

# Day of Triumph for Cuccinello Comes at Last

## Chicago Veteran Hits In Eighth For Three Runs

By JOE REICHLER  
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It took Tony Cuccinello 11 years and 10 months to the day to atone for his ignominious Comiskey Park debut.

The veteran Chicago White Sox infielder made his first appearance in the Sox home grounds in the first major league all-star game July 6, 1933, as a pinch hitter for the National League, and was struck out by Lefty Grove for the final out of the game.

Yesterday, the 37-year-old third sacker hit a three-run homer in the eighth inning of the second game to enable the league-leading Sox to sweep both ends of a doubleheader from Cleveland 3-2 and 6-4. The twin-victory gave the pale hose a half-game over the second place New York Yankees who split with the Boston Red Sox.

"Cooch's" four-base smash made him the American League's leading batter with a .395 average, six percentage points above Vern Stephens' figure. The stocky Long Islander, playing with his fifth team in 15 years in the majors, is enjoying his best season at the plate with 15 hits in 38 at bats and eight runs driven in.

Hockett Wins Opener

A crowd of 20,837 saw Oris Hockett win the opener for the Sox with a run-scoring single and give Ed Lopat his second triumph. Joe Haynes won his third straight in the nightcap.

After Rookie Dave Ferriss, the discharged Army Air Force veteran, blanked the Yankees 5-0 for his second shutout in two starts, Hank Borowy gained the New Yorkers an even split by calculating the Red Sox 2-0 in the aftermath before 30,824. It was Borowy's fourth straight victory.

Detroit unfurled superlative pitching before 39,482 as Hal Newhouser and Alton Benton hurled a double dose of goose eggs against St. Louis Browns to give the Tigers both games 3-0 and 1-0.

The New York Giants added to their National League lead by winning the opener of a doubleheader from the Boston Braves before 20,182 fans, 4-3, and tying the second 1-1. A pair of homers by Phil Weintraub and Ernie Lombardi in the ninth enabled Bill Voiselle to ring up his fourth victory.

Brooklyn In Second Place

Brooklyn moved into second place by winning 1-0, from Philadelphia 7-5 and 10-7 before 11,712.

St. Louis Cardinals deadlocked Chicago for third place by winning both games from the Cubs 6-2 and 5-1 before 13,718 spectators. Max Lanier and Mort Coer each won his second game of the season. Red Schoendienst of the Cards dislocated his shoulder in a fall in the first inning of the opener.

Pittsburgh and Cincinnati split before 10,157. The Reds won the opener 3-1 for Ed Heusser's third victory and the Pirates took the nightcap 5-1 as Rip Sewell out-pitched Bucky Walters.

The Athletics and Washington broke even, the Mackmen winning the opener 4-2 for Russ Christopher's fourth triumph and the Senators behind Dutch Leonard's three hit pitching, taking the aftermath 2-0.

**AMER. LEAGUE STANDINGS**  
Chicago, May 7—(AP)—Official American League Standings:

| Team         | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Chicago      | 9  | 3  | .750 |
| New York     | 10 | 5  | .667 |
| Detroit      | 9  | 5  | .643 |
| Washington   | 9  | 8  | .529 |
| Philadelphia | 7  | 9  | .438 |
| St. Louis    | 5  | 8  | .385 |
| Boston       | 6  | 10 | .375 |
| Cleveland    | 3  | 10 | .300 |

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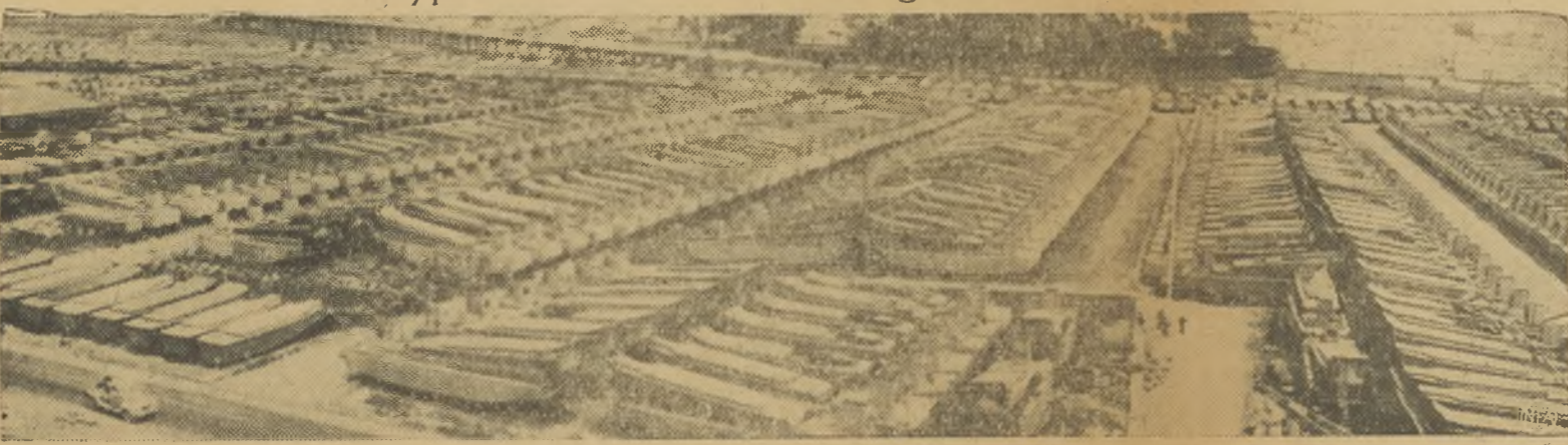
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## Typical American Racing Scene—1945



