Perry Injured As 49ers Win

PITTSBURGH — (ANP)—Hard running Joe Perry, great fullback of the San Francisco 49ers, was one of 11 players hurt Sunday as the 49ers won a rough exhibition football game from the Pittsburgh Steelers 29 to 14.

Perry suffered a shoulder separation.

The victory was the 49ers' fourth straight exhibition without a defeat. Earlier last year the 49ers whipped the 1951 National league champions, the Los Angeles Rams, 17 to 7.

Ambitious Bird Gets Nipped At Third

Union Beats Ft. Lee, 13-9

RICHMOND

Local fans got a preview of the 1952 Virginia Union grid team, as the Panthers fought to tie the score and then clicked on a 47-yard fourth quarter touchdown pass to defeat the Fort Lee Travelers, 13-9 at a practice game Wednesday night, Sept. 10, at Hovey Field.

The winning play came as Quarterback Leroy Vaughn hit End Spencer Randt about midway in the fourth quarter.

The Baltimore combo — both Vaughn and Bonds hail from Baltimore—had previously knotted the score in the second quarter on a 22-yard touchdown play.

Before Union's touchdown play in the fourth quarter, the Panthers had trailed by a 9 to 7 score as the result of a safety.

Fort Lee gained more yardage than the Panthers. The Travelers marked up 14 first downs to Union's 5, mainly on the accurate passing and running of Quarterbacks Jesse Joseph and Rocco Calvo.

Joseph was responsible for Fort Lee's first touchdown in the opening quarter when he ran around end on a booting play to score from the three-yard line.

The play culminated a 65-yard drive.

Calvo constantly kept Union in hot water by repeatedly hitting Ends Jack Wilson and Corky Hohmann.

TIGERS TO PLAY BULLDOGS

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Don Newcombe's South Team Defeats North, 7-3

Ed Isley Hurls Brilliant 6-Inning Job As Big Don Goes Five For Victors

The South scored a 7-3 victory over the North in the second annual all-star baseball classic at Griffith Stadium Sunday, with Don Newcombe twirling five innings for the victorious nine.

Newcombe, Brooklyn Dodger 2,000 fans, enabled the South to even the count on the North in the annual fall series.

The triumph, achieved before hurling ace, now in the Army at Camp Pickett, Va., retired after five innings, with his mates trailing by a 2-0 count. However, the South stalwarts wasted little time and two frames later, the seventh, jumped on the North for seven big tallies, which decided the contest.

Newcombe went three scoreless and hitless innings, striking out four of the 10 batters he faced. In the fourth, Lacy Ellerbe, outfielder, blasted Big Don for a three-bagger for the first safety off the Dodger twirler.

Ellerbe Hits Triple

Ellerbe's blow came with two down however, and he failed to advance. In the fifth the North put two hits, including Steve Ellis's single and Charlie Rigby's triple, together with Cook's error for the lone two runs of Big Don. All told, Newcombe allowed three hits, two runs, walked two and fanned five in the five frames.

Big Don's mound opponent, Ed Isley the 19-year-old former scholastic sensation, held the opposition scoreless during his six-inning stint. Slender Ed gave up only two hits over the six frames but frequently had to bail himself out of trouble because of his wildness. He put five men on via walks but was alright in the pinches striking out five and snuffing out every South rally.

Seven-Run Rally

As if to emphasize Isley's good work the South jumped on his reliefer Charlie Malvin, for three hits, which plus two errors and two walks, added up to seven big runs in the seventh. This rally decided the contest.

The two teams battled to a 3-3 deadlock in the nightcap, the game being called at the end of the sixth because of darkness.

FIRST GAME

		R	H	E
SOUTH	000 000 700	7	8	1
NORTH	000 021 000	3	3	1

Batteries: Newcombe, Jones (6) and Johnson; Isley, Malvin (6), Williams (7) and Cook.

SECOND GAME

		R	H	E
SOUTH	001 020 x	3	8	1
NORTH	100 110	3	3	2

Batteries: Brihea and Johnson; Williams, Hagen (4) and Cook.
xCalled because of darkness.

