

Pittsburg Pirates Batters Are Leading Hitting Derby

NEW YORK AP—There's little doubt that Pittsburgh would like to pirate Joe Morgan from Houston if the cost were only a few bucks.

Then, the Pirates would have the National League's five leading hitters instead of the top 3.

Morgan is tied for fifth place with Pittsburgh's Roberto Clemente who is leading NL batting king. Each is batting .321.

Ahead of them are Pirates, topped by Willie Stargell, whose 11th inning homer Sunday enabled Pittsburgh to beat Atlanta and move to within 1 1/2 games of league-leading San Francisco. Stargell's average is .328. Then come Matty Alou with .325 and Manny Mota in third place with .324.

Alou, in sixth place a week ago, gained three points in last week's games by collecting nine hits in 25 tries. Mota climbed two places on a one-point pickup.

ROBINSON TAKES LEAD

Frank Robinson of Baltimore advanced from second to first place in the American League batting race despite a five-point drop to .335. He had nine hits in 30 times at bat last week. Minnesota's Tony Oliva, the

pacesetter last week, slumped 24 points to 313 and dropped into second place. He had only seven hits in 37 attempts.

Russ Snyder of Baltimore held third place with a .316 average followed by Al Kaline of Detroit, .309, and rookie Rick Reichardt of California, .305. The figures include Sunday's games.

Hank Aaron of Atlanta continues to lead the National

League in homers with 23 and runs batted in, 59. He had three home runs and six RBI last week.

George Scott of Boston rushed up to tie Frank Robinson for the AL home run lead. Scott walloped four homers and Robinson three, lifting their totals to 18. Brooks Robinson, the other half of the Orioles' one-two punch, is the runner batted in leader with 59.

Nine Dash Card To Go Tonight

Another high classed racing card, which was originally scheduled for last night but rained out, will go at the Charlottetown Driving Park this evening. The Park has had an increasing number of patrons in the past few evenings and the fact that \$15,192 dollars was wagered at the parimutuel Saturday evening speaks well for the caliber of racing to be seen on the oval.

Feature attraction of the evening will be an Early Closer event with 10 starters ready to get the word. Golden Pick will leave from the rail position, Dennis Herbert will leave from the two slot, the fast breaking Countess Alice will score three, Tea Time Gal, will score four, David P.H. will score five, the exciting High Price will score on the outside, Meadow Day, will trail out Golden Pick, the tough Mr. McElwyn Key will race from the eighth position, Lucky V., will leave from the nine spot, and Princess Mark will start from ten spot. Any one of these ten pacers is capable of walking off with top honors and the betting fraternity should have a tough time picking a winner in this field.

Dashes 5 and 8 have eight fast pacers bidding for top honors with Mark Purdue, Ohio's Orphan, Whirl A Wick, and Armonds Buddy being installed as pre-race favorites. Other starters are Captain Chick, Ozark Pete, Emily Hal, and Paddyland Girl.

Dashes 2 and 6 has seven trotters looking for top money. The field includes present holder of the trotting record Stormy Song with "Buddy" Campbell doing the driving, the great trotting mare Mary Leah and the tough Andrew's Pride. Other starters include The Sheik, Little Doctor, Topway, and Rolo-matic.

Three other single dash events round out the top notch card.

PITCHERS

Probable pitchers today in the major leagues including won-loss records:

National League
New York (Shaw 3-4) at St. Louis (Stallard 1-2) (N)
San Francisco (Marichal 12-2) at Chicago (Hands 5-4)
Philadelphia (Jackson 4-5) at Atlanta (Lester 4-4) (N)
Pittsburgh (Blass 5-1) at Cincinnati (Fisher 2-4) (N)
Los Angeles (Sutton 7-5) at Houston (Farrell 1-5) (N)

American League
Minnesota (Perry 2-1) at California (Lopez 3-6) (N)
Chicago (John 5-4) at Kansas City (Terry 1-4) (N)
Detroit (McLain 10-3) at Washington (Segui 2-5) (N)
Baltimore (Mazera 1-2) at New York (Stottlemyre 6-6 and Peterson 5-5) (N)
Cleveland (Bell 6-2) at Boston (Sheldon 4-8) (N)

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SPORT ECHOES

Underdogs Take Tilts

By NORMAN MACDONALD

The baseball game we saw last Thursday evening was an exciting contest and the result a happyhobby for the balance of the Prince County League. Grand River, who hadn't won a game up to this time, beat the Junior Legionnaires, who hadn't lost one, and the score was 8-6. The Juniors filled the bases in the final inning and looked threatening, but ransy Eric Arsenault, on the mound for Grand River, managed to get 'em out before they closed the gap. Besides the pitcher, who failed to get rattled when the heat was on, the Grand River outfielders were a hustling crew, getting on their bases at the crack of the bat and coming a long way to gather in flies. Two pop-ups which looked like perfect Texas leaguers, too deep for infielders and too shallow for outfielders, were grabbed by the other garden patrol who covered a lot of ground to make the put-outs.

