

Red Sox And Orioles Tangle For Crown

Orioles Sew Up Last Half Title

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Wayne Smith's high-flying Orioles, led by a suddenly aroused offensive attack paced by Jimmy Nail's tremendous late-season surge, have sewed up the second-half title of the College Station Little League and now await the first-half champs, Ken Midkiff's Red Sox, in a play-off for the full season crown.

Before the Orioles and Red Sox can match their high-powered offensive might against each other Monday at 7:30 p.m., there remains the formality of tomorrow night's twin-bill in which the Red Sox tangle with the White Sox at 5:30 and the Orioles collide with the Senators at 7:30 to conclude the regular season schedule of the American League South.

After Monday night's championship-deciding game at the College Station Little League Park, brief ceremonies will feature the presentation of the Jack Fugate Sportsmanship Award and also the team trophy. Following these presentations, the 14 members of the American League South All-Star team will be recognized with all-star pins.

Meanwhile, in the College Station Minor League, any of three teams could either win outright or share a portion of the second-half championship. At the present time, the Pirates hold a shaky lead with their 4-1 mark being one game ahead of the Cubs and Indians, each having a 3-2 record.

Tonight's double-header—Pirates vs. Indians and Cubs vs. Dodgers—holds the key to the title. If the Pirates down Manuel Garcia's Indians, the first-half winners who are presently crippled minus the services of most of their regulars, then the Bucs will hold the second-half pennant. Any combination is possible, however, if the Indians win tonight.

Big Nail, who has been the possessor of a blazing bat during the past 10 days, has taken a healthy lead in the race for individual batting honors and appears to be a fairly safe bet to succeed Joe Olian as American League South batting champion. Nail, at an even .500 through Monday's games, has a comfortable lead over Dennis Muth, of the Red Sox, who is hitting .420.

Dominating the loop's offensive statistics presently, Nail also leads the league in slugging percentage, .949; in total bases, 47; in home runs, 7; in runs-batted-in, 28, and shares the lead in base hits, 21 and in runs scored, 19.

Muth also has 21 base knocks, while the Orioles' Les Palmer and

the Senators' Jody Rush each has scored 19 runs. In two-base hits, the pace-setter is Muth, and in triples, the leaders are a pair of Red Sox, Jack Fugate and Hubert Hearne. Jimbo Bevans, of the White Sox, has pilfered the most bases, seven.

Minor League batting leaders are three members of the slugging Pirates—Scotty Manning, .615; Larry Hayes, .583 and David Krause, .583.

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS
 (Through Monday's games)

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Orioles	7	0	1.000	—
Red Sox	3	4	.429	4
Senators	2	5	.286	5
White Sox	2	5	.286	5

MINOR LEAGUE STANDINGS
 (Through Tuesday's games)

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pirates	4	1	.600	—
Cubs	3	2	.600	1
Indians	3	2	.600	1
Dodgers	0	0	.000	4

LEADING BATTERS (MAJORS)

Name	H	R	RBI	Pct.
Jimmy Nail, Orioles	21	19	28	.500
Dennis Muth, Red Sox	21	16	21	.420
Charles Gandy, Red Sox	19	17	18	.388
Jack Fugate, Red Sox	18	11	13	.360
Sidney Goufal, Senators	16	14	12	.348
Tommy Hughes, Red Sox	15	9	16	.336
Harold Cooner, White Sox	12	13	8	.324
Mike Bevans, White Sox	6	8	6	.300
Gregg Burroughs, Orioles	9	8	5	.290

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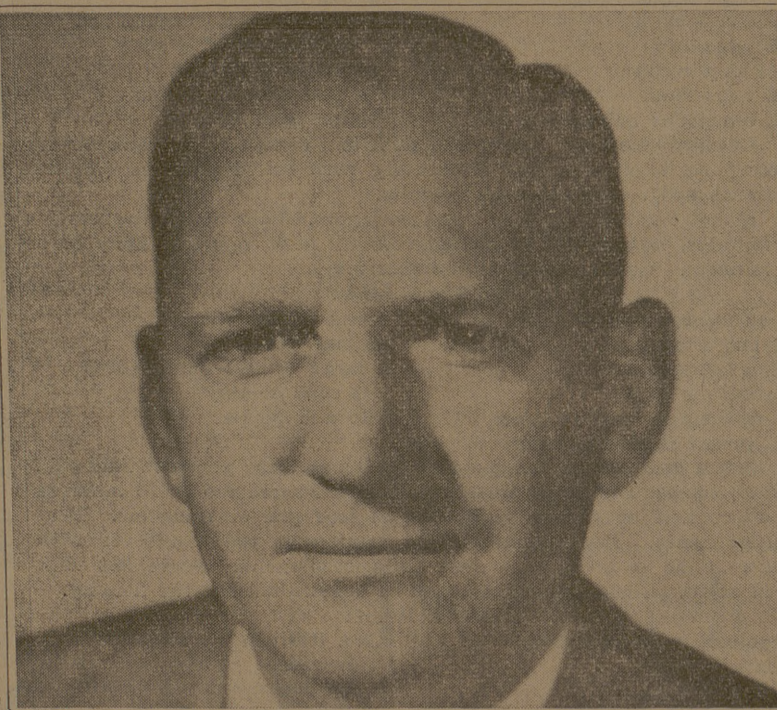
HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., (AP) — It wasn't easy but the Rotarians managed to stage their parade.

