

# Braves Dump Gems Twice

## Kast Provides Payoff Punch

The Gems dumped down in second place a full two games back of the Pittsburg Diamonds as a result of a double dose of one-run trimmings administered by the flashy Marysville Braves at Gems stadium yesterday. Pittsburg won its Far West League game from Willows 6-3 to follow up a 9-6 Saturday win.

In both of yesterday's games the Braves had to thank Lee Kast, 18-year-old Yuba pitcher, for the winning punch.

Kast came into the afternoon tilt as a pinchhitter in the ninth inning and tripled with two on base to drive in the tying and winning runs. Last night he was batting centerfield and homered in the top of the ninth to break a 6-6 tie. He got into that game when the Braves had to shift the lineup after First Baseman Bill Ashley sprained his ankle in the second inning.

The double victory gave Marysville a split in the series, two games each way. Saturday night the Gems won 9-6 behind Stan Gilson. Niles Jordan was the loser in the first game yesterday and Joe Nicholas took the rap in the nightcap.

The Gems fell in the afternoon game 4-2 after eight frames. Jordan got Williams out on strikes to open the ninth but Ron Boone doubled. Bill Ashley fled out and Don Maddern singled to score Boone. Rex Carr came in to pinch hit and was nicked by a pitched ball, putting two on base. Kast then arrived to pinchhit and he slashed a triple to right for the payoff blow.

In the evening game Marysville got to Nicholas for three runs in the first frame and had a 6-4 lead at the end of seven. Single by Ralph Mohler and Nicholas, a walk and an error by Boone let in two runs to tie up the game.

Then in the top of the ninth with two out, Kast slugged a Nicholas pitch over the left field boards. Herb Hamill muffed the Gems in the home half of the inning.

Nicholas, in losing, fanned 11 and allowed only eight hits, but five errors hurt.

Tonight the Gems open a three-game series with the wandering Valjejo Chiefs here at 7:45. A doubleheader is scheduled for tomorrow night.

The box (afternoon):

MARYSVILLE	ABR	R	H	O	A	E
Williams, 2b	3	0	0	4	1	0
Boone, 1b	5	0	0	10	0	0
Boone, cf	4	1	3	0	0	2
Carr, c	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kast, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hamill, cf	5	0	2	1	1	1
Sherrill, rf	4	1	1	2	2	2
Wells, lf	4	1	1	2	2	2
Totals	37	5	11	27	11	6

KLAMATH FALLS—

Nordell, ss	ABR	R	H	O	A	E
Nordell, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Jensen, 2b	4	1	1	3	2	0
Hesse, cf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Rose, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Casey, c	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hernandez, if	4	1	2	0	0	0
Faller, 2b	4	2	1	2	1	1
Mohler, c	4	1	1	2	1	0
Jordan, p	4	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	36	4	8	27	7	1

Evening:

MARYSVILLE	ABR	R	H	O	A	E
Williams, 2b	3	1	0	4	7	0
Boone, 1b	1	0	1	1	0	1
Boone, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Casey, c	4	2	1	2	0	0
Hernandez, if	4	2	1	2	0	0
Sherrill, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Anthony, 2b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Wells, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Hamill, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	7	8	27	13	3

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Nordell, ss	3	0	1	2	3	1
Jensen, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	1
Hesse, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Rose, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Casey, c	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hernandez, if	3	0	0	0	0	0
Faller, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Mohler, c	3	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholas, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	0	0	2	12	3

MARYSVILLE

Williams, 2b	ABR	R	H	O	A	E
Williams, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boone, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boone, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Casey, c	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hernandez, if	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sherrill, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Anthony, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wells, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hamill, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	0	0	0	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	W	L	Pct.
New York	57	32	.640
Cleveland	53	36	.596
Philadelphia	49	41	.544
Detroit	48	42	.533
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Washington	39	52	.429
St. Louis	34	53	.391
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Yesterday's Results

New York 7, Detroit 3.
Cleveland 7-5, Washington 5-2.
Philadelphia 7-6, Chicago 2-4.
St. Louis 9-4, Boston 8-8.

