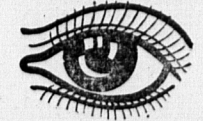


REMEMBER WHEN

(By The Canadian Press) Jess Willard lost his last fight 17 years ago today when he was knocked into the oblivion by the Argentinian Luis Angel Firpo at Jersey City, N. J., who won the world heavyweight boxing title from Jack Johnson at Havana in 1915 in a 26-round match, the crown to Jack Dempsey in 1919, when his seconds threw a towel into the ring after the fight had gone three rounds.

GUARDIAN SPORTING NEWS



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Player's "MILD" cigarettes have "wetproof" paper which does not stick to the lips.

Player's Please

Duff, McDiarmid In Race For Singles Crown

By JACK MITCHELL, Canadian Press Staff Writer

QUEBEC, July 11.—(CP)—Men's singles crown in the Dominion tennis championships was on a tenuous footing today when the two leading contenders, Duff and McDiarmid, were tied in the quarter-final match. Duff, the Ottawa, Ont. player, won the first set, but McDiarmid, who had won the crown in 1919, won the second set and the match. Duff, who won the crown in 1919, won the second set and the match.

Chiefs Beat Newark In Wild Game

NEWARK, N. J., July 11.—(AP)—In a wild contest involving 32 players, Syracuse Chiefs today wrested a 7-6 decision from Newark Bears by staging a three-run rally in the ninth inning. The Bears had grabbed a 5-4 lead in the eighth when Ed Levy, pitcher for his 12th homer of the season with one aboard and two out.

Browns Show Biggest Gain

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—(AP)—Although they had dropped seven straight games up to today, the surprising St. Louis Browns showed the largest percentage gain of any team in the American League for the first half of the 1940 season. Statistics prove the Browns, batting talents, are 145 per cent better than the Athletics at Philadelphia over the Athletics today. The victory put Cleveland into first place in the American League as Detroit lost to Washington.

Cleveland Indians Again Resume American League Lead In 8-5 Victory

NEW YORK, July 11.—(AP)—Kenny Keltner's homer with two on in the seventh inning gave Cleveland Indians an 8-5 victory at Philadelphia over the Athletics today. The victory put Cleveland into first place in the American League as Detroit lost to Washington. The Indians pounded out 15 hits off Chubby Dean and Ed Heusser, including three homers by Keltner, Ben Chapman and Lou Boudreau, but had their hands full. Three double plays stopped the A's at critical times.

Ramblers Take Lead In Kinsmen Softball League

Bob Nicholson's Ramblers took the lead in the Kinsmen's Midget Softball League Wednesday night by defeating the Giants 14-13. The game was a close hard fought one throughout and the result was in doubt until the last out was made. Nicholson was the star for the Ramblers pitching his team to victory and getting 4 hits in 5 trips to the plate. There will be no game played Friday but the league will resume on Monday.

Baseball Results

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit 001 070 110-3 8 2
Washington 041 002 008-7 11 0
Newhouse, Hutchinson and Tebbetts; Hudson and Ferrer.

St. Louis 000 000 022-4 3 1
New York 101 100 308-6 10 2
H. Mills, Auber and Switz; Hadley, Russo and Dicker.

Chicago 000 100 010 000-2 11 2
Boston 002 000 000 010-3 7 0
Ragner and Treitz; Hash, Heving, Dickman and Peacock.

Cleveland 211 100 300-8 15 1
Philadelphia 002 011 010-5 7 1
McLain, Dobson and Hemsley; Dean, Heusser and Hayes.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First Game:
Boston 000 070 002-2 9 0
Chicago 110 013 028-8 12 2
Sullivan, Sprague and Mast; Pausau and Hartnett.

Second Game:
Boston 000 000 001 1-2 7 0
Chicago 000 070 001-0 11 0
Erickson and Berres; French and Todd.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse 100 001 203-7 11 0
Newark 300 005 201-6 8 0
Sedgwick, Clemensen, Barnicle, Jones, Dietz and Bolmarini; Peadar, Carnell, Byrne, Frankhouse and Padden, Warren.

Buffalo 300 000 100-4 8 0
Montreal 010 000 038-9 13 2
Stromme, Jacobs, Magill and McCullough; Grissom, Herring and Becker.

