

Relievers Strong In PCL

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The value of top relief pitchers is becoming more and more evident as the Pacific Coast League season nears the two-thirds mark. Relief artists chalked up decisions in three games Wednesday night and another was saved by superb fireman tactics.

Home runs also played a large part in Wednesday night's contests as in four of the games, round-trippers were responsible for victories.

Oklahoma City swept a double-header from San Diego by one run scores, winning the first 3-2 and the second 7-6. Dallas and Ft. Worth split with the Rangers taking the opener 6-4 but dropping the nightcap 3-1. Salt Lake City edged Seattle 4-2 and Tacoma downed Portland 6-2 while Hawaii, behind the pitching and batting of Eli Grba, clobbered Denver 11-4.

Spokane remained four games in front of Tacoma in the Northern Division while Oklahoma City maintained its 1 1/2 game advantage over Dallas-Ft. Worth in the southern sector.

Dave Gerard took over for Oklahoma City in the sixth inning and recorded the victory in the first game with San Diego.

Home runs by Dave Roberts and Jim Mahoney cinched the contest for Oklahoma City, Roberts coming with a man aboard. In the nightcap, Gordon Jones, fourth order hurler, got his fifth decision as left fielder Danny Murphy drove in the winning run.

Dallas-Ft. Worth ended a three game Spokane winning streak by taking the first game 6-4 but Mel McGavock bested Joe Bonikowski in the nightcap. The Indians had been held hitless until the sixth inning. The first Indian hit was a 350-foot homer by Jim Barber. Dick Nen broke up the game with a two-out homer in the bottom of the eighth with John Werhans on base. McGavock had just been recalled from Albuquerque.

Ron Herbel kept Tacoma's hopes alive by fanning 10 and allowing but four hits as he pitched the Giants to a 6-2 decision over Portland. A four-run sixth inning was the difference for Tacoma as they tallied on three singles, a sacrifice, an intentional base on balls and a three run triple by Jesus Alou. Bill Sparks, recalled from El Paso, had a three-for-three evening.

Jim Schandavel right-handed his way to victory for Salt Lake City 4-2 over Seattle. He gave up eight hits but kept them scattered.

Larry Foster took the loss but went the distance.

Seattle took a 1-0 lead in the opening frame but the Bees maneuvered ahead in the third on two walks, a single and an error. They were never topped.

Grba pitched his farewell game for Hawaii in convincing fashion. He kept 13 hits scattered and moved the Islanders in front to stay in the 4th with a two-run home run. Grba was recalled, along with three others, by the Los Angeles Angels after the game.

Denny Ribant, the first of four Bees hurlers, was charged with the loss.

Linescores:
(1st game 7 innings)
San Diego 001 100 0-2 6 2
Oklahoma City 000 002 1-3 6 1
Rippelmeyer, McWilliams (7) and Saul; Nelson, Gerard (6) and Wooten. HRS: Roberts, WP-Gerard. LP-McWilliams.

(2nd game 7 innings)
San Diego 000 213 0-6 10 0
Oklahoma City 110 202 1-7 11 2
Foder, Luckie (5), Sisler (6); Saul; Grob, Borland (6), Kemmerer (6), Jones (7) and Smith. HRS: Johnson, Saul, Mahoney, Queen, Wooten. WP-Jones. LP-Sisler.

Dallas Ft. W. 001 003 2-6 9 0
Spokane 100 020 1-4 9 2
Meeklenburg, Rantz (5), and McCabe; Moeller, Rowe (6); Smith (6) and Julian, Brumley (7). HR-Williams. WP-Rantz. LP-Rowe.

(2nd game)
Dallas Ft. W. 000 000 100-1 0 1
Spokane 000 001 02-3 4 1
Bonikowski and Weatherpoon; McGavock and Brumley. HR-Barber. Weatherpoon, Nen.

Salt Lake 002 001 010-4 7 0
Seattle 100 000 100-2 8 1
Schandavel, Wallace (8) and Holdener; Foster and Sken. HR-Tuttle. WP-Schandavel.

Portland 010 000 100-2 4 1
Tacoma 000 114 008-6 12 1
Monteagudo, Aker (7) and Sullivan; Herbel and Talton. LP-Monteagudo.

Denver 002 011 000-4 13 1
Hawaii 103 330 10-11 17 1
Ribant, Clapp (4), Seale (5), Brice (6) and Uecker; Grba, Morgan (8) and White. HR-Grba. WP-Grba. LP-Ribant.

PARKER SIGNS CONTRACT
BALTIMORE, Md. (UPI)—Jim Parker, an All-Pro lineman, has signed his contract with the Baltimore Colts for the 1963 National Football League season.

