

# SPORTS

## Klenk's Edges Out Paulding By 3-2 Score

Klenk's edged Paulding, 3-2, in a Federation league game Sunday afternoon at Grover Hill, as the league wound up its regular schedule of play.

However, a number of games are scheduled this week to make up tilts previously rained out.

Kendallville will play Klenk's at Worthman field in this city at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. And Thursday night, Klenk's and Rockford, in a near deadlock for the league lead, will play at Worthman field at 8 o'clock in a game which may decide the regular season championship.

The annual playoff will get underway next Sunday to determine the league's representative in the national tournament.

Klenk's took an early lead Sunday, scoring twice in the second inning on successive hits by Gillig, Crist and Melchior, plus a Paulding error.

Ory Reed held Paulding scoreless until the seventh when one run scored on two hits and an infield out. Klenk's picked up what proved to be the winning run in the ninth on a leadoff hit by Bowen, an infield out and Williams' single. Paulding counted once in the ninth on two hits but one runner was thrown out at third and a pinchhitter fanned for the final out.

In other league games Sunday, Rockford defeated McComb, 4-1; Club Manhattan outslugged Kendallville, 15-11; Monroeville downed American Linen, 4-2, and Colonial Oil split a twin bill with Payne, Payne winning the opener, 5-2, and losing the nightcap, 3-2.

Klenk's AB R H E  
Compton, 2b 3 0 0 0  
Williams, If 4 0 2 0  
Andrews, rf 4 0 0 0  
Hoehammer, 1b 5 0 0 0  
Reed, p 4 0 1 0  
Gillig, 3b 4 1 1 1  
Crist, ss 4 1 2 0  
Melchior, c 4 0 1 0  
Bowen, cf 4 1 0 0

Totals 36 3 8 1

Paulding	AB	R	H	E
G. Scarborough, 2b	1	0	0	1
C. Turner, rf	3	0	1	0
Elston, ss	3	0	1	0
J. Sinn, cf	3	0	1	0
D. Sinn, 1b	3	0	0	0
Rowe, 3b	4	0	0	1
J. Scarborough, c	4	2	2	0
S. Turner, If	3	0	1	0
a-Thompson	1	0	1	0
G. Sinn, 2b	3	0	1	0
b-Feeney	1	0	0	0
B. Sinn, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	7	2

a-Singled for S. Turner in 9th.  
b-Singled for G. Sinn in 9th.

Score by innings:  
Klenk's 020 000 001-3  
Paulding 000 000 101-2

### Major League Leaders

#### National League Batting

	AB	H	Pct.
Snider, Brooklyn	389	139	.357
Mueller, N. Y.	420	144	.343
Mooh, St. Louis	425	144	.339
Home Runs—Mays, New York, 36; Sauer, Chicago, 32; Hodges, Brooklyn, and Kuszewski, Cincinnati, 29.			
Runs Batted In—Hodges, Brooklyn, and Musial, St. Louis, 91; Snider, Brooklyn, 87.			
Runs—Musial, St. Louis, 87; Snider, Brooklyn, 63; Mays, New York, 82.			
Stolen Bases—Bruton, Milwaukee, 22; Fonda, Chicago, 16; Temple, Cincinnati, 15.			
Pitching—Wilson, Milwaukee, 7-9, 1.000; Antonelli, New York, 16-2, .889; Collum, Cincinnati, 6-1, .857.			
American League Batting			
AB H Pct.			
Noren, N. Y. 274 96 .350			
Minoso, Chicago 397 131 .330			
Avila, Cleveland 253 113 .320			
Home Runs—Doby, Cleveland, 22; Mantle, New York, 21; Rosen, Cleveland, 19.			
Runs Batted In—Minoso, Chicago, 82; Berra, New York, and Rosen, Cleveland, 79.			
Runs—Mantle, New York, 87; Minoso, Chicago, 86; Avila, Cleveland, and Fox, Chicago, 74.			
Stolen Bases—Jensen, Boston, and Rivera, Chicago, 14; Minoso, Chicago, 13.			
Pitching—Reynolds, New York, 10-2, .833; Consuegra, Chicago, 13-3, .813; Feller, Cleveland, 8-2, .800; Morgan, New York, 8-2, .800.			

Trade in a Good Town—Decatur

## Braves Wallop Dodgers Again For 10 In Row

NEW YORK (IN) — The "Miracle" Braves of 1954 became more than just a mere mirage for the New York Giants today even though the Durochers were back on the ball and comfortably cushioned with 5½-game lead in the National League race.

Brooklyn's Dodgers were acting like the opposite ends of a magnet, with the Giants drawing away from them and Milwaukee moving ever closer, four games away from one spot.

Charley Grimm's team blasted the Bums, 14 to 6, under the 13-hit barrage Sunday for their tenth straight triumph. And the Giants, who completed a four-game sweep by taking the Cincinnati Redlegs twice, 9 to 4 and 5 to 0, suddenly found that it may be the Braves and not the Bums who turn out to be their main flag threat.

The resurgent Braves, while equaling their ten-game tear, they had in May, have coppered 15 of 19 games since the All-Star break. In taking the first three games of a four-game set at Ebbets Field, Milwaukee has tallied a total of 38 runs and hit 11 homers.

They trail the Giants by 9½ games, and the Giants, who remember all too well about their own miracle in 1951, are taking notice.

Five Dodger pitchers, starting with Russ Meyer, were pelted by the Braves with Bill Bruton, Del Crandall and Eddie Mathews (No. 28) contributing tomers. Elongated rookie righthander Gene Conley beat the Brooks for the fourth time while winning his tenth of the year.

