


SPORTS NEWS
Monbouquette Hurls No-Hit Game At Sox

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Who says the art of pitching is dead? This is the major leagues' greatest season for nohit no-run games in 45 years.

As Casey Stengel would say, just look it up.

The latest no-hitter by Bill Monbouquette of the Boston Red Sox Wednesday night in Chicago was the fourth in the majors this season.

You have to go back to the deadball days of 1917 to find a year when as many as four different pitchers threw no-hitters. (There were six that year.)

Of course, there were four no-hitters in 1851, but two of them were pitched by Alie Reynolds, and another, by Bob Feller, actually was a nohit. One-run game.

Missed Perfect Game
Monbouquette, 25-year-old right-hander from Medford, Mass., hurled his 10 masterpiece against the Chicago White Sox and missed a perfect game only because he walked Al Smith in the second inning.

Oddly, Monbouquette had been knocked out of the box in his four previous starts and had not pitched a complete game since June 29. He had been dropped from the American League All-Star staff because of his ineffective pitching during the past month.

It was a pressure-packed game. The Red Sox did not score for "Momo" until the eighth inning when Lu Clinton singled with two out following hits by Jim Pagliaroni and Pete Runnels. Clinton also helped Monbouquette defensively by leaping against the wall to grab Charley Maxwell's bid for a hit in the second.

Early Wynn, bidding for his 298th victory, was the loser.

Standings Unchanged

The season's three earlier no-hitters were pitched by Bo Belinsky of the Angels, Sandy Koufax of the Dodgers, and Earl Wilson, Monbouquette's Red Sox team mate.

While Monbouquette was making the big news of the day, the situation atop both league standings was status quo.

The New York Yankees swept a doubleheader from the Washington Senators, 6-4 and 5-2 in 11 innings, and the Los Angeles Angels remained six games behind them by beating the Cleveland Indians twice, 2-1 and 8-4 in 10 innings. The Detroit Tigers also swept the Kansas City Athletics, 6-5 and 9-1; and the Minnesota Twins beat the Baltimore Orioles, 3-1.

In the National League, the two top contenders both lost. The Pittsburgh Pirates walloped the Los Angeles Dodgers, 9-1; and the Chicago Cubs edged the San Francisco Giants, 3-2 in 10 innings. The Cincinnati Reds defeated the St. Louis Cardinals, 5-1; the Milwaukee Braves shutout the Houston Colts, 3-0, and

the Philadelphia Phillies beat the New York Mets, 11-9.

John Blanchard's three-run homer in the 11th gave the Yankees their nightcap victory before 48,147 fans, largest crowd ever to watch a professional sports event in Washington. The hit broke up a 2-2 duel between Whitey Ford and Dave Stenhouse. The triumph was Ford's 11th.

In the opening game, the Senators made four errors in the third inning to sabotage starter Bennie Daniels and help the Yankees' fifth victory. Bud Zipfel hit a Washington homer.

Dean Chance pitched a five-hitter for the Angels' opening win over Cleveland, losing a shutout on John Romano's ninth-inning homer. Los Angeles scored four runs in the 10th inning of the nightcap, breaking a 4-4 tie when Ruben Gomez of the Indians balked home a run. Bob Dotz was the winner in relief.

Tigers Won Twin Bill
Detroit capitalized on 20 bases on balls and four nightcap errors by Kansas City to sweep a twin bill. The Tigers rallied for three runs in the ninth to beat Grady Hamner in the opener. Al Kaline hit a Detroit homer. Rookie Howie Kopitz pitched a seven-hitter to win the second game, yielding a homer to Norm Siebern.

Minnesota pitcher Jim Kaat scattered nine hits and drove in the tie-breaking run in the 11th to beat Robin Roberts and the Orioles.

CHICAGO (UPI) — The 1962 College All Stars were scheduled for a loosening up session today in their final drill before Friday's showdown scrap with the National Football League champion Green Bay Packers.

The All Stars worked out on Wednesday night under the lights of Soldier Field, site of Friday's game, and head coach Otto Graham stressed passing and punting simply to accustom his players to the illumination. The Packers were slated for a similar drill in the arena tonight.

Graham, whose team was a three touchdown underdog, said he hoped to get every All Star into the game, and suggested he might substitute his offensive backfield men by units.

He was unhappy about the loss of Syracuse halfback Ernie Davis, the Heisman Trophy winner last year, because of illness, but said he had moved Baylor's Ron Bull from the flanker back spot to the inside halfback post to replace Davis.

Ernie Davis Out
CHICAGO (UPI) — Ernie Davis, 1961 Heisman Trophy winner and one of the most prized players ever to come out of college football, has been stricken with a blood disorder and his professional career was in doubt today.

Cleveland had been counting on Davis to join this season with another three-time Syracuse University All-American, Jim Brown, to give the Browns one of the hardest running tandems in professional football.

Davis was hospitalized in suburban Evanston where he had been working out with the College All-Stars in preparation for their game Friday with the National Football League champions Green Bay Packers.

Cleveland President Arthur Modell said Davis' condition has been diagnosed as a "blood disorder requiring extended treatment and rest. The long range future depends on his response to these treatments."

Modell said Davis' illness had nothing to do with the All-Star training program. A Browns spokesman said the illness was neither contagious nor infectious.

"He might have had it a long time," the spokesman said.

