Jack Kralick Hurls No-Hit Win for Minnesota Twins

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

That bulge around no-hit Jack Kralick's tummy could pay off in world series vittles for the Minnesota Twins.

It's a long shot, of course, but is it harder to believe than the New York Yankees losing six straight games with the pennant in their grasp . . . or the Cincinnati Reds' drive on the National league flag being stopped by a Houston Colt team which had lost nine straight games?

Or, for that matter, than that Jack Kralick of Youngstown, Ohio, should pitch the fifth no-hitter of the big league season—setting a record for the lively ball era and missing by a ninth-inning walk the first perfect game in regular-season play since 1922?

It's been that kind of a season—so don't count out the Twins who are only three games out of first place in the American league with five weeks of the season left to be paced off.

Kralick, 26, who was "beefed up" to 175 pounds this year in hopes of adding to his stamina, pitched his classic 1-0 victory against the Kansas City Athletics Sunday. Kralick pitched a perfect game for 8 1-3 innings before walking George Alusik. He then retired the final two batters to miss by Alusik's walk the first regular-season perfect game since Charley Robertson pitched one in 1922.

Twins Move Up

The victory moved the Twins to within three games of the Yankees, whose 2-1 loss in Baltimore ran their losing streak to six games. The second-place Angels, three games behind the Yankees and .001 ahead of Minnesota, beat the Chicago White Sox, 4-0, the Cleveland Indians whipped the Boston Red Sox, 10-5 and 4-0, and the Washington Senators scored a 5-2 victory after losing to the Detroit Tigers, 5-3, in other AL games.

The Reds, who had won 32 of 40 previous games, were sandbagged by the Colts, 2-1, behind the five-hit pitching of George Brunet and 6-4 on Johnny Temple's two-run ninth-inning single. They fell 4½ games off the pace but could rebound suddenly because they open a three-game series with the first place Dodgers Tuesday night in Los Angeles.

The Dodgers retained their 2½ game lead with a 16-5 victory over the New York Mets while the San Francisco Giants topped the Philadelphia Phillies, 7-4. The Chicago Cubs beat the Milwaukee Braves, 4-1, and the Pittsburgh Pirates gained a 7-6 victory after losing to the St. Louis Cardinals, 6-5, in other N.L. action.

Robin Roberts pitched a five-hitter and Brooks Robinson and Jim Gentile homered for the Orioles who swept the five-game series with the Yankees. Tony Kubeck's second-inning homer was the only Yankee run.

Lee Thomas drove in three runs with a triple and single and Don Lee pitched an eight-hitter for the Angels as White Sox' lefty Frank Baumann suffered his fifth defeat against six wins.

Indians Take Opener

The Indians rolled to their first game victory as Bubba Phillips knocked in four runs with a single and a homer and then Dick Donovan pitched a two-hitter for his 17th win of this season and the 100th of his major league career. Homers by Bill Burton, Norm Cash and Steve Boros led the Tigers to their first-game win but then the Senators bounced back behind the eight - hit pitching of Claude Osteen.

Maury Willis stole his 70th, 71st and 72nd bases of the season—eight short of Bob Bescher's NL record—and Tim Harkness and Willie Davis homered for the Dodgers who scored 12 unearned runs as a result of five Met errors.

Jack Sanfor went 6 2-3 innings to win his 12th straight game and 18th of the season for the Giants whose seven-hit attack was led by homers by Orlando Cepeda and Felipe Alou. Art Mahaffey, seeking his 18th victory, suffered his 11th defeat.

Dick Ellsworth's six - hit pitching enabled the Cubs to top the Braves and Bob Skinner's two-run homer sparked the Pirates to their second-game win after Bill White's two-run eighth-inning homer lifted the Cardinals to their first-game victory.

JACK KRALICK
Near Perfect Game
-(UPI)

CASH INJURED

Detroit – (UPI) – American league co-home run leader Norm Cash of the Detroit Tigers was expected to be sidelined for at least two weeks and possibly a month with a fractured bone in his left hand. Cash who has 34 homers, suffered the injury in the second game of Sunday's twinbill with the Washington Senators, which the Tigers lost, 5-2, after taking the opener. Senator South p a w Claude Osteen struck Cash with a fast ball.

SF Giants Eye Crucial Frays

San Francisco – (UPI) – The San Francisco Giants got a brief rest today before what will likely be the most crucial 10 days of the 1962 National league pennant race.

The Giants, the Los Angeles Dodgers and the Cincinnati Reds are battling down the home-stretch – and they'll see plenty of each other during that 10-day period.

