

Four Second-Line Teams Battle It Out in Majors

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If the war is over in the major league races, somebody forgot to tell the second-line troops.

The Pittsburgh Pirates, for instance, aren't given much of a chance of catching Milwaukee in the National League but they'd still like a cut of that second-place money. So would the San Francisco Giants.

In the American League, the Chicago White Sox and the Boston Red Sox gave up the pennant ghost long ago. But they're waging a close struggle to determine who winds up in the runner-up spot behind the Yankees.

Play Final Series
Starting tonight, the Red Sox and the White Sox tangle in a final three-game series at Chicago, with the White Sox holding a narrow one-half game margin.

This series is so important to the Red Sox, who are shooting for their highest finish in nine years, that Ted Williams plans to swing back into action for the first time since Aug. 25 when he was sidelined with a heavy cold. The 40-year-old slugger may not be in tonight's starting lineup but he will be ready for pinch-hit duty.

The Pirates haven't finished as high as second in the National League since 1944. However, they opened a 2½ game bulge over the third-place Giants by knocking off the Cincinnati Redlegs, 4-1, in Monday's only major league action. Now they're ready for the Giants, who invade Pittsburgh for the final time starting tonight.

Resume Uncompleted Game
Prior to tonight's contest, Pittsburgh and San Francisco will resume their uncompleted game of July 27, which was interrupted in the eighth inning with the score tied 3-3. A double victory for the Pirates would just about clinch the runner-up spot.

Curt Raydon and Don Gross cooled off the Redlegs Monday night by collaborating on a four-hit pitching job. Gross took over in the seventh inning when Cincinnati loaded the bases with none out. He induced pinch-hitter Walt Dropo to hit into a double play, allowing one run to score, and then retired Johnny Temple on a pop fly.

Roberto Clemente of the Pirates equaled a major league record by bunting out three consecutive triples. It was only Cincinnati's third defeat in their last 15 games.

LINE SCORES:
National League
Cincinnati—000 000 100—4 1
Pittsburgh—000 030 01X—8 2
Acker—Smith (7) and Buehler—Raydon (8-4). Loser—Acker (6-5).

Women's Open Enters Play-off
Dallas, Tex. (UPI)—Veteran Beverly Hanson meets Mickey Wright today in an 18-hole play-off for the Dallas Women's Open Golf championship after both tied for first place in the final round.

Both carded 72-hole totals of 284 at the end of Monday's final round. Miss Hanson, starting the final round four strokes behind, posted a one-over-par 73 to catch Miss Wright who skidded to a five over par 77.

Fay Crocker of Montevideo, Uruguay, posted a 73 while Betsy Rawls of Spartanburg, S.C., and Mrs. Jackie Pung of San Francisco, had 286s.

Noted Northwest Lumberman Dies
Portland (UPI)—Thomas J. (Tom) Autzen, 70, prominent Northwest lumberman and a plywood manufacturer, died Monday night.

Autzen's extensive holdings included the Portland Manufacturing Company and Plywood, plus timber lands. He had spent some time on a cruiser fishing out of Astoria Monday and complained of feeling ill after dinner. He was rushed to Good Samaritan hospital and died about midnight.

Survivors include his widow, Marvel; sons Thomas Jr. and Duane and two daughters Mrs. Robert Patton and Mrs. Henry Hauser, all of Portland. Autzen has lived in Tucson, Ariz., for part of the last few years.

LOSING WAY in Vermont's Green Mountains, Dr. Clinton Newton Howard, history professor at University of California at Los Angeles, his daughter, Rio, 15, and son, Clinton, 13, reach South Burlington after spending night on trail. Aside from being hungry all were uninjured.

MAY RESIGN
Khartoum, Sudan (UPI)—Prime Minister Abdullah Khalil, 70, may resign his post when Parliament reconvenes in November because he feels it is time to step down, informed sources said today.

Don Jose Alvarez, famed Spanish sculptor, who died in 1827, was the son of a stone-mason.

Rainfall of 366 inches in one month was reported in 1861 at Cherrapunji, India.

MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	81	57	.587	7
Pittsburgh	74	64	.536	7
San Francisco	71	69	.518	9½
Cincinnati	70	70	.500	12
St. Louis	68	72	.485	14
Los Angeles	65	75	.463	15
Chicago	64	74	.464	17
Philadelphia	58	77	.430	22

Monday's Results
Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 1 (night)
(Only game scheduled)
Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Los Angeles at Philadelphia (night) preceded by July 27 suspended game—Kipp (6-4) vs. Semprich (12-9)
San Francisco at Pittsburgh (night) preceded by July 27 suspended game—Antonelli (14-12) or Miller (5-7) vs. Witt (8-2)
Cincinnati at Milwaukee (night)—Newcombe (6-11) vs. Willey (9-6) or Rush (7-8)
Chicago at St. Louis (night)—Drabowsky (9-11) or Hillman (4-7) vs. Jones (12-14)

Wednesday's Games
Los Angeles at Philadelphia (night)
San Francisco at Pittsburgh (night)
Cincinnati at Milwaukee (night)
Chicago at St. Louis (night)

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
New York	84	54	.609	
Chicago	71	65	.522	12
Boston	70	65	.519	12½
Baltimore	66	69	.489	16½
Cleveland	66	71	.482	17½
Kansas City	63	73	.463	20
Washington	58	78	.426	25

Monday's Results
No games scheduled
Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Boston at Chicago (night)—Sullivan (11-7) vs. Moore (9-6)
Baltimore at Kansas City (night)—Portocarrero (13-10) vs. Terry (9-11)
Washington at Detroit (night)—Kimmerer (6-14) vs. Bunning (10-10)
New York at Cleveland (night)—Dickson (9-6) vs. McLish (14-7)

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Beaverton Team Wins Again in AAA Baseball
Rapid City, S.D. (UPI)—Showboat of Beaverton, Ore., blasted five home runs in a 29-2 romp over Omaha Monday night to become the only unbeaten team in the double elimination American Association Amateur Baseball tournament.

Duane Brandt, Beaverton left fielder, smashed out a pair of round-trippers, one a grand slammer. Ron Walp, Terry Burke and P-tch Nyssen each rapped homers.

Beaverton jumped to a five-run first inning and was never headed. The slaughter was stopped after four and a half innings after Showboat blasted 17 hits off four Omaha hurlers.

BOWLING

LADIES CLASSIC LEAGUE
There will be no bowling in the Ladies Classic league this evening because of the automatic pinsetter installation at Medford lanes. Play in the league will resume on Tuesday, Sept. 16.

New York (UPI)—The New York Yankees have recalled nine players from the minor leagues, all of them to report next spring. Included in the group are former major league outfielder Bobby Del Greco and highly-regarded first baseman John Jaciuk.

Yanks, Braves Get OK to Print Tickets

Chicago (UPI)—The New York Yankees and Milwaukee Braves, experienced hands at this game, today cranked up the printing presses for 1958 World Series tickets.

Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick gave the Yankees and Braves ticket authority Monday. He said if any other clubs suddenly loom as contenders they, too, will be allowed to run off tickets.

The commissioner's office, however, is committed to print the bill for all tickets printed by any club that doesn't wind up in the series. It thus grants printing permission only to apparent pennant winners.

The 1958 series will open at the park of the National League pennant winner on Wednesday, Oct. 1. The second game will be Thursday.

Oregon Golfers Advance in Nationals

San Francisco (UPI)—Five Oregonians moved into the second round of the 58th National Amateur golf championships today after three golfers from Oregon fell victim to the tough Lakeside golf course here Monday.

Dick Yost, Bob Atkinson Jr. and Don Krieger, all of Portland's Columbia-Edgewater country club, topped first round matches and Bob Prall of Salem and Bruce Cudd of Medford advanced to the second round.

Monday's results: Yost defeated Jimmy Parks Jacksonville, Fla., 2 and 1; Atkinson edged Robert Shave Jr., Willingby, Ohio, 1 - up; David Smith, Gastonia, N.C. defeated Cundari, 4 and 2; Bill Campbell, Huntington, W. Va., defeated McReynolds, 4 and 2; Johnny Dawson, Los Angeles, trounced Lovett, 6 and 4; and Krieger defeated Rafael Quiroz, Mexicali, Mex. 3 and 2.

Bowman Kills 290-Pound Deer
Don McLarrin, route 1, box 454, Talent, was among the few bow and arrow hunters to get his deer in the Hart mountain area over the week end.

He killed a three-point mule deer buck which the checking station ranger estimated to weigh 290 pounds. When McLarrin left the area around noon Saturday only 13 of the 370 week end hunters in the area had deer, he was told.

The Talent man used a 50-pound bow and shot his animal through the lungs from about 35 or 40 yards.

