

# Stephens' Bat Hot; Sox Split With Indians

## Joltin' Joe Homers As Yanks Divide Chicago Twin Bill

By The Associated Press  
If Joe McCarthy's Boston Red Sox fail to overtake the New York Yankees in the American League pennant struggle, it will not be the fault of Vern (Junior) Stephens.

Stephens currently is pacing the field with 23 four-baggers and 33 runs batted in. His closest pursuer is Teammate Ted Williams, who has 21 homers and 89 RBIs.

Vern lashed out two homers and drove in all Boston's runs as the Red Sox divided a doubleheader with the Indians in Cleveland yesterday before a crowd of 73,599.

With First Baseman Mickey Vernon knocking in three runs with a double and single, the Tribe won the opener, 4-2. Stephens batted in both Boston runs with a home run and a single in three official times at bat.

The Sox came back to win the nightcap, 2-1, as young Chuck Probst outpitched veteran Al Benton. Again Stephens fashioned both Boston runs. He singled to score Johnny Pesky with the tying run in the sixth inning, and won the game in the ninth with his 23rd homer.

The split prevented the two clubs from making any gain on the pace-setting Yankees, but the Red Sox were able to vault past Philadelphia into third place. The Athletics dropped to fourth place, losing a doubleheader to the Tigers in Detroit 8-0 and 5-4.

### DIMAGGIO HOMERS

The Yankees split a twin bill with the White Sox. Joe DiMaggio's sixth home run in the seventh inning gave the Yankees the opener, 2-1, and Vic Raschi his 14th triumph against only two losses. The White Sox pounded Fred Sanford and Frank Shea for 14 hits to earn a 7-3 triumph in the nightcap.

Paul Campbell, little used first baseman, shared the hero's role with Southpaw Ted Gray as the Tigers nooped the A's twice to climb within a game and a half of the Mackmen. Campbell slugged a home run with the bases full and added two singles as Gray blanked the A's, 8-0, in the opener on three hits. The Tiger first baseman then won the second game with an 11th inning single that drove in the winning run in Detroit's second game 5-4 triumph.

The St. Louis Browns swept their first doubleheader of the season, taking two from the Washington Senators. Roy Stevens sparked the Browns' attack with five hits in seven times at bat.

Brooklyn retained its game and a half lead over runner-up St. Louis, edging out the Chicago Cubs, 4-3, while the Cardinals were beating the Giants in New York, 10-1.

### OLMOS SPARKS

Luis Olmo, recently reinstated Mexican league jumper, broke up the Cub-Dodger battle with a ninth inning homer, his first of the season.

Red Humber had an easy time winning his seventh game as his Cardinal teammates, Red Schoendienst and Eddie Kaskab, blasted home runs. The Cards collected 13 hits.

Cliff Chambers bested Russ Meyer in a hurling duel as the Pirates gained a five-inning triumph over the Phils. Rain washed out the rest of the contest as well as the scheduled second game. Rain also cut the scheduled twin bills in Brooklyn and New York in half.

Eddie Sauer's ninth inning single with two out scored Eddie Stanky with the run that gave Boston its first game triumph over the Reds. Kent Peterson outpitched Johnny Antonelli in the nightcap.

Steel pipes and tubes now are made in sizes ranging from hypodermic needles to pipes 150 inches or more in diameter.



OLD FOLKS — Orie Arntzen won 14 straight games, or all he pitched for Albany of the Eastern league this season. Records show the Cedar Rapids right-hander to be 40.

Also splitting a pair were San Diego and Oakland. The Padres' Max West hit his 23rd homer of the year—a grand slammer—in the first game. Pitcher Xavier Rescigno helped his cause along with a three inning double that drove in three runs. The Padres won the opener 11 to 2. In the finale, homers by Loyd Christopher, Frank Kerr and Parnell Woods helped to slug out a 11 to 1 win for the Oaks.

