

Washington's Pitching No Joke; Senators Subdue NY Yankees 3-2

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Are you in the mood for a funny story?

Then listen to this: The new Washington Senators suddenly have come up with the best pitching in the majors.

Maybe that sounds like a sick joke, but it happens to be absolutely true, much to the astonishment of eight other American league clubs who thought they had peddled a bunch of bottom-of-the-barrel pitchers to the struggling Senators in last December's expansion draft.

"First they sold us these pitchers," laughs Washington General Manager Ed Doherty, "and now they're breaking down my door trying to get them back."

No wonder! Washington pitchers have allowed a total of only five runs and 13 hits in their last five games.

Give Up Two Hits

Hal Woodeshick and Dave Sisler combined to limit the slugging New York Yankees to two hits Tuesday night in a 3-2 victory that was the Senators fourth in a row.

Woodeshick, one of the many castoffs Washington picked up for \$75,000, held the Yanks to one hit in 6 2-3 innings and was credited with his second victory. The only hit off him was Micky Mantle's 10th homer with the bases empty in the sixth. Two walks, a will pitch and an infield out netted New York its first run in the third.

The Senators scored all three of their runs off Bill Stafford in the top of the third on successive singles by Danny O'Connell, Chuck Binton, Jim King and Willie Tasby plus a sacrifice fly by ex-Yankee Dale Long.

Detroit stretched its American league lead to four games with a 10-4 triumph over Baltimore; Boston clipped Cleveland, 8-7; Chicago defeated Minnesota, 5-4, and Kansas City beat Los Angeles, 6-4.

In the National league, Pittsburgh nipped St. Louis, 2-1; Cincinnati turned back Philadelphia, 4-2; San Francisco increased its lead to three games with a 2-1 win over Chicago, and Milwaukee beat Los Angeles, 5-3.

Frank Lary of the Tigers won his sixth game against only one loss with a six-hitter over the slumping Orioles, who dropped their fourth in a row. Southpaw Steve Barber

4-3 was tagged for eight of Detroit's 10 runs. Rocky Colavito and Norm Cash each hit two-run homers.

The Red Sox snapped out of their slump with a 16-hit attack against Cleveland starter Wynn Hawkins 3-2 and three relievers. Boston jumped to a 5-2 lead after four innings but Jim Pagliaroni's two-run homer during a three-run sixth proved to be the payoff blow. Frank Malone also homered to help Ike DeLoach gain his second victory.

Early Wynn scattered six hits and singled in the winning run for the White Sox in registering the 288th victory of his major league career at the expense of the Twins. Wynn's game-winning single came in the eighth inning off loser Pedro Ramos 3-3, who scored three of Minnesota's runs and drove in another with a homer. Minnie Minoso homered for the White Sox. Wynn is now 4-1.

Rookie Norm Bass, ticketed for the minors a week ago by KC General Manager Frank Lane but granted a reprieve by owner Charles Finley, won his second game of the season although the Angels routed him with a four-run rally in the ninth.

Bass had a four-hit shut-out until the ninth, then yielded a single, hit a batter with a pitch and gave up two more doubles before Jim Archer came on to end the game. Marv Throneberry led Kansas City's 15-hit attack with three hits. Eli Grba 3-4 was the losing pitcher.

Dick Stuart's sixth inning homer powered the Pirates to their victory over the Cardinals. Southpaw Curt Simmons 1-3 was the victim of Stuart's blow. Vern Law made his first start since April 29 and pitched five scoreless innings before his shoulder tightened. Elroy Face relieved him and was the winner.

Joey Jay of the Reds checked the Phillies on five hits to win his third game in a row. Gene Freese hit a three-run homer off loser Frank Sullivan and Frank Robinson homered with the bases empty. Jay struck out seven and walked only two.

Hobie Landrith's sixth inning single off Dick Drott broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Giants their victory over the Cubs. Jack Sanford held the Cubs to six hits in winning his second game of the season. The victory was the ninth in 11 games for the Giants and

the loss was the Cubs' 10th in 11 starts.

Frank Bollinger's three-run homer in the fourth inning proved to be the winning margin for Milwaukee over Los Angeles. Bollinger's homer followed a pair of walks issued by loser Sandy Koufax 3-2. Don Nottebart 2-2 was the winner although he gave way to Moe Drabowsky in the sixth. Willie Davis homered for the Dodgers.

St. Louis 000 001 000-1 8 0
Pittsburgh 000 011 000-2 5 0
Simmons, Gibson (7) and H. R. Smith. Lew, Face (6) and Burgess. Winner—Face (2-1). Loser—Simmons (1-3). HR—Stuart.

