# JUST SWUNG FOR HITS, SAYS ROCKY



Just a big four-flasher as a home-run hitterthat Rocky Colavito.

And what do you hear now from those members of the Cleveland Aerie of Boo Birds who've been blasting the Rock at the stadium of late?

### Sneezer to the Rescue Please give my thanks to Snuffy Sneezer,

Out yonder at the Thistle track.

I put the rent dough on his beezer

When I was stuck; he brought me back.

-Bard of Avondale Ave.

Rather odd it is that Snuffy Sneezer, called the Hay Fever Horse, seldom scores by a running nose ... Twice a bargain-priced winner at the Thistle speed trap now, he hung a neck shade on Defrost yesterday after breezing to a three-length score several afternoons before.

# The Furning Flash

"Some fading stars on this club may go,"
Joe Gordon fumed, "to San

Diego.
High time those guys should get a bawling
Out properly, the way they're

—Chief Wahoo's-This.

# Or hot words to that effect.

Two Suns Burn Thistle Getting back to Thistle-Down, the friendly hoofing plant where spending is sav-ing, two suns shone bright on old lane for home there yesterday... The broiling sun higher up and the stretchscorching Deep Sun, who passed the \$3,200 Speed Test

with a mark of :45%.

A new four-furlong mark for the track, that, and it should be added that the postgraduate students of the form whose money took a ride on Honeynob or Troop Carrier wound up Sunstruck.

# Hot Doggerel

The Yankees, like the old gray mare, Ain't what they used to be.

But even though they're only fair, They'll romp in; wait and see.

-Berea Breezer.

Best of a common sort of lot, perhaps, as Man o' Warrensville would put it.

# Sofer Say

Postcard from Mrs. William J. Soter of Ada, O.: "Old Yankees never give up entirely. They just fade away—to Kansas City."

Nice to hear from you, Mrs. Soter . . . And a very neat assist, too.

# Of Greed Improvers

"Right as rain," pens R. B. I. of Akron, "was the breedimproving horse bettor who gave a southpaw compliment in your column to the Ohio legislators who improved the greed of the state by voting to take a still larger slice out of every dollar he wagers. But how about those greed-improving baseball people who voted for two All-Star games? They are the undisputed alltime, all-world champions in

# Flying to a Fall?

The Orioles are flying high; There's joy in Baltimore. But come miclscason, in July, They'll flop instead of soar.
—Egg Shelley.

The good people of Balti-more couldn't stand two championships, a n y w a y—football and baseball . . . And it would be almost impossible to stand THEM if the Orioles should finish in front, as did the Colts last autumn.

# YANKEES' 4 GOLF'S 'WORLD SERIES' STARTS TODAY - - - - -**DEFEAT A'S**

# Howard Sparks Rally With Double; Daley

Is Routed

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)-Elston Howard .doubled home two runs in a four-run seventh inning that broke a 2-2 tie and gave the New York Yankees a 6-4 victory over the Kansas City Athletics Wednesday.

The triumph enabled the Yansees to take undisputed possession of fourth place, by one percentage point over Detroit. The Tigers, despite their 10-9 victory in Boston, fell behind New York in percentage, .509 to .510.

Art Ditmar pitched eight-hit ball until the ninth. He tired in the 90-degree heat and Jim Bronstad took over. The rookie gave up a meaningléss single to Bill Tuttle in the ninth to preserve Ditmar's fourth triumph against four de

## Daley in Seventh

The victim of the Yankees' winning rally was Bud Daley, the left-handed knuckleballer who had his four complete game winning streak snapped. Daley, who dropped his fourth decision against five victories, was knocked out in the seventh when the Yankees rapped four of their 11 hits.

The victory was the Yankees' 11th in their last 13 games and boosted their season's won-lost ecord to 26-25. It marked the first time since April 25, when they were 6-5, that the defending champions climbed over the .500 mark

Gil McDougald opened the deciding seventh with a single and moved up a base on Mickey Mantle's one-bagger. After Hector Lopez' long fly advanced the run-ners a base, Bill Skowron walked to load the bases. McDougald scored the tie-breaking run when catcher Frank House failed to hold a knuckler for a passed ball.

# **Howard Bats**

in Howard with a single, finishing Daley. It was the first time Daley failed to finish since the Yankees knocked him out May 17.

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# Snead Favored to Win Open

In Two Runs

Howard then doubled to score Mantle and pinch runner Bobby June 10 (P)—The Sam Richardson. Norm Siebern drove Snead bandwagon picked in Howard with a single finishing in the state of the same with a single finishing in the same with th up momentum Wednesday In six practice rounds, Snead,

with a nudge from Sam 47 but still strong as an ox, to trick up the 6873-yard course when Kaline doubled home two singled and Woodeshick gave himself — as golfdom's has had successive rounds which plays a par 35-35—70. The runs, then went ahead 8-6 in way to John Romonosky. himself — as golfdom's has had successive rounds tournament blue bloods tapered off for Thursday's opening of the 59th U.S.

