful In Oak, Brush On Valley Floor
Portland —(U.P.)— The State Game commission today released its weekly report on fishing and hunting conditions in Oregon.

Southwest; Jackson and Josephine counties—Williams area best for pigeon season opening; doves plentiful in oak and brush areas of valley floor; pigeon and dove numerous in Douglas county.

Trout fishing in Umpqua river system slow; steelheading improved in Steamboat area; salmon season opens in Umpqua Sept. 1; Winchester bay and Coos bay still good; few chinook being taken in Coquille river in area of Arago; lower Rogue good for salmon; a few steelhead in Galilee to Robertson bridge section.

Central; Doves in abundance; best hunting in timbered areas expected to and water holes in Deschutes area; Klamath grain areas to good; grouse hunting in timbered areas expected to be poor.

Crane Prairie fishing very good; Big Lava producing limits on Ford fenders and worms trolling slow and deep; trolling fair to good at East and Paulina lakes; Crescent lake good for kokanee; high Cascades lakes still good.

REDLEGS EYE MILLION
Cincinnati, Ohio —(U.P.)—The Cincinnati Redlegs will go over the million mark in home attendance for the first time in their history Thursday night when they play the Chicago Cubs.

City Beavers Nab ABC Crown
Portland —(U.P.)— The City Beavers defeated Bashor's Babes 15-7 in an all-Portland final last night to win the 1956 Oregon American Baseball congress title and the right to enter the sectional tourney at Watertown, S.D., starting Sept. 8.

BYU HOOP GUEST
New York —(U.P.)— Notre Dame, Ohio State and Brigham Young will be the guest teams at Madison Square garden for this year's expanded Holiday basketball tournament in December in which Fordham, Manhattan, New York U., Niagara, St. John's, Temple, and Villanova also will compete.

ASTORIA REGATTA OPENS
Astoria —(U.P.)— This city's colorful 36th annual Astoria Regatta opened today.

ROD FUNSETH S.O. GOLF MEDALIST; SUE'S 75 STANDS; MATCHES BEGIN

Rod Funseth, Spokane, toured the Rogue Valley Country club course for the first time yesterday and exhibited the golfing ken which earned him a berth on this year's amateur Hudson cup squad.

The Spokane divot, who just last week end played in the Hudson matches at Portland, stroked a searing four under par 68 on the Medford layout to collect men's medalist laurels in the 28th annual Southern Oregon tournament qualifying round. He gained the Robert B. Hammond Jr. memorial trophy.

Funseth joined Sue DeVoe and defending champs Bob Atkinson and Carole Jo Kabler to pace the way into today's opening match play in the biggest SO tussle on record. Matches will continue through Monday, Sept. 3. Labor day when championship finalists play 36 holes and wind-up tangles in other flights go 18.

Atkinson Has 72
Miss DeVoe drew No. 1 seeded spot in the stellar women's championship flight of 16 when her course record 75, one under ladies' par, fired on Tuesday, withstood Wednesday attack in the qualifying by out-of-town participants. She was both champ and medalist in 1954.

In today's match action, the long driving Funseth in his top seeded place, opposed Robert Ihanfeldt, Seattle, while Atkinson, automatically No. 2 in the pairings, battled Gordon Marshall, Eugene. The Portland defender had an even par 72 in practice play yesterday. Miss DeVoe took on Mrs. Rose Bunch, Medford, this morning, while Miss Kabler, Sutherlin, who did not play on Wednesday, went against Shirley Siegmund, Eugene, the 1955 medalist.

Both the medalists in the current ruckus gained their top positions by a single stroke. Funseth nipped Justin Smith Jr., Medford, who carded a 69 in Tuesday rounds by home course players. Mrs. Robert (Edean Anderson) Ihanfeldt, Seattle, followed Rogue Valley's Sue with a 76.

Funseth stroked birdies, one under standard, on the first, second, third, sixth, 10th; 11th and 17th greens. He three-putted for bogies on four, eight and 12. He had putts from within 10 inches of the cup of three of his first four birds. On No. 6, a par four hole, his drive was right on the edge of the green.

