

# Milwaukee Braves, Chicago White Sox Press League Leaders With Hot Streaks

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The two teams the experts said might be over the mill may get so over the top in the major league pennant races.

They're the Milwaukee Braves and the Chicago White Sox and today they're blazing mid-summer streaks as putting the heat on the front-running Pittsburgh Pirates and New York Yankees.

The Braves' seven-game winning streak has moved them to within a mere half-game of the Pirates in the National League while the White Sox' five-game drive has lifted them to within one game of the Yankees in the American league.

The Braves achieved their longest winning streak this year when Warren Spahn seven-hit the St. Louis Cardinals, 3-0, Wednesday night and the White Sox made it five in a row when Roy Sievers' three-run homer powered them to a 7-1 decision over the Boston Red Sox.

The White Sox' cause received a solid boost when the Cleveland Indians downed the Yankees, 8-6, and the Braves advanced a full game when the Los Angeles Dodgers out-scrambled the Pirates, 7-5, in 11 innings.

Glen Hobbie's two-hitter gave the Chicago Cubs a 4-0 victory but the Cincinnati Reds won the second game of the two-nighter, 4-3, and the San Francisco Giants defeated the Philadelphia Phillies, 3-1, in the other National League games. The Washington Senators topped the Detroit Tigers, 8-6, and the Kansas City Athletics nipped the Baltimore Orioles, 4-3, in other American league activity.

Spahn, who started the season in low gear like most of

## Yank 12 Games Ahead of Pace Of Babe Ruth

Cleveland **UPI** - Outfielder Roger Maris of the New York Yankees is 12 games ahead of the pace set by Babe Ruth in 1927 when he established the major league record of 60 homers in one season.

Maris hit his 31st homer of the season Wednesday night in the Yankees' 82nd game. Ruth, en route to his record in 1927, did not hit his 31st homer until the Yankees' 94th game.

Ruth's best homer-production month in 1927 was September, during which he hit 17 circuit busters.



**GIANT SCORES RUN**—San Francisco Giants Ed Bressoud scores from third base in first inning against Philadelphia Phillies baseball nine as throw from leftfielder John Callison to the plate hit Bressoud (ball on

ground, right). Ball was hit by Willie Mays. Phil's catcher is Cal Neeman and Giant on-deck batter (30) is Orlando Cepeda. Number 41 is Chris Short. The Giants won 3-1. (UPI Telephoto)

his teammates, reached the halfway point in his bid for this 11th 20-win season with the aid of solo homers by Hank Aaron and Joe Adcock. It was the 39-year-old left-hander's 49th shutout and 277th victory in the majors. Ernie Broglio suffered his fifth loss for the Cardinals.

**Baumann Wins Sixth**  
Frank Baumann shut out the Red Sox over the last five innings to win his sixth game for the White Sox, who tagged Bill Monbouquette for six hits and four runs in 3-1-3 innings. Al Smith also homered for the White Sox while Frank Malone had three hits for the Red Sox. It was the 10th win in 13 games for the defending American league champions.

The Dodgers won out in their three and a half-game struggle with the Pirates when rookie out-fielder Tommy Davis hit a two-run homer off Elroy Face in the 11th. Hal Smith's second homer of the game tied the score for the Pirates in the ninth and both teams scored in the 10th before Davis' winning hit.

Jimmy Piersall and Harvey Kuehn hit homers and Dick Stigman choked off a Yankee rally in the eighth-inning to give the Indians one victory in their three-game series. Mickey Mantle and Roger Maris homered for the Yankees, Maris' 31st in the Yankees' 82nd game putting him 12 games ahead of Babe Ruth's record pace.

Hobbie had a perfect game until Wally Post opened Cincinnati's eighth inning with a clean single. Hobbie then went on to gain his ninth victory.

The Phillies for the fifth time this season, and raised his record to 12-9. Bob Schmidt had two hits and drove in a run to lead the Giants' six-hit attack. Bill Short suffered his seventh loss.

The Senators went into fifth place in the AL as Faye Throneberry drove in five runs with a double and two singles. Don Lee gained his fifth win for the Senators, who have scored 11 victories in their last 14 games. The loss dumped Detroit into sixth place.