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"This course is tailor-made for Snead," said Art Wall Jr., the Masters champion and leading money winner on the pro circuit. "If Sam can't win here, he can't

win any place.'' Snead Is Choice of Fellow Pros

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### Plenty of Traps Are Trouble Spots

Winged Foot's fangs lie in the small, knobby greens and the abundance of deep traps-more than 70 in all.

Frank W. Harned of Cleveland choked off the threat. 9 468 4 Totals 3.430 35 3.443 75. Total yards: 6.873, Total Par. 70. Threesomes leave the tee at eightminute intervals until all in the will be cut to the low 50 and

# Chisox Regain **Lead, 4**-1

shick for two runs in the first, morrow night? Al Kaline banged four hits giving Wynn more of a cushion and drove in four runs to-day as the Detroit Tigers allowed the Senators to get stormed from behind to de- past first base in only two

Kaline, who rapped a pair of doubles and two singles, drove in what proved to be the windefeat while pitching to only ning run with a single in the eighth inning. Despite the victory, Detroit dropped into fifth

### Kaline Doubles Home Two Runs

margin to 6-3 in the sixth park homer. Sherm Lollar then

BOSTON, June 10 (AP)-

inning.

Detroit added two more in the eighth to take a 10-6 lead. But Gary Geiger hit a two-run homer for the Red Sox in the bottom of the inning. Boston got another run in the ninth before Dave Sisler choked off the threat.

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It was a wild, free-swinging affair, with a total of 25 hits.

Tom Morgan, second of four Detroit pitchers, got the victory, while Fornieles, second of

WASHINGTON, June 10 Washington Senators with a five-hitter tonight as the bition game in Dallas against White Sox went back into the Giants," he said. "I think it

first place in the American League with a 4-1 victory. The Sox clobbered Hal Woode-

feat the Boston Red Sox, innings. Woodeshick started his first game for the Senators since coming from Cleveland in a trade and was charged with the

He hit Luis Aparicio, who stole second, and after Nellie Fox grounded out Al Smith tripled. Aparicio scored and Trailing, 6-1, after five in-nings, the Tigers closed the Smith bid for an inside-the-



a—Struck out for Valdivielso in 7th; b— Singled for Romonosky in 8th.

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De-Naragon. PO-A—Chicago 27-7. Washington 27-13. DP-Valdivielso and Severs;
Fox. Aparacio and Loller. LOB—Chicago
8, Washington 6.
2B—Fox. Allison. 3B—Smith. 5B—Aparacio 2.

Geiger's eighth inning homer and a run-producing single by Frank Malzone in the ninth cut the De-Continued on Page 35, Col. 5

St. Louis 5, Milwaukee 2, night

Might Cross 'Em Up and Bunt Tonight,

Laughs Slugger

By HARRY JONES

Staff Correspondent BALTIMORE, June 10 -After hitting four home runs tonight, Rocky Colavito confessed that he was "just swinging for base

"Honest," he said in the clubhouse while being congratulated and interviewed at the same time, "I was just trying to meet the ball."

The Indians slugger was asked whether he felt any pressure in the ninth inning, knowing that a record fourth home run was within reach.

"No," Rocky said, "I wasn't going for a fourth. I thought I had a pretty good night already, hitting three." Hit 3 Homers in

# Minor League Play

He had never hit more than two home runs in one game in WASHINGTON, June 10 his major league career, but he (AP) — Chicago's Early had hit three in the minors Wynn mowed down the twice—at Reading and at Indianapolis.

was in 1957." Would Rocky go for a fifth straight homer in his first time

at bat against the Orioles to-

"Heck, no" he laughed. "I might cross 'em up and bunt." Wants to Call

# Wife With News

The 25-year-old product of the Bronx said that one of the first things he wanted to do was call his wife Carmen, who is staying with her parents in Temple, Pa.

"She shares my misery." he said, "so she has a right to share my joy.'

Rocky explained that he hit the last three homers "pretty o did Smith when Catcher Hal good," but that the first was not hit as well. He said he hit the "bottom" of the ball.

Here is how he described each of the homers:

No. 1 (off Jerry Walker)-"Is was a slider, right down the middle."

No. 2 (off Arnold Portocarrero)-"Either a slider or

# First Home Run

No. 3 (off Portocarrero)-"A sinking fast ball down and away.'

No. 4 (off Ernie Johnson)—
"Fast ball, up and in." Johnson, a righthander, had pitched 30 innings for the

Orioles this season wothout allowing a home run. In the six seasons that the Orioles have been playing in spacious Memorial Stadium

# Rocky's Night

Held, ss Power, 1b Francona, cf Colavito, rf Minoso, if Jones, 3b Strickland, 3b Brown, c Martin, 2b a-Webster, 2b Bell, p García, p Totals BALTIMORE

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PO-A — Cleveland 27-6, Baltimore 27-9, LOB — Cleveland 5,
Baltimore 8. 2B — Brown, Held,
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Minoso, Martin, Colavito 4. SB —
Minoso. SF—Triandos.

