

Milwaukee Downs Brooklyn To Near National Penant; Indains Fall to Yankees, 10-4

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The Milwaukee Braves employed four home runs and stout relief pitching by Lew Burdette to crush the Brooklyn Dodgers, 13-7, Saturday and virtually wreck the defending National league champions' penant hopes.

Home runs by Nippy Jones, Hank Aaron and Andy Pafko carried the Braves to a 3-0 lead in the third inning and they added five more in the sixth for an 8-2 margin. Burdette came out of the bullpen with only one day of rest when the Dodgers reduced their deficit to 9-7 in the seventh frame and held Brooklyn scoreless the rest of the way to pick up his 13th victory.

Milwaukee added the crusher

in the ninth on a three-run homer by Felix Mantilla. Johnny Podres, the first of eight Brooklyn pitchers, suffered the loss. The defeat dropped the third place Dodgers 7½ games back of the Braves with only 30 games remaining.

The St. Louis Cardinals, meanwhile, remained 6½ games behind Milwaukee by turning back the Philadelphia Phillies, 3-2. Former Phillie outfielder Del Ennis singled home the Cardinals' decisive run in the sixth and St. Louis added a pair of insurance markers in the ninth on Walker Cooper's two-run double.

Herm Wehmeier went all the way for the Cardinals to even his season record at 6-6, while Curt Simmons suffered his ninth setback.

Ronnie Kline allowed only six hits in pitching the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 4-1 victory over the Cincinnati Redlegs. The lanky right-hander lost a shutout in the eighth inning when he gave up a pair of doubles to pinch hitter Ted Kuszewski and Gus Bell.

The Chicago Cubs edged the New York Giants, 2-1, on Bob Speake's two-run homer in the ninth inning. Dave Hillman pitched a seven-hitter in picking

up his fifth triumph of the year while Johnny Antonelli suffered the loss. Ernie Banks also homered for the Cubs.

A seven-run burst in the fifth inning enabled the New York Yankees to crush the Cleveland Indians, 10-4. Relief pitcher Bud Daley contributed to the Indians' downfall by committing two errors during the Yankees' big inning.

Tom Sturdivant was staked to a 9-0 lead in the first six innings but needed help from Art Ditmar when he weakened badly in the ninth. It was Sturdivant's 12th victory of the season. Don Mossi, forced out of the game in the fifth with a strained shoulder, was charged with the loss.

The Chicago White Sox remained 5½ games back of the Yankees by whipping the Boston Red Sox, 7-1. Dick Donovan scattered nine hits in posting his seventh consecutive victory and his 15th of the season. Relief pitcher Ike Delock, making his second start of the year, was the loser.

Ted Williams got only one hit in four cracks at Donovan and his batting average dipped to .381. Mickey Mantle had a 1-for-2 against the Indians, hiking his average to .374.

The Baltimore Orioles turned back the Kansas City Athletics, 4-2. Ken Lehman and Hector Brown combined in pitching a seven-hitter. Billy Gardner drove in the Orioles' decisive run in the second and Al Pilarcik homered for Baltimore in the ninth.

Truman Clevenger pitched the Washington Senators to a 6-3 triumph over the Detroit Tigers. Jim Bunning was reached for eight hits and five runs before

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SPORTS

Champ Denies 'Race' Charges by Reporter

Havre, Mont. — Heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson denied today he told a Seattle Post-Intelligencer reporter a group of Georgia men had hoped to set up Pete Rademacher as a "white hope."

Reporter Emmett Watson quoted Patterson as saying in a pre-fight interview that the \$250,000 guarantee he received for the Rademacher fight could be attributed to racial prejudice.

Watson quoted Patterson as saying that in New York the Georgia men "couldn't have raised \$250 for this kind of fight" and that it couldn't have been raised in any other place but Georgia or the south.

Patterson charged that Watson brought the racial issue up "because he needed something to write about."

"I did not say that Rademacher was a 'white hope' against me and I at no time injected the color bar," Patterson said during an interview from a train.

Patterson denied he made the statement about raising the money in New York.

"If the Georgia promoters wished to raise the money in New York," he said, "I have no doubt they would have been able to raise that amount (\$250,000). The champ said he had read the article and also denied a statement attributed to him that he "won't go any further south than Philadelphia — or maybe Washington, D.C." if he beat Rademacher up badly.

"I'm going to visit my wife's family in Oklahoma in about two weeks," Patterson said, "after I rest and relax in New York."

Portlanders Push Billings Into Playoff

Portland — Portland edged Billings, 4-3, at Sckavone field here this afternoon forcing the American Legion junior baseball Northwest Regional playoffs into a final championship game Sunday evening.

Portland built up a 4-1 lead in the fifth inning when Pete Verdurmen singled to drive in two runs. The winners added their fourth run in the sixth when Lou Wright scored on Kerry Feldman's error at second base.

George Spencer, the winner, allowed Billings six hits in the eight innings he worked, before being relieved by Vern Brazzle in the ninth.

Billings scored their second run in the eighth on three hits. Kenny Hunt and Rex Roby hit back-to-back singles and Hunt scored when Ray Haroldson singled to center field.

In the bottom of the ninth, Billings tallied their third run as relief hurler Brazzle gave up two walks, and an error by Verdurmen allowed Denny Seiler to score from third base.

Layne, Cassady Spark Detroit

Toledo, Ohio — The bullet-line passes of quarterback Bobby Layne and the broken field running of Howard Hopalong Cassady helped the Detroit Lions overcome a 10-point halftime deficit to defeat the Philadelphia Eagles, 34-37, in a National Football league exhibition game here Friday night.

