

Meyer, Hughes Combine to Pitch Second Dodger Shutout in 7 Years

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Some of the National League's best pitching magic must have been rubbed off on cheerful Charlie Dressen at the all-star game. For associating with the likes of Robin Roberts, Warren Spahn and Co., Charlie has come home to Brooklyn and with a wave of the hand—the one he used to wag frantically at the bullpen—he's suddenly converted a staff of throwers into a menacingly-dangerous assortment of pitchers.

Russ Meyer and Jim Hughes combined Monday night to pitch the second Dodger shutout in seven games, a five-hit 3-0 effort against Chicago Cubs that stretched the Brooklyn lead over the idle Milwaukee Braves to 3½ games.

The only other action Monday was in Pittsburgh, where the Pirates preserved their lead in a suspended Sunday game to beat St. Louis Cardinals 6-4 and then bowled in a regularly scheduled

contest 9-4 as Steve Bilko broke a batting slump with two home runs and a pair of singles.

BOTH LUCKY
Meyer and Hughes were lucky to get out of the ninth inning without being scored upon since the last four Dodger pitchers reached first base.

Ernie Banks started it with a double. Dee Fondy walked. Ralph Kiner singled and Randy Jackson's sinking liner fell in front of rightfielder Don Thompson. By now there were two men out, impossible? Not in Brooklyn. Miksis' double was legitimate. So was Fondy's walk. But Kiner's blow, a screaming knee-high drive toward centre field, struck Miksis on the leg. The base runner was out automatically, the ball was dead and the rules credit Kiner with a single.

With Fondy on second and Kiner on first, Dressen switched from Meyer to Hughes. Jackson looped one over the infield that fell in short right for an apparent hit, but Kiner held too long at first and was forced at second by Thompson's throw.

The victory was the sixth in seven games for Brooklyn since the all-star break.

WINS FOURTH GAME
For the Pirates Paul Lapalme picked up where he left off Sunday and pitched four more scoreless innings to win his fourth game. The Cards had been at bat in the sixth with one out when the Sunday curfew forced a halt.

In the regular game Pittsburgh jumped off ahead with four runs in the first inning against Stu Miller, but the Cards soon caught up. Bilko honored with the bases empty in the fourth and with manager Eddie Stanky aboard in the ninth, Peanuts Lowrey grove in two runs with a triple in the sixth inning. Cliff Chambers, second of four St. Louis pitchers, received credit for his first victory of the season.

Everybody gets back into the act today and tonight. New York Yankees continue their scoring tour through the west with a night game against the sinking Cleveland Indians. Chicago White Sox, stopped cold Sunday by the Yanks whom they now trail by six games, entertain the red-hot Boston Red Sox. Philadelphia visits St. Louis and Washington is in Detroit for a day game.

In the National League Philadelphia plays host to Milwaukee in a two-night twin bill. St. Louis moves to New York for a night game. Cincinnati is in Pittsburgh at night and Chicago is at Brooklyn for an afternoon contest.

Last Night's Fights

By The Associated Press
Brooklyn: Randy Sandt, 155, New York, outpointed Lee Sala, 160½, Donora, Pa., 10.
New Orleans: Del Flanagan, 147, St. Paul, outpointed Al Pellegrini, 150, New Orleans, 10.
Chatham, N.B.: Yvon Dubelle, 165, Bale Ste. Anne, N.B., awarded decision over Joey Gecco, 160, Jersey City, N.J., 4. Gecco refused to answer bell.

The walled city of Ravenna, Italy, was a Roman naval station on the Adriatic in the time of Augustus.



YOU CAN'T SEE IT but there's artificial snow beneath soaring Art Tople. The champion skier represented the Norse Ski Club of Chicago at the annual Lake Placid Fourth of July Ski Jumping Contest, held in a temperature of nearly 90 degrees. Five thousand delighted but perspiring spectators were on hand for the most unusual sporting event staged on the North American continent.

Hollywood Opens Crucial Series With San Francisco

By The Canadian Press

Facing a 4½-game Pacific Coast League lead, the Hollywood Stars hope to make their position more secure as they open a week-long series at San Francisco today against the fifth place Seals.