Father-Son Title Won By Knights

Dick and Rich Knight won the father and son golf championship of Rogue Valley Country club Sunday.

They compiled a combined 165 gross score with father Dick shooting a 76 and son Richie an 89.

Warren Sr. and Booth Deakins were low net victors with 137. Warren had 80-9-71 and Booth 93-27-66.

Frank and Charles Allen were runners-up in gross with 166. Frank had an 84 and son Charles an 82. Second in net were the Jerry Gastineaus, senior and junior, with 143.

Score was 83-8-75 for father Jerry and 89-21-68 for his son.

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Jerry and Doug Olson were third low net with 146 and the Knights tied with Russ and Ray Hysell at 147.

Low gross father counts were 70 for Al Williams and 72 for Dr. William Miller. Charles Allen's 82 was low for the sons.

Clayton Lewis and Cregg Miller with 149 were low net for the non-father and son duos. Howard Scroggins and Darrell Miller Jr. were next with 145 and led in gross with 161. Scroggins had 76 and Miller 85 gross. Jim Vargo and Craig Miller were third in net with 151.

Other net scores:
Dr. Dave Boals and Dave Jr., 160; Bob and Carl Voegly, 150; Bud and Lee Wimberly, 151; Dr. Lee Mellich and Lee Jr., 152; William and Tom Clark, 154; George and Chris Rasmussen, 154; Ed and Jim Gordon, 155; Dr. William Miller and Mike Miller, 156; Del and Larry Berg, 156; Al and Jack Dumas, 157; H. E. and Dean Nulton, 157; George and Nick Rasmussen, 158; Mahr and Mike Reymers, 159; Dr. Robert DeLorme and John DeLorme, 165; Al and Dave Williams, 166; Parker and Jimmy Woods, 168; Bud and Garner Haupt, 168.

Depth Lack At Glendale

Glendale—Lack of depth will be a big problem for Glendale high this year in defense of its Rogue league football crown.

The Pirates lost seven starters from last year's aggregation. Coach Lawrence Bibbon said that Glendale will field a fair starting club but that reserve strength is sorely needed.

Lettermen on a squad of 30 players include Cliff Worley and Billy Barrong, ends; Lynn Troxel and Roy Coote, guards; Lester Diltz, fullback; George Humphreys, quarterback; and Floyd West, halfback. West had only parttime attendance at drill but is expected to be of help as the season progresses.

Glendale plays Glendale here Friday night.

Portland School Enrollment Mounts
Portland (UPI)—A total of 70,233 students attended the first day of school here Monday, 2164 more than last year.

SIGNS WITH WARRIORS
Philadelphia (UPI)—Neil Johnston, 28-year-old former scoring champion of the National Basketball assn., has signed for his eighth straight season with the Philadelphia Warriors.



BREAKING RECORD set by himself in San Francisco, Lance Larson, 19, El Monte, swims 100-meter butterfly in 59.6 seconds at Los Angeles to set new world's record.

Southern Oregon Notes Poor Football Turnout

Ashland—Coach Al Akins gave the crying towel a big twist when he faced only 31 footballers on the opening day of the Southern Oregon college grid season yesterday.

Only 15 lettermen are returning from last year's Oregon Collegiate conference championship team. Akins faces the job of building new defensive and offensive units with re-inauguration of the free substitution rule in N.A.I.A. football this year.

Lance Locke at quarterback along with fullback Larry Maurer head up the backfield returns which shows a need for depth. Del Brood of Phoenix and Eldon Francis are back and help is expected from them in possibly filling out the backfield.

Phil Sword at center and Jim McAbee at end spark what there is to be seen in the line. Troy Bellah and Marion Jack are back at tackle and Bud Britton returns for a try at a starting guard position. From there on things get pretty thin.

Help could come in tie line from Al Sodaro at one of the tackle spots. Sodaro was an all-conference selection two years ago for the Red Raiders and is back after a year off.

Dick Smith, originally a guard, has been moved to center to try and fill in some depth at that point.

The men of SOC got right down to business and a live scrimmage in their first practice Monday afternoon and will practice twice daily for the rest of the week.

Flash Gains Ranking of Champion

Bracken's Flash, labrador retriever owned by C. Weldon Kline, Medford, attained amateur field champion status last Friday.

Kline handled the dog to first place in the amateur all-age stake in the Shasta-Cascade Retriever club field trial on game commission management land south of Klamath Falls.

It was the third amateur win for the dog and owner, giving Flash an 18½-point total. Fifteen points are needed to gain amateur field champion. Five points are awarded for each first place.

