

Memorial Day Sets Major Gate Records

Cincy Reds Knock Cards From Front Spot

Memorial Day, 1948, which produced the greatest single day turnout ever witnessed in the major leagues, will be remembered by baseball fans for a long time, but it will bring only poignant memories to followers of the St. Louis Cardinals.

By JOE REICHLER
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Only a comparative handful—24,009 persons—of the record paid admissions of 337,776 were on hand in Cincinnati to see the lowly Reds inflict two decisive defeats upon the slump-ridden Redbirds that knocked the Cards out of first place in the National league. The scores were 4-3 and 7-0. The defeats were the fourth and fifth straight suffered by the Cards. Today, as they prepare to open a long home stay, they find themselves out of the league lead for the first time since May 13.



The Philadelphia Athletics bounced first out and then back into the lead in the tight American league race by dividing a double-header with the Boston Red Sox before 24,838 hometown rooters. After Joe Dobson of the Red Sox had blanked them, 7-0, on four hits, the A's came back to win the second, 2-1, to retain their game lead over the Cleveland Indians.

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Even the galleries follow her. Jeanne Hempel is PGA's official scorer for major golf tournaments, shown here jotting down individual hole scores posted by Everett Stuart, left, and Howie DeAngelus during the recent PGA tourney at St. Louis.

The New York Yankees defeated the Washington Senators in both ends of a doubleheader, 10-0 and 5-4, before 62,626 fans at Yankee stadium.

DETROIT THROUGH
Detroit's biggest crowd of the year—55,875 fans—saw the Tigers divide a doubleheader with the Chicago White Sox. Scoring four runs in the first two innings, the Tigers won the opener, 5-4. The Sox belted four pitchers for 15 hits to win the second game, 9-3.

The largest attendance in the history of the Chicago Cubs—46,965—saw the Cubs and Pittsburgh Pirates split a twin bill. The Cubs won the opener, 4-3, and the Pirates took a 4-2 second game and left the third place only one game behind the front-running Giants.

After losing the opener to Philadelphia, 6-3, the Boston Braves sent the home crowd of 17,400 home happy by whipping the Phillies, 10-4, to snap a four-game losing streak.

BROWNIES SCHEDULE TRY-OUTS

ALBANY, Ore., June 1—The influence of the St. Louis Browns upon the baseball youth of the country will reach into this community when they open a four-day instructional school at Municipal park Thursday, June 24.

Return Bout Paces Card

A return struggle between Pete Belcastro and Glen (Buddy) Knox is on the armory calendar for Friday night.

Trojans Snare Diamond Title

PULLMAN, June 1 (AP)—Southern California's Trojans headed home today with the Pacific coast conference baseball championship as their reward for a 1,000-mile trek as the rain-soaked Northwest.

Suds Lambast Beavers Two Holiday Tilts

Seattle On Way Into Seven-Game Series At Frisco

By The Associated Press
Seattle gets its big chance at the Pacific Coast league leadership this week.

The Rainiers, three games out of first place, are scheduled to play the front-running San Francisco Seals tonight in the first of a lead-deciding seven-game series.

Seattle moved into close range by winning 17 of its last 20 games. The Rainiers achieved their latest two triumphs yesterday by tripping Portland 5-2 and 4-2 before a Memorial Day crowd of 12,092. The two-try win gave Seattle the series 7-1.

San Francisco, meanwhile, split its holiday doubleheader with third-place Los Angeles. The Seals won the opener 8 to 2 but dropped the second game, 4-8.

Oakland walloped Hollywood 10-2 in the first game but faltered in the second, 5-3. San Diego downed Sacramento 4-2 in the opener and the curfew halted the second tilt after 11 innings with the score tied at 5-5.

COMES FROM BACK
Seattle came from behind twice in extending its winning string yesterday. Dick Barrett's three-hitter in the first game for his eighth triumph and Bob Hall held Portland to six blows in the seven-inning distance in the second.

Seattle's Neil Sheridan set the pace at the plate with two homers, two doubles and a single.

San Francisco ended its four-game losing streak in blasting Los Angeles in the first game before 17,164 fans but the Angels took the series 3-2.

Oakland's Will Hafez held Hollywood to six hits in posting his sixth win in the opener. Lanky Bill Butland silenced the Oaks with a nifty relief job in the second game. His single with the bases full in the fourth drove in a pair of runs and iced the contest. Oakland won the series, 6-3.

San Diego overcame a 2-0 deficit by pushing across two runs in the sixth and two more in the seventh in winning the opener. In the second game, the Padres took a 5-0 lead but Sacramento racked three runs in the seventh and two in the ninth to send the game into extra innings. San Diego took the series 4-2.

Dams Should Be Kept Off Rogue River

Public hearings conducted by governmental agencies have a way of not amounting to much, generally, but there is one scheduled for the Medford armory June 8 that is touchy with dynamite.

The hearing is over a proposal by the bureau of reclamation to build dams on the Rogue river.

