

# Detroit Tigers Considered Chief Rivals Of Yankees

**United Press International**  
Their sharpest critics concede the Detroit Tigers won't roll over like kittens when the American League season gets underway.  
Tabbed as perhaps the New York Yankees' chief pennant rival, the Tigers have won seven of their last nine exhibition games and have an overall 11-6 Grapefruit League record. They're had uniformly good pitching and Al Kaline now shows promise of making a fast start.  
Kaline, who got off to a woeful start last season, drove in five runs last Monday and a sacrifice fly Monday when the Tigers scored an 8-4 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers. It was the fourth straight loss for the Dodgers who won 10 of their first 13 games.

Paul Foytack, a 15-game winner last season, became the second Detroit pitcher to go nine innings with a steady enough 10-hitter. Johnny Podres, who inherited a 1-0 lead from Art Fowler in the fifth inning was hammered for six runs and seven hits in three innings.  
**Braves Blast Cards**  
The Milwaukee Braves, smarting under charges that they were loafing in spring training, took it all out on the St. Louis Cardinals with a 15-hit attack that produced a 12-2 triumph. Hank Aaron's three-run homer and four hits by Del Rice sparked the assault while Carlton Wessely and Bob Rush limited the Cardinals to six hits. Chuck Cottler handled 13 chances flawlessly to further his bid for the Braves' regular second-base job.

The New York Yankees blanked the Cincinnati Reds, 4-0, the Boston Red Sox pulled out a ninth-inning 6-5 decision over the Cleveland Indians, the Chicago Cubs outslugged the San Francisco Giants, 10-8, in a near dust storm, the Philadelphia Phillies beat the Washington Senators, 11-7, the Pittsburgh Pirates downed the Baltimore Orioles, 8-4, and the Chicago White Sox edged out the Kansas City Athletics, 8-7, in other games.  
**Winning Streak Ends**  
Bobby Shantz yielded five hits in seven shutout innings for the Yankees and Virgil Trucks completed the white-washing. Don Newcombe allowed four runs and as many hits in seven innings for the Reds, whose five-game winning streak was ended.  
Sam White's ninth-inning single drove in Dick Gernert with the Red Sox's winning run but Boston lost its third left-fielder in four days when left-fielder Gary Geiger was injured in a collision with shortstop Don Buddin. Geiger was unconscious for 15 minutes and eventually was taken from Scottsdale to Phoenix, Ariz., for X-rays.  
Dale Long hit two of the eight homers as the Cubs and Giants played a weird dust-filled game. Ernie Banks and George Altman also connected for the Cubs and Bob Speake, Jackie Brandt, Eddie Bresnold and Willie McCovey homered for the Giants.  
Jack Kralick, impressive Washington rookie, allowed one scratch hit until the Phillies rocked him for six runs in the sixth inning. Ed Bouchee's two-run homer in the eighth put the finishing touches on the Phillies' win. Kralick had pitched 18 scoreless innings this spring before the Phillies caught up to him.  
**Kline Goes Distance**  
Ron Kline became the second Pittsburgh pitcher to go nine innings although tapped for 14 hits by the Orioles. It was a messy game in which the Pirates combined eight hits, five errors and three Baltimore walks for their runs. Ted Kluszewski had three of Pittsburgh's hits and Kline drove in three runs.  
Dick Donovan allowed one run and six hits in seven innings for the White Sox, who scored all their runs off Ned Garver. The White Sox announced after the game that they are sending rookies Jim McAnany, Joe Hicks and Chuck Lindstrom to their minor league camp at Hollywood, Fla.

# Western Group To Participate In Rose Bowl

**United Press International**  
Pasadena, Calif. — (UPI) — The newly-organized Athletic Association of Western Universities, which arose like a phoenix from the ashes of the Pacific Coast Conference, today held the Rose Bowl football game as its first major trophy.  
The AAUW, which officially comes to life July 1, and the Tournament of Roses association announced jointly at a press conference late Monday that the new conference had reached an agreement with sponsors of the New Year's Day football game to furnish the western representative.

