

# Dodgers May Clinch Pennant Today; NY To Celebrate Too

**PENNA RACE AT A GLANCE**  
By United Press International  
National League W. L. Pct. GB GR  
Los Angeles 96 60 615 5 1/2  
St. Louis 91 66 580 8 1/2  
Games remaining:  
Los Angeles (6) home (6); New York, Sept. 24 (N); 25 (N); 26 (N); Philadelphia, Sept. 27 (N); 28 (N); 29 (N); St. Louis (5)—Home (3); Cincinnati, Sept. 27 (N); 28, Away (2); at Chicago, Sept. 24, 25.

Those are the alternate roles that may befall the New York Mets tonight when they play the Dodgers at Los Angeles. It all depends, though, on the St. Louis Cardinals. If they lose to the Cubs in a day game at Chicago, the Dodgers will back into the National league championship.

The last 10 games with a sore back, will rejoin the club for the opener of a two-game series with the Los Angeles Angels. It will mark the first time since June 1 that all eight Yankee regulars will be in the starting lineup together.

By TIM MORIARTY  
UPI Sports Writer  
Party-poopers or freeloaders.

## Marichal Tries For 25 Tonight

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Juan Marichal, one of Carl Hubbell's favorite pitchers, guns for his 25th victory tonight and a special niche in the record book beside the Giants' great left-hander when he goes to the mound against the Philadelphia Phillies.

Now 24-4 for the season, Marichal also has worked 304 innings. He needs nine more to match the 313 which Hubbell compiled in 1954 as one of the all-time greats when the Giants were a part of New York.

The modern record for most frames hurled in a season belongs to Ed Walsh who worked through 464 in 1908 for the Chicago White Sox.

Dennis Bennett (8-4) is slated to open for the Phillies in the struggle for third place which now features San Francisco, the Cincinnati Reds and Phillies.

San Francisco, which was idle along with the rest of the league Monday, headed into tonight's game holding a 2 1/2 game edge over the fourth place Reds with the Phils another half game back.

Gene Mauch, the Phils fiery manager, threw some food around the dressing room at Houston Sunday night after a tough 2-1 loss to the Colts. The Giants had plastered the New York Mets that afternoon, 13-4, with Willie McCovey hitting three home runs to take the National league lead away from Henry Aaron.

"Stretch" has 43 homers and six games to play.

## STANDINGS

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AMERICAN LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
New York	102	55	.650	—
Chicago	90	68	.572	1 1/2
Minnesota	89	69	.563	1 3/4
Baltimore	83	74	.529	1 3/4
Detroit	77	80	.490	2 1/2
Cleveland	75	82	.478	2 3/4
Boston	74	84	.468	2 3/4
Kansas City	71	85	.453	3 1/4
Los Angeles	70	88	.443	3 1/2
Washington	54	102	.346	4 1/2

Monday's Results  
Detroit 4, Washington 1  
Only game scheduled.

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers  
Minnesota at Cleveland (night) —Stigman (15-14) vs. Grant (11-14)  
Chicago at Baltimore (night) —Herbert (12-10) or Peters (19-6) vs. Barber (20-12)  
Los Angeles at New York (night) —Belinski (2-8) vs. Ford (23-7)

Wednesday's Games  
Washington at Detroit  
Los Angeles at New York  
Kansas City at Boston  
Chicago at Baltimore (night)  
Only games scheduled.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.	GB	
Los Angeles	96	60	.615	
St. Louis	91	66	.580	5 1/2
San Francisco	85	71	.543	11 1/2
Cincinnati	83	74	.529	13 1/2
Philadelphia	82	74	.526	14
Milwaukee	79	78	.503	17 1/2
Chicago	77	80	.490	19 1/2
Pittsburgh	73	83	.468	23
Houston	61	95	.390	35 1/2
New York	50	106	.321	48

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers  
Cincinnati at Milwaukee (night) —Maloney (22-7) vs. LeMaster (11-12)  
Pittsburgh at Houston (night) —Ask (1-1) or Gibson (15-13) vs. Zachary (1-2)  
New York at Los Angeles (night) —Stallard (6-16) vs. Drysdale (18-11)  
Philadelphia at San Francisco (night) —Culp (14-11) vs. Marichal (24-4)

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New York at Los Angeles (night)  
Philadelphia at San Francisco

## League Leaders

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NATIONAL LEAGUE	Player	Team	Rate
Pitcher	Tom Seaver	NY	2.86
	Tommy Spivey	LA	3.00
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Batter	Willie McCovey	GI	1.00
	Willie McCovey	GI	1.00
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## HOME RUNS

National League	Player	Team	Runs
Willie McCovey	GI	43	
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## RUNS BATTED IN

National League	Player	Team	Runs
Willie McCovey	GI	127	
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## Braves Will Stay In Milwaukee

By GENE BEINHARDT  
United Press International  
MILWAUKEE (UPI) — City and state civic and governmental officials prepared today to carry through on earlier pledges to boost the Braves after the Milwaukee club announced Monday it will stay in Milwaukee.

## Don Buford Selected IL Rookie of Year

NEW YORK (UPI) — Don Buford, proving once again that little men can make a mark in baseball, was selected today as the "Rookie of the Year" in the International League.

Standing just five feet, seven inches, the Indianapolis third baseman won the league batting title with a .336 average, collected 206 hits, and also led the circuit in doubles with 41 and in runs scored with 114.

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Buford, a 26-year-old switch hitter, currently is finishing out the season with the Chicago White Sox and seems a good bet to stick in the majors next year.

## NY Series Seats Still Available

NEW YORK (UPI) — There still are reserved seats available for the World Series games at Yankee Stadium — if you don't mind sitting in the open-end section in right-center field.

## Hearing Slated Oct. 16 On Post's Motion

ATLANTA (UPI) — A hearing on the Saturday Evening Post's motion for a new trial in the \$3,060,000 libel award to former Georgia football coach Wallace Butts has been set for Oct. 16.

## Princess Grace's Niece, 15, Missing

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — A 15-year-old niece of Princess Grace of Monaco has been missing from her home here for almost three weeks, police disclosed Monday.

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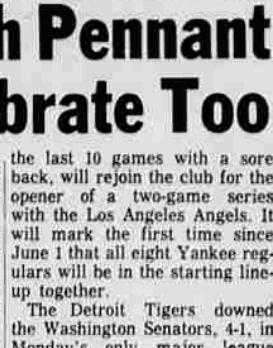
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## Senators Approve Guide Book Picture

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Senators get their pictures taken for posterity today, in color.

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JOHN McHALE  
The Braves Will Stay.

## State Game Commission Gets Award

Through its efforts to promote hunter safety in Oregon, the Oregon game commission was awarded top honors in this field among the fifty states and Canadian Provinces by the International Association of Game, Fish and Conservation Commissioners at its meeting in Minneapolis, Minnesota, in September.

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## SPORTS

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