

Giants Keep Up Hot Pace; Yanks in Tie In AL With Chisox

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Bill Wiggy believes his revamped Giants can win the pennant, and while he might have been lulled off only a month ago, all the other National League contenders don't consider it such a big joke today.

Truce of the matter is that the Giants, who beat the Cincinnati Reds, 7-2, Thursday night, are the hottest club in the majors at the moment. Their record shows twelve victories in the last 16 games for a blistering .750 percentage; seven out of 10 victories on the road and five consecutive series won, only three games behind Brooklyn and St. Louis of first place.

The Giants received another boost in the arm Thursday night when outfielder Johnny Antonelli pitched his first complete game since April 30 and checked the hard-hitting Redlegs on his bid to halt the game.

Wills' Rays hit his 13th homer with one on off loser Don Gross in the first inning, and Whitey Lockman homered off reliever Hershel Freeman in the sixth. The defeat dropped Cincinnati into third place.

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four hits handing them their shutout of the season. Southpaw Tommy Byrne, who gave up only five hits, yielded Cleveland's first run in the first inning without giving up a hit and then was nicked for another run in the seventh on Dick Williams' single and Bobby Avila's triple.

The Red Sox got to their old nemesis, Jack Harshman, for four runs in the first inning of the opener and then hopped on Billy Pierce for another four-run cluster in the first inning of the nightcap. Ted Lepcio drove in three runs in the first game as Frank Sullivan posted his sixth victory. Frank Malone's two-run homer highlighted the first inning uprising against Pierce in the second game. Mike Fornieles held the White Sox to seven hits in the finale.

Jim Lemon's hitting and Truman Clevenger's fine relief pitching featured Washington's triumph over Detroit. Lemon singled home the Senators' first run off loser Paul Foytack and clouted his 12th homer in the eighth. Clevenger pitched 3 1/3 hitless innings to save the victory for starter Camilo Pascual.

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STANDINGS

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	44	37	.543
Vancouver	43	37	.536
Hollywood	40	34	.541
San Diego	32	36	.471
Los Angeles	30	36	.452
Seattle	41	39	.513
Sacramento	21	53	.284

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	37	27	.575
Milwaukee	36	29	.554
Cincinnati	38	30	.559
Philadelphia	36	29	.554
Brooklyn	35	31	.530
New York	32	35	.478
Pittsburgh	32	42	.435
Chicago	21	39	.350

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	40	25	.615
New York	38	29	.567
Cleveland	36	29	.554
Detroit	35	32	.522
Boston	31	33	.485
Baltimore	31	34	.477
Kansas City	25	40	.385
Washington	23	47	.329

NORTHWEST LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	100	020	.833
Boston	091	029	.760
Pittsburgh	082	038	.683
Philadelphia	073	047	.607
New York	064	056	.530
St. Louis	055	065	.457
Washington	046	074	.385

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	310	020	.938
San Francisco	280	050	.848
Philadelphia	270	060	.818
New York	260	070	.785
Chicago	250	080	.758
Boston	240	090	.727
Pittsburgh	230	100	.692

Thursday's Results
San Francisco 7, Los Angeles 6
San Diego 9, Sacramento 4
Hollywood 7, Seattle 4
Vancouver 8, Portland 1

Friday's Probable Pitchers
Philadelphia at Cincinnati (night)—Cardwell 3-4 vs. Acker 1-3
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee (night)—Friend 4-8 vs. Spahn 17-3
New York at St. Louis (night)—Barclay 2-5 vs. Jackson 19-7

Saturday's Games
Brooklyn at Chicago
Philadelphia at Cincinnati
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee
New York at St. Louis

Thursday's Results
Cleveland 2, New York 6
Washington 7, Detroit 2
Boston 8, Chicago 2 (1st)
Boston 8, Chicago 2 (2nd)
(Only games scheduled)

Friday's Probable Pitchers
Chicago at Washington (night)—Donovan 17-2 vs. Kemmerer 12-3
Cleveland at Baltimore (night)—Garcia 3-4 vs. Moore 3-5
Kansas City at New York (night)—Trucks 10-1 vs. Turley 13-2
Detroit at Boston (night)—Maas 7-3 vs. Mrewar 16-6