The AAUW and the tournament association acted while the Big Ten still had under consideration extension of the closed agreement for the New Year's Day classic beyond the 1960 games.  
Dr. Frank Kudner, chairman pro-tem of the AAUW and faculty representative of the University of California, joined with Tournament of Roses President Raymond A. Dorn in announcing the new agreement.  
**Stanford Eligible**  
The new conference at present is composed of California, UCLA, Southern California and Washington, but Stanford University, which participated in discussions leading to its organization, still is eligible for charter membership.  
Dr. Kidner and Dorn said the western representative would come from members of the AAUW, which ruled out selecting anyone outside the AAUW to represent it in the Rose Bowl.  
Both spokesmen said the agreement visualized the same terms as in the past with the PCC, which meant that a team would be eligible only once in two years.  
The agreement was announced before the AAUW officially came to life, it was understood, in order to give Big Ten advocates of the Rose Bowl game the argument that an organized group of top-ranking Western universities was the host conference.  
Big Ten faculty representatives had voted in favor of continuation of the Rose Bowl agreement last month, but the final vote does not come for another month.

# Grade Baseball Schedules Start Monday, April 6

Medford elementary school baseball slate will open on Monday, April 6.  
Nine teams will participate and are divided into two leagues.  
National league games start the schedule with Jackson at Roosevelt and Jefferson at Washington. Hoover has a first day bye.  
American league teams have their first games on April 9 with Wilson at Oak Grove and Lincoln at West Side.

Generally the National loop will play on Mondays and the American on Thursdays. However the last regular National games will be on Thursday and playoff frays are set for Thursday, April 30. Play-off schedule will be announced on April 27.  
Grade schoolers will play five-inning games on diamonds with bases 75 feet apart and the pitcher's mound 50 feet from home plate. Nine inch softballs will be used. Batters will not be permitted to run on a third strike dropped by the catcher. Students will be required on the base coach lines. Spike shoes cannot be worn.

# WINS WRITERS GOLF

Myrtle Beach, S. C. — (UPI) — Dan Jenkins scored a 70 Monday to win the sixth annual United States Golf Writers of American association championship. Jenkins is sports editor of the Fort Worth, Tex., Press.  
**FIGHTS**  
Provident, R.I. — (UPI) — Chico Vejar, 155, Stamford, Conn., stopped Sergio Rios, 151, Havana, Cuba (6).  
San Francisco (UPI) — Bobo Olson, 174½, San Francisco, outpointed Rory Calhoun, 168½, White Plains, N.Y. (10).

# Victoria Tops Spokane by 4-1

Vero Beach, Fla. — (UPI) — Victoria of the Texas League allowed one run in the first game Monday, then went on to smother the Indians 4 to 1 in an exhibition game.  
A double by George Scott and a single by outfielder Carl Warwick accounted for the Pacific Coast League's club's one tally.  
The Indians made five errors and their pitchers allowed eight hits. Joe Trimmel came on in the fourth to collect the win for Victoria.  
Eight innings  
Victoria — 020 011 00-4 8 1  
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Piedra, Trimmel 4 and Jones; Harwell, Wells 6 and Brumley.

# Art Wall To Enter Masters

Wilmington, N.C. — (UPI) — Art Wall Jr., the putting magician who captured top money in the Azalea Open golf tournament here will carry the largest entry in PGA history into the Masters tournament at Augusta Thursday.  
The serious-minded student of golf pounded out a 73 Monday on the wind-blown, rain-soaked Cape Fear Country Club course to add \$2,000 to his status as golf's top money-winner. He now has won \$18,814 so far this year.  
The Pocono Manor, Pa., pro's 73 was one stroke over par 72, but his 72-hole total of 282 was six strokes off par and more than enough to give him a comfortable margin over his closest opponents.  
Making a last-round bid for the championship was his former Duke University roommate, Mike Souchak of Grosinger, N.Y. Souchak closed down Wall's Sunday, five-stroke lead to three with a 36 on the front nine while Wall had a 38.  
Souchak picked up \$1,500 for second prize. Dow Finsterwald of Tequesta, Fla., closed with a brilliant 68 and a 72-hole 287 for the \$1,200 third place money. Bert Weaver of Beaumont, Tex., with a final round of 72 for 290 was fourth and took away \$1,000.  
Defending champion Howie Johnson of San Marcos, Calif., played his second straight poor round but won \$400 fifth place money with a 296.



**LAI D UP**—Rookie outfielder Ed Hass of the Milwaukee Braves stares glumly at broken right ankle, which has him confined in hospital at Bradenton, Fla. Hass broke his ankle when he crashed into the outfield fence in a game with the St. Louis Cardinals.

