

Yanks, Brooks Lose Ground Dykes Upsets Turner

Dodgers, Giants In Crucial

By RALPH RODEN
AP Sports Writer

They laughed in Brooklyn the other day when Leo Durocher said: "If we win it again 100,000 people will commit suicide."

Today Dodgers fans are alarmed but there's been no mass exodus to the Brooklyn Bridge—yet.

The Dodgers, who blew a 13½ game lead to the Giants last year, lead their arch rivals by six games but their commanding margin could be reduced to one game by Tuesday morning. But to narrow the gap to one game the Giants have to sweep a five-game series that opens today at the Polo Grounds with a double header. The antagonists clash in a single game Sunday and close out their vital series with a day-night twin bill Monday.

Durocher's enthused Giants pulled to within six games of the jittery Dodgers yesterday, beating the Philadelphia Phillies, 5-4, as Brooklyn suffered a 2-1 beating at the hands of the Boston Braves. In the loop's only night game, Wilmer (Vinegar Bend) Mizell pitched the St. Louis Cardinals to a 4-0 victory over Pittsburgh.

DREAMING

While Giants fans were dreaming of another miracle run for the pennant, rosters in Cleveland were getting excited over the Indians' chances of ending New York's three-year reign as American League champions.

Early Wynn and Luke Easter teamed up to lead the pennant hungry Indians to a 3-0 victory over the Chicago White Sox in the circuit's only night activity. The triumph slashed the Yankees' lead to 2½ games. The Bombers dropped a 3-2 squeaker to the Philadelphia Athletics. In the only other game Washington defeated punchless Boston, 2-0, to run its winning streak to six games and extend the Red Sox losing skid to seven.

YEAR AGO

Just a year ago the Dodgers and Giants were in the same spot that they are in today. Both had played 130 games and had 24 to play with the Brooklyn club holding a six game lead.

Rookie Bill Connelly (7-1) and Max Lanier (7-1) or Jim Hearn (12-6) will pitch for the Giants today against Carl Erskine (11-5) and Johnny Rutherford (5-5).

Eighth inning home runs by Bob Thomson and pinch-hitter Clint Hartung off Jim Konstanty were the deciding factors in the Giants' conquest of the Philadelphia Athletics, 2-0, in a game that was tied 1-1 in the eighth and saw two strikes pitched with two out and Wes Westrum aboard against the left field roof to win the game.

Al Corwin, fourth Giant pitcher, gained credit for his fifth victory, second in as many days, by needed help from Sal Maglie in the ninth. Hoyt Wilhelm also saw duty for the Giants and set a major league record for most games pitched in one season by a rookie, 34. The former mark of 37 was set by George Spencer of the Giants last year.

SPOILS DEBUT

The veteran battery of Jim Wilson and Walker Cooper spoiled the major league debut of Dodger lefty Ken Lehman. Wilson limited the Brooks to six hits in gaining his 12th victory and also contributed two singles to Boston's attack. Cooper won the game with a two-run double in the third inning.

Mizell shut out the Pirates on seven hits and fanned 11 to mar the big time debut of Bill Bell, 18-year-old Pirate rookie who pitched three no-hit games this year for Bristol, Tenn., of the Class D Appalachian League. Home runs by Tommy Glaviano and Dick Sisler featured the Cards' assault.

Wynn turned in a sparkling four hitter in beating the White Sox last night at Philadelphia. Kuzava fanned Billy Pierce before 20,307 fans at Cleveland. Pierce also allowed only four hits in the seven innings he tolled but he surrendered them all in the fourth inning which Easter climaxed with a three-run homer. The homer was big Luke's 26th.