On Sunday Tignish continued to show superiority over their western neighbours, Grand River, walloping them 11-3, and Summerside Intermediates, who looked pretty awful in their first appearance against the R.C.A.F., whipped the Airport boys on Sunday at the port grounds by the score of 7-4. Donnie Schurman really kept the mighty bludgeons of the Eagles pretty quiet in this game, giving up only five hits.

Although our Junior Legionnaires lost two games in MacLean over the weekend, they were far from outclassed, and no doubt a large crowd of fans will want to see their return double-header on Saturday here at Queen Elizabeth Park. Jon Down's two-hitter against MacLean was remarkable although the young pitcher lost the ballgame 2-0. This by looks have a promising future on the baseball

mount. Donald "Duck" Gunning and Darryl Newson hit home runs in the other game which was a real cliff-hanger, MacLean edging the local squad 6-5.

Pee Wee Reese and Curt Gowdy were commenting on a baseball rule on Saturday, and we found it interesting because it's misinterpreted sometimes. A runner going to first must run outside the regular baseline to avoid interfering with a play at first. We've seen an umpire declare the runner out though he had not interfered with the throw to first, the ball coming from the second baseman. Gowdy said if a runner stays inside too far and is hit by the ball, he's out. That pretty well takes care of it, though there might be some kind of interference even if the ball didn't hit the runner. This rule is similar to the rule about a fielder throwing his glove or cap at a ball. If his glove or cap hits the ball, the runner gets three bases for a batted ball and two bases for a thrown ball. But if the glove or cap doesn't hit the ball, there is no penalty.

BASEBALL RESULTS

American League
Cleveland 010 000 100—2 73
Washington 020 101 000—4 61
O'Donoghue (5-3), Radatz (8) and Azcue (8-6) and Camilli (HR); Cis—Colavito (7); Wash—Camilli (2).

National League
Los Angeles 010 000 100—2 43
Houston 100 010 020—4 83
Drysdale (4-3), Perranoski (8), Regan (8) and Roseboro; Roberts, Culler (5-0) (8), Owens (9) and Bateman.
New York 020 000 000—2 57
St. Louis 300 000 100—4 90
Selma (3-3), Bearnaeth (8) and Taylor; Briles (2-5), Hoerner (9) and McCarver.



LOOK WHO GETS THE GRAVY
Billy Casper hands his first prize check for \$25,000 back to his wife, Shirley, a moment after he was given it yesterday by Ward Foshy, right, president of the U.S. Golf Association, following his play-off victory over Arnold Palmer in San Francisco for the U.S. Open championship. At left are Casper's children, Billy, 9, and Linda, 11.

Casper Takes Open Title; Arnie Blows Lead Again

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Bill Casper struck back with birdie putts of 25 and 35 feet and moved through the wreckage of another monstrous blowup by Arnold Palmer Monday for a four-stroke victory in the 18-hole playoff for the 66th U.S. open golf championship.

Casper fired a one-under 69 over the 6,719-yard, par-70 Olympic Lake course while Palmer, shaken and almost glassy-eyed by the collapse of his game-struggle with a 73.

Casper, 34, climaxed his dramatic comeback by lacing an approach shot to within 3 1/2 feet and then sinking one putt for a birdie on the final hole.

It was a case of blowup striking twice for Palmer, the winner's leading all-time money game, who saw an imposing seven-stroke lead with nine holes to play go up in the smoke in Sunday's final round.

Pistons Top Junior Sigs

In a Commercial League Softball game played Saturday evening, the high-riding Pistons defeated the Junior Signals 11-6 behind the seven-hit pitching of Barry Stevenson. Stevenson (2-0) was in complete control of the game, racking up seven strikeouts and issuing only two walks. Losing hurler Dave MacGregor (2-2) allowed ten hits, five free bases and struck out two. Stevenson was never in trouble until the seventh when the Signals erupted for four runs on Bob Whitlocks grand slam.

Barry Stevenson's mark at the plate was as good as his pitching as he managed 3 hits on four attempts. Keith Doyle and Bob Rice garnered 2-3 and 2-4 respectively.

At the plate for the losers, Robert Stewart had a 2-3 evening while Cleo Gillis managed a hit in his appearance as a pinch-hitter.

INDIANS TOP Southport

The Charlottetown Indians and the Southport Angels battled through 12 innings of baseball recently before the Indians squeaked out a 6-5 decision, giving winning pitcher Gary Ready his second win of the season. Ready struck out 21 batters in the game. The losing pitcher was Gary Cooper.

The next game will be played this Friday evening at 8:30 on the Queen Elizabeth diamond.

