

Brooks Vault Into Top Spot

Makeshift Squad Passes Braves To Take Lead In Red-Hot National Loop Race

By JOE REICHLER
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Leave it to Brooklyn to do the incredible. The Dodgers today are on top of the National league. Yet, by all the laws of nature and baseball they should be in the second division. For on paper they are no more than that.

The lineup is far from impressive. Yet this club with Burt Shotton, a fill-in for the exiled Leo Durocher at the helm, with only two 300 hitters, without the services of Pete Reiser, their best player, and with only one dependable pitcher, Ralph Branca, is leading the league by one game.

The Brooks borrowed a page from the Giants' book last night, falling on three Giants' pitchers for nine runs in the fourth inning and went on to a handy 11-3 victory. Typical of the Dodgers' ability to take advantage of a slip, it was a walk and an error that started them off.

Ralph Branca, Brooklyn's biggest winner and all-star selection, won his 11th game with a seven-hitter and fanned 10. The win enabled the Dodgers to take a one-game lead over the Boston Braves. The Hubmen dropped a 6-3 decision to the Phillies in Philadelphia, losing in the ninth when Skeeter Newsome beat out a bunt, ran to second on Harry Walker's sacrifice and scored when Catcher Phil Masi let one of Anton Karr's pitches get away from him for a passed ball. Earl Fegenschuh homered in the sixth with a Boston teammate aboard.

Scoring eight runs in a wild fifth inning, the Cincinnati Reds defeated the Pirates in Pittsburgh 6-6 as a crowd of 23,384 watched five Pittsburgh pitchers make a futile attempt to stop the Reds. Harry Gumbert, who relieved Kent Peterson in the fifth was the winner.

The New York Yankees opened up a six and a half game lead in the American league by drubbing the Washington Senators 8-1 at the Yankee stadium. Allie Reynolds held the Nats to five hits including Stan Spence's ninth home run which robbed him of a shut-out. It was his seventh victory. Joe DiMaggio walloped his 10th home run for the Yanks.

Scoring a run in the fifth inning the Philadelphia Athletics defeated the Red Sox at Boston 7-4 to take over undisputed possession of fourth place. A single by Sam Chapman scored Barney McCosky with the winning run. Pete Suder homered for the A's and Ted Williams, Bobby Doerr and Birdie Tebbets hit four baggers for the Red Sox. It was number 14 for Williams.

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Apt Pupil Learns From Experienced Teacher



Jay Quigley, young pitcher for the Junior Sons, receives instruction in how to handle a curve ball from Sylvester Johnson, former major league mound star, as Bob Fatjo and Pat Cottrell look on. Quigley is one of the brighter lights of the baseball school now being conducted here by the New York Yankees. While Johnson, Fatjo and Cottrell are Yankee Scouts. The camp ends today.

Strikes 'n Spares

Only an occasional crack of mineralite on maple jars the air at Recreation bowling alleys these summer days and nights as most of the keggers and keglerettes are letting the game go and turning to some other form of pastime for the hot weather. The summer mixed league is operating on Thursday nights, but the alleys are open for casual play the rest of the time.

Eric Hamilton, who has been abed for a few days after a successful fishing trip to Diamond lake, is just marking time until an alley resurfacing man from the Brunswick company comes in to give the lanes a summer going-over.

The alleys will probably be closed for a couple of weeks along toward the latter part of this month for the work. The Brunswick man will bring an 800-pound machine to level the alleys and take out a winter's accumulation of rough spots, then will come fine sanding and surfacing with a plastic finish before the lanes will pass ABC muster.

All that work will have to be done before league rolling gets started next fall. The plastic finish, Hamilton says, is a wartime-developed substitute for imported shellac and it's a case of the substitute stealing the show. It's a whole lot easier to put on and keep in shape than shellac, which used to take about 45 minutes of work per alley after each night's battering.

Also before the winter season new pins will be set up clear across, and that business, figuring four or five new sets a season, represents a big cash outlet. The pins cost around \$25 a set now—a few years back the price was \$8, and for better maps, too.

Hamilton uses 3 lb. 7 oz. or 3 lb. 8 oz. wood at this altitude where there isn't much moisture to soak up, and gets as much bounce with them as with lighter pins at a lower, wetter altitude. ABC allows some leeway in the matter, from 3 lb. 3 oz. up to 3 lb. 10 oz.

In the past the women keggers have fired at the lighter wood, but next fall might be trying to knock over the same weight as the men—the heavy ones are hard to get, and the lighter ones even harder.

There are a few other repairs and improvements to be made at the alleys, but the place will look just about the same next spring as it does now.

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Indians Hire Negro Player For Infield

Doby Will Break Into Tribe Lineup

CLEVELAND, July 3 (AP)—The Cleveland Indians today were the first American league club to have a negro player in the field since signing second baseman Larry Doby, star Negro National league pitcher, from the Newark, N. J. Eagles.

Three officials reported last night that Doby, a 24-year-old heavy right-hander who leads the Negro national league in home runs and doubles, has been purchased from the Newark club for only \$10,000. Terms of the purchase were not disclosed.

Jackie Robinson, public first baseman of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was the first negro signed to play in "organized" baseball in modern times. He advanced to the National league this season after one year on the Dodgers' International League farm club, the Montreal Royals.

Asserting "the reports we have received on his ability are outstanding," Tribe Manager Lou Boudreau said, "I hope Doby can succeed with us as he can with other teams."