San Francisco, which has been tough at home, hopes to gain valuable ground on both Los Angeles and Cincinnati during the Giants' series with Milwaukee which begins at Candlestick Park Tuesday.

The Dodgers, holding a 2½-game edge on San Francisco, tangle with the Reds at Chavez Ravine. The Reds are 4½ games behind the Dodgers and two behind the Giants.

American League

New York	010 000 000—1	5	0
Baltimore	010 100 00x—2	8	1

Ford, Bridges 8 and Howard, Roberts (9-8) and Triandos. Loser —Ford (13-7). HR — Kubek, Robinson, Gentile.

Kansas City	000 000 000—0	0	1
Minnesota	000 000 10x—1	8	0

Fisher (4-6) and Bryan. Kralick (10-8) and Battey.

Chicago	000 000 000—0	8	0
Los Angeles	300 000 10x—4	10	0

Bauman, Zanni 1, Stone 6, Joyce 8 and Carreon. Lee (11-9) and Rogers. Loser — Bauman (6-5).

(1st Game)

Boston	000 104 000— 5	12	7
Cleveland	203 010 40x—10	11	0

Wilson, Kolstad 3, Earley 6, Fornieles 8 and Nixon. Perry, Bell 6 and Romano. Winner — Perry (10-10). Loser — Wilson (11-6). HR — Francona, Clinton, Malzone, Phillips.

(2nd Game)

Boston	000 000 000—0	2	0
Cleveland	000 004 00x—4	7	0

Delock (4-4) and Tillman. Donovan (17-7) and Edwards. HR — Essegian.

(1st Game)

Washington	000 000 200—3	6	0
Detroit	200 101 10x—5	10	1

Stenhouse, Hobaugh 6, Kutyna 7, Daniels 7 and Retzer. Bunning, Fox 7 and Brown. Winner — Bunning (14-8). Loser — Stenhouse (10-10). HR — Bruton, Cash, Boros.

(2nd Game)

Washington	003 100 100—5	12	2
Detroit	000 100 001—2	8	2

Osteen (7-10) and Schmidt. Kline, Foytack 4, Nischwitz 6, Jones 8 and Roarke. Loser — Kline (3-6). HR—King.

National League

San Fran.	212 100 010—7	7	0
Phila.	010 002 000—4	11	0

Sanford, McCormick 6, Bolin 8 and Haller. Mahaffey, Owens 6, Baldschun 8 and Dalrymple. Winner — Sanford (18-6). Loser — Mahaffey (17-11). HR — Cepeda, F. Alou.

Milwaukee	000 100 000—1	6	0
Chicago	001 002 10x—4	5	0

LeMaster, Burdette 7 and Torre. Ellsworth (7-17) and Bertell. Loser — LeMaster (1-2). HR— Bertell, Williams.

Los Angeles	101 307 013—16	13	2
New York	000 000 032— 5	7	5

Richert, Ortega 9 and Roseboro. Anderson, Moorhead 6, R. G. Miller 7, Daviault 8 and Pignatano. Winner — Richert (3-2). Loser — Anderson (3-14). HR — Harkness, Christopher, W. Davis.

(1st Game)

Houston	000 110 000—2	5	0
Cincinnati	000 000 100—1	5	1

Brunet (2-2) and Smith. Maloney, Brosnan 8 and Edwards, Pavletich 8. Loser — Maloney (8-3). HR—Post.

(2nd Game)

Houston	020 100 102—6	8	1
Cincinnati	000 002 200—4	7	1

Woodeshick, McMahon 7, Umbricht 9 and Campbell. O'Toole, Klippstein 8, Wills 9, Henry 9 and Edwards. Winner — McMahon 1-4. Loser — Wills (0-2). HR—Campbell.

(1st Game)

Pittsburgh	013 000 100—5	8	2
St. Louis	000 103 02x—6	10	0

Haddix, Gibbon 8, Face 7 and Burgess. Washburn, Dulitba 3, Shantz 4 and Oliver. Winner — Shantz (5-2). Loser — Face (8-6). HR — Virdon, Skinner, White.

(2nd Game)

Pittsburgh	200 110 000—7	14	1
St. Louis	210 010 020—6	9	1

Sturdivant, Olivo 6, Face 8, McBean 9, Lamabe 9 and Leppert. McDaniel, Toth 3, Ferrarese 6, Dulitba 8 and Sawatski. Oliver 7. Winner — Sturdivant (7-3). Loser — McDaniel (3-9). HR — Skinner, Sawatski.

