

Heavyweight King Keeps Crown Intact

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Heavyweight Champion Floyd Patterson said he wanted a "warmup" and that's just about what he got in methodically chopping down Britain's Brian London in the eleventh round of their title fight.

It looked like the lithe, 24-year-old champ could pull the string any time he wanted Friday night. Floyd pulled it at 51 seconds of the 11th with a jolting left hook to the jaw that sent the burly, 24-year-old Briton on his seat and then on his side for the full count.

Whether the New Yorker was stretching it out or fighting it out as best as he could, the whole thing served to boost the spirits of Patterson's next challenger, Ingemar Johansson.

"I think I have a good chance of being the next heavyweight champion," said the handsome, undefeated Swede. Johansson, the European champion, meets Patterson at New York's Yankee Stadium, June 25.

"Patterson was taking it easy," Johansson said. "If he went out from the start and got down to business, he could have put him out any time."

For a time it appeared Patterson might blast out the 10-1 long-

shot early. The fast-punching, 182½-pounder rocked his 208-pound rival in the first two rounds and then seemed to ease up.

After that he beat a steady tattoo to the reddening body of his game, powerless foe. In the eighth he shook up London but it wasn't until the tenth that he finally floored him.

A right to the jaw dazed Brian and he stiffened for a moment. Then he slumped against the ropes until a left-right dropped him on one knee. He was still in that position when the bell sounded at the count of five.

The end obviously was in sight and Patterson wasted no time in getting the kill. A barrage of searing body blows finished London.

London had practically no offense. Mostly he jabbed with his left and most of his shots fell short of his elusive target. Patterson slid under most of London's straight rights.

"If I didn't work on his body, I never would have got him at all," said the unmarked, undamaged champion. "I noticed he was in pain from my body punching to his right side as early as the fifth round. But he was tough and game."

"Johansson is the No. 1 contender and I'll have to be better against him, I will be."

London wasn't too deeply disappointed at all.

"I'm coming back to the States and learn to fight," he said, nursing a cut under his right eye.

He collected \$60,000 — that's \$4,000 more than he had earned previously in his entire career — for his first lesson in America.

Patterson collected \$186,000 for his near shut-out victory.

Referee Frank Sikora, imported from Chicago for Indiana's first world boxing championship, had it 50-34 in points and 10-9 in rounds. Judge Kelsey McClure scored it 50-40 and 9-0 (one even), and Judge Marshall Baumgartner's tally showed 49-40 and 8-1-1. The AP card had it 50-39 in points and 9-0 in rounds with the third even.

The crowd of 10,069 and gross gate of \$122,885 in the Fairgrounds Coliseum was surprisingly good considering Indianapolis promoter Al Farb got the show from Las Vegas only two weeks ago. The coast-to-coast television (Indianapolis was blacked out) and radio fee added \$200,000.

Weather Takes Cut At Fans

PORTLAND (AP) — Daytime showers and nighttime chill cut sharply into attendance at the day-night opener of Pacific Coast League baseball here Friday. Only 12,011 turned out for the two games which Portland and San Diego divided.

Portland won the first game 8-6 but it was a costly victory. George Freese, third baseman, suffered a bone chip on the third finger of his left hand and will be out for several days. The injury came as a pitched ball hit his bat handle.

Earlier Freese had hit his seventh home run of the young season.

It was quite a day for homers. In the first game San Diego got three and Portland two; in the second San Diego got two and Portland none.

Bill Sayles, Portland assistant general manager, said many more tickets were sold for the opening games than were used. He said holders who were kept away by unfavorable weather should keep their tickets and an announcement would be made later on when they could be exchanged for another game.

Portland's leading pitcher, Howie Reed, had won two and lost none before Friday night but he was in trouble all the way as he lost the second game, 5-2. He gave up 10 hits, and five walks and threw two wild pitches. Five errors were committed but only one contributed to the scoring. Three were in the fifth inning, two of them by Clarence Moore who was Freese's replacement at third.

Portland could do little with Steve Ridzik, the San Diego pitcher in the second game. The only real threat was in the eighth when it got its two runs, driven in by Jim Greengrass' single.

The first game was a free scoring affair with Portland going in front with two runs in the second. San Diego tying it then taking a one-run lead. Portland going ahead by one run in the fifth and adding three in the sixth. That was all it needed.

