

Twins

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a fast ball, low and away. But he hit it."

Mike Andrews singled with two out in the third inning and Petrocelli singled in the seventh for Boston's other hits.

In Boston last week, Stange beat Boswell 3-0 on a three-hitter. Dave won 3-2 over Stange at the Met, June 28.

"I know I've had some control problems lately," said Boswell, "but I honestly don't think I should lose my starting spot to any pitcher. My hits per innings pitched have always been the best on the staff (106 hits in 147 innings this year).

"I said I'd go to the bullpen if they wanted, but it would be full time, I want to start because I've always been a starter. But if I relieve, I want to relieve, not both."

As in Versalles' case, Dave got the blessings of Ermer.

"We were only concerned in the late innings because he popped his elbow again," said Ermer.

With a lead, though, Boswell was not about to give in. He retired the Red Sox 1-2-3 in the eighth and ninth innings.

The right-handed Stange, who retired the first 20 Twins to face him in Boston last Monday, gave up a run in the first inning.

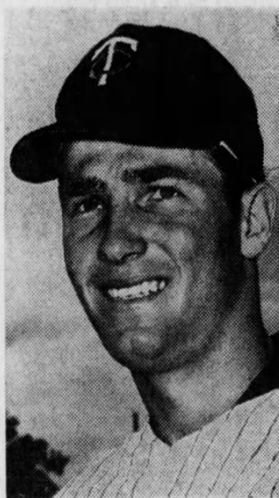
With one out, Cesar Tovar got a hit off Stange's glove. Then right fielder Tony Conigliaro ran under Tony Oliva's line drive for a double and Tovar scored.

Versalles' homer into the left-field seats in the third inning on Stange's "hanging curve" broke a 1-1 tie for the Twins' 18th triumph in 37 one-run decisions. The Red Sox rank 16-21 in that category.

TWIN TOPICS: Dean Chance (13-8) will pitch against Jim Lonborg (15-4) of Boston in today's 1:30 p.m. contest at the Met. . .

Third baseman Ron Clark, who had bone chips removed from his right elbow, can't throw a baseball until Aug. 20. . .

Shortstop Hernandez was placed on the active list in



DAVE BOSWELL
'I forgot to wave'

place of Rod Carew, who will be gone two weeks to Marine summer camp. . . Tovar will play second base during Carew's absence with either Rich Rollins, Harmon Killebrew or Hernandez at third. . .

Former Brooklyn catcher Roy Campanella will appear at pre-game ceremonies today. . .

There were 4,271 Knotholers yesterday. . .

The Twins have drawn over 20,000 for 11 straight home dates to tie a 1962 record. They've played before 860,245 in 50 dates at the Met, up 50,000 over last year at the same time.

TWINS BOX SCORE

BOSTON (1)	AB	R	H	RB	PO	A	E
Andrews, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	3	0
Foy, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Yastrzemski, lf	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Conigliaro, rf	2	0	0	0	2	1	0
Scott, 1b	3	0	0	0	8	0	0
Petrocelli, ss	3	1	2	1	4	0	0
R. Smith, cf	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Howard, c	3	0	0	0	6	0	0
Stange, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
a-Siebert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wyatt, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 28 1 3 1 24 9 0

TWINS (2)	AB	R	H	RB	PO	A	E
Versalles, ss	4	1	2	1	0	2	0
Tovar, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	3	0
Oliva, rf	4	0	3	1	2	0	0
Killebrew, 1b	2	0	1	0	8	0	0
b-Reese, 1b	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Allison, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Vaicsespino, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rollins, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Quilici, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Uhlender, cf	3	0	0	0	4	0	0
Nixon, c	3	0	0	0	5	1	0
Boswell, p	3	0	1	0	1	1	0

Totals 30 2 8 2 27 9 0

a-Filed out for Stange in 8th. b-Ran for Killebrew in 8th.

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DP-Boswell-Killebrew. LOB-Boston 4.

Twins 6, 2B-Oliva 2, Boswell, Killebrew.

HR-Petrocelli (10), Versalles (3).

Pitching Summary IP H R ER BB SO

Stange (L, 7-7) 7 6 2 2 2 4

Wyatt 1 2 0 0 0 1

Boswell (W, 9-8) 9 3 1 1 3 5

HBP-Boswell (Conigliaro). T-2:11. A-26,003.

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