Ita Hebert scattered 11 hits and Marv Throneberry hit his seventh homer for the Athletics, who dealt Milt Pappas his seventh defeat. Herbert, who hadn't won since June 22, yielded a homer to Gene Stephens and was in constant trouble, but was aided by two key double plays.

**LINESCORES:**  
National League  
Philadelphia 000 000 001—1 3 0  
San Francisco 120 000 000—2 6 2  
Short, Owens 3 Green 3 and Neeman, Dalrymple 3 Jones, Antonelli 9 and Schmidt Winner—St. Louis 10-9. HR—Short 4-7.  
Milwaukee 110 100 000—3 6 1  
Broglio, Bauta 8 and Smith Spahn 10-6 and Crandall. Loser—Broglio 10-5. HR—Adcock, Aaron.

(1st game, twilght)  
Cincinnati 000 000 003—4 10 0  
Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 2 3  
Hobbie 9-11 and Tappé, Hook, Henry 9 and Bailey, Loser—Hook 7-9.

(2nd game)  
Chicago 001 001 100—3 8 1  
Cincinnati 201 000 000—4 6 1  
Brewer, Freeman 5, Eiston 7 and Thacker, Newcombe, Brown 8—Newcombe 4-1. Loser—Brewer 6-1. HR—Post, Will.

(11 innings)  
Pittsburgh 000 300 001 10—5 9 0  
Los Ang. 010 020 100 12—7 15 0  
Harris, Roeburn 7 and Smith, Williams 9-11 and Tappé, Hook, Henry 9 and Bailey, Loser—Hook 7-9.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Washington 300 002 300—8 8 2  
Detroit 011 200 200—6 9 2  
Woodchick, Lee 4, Moore 7 and Bates, Bunning, Morse 7 and Ruffalo, Bunning 6-7. HR—Yost, Maxwell.

Boston 000 100 000—1 13 1  
Chicago 011 203 000—7 10 2  
Monbouquette, Willis 4, Sturdivant 6, Canale 7 and Nixon, Kemmerly 8 and Lollar, Winner—Baumann 6-4. Loser—Monbouquette 9-8. HR—Smith.

New York 002 000 220—6 12 0  
Cleveland 020 114 000—8 11 2  
Ditmar, Terry 6, Gabler 6, Duren and Serra, Bell, Briggs 8, Sigman and Foster, Winner—Bell 9-7. Loser—Ditmar. HR—Piersall, Maris, Kuehn, Mantle.

Baltimore 001 000 011—3 11 2  
Kansas City 002 110 000—4 7 0  
Pappas, Hoelt 7 and Triandos, Herbert 4-10 and P. Daley, Loser—Pappas 8-7. HR—Throneberry, Stephens.

## San Francisco Gets Third Straight Win

By SCOTT BAILLIE  
San Francisco **UPI** - Don't look now, but the San Francisco Giants have won three in a row and aimed for No. 4 today when Jack Sanford (8-7) tangled with Philadelphia's Robin Roberts (5-9) in a battle of veteran right handers.

"We've been negative long enough round here," coach Salty Parker said after Wednesday's 3-1 triumph over the Phillies. "It's high time we won three in a row—and we did."

"We're going after eight straight," rumbled manager Tom Sheehan, who is enjoying his greatest success since he took over the staggering club from Bill Rigney last month.

Sam Jones, now 12-9, failed for the eighth straight time to last the distance Wednesday but had managed to get within one out of a complete game when Sheehan waved in

southpaw Johnny Antonelli to pitch to pinch-hitter Lee Walls with men on first and second. Antonelli threw one pitch and Walls bounced it back to third baseman Jim Davenport for a game-ending force out.

Sam was working on a shut-out when the ninth opened. Then, with one down, left fielder Dave Philly muffed Pancho Herrera's fly for a two base error and the Phillies infielder came home after advancing on an infield out when Orlando Cepeda bobbled Ken Walters' grounder for another error. Jones got the hook after he walked Bobby Del Greco.

Until the ninth, Jones had looked sharp as he struck out eight and collected a single in his cause.