Jeney City 10 003 011-9 16 2
Baltimore 300 076 23-14 16 2
Harris, Cohen, and Blomire, Chelini, Trinkle and Kracher.

Bees And Cubs Split Twin Bill

NEW YORK, July 11.—(AP)—Boston Bees went 10 innings to win the second game of a National League doubleheader at Chicago today, after the Cubs had taken the opener, 8-2.

Larry French and Dick Erickson engaged in a scoreless duel for eight innings of the nightcap. Each gave up one run in the ninth. Then Shubert drove out a long fly in the 10th to score Eddie Miller. Miller had doubled and gone to third on Erickson's scratch single.

The Cubs got their lone counter on Billy Nicholson's triple and Augie Galan's double.

Nicholson's three-run homer helped Claude Passeau win his ninth victory against eight defeats in the opener.

Vega Airplane Company Gets Big Contract

BURBANK, Calif., July 11.—(AP)—The Vega Airplane Company said today it had been given a \$30,000,000 contract to build a quantity of new type twin-engine bombing planes for the British government.

Courtland S. Gross, president of the company, said there was a sub-contract from the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, which has already delivered several hundred fast bombers to England.

The bomber, engineered for a speed in excess of 300 miles an hour, will be known as the Lockheed-Vega model 37 and will be larger and faster than the Lockheed Hudson bomber, which has been claimed by the British Air Service for its success against German war planes.

Keep Minards in the home.

Boxer Will Arrive Tonight

Sport fans in the city and province are eagerly awaiting the going that will send Leo Kelly of Charlottetown out of his corner to meet Freddie Hutchinson for 11 hits, including five doubles, and succeeded in driving Newhouse from the mound in two innings.

The Yankees barely lasted to beat St. Louis Browns 6-4 at New York as the winners opened a long home stand.

Kelly has already demonstrated his fighting prowess on many occasions in Island rings and also made a name for himself in the Golden Gloves tournament in the United States a few years ago. He is one of the cleverest boxers ever produced in this province and a great deal of difficulty was met in finding suitable competition for him here.

On the other hand Jordan is practically unknown in local boxing circles but he comes here highly recommended by mainland ring men. He was substituted recently for Harold Higgins of Denmark, N. S., who through illness was unable to meet Kelly as scheduled.

Jordan will arrive in the city this evening and promoter Joey MacDonell has arranged to give the public a chance to see him work out at the Sporting Club this evening at 8 o'clock. Any fans in the city or province who wish to see this boy perform may do so by being on hand tonight at the Sporting Club.

Besides the main event there are a number of high class preliminaries on Saturday night's fight card.

Daily War Survey

By The Canadian Press
A clue to the intensity of air warfare in the Mediterranean area and in Northern Africa is given by the official announcement of Italian air force casualties since Italy entered the war. The announcement reported 151 Italian fliers killed or missing and 183 wounded.

That means some 75 or more Italian aircraft have been shot down or damaged in clashes with the Royal Air Force.

German and British casualties in the air battles over the United Kingdom, Germany and German-occupied territory may have been considerably greater. The huge air battle which took place Wednesday, the complete loss of 14 German aircraft and the damaging of 23 or more others.

The human casualties in that operation alone for the Germans may run to 100 men killed and wounded.

All signs point, however, to more intensive air warfare in the days to come rather than to a slackening off. While the heavy German raids on the United Kingdom in recent days have caused a considerable number of casualties and some damage to essential property the German airmen are probably just feeling their way, gathering information and experience which may enable them to make bigger and bigger raids.

Free Swimming Instructions Given By "Y"

Attention is called to the free instructions in swimming which are being offered by the Y.M.C.A. here, the instruction will start the first of next week but the names must be left at the Y.M.C.A. some time this week.

Swimming is a healthful sport. It is also almost a necessity. Many a life has been lost because the victim was unable to swim. There might be some excuse for a lack of swimming ability if instruction could not be procured or if it was out of reach of the average purse.

Particulars can be secured and arrangements made on application to Mr. Morris at the Y.M.C.A. building. The instruction is free to everyone regardless of class or creed. Everyone is invited and everyone will be welcomed.

