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Cinches Flag For Yankees

wrote a fitting end to the 1956 and the look on Coach Paul Bry-American League pennant race ant's face is grim. Tuesday night by blasting his 50th home run which carried the New York Yankees to a 3-2 victory over the Chicago White Sox in 11 innings and their seventh title in

their own major league record. back.

They took the lead for good on May 16 and although they had to have played little better than .500 "I doubt if Krueger will the race was all over on July 20. | mountable.

Mantle's 50th Ags Take It Easy Tuesday As Injuries Dim Chances

By BARRY HART Battalion Sports Editor

Three days remain before Saturday's season opener with Villa-CHICAGO - Mickey Mantle nova's victory-minded Wildcats

> "I haven't got them hitting anybody with any authority,

The Yankees, who now have won just two flags less than the rest The Yankees, those much des- gue clubs combined, went into July to get anybody else hurt," compised, much respected and much with but a two-game lead over mented Bryant. worshipped pin-striped business- Chicago's White Sox. By month's men of baseball, were out of first end, they were nine games ahead up yesterday and four probably place just 10 days, and those in of Cleveland, 131/2 ahead of Bos- will not see any action Saturday. the first month of play, while win- ton. Chicago, the White Sox had Regular left tackle Charlie Kruening their 22nd pennant to pad tumbled to fourth - 161/2 games ger is out with an injured should-

wait until September to clinch it, ball. But the July lead was insur-

team's progress so far this fall. There's nothing reckless about anything out there. We are not the type of team that will beat anybody tiptoeing."

The Aggies took it easy again Tuesday. Coach Bryant sent many of the regulars in early and the remainder went through a minimum of full-speed work.

"We're not going to scrimmage of the now-active American Lea- at all this week. We don't want

Six footballers were not suited er and his talents will be sorely

"I doubt if Krueger will play," declared Coach Bryant, "and I'm not going to play him if he's not perfectly well."

Both second-line guards, Murry Trimble and Tommy Howard are sidelined. Trimble has a broken rib while Howard is limping on a hurt ankle. Third-string guard Barney Smith was hurt in last Saturday's scrimmage and is on crutches with a leg injury while ends Lloyd Wasserman and John Tracey didn't suit up Tuesday.

Bobby Lockett, senior tackle from Breckenridge, looks like the likely man to start in place of Krueger, but may move into the very dim right tackle picture.

"Lockett will start at one or the other tackle," pronounced the head coach, "but I don't know which



VILLANOVA'S BILL CRAIG-6-2, 220-pound sophomore tackle due to see plenty of action in Saturday's opener on

Sport Shorts

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHILADELPHIA—The Philadelphia Phillies, rapidly earning a reputation as "spoilers" in the tense National League pennant race, virtually blew Cincinnati out of convention last night with a twi-night doubleheader victory over the Redlegs, 4-3 behind lefty Curt Simmons in the opener and 7-4 in back of Robin Roberts in the nightcap.

GALVESTON—"She's in the pink today" George Zaharias said Tuesday afternoon of his famous athlete wife, Babe Didrikson Zaharias. The official hospital bulletin reported no change in her

The Babe is now in her third year of a fight against cancer. She is at the John Sealy Hospital here.

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Braves Tighten Race

Milwaukee Wins, Brooklyn Loses

PITTSBURGH - Johnny Logan first two innings, knocked starter Milwaukee Braves to come from which put them ahead 4-3. behind and emerge with a 6-4 vicory over the Pittsburg Pirates. The victory put the Braves into a Cardinals.

The victory moved the Braves to within one percentage point of the first-place Dodgers. Brooklyn now has a .604 mark on an 87-57 record and Milwaukee is .603 with an 88-58 record.

Braves a three-run lead in the by Ed Roebuck and Carl Erskine.

elted a two-run single in the Lew Burdette out of the box with eighth last night, enabling the a two-run uprising in the sixth

BROOKLYN - Brooklyn's National League lead was trimmed rirtual tie with the Brooklyn Dod- to one slim percentage point over gers who lost 6-5 to the St. Louis Milwaukee Tuesday night as the St. Louis Cardinals, after blowing a 4-0 lead, hustled back to beat the Dodgers 6-5 on Ken Boyer's two-out, two-run homer in the ninth inning.

The Cardinals, beaten five in a row by the word champions, had only three hits until the ninth af-The Pirates, who spotted the ter a near-perfect twin relief job

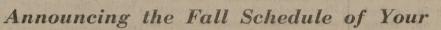
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