

# Burdette, Braves Sink Dodgers 8-4 as Pitcher Homers Twice for 5 Runs

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Lew Burdette, who took matters into his own hands for the Milwaukee Braves in the 1957 World Series, may be about to do the same for

them in the currently snarled-up National League pennant race.

The World Series hero, an in-and-outer the first half of this season, staged a one-man show at Los Angeles Thursday night when he hit two homers, including a grand slammer, to lead the Braves to an 8-4 victory over the Dodgers. Burdette's first homer, off Johnny Podres in the fourth inning, made him the only active N.L. pitcher with a grand slam to his credit.

The victory enable the Braves to go 1 1/2 games ahead of the second-place San Francisco Giants who were beaten, 4-0, by Bob Purkey and the Cincinnati Reds. The Philadelphia Phillies moved into third place with a 13-3 rout of the St. Louis Cardinals and the Chicago Cubs beat the Pittsburgh Pirates, 8-7, in other N.L. games.

In the American League, the New York Yankees opened up an 11 1/2-game margin by sweeping a day-nighter from the Cleveland Indians, 7-4, and 4-3. The Boston Red Sox crushed the Chicago White Sox, 11-2, and took over the second place when the Baltimore Orioles swept the Kansas City Athletics, 6-3 and 3-2, while the Washington Senators downed the Detroit Tigers, 5-3.

**Burdette Boomed**  
A crowd of 40,508 at Los Angeles boomed Burdette, who got into frequent disputes with umpire Shag Crawford over ball-and-strike calls but went the distance with an 11-hitter. The win squared his record at 7-7 while the loss was Johnny Podres' eighth in 16 decisions.

Burdette hit his grand slam in the fourth inning after the

Braves filled the bases on a single by Del Crandall, Johnny Logan's double and an intentional walk to Andy Pafko. The blow went over the Coliseum's short left field screen and Felix Mantilla followed with another in the same spot to put the Braves ahead, 5-0.

Purkey shut out the Giants for the second time this year and won his 10th game for the Redlegs with a near seven-hitter. Frank Robinson homered and also singled in a run for the Redlegs while Johnny Temple and Don Hoak each had two hits. Al Worthington suffered his fourth loss.

Harry Anderson and Richie Ashburn collected a total of seven hits and drove in eight runs as the Phillies scored their eighth win in nine games. Anderson had a homer and two singles to knock in five runs and Ashburn a double and three singles to drive in three. Robin Roberts pitched a nine-hitter behind a 13-hit attack for his seventh win.

**Pirate Rally Fails**  
The Cubs survived a five-run Pittsburgh rally in the ninth as Taylor Phillips won his sixth game and Vern Law lost his seventh. Frank Thomas hit two homers and Dick Stuart one for the Pirates while Lee Walls homered for the Cubs.

Elston Howard knocked in three runs with a fourth-inning triple and an eighth-inning single as the Yankees rallied to win their day game. Relief pitchers Johnny Kucks and Ryne Duren held the Indians to one hit over the last 5 1/2 innings. In the night game, Jerry Lumpe's two-run double was the blow of a four-run eighth inning New York rally and Duren again came to the rescue with his flame-thrower in the ninth.

Jackie Jensen paced a 13-hit Red Sox attack with a grand slam homer and two other hits to make it easy for Frank Sullivan to win his seventh game. Jensen now leads the majors with 25 homers and 72 runs batted in. Early Wynn suffered the loss for the White Sox.

Billy O'Dell, A.L. All-Star hero, snuffed out a ninth-inning threat in the first game for the Orioles and Arnold Portocarrero pitched a five-hitter in the nightcap. Al Pilarek knocked in three runs in the first game and Billy Gardner singled home the winning run in the second.

Roy Sievers, Clint Courtney and Jim Lemon homered for the Senators, Pedro Ramos winning his seventh game with ninth-inning relief help from Dick Hyde.



**STATING HIS VIEWS**—Casey Stengel of the New York Yankees testifies before the Senate anti-trust and monopoly subcommittee in Washington regarding a measure to exempt baseball from the anti-trust laws. Shown behind Stengel are Mickey Mantle (left) and Ted Williams.

## MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

### Chiefs, Broncs Share NWL Lead

By United Press International

Thanks to Red Helms, the Wenatchee Chiefs are hanging on to a share of the Northwest league lead.

Helms sent two homers out of the park Thursday night as the Chiefs toppled Yakima, 7-4. His first, a two-run belt, came in the second and gave the Chiefs a 2-1 lead.

