

Yanks Limp to Chicago, Offer Sox Goden Opportunity to Close Gap

By JOHN GRIFFIN
United Press Sports Writer

The New York Yankees, badly mauled by that vicious Detroit Tiger, came stumbling into Chicago tonight to give the White Sox their golden opportunity of 1957.

If the Yankees ever were ready to be "taken" they are now.

Their 5-2 drubbing by the Tigers Monday, thanks to Al Kaline's three-run homer, was their fifth loss in the last seven games; their league lead over the Sox now is down to 3 1/2 games—lowest point since Aug. 1; and their pitching isn't ready for the big three-game series opening under the Chicago arcs tonight.

Instead of having an Allie Reynolds ready to hurl, manager Casey Stengel is calling Art Ditmar, last year's losing pitcher in the league, out of the bullpen to face either Jim Wilson or Gerry Staley. Out of action are ace lefties Whitey Ford and Bobby Shantz and the rest of the Yanks mound corps is wobbling.

Six-Game Streak

The White Sox, riding a six-game winning streak, were idle Monday while the Tigers were beating the Yankees for the second straight day. Mickey Mantle slugged his 33rd homer in the first inning with a mate aboard to put New York ahead, 2-0, but Frank Lary shut out the league leaders the rest of the way.

Kaline slammed his 17th homer of the year in the first inning with two on to put Detroit ahead to stay and give him 13 runs batted in during the last four games. Harvey Kuenn singled home another Tiger run in the second and Charley Maxwell's sacrifice fly delivered the final tally in the fifth.

If the White Sox can sweep all three games in the series starting tonight they will still be a half-game behind the Yankees. But they'll be all even in the only place baseball men say is important—the lost column.

The Milwaukee Braves' headlong rush toward the National league pennant was slowed on Monday night when they dropped a 4-3 decision to the Phillies, cutting their lead to seven games over idle St. Louis and Brooklyn.

The Braves rallied from a 3-1 deficit to tie the score with two unearned runs in the eighth inning with the help of Chico Fernandez' error. But the Phils loaded the bases against reliever Ernie Johnson with one out in the ninth and then pinch-hitter Ron Northey singled to score Ted Kazanski with the winning run. Rookie Dick Farrell was the winner in relief.

In the only other games scheduled Monday, the New York Giants trounced the Cincinnati Reds, 17-3, and the Boston Red Sox crushed Kansas City, 16-0.

Home runs by Danny O'Connell and Hank Sauer led the Giants' 19-hit attack as they handed the Redlegs their 13th loss in the last 14 games.

A 10-run seventh inning featured the Red Sox' win with four homers in that big frame—by Frank Malzone, Norm Zauchin, Ted Lepcio, and Jimmy Piersall. Malzone hit another homer, plus a double and a single, to lead the Cox' 19-hit assault.

LINESCORES:
National League
Cincinnati—010 103 000—3 13 1
New York—000 005 17 19 1
Amer. Sanchez (3), Freeman (4), Klippstein (6), Fowler (6), and Burgess, Camp, Morantz (4) and Thomas (winner—Morantz (2-1), Loser—Auer (1-2), HR—O'Connell (7th), Sauer (22nd).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York—000 000 000—2 8 1
Detroit—310 010 005—5 11 1
Byrne, Kuehl (1), and Berra, Lary (8-15) and Wilson, Loser—Byrne (4-5), HR—Mantle (33rd), Kaline (17th).

PHILADELPHIA—000 100 020—3 9 0
Philadelphia—021 000 001—4 10 1
Phillips, Trowbridge (4), McMahon (6), Johnson (9), and Randall, Sanford, Farrell (9), and Lonnert, Winner—Farrell (9-2), Long—Johnson (6-2).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York—211 000 10 11—16 16 0
K. City—000 000 000—9 5 1
Nixon (11-8) and Daley, Terry, Portocarrero (3), Morgan (7), Hill (7), McDermott (7), and Thompson, Loser—Terry 4-8, HR—Zauchin (3rd), Lepcio (9th), Piersall (13th), Malzone (10th), Stephens (3rd).