# Fuelers Get Lone Lead In Shoot

A "combination shoot" is billed for next week end at Medford Gun Club.  
A Southern Oregon Elks Invitational Fun shoot is set for Saturday and a Pacific International Trapshooting association registered program will be fired on Sunday.  
In shotgunning last Sunday Harold Reichstein's Fuelers took over lone lead in the Elks lodge spring trapshooting tourney and the Medford Gun Club turned in scores of 73 for the Oregon Journal Telegraphic and 64 for the Northwest Spokesman Review telegraphic skeet tourney.  
In the local Elks tourney the Fuelers collected 12 points to boost their total to 28. However, the biggest gain on the second leg of the eight-Sunday meet was made by Pete Petrahm's Crap Shooters. Petrahm's gang, which gained only one point on the first Sunday, got 20 on the second time out to pull into third spot with 21.  
**Top All Categories**  
The Crapshooters were first in attendance with 12 gunners for 10 points and first in high score and high five for five markers each. They had a 420 total score and 231 high five. Fuelers got all second spots with attendance of nine, team total of 338 and high five count of 216. All third places went to Dick Phair's Swivel Hips. They had eight shooters, 307 total and 215 high five for total 24 for second position after two Sunday's firing.  
Frank Perl's Feather Dusters with five gunners on hand went pointless. They had seven for the opening round.  
There were 34 shooters in the Easter activity, Max Kulle, Loyd Langston and Henry Niedermyer, were high scorers with 48 out of 50 each.  
In the Journal Telegraphic Don Peterson broke 25 straight and George Jantzer and Niedermyer each 24. In the skeet wire event a Ray Cole man contributed 23, Bert Peck 22 and Dr. Arthur Anderson 19.

# Olson Outpoints Calhoun in Ring; To Meet Moore

San Francisco — (UPI) — As far as Rory Calhoun is concerned, Carl (Bobo) Olson can beat Archie Moore for the world lightweight title tomorrow — as long as referee Pete Morelli is on hand to help him.  
Olson, 174½, pounded out a grueling 10-round decision over Calhoun, 168½, Monday night at the Cow Palace to win his fourth fight in as many starts of a comeback attempt.  
The former middleweight champion had the free swinging Calhoun down from a left hook for what Morelli said was a five count in the seventh round and rocked the White Plains, N.Y., boxer in the second and fifth heats.  
But Calhoun, who also was docked two points for low blows, thinks that Morelli went a long way toward helping Olson post a unanimous decision.  
**Referee Blamed**  
"Every time I'd try and start to punch the referee would tell me to watch it or something," Calhoun said afterward. "I never fought with such an official around before in my 46 other fights."  
Olson didn't waste any time protesting over some of Rory's borderline shots to the mid-section and looking in distress to Morelli during the third and sixth rounds. But despite all the extra squabbling, it still was Olson's fight. He started slowly, then opened up from the fourth round through the eighth to pile up a good margin.  
In the second round, Olson came out of his shell and sent Calhoun into the ropes with a stiff left hook to the jaw. He dropped Rory in the seventh with a left hook which Calhoun claims never actually landed.  
Bobo also showed that he can take a punch, although he is supposed to have a glass jaw. Calhoun nailed him with a right haymaker to the chin in the fifth and Olson stepped in to rock Rory with a counter blast to the same place.  
The fight was witnessed by 11,246 fans and grossed \$58,245.

# Giants To Meet Cleveland Club

Phoenix, Ariz. — (UPI) — San Francisco's Giants, licking wounds received when the Cubs beat them 10 to 8, go to Tucson today to try their luck against Cleveland.  
San Francisco sends Johnny Antonelli to the mound against the Indians in hopes of recouping its defeat at the hands of Chicago Monday, and evening its Cactus League tally to 10 to 10.  
The Giant played bravely, with three run spurts in both the third and sixth frames, including a bases-loaded homer by Willie McCovey in the sixth.  
Eddie Bressoud, Jackie Brandt and Bob Speake, pinch-hitting for Paul Giel, also clouted round trippers for the Giants. But their efforts were for naught as Chicago knocked three San Francisco pitchers out of the box.  
Manager Bill Rigney moaned that his pitching supply was not up to the snuff needed for a new season only 10 days away. On the other hand the Cubs thought their hitting was downright fancy.

