

Summer Softball Teams Schedule Thirty Games

Thirty softball games will be un-reeled during the next six weeks according to Dr. George E. Potter, chairman of the College Station Softball League.

Member teams are the Indians, Yankees, Tigers, Pirates, Giants and Cubs. Each team is limited to 15 players, made up of citizens of College Station.

Hank Mill has been named to manage the Indians and Bill Hensel will hold the reins of the Yankees. The Tigers will be led by R. B. Hickerson with K. A. Manning as pilot of the Pirates. Lucian Morgan and Aden Magee will guide the Giants and Cubs respectively.

All games will begin at 5:45 p. m. on game days. Play will be on the College Park diamond on Park Place at the end of Fairview on the South Side while the College Hills diamond is located on Puryear between Walton and Francis.

The schedule for the first six weeks is as follows:

- June 8—Pirates vs. Yankees
- 11—Tigers vs. Indians
- 13—Yankees vs. Tigers
- 15—Pirates vs. Giants
- 18—Giants vs. Yankees
- 20—Giants vs. Tigers
- 22—Pirates vs. Cubs
- 25—Tigers vs. Cubs

- 27—Pirates vs. Yankees
- Cubs vs. Giants
- 29—Tigers vs. Indians
- Pirates vs. Cubs
- July 2—Yankees vs. Tigers
- Indians vs. Giants
- 6—Pirates vs. Tigers
- Indians vs. Cubs
- 9—Giants vs. Tigers
- Yankees vs. Cubs

A date for a picnic has yet to be chosen but during the course of the day the Tigers will meet the Cubs, the Indians will tackle the Pirates and the Yankees will encounter the Giants.

Rickey Asserts Meyer Still OK As 'Buc' Pilot

Pittsburgh, June 6—(AP)—Talk of firing Billy Meyer of the Pittsburgh Pirates cropped up anew yesterday as the Bucs wallowed in their familiar cellar position.

Nobody admits the National League's 1948 manager of the year is on the hatchet block right now. General Manager Branch Rickey asserts he hasn't given the matter any thought at all. He called Meyer at Boston and told him as much. Rickey knows something must be done to help the floundering club which has won only two games in 16.

But the bushy-browed Rickey insists Meyer is a top field general. He not only said it once but several times. Coming here from Brooklyn, Rickey decided to keep Billy after long consideration.

Reports that Meyer will be ousted come up every time the team drops a string of games. The rumors are more persistent now. Pittsburgh's sports writers are hitting it hard. Some say he may be retiring for ill health—he's suffering from ulcers.

What does Meyer say about it? "It is news to me."

And Rickey? "I have never given it a thought and I'm not giving it any. Why, I'm more surprised than the reporters to hear the story. It never entered my mind to change managers."

Meyer now is serving his fourth season on a contract calling for \$40,000 a year. The contract expires this year.

Anybody who knows Rickey thinks he won't part with \$40,000 when the job is only half finished—but he's unpredictable as the weather.

Victim of Errors



George Brown

... was last night's losing pitcher as the Aggies erred to enable the Bryan-College Sports tag a 7-6 loss in eleven innings. Brown, with better support by his teammates could have been the winner as he entered the game in the ninth with a 6-4 lead only to see it dwindle and eventually to see it lost.

Maglie Wins Ninth For Giants; Nats Blanked by Tigers

Based on AP Reports

Cincinnati at New York

Sal Maglie turned in his ninth straight victory last night as he pitched the New York Giants to a 3-2 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds. His record now stands at 9-2 after dropping his first two starts of the season.

Harry Perkowski, Red starter had the Giants buffaloed until the seventh inning when they got to him for two runs. He had allowed only one hit until that time.

Ted Kluszewski hit a home run in the eighth to reduce the Giant's lead to 2-1. The Giant's winning run was scored in the eighth as the Reds scored again in the ninth to make the final score read 3-2.

Pittsburgh at Boston

The last place Pittsburgh Pirates gave Paul La Palma support extraordinary last night as they pounded out 21 hits to go with his five-hit, 8-0 shutout of the slumping Boston Braves.