Dodgers Nip BIS In Extra Innings

Barbour's Dodgers showed what patience is made of last night as they scored in only two innings but managed to nip the BIS Shamrocks 11-0 in a game that went an extra inning. In the game the Dodgers managed eight runs in the first inning and three in the final one but as it turned out that was all they needed. Barry Turner, who started the game for the losers was fanned from the mound without having retired a batter and was spelled by Kenny Ballem who went the rest of the route and was charged with the loss. Teet Gregory, the winning hurler, allowed a total of 15 hits and struck out two but the combination of losing pitchers was better than this but lost. Turner allowed three hits and Ballem four but it was the walks and one decisive homer that spelled the difference in the game. Gregory did not allow one free base with the BIS battery allowed seven of them.

Roy MacGonnell emerged as the big difference in the tilt as he swatted a three run homer in the top of the eighth. Vince Muligan was the other hitter for the Dodgers as he was two for five at the plate, the only Dodger to get two hits.

Junior League Holds Meeting

The Charlottetown Junior League held its first meeting last evening and the main business on hand was the election of officers. Earl Riggs was appointed as president of the newly-formed loop and Elmer Craswell as the vice-president. Reg Whitlock was named to handle the pursestrings for the loop and the secretary will be Jimmy Fox, City Recreation director.

It was decided that the league will hold games on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings but will not levy a charge for admission. However, a silver collection will be taken at each of the games and all players will be required to pay a dollar in order to register. All players in the loop will not be allowed to play on any of the softball teams in the city.

The league is hoping to open its schedule on a week from yesterday and the registration of players must be fully completed before July 15th. All former players are requested to bring all uniforms and equipment.

STARTERS and POSITIONS AT SUMMERSIDE RACEWAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22nd, 1966

Post time 8 P.M.

RACE 1
1—Sheldon Byrd; 2—Wee Lass; 3—West River Atom; 4—Amor Song; 5—Lyndon Hanover; 6—Harless Abb; 7—Golden Russell; 8—Sandybee.

RACES 2 AND 6
1—Mr. Charmer; 2—Annan Gal; 3—Run Way; 4—White Choice; 5—Elroma; 6—Highland Spirit; 7—Jim's Joy; 8—Dale Regent.

RACES 3 AND 7
1—Al Dale; 2—Rio Grande; 3—Sunny Key; 4—Ellen Joyce; 5—Maggie Gene; 6—Kid Freight; 7—Gary T. Adios; 8—Stalag Hanover.

RACES 4 AND 8
1—Doc Wilson; 2—Mountain Marie; 3—Orchestra Leader; 4—Topway; 5—Timmy H.; 6—Glamorous Wick; 7—Spurize.

RACE 5
1—Eyre Don; 2—Real Spirit; 3—Honest Patch; 4—Handsome Lady; 5—Pine Ridge Marion; 6—Mighty Rock; 7—Lou's Lucky Lady; 8—Lowell M.

RACE 9
1—Lorna Price; 2—Jolly Don; 3—Grattan Abe; 4—Keriah; 5—Donald's Pride; 6—Rose Alda Chief; 7—Belle Texas; 8—Miss Lane; A. E. Jolly May.

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Successor For Syd Halter To Come Before Meeting

Winnipeg (CP)—The British chore of finding a successor to G. Sydney Halter of Winnipeg as commissioner of the Canadian Football League is expected to come to a head during a league meeting beginning today.

Speculation has been that Senator Keith Davey is the lead candidate for the post which becomes vacant when Halter resigns at the end of this year.

But Grant, coach and general manager of Winnipeg Blue Bombers, said a three-man committee charged with finding Halter's replacement has kept its own counsel through most of its search, but we certainly expect some additional information during the next few days.

A meeting of the committee members—Pat Mahoney of Calgary, Don McPherson of Regina, and Mike Gaudaur of Hamilton—was scheduled today.

RIFLE SHOOT

The following scores are the results of last Saturday's rifle shoot by the Provincial Rifle Association at Squaw Point. The shoot was held under fine weather conditions Saturday's shoot consisted of ten rounds at each of the 200, 500 and 600 yard ranges. H.T. Vesey had the highest score of 142 out of the possible 150, followed closely by Raymond Andrews with 141.

CLASS I

H.T. Vesey	142
Raymond Andrews	141
Phonexis	140
Lew Phonexis	137
Ray Cotes	136
R.A. Vesey	135
Fred Hooper	134
J. Hanlon	134
Jim Leightner	134
Le Doucette	132
Eric Ballam	131

CLASS II

Don McPherson	134
G. Davey	133
Billie Duffy	132
R.H. Bennett	132
Fred White	132
L. Stevenson	123
M. Carver	108
T.M. Patterson	95

CRHS' CARR GETS AWARD

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