PCL Manager Under Fire

Angels, Rainiers Crowd Solons at Top PCL Post

By The Canadian Press

Less than 20 percentage points separates the first three places in the Pacific Coast League standings.

Sacramento, which has had the last two games at Hollywood postponed because of rain and wet grounds, was leading the pack with a .640 average. Ten percentage points behind is Los Angeles, which dropped to second place with a 7-6 defeat Wednesday night at the hands of Seattle. The Rainiers are third with a .621 average.

In Seattle, a dinky pop-fly bunt with the bases loaded in the bottom of the ninth and the score tied pushed Bobby Balcena over the plate with Seattle's winning run.

Vancouver Mounties dropped a 3-2 victory in 10 innings at Portland. It was a classic finish. Lloyd Merriman of the Beavers singled home Eddie Basinski with two men out in the bottom of the 10th.

San Diego made it two straight over San Francisco Seals with a 5-4 victory on the strength of Dave Hoskins' six-hit pitching.

Tonight's schedule has Sacramento at Hollywood, Vancouver at Portland, Los Angeles at Seattle and San Francisco at San Diego.

An oven combining a steam-boiler and an infra-red grill was shown at a 1956 catering exhibition in Britain.

Vancouver Writers Blast Laws For Mountie Plight

VANCOUVER (CP)— When things get a little rough, Brick Laws philosophized Wednesday night, you've got to take it.

On the griddle in Vancouver for his Pacific Coast League baseball team's sour showing to date (the Mounties are a solid last in the loop), Laws added: "I've been through this before.

"You've got to take the bad with the good.

"I'm not mad at anybody."

Sports writers of both afternoon newspapers here have hopped on Laws, who transferred his team from Oakland to Vancouver this year. He hoped for better attendance, which at Oakland was indifferent.

Now the Vancouver papers are accusing Laws' team of the same thing — indifference, plus poor play. The Sun's baseball writer, George Dobie, quit his beat in what he said was disgust.

"We've leaned over backward to give this club the break it needed to get started in the big league," wrote Sun sports editor Earl Smith, "but no more." The rival Vancouver Province joined the refrain.

"Frankly," said Smith, "we never did like the idea of an American coming in here to run our baseball for us."

Said Laws: "The press has been wonderful to me and the ball club."

PCL Standings

By The Canadian Press

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Sacramento	16	9	.640	
Los Angeles	17	10	.630	
Seattle	16	11	.621	
San Francisco	15	14	.517	3
San Diego	15	15	.500	3½
Portland	12	16	.429	5
Hollywood	9	17	.346	7½
Vancouver	9	19	.321	8

L'il Loop Underway At Algoma Tonight

First game of the 1956 Prince Rupert Little League gets underway tonight at Algoma park, matching North Stars against Kinsmen.

Opening ceremonies will see team managers, coaches, sponsors and coaches introduced before Parks Board chairman Charles Balagno throws the first ball to launch the baseball season in Prince Rupert. The band of HMCS Chatham will be on hand to parade the teams in the four-club league around the diamond. Game time, weather permitting, is 7 p.m.

Other two teams in the league, Sea Kings and Shop Easy meet tomorrow night.

Remainder of the schedule for the first half of the league follows. In each case the second-named team is the home team.

SCHEDULE

May	11	Sea Kings	vs.	Shop Easy
	14	Shop Easy	vs.	North Stars
	15	Kinsmen	vs.	Sea Kings
	16	North Stars	vs.	Sea Kings
	18	Kinsmen	vs.	Shop Easy
	22	Kinsmen	vs.	North Stars
	23	Shop Easy	vs.	Sea Kings
	25	North Stars	vs.	Shop Easy
	28	Sea Kings	vs.	Kinsmen
	29	Sea Kings	vs.	North Stars
	30	Shop Easy	vs.	Kinsmen
June	1	North Stars	vs.	Kinsmen
	4	Sea Kings	vs.	Shop Easy
	30	Shop Easy	vs.	North Stars
	6	Kinsmen	vs.	Sea Kings
	8	North Stars	vs.	Sea Kings
	11	Kinsmen	vs.	Shop Easy

TITLE DEFENDER ASSURED TOUGH OPPOSITION TODAY

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Doug Ford of Kiamesha Lake, N.Y., is certain to have a tough time defending his title in the $25,000 St. Louis Open which started today. Top pros are shooting for the $5,000 first prize and some of them have been "hot" lately.

They include Gene Littler, who won the Tournament of Champions at Las Vegas 10 days ago.

Mike Souchak, who became the year's leading money winner with his victory over Tommy Bolt in the Colonial at Fort Worth, Tex., will be playing in the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Open.

Army "Training" Stands Rookie in Good Stead

BOSTON (AP)—Coolness under pressure must have been one of the first things young Dave Sisler learned from his famous father.

Boston's rookie pitcher has mastered it so well he is threatening to take over the No. 1 relief job vacated when Ellis Kinder was sold to St. Louis Cardinals.

Dependable Dave is a 24-year-old Princeton graduate and youngest son of George Sisler, Hall-of-Fame first baseman.

The bespectacled righthander Wednesday made his seventh appearance in 17 games when he preserved a two-run Red Sox lead, taking over in the eighth inning with the bases full of Chicago White Sox and one out. Five pitches later the inning was over.

LEARNED IN ARMY

Sisler, who had only brief minor league experience with Albany of the Eastern League but learned much from two years playing in the army, has an 0.82 earned-run average. He has two major league victories in relief.

"Control, stuff, moxie,"—Red Sox manager Mike Higgins sums up Sisler.

"He could be a starter, but he's doing all right for us in his present job."

Max Bell Buys English Colt

LONDON (AP)— Kookaburra, a hard-hitting handicapper over middle distances, has been purchased by Max Bell of Calgary and will run in the Canadian sportsman's colors at Kempton Park Saturday, it was learned today.

Kookaburra, a four-year-old chestnut colt, is current favorite for the Jubilee stakes, a 1¼-mile spring feature race at Kempton. By a coincidence, the colt was bought from a British owner with the same surname—Claude Bell.

Kookaburra won two of his five races last year, finishing eighth in the Epsom Derby.

Bell is expected to fly from Canada Friday to watch the race: His Derby Hope, Calgary Court, was unplaced Wednesday in the Irish Two Thousand Guineas, run at the Curragh.

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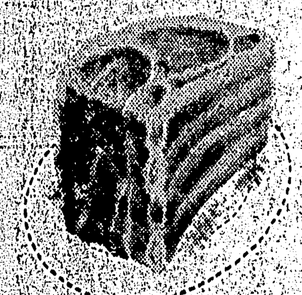
Doubt at End as Gridder Signs

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Quarterback Billy Wade was safely in the fold of Los Angeles Rams football squad today, signed for 1956.

The development, said the club should end speculation that the former Vanderbilt star might leave the Rams and play in Canada, or be used as an expensive talent for trading purposes.

Regular quarterback Norman Van Brocklin and rookie signal caller Rudy Bukich also are signed.

About a ton of lavender blooms are needed to make a gallon of lavender oil, from which perfume is manufactured.



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All that remains now is for every driving teenager to enter this contest giving it the final support it deserves.

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