La Palma did not let a man get past first until the ninth inning when Boston catcher Walker Cooper singled behind a free ticket to third baseman Bob Elliott.

George Metkovich led the 21-hit attack with two doubles and two singles while Ralph Kiner, Wally Westlake and George Strickland tumbled three safeties each.

The Pirates equaled a major league record held by the 1905 Pittsburgh team when they strangled 18 base runners in the contest.

St. Louis at Brooklyn

The high-flying Brooklyn Dodgers stretched their league lead over the St. Louis Cardinals to 4½ games as they nipped the Redbirds 3-2 in the ninth inning yesterday.

Big Roy Campanella delivered the game-winning blow, a double, to score Carl Furillo from first and stretch the Dodger win streak to four straight. They have won 12 out of their last 15 games.

Joe Hatten, Dodger left-hander and George Munger, Cardinal fast-baller pitched shutout ball for five innings and the Redbirds broke the spell with two runs in the sixth on run-scoring singles by Stan Rojek and Billy Johnson.

Chicago at Philadelphia

As in the World Series against the New York Yankees last fall, Jim Konstanty failed as a starting hurler last night when the Chicago Cubs licked the Philadelphia Phillies 3-2.

The Cubs touched the Philly ace reliever for nine hits in his five inning stint, good for all three runs. The Cubs scored their three runs in one cluster in the fourth inning on a triple, two doubles and a single.

The Phils bounced back in the fifth with two runs, but brilliant pitching by Bob Rush turned them back in the late innings when they threatened to knot the score.

The game ended with Ed Pelligri perched on third base with the tying run. He was running for Willie Jones who had tripled, missing a home run by inches.

Washington at Detroit

Gene Bearden scattered four hits among the Washington Nationals last night as he pitched a 4-0 shutout for the Detroit Tigers.

Bearden, in winning his second victory of the season, allowed Mickey Vernon, Washington first baseman two hits, a single and a double for the only man to collect more than one.

For the Tigers, the big gun was third-baseman George Kell with four straight singles in four appearances at the plate. Jerry Priddy homered for his third of the year.

Vic Wertz, Tiger right-fielder saved Bearden's whitewashing by grabbing a drive off the rightfield screen in the ninth inning.

New York at Cleveland

Another winning streak was halted yesterday as the New York Yankees blasted the Cleveland Indians 8-2 to clip the Tribe's string of wins at nine straight.

Allie Reynolds, New York's big Cherokee righthander, tossed a five hitter at the Indians and his teammates backed him up with a 13 hit barrage, including homers by catcher Yogi Berra and third baseman Bobby Brown.

The win enabled the World Champions to keep pace with the White Sox and maintain their second place position, 3½ games back.

Boston at Chicago

The red-hot White Sox have done it again—beaten the Red Sox that is.

Randy Gumpert notched his fourth win without defeat by holding the heretofore powerful Boston to eight scattered hits as the Palehose tripped the Bostonians 10-2 yesterday afternoon at Comisky Park in Chicago.

The win yesterday was the fourth straight over the faltering Red Sox in three days as Chicago won the second of two games Sunday, copped a double-header Monday to go along with yesterday's shellacking. The White Sox have now won 18 of their last 20 starts, going down to the St. Louis Browns last week and the Red Sox Sunday.

Former TCU star, Jim Busby collected his first home run of the season in the eighth as the White Sox rapped out seven straight hits, good for six runs. They had scored four in the sixth inning.

Dom DiMaggio continued on his hitting streak, now gone through 24 consecutive games, by collecting three hits in four trips to the plate.

Philadelphia at St. Louis

Dependable Ned Garver notched his eighth victory of the season last night as the St. Louis Browns lambasted the Philadelphia Athletics 10-1.

Garver scattered four hits but lost his shutout in the seventh when Ferris Fain drove in the only Athletic run with a single.

The Browns have now won 14 games with Garver winning more than half of them. He has an 8-3 record for the season.