Record

Brooklyn — An all time record for Brooklyn Dodger pitchers was established by Joe Black here Monday afternoon when he finished the Dodgers 11-5 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

It marked the 38th game finished by black, exceeding the previous high of 37 wind-up effort Hugh Casey for the 1947 Bums.

Dodgers Lag In Flag Drive

But Black Holds Up Hurling Corps

BROOKLYN (NNPA) — Jackie Robinson and Roy Campanella got two of the four hits Stu Miller gave up as he pitched the St. Louis Cardinals to a 5-2 victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers at Ebbets Field last Saturday. The loss reduced to three games the Dodgers' lead over the second - place Giants.

The Dodgers took a 1-0 lead in the first inning on two Cardinal errors and skillfully placed bunt by Robinson. Pee Wee Reese was safe on Solly Hemus' boot of his grounder. While Duke Snider was striking out, Reese stole second and continued to third on Del Rice's overthrow. Robinson then scored Reese on a bunt so perfectly placed on the right side of the diamond that there was no play on Jackie.

Campanella scored the second Dodger run in the fourth. Roy bunted safely with two out and took second on Miller's wild throw to first. Gil Hodges walked, and Campy scored on a single to left by Billy Dox.

The Cardinals chased Preacher Roe from the mound in the fourth inning last Friday night, and Joe Black he ex-Morgan State star and psychology student came in to get credit for the Dodgers' 8-3 victory.

Black had one bad inning - the eighty - when Stan Musial and Hal Rice homered to put the Cardinals back in the ball game. In the six innings he pitched, Black struck out three batters, walked four men and yielded five hits and three runs.

Black replaced Roe in the fourth with none out, after Red Schoendienst singled and Musial and Enos Slaughter doubled to account for two runs. Black came in and retired the next three batters in order.

Gerry Scala, international League luminary playing with the Howie Moss All Stars, is knocked off on a slide into third base, as he and his mates dropped a 4-3 decision to the Yokohama Stars at Westport Sunday. The relay which nipped Scala went from centerfielder Williams to shortstop Murray Watkins to third baseman Humber.

Official NAL Statistics

STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Birmingham Black Barons	21	15	.600
Indianapolis Clowns	19	16	.543
Chicago American Giants	16	15	.516
Kansas City Monarchs	11	14	.440
Memphis Red Sox	14	18	.438
Philadelphia Stars	11	18	.433

BIG TEN IN BATTING

Williams, Chicago	202	33	70 .347
J. J. Jones, Philadelphia	202	33	70 .347
Kimbro, Birmingham	200	73	69 .345
Toledo, Indianapolis	164	25	56 .341
McLaurin, Chicago	139	28	54 .325
Wilkes, Indianapolis	202	62	65 .325
Dennis, Birmingham	323	53	104 .322
Watrous, Memphis	272	54	85 .313
Durham, Chicago	183	44	57 .311
Hardaway, Indianapolis	213	56	65 .302

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

DOUBLES—Kimbro, Birmingham, 25; Dennis, Birmingham, 19.

TRIPLES — Long, Birmingham, 8; Watrous, Memphis, and Brooks, Birmingham, 6.

HOME RUNS—Watrous, Memphis, 20; Dennis, Birmingham, 14.

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Memories Of Old Timers Thrills NAL President

By J. B. MARTIN
President, Negro American League

CHICAGO—There is nothing a baseball fan enjoys more than a good ball game. He likes it while he is looking at it, and he takes great pleasure in talking about it many times afterward.

The folks here in Chicago still are talking about this year's East-West all-star classic. This game climaxed one of Chicago's greatest week ends.

Thanks to one big inning, a nightmare to the East, the West stars won their 12th victory in 20 games by a 7-3 score. A series of fielding lapses combined with clutch hitting gave West six runs in the third inning.

Although the winning runs were scored in the third inning, the game was an exciting one because of the masterful pitching demonstrated by moundsmen of both teams. The best of the group was Ted Richardson of the Indianapolis Clowns. He did not allow West a single hit in four innings.