Washington—A bill authorizing construction of a six-million-dollar stadium of the nation's capital today awaited President Eisenhower's signature. The measure was approved by the House Monday.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Notice is hereby given that at 7:30 o'clock P.M. on the 3rd day of September, 1957, in the Council Chambers of the City of Medford, Oregon, there shall be a public hearing by and before the City Planning Commission of said City on the question of granting a variance to permit the construction of one concrete pump island upon Lot 2, Block 2, Rogue Valley Heights, in said city, within 13 feet of the southerly right-of-way line of Crater Lake Highway, and to permit the delivery of fuel and lubricants to vehicles standing adjacent to said island in the normal course of the service station business, and the erection of a gasoline station sign upon a post within said island, said island to be not more than 13 feet long and 3 feet wide and not connected to any other building or structure.
H. E. Mackie
Building Inspector

SPORTS

Mounties Get Hand From Lowly Solons

By DON THACKREY
United Press Sports Writer

The Vancouver Mounties, who face an uphill battle to take the Pacific Coast League flag, moved upward a step Monday night while the Sacramento Solons aided them by chopping a bit off the top of the mountain.

Vancouver got magnificent pitching from Erv Palica and put the blast on Los Angeles 10-1 while Sacramento hit the hand they have been feeding all season—that of the San Francisco Seals—and took a 2-1 decision.

This cut San Francisco's league lead to three and a half games. Hollywood moved into third place, 7 1/2 games out, by blanking San Diego 3-0. Portland and Seattle were idle.

Calhoun Wins In Savage Ten Rounds

San Francisco—Rory Calhoun, a fast-punching middleweight with ambitions that include the world championship, is ready for Gene Fullmer, Charles Humez or Joey Giardello.

"I'll take on any of them now for the right to a shot at the title," said Calhoun after whipping third-ranked Joey Giambra Monday night in one of the most savage brawls ever staged in the Cow Palace.

"I'll rest for a couple of months to let this cut on my cheek heal," said Calhoun, "but then I'm ready for them all."

Monday night's encounter was one of the toughest ones Calhoun has had since he became a headliner. His big round was the fourth when he stunned Giambra, a 2-1 favorite, with a right and then pummeled him around the ring at will.

Giambra came back to make it an even battle going into the ninth. Then Calhoun unleashed a series of combination punches that featured a jab and then an uppercut which landed with sickening regularity.

"I just hadn't prepared for a defense for those uppercuts," said Giambra, "and that was the difference. Guess I'll rest up a couple of months before going into the ring again."

Referee Jack Downing and Judge Frankie Carter had a 97-93 for the winner, with Judge Jack Silver, 96-95. United Press had it 97-94.

In the middle rounds, the battling became so vicious that the referee had to warn the warriors. Calhoun hit Giambra after the bell. Joey used his thumbs in Rory's eyes, and then Giambra spun and hit Calhoun. There was continued butting by both fighters.

"But it wasn't a dirty fight," said Calhoun. "I've had tougher ones in the preliminaries."

Calhoun weighed 158 1/2, Giambra 160.

Martin Leads Moundsmen

San Francisco—Morris Martin, Vancouver, and Bill Abernathie, San Francisco, lead the Pacific Coast league pitchers in the earned run and percentage divisions, according to statistics released today and including Sunday's games.

Martin, with a 13-3 mark, has the best earned run average at 1.74. Abernathie has an .867 mark on a 13-2 record.

Leo Kiely of the league leading Seals has the most wins with 18 against four defeats, and Jim (Mudcat) Grant, San Diego, is tops in strikeouts with 138.

