

Oldsters Boost LA

Bums, Giants, Cubs All Even

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So it's early yet and it may not mean a thing, but Duke Snider and Gil Hodges, too old to do it again, and Ed Roebuck, a forgotten reliever, have the Los Angeles Dodgers in first place at the moment.

Snider belted a home run, his first hit of the season, and Hodges triggered a two-run ninth that gave Roebuck his first victory since 1937 in a 3-2 decision over winless St. Louis Thursday night. That hoisted the world champs into a share of the National League lead with San Francisco and the Chicago Cubs, who Kline, McDaniels, Bridges gave up a third Giant homer to handed the Giants their first loss, 9-0, Dula (9) and Smith, John Orlando Cepeda.

6-5, with a walk and wind-blown double in the ninth.
The Milwaukee Braves blew a three-run lead and lost 5-4 in 10 innings to the Philadelphia Phillies, left without a manager when Eddie Sawyer called it quits earlier in the day. The Pittsburgh Pirates walloped Cincinnati 13-0 behind Vern Law's seven-hit pitching.

Bums 3, Cards 2

A bases-loaded wild pitch by losing reliever Bob (Och) Dula won it for the Dodgers.

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Candlestick Walls Shake

Cubs 6, Giants 5

The Giants, who overcame Ernie Banks' third-inning grand slam homer with home runs by Willie Kirkland and Willie McCovey, were beaten when reliever Billy O'Dell walked Bob Will in the ninth and Thomas lofted a two-out fly ball. The ball dropped for a double behind short and Will was home. Don Elston, second of four Cub pitchers, won it in relief. Los Angeles 000 100 001—2 9 1
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Phils 5, Braves 4

The Phillies, directed by coach Andy Cohen while awaiting the arrival of new manager Gene Mauch from the Minneapolis Millers of the American Assn., chased Milwaukee starter Carl Willey with three sixth-inning runs on homers by Bobby Del Greco and winning reliever Don Cardwell. In the 10th, Del Greco walked, second against losing reliever Juan Pizarro and scored on Joe Koppe's single.

Hank Aaron and Joe Adcock hit home runs for the Braves in a three-run first against left-hander Curt Simmons, trying for a comeback with the Phillies. Al Dark put away the 2,000th hit of his career with an infield single for the Phils.

(10 innings)
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Phila. 010 000 000 1—5 9 1
Willey, McMahon (6), Pizarro (9), Giggle (10) and Lopata, Cramblin (9), Simmons, Gomez (2), Cardwell (5) and Coker, Winner—Cardwell (1-0), Loser—Pizarro (0-1), HR—Adcock, Del Greco, Cardwell.

Bucs 13, Reds 0

Law, Pittsburgh's top winner last year, didn't walk a man and struck out 10. The Bucs rapped Cal McLish, a Cleveland ace last season, for five extra base hits and a 5-0 lead in three innings. Bob Clemente, 3-for-3, drove in five runs and Bill Mazeroski, who homered, drove in four as Law won his fifth in a row against the Reds at Forbes Field since 1956. Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 7 0
Pittsburgh 002 002 008—13 11 0
McLish, Lawrence (3), Purkey (5), Sanchez (6), Weland (8) and Bailey, Law (1-0) and Burgess, Loser—McLish (0-1), HR—Mazeroski.

Mathews Handed New Job

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Hard-hitting Eddie Mathews had a new job with the Milwaukee Braves today.

Manager Charlie Dressen named him as the "take charge guy" on defense in the infield Thursday night.
Dressen said that when he played third base he was the "policeman" of the infield and wanted Mathews "to do the same for us."
Red Schoendienst, veteran second baseman who had made a comeback after being out a year with tuberculosis, was the infield director in 1958 but Dressen believes "he's got more things to do and look out for at second base."
"That's why I'm picking Mathews for the job," Dressen said. "He doesn't have as much to worry about at third."
Dressen's decision to make Mathews the infield leader was greeted with pleasure by catcher Del Crandall.

