

# Chicago White Sox Win First Flag In 40 Years; Braves Leading National

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The Chicago White Sox are "in" and the neighboring Milwaukee Braves may be joining them soon to set up modern-day baseball's closest approach to the old-time nickel World Series.

It costs only \$2.31 (tax included) to travel by bus from Chicago to Milwaukee, about 85 miles away, and that path looks more and more like the one fans will be shuttling on during World Series time.

The White Sox did their part by clinching their first American League pennant in 40 years with a 4-2 victory over the Indians Tuesday night, and the Braves took a big step in the same general World Series direction when they defeated the Pirates, 5-3, to move a full game ahead in the National League.

There were several standouts in the White Sox' clincher.

Al Smith and Jim Rivera supplied the muscle with sixth inning homers. Early Wynn, who won his 21st game, and Bob Shaw held the bottling Indians in tow over the first 8½ innings. Then when Cleveland loaded the bases in the ninth, sinkerballer Gerry Staley sauntered from the bullpen, delivered one pitch and got Vic Power to hit into a game-ending double play.

## Left Club As Manager

It was a sweet triumph for Al Lopez, who had finished second the past four years, twice as manager of the Indians and the last two years with the White Sox. But it was a bitter defeat for Joe Gordon of the Indians, who officially left the club as manager the instant the final out was made. Pitching coach Mel Harder will lead the Tribe in their remaining four games.

The Braves' victory over the Pirates moved them a game ahead of the Dodgers and two in front of the fading Giants. The Cardinals knocked the Dodgers out of a first-place tie by beating them, 11-10, and the Cubs downed the Giants, 5-4. The Phillies swept a twi-nighter from the Reds, 3-1 and 3-2.

Southpaw Juan Pizarro, credited with his sixth victory, helped the Braves as much with his bat as he did with his pitching arm. Ordinarily a weak hitter, Pizarro blooped a two-run double just inside the left field foul line to highlight a three-run seventh inning, again against loser Harvey Hadix.

Pizarro yielded only six hits during the eight innings he worked and Don McMahon yielded two more in the ninth. Del Crandall hit his 21st homer for Milwaukee, which now can clinch at least a tie for the pennant by winning three of its four remaining games.

The Dodgers went down fighting. Rookie Frank Howard's pinch three-run homer in the ninth drew them to within one run of the Cardinals but reliever Lindy McDaniel got Junior Gilliam on an infield out to wind up the struggle. Walt Alston tried everything, in-

cluding nine pinch hitters, which set a major league record.

## Smith Gets Grand-Slammer

Hal Smith hit a grand-slam homer in the first inning and Curt Flood hit a two-run homer in a five-run third inning rally by St. Louis. Gil Hodges homered with one on for the Dodgers.

Rookie George Altman's two-run homer with two out in the ninth sunk the Giants. Altman's game-winning homer came off the Giants' 20-game winner, Sam Jones, who was working in relief.

Jim Marshall also hit a two-run homer for the Cubs. Reliever Don Elston scored his ninth victory.

Jim Owens won his 12th game for the Phillies when he stopped the Reds on five hits in the opener and winner Humberto Robinson and Jack Meyer combined to hold Cincinnati to three hits in the nightcap.

In the American League, the Yankees beat the Senators, 8-4; the Red Sox nipped the Orioles, 4-3, and the Tigers topped the Athletics, 6-4.

Art Ditmar checked the Senators on six hits in gaining his 13th win for the Yanks. Five Washington errors helped New York to four unearned runs.

Pete Runnels' triple and Dick Gernert's single in the seventh inning broke a 3-3 tie between Boston and Baltimore. Frank Sullivan was the winner and Skinny Brown the loser.

Harvey Kuenn's three-run homer powered Detroit to its victory over Kansas City. Jim Bunning hurled 5½ innings, enough to earn him his 17th victory. Rookie Ken Johnson was the loser.

## High School Football

Portland 14, Warsaw 7. Indiana Deaf School 21, Plainfield 0. Tipton 6, Westfield 0.

## Broadhead Shoot At Markle On Sunday

A big game "broadhead shoot" will be held at the Markle bow-hunters range Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Sunday. All target faces will be of deer and bear. The highest 28 score will be used, and shot with field points only.

Lunch will be available at the range and a baby sitting service will also be provided. A number of trophies will be awarded to the winners.

## Bowling Scores

Women's Major League

	W.	L.	Pts.
Two Brothers	5	1	7
Smiths Pure Milk	5	1	7
Adams Trailer	5	1	6
Three Kings	4	2	5
West End	3	3	4
Gene's Mobile	3	3	4
Hoagland Lumber	2	4	3
Seven Up	2	4	3
Schaefer's Restaurant	1	5	1
Ideal Dairy	0	6	0
High Series: S. Schnepp 522, V. Smith 522.			
High games: Schnepp 192-176, V. Smith 190-178, G. Reynolds 189-183, L. Gehrig 187, Schroeder 183, Moran 182, Harmon 181, Mansfield 176, Seitz 174, O. Myers 173.			