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### Major League Leaders

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Robinson, Brooklyn, .363;  
Kiner, Pittsburgh, .332.  
Runs batted in—Robinson, Brooklyn, 68; Hides, Brooklyn, 65.  
Home runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh, 24; Gordon, New York, 17.  
Pitching—Sewell, Pittsburgh, 5-0, 16.000; Chambers, Pittsburgh, 3-1, 333.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—DiMaggio, Boston, .343; Kell, Detroit, .326.  
Runs batted in—Stephens, Boston, 53; Williams, Boston, 49.  
Home runs—Stephens, Boston, 23; Williams, Boston, 21.  
Pitching—Reynolds, New York, 10-1, .908; Wynn, Cleveland, 7-1, .875.

### Adams Cops Handicap Trap Trophy

SALEM, July 18 (AP)—W. H. McCrady, Portland, won the all-around championship of the Oregon PITA trapshoot in final rounds here yesterday.

George W. Vornish, Sutherlin, won the state handicap title, and F. L. Dambacher, Walnut Grove, Calif., and Bert Dampier, Seattle, tied for the out-of-state all-around crown.

The out-of-state aggregate high honors went to Harry Shaw, Ellensburg, Wash.

McCrady and Clyde Fox, Merrill, Ore., tied for the all-around at 380 apiece. McCrady then broke 25 straight targets in both the 16-yard and handicap and had 21 in the doubles for the title. Fox missed three at 16 yards, one in the handicap and 23 in the doubles.

For the state handicap, Cornish won in a shootoff with three others. Cornish, McCrady, Charles Wellington, Burns, Clay Dooley, Portland, each had 98 of 100 targets. Then in the shootoff Cornish blasted 73 of 75 for the title.

Dr. J. Martin Adams, Klamath Falls, annexed the preliminary handicap trophy Saturday. He won in a shootoff with W. P. Janser, Grants Pass, and Forsberg, Portland. They had tied at 94 and Dr. Adams hit 46 birds in the shootoff. Janser hit 44 and Forsberg 43.

Brazil is somewhat larger than the United States and three times the size of Argentina.

# Beavers Move From Doormat Position Fast

## Portland Captures Pair From Angels; Stars, Sacs Split

By The Associated Press  
The Portland Beavers, once thought to be permanent tenants of the Pacific Coast league basement, are moving upstairs—and fast.

The Beavers took a pair Sunday from the current cellar-dwellers, Los Angeles 8 to 6 and 7 to 1. Portland's Sunday ace, Tommy Bridges, hurled a four-hitter in the finale.

The double win put Portland 12 1/2 games behind the league-leading Hollywood Stars and only a game and a half behind Oakland and Seattle, tied for fourth place.

Hollywood and second-place Sacramento split Sunday. The Solos took the opener 4 to 2 and the Stars the nightcap 6-5. The series count ended 4 to 2 in favor of the sizzling Solos. The Stars are eight games in front.

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Monday's schedule:  
San Francisco (Gus Dempsie) at Oakland (Charlie Gasaway), 8:15 p. m., PST. (Only game scheduled.)

# The STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Klamath Falls	47	27	.633
Pittsburg	50	29	.633
Willows	44	34	.564
Redding	40	38	.513
Santa Rosa	39	37	.513
Marysville	25	41	.381
Medford	32	47	.405
Valejo	22	56	.282

### Sunday's Results

Klamath Falls 6, Marysville 4.  
Santa Rosa 12, Medford 8.  
Pittsburg 11, Willows 8.  
Valejo 13-2, Redding 11-7.

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Hollywood	69	46	.600
Sacramento	59	52	.532
San Diego	59	55	.518
Oakland	57	56	.504
Seattle	58	57	.504
Portland	55	57	.491
San Francisco	50	63	.442
Los Angeles	46	67	.407

### Sunday's Results

Seattle 6-0, San Francisco 2-1.  
Portland 8-7, Los Angeles 6-1.  
San Diego 11-1, Oakland 2-11.  
Sacramento 4-3, Hollywood 2-6.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	50	32	.610
St. Louis	49	34	.590
Boston	46	38	.548
Philadelphia	43	40	.518
New York	39	41	.488
Pittsburgh	38	43	.469
Cincinnati	33	48	.407
Chicago	31	53	.369

### Sunday's Results

Brooklyn 4, Chicago 3.  
St. Louis 10, New York 1.  
Pittsburg 2, Philadelphia 1.  
Boston 5-2, Cincinnati 4-3.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	53	29	.646
Cleveland	47	34	.580
Philadelphia	45	38	.542
Baltimore	45	39	.536
Detroit	44	41	.518
Washington	34	46	.425
Chicago	36	49	.424
St. Louis	27	55	.329

### Sunday's Results

Cleveland 4-1, Boston 2-2.  
Detroit 8-5, Philadelphia 0-4.  
St. Louis 15-7, Washington 8-4.  
New York 2-3, Chicago 1-7.

