

Tigers Eight Back; Fox Homers For Sox

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against Washington, broke up a scoreless duel between Ford (23-3) and Tom Cheney (1-3) and got the Yankees started on a five-run fourth inning after two were out. Blanchard belted two. Bill Skowron and Bob Hale hit the other home runs.

Ford allowed five hits and struck out seven. The win reduced the Yankees' magic number to 16—any combination of New York victories or Detroit defeats totaling 16 clinches the flag.

Washington 000 000 0—0 5 0
New York 000 502 01x—8 7 1

Cheney, Klippstein (5), Heiser (8) and P. Daley, Ford (23-3) and Howard, Loser — Cheney (1-3). HR—Maris, Blanchard 2, Skowron, Hale.

Sox 6-4, Twins 3-2

The White Sox banged 13 hits, one a homer by Nellie Fox, and beat Pete Ramos (10-17) as Juan Pizarro (13-5) won his seventh in a row in the first game at Minnesota, a replay of Tuesday's 3-3 tie. Two unearned runs in the 10th

won the second game for the Sox and Don Larsen (7-1), Camilo Pascual (12-15) was the loser.

(First Game)
Chicago 110 040 000—6 13 0
Minnesota 200 000 100—3 9 0
Pizarro (13-5) and Carreon, Ramos, Pleis (5), Lee (8) and Battey, Loser — Ramos (10-17). HR—Battey, Fox, Green.
(Second Game, 10 innings)
Chicago 010 100 000 2—4 10 1
Minnesota 002 000 000 0—2 4 4
Larsen, Hacker (10), Lown (10) and Lollar, Pascual (12-15) and Naragon, Winner—Larsen (7-1).

Boston 9, Indians 4

Rookie Carl Yastrzemski drove in four runs, three with a homer, for Boston. Rookie Don Schwall (14-4) kept the Indians in check although allowing 11 hits. Jim Perry (9-13) lost it.

Cleveland 120 000 001—4 11 3
Boston 003 113 01x—9 14 2
Perry, Bailey (6) and Romano, Schwall (14-4) and Pagliaroni, Loser — Perry (10-13). HR—Yastrzemski.

(Only games scheduled)

Foreign Fields Best For Yankee Slugger

NEW YORK (AP) — Roger Maris, a man of definite opinion, took issue today with those who claim that Yankee Stadium, a paradise for left-handed hitters, has been helpful in his bid to break Babe Ruth's record.

"I agree that this park has got to help a left-handed hitter like myself," he conceded. "But I still think I'd have hit just as many, or nearly as many, if I were still playing with Kansas City."

"Check my home runs and you'll find that I have hit more home runs on the road than at home. I don't know how many I hit in other parks this year but I know last year I hit 26 or 27 of my 39 on the road."

The records bear that out. Roger slammed No. 54 of the season at Yankee Stadium Wednesday as Whitey Ford won his 23rd with a five-hit 8-0 decision over Washington. The victory increased the New York Yankees' first place lead over Detroit to eight games.

Maris' homer, putting him seven games ahead of Ruth's pace when the Babe slammed 60 in 1927, was Rog's 26th at Yankee Stadium. The other 28 have been

hit in foreign fields. Mickey Mantle, who walked twice but failed to hit any out of the park, has hit 29 of his 51 in enemy territory.

Maris' homer No. 54 was caught by teammate Bob Hale in the Yankee bullpen. The reserve first baseman presented it to Roger for his collection.

"I began saving them after I reached the 40's," Maris explained. "Every homer I hit after 40 I kept thinking might be my last one so I figured I might as well save them."

Maris writes the date and number on each home run ball that is returned to him. He didn't know how many he had because he gave some of them away to friends.

"No more," he said. "From now on, I'm going to keep every one of them."

He conceded they might be harder to come by from now on because "those pitchers are ganging up on me a lot more now. I'm not getting many pitches over the plate. They're either outside or inside. I really don't expect any down the pipe. When one comes, I'm surprised."

