

Week End Near Perfect for NY, Miserable for Pittsburgh Bucs

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It was a near-perfect week end for Casey Stengel of the New York Yankees, but a perfectly miserable one for Danny Murtagh of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Off-hand, you wouldn't be able to tell by the standings because the Yankees lead the American league by only two games while the Pirates top the National by 5 1/2. Nevertheless, Stengel is cheering and Murtagh is fretting.

The reason for Casey's joy is that the Yankees came through a back-breaking week end of three straight double-headers in pennant-winning style. They swept a win-bill with Cleveland Friday, did it again on Saturday and split with Detroit Sunday. The Tigers won the opener, 6-2, but the Yankees took the night-cap, 8-5.

As far as the Pirates were concerned, it was a lost week end all around. They not only lost to the St. Louis Cardinals on Friday and Saturday, but Sunday also, 5-4, and now own a four-game losing streak.

The Baltimore Orioles gained a half-game in their bid for the AL lead with a 3-1 win over the Chicago White Sox, the Indians snapped a five-game losing streak with a 9-1 triumph over the Washington Senators, and the Boston Red Sox swept a double-header from the Kansas City Athletics, 2-1, and 5-4.

Errors by Tony Kubek and losing pitcher Eli Grba in the first inning of the opener helped the Tigers to five unearned runs and the Yankees were never able to catch up. Frank Bolling hit a three-run homer to spark the five-run rally and Rocky Colavito followed with his 26th of the season. Don Mossi won his ninth game although he pitched only five innings.

A barrage of four Yankee homers helped Art Ditmar score his 14th win in the nightcap. Dale Long hit his first homer as a Yankee in the second inning and John Blanchard also connected in the same frame. Mickey Mantle belted his 31st homer in the fifth and Yogi Berra followed with his 14th.

Al Kaline of the Tigers collected six hits in seven trips during the double dip. The Orioles victory over the White Sox was marked by a wild rhabarb in the eighth inning when an apparent three-run homer by pinch hitter Ted Kluszewski was nullified because umpire Ed Hurley had called time. Given another chance to bat, Big Klu flied out.

Milt Pappas won his 12th game although Hoyt Wilhelm came in to put down a ninth inning uprising. The Orioles got to Early Wynn for pinch hitter Ted Kluszewski who was nullified because umpire Ed Hurley had called time. Given another chance to bat, Big Klu flied out.

Don Buddin's squeeze bunt gave Boston its two runs in the opener as Big Frank Sullivan pitched a five-hitter for his fifth victory. Reliever Mike Fornieles singled home the winning run in the eighth inning of the nightcap to record his ninth victory against three defeats. Dick Hall and Ken Johnson were the losing pitchers.

Joe Cunningham's sacrifice fly capped a three-run rally in the fourth inning and proved to be the winning run for the Cards against the Pirates. Cunningham and Hal Smith each drove in two runs for the Cardinals while Alex Grammas contributed a homer and three singles. Curt Simmons won his fifth game although he yielded to Lindy McDaniel in the seventh. Harvey Haddix was the loser.

The Giants poured it on with 17 hits against the Braves, including a two-run homer by Willie Kirkland. San Francisco chased loser Bob Buhl with a six-run rally in the fourth. Jack Sanford singled home two runs during the uprising and went on to hurl a seven-hitter for his 11th triumph.

Cincinnati scored all nine of its runs in the first inning against Los Angeles and Bob Purkey breezed to his 14th victory with a six-hitter. Ed Bailey and rookie Gordon Coleman each homered in the first inning of loser Stan Williams and Roy McMillan hit a three-run homer in the same frame off reliever Ed Roebuck. It was Purkey's fourth straight victory over the Dodgers without a loss to them this season.

Ernie Banks drove in three runs for the Cubs against the Phillies to increase his season total to 103, tops in the majors. Banks drove in one run with a sacrifice fly in the first inning and doubled across two more in the sixth when the Cubs chased loser Gene Conley and clinched the outcome with a five-run rally. Don Cardwell went 7-2-3 in wins for his sixth victory.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS

Tornado Attention Turns To Defense

Medford High school's football squad turned its attention to defense today after stressing offense in the first workouts of the season.

Coach Fred Spiegelberg indicated that the first work on defense would be drill of individual nature. A scrimmage is planned Wednesday.

"We have a little speed, I hope," the head mentor stated in assessing the first four days of practice. He then declared, "There is pretty good team speed and lots of hustle."

This year's squad appears quite a bit lighter overall than last season's state champion crew. It seems, according to Spiegelberg, that there is no player over 200 pounds. No official weigh-in has been conducted, however.

The workouts started this year with most of the aspirants in good physical shape. Spiegelberg was happy about the weather, which has been cooler than at the start of practice in most seasons.