STANDINGS

BY UNITED PRESS
NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	76	47	.618	
St. Louis	59	54	.521	7
Brooklyn	70	53	.569	7
Philadelphia	62	62	.500	14
New York	61	67	.477	17 1/2
Chicago	48	73	.397	27
Pittsburgh	46	78	.377	29 1/2

Monday's Results
New York 17, Cincinnati 3
Philadelphia 4, Milwaukee 3, night
Only games scheduled.

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Chicago at Brooklyn (night)—Drott (11-16) vs. Newcomb (10-10) or McDevitt (6-1)
Milwaukee at New York (night)—Conley (8-6) vs. Worthington (8-8)
Cincinnati at Philadelphia (night)—Nuxhall (7-7) vs. Haddix (10-10)
St. Louis at Pittsburgh (night)—V. McDonald (7-3) vs. Friend (8-16)

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
New York	75	48	.610	3 1/2
Chicago	64	59	.520	14 1/2
Boston	63	61	.509	16
Baltimore	59	63	.484	19
Cleveland	60	63	.480	19 1/2
Kansas City	48	77	.387	31 1/2
Washington	47	77	.379	32

Monday's Results
Detroit 5, New York 2
Boston 16, Kansas City 0
Only games scheduled.

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
New York at Chicago (night)—Ditmar (8-3) vs. Wilson (13-8) or Staley (6-1)
Baltimore at Cleveland (night)—Santoni at Philadelphia (night)
Boston at Detroit (night)—Formies (8-12) vs. Foytack (13-10) or Maas (8-12)
Washington at Kansas City (night)—Ramos (9-12) vs. Urban (3-2)

Wednesday's Games
New York at Chicago (night)
Washington at Kansas City (night)
Baltimore at Cleveland (night)
Boston at Detroit

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Vancouver	87	57	.604	
Hollywood	79	64	.552	7 1/2
Portland	72	69	.510	13 1/2
Seattle	73	70	.510	13 1/2
Los Angeles	63	76	.481	20 1/2
San Diego	52	81	.394	34 1/2

Monday's Results
San Francisco 1, Sacramento 1
Vancouver 1, Hollywood 0
Hollywood 3, San Diego 0
Only games scheduled.

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

Today's Probable Pitchers
Portland at Seattle (3-3) at Seattle (Marion Fricano, 8-8)
San Francisco (Bob Chakales, 2-1) at Hollywood (Curt Raydon, 8-9)
San Diego (Dick Brodowski, 12-4) at Los Angeles (Ralph Maurilio, 8-4) and Babe Birrer, 4-6) at Vancouver (Med Held, 8-5) and Charlie Beaman, 10-9)

NORTHWEST LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Wenatchee	38	21	.644	
Spokane	31	29	.517	5 1/2
Salem	31	29	.517	5 1/2
Yakima	28	30	.482	9 1/2
Tri-City	27	36	.429	13 1/2
Tri-City	23	37	.383	15 1/2

Monday's Results
Tri-City 8, Lewiston 8
Spokane 5, Tri-City 5
Yakima-Wenatchee, idle

Today's Schedule
Yakima at Wenatchee
Lewiston at Tri-City
Salem at Eugene

League Leaders

BY UNITED PRESS

Player	Team	G.	AB	R.	H.	Pct.
Stanley	N.Y.	120	487	75	159	.326
Mays	N.Y.	128	480	94	161	.335
Groat	Pitt.	96	398	48	127	.320
Santoni	Phila.	129	492	77	158	.323
Robinson	Cin.	120	489	81	157	.321

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Player	Team	G.	AB	R.	H.	Pct.
Williams	Bos.	115	385	84	146	.379
Williams	N.Y.	120	442	110	157	.377
Woodling	Cie.	109	342	61	118	.345
Fox	Chi.	124	487	91	156	.320
Boyd	Balt.	118	396	98	125	.316

Home Runs—Aaron, Braves 37; Snider, Dodgers 34; Mustel, Cards 29; Banks, Cubs 29; Mays, Giants 28; Schum, Dodgers 21; Crowe, Redlegs 79; Mantle, Yankees 89; Minnow, White Sox 82; Jensen, Red Sox 80; Skoveron, Yankees 80.