# Williams May Start

Boston — (UPI) — Red Sox slinger Ted Williams remained hopeful today that he would be in Boston's opening day lineup, but physicians attending him did not share his optimism.  
The 40-year-old American league batting champ entered New England Baptist hospital Monday to begin treatments for a painful neck ailment.  
Dr. Charles A. Fager, neurosurgeon at the famed Lahey clinic, a part of the hospital, decided to hospitalize Williams Monday after viewing x-rays of the injury.  
Though Ted stoutly maintained that he would be "back" for opening game, consulting physicians indicated treatments would take 10 days to two weeks at the very least. There appeared to be little hope that he would make it for Boston's first game.  
Tobacco is the most important crop of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Tea ranks second.

# St. Mary's Has 10 Back In Track

St. Mary's of Medford has had one of the top Class B high school track aggregations in Oregon over the past two seasons and Coach Bill McKibbin is building for the 1958 squad.  
The Crusaders placed third in the Oregon Class B meet in 1957 and were second last year.  
Five of the lettermen were on the state meet squad last season. They are Carl Michael, heights; Terry Cooper, low hurdles; Javelin, high jump and relay; Dick Evans, mile and half-mile; Roger Hout, quarter-mile and relay, and Alex Mete, sprints and relay.  
Michael established a new state B discus record, Cooper was third in the javelin, Evans was fourth in the mile and Hout, Mete and Cooper were on the second-place relay team.

# Bears Crowned Officially As Best Defensive Team

New York — (UPI) — California, winner of the NCAA basketball tournament, was officially crowned today as the nation's best defensive team and Miami of Florida received top honors in team offense.  
California's Golden Bears, who gave up their largest point total of the year in defeating West Virginia, 71-70, in the NCAA tourney finals on March 21, finished the year with an average of exactly 51.0 points allowed per game for 29 games—including both regular season and tourney games.  
That gave Coach Pete Newell's team the defense crown by a clear margin over Oklahoma State, Coach Hank Iba's "ball control" specialists who have won the title more times than any other school. Oklahoma State was second with a 52.8 average and Idaho State third with 53.7.  
Miami took the offense crown by averaging 67.6 points per game for 25 games. West Virginia rolled up a nation-leading total of 2,884 points in 34 games, but the Mountaineers just missed on this title, too, with an average of 84.8 points per game.  
West Virginia did set a new record for total field goals, 1,075, breaking the mark of 1,043 set by Kentucky in 1952.

# Y Volleyballers To Take Part In Yakima Event

Medford YMCA's two women's volleyball teams will participate on April 3 and 4 in the Pacific Northwest YMCA Sports festival at Yakima, Wash.  
The teams are the Yettes and the Ynots. Members of the Yette crew are Vi Lewis, Jo Kidd, Jeri Hutton, Joy Ingle, Juanita Bunker, Ruth Niles and Donna McCall. On the Ynot squad are Lucille Cornelius, Bernice Short, Carole Rose, Teressa Ellis, Virginia Marks, Vickie Fowler, Jim McGrath and Agnes Houlihan.  
Bruce Burns, YMCA physical director, will make the trip as coach.  
Both of the Medford teams went to Grants Pass last Tuesday to play and to help teach volleyball skills. A big turnout at Grants Pass was reported.

# Beavers Edge Seattle 5-4

Brawley, Calif. — (UPI) — Milt Graff, second baseman acquired this week by Portland from the Kansas City Athletics, singled in the last inning Monday to drive home the tie-breaking run which gave the Beavers a 5 to 4 win over Seattle in an exhibition game.  
Graff made an impressive showing in the game, hitting four for five. Seattle racked up three unearned runs in the seventh inning to tie the contest until Graff drove in the winning run in the ninth.

# Aquatic Team Member Killed

Gilroy, Calif. — (UPI) — Nancy Meade, 17, Oakland, member of an internationally known swim team, was killed Monday when the car in which she was riding collided head-on with a truck on Pacheco Pass road about 10 miles east of here.  
Miss Meade was a member of the Athens Athletic club synchronized swimming team of Oakland, which has performed at the invitation of foreign governments in Europe and the Orient.  
Driver of the car was one of the team's instructors, Eunice Ellau, a physical education teacher at Franklin Junior High school, Vallejo. She was in critical condition at a hospital here.  
Also injured was another team member, Salli Newman, 18, El Cerrito, a freshman at San Jose State College. The extent of Miss Newman's injuries were not known.  
The driver of the truck was not immediately identified.  
The two girls and their instructor were returning to Oakland from the National Indoor Synchronized Swimming meet at Long Beach.