Little League Toga Copped by San Jose

Williamsport, Pa. – (UPI) – Ted Campbell is not only the largest member of the 1962 little league world series champions from San Jose, Calif., but the strapping six-foot-one inch pitcher also is the team hero after hurling a no-hitter to decide the tournament.

Ted, largest youngster ever to appear in the league's series for 12-year-olds and under, allowed only one ball to be hit beyond the infield to lead San Jose to a 3-0 victory over Kankakee, Ill., Saturday.

GOLF CHAMPION

Longview, Wash. – (UPI) – Rob Swingle, 19-year-old Oregon State university sophomore, took the 36-hole Lower Columbia g o l f tournament here Sunday with a 146. He b e a t defending champion Harold Jacobsen, Longview, who shot a 147.

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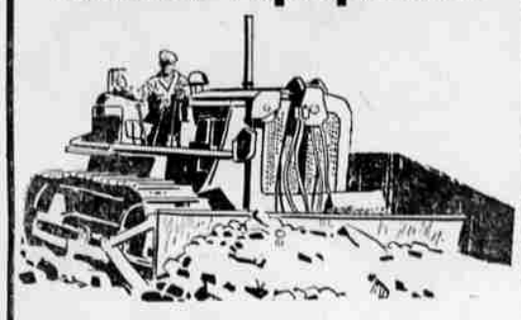

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SPORTS

Van Brocklin Cautious About Predicting Season For Minnesota Vikings

(This is the seventh in a series on the pre-season sizeups of profession football teams.)

By BOB MARTEL

St. Paul - Mineapolis – (UPI) – At this time last year Minnesota Vikings coach Norm Van Brocklin made a prediction that his neophyte National Football league team would not finish last.

But it did finish last in the Western Division and, therefore, Van Brocklin is more cautious with his predictions this season.

"We might be stronger this season," said Van Brocklin. "But we're just going to live from week to week."

The Vikings have improved a porous defense, but on the other hand find themselves weaker at offensive ends. Van Brocklin feels, however, the marked improvement on the defensive side of the ledger may more than compensate for any letdown in the offense.

The big reason for the boost in the Viking's defense is the addition of Cliff Livingston, veteran New York Giants linebacker. Better seasons are expected from tackle Jim Prestell, end Jim Marshall and sophomore middle - linebacker Rip Hawkins, and Van Brocklin feels they will provide a better pass rush than the Vikings could muster last year.

Improvement also is expected at the defensive corners. Those responsible are Ed Sharockman, whose rookie season was delayed a year because of a broken ankle suffered in the College All-Star game; and Dean Derby, an all-pro choice in 1958, who has been moved up f r o m safety man. (No mention of Jack Morris, ex - Medford High.)

Rookie Larry Guilford, a 15th-round draft choice from University of Pacific, has impressed the Vikings' coaching staff with his play at safety and may earn a starting job at that position.

The retirement of end Dave Middleton to devote full time to his medical career and the holdout of reserve A. D. Williams leaves the club totally lacking in experienced hands at the spread end position.

T h e offensive backfield should be one of the Vikings' stronger points.

Should Avoid Mistakes

Fran Tarkenton, who had an outstanding rookie season at quarterback, has learned his lessons and should avoid mistakes made as a beginner. Tarkenton is backed by veteran George Shaw and former Giant Lee Grosscup.

The Vikings are solid at fullback with veterans Ray Hayes, Doug Mayberry, Glenn Shaw and Mel Triplett. Hayes appears to have the edge on the rest of the field.

Tommy Mason and Hugh McElhenny will alternate at the running halfback position and the capable Jarry Reichow returns at flanker back.

Among the impressive rookies in camp are defensive halfback Chuck Lamson, Wyoming; linebacker Roy Winston, Louisiana State; offensive guard Marshall Shirk, UCLA, and offensive end Steve Stonebreaker, Detroit.

Cleveland Looks Like Real Goods

By JOE SARGIS
UPI Sports Writer

The Cleveland Browns are beginning to look more and more like the "real goods" this year, which could, of course, mean nothing but trouble again in the National Football league.

The Browns, out of the running the last four seasons after practically dominating the NFL in seven of the eight previous years, ripped off their third straight exhibition victory during the week end—34-27—over the San Francisco Forty Niners, and even their most outspoken critics are starting to take notice.

With newcomers Jim Ninowski and Tommy Wilson putting on a dazzling passing and running display, the Browns opened up a 27-14 lead after three periods at Portland, Ore., Saturday night and then scored what proved to be the clincher in the last period, just before the speedy Forty Niners tallied t h e i r final touchdown.

The victory left the Browns, defending champion Green Bay Packers and the Baltimore Colts as the NFL's only undefeated teams in pre-season play.