Pitching—Schum, Cards 10-1; Donovan, White Sox 15-3; Shantz, Yankees 10-3; Sanford, Phils 16-5; Narieski, Indians, 5-3.

Williams Clings To Slim Lead

Detroit—Ted Williams clung to a two-point lead over Mickey Mantle in the hot American league batting race today as the result of a standoff in their latest clash.

Red Sox slugger Williams and Yankee blaster Mantle each had two hits in four at-bats in games Monday, each gaining one percentage point—Williams to .379 and Mantle to .377.

That means the lead could change hands tonight if Williams has a poor night here against the Detroit Tigers and Mantle has a good night in Chicago against the White Sox.

ACC ON TV

New York—Ten Atlantic Coast Conference basketball games during the 1957-58 season will be televised on a regional basis by Sports Network, Inc. All the TV games will be played on Saturday afternoons, starting with the North Carolina vs. Clemson game at Chapel Hill, N.C., Dec. 7.

LA Politicians Should Take Business Hints

By HAL WOOD

San Francisco—Tip to Los Angeles politicians: If you want to get those Dodgers out there for the 1958 season, follow the line of reasoning used by Mayor George Christopher when he swung the deal to bring the Giants here.

"I thought that if we went at this through political angles," says the mayor, "that it might delay the action."

"So I sat down with Horace Stoneham and we talked like two businessmen getting together to work out a deal that would be satisfactory to both of us."

"With this type of conversation, we cut out a lot of red tape that usually comes up when politics are involved."

Christopher, president of a large milk company, is noted as a sound businessman. He not only gave the Giants a good deal, but he arranged so that there will be good money made by the city of San Francisco.

Sick May Sue Teams

Seattle—Seattle Rainiers' President Emil Sick said Monday he may "face the unhappy necessity of suing" if major league baseball invades the West Coast.

Sick quoted his lawyers as saying his team would be entitled to damages provided the New York Giants and Brooklyn Dodgers move west.

It was the opinion in Seattle that major league owners must come to terms with Pacific Coast League owners according to the rules of organized baseball before a change of franchises could be approved.

Sick said that he still hasn't heard from Walter O'Malley, Beavers and Vancouver Mounties clubs already have indicated they would take court action against the majors' move. Sick, who has guided to Rainiers' fortune for 19 years, said he has more than \$1,500,000 invested in the club.

Buddy Parker Quiet on Future

Detroit—Buddy Parker wasn't talking much today about his coaching prospects in the National Football League, but he did admit he "could be" in line for a job with the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Rumors and published reports have been circulating that Parker would not be long in finding a new job after he suddenly quit as head coach of the Detroit Lions.

Parker denied one report last week end which said he would be going to Baltimore to replace the Col's head coach, Weeb Ewbank.

On the subject of a possible move to Pittsburgh, Parker refused to elaborate further after admitting he "could be" in line for the coaching post. "I'd rather say nothing about it," he added.

FIGHTS

By UNITED PRESS
San Francisco—Rory Calhoun, 158 1/2 White Plains, N. Y., dethroned Joey Giambra, 160, San Francisco, 10.

New York—Gen Armstrong, 151, Elizabeth, N. J., dethroned Rudy Sawyer, 148, New York 10.

To Replace Bell

Philadelphia—Bob Thurman will report to the Cincinnati Redlegs here tonight as a replacement for outfielder Gus Bell, out for the rest of the season with a broken ankle.

California To Invoke Land Right

San Francisco—The right of eminent domain will be invoked by the state of California to obtain approximately 42 acres of land in the Squaw Valley area for the 1960 Winter Olympic Games, Charles Blythe, chairman of the State Olympic Commission, announced today.

