

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Pollet Twirls 12th Win, 1-0 Philly Blank

Yanks Stretch Win Streak, Whitewash St. Louis, 6-0

By The Associated Press
Howie Pollet, who peddles insurance for Skipper Eddie Dyer in the winter, is selling many National League fans a pennant policy on the St. Louis Cardinals.

The slim lefthanded pitcher is helping Boss Dyer meet his premiums as Card manager with a fine 12-1 record that makes him top winner in the league.

Dyer has been criticized frequently for stringing along with his veteran players. Pollet, because he showed nothing in 1947 and only fair stuff last season, was an open target. Eddie never gave up on Howard, who pitched for him back in his old Texas league days at Houston.

Pollet didn't let Dyer down either. He lost his first two this season and readily retired to the bullpen to find his stuff. After four relief jobs he found the old 1946 pennant charm.

Knowing that Brooklyn already had protected his lead by striking Cincinnati in an afternoon game, 11-5, Pollet took the hill last night in Philadelphia. A win was a must for the Birds.

WINS 1-0
Pollet and Robin Roberts hooked up in a 9-0 duel just like the one Lanier lost to Ken Heintzelman Thursday night on a 1-0 score. It went down to the seventh with no score until Pollet's single drove home Eddie Kaskaz who had walked. Joe Garagiola's single had moved Kaskaz around into scoring position. That was all the scoring of another 1-0 game.

Another veteran Cardinal of the old pennant-winning days, Enos Slaughter, robbed the Phils of two scoring chances with sensational catches on Richie Ashburn and Willie Jones.

Brooklyn's lead remained at 1 1/2 games because the Dodgers helped Don Newcombe hobble home to his seventh win with homers by Tommy Brown, Roy Campanella and Jackie Robinson.

Warren Spahn of Boston, victim of four unearned runs in the first inning of Tuesday's All-Star game, had errorless support from the Braves in his 6-1 win over Chicago. Spahn hit a two-run homer in the second off Warren Hacker.

Boston clubbed the Cub pitchers for 13 hits, four by Pete Reiser. Jeff Heath, playing his first regular game since he broke his ankle turned in a flawless performance in left field and got one single in five trips to the plate.

Another shutout pitching job stretched the New York Yankees' American League lead to 6 1/2 games. Eddie Lopat blanked the St. Louis Browns, 6-0, while runnerup Cleveland lost to Philadelphia 8-0.

Yogi Berra, who never hit a home run in his home town of St. Louis, finally made the grade with two blasts while Lopat turned in a five-hitter. Alie Reynolds blanked the cellar club Thursday night with only three hits.

FELLER CLUBBED
The A's knocked Cleveland's Bobby Feller out of the box, ruing his five-game win streak with an 8-0 pasting. Dick Fowler, supposedly troubled by a sore arm, made the other champs look bad with a seven-hitter that broke a Tribe four-game win string.

Boston's fancy eight-game win spurge was halted by Detroit on a four-run rally in the ninth inning, 8-7.

Washington came up with a big eighth inning, scoring six runs to dump Chicago, 9-4.

Urge Apply For Antelope Tags
PORTLAND, July 16 (AP)—The state game commission asked hunters today to send applications for antelope tags to the Portland office at once.

The proposed antelope season is for August 20-25, although final hunting regulations will not be decided until July 23. A kill of 1000 is tentatively planned.

All applications for antelope tags must be in the game commission office by July 27. A public drawing will be held if the applicants outnumber the 1000 tags.

Phoenix, Ariz.—Clyde Bowman, 183, Los Angeles, knocked out Lonnie "Battling Blackjack" Craft, 171, Phoenix, 5.

34TH HOLE JINX FOR CLARK AS McCORMICK DRUBS DALLES GOLFER
SEATTLE, July 16 (AP)—A veteran and a youngster from Los Angeles tangled today with a Spokane man and a Montana girl over the Seattle Golf club's 6479 yards for the men's and women's Northwest amateur golf titles.

