

SPORTS

Cardinals And Braves Win In Pony League

Decatur's Pony League teams swept honors in a double header played at Worthman field Monday night, the Braves defeating Adams Central, 11-6, and the Cardinals edging Berne, 5-4.

The Pony League season will close tonight, with the Cardinals and Braves meeting at 6 o'clock at Worthman field, and Berne playing at Adams Central, also at 6 o'clock.

The Braves, after scoring two runs in the first inning, saw their lead disappear as Adams Central built up a 6-2 lead in the top of the fourth. The Braves then rallied, however, scoring twice in the bottom of the fourth, and going out in front with five runs in the fifth on three hits, two walks and an error. The Decatur team led the contest with two more runs in the sixth.

The Cardinals scored three runs in the first inning on Bill Bracey's three-run homer, but Berne pulled into a 4-4 tie by scoring three in the fourth. Bob Shraluka opened the fourth inning with a triple and scored on a Berne error for the winning run.

| Adams Central | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Habegger, 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Egley, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Hyerly, rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Isch, 1b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Geisel, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Stout, lf | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Hike, c | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Brown, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mann, 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Yoder, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baumgartner, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Totals | AB | R | H | E |
|------------------|----|---|---|---|
| Braves | 24 | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| Mays, 3b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Reidenbach, ss | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Conrad, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Elliot, cf | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Dellinger, p, 2b | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Franklin, c, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Andrews, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Campo, c | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lytle, 1b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Clark, 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Call, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

| Schelman, lf | AB | R | H | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|---|
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Totals | AB | R | H | E |
|--------|----|----|---|---|
| | 27 | 11 | 6 | 1 |

| Score by Innings: | AB | R | H | E |
|---|-----|-----|------|---|
| Adams Central | 021 | 200 | 0-6 | |
| Braves | 200 | 252 | x-11 | |
| Runs Batted In | | | | |
| Hyerly, 2 | | | | |
| Geisel, Yoder, Reidenbach, Elliott, Lytle, Bases on balls—Off Baumgartner 6, Dellinger 3, Call 4. Hit by pitcher—By Dellinger (Isch, 2). | | | | |
| Strikeouts—Baumgartner 3, Dellinger 3, Call 5. Hits—Off Dellinger 2 in 2, Call 1 in 5. Winner, Call. Loser, Baumgartner. Umpires Ladd, Strickler. | | | | |

| Berne | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Habegger, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stearly, 2b | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Augsburger, 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Collier, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hill, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Baxter, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McCune, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pharr, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reynolds, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Watanabe, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Totals | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Cardinals | 23 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Gase, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Billig, 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Holtsberry, 1b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bracey, 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Shraluka, rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Gross, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wolfe, ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gay, c | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Omlor, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Corah, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Daniels, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Totals | AB | R | H | E |
|---|-----|-----|-----|---|
| Score by Innings: | | | | |
| Berne | 100 | 300 | 0-4 | |
| Cardinals | 310 | 100 | x-5 | |
| Runs Batted In | | | | |
| Collier, Bixler, Bracey 3, Gay. Three-base hit—Shraluka. Home Run—Bracey. Sacrifices—Bixler, Corah. Bases on Balls—Off Collier 2, Corah 2. Hit by pitcher—By Collier (Holtsberry). Strikeouts—Collier 3, Corah 4, Daniels 2. Hits—Off Corah 1 in 4, Daniels 1 in 3. Winner—Daniels. Loser—Collier. Umpires—Strickler, Ladd. | | | | |

Neal Rivers Winner Over Jimmy King

NEW YORK (INS) — Neal Rivers of Niagara Falls, N. Y., won a unanimous 10 round decision over Jimmy King of Birmingham, Ala., in the featured middleweight bout Monday night at Madison Square Garden.

Yankees Beat Orioles Twice To Take Lead

NEW YORK (INS) — When the magnificent switcher meets the splendid splitter in Boston tonight something's gotta give.

What it all means in plain talk is that the New York Yankees, once again a half game up front in the madcap American League race, are looking for a cinderella Boston Red Sox and young Mickey Mantle will pit his home run talents against those of mighty Ted Williams.

Mantle, 23-year-old Bomber center fielder, is making like the new Joe DiMaggio he's supposed to be and all Williams is doing is thumping like he always did. It adds up to an assault on Fenway Park's fences, pitchers for both sides, and some hustling by the tape measure addicts.