# All-Stars Shoot At Offensive Records

PORTLAND, July 18 (Special)—The Oregon All-Stars and Portland All-Stars, when they clash here at Multnomah stadium August 27, will aim at some tough offensive records established in last year's first annual Shriners' hospital all-star football game.

Some of the figures recorded in the opening classic may be on the books for years to come as this game between graduated high school seniors develops through the years.

Sam Baker of Corvallis, who scored four touchdowns and 24 points for Oregon, has the record that most grid observers feel will withstand assault the longest time. Another is the Jerry Mitchell of Ashland, who was successful in each attempt as the upstate team whipped Portland 35 to 13.

Two others that may be a long time in being erased are the punt of 96 yards by Pat Duff of Grant and the pass intercepted return of 90 yards by Baker.

Many of the others are sure to fall in this year's tilt. The coaches have been permitted to employ any style of offense. Both Eric Waldorf of the Portland team and Mel Ingram of Oregon have announced that they plan to vary their attacks, mixing both T-formation and single wingback. They may employ different units for each style.

Following is a list of game records: Longest run from scrimmage—Sam Baker, Corvallis, 21 yards.  
Longest kickoff return—Don Fuller, Commerce, 26 yards.  
Longest punt—Pat Duff, Grant, 96 yards.  
Most complete passes—Don Fuller, Commerce, 7 (85 yards).  
Longest scoring play—John Ferris, Grant, to Dave Powell, Washelli, 47 yards.  
Most points scored—Sam Baker, Corvallis, 24 (4 touchdowns).  
Most conversions—Jerry Mitchell, Ashland, 5.  
Longest pass interception return—Sam Baker, Corvallis, 90 yards.  
Longest punt return—Pat Duff, Grant, 15 yards.  
Most total yardage—Sam Baker, Corvallis, 99 yards.  
Most first downs—Portland, 14.  
Most team yardage from scrimmage—Oregon, 152.  
Most team yardage from passing—Portland, 147.  
50-yard total team yardage—Portland, 238.

# Kyne Visions Bay Meadows Purse At Million Dollars

SAN MATEO, Calif., July 18 (Special)—With construction work on the Bay Meadows track rapidly taking place on schedule, General Manager William P. Kyne announced yesterday \$1,000,000 will be allocated for purse distribution when the fall meeting opens September 13.

With the aid of its neighbor Jockey, the California Jockey club directors plan to distribute this amount subject to approval of the California horse racing board. If granted, approximately \$2,000,000 will be distributed in Northern California this fall by both Bay Meadows and Tanforan, making this the richest season ever for thoroughbred owners.

Meeting is the forthcoming meeting is the 17th running of the \$50,000 Bay Meadows Handicap slated for Saturday, October 22. The distance is a mile and one-eighth. Kyne also announced a \$5000 quarter horse handicap is billed in conjunction with the Bay Meadows Handicap October 22. This is unquestionably the largest purse ever offered for horses of this breed in the state. The race will be contested at one-quarter mile. Quarter horse events have been scheduled for each racing day of the meeting in addition to the regular eight race card.

Meanwhile, the \$1,000,000 face lifting job is gradually making Bay Meadows one of the finest race courses in the country. The semi-circular paddock, clubhouse, and turf club will be completed shortly. Work on the new barn area at the east of the oval is on schedule as well. Every other barn will be made of concrete and 100 per cent fireproof. Both the old and new barns will accommodate 3000 horses. Approximately 2000 are expected to be on hand when the meeting opens September 13.