By ANDY ANDERSON
Battalion Sports Editor

The Bryan-College Sports tagged a 7-6 loss on the Aggies last night in a game that lasted over three hours and went 11 innings.

The winning run, scored after two were out in the eleventh, was tallied among a mass of confusion and abruptly ended the contest which seemed destined to go on interminably.

Jim Dishman, Sports shortstop opened the inning by gaining life on Yogi Candelari's bobble of a ground ball. Cotton Brisbin then singled to center field to send Dishman to second and both men were advanced by centerfielder Bill Davis' sacrifice from pitcher George Brown to Bill Munnerlyn.

Moon Passed on Purpose

Wally Moon, Sports manager, was walked intentionally to load the sacks. When an attempted squeeze play failed to work, Ag catcher Al Ogletree pegged to second trying to get Moon as he went down after Dishman was tagged out trying to score. Ogletree's throw went into centerfield and Brisbin scored the winning counter.

The Ags threatened in the first inning but failed to score. After Guy Wallace and Joe Ecrette went out, Yale Lary singled to right field. Ogletree walked and Candelari also was issued a free ticket to first but John DeWitt struck out to leave the hassocks loaded.

In the second inning, Hollis Baker gained life on Jim Dishman's low throw to first after making a remarkable stop on the first base side of second and Munnerlyn singled over second base. Baker was out at the plate as he tried to score on Pat Hubert's roller to the pitcher.

Wallace's Single Load Bases

Wallace then singled to load the bases and Ecrette delivered a single to score Munnerlyn. Hubert came in with the second run of the inning as Lary connected for his second hit to short right field. With one out, Ogletree lined to first baseman Jim Tidwell who caught Lary off first for an unassisted double play.

The Sports broke into the scoring column on Moon's steal. Tidwell's single and Moon's walk of both third and home in the second.

Candelari opened the third with a single and eventually scored after DeWitt walked and Baker singled into right field. Baker came in to tally the Ags fourth marker when

the Sports went berserk and threw the ball all over the park.

One of baseball's rarest decisions occurred in the Sports half of the third. After Dishman struck out, Brisbin walked and Davis struck out. Moon then slapped a pitch to right fielder Baker and the Ags thought they had retired the side but Umpire Don Thompson said no.

Umpire Calls Balk

He called a balk on Hubert and Moon again resumed his place in the batters box. On the next pitch Moon laced the ball over DeWitt's head in deep center field for an apparent triple. Again Umpire Thompson called a technicality on Moon. He called him out for stepping out of the box and the side was finally retired after much bewilderment on the part of fans and players alike.

Things were quiet for a couple of innings and in the fifth, the Sports added two more runs on two walks, an error by Wallace and a scratch single by Moon.

Charlie Russell walked to open the sixth, advanced on Don Heft's sacrifice and scored on Bob Tankersley's overthrow of first for a

single run which tied the game at four-up.

Winning Runs?

The Ags scored what appeared to be the winning runs in the top of the ninth. Martin Hamilton hitting for Tankersley walked after one was out and went to third on a hit-and-run single by Wallace. Wallace moved to second as the throw went to third, attempting to catch Hamilton going in. Both runners scored as Dishman misjudged a hard hit smash by Lary that went into left field.

Two game-tying runs were put

Little Leaguers Slate Game for 3:30 Thursday

The Marion Pugh Lumber Co. Cubs, a Little League National League team will tangle with the Conway Co. Giants tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 in Little League park adjacent to the Bryan Country Club golf course.

The Little League, a small replica of the major league, has for its main purpose, training the smaller boy in the fundamentals of baseball and in sportsmanship so that he will be able to join teams of faster company as he grows progressively larger.

In Monday's game, the Cubs broke a two game losing streak with a hard-fought 9-7 win over the Corbusier Cardinals. A big fourth inning netted six runs when an error and three walks were followed by solid hits by McGuire, Hickerson and Helvey and a Cardinal balk.