All-Stars May Play 2 Games

NEW YORK (AP) — The chances are very good that the major league All-Star baseball teams will play a two-game series in the future, and possibly two games this year with an interval of several weeks.

The series would be played during one schedule break, with each game in a different section of the country.

Such a proposal was made to the major league Executive Council by Robin Roberts, Phillies pitcher and National League player representative, with the approval of Eddie Yost, American League representative on the Pension Committee.

The Council unanimously agreed to recommend its adoption of the proposal by the major league clubs. It first, however, must be approved by the players, and a poll already has been started.

Roberts' suggestion provides that the proceeds of the additional game would be used for the promotion of amateur baseball, the Old Timers Assn., pensions and other purposes to be decided later.



BALLPARK GETS NEARER — The hoped-for Little League ballpark came a step nearer to reality Friday as Wes Clark, right, bookkeeper for the Big Y Market handed First National Bank official, Mike Shannon, left, a check for \$100 to be deposited in the Little League Ballpark Benefit Fund. The check is the result of a special fund raising sale held at the Big Y under the auspices of market owner Ron Phair.

Vancouver Mounties Trip League Leaders

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Pacific Coast League-leading Sacramento Solons were beaten by the Vancouver Mounties, 7-3, Friday night.

Despite the defeat, the Solons managed to keep ahead of the San Diego Padres, who split a doubleheader with the Portland Beavers. The Padres lost the first game 8-6, then came back to win the second game, 5-2.

In other league games, the Salt Lake City Bees whipped the Seattle Rainiers twice, 5-2 and 2-1, and the Phoenix Giants defeated the Spokane Indians 14-8.

Fred Besana of the Mounties beat Sacramento, although he needed help from Connie Johnson in the eighth, when the Solons scored their final run. Besana and Johnson combined for a nine-hit, no-run performance.

Nippy Jones and Mike Krsnich homered for the Solons, Jones' home run coming with Milt Smith aboard.

The Padres, who are now only a half-game behind Sacramento, hit three home runs off Portland starter Ken Johnson in the first game of their doubleheader, but the Beavers countered with two round-trippers of their own — by George Freese and Bob DiPietro — in a 12-hit attack.

Stan Jankowski and Ken Hunt both hit homers for San Diego in the second game as Steve Ridzik, with some no-hit relief from Russ Heman, held the Beavers to seven hits.

The Giants banged out 19 hits in beating Spokane, although the Indians whacked out 17 hits of their own. The Giants got off to a running start with five runs in the first inning.

Bill Wilson homered for Phoenix and Don Miles hit a home run for Spokane.

The Salt Lake City-Seville opener broke open in the seventh when the Bees got two runs. They picked up another tally in the eighth to insure victory.

The winning run in the second game came when Dale Goss walked, went to second on a single by Darrel Westfield, Jim Baumer homered for the Bees in the fifth inning with no one on.

The short scores:

Sacramento 200 010-3 9 3
Vancouver 201 020-7 10 0
Stankia, Bowman (8), Davis (7), Fox (8), and Barragan, Dalrymple (8); Besana, Johnson (8) and White (8).

Phoenix 501 205 002-14 19 3
Spokane 020 100 041-8 17 3
Barclay, Navarro (8), Solis (8) and Orsino; Nicolosi, Page (1), Scott (3), Mauriello (5), George (6), Patrick (9) and Sherry.

Night game:
Salt Lake City 000 010 000-1-2 5 0
Seattle 000 001 000-0-1 8 1
Pepper, Kildow (10) and Westfield; Stenhouse and Bevan.

Day game:
Salt Lake City 200 000 210-5 7 1
Seattle 010 010 000-2 4 0
Rowe, Anderson (5) and Westfield; Surkont, Kennedy (7) and Jenkins.

Night game:
San Diego 000 113 000-5 10 1
Portland 000 000 020-2 7 5
Ridzik, Heman (8) and Retzer; Red, Pillette (9) and Tornay.

Day game:
San Diego 000 210 120-6 9 2
Portland 020 023 10x-8 12 2
Pittola, Woje (6), Thomas (7) and Jones; Johnson, Schwarzkopf (8) and Tornay.

