

Phillies Knocking on First Place Door; Pummel SL Cardinals in Two

By JOHN GRIFFIN
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Maybe it's about time somebody took those cocky Philadelphia Phillies seriously as pennant threats, because the "Whiz Kids" in the candy-striped suits are the hottest team in the National league and knocking on the door of first place.

The Phillies now are only a half-game behind the league-leading St. Louis Cardinals, whom they walloped in both ends of a Sunday twin bill, 6-2, 11-4. And they can take over first place tonight by beating the Cards.

The Sunday sweep behind "comeback" pitchers Curt Simmons and Jim Hearn was the Phillies' fourth double-header sweep of the season and gave them 10 wins in the last 12 games.

The Phils treated two Card hurling stars roughly. In the opener, they handed 18-year-old Von McDaniel the first whipping of his big league career after four wins, and in the nightcap they shelled out 10-game winner Larry Jackson in less than three innings. Rip Repulski's three-run homer in the first inning and Simmons' two-run double

in the fourth were the big jolts to bonus baby McDaniel. In the nightcap, the Phils broke a 3-3 tie with a four-run burst in the third inning and Hearn coasted to victory despite allowing 11 hits.

The Cards' double loss tightened the whole NL pennant race. Gil Hodges' two-run, ninth-inning homer gave Brooklyn a 3-2 win over Milwaukee, moving Brooklyn within 2½ games of the top as Milwaukee edged to within one. And Cincinnati moved within 2½ games as it ended a seven-game losing streak by blasting Pittsburgh twice, 9-6, 12-4. In the other NL game, the Giants beat the Cubs, 8-5, in 12 innings.

The New York Yankees retained their three-game American league lead when they rallied for six runs in the ninth inning — four on a grand-slam homer by Bill Skowron and one on a homer by Tommy Byrne — to beat the second-place Chicago White Sox, 6-4, in the second game of a twin bill after lefty Billy Pierce beat them, 3-1 in the opener.

In other AL games, the Cleveland Indians moved within a half-game of third-place Boston by beating the Sox twice, 3-2 and 17-4; the Detroit Tigers swept the Baltimore Orioles, 10-2 and 7-6 in 10 innings, and Kansas City beat Washington, 11-3, in the second game after the Senators took the first, 4-1.

"Dodger killer" Bob Buhl had his fourth straight win over the Brooks wrapped up until he walked Gino Cimoli to open the ninth and then served a home-run pitch to Hodges. Red Schoendienst had homered for the Braves' first run and Andy Pafko had doubled home the lead run in the top of the ninth.

The Redlegs broke out of their slump with 33 hits, good for 51 bases, in crushing Pittsburgh twice. Ted Kluszewski topped the slugging with two homers in the second game. Reliever Bud Freeman won the opener when the Redlegs came from behind with six runs in the seventh. Joe Nuxhall scattered 10 hits to take the second.

SPORTS

Twinks Nudge Seals By Wild 18-17 Count

By PETER HAYES
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Last week's mock atomic attack almost became all too true for the San Francisco pitching staff Sunday. All but one of the Seals' nine hurlers went to the mound in the first game of a twin bill with Hollywood in a vain attempt to stem a 22-hit bombardment that carried the Stars to a wild 18-17 victory.

The eight pitchers in one game marked a Pacific Coast league record.

It must have been discouraging for Seal Manager Joe Gordon to see his charges tally 17 runs off five Hollywood pitchers and still lose. The Seals hit safely 16 times, including five hits by Frank Kellert.

It was far and away the highest scoring contest of the PCL season, with the Stars taking the lead, 8-2, the Seals tying it in the sixth, and the Stars going ahead with four runs in the seventh.

Hollywood grabbed the nightcap, too, 4-3, on Ben Wade's four-hitter to nail down the series, five games to two. It was only the third series loss of the season for first place San Francisco.

Elsewhere in the league, Los Angeles trimmed Seattle, 7-3, but bowed in the second game, 4-3; Portland blanked San Diego, 3-0, with the Pads taking the nightcap, 3-1, and Sacramento downed Vancouver, 4-1, in a single game after the opener of the scheduled twin-bill was postponed because of wet grounds in Vancouver.

In Portland, Bob Alexander blanked the Padres on four hits

in the first game as his mates picked up 10 hits. Frank Carswell singled home Luis Marquez with what proved the winning run in the first inning.

In the nightcap, the Pads iced the series, 4-2, by scoring once in the first and again in the third off Bob Thorpe. Pete Mesa was the winner.