Walker Cupper Bruce McCormick fought off a terrific closing challenge yesterday by Oregon's young champion, James R. (Ronnie) Clark of The Dalles, to earn a berth in the men's finals opposite Ray Weston of Spokane.

Slender Alice Bauer, who hits the ball a mile from a windmill swing, is the other Californian who lasted to the 36-hole title round in the Pacific Northwest Golf association's 48th annual tournament. Matching men's par of 35 on the outgoing nine, she went three up on defending champion Mrs. J. C. Herron of Portland, Ore., and romped on to a 5 and 4 victory.

Edean Anderson of Helena, Mont., won the women's other scheduled 18-hole semi-windup with a 5 and 3 decision over Mrs. Lyle Bowman of Portland, Ore. Edean was runner-up last year and Mrs. Bowman was champion the year before.

McCormick and Weston each won 35 holes to dispose of their semi-final opponents by scores of 2 and 1. Both were leading one up, at the midway point and Weston, whose game has improved greatly since he won the crown in 1947, never let lanky young Bill Mahwinney of Vancouver, B. C., catch up.

Mahwinney, pointing for the Canadian amateur tourney, played superb golf but could never quite catch the steady Weston. The match actually was decided on the 34th hole when Weston struck an approach shot close to the cup out of a clump of bushes. He birdied the hole in four to go two up, with two holes to play. They halved the 35th.

That 404-yard 34th also brought McCormick a break he was needing badly. He had the hard working Clark four down after 29 holes, but the Oregonian lined out three straight birdies to cut the edge to a single hole and they halved the 33rd.

The 34th crosses a valley with a small lake at the bottom and Clark, trying for a long drive, hooked into the water. It cost him a penalty stroke and he lost the hole by that home swing to go two down with two to play. The match ended on the 35th when McCormick sank a five-foot putt for a half.



CLEAN-UP MAN—A batting spree has George Merkovich grinning happily.

Purchased from the Oakland Coasters when Gus Zernial broke his collarbone, Center Fielder Merkovich has hit .420 for more than two weeks as the White Sox clean-up man.

Pioneers Face Jets

Table with columns: W, L, Pct. for Klamath Falls, Dunsmuir, Hill, Yreka, McCleod, Mt. Shasta, Weed, Shasta Dam.

The Klamath Pioneers and Hill Jets tangle tomorrow afternoon at Gems stadium in what may be called a crucial game of the Northern California baseball league season.

The Pioneers are tied with Dunsmuir for first place in the league at seven wins against two losses, but the Jets have won six straight games and are nestled in third place, just a game away from the leaders.

Last week, Hill beat Dunsmuir, 7-0 while the Pioneers were making a 15-3 pasting from the McCleod Loggers.

Fran Miller is scheduled to start on the mound for the Klamath Falls club, and game time is 2:30.

Elsewhere around the NoCal circuit, games tomorrow put McCleod at Mt. Shasta, Yreka at Dunsmuir and Shasta Dam at Weed.

Bevos Sign Third Negro

PORTLAND, July 16 (AP)—The Portland Beavers expect to have a third Negro in their lineup at Los Angeles Sunday. The Coast League club announced the purchase of Art Pennington, outfielder, from the Chicago Giants of the colored major league. He will take over for Johnny Rucker, injured last Tuesday.

Pennington, who is hitting .349, will be rushed to the coast in an attempt to join the Beavers at Los Angeles Sunday. The Beavers need help since both Second Baseman Ed Bazinski and Rucker were injured this week.

Negro players signed earlier were Outfielder Louis Marquet and Shortstop Frank Austin. Both played important roles in the Beavers' recent drive up from the cellar.

Tennis Exiles Battle In Semi-Finals As Swiss Cops Watch For Czech Legation

GSTAAD, Switzerland, July 16 (AP)—While security police kept a wary eye on Czechoslovakian diplomats, tennis stars Jaroslav Drobny and Vladimir Cernik, who renounced the communist Czech government, faced each other today in the semi-finals of the Swiss championships.

