



CONGRATULATIONS FOR JOHNSON — The Klamath Union baseball team comes out to home plate in force to greet catcher Dave Johnson, at right, who just hit a home run over the left field fence against Medford. Mike Kitching (30), Rich Jackson (23), Gary Benson, between Jackson and Ron Yunc (37), and Jim Jackson (28) are the identifiable players. His home run wasn't enough, however, as the Black Tornado won this game, 6-2, and the second game, 6-4, to cap the district baseball title.

Candy Spots Faces Race In Jersey

BALTIMORE (UPI) — There's no rest in sight for Candy Spots, the hero of the Preakness. The California speedster will make his next start in the \$100,000 added Jersey Derby at Garden State Park on Memorial Day and then is expected to run into his old rivals, Chateaugay and Never Bend, in the Belmont Stakes at Aqueduct, June 8.

Candy Spots came out of the Preakness, in which he ran away from Chateaugay and Never Bend in the stretch, in fine fettle, according to trainer Mesh Tenney.

Achin' To Run

"He's fine now and achin' to run, and we sure want to run him," said Tenney while discussing any idea that his colt would be over-raced if he enters him in the Jersey Derby and the Belmont without a respite.

Tenney did admit, though, that for one brief moment in Saturday's Preakness he thought Chateaugay would "smother" Candy Spots in the stretch just as he did in the Kentucky Derby.

"That would have to alert anybody," he said of the strong bid made by Chateaugay on the final turn, a bid that carried the Derby Dan colt from back in the pack to within a length of Candy Spots, who had taken over the lead from Never Bend.

Doubts Are Dispersed

"When he made as good a move as that it looked like the Derby all over again. He was running so well I wondered," said Tenney, whose doubts were dispelled a moment later.

It was then that jockey Willie Shoemaker lashed Candy Spots several times with the whip and the 87th Preakness was all over. For an eighth of a mile in the stretch Chateaugay gallantly managed to keep within striking distance of victory but in the last half of the stretch Candy Spots pulled away to win by three and one-half lengths.

Never Bend, which once again tried to stay in front all the way just as he had at Louisville, faded back to third, beaten a total of eight lengths.

Fairfield Seeks 2

OKLAHOMA CITY (UPI)—Don Fairfield, who thinks he has regained his putting touch with a new stance and has the biggest check he has ever won to back it up, heads for the Memphis Open today, hoping to make it two in a row.

Fairfield chalked up his first tour victory in almost three years when he captured the \$35,000 Oklahoma City Open with a 72-hole total of 280 Sunday, giving him a one-stroke edge over last-finishing Julius Boros.

Fairfield, 33, Perdue Bay, Fla., finished with a 3-under-par 69 for the \$5,300 check, which was the biggest single payoff in his career.

Boros, seeking to duplicate last week's Colonial Invitational win, collected \$3,400 for his second place finish.

Former PGA champion Dow Finsterwald came in third Sunday when he shot a 70 for a 282. Next at 293 came Miller Barber and Frank Beard.

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AL Standings Tighten Up With Lead Split Three Ways

By MILTON RICHMAN
UPI Sports Writer

To get the feel of the American League race today, try squeezing five into a telephone booth.

That's exactly the same situation presently existing in Joe Cronin's circuit where a mere half-game separates the first five clubs and where the standings look this way:

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Boston	19	13	.594	...
Chicago	21	15	.583	...
Baltimore	21	15	.583	...
New York	18	13	.581	1/2
Kansas City	20	15	.571	1/2

The log-jam wasn't helped any Sunday when four doubleheaders ended in splits and none of the leaders could make the least bit of headway against any of the others.

The Red Sox had an opportunity to widen their slender percentage-points lead after clipping the A's, 7-3, in the first game of a doubleheader but lost the nightcap, 9-7.

Baltimore won the opener from Chicago, 4-3, then lost a 10-inning nightcap by the same score; the Los Angeles Angels beat the Yankees, 6-2, but dropped the second game, 10-4; Cleveland defeated Minnesota, 6-4, and lost the finale, 7-6, and the Detroit Tigers winged the Washington Senators, 5-1, in a single game.

Frank Malzone drove in five runs in the Red Sox-Athletics opener with two homers and a single that paved the way for Bill Monbouquette's fourth victory. KC reliever Phil Fischer scored his sixth straight victory without a defeat in the nightcap as George Alousis and Ed Charles each hit two-run homers.