The loss went to Chris Short, a rookie left-hander, who gave up three runs to San Francisco during the first two innings.

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**WEISS HAS 4.125**  
Ogden, Utah - Rolling in the sixth annual Maxie Kosof World Endurance classic at Paramount Bowl here, Roger Weiss, Medford, Ore., posted a score of 4.125 in the men's 20-game singles handicap, including a 279 game. Donald Pigg, Medford, recorded a 3.988.

**LA Subdues Pirates In 11-Inning Tilt**  
Los Angeles **UPI** - The Los Angeles Dodgers, making a run at the National League leaders, go after their third straight win over Pittsburgh tonight after having borrowed a leaf from the Pirates by beating them in extra innings last night.

Rookie outfielder Tommy Davis slammed a two-run homer in the bottom of the 11th to bring the Dodgers a 7-5 victory.

The win moved Los Angeles to five games from the league lead, which Pittsburgh held by a half-game margin over Milwaukee.

For tonight's game, Johnny Podres, 8-6, takes the mound for the Dodgers against Vernon Law, 11-5, who has beaten Los Angeles twice this season without a loss.

**ENDS IN 11th**  
Prior to last night, the Pirates had won eight out of 10 extra-inning games and looked like they would take another when they went

## STANDINGS

United Press International NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	31	34	.303
Milwaukee	31	34	.303
Los Angeles	45	39	.536
St. Louis	45	39	.536
San Francisco	45	39	.536
Cincinnati	46	45	.471
Philadelphia	46	52	.469
Chicago	51	52	.373

**Thursday's Results:**  
San Francisco 3, Philadelphia 1  
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 0 (1st, twilght)

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

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	48	34	.585
Chicago	49	37	.570
Cleveland	49	37	.570
Baltimore	48	42	.533
Washington	41	41	.500
Detroit	40	42	.488
Seattle	47	48	.495
Kansas City	33	51	.393
Portland	31	52	.373

**Wednesday's Results:**  
Washington 6, Detroit 6  
Cleveland 7, New York 6 (night)  
Chicago 7, Boston 1 (night)  
Kansas City 4, Baltimore 3 (night)

**Thursday's Probable Pitchers:**  
Pittsburgh at Baltimore (night)  
Law (11-5) vs. Podres (8-6)

**PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	38	39	.493
Seattle	32	42	.438
Salt Lake	40	43	.482
Tacoma	30	45	.400
Vancouver	43	52	.453
San Diego	43	55	.439
Portland	28	54	.341

**Thursday's Probable Pitchers:**  
Vancouver (Navarro 4-9) at Seattle (Pain 7-6)  
Salt Lake (Parsons 7-3) at Sacramento (Singleton 8-4)  
Portland (Griffin 2-1) at Spokane (Rakow 6-4)  
San Diego (unannounced) at Tacoma (unannounced)

**NORTHWEST LEAGUE**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Lewiston	12	10	.545
Salem	11	11	.500
Yakima	11	11	.500
Wenatchee	10	11	.476
Eugene	9	13	.409

**Wednesday's Results:**  
Wenatchee 6, Yakima 1  
Lewiston 18, Tri-City 2

**League Leaders**

United Press International NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Player & Club	G.	AB	R
Clayton, S.F.	84	323	62
Clayton, Pgh.	83	330	54
Groat, Pgh.	87	378	55
Kobuszki, Chi.	83	318	58
Howard, L.A.	58	225	36
White, St. L.	85	333	54
Starnes, Pgh.	85	334	53
Bruton, Mil.	81	332	62
Adcock, Mil.	71	267	20
Clemens, St. L.	82	315	45

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Player & Club	G.	AB	R
Power, Cleve.	77	301	59
Smith, Chi.	85	324	50
Minoso, Chi.	86	323	53
Skowron, N.Y.	76	289	50
Bunnels, Ban.	81	315	53
Maris, N.Y.	79	293	64
Kuonin, Cleve.	79	301	50
Sievers, Chi.	66	219	47
Piersall, Cleve.	74	255	43
Gearty, Bos.	71	283	49

**Home Runs**  
American league—Maris, Yankees 31; Mantle, Yankees 23; Lemon, Senators 21; Colavito, Tigers 19; Skowron, Yankees 16.  
National league—Banks, Cubs 26; Aaron, Braves 26; Boyer, Cards 20; Mathews, Braves 19; Mays, Giants 18.