WILDLIFE

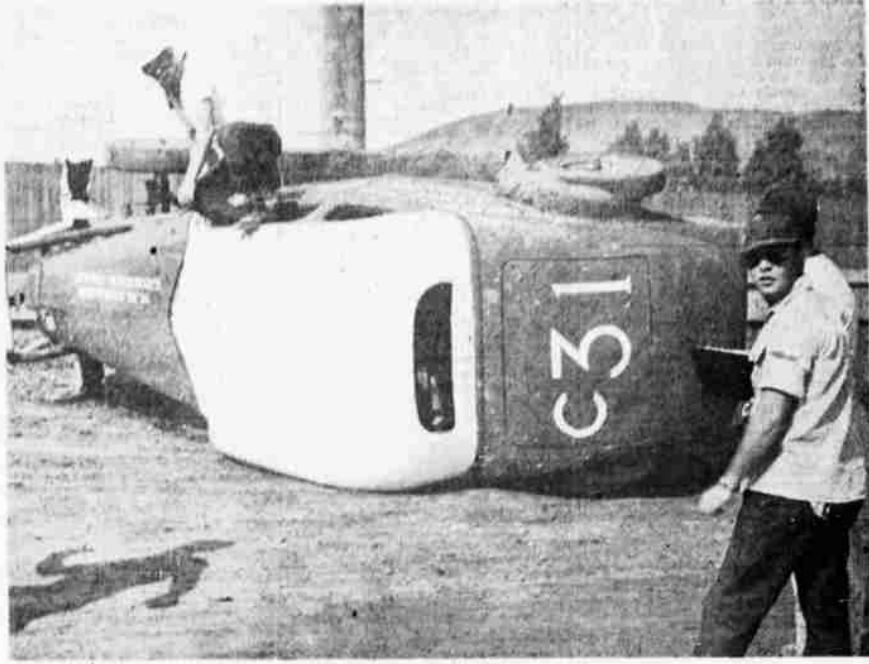
Wildness on the part of Bob Kuzava and Johnny Sain ruined the Yankees' at Philadelphia. Kuzava walked the first three A's he faced in the sixth inning with the score tied, 1-1. Sain took over and Billy Hitchcock beat out an infield hit to drive in the tie-breaking run. Sherry Robertson then walked to force home the winning counter. Alex Kellner scattered nine hits to bag his 11th victory and first of the season over the Yanks.

Rookie Raul Sanchez pitched the red hot Senators to victory over Boston, Sanchez making his first major league start, shut out the Red Sox on five hits. It marked the second time in four days that the Senators have received a fine pitching performance from a Cub rookie. On Tuesday Mike Fornieles blanked Philadelphia, 5-0, on one hit in his major league debut.

Beavers Hold First Scrimmage

CORVALLIS (AP)—The first scrimmage of the 1952 football practice season was on schedule at Oregon State College Saturday.

Coach Kip Taylor has concentrated up until now on fundamentals and signal drill. The team opener for the Beavers is Oct. 4 in Multnomah Stadium against Michigan State.



IT'S HARD TOP night again Sunday, 7:30 at Gerns Speedway. Here's a shot from the Labor Day show. Tony Barandun, Elina, Calif., hops out unhurt after rolling his car on the first turn.



STRONG DEFENSE—Behind this Roman fighter's armor is a fellow who wears a lot less in a scrap. It's Joey Maxim, world light-heavyweight champion, trying to fool a television panel.



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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Toronto 2-7 Montreal 1-4
Rochester 11-9 Ottawa 6-0
Springfield 1-1 Buffalo 0-0
Syracuse 1 Baltimore 0

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Indianapolis 6 Charleston 2
Columbus 6 Louisville 4
Minneapolis 12 Milwaukee 1
Kansas City 8 St. Paul 7

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TEXAS LEAGUE
Dallas 6 Oklahoma City 1
Fort Worth 7 Tulsa 4
Houston 3 San Antonio 2
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SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Birmingham 4-2 Atlanta 1-3
Chattanooga 8 Little Rock 4
Memphis 5 Nashville 1
Mobile 5 New Orleans 2

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PIONEER LEAGUE
Billings 3 Magic Valley 2
Pocatello 6 Salt Lake City 5
Great Falls 1 Boise 2
Idaho Falls 1 Ogden 8



By The Associated Press
Pitching: Early Wynn, Indians—Pitched a four-hit, 3-0 victory over Chicago, enabling Cleveland to pull to within 2½ games of New York's pace-setting Yankees.

Batting: Clint Hartung, Giants—Slammed two-run two-out pinch hit home in eighth inning to lead New York to 5-4 victory over Philadelphia.

Twinks Squeak By Bevos

By The Associated Press

The Hollywood Stars have demonstrated once again why they are pennant bound in the Pacific Coast League stretch drive.

The Stars whipped Portland in Hollywood Friday night, 6 to 3, by scoring two runs in the ninth inning after Eddie Barr, Portland outfielder, had put the Beavers out in front by slamming a home run with a man on. All the damage was done after two were down.