Two more Cub runs were scored in the sixth inning when, with two men on the base paths, Helvey doubled to left field with a solid blow. The Cardinals forged into an early lead in the first inning as they scored three runs on a safety by Batten, an error, a two-base rap by Dwyer and another Cub miscue. Hurler Miller then settled down to retire the side and continued his yeoman work for two more innings before being relieved by Feldman.

In the fifth the Redbirds tallied again on hits by Carrera and LaFever and in the sixth, threatened to forge ahead by tallying two more runs on a walk, a base-blow by Harrison and another Cub error.

A slow rain caused both sides to play rather ragged ball throughout the contest but the Cardinal outfield appeared to have the edge insofar as handling the horsehide went.

on the board in the Sports half of the ninth canto. Dishman, attempting to make up for the bobble in the top half, beat out a slow roller to short and was waved to second as relief pitcher Brown committed a balk. Brisbin was safe on Candelari's low throw to first and both runners advanced as Bill Davis laid down a perfect sacrifice.

Moon was passed to load the bases. Tidwell drilled one down the first base line that got through Munnerlyn and Wallace into right field and Dishman and Brisbin scored. Moon was pegged out by Baker as he attempted to come all the way from first on the miscue. Tidwell was picked off second to end the inning and set the stage for the eventual game winning tally in the eleventh.

Lary Big Stickman

For the Aggies, Yale Lary was the big man with the stick as he collected three for six with Wallace and Ecrette each connecting twice. Russell, with two bingles, led the Sports in the hitting department although Dishman and Brisbin both tallied twice.

In his four inning stint on the mound, Hubert struck out nine men.

The Aggies will travel to Conroe for a Saturday night game with the semi-pro nine of that city, composed of college students working in that area.

The line score:
A&M — 002 000 002 00— 6 10 6
Sports — 010 021 002 01— 7 7 2
Hubert, Tankersley (5), Brown (9) and Ogletree; McClain, Smith (6) and Heft. LP—Brown, WF—Smith.

January Tops Trans-Miss Qualifiers

Dallas, June 6—(AP)—Don January, 21, member of the crack North Texas State College golf team, laid down a three-under-par 87 to lead the qualifying round of the Trans-Mississippi tournament yesterday.

The Dallas youngster found no terrors in the exacting par 35-35—70, 6,655-yard-Brook Hollow course but only three others in the bulky field could better or equal regulation figures.

Don Schumacher of Dallas, who in 1937 won the Trans-Mississippi, finished late with a 68 for runner-up honors in the battle for medalist.

Dale Morey of Dallas shot a 69 over the 6,655-yard Brook Hollow course to finish just back of January.

It required an 80 score to make the championship flight of 64.

Purdue Names Man To Succeed 'Hank'

Henry "Hank" Foldberg's replacement at Purdue has been named by the Purdue Athletic Director, Guy (Red) Mackey, the Associated Press reported last night.

Ned Maloney, who has been a member of the San Francisco professional football squad since his graduation from Purdue in 1948, will return to Purdue as varsity end coach, Mackey said. He will report July 1.

Mantle on Bench As Yanks Shuffle

Cleveland, June 6—(AP)—Mickey Mantle, the rookie New York Yankee outfielder, was benched for the second straight game yesterday. Manager Casey Stengel shook up the lineup of his faltering world champions.

Cliff Mapes replaced Mantle in right field.

Other changes sent Joe Collins to first for Johnny Mize and Billy Martin to second for Jerry Coleman. Coleman suffered a two-inch spike wound in his right forearm Monday night.

Figuring Standings Is Complicated Job

By WHITNEY MARTIN

New York, June 6—(AP)—The late O. B. Keeler had been seated before his typewriter at the Palm Beach round robin golf tournament with his usually twinkling eyes expressing only dazed bewilderment, who threw up his hands in despair, muttering:

"Ah can't do it; ah can't do it." O. B. had made the mistake of trying to figure out the tournament standings without the aid of slide rules, algebra, astronomy and six income tax experts, and he was helpless.

It was pretty complicated in those days, at that with 16 players competing against each other

at match play, each man playing simultaneous matches with the other members of his foursome in each of the five rounds.

