Terrace Takes Twin-Bill

Win 10-0, 11-6; G & A Avenges Loss

Terrace jumped into the lead of the Prince Rupert and District Senior baseball league yesterday, taking both ends of a double-header with Esquires 10-0 and 11-6 at Terrace, while Hotelmen and G & A wound up in second place in the league as the hardware men took a 9-4 decision at Roosevelt Park.

The double win gives the interior team four victories in six starts for a .667 average while a game back at .500 are G & A and Hotelmen. The road trip, the first appearance this year for the clothiers, leaves them in the league basement, two games off the pace.

Ray Scott pitched the first Terrace victory allowing only scratch singles to Kent Tubman and Ken Moore, while his team mates hammered out 10 safeties off loser Bill Donaldson and reliefer Bill Marback who came in in the sixth.

The Terrace team scored once in each of the first four innings, added two in the sixth and put four runs across in the seventh.

BLEW LEAD

Esquires blew a 5-0 first-inning lead as Terrace drove in five runs in the fourth after scoring a singleton in the second. Three clothier errors and a home run by Alf Davy in the sixth accounted for four more Terrace runs.

Jack Sharpe was the victim of the shambles, which saw Terrace hitters get nine safeties including four doubles and a triple, besides Davy's four-master.

Bill Reynolds is credited with the win. He gave up seven hits and five runs before being replaced on the mound by diminutive Bobby Melvin, playing his first senior league game. Melvin allowed one run and one hit in the two innings he pitched.

At Roosevelt Park, G & A avenged an 8-0 loss Thursday by taking a first-inning 2-0 lead and keeping out ahead throughout the game as the hardware squad combed two Hotelmen pitchers for 13 hits.

Ian Dunbar was the winner scattering five safeties, none of which went for extra bases. G & A added a singleton in the third, three in the fourth, one in the seventh and two in the ninth. Hotelmen broke into the score column with two runs in the fourth frame and added the other two in the closing stanza.

PITCHING DEBUT

George Robinson made his debut on the mound for Hotelmen and was touched for six runs off seven hits, a walk and two hit batters. Jack Lindsay relieved in the fourth and stemmed the tide but gave up three runs on six hits.

Dunbar gave up seven walks and fanned four. Robinson walked one and struck out one while Lindsay issued no free passes and fanned eight.

Standings:

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Terrace	4	2	.667	-
G & A	2	2	.500	1
Hotelmen	2	2	.500	1
Esquires	0	2	.000	2

Major League Standings

By The Associated Press

American League

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
New York	25	12	.676	-
Cleveland	20	14	.588	3½
Boston	18	16	.529	5½
Chicago	15	14	.517	6
Baltimore	16	19	.457	8
Washington	15	21	.417	9½
Detroit	15	21	.417	9½
Kansas City	14	21	.412	10

National League

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Milwaukee	16	9	.640	1
St. Louis	22	13	.629	-
Pittsburgh	18	13	.531	2
Cincinnati	18	14	.563	2½
Brooklyn	17	14	.548	3
New York	14	18	.439	6½
Philadelphia	10	21	.323	10
Chicago	8	21	.276	11

Pacific Coast League

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Los Angeles	30	16	.652	-
Sacramento	26	18	.591	3
Seattle	28	22	.560	4
San Diego	24	25	.490	7½
San Francisco	23	25	.470	8
Portland	22	25	.468	8½
Hollywood	20	25	.444	9½
Vancouver	16	33	.327	15½

ROUGHER IN PAST

Tankanyika in British East Africa has many large old voccanoes, long extinct.

SOUTHERN ALPS

Mount Cook, 12,349-foot peak in the Southern Alps, is New Zealand's highest mountain.

Major League Leaders

American League

Player and Club	AB	R	H	Pct.
Mantle, N.Y.	139	41	59	.424
Maxwell, Detroit	97	22	35	.361
Berra, N.Y.	116	22	41	.353
Vernon, Boston	90	15	31	.344
Kuenn, Detroit	146	24	50	.342

Runs—Mantle 41.
Runs batted in—Mantle 43.
Hits—Mantle 59.
Doubles—Kuenn 12.
Triples—Jensen, Boston and Runnels, Washington 4.
Home runs—Mantle 17.
Stolen bases—Kuenn 6.
Pitching—Brewer, Boston, Lemon, Cleveland and Ford, New York, 6-1, .857.
Strikeouts—Score, Cleveland 67.

