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Abegweit Teams Play Two-all Draw In Opening Game Of The Season

Abegweits and Bruins, two teams picked from the Abegweit training camp battled to a 2-all draw at the Forum last night in the inaugural hockey match of the season. Throughout the sixty minutes of play neither team showed a distinct edge over the other. Twice the Abegweits forced to the front only to be countered by Bruins' skilful counter attack which put them on even footing.

The game was productive of both goals and had hockey. Close marking by the forwards made the contest appear dull at times but when the squads opened up to any extent the four hundred odd fans were treated to some really smart plays and exhibition of an opener; it was a goal exhibition for an opener; the talent is certainly there and when the players hit the peak of their form, fast, well-played games should be the result.

Both goalies, Stull and "Tid" McEwen, the latter recruited to fill in for Fred Murray, who was injured by a fast and brilliant performance and the goals that beat them were of the unstopable variety. Defencemen handed out plenty of punishment and incoming forwards were given a rough passage at both ends of the ice.

After a scoreless first period had seen the teams battle it out on even terms, Jackie Kane broke the deadlock early in the second session. Snaring a loose puck in the centre zone, he swerved around the defence to beat McEwen with a fast drive to the far corner. This was the signal for the teams to speed up the pace and for the next few minutes action was galore. The highlight of the session had just been passed when Squarebriggs and Steele combined on a pretty passing play to take the count 1-1, Steele taking his leftwinger's pass to out-guess Stull with a sizzling drive. Five minutes after the start of the final period Abegweits again forced to the front, "Fud" Whitlock racing in fast to slam McLeod's stick into the mesh. But within three minutes, the hard-working and ef-

Warrington To Fight Sattino

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LIVERPOOL, N. S., Nov. 19.—"Tiger" Warrington, Liverpool's negro light-heavyweight, left today for Boston where he will meet Clayton Sattino, "the fighting barber," Nov. 22 in the semi-final bout to the Jack Sharkey "Unknown" Winston fight. The Nova Scotia scored a knockout over Sattino in the second round of a previous battle at Boston.

Hubbell May Be Traded To Cardinals

(Associated Press Sports Wire) (A.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) DAYTON, Ohio, Nov. 19.—Rumors given impetus by speculation over recent developments at Cleveland and Detroit, reverberated through hotel corridors tonight as the "trader horns" of baseball moved into Dayton for their annual shopping tour at the Minor League meeting.

Most of the rumors were met with half-hearted denials, but on the old theory that there must be fire where there's smoke here are some of them. Walter O. Briggs, who gained control of the world's championship Detroit Tigers today, will name Billy Evans, former Cleveland General Manager, as president to succeed the late Frank J. Navin. The Evans connection gained credence by the fact Briggs has said he personally has neither the time nor the health to devote to the task left open by Navin's death.

Evans also was reported in line for the presidency of the American Association, although Thomas J. Hickey, present head, claimed to hold four out of a possible eight club owner votes. St. Louis Cardinals may get Carl Hubbell from New York Giants in return for second baseman Burgess Whitehead. This report smacked of accuracy, Manager Bill Terry of the Giants was around making desperate search for a second baseman, and the Cards need a pitcher like Hubbell badly. A big three-cornered deal among New York Yankees, Washington and Boston Red Sox was rumored widely. If it proves true, the Red Sox will get outfielder Heinie Mauer and pitcher Jack Russell from Washington; the Yanks will get Roy Johnson, slugging outfielder, from Boston, together with pitcher Bump Hadley and outfielder Johnathan Stone from Washington; Washington will get outfielder Ben Chapman and pitchers Johnny Murphy and Jimmy Deshong from the Yankees.

Tecs Defeat Cleveland In Rough Game

(By The Canadian Press) (By Guardian's Special Wire) Tecumseh took on Cleveland at London last night and won one of the wildest hockey games of the early season 3-1 for their fourth straight win in a game that produced 16 minor and two major penalties and kept London a tie with Buffalo for the International Hockey League lead. The rough work started as Cleveland picked on the youthful line of Joffe Deslites, Walter Brennan and Ray Gettiffe for rugged body and stick work and the Londoners quickly retaliated. Speedy Groh and Bud Cook drew the match penalties as a climax to a fist fight in the third period. Owen Lennon, former Halifax Wolverine, gave Eric Pettigrew a pass for the first London goal in the second period. Jimmy Arnott added another in the same session then after Vic Ripley counted for Cleveland in the third period Bill Kendall flipped in the final Tecumseh marker.

In the only other game played Buffalo kept pace with the Londoners with a 3-0 shutout over Pittsburgh Shamrocks to make it three straight losses for the newcomers to the league. Bill Gill, former Moncton Hawk, did not reach London in time to get into the night game but is expected to accompany the team to Pittsburgh and Cleveland on Friday and Saturday.