Funston, Monroe Moved
The coach has reported a couple of major position switches. They involve a pair of senior lettermen, Al Funston and Mike Monroe. Funston, a fullback, who lettered as a sophomore and was out because of injury last season, has been shifted to guard on offense. He will remain on defense at linebacker where he was a stellar performer. Monroe is being moved from quarterback to guard.

Another senior monogram man, Jim Barry, has been switched from right to left half. Mike McCullough, junior letterman, has been shifted from left to right half.

Unless the soph and juniors come along strong this season, Spiegelberg faces a big rebuilding job for 1961. Twenty-seven of his 31 lettermen are seniors.

Senior Lettermen
In addition to Funston, Monroe and Barry, they are Kent Blew, Phil Humphreys and Mike Hood, halfbacks; Bruce Bray, Larry Hammack, Bob Quinney, John Hamlin, John Tichenor and Jerry Winetrot, ends; Larry Brown, Terry Earl, Bill Hobbs and John Pierce, guards; Bill Charley, fullback and halfback; Rich Connolly, John James, Terry O'Sullivan and Chuck Shaw, tackles; Chuck Holt, Warren Parke, and Don Tichenor, centers; Dick Ragsdale and Jim Stever, quarterbacks, and Dan Sieg, fullback.

Junior letter holders other than McCullough, are Paul Bauer, center; George Clearwater, fullback, and Monte Jones, tackle.

There are a couple of transfer lettermen on the squad, Jim Finnell, 175-pound senior guard from Miami, Fla., Tom Ross, 185-pound junior fullback, from North Dakota.

Spiegelberg said that Sam Knutson, about 185, is looking good at tackle.

WEBSTER INJURED
New York - (AP) - Halfback Alex Webster of the New York Giants is expected to be sidelined for at least three weeks because of a knee injury suffered in Saturday night's 14-3 loss to the Dallas Cowboys in a National Football league exhibition game.

STANDINGS

United Press International NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Pittsburgh	75	49	.605	5 1/2
St. Louis	68	53	.562	14
St. Louis	69	54	.561	15 1/2
Los Angeles	66	55	.545	17 1/2
San Francisco	61	60	.504	22 1/2
Cincinnati	56	70	.444	29
Chicago	49	73	.402	35
Philadelphia	47	77	.379	38

Sunday's Results				
Chicago 8, Philadelphia 6	St. Louis 5, Pittsburgh 4	Cincinnati 9, Los Angeles 3	San Francisco 15, Milwaukee 2	

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	73	49	.598	2
Baltimore	71	51	.582	2
Chicago	71	53	.573	3
Washington	63	61	.508	11
San Diego	57	67	.458	17
Detroit	58	65	.472	15 1/2
Boston	52	70	.426	21 1/2
Kansas City	44	79	.358	29 1/2

Sunday's Results				
Boston 2, Kansas City 1 (1st)	Boston 5, Kansas City 4 (2nd)	Detroit 6, New York 2 (1st)	New York 8, Detroit 3 (2nd)	San Diego 9, Washington 1

Tuesday's Games				
Chicago at Washington (night)	Cleveland at Baltimore (night)	Kansas City at New York (night)	Detroit at Boston (two-night)	

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Spokane	84	55	.604	
Tacoma	75	63	.543	8 1/2
Salt Lake City	74	63	.539	9
Seattle	72	65	.526	11
Sacramento	68	71	.489	16
San Diego	74	74	.500	14
Vancouver	60	77	.483	23
Portland	55	83	.404	28 1/2

Sunday's Results				
Spokane 15, Portland 0 (1st)	Spokane 2, Portland 1 (2nd, 7 in)	Salt Lake 3, Tacoma 2 (12 in)	Sacramento 4, San Diego 0	Seattle at Vancouver, p.p.d. rain

W. L. Pct. GB				
Yakima	36	28	.562	
Tri-City	34	31	.523	2 1/2
Lewiston	34	31	.523	2 1/2
Eugene	34	32	.515	3
Wenatchee	28	38	.423	7 1/2
Salem	29	38	.423	8 1/2

Saturday's Results				
Tri-City 2-1, Wenatchee 3-0	Eugene 8-4, Yakima 6-1	Wenatchee 2-1, Salem 1-1	Lewiston 5, Salem 4 (10 innings)	

League Leaders

United Press International NATIONAL LEAGUE				
Player	Cl.	R	H	Pct.
Larker, Los A.	101	327	41	.123
Mays, San F.	121	468	95	.153
Great, Pitt.	125	527	77	.146
Clemente, Pitt.	114	443	69	.140
Ashburn, Chi.	122	455	85	.140
Cepeda, San F.	118	437	61	.139
Moon, Los A.	114	414	63	.123
Adcock, Milw.	107	399	38	.118
White, St. L.	115	446	73	.136
Kasko, Cin.	107	415	52	.121