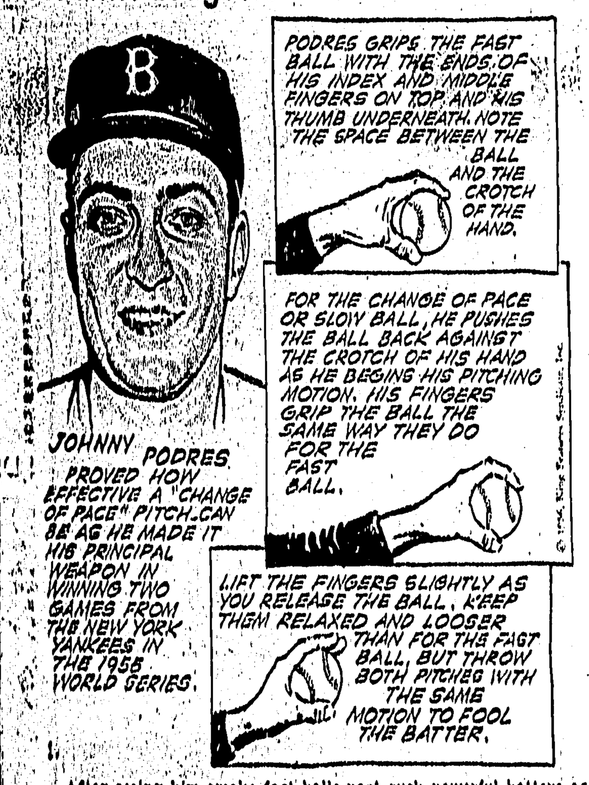
National League

Player and Club	AB	R	H	Pct.
Long, Pittsburgh	124	26	52	.419
Repulski, St. Louis	92	20	30	.391
Bruton, Milwaukee	80	17	29	.363
Walls, Pittsburgh	90	18	32	.356
Boyer, St. Louis	139	26	49	.353

Runs—Blasingame, St. Louis 28.
Runs batted in—Long 30.
Hits—Long 52.
Doubles—Purillo, Brooklyn 11.
Triples—Bruton 6.
Home runs—Long 13.
Stolen bases—Mays, New York 9.
Pitching— Lawrence, Cincinnati, 6-0, 1.000.
Strikeouts—Friend, Pittsburgh 49.

INSIDE BASEBALL for Little Leaguers

By MICKEY McCONNELL
Major League Scout and Instructor



After seeing him smoke fast balls past such powerful batters as Hank Bauer and Bob Cerv in the 1955 World Series, observers were convinced that Johnny Podres can fire the ball. But it was his change of pace (the professional term for a slow ball) which made his fast ball an effective pitch.

Mickey Mantle proved to Podres that his fast ball could be hit when he blasted one into the stands the first time he faced the Brooklyn left-hander. Then Johnny began to mix up his pitches—throwing fast balls and changes, fast and slow curves at the right time to keep the Yankee sluggers off balance and uncertain about what was coming next—and this mixture produced a world championship for his Dodgers.

When you have learned to control your fast ball, work on a change of pace. Don't use it against weak hitters because it may be the only ball they can hit, but do use it against batters who are pulling your fast ball regularly. It may throw them off in their timing. But it will work only if the batter thinks you are going to throw a fast ball. By choking the ball and loosening your grip on it, you can throw it with the same back spin and just as hard as your fast ball, but it will not travel as fast. It takes a lot of practice to perfect this pitch, but Podres showed its value against the Yankees.

Red Sox Trade Backfires As Sievers Turns On Heat

By The Associated Press

If manager Mike Higgins of Boston Red Sox today felt like the fisherman who went out for a whale and came back with a couple of minnows who could blame him?

Six months ago Red Sox engineered a deal with Washington, acquiring pitcher Bob Porterfield among others in exchange for five young players and cash. It seemed they had stripped the Senators of their best players but now it is evident the big catch got away. The big catch is Roy Sievers.

What a whale of a job of hitting Sievers has turned in against Red Sox pitching this season, especially at Boston's Fenway Park. In five Washington games at Boston, Sievers blasted 10 hits in 20 times at bat for a torrid .500 average. That's not all. He scored 10 runs, clouted five home runs and two doubles and drove in 11 runs. He also had four for eight and three RBI's in three games in Washington.

MUSIAL SNAPS OUT

The slugging outfielder-turned-firstbaseman turned on the heat against Boston Sunday, collecting five hits, scoring five runs and driving in five as Washington held the Red Sox to a split in their doubleheader.

It was Roy's 10th inning double that drove in Clint Courtney with the run that gave Washington an 11-10 second-game triumph after Red Sox had come from behind to win the opener 9-7. The big St. Louisian homered in each game, the second four-bagger coming off Porterfield, who failed to finish for the fourth time in five starts. He has a 1-3 record.