The Packers made it four in-a-row by beating the Chicago Bears, 35-21, while the Colts gained their t h i r d straight with a 24-10 decision over the Dallas Cowboys. In the other week end NFL exhibition games, the New York Giants edged the Los Angeles Rams, 31-24; the Philadelphia Eagles defeated the Washington Redskins, 24-7; and the St. Louis Cardinals nipped the Minnesota Vikings, 24-21.

In the only American Football league games played during the week end, the San Diego Chargers spoiled Oakland's debut in its new stadium by beating the Raiders, 33-27.

Physical Exams Set for Hedrick

Boys planning to play football at Hedrick Junior High school are to report to Medford Clinic, 1025 East Main st., on Tuesday evening for physical examinations.

Ninth graders will get their examinations at 7:30 p.m., eighth graders at 8 p.m. and Seventh graders at 8:30 p.m. There is a $1 fee which should be brought at the time of the exam.

McLoughlin gridders are to have physicals tonight with the same schedule being followed.

BOWLING

RANDOM TIMBER

(Free Loaders won first place in play-off with Pin Pals.)

Free Loaders (14-18) 3, Leonard Chandler 493; Pin Pals (19-13) 1, Dell Ross 442.

Defenders (19-13) 0, Jim Adams 460; Free Loaders (14-18) 4, Leonard Chandler 488.

Pin Leavers (17-15) 4, Nolan Vaughn 515; Won't Bees (13-19) 0, Bill Evers 421.

Buckskins (15-17) 4, Alex Chisum 463; Wood Bees (14-18) 0, George Mulvey 449.

Nolan Vaughn 207, Marie Chandler 178; Free Loaders 1808.

Crater High Footballers To Report

Central Point – Keith Johnson, Crater high head football coach, issued a reminder that Comet practice for the new season will get under way at 7 o'clock this evening.

Grid aspirants are asked to report to the Crater high gym.

There is a chance that adjustment of the field lights will be completed and that the initial drill can be conducted on the field at the senior high school. If not, the practice will be on the junior high gridiron.

Twice per day drills will follow this week with morning workouts at 9 a.m.

Some 60 boys drew gear last week.

Crater will open its season here against Bend on Sept. 14. Dedication of the stadium is planned for that date.

STANDINGS

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
New York	76	55	.580	
Los Angeles	73	58	.557	3
Minnesota	74	59	.556	3
Chicago	68	63	.519	8
Detroit	66	64	.508	9½
Baltimore	66	64	.508	9½
Cleveland	63	68	.481	13
Boston	61	71	.462	15½
Kansas City	60	72	.455	16½
Washington	49	82	.374	27

Sunday's Results
Baltimore 2, New York 1
Cleveland 10, Boston 5 (1st)
Cleveland 4, Boston 0 (2nd)
Detroit 5, Washington 3 (1st)
Washington 5, Detroit 2 (2nd)
Los Angeles 4, Chicago 0
Minnesota 1, Kansas City 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	85	48	.849	
San Francisco	82	48	.631	2½
Cincinnati	81	51	.614	4½
Pittsburgh	76	55	.580	8
St. Louis	71	60	.542	14
Milwaukee	71	61	.538	14½
Philadelphia	62	72	.463	24½
Chicago	49	82	.374	36
Houston	47	84	.359	38
New York	33	98	.252	52

Sunday's Results
Los Angeles 16, New York 3
San Francisco 7, Philadelphia 4
Houston 2, Cincinnati 1 (1st)
Houston 6, Cincinnati 4 (2nd)
Chicago 4, Milwaukee 1
St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 5 (1st)
Pittsburgh 7, St. Louis 6 (2nd)

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
San Diego	88	51	.628	
Salt Lake City	72	67	.518	15
Tacoma	71	66	.518	15
Seattle	69	68	.511	16
Hawaii	70	69	.504	17
Portland	67	72	.482	20
Vancouver	63	75	.474	23
Spokane	50	87	.365	36

Sunday's Results
Portland 3, Salt Lake City 1 (1st game, 7 innings)
Portland 8, Salt Lake City 5 (2nd game)
Seattle 4, Spokane 3
Vancouver 5, Tacoma 3 (1st game)
Tacoma 4, aVncouver 0 (2nd game, 7 innings)
San Diego 6, Hawaii 4

NORTHWEST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Tri-City	33	28	.559	
Salem	33	28	.559	
Lewiston	30	30	.500	3½
Yakima	29	30	.492	4
Eugene	27	33	.450	6½
Wenatchee	27	34	.443	7½

Sunday's Results
Tri-City 9, Salem 2 (1st)
Tri-City 7, Salem 0 (2nd)
Lewiston 9, Yakima 2 (1st)
Yakima 5, Lewiston 0 (2nd)
Eugene 12, Wenatchee 1 (1st)
Eugene 9, Wenatchee 7 (2nd)

East Overruns West Eleven 25-0 In Shrine Grid Clash

Geren, Consbruck Shine for Victors

Pendleton — With a pair of touchdown twins from the Rogue league of southern Oregon spearheading the way, East pulverized West 25 to 0 here Saturday night in the annual Shrine High school all-star football game for players from A-2 and Class B schools.