Strikeout Milestone

Robin Roberts struck out the 2,000th batter of his major league career in the Orioles' opening game victory over the White Sox. His victim was Juan Pizarro, who suffered his first loss following three straight victories. Roberts allowed five hits in bringing his record to 2-4.

Ray Herbert's string of scoreless innings ended at 28 when Orioles catcher John Orsino hit the first of his two homers in the third inning of the second game. Orsino also singled home the tying run in the ninth but Pete Ward's triple won the game for the White Sox in the 10th. Jim Brosnan, recently acquired from the Reds, was credited with the first AL triumph.

Albie Pearson's three-run homer and another two-run blast by rookie Bob Perry eased the way for Ken McBride's first game victory over the Yanks. The Angel right-hander now has registered two of his season's three triumphs over the world champs and has beaten them five straight times.

Route To Belinsky

They combed 30 Belinsky for eight runs in the first two innings of the nightcap, however, enabling Ralph Terry to coast to his fourth victory. Clete Boyer homered for the Yankees and Leon Wagner belted his 11th for the Angels.

Lenny Green's two-run homer in the ninth inning of the second game powered the Twins to their second game win after Pedro Ramos scored his second victory in the opener. Joe Adcock drove in all six of Cleveland's runs in the nightcap with two homers and a single but Ray Moore, third of five Twin pitchers, gained his first victory.

Benton Vs. Carter Top Garden Battle

NEW YORK (UPI)—Middleweight contenders Rubin "Hurricane" Carter of Paterson, N.J., and George Benton of Philadelphia will meet at Madison Square Garden Saturday night in a nationally televised fight that features this week's boxing schedule.

Veteran Benton, ranked second among 160-pound contenders by the World Boxing Association, is favored at 8-5 because of his combined skill and punch. His 47-1 record includes 27 knockouts. He seeks his 10th straight victory.

The more colorful fifth-ranking Carter, also a knockout specialist, scored 11 of his 15 professional victories by knockouts.

He probably would have been favored to beat Benton had he not been stopped in the sixth round because of a cut right brow by "Spiller" Jose Gonzalez in his latest bout, March 30. That was his third defeat in 18 starts.

Saturday's winner will get another Garden TV fight on July 12 against contender Joey Archer of New York, who last Saturday night won a unanimous 10-round decision over slugger Victor Zalazar of Argentina in their Garden TV fight.

Heavyweight contenders Zora Folley of Chandler, Ariz., and Bob Cleroux of Montreal are slated for a return bout on Thursday at Montreal. Folley outpointed Cleroux at San Francisco on April 18, 1962, but Cleroux is favored at 7-5 to win this time because of Folley's knockout by Doug Jones last Dec. 15.

Also on Thursday, at Rome, Gualino Rinaldi of Italy defends his European lightweight crown in a 15-rounder with Erich Schoepfinger of Germany.

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Bill Bowerman's forces ran up 74½ points, 10 more than arch-rival Oregon State. Washington State finished third with 53, Washington 40 and Idaho 20.

Canadian Dave Steen stood out for Oregon. He shattered meet records in winning the shot put in 60-2 and the discus in 177-1½.

Five other meet marks were broken by Terry Llewellyn at 6-10½ in the high jump for Oregon, Oregon State's Morgan Groth in 4-03.2 in the mile, Gary Stenlund of the Beavers with 241-5 in the javelin, Washington's Brian Sternberg at 16½ in the pole vault and Ed Fredriksen of Washington State with 48-11½ in the triple jump.

Oregon Coach Bill Bowerman said Forman also would miss next Saturday's Modesto Relay.

Ducks Win Sans Forman

PULLMAN, Wash. (UPI)—Oregon's Ducks can win without star distance runner Keith Forman.

The Ducks, with Forman sidelined with an injured foot, captured their 10th straight Far West track championship here Saturday.

Flags Dip For Elmira Sports Hero

ELMIRA, N.Y. (UPI)—Flags hung at half mast at city hall and at other office buildings today as Elmira tried to accept the loss of its greatest sports hero, Ernie Davis.

The body of the 23-year-old, former Syracuse University halfback arrived in his hometown Sunday from Cleveland, where he died Saturday after a 13-month fight against acute leukemia.

Funeral services for the only Negro ever to win the Heisman Trophy as college football's outstanding player two years ago will be held Wednesday from Monumental Baptist Church, only a block from his home. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

The pall bearers at the funeral Wednesday will be six of his high school teammates on the 1957 Elmira Free Academy squad.

They are Lewis Stark Jr., Leo Hughes, Frank Cox, William Fitzgerald, Ted De Filippo, and Jack Moore, all of whom are now living in Elmira.

