

# Yankees Nudge Red Sox; Go Back Into First Slot

### Tigers Slip 1/2 Game Behind New York By Dividing Double Bill With Chicago

By JOE REICHLER (Associated Press Sports Writer)

The ferris wheel has stopped turning. After gathering eight straight victories, Dave (Boo) Ferriss, the Boston Red Sox sensational rookie, finally was defeated yesterday, 3-2, by the New York Yankees in the first game of a scheduled doubleheader. The second game was postponed by rain.

Hank Borowy gained the Yankee victory by putting his team back in first place, a half-game ahead of the Detroit Tigers, who split with the White Sox.

A crowd of 38,114 paid, who braved incessant rain, saw Ferriss fail to overtake the league rookie record of Alton Donald of the Yankees who won 12 straight victories from the start of the 1939 season. Ferriss tied the American league mark of Johnny Whitehead of the White Sox who won his first eight major league starts in 1936.

#### Tigers Split With Sox

Dizzy Trout gained his first victory in more than a month when he pitched the Tigers to their fifth straight triumph in the opener against the White Sox, 3-2, but he needed the help of Hal Newhouser in the ninth. Catcher Paul Richards hit a grand slam homer for the Tigers in the nightcap, but the Sox came to life to pound three Tiger tossers for 15 hits and a 9-4 decision.

Pittsburgh's Pirates came from behind twice to win two 10-inning games from the St. Louis Cardinals, 8-6 and 4-1, and take over second place in the National league, only two games behind the New York Giants.

Homers in the extra-frames accounted for each of the Bucs' victories. Babe Dalgren hit one with a mate aboard to win the opener, and Jimmy Russell duplicated in the finale. Rip Sewell, in relief, won the first for the Pirates, while Preacher Roe went the route in the nightcap.

#### Braves Sweep Two

The Braves moved into sixth place as Mort Cooper and Jim Tobin defeated the Giants, 8-5 and 3-1, for the Braves' sixth and seventh straight victories and their ninth in the last 10 starts. Cooper won his fifth without a defeat in the opener, and Tobin aided his own cause with a homer in the second game.

Brooklyn, led by Coach Charley Dressen, who acted in the place of Manager Leo Durocher, handed the Phillies a 10-4 defeat in the opener of what was scheduled to be a doubleheader. The game was halted after seven innings by rain. It was the Phillies' 14 straight setback.

#### Cubs Rap Reds Twice

The Chicago Cubs moved into the first division by taking two from Cincinnati, 10-7 and 7-4, to sweep the four-game series. Thirty hits were made by the two teams in the first game. The Cubs won the second when Bill Nicholson homered with two on in the eighth.

After Jim Bagby won his first game of the season following five straight losses by pitching Cleveland to its third straight 2-1 victory over St. Louis in the opener, the Browns won the second 4-1 behind Rookie Weldon West. The Washington-Philadelphia twin bill was postponed by rain.

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# Suds Gain Two Games On Bevos

### Portland's Lead Narrowed To 1 1/2 Games As Seattle Takes Twin Bill From Seals

By The Associated Press

Baseball dope was scattered in all directions throughout the Pacific Coast league over the weekend as Portland's lead was pared to a game and a half through three consecutive losses at Los Angeles, Seattle swept a Sunday doubleheader at San Francisco, Sacramento bounced back into third place with a double victory over Oakland and the cellar-dwelling Hollywood Stars won twice from San Diego.

#### Angels Take Series

The Angels' 8-5 and 5-1 wins Sunday and 5-1 victory Saturday gave them a 4-3 series edge. Rip Russell, Los Angeles third baseman, came through with a two-run homer in each game yesterday, contributing to the downfall of Roy Helser and Jack Tising, Beaver hurlers. Jorge Conellas, Angel newcomer, took the mound in the opener and chalked up his second victory since joining the club. Righthander Don Osborn limited Portland to five hits in the nightcap.

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#### Wagner To Meet Otis Klingman In Main Event

Promoter Mack Lillard announced today that the main tussle on Friday night's mat card would send Gorgeous George Wagner against Otis "Baby-face" Klingman.