Steve Geren, halfback from Eagle Point, and Mike Consbruck, fullback from Phoenix, piled up the bulk of the yardage for the East and each crossed the goal line in the game.

Coach Jack Woodward's East, utilizing powerful single wing offense and rock-wall defense with high morale and talented personnel, turned an early break into a touchdown and from there on dominated the game.

Geren, selected as the most valuable player in the fracas, scored t w i c e. Consbruck plunged for one touchdown. The other was tabulated by Drains' sparkling Gary Cox, who alternated with A. J. DeMaris, Sisters, at quarterback, in guiding East to triumph.

Outstanding

Consbruck was chosen outstanding back for his team. Outstanding lineman laurels went to Mike Shirtcliff, Myrtle Creek, another District 6 A-2 participant. For West, Richard Armstrong, Myrtle Point, and Larry Adamson, Estacada, were named outstanding back and lineman, respectively.

East's first chance in the tussle came in the first quarter when Roger Hiatt, Vale back shifted to end for the game, recovered a fumble on West's 19-yard line. The eventual winners went to the three-yard line and Geren skirted end for goal. His extra point kick try failed.

West had a chance when a Geren fumble was recovered on the East 30 yard line. But, East s h o w e d its defensive prowess to hold and never again was in real trouble.

Second touchdown resulted from a sustained drive with Consbruck going the last yard. East went to the dressing room in front 12 to 0. Geren's kick was blocked.

The victors completed their touchdown per quarter pattern in the second half. In the third quarter an 80-yard surge ended with a 31-yard pass play, Cox to Geren. A conversion sweep try with Geren packing was short.

A Geren to Cox pass for 24 yards set up the fourth panel TD. Cox slipped over from one-yard away. DeMaris passed to Paul Elliott, St. Mary's of Medford, for the conversion.

Don Fischer, Riddle, was another backfield cog in the overwhelming victory and paving the way up from there were such players as Bob Showers, Elgin; Keith Webber, Central Linn; Terry Hanson, Phoenix, and Shirtcliff, Hiatt and Elliott

One-Sided Statistics

Statistics point up the East's dominance, with 11 first downs to three, 198 yards rushing to 68, 96 yards passing to 17 and completion of six passes on 14 tries to three of six.

East played it on the conservative side until establishing its upperhand for certain then opened up its game. Use of a nine-man line by West did bring on the need for Eastern passes – and the aerials clicked.

"For a while," said Coach Jack Woodward, Phoenix, "everything we did went just right."

Said the coach of the victorious team further, "we just had too much for them . . . We just had more talent than they did."

Woodward had predicted that the West would not be able to halt the East attack but he figured that East might have a hard time stopping the West too, But the West offense was stymied.

The score was the most lopsided in the 10-year history of the game.

Doug Sanders Aided by Eagle

Oklahoma City – (UPI) – Doug Sanders is a man who likes to bide his time until its time to strike. But when's he's ready to make his move, look out.

The handsome Californian put on a serious finish Sunday, after being six strokes off the pace, and won the $35,000 Oklahoma City Open by two strokes. He climaxed his remarkable rally by rolling in a 22 foot eagle putt on the 18th hole.

As it turned out, that was the big one and saved him from a sudden death playoff with Johnny Pott, who was putting on as fast a finish.

Sanders, a 29-year-old professional from Ojai, Calif., shot a 67 on the par 36-36-72 Quail Creek course, his best round for a 72-hole total of 280.

Ladies' Am Under Way

Rochester, N.Y. – (UPI) – The fairer sex took over the plush country club of Rochester today for the first of seven match-play rounds in the National Womens' Amateur golf championship.

A 36-hole final Saturday, Sept. 1, will follow six 18-hole elimination rounds.

Mrs. Anne Quast Decker, Curtis Cup star and 24-year-old school - teacher from from M a r y s v i l l e, Wash., launched her title defense against Helen Reynolds of Mansfield Center, Conn.

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