Flash was one of two local dogs to be entered in the national amateur this year.

Dogs handled by three other members of Rogue Valley Retriever club, in addition to Kline, got honors in the Shasta trial, all in the qualifying stake. Shasta June, owned and handled by Bob Morris, was second. Hot Toddy's Mandy, owned by Jim Johnson, Sacramento, Calif., and handled by Tom Rickard, was third, and Skookum's Star, owned by John Brader, Slossmoor, Ill., and handled by Carl Newell, was fourth.

ASK WAIVERS ON VET
Pittsburgh Steelers of the National Football league are asking waivers on veteran halfback Joe Johnson, former Green Bay player who was signed as a free agent two weeks ago.

BRONSON LEADS GOLFERS
Portland (UPI)—Bob Bronson shot a two-under-par 70 Monday to take the lead at the end of the first 18 holes of qualifying in the third annual Junior-Seniors Golf association tournament at Columbia-Edgewater.

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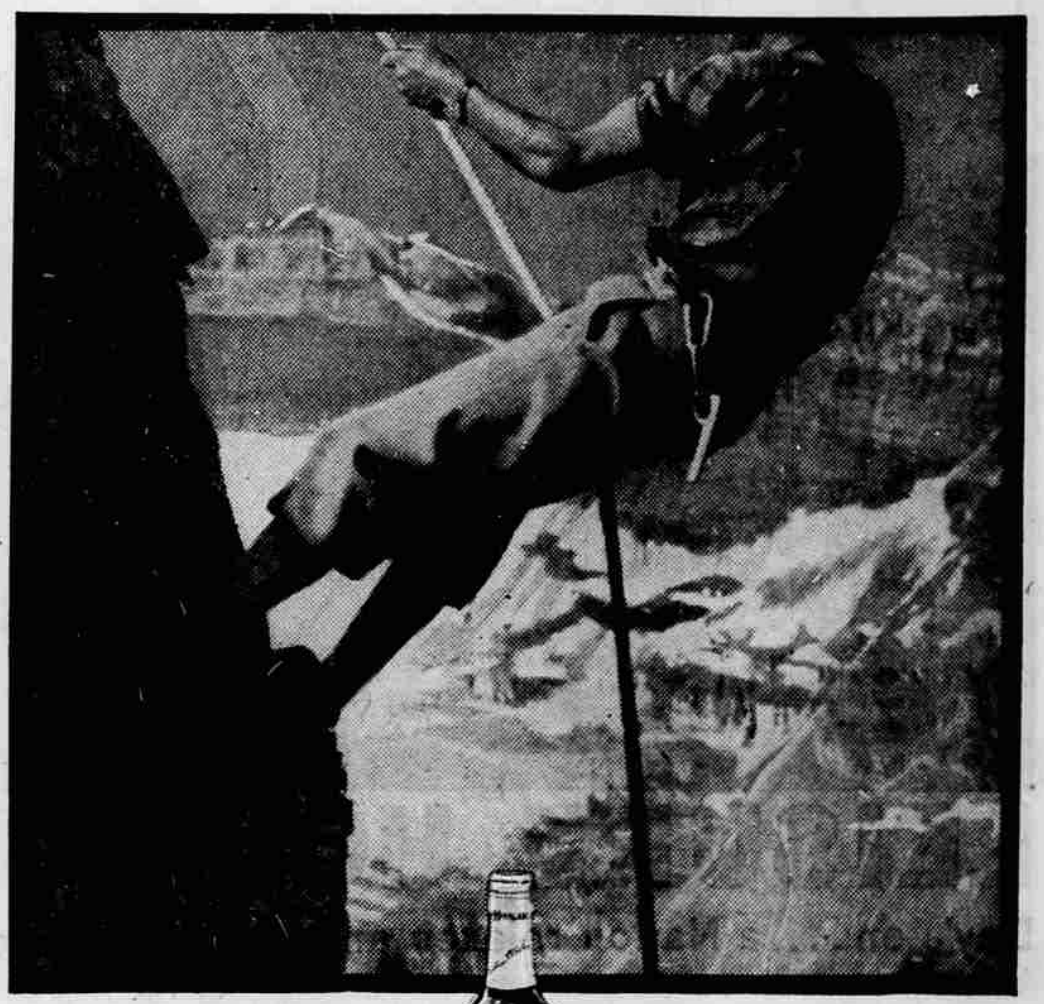
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