The Hollywood victory maintained the Stars' 6½-game lead over Oakland, which exhibited top notch baseball behind Lefty Roger Bowman in beating San Diego, 2 to 0. Bowman allowed the Padres only three hits.

Charlie Schanz of Seattle lost his control in the seventh inning against San Francisco, walking one batsman and hitting another, and Seal First Sacker Joe Garcia singled in the winning run as San Francisco won from the Rainiers, 6 to 4.

Los Angeles cuffed Sacramento 6 to 2, in a game played in Chico. Eddie Chandler of the Angels was effective in the pinches. The game was moved to Chico as an experiment, because the Solons have had a poor season at home. The teams will return to Sacramento for Saturday's game.



By The Associated Press
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting — Fain, Philadelphia, .331; Mitchell, Cleveland, .329; Woodling, New York, .324; Kell, Boston, .311; Goodman, Boston, .307.

Home Runs — Doby, Cleveland and Berra, New York, 29; Zernial, Philadelphia, 27; Easter, Cleveland, 26; Rosen, Cleveland and Dropp, Detroit, 25.

Pitching — Conuega, Washington, 6-0, 1,000; Shantz, Philadelphia, 22-6, 786; Raschi, New York, 15-3, 750; Gorman, New York, 5-2, 714; Reynolds, New York, 17-8, 680.

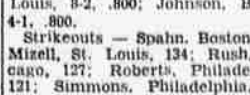
Strikeouts — Pierce, Cleveland and Shantz, Philadelphia, 135; Reynolds, New York, 132; Wynn, Cleveland, 128; Garcia, Cleveland 123.

By The Associated Press
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting — Musial, St. Louis, .337; Kinszowski, Cincinnati, .318; Robinson, Brooklyn and Baumholtz, Chicago, .310; Schoendienst, St. Louis, .308.

Home Runs — Sauer, Cleveland, 35; Kiner, Pittsburgh, 31; Hodges, Brooklyn, 29; Gordon, Boston, 22; Mathews, Boston, Campanella, Brooklyn and Thomson, New York, 20.

Pitching — Corwin, New York, 5-0, 1,000; Roe, Brooklyn, 10-2, 833; Black, Brooklyn and Wilhelm New York, 12-3, 800; Yuhas, St. Louis, 9-2, 800; Johnson, Boston, 4-1, 800.

Strikeouts — Spahn, Boston, 151; Mizell, St. Louis, 134; Rush, Chicago, 127; Roberts, Philadelphia, 121; Simmons, Philadelphia, 118.



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CASEY STENGEL ... reads riot act

Stengel Tees Off On Yanks

WASHINGTON (AP)—Casey Stengel read the riot act to his players tonight for the first time in his four-year tenure as manager of the New York Yankees.

Stengel gave the players a tongue lashing in a railroad dining car en route here after dropping a 3-2 decision to the Philadelphia Athletics.

The players were eating and playing quiz game they have labeled "20 questions" when Casey called for silence.

"Who won today?" he thundered. "If you want to play any quiz games, I've got a game for you. Each one of you asks himself, 'Who am I. What did I do to earn my salary today?'"

Stengel declared, "This is no laughing matter. You can't depend on the Bronx or the White Sox or some other club to win the pennant for you. A game like today's is going to cost each man \$6,000. Cut out the nonsense and start thinking seriously about baseball."

There was a hush over the car as Stengel sat down and resumed eating. Then players silently finished their meal and trooped out of the car without a word.

Lewiston, Idaho (AP)—Bill Linderman of Red Lodge, Mont., topped performances in the three-day Lewiston Roundup Friday, taking first in saddle bronc riding and third in bareback bronc riding.

Linderman, who is currently third in national all-around competition, added 344 points to his total with his Friday point getting.

Scotch Play At Reames
Two-ball Scotch foursome play—husband and wife or mixed—in scheduled Wednesday, 5 p.m., at Reames Golf and Country Club.

Both low net and low gross will be counted.
The club tourney will be followed by a dinner.



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Fighters Sign For Rematch

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP)—Gil Turner will get a return crack at Bobby Dykes in Philadelphia next month and if the return is anything like last night's thriller, Quaker City fight fans are in for a treat.

Dykes, a 6-foot bag of bones with a sting in each hand, roared from behind at Madison Square Garden to gain a narrow, split 10-round decision over the 21-year-old Philadelphia Negro. It was a sizzler all the way and an upset. Turner was the 8 to 5 favorite.

