



SAFE!—Brenner Sales of the Senators misses a close one at home to let an Oriole runner come in safe.



BAREFOOT BOY—Irving Tood crosses home plate to score in the Little League game between the White Sox and the Senators.

Little League Roundup

Race Still Close After First Week

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Little League Reporter

After the opening week of the 1954 College Station Little League race, all four teams are closely bunched and show promise of staying together through the season.

The standout of the week's activity was the double no-hitter between the Marion Pugh White Sox and the Student Co-op Orioles.

With the score at 1 to 1, the game was called at five innings because of the time limit. Eleven-year-old Condy Pugh pitched for the White Sox, and 12-year-old Billy Mac Miller was on the mound for the Orioles.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Red Sox took the league opener from the White Sox in a tight, well-played 3 to 2 victory.

The next tilt saw the White Sox score 11 runs in the last inning to down the Black's Pharmacy Senators, 11 to 5.

The Senators rebounded the next day to dump the Orioles, 11 to 5. The White Sox avenged their opening game by beating the Red Sox 9 to 6 the next day.

Then a Red Sox victory over the Orioles, 8 to 2, jumped them to a first-place tie with the White Sox.

Saturday, the Senators were shut-out by the Red Sox, 4 to 0. The Senators protested the game on the grounds that the Red Sox used an illegal pitcher. Until the protest board makes a decision on the game, it will not count as a win or loss for either team.

The standings through the first week of play show the Red Sox and White Sox on top of the league, with the Red Sox ahead in percentage points because of the White Sox tie game. The Senators are in third place with a 1-1 mark. Last place is held by the Orioles with a 0-2 record.

Tommy Bramble of the Red Sox and Jim Fowler of the Senators lead the league in batting percentage with 500's. Tommy Letbetter of the White Sox is next with .429. He is closely followed by the Senators' Brennar Sayers and Joe Olian, who are each hitting .400.

Tommy leads in runs, runs batted in, and doubles. He is tied for the home run lead with Condy Pugh of the White Sox. There have been no triples hit in the league yet this year.

In pitching, Tommy, Jim Fowler, and Mark Luther of the White Sox each have 1-0 records. Russ Welch of the Red Sox and Joel Mills of the White Sox have 1-1 marks. Tommy has a sparkling 0.00 earned run average, taking the lead in that department.

WINTER SPORTS EXPANSION

BOYNE FALLS, Mich. (AP)—Michigan's winter sports center operators say they are planning considerable expansion in 1955.

Six clubs catering to the winter sportsman say they will add at least a dozen ski runs, more power tows and provisions for night skiing.

Little League Schedule

Here is the Little League Schedule for the rest of the week. All games will be played on the College Station Little League park, beginning at 5:30 p.m., except the games marked with an asterisk (*), which will be at night on the lighted Bryan park.

June 8—Red Sox vs. Senators
June 9—White Sox vs. Senators*
June 10—Orioles vs. Red Sox
June 11—Orioles vs. Senators
June 12—Red Sox vs. White Sox

LUTZ TO PLAY FULLBACK

DURHAM, N. C. (AP)—Worth Lutz, Duke's great quarterback of last season, will operate at fullback next fall.

Duke Coach Bill Murray made the switch because he has two stars available at quarterback—Jerry Barger, who alternated with Lutz last year, and Sonny Jurgensen, a promising newcomer who led Duke's freshman team through an unbeaten season.

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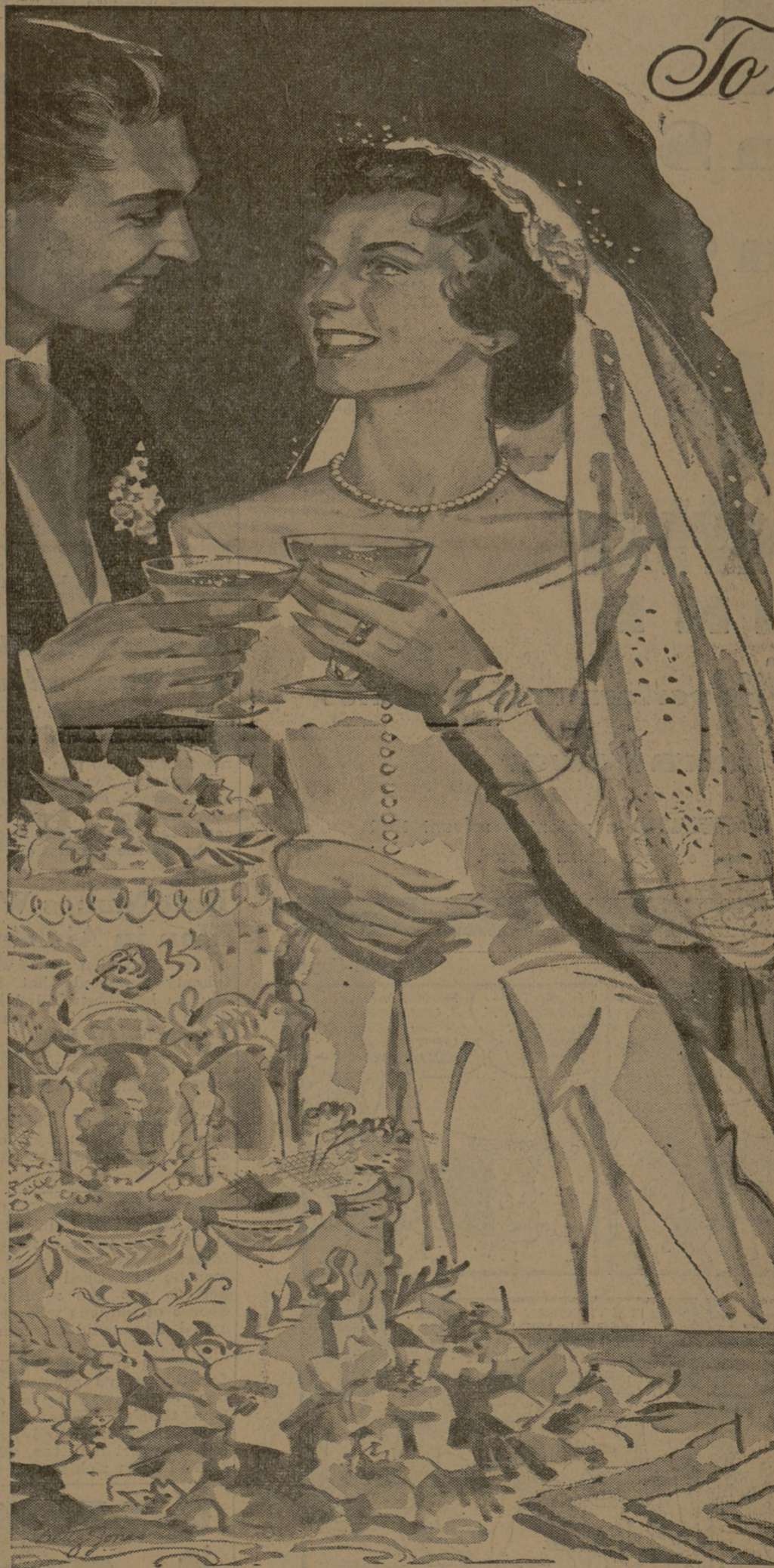
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