Drobny defeated Cernik 6-0, 6-1 and will play Earl Cochell of the United States in the finals tomorrow.

The two gave strict orders to the Swiss that they were not to be contacted for any reason whatsoever by members of the Czech legation—and their wishes apparently were being carried out.

Jan Zalenka, cultural attache of the Czechs, demanded to be taken to their room, but was refused. He then said he wished to talk to them by phone, but the Swiss security police, who were rushed from Bern to protect the athletes, also vetoed that idea.

The actual tournament has been pushed to the background while players and officials speculate on the results of the move. In joint statements, Drobny, a mainstay of the Czech Davis Cup team and a

Durocher Still Shaking 'Em Up GIANTS HAVE NEW LOOK—FOR ALMOST EVERY GAME

AP Newfeatures
NEW YORK—Long before the Dodgers set up training camp at Vero Beach, Fla., last spring, writers covering the team's activity picked Brooklyn to win the National League pennant. As the season reached the half-way mark the scribes had only one worry.

We'll win the pennant for sure, they said, unless Branch Rickey starts making attempts to improve the team. The Dodger president, always one to look to make improvements, has made few changes since the season started.

Burt Shotton is picking his own lineup, something that was in doubt in 1947 when Shotton hurriedly accepted the job as interim manager after Leo Durocher was suspended by Commissioner A. B. Chandler. Shotton was unfamiliar with the league and its personnel. He had to rely on his coaches and Rickey's uncanny knack for spotting the minute flaws in the Dodger team.

In 1948 when Durocher was reinstated and returned to manage Brooklyn there still was some doubt about whether Leo or Branch ran the day-to-day control. Leo, of course, was giving the hit and run and steal signals but some writers has the suspicion that Rickey was picking the lineups and sometimes the pitchers.

When Durocher left Brooklyn last July to become manager of the Giants the suspicion that Rickey was running things in Ebbets field still remained.

But now with Durocher solidly planted as manager of the Giants under a new three-year contract running through 1951, the baseball experts are beginning to notice that it must have been Lippy who was running the Dodgers all the time.

The changes he has made in the Giant team are reminders of the alterations he used to make with the Dodgers.

When you go to the Polo Grounds these days you really must depend on the scorecard seller's axiom "You can't tell the players without a scorecard."

Branch Rickey has been blamed for a lot of things in Brooklyn but

Bevos Notch Third Saltzman Stingy As Angels Humbled, 6-2

Coast league pitchers are beginning to give batters plenty of trouble. Take Charley Schanz, Ken Holcombe and Hal Saltzman, for instance.

Schanz notched his 14th win last night, striking Seattle to a 5-1 rout over San Francisco. Charley gave up only four hits and for the first six frames allowed only one run. He struck out seven batters.

Judnich accounted for the lone Seal run with a homer in the seventh. The Rainiers scored three times in the ninth on two walks, a pair of singles and a force. Seattle leads the series, two games to one.

Holcombe held Hollywood to six safeties as Sacramento trimmed the loop leaders 6-3. It was his 12th victory.

The Solons chased Pinky Woods in the second with a five-run outburst. The trick was turned on three walks, three singles and a double.

The Solons have the series edge, two to one.

Saltzman checked Los Angeles for six hits while Portland beat the Angels 6-2, taking a three-zero series edge. The Beavers collected all their runs in the sixth frame, homers by Leo Thomas and Jim Gladd accounting for five of them.

In marking off his 11th win, Rookie Saltzman walked seven, but fanned five.

San Diego shaded Oakland 5-3, with Orestes Mino's seventh-inning single producing the winning run. The Acorns had tied the count 4-4 in the sixth on Jackie Jensen's three-run homer. Dain Clay scored four of the Padre runs, helping Jess Flores turn in his 12th pitching victory of the year.

The win gave the Padres a two-one series edge.