CANADIAN FIRE LOSS

TORONTO, July 11.—(CP)—The Monetary Times reported today the fire loss in Canada for the week ending July 6 was \$128,050, compared with \$73,709 the previous week.

The figure for the corresponding week of 1939 was \$126,800. The total loss for the year to July 6 was \$8,477,129 as compared with \$8,259,859 for the corresponding period of 1939.

Use Minards for aches

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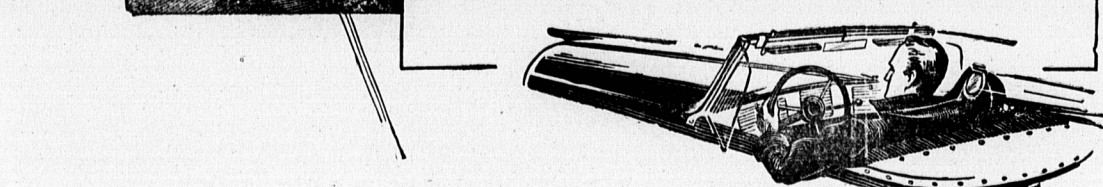
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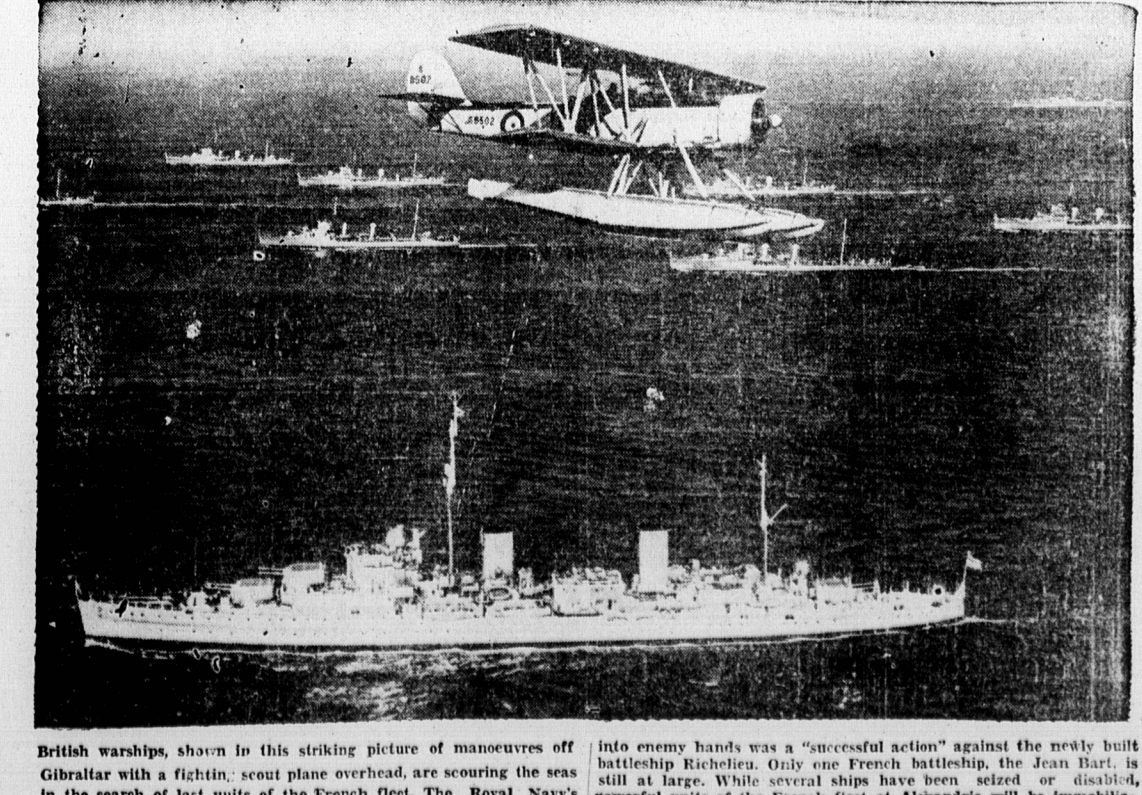


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