

Sports

Baseball Czar Proud Of Clean Record Of Game

NEW YORK (UPI) — Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick met the gambling question head-on today, without flinching, sidestepping or denying "it" could happen to baseball just as it has to other sports.

The commissioner said he is proud of baseball's clean record overall although he is "not gloating over it."

"Who knows?" he said. "We might have some kind of incident tomorrow. I rather doubt it, though, because I have great confidence in our players."

Despite his confidence, Frick feels it still requires "a constant awareness" on the part of everyone connected with baseball, including his office, club owners, managers, players and even clubhouse boys, to maintain the integrity of the game.

Calls Some Players
Speaking straight from the shoulder on an admittedly touchy subject, Frick revealed that he has called certain players before him to speak with them regarding "rumors" that were brought to his attention.

"But," he added, knocking wood on the top of his mahogany desk, "never once has there been an accusation of my ball-player throwing a game or betting against his own team during the 12 years I have been commissioner."

Due to the recent National Football League scandal and the frequent basketball investigations, there has been greater concern about gambling in all sports than ever before.

Frick insists, however, he is "not running scared."
"Don't get me wrong," he said. "We certainly don't have our heads in the sand, but the NFL case has not caused us to take any step we did not take before."

"What it did do was to serve to alert us. Anytime a thing like this happens it brings you up on your toes."

Has Policing System
Frick explained his office operates its own policing system. "Although that doesn't mean we're doing detective work into the players' private lives."

"Players are human beings and, like all human beings, they

Adams Central High Opens Card Saturday

Adams Central will open its summer high school baseball schedule Saturday with a doubleheader at the Monroe diamond, coach Carl Honaker said this morning.

Portland will provide the opposition for the twin-bill, with the first contest scheduled to start at 1 p.m. Saturday.

All home games for the Adams Central nine will begin at 8 p.m., with the exception of doubleheaders which start at 1 p.m.

A concession stand has been erected at the field, Honaker said and profits from the stand will be used to defray some of the costs of the summer program of the Monroe school. The high school schedule is as follows:

June 8 — Portland (2)
June 11 — at Geneva
June 14 — Monmouth
June 18 — at Pennville
June 22 — Montpelier (2)
June 24 — Berne
July 2 — Geneva
July 10 — at Monmouth
July 15 — at Berne
July 22 — Pennville (2)

International League

Northern Division
Buffalo 28 19 .596
Syracuse 25 21 .543 2½
Richmond 21 29 .512 4
Rochester 24 25 .490 5
Toronto 21 27 .438 7½

Southern Division
Atlanta 34 17 .667
Arkansas 23 22 .511 8
Indianapolis 27 26 .509 8
Jacksonville 22 30 .423 12½
Columbus 15 33 .313 17½

Monday's Results
Richmond 3-8, Indianapolis 2-3.
Atlanta 1-6, Rochester 0-3.
Jacksonville 4, Syracuse 3.
Arkansas 6, Toronto 3.
Buffalo 8, Columbus 7.

have their weaknesses. My prime interest is not in regulating the lives of players, but in keeping them aware of the possible dangers they face.

"Specifically, I'm speaking of players being in the company of questionable associates. To me, that's far more important than any so-called gambling threat."

"No matter how innocent a player may be, he is immediately subject to public scrutiny if he associates with any type of undesirable element."

"And once the public doubts a player, it also doubts the game."

Duffer's Divots

By Dick Reidenbach
LEAD CHANGES IN CITY GOLF LEAGUE

Leland Smith Insurance took the lead in the City golf league last evening when they blanked Morningstar's Auto Sales, 10-0, in league competition at the Decatur Golf Course. Morningstar's had led the league play since the season began May 6.

The Decatur Daily Democrat retained second place by defeating the First State Bank, 8-4. Two teams are tied for third, Morningstar Auto Sales and Gerber's Super Market with 27 points won and 21 lost.

Bob Helm, playing with the Decatur Daily Democrat team, was a low medalist for league play with a one over par round 37.

Last night's play was a make up from last Monday evening when the matches were called due to heavy rainfall. The June 3 match was then moved to Thursday, June 6. Teams are to make their own convenient tie-off times for this match Thursday.