The rains came and sent two bands and a drill team scurrying for cover.

Others splashed on, led by musicians from another high school band. Half of them got across the railroad tracks but the others had to wait—a train came along.

The stragglers finally caught up and all went well until two horses, frightened by the music, reared and broke their harness. Another delay.

Spectators said it was the most interesting parade ever seen.



COACH RAY PUTNAM has assumed the reins as temporary mentor of the Aggie track team. He was recently appointed to the job following the retirement of Coach Frank (Col. Andy) Anderson.

Recreation Council Opens Softball League

Stressing sportsmanship as being of "first importance", the College Station Recreation Council Men's Softball League begins its 1957 summer schedule tomorrow with a double-header on the intramural diamond south of The Grove.

This field will serve not only as the site for tomorrow's twin-bill but also as the location for each of the games on the remainder of the schedule.

F. L. Fisher is serving as the loop's general chairman.

Following the same time schedule as for the rest of the tilts, tomorrow's double-bill begins at 6 p. m. and the nightcap is due to get underway at 8 p. m. In the first scrap, the Vets tangle with The Tired Nine; the second game finds the Tigers vs. the Duffers.

The league's six teams, with their respective managers listed in parentheses, are as follow: The Tired Nine (Vance Edmondson), Flashes (Sgt. W. H. Gard), Tigers (Ed Logan), Vets (Ken Pierce), Duffers (Charles Tea), and Eagles (Tony Sorensen).

All regulation softball rules will be used in the league's games with one exception: spikes will not be allowed.

First Annual CS Tennis Tourney Underway Soon

Horace Schaffer, instructor for the local summer tennis program, announced details earlier this week for the first annual College Station Recreation Council Tennis Tournament to be held Monday, July 29, through Saturday, August 3.

Any resident of Brazos County is eligible to compete in the tournament, which is to be held on the A&M Concrete Tennis Courts (located south of Kyle Field).

Tournament Director Schaffer, who is also the A&M Consolidated tennis coach, announced that ribbons will be awarded to the champions and the runners-up in each of the meet's 16 divisions.

The lone exception, however, is

the fact that a trophy will be given to the winner of the division that attracts the largest number of entries.

In each of the four age classifications—13-and-under, 14-15, 16-18 and 19-and-over—play is scheduled in a quartet of categories—boys' singles and doubles and girls' singles and doubles.

In the 13-and-under and 14-15 divisions, play will be unraveled at 8 a.m. daily, while a 5:30 p.m. starting time has been set for matches in the 16-18 and 19-and-over brackets daily.

On the first two days of the tourney, singles contests will be played, and doubles competition is scheduled for Thursday, August 1, and Friday, August 2.

On tap for the concluding day, Saturday, are the championship finals in each division. Schaffer remarked that no matches would be scheduled for Wednesday unless an overflow of entries makes it absolutely necessary.

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The Grove Schedule

This week's Grove schedule is as follows:

Thursday July 18, CANYON CROSSROADS starring Richard Basehart and Phyllis Kirk.

Friday July 19, LITTLE BOY LOST featuring Bing Crosby with N. Maurey.

Monday July 22, WAR OF THE WORLDS a science-fiction story in Technicolor.

Tuesday July 23, CANNIBAL ATTACK starring Johnny Weissmuller.

Wednesday July 24, BIG HOUSE USA starring Broderick Crawford.

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Season book covers will entitle purchaser to general admission to all other events played under the auspices of the Athletic Council at College Station.

Seating for the \$8 season books will be located in Section 120 in the North end of the Stadium. These covers too will be good to other home athletic events.

Applications for all priority seats must be received by the Athletic Department by July 31st.

Single game tickets for employees and faculty may be purchased under Group II priority without the purchase of season books.

4 Big Home Games

- HOUSTON — 8 p.m. Oct. 12
- BAYLOR — 2 p.m. Oct. 26
- SMU — 8 p.m. Nov. 9
- TEXAS — 1:30 p.m. Nov. 28

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