Klingman made a successful return to the Klamath ring last week by holding tough Antone Leone to a draw in the semi-windup event. On the same card Wagner was defeated by Georges Dusette when Referee Wally Moss gave the bout to Dusette on a technical.

Between the main event and the semi-windup this week, Lillard has booked in top four-canto boxing bout bringing together Marine Johnny Gates and Sailor Al Burkhardt for the servicemen's championship of Klamath Falls. There will be no hike in duet prices for this added attraction and a capacity house is expected to jam the armory.

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# The Winnah, and Champion!



Above is Hoop Jr., winner of the 71st Kentucky derby by six lengths Saturday afternoon at Churchill Downs. The great thoroughbred is owned by F. W. Hooper. Hoop Jr. will try to annex the 55th running of the famed Preakness stakes next Saturday.

# Hoop, Jr., Derby Winner, Set For Famed Preakness

By JOHN F. CHANDLER BALTIMORE, June 11 (AP)—Fresh from his easy Kentucky derby triumph, Hoop Jr., moved on Pimlico today, ready to battle it out with Pavot and perhaps ten other thoroughbred three-year-olds next Saturday in the 55th running of the famed Preakness stakes, certain to have a gross value close to \$90,000.

Pavot, owned by Walter M. Jeffords and unbeaten as a two-year-old, although he dropped a photo decision in his first 1945 start, now is considered the chief threat of F. W. Hooper's derby winner in the mile and three-sixteenths Maryland classic.

From Louisville, along with Hooper's star, five horses of the derby field of 16 are expected. They are:

Mrs. W. G. Lewis' Dary Dieppe, third in the derby; Col. C. V. Whitney's Jee p; Christiana stables Alexis; Col. E. R. Bradley's Burning Dream and C. S. Howard's Sea Swallow.

Polynesia, owned by Mrs. R. A. B. Widener whipped Pavot in the Withers mile at Belmont a week ago and it was announced that he would be shipped here Wednesday from Trainer Morris Dixon's farm at Kennett Square, Pa.

NEW YORK—Greentree stable's Jevil Diver, \$3.10, won metropolitan mile handicap for third straight year at Belmont park as 43,701 wagered record \$3,951,227 on eight-race card.

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Before the fight, Col. Eddie Egan, chairman of the state athletic commission, took cognizance of rumors that the "fix was in." He warned Joyce and Williams he would suspend them if he detected any dishonest effort. Afterwards he exonerated both by visiting the dressing rooms and extending congratulations.

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# Navy Nine Lambasts C. P., 12-0

### Worthley Hurls 5-Hit Game As Sailors Steel 15 Bases, Winkler Hits Circuit Clout

A fast naval air station nine stole everything but the kitchen sink Sunday afternoon in its baseball game with Central Point played at the station. The speedy sailors stole 15 bases, lashed out three doubles, eight singles, and one home run for a total of 12 hits in lambasting the young Central Point team, 12-0.

The home run came in the eighth inning with one aboard when Winkler, second sacker for the sailor club, solved one of the slants of Pitcher Shyler and blasted it over the fence.

The navy assumed control of the ball game from the start and the outcome was never in doubt. Not a single Central Point player advanced to second base in the contest. Norm Worthley, sailor hurler, baffled the Central Point nine allowing only five hits and walking none.

This was the first game of the newly-formed Southern Oregon loop and sends the sailors off to a flying start.

Worthley coached junior high football and basketball at Medford in 1941-42 until he left to enter the service.

The sailor nine will travel to Dunsuir next Sunday where they will tangle with an independent outfit in a non-league game.

Short score:  
Navy 121 120 32x  
C. P. 000 000 000  
Worthley and Biddle; Shyler and Hill.

# Girls' Softball Game Called After 17 Scoreless Heats

SEATTLE, June 11 (AP)—The first game of a Northwest Girls' Softball league doubleheader, between Lind-Pomeroy of Portland and Napier and Scott of Seattle, was called off here last night after 17 scoreless innings. Pitcher Alice Johnson of Seattle allowed three hits while Portland's twirler, Betty Evans, allowed but one.

