

Series Triumph by Milwaukee Braves Takes Baseball Story West

Burdette Emerges Hero; Yankee Defeat 3rd Strike Within Year For New York

New York — (U.P.) — Final facts and figures on the 1937 World Series.

Winners—Milwaukee Braves. National League vs. New York Yankees American League.

Game scores—New York 3, Milwaukee 1 (1st); Milwaukee 4, New York 2 (2nd); New York 12, Milwaukee 3 (3rd); Milwaukee 2, New York 0 (4th); Milwaukee 5, New York 0 (5th); New York 0, Milwaukee 2 (6th); Milwaukee 5, New York 0 (7th).

All-time Series standings—Braves won 3, lost 1 (had 1-1 record as Boston Braves); Yankees won 17, lost 6.

Series attendance—7 games—301,712.

Net receipts—7 games—\$22,974.91.

Players' share—\$709,027.54 (players share in first four games only). Commissioner's share—\$371,395.84.

American league share—\$348,888.62 (2nd, 3rd and 4th place teams participate).

National league share—\$348,888.62 (2nd, 3rd and 4th place teams participate).

Braves share—\$348,888.62 (club's share in which players do not participate).

Yankees share—\$348,888.62 (club's share in which players do not participate).

By LEO H. PETERSEN
United Press Sports Editor

New York — (U.P.) — New York City mourned the blackest year in its sports history today while the rest of the nation hailed it as a year in which the National

league went West and took the New York Yankees' scalp with it.

"A great thing for baseball," said Commissioner Ford Frick after the Milwaukee Braves' dream came true with Thursday's 5-0 Series clincher and National League President Warren Giles echoed the thought with his comment, "A tremendous thing for the league and baseball as a whole."

But to New York, the Yankees' defeat was the final blow—the third strike—in a year when the Giants elected to go to San Francisco and the Dodgers quit Brooklyn for Los Angeles. The "Big City" was confident the Yankees could preserve a measure of its pride but even that was stripped away Thursday in the face of Lew Burdette's amazing mastery over the club that dealt him off as an expendable farmhand in 1931.

End Of An Era?

The Braves' World Series victory means that baseball's story has gone West. The two franchise shifts started the trend and the Yankees' defeat was the clincher as the eastern monopoly on World Series triumphs finally was broken.

Burdette, of course, emerged as one of the greatest heroes in World Series history. No pitcher since Stan Coveleski in 1920 had started and won three games in the same Series and the 30-year-old Burdette's 2-runs-in-27 innings, capped by 24 1/3 consecutive scoreless frames, rivaled anything in Series competition since Christy Mathewson pitched three shutouts against the Philadelphia Athletics in 1905.

The players who never are supposed to tighten up committed three official errors and three others of omission in the decisive seventh game.

Eddie Mathews won the fourth game with his 2-run, 10th-inning



THE NEW CHAMPS — Milwaukee Braves' pitching hero, Lew Burdette, gets a big buzz from Manager Fred Haney after hurling the team to the World Series championship by

topping the New York Yankees, 5-0, in the seventh game in New York. Lew started and won three games in the Series and is the first hurler to do so since 1920.

SPORTS

Sport Parade



By OSCAR FRALEY
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United Press

New York — (U.P.) — Loose-armed Lew Burdette wore the World Series halo today and tearful Tony Kubek wore the horns.

Somebody had to draw both items. For in a Series such as this, the pain and the plaudits run side by side.

That was the way it was as the Milwaukee Braves took the seventh and deciding game at Yankee stadium Thursday.

It isn't pouring salt on an open wound to say that Kubek booted it. That's merely the facts, ma'am. It was his error which left an opening through which the inspired Braves drove four runs.

and Harry (The Cat) Brecheen.

They did everything they knew in an attempt to upset him. Hank Bauer slugged his opening pitch for a double. Gerry Coleman led off with a hit in the seventh and, with the wiry infielder jittering around Burdette on second base and only one away, the Yankees began to yell "spitter" charges at the Mountain Man from West Virginia. His only reply was to strike out pinch-hitting Elston Howard and then retire the side. Then, when they loaded the bases on him in the ninth, he reared back and choked them off.

St. Mary's Jacksonville Game Called

Two District 5B football games scheduled for this week end have been called off.

Coach Bill McKibbin of St. Mary's high of Medford announced yesterday that his team's game with Jacksonville has been postponed because of colds and flu among the Medford players. It is the second postponement in a row for the Crusaders who were forced to call off their mix last week end with Sacred Heart of Klamath Falls.

BOWLING

EVERGREEN LEAGUE

Standings:	W.	L.
Tru Mix Construction Co.	19	9
Medford Steel Co.	18	10
Picard's Jewelers	18	10
Chuck's Pump Service	18	10
Medford Plaza Apts.	17	11
Singler's Auto Supply	17	11
Medford Corporation	16	12
Barco Supply Co.	15	13
Medford Blowpipe Co.	10	14
Seven Up Bottling Co.	8	20
Sawtooth Stores	5	23
"Big Y" Market	2	22

Results:

Sawtooth 1 (Nordquist 470) 2:20; Chuck's 3 (Withrow 500) 2:32; Tru Mix 1 (Cummings 534) 2:30; Picard's 3 (Morgan 602) 2:47; Plaza 3 (Gladen 501) 2:53; Medco 1 (Haugen 470) 2:22; Singler's 0 (Carr 563) 2:55; Med. Steel 4 (Punkins 472) 2:28; Seven Up 1 (Engelkes 491) 2:20; Barco 3 (Judy 551) 2:38; "Big Y" Mixt. and Medford Blowpipe will play Monday night.