Ted Conn, member of the state game commission, will represent that organization and, with plenty of help from resort owners and anglers, try to persuade the federal government to drop the Rogue from its water development plans.

The Rogue is probably the most important sport fishing stream for salmon and steelhead on the Pacific Coast and contributes a large annual income to the region over there. The pleasure it gives the thousands of persons who fish the Rogue each year is unassessable. It should not be taken for commercial water development.

Here in the West the bureau of reclamation is powerful, but not all-powerful. In the matter of its plans for the Rogue river, sportsmen should put their collective foot down.

"This far ye shall go and no farther."

In a 1945 report the U. S. fish and wildlife service, which is a part of the department of interior along with the bureau of reclamation, recommended that the Rogue be left alone and pointed out three reasons for the recommendation:

- 1—Importance of the river for fishing.
- 2—Economically prohibitive fish salvage problems that would be involved.
- 3—Oregon law against building dams on the Rogue. There is such a law on the books.

However, the recommendation apparently has not been taken seriously.

The state game commission made a report, jointly with the fish and wildlife service, April 29, 1948, pointing out 11 good reasons why the Rogue should not be turned into a water development project. One was that the series of six power dams suggested for construction above the town of Prospect would destroy one of the most beautiful recreational streams in the West and seriously damage the runs of salmon and steelhead below the town.

A final recommendation was that congress dedicate the Rogue river to be set aside as a salmon and steelhead refuge for all time and that no further dams be permitted to be constructed at any point or time on the main stream, including the north fork, from its headwaters to the Pacific ocean.

There is no vital reason why the federal government and bureau of reclamation need to go into the Rogue country, and if sportsmen make that statement so plain at the Medford meeting, perhaps this one stream can be saved.

ONLY ONE SHELL IS SPOTLESS

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—When they sound the "ready all" at Poughkeepsie June 22 there will be only one crew answering with an undefeated record so far this year.

That will be the University of Washington Huskies from Seattle.

The Huskies, already Pacific Coast champions after a victory over California, last Saturday drubbed the University of Wisconsin Badgers, one-length conquerors of Navy, in record time on Lake Washington.

Navy's defending Poughkeepsie champions, meanwhile, returned to winning ways after a couple of defeats by handing Cornell its first loss Saturday on the Severn while the middle's commander-in-chief, an enthusiast named Harry S. Truman, looked on.

Navy previously had lost to Harvard and Wisconsin, while Cornell had beaten both the Johnnies and the Badgers.

Thus next month's Poughkeepsie water fight will see the navy and Cornell as the East's chief obstacles to Washington's goal of taking an undefeated record into the Olympic tryouts scheduled for June 30-July 10. Washington represented America in the 1936 Berlin Olympics.

All Olympic aspirants who row at Poughkeepsie, however, will face the task of converting from a distance to a sprint beat in eight days. The 'Keepsie classic is at three miles, while the Olympic tryouts are at 2000 meters.

Pyle Takes Nod Over Palmer

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 1 (AP)—Montreal's Joe Pyle, 145 1/2 pound stylist, gained a decision over Phil Palmer, 146, Vancouver, B. C., in the 10-round main event here last night. It was Pyle's second win over the ringwise Vancouver brawler.

In the preliminaries, Hal Robbins, 142 1/2, Vancouver, drew with Dick Wolfe, 142 1/2, Portland, (8); Roy Wouters, 150, Montreal, scored a second round TKO over Dick Abney, 164 1/2, Salem, Ore., and George Cote, 151 1/2, Vancouver, outpointed Dean Abney, 147 1/2, Salem (4).

Quebec—Fernando Gagnon, 118, Quebec, knocked out Ralph McNeil, 114, Springfield, Mass., (2).

Medford Takes Pair From Willows Squad

By The Associated Press
If the Redding Browns were winded after last night's doubleheader with Pittsburg in the Far West league they had ample reason.

The Browns pushed in 20 runs in the seven-inning nightcap, 11 of them in the fifth inning, for a 20-2 victory. The Diamonds had better luck in the opener, winning 7 to 3. Ray Herold got four hits in four times at bat for Pittsburg.

At Oroville the league leading Santa Rosa Pirates split a twin bill, dropping the opener 11-5 and holding on to their game and a half lead by grabbing the finale 6-0.

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Heavy Turnout Is Expectation

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., June 1 (AP)—The advance guard in an expected 100-plus player field started checking in today for the \$10,000 Albuquerque open golf tournament.

Following a last chance competition (unopposed) next week's tournament starts Thursday over the mile-high University of New Mexico course.

Lloyd Mangrum, seasoned Chicago campaigner, is due back to defend the crown he captured in last year's inaugural event, and most of the other 1947 money winners also have reservations.

Long Beach Net Outfit Victor

LEXINGTON, Mo., June 1 (AP)—Long Beach, Calif., junior college netters won the singles and doubles titles yesterday in the national junior college tennis tourney here.