In the fifth, Helms rocketed another two-run homer to break a 4-4 tie and the Chiefs took it from there. Don Gannus, Yakima centerfielder, led the Bears' seven-hit attack with a single and a double.

Lewiston gained a share of the top spot with 6-2 and 2-1 decisions over the Salem Senators.

Lewiston collected nine hits off two Salem hurlers in the opener and coasted home behind the three-hit pitching of

Ernie Sadler who took his tenth victory of the year against two losses.

Thornton Kipper cashed in the 13th win of the year in the nightcap with an eight-hit victory. Both Lewiston runs were unearned. The Broncs got their eventual winning run in the third when Jerry Hallgren tripled home Jerry Linnell who had reached first on an error.

Eugene and Tri-City traded 6-5 decisions. Eugene won the opener by that score and Tri-City reversed it in the nightcap.

In the opener, the Emeralds got their winning run in the sixth when John Keller walked, moved up on a sacrifice and scored on Tom Agosta's single.

Tri-City got four runs in the fourth frame of the second game and then tied it with two in the sixth.

### Loggers, M and W Get Easy Wins in Softball

M and W Chain Saw topped the Eagle Point Merchants 9-1 and the Butte Falls Loggers downed the Dairy Maids 9-2 in Jackson County Softball association competition at Camp White Thursday evening.

In the opener E. C. Brittsan pitched a no-hitter while striking out 12 batters and issuing only three walks. Home runs by Lou Shell in the second and Jim House in the fifth contributed to the winners' cause.

The Chain Saw nine scored four runs in each of the first

two stanzas on only one hit per frame. Eagle Point managed its only tally in the first inning on a walk, a stolen base, and two wild pitches.

In the second game the Maids gathered three hits for two runs in the first inning but were unable to break into the scoring column again. The Loggers picked up five runs in the first on only one hit. They went on to add three more in the fourth and a home run by Lange in the fifth.

The next league action, Monday, July 14, will find the Jaycees opening against the Bureau of Reclamation at 7 p.m. The games are slated for the Camp White ball park.

### League Leaders

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Player & Club G. AB R. H. P.  
Musial, St. L. 70 252 37 91 461  
Mays, S.F. 77 309 62 109 353  
Dark, Chi. 62 254 30 84 331  
Skinner, Pitts. 72 273 48 87 319  
Green, St. L. 67 215 30 68 316

**American League**  
Power, Cleve. 72 288 51 84 326  
Cerv, K.C. 72 288 51 87 325  
Fox, Chi. 77 301 39 97 322  
Kuenn, Det. 65 262 33 81 321  
Jensen, Mos. 78 272 49 88 316

**Home Runs**  
National League—Thomas, Pirates 24; Banks, Cubs 21; Walls, Cubs 18; Cepeda, Giants 16; Mathews, Braves 16; Mays, Giants 16; Boyer, Cards 16.  
American League—Jensen, Red Sox 25; Cerv, Athletics 23; Mantle, Yanks 21; Sievers, Senators 20; Triandos, Orioles 16; Lemon, Senators 16.

**Runs Batted In**  
National League—Thomas, Pirates 89; Banks, Cubs 68; Anderson, Phillies 52; Spencer, Giants 51; Cepeda, Giants 50.  
American League—Jensen, Red Sox 72; Cerv, Athletics 63; Lemon, Senators 51; Sievers, Senators 51; Cervert, Red Sox 46; Williams, Red Sox 46.

**Pitching**  
National League—McMahon, Braves 6-1; Farrell, Phillies 6-2; Phillips, Cubs 6-2; Koufax, Dodgers 7-3; Purkey, Redlegs 10-5; Spahn, Braves 10-5; Semproch, Phillies 10-5.  
American League—Delock, Red Sox 7-9; Turley, Yankees 12-3; Larsen, Yanks 7-2; Sullivan, Red Sox 7-2; Pappas, Orioles 6-2.

**(Second Game, Night)**  
Cleveland—000 201 000—3 10 0  
New York—000 000 04x—4 9 1  
E. P. Merchants (8) and Nixon, Brown (8) Mass. Trucks (8), Shantz (8), Duren (6) and Berra, Winner—Shantz (5-3), Loser—Wilhelm (2-4).

**(First Game)**  
Kansas City—000 001 101—3 7 3  
Baltimore—030 00x—6 9 0  
Daley, Urban (5), Terry (6), Gorman (6) and Chitt, Pappas, Lehman (7), Johnson (9), O'Dell (9) and Triandos, Winner—Pappas (6-2), Loser—Daley (1-1).