The Yankees moved ahead of the idle Cleveland Indians Monday by sweeping a doubleheader from the lowly Baltimore Orioles, 5 to 4 and 12 to 6. It was the first Yankee trip to the summit since July 27.

Hank Bauer's ninth inning homer won the opener and Mantle socked two homers, one lefty and one righty, to pave the way for their win in the second contest. The blows were Mickey's 28 and 29th of the season, his highest total since he joined the Yankees in 1954.

Williams helped keep the fourth place Sox as "for real" contenders when he walloped the 13th grand slam homer of his career as the Bostonians topped the Washington Senators, 8 to 4. The big guy tied Cleveland's Ralph Kiner as the active player with the most bases loaded smashes.

The all time record of 23 belongs to the late Lou Gehrig, first baseman supreme for the Yankees.

The Sox go into their tell tale three games with Casey Stengel's team 3½ games off the pace.

In the only National League contest, the Milwaukee Braves blasted the St. Louis Cardinals, 12 to 1, behind Warren Spahn. The second placers shaved a half game off Brooklyn's runaway lead and now trail by 15 lengths.

The Yankees and Red Sox were both blessed with stellar relief performances in their triumphs Monday.

The Bombers, who have feasted on Baltimore's Birds 15 times in 17 meetings got terrific bullpen assistance from rookie righthander Johnny Kucks and last year's rookie of the year Bob Grim.

Kucks, taking over for starter Bob Wiesler in the fifth when the Orioles scored four runs to tie the score at 4-4, yielded only two singles in four and two third innings to pick up his eighth win. Lefty Bob Wight went the distance and absorbed the loss for Baltimore.

In the second game, Gary Coleman, slender southpaw up from the Yankee Denver farm had to be rescued in the sixth by Grim, making his first appearance since June 14. Bob gave up a two run pinch double to Dave Pope but settled down to check the Orioles the rest of the way.

Mantle swatted his left handed homer off Ray Moore's in the fourth. It was a three run shot. His right handed round tripper came off Art Schalllock in the sixth inning.

Mantle also hit left-righty homers against the Detroit Tigers last May 13.

Williams shared the Boston spot light with lefty Leo Kiely. Kiely took over for Mel Parnell in the fourth inning after the Nats attacked he veteran for four runs, three on a circuit by Roy Sievers.

Kiely held the Senators to one hit and faced only 21 batters, one over the minimum, in the 6-2-3 innings he pitched.

Williams' homer, his 20th, climaxed a six run second inning against Ted Abernathy. Jim Pier-sall contributed a two run homer in the seventh off Chuck Stobbs.

MAJOR League Results

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | Club | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
|-----------------|-------------|----|----|------|------|
| | New York | 71 | 46 | .607 | |
| | Cleveland | 70 | 46 | .603 | ½ |
| | Chicago | 67 | 45 | .598 | 1½ |
| | Boston | 67 | 49 | .578 | 3½ |
| | Detroit | 60 | 55 | .522 | 10 |
| | Kansas City | 48 | 69 | .410 | 23 |
| | Washington | 41 | 73 | .360 | 28½ |
| | Baltimore | 36 | 77 | .319 | 33 |

Monday's Results
New York 5-12, Baltimore 4-6.
Boston 8, Washington 4.
Other clubs not scheduled.

| NATIONAL LEAGUE | Club | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
|-----------------|--------------|----|----|------|------|
| | Brooklyn | 77 | 37 | .675 | |
| | Milwaukee | 64 | 54 | .542 | 15 |
| | New York | 61 | 55 | .526 | 17 |
| | Philadelphia | 59 | 60 | .496 | 20½ |
| | Chicago | 58 | 63 | .479 | 22½ |
| | Cincinnati | 56 | 62 | .475 | 23 |
| | St. Louis | 51 | 63 | .447 | 26 |
| | Pittsburgh | 43 | 75 | .364 | 36 |

Monday's Results
Milwaukee 12, St. Louis 1.
Other clubs not scheduled.

Otto Graham May Return To Browns

CLEVELAND (INS) — Otto Graham, who retired last year with the promise to return to the Cleveland Browns if they ever needed him "badly," may be on the calling list of pro football champions' coach.

The all time great quarterback was brought very much into the picture Monday when rookie Bobby Freeman, who was being groomed as Otto's successor, was barred from playing in the National Football League this season.

Federal Judge Paul Jones granted a temporary restraining order against Freeman and center Jack Locklear at the request of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Canadian Football League.

Both players, former standouts at Auburn, signed contracts with the Winnipeg last January and a month later linked pacts with the Browns.