Today's schedule: Hollywood (Glenn Moulder 10-5) at Sacramento (Don Johnson 3-10 or Tom Rose 2-3); Seattle (Herb Karpel 9-4) at San Francisco (Harry Feldman 1-1); Oakland (Ralph Buxton 4-4) at San Diego (Lynn Lindse 5-9); Portland (Vince Di Biasi 6-11) at Los Angeles (Don Carlson 6-8). (All games at night except Oakland at San Diego.)

Seattle 000 100 103-5 7 0
San Francisco 000 000 100-1 4 1
Schanz and Graso, Warren (9); Nagy, Singleton (9) and Parter, Harris (8).

Portland 000 006 000-6 9 1
Los Angeles 010 000 001-2 6 2
Saltzman and Gladd; Stephens, Anthony (6), Ihde (8) and Burbrink.

Hollywood 100 200 000-3 6 0
Sacramento 050 000 10x-6 9 1
Woods, Roy (2) and Sandlock; Holcombe and Raimondi.

Oakland 001 003 000-4 9 4
San Diego 103 010 100-5 8 1
Thompson and Kerr; Flores and Moore, Ritchey (7).

Salem Forester Dies On Cruise

DALLAS, July 16 (AP)—Richard E. DeCamp, 32, prominent Salem forester, collapsed of a heart attack and died in a canyon near Valdez while cruising timber yesterday.

DeCamp was chief forester of the Willamette Valley Lumber Co., and affiliates. He also was a member of the OAC lands advisory board, and was Polk county chairman of the Keep Oregon Green association.

An Oregon State college graduate, he had been working on a long-range sustained yield program for the Gerlinger mills recently, conducting experiments on reforestation. The widow and three children survive.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT
Long Beach, N. Y.—Sandy Sadder, 127, New York, stopped Chief Gordon Howe, 136, Houston, 4.
Hollywood—Mario Triko, 135, Monterey, Mex., outpointed Joey Angelo, 139 1/2, Providence, R. I., 10.
Las Vegas—Jimmy Binns, 182 1/2, Cleveland, knocked out Watson Jones, 180, Los Angeles, 2.

Jordan Turns In 10th Win

Klamath Falls bounced back into the win column last night and Pittsburg won its fourth straight game to keep the Far West baseball league tight as a drum in the upper division. But coming up fast on the outside are the Marysville Braves whom the Gems play tonight at Marysville in the start of a three-game series.

Last night Niles Jordan limited the Santa Rosa Cats to four hits and marked up his 10th win of the season as the Gems beat the Cats 8-1. Pittsburg edged Redding 7-6 and the Marysville club took both ends of a twin bill from the unfortunate Medford Nuggets 6-1 and 9-0. Pete Smith held the Nuggets to two hits in the nightcap.

The Braves have won six straight and 12 of their last 13 starts, but are still lodged in sixth place. The league's other game went 10 innings before Willows subdued Vallejo 16-14.

The Gems got to George Gray for two runs in the top of the first last night and that was enough as Jordan was practically untouchable. The victory kept the Gems half a game ahead of Pittsburg in the league's first place and four games ahead of third-place Willows.

Squat Bill Ernos homered in the seventh inning for Pittsburg to provide what proved to be the winning run as the Diamonds defeated Redding and made a clean sweep of that series. Gene Painter tripled with two aboard in the tenth to give Willows its racecourse win over Vallejo.

Line scores:
Klamath Falls 300 000 141-8 11 1
Santa Rosa 010 000 000-1 4 4
Jordan and Mohler; Gray, Barron (9) and Billings. (Box score unavailable.)

Redding 020 030 010-6 7 1
Pittsburg 000 042 10x-7 11 3
Howard, Ouellet (6) and Johnson; Hernandez and Lucido.

Medford 010 000 0-1 4 2
Marysville 010 041 x-8 7 1
(Ast game; 7 innings)
Dykes, Roach (6) and Reagan, Buono (2); D. Smith and Carr.