With well-pitched games in Hollywood's two victories over second place Seattle on Sunday and Monday's rest, Manager Bobby Bragan appears to have his mound staff in good shape for the Seals. He's named Harry Fisher to pitch the opener on Sunday.

Seattle's Rainiers, fighting to stay in the race after failing to lose the gas in their head-on engagements with the Stars, open at San Diego.

Veteran Vern Kinsfather will hurl for the Rainiers against the Padres' young left hander Mervyn Luna.

Portland's Beavers play at Sacramento today an ex-teammate, Joe Bruhl, doesn't unload on them the way he did on Los Angeles Saturday.

Joe hit three homers in a seven inning game against the Angels. He was hit, the reported. Not at the umpires, but at the official scorer. Joe wasn't given a hit on his last trip in the opener with the scorer.

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STANKY NAMES 4 CLUBS AS CONTENDERS IN RACE

NEW YORK (AP)—Eddie Stanky says he expects four clubs to fight it out for the National League pennant and he wouldn't be at all surprised if another playoff is necessary to decide the champion.

Besides his own Cardinals, the St. Louis manager picked the Brooklyn Dodgers, Philadelphia Phillies and New York Giants to be in the thick of the race right down to the end.

SPORTS ROUND-UP

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK (AP)—Happy Chandler was in town during the week-end, beaming his best "Ah love baseball" beam while the Ebbets Field organ pealed "My Old Kentucky Home."

Happy has been making himself scarce around the baseball scene since he "resigned" as commissioner in 1951, after the owners failed to re-elect him.

"They have been two great years," he said. "I've kept busy publishing my little old country paper, raising tobacco, running my radio station. . . . I'm in the insurance business too, vice-president and board director of the same company that Earle Combs is with since he quit baseball."

Chandler enjoyed himself, swimming in old memories, as he sat with Walter O'Malley, owner of the Dodgers. Later he went on television with Red Barber, visited the clubhouse to talk with the players and umpires. Then, to can it off, he rode back to town in a cab with Stan Musial and Red Schoendienst of St. Louis Cardinals.

Chandler's visit to the Dodger clubhouse wasn't purely a social call. The players, who were in his corner during his futile battle to win another term as commissioner, wanted to talk about their problems. There have been stories that the players would like to hire Chandler as their

charging the Angel shortstop with an error.

Joe thought he should have had a hit and proceeded to bang out his three homers in four times at bat. That way there could be no doubt.

Los Angeles still recovering from a Sacramento home run assault, plays host to Oakland.

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OUTDOORS With Marty —

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MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

By The Canadian Press
National League

AB R H Pct.	AB R H Pct.
Schoendienst, StL 359 70 120 334	Kell, Cin 267 43 89 333
Irvin, NY 314 53 104 331	Gooden, Bos 264 39 86 326
Furillo, Bkn 297 49 96 323	Minoso, Chi 323 73 104 322
Baumholtz, Chi 305 48 98 321	Vernon, Was 355 55 113 318
Ashburn, Pha 348 63 111 319	Mantle, NY 302 68 96 318
Runs: Snider, Brooklyn, Dark, New York and Schoendienst, 70.	Runs: Minoso, 73.
Runs batted in: Campanella, Brooklyn, 82.	Runs batted in: Rosen, Cleveland, 77.
Hits: Schoendienst, 120.	Hits: Kuenn, Detroit, 118.
Doubles: Musial, St. Louis, 26.	Doubles: Kell, 28.
Triples: Bruns, Milwaukee, 9.	Triples: Rivera, Chicago, 7.
Home runs: Kluszewski, Cincinnati and Mathews, Milwaukee, 28.	Home runs: Rosen, 23.
Stolen bases: Bruton, 15.	Stolen bases: Rivera, 17.
Pitching: Burdette, Milwaukee, 7-0 1.000.	Pitching: Lopat, New York, 10-1 .909.
Strikeouts: Roberts, Philadelphia, 107.	Strikeouts: Pierce, Chicago, 97.

American League

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