Bay Meadows will not lack in visual charms, either. About \$75,000 has been spent to beautify the infield with decorative floral items.

# Golf Titles Leave Home Teen-Ager, Angeleno Grasp N.W. Amateur

SEATTLE, July 18 (AP)—Edean Anderson, a teen-ager from Helena, Mont., and the veteran Bruce McCormick of Los Angeles held the Pacific Northwest amateur golf titles today—the first time in many years they have left the home country.

Miss Anderson, 19, trimmed 21-year-old Alice Bauer of Los Angeles for the women's crown Saturday, 3 and 1, rallying at the close of the 36-hole finals to grab the diadem.

McCormick, who had played just well enough to win during the week-long tourney, suddenly broke up with a rash of birdies to crush Ray Weston of Spokane, Pacific Northwest Golf association champ in 1947, 7 and 6.

Miss Bauer, whose exaggerated backswing was the talk of the tourney, took a five-up lead on Edean in the first nine holes and was three up when they turned the 18-hole corner. After lunch the Montana girl chopped four strokes off women's par 37 to even the argument in nine holes. She finally won the front on the 32nd hole and won the 34th and 35th.

Weston turned in sub-par golf that would have squelched almost anyone but McCormick. The Spokane player was one under par for the 30 holes they were tied, but the California Walker-cupper was eight under.

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# High School Big Wheel

KAMLOOPS, B. C., July 18 (CP)—An 18-year-old high school student, Cliff Keeley, has stepped out on the major league scene as the big wheel—the major league.

Keeley was signed up here Saturday by Scout Tony Robello, of St. Louis Browns. He is to appear at the Browns' spring training camp next year.

Robello says he is dispatching Keeley south for a pitching try-out in the United States. If he doesn't make the grade, he will still be assured of an outfield spot.

Keeley will finish out the season with Kamloops in the Okanagan valley International league.

# Pioneers Win, 3-2

STANDINGS

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Klamath Falls	5	2	.859
Dunsuir	3	2	.600
Hill	6	4	.600
McCloud	5	5	.500
Yreka	5	5	.500
Weed	4	6	.400
Mt. Shasta	2	7	.300
Shasta Dam	1	9	.100

At least two teams were mathematically eliminated Sunday from the four-club playoff which will decide the Northern California baseball league championship next month.

Mt. Shasta and Shasta Dam, the tail-enders, couldn't get into the first division now if they started winning.

Klamath Falls and Dunsuir, with four games to play, are virtually assured of playoff spots.

The Pioneers Sunday afternoon defeated the Hill Jets 3-2 in a tight match at Gems stadium. Frank Miller held the Jets to six hits and struck out 11.

A four-hit third inning, including Earl Brooks' triple and two hits errors, gave the Pioneers two runs in that frame and the lead that was never overcome, and in the sixth Willie Dunster reached base on an error, took second on a passed ball and scored on the Margary LoScalzo's single for the ordinal run.

Hill didn't score until the ninth inning when three hits, one a misjudged fly to short center, let in two runs.

Pitcher Loren Cummings of the Jets had nine strikeouts.

Dunsuir kept pace by downing Yreka 9-4.

The McCloud Loggers defeated Mt. Shasta 6-5 and Weed used 21 hits and 11 errors to shellack Shasta Dam 21-0.

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Cummings and R. Trince; Miller and Goldbar.

# McMinnville In Semi-Pro Lead

PORTLAND, July 18 (AP)—Kercher Lumber of Forest Grove and McMinnville moved into the winners' circle last night as the 14th annual state semi-pro baseball tournament got under way for a 32 night grind.

The Kerchers, tournament favorites, were paced to a 6 to 0 win over Dayton by the three-hit hurling of Pete Jonas. In the second game, McMinnville defeated Oregon City, 3 to 0, with 18-year-old Marty Bergen allowing only three hits.

Six teams meet tonight. Cornelius is paired against Willamette; Philomath meets Amity, and Odell meets Portland's Mecca Lunch.

# GEMS STAY AHEAD

Pittsburg Just Points Away

The joust between Klamath Falls and Pittsburg for Far West baseball leadership boiled down to fractions over the week-end. Pittsburg figured on games won and lost, is half a game in the lead, but percentage-wise the Gems hold the edge. Klamath is figured at .633 (47-29) while the Diamonds stand at .633 (50-29).

