

SPORTS

Cards Wallop Dodgers, 14-3; Brownies Win

Mort Cooper Hurls Easy Victory Over Brooklyn Tuesday

New York, Aug. 2.—(UP)—The idea was inescapable today that the small crowd which saw Morton Cooper of the St. Louis Cardinals beat his old enemy Whit Wyatt of the Brooklyn Dodgers, 14 to 3 yesterday, was in on the end of a baseball era.

From the 1941 season until mid-way last year, the Cards and Dodgers represented about all that was powerful in the National League and Cooper and Wyatt were their respective pitching aces.

Until the Dodgers began to crack up in the middle of the 1943 season, a duel between Cooper and Wyatt was sufficient to draw capacity crowds and the big right-handers never failed to provide a full measure for the admission price. In 1941, late in the season, Wyatt won a 1 to 0 duel over the Cardinal fire-ball expert that was regarded as the turning point in the race, with the Dodgers going on to win the pennant. Likewise, in 1942, Cooper was an 11-inning victor in a 2 to 1 duel at St. Louis in which both teams went scoreless for 10 innings. That the Cards went on from there to capture the pennant was more than slightly significant.

The Cards played their role as overlords of the National League to perfection, pummeling Wyatt and his four successors for 17 hits. Yet the idea persisted that the game found the Cards at their peak and the Dodgers at lowest ebb. The Cards, liquidating some of their

far-flung farm holdings are not likely to go on dominating the league indefinitely.

Cooper, in his second appearance in as many days, lacked his usual speed and control but had no trouble winning his 14th game against five defeats, the last of which occurred when the Dodgers batted him out in three innings Monday night.

The Cincinnati Reds defeated the New York Giants 5 to 4 with first baseman Frank McCormick continuing his hitting spree with a three-run homer to pace the offensive. The Giants maintained a bare lead in fourth place over the Chicago Cubs who were idle at Philadelphia in the midst of a seven game winning streak because of a transportation strike which caused postponement of a double header.

The suspended game bugaboo complicated the standings again at Boston with Pittsburgh leading the Braves 12 to 8 in a game called in the eighth inning to permit the Bucs to catch a train. Babe Dahlgren of the Pirates batted in six runs in the hit-fest, which will be completed when the Pirates next visit Boston.

The St. Louis Browns moved five and a half games in front in the American League by winning their fourth straight from Washington 11 to 6, with Don Gutierrez and Vern Stephens, their key-stone combination, getting seven hits. Each made two doubles, with Stephens getting two singles and Gutteridge one. Sig Jakucki, with relief help from George Caster, won his ninth game.

Detroit defeated the New York Yankees 8 to 4, knocking Ernie Bonham out in the third inning. Paul (Dizzy) Trout won his 16th game and his second in three days against the Yanks. Rudy York hit his 11th homer, while Joe Hoover got three hits to drive in three Tiger runs. Frankie Crosetti made his first appearance of the season with the Yankees, relieving at shortstop in the seventh.

Cleveland defeated Boston's ace pitcher, Cecil (Tex) Hughson, 8 to 4 in his bid for his 17th victory. Mickey Rocco's two run homer tied the score for the Indians in the seventh and they clinched victory with a four run rally in the eighth. Irvin Hershner's second extra-inning triple in as many days again provided the winning run for the Philadelphia

A's over the Chicago White Sox in the 10th, 2 to 1. Relief pitcher Joe Berry was the winner.

Yesterday's star—Rudy York of the Tigers, the August home run hitter, who looked at the calendar and belted his 11th of the year against the Yankees. He made 18 in August of 1937 to set a major league record and hit 17 in August last year.

McMillen Defeats Moose Team, 6-5

Recreation League Playoffs Tonight

McMillen nosed out the Moose team, 6 to 5, in a softball league contest Tuesday night at Wortham Field, the only game of the evening.

The scheduled exhibition tilt between the G. E. Girls and a team of "old-timers" was cancelled because of the illness of Sol Bowesher manager of the veterans.

The league battle between McMillen and Moose was a see-saw affair, with McMillen counting the winning run in the last of the seventh on an error, walk and fielder's choice. Each team made seven hits.

Two interesting games are on the schedule tonight at the field, as the series for the championships of the two divisions of the summer recreation league get underway.

The Senators and Yankees will meet in the first game, followed by the Giants and Pirates.