Jack Marshall Honored

The pre-game ceremonies also were exciting. My top thrill was seeing some of the old time greats together. It was a great pleasure to see Jack Marshall, a man who played in the first East-West game back in 1933 honored for his many contributions to the sport. Marshall was a coach for the West team in the 1952 game. He now coaches with the Chicago American Giants.

Presenting Marshall with a plaque was Dave Malarcher who managed the West team in the first East-West Classic. The Old Timers Baseball association of Chicago awarded the plaque.

Crowned Queens

The big moment for the men who love beauty came when the game's two queens were crowned. Reigning as Miss West was Miss Maranie Mitchell, attractive young nurse from Chicago's Provident hospital.

Another charmer, Miss Bobbie Holman, 17, of Memphis, Tenn., presided as Miss East. A student, Miss Holman at home is very active with the Y Teens of the YWCA.

Plans Laid For Boys' Bowl Game

The Northwood Optimist Club continued plans this week, to present the Second Annual Optimist Boys' Bowl Game at Memorial Stadium on Oct. 19.

In the club's first venture, a "Piggy Bank" presentation a profit of $5,000 was realized from the game which drew over 9,000 patrons.

Last year the funds were used in such youth activities as the Little League, the Maryland Training School, Cub Scouts, and Boy Scouts.

This year the Optimists plan to "strike a second blow against juvenile delinquency" by presenting an outstanding attraction.

On the eve of the game between the Red Shield Club of Baltimore, and the Shamokin Black Diamonds of Pennsylvania, a downtown parade will be held.

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Irvin's Bat Still Afire

Giants Count On Him; Hank Hurt

NEW YORK (NNPA) — Although the New York Giants defeated the Cincinnati Reds, 3-2, last Saturday, Monte Irvin's fourteen game hitting streak was ended as three Red pitchers limited the Giants to five hits. Three left-handers had Monte at their mercy.

Hank Thompson was limping on a painful left leg. Bob Elliott, who was sent in as a substitute, with the score tied at 2-all in the sixth, singled, sending Alvin Dark across the plate from second on what proved to be the winning run.

Irvin got three hits in each game as the Giants and Dodgers divided a doubleheader last Friday, the Giants winning the opener, 4-2, and dropping the afterpiece, 8-7.

Thompson Injured

Thompson, running out his triple in the second inning of the opener, hurt his left leg and had to retire from the game. Elliott replaced him. He was sent in to pinch-hit for Sal Maglie in the ninth inning of the second game and singled to right.

Irvin exploded in the third inning of the opener. He hit a tremendous homer that caromed off the roof of the upper left field stand.

Irvin stretched his hitting streak to twelve games with a single in the sixth that gave him a batting average of .380, as the Giants handed the Pittsburgh Pirates a 5-4 defeat to sweep the series.

Thomson scored the winning run of the game in the seventh. Hank singled and went to third on Sal Yvars' single. Dick Groat fielded Bob Hofman's grounder and elected to make a play at the plate but his throw was low and Joe Garagiola booted the ball while attempting to catch it. Thompson scored on the error.

A triple by Irvin sent last Wednesday's game into extra innings, the Giants winning in the thirteenth on a homer by Don Mueller.

Groomes Stars In Flyers' Win

Mel Groomes, ex-Indiana and Detroit Lions grid star, played a key role in Bolling Field's 14-6 triumph over Quantico Marines, Saturday before 10,000 fans at Bolling Field.

The Trenton, N.J. athlete teamed up with Al Dorow of Michigan to give the Flyers an unbeatable combination on offense and defense.

In addition to hauling in a 20-yard pass for one score from Dorow, the 190-pound Groomes stood out on defense.

He intercepted three Quantico passes deep in the lyers' territory to break up scoring threats, and often came up fast to assist in making jolting tackling in the flyers' secondary.

Others stars seeing service in Bolling Field's first win included Leo Wallace, 230, tackle; Leroy Smith, 190, halfback; Ray Greene, 170, fullback; and Lester Majors, 200-pound guard.

Va. State And NCC In National Classic

WASHINGTON

Virginia State Trojans, upset victors over A. and T. College last season, will meet North Carolina College Eagles in the sixth annual National Football Classic, Oct. 18, in Griffith Stadium.

