

Union Edges Packers For City Softball Title

Tiechman Pitches 3-1 Victory

Behind the three-hit pitching of Carl Tiechman, Local 70s chalked up a 3-1 win over B.C. Packers last night at Gyro Park to take the city softball championship. Their names to go and gain possession of the Gondola Cafe Trophy, symbolic of play-off leadership.

The union scored three runs in the third and to A. Roboff's second home run in the fourth. However, of the seven hits they collected only Tiechman and A. Roboff had two. Ian Lander added one in the fifth plus two passed errors to second base in the eighth. The latter accounted for Packers' four hits. Tiechman led off with a single and Bob Cuddeback followed with a double into the scoring column. The former allowed three walks and struck out five for the win.

Man Ralph Hodge pitched two and a half scoreless innings, fanned one, Packers Harvey Yeates once, passed two,步行了 two, and left men on base, the number above in parentheses, with the third being the name of the manager. Local 70s Gondola Cafe Trophy was presented to Bill Hardy, captain of the union team by Mike Kutzak, softball league president.

World Series Notes

By BEN OLAN

NEW YORK — Feeling the world weary.

For anyone who thinks Yankees are safe to lose it, tourney stakes, Yankees have just won world series, but never have been seen except they've in past two classics in '45, '46, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52 and the one eight ('52).

Versatile Jackie Robinson will be playing in fourth defensive position in his fifth world series. He was at first base in 1947 at second base in 1949 and in the outfield in 1950 and in 1953. He'll be at third base Wednesday.

If all the Yankees hit the way manager Casey Stengel did in his world series games, they'll win by a romp. Casey batted .364 in the 1916 classic, .400 in 1922 and .417 in 1923.

Yankees have a world-series record of 71 victories against 35 defeats for a .670 average while winning 16 of 20 classics. Dodgers have a 13-29 mark in dropping the seven for which they qualified.

Whitey Ford has quite a record to show for the 16 2/3 series he's worked. During his first year, he fanned 14 batters and walked only three and put together an earned-run average of 1.16.

Two other factors that probably make the professionals oddsmakers lean toward the Yanks are (1) Brooklyn pitcher Junior Gilligan never has played the shadowy garden in Yankee Stadium and (2) The Brooks' six-handed power hitters may have been getting the range of the superior left-field benching in the stadium.

Dodgers line-up, in addition to Fairlie, Gilmore and Newcombe, will have Ray Campion to bat the plate. Gil Hodges, Carl Erskine, Don Zimmer at second, Pee Wee Reese at shortstop, Joe Gordon at third and Duke Snider in center field.

LOES NEXT

A team probably will start to be the usual game and twice with Erskine for the lead. Eddie Sprauer for the ninth and come back with the finale for the fifth.

Stengel's second will lead Brooklyn at the Brooks in the third game, then Bob Turley and Don Loun.

Top of the Dodgers' eighth time, but the ones they never pass are the Yanks. They had won the first three under Stengel until Cleveland Indians broke the pennant-winning streak last year.

A sellout crowd of about 100,000 is expected for the opener.

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Eisks In WIFU Playoffs On 15-0 Win Over Lions

By The Canadian Press
Edmonton Eskimos, 1954 Canadian football champions, have made sure of a berth in the 1955 western conference playoffs.

The split-T Eskimos, coached by Frank (Pop) Ivy, scored their 10th straight win in Western Interprovincial Football Union schedule play this season at Vancouver Monday night, trouncing British Columbia Lions 15-0.

In other play, the Blue Bombers at home in Winnipeg overwhelmed Calgary Stampeders 25-6.

Edmonton could lose its six remaining games in the 16-game regular schedule and still grab

the third and last playoff spot.

Winnipeg, in fourth place now,

already has suffered seven losses

and the last-place Stampeders

have lost eight times.

Lions' loss prevented British

Columbia from going into a

second-place tie with the idle

Saskatchewan Roughriders.

At Winnipeg quarterback

Buddy Leake counted 15 points

for a touchdown and kicking two

field goals three converts and a

single.

The other Winnipeg scorers

were fullback Lorne Benson and

halfback Leo Lewis, each with a

touchdown.

Calgary's scored by halfback Bob Meyers

and the convert was kicked by

end Tom Miner.

EDMONTON SCORERS

At Vancouver the Edmonton

point-getters were fullback Normie Kwong and quarterback

Jackie Parker with touchdowns

and tackle Bob Dean with a

field goal and two converts.

Lynn Bottoms, a graduate

from Calgary junior ranks, was

at quarterback for the injury

was tremendous in trying to

engineer plays from the disorganized

Calgary backfield.

Both games were played on

soggy fields. At Vancouver the

field was soft after an all-day

rain and the ball squirted from

the players' hands for six fum

bles, four by Lions. On each oc

asion, the fumbling team lost

possession.