Roosevelt Scores Second Victory

Roosevelt recorded its second city grade school football decision yesterday by subduing Jefferson 13 to 0.

Lincoln and Washington, who fought to a scoreless tie last Monday, were victors in yesterday's other games. Washington whipped Jackson 25 to 0 and Lincoln overcame Oak Grove 20 to 13.

Logart Opposes Miceli Tonight

Detroit — (U.P.) — It will be a battle of speed against power tonight when second-ranked Isaac Logart steps into the Olympia ring with Joe Miceli in a nationally-televised 10-round welterweight bout.

HOCKEY

By UNITED PRESS

The New York Rangers and the defending Stanley Cup champion Montreal Canadiens began their National Hockey League seasons with impressive victories Thursday night.

The Rangers, who finished fourth last season, defeated the "new look" Detroit Red Wings, 3-2, and the Canadiens tallied three times in the final period to defeat the Chicago Black Hawks, 5-1.

AARON TOP SERIES BATTER

New York — (U.P.) — Hang Aaron of the Milwaukee Braves, the National league's home run and runs batted in leader during the 1937 season, was the World Series' leading hitter in the three most important batting departments. The sleek outfielder hit the most home runs, three, batted in the most runs, 11, and had a .393 batting mark. He also handled 11 chances flawlessly in the field for a perfect 1.000 fielding average.

New Baseball Capital Of World Goes Wild With Joy of Victory

By RAY W. DOHERTY
And RICHARD McFARLAND

Milwaukee — (U.P.) — This new baseball capital of the world has gone wild with joy.

Nearly half a million wildly-cheering fans roared "Welcome Home" Thursday night when manager Fred Haney, pitching hero Lew Burdette and the other Yankee killers brought back Milwaukee's first World Series championship.

It was the city's biggest celebration since V-J Day.

Police Chief Howard Johnson estimated "conservatively" that 400,000 fans whooped it up at the airport, along the

Braves' motorcade route and downtown.

The celebration began with cheering, sirens, horn-blasting, bells, snake dances and confetti the minute the Braves beat the New York Yankees 5-0 to clinch the Series.

It swelled to a tremendous climax when the Braves' plane landed from New York. About 100,000 to 200,000 fans downtown blew horns, screamed, chanted, danced, shot off fireworks, drank beer in the streets and threw bushels of paper and confetti.

Crowds were so great that more than 50 motorcycle escorts couldn't get the motorcade through for a planned parade on Wisconsin ave. and had to take a short-cut to County stadium for the players to get their belongings.

4-Run Cushion Made Job Easy For Burdette

Editor's Note: Lew Burdette brought Milwaukee its first World Series victory in history when he beat the Yankees for the third time in the classic, 5-0, Thursday. He gives his impressions in the following dispatch.)

By LEW BURDETTE
As Told to the United Press

New York — (U.P.) — I've received a number of good things in my lifetime but the best gift ever was that four-run cushion the boys gave me in the third inning.

That made my job easy. Ask any pitcher what he wants most and he'll tell you it's a three or four-run lead in the early innings. That gives you quite a bit of margin for error.

After those four runs, I never really worried. All I tried to do was get the ball over the plate and let them hit it. And as long as I had my control, I figured I'd have no trouble.

Truthfully, the Yankees didn't bother me when they started getting on me from the dugout in the late innings. They had pulled that in the first game I pitched so I was more or less used to it.

Pitching with only two days rest didn't particularly disturb me at the start and I'm certainly not going to complain about it now. There was no strain on my arm at all. Sure, I felt a little tired at the end, but I'm only human. I'm no machine.

Weiss Expected To Swing Axe

New York — (U.P.) — General Manager George Weiss is expected to "swing the axe with a vengeance" in an effort to revamp the New York Yankees during the winter months.

The Yankees' World Series loss to the Milwaukee Braves was seen as sure to result in a basic front-office concept: The team failed and Casey Stengel must share in the blame.

Insiders pointed out that Stengel's reputation as an all-victorious \$100,000-a-year manager has definitely been hurt by the fact that the Yankees have won only one world championship in the last four years. Any other front office might consider this a fine record but the Yankees regard the world title as their personal right.

McLoughlin Wins At Central Point

Central Point — McLoughlin Junior high eighth grade of Medford tripped Central Point grade school footballers 6 to 0 here last night.

Dan Coghill scored for McLoughlin in the first quarter on a reverse and 35 to 40-yard run. George Clearwater crossed the goal on the extra point try but the Bulldogs were offside. He failed to make it on the next attempt.

The Pointers will play Eagle Point here on Thursday evening, Oct. 17.

Sport Memos

Have you ever wondered just what the Marquis of Queensberry rules are? ... Thought I would check up on it and find that in 1872 at a tournament in London the first fight was fought under above rules — Boxers wore gloves — fought 3 minute rounds with wrestling, throwing, gouging barred ... Thought it might be interesting to give you a resume of the M. of Queensberry rules, so will devote this and next weeks column to them

- 1—Stand up match in approx. 24 foot ring.
- 2—No wrestling or hugging.
- 3—Round 3 minutes with 1 minute between.
- 4—10 seconds allowed if man falls, must get up unassisted, other man retires to his corner ... more rules next week.

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