Kansas City, Mo. — Sharp iron play and an accurate putter gave Georgia veteran Louise Suggs of Sea Island a three-under-par 72 today for a 36-hole total of 146 and a fat four-stroke lead in the \$5,000 Heart of America open. Miss Suggs, who has won virtually every major title for women in her 10-year professional career, faltered on only two holes for bogies on the 6,400 yard hilly layout.

Shooting Slated At Medford Club

Shooting is planned at Medford Gun club today for the first time in about one month.

Firing will be in warm-up for the dove season. Members of the club said that "new shooters" are welcome to try their guns.

Sixteen-yard, handicap and skeet events will be shot if gunners want them.

More than 16,000 are confined in California prisons.

UPDEGRAFF ADVANCES

St. Louis — Dr. Ed Updegraff scored a 2-1 victory over Phil Rodgers of LaJolla, Calif., today to move into the finals of the 55th western amateur golf championship along with Joe Campbell of Knoxville, Tenn.

Miller Open Lead Held By Venturi

Milwaukee, Wis. — Young Ken Venturi, who claims he plays to win and "not for money," held on to his lead today at the three-quarter mark of the \$35,000 Miller open tournament with a five-under-par 65 for a 65-hole total of 199.

The 26-year-old Venturi socked in six birdies, two of them on the last three holes, to wind up with the best round of the day.

Al Balding, the cigar-smoking pro from Big Winn Inn, Ont., shot a 69 to put him five strokes behind Venturi with a 204 total. Mike Souhak, Grossinger, N.Y., who got a 67 today, was one stroke back of Balding with a 205.

Bunched at 206 were Don Whitt, Alameda, Calif.; Paul Harney, Worcester, Mass.; Sammy Snead and Bob Rosburg.

At 207 were Walker Inman, Pensacola, Fla.; Don Fairchild, Casey, Ill.; and Howie Johnson, Houston, Tex. Inman's 31 on the front line was the best nine-hole score of the day.

Venturi, who has finished in the money 13 or 14 tournaments since turning pro nine months ago, continued to putt brilliantly. He knocked in one 35-footer, a 25-footer and just missed an eagle on the second hole, when his putt rimmed the cup.



DILEMMA—Football coach Ralph Johnson of Speedway High School in Indianapolis, Ind., has, in addition to his regular pre-season problems, the chore of finding size 14 football shoes for freshman tackle prospect Roger Helsner, who is presently working out in tennis shoes. When Roger was 12-years-old he wore size 12 shoes, at 13 he needed size 13 and now that he is 14 he requires size 14 shoes. What worries Johnson is that he may be faced with the same problem of shoes next year when Roger turns 15.

Baseball

FRIDAY'S RESULTS
Pacific Coast League
San Francisco 1-10, Seattle 0-3
Vancouver 14, San Diego 3
Hollywood 7, Sacramento 6
(Only games scheduled)

National League
Cincinnati 6, Pittsburgh 0 (night)
Brooklyn 3, Milwaukee 2 (night)
Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 2 (night)
New York 3, Chicago 2 (16 innings, night)

American League
Chicago 4, Boston 1 (night)
Detroit 13, Washington 4 (night)
Cleveland 5, New York 4 (10 innings, night)
Baltimore 2, Kansas City 1 (12 innings, night)

Northwest League
Salem 13, Lewiston 2
Tri-City 9, Yakima 4
Eugene 8, Wenatchee 2

International League
Buffalo 8, Toronto 4
Richmond 5-3, Miami 2-2
Columbus 3-1, Havana 1-3
Montreal 5, Rochester 1

NEW JUMP RECORD
San Diego, Calif. — Sally Morris of McQueeney, Tex., set a new meet record today in the 15th Annual National Water Ski championships on San Diego bay with a leap of 67 feet in girls' jumping competition.

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St. Louis	69	53	.566	
Brooklyn	69	55	.557	7½
Cincinnati	62	60	.508	13½
Philadelphia	62	60	.508	13½
New York	59	67	.468	18½
Chicago	47	72	.396	27
Pittsburgh	45	75	.375	29½
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	79	43	.648	
Chicago	73	48	.603	5½
Boston	63	58	.521	15½
Detroit	61	61	.500	18
Baltimore	59	63	.482	18
Cleveland	58	65	.472	21½
Washington	47	75	.385	32½
Kansas City	47	75	.382	32½

LINEUP:

National League
Cincinnati 1 6 0
Lawrence, Freeman (8) and Bailey
Kline and Foles.

American League
Milwaukee 13 13 1
Brooklyn 7 14 1
Trowbridge, Johnson (4), Burdette (7) and Rice; Podres, Drysdale (4), Labine (5), Bessent (6), Erskine (7), Craig 7, Rosebuck (8), McDewitt (9) and Roseboro.

Chicago 4 11 0
New York 2 7 2
Hillman and Neenan; Grissom (9) and Thomas.

St. Louis 5 9 0
Philadelphia 2 10 0
Wehmeier and Cooper; Farrell (9) and Lopata.

American League
Washington 6 10 1
Detroit 3 9 0
Clevenger and Berberet; Bunning, Byrd (9) and House.

New York 10 11 1
Cleveland 4 12 2
Sturdivant, Dittmar (9) and Berra; Mossi, Daley (5) and Nixon.

Boston 1 9 1
Chicago 2 7 0
Delock, Porterfield (4), Burdette (5) and Daley; Donovan and Lollar.

Baltimore 4 8 0
Kansas City 2 7 1
Lehman, Brown (6) and Triandos; Garver, Portocarrero (2), Morgan (7) and Smith.

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