OTI Riders Vie In Rodeo

Several members of the OTI rodeo club traveled to Toppin, Washington April 25-26 to compete in the NIRA approved rodeo sponsored by the Cougar Rodeo Club of Washington State University and the Yakima Valley Shrimers Mounted Patrol.

Vincent Bodner, automatic transmissions student at OTI, was awarded a second place buckle in the bulldogging event and a fourth place in the ribbon roping contest. Phil Rychar, Auto Body Technology, received a first place buckle in bull riding, a third place in bulldogging and a third place in the saddle bronc event. Dean Gilbert, Auto Technology student, was slightly injured by a bull in the Saturday events and was unable to compete.

Bodner is the son of Vincent Bodner Sr. of Sprague River. Phil is the son of C. W. Rychar of Lakeview and Dean is the son of C. L. Gilbert of Big Timber, Montana.

Mantle Fractures Right Fingertip

CLEVELAND (AP) — Mickey Mantle has a chip fracture of the tip of his right index finger and may be sidelined for a week or 10 days. The extent of the injury to the New York Yankees' slugging outfielder was determined Friday by an X-ray. He was hit on the finger during batting practice prior to a game with the Chicago White Sox Thursday night.

PACKERS SIGN ROOKIES
GREEN BAY, Wis. (UPI) — The Green Bay Packers have signed two rookie ends to 1959 pro football contracts—Jim Yeats of the University of Florida and Bob Clark of Louisiana College.

Tribe Triumphant

Yankees Get Losing Look At Indians

United Press International

Jubilant Joe Gordon claims his Cleveland Indians "aren't that good, but they think they are," and now the Yankees even are beginning to think so, too.

The Yankees got their first look at the Tribe Friday night and one look was enough.

The Indians showed 'em some slick pitching by Cal McLish and some mighty potent bench strength in Tito Francona, who delivered a pinch three-run homer in the 10th inning to beat the slumping Bronx Bombers, 4-2.

McLish hurled seven-hit ball for his third straight win.

The Indians' victory kept them a game ahead of the second-place White Sox, who nipped the Red Sox, 1-0. The Athletics moved into third place with a 6-3 triumph over the Orioles, and the Senators scored a 10-inning 4-3 victory over the toothless Tigers.

In the National League, the Giants climbed to within a half game of first place with a 6-4 decision over the Braves; the Reds licked the Dodgers, 5-3; the Phillies beat the Cubs, 4-2, and the Cardinals topped the Pirates, 7-6.

Francona has driven in seven runs in five pinch hitting appearances this season. He smashed his homer with Rocky Colavito on third and Billy Martin on first after the Yankees had tied the score at 1-1 with two out in the ninth and then gone ahead, 2-1, in the top of the 10th on Tony Kubek's run-producing single.

by Colavito—during the seven innings he worked.

New York 000 000 001 1-2 7 0
Cleveland 001 010 000 3-4 5 1
Ditmar, Kucks (8), Shantz (10), Monroe (10) and Berra, McLish (3-0) and Nixon, Loser — Shantz (0-1). HRS—Colavito, Francona.

Chisox 1, Boston 0

Early Wynn of the White Sox gave up only one hit—a first-inning single to Pete Runnels — struck out 14 batters and drove in the only run of the contest with an eighth-inning homer off Tom Brewer. It was the 252nd victory of Wynn's career.

Boston 000 000 000-0 1 0
Chicago 000 001x-1 5 0
Brewer (1-2) and White, Wynn (3-1) and Lollar, HR—Wynn.

KC 6, Baltimore 3

Kansas City rallied for four runs in the eighth inning to beat Baltimore, Frank House doubling home two of the runs in the decisive frame. Two more runs came across when Billy Gardner threw long trying for a double play with the bases loaded. Ex-National Leagueer Russ Meyer posted his first AL triumph in relief of Bob Grim while Ernie Johnson, another NL reject, suffered the loss.

Baltimore 110 010 000-3 10 1
Kansas City 000 011 04x-6 10 0
Walker, Pappas (6), Stock (7), Johnson (8) and Triandos, Grim, Meyer (8) and House, Winner—Meyer (1-0). Loser — Johnson (2-1). HR—Demastri.

