

# Spahn Shuts Out Pittsburgh, 5-0

By TONY GALLI

NEW YORK (INS) — Warren Spahn still has plenty of the stuff that has made him the winningest pitcher in the majors over the past ten years.

The 35-year-old southpaw ace of the Milwaukee Braves, a 20-game winner six times, had little luck in his first two appearances this season, both against St. Louis.

But Tuesday night he matched the offerings of the National League's earned-run leader, Bob Friend, and shut out the heavy-handed Pittsburgh Pirates, 5 to 0, on three hits.

Spahn, who turned in 17 wins last year — high for the club — despite a bad knee, struck out ten batters and walked only one in chalking up his first victory against one defeat.

### FINE SUPPORT

He was ably supported by Del Crandall, Joe Adcock and Bobby Thomson, who sealed Friend's fate — his second defeat in five decisions — with homers.

The veteran Brave hurler, who leads the league with a life-time total of 35 shutouts, matched his only whitewashing of 1955 and moved to within 16 games of becoming a 200-game winner.

The victory in County stadium kept the Braves in first place by .060 percentage points ahead of the Cardinals, who knocked out another National League ace, Robin Roberts, for a 9-to-1 victory over Philadelphia.

### FOURTH STRAIGHT

Newcombe's three-hitter was good for his fourth straight win after an opening-day loss to Roberts and gave the slump-bedecked Dodgers their second win in their last nine games. Gil Hodges gave Newk all he needed with a three-run homer in the first inning off Warren Hacker.

The Red Sox made six errors and stranded 16 runners but beat Chicago and Dixie Howell when Billy Goodman walked in the 13th inning, went to second on Billy Klaus' sacrifice, to third on a passed ball and Dick Gernert hit a long single, scoring pinch-runner Billy Consolo. Gernert also homered in the first inning off Billy Pierce. Dave Sisler won in relief.

George Zverink made his fourth straight relief appearance and 14th in 21 Baltimore games to save for Hal Brown in the ninth inning. The Orioles scored five runs in the first inning off Art Cecarrelli. Gus Zernial homered for the A's.

### BALTIMORE 6TH

In eight games, Baltimore defeated Kansas City, 7 to 4, to take over fourth place and Detroit walloped Washington, 14 to 6, with Charley Maxwell hitting two home runs.

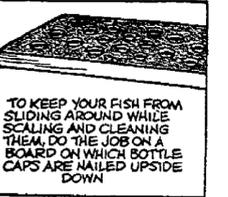
Adcock got to Friend in the second inning, Thomson in the sixth with Eddie Mathews aboard and

# Fur, Fin & Campfire

By JACK SORDS



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# Ontario, Bellville Pace County Meet

Just as they have for the past nine years, Ontario and Bellville are overwhelming favorites to dominate the Richland County high school track and field meet Saturday at Stadium Field in Mansfield.

The 10th annual meet is being sponsored once again by the Ontario Lions Club which will provide personnel to assist in conducting it.

Ontario has picked off five straight team championships since 1951. The Warriors won the first title in 1947 and Bellville gathered up the next three before Ontario began its current string of successes.

Ontario possesses seven county records, Bellville holds four and the two schools share the mile relay mark. The Ontarians set all their records in 1953.

JUST TWO MISSES

The only two standards in which the Warriors and Blue Jays don't figure are the broad jump and pole vault which were set last year by Lucas' Len Haring and Lexington's Jack Yeager respectively.

The six-time champions won easily in 1955 with 70 points. Union tallied 38; Shiloh and Lucas, 29 1/2 apiece; Bellville, 28; Lexington 27; and Plymouth, 1. Butler didn't compete last year, but is expected to go to the post Saturday to bring the field to its maximum size.

Only champion returning is Bellville's sprint star, Lee Hughett, who won both the 100 and 220-yard dashes last season. His chief 1955 competitor, Shiloh's Bill Patterson, is also among the returnees. Patterson, defeated representatives from five Richland County schools in winning the 100 and 220 at last Saturday's Jeromesville Relays.