Yreka Tops Hilt Outfit

DUNSMUIR, July 25—Leadership of the Northern California Sunday baseball circuit remained static yesterday but there was action in the nether parts of the circuit, particularly at the tail end.

Last-place Shasta Dam rose up to beat Mt. Shasta 11-6 for its second win of the season. Yreka defeated Hilt 9-5 and Weed shelacked McCloud 11-2.

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# Cards Overtake Bums As Musial Comes To Life

## Big Stan Turns In Batting Cycle In 14-1 Victory

By The Associated Press

If you value your life don't dare mention to a Brooklyn rooster that Stan Musial is having an off year.

Should you be lucky enough to be conscious when he gets through with you, he'll palmastakely prove that the only reason the St. Louis Cardinals are in first place today is that they own title to Stan (The Man) Musial.

You may argue that Musial, hitting only .290, is far below his normal batting gait. The Brooklyn fan will counter with a blow-by-blow description of Musial's one-man wrecking of Dodger pitching this year.

He'll first point out that Stan was the big gun in the Cards' 14-1 blasting of the Dodgers yesterday which shot them into the league lead by a half game over the Brooklyn Dodgers.

In that game, Musial completed a batting cycle—a single, double, triple and home run. He also batted in four runs.

The fan will recount from painful memory the 24 hits in 53 times at bat that Musial has collected against Dodger pitching, which adds up to a .453 batting mark. At Ebbets field, his average is a cool .533.

YANKS RALLY

The New York Yankees rallied gamely to come from behind and defeat the Detroit Tigers, 6-3, in 11 innings. As a result, Cleveland's 7-5-2 sweep of a doubleheader from Washington cut only a half game from the Yankees' margin which is now four games.

The Yankees tied the score at 2-2 in the top of the ninth when Johnny Lindell homered off Hal Newhouser. Then in the bottom half, a fine throw by Outfielder Hank Sauer cut Johnny Lipon down at the plate in a close decision. Three singles and a triple by Bauer featured a four-run 11th.

Bob Lemon relied upon his bat to register his 12th victory against four losses. The Indiana righthander belted two homers in the opener. First Baseman Mickey Vernon was the Tribe's big gun in the nightcap with two homers.

The third place Boston Red Sox dropped eight and a half lengths off the pace, dividing a doubleheader with the St. Louis Browns. The Browns eked out a 9-8 victory in the opener. Jack Kramer gained his first victory of the year as the Red Sox won the second, 6-4.

The Philadelphia Athletics swept a twin bill from the Chicago White Sox, 7-2 and 6-4, for their fourth and fifth victories in their last 17 games. Joe Coleman and Charlie Shantz were the winners.

Pittsburgh came from behind twice to sweep a doubleheader from the Boston Braves, 4-3 and 7-6. The Pirates spotted the Braves a 3-0 lead in the first inning of the opener, but caught up with Johnny Sain in the fourth and beat him in the seventh. Dino Restelli's first hit in 14 times at bat scored Johnny Hopp with the winning run.

REDS WIN

The Cincinnati Reds took a doubleheader from the Philadelphia Phils, 10-1 and 4-3. A single by Dixie Howell pushed over the Reds' winning run in the ninth of the nightcap. Grady Hatton led a 13-hit Cincinnati assault in the opener with a single, two doubles and a triple.

The cellar-shackled Chicago Cubs knocked off the New York Giants twice, 5-3 and 6-1 to put a fitting climax to the celebration of "Frankie Frisch Day" in the Polo grounds.

K.F. Enters Junior Olympics

PORTLAND, July 25 (AP)—Oregon's first junior Olympic games will be held here at Grant High School bowl on August 6 for boy athletes of ages 10 to 17 years.

The AAU sponsored event has drawn entries from Bend, Eugene, Albany, Pendleton, Klamath Falls, Roseburg, Corvallis, Salem and Oregon City.

Ward, Porky Paired On Top

THE DALLAS, Ore., July 25 (AP)—Bud Ward, former national amateur golf titlist, lined up for his first pro tournament today as a co-favorite. He is now playing pro at Great Falls, Mont.

Ward and Ed (Porky) Oliver of Seattle were paired at the top of the pre-tournament heap as the annual Oregon open event got under way today.