**(Second Game, Night)**  
Kansas City—000 002—2 5 2  
Baltimore—000 001 02x—3 7 0  
Herbert, Tomaneck (3), Grim (8) and Smith, Portocarrero (7-3) and Ginsberg, Loser—Tomaneck (4-4), HRS—Cerv, Maris.

Chicago—000 100 001—2 9 1  
Boston—100 004 00x—11 13 1  
Wynn, Keegan (4), Qualters (5), Lown (6), Staley (8) and Lollar, Batty (7), Sullivan (7-2) and Herbert, Loser—Wynn (6-7), HRS—Stephens, Jensen.

Detroit—000 110 001—3 11 0  
Washington—002 002 01x—5 10 2  
Lary (6-8) and Hegon, Ramos, Hyde (9) and Courtney, Winner; Ramos (7-6), HRS—Sievers, Harris, Courtney, Lemon.

**Thursday's Results**  
Lewiston 6, Salem 2 (first)  
Lewiston 2, Salem 1 (second)  
Eugene 6, Tri-City 5 (first)  
Tri-City 6, Eugene 5 (second)  
Wenatchee 7, Yakima 4

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

# Medford Stops Studs 2-1 for Third Spot In Legion District

Crater Lake Motors of Medford scored a game-winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning against the Cheney Studs of Central Point Thursday night to grab third place in Area 4 South district American Legion junior baseball.

Medford was paced by the pitching of Dennis Barr and hitting by shortstop Cal Dean. Barr fanned 13 batters and gave up only two walks as he went the distance for a 2-1 victory over the Studs.

Dean had two for three at the plate including a home run over the right field fence in the fourth inning to knot the game at 1 and 1.

Central Point scored early in the first inning. Lead-off batter Harley Dickerson, second baseman, got on base on an error. After the second batter was fanned, Dennis Pfaff, center fielder, hit a one-bagger to drive in the Studs' only run. Barr went on to fan the next two batters and retire the side.

Medford got two hits in the second and Central Point got a single in the third but neither team was able to parlay the hits into runs.

The Studs were retired in the fourth after Barr struck out two, issued two walks, hit a batter with a ball to load the bases, and then struck out the next man up.

After tying the score in the bottom of the fourth with Dean's homer, Medford was able to pick up only one hit in the next two innings. The Studs were held down through the seventh.

In the bottom of the seventh Medford led off with Lowell Dean pinch-hitting for first baseman Bob Quinney. Dean got a single, was advanced to second by Ray Konopasek's sacrifice, went to third on a hit by pitcher Barr, and was knocked home by lead-off batter Ken Durkee to end the game. Good fielding

by the Studs nine got pitcher Bill Anhorn out of a tight spot in the third inning after he had walked Konopasek, and Barr had gained first base on a fielder's choice. Wayne Thompson hit into a triple play.

Konopasek, Dean, and Quinney combined for Medford to accomplish a double play in the fifth inning also.

Earlier in the week an American Legion official mistakenly reported that Thursday's game would determine which Teams Pass and Klamath Falls in the district finals.

Teams Pass and Klamath Falls will meet for the district championship this Sunday at Grants Pass and by virtue of Thursday's win Medford finished third in the district.

Next Tuesday night Crater Lake Motors and the Studs will meet again at Cheney field. That encounter will be a non-league contest.

**LINE SCORE:**  
Central Point—100 000—1 4 4  
Medford—000 100—2 7 1  
B. Anhorn and Tucker, Barr and Pond

**Record Entries In Jr. Amateur Golf Tourney**

New York—(UPI)—The U.S. Golf Association emphasized the game's steady growth recently when it announced the entry total for its 1958 Junior Amateur championship set a record for the eighth straight year at 1,121. The previous high was last year's 1,060 entries.

Boys of 17 or younger are eligible for the tournament. Sectional qualifying rounds at 47 sites will reduce the field to 128 for the championship proper at the University of Minnesota course, St. Paul, July 30-Aug. 2.

### DIES FROM INJURY

New York—(UPI)—Richard H. Lynn, 31, a leading pole vaulter, died Thursday of a broken neck received while practicing on a trampoline 12 days ago. He was a former metropolitan amateur indoor and outdoor pole vault champion.

### HOLD FAVORITE ROLES

Stanton, Del.—(UPI)—Mrs. C. Ulick Bay's Idun and Calumet Farm's A Glitter held the favorite roles today for Saturday's \$50,000 Delaware Oaks at Delaware park. Idun was stamped a 6-5 choice and A Glitter a close second at 7-5.

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