# Plain Dealing-

### By GORDON COBBLEDICK Plain Dealer Sports Editor

Joe Gordon was saying not long ago that "somebody's going to pay for this" —the "this" being the Indians' nose dive after a fantastically good start in the pennant scramble. More recently he has exploded with the threat that unless they check their

downward flight, but quickly, there'll be CORDON COBBLEDICK some changes made. By the sheerest co-incidence, his statements were identical with those uttered by Casey Stengel back there when his Yankees were behaving much as the Indians are behaving today. To trace them further into history, they were identical with what managers of slumping ball clubs have been saying

# Colavito Hit 66 Homers in 2 Seasons

since the dawn of baseball time.

But changes of the sort Gordon threatened seldom have any long-range effect. A trade made simply for the sake of making a trade may be a shot in the arm that makes it look good at the moment, but the stimulation that comes from such a needle wears off and too often a compensating depression

At the moment almost anyone who could promise to deliver an occasional scratch single would look like Hank Aaron in a trade for Rocky Colavito. But Colavito still is the fellow who hit 66 home runs for Cleveland in the last two seasons preceding this one. It's a thing to remember when the temptation to trade him occurs.

I like better Gordon's promise that "somebody's going to pay for this." Nobody knows for sure just how good the In-

# Current Slump Shouldn't Frighten Indians Into Making a Bad Trade dians are, but everybody knows they're better than they've

looked in the last three weeks. The graph of a ball club's per-formance shows many peaks and valleys, and the tribe now is at the bottom of a deep valley. It may never again scale such a peak as it climbed at the season's start, but it won't stay down on the canyon floor, either.

# Yanks and Tigers Also Had Slumps

Somebody will pay, meaning that some team that's riding high today will have its own slump before the course is run. The Yankees and Tigers have had theirs, and people have been paying since they ended. The Indians are having theirs,

but some others are still to come. Basically there's one thing, and only one, wrong with the Indians. Their best hitters, the men on whom they depend to supply most of the punch that produces runs, aren't hitting. But over the long haul good hitters hit, and there is better reason to suppose that Vic Power will than that he'll stay in his present slump indefinitely. Colavito ended his with a spec-

tacular home run performance against the Orioles last night. Generally, the Indians' pitching has been good-good enough to win two games in every three if it were supported by a normal batting attack. But the thought comes to mind that it might be even better if Gordon would pick four starters

## and pitch them in turn. Tribe Hurlers Should Work Regularly

The only pitchers who are working regularly now are Herb Score and Gary Bell. Cal McLish, Don Ferrarese and Mudcat Grant have drawn starting assignments only when it scemed like a good idea at the time. McLish's last two starts were separated by eight days, which is too long to permit a pitcher to find the necessary rhythm, to fit himself into the all-important groove. It may explain, at least in part, his recent ineffectiveness after he had won five in a row.

The trading deadline is only five days away, and it seems to me that what Cleveland rooters have to fear most is that the Indians will make a trade from fright. They shouldn't be that badly frightened by their recent troubles. Troubles have a way of ending. Ask the Yanks and Tigers.

# Rocky's Feat 8th in 65 Years Rocky Colavito joined this select list of players who hit

four home runs in one game: Name Club-League Delahanty, Edward J., Philadelphia NL.....July 13, 1896 Seerey, James P., Chicago AL.....July 18, 1948 Hodges, Gilbert R., Brooklyn NL.....Aug. 31, 1950 Adcock, Joseph W., Milwaukee NL.....July 31, 1954 COLAVITO, ROCCO D., CLEVELAND AL...June 10, 1959\*

# Major League Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Baltimore ... 54 29 25 537 — 1

CLEVELAND . 51 27 24 529 — 1½

New York ... 51 26 25 510 — 2½

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Kansas City ... 59 24 26 480 — 4

Washington ... 54 24 39 444 — 6

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Los Angeles . 56 29 27 518— 4
Pittsburgh . 56 28 28 500— 5
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St. Louis . 53 22 31 415— 9½
Philadelphia . 52 21 31 404—10
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CLEVELAND 11, Baltimore 8, night
New York 6, Kansas City 4
Detroit 10, Boston 9
Chicago 4, Washington 1, night
TODAY'S GAMES
Kansas City at New York—Garver
(4-4) vs. Turley (5-6)
Detroit at Boston—Narleski (2-6)
vs. Wills (2-0)
CLEVELAND at Baltimore, night
Ferrarese (4-3) vs. Pappas
(5-2)
Chicago at Washington, night—Donovan (3-3) vs. Kemmerer
(4-5) San Francisco 11, Pittsburgh night Philadelphia 2, Los Angeles 1 night TCDAY'S GAMES TCDAY'S GAMES

Milwaukee at St. Louis — Buhl
(5-3) vs. Mizell (7-2)

San Trancisco at Pittsburgh—Sanford (7-C) vs. Friend (2-8)
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(5-4) vs. Drabowsky (4-4)
Los Angeles at Philadelphia, night
—Podres (6-2) vs. Roberts (4-4)
TRANCEROMES GAMES

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TOMORROW NIGHT'S GAMES
CLEVELAND at Washington
Chicago at Baltimore
Detroit at New York
Kansas City at Boston