

YESTERDAY'S STAR—Ned Garver of the Browns, who pitched his second consecutive shutout, a two-hitter, as St. Louis topped Chicago, 8 to 0, then lost 10 to 2.

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Auto Racer Hurtles Through Crowd At Dayton, Ohio Race Decapitating Woman, Driver

50 Fans Injured As Car Spins, Hits Paint Drum, And Careens Into Crowd

DAYTON, O. — Witnesses said today that a race car driver apparently misjudged his speed on a turn before he hurtled into a crowded grandstand, killing four persons and injuring 50.

Charles E. Sarver, one of the injured spectators in the accident at Dayton Speedway yesterday, said the red and white racer driven by Gordon Reid, 29, of Burbank, Calif., zoomed over his head like "an artillery shell."

Reid, a father of four, and Mrs. Ruby Ellen Shaffer, 43, a spectator from Springfield, O., were decapitated. Police said the other dead were Gene Lawson, 19, and Robert Thatcher, 22, both of Dayton.

That's where a special policeman at the track, desperately tried to push away a woman spectator from a guard rail when he was killed, other policemen said.

Reid, favored to win yesterday's race, was in second place when his "engie-Stanke Special" rounded a turn and went into a spin. Some 10,000 spectators jumped to their feet as the racer struck a drum of gray paint and crashed into the

grandstand.

LIVED BY MIRACLE The racer came to rest on the leg of Herman Cottrell of Dayton, who said "it was a miracle that I was not killed."

"God must have been sitting right there with me," Cottrell said. Sheriff's Sgt. Ray Escudero said "people were lying everywhere."

"It was like a bomb had hit," Reid, scheduled to drive the racer, owned by John T. Stanke of Dayton, in the Indianapolis Memorial Day 500-mile race, was preparing for his first try at the classic.

It was the first time that Reid had raced without his "lucky charm," his wife, among the spectators. She was unable to accompany him to Dayton because of the birth of their youngest daughter two weeks ago.

Mrs. Reid, 26, said at Burbank that "racing was his greatest love and although I've seen other drivers killed, I would never have asked him to quit."

Rocky Marciano Heavy Choice Tonight

PROVIDENCE, R. I. — Rocky Marciano is a heavy favorite to repeat his 1950 triumph over Gino Buonvino when he meets the Italian heavyweight in a 10-round

er tonight at Rhode Island Auditorium. The Brockton, Mass., heavyweight contender with 39 straight victories, 33 of them knockouts, is in line for a possible September title shot at the winner of a coming championship bout between Jersey Joe Walcott and Challenger Ezzard Charles.

A near-sellout throng of 7,000 fans was anticipated for tonight's bout. The partisan customers will be looking for Rocky to repeat his 10th round knockout over Buon-

BILL HAIR IS FOURTH

Local race driver Bill Hair took a third-place in the Consolation Race at Goldsboro yesterday, and he drove to a fourth-place finish in the Feature race of the Sunday afternoon's Stock Car Racing program at the Eastern Carolina track.

The Dunn racer alternated between the Goldsboro and Wilson tracks on Sunday afternoons as they feature the NASCAR Sanctioned Modified Stock Car Racing. The local car will be at Wilson next week.

Coats High Downs Lillington By 11-7

The Coats High baseball team came from behind in the last inning to down Lillington by an 11-7 score on the Coats field Friday afternoon.

The winners made 16 hits in the seven-inning including two doubles, three triples, and a home run in taking their second win of the season. Tommy Pope and Robert Lamm hit doubles; Gail Pope, Marvin McLean, and Hoover Johnson hit triples, and Mac Turlington hit the home run. It was Mac's second home run in recent games.

Turlington and McLean were the for the winners, and Fred Holmes leading batters with 3 for 4 each and Hoover Johnson had 2 for 3. Rudy Brown led the visitors with 2 for 3, and Charlie McDonald and Jack Long added 2 for 4. Long hit a triple.

Robber Lamm pitched the win for the home team and struck out 12 Lillington batters. Howington pitched for Lillington and struck out three. The game was tied at 6-6 going into the sixth inning. Lillington scored a single tally in the top half of the fifth inning to tie the game, but Coats came back in a big way in the sixth to score five runs and clinch the victory. The visitors added another run in the inning, but the run was wasted.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. Coats 104 010 1 - 7 9 2. Lillington 262 205 x - 11 16 7

vino in the Braves Field, Boston fight n July 1950.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

By UNITED PRESS NATIONAL

Yesterday's Results New York 6 Brooklyn 0 St. Louis 3 Chicago 1 Philadelphia 4-1 Boston 3-2 Cincinnati 12-2 Pittsburgh 6-2

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. Brooklyn 5 1 .833 Cincinnati 4 2 .667 Chicago 3 2 .600 St. Louis 3 3 .500 Boston 3 4 .429 New York 2 3 .400 Philadelphia 2 4 .333 Pittsburgh 2 5 .286

AMERICAN Yesterday's Results New York 9 Philadelphia 6 Boston 6 Washington 3 Cleveland 3-7 Detroit 2-2 St. Louis 8-2 Chicago 0-10

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. Cleveland 7 0 1.000 Boston 6 1 .857 St. Louis 5 2 .714 Washington 3 3 .500 New York 2 3 .400 Chicago 2 5 .286 Philadelphia 1 7 .167 Detroit 0 7 .000

Pair Of Ten-Round Bouts Set For Boston Tonight

BOSTON — Irish Bob Murphy tangles with Reuben Jones of Richmond, Va., tonight, sharing the Boston Garden limelight with Coley Wallace of New York, another rising heavyweight who faces Sandy McPherson of Tulsa, Okla., in a second 10-rounder.