Saturday's Games
Detroit at Boston
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Chicago at Washington

Thursday's Results
Eugene 6, Wenatchee 5
Yakima 6, Tri-City 5
Salem 16, Lewiston 6

International League
Rochester 2, Havana 1
Richmond 10-0, Montreal 1-6
Buffalo 4, Miami 2

League Leaders
(By United Press)

Player	Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Fondy	Pitt.	56	223	27	80	.359
Musial	St. L.	64	256	40	81	.315
Honus	Bkn.	62	238	36	61	.340
Robinson	Cin.	66	271	52	96	.338
Aaron	Mil.	68	287	53	96	.334

Home Runs
National League—Aaron, Braves 20; Musial, Cards 17; Snider, Dodgers 15; Moon, Cards; Banks, Cubs; and Mathews, Braves, all 14.
American League—Mantle, Yanks 21; Williams, Red Sox 19; Sievers, Senators 15; Zeril, Athletics 15; Maxwell, Tigers 14.

Runs Batted In
National League—Aaron, Braves 58; Musial, Cards 57; Hoak, Redlegs 48; Max, Giants 46; Mervyn, Cubs 42.
American League—Sievers, Senators 53; Mantle, Yanks 51; Skowron, Yanks 50; Weste, Indians 48; Malone, Red Sox 44.

Pitching
Shantz, Yanks (9-1); Schmidt, Cards (6-1); Trucks, Athletics (6-1); Buhl, Braves (9-2); Sanford, Phils (9-2).

VA Seeks Information On Identity of Man
Albany, N. Y. — Officials of the local Veterans Administration hospital today were seeking to learn the true identity of a patient who claims he is Don Meade, the former champion jockey.

The man, who resembles Meade collapsed in a downtown hotel Thursday and was placed under observation in the hospital. However, Meade left New York earlier this week for the West Coast and was located Thursday at Thousand Oaks, Calif. Meade, who rode Brokers Tip to victory in the 1933 Kentucky Derby and was suspended for life in 1946, revealed he had all his clothes and identification stolen in New York two years ago.

MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS



JUST LIKE BIG BOYS AND GIRLS — Eddie McCoy gets a kiss from Teresa Allen as he receives the six-weeks sportsmanship trophy of the Rogue Valley Quarter-Midget association. The two are members of a group of midget auto drivers scheduled to appear in special competition Saturday night, June 29, in addition to the hardtop auto race program at Valley View Speedway near Ashland. There will be a 10-lap midget championship race with the top three cars to meet in another five-lap run. Eddie is the son of Jack McCoy, well-known for his driving on southern Oregon tracks.

Quarter-Midgets To Race On Hardtop Auto Program

Rogue Valley Quarter-Midget association drivers, a group of auto skippers from 6 to 10 years of age, will make their initial appearance of the season Saturday at Valley View track. They will compete in a 10-lap championship elimination race with the first three cars across the finish line to contend in another five-lapper. The laps of midget racing will be in addition to the regular weekly program of hardtop auto events.

The hardtop time trials are planned as usual for 7 p.m. It is expected that the midget races will be about 8 p.m. with the usual hardtop trophy dashes, heats, semi-main and main event to follow.

Challenge Race
Another challenge race, this time matching Ray Asher and Wayne Lemley, is planned following the main event. It will be 10 laps. The challenge race will add 25 laps to the evening program, although, of course, the midget laps are much shorter than those for hardtops.

Possible entrants in the midget elimination event and their car numbers are Bobby Bruce 7, Dana Carder 4, Janice Lemley 7, Mike Meyers 73, Teresa or Jim Allen 5, Tim Travis 44, Eddie McCoy 8 and Gail Ann Richmond 99. Jancie is the daughter of Wayne Lemley current leader in hardtopping at Valley View.

Quarter midgets have their own regular races at Jackson Hot springs on Sunday afternoons.