"I think Eddie is a leader," Del said. "He has a great deal of respect from all of us on the team."
"He isn't what you call a boller guy, but he's a leader just the same—he leads by example and is in there playing hard all the time."
"The guy has an all-around personality that commands respect and he's sacrificed himself personally more than once for the good of the club."

SET OLYMPIC DATES
TOKYO (UPI)—The 1964 Olympic Games may be held between May 24 and June 7 to assure athletes of the best weather conditions, the Tokyo Olympic Organizing Committee announced today.

Except for the distance medley, the Pels may be weak in the running events. Competing in the two-mile relay running off half-mile segments each are Duncan, Mitchell, Petersen and Sproat. Knocking off 220 yards each in the 880-relay are Charles Richey, Greg Jones, Santo and Stippich. Sprinting 110-yard sections each in the 440 are Jones, Parks, Stippich and Richey. Santo is the key distance medley for the Pels' lone entry in the high hurdles, when he came from a distant second place to finish 20 yards ahead of the pack.

Standings

Friday Baseball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	2	1	.667	—
Los Angeles	2	1	.667	—
San Francisco	2	1	.667	—
Cincinnati	1	1	.500	1 1/2
Milwaukee	1	1	.500	1 1/2
Philadelphia	1	1	.500	1 1/2
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500	1 1/2
St. Louis	0	2	.333	2

Thursday Results

Pittsburgh 13, Cincinnati 0
Philadelphia 5, Milwaukee 4 (10 innings)
Chicago 6, San Francisco 5
Los Angeles 3, St. Louis 2

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Sacramento	2	0	1.000	—
Seattle	0	0	.000	—
Portland	0	0	.000	—
Salt Lake City	0	0	.000	—
San Diego	0	0	.000	—
Tacoma	0	0	.000	—
Spokane	0	0	.000	—
Vancouver	0	2	.000	2

Thursday's Results

Sacramento 10-5, Vancouver 9-1 (first game, 10 innings)
Portland at Tacoma, 2, postponed, rain and wet grounds.

Pel Netters Get Bombed By Tornado

The roof caved in on the Klamath Union High varsity Pelican tennis team when they tangled with the Medford Black Tornado Thursday afternoon on the Moore Park Courts. The Medfordites swept the card, winning 7-0, off victories in all five singles matches and both doubles contests.

Said coach Bob Johnson, "We're not playing up to par. It's no excuse, but the lack of training weather hasn't helped us one bit. We'll get better."

This morning the Pelican squad headed for Springfield for the first of a series that finds them in Roseburg Saturday afternoon, weather permitting.

While the Whitebirds are figured to handle the Millers, the Saturday bout with the Indians could be more of the thing that happened here Thursday. In a previous contest the Roseburg netters handed the skilled Medford squad a neat 7-0 trimming, the same count by which the Pelis fell to the Tornado.

Ken Baxter, Dan Ross, Ken Henry, Duane Fitzsimmons and Gary Buchholz and coach Johnson left for Springfield at 8:30 this morning. They meet Springfield this afternoon.

Medford won the matches in straight sets. The squad included Gary Cummings, John Shaw, Dave Rynn, Jim Randles and John McKinley.

Results:
Singles:
Cummings def. Baxter, 4-2, 4-1
Shaw def. Ross, 4-2, 4-3
Rynn def. Henry, 6-4, 4-3
Randles def. Fitzsimmons, 4-3, 4-3
McKinley def. Buchholz, 4-1, 4-3
Doubles:
Cummings, Shaw def. Baxter, Fitzsimmons, 4-3, 6-2
Rynn, Randles def. Ross, Henry, 4-2, 4-4
Final Score: Medford 7, Klamath 0

RAMS SIGN COACH
LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Vic Lindskog, former Philadelphia Eagle veteran, has signed as offensive line coach with the Los Angeles Rams. He has been an assistant coach for the Eagles, Stanford, the Vancouver, B. C. Lions and Bakersfield College.

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Scribes Seek Reason

Resignation Shocks Phil Bosses; Quick Switch Shocks City Fans

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Did asserted Sawyer Thursday in giving up one of the 16 coveted major league managerships.

This was the question inquiring and General Manager John Quinn Thursday night before the Phils' decision.