After posing for pictures,

Gaby was turned loose, but

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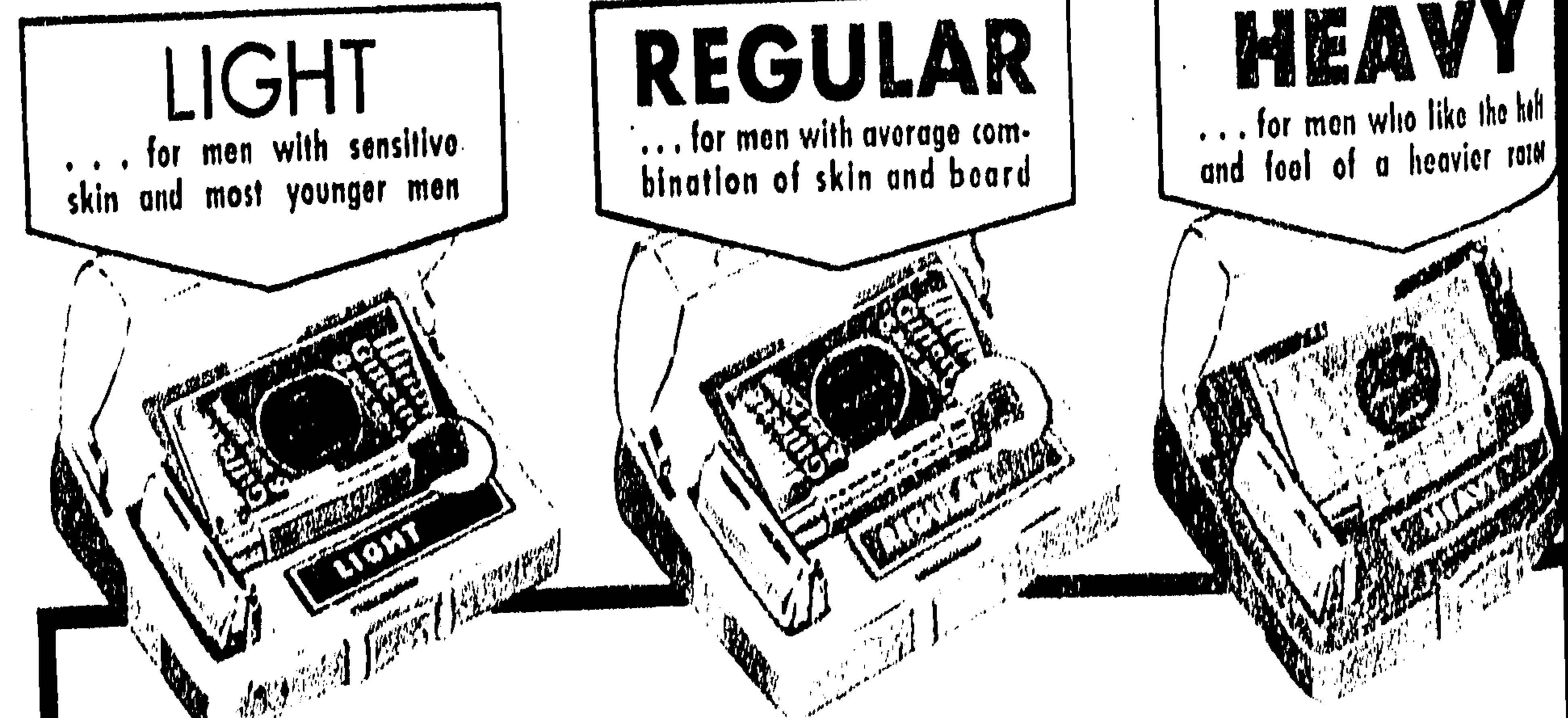
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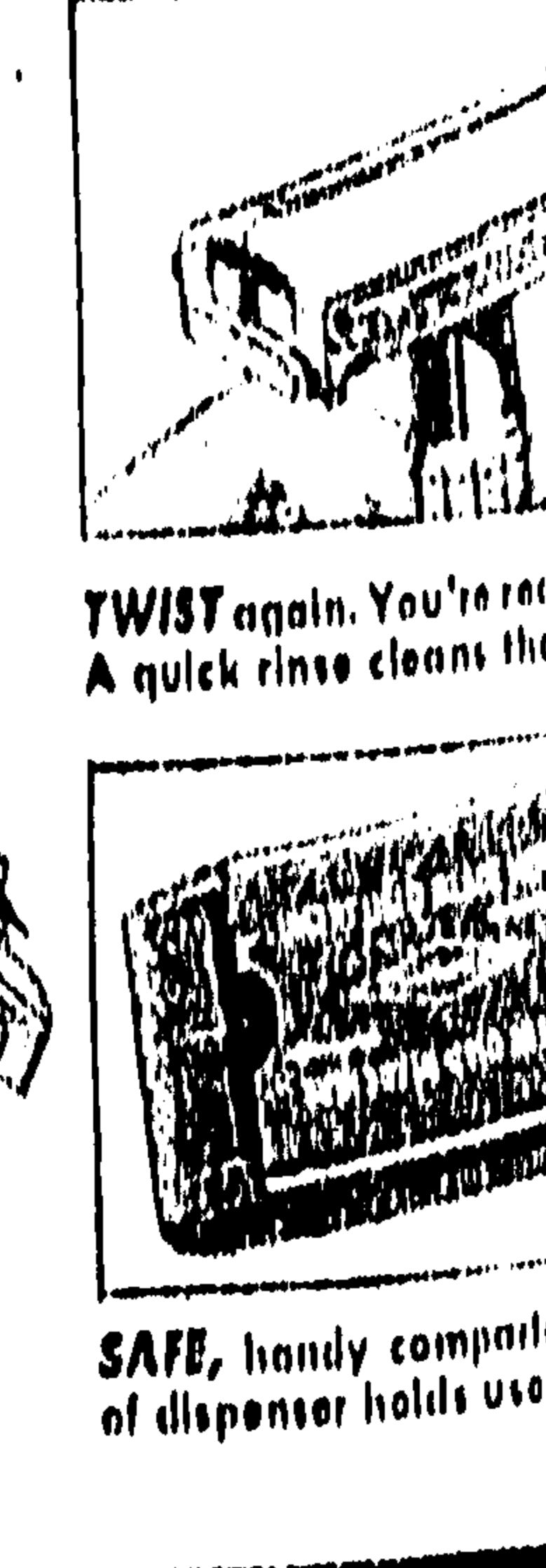
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