

Phils Accommodate: NY, Birds Posers

Basement Dwellers Boost SF

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The Philadelphia Phillies are last, 15 games out of first, but they're in the thick of the fight for the National League lead.

How's it figure? Well, who did Los Angeles beat four straight to climb within a couple of percentage points of second, two games shy of first?

The Phils. And who gave San Francisco a breather Friday night for the first time in a week, keeping the Giants second in their scramble to stay close to first place Milwaukee and ahead of Los Angeles?

The Phils. And who has taken more games (five) from Milwaukee's defending champs than any other team outside of the Giants and Dodgers (both six)?

The Phils. The accommodating Phillies, beaten on three hits at Los Angeles Thursday night, were shut out on three hits by Mike McCormick Friday night as the Giants rolled to an 8-0 victory. That kept San Francisco within two games of Milwaukee and two percentage points ahead of Los Angeles.

Milwaukee breezed with an 11-1 victory over the Chicago Cubs. Los Angeles puffed past Pittsburgh 6-3. Cincinnati beat St. Louis in their squabble over sixth place, 7-6 in 10 innings.

Giants 8, Phils 0

The Phillies, shut out on eight hits in three games at San Francisco this season, now have failed to score in 23 innings against McCormick (6-7). Friday night he gave up only singles—by Harry Anderson in the second, Dave Philley in the fourth and George Anderson in the fifth—and retired the last 13 in order. He walked none, struck out six.

So far this year the young lefty has beaten the Phils 3-0 with a rain-shortened, five-inning no-hitter, and twice has blanked them 6-0 on three hits.

Jackie Brandt backed him with a grand slam home run Friday night and Willie Mays hit a solo homer—only his second in a month. Jim Owens (4-6) lost it.

Bums 6, Pirates 5

The Dodgers won five straight for the first time since leaving Brooklyn while matching home runs with the Pirates. Each had three. Charlie Neal's two-run blast in the seventh was the clincher. Duke Snider and John Roseboro hit the others for Los Angeles, while Harry Bright, Dick Stuart and Don Hoak homered for Pittsburgh. Johnny Podres (8-4) was the winner with relief help. Ron Kline (6-5) was the loser.

Braves 11, Cubs 1

Warren Spahn (10-8) was backed by three-run innings by the Braves. He also hit his first home run of the season, the 32nd of his major league career—tops for NL pitchers. Wes Covington and Johnny Logan each had three hits and drove in five runs between them. John Ruzhardt (4-3) was the loser in his first start since pitching a one-hitter against the Phils.

Cincy 7, Cards 6

The Cardinals chased Don Newcombe in a five-run eighth, but the Reds then scored four in their eighth for a tie and finally put it away on Johnny Temple's bases-loaded double against losing reliever Tom Cheney (0-1). Luis Arroyo (1-0) was the winner in relief after the Cards had smacked Newk and Brooks Lawrence for four home runs—two by Stan Musial, who was 3-for-4 and drove in three runs. Joe Cunningham and Ken Boyer rapped the other homers as the Cards again slipped to seventh.

Major League Calendar

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Monday—San Francisco at Los Angeles.
Tuesday—Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Wednesday—Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Thursday—Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Friday—Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Saturday—Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Sunday—Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Monday—Kansas City at Detroit.
Tuesday—Kansas City at Detroit.
Wednesday—Cleveland at Washington.
Thursday—Cleveland at Washington.
Friday—Cleveland at Washington.
Saturday—Cleveland at Washington.
Sunday—Cleveland at Washington.

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BABE RUTH LEAGUE

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East Side	6	1	.857
M. L. Johnson	5	1	.833
Balsigers	4	1	.800
Merrill	4	2	.666
Gun Store	3	2	.600
Superior Troy	3	3	.500
Henley Spig. Goods	3	3	.500
K Amusement	3	3	.500
Crater Lake Mach.	4	3	.571
Chiloquin	1	6	.157
Fluhers	1	6	.157
Moynia Heights	0	6	.000

The Merrill Babe Ruth League team crowded into the top four with a 9-6 victory over Superior Troy while M. L. Johnson and the Gun Store battled to a baseball oddity, a 13-13 tie on Conger Field Friday night.

The Insurance-Gunner clash will be replayed at a later date, and has no effect on today's standings.

A four-run third inning for Merrill overcame a 3-2 second inning Superior Troy lead. The Merrillites added two in the fourth and one in the fifth to put the game on ice.

The winner, Rich Carleton, pitched seven hit balls while fanning six and issuing seven free passes. The loss was charged to Superior's starter, Dave Spencer, who was lifted in the fourth in favor of Mary Edwards. Spencer gave up two hits, walked seven and fanned six. His reliever gave up three hits, walked two and struck out two.

Merrill second sacker Dave Sherman collected two singles for bat.

Henley, KU Cagers Win

Both Henley and Klamath Union picked up victories in Thursday night's basketball action in the Park and Recreation Department summer court program being held at Pelican Court. The KU squad trounced the KU sophomores, 51-28, and the Henley crew edged by the older team of Klamathites in the second game, 51-45.

Little Bob Lapaley counted 15 points for KU in the first game while teammate Bob Lewis tallied 18 in the second tilt. High point honors for the night, however, went to Henley's LeRoy Larson who popped in 21 markers.

Dean White, director of the summer program, reports that more boys are turning out every night for the sessions, which are being held Monday through Friday mornings and evenings.

The morning sessions are being devoted to the younger boys while the evening sessions belong entirely to the older boys, reports White.