Cincinnati 000 301 000-4 5 0
Phila. 020 000 000-2 5 0
Jay (3-3) and Schmidt. Sullivan, Ferrarese (8) and Dalympie. Loser—Sullivan (1-4). HR—Freese, Robinson.

Chicago 001 000 000-1 5 1
San Fran. 000 101 000-2 5 0
Drott, Elson (8) and Bertell. Sanford (2-3) and Landrith. Loser—Drott (0-1).

Milwaukee 020 300 000-5 13 0
Los Angeles 000 003 000-3 4 0
Nottebart, Drabowsky (6) and Lau. Koufax, Craig (5), L. Sherry (8) and Roseboro. Winner—Nottebart (2-2). Loser—Koufax (3-2). HR—Bollinger, D. Davis.

American League
Washington 003 000 000-3 10 0
New York 001 001 000-2 2 0
Woodeshick, Sisler (7) and Doherty. Stafford (4-1), Cleveland (8) and Howard. Winner—Woodeshick (2-1). Loser—Stafford (0-1). HR—Mantle.

Detroit 040 400 002-10 12 0
Baltimore 000 200 200-4 6 1
Lary (6-1) and Brown, Barber, Estrada (8) and Courtney. Loser—Barber (4-3). HR—Volavito, Cash.

Cleveland 200 001 031-7 15 2
Boston 121 103 000-8 16 0
Hawkins, Allen (2), Antonelli (6), Heman (8) and Romano. DeLoach, Stallard (8), Nichols (8), Muffett (8) and Pagliaroni. Winner—DeLoach (2-1). Loser—Hawkins (3-2). HR—Malone, Pagliaroni.

Minnesota 001 020 100-4 8 1
Chicago 001 020 110-3 8 0
Ramos (3-3) and Battey. Wynn (4-1) and Cammion. HR—Ramos, Minoso.

Los Angeles 000 000 004-4 8 1
Kansas City 000 212 010-6 13 0
Grba, Casale (6), Morgan (7) and Averill. Bass, Archer (9) and Sullivan. Winner—Bass (2-1). Loser—Grba (3-4).

National League
Pittsburgh 002 000 000-2 10 0
St. Louis 001 000 000-1 8 0
Cincinnati 004 000 000-4 8 0
Philadelphia 000 000 000-0 0 0

Tuesday's Results
Chicago 5, Minnesota 4 (night)
San Francisco 2, Los Angeles 1 (night)
Boston 8, Cleveland 7 (night)
Washington 3, New York 2 (night)
Detroit 10, Baltimore 4 (night)

National League
San Francisco 18 9 479
Pittsburgh 15 11 577 3
Cincinnati 16 12 571 3
Los Angeles 18 14 563 3
Milwaukee 13 12 520 4 1/2
St. Louis 11 14 440 8 1/2
Chicago 10 18 437 9
Philadelphia 8 20 286 11

Tuesday's Results
San Fran. 2, Chicago 1 (night)
Cincinnati 4, Philadelphia 2 (night)
Pittsburgh 2, St. Louis 1 (night)
Milwaukee 5, Los Angeles 3 (night)

Pacific Coast League
Seattle 20 8 714
Vancouver 16 9 640 2
Portland 13 12 520 5 1/2
Tacoma 10 11 476
Spokane 12 15 444 7 1/2
San Diego 12 16 428 8
Hawaii 12 17 414 8 1/2
Salt Lake 10 17 370 9 1/2

Tuesday's Results
Vancouver 4, Tacoma 2
Portland 3, Hawaii 2
Seattle 11, Salt Lake 6
San Diego at Spokane (postponed, wet grounds).

Northwest League
By United Press International
Salem 9 5 643
Yakima 11 8 579 1 1/2
Lewiston 9 9 500 2
Tri-City 9 11 450 3
Wentworth 8 10 444 3
Eugene 4 7 364 3 1/2

Tuesday's Results
Salem 5, Wentworth 4
Yakima 2, Tri-City 0
Eugene at Lewiston (ppd., rain)

International League
Columbus 13 7 450
San Juan 15 11 577 1
Richmond 14 11 560 1 1/2
Jersey City 11 9 550
Rochester 12 10 545 2
Buffalo 11 12 478 2 1/2
Toronto 8 15 448 3
Syracuse 8 17 320 7 1/2

Tuesday's Results
Richmond 4, San Juan 2
Toronto 12-4, Buffalo 5-3
Rochester 8, Syracuse 6

SPORTS



DAMIEN ROSSETTO
Leads SOC Batsmen

Rossetto Paces SOC In Hitting

Ashland - Damien Rossetto, a sophomore from Weed, Calif., led Southern Oregon college hitters with a .400 batting average final statistics for the 1961 baseball season showed.