City League
W L
Leland Smith Insurance 34 14
Daily Democrat 32 16
Gerber's Super Mkt. 27 21
Morningstar's Auto Sales 27 21
Holthouse-on-the-Highway 25 23
Decatur Casting 21 27
Sherwin-Williams Co. 20 28
First State Bank 20 28
Decatur Industries 13 35

Low scores:
Bob Helm, 37; Bob McKenzie, 39; John Baumann, 39; Ted Hill, 40; John Pfister, 42; Kenny Gaunt, 42; Jack Irwin, 43; Harold Engle, 44; Jerry Morningstar, 44; Elmer Ehrsam, 44; and Dick Reidenbach, 44.

(June 3 schedule to be played June 6) — Decatur Casting Co. vs Daily Democrat; First State Bank vs Morningstar's Auto Sales; Lifers vs Sherwin-Williams Co.; Decatur Industries vs Holthouse-on-the-Highway; Leland Smith Insurance vs Gerber's Super-Market.

Luke Majorki, local PGA pro and owner of the Decatur golf course, reported today that several golfers boasted fine scores during the Holiday weekend.

Those reported are: Gordie Sowers, 76; John Pfister, 80-77; Ivan Reynolds, 79; Barry Burnett, 79; Jerry Morningstar, 80; Merle Affolter, 75.

Single rounds of nine holes were: Don Elder, 37; John Hammond, 40; Harry Dailey, 40; Tom Haubold, 39; Norm Steury, 38; Al Huston, 39; Kenny Gaunt, 37; John Baumann, 40; Gerald Morningstar, 38; Bob Britton, 39; Merle Affolter, 38; Gordie Sowers, 39-39.

Local Golfer Near Par At Fairview

Alan Kalver, Decatur high school senior and a member of the school's golf team, shot a one-over par 37 at the Fairview golf course in Fort Wayne Monday.

Kalver used only ten puts on the nine holes, and registered three birdies while shooting the fine round.

Decatur Cubs, Adams Central Take Openers

The Decatur Cubs and Adams Central were victorious in opening night play of the Adams county Pony League, as the Cubs edged Geneva, 6-5, and Adams Central downed the Decatur Cardinals, 11-6.

The Cubs came from behind to win their contest, scoring twice in the sixth inning to tie the game, and pushing the winning run across with two out in the seventh inning.

Adams Central had two big innings in their win, scoring six times in the first inning and adding five more in the third frame.

Lon Hawkins helped himself to the pitching victory in the first contest, hitting a triple with two out in the seventh inning to score Bill Brown from second base with the winning run. He had taken over the pitching chores from Stu Spiegel in the fifth inning.

Brown had walked with two out and stole second before Hawkins came through with his game-winning blow.

Sheets Triples

The Cubs had tied the score in the sixth inning when Dave Hackman reached first on an error and Denny Sheets tripled to right-centerfield. Sheets then scored when Pete Mayclin grounded out.

Geneva scored three times in the first inning on an error and a single by Dubach and doubles by Moser and Butcher. The Cubs tied the score in their half of the first on a walk to Brown, singles by Hawkins, Dan Kable, Sheets, and Hackman's double. A single by Armstrong and two errors resulted in two Geneva runs in the second inning.

Although giving up six runs, Morningstar of Adams Central allowed the Cardinals only two hits in the evening's second contest, and was backed by two big innings.

Open With Six

The winners scored six times in the first inning on a walk, six Cardinal errors, a single by Cook and Ellenberger's double. Adams Central scored five more tallies in the third inning on a base on balls, two errors, and one-base blows by Cook, Ellenberger and Morningstar.

The Cards scored a run in each of the first two innings, two runs each in innings three and four, but were shutout over the last two innings. The contest was limited to six innings due to the curfew time.

Dave Baughn got the first Cardinal hit, a double in the third inning to score Dave Mankey who had walked. Rick Hullinger had the other blow for the Cards, a single to open the fourth inning.

Geneva
AB R H E
Butcher, p 4 1 2 0
Armstrong, 3b 4 1 1 0
Buckingham, 1b 4 2 0 0
Moser, c 4 1 1 1
Ziegler, cf 2 0 0 0
DuBach, ss 3 0 1 0
Van Emmon, 2b 3 0 0 0
Parrett, rf 3 0 0 0
Thornton, lf 1 0 0 0
Lautzenhiser, lf 1 0 0 0

TOTALS 29 5 5 1
Cubs 24 6 6 4
Score by Innings:
Geneva 320 000 0-5
Cubs 300 002 1-6

Adams Central
AB R H E
Rash, rf 4 1 0 0
Stucky, 3b 2 2 0 1
Harvey, ss 4 1 0 0
Morningstar, p 4 1 2 0
Green, 2b 4 1 1 0
Ellenberger, cf 4 1 2 0
Rich, c 4 1 0 2
Brown, lf 2 1 0 0
Cook, 1b 3 1 2 1