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
Player	Cl.	R	H	Pct.
Smith, Chi.	104	362	78	.117
Sievers, Chi.	104	362	78	.117
Skowron, N.Y.	115	440	53	.137
Bunne, St. L.	115	436	72	.135
Kuenn, Cleve.	112	424	57	.130
Asprmtt, Cleve.	109	332	45	.101
Minnesota, Chi.	124	480	71	.145
Power, Cleve.	120	454	54	.136
Robinson, Balt.	126	491	60	.147
Piersall, Cleve.	113	405	66	.120
Maris, N.Y.	106	388	81	.115

Runs Batted In				
National league: Banks, Cubs 103	Aaron, Braves 93	Mays, Giants 88	Mathews, Braves 87	Cepeda, Giants 85
American league: Maris, Yanks 96	Wertz, Red Sox 89	Skowron, Yanks 86	Sievers, White Sox 84	Minnesota, White Sox 82

Home Runs				
National league: Banks, Cubs 36	Aaron, Braves 33	Mathews, Braves 30	Mays, Giants 28	Boyer, Cards 26
American league: Maris, Yanks 35	Mantle, Yanks 31	Lemon, Senators 30	Sievers, White Sox 25	Colavito, Tigers 26

Pitching				
National league: Law, Pirates 18-3	Broglio, Cards 16-6	McDaniel, Cards 10-4	Spahn, Braves 16-7	Burdette, Braves 15-8
American league: Perry, Indians 15-6	Ditmar, Yanks 14-7	Stobbs, Senators 9-5	Brown, Orioles 9-5	Haumann, White Sox 9-5

San Fran				
100	614	308	-15	17
Brunet 8, Pizarro 3 and Crandall, Lou 8, Sanford 11, Loner - Buhl 12-8, HR - Kirkland.				

Cincinnati				
900	600	600	-9	13
Los Angeles, 900 630 900 - 3 8 2	Purkey 14-8 and Bailey, Williams, Roebuck 1, McDevitt 6, Palmquist 9 and Roseboro, Loner - Williams 12-7, HR - Bailey, Coleman, McMillan, Roseboro, Noren.			

National League				
Cardwell 6-12, Loner - Regan 6-12	Regan, Burnside 5, Fancher 6, Aguirre 8, Foytack 7 and Berberet, Ditmar, Shantz 7 and Blanchard, Winner - Ditmar 14-7, Loner - Regan 9-3, HR - Virgil, Long, Blanchard, Mantle, Berra, Berberet, Bilko.			

Philadelphia				
900	620	640	-6	9
Chicago, 100 625 600 - 8 10 2	Conley, Short 6, Green 7, Farrell 8 and Coker, Cardwell, Freeman 8, Schaffernoth 8 and Tappe, Winner - Cardwell 6-12, Loner - Conley 7-12, HR - Coker.			

Pittsburgh				
100	610	110	-4	12
St. Louis, 110 390 000 - 3 11 3	Haddix, Labine 4, Gibson 5, Green 6, Face 8 and H. W. Smith, Simmons, McDaniel 7 and H. R. Smith Winner - Simmons 3-3, Loner - Haddix 9-7, HR - Grammas, Milwaukee 900 610 100 - 2 7 3			

Giants Bash Milwaukee Braves 15-2

By SCOTT BAILLIE
San Francisco - (AP) - Manager Tom Sheehan, discovering that life can be beautiful even if his San Francisco Giants have a tight grip on fifth place, will dispatch left-handers to the hill against the Philadelphia Phillies tonight when the Giants go after their third straight.

Braves by a score of 15-2. "Nothing to it!" The lop-sided slugfest, which saw Jack Sanford even his season record at 11-11, followed a 3-1 Saturday triumph over the Braves behind the three-hit hurling of Stu Miller. San Francisco bested Milwaukee two out of three in the series and closed out a Candlestick park record of 7-4 against them for the year.

Three Milwaukee pitchers were raked for 17 hits with Orlando Cepeda driving in three runs and cracking three singles. Sanford also crashed the RBI column, singling

across a brace of runs during an outburst in the fourth inning which found the Giants scoring six times.

SUTTON WINNER
West Allis, Wis. - (AP) - Len Sutton, 35, Portland, averaged a record 100.14 miles per hour on the Wisconsin State Fair park one mile track here Sunday to win the 200-mile big car race. Tony Bettenhausen of Tinly Park, Illinois, appeared headed for his third straight racing win of the week at the Wisconsin State Fair when his car caught fire in the north turn after 182 1/2 rounds.

Mickey Wright Captures Toga
Grossinger, N.Y. - (AP) - Marilyn Smith of Tequesta, Fla., set a new course record with a sizzling two-under-par 70, but Mickey Wright won the \$7,500 Grossinger Women's Open golf tournament with a 54-hole total of 218.

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