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OREGON WRESTLERS IN JAPAN—Ten husky wrestling champions of Oregon high schools are shown here last Saturday as they arrived in Tokyo for a series of nine meets with Japanese high school wrestlers. Accompanying the boys are coach and leader Delance Duncan of Klamath Falls high school, third from bottom, John Dustin of Marshfield, just above Duncan, and Joe Much, reporter of the Salem Capital-Journal. Salem. Klamath's contribution to the wrestling team is Grant Humphrey, the third boy from the bottom.

—UPI Telephoto



By United Press International

National League			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	57	35	.620
Chicago	50	41	.549
St. Louis	51	42	.548
San Francisco	50	44	.532
Cincinnati	49	45	.521
Pittsburgh	47	45	.511
Milwaukee	47	45	.511
Philadelphia	46	47	.495
Houston	36	60	.375
New York	32	61	.344

Wednesday's Results

Milwaukee 6 Chicago 4	Los Angeles 3 Pittsburgh 2, night
St. Louis 3 Cincinnati 1, night	Philadelphia 10 Houston 9, 10 in-
innings, night	

Friday's Games

Houston at St. Louis, night	New York at Philadelphia, night
Chicago at Pittsburgh, night	Los Angeles at Milwaukee, night
San Fran at Cincinnati, night	

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	55	33	.625
Chicago	51	41	.554
Boston	49	41	.544
Minnesota	49	42	.538
Baltimore	51	44	.537
Cleveland	46	47	.495
Los Angeles	46	50	.479
Kansas City	40	50	.444
Detroit	37	50	.425
Washington	33	59	.359

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Kansas City 8 Boston 1, night	New York 4 Minnesota 0, night
Los Ang 7 Cleveland 2, 1st	Los Ang 1 Cleveland 0, 2nd, night

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Baltimore at Kansas City, night	Washington at Minnesota, night
Boston at Chicago, night	

Patterson To Warm Up For Fight

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UPI)—Floyd Patterson will shadow-box in his dressing room next Monday night and come out "red hot" for his return heavyweight title fight with champion Sonny Liston at the Las Vegas Convention Center.

"He'll shadow-box four rounds after I wake him up from his dressing-room nap," co-trainer Buster Watson said today. "He'll go into that ring red hot instead of cold fish like he was at Chicago."

Watson of New York, long-time buddy of the ex-champion, said Floyd was caught "cold" by big Sonny at Chicago, Sept. 25, and knocked out at 2:06 of the first round because he had taken only about 30 or 40 seconds of light exercise in the dressing room.

Meanwhile Liston, in his final sparring session at the Thunderbird Hotel, appeared so impressive in three rounds with mediocre Fonedra Cox of St. Louis, that Billy Conn of Pittsburgh, former light heavyweight champion and heavyweight challenger, predicted:

"Liston will knock out Patterson in the first round again—maybe quicker than at Chicago."

But when asked how Liston would have fared with ex-champ Joe Louis when Bomber Joe was champion, Conn said: "Louis would have knocked his brains out. Louis was too fast with his hands for Sonny."

In very light wagering, Liston continued the 4-1 favorite.

Houk's Youth Movement Paying Off In Spades

By United Press International

When in doubt, decide in favor of youth.

That's been manager Ralph Houk's policy since he became manager of the New York Yankees in 1961 and it has paid off dramatically in the cases of pitcher Jim Bouton and first-baseman Joe Pepitone.

The ultimate payoff, barring a spectacular uprising by some American League contender, looks like a ramp to Houk's third straight pennant.

In May, 1962, Houk was faced with a choice between veteran Robin Roberts and Bouton. He decided in favor of Bouton. And last winter Houk approved the

trade of veteran Bill Skowron on the grounds that he had 22-year-old Pepitone waiting in the wings.

Both moves have paid off handsomely. Bouton has developed into a 12-game winner this season while Pepitone is hitting .288 with 15 homers. Roberts is below .500 with the Orioles and Skowron is batting .217 for the Los Angeles Dodgers.

Pitched Seven-Hitter

Bouton pitched a seven-hitter and struck out eight and Pepitone had a homer and a single when the Yankees whipped the Minnesota Twins, 4-0, Wednesday night before a crowd of 42,034—the largest ever to see a baseball game in Minnesota. The loss

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Hit Grand Slammer

Gus Triandos' sixth grand slam homer of his career was the big blow for the Tigers as Hank Aguirre pitched a five-hitter for his eighth triumph. Steve Barber was tagged for three runs and seven hits in five innings and suffered his seventh defeat against 12 victories.

Charlie Lau's three-run homer in the first inning and George Alusik's grand slammer in the eighth paved the way for Kansas City's Dave Segui to win his fifth game with the ninth-inning relief aid of Johnny Wyatt. Dick Stuart had two hits for the Red Sox.

Many Good Bets

Palmer, U. S. Open champion Julius Boros, Masters champion Jack Nicklaus and the PGA defending titleholder, Gary Player, were rated as the players to beat in this 43rd annual tournament for the nation's golf professionals.