Among the honorary pall bearers will be the Cleveland Browns' Jim Brown, whose Syracuse University records Davis topped while an undergraduate.

Syracuse head coach Ben Schwartzwalder, and members of the Browns and recent Syracuse squads.

Davis broke a number of sports records before his graduation and was eventually signed by the Browns to a three-year, \$30,000 contract.

Davis never got a chance to play with the Browns after he learned he was afflicted with leukemia last July. He kept in training and watched game movies during the fall season. He had hoped to be able to return to the game when he seemed to be making headway against the disease.

Southern Oregon Outscores PSC

ASHLAND (UPI)—Defending champion Southern Oregon outscored Portland State in a two-way show to capture the Oregon Collegiate Conference track title Saturday.

The Red Raiders rolled up 140 points. The Vikings scored 115. Eastern Oregon had 14 for third place, Oregon Tech trailed 13 and Oregon College of Education 8.

Fred Thomas won three events for Southern Oregon. He captured the 100-yard dash in 9.7, the broad jump in 22-7 and the triple jump in 46-2.

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Bums Close Gap On Giants

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	24	15	.615	...
Los Angeles	23	16	.590	1
St. Louis	20	19	.513	4
Chicago	19	18	.514	4
Milwaukee	19	20	.487	5
Pittsburgh	17	18	.486	5
Cincinnati	17	18	.486	5
Philadelphia	17	20	.459	6
Houston	17	22	.436	7
New York	16	23	.410	8

By United Press International

All those creaky-lungers who where so sure Walt Alston was about to lose his job can march to the blackboard and write 100 times: "How wrong can anyone be?"

Alston's job as manager of the Los Angeles Dodgers was regarded so precarious two weeks ago that owner Walter O'Malley broke a long silence by giving him a vote of confidence.

Ordinarily, such verbal pats on the back too often turn out to be the kiss of death but at the spectacular clip Alston has the Dodgers going now he's even in a position to throw a few votes O'Malley's way.

At long last, the Dodgers look like the club everyone felt they could be but never really were since 1959 when they won their last National League pennant.

Close In On Giants

They have won 6 in a row, 9 of their last 10 and have zipped from seventh place to within one game of the first-place San Francisco Giants. They also were the only major league club to sweep a doubleheader Sunday when they beat the New York Mets, 1-0 and 4-2 in 13 innings.

Southpaw Sandy Koufax rolled to his sixth victory with a two-hitter in the opener and Frank Howard cracked his seventh homer with one man aboard in the 13th inning of the nightcap.

Ron Hunt's fourth inning single and a sixth inning infield single by losing pitcher Roger Craig were the only hits off Koufax in the first game, which really was decided in the first inning when

Tommy Davis' sacrifice fly accounted for the only run of the contest.

Ron Perranoski blanked the Mets on four hits over the last seven innings to register his sixth win in the nightcap. Howard's homer dealt the first loss of the season to Ken MacKenzie, who had relieved Met starter "Lefty" in the 12th.

Phils, Giants Split

The Philadelphia Phillies downed the Giants, 3-0, in the first of their two games but San Francisco won the nightcap, 6-5. The Cincinnati Reds defeated the St. Louis Cardinals, 10-6, the Pittsburgh Pirates thumped the Houston Astros, 5-0, and Chicago and Milwaukee split a doubleheader, with the Cubs winning the opener,

and the Braves the finale, victory and went the distance despite allowing 13 hits.

Bob Friend and Bill Mazeroski paced the Pirates to their victory over the Colts, with Friend blanking Houston on nine hits for his fourth win and Mazeroski driving in three runs on two singles. The loser was Dick Farrell, whose record now is 4-4.

Dick Ellsworth profited by a three-run Cub rally in the first inning to register his fifth victory in the opener with the Braves. Lew Burdette (3-5) was the loser even though Hank Aaron connected for his 13th homer.

Warren Spahn, still going strong at 42, won his sixth game in the nightcap even though tagged for 11 hits, including Jim Schaffe's home. Eddie Mathews hit his sixth home and drove in three runs.

Alou Breaks Slumps

Cal McLish limited the Giants to five hits to gain his second victory for the Phillies in the opener. Tony Gonzalez clipped loser Jack Fisher for a pair of doubles, the first of which drove in the Phils' first run.

Felipe Alou came out of a 1-for-31 slump with a ninth inning homer that broke up a 5-5 tie and brought reliever Bob Bolin his second victory. Ed Bailey also homered for the Giants while Roy Sievers and Clay Dalrymple connected for the Phils.