John Flitz defeated Wally Bostwick of Seattle, Wash., and Modesto, Calif., 6-1, 6-3, to win the singles crown and teamed with Don Manke in the doubles to conquer Frank Sample and Wallace Vickery of San Mateo, Calif., 7-5, 6-4.

Kiwani's Win

The Kiwanis club successfully defended its service club golf championship yesterday, defeating an aggregation representing Rotary in 18-hole matches at Reames country club.

On Sunday the Lions had been defeated by Rotary. Kiwanis was the 1947 champion.

Oregon's Elk lake is situated a mile above sea level.

Western Mail Bag

Bud Beasley Is Back With The Rainier Fans

SEATTLE, June 1 (AP)—Bud Beasley's back. There is shouting in the streets and jubilation in the Seattle Rainier front office. The left-handed relief pitcher with the egg-beater windup ranks with the city's most popular people.

By JACK HEWINS
Bud Beasley is the boo insurance of Seattle's Pacific Coast League baseball club. Gen. Mgr. Earl Shively sits back and puts his stomach, which is beginning to get ample, if there's anything he likes better than a peanut it's a paid admission. Beasley brings 'em—win, lose or called-on-account—rain.

His first appearance in a Seattle uniform last year wowed the customers. (All he's had to do since is stick his head out of the dugout to send the fans rolling down Owner Emil Slek's aisles). Beasley went in with the Rainiers something like 17 runs behind and the paid admissions in an angry mood.

He started his wiggle-waggle windup down around his shoelaces, worked up to his knees, waved the ball at centerfield, third base and the blonde in the fourth row. Then he threw it. By that time the batter had the fibberly jibbets and the rival manager had galloping squawkitis.

It was pointed out to the latter that pitchers are permitted 20 seconds of windup and Beasley had used only 19 1/2. The batter was informed he had struck out. Beasley could tell from the noise of the crowd he was set for a long term contract.

"I told Bud," our Mr. Shively said, "to come back this year with a lot of stunts he could use in the coaching box. We can't let an attraction like him wither in the bullpen."

The Western International league is due to get a look at Beasley, too. The wily circuit hasn't had a right good laugh-by-product since Wes Schulmerich was used to take his third-base leadoff from left field. Shively said he would loan Bud to Vancouver, B. C., for a brief time as a starting tosser. And Beasley might also visit Great Falls, Mont., Seattle farm team in the Pioneer loop.

Beasley can hit, too, although he's likely to turn his back on the field at centerfield, third base and the blonde in the fourth row. Then he threw it. By that time the batter had the fibberly jibbets and the rival manager had galloping squawkitis.

Bud comes around this late in the season because he's a Reno school-marm in the winters.

Beats Challenge

TACOMA, June 1 (AP)—Stan Muir, Los Angeles, beat back a strong challenge by a fellow townsmen, Paul Pold, to win the 75-lap Memorial Day midget auto race main event on the Tacoma speedway. Muir's time for the 18 1/2 miles was 19:24.64.

Spring Tonic

The Western International league recently rescheduled to take in all the month of September because of so many early postponements but there is little likelihood that the Far West will follow suit.

Odell Produces Giant Rainbow

At least three local Frank Walter disciples came home satisfied from their Memorial Day angling labors.

Joe A. Jones, his brother Bill, and Bill Keene, all of Klamath Falls, returned home Monday evening from Odell lake with a total of 38 1/2 pounds of fish, all in three Rainbow trout.

All three were caught trolling, and the largest, a 17-pounder, was snagged on a flatfish by Bill Jones. The other two anglers shared honors on a 15-pounder and a 9 1/2-pound fish.

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Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: Pittsburg 7-2, Redding 3-20, Medford 7-12, Willows 5-11, Oroville 11-0, Santa Rosa 5-6, Klamath Falls-Marysville, wet grounds.

PACIFIC COAST

Table with columns: San Francisco, Seattle, Los Angeles, Oakland, San Diego, Hollywood, Sacramento, Portland. Includes W, L, Pct.

Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: Los Angeles 2-4, San Francisco 9-0, Oakland 10-3, Hollywood 2-5, Portland 2-2, Seattle, 5-4, San Diego 4-5, Sacramento 2-5, American League.

National League

Table with columns: Philadelphia, Cleveland, New York, Detroit, St. Louis, Washington, Boston, Chicago. Includes W, L, Pct.

Yesterday's Results

Table with columns: New York 10-5, Washington 0-4, Boston 7-1, Philadelphia 0-2, St. Louis 3-6, Cleveland 8-0, Chicago 4-9, Detroit 5-3.

WOMAN PG FILLERS

Use meringue with which to frost cupcakes. Just beat an egg white with one-eighth teaspoon salt until stiff but not dry, and add one-quarter cup brown sugar very gradually. Continue beating until mixture is stiff and glossy. Spread on cupcake batter in muffin pans and bake as usual.

DOUBLE-HEADER! Starting at 6:30 p. m. BASEBALL TONIGHT! Marysville vs. Gems GEMS STADIUM

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