But at least a dozen others in the 167-man field were rated as good bets—including big George Bayer, Tony Lema, Mike Sou-chak, Don January, Phil Rodgers, British Open champion Bob Charles and Bo Wininger.

Except for the heavy rough on the 7,946-yard course with its par of 36-35-71, the golfers found the DAC layout to their liking.

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"You are going to have to be careful on the greens here or you are going to wind up with a lot of three-putts," Palmer predicted. "So when I leave my long putts, I'm going to concentrate on lagging the first putt up there in the hope I'll leave myself a short second."

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Hero A Day Keeping Contenders Away For Dodgers In NL Race

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The Los Angeles Dodgers are operating on the theory that a hero a day will keep the contenders away.

Sandy Koufax, Johnny Podres, Maury Wills, Tommy Davis—they've all taken their turns in the spotlight as the Dodgers have increased their National League lead to 6 1/2 games and their won-loss percentage to .620.

*And when they're not tearing up the peapatch, it seems that there's always somebody else—somebody like Ron Fairly or Ron Perranoski.

Fairly, who's been with the Dodgers since 1960 but rarely gets any publicity, and Perranoski, who's been with them since 1961 and is only beginning to get some, combined Wednesday night to enable the Dodgers to down the Pittsburgh Pirates, 3-2. The Dodgers have now won nine of their last 11 games and 14 of their last 17.

Fairly Led Attack

Fairly drove in two runs with a second-inning homer and a fourth inning double and then Perranoski went to Bob Miller's rescue in a seventh-inning jam and shut out the Pirates with two hits the rest of the way. Miller received credit for his seventh win while Vern Law lost his fourth game.

The big Dodger drive has the other contenders gasping for breath—especially the San Francisco Giants, whose 9-7, 11th-inning loss to the New York Mets Wednesday night was their eighth in 10 games.

The St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Cincinnati Reds, 3-1, the Milwaukee Braves beat the Chicago Cubs, 6-4, in 12 innings and the Philadelphia Phillies scored a 10-9, 10th-inning win over the Houston Colts in other NL games.

Alston Was Ejected

Dodgers manager Walter Alston experienced one of his rare ejections when he protested umpire Ed Sudol's safe call at first base on a potential double play that would have taken Perranoski out.

American League

Baltimore	100	000	000-1 5 0
Detroit	200	001	06-9 13 0
Barber, Hall (6), Stock (7), Starette (8) and Orsino. Aguirre (8-4) and Triandos. Loser-Barber (12-7). HR-Triandos.			

(1st game)

Cleveland	010	010	000-2 8 1
Los Angeles	010	000	00-7 14 0
Walker, Allen (1), Ramos (2), Bell (7) and Romano. Chance (8-9) and Kirkpatrick. Loser-Walker (6-3).			

(2nd game)

Cleveland	000	000	000-0 4 0
Los Angeles	000	010	00-1 3 0
Kralick, Abernathy (8) and Azcue. Foytack, Fowler (9) and Folles. E. Sadowski (9). Winner-Foytack (2-3). Loser-Kralick (9-8).			

New York 010 200 001-4 6 2

Minnesota 000 000 000-0 7 1

Bouton (12-5) and Howard.

Possibly the richest and least expensive source of vitamin A is liver.

Metler's Cops Title

Editor's Note: It was learned late Thursday morning that Metler Brothers won the Eastern Division of the South Suburban Babe Ruth League. The East division finished in a three-way tie with Metler Brothers, Town and Country and Liston Air Craft. Metler Brothers won the toss of the coin for the title.

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of the crucial seventh. After Alston's departure, however, Perranoski went right back to work and retired dangerous Roberto Clemente for the third out of the frame.

Two players recently recalled from the minors dealt the Giants decisive blows as Joe Christopher singled and Joe Hicks homered in the 11th for the Mets. Willie McCovey hit his 11th homer of the month—five short of the NL record for a month—and his 29th of the season while Jesse Gonder and Christopher homered for the Mets.

The Cardinals moved into a virtual second-place tie with the Cubs on the strength of Bob Gibson's five-hit, 12-strikeout pitching and key eighth-inning doubles by Dick Groat and Bill White. Thirteen-game winner Jim O'Toole suffered his fifth straight loss and eighth of the year for the Reds.

Mathews Hit 16th

Joe Torre and Lee Maye had three hits each and Ed Mathews hit his 16th homer to lead the Braves' 16-hit attack which gave Hank Fisher his second win. Ellis Burton homered for the Cubs, whose three-game winning streak was snapped.

Bob Oldis' 10th-inning single drove in the winning run and ended a three-hour and nine-minute hitfest in which the Phillies made 19 hits and the Colts made nine against a total of 11 pitchers. Wes Covington drove in five runs with a homer and a double and Johnny Callison also homered for the Phillies, who overcame an early 9-2 deficit. Pete Runnels homered for the Colts.

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