In the second game the Vancouver, B. C. Lions defeated the Seattle Boeing Bomberettes 7-3 despite Catcher Lorene Flower's homer with two on in the seventh for Seattle.

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# HOW THEY STAND

By The Associated Press AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct
New York	27	18	.600
Detroit	25	17	.595
St. Louis	25	17	.595
Chicago	23	21	.521
Cleveland	20	22	.476
Washington	21	24	.467
Philadelphia	16	27	.372

Yesterday's Games	W	L	Pct
Cleveland 2-2, St. Louis 1-4 (first game ten innings)			
Detroit 3-4, Chicago 2-9			
New York 3-2, Boston 2 (second game postponed)			
Philadelphia at Washington postponed.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct
New York	28	18	.609
Pittsburgh	26	20	.565
Brooklyn	25	20	.558
Chicago	23	19	.548
Oakland	22	21	.512
St. Louis	22	21	.512
Cincinnati	21	23	.477
Philadelphia	16	28	.361

Yesterday's Games	W	L	Pct
Pittsburgh 9-4, St. Louis 6-1			
Chicago 10-7, Cincinnati 7-4			
Boston 8-3, New York 5-1			
Brooklyn 10, Philadelphia 4 (7 innings)			

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE	W	L	Pct
Portland	42	28	.600
Seattle	40	29	.580
Sacramento	38	30	.558
Los Angeles	35	36	.493
San Francisco	34	30	.531
San Diego	34	30	.531
Hollywood	28	44	.391

Sunday Results	W	L	Pct
Seattle 9-5, San Francisco 3-0			
Los Angeles 6-3, Portland 5-1			
Sacramento 11-9, Oakland 6-8			
Hollywood 6-2, San Diego 3-0			

(Traveling Monday)  
San Francisco at Oakland.  
Los Angeles at Hollywood.  
Seattle at Portland no game Tuesday (Wednesday at 9:30 doubleheader Thursday 7 p. m.)

# Pacific Coast Schools Will Play Football

SPOKANE, June 11 (AP)—Football, a war casualty in the Pacific Coast conference, appeared to be definitely on its way back today as conference members began discussion of a 1945 schedule at the opening of a two-day meeting here.

Eight of ten schools in the conference have indicated they plan to participate in the sport. Spokesman said following a preliminary meeting last night that a 1945 schedule had been placed on the agenda for today's sessions.

Of the 10 conference schools, only Montana and Stanford universities have refrained from making plans to field teams.

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# Navy Takes NCAA Track Title East

### MILWAUKEE, June 11 (AP)—

On evidence furnished in Saturday's National Collegiate Athletic association track meet quality in the field events apparently is withstanding war conditions better than in the more spectacular running tests.

Navy's well balanced team produced 82 points to take the championship east for the first time in the history of the games. Illinois, the 1944 champion, was second with 571, Michigan was third with 531 and Missouri scored 42 for fourth.

Six of the performances Saturday during navy's impressive show bettered 1944 marks in Marquette stadium.

Four were achieved by the heavy-duty boys, with the 53 foot, 4-inch toss by Missouri's Ed Quirk in the shotput the standout job of the meet. Last year's champion, Norm Wasser

of New York university, felt, one inch. Another Missouri weight Bill Hanger, retained the 149 foot, 5 inch, compared with 191 feet, one inch, on the 174 foot, one inch, by Bob Ray of Wisconsin in the pole vault. Bob Ray of Illinois cleared 13 feet, a half-foot better than the 12.5 mark shared last year by Phelps and three other stars of New York university. Ed Wasser's 9:25.5, almost 13 seconds faster than his 9:38.4 last year, he represented Notre Dame. George Walker of Illinois, the high hurdler in 14.9 seconds compared with the 15.2 pace of another Illinois ace, Dave Nichols. In the other eight events, 1944 crop was superior.

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