The two welterweight contenders had signed to meet in a return within 40 days and George Katz, Turner's manager, said his beaten gladiator will be ready. Dykes said he'd be happy to oblige.

"With no television, we'll do \$60,000 in Philadelphia with the return," said Katz. Turner usually packs them to the rafters in his home town.

SLIM CROWD

Friday's bout was telecast nationally and the slim crowd of 4,144 paid \$2.25. The scrap, on the basis of the fighters' styles, figured to be good and was even better. Both the fighters and the promoting International Boxing Club were disappointed in the gate. Each fighter received \$3,600 as his share of the TV-radio receipts plus another couple of thousand each out of the gate.

Turner, in suffering the second defeat of his young career, was winning 32 straight, needed two stitches to sew up a cut over his right cheekbone and one stitch for a gash over his left eye.

The decision was close as you could make it. Referee Pete Scalo and Judge Harold Barnes each voted for Dykes, a Texan now living in Miami. Judge Jack Gordon scored for Turner, 8-4-1. The AP scoreboard gave it to Dykes, 6-4.

RALLY

The 23-year-old Dykes, floored in the fifth round from a series of punches and a push, was trailing on the scorecards of all three officials going into the ninth round. The handsome, dark-haired Southerner then took over the offensive from the pace-setting Turner and saved him a neat boxing lesson through the final two heats.

Bobby shot over stinging left jabs to Turner's bleeding face, slipped in short left hooks and then crossed up his rival with sharp left-right combinations. Sturdy Gil rallied in each round with short-lived flurries as he tried frantically to make up ground. But the cool, clever Dykes calmly picked off most of Gil's punches and tied him up.

Through the first two rounds, and for a stretch from the fifth to the seventh, it looked like Dykes would never finish. The aggressive Turner stormed after him in opening rounds with furious attacks, and after blowing the next two to the sharp punching Dykes, came on strong again in the fifth, sixth and part of the seventh.

FIRST FIGHT

It was Dykes' first fight since he was stopped by Welterweight Champion Kid Gavilan last July. He weighed 150½ to 151 for Dykes and manager Katz said the weight slowed down his fighter. Turner weighed 144½ for Gavilan.

It was Dykes' seventh straight victory since he dropped a split decision to Gavilan in February. His record now is 78-7-3.

Turner is one of the toughest, toughest fighters I've met," said Bobby. "He's easy to hit but he's so speedy it's hard to get in a real solid shot. I wasn't knocked down in the fifth. It was a push. I felt sick in the sixth round, maybe from the punches and maybe from the steak I ate earlier. But I usually feel sick once or twice in a fight."

There was nothing wrong with him at the finish, though.

SPORTS MIRROR

By The Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO — U.S. golfers defeated Canada, 10-2, in an international match preceding the National Amateur Golf Tourney.

FIVE YEARS AGO — St. Louis cut Brooklyn's lead to six games by defeating Cincinnati, 4-3, as New York beat the Brooks, 3-2.

TEN YEARS AGO — Ted Williams, Red Sox slugger, led the American League in hitting with .349.

TWENTY YEARS AGO — Ellsworth Vines of Pasadena, Calif., defeated Gabriel Lavine, Philadelphia, 6-1, 6-0, 8-10, 7-6, in a third-round match of the National Tennis Championships.

Trapshoot At Tulelake

The Tulelake — Butte Valley Sportsman's Association opens its trapshooting program again tomorrow at the Tulelake Panhandle, 10 to 4 p.m.

Entrance fee is \$1.00. A \$1.00 starter, Lou Booth, committee chairman of Tulelake, said. Clayton Rudesill, Association secretary of Tulelake, said a big opening-day crowd is expected.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	84	46	.646
New York	78	52	.600
St. Louis	77	57	.575
Philadelphia	72	61	.541
Chicago	66	70	.485
Cincinnati	59	75	.440
Boston	58	74	.439
Pittsburgh	39	98	.285

Friday's Results

New York 5 Philadelphia 4
Boston 3 Brooklyn 1
St. Louis 4 Pittsburgh 0
(Only games scheduled)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	80	56	.588
Cleveland	77	58	.570
Washington	72	64	.529
Philadelphia	71	64	.526
Chicago	64	72	.469
Boston	60	64	.484
St. Louis	56	79	.415
Detroit	44	90	.328