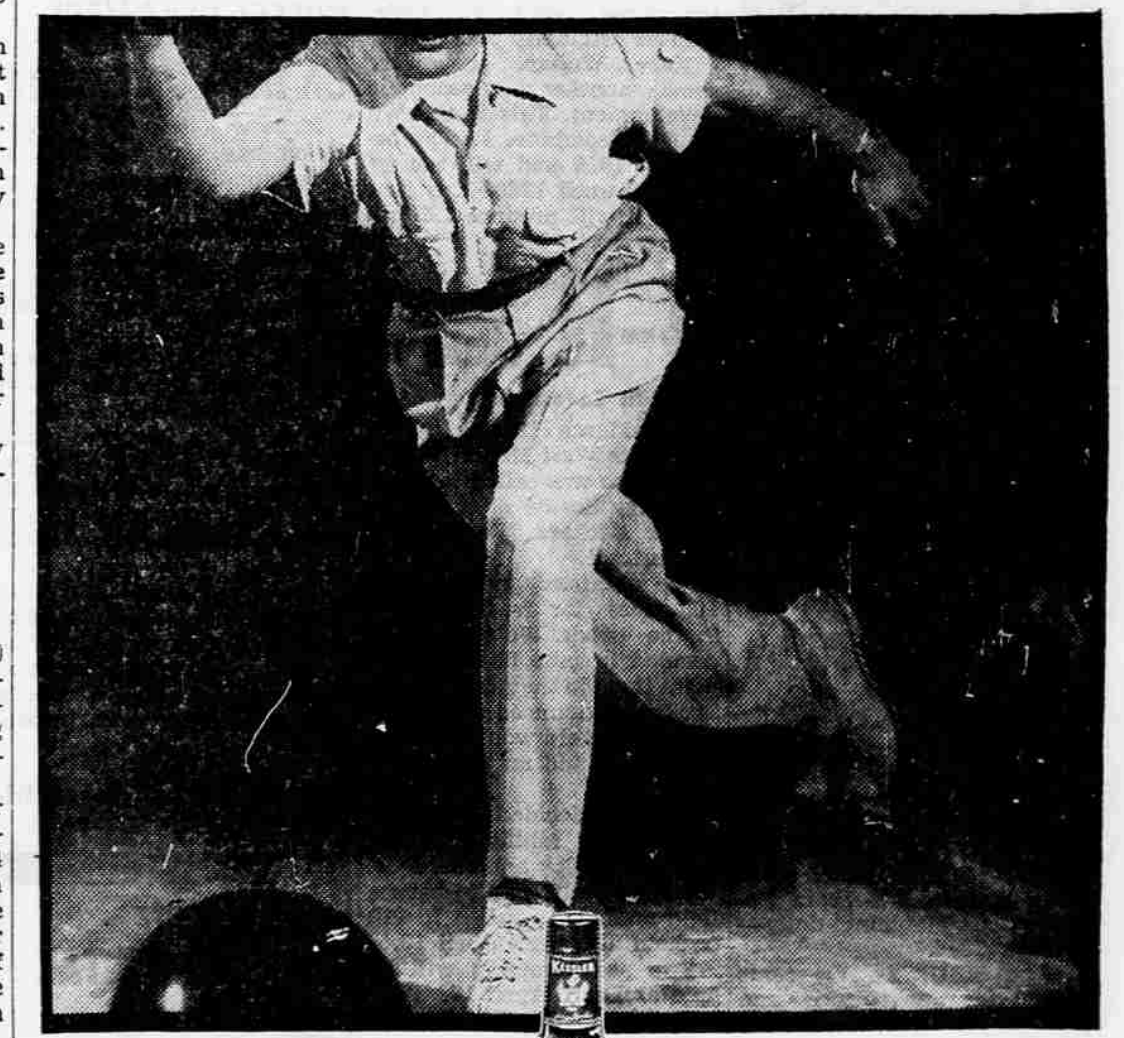
# WOMEN'S GROUP HONEST

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