Hoople to Pick Football Scores



Major Hoople, the dean of Our Boarding House, is all set for another exciting season of football prognosticating.

The Major's first forecast will cover the games of Saturday, September 16, and will appear on the sports pages of this newspaper.

Extremely jealous of his reputation as the (self-styled) Master of the Upset, the old boy is challenging all readers to try to beat his selections.

Watch the sports pages for the big kickoff!



Teeing Off

Qualifying honors for the Reames Ladies Club Championship were taken by Jerry Smith in the 18-hole group, and Melba Gotshall in the 9-hole group.

Friday, Sept. 8, first round pairings are as follows:

18 Holes
Jerry Smith vs. Dean Marks, Edna Dakin vs. Veta Purvine, Leah Maskell vs. Veva Anderson, Dorothy Swanson vs. Marge Stewart, Mildred Merryman vs. Marcella Bell, Vi Zarnsky vs. Martha Ann Bartlett, Clare Grove vs. Murrel Hooper, Pauline Pernell vs. Ida Mae Fleck.

9 Holes
Melba Gotshall vs. Wilma Wiley, Ellen Miller received a bye, Eve Ashley vs. Marty Holt, Janis Fern a bye, Marlys O'Neill vs. Cecil Peyton, Lucille Adams a bye, Clemence Newton a bye, Ekene Humble a bye.

All matches must be played before Wednesday, Sept. 13. Those who succeeded in choosing their own handicaps and matching par Sept. 1 were Martha Ann Bartlett in the 18-hole group and Margaret Larkin and Clemence Newton in the 9-hole group.

Cards Dump Reds; Spahn Wins 306th

Continued From 10-A

Sanford, Lemay (1), Miller (5), O'Dell (8) and Bailey, Koufax, Farrell (5), L. Sherry (7), Craig (8), Golden (9), Perranoski (9) and N. Sherry, Roseboro (9). Winner — Craig (5-6). Loser — Miller (10-4). HR — Davenport, F. Alou, Cepeda, Snider.

Cards 11, Reds 5

St. Louis twice came from behind against the Reds after knocking out their ace right-hander, 19-game winner Joey Jay, with two runs in the first inning. A two-run sixth on two of the Reds' four errors, Stan Musial's sacrifice fly and Ken Boyer's single, put it away and beat reliever Jim Maloney (6-6).

Right-hander Larry Jackson (12-9), a winner in nine of his last 10 decisions, settled down after walking three men on 12 consecutive pitches in a three-run third and held the Reds to one run, a homer by Jerry Lynch, over the last six innings.

Cincinnati 031 001 000—5 8 4
St. Louis 210 102 05x—11 17 1

Jay, Maloney (1), Henry (6), Brosnan (7), Nunn (8) and Edwards, Jackson (12-9) and Schaffer, Sawatski (6). Loser — Maloney (6-7). HR — Lynch.

Cubs 6, Bucs 2

The Cubs made the most of five Pittsburgh errors and the eight-hit pitching of Don Cardwell (13-12), who had the Bucs blanked until they scored two unearned runs in the eighth. Joe Gibbon (10-10) was the loser.

Pittsburgh 000 000 020—2 8 5
Chicago 300 090 12x—6 8 1

Gibbon, Labine (8) and Burgess, Cardwell (13-12) and Barragan, Loser — Gibbon (10-10).

Braves 1, Phils 0

Spahn (18-12), closing in on his 12th season of 20 or more victories, beat Eddie Plank's record of 305 victories, all in the AL, by blanking the Phils on three singles. It was Spahn's 54th career shutout.

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The Braves, now six games in John Buzhardt (5-16) on a walk, Phila back of Cincinnati, had five hits, Ed Mathews' single and Hank Milwaukee 100 000 000—0 3 0 Green (8) and Dalrymple. Spahn scoring in the first inning off Aaron's sacrifice fly. Buzhardt, Ferrarese (8) Buzhardt (5-16).

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