**Pitching**  
American league—Coates, Yankees 9-1; Turley, Yankees 6-1; Stobbs, Senators 6-2; Perry, Indians 10-4; Staley, White Sox 9-4.  
National league—Williams, Dodgers 9-2; Farrell, Phils 7-2; Buhl, Braves 9-3; Burdette, Braves 10-4.

**DEFENDER ADVANCES**  
Portland **UPI** - Defending champion Dick Estey and this year's medalist, Tom Liljeholm, won their third round matches in the Portland city golf championships at Eastmoreland Wednesday. Estey, of the Columbia - Edgewater club, scored a birdie three on the 19th hole to defeat James Pick of Rose City, one-up, in the day's other top match. Liljeholm of Waverly defeated Howie Hilton of Eastmoreland, 7 and 6.

# Larry Jansen Superb in First 1960 Hill Chore for Beavers

By PETE COLEMAN  
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Larry Jansen, who notched his first Pacific league pitching victory 19 years ago, made his initial 1960 appearance Wednesday night and didn't look one bit like a man who celebrated his 40th birthday only five days ago.

Jansen, a 30-game winner in the PCL in 1946, came on in the fourth inning for Portland and pitched six frames of one-hit relief ball as the Beavers dumped Spokane 7-5.

The performance was made even more superb by the fact that it was against the league leading Indians, a solid hitting bunch that had won eight straight going into the contest.

Elsewhere Wednesday night Salt Lake City continued its drive toward the top by edging Sacramento, 5-4. Vancouver held off late Seattle threats to ease by the Rainiers, 4-3, and Tacoma rallied behind reliever Sherman Roadblock Jones to defeat San Diego, 8-6.

**Scores 10th Win**  
Jansen, who started the season as a non-playing coach, got the win, his 10th in PCL play, when the Beavers came from behind with a three-run rally in the seventh inning. Don Tausig drove in the clincher with a single and scored later himself on Milt Graff's double to left.

Tausig had four RBIs for the night, the other three coming on a three-run single in the third.

Salt Lake got its win when Ken Toothman singled home two tallies in the top of the ninth. Reliever Art Swanson, who came on in the sixth, gave Sacramento a marker in the bottom of the inning but stopped the rally one run short to take his third victory in seven decisions.

Hank Mitchell hit a solo homer for the Bees earlier.

The Vancouver Mounties scored single runs in the first, sixth, seventh and eighth innings to take a 4-1 lead over Seattle but had to use three

relief pitchers in the final two cantos to save the victory.

The Rainiers scored twice in the bottom of the eighth on Rudy Regalado's double and loaded the sacks with one out in the ninth before right-hander Al Barth finally put out the fire. Barth finally got a bases empty homer for the winners.

Jones came in for Tacoma during a four-run San Diego rally in the fourth, put out the fire and had the Padres eating out of his hand the rest of the way.

The Giants won it in the bottom of the frame with a three-run outburst highlighted by Frank Revere's double.

**LINESCORES:**  
Portland 013 000 000—7 13 1  
Spokane 200 300 000—3 11 4  
McMillin, Jansen (4) and Westerveld; Semproch, Churn (3), O'Donnell (9) and Brumley.

Salt Lake 000 201 002—5 7 6  
Sacramento 000 201 001—3 8 0  
Ciel, Swanson (6) and Hall; Raymond, Fox (7), Gorin (9) and Barragan.

Vancouver 100 001 110—4 11 0  
Seattle 000 100 020—3 8 0  
Nichols, Paine (8), Besszowski (8), Barth (9) and White; Rippelmeyer, Rudolph (8), Wieland (8) and Zimmerman.

San Diego 100 400 000—4 12 1  
Tacoma 200 300 000—3 13 4  
Peters, Barnes (4), Podbielniak (4), Hobaugh (8) and Carreon; Choate, Jones (4) and Revere.

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