

Phils win, cold Bucs still losing

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Jay Johnstone's two-run, first-inning double and Bob Boone's three-run homer in the fifth triggered the Philadelphia Phillies to a 7-6 victory over the Cincinnati Reds yesterday night.

The Reds took a 3-0 lead in the first inning off Phillies' starter, Jim Lonborg when Pete Rose and Ken Griffey singled and Joe Morgan hit a three-run homer.

Philadelphia came back in its half of the first to tie the score off Reds' starter Pat Darcy. Larry Bowa singled with one out and Mike Schmidt walked. After Greg Luzinski struck out, Johnstone doubled in two runs. Garry Maddox then singled in Johnstone.

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NEW YORK 3, ATLANTA 0

Dave Kingman slammed a three-run homer in the first inning and Craig Swan stopped Atlanta on five hits and 11 strikeouts yesterday to lead the Mets past the Braves, 3-0, and give them sole possession of first place in the East.

ST. LOUIS 4, SAN FRANCISCO 2

Rookie Don Clary hit a two-run homer in his second major league at-bat yesterday to give the St. Louis Cardinals a 16-inning, 4-2 victory over the San Francisco Giants.



Phils' Larry Bowa wants to have a word with the umpire after being ejected from yesterday's game in the sixth inning. Teammates restrain the angered shortstop

Round up

The Phils moved ahead in the second when Boone scored on a fielder's choice.

Philadelphia boosted its lead to 7-3 in the fifth on Boone's homer. The Reds rallied for one in the sixth and a pair in the seventh.

LOS ANGELES 2, PITTSBURGH 1

Ron Cey slugged a one-out home run in the bottom of the ninth inning to break a tie and lift the Los Angeles Dodgers to their fifth straight victory, a 2-1 decision over the staggering Pittsburgh Pirates last night.

But Hooton, 1-2, earned his first victory by scattering six hits and striking out nine.

Jerry Reuss, 2-2, took the loss. Cey's homer was his second as the Dodgers completed a sweep of Pittsburgh, which has now lost seven of its last eight starts.

The Dodgers have won seven of their last nine.

CHICAGO 8, SAN DIEGO 5

Rick Monday drove in four runs with a homer and a double last night to spark the Chicago Cubs to an 8-5 victory over the San Diego Padres.

HOUSTON 6, MONTREAL 4, MONTREAL 4, HOUSTON 7

Pinch-hitter Jose Morales singled home the winning run with one out in the ninth in-

ning as the Montreal Expos rallied for an 8-7 victory over the Houston Astros and a split of their doubleheader yesterday.

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DETROIT 8, OAKLAND 1

Dave Roberts fired a two-hitter and the Detroit Tigers erupted for six runs in the third inning yesterday to beat the Oakland A's, 8-1. The loss moved the A's one-half game behind idle Texas in the American League West.

CLEVELAND 9, MINNESOTA 0

Dennis Eckersley and Don Hood combined on a four-hit shutout and Rick Manning drove in three runs with a single, double and homer to lead the Cleveland Indians to a 9-0 rout of the Minnesota Twins yesterday.

MILWAUKEE 4, CHICAGO 1

Don Money singled home two runs in the third inning, then scored on a double by Robin Yount yesterday to lead the Milwaukee Brewers to a 4-1 win over the Chicago White Sox. The Brewers are now one-half game behind New York in the A.L. East.

BALTIMORE 4, CALIFORNIA 2

A surprise double steal and Brooks Robinson's run-producing double helped Baltimore score three fifth-inning runs as the Orioles finally gave Ken Holtzman some batting support and defeated the California Angels 4-2 last night.

Late rally lifts laXers, 17-12

Penn State's men's lacrosse team exploded for eight goals in the third period to pull away from Loyola 17-12 yesterday in Baltimore.

Loyola, as Lion coach Dick Penick feared it might, was on the way to upsetting the Nits after the first two periods of play. The score at the half was 8-6 for the Maryland team, but it was able to score only twice against Penn State in that crucial third quarter and trailed 14-10. The Lions went on to outscore Loyola in the final quarter, three goals to two, wrapping up the victory.

Gary Alex had four point goals, each scoring three goals and an assist. Reserve Karl Herzer, substituting for injured Larry Warshaw, filled in nicely, adding two.

Rich Caravella was in the nets for all but the last four minutes, making 21 saves. Jim Catalano finished up the contest, but allowed both goals in the final period.

All-America bound middle Ray Schab supplied most of the firepower for Loyola with a hat trick and three assists.

The Lions kept up their shots on goal total high, shooting 57 times.