Friday's Results

Philadelphia 3 New York 1
Washington 2 Boston 0
Cleveland 3 Chicago 0
(Only games scheduled)

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Hollywood	98	62	.613
Oakland	92	69	.571
Seattle	84	76	.523
San Diego	83	78	.515
Portland	81	80	.503
Los Angeles	76	85	.472
San Francisco	69	92	.439
Sacramento	60	101	.373

Friday Night's Results

Oakland 3 San Diego 0
San Francisco 6 Seattle 4
Los Angeles 6 Sacramento 1
Hollywood 6 Portland 5

Western International League

	W	L	Pct.
Victoria	89	50	.640
Vancouver	87	60	.592
Spokane	88	65	.567
Portland	68	74	.479
Lewiston	68	76	.472
Yakima	66	76	.465
Tri-City	62	75	.452
Wenatchee	56	87	.392

Friday's Results

Victoria 9-10 Salem 8-4
Lewiston 6 Yakima 2
Tri-City 6 Vancouver 4
Spokane 4-0 Wenatchee 0-1



By The Associated Press
New York — Bobby Dykes, 151, Miami, Fla., outpointed Gil Turner, 150 ½, Philadelphia (10).

San Diego, Calif. — Eddie Williams, 145, Tucson, Ariz., outpointed Chu Chu Jimenez, 141, Mexico City (20).

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Veteran Gar Mulloy Whips Ken Rosewall

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

FOREST HILLS, N. Y. (AP)—Thanks to Gar Mulloy's tenacity and his villain pills, there'll be an Australian-American final for the United States Men's Singles Tennis Championship tomorrow instead of Ken Australian monopoly.

There may be a "commercial" involved in giving credit to the pills. Mulloy sells them—and he also gulped a few during the rest periods in yesterday's grueling match against flashy young Ken Rosewall of Australia. And he said they're what enable him to keep playing five-set matches at the age of 38.

There's no doubt about the tenacity, because that and the sagacity Mulloy has acquired in 20 years of competitive tennis were what carried him to a 6-4, 3-6, 4-5, 7-5, 7-5, victory over the 17-year-old Australian sensation.

DARKNESS

Whatever the reason, Mulloy will meet either 19-year-old Ham Richardson of Baton Rouge, La., or ninth-seeded Straight Clark of Pasadena, Calif., in one semifinal match. These two were stopped by darkness last night after playing 60 games and winding up with two sets apiece. They'll finish today.

The other semi-final will bring together two Australians, the top ranking stars, defending Champion Frank Sedgman and third-ranked Mervyn Rose.

Only one of the four titles to be decided this weekend is sure to remain in America.

SEMI-FINALS

The women's singles semi-finals today pits defending Champion Maureen Connolly of San Diego, Calif., against third-seeded Shirley Fry of Akron, O., and Doris Hart of Coral Gables, Fla., against Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., No. 4. That's strictly according to form since Miss Brough, champion five years ago, knocked out Australia's Mrs. Thelma Long in straight sets.

Just as Rosewall's triumph over Vic Seixas, America's No. 1 player, was Thursday's sensation, Mulloy's victory over the Australian kid stirred the spectators.

LOOKS GONE

Gar looked like a goner when Rosewall ran off nine straight games at the end of the second and the start of the third set to take a 2-1 lead. Then Ken took a 4-1 lead in the fourth set. But Mulloy gulped a couple of pills and set his brain buzzing.

Rosewall, who had been luring Mulloy toward the net with change-of-pace tactics and then buzzing backhand drives past him, found he couldn't do it. Mulloy anticipated the move and met it with fine volleys; he cashed in on Rosewall's weakness overhead by lobbing and took advantage of his weak service to pull out the match.

Victoria Stretches WI Lead

By The Associated Press
The Victoria Tyees, who seem to be a shoo-in for the Western International League pennant this season, gained a full game on their nearest threat, the Spokane Indians, Friday night.

The Tyees dropped Salem's Senators twice, 5-8 in an 11-inning opener and 10-4, while the Tribe could do no better than split a twin bill with the tail-end Wenatchee Chiefs, winning the regulation nine-inning opener, 4-0, and dropping the abbreviated afterpiece, 2-0.

The loop's other two meetings were one-game affairs. Tri-City's Braves took advantage of a half-full of Vancouver errors to drub the Caps, 6-4, and Bill Brenner, the Lewiston fireball, dropped Yakima, 6-2, for his 19th win of the season.