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ting honors while Darwin Edwards rapped a single and a triple for the losers.

An eight inning standoff resulted from an M. L. Johnson-Gun Store comedy of errors. The Insurance men collected eight and the Gunners were credited with 12.

Each squad used numerous pitchers, none of them credited with either a win or a loss.

Bruce Campbell led the MLJ hitters with two singles while teammate Jeff Gieger smashed a triple. Jim Thomas notched a triple and a pair of singles while Ross Griggs added two baseknocks, and Mike Hazelwood rapped a double and a single for the Gun Store.

This week's BR action finds East Side Electric and the Crater Lake Cats meeting on Field No. 1 at Conger Monday night while K Amusement and Moynia Heights clash on Field No. 2.

Tuesday at Gem Stadium Henley Sporting Goods and Balsigers tangled at 6:30 followed by Chiloquin and M. L. Johnson at 8:30. Wednesday at Conger Field Fluhers and Merrill meet on Field No. 1 while the Gun Store and Balsigers mix on Diamond No. 2. Wednesday play wraps up Babe Ruth Activity prior to the Fourth of July.

The linescores:

R H E
M. L. Johnson 300 021 61-13 7 8
Gun Store 420 002 41-13 8 12
Jackson, Allison (7), Clark (7), Graham (8) and Sparlin; Kerr, Malcomb (7), Nealy (7) and Kellstrom, Johanson (6).

R H E
Superior Troy 210 021 0-6 7 3
Merrill 204 210 x-9 5 3
Spencer, Edwards (4) and Crawley, Horn (4); Carleton and Walker.

Cleveland Signs Ronnie Beamer

ROSEBURG (AP)—The Cleveland Indians have signed Ron Beamer—the 19-year-old southpaw pitcher released late in May by the Northwest League Salem Senators—as a pitcher-first baseman.

Beamer has been playing with North Platte in the Nebraska State League. He is a brother of Nub Beamer, former Oregon State College fullback.

Baltimore Regains 2nd Spot

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Only two questions remain today about that American League race:

1. How long will Baltimore last?
2. When will the Yankees take the lead?

The Orioles climbed back into second place Friday night with a 12-7 and 4-1 sweep of a two-night doubleheader at Detroit. That left 'em just one game behind Cleveland's first place Indians, who belted Boston 11-5. It also left the Tigers, who have misplaced their magic, four games behind in fifth.

New York's defending champ Yankees, crunching along on their avenging adventure, whipped Chicago 8-4 and gained a third place tie with the White Sox, two games shy of first. The champs haven't been this high since April 24.

Washington's homer-happy Senators belted four, with Harmon Killebrew getting his 23th, in an 8-4 victory at Kansas City that sprung the Nats out of the cellar and dumped the A's into last place.

Orioles Take Two

Bob Nieman had four hits, one a homer, and drove in five runs in the first game for the Orioles, who cashed in on 2 errors for seven unearned runs that beat Ray Narjeski (4-8). Billy O'Dell (4-6) was the winner, although chased in a seven-run ninth. Al Kaline, Gus Zernial and Charlie Maxwell homered for the Tigers, who have lost seven of their last 10. Zernial's shot was his 10th homer of the season tying Burgess for the major league career record.

Singles by Gus Triandos and Billy Gardner, Walt Dropo's double and a force out scored two runs in the nightcap second for the Birds as they picked up their seventh victory in the last 10 games and dipped the Tigers back to .500. Jerry Walker (5-3) was the winner with Billy Loes' two shutout innings of relief. Frank Lary (8-4) lost it.

Yanks 8, ChiSox 4

The Yankees, winning 21 of their last 30 and fourth in a row from the White Sox, smacked Billy Pierce (5-8) for home runs by Hector Lopez and Gil McDougald while building a 6-2 lead. Art Ditmar (6-3) won it with relief help from first Ralph Terry and then Ryne Duren, who fanned eight in the last three innings while extending his shutout string to 25 frames.

Duren, hit by a pitch in the ninth, got into a finger-pointing hassle with Chicago reliever Rodolfo Arias and then hit Nellie Fox in the ninth while striking out the side. But there was no real flare up.

Indians 11, Boston 5

The Indians' Vic Power was hit by Billy Monbouquette following Woody Held's two-run homer in the third inning and was wrestled to a stop on his trudge to the mound in Boston catcher Pete Daley. Power was ejected before any swings were recorded.

Dick Brown also hit a two-run homer for Cleveland as Cal McLish (8-3) won his third in a row despite a grand slam by Jackie Jensen and a solo homer by Dick Gernert. Jerry Casale (6-5) who had won five in a row, left with the loss in a five-run Cleveland first.

Solons 8, KC 4

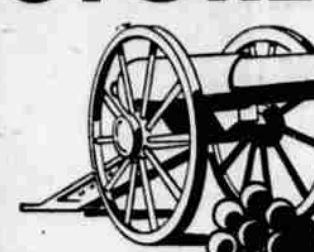
Faye Throneberry (5), rookie Bob Allison (20) and Bob Lemon (18) also homered for the Senators, who skipped into sixth place. Camilo Pascual (6-7) won it with relief help after blanking the A's for six. Ned Garver (6-6) was the loser.

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Pitching—Mike McCormick, Giants, extended his shutout to 23 with a three-hit, 8-0 victory, walking none and striking out six.

Hitting—Bob Nieman, Orioles, had four hits, one a homer and drove in five runs in the first game of a 12-7, 4-1 two-night doubleheader sweep over the Tigers.

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