The Reds rapped Bob Gibson for all 10 of their runs during the six innings he worked for the Cardinals. Jerry Lynch and Frank Robinson each knocked in three runs with the Cubs winning the opener, as Joe Nuxhall picked up his third



HOMER WINS FOR GIANTS — Tony Taylor loses his hat as he successfully steals second base, avoiding Giant Jose Pagan's attempted tag in third inning of second game of double-header in San Francisco Sunday. The Giants won the second game, 6-5, on Felipe Alou's game winning home run in the bottom of the ninth inning.

Tacoma Giants Belt Bevos To Widen PC League Lead

By United Press International

If unheralded Ricardo Joseph of the Dominican Republic and bonus pitcher Bob Garibaldi from Santa Clara continue to pool their talents, nobody is going to beat the Tacoma Giants.

Joseph, who at 23 stands 6-foot-1 and weighs 190, kept the little Giants atop the heap in the northern division of the Pacific Coast League Sunday by belting three two-run homers in Tacoma's 11-7, 4-2 sweep of Portland.

They were home runs No. 7, 8 and 9 for the right-handed belter this season. He hit 10 fourbaggers in 110 games for Tacoma last season. Infielder Joseph's feats, for the time being, overshadowed the batting heroics (345) of Jim Ray Hart, Tacoma's sparkling rookie third baseman.

Last Friday Joseph slugged a three-run homer in the 13th inning to give the Giants an 8-4 decision over Portland. At the moment Joseph ranks next to San Diego's Deron Johnson as the top home run hitter in the PCL.

Garibaldi, plucked by the San Francisco Giants from the Santa Clara campus for a reported \$130,000 bonus, is proving his worth in triple-A baseball. Though touched for seven runs and nine hits in the opener, he went the distance to pick up his fifth win for Tacoma against a single loss.

Two of Joseph's circuit swats came in the game Garibaldi pitched.

the Padres won the second game, 5-4 in 12 innings. Hawaii split a doubleheader with Spokane, winning the first 8-2 but dropping the nightcap 4-2.

Denver at Oklahoma City was rained out.

Ray Jablonski socked his eighth and ninth homers of the campaign for Dallas-Fort Worth. Salt Lake left 16 runners on base including three in the ninth during the first game.

A two-run homer by Jim Saul in the 12th game San Diego its second-game win over Seattle. Catcher Saul's blast came off lefthander Bill MacLeod (0-1). Saul batted in four runs in the game.

In the opener, Wood (5-1) allowed five hits in hurling his third shutout this season. He owns the lowest earned-run average in the league. Stan Johnson hit a homer to help Wood to victory.

Slender Dick Sovde, who stands 6-foot-8, tossed a five-hitter as Hawaii beat Spokane in the opener. John Werhas doubled home two runs and Al Ferrara tripled across the other two for Spokane's second-game win.

Hawaii's Chuck Dees got two hits in the opener to run his consecutive game hitting streak to 10. But the skein was halted in the night game when he walked his first time up and then had to be removed from the lineup due to a pulled thigh muscle.

Carlos Bernier of Hawaii, who

had five home runs in the last five games, also had his streak halted in the second game. He socked a lead-off homer in the fifth inning of the first game.

Linecores:
(1st Game)
San Diego 000-000-000 0-5-0
Seattle 000-012-20X 5-8-0
Ellis, Luebke (6) Flavin (8) and Saul; Wood and Skeen.

(2nd Game, 12 Innings)
San Diego 001-002-000 5-11-1
Seattle 003-000-000-001 4-12-0
Willis, McWilliams (6) Rippel-meyer (1) and Saul; Stephenson, Spanskwick (6), Spencer (7), MacLeod (7) and Hall.

(1st Game)
Spokane 100-000-100 2-5-2
Hawaii 200-021-21X 8-13-2
Moeller, McGavock (5) Rado-ovich (6), Rowe (7) and Brumley; Sovde and White. LP-Moeller (2-3)

(2nd Game)
Spokane 200-020-000 4-5-1
Hawaii 100-001-000 2-9-1
Whillbrite, Smith (9) and Brumley; Newman and Roselli.

(1st game)
Salt Lake City 200-100-010 4-15-2
Dallas Ft. W 210-101-10X 6-9-0
Stevens, Schandavel (5), Warner (7), Burdette (8) and Holden-er; Mecklenburg, Rantz (7), Williams (8) Bonikowski (9), Donnel-ly (9) and McCabe.

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