Rossetto had the most hits, 28, in 70 times at bat in posting his squad-leading batting mark. He was one of five players hitting over .300 for the season. The others were John Cook, .370, Bill Franks, .333, Dave Hughes, .316, and Joe Funderburg, .311.

Kern McLemore, one of three seniors who will graduate this June, led the team in runs - batted - in with 21, while batting .289.

Hughes, who was second behind Rossetto in hits with 24, led in runs scored with 22. Senior Eldon Francis and junior John Buck each drew 13 bases on ball and struck out 11 times, while Buck led the squad in stolen bases with 11.

Pitching statistics show sophomore left-hander Marty Vogler the only Raider hurler with a winning record, 3 wins and 2 losses. Vogler led the team in strikeouts with 50, while also topping earned run averages with 1.17.

Junior Earle Tichenor had the most innings pitched, 47 1/3, and was second in ERA with a 1.71 mark. He had a 3-5 win-loss record.

Cook, a combination outfielder - pitcher, was third in ERA with 1.89, as the Raiders compiled a respectable 2.23 mark despite their 8 wins, 13 losses season record.

As a team in hitting, the Raiders batted .285 to their opponents' .266.

In fielding state, Hughes committed 17 errors and Buck 12 as SOC was charged with 79 in 21 games while their foe was committing 71.

Southern Oregon
STATISTICS
Pitching IP H R ER W L Pct.
Rossetto 70 13 28 9 400
Cook 54 10 28 12 270
Francis 45 6 5 0 333
Hughes 76 22 24 13 316
Funderburg 74 17 23 311
McLemore 76 12 22 21 289
Buck 51 14 14 9 275
Munyon 80 10 20 9 280
Parsons 29 4 7 2 250
Vannice 8 4 2 0 250
Francis 55 13 13 6 282
Kopacz 5 3 5 0 217
Hink 7 0 1 0 143
Tichenor 15 1 2 0 143
Vogler 13 1 1 2 077
Carr 1 0 0 0 1000
Endicott 1 0 0 0 000
Hoover 1 0 0 0 000
Smith 1 0 0 0 000
Others 3 0 0 0 000

Totals 657 132 187 92 285
Opponents 677 129 177 78 266

Pitching IP H R ER W L Pct.
Vogler 45 16 31 11 7 3
Tichenor 47 16 23 12 3 3
Vannice 26 13 18 3 75 1 2
Cook 24 34 20 18 9 0
Carr 4 4 9 2 0 0 0 0
Hink 1 1 4 0 0 0 0 1
Hughes 5 9 10 3 0 0 0 0
Others 5 9 10 3 0 0 0 0

Totals 157 138 223 8 13
Opponents 181 187 132 3 08 13 8

Pullman-UPB-Rain canceled a baseball game between the Oregon Ducks and Washington State University here Tuesday. The game will not be rescheduled.

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Bowman Bought By Spokane Club

Spokane - UPB - Spencer Harris, general manager of the Spokane Indians of the Pacific Coast league, said today the club has purchased Bob Bowman from Buffalo of the International league.

Bowman, 29, is an outfielder who hit .276 with 10 homers and 63 runs batted in during 98 games last year with Buffalo.

Whitworth Pirates Division Champions

Ritzville - UPB - The Whitworth Pirates, defending NAIA college baseball champions, won the Evergreen conference's Eastern Division title with a 5-4 playoff win over Central Washington college here Tuesday.

The Pirates had to win two playoff games to capture the crown. Whitworth defeated Eastern Washington on Monday, 10-2, in Spokane.

NBA Will Take Back Baltimore

New York-UPB-The National Basketball association (NBA) will welcome back Baltimore as a franchise holder starting with the 1962-63 season.

The pro league's expansion, though, won't stop there.

The NBA owners voted to readmit Baltimore at their annual meeting Tuesday and then listened to a presentation from a San Francisco mer-

Linfield Pads League Record

Salem-UPB - Linfield, the Northwest Conference baseball champion for the third straight year, fattened its win-loss record Tuesday with 4-3 and 15-3 victories over Willamette.

Linfield now a 12-2 for the season, and is hoping for an NCAA at-large playoff berth from the Northwest.

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