Solons 4, Tigers 3

Two home runs by Harmon Killebrew gave the Senators their victory over the Tigers, who now

have dropped 14 out of 16. Killebrew's second homer came in the 10th and brought Camilo Pascual his first victory of the year. Ed Yost homered for Detroit but it wasn't enough to keep Jim Bunning from absorbing his third straight setback.

Wash. 010 100 010 1-4 2 0
Detroit 200 001 000 0-3 8 2
Pascual (1-2) and Porter, Bunning (0-3) and R. Wilson. HRS—Yost, Killebrew 2.

Giants 6, Braves 4

Bob Schmidt's three-run homer plus another homer by Jim Davenport with the bases empty helped the Giants beat the first-place Braves. The two homers were struck off loser Carlton Willey in the fifth and the Giants wrapped up the game with two more runs in the sixth. Sam Jones recorded his second victory although routed when the Braves rallied for three runs in the eighth.

San Fran. 000 042 000-6 6 0
Milwaukee 000 011 030-4 8 0
S. Jones, Worthington (8), Miller (9) and Schmidt, Landrith (9), Willey, Buhl (6), Trowbridge (9) and Crandall, Lopata (9). Winner — S. Jones (2-3). Loser — Willey (0-1). HRS—Schmidt, Davenport.

Reds 5, Dodgers 3

Jerry Lunch hammered two home runs and drove in three runs to lead Cincinnati to its victory over second-place Los Angeles. Rookie Orlando Pena posted his first triumph of the season with relief help from Hal Jeffcoat in the seventh. Don Drysdale gave up Cincinnati's first four runs and was the loser.

Los Angeles 100 000 200-3 11 0

Convince Bombers

Cincinnati 004 000 01x-5 8 1
Drysdale, Labine (7), Fowler (8) and Roseboro, Pena, Jeffcoat (7) and Bailey, Winner — Pena (1-1). Loser — Drysdale (3-2). HRS—Lynch 2.

Phillies 4, Cubs 2

A fine four-hit pitching effort by Jim Owens of the Phils took care of the Cubs. Carl Sawatski put Philadelphia ahead for good with a bases-loaded double off loser Glen Hobbie in the fourth. Willie Jones and Wally Post contributed homers.

Chicago 000 200 000-2 4 0
Phila. 010 300 00x-4 8 0
Hobbie, Henry (4), Elston (8) and S. Taylor, Owens (1-1) and Sawatski. Loser — Hobbie (2-2). HRS—Jones, Post.

Cards 7, Pirates 6

Bob Friend was charged with his fourth straight loss in St. Louis' victory over Pittsburgh. Trailing by six runs, the Pirates clipped winning pitcher Wilmer Mizell for three runs in the seventh and got two more off reliever Jim Brosnan on Dick Stuber's two-run homer in the ninth. But Bob Skinner grounded out to end the game.

A seventh-inning error by Dick Groat paved the way for three runs that won the game for the Cards. Hal Smith's two-run triple highlighted that decisive rally. Smokey Burgess homered for the Pirates.

St. Louis 000 310 300-7 14 3
Pittsburgh 100 000 302-6 10 3
Mizell, Brosnan (8) and B. Smith, Friend, Blackburn (7), Porterfield (8), Face (9) and Burgess, Winner — Mizell (3-1). Loser—Friend (0-4). HRS — Burgess, Stuber.

Sox Hurler Ruins Chance For No-No

CHICAGO (AP) — Veteran Early Wynn might have been celebrating his first no-hitter Saturday if he hadn't ordered shortstop Luis Aparicio to move over Friday night.

As it was, Wynn hurled a one-hitter and slammed a home run in the bottom of the eighth inning to lead the Chicago White Sox to a 1-0 victory over the Boston Red Sox.

"I'll never listen to you again," said Aparicio after the game. It was then that Wynn admitted that he motioned Luis closer to third base when Pete Runnels came to bat in the first inning with one out.

"He usually likes to left so I motioned Aparicio closer to third," said Wynn.

Runnels hit a bouncing ball to the left of second base, where Luis probably could have grabbed it, and into center field for what turned out to be Boston's only hit.

"Well, that's as good as they come," said Wynn of the ball game. The 39-year-old veteran of 10 years struck out 14 and, in addition to his homer, also smacked a double.

The victory was the 252nd for Wynn who is the leader among active major league pitchers. It was also his third of the season against one loss.

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