BEAR WATCHING

Others who will bear watching Saturday are Tom Volz of Lexington in the discus; Larry Iner of Bellville and Sam Leapley of Shiloh in the shot put; Jim Chase of Ontario, Jeung Han Kim of Bellville, and Tom McMillen of Lucas in the distance events; Howard Beck of Ontario in the dashes; and the Union relay teams.

Preliminaries will get underway at 9:30 a. m. and finals are set for 1 p. m. Medals will be awarded for first and second place finishes and ribbons for third, fourth, and fifth.

Added attractions to this year's program are the 60-yard dash and 440-yard relay contests for junior high school youngsters.

Spectators may purchase tickets at the gate Saturday.

RICHLAND COUNTY MEET STATISTICS  
Team Champions

1955—Ontario	1954—Ontario	1953—Ontario	1952—Ontario	1951—Ontario	1950—Bellville	1949—Bellville	1948—Bellville	1947—Ontario
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120-yard high hurdles	17 8 — Roger Mowry, Ontario, in 1953
180-yard low hurdles	22 5 — Roger Mowry, Ontario, in 1953
100-yard dash	10 4 — Chuck Eagleson, Bellville, in 1949
200-yard dash	22 2 — Ken Barr, Lucas, in 1947
440-yard dash	54 8 — Virgil Walker, Bellville, in 1954
880-yard run	2 10 4 — Bob Giffin, Ontario, in 1954
Mile run	4 49 7 — Bob Giffin, Ontario, in 1954
880-yard relay	1 41 3 — Bellville (Bill Smith, Eusebio, Bill Horace Stoodt) in 1947
Mile relay	3 55 — Bellville (Dick Harshbarger, Dick Brockaw, Jim Sutton, Ron Shinn) in 1952 and Ontario (Tom Smith, Jim Chase, Jack Mich) in 1955
High jump	5 feet, 9 1/2 inches — Dale Perry, Ontario, in 1955
Long jump	18 feet, 10 1/2 inches — Leonard Haring, Lucas, in 1955
Pole vault	11 feet — Jack Yeager, Lexington, in 1955
Shot put	35 feet, 1 inch — Paul Gordin, Ontario, in 1953
Shot put	44 feet, 4 inches — Gordon, Ontario, in 1953

# Denver Wins Close Game

By International News Service

Denver outfielder Carlos Paula hit a two-run homer in the eighth inning Tuesday night to give the American Association leaders a 7 to 6 win over Wichita.

The Minneapolis Millers clung to their runner-up position by edging Ch...leston, 2 to 1, as righthander Curt Barclay won his third game against a single loss. Barclay allowed four hits.

Louisville slaughtered St. Paul, 11 to 5, with a barrage of 19 hits. Indianapolis beat Omaha, 9 to 4, as outfielder Ted Beard smacked two inside-the-park homers good for six runs.

Liberia 73rd

MELBOURNE, Australia (UP)—Liberia became the 73rd nation signed up today for the 1956 Olympic games, an all-time high. Monaco turned down an invitation because of the expense.

# Part 3---'The Magnificent Babe'

# Gal Star Ousted From Men's Joust

By HOWARD SIGMAND  
I.N.S. Sports Writer

It's a man's game. Or that's what the golfing fathers tried to insure in 1948 when they put up an emphatic but polite red light that kept Babe Didrikson Zaharias out of the Men's National Open Golf Championship at Los Angeles.

In what amounted to a great tribute to Babe's ability, the United States Golf Association amended their entry rules and stated: "As the championship has always been intended to be for men, the eligibility rules have been rephrased to confirm that condition."

Although she didn't "figure" to beat the galaxy of male stars, Mrs. Zaharias nevertheless demonstrated again her uncanny confidence and desire to compete.

This same confidence and courage has been carried through her struggle that began in 1953 with dreaded cancer. It has manifested itself throughout her surge to athletic heights and confirmed her greatness.

Babe's story is truly a success story although it had its bumps. Not long after her sparkling Olympic triumphs in 1932, Babe's amateur status was revoked by the AAU because her picture appeared in an automobile advertisement.