Manager Andy Cohen, under acting manager Andy Cohen, said the Milwaukee Braves at Connie Mack Stadium.

The unexpected resignation of the 49-year-old Sawyer and immediate appointment of Gene Mauch as his successor landed time expressed the hope Sawyer on the Philadelphia sports scene could take the youngsters budding like a bombshell.

"I just don't care to manage a develop them into a pennant winning major league club, or any club," he said in the same manner he did in the late 1940s.

Asked point blank if Sawyer gave up the ghost because he was being told from the front office whom to play, Quinn said, "I've never told a manager whom to play, and I never will."

"Sawyer has a free hand on the field. Certainly we discussed the merits of players, their condition, etc., but I never interfered with him."

It has been widely speculated that although Quinn and Sawyer were good friends, the one-time college professor was not Quinn's type of manager. It has been felt in some quarters that Sawyer wouldn't last the season in this graveyard of managers. The 34-year-old Mauch will be the Phils' sixth skipper since 1950.

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Viks Host Owls, Wolves

Techmen Ranked Underpup

A 15-man squad of Oregon Tech trackmen traded snowshoes for raincoats this afternoon as they prepared to head for Portland and a three-way conference meet which pits them against the Portland State Vikings and the Oregon College Wolves at 1:30 Saturday on the Lincoln High School track.

Pre-meet weather conditions being what they have on the Mile High practice cinders, the owl contingent enters the meet as a decided underdog. The Portlanders are rated the favorites but the OTI team may handle the OCE crew, according to coach Wally Palmberg.

Palmberg, assisted by manager Ray Hughes, concluded time trials qualifying members of his team for the Portland joint Thursday on Klamath Union's Modoc Field track.

The traveling squad includes (events to be entered in parentheses) L. T. Tennerson (100, broad jump), Leon Wilson (200, broad jump), Al Everson (100, discuss), Paul Layher (shot put, 220, 440), Wendell Winterbottom (440, relay), Lawrence Hamilton (440, relay), Keith Hickman (480), Norm Sawyer (800, relay), Larry Brown (mile, 2 mile), Harry Nelson (pole vault), Bill Hansen (pole vault, high jump, high hurdles), Norm Johns (discus), Larry Dixon (broad jump, low hurdles), Howard Jackson (broad jump, relay, javelin) and Don Anderson (high jump, javelin).

Coach Ralph Davis' powerful Viking squad set three school records and tied a fourth in smashing Linfield College 46-45 last weekend. Lance Newman, the defending Oregon Collegiate Conference half-mile champ, and Jon Abraham, who threatens both the 100 and 220-yard PSC marks, lead the Viking entries. Both will appear on the relay squad which also includes Gene Fredrick and Byron Arthur.

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Herald and News SPORTS

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KU Pels Seek Wins In Hayward Relays

"I think we ought to place in three events," was Klamath Union's track coach Jim Inglesby's comment concerning the Hayward Relays in Eugene today and tomorrow in which 94 schools from Oregon are competing.

Inglesby pointed out that his distance medley team which took a first place in the Rogue Valley Relays last week at Medford with a 11 minute 20 second time stands a fair chance of placing in the Haywards. He also was optimistic over the track performances of discus thrower Gary Hancock and Alan Phillips in the javelin.

The Haywards are run off in four separate divisions. The Metropolitan schools with more than 1,000 students are in one class; the A schools with less than 1,000 but more than a 450 student enrollment; the Class B schools with more than 200 students but less than 450; and the Class C division schools with enrollments less than 200 students.

The B and C divisions are being run off this afternoon. All the 1959 champions will be back including, in order of their size, Jefferson of Portland, Cottage Grove, Coquille and St. Mary's of Medford. The Metros and the A's vie Saturday.

The Southern Oregon Conference's fastest distance medley team to date consists of Klamath's Jim Parks running the 440, Eric Petersen doing the 880, Jack Mitchell in the 1320 and Bill Sproat running anchor man in the mile. Sproat won the Rogue Valley mile. Sproat's lone entry in the high hurdles, when he came from a distant second place to finish 20 yards ahead of the pack.

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