Stan Musial snapped out of a slump with seven runs batted in on four hits, one a three-run homer, to lead St. Louis Cardinals to an 11-9 and 12-2 doubleheader sweep over Chicago Cubs.

BRAVES STILL AHEAD

Sparked by rookie firstbaseman Frank Torre's four straight hits, Milwaukee Braves defeated Cincinnati Redlegs 7-2 to cling tenaciously to their slim lead. Because they have lost only nine games to St. Louis' 13. Braves are in front in percentages, .640 to .629.

Rain washed out the scheduled doubleheader between Pittsburgh Pirates and Phillies in Philadelphia and the single game between Brooklyn and the Giants in New York.

Dale Lon's hitting Saturday led Pirates to a 6-2 win over Phillies. He clouted relief pitcher Ben Flower's first pitch in the eighth over the right field wall to crack the six-homers-in-six-games mark set in 1922 by Ken William of St. Louis Browns and equalled three times since then.

CLOSE TO RECORD

Rain also forced postponement of the New York Yankee-Oriole game in Baltimore. In a first game that lasted four hours and 52 minutes—six minutes shy of the American League record—and 15 innings, the Sox nipped Cleveland Indians 5-4. Cleveland came back to win the second 4-2 behind Early Wynn's five-hitter.

The Detroit-Kansas City twin bill also ended in a split. After Al Kaline, Ray Boone and Charlie Maxwell homered to spark the Tigers to an 8-2 triumph, Art Ditmar shut out Detroit 5-0 despite giving up 10 hits to give the Athletics an even break.

In other games Saturday Milwaukee nipped Cincinnati 2-1. Brooklyn belted Giants 6-0.

In the American League, Baltimore beat Yankees 9-4. Detroit routed Kansas City 12-6, and Washington set back Boston 4-1.

Vancouver Girls Suffer 2-0 Loss

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—England defeated Canada 2-0 and South Africa edged New Zealand 2-1 today to remain undefeated after the third round of the women's international field hockey tournament at Sydney University today. The Canadians are from Vancouver.

FINE MEASUREMENT

The National Physical Laboratory near London, England, can measure items to closer than one-millionth of an inch.

Sacramento Ousts Rainiers For PCL Runner-Up Position

By the Canadian Press

Los Angeles Angels kept their hold on first place in the Pacific Coast League by winning three weekend games but Sacramento Solons, after beating Vancouver Mounties four games in a row, moved into second spot.

RICHARD SCORES — Hockey star Maurice (Rocket) Richard holds a trout he pulled out of Thirty-One-Mile lake near Gracefield, Que. Richard and teammate Butch Bouchard of Montreal Canadiens, National Hockey League and Stanley Cup champions, were vacationing in the Gatineau Hills resort area. (CP Photo).

Before Saturday's games, Solons were behind Seattle Rainiers. But they downed the Mounties 3-2 and 4-2 in a Saturday doubleheader in Vancouver to wind up three games back of the first place club.

Los Angeles defeated Seattle 6-0 Saturday and 4-3 and 5-4 Sunday, leaving the Rainiers four games out of first.

Fourth-place San Diego Padres dropped a 10-2 decision to Portland Beavers Saturday, but bounced back in a Sunday doubleheader for 9-2 and 4-2 wins. That left them 3½ games behind Seattle.

In the next three spots are San Francisco, Portland and Hollywood.

Hollywood defeated San Francisco 11-5 Saturday and 6-4 Sunday, but dropped their third game to the Seals by a 5-4 margin.

The weekend whirl of games left the stumbling Mounties deep in the cellar, six games back of the seventh place Hollywood club and 15½ games out of first place.

No games are scheduled today.

EARLY PAVEMENT

The first street was paved in New York City in 1657, when it was known as New Amsterdam.

GUIDES AND BOATMEN haul in a 620-pound bluefin tuna on Soldier's Rip, off Wedgeport, N.S. Scenes like this were rare in 1955, the worst year anglers ever had at Wedgeport. Only 57 fish were caught in the famed tuna fishing spot where 1,774 were taken in 1949. Wedgeport has become prosperous on tuna angling and citizens of the fishing port are worried that tuna fishing may be finished. Maurlcio L. Guerra of Tampico, Mexico, is the lucky angler in this Nova Scotia bureau of information photo taken at the 1955 International Tuna Tournament. (CP Photo) 1956.

At The Ball Park

By R. E. RUDDERHAM

The game between Gordon and Anderson and the Hotelmen on Sunday was not an exciting one but a fairly well played game with a few tense moments.