The six-foot-eight hurler gave up ten hits, including homers by Gil Hodges (29), Jackie Robinson and Duke Snider (26).

The most explosive "hit" in the game came in the fourth inning, however, Milwaukee first baseman Joe Adcock, who got into the record books with four homers Saturday, by Dodger reliever Clem Labine but escaped serious injury because he was wearing a protective plastic helmet.

Giant lefty Johnny Antonelli won his 16th game in 18 decisions and his 11th straight when he threw a Rhodes pinch-hit for him in the seventh inning and broke a 3-3 tie.

With a two-run homer, his fifth in six days, Antonelli, Robinson and Ray Kett also homered for the Giants in their opener while Ted Kuszewski (No. 29) and Roy McMillan four-baggered for the losers.

Jim Hearn won the nightcap with a six-hitter and the Giants sewed matters up with a three-run first inning off Art Fowler. Rhodes drove in one of the runs with a triple.

The Philadelphia Phillies beat the St. Louis Cardinals, 8 to 3, and Chicago topped Pittsburgh, 12 to 2, after the Bucs recorder their first shutout of the season with a 2-0 blank job over the Bruins.

All three American League

contenders swept doubleheaders and the Cleveland Indians remained ½ games ahead of the pack. The Tribe, completing a four-game sweep, downed the Washington Senators, 3 to 1 and 5 to 4.

The second place Yankees staggered to an 8-to-6 2-to-1 double

win over Baltimore and Chicago took two from the Philadelphia Athletics, 6 to 5 and 12 to 1.

In a single game, the Boston Red Sox outslugged the Detroit Tigers, 10 to 8.

Lett Curt Simmons, backed by

a 16-hit barrage, snapped his three-game losing streak with a five-hitter against the Redbirds.

Another southpaw, Pittsburgh's Dick Littlefield, allowed only three hits in the Bucs' win over the Bruins. Chicago righthander Dave Cole gave up only two hits as the Cubs got even. He had a no-hitter until the eighth when the Pirates got both runs and both hits.

Early Wynn captured his 15th as

the Indians took their opened and Hal Newhouser won his own game by driving in the deciding run in the seventh of the nightcap after Vic Wertz tied the score at 4-4 with a homer.

Gene Woodling hit a two-run ho-

mer and Yogi Berra made four

hits, including two doubles to fea-

ture the Yanks' first game win as

Tom Morgan got the win in relief

with help from John Sain. Albie Reynolds had to come on in the

ninth of the nightcap to snuff out

an Oricle threat to save the game

for Marlin Stuart, who relieved

started Ralph Branca and later

yielded to Eddie Lopat.

Virgil Trucks won his 15th in

Chicago's second game triumph

over Philadelphia. The righthander

allowed three hits in eight innin-

gs before giving way to Harry Dorish

in the ninth. Phil Cavarretta, with

a homer and single, drove in three

runs in the first game and Nellie

Fox also drove in three with two

singles as Sandy Consuegra

notched his 13th triumph.

Ted Williams accounted for four

runs with his 18th homer, a double

and single to lead the Bosox to

their win over the Bengals.

### SPORTS BULLETIN

NEW YORK (INS) — The International Boxing club announced today heavyweight champion Marciano and former champ Ezzard Charles will meet in a title match September 15th at Yankee Stadium.

IBC President James D. Norris aid the signing for the rematch will take place Tuesday in the office of the New York state boxing commission.

The Slicers Still Lead Soya Golf League

The Slicers are still leading the Soya golf league but the Bogies gained by winning five points from the Bubs. In other matches, the Putters lost 3½ points to the Slicers and the Divot Diggers trounced the Bubs, 4-1.

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His protective plastic batting helmet bore the imprints of the baseball and Brooklyn club physician Dr. Eugene Zorn, who examined Adcock, credited the helmet with preventing a serious injury.

"I'm not mad at anybody," Adcock declared. But the first sack-er added:

"When a fellow throws me high and tight, I don't mind. I can duck that kind. But when he throws behind your head, I think he means business."

Labine, who visited Adcock in the dressing room to find out how he was, gave his version of the incident.

"Naturally, I wasn't trying to hit him in the head. I was trying to brush him back, that's all. Instead of twisting back, he actually ducked into the pitch."

Adcock, who had doubled in two trips in yesterday's game, was bat-ting for the second time in the fourth as the Braves scored five runs.

Soon after he was floored, play-

ers from both teams rushed out of

their dugouts. Heated words were exchanged between Jackie Robinson and Braves righthander Lew Burdette. The pitcher and Milwaukee's Ed Mathews and Robinson had to be held apart by team-mates.

Burdette accused Labine of de-  
liberately hitting him," Robinson said angrily. "Imagine that!" Burdette throws at hitters all the time."

Duke Snider of the Dodgers

served as a peacemaker and led

each gallon of paint.

You can keep flies and other in-

sects off a wet paint job by adding

one or two teaspoons of oil of cit-

ronella or oil of wintergreen to

each gallon of paint.

### Joe Adcock Beamed By Dodger Hurler

Mathews away from the would-be scene of battle.

### Two Records Set At Fort Wayne Track

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (INS) — Pat O'Connor, North Vernon, Ind., race driver, set two new records for the Fort Wayne Speedway in winning Sunday's feature sprint car event.

But baseball's latest "beam ball" incident figured to extend the growing antagonism between the two National League contenders.

Adcock, whose four homers and a double Saturday earned him a niche in the record books, nearly had his career ended in the fourth

inning Sunday when he was hit on the head by Brooklyn's Clem Labine as the Braves routed the Bums, 14 to 6. The incident almost provoked a free-swinging riot.

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