Klamath Falls lost to the Marysville Braves 10-9 Saturday night and yesterday went 13 innings to defeat the Braves 6-4. Pittsburg, meanwhile, was slapping the Willows Cards 17-4 Saturday and 8-1 yesterday. Unbeaten Blair Simpson won his eighth game Saturday for the Diamonds.

Johnny Lopeman was credited with his 12th win yesterday in a relief chore. He took over from Chuck Schildmeyer in the seventh with the Gems leading 4-3 but Marysville tied the score at 4-4 in the eighth and the game progressed 13 frames before the Gems finally won.

In the Klamath half of that frame, Buck Smith was hit by Pitcher Ditch Smith and was sacrificed to second by Pinky Hesse. Smith did himself more damage by miffing Hesse's bunt. Bill Reese singled Faller's home and a few moments later with the bags loaded Ralph Mohler was hit by a pitch from Herb Hamill, Smith's successor, and Hesse scored.

The Saturday night game resulted in Niles Jordan's third loss of the season, also in relief. Marysville shelled Joe Nicholas in the ninth with a seven-run burst to tie the score at 9-9 and in the tenth outfielder Jack Sherratt stole home on Jordan with the winning run.

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# Lloyds Beat Champions

EUGENE, July 18 (AP)—A laden team from Lloyd's in Portland edged out the defending champions of Eugene Country Club to win the 13th annual Willamette Valley Golf association tournament.

The Portlanders posted a team score of 903 for the two day 36 hole event, 29-over-par. The defending champions had 905. Portland's Colwood was third with 907; Laurewood of Eugene and Devil's Lake tied for fourth with 919.

Johnny Ekstrom, University of Oregon student playing for Laurewood, was 70-71 with a three-under-par 171-141.

The Salem team scored 991; Corvallis 988 and Albany 928.

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# Greeks, Turks Renew Battling: This Time It's Soccer Warfare

ISTANBUL—A soccer match has brought feelings between Greeks and Turks to the highest pitch since the war of 1922.

There has been some serious name-calling. The foreign ministers of each country, speaking before their respective parliaments, have been caustic. There have been serious anti-Greek demonstrations here.

The newspaper "Zafer" at Ankara remarked editorially that the soccer incident reflected the "real characteristics of the hoodlums we threw into the sea at Smyrna the 9th of September (1922)."

While on the surface the matter was born of a soccer match, the actual cause is, of course, historic. A high placed Greek diplomat, at the height of the dispute, said: "There is no need trying to deceive ourselves. The Greeks and the Turks actually cannot be close friends. But cold-blooded thinking on both sides dictated the absolute necessity of our collaboration."

The two nations, each bolstered militarily and economically by America to hold back communism, are bound together under a friendship, economic and cultural treaty.

Here's what brought about today's situation:  
The Greeks staged the annual Mediterranean Football Friendship Cup matches. In the first match the Turks beat the Egyptians and in the second the Greeks. In the third, the Turks met the Italians. There are various versions, but the generally

accepted one is that the Turks became infuriated as thousands of Greek spectators loudly booed the Turks and cheered the Italians. With the score tied 2-2 and the game nearly over, an Italian booted a goal. The Turks protested he was offside. The Greek referee ruled it legal, and the Italians won.

Immediately after the game, the Turks charge, they were set upon by Greek partisans and mauled. Turks tried to break into the dressing room of the referee but police stopped them. An Italian substitute walked in from the field. A Turk kicked him severely.

Sports writers from Istanbul newspapers opened up. Papers devoted entire front pages to bitter attacks against the Greeks. Sports and student groups organized protest meetings. The largest was held here the day the defeated Turks—in Italy retained the cup—returned. Inno stadium was packed. Nasty placards were everywhere. There were few Greeks around.

After the protest demonstration ended thousands of the demonstrators marched through Istanbul's central shopping district intent on reaching the Greek consulate and the Hellenic club. A hastily put up barricade and a full company of mounted police stopped them.