Mrs. Ihanfeldt, in threatening Miss DeVoe's 75, closed with a blazing streak. She dropped in birds on 16 and 17 and then put home a shot of some 30 feet for an eagle on No. 18 green. Her 76 equaled the old course mark which had stood from last May until Sue's torrid Tuesday round.

Lynn Creason, from far distant Harrisburg, Pa., was close behind Funseth and Smith with a 70 in qualifying play. He had five birdies in his round. Creason today met Harry Millette, Yreka, Calif., who qualified with a 78.

Stanley, Prall Have 71s
Following the top three with one under par 71s were Dr. Bruce Stanley, Medford, and Bob Prall, Salem, Hudson cupper and links buddy of Funseth. Stanley's opening match was with George Cierich, Eastmoreland, Portland, while Prall, de-

fending Oregon Golf association medal play champ, tackled a University of Oregon teammate, Bob Norquist, Columbia-Edgewater, Portland. Cierich and Norquist had 78s yesterday.

Ed Hall, Medford, Roy Morgan, Seattle, and Jim Johnson, Eugene, came in with 73s in qualifying. Ron Mitchell, Eddie Simmons, Jim Sheldon and Alan Holmes, all of Medford, carded 74s.

Twenty-six Rogue Valley men made the championship flight. It took an 81 or better to get into the top bracket. Seven men out of 11 who had 81s played off for five spots.

Provost Misses
Failing to qualify for championship play was Dom Provost Jr., Ashland, who was the champion of the SO in 1954. He came in with an 82 for a second flight spot.

Bob Rector, Medford, Grant Braun and William Clark, Portland, and Dick Moore, Salem, made it when Ed Kovacovich, Eureka, Calif., and Bob Wells and Everett McGraw took sixes on the first play-off hole. Kovacovich was in when he carded a four and Wells and McGraw sixes on the second extra green.

Four others had 81s and either indicated they did not wish to play-off or could not be reached to be told of the extra.

Elaine Porritt, Eugene, in women's play yesterday equaled the 78 scored by Mrs. W. W. Davies, Redding, Calif., Tuesday to tie for third low qualifying honors. Miss Porritt opposed Betty Martin, Longview, Wash., this morning. Mrs. Marg Fillis, Salt Lake City, the Utah champion, had an 85 yesterday.

All women had match play today and the men's championship through sixth flights played. Only the men's second through sixth flights will be idle Friday. Women will have a rest from play on Saturday.

Pairings for today's championship matches follow with qualifying scores included:

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP PAIRINGS:
Rod Funseth, Spokane (66) vs. Robert Ihanfeldt, Seattle (77); Warren Deakins Jr., Medford (73); Lloyd Isaac, Eureka (80); Roy Morgan, Seattle (73) vs. Bill Tallis, Hill (79); Odell Pierson, Los Angeles (76) vs. V. C. Hallin, Eureka (80).

Bob Prall, Salem (71) vs. Bob Norquist, Portland (78); Cary Harrington, Medford (76) vs. Jim Noel, Klamath Falls (80); Ron Mitchell, Medford (74) vs. Cary Tripp, Tigard (79); Tom Hamilton, Medford (77) vs. William Clark, Portland (81).

Justin Smith, Medford (69) vs. Floyd Goetze, Portland (78); Art Abrahamson, Everett (76) vs. Dick Mann, Ashland (80); Ed Simmons, Medford (74) vs. Marvin Clark, Grants Pass (79); Bob Phillips, Medford (76) vs. Bob McKeivitt, Ocean Lake (80).

Ed Hall, Medford (74) vs. J. W. Sulder, Portland (79); Wayne Sabins, Redding (76) vs. Robert Fox, Portland (80); Neil McLean, Coos Bay (73) vs. Ralph Lomax, Portland (79); Earl Martin, Eureka (77) vs. Grant Braun, Portland (81).

Bob Atkinson, Columbia Edgewater vs. Gordon Marriott, Eugene (78); Hugh Roberts, Cottage Grove (75) vs. Bill

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