The U.S.G.A. took away her

amateur standing in 1935 and she didn't regain it until 1943.

Almost fittingly, she met husband George Zaharias on a golf course. It was in the Los Angeles Open in 1938.

Babe, wrestler George and a Presbyterian minister, formed an opening day threesome. Babe clearly remembers this first meeting.

"One minute we were saying hello, and the next minute photographers were crowding around and calling for him to put wrestling holds on me. George put his arm around me, pretending to apply

neck holds and stuff. And I didn't mind it at all."

Dancing and romancing followed and George and Mildred were married in St. Louis on Dec. 23, 1938.

Mrs. Zaharias considers her triumph in the 1947 British Amateur as one of her most important athletic wins. She was the first American girl to cop the British title.

She defeated Jacqueline Gordon five up in a thrilling final that made her the toast of Scotland and the world.

There were stories that Babe won when she donned her "Lucky slacks" for the afternoon round. Babe candidly confessed: "I put on the slacks because I was cold."

Mrs. Zaharias, the whiz at track and field, basketball, baseball, tennis, bowling, and swimming, gave up her amateur golf status again in 1947 to continue her magnificent career as a touring pro.

Babe, a top money winner and

by far the outstanding of all woman golfers, has said: "Cancer sort of tiptoed up on you."

It was back in 1948 that Babe first began experiencing excruciating pains in her left side.

Babe accepted this new challenge but it wasn't easy. She says: "Lord knows it wasn't easy to face. George says I didn't bat an eye when the word came. But I did, inside. I never in my life played at anything, including living, that I didn't expect to win. Now, all of a sudden, maybe I wasn't going to win the big one."

In April, 1953, Mrs. Zaharias underwent an operation at the Hotel Dieu Hospital in Beaumont. And she won round one.

Babe has never been known to be a churchgoer, but she knows God.

"When George and I talk of God now, we feel we know him. For he was there when we called on him, each in our separate way. We see him all around us, taking many forms."

# Cashell Tops Barnes Loop

G. Cashell was the lone golfer to break 40 in the Barnes Golf League at Coolridge last night.

He fired a five-over-par 39 and P. Campbell shot 40.

No. 1 men — G. Cashell, 39; P. Campbell, 40; N. Lottis, 42; A. Demoran, 43; S. Ross, 44; R. Longshore, 50.

No. 2 men — O. Page, 41; M. Knapp, 42; G. Gale, 49; D. Beaver, 51; R. Martin, 54; R. Grandel, 55.

No. 3 men — S. Trivardata, 47; V. Ruhl, 48; M. Mettely, 48; A. Nealy, 50; J. Heeman, 51 and V. Simpson, 51.

No. 4 men — D. Shambush, 56; R. Julian, 56; P. Roof, 56; H. Junker, 57; B. Campbell, 57.

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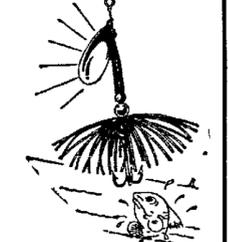
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# Liederkrantz Wins Crown In Club Loop

Liederkrantz pulled down the biggest share of the \$979 prize money at the annual banquet of the Club Bowling League last night at the Grotto Hall.

Liederkrantz won the league title with a 62-37 record. Schoolmasters were second with 57-42 and Baku Grotto third with 56-43.

Among the individuals Bob Lynch averaged 182, Elmer Myers, 181; Cliff Forsythe, 178; Jack McCarrick, 171; Jake Weidle, 168; Lloyd Pugh, 167; Ken Windsor, 167; Tom Smith, 166; Hal Robinson, 166 and Adam Beny, 166.

Lynch had the top series of 634 with Forsythe hitting 628. R. Paxton concocted 256, Weidle, 243 and Forsythe, 242 as 57 of the bowlers rolled a game of 200 or better during the season.

John Lehman won a special award for raising his average 8.35 to 137.

Harold Garrison was named president of the 12-team league with Austin White, vice president and Atty. George Hall, secretary.

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