TOTALS 31 11 7 4
Cardinals 11 0 0 0
Mankey, lf 1 0 0 0
Irwin, rf 1 0 0 0
Baughn, 2b 2 1 1 0
Halbersadt, cf 1 0 0 0
Anderson, cf 2 0 0 2
Lose, 3b 3 0 0 2
Hullinger, ss 3 1 1 3
Busse, c 3 1 0 0
Caeiano, 1b 0 0 0 1
Smith, 1b 2 1 0 0
Berron, 2b 1 0 0 0
Burger, p 1 0 0 0
Litchfield, p, 2b 1 0 0 1
Thomas, ph 0 0 0 0

TOTALS 21 6 2 10
Score by Innings:
Adams Central 605 000-11
Cardinals 112 200-6

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Major Leagues

National League
W L Pct GB
San Francisco 31 19 .620 —
St. Louis 30 22 .577 2
Los Angeles 27 23 .540 4
Chicago 27 23 .540 4
Cincinnati 24 23 .511 5½
Pittsburgh 24 24 .500 6
Philadelphia 23 27 .460 8
Milwaukee 22 27 .449 8½
Houston 22 30 .423 10
New York 20 32 .385 12

Monday's Results
Houston 2, Los Angeles 1.
Only game scheduled.

American League
W L Pct GB
New York 26 17 .605 ½
Baltimore 30 20 .600 —
Chicago 30 20 .600 —
Kansas City 26 21 .553 2
Boston 23 22 .511 4
Minnesota 24 24 .500 4½
Los Angeles 24 28 .462 6½
Cleveland 19 25 .532 7½
Detroit 20 27 .426 8
Washington 17 35 .327 13½

Monday's Results
Kansas City 4, Minnesota 1.
Chicago 4, Los Angeles 0.
Only games scheduled.

Tigers Win In Little League's Opener Monday

The Tigers blasted out four home runs, two by Dave Jackson, and defeated the White Sox, 7-3, in the season's opener in the Decatur Little League Monday night.

The four home run blasts is a new league record for one team in a single contest, and powered the Tigers to their victory over the defending champion White Sox.

Jackson smashed a pair of four-base blasts, while Alan Hutter, the winning hurler, and Jim Laurent also blasted circuit clouts.

Jackson poked his first home run with one out in the first inning to start his team off on the right foot.

The Sox took the lead in the third frame when they scored all three of their runs. After two out, Dave Tester doubled and scored on a single by Rich Fisher. Dave Winterjerg singled and Tom Schultz followed with a double, scoring two more runs.

Score Four

The Tigers opened up in their half of the third, however, as Jackson started the scoring by blasting his second homer with two out. Pat Kohne followed with a single and Hutter walked. Tim Bollinger doubled and Steve Brown singled, sending the Tigers into a 5-3 lead.

Laurent rapped his homer leading off the fourth and Hutter clouted his four-baser with one in the fifth, accounting for the final two runs.

A pair of games are on tap tonight, weather permitting, with the Yankees and Indians meeting at 6 p.m., and the Red Sox and Senators tangling in the second game. Both contests will be played at Worthman field.

WHITE SOX
AB R H E
Tester, 2b 2 1 1 0
Fisher, ss 2 1 1 0
Gehrig, ss 1 0 0 0
Winterjerg, p 3 1 1 0
Schultz, cf 3 0 1 0
Smith, 1b 3 0 0 0
Aacher, lf 2 0 0 0
Lutes, rf 1 0 0 0
Mendez, 3b 2 0 0 0
Hill, 3b 0 0 0 0
Schultz, c 2 0 0 0

TOTALS 21 3 4 0

TIGERS
AB R H E
Williams, cf 2 0 0 0
Burger, cf 1 0 0 0
Jackson, 3b 3 2 2 0
Kohne, ss 2 1 1 0
Hutter, p 1 2 1 0
Bollinger, c 3 1 1 0
Brown, 2b 3 0 1 1
Foss, rf 2 0 0 0
Huss, rf 0 0 0 0
Laurent, 1b 2 1 1 0
Franz, lf 1 0 0 0
Alberding, lf 1 0 0 0

TOTALS 21 7 7 1
Score by Innings:
White Sox 1 2 3 4 5 6 T
Tigers 0 0 3 0 0 0 3

Dick Farrell Beats Dodgers On Two Hits

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

Giving 'em the slip is still Dick Farrell's No. 1 skill — only now they're talking about a pitch and not his ability to elude private eyes.