'Fireman' Joe Black Rewarded

Plainfield, N.J. honored its favorite son, Dodger relief pitcher Joe Black, in ceremonies preceding the Brooklyn-Chicago game last week at Ebbets field. Here, the Ace Brooklyn hurler receives a check for $2,000 from Carlyle W. Crane, (left), mayor of Plainfield, as Mrs. Black and Roy Schlenter, Plainfield supervisor of recreation, look on. (Int. News Photo)

8 Figure High In Flag Races

Bums, Giants, Indians Battle For Pennants

(Continued From Page 1)

colored trio "down the middle," as baseball parlance goes—meaning through the center of the diamond. Catching is Roy Campanella Pitching is Joe Black, one of the game's finest relief men of the campaign. And at second base, of course, is Jackie Robinson.

The Giants, though minus the services of their brilliant centerfielder of last year, Willie Mays are going for all the marbles with Monte Irvin, in leftfield, and Henry (Hank) Thompson at third base. In the American League, the Cleveland Indians, with their slugging duo of Larry Doby and Luke Easter, are in a death grip with the New York Yankees for the junior flag. They are augmented by the steady fielding, timely hitting Harry Simpson. Doby and Simpson are in center and right fields, respectively, and Easter is plugging the gap at first base.

Only the Yankees among the four leading contenders as the end of the season draws near, are without a colored face.

Robbie, Campy Steady

Robinson has proved one of Charley Dressen's mainstays in the hitting department, despite the fact he is lower in the averages than at any time since his championship year of 1949. He is just about the .300 mark, but Robbie has been shifted from the fourth (cleanup) slot to third position in the batting order, then to second, and back to fourth again.

Everywhere, he has been worrisome to the opposition. In the lower slots, he has powdered the ball for a total of 17 homers and frequently has come through with the timely bingle. His 70 runs batted in attest to the fact he has done his job passably well.

Campanella, in addition to handling a wobbly Brooklyn pitching staff after the fashion of the master he is, has supplied enough potent bat swinging to break his own record of last year, when he became the first Dodger catcher in history to slam more than 20 homers for three consecutive years. This year, with 21 already to his credit, Campy runs his string to four straight seasons in which he has bettered the two-score mark in circuit smashes.

Black A Phenom

Black is hot copy. He is a strong candidate for "rookie of the year" honors as well as recognition as the NL's "most valuable player." His relief work in the mound behind a collapsing burling staff, has been phenomenal. Already participating in 50 games, he has built up a record of 14 wins against three losses, and he has saved 14 other contests for the Brooks. He has the lowest earned-run average of any Dodger pitcher, despite the fact it is his first year in the majors.

The Giants, off again to a slow start due mainly to the absence of Monte Irvin and Mays, from their 1951 title winning team, are back in the thick of it largely because of the return of Monte.

Monte On Pace

Since returning to the lineup after recovering from a broken leg, Monte has taken over the job of pacing the Giant attack. He is currently hitting at a .367 clip and, since returning to action three weeks ago has already driven in 20 runs. His homer last week won one ball game, and a triple decided still another.

Back at his favorite slot at third base, Hank is showing the form that made him a fair-haired boy at the Polo Grounds in 1950. He, like Irvin, wields a truly dangerous bat and is frequently used directly beneath the big guy in the batting order.

Doby, Easter, El Al

On the American League side of the ledger, it need, only to be pointed out that Doby and Easter are tied for the lead in home runs in the junior circuit. The Indians would be nowhere without them.

And when they aren't producing which is rarely the case, Simpson is flailing the ball with a vengeance that spells pennant, with a lift of like help.

Whoever wins the National League pennant, they can attribute much of their success to the efforts of their colored performers. And should the Indians win out in the AL, there can be little doubt that manager Al Lopez and Co. will be very grateful to the Bill Veeck regime which introduced Negro players to Municipal Stadium.