Freeman, who led Auburn to the Gator Bowl championship last year, returned a \$2,000 bonus he received from the Winnipeg club. The ruling bars both players from taking part in any practice or game during the 1955 season. Locklear previously had announced he was quitting football on advice from his physician. He reportedly had a heart condition.

However, Freeman was being counted on heavily to aid George Ratterman in trying to fill Graham's big shoes. His loss leaves coach Paul Brown with only one signal caller.

Judge Jones' action gave birth to new rumors that Graham might return.

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Klenk's To Play Rockford Tonight In Playoff Battle

Klenk's of Decatur and Rockford will battle at 8:30 o'clock tonight at Worthman field in a highly important game in the Federation league playoff.

Winner of tonight's tilt will advance to the final five-game series to determine the league's representative in the national tourney, while the loser must play another game to enter the final playoff. Decatur and Rockford are the only teams unbeaten in the playoff.

McComb Construction eliminated Colonial Oil from the playoffs Monday night with a 7-1 victory. McComb will play Monroeville later this week, with the winner meeting the loser of tonight's game to determine the second playoff team.

U. S. Wins Wightman Cup 19th Time In Row

RYE, N. Y. (INS) — The United States has won the Wightman tennis cup from Great Britain for the 19th straight time.

Uncle Sam's talented distaff net-sters extended their monopoly on the cup Monday by sweeping all four of the final day matches to win out, 6-1.

Three Basketball Groups Organized

CHICAGO (INS) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association has formed three new basketball conferences "to give the smaller school a break" during competition for the national basketball title.

Announcement of the new leagues was made Monday by NCAA executive director Walter Byers.

The NCAA will wind up its two day Chicago meeting today. The championship setup was revised to include a total of 17 conferences. There will be eight at large entries while seven others will draw first round byes.

In the past, all at large entrants were required to play first round games. Under the new setup, many of the former at large entrants will be playing in conferences.

The new loops are the Yankee Conference, the Ohio Valley League and the California Basketball Association.

The Yankee Conference will consist of the six New England state universities. The schools formerly were linked with several area colleges.

The Ohio Valley Conference is made up of Eastern and Western

Kentucky State, Morehead State, Murray State, Middle Tennessee State and Tennessee Poly.

California's new basketball league includes defending national champion San Francisco. Others are Santa Clara, San Jose State, St. Mary's, Pepperdine, College of Pacific and Loyola of Los Angeles.

Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., has been awarded the 18th annual basketball championship semi-finals and finals on Mar. 23 and 24.

First round games will be played on either March 12 or 13 at sites to be determined later. Four regional playoffs will be started on Friday and Saturday, March 16 and 17.

In addition Zimmerman's license was suspended for six months. He entered a plea of guilty to the charge. The accident caused \$500 damage to a parked car owned by Mrs. Florence Strickler, \$100 damage to shrubbery on the Ora McAlhany property and \$400 damage to trees on the Francis Howard property. Damage to his own car was about \$1,200.

Also fined \$5 and costs in J. P. court Monday was Louis M. Mat-tax, 47, of Monroe, who was arrested Saturday evening for speeding on Monroe street.

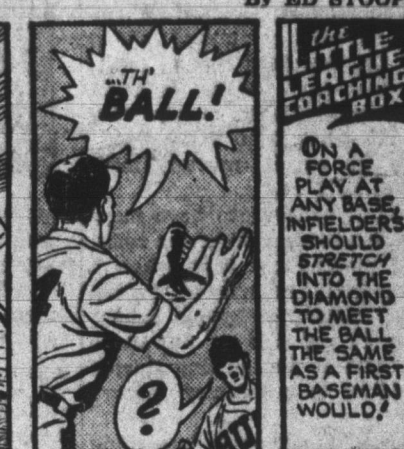
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Monday's Results
Toledo 3-9, St. Paul 2-8.

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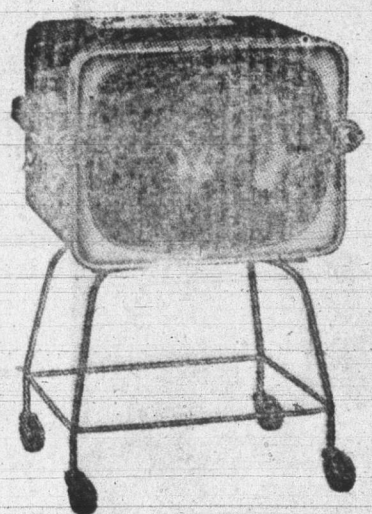
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