The win boosts the Lions' record to 5-1, as they prepare to meet Lehigh tomorrow at 7 p.m. at Jeffrey Field.

Penn State used both goalies in the game, although

—Laurie Kardon

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INDEPENDENT — Ducks def. LVC, forfeit; Ursinus def. Cedar Brook, 15-12, 15-11; Vets vs. Malibu, double forfeit; Harry's Boys def. Jerseyites, 15-2, 15-1; Bird's Eye def. Navy Alpha, 15-12, 15-8; Jones def. Helminers, forfeit.

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DORMITORY — Alliquippa def. Mon-

17 hits in 15-2 win Lion bats booming

By GARY SILVERS
Collegian Sports Writer

The Penn State baseball team (10-3) cracked out 17 hits including three homers yesterday to breeze past Bloomsburg 15-2 at Beaver Field.



Not only was it a good hitting day for the Lions, who are currently ranked fourth in the nation in that department (.354), but the pitching was the best that it's been since opening day. Starter Jim Farr (2-2), who pitched the first six frames, allowed just six hits, one run, and struck out a team high of 12 to pick up the win.

"When Farr can stay ahead of the hitters as he did today," Lions' captain Greg Vogel said, "he is an excellent pitcher. It's when he falls behind that he gets in trouble."

According to Vogel, Bloomsburg starter, Joe Jacob, who was shelled for nine runs in his four-plus innings of work, pitched well also.

"I really thought he had good stuff. His problem was that he challenged us too often and got hurt."

If Vogel said Jacob had good stuff, believe him. The 5-9 second baseman is currently hitting .490 with seven homers and 24 runs batted in. Number seven came yesterday when he boomed one over the center field fence some 400 feet away with speedy Larry Kramer on first.

"I'm waiting on the pitches more," Vogel said, "and am holding my body back. Aside from that, I'm just seeing the ball extremely well now."

And so is Bob Miller. The left fielder hit his first homer of the season yesterday and in the last two weeks has raised his batting average over .500 points.

"Bobby has to do the same thing I am," Vogel said. "He must wait on the pitches a

little more and let his quick wrists do the work."

The Lions third park-clearing shot came in the fifth off the bat of third baseman Kevin Maronic and produced the team's 10th and 11th runs of the day. Bloomsburg's two tallies came via the same route. Scott Vencoe opened the second with the long ball, and with two outs in the seventh, sub Bob Stackhouse ticketed a solo to deep left.

State struck back for two of its own in the bottom of the "stretch" inning. Ted Long, who has been riding the bench for over three weeks, scored the first run single-handedly when he ripped a triple to left center and raced home on a hobbled relay catch by shortstop Charles DeRenzi. The infielder booted another ball one out later, which enabled third baseman John Roetter to reach second and score on a ground out.

The win was a convincing one for the Lions, whose pitchers, Farr, Steve Correll, and Dick Miller, held Bloomsburg to just seven hits, and struck them out once for each State run scored.

"It's good for us to play against weak teams once in a while," Vogel said. "Everyone plays and it's good for the morale."

The Lions' next contest is a home doubleheader with Mansfield, Sunday at 1 p.m.

Bruins, Canadiens wary

By The Ap

Here's a little advice from the Boston Bruins and Montreal Canadiens, winners in the openers of their National Hockey League semifinal playoffs.

Don't write off the Philadelphia Flyers and New York Islanders just yet.

The Bruins broke a third-period tie with a pair of goals for a 4-2 victory over Philadelphia Tuesday night and the Canadiens got a pair of goals 84 seconds apart in the final period to top the Islanders 3-2.

That gave Boston and the Canadiens a 1-0 edge in their best-of-seven series which resume with the second games in Philadelphia and Montreal tonight. Both winners wouldn't be surprised if their series went the distance.

"They're a great club," Boston defenseman Brad Park said of the Flyers. "They will come back."

"It's far from over," agreed center Jean Ratelle. "They'll be back."

Yvan Cournoyer, who scored the Canadiens' winner, felt the same way about the Islanders.

"I'm always nervous in the playoffs but I'm even more so against the Islanders," said the Canadiens' captain. "I think this series will go seven games and I think they will all be tough."

Asked if he considered making any changes for the second game, Flyers' boss Fred Shero said, "There is nothing to change."

Still, Shero left open the possibility that he might switch to Wayne Stephenson or Gary Innes as his goalie in the second game, replacing Bernie Parent.

"We have confidence in Bernie, but we are not committed to him. If his form isn't sharp, we might go with the other guys."

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