Rows of invasion craft at ill-fated Albany Race Track await movement into battle. Albany Landing Force Equipment Depot salvaged damaged small craft, approves new models. Continued heavy rains turned track, built five years ago on filled-in land at east edge of San Francisco Bay, opposite Golden Gate, into deep mud and elaborate plant was abandoned when strip was found impracticable due to water seeping in from bay.

## Creswell Defeats Roper by 7-2 Score

Roper, May 7—The Creswell High School baseball team defeated the Roper High School team on the local field here Friday afternoon by a score of 7-2.

Jewell pitching for Creswell allowed only one hit, struck out 11, and walked five. Davenport, pitching for Roper, allowed nine hits, walked three and struck out eight.

H. R. Phelps took batting honors for the Creswell team with a three base hit and also a single making good two runs. Liverman and L. Davenport of Creswell each made two singles.

Leary made the only hit for Roper with a single, which he made good with a run.

The box score:

| CRESWELL        |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| AB.             | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
| Woodley 3b      | 4  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1  |
| H. Davenport 1b | 4  | 1  | 0  | 1  | 3  |
| Liverman ss     | 4  | 1  | 2  | 2  | 1  |
| S. Phelps lf    | 4  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  |
| H. R. Phelps c  | 4  | 2  | 2  | 0  | 12 |
| L. Davenport cf | 4  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 0  |
| Jewell p        | 4  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 12 |
| Gibbs 2b        | 4  | 1  | 0  | 1  | 1  |
| H. Phelps rf    | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Collins lf      | 2  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Totals          | 36 | 7  | 9  | 6  | 30 |

| ROPER       |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| AB.         | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
| Furlough 2b | 4  | 0  | 0  | 2  | 0  |
| White ss    | 3  | 0  | 0  | 2  | 3  |
| Ambrose lf  | 3  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Griffin c   | 3  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 8  |
| Davenport p | 3  | 0  | 0  | 2  | 10 |
| Everett 3b  | 3  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 3  |
| Leary cf    | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Spruill 1b  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 5  |
| Johnson rf  | 3  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals      | 28 | 2  | 1  | 6  | 30 |

Score by innings:  
Creswell — 002 100 4-7  
Roper — 000 020 0-2

## PPB's Shut Out Convairst 10-0 In League Opener at Enfield

In the first game of the Albe-Marle League, the Patrol Plane Base nine shut out the Convairst by a score of 10 to 0 on the Enfield diamond Sunday afternoon.

The sailors found their batting range in the third inning. Marion was walked and went to second on Puanavaara's sacrifice. Lovette beat out an infield single and Marion went to third. White then got a single scoring both runners. Mounie's double scored White.

The real fireworks of the game came in the fourth inning. Harvath was hit by a pitched ball and advanced to second when Prococo singled. Puanavaara also singled scoring Harvath. Olzoroski was hit by a pitched ball to load the bases and a single by Lovette scored Prococo and Puanavaara.

The bases were cleaned when White connected for a lusty home run. The final tally for the sailors came in the sixth inning.

Miller was on the mound for the first five innings. Evans relieved him and allowed one run in four innings. Puanavaara, a crafty Patrol Plane Base hurler, went the route for the sailors.

Harvath led the sailors at the plate with two hits for three times at bat and Vaughn was the heavy hitter for the Convairst with two for four.

The box score:

| PATROL PLANE BASE |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| AB.               | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
| Olzoroski cf      | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Lovette ss        | 5  | 2  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| White 3b          | 5  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 0  |
| Mounie c          | 5  | 0  | 1  | 10 | 2  |
| Davis 1b          | 3  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Harvath lf        | 3  | 1  | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Prococo 2b        | 4  | 1  | 1  | 2  | 1  |
| Marion rf         | 3  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Puanavaara p      | 4  | 2  | 1  | 2  | 1  |
| Total             | 36 | 10 | 11 | 27 | 5  |

| CONVAIRST |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|
| AB.       | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
| Newton 1b | 4  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0  |
| Vaughn 3b | 4  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 2  |

## Woodville Soldier Home After Overseas Duty

Hertford, May 7—William Bogue, United States Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Bogue of Woodville, has arrived home from overseas duty.

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