Blythe said that the commission and Wayne Poulsen, owner of the land, had not been able to come to any agreement and that he had asked the state to start eminent domain proceedings.

Poulsen asked \$440,000 for the 42 acres of land needed for the games, Blythe said. And he stated that the records show that Poulsen purchased 1,240 acres, including the 42 acres mentioned, for \$50,000 in 1950.

The commission offered \$103,370 for the land needed. Poulsen sought \$245,000 for sale of 15 acres of land together with easements on another 21 acres, plus \$195,000 for a 30-year lease on six acres.

The commission's offer was \$58,520 for the acreage and easements, plus \$44,850 for the six-acre lease.

"Mr. Poulsen's monetary demands are completely unrealistic," said Blythe. "They confront the state with these alternatives: Pay tribute to him, abandon the games, or use the eminent domain power granted to us by the 1957 Legislature."

The land sought is to be used to construct flood control reservoir, ski jump tower, sewage disposal system and other major installations.

Record Crowd Expected For Hambletonian

Du Quoin, Ill.—A record crowd of 50,000 was expected today at the first Midwestern running of trotting's richest race, the Hambletonian, a feature of the Du Quoin State Fair.

The race will be historic in several aspects. There will be no betting, for the first time since 1939. It will run in two divisions for the first time, and also for the first time, it will require five heats to find a winner.

Cooler temperatures with partly cloudy skies and a chance of thunderstorms was predicted. Meanwhile, a replacement for Wayne (Curley) Smart, 52, Delaware, Ohio, driver of Phillip Frost, was to be announced shortly before race time.

Smart, dislocated his knee, strained ligaments and tendons of a leg, which was placed in a cast, and was unable to drive. Three horses were rated the major challengers, the filly, Hoot Song, in the second division, and two colts, Hickory Smoke and Buckeye Demon, challenging each other in the first divisions.

Hoot Song has the top time of the year of any horse in the field for the mile distance of the race, 2:01 3-5, while Buckeye Demon, son of the 1948 Hambletonian winner, Demon Hanover, has the next best clocking, 2:01 4-5.

The race will gross \$111,126, second highest in history, surpassed only by the \$117,117.98 paid in 1953, but because five heats will be run, the highest possible purse to the winner will be only \$47,917.62, a total already bettered in five previous races.

Bradford's Team Flies To Regional Tourney

Portland—Bradford's Clothiers of Portland flew today to Hastings, Neb., to compete in the section D baseball tournament, after winning city, state and Northwest regional American Legion titles.

Grid Officials Call Meeting

A meeting for past and prospective football officials and coaches in southern Oregon will be held at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow in the Medford Senior High school.

The meeting is being called by the Southern Oregon Football Officials Association, according to Commissioner Dutch Meyer, Central Point. Those attending will be briefed on game rules for the coming season.

Pirates Get Grid Togs On Thursday

Phoenix—Phoenix high football Coach Jack Woodward has asked Pirate team candidates to report at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 29 to receive physical exams and to check out their equipment.

First practice will be on Tuesday, Sept. 3. Woodward anticipates return of 15 lettermen. The Pirates meet Henley in their season opener Sept. 20 at Phoenix.

Showboat In Playoff

Portland—Showboat of Beaverton won the 8th annual Oregon state AABC semi-pro baseball tournament with a 6-2 victory over Archer Blower and Pipe Co. of Portland at Schavonec field here Monday night.

Showboat now travels to the Western Playoffs at Mobridge, S.D., Sept. 6-11, where they will meet the Washington state winner in tourney play Sept. 7.

Catcher Ron Walm blasted out a fourth inning home run with two aboard to give Showboat a 3-0 lead. The winners added single runs in the fifth, seventh and ninth innings also.

Archer's only runs came in the eighth when winning pitcher Carl Meeuwse walked Ellis Olson with the bags loaded to score Jack Riley from third, and when Ted Yeamans scored on Tom Becic's infield grounder.

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