NCAA Golf Field Slims

Colorado Springs, Colo. — Little Marcelino Moreno of Texas A&M, who says he never won a tournament in his life, and Yale's Peter Nisselson, who upset Walker Cupper Joe Campbell, square off today against two of the favorites in the quarter-finals of the 60th annual NCAA Golf Tournament over the Broadmoor course.

Moreno, a 120-pound, five-foot, four-inch graduate landscape artist from Midland, Tex., met medalist Roger Rubendall of Wisconsin today in one lower bracket match and Nisselson was paired with Rex Baxter Jr., another Walker Cupper from Houston University, in the other.

Lanky Ernie George of San Jose State, one of the hottest shooters in the tourney, was scheduled to meet Ward Wellauer of Hamilton College in the upper bracket feature. Stan Hoert of Arizona State was paired with Donnell Adams of North Carolina in the other match.

The semi-finals were slated for later in the day, with a 36-hole final match set for Saturday.

Tiger Nine Defeats CP

Medford Tigers downed Central Point 10 to 6 yesterday in a Pee Wee league baseball contest at Central Point. The Tigers had to go six innings to subdue the Pointers. Score was tied 6-all at the end of regulation play.

Victory was established in the sixth when Danny Miles walked and Dick Dethley bunt sacrificed. Miles rounded second and streaked to third base on the bunt. Dethley was out at first but a wild throw to third enabled Miles to score. The Medford club added padding of three more markers.

Central Point was on top 5 to 0 after two innings but the Tigers picked up two runs in the third inning and four in the fourth to go on top 6 to 5. CP tied it up in the fifth. Catcher Wayne Couch paced Medford with three hits. Mike Barnes was the winning pitcher. Score of the Eagle Point-Ashland game was not reported. Win was the second for the Tigers. League play began Tuesday.

BAUER SISTERS KNOT FOR LEAD IN U.S. OPEN

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Mamaroneck, N. Y. — The famous Bauer sisters, bidding for the biggest title of them all to climax the famous golfing careers they began in their teens, shared the lead today in the U.S. Women's Open championship. They each shot first round one-under-par 72s, the only ones in the starting field of 32 professionals and 63 amateurs to crack par Wednesday on the sun-baked 8,246-yard east course of the Winged Foot Golf club. That gave them a one-stroke edge over Gloria Armstrong of Oakland, Calif., who divides her time between flying airplanes and playing golf.

While some in the field were closely bunched behind the leaders, the performances of the belting Bauers put them in the favorite's role, with Mrs. Marlene Bauer Hagge, the younger of the two, given an edge over Alice Bauer because her play this year has been far more consistent.

The 23-year-old Marlene, who is married to Alice's ex-husband, has won \$7,237 on the PGA tournament trail so far this year while Alice who is 28, has picked up only \$1,016.

But there was no question but what they dominated the opening round as no family ever has dominated a major golf tournament before.

First it was the brunette Marlene who came in with a 38-34-72 against par 37-36-73. Playing in her 10th Open — she played in her first when she was only 10 — Marlene sprayed her drives but made up for it with remarkable recovery irons. Also she had only one three-putt green, which was unusual because of the lightning fast greens.

Three hours later the blonde Alice came in to tie her sister. She started out with two birdies and then went four under par when she holed a nine-iron approach shot for an eagle on the 440-yard par five eighth hole. But she bogeyed the ninth to turn in 34 — the best nine of the first round — and then had two more bogeys on the back nine as she went two over on that side with a 38.

Miss Armstrong, who has won less than \$200 since she turned professional two years ago, had nines of 36-37 for her par 73.

One of the six former champions in the field, Betsy Rawls of Spartanburg, S. C., who won the title in 1951, and Betsy Dodd, the veteran pro from Louisville, Ky., were tied at 74.

At 75 came another former winner, Betty Jameson of San Antonio, Tex., who won it in 1947; Jo Ann Prentice of Birmingham, Ala., and Betty Hicks of Long Beach, Calif. Louise Suggs of Sea Island, Ga., who won the tournament in 1949 and Mary Lena Faulk of Thomasville, Ga., had 76s.

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