Carole Jo PNGA Victor

Spokane — Carole Jo Kabler, of Sutherlin, Ore., won the women's Northwest amateur golf title Saturday with a 9 and 8 victory over Mrs. Robert Young of Tacoma.

Bill Warner, Spokane took the men's title with a 3 and 1 triumph over Jim Mallory, also of Spokane.

Women's Golf

Rogue Valley women golfers will trek across the Green Springs on Friday, July 19, for the Willamette Valley-Southern Oregon golf play at Klamath Falls, it was announced at the regular monthly luncheon last Thursday. Grants Pass ladies were guests at the luncheon.

During the morning the golfers competed for the Johnson trophy which was won again by Medford with 20½ points. Play on this trophy is match play over the course twice a year. Overall winners for the days played were: Mrs. Frank Tammy of Medford low gross with a 91, and Mrs. Robert Templeton also of the home course, low net 78.

Among the Grants Pass golfers the winners were low gross, Mrs. Inez Dillington, 102; low net, Mrs. Merle Saunders, 85. A Division winners were Mrs. Florence Durland and Mrs. Ina Wolke, tied with a net 91. There was a tie in the B group also, with Mrs. Winnie Hicks and Mrs. Dorothy Schwaneveldt both coming in with net 87s.

Hostess winners were: A group, Mrs. Noble T. Vincent, net 81; B group, Mrs. Ken Teeter, net 81; C group, Mrs. Ken Teeter, net 81; D group, Mrs. Ray Sorrenson, net 82. Nine-hole group winner was Mrs. Ralph Barclay with a net 37.

The monthly ringer awards were made at the luncheon also, with Mrs. Robert Lockwood taking a group honors with a net 60. Mrs. Edward Sicksels won B group with a net 58. Mrs. William Ruffner won the C division with a net 51; and Mrs. C. Cowling net 57. The nine-hole ringer winner was Mrs. W. F. Coppinger with a net 46.

A request was made to all Rogue Valley women golfers to inform Mrs. Lee Flink if they plan to be absent from Thursday play. If vacationing, please call Mrs. Flink on their return in order that pairings may be kept accurate. Nine-hole players wishing to transfer to the 18-hole group should also call Mrs. Flink, or Mrs. Fred Conrad (SP 3-4972).

Members desiring to be paired in regular Thursday play are requested to telephone Mrs. Flink (SP 3-1536). The lady whose name appears first in the pairings is to carting time. Pairings are listed for Thursday, July 18, when play will be blind partner event.

Mrs. Fred Coleman, Mrs. Tom Culbertson, Mrs. William Blackledge, Mrs. H. S. Elbert, Mrs. William Scheel, Mrs. Ken Teeter, Mrs. Edward W. Sicksels, Mrs. B. Collins, Mrs. Ed Radzweit, Mrs. Alton Hart, Mrs. W. T. Clark, Mrs. Frank Tammy, Mrs. Belle Scherck, Mrs. William E. Ruffner, Mrs. Maht Reymers, Mrs. Dean Lambert, Mrs. Lester Schneider, Mrs. Richard Finch, Mrs. John Day, Mrs. William Stark, Mrs. Ray Fraboe, Mrs. Sam Gollum, Mrs. Jack Mitchell, Mrs. B. L. Nutting, Mrs. Ed Milne, Mrs. Robert Lockwood, Mrs. Warren Lessig, Mrs. Russ Haysell, Mrs. Ed Gordon, Mrs. W. F. Cowling, Mrs. Bettie Boyle, Mrs. Ted Groome, Mrs. Miles Doran, Mrs. Frank Benesh, Mrs. J. W. Barnard, Mrs. M. Loughlin, Mrs. W. A. Samuelsen, Mrs. Floyd Somers, Mrs. Rose Alexander, Mrs. C. H. Barrell, Mrs. Ira Smith, Mrs. B. D. Mitchell, Mrs. Anne Staley, Mrs. Wayne Salsbery, Mrs. Ray Sorenson, Mrs. Jerry Olson, Mrs. Tom Harnsberger, Mrs. William Knoppe, Mrs. Jack Kerr, Mrs. Ivan Harrington, Mrs. Charles McIntyre, Mrs. Howard Scroggin, Mrs. Dick Ailey, Mrs. Robert DeLorne, Mrs. Galen Sanner, Mrs. W. H. Pyle, Mrs. Jerry Lassus, Mrs. Darold McDonald, Mrs. M. W. McGrew, Mrs. Tom McFadden, Mrs. L. W. Buonocore, Mrs. D. H. Adams, Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Vincent P. Nicoletti, Mrs. R. E. Theriot, Mrs. John Raspe, Mrs. Paul Dix, Mrs. Ralph Royce, Mrs. Edward Kliever, Mrs. Royal Bebb, Mrs. Roy Smith, Mrs. B. S. Wise, Mrs. B. J. Remen-teria, Mrs. Paul Haviland, Mrs. Dorothy Dowson, Mrs. John Ripley, Mrs. David Lowry, Mrs. John Bunker, Mrs. R. R. Parsons, Mrs. Robert J. Wells,