Wednesday's Results
Chicago 3, San Francisco 9 (10 innings).

Philadelphia 11, New York 9. Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 1. Milwaukee 3, Houston 0. Pittsburgh 9, Los Angeles 1.

American League
New York 64 39 .562 —
Los Angeles 59 46 .562 6
Minnesota 58 47 .552 7
Baltimore 54 52 .505 11/2
Cleveland 52 51 .505 12
Detroit 51 51 .505 12/2
Chicago 52 54 .491 13/2
Boston 47 56 .456 17
Kansas City 45 61 .425 20/2
Washington 39 64 .378 25

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New York 6-5, Washington 4-2 (2nd game 11 innings). Los Angeles 2-8, Cleveland 1-4 (2nd game 10 innings).

Detroit 6-9, Kansas City 5-1. Minnesota 3, Baltimore 1. Boston 1, Chicago 0.

Major Leagues

National League

W L Pct. GB

Los Angeles 71 36 .664 1

San Francisco 67 40 .626 4

Cincinnati 62 42 .594 7 1/2

Pittsburgh 62 44 .585 8 1/2

St. Louis 59 48 .551 12

Milwaukee 55 52 .514 16

Philadelphia 50 58 .463 21 1/2

Chicago 40 66 .377 30 1/2

Houston 37 66 .359 32

New York 26 77 .232 43

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Await Decision By Lucas On Pro Ball

COLUMBUS, Ohio (UPI) — Club owners in both professional basketball leagues today awaited the decision by Jerry Lucas, the outstanding college basketball player of the past three seasons, on which league he will play in.

Lucas, who says he is a free agent now that the Cleveland Pilots failed to get a franchise in the National Basketball Association (NBA), still leans toward the American Basketball League (ABL) team.

The Cincinnati Royals, whom the Ohio State University star spurned in earlier bidding, adopted a hands-off attitude, but let it be known they still had an open offer for further proposals.

Royals Vice President Tom Grace said he was not convinced Lucas was legally a free agent. But he added:

"We're in the basketball business and he would be a value to us. And I would not neglect, let's say, to talk to him and I would like to hear from Lucas if he is interested in playing pro ball."

American League

Wagner, Angels 74; Siebern, Athletics 73; Robinson, White Sox 72; Rollins, Twins; Killebrew, Twins and Colavito, Tigers all 70.

National League

T. Davis, Pilots 106; Mays, Giants 93; H. Aaron, Braves 92; Robinson, Reds 87; Cepeda, Giants 78.

Pitching

American League

Wickerham, Athletics 8-2; McBride, Angels 113; Donovan, Indians 144; Wilson, Red Sox 8-3; Pascual, Twins 156.

National League

Purkey, Reds 16-3; Drysdale, Dodgers 19-4; Face, Pirates 8-2; Koonce, Cubs 9-3; Koufax, Dodgers 145.

Runs Batted In

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Captain Easy

Zora Folley Wins Over Doug Jones

DENVER (UPI) — Zora Folley is anxious to resume fighting heavyweights after his narrow victory over light-heavyweight Doug Jones Wednesday night, and the Arizona heavyweight is looking toward Sweden's Ingemar Johansson.

Folley's manager, Bill Swift, revealed that negotiations were well under way for a Folley-Johansson bout in either Sweden or Austria next September.

The 31-year-old Folley, sporting a 16-pound weight advantage, found the second ranking light-heavyweight contender, almost too much to handle. But Bok, who ranks as the third contender for the heavyweight crown, piled up enough points early and finished strong in the 10th round to score a unanimous decision.

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College Stars Play Packers Friday Night

The win gave the Cubs the Pony League county title, finishing the season with 12 wins and four losses.

The Cardinals, who had topped the regular season championship in a playoff with the Cubs, finished their season with a 11-4 mark.

Timely hitting, outstanding pitching and a terrific defense enabled the Decatur Cubs to cop the county Pony League championship Wednesday evening — a 4-1 win over the Decatur Cardinals.

1962 County Pony League Champs


COUNTY CHAMPS — The Cubs, who defeated the Cardinals for the county Pony League title Wednesday evening by a 4-1 score, are pictured above. Front, left to right — Denny Sheets, Bill Brown, Doug Spaulding, Terry Hilyard, John Schults, Harold Meyer, batboy. Second row — Dan Kable, Don Feasel, Jerry Murphy, John Lose, Terry Meeks, Terry Stults, Lon Hawkins, Dave Hackman, coaches Dave Clark and John Frey.

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man rapping home runs, as Citizen's downed McMillen in a slugfest. Ralph Canales had two singles, a double and a triple for McMillen.

Klenks Is Handed First Season Loss

Myers Triples

Two Brothers handed Klenks his first loss of the season Wednesday night, in a City Softball league doubleheader attended by a large crowd.

Two Brothers — R. H. E. Citizen's 025 (12) 09-28 20 7 McMillen 215 211-12 9 6

Butcher, Black and Vogelwede; Canales, Lehman and Lehman, Clarksville, to cut weeds, replace broken glass, pay for other damages and replace missing items.

YOUTH ARE ORDERED TO CLEAN UP MESS

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind. (UPI) — Nine teen-age youths accused of ransacking a vacant house were under orders today to clean up their mess. Special Judge James L. Bottorff also ordered the youths, all from nearby Clarksville, to cut weeds, replace broken

glass, pay for other damages and replace missing items.

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