Last night's score:

	R. H. E.
Moone	300 002 0-5 7 5
McMillen	220 001 1-6 7 4
Kruckeberg	84 306 72 103 334
Kelbel and Snyder	69 127 321

Leading Hitters
National League

Player, Club	G. AB.	R. H. Pct.
Musial, St. L.	97 380	76 137 .361
Walker, Bryn.	97 365	53 129 .354
Hopp, St. Louis	84 308	72 103 .334
Holmes, Boston	98 396	69 127 .321
Galan, Bryn.	98 363	58 116 .320

American League

Player, Club	G. AB.	R. H. Pct.
Doerr, Boston	99 375	74 124 .331
Fox, Boston	77 318	50 104 .327
Siebert, Phil.	84 305	35 98 .321
Carnett, Chi.	72 270	35 85 .311
Boudreau, Clev.	95 372	62 115 .309

MAJOR LEAGUE



STANDINGS

National League

W	L	Pct.	G. B.	
St. Louis	69	26	.726	
Cincinnati	54	42	.563	15 1/2
Pittsburgh	50	40	.556	16 1/2
New York	46	51	.474	24
Boston	42	47	.472	24
Philadelphia	39	56	.411	30
Brooklyn	38	58	.396	31 1/2

American League

W	L	Pct.	G. B.	
St. Louis	59	42	.584	
Boston	52	46	.531	5 1/2
New York	50	46	.521	6 1/2
Cleveland	51	49	.510	7 1/2
Detroit	49	50	.495	9
Chicago	46	49	.484	10
Philadelphia	44	55	.444	14
Washington	42	55	.444	14
Washington	42	56	.419	15 1/2

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
St. Louis 14, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 5, New York 4.
Pittsburgh 12, Boston 8.
Chicago-Philadelphia, postponed.

American League
Cleveland 8, Boston 4.
Philadelphia 2, Chicago 1.
Detroit 8, New York 4.
St. Louis 11, Washington 6.

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Closing Death Trap On Guam Defenders

By United Press

A major offensive to annihilate 45,000 starving Japanese troops on British New Guinea was underway today, as marines wiped out last remnants of the enemy on Tinian and other American forces began closing a death trap on the defenders of Guam.

A communiqué from Gen. Douglas MacArthur said U. S. forces crossed the lower Driiniuum river below Alitape Monday and drove against the desperate Japanese who had failed in repeated attempts to break through the Allied encirclement.

He also disclosed that Allied troops had gained control of 10 miles of the coastline at Sansabar which was invaded in Dutch New Guinea Sunday.

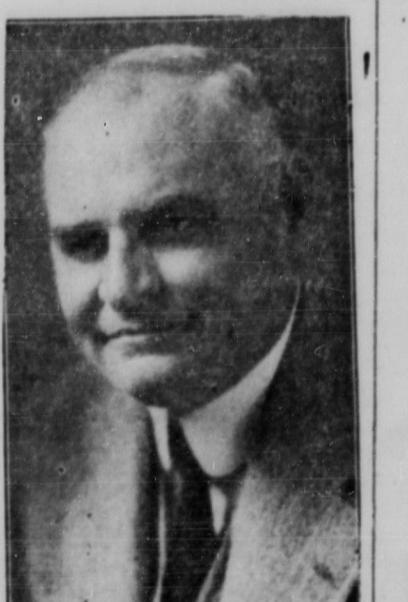
Allied aircraft continued attacks on enemy shipping. A navy patrol bomber sank a 5,000 ton transport near Ambon in the Dutch East Indies Sunday night, MacArthur said. Liberators bombers hit again at Halmahera, stepping-stone to the Philippines in a daylight raid Monday.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz disclosed

U. S. Army, who is at present at home.

Brothers and sisters surviving are Alfred, Decatur; Adolph and Milton, of Monroe; Harry, Fort Wayne; Mrs. Lisetta Reinhart, Linn Grove; Mrs. Clyde Striker, Geneva; Mrs. Roy Shoop, Decatur; Mrs. Floyd Shoaf, Willshire, O.; Mrs. Edna Bunner, Fort Wayne. A brother, Albert, is deceased.

Heads Elks



KARL HANNI

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home since the accident occurred.

Karl Hanni was born in Adams county on Feb. 2, 1891, a son of Gottlieb and Lisetta Ruffgauft after the catch.

Charlie Gassaway pitched for the Brewers, allowing but one hit before he was relieved in favor of a pinch-hitter in the fifth. Julio Acosta, the Cuban lefthander, was sent to the mound in the relief role and allowed but two safeties in the remainder of the 7-inning contest.

He was united in marriage to Tillie Reinhart at Vera Cruz on April 22, 1916.

Surviving besides the widow are two daughters, Mrs. Kathleen Schlagenhauft, Bluffton; Mary Jane, at home, and a son, Kenneth, of the

Dr. Robert S. Barrett

Dr. Robert S. Barrett, Alexandria, Va., philanthropist, was elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the eighteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge, in Chicago. He succeeds Frank J. Lonergan, Portland, Ore., attorney.

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Top left, black Russian type hat; below, crocheted beanie; right, sailor in two shades and matching bag.

Hat stylists have shown that head lines for fall will be dramatic, exaggerated, and a reflection of global influence in color and contour. The little hat will be the favorite, as it does not overplay the profile or the occasion. Some of the best all-occasion small hats are crocheted. Four strands of cotton thread work up into a crochet texture which has body and beauty. The hats are inexpensive, for daytime and afternoon engagements. The college girl likes to show off her pretty hair so chooses another in the smart sailor, right, with dark colored brim and light crown. There's a bag to match.