Harold West of Tualatin club is defending the title he won last year at Bend, Ore.

# Take It Easy, Greasy!

## New York Gal Will Swim Channel Clad Only With Grease

NEW YORK (NEA)—The rain had dwindled to a fine drizzle, and under a gray, cold sky a few hundred assorted characters came out on the boardwalk at Coney Island.

They stood there straining to glimpse Shirley Mae France, who was to finish her 12 to 14-mile swim from the Battery to Ravenhall beach.

A tall, white-haired gent, Jack Cairns, came to the boardwalk rail. "She'll never make it bucking that tide," he predicted darkly.

"I was waiting to pace her in from the little white age. I think the tide has changed. Back in 1904 I swam from the Brooklyn bridge to this beach."

The veteran hadly had reiterated his gloomy prophecy when the 16-year-old girl from Somerset, Mass., was spotted chugging through the heaving surf. Escorting her were a rowboat and a 50-foot fishing craft.

Sea nymph and escort paused 200 yards out and her manager, Emil Mickool, standing on shore, explained what was taking place.

"Shirley's putting on her show suit," he declared. "It isn't true that she started this swim nude."

"She will swim naked in the English channel next month, but that's because she'll be smeared with 25 pounds of grease."

Five hours and 40 minutes after commencing her trip from pier 6 in the East River, Shirley touched land wearing a green suit on her hands and pleating the suit, the good-looking, blue-eyed blonde came running out of the roaring, foaming

Atlantic right into the arms of her dad and trainer, John Walter France. Immediately they were engulfed by the crowd.

"Shirley would have been in sooner," asserted Sal Favara, one of two lifeguards who had rowed behind her coach, Harry Boudakian. "But the sewer that opened up on our off Bay parkway didn't help. It almost made her sick and forced her to go about a mile around it. Hope she doesn't develop typhoid."

"Look at her," put in Shirley's father, "Where do the newspapers get that stuff she's 177 pounds? She's only 165, and she must have lost 15 pounds during this rough swim in that potato patch. But it wasn't very much for her."

"She kept singing 'Slow Boat to China' and waving at the passing boats and people on shore."

"Shirley started swimming at six years of age. I used to be an amateur long-distance champ and her mother is a good swimmer, too. Shirley has two sisters and a brother, Marilyn, 12 years old, can take Shirley for a mile and Jackie, 9, is good for five miles and Jackie, 4, is good for a mile and Jackie, 4, is good for 100 yards."

Five or six days a week Shirley swims three or four miles. One day a week she goes eight. She gets to bed at 9 p. m. and arises around 3:30 a. m. Mickool's spouse, Sheila, is Miss France's constant companion. Once a week the girl stays up until 11 p. m., when she goes to a movie or something else as stimulating.

Despite the slavish routine, Shirley May France seems a carefree youngster casually confident she'll conquer the channel.

Splinter Pierces Body of Race Driver In Fence Plunge

YAKIMA, July 25 (AP)—A splintered 10 foot length of a 2 by 6 plank was driven through the body of a Cornelius, Ore., racing car driver yesterday when the driver's car plunged through a fence at the Central Washington fairgrounds.

Four doctors, rushed to the scene by police escort, had to saw away more than four feet of the plank on each side of the driver, Allen E. Hobson, before he could be placed in an ambulance.

The huge splinter pierced the left side of his abdomen. It rammed more than seven feet through his body. His condition was reported critical today.

The accident occurred during the third lap of Sunday's main racing event.

Throughout the entire ordeal, Hobson remained conscious and grimly joked with bystanders. His wife, Jean, saw the accident from the stands and remained by his side during the 55 minutes needed to extricate him from the wreckage.

Hobson, 24, was driving a car owned by Mike Sisk, Vancouver, Wash. The machine spun coming into the stretch and crashed the barrier.

PGA Places Locke On Blacklist

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 25 (AP)—The Professional Golfers association announced today it has blacklisted Bobby Locke for any PGA sponsored event.

The PGA's tournament committee said its unanimous decision against the South African golfer was "deemed necessary" because of his failure to keep commitments at exhibitions and tournaments.