A strapping, 29-year old fireballer from Boston, Farrell won fame with the Philadelphia Phillies as one of the "Dalton Boys" — three fun-loving pitchers who thought training rules were for Vassar girls.

After 5½ years the Phillies traded Farrell to the Los Angeles Dodgers, from whom the Houston Colts purchased him for \$125,000 in the National League's famous expansion draft on Oct. 10, 1961.

At Houston, general manager Paul Richards educated Dick in a new form of the "slip" — a Richards-invented curveball which has rounded out Farrell's pitching equipment and made him one of the best right-handers in baseball.

Gives A Sample

Farrell gave his former Dodger teammates a sample of his new-found art of the "slip" Monday night when he pitched a no-hitter for 7 1-3 innings and wound up with a two-hit, 2-1 triumph over Los Angeles. Farrell didn't allow the Dodgers' first hit until Dick Tracewski singled in the eighth, and lost his shutout in the ninth when Junior Gilliam tripled and scored on Tommy Davis' sacrifice fly.

Rookie Rusty Staub's first big league homer, with Carl Warwick on base in the fourth inning, gave Farrell the edge he needed to raise his season record to 5-6 and deal last year's 25-game winner Don Drysdale his sixth loss against the same number of vic-

Adams Central Farm Loop Opens June 11

Adams Central farm league play, for boys who did not make the regular Little League teams, will begin Tuesday, June 11, at 2 p. m., coach Carl Honaker explained today.

The farm league will play each Tuesday afternoon, with the first practice scheduled for June 11.

tories.

The Chicago White Sox moved into a second-place tie with Baltimore in the American League when they beat the Los Angeles Angels, 4-0, and the Kansas City Athletics downed the Minnesota Twins, 4-1, in the only other major league games of the day. The White Sox, however, lost the services of first-baseman Joe Cunningham for an estimated eight weeks when he suffered a broken collar bone.

Farrell, 6-4 and 225 pounds, worked exclusively as a relief pitcher for the Phillies and didn't pitch a complete game until his 268th game in the majors. The other members of the Phillies' famed "Dalton Boys" were Jack Meyer and Jim Owens.

Drysdale Fans Thirteen

Drysdale, who had a 25-9 record last season, struck out 13 Colts and walked only one. Farrell had five strikeouts and three walks. The "slip pitch" is similar to a change of pace although it has some "break" to it in addition to being a slow ball thrown with the sweeping motion of a fast ball.

Eddie Fisher pitched a four-hitter for the White Sox behind a nine-hit attack that included two hits each by Pete Ward and Sherm Lollar. Bob Turley yielded all the White Sox runs in five innings and suffered his fifth loss against one win. Cunningham tripped over first base in the fifth inning and the injury was diagnosed by Dr. Robert Kerlan as a broken collar bone.

Dave Wicksham's four-hitter enabled the Athletics to spoil Camilo Pascual's bid for the 100th win of his career. A homer by Doc Edwards and a single by Ed Charles were the key hits of the Athletics' seven-hit attack.

Finsterwald Wins In '500' Golf Tourney

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UPI) — The same old caddy but a new grip on his driver pulled Dow Finsterwald out of goldfom's doldrums today with his first major victory in more than three years.

The former PGA champion from Tequesta, Fla., banged home two birdies on the final three holes Monday for a three-under-par 68 to win the fourth annual \$55,000 "500 Festival" golf tourney by two shots.

That gave him a 72-hole score of 268, 16 under par, and \$10,000 top money and boosted him from ninth to sixth place in earnings on this year's circuit with \$26,543.

Finsterwald, who now heads for the Buick Open at Flint, Mich., grabbed his first victory since the New Orleans Open in 1960. He set the stage for the showdown with a red-hot seven-under-par 64 that tied him for the 54-hole lead with Julius Boros.

Dissatisfied with his driver despite his fine round, he changed the grip for the final round and that and his caddy may have made the difference.

"I thought my driving was much better," said Finsterwald. "And my caddy, Tom Vinson, was a big help, too, especially in figuring the yardage from hole to hole."

Vinson also toted the golf bag for Finsterwald here last year, when Dow finished out of the top dozen.

Boros, Bobby Nichols, Tony Lema and Tommy Aaron finished deadlocked at 270, two strokes behind Finsterwald.

Chicago White Sox Bring Up McCraw

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — Tom McCraw, first baseman for the Indianapolis Indians, headed for Chicago to join the White Sox today to replace the injured Joe Cunningham.

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