Murphy, expecting to weigh about 181, will be extending himself in a bid for popularity with fans in Boston after moving his base of operations here from San Diego, Calif.

His opponent, a capable club fighter, will meet Murphy at his sharpest if the one-time West Coast boxer makes the weight.

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Garver, Maglie Pitch Two-Hit Victories; Kluszewski Gets Two Homers, Two Triples; Indians Win Two For Seven Straight Wins

Wynn & Garver Take 2nd Wins; Goodman, Burgess Hit Vital HR

By CARL LUNDQUIST (United Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK — A four-way pennant formula which could be mighty devastating as time goes on was sweeping the Cleveland Indians along today as the only undefeated team in the major leagues.

The Indians have won seven in a row, and a quick check after less than a week of play revealed that they have hit more homers (9), gotten more hits (65), turned in more complete games (5), and allowed fewer runs (14) in seven games, or 2 per game, than any other team in the league.

Yesterday, the Indians kayoed the Detroit Tigers, who have yet to win a game, 3 to 2, and 7 to 2, getting outstanding pitching in both ends of the doubleheader from Bob Lemon and Steve Gromek.

Al Rosen hit two homers, and Pete Reiser and Ray Boone got one each.

ANOTHER FAST PACE

But the Indians are just a shade ahead of the Boston Red Sox at 6-1, who breezed to a 6 to 3 victory over Washington on the margin of Billy Goodman's three-run pinch-homer.

Goodman's big blast, coming directly after the injured Ted Williams had delivered a pinch single, enabled Mel Parnell to score his 16th straight victory over Washington which has not beaten him since May 28, 1948.

The Yankees rared up out of a hitting slump and made 14 hits as old man John Mize led the way by batting in four runs with a double, two singles and a long fly, to top the 'A's by 9-6.

Garver, who pitched a six-hitter on opening day, came through with a two-hitter over the Chixos in the opener as rookies Jim Rivera and Tom Wright hit homers.

Marty Marion and Gordie Goldsberry each got three hits as did Rivera in the 8-0 shutout. In the second game, lefty Billy Pierce held the Browns to two hits while Nellie Fox collected four hits, and Eddie Stewart hit a home for Chicago.

Maglie shut Brooklyn out in its own park for the first time in 177

games or since the 1949 season with a two-hit, 6-0 victory.

Surprising Cincinnati moved into second place behind the Dodgers with their two victories in Pittsburgh in which Ted Kluszewski drove in nine runs with two homers and two triples. Kluszewski hit a grand slam homer in the nightcap. The Reds took 8-6 and 12-2 wins.

The Phillies put over two runs in the ninth on a homer by Smokey Burgess, then won the opener for Robin Roberts in the 10th on a single by Willie Jones and a triple by Del Ennis to win by 4-3.

But Ennis was the goat in the 2-1 loss when the Phillies led 1 to 0 in the eighth behind the tight pitching of Karl Drews, but Sam Jethro singled home one run, and the other scored on a wild throw by the Philly left fielder.

Steve Bink, the big rookie first baseman for St. Louis, hit a two-run fifth inning homer to give pitcher Gerry Staley all the margin he needed for his second victory, a tight six-hit, 2-1 win.

REIDSVILLE — The Reidsville City Council today added its official endorsement to the candidacy of Judge Allen H. Gwyn for Associate Justice of the North Carolina Supreme Court.

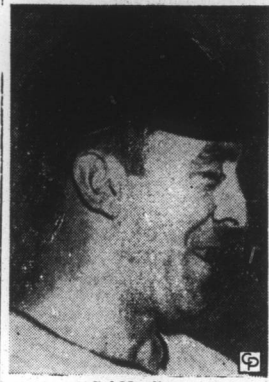
NEW YORK — Ferris Fain, the batting champion of the American League, would like to know what it takes to get a hit in this new 1952 season.

The agile first baseman for the Philadelphia Athletics, who hit 344 last season, has gone through six games this year without a hit in 21 tries.

He is batting .000 at the moment, but he thinks things will get a little better today. Yesterday, he doesn't think he had half a chance. And actually he didn't. New York Yankee pitchers walked him three times.

TODAY'S PROBABLE PITCHERS

AMERICAN LEAGUE Philadelphia, Shantz (1-0) at New York, Reul (1-0). Washington, Moreno (0-1) at Boston, Atkins (0-0). Only Games Scheduled NATIONAL LEAGUE New York, Hearn (0-0) at Philadelphia, Fox (0-0), night. Chicago, Minner (0-0), at Pittsburgh, Kline (0-0), night. Only Games Scheduled



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