A native of Camden, N. J., the 185-pound negro infielder starred for Paterson, N. J., East Side high school's city baseball champions in 1941 and 1942 before entering Long Island university. He signed with the Eagles in the spring of 1943, but entered the navy in July of that year.

Doby, who has slugged 13 homers, 10 doubles and eight triples while compiling a .458 batting average with Newark this season, returned from three years' navy service last year to spark the Eagles to the Negro National league championship. He then defeated the Kansas City Monarchs in the Negro world series.

"The acquisition of Larry Doby is a routine baseball purchase—in my mind," Boudreau declared. "Creed, race or color are not factors in baseball success, whether it be in the major or minor leagues," Lou continued. "Ability and character are the only factors."

"Doby will be given every chance, as will any other deserving recruit, to prove that he has the ability to make good" with us.

One of the big upsets of this softball season occurred last night at Modoc field when the second place Gun Store team was dumped by the Eagles, who are holding down sixth place, 11-7, and Ashley Chevrolet almost scored another upset when they came within an ace of skinning the Four Star Merchants, present league leaders.

In the other two tilts, the VFW edged the Rickys boys, 6-5, and the Elks topped their rival lodge, the Moose, 13-10.

Spectators were beginning to wonder just when the Gun Store-Eagles tilt would end, when the Eagles finally blanked the last Gun Store batter about 9:45. Three lengthy disputes occurred on umpire's decisions, dragging the game out for a little over two hours.

The Eagles took the lead in the initial inning with seven runs on three hits, and held their advantage to take their third win of the season. Tedrick and Ramos chucked for the Eagles, and Len Evans hurried for the Gun Store.

The Ashley nine stuck with the Merchants all the way and came into the sixth inning the score was 6-3 for the Merchants. Wilker's third sacker poked out a triple and later scored on Hall's double. Hall also scored and Ashley lost its chance to go further when Anderson popped out to center field.

The Merchants then slammed in five runs in their half of the seventh to win, 13-8.

Bud Steinseifer of the VFW doubled with the bases loaded and the score 5-4 for Rickys in the seventh, bringing in two of his teammates to save the game for the Vets, 6-5.

The Moose made four runs in the last inning, but still lost to the Elks by three tallies. The Elks made three runs in the first canto and seven in the second.

Some 100 fans were gathered at 7:30 to watch the evening's program, but the crowd dwindled down rapidly due to the long, drawn-out first game.

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SPORTS

By Hale Scarborough, Sports Editor

Oaks vs. Stars . . . Aged Batting Record Smashed In Rampage

By the Associated Press
Oakland and Hollywood played one for the books in the Pacific Coast league last night but a pitchers' battle in which Los Angeles beat San Francisco, 2-1, in 11 innings really counted at the top of the standings.

It lengthened the Angels' lead over the Seals to three games. Oakland remained in the third spot, four games back.

The noise of exploding base hits sounded like the Fourth of July had arrived early in Hollywood as the Stars and the Oaks knocked out 40 together, breaking the league record in the ninth.

Seattle topped Portland, 8-7, in 10 innings. Seattle started out with a five-hit, five-run first inning, only to see the Beavers score four times in the second on four singles, a hit batter and an error; tie it up in the fifth and go ahead, 7-6; in the ninth.

Seattle tied it 7-7 in the ninth on John Rucker's triple and a fly ball and won it in the 10th with John O'Neil's double and Rucker's single.

A 16-hit attack by Sacramento beat the San Diego Padres, 8-4. San Diego snatched a 3-1 lead in the second but Ed Fitzgerald smacked a two-run homer in the same inning to tie the score and Johnny Rizzo's 10th homer of the season gave the Seals the lead in the fifth which they didn't give up.

Short score: R H E
Portland . . . 040 010 002 0—7 13 0
Seattle . . . 500 001 001 1—8 14 3
Beaver and Silvers: Duplel, Cecil (2), Posedel (9) and Sueme.

On Labor Day of last year the Siletz outfit was in Klamath Falls and dropped a game to the Seals, 14 to 6.

New Athletic Head
SEATTLE, July 3 (AP)—Harold S. McNeese, for 10 years coach at Houghton college, N. Y., was signed yesterday to become athletic director and coach at Seattle Pacific college. President C. Hoyt Watson announced.

HIT CHAMPION 12 YEARS
Ty Cobb held the American league batting championship nine years in a row from 1907 through 1915, and again from 1917 through 1919, for a record of 12 out of 13 years.

Los Angeles 54 40 .574
San Francisco 50 42 .543
Oakland 48 42 .533
Sacramento 46 46 .500
Portland 40 43 .482
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San Diego 41 50 .451
Seattle 39 50 .438

Last Night's Results
Sacramento 8, San Diego 4.
Los Angeles 2, San Francisco 1.
Seattle 8, Portland 7.
Oakland 15, Hollywood 12.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
W L Pct.
Brooklyn 32 29 .524
Boston 37 29 .561
New York 35 28 .556
St. Louis 34 32 .515
Chicago 33 33 .500
Cincinnati 34 35 .493
Philadelphia 29 40 .420
Pittsburgh 25 40 .385

Last Night's Results
Brooklyn 11, New York 3.
Philadelphia 6, Boston 5.
Cincinnati 8, Pittsburgh 6.
Only games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 42 26 .618
Boston 34 31 .523
Detroit 34 31 .523
Philadelphia 34 32 .515
Cleveland 29 29 .500
Washington 30 33 .476
Chicago 32 37 .464
St. Louis 24 40 .375

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