Medford 000 000 0-0 2 5
Marysville 300 031 11x-9 10 0
(2nd game)
Macmillan, Waters (5) South (6) and Buono; Swain and Casey.

Willows 300 124 103-2-16 17 4
Vallejo 600 000 305 0-14 21 3
(16 innings)
Green, Cox (1), Dudley (9) and Graves; Carter, DiMaggio (3), Harding (7) and Triandos.

Pilots Add Two Mentors

PORTLAND, Ore. (Special)—The signing of two assistant football coaches and a trainer by University of Portland's athletic committee this week put Head Coach Harry Wright's staff at full strength for the opening of the Pilots' grid campaign next September.

New assistant coaches are Floyd Simmons, former Notre Dame full-back and professional star, who will instruct backfield men and Joe Tedeschi, ex-Pilot guard, who will serve as freshman football coach.

New full-time trainer will be August Pelline, who starred for Niagara university and served as trainer at Aquinas Institute, Rochester, N. Y., when Wright was head coach there from 1946 to 1949.

Major League LEADERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting—Robinson, Brooklyn, .361; Kiner, Pittsburgh, .330.
Runs batted in—Robinson, Brooklyn, 67; Hodges, Brooklyn, 65.
Home runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh, 23; Gordon, New York, 18.
Pitching—Sewell, Pittsburgh, 5-0, 1,000; Roe, Brooklyn, 8-2, and Lombard and Chambers, Pittsburgh, 4-1, 800.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Batting—Kell, Detroit, .346; DiMaggio, Boston, .343.
Runs batted in—Stephens, Boston, 89; Williams, Boston, 87.
Home runs—Stephens, Boston, 21; Williams, Boston, 20.
Pitching—Reynolds, New York, 10-1, 509; Wynn, Cleveland, 6-1, 857.

Major League LEADERS

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The STANDINGS

FAR WEST LEAGUE
Klamath Falls 46 26 .639
Pittsburg 44 29 .623
Willows 44 32 .578
Redding 39 37 .513
Santa Rosa 37 37 .500
Marysville 34 40 .459
Vallejo 31 46 .403
Medford 22 54 .289

Yesterdays Results
Klamath Falls 8, Santa Rosa 1.
Pittsburg 7, Redding 6.
Willows 16, Vallejo 14.
Marysville 6-9, Medford 1-0.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Hollywood 58 44 .567
Sacramento 57 31 .528
San Diego 57 54 .514
Oakland 56 54 .509
Seattle 57 55 .509
Portland 53 56 .486
San Francisco 48 62 .439
Los Angeles 45 65 .408

Yesterdays Results
Seattle 5, San Francisco 1.
Sacramento 6, Hollywood 3.
San Diego 5, Oakland 4.
Portland 6, Los Angeles 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn 49 31 .613
St. Louis 48 33 .593
Boston 44 37 .543
Philadelphia 42 39 .519
New York 39 38 .506
Pittsburgh 35 43 .449
Cincinnati 31 47 .397
Chicago 31 51 .378

Yesterdays Results
Brooklyn 11, Cincinnati 5.
St. Louis 1, Philadelphia 0.
Boston 6, Chicago 1.
Pittsburg at New York, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 52 27 .658
Cleveland 45 33 .575
Philadelphia 45 36 .556
Boston 43 37 .538
Detroit 42 49 .461
Washington 34 43 .442
Chicago 34 48 .415
St. Louis 24 55 .304

Yesterdays Results
Detroit 8, Boston 7.
Washington 9, Chicago 4.
Philadelphia 8, Cleveland 0.
New York 6, St. Louis 0.

Ski Tournament On Mt. Hood

PORTLAND, July 16 (AP)—The national four-way ski tournament will be held on Mount Hood, east of here, next February 25-26, President Ted Wassard of the Cascade Ski club said Friday.

The meet originally had been awarded to the Seattle area, but sponsorship there was withdrawn and the Cascade club offered to handle it, he said.



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