MOVING INTO ACTION, Brooklyn and Cincinnati players start big hassle at Ebbets Field after Gilliam of Dodgers bowled over Redlegs pitcher Sanchez in seventh inning. Hodges of Dodgers (right), runs out to grab Redleg Hoak. (International Soundphoto)

Boats Near Finish in Yacht Race

Honolulu — The 1957 Transpacific Yacht race neared its climax today as freshening breezes filled the sails of the lead boats, last reported only a few hundred miles from the finish line.

An unofficial entry, the Catamaran Aikane, crossed the Diamond Head finish line at 8 p.m. Sunday roughly 10 days and 11 hours from the time she left Long Beach July 4.

This was far from the record crossing of nine days, 15 hours and 27 minutes set by the yacht Morning Star in May, 1955.

Since the Aikane was not officially entered in the race, her time was not logged.

Nam Sang Ahead

At last reports Sunday, the Nam Sang still held the handicap lead but the Barlovento ranged far ahead in position about 325 miles from Honolulu. The Jada had moved up from eighth to fourth place in the handicap position.

Behind the Nam Sang, the handicap leaders were the Orient, Legend, Jada, Volunteer, Barlovento, Ondine, Nalu II, Criterion and Constellation. At the actual position, behind the Barlovento were the Nam Sang, Orient, Nova del Mar, Constellation, Jada, Legend, Criterion, Volunteer and Queen Mab.

Last of the 34 yachts entered in the race was the Beruth, whose crew was offered a case of beer for every boat she passed and a trophy if she set a new long time record for the race.

Canadian Golf Mantle Won by George Bayer

Kitchener, Ont. — Mighty George Bayer, golf's biggest hitter, gives Ted Kroil a large slice of the credit for his maiden victory Saturday in the Canadian Open championship.

"It was his help with my irons that has helped me more than anything," Bayer said, referring to some instruction Kroil offered the golfing gooliath at the Carlisle Golf Club, Kitchener, Ont., four weeks ago.

Bayer, a six-foot-five, 240-pounder who played pro football briefly with the Washington Redskins, finished two strokes in front of graying Bo Winger with a 72-hole score of 271. Winger, the Odessa, Tex., pro making his best showing in more than a year, fired a six-under-par 65 that left him just short of Bayer.

It was the best round of the day over the 6,544-yard, par 35-36-71 Westmont course, and Winger nearly pulled off a sensational upset. Playing four threesomes ahead of Bayer, Doug Ford and Frank Strahan, Winger was six strokes behind Bayer entering the final round with 202. He was three under for the front nine.

Hoad, earning the first chunk of the record \$125,000 contract he accepted from promoter Jack Kramer last week, featured Sunday's play in the Tournament of Champions by whipping Frank Sedgman, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4. It was one of the most impressive debuts in the history of the pro game.

Gonzales, who had threatened not to play in the \$10,000 round-robin tournament if Hoad was an entry, opened his bid for the \$2,300 first money by defeating Tony Trabert of Cincinnati, Ohio, 6-3, 3-6, 11-9, 6-3.

Marciano Will Help Rademacher

Seattle — Pete Rademacher, the heavyweight challenger, who has never fought a professional fight, will have the help of former champion Rocky Marciano as he trains for his Aug. 22 date with title holder Floyd Patterson.

Promoter Jack Hurley made the announcement Sunday, saying Marciano offered to coach Rademacher free of charge. Hurley said Rocky would spend a week at Rademacher's Lake Huston training camp near Columbus, Ga., and ten more days at Olympic Pete's headquarters at Issaquah, Wash.

Musial Relents On Twinbill Vow

Philadelphia — Stan Musial, just like any old baseball "war horse," can't ride the bench when he feels his team needs his services.

The 36-year-old St. Louis Cardinal announced last week he had played his last doubleheader of the season. However, he appeared in both games of Sunday's twin bill against the Phillies, extending his National league record for consecutive games played through 855 contests.

Greyhound Race Season Starts

Portland — Greyhound racing opens here tonight at the Multnomah Kennel Club new grandstand at Northeast 222nd and Glisan.