The announcement was made by George Schneider, the association's tournament bureau manager.

Perfect Score

BALTIMORE, July 25 (AP)—Mrs. Wills Worthington, McGuffe of Oswego, turned in a perfect score of 1200 points yesterday to retain the women's crown for the fourth straight year in the national water ski tournament.

# Gals Win Prizes In Kids' Rodeo

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 25 (AP)—The boys got the money, but the girls won half the prizes in Lewiston's first rodeo for kids between eight and 16 years of age.

Nearly 60 riders and ropers participated in the junior event, attended by 2500 persons.

Proceeds went to the Lewiston chapter of the Boys Clubs of America.

# Giant Camp At Dallas

DALLAS, July 25—Mickey Shadner, western scout for the New York Giants, has issued a call for diamond talent to report to a tryout camp on August 6 and 7.

With Hughie Day, another Giant scout, Shadler will look over prospects for the Giants as he conducts the camp "in major league style."

This will be one of three such sessions to be held by the Giants in the Northwest this year, the other two to be at locations in Oregon and Washington to be selected.

All players eligible to sign professional contracts may attend without charge, although each must pay his own expenses and bring his own uniform. Games will be played both Saturday and Sunday, and all players will be allowed to participate.

In Dallas, camp will be held on the high school field with sessions beginning at 10 a. m. Day, a Dallas resident, is now accepting applications from those who wish to participate, but advance registration is not necessary.

Shadner points out that the camp will be strictly a hunt for talent and is not a baseball school, although much instruction will be given. Sessions will be held rain or shine, and on the concluding day, pick of the prospects will meet a top semi-pro outfit of this area in a nine-inning game.

Shadner, in his 35th year in baseball, states that anyone signed to the Giants or any of the 19 farm clubs will have full expenses refunded. Carl Hubbell, director of the farm system for the Giants, considers Oregon a rich field for development of ball players, Shadner declares.

# Hunt Ball Park Site

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25 (AP)—The Vallejo Chiefs of the Far West League were still hunting for a home park today.

The Vallejo baseball club, which has been on the road for two weeks because of a dispute over lease of the Vallejo park, has surveyed—futilely—several other sites.

League President Jerry Donovan said the club might have to finish up the season on the road. A proposal to transfer the franchise to Bend, Ore., blew up when the Bend park proved to be tied up with semi-pro and softball leagues.

Roseburg, Ore., was considered—but that town's park has no lights for night games. Another possibility—Hayward, Calif.—did not have a park suitable for regular use.

TRIP

CORVALLIS, July 25 (AP)—Dr. W. L. Powers, head of the Oregon State college farm experimental station soils department, leaves here August 1 to visit Turkey and help reclamation areas there.

Powers in the past appraised Klamath and Columbia basin lands for federal projects and spent 18 months in Venezuela on a survey similar to his task in Turkey.

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# Wins Title, But Pushed

## KROESSEN EXTENDS LEWIS FIVE SETS

SEATTLE, July 25 (AP)—It took five sets to do it, but Bob Lewis of Salt Lake City held the Washington State men's singles tennis title today.

Lewis, fourth-seeded, defeated third-seeded Jim Kroessen of San Francisco 6-3, 6-8, 6-1, 5-7, 7-5, in yesterday's finals.

Other championship results: Men's doubles—Fred Fisher and Righy Eden, Seattle, defeated Emory Neale and Stan Anderson, Portland, 7-5, 6-3, 6-3.

Women's singles—Jean Doyle, San Diego, defeated Julia Sampson, San Marino, Calif., 4-6, 7-5, 7-5.

Girls' singles—Julia Sampson, San Marino, Calif., defeated Patsy Heard, Portland, 11-9, 6-4.

Junior men's singles—Bill Demas, Sacramento, Calif., defeated John Dupriet, Tacoma, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5, 7-5.

Boys' singles—Gary Peterson, Seattle, defeated Frank Dickson, Berkeley, 6-6, 6-3.

Junior men's doubles—Bill and Jim Demas, Sacramento, defeated Gerald Gray, Tacoma, and Terry Campbell, Spokane, 5-7, 6-2, 8-6.