I thought the tensest situation ended when Herb Morgan singled sharply through the box into center field. Before Herb connected. Ian Dunbar was charged with three hits, and in every case, an infielder had his glove on the ball but couldn't hold it and retire the runner. I know about this "too hot to handle" stuff too, but the scorer should never take a potential no-hitter away from a pitcher, he should make the hitters on the other side do it. However, Morgan took the scorer off the hook in the ninth inning in a pinch batting role and reduced Dunbar's efforts to a mere well pitched ball game.

Ian Dunbar pitched very effectively and with better support would have held the Hotelmen to two runs at the most. He kept the "hits" scattered until the ninth, when two hits and a case of jitters on the part of the G & A infield made it look like the Hotelmen were going to rally. He also laid down a neat bunt single to aid his own cause.

Jack Lindsay was the best of the Hotelmen. He pitched very well in relief and was the victim of some loose support. He seems to tease some of the G and A batters into swinging at his last pitches and taking his good ones. He also helps his own cause with his stick.

Don Scherk was the best ball player on the field. He handles his glove like a top notcher and his snappy play is really good to watch. I used to think that Don should be playing somewhere else so he could use his speed to better advantage but I think that he has found his position and his handling of pitchers and his arm are a constant threat to would-be base stealers.

$2,500 Raise For Dale Long

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Dale Long, 30-year-old Pittsburgh Pirate first baseman who has achieved something baseball's greatest sluggers never accomplished, is a little bit awed by the fan reaction.

A $2,500 "merit raise" has been given Long as the result of his terrific batting which includes belting seven homers in as many consecutive games for a major league record. Sometime before tonight's game with Brooklyn he expects to stop in the office of Pirate general manager Joe Brown and sign a contract calling for $16,500.

But the awe of the fans over his achievements apparently is just as pleasing to Long as the money.

"It used to be that I'd walk through a crowd and hardly anybody would notice me" Long said. "Now it's different. I went to an affair last week as a favor to a friend. The people just stood around with their mouths open. They gaped at me like I was a freak or something. But don't get me wrong. I liked it very much."

Shortly after Long hit his seventh homer in as many games against Philadelphia at the Quaker City Saturday, general manager Brown was on the phone to tell him he was getting a new contract—and the $2,500 raise. The big fellow said he was so grateful he choked up.

Sports Calendar

Pending sports events to be played at city parks today and tomorrow are as follows:

MONDAY

Little League (Algoma Park)
Sea Kings vs Kinsmen, 7 p.m.
Pony League (Roosevelt Park)
Moose vs Elks, 6:45 p.m.
Softball (Gyro Park)
Atlin vs Army-Navy 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Baseball (Roosevelt Park)
Hotelmen vs Esquires 6:45 p.m.
Softball (Gyro Park)
Savoy vs Canfisco 6:30 p.m.
All games to be played, weather permitting.

ARID AREA

Average rainfall is little over seven inches a year in some parts of south Australia.

Savoy Trounces Atlin 20-9 For Third Straight Victory

Savoy Hotel chalked up their third straight win of the Senior Men's Softball league season Saturday night at Gyro Park, trouncing Atlin 20-9 in one of two games played during the weekend.

Canfisco brought their win-loss record to an even 1-1 basis by defeating Local 708 15-10 last night.

The hotelmen took over command of the Saturday game with two five-run sprees in the third and fourth innings after tying Atlin 4-4 at the end of the first and adding two runs in the bottom of the second.

Bill Yerema started on the mound for Savoy and left for a right-field position in the bottom of the fifth while enjoying a 16-4 lead. T. Pilfold came in to finish.

Johnny Pallister was the loser, giving up 10 of the runs and 17 hits before being replaced by Ken Warren in the eighth.

The game produced a home run by Atlin's Fred Kristmanson who also started an unprecedented triple play when he hit a fly ball to Savoy third-baseman Bill Sedgwick in the sixth inning. Al Hartwig was called out for leaving a base on a caught fly ball while Bill Morrison was tagged by Sedgwick running to third. The victory leaves Savoy with a 3-0 record.

Jim Stewart was the winner in Canfisco's victory over the union despite 708's 12 hits. Dick Rye started for Local 708 but was replaced in the bottom of the seventh by Bill Evans after giving up 10 hits and as many walks. Evans gave up three runs and two hits in finishing the game.

BIG VISITORS

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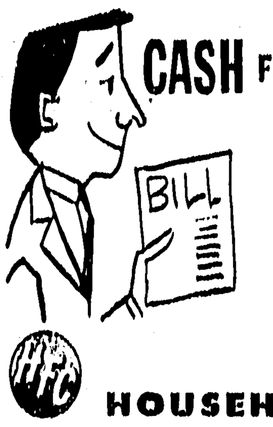
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