Note: M. Ladd converted the 3-7 split.

## Women's Minor League

W. L. Pts.

	W.	L.	Pts.
Petrie Oil	3	0	6
Kent Realty	3	0	5
Burke Insurance	2	1	5
Citizens Telephone	2	1	5
Gerardot Service	1	2	5
Treon's	2	1	4
Krick-Tyndall	1	2	4
Arnold Lumber	1	2	3
First State Bank	0	3	3
Victory Bar	0	3	0

High game: Jerry Smith 171. Note: J. Vogelweide converted 6-10-4 split; M. Mills converted 5-7 split; J. Thatcher converted 7-6-10 split.

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## Pro Football League Opens Play Saturday

By EARL WRIGHT

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The Baltimore Colts, defending National Football League champions, are 9½ point favorites to defeat the Detroit Lions Sunday when they begin defense of the Western Division title in the Maryland city.

The New York Giants, defending Eastern Division champions, are three-point underdogs for their season opener with the Rams in the Los Angeles Coliseum Saturday night.

The Cleveland Browns also begin their campaign Saturday night. Coach Paul Brown's Cleveland Club, which has won Eastern honors seven times in nine seasons since entering the league, is a three-point choice to down the Steelers at Pittsburgh.

The Chicago Bears, Chicago Cardinals and San Francisco Forty-Niners are favored in Sunday's other openers. The Bears are favored over the Packers at Green Bay by 6½ points. The Cardinals are favored over the Washington Redskins by four at Chicago. The Forty-Niners are two-point choices for their game with the Philadelphia Eagles at San Francisco.

The Rams-Giants game Saturday night will be nationally televised (CBS) at 11:15 p.m. e.d.t.

This clash will pit the Los Angeles offensive unit, probably the league's fastest, against a New York defense that allows fewer points than any other NFL club last season.

Jimmy Orr and Jack McLain, Pittsburgh's No. 1 offensive ends, are nursing leg injuries. Jack Butler, Pittsburgh's all-league defense back, has a sprained ankle. Mike McCormack, Cleveland's captain and offensive right tackle, is recovering from a knee injury.

Chuck Howley, Chicago Bear linebacker, is sidelined with a knee injury. Ed Henke, San Francisco defensive end, is out with a similar injury and Jim Pace, one of the club's most promising young offensive backs, is out for the season with a bad knee.

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## MAJOR League Results

## American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
x-Chicago	92	59	.609	
Cleveland	87	63	.580	4½
New York	77	73	.513	14½
Detroit	75	75	.500	16½
Baltimore	72	78	.480	19½
Boston	71	79	.473	20½
Kansas City	63	86	.423	28
Washington	63	87	.420	28½
x—Clinched pennant.				

## Tuesday's Results

Detroit 6, Kansas City 4.

Chicago 4, Cleveland 2.

New York 8, Washington 4.

Boston 4, Baltimore 3.

## Today's Games

Kansas City at Detroit.

Baltimore at Boston.

New York at Washington, night.

Only games scheduled.

## Thursday's Games

No games scheduled.

## National League

W. L. Pct. GB

Milwaukee . . . 84 66 .560 —

Los Angeles . . . 83 67 .553 1

San Francisco . . . 82 68 .547 2

Pittsburgh . . . 77 74 .510 7½

Chicago . . . 72 78 .480 12

Cincinnati . . . 72 80 .474 13

St. Louis . . . 69 81 .460 15

Philadelphia . . . 63 88 .417 21½

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St. Louis 11, Los Angeles 10.

Philadelphia 3-3, Cincinnati 1-2.

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## List Pairings For Saturday Golf Tourney

Action will be resumed this weekend in the Decatur men's golf tourney, with the final 36 holes to be played Saturday and Sunday to determine the 1959 champion.

From the "world's busiest corner" at State and Madison, where some young celebrants were ushered into a paddy wagon, to the far suburbs and beyond, this was the day to remember.

This was the proud day after the glorious night when the go-go Sox brought the American League pennant, the first in 40 long years, to the folks back home. A few of the oldsters remembered that the last one was garnered by a team which later became the "Black Sox," but who cared about that game 40 years ago?

The cork popped, emotionally and physically, at 10:43 p.m. e.d.t. Tuesday night, when the Sox clinched the pennant at Cleveland.

Out came Chicagoans, from the bars and homes and clubs where they had clustered by radios and watched TV screens. The glare of headlights brightened the streets.

Champagne bubbled in the far north suburbs. Beer cans and bottles were waved aloft on the South Side, where some old folks could recall how some members of that former pennant-winning team had been impossibly drunk almost threatened property destruction: in the Loop, where there were impromptu parades to keep moving; around Midway Airport, where the Sox were alighted from Cleveland.

Through the Loop, past Marshall Field's, down the brightly lit State Street, along Michigan Boulevard and the lake front, the young people screamed along in their cars, some of them loaded over the roofs.

Saturday's pairings and tee-off times follow:

11:30—R. Van Fleet, B. Mills, L. Heemstra, C. Ripley.</