Change Scoring Method

The scoring was changed a year or so ago so now all that is needed to compute the standings is an elementary knowledge of the Einstein theory. The players compete against each other at medal play in each foursome, so the plus or minus standing can be computed by comparing the scores for the round, instead of by laboriously comparing results on each hole.

Probably the only man who doesn't care how they score the event, which has its 1951 debut at New Rochelle, N. Y., tomorrow, is Bobby Locke, the mufin-cheeked South African. They could score it with a quart measure as far as he is concerned.

Fits His Game

It's his baby, and he knows that the Wykagyl Country Club course is made to order for his straight game. He's won it two of the three times he competed, and finished second the other time, so you can imagine him rubbing his hands gleefully and chortling: "That's for me" as he tripped over his golf clubs in his haste to get to the nearest cable office to accept the invitation. A \$5,000 first prize isn't hard to take.

He'll naturally be favored to win in the four-day, five-round event starting tomorrow, but he'll have to shoot his game. Fellows such as Lloyd Mangrum, Cary Middlecoff, Jimmy Demaret, Herman Barron, Chick Harbert, Johnny Palmer, Jim Ferrier and Chandler Harper in the field of 16 just aren't going to lose by default.

Fannin on Recall Basis

St. Louis, June 6—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns sent Pitcher Cliff Fannin to Toronto yesterday on a 24-hour recall basis.

Fannin's departure makes room for infielder Kermit Wahl, obtained yesterday along with outfielder Paul Lehner from the Chicago White Sox for outfielder Don Lendhardt and an undisclosed sum.

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New York010 001 231—8 13 1
Cleveland000 010 001—2 5 2
Reynolds and Berra; Wynn, Zverink (9) and Hegar. HR—Berra, Brown. WP—Reynolds (5-4). LP—Wynn (4-6).	

Boston

Boston001 000 001—2 8 0
Chicago000 004 06x—10 15 1
Nixon, Parnell (6), W. Evans (8), Stobbs (8) and Moss; Gumpert and Niarhos. HR—Busby, LP—Nipon (3-1). WP—Gumpert (4-0).	

Philadel — 000 000 100—1 4 1
St. Louis — 222 010 21x—10 16 0
Kucab, Martin (2), Zoldak (8) and Tipton; Garver and Lollar. HR—Lollar. LP—Kucab (0-3). WP—Garver (8-3).

Washington — 000 000 000—0 4 0
Detroit — 001 000 03x—4 11 1
Johnson, Harris (8) and Grasso; Bearden and Robinson. HR—Priddy. LP—Johnson (0-2). WP—Bearden (2-1).

Today's Pitchers

New York at St. Louis—(night)—Ostrowski (2-1) vs Suckeki (0-1). Boston at Detroit—Taylor (4-3) vs Gray (1-5). Washington at Chicago—Marrero (6-1) vs Holcombe (4-2). Philadelphia at Cleveland—(night)—Kellner (3-3) vs Chakales (2-0).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Chicago	30	11	.732	—
New York	28	16	.636	3½
Boston	26	18	.591	5½
Cleveland	24	20	.545	7½
Detroit	20	22	.476	10½
Washington	17	25	.405	13½
Philadelphia	14	29	.326	17
St. Louis	14	32	.304	18½

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh	— 001 230 011—8 21 1
Boston	— 000 000 000—0 5 3
La Palma and McCullough; Sain, Cole (5), Donovan (7) Estock (9) and Cooper. WP—La Palma (1-0). LP—Sain (3-6).	

St. Louis — 000 002 000—2 9 2
Brooklyn — 000 000 111—3 6 0
Munger, Pollet (8) and Rice, Garagiola; Hatten, King (6), Erskine (8) and Campanella. HR—Hodges. LP—Pollett (0-3). WP—Erskine (5-4).

Chicago — 000 300 000 — 3 11 2
Philadel — 000 020 000 — 2 5 0
Rush and Burgess; Konstanty, Meyer (6) and Semnick. WP—Rush (3-4). LP—Konstanty (2-5).

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