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	37	38	.690
Brooklyn	31	38	.447
Hollywood	33	41	.447
Vancouver	33	42	.438
Seattle	31	42	.426
Los Angeles	44	47	.481
Portland	33	59	.357
Sacramento	31	61	.337

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	47	35	.573
Philadelphia	47	35	.573
Milwaukee	44	36	.550
Hollywood	43	36	.543
Cincinnati	46	38	.548
Baltimore	43	38	.529
Chicago	37	49	.431
Pittsburgh	30	54	.357

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	54	28	.659
Chicago	51	31	.622
Boston	49	34	.590
Cleveland	43	40	.519
Detroit	42	41	.506
Baltimore	39	44	.475
Kansas City	31	50	.383
Washington	27	58	.318

NORTHWEST LEAGUE			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Wenatchee	21	11	.656
Eugene	11	5	.687
Salem	8	10	.444
Yakima	6	10	.375
Tri-City	5	10	.333

Suspension Due For Fighting

Brooklyn, N.Y. — Warren Giles, president of the National league, plans to suspend players who engage in future fist fights on the field.

"I personally do not like suspension as a form of penalty," Giles said in a telegram to the eight league managers, "but will impose them if necessary to enforce discipline."

Salem, Ippolito Have Ring Bout

New York — Betting is at "even money" for tonight's TV 10-rounder between lightweight Tommy Salem of Cleveland and Frank Ippolito of New York at St. Nicholas arena.

Dairy Maids Take Both From Chico

Ricker Field, Camp White—Rogue Valley Dairy Maids took both games of a week end women's softball series with Chico, Calif., here.

The Maids won the Saturday night tussle 2 to 0 and the Sunday scramble, before some 700 fans, 6 to 3.

Each team socked only one hit on Saturday. Pat Schroeder homered for the Maids in the second inning and Shirley Hansen scored on two of the Chicoette eight errors. Bev Paradise was the only Chico hitter. Pat Barron, pitching for Rogue Valley, struck out eight and walked seven. Elsie Edwards of Chico gave no walks and struck out one.

Hickson Homers Twice

Doris Hickson sparked the Maids yesterday with two homers and a triple and four-hit hurling. Ellen Callahan tripled for Rogue Valley. Wilma Teads and Erma Boyd tripled and Nancy Padgett doubled for Chico. Hickson walked five batters and hit one. She fanned three.

The Dairy Maids play games at Eugene next Saturday and Sunday and meet Orland, Calif., at Camp White on July 27. They will meet McCulloch Chain Saw in Eugene game and perhaps Springfield in the other.

Two Killed In Auto Race At Rheims

Rheims, France — Tragedy struck yesterday during the Grand Prix of Rheims auto classic.

Two drivers, including an American, were killed in separate crash-ups in a preliminary race.

Mackay Fraser of Sun Valley, Idaho, died of head injuries later when his British Lotus racer failed to negotiate a turn, while Phil Whitehouse of Britain was fatally injured when his car blew a tire at high speed, skidded off the track and exploded.

Only nine weeks ago, the Marquis de Portago of Spain, co-driver Eddie Nelson of Beloit, Wis., and 10 spectators were killed when the Spanish nobleman's racer hurtled into the crowd during the Mille Miglia race in Italy.

Musso Winner

In the feature grand prix, world champion Juan Manuel Fangio of Argentina dropped out only four laps from the finish when his Maserati developed engine trouble. Luigi Musso of Italy, who had finished second behind Fangio in last week's grand prix of France, went on to win the race in record time.

Musso covered 61 laps in two hours, 33 minutes and 2.5 seconds at an average speed of 123.29 miles per hour. Jean Behra of France was second and Harry Schell, an American living in Paris, finished fourth. Masten Gregory of Kansas City, Mo., wound up seventh.

Janice Lemley Sets Fast Time

The quarter midget race track at Jackson Hot Springs was the scene of spills and thrills Sunday as spectators watched an afternoon of fast action.

Janice Lemley set the pace for the day's racing by establishing a new track record of 10:40 during the time qualifications, with Bobby Bruce and Jimmy Allen following closely behind. This followed Lemley's victory in the time trial, where she set a record of 10:40 during the time qualifications, with Bobby Bruce and Jimmy Allen following closely behind. This followed Lemley's victory in the time trial, where she set a record of 10:40 during the time qualifications, with Bobby Bruce and Jimmy Allen following closely behind.

Don Eshleman Upsets Dick Yost

Portland — A stunning upset marked the first round of the 40th annual Portland city golf championships Sunday as Dick Yost, a favorite, lost to unknown Don Eshleman, on the 18th hole.

Other favorites came through as expected.

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