Easter's Stickwork Tribe's Big Asset

Large Luke Halted After 16-Game Hitting Streak

CLEVELAND (NNPA) — Big Luke Easter batted safely in his sixteenth consecutive game last Saturday as the Cleveland Indians ended a nine-game winning streak blowing a 10-inning decision to the Boston Red Sox. He was stopped on Sunday, however, as the Tribe lost to the Yankees.

Luke, whose batting since his return from a short sojourn in Indianapolis put the Indians back into contention for the American League pennant, helped to overcome a 3-0 lead the Red Sox had gained on Bob Lemon going into the seventh.

Ties For League Lead

In the seventh Larry Doby singled off Ellis Kinder and Easter followed with a line-drive homer over the right field wall. It was No. 30 for Big Luke, who thus tied Doby for the league leadership in home runs.

Luke's homer stoned for an earlier fielding lapse when Al Zarilla grounded to him at first. He had a play at the plate on Dom DiMaggio, but elected to make the play at first. The throw to the plate was late.

Harry Simpson got a single in four trips to the plate. After Al Rosen singled in the seventh, Simpson bunted and Kinder threw the ball into center field, trying to get Rosen at second. Rosen was given third on an interference called on Johnny Lipon and he later cored on Bill Glynn's inch fly to deep right center.

Doby Simpson Help

Doby and Simpson helped Early Wynn to win his twenty - first game, shutting out the Red Sox, 5-0, last Friday.

With the Indians leading, 1-0, Doby doubled in the sixth, Rosen and Simpson singled and Jim Hegan filed out. Two runs scored in the inning.

The Indians missed a possible scoring opportunity in their half of the second when Easter, leading off with a single, tried to take second when Zarilla fumbled the ball and was thrown out. Then Rosen reached first on Lipon's error but was wiped out in a double play.

Hits Wasted

Easter singled twice off Harry Byrd last Thursday as the Indians defeated the Philadelphia Athletics, 1-0, on Mike Garcia's two-hit performance.

Luke's hits went to waste, but his fielding played an important part in Garcia's twentieth victory. He made a fine backhand stop of Elmer Valo's sharp grounder in the seventh and he turned Ferris Fain's sixth-inning roller into a double play.

Doby, who had failed to hit safely in his last twenty times at bat before he singled in the sixth inning last Friday, and whose batting average in the first nine games the Tribe played since their return home was .104, fanned for his hundredth time this season. The all-time Cleveland record is 101, set by Pat Seerey in 1946.

But Doby's slump has not affected his work in center field.

Ohio Begins New Vet Benefit Plan

COLUMBUS, O.— The state of Ohio's program of unemployment compensation for Korean veterans, worked out in compliance with the recently passed Federal law, will begin on Oct. 15, a spokesman for the state bureau of unemployment compensation announced last week.

Ernest Cornell, administrator of the state bureau, said that veterans who qualify under the Act may received weekly unemployment benefits of $26 for as many as 26 weeks totaling $676.

Under the terms of the Federal act, a veteran will be eligible for unemployment benefits, if he has had some service with the Armed forces after June 27, 1950

Alcorn Mentor Sees Dismal Days Ahead

ALCORN, Miss.—Alcorn coach Dwight (Red) Fisher maintained his unusual pre-season pessimism this week despite the heartening showing of 44 hopefuls for the varsity squad. Fisher predicted before fall practice began that the Braves would not win more than four of the nine games on the tough 1952 schedule.

Recreation Bureau Holds Weekly Football Meetings

Under the supervision of the Bureau of Recreation, football meetings are now being held each Monday at 7:30 p.m. at bureau headquarters, 1128 N. Calvert st. Managers, coaches, and quarterbacks are encouraged to attend this meetings.

Instructions in rules and interpretations are given by Reginald Watts, president of the Baltimore Board of Officials.

Plans are now being made by the Division of Amateur Sports, to operate three football leagues in the Monumental Unlimited League; the Cross City Intermediate League; and the Monumental Junior League.

Franchises are payed during weekly meetings.

Herb McKenley Clocks In Fast Time In 440

EDINBURGH, England — An amused audience watched Herb McKenley of Jamaica walk off Murrayfield Stadium track with a large 8-foot clock, which he won the hours time of 47.6 seconds in the 440 yard invitation race.

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