Leafs Defeat Canucks 7-2; Bruins Blank Amerks 1-0; Rangers, Red Wings Play Tie

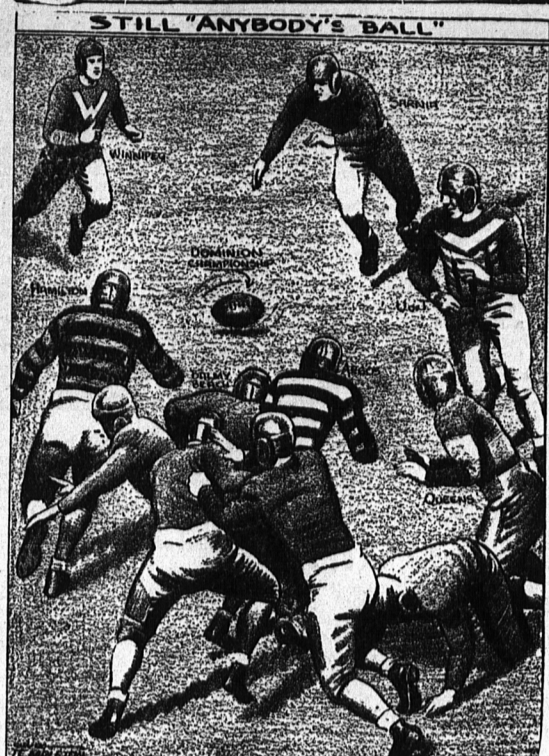
MONTREAL, Nov. 19.—A four-goal scoring spurge in the second period was the finishing blow as Toronto Maple Leafs sped to a 7-2 triumph over Canadiens here tonight in their first National Hockey League meeting. The Bruins blanked the Amerks 1-0, while the Rangers and Red Wings played a tie.

Exactly 45 minutes of aggressive play were needed to give the Bruins their tally, the first one they have registered during the current campaign. It came off the stick of Charlie Sands, with Eddie Shore and Max Kaminsky assisting. Shore started this only successful move of the game by carrying down centre and passing left to Kaminsky as he barged into the American defence. Kaminsky lashed the rubber at goalie Roy Worters, and rushing Sands batted the rebound home to clinch the goal.

During the last minute of play Cooney Welland drew a major penalty for high-sticking Harry Oliver. Midway, Joe Jerwa, another ex-Bruin, received a 10-minute misconduct penalty.

Harvey Jackson finished a fiery third period by drawing Cude for the final goal after taking a pass from Kelly. NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(A.P.)—Detroit Red Wings played their third straight tie game of the National Hockey League season tonight, coming from behind twice to earn a 2-2 draw with New York Rangers. About 7,000 fans turned out to see a rough and tumble contest. It was the second tie between the two teams. The Rangers, with three rookies recalled from their Philadelphia farm team to replace injured regulars, had the edge in passing, but every time they went ahead the Red Wings were fast enough to catch up. Three of the four goals were scored with men in the penalty box, the last while each team was short handed. The work of the two goalies was outstanding. Davey Kerr handled 45 shots in the Ranger net and Norm Smith 41, including a remarkable save in the second per-

Chuck Templeton's SPORTRAITS



ON THE SIDELINES

Local fans got their first taste of this season's hockey at the Forum last night and judging from comments heard were well satisfied with the encounter. True the teams failed to show any startling form but this was hardly expected so early in the season. However on occasions when they did open up the players displayed a world of speed and several really clever passing plays had the goalies stepping around their cages in a lively manner. Early season faults such as poor passing and erratic shooting were in evidence but this is bound to improve; players are showing a commendable willingness for work and under Coach Hal Gross' guidance any latent ability will make its appearance. Future games should witness a big improvement and while they may not measure up to Big Four standards nevertheless the encounters should be well worth witnessing.

Just what representation Canada will have at the Olympic Hockey Games will be decided today at a meeting in Halifax of C. A. H. A. officials. Disbanding of the Wolverines has left the officials in a quandary as to just what course to pursue; several suggestions have been mooted but it now appears likely that Port Arthur Bearcats, Wolves opponents in the finals are to be chosen to make the trip. The youthful Western team should prove worthy representatives as they gave the Wolves a battle every minute of the two games.

Expansion Of Grand Circuit Is Forecast

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Expansion of the Grand Circuit to a nine or 10-city loop was forecast today as the Trotting Horse Club announced the completion of preliminary plans for the extension of sulky races to the west coast and south-western states next year. The trotters and pacers in the Los Angeles County Fair at Pomona, and at Santa Anita and San Diego after the closing of the eastern season at Lexington late in September. Enroute home the major eastern stables likely will stop at Phoenix, Arizona, and possibly El Paso, Tex. The Los Angeles county fair already is planning a "Californian Hambletonian" and other rich stakes to lure the outstanding performers to Southern California.

L. P. U. Hockey Club Elects Officers

At a meeting at the L. P. U. hall last evening the L. P. U. Hockey Club elected the following officers: President: Mr. Jack White. Manager: Gordon Lund. Sec. Treas.: Anthony Lund. The following players will report for practice tonight at 9:30 at the Forum: Borrett, Chipman, Lund, Ryan, Hughes, Blinn, Pat Blanchard, Dennis Lawlor, W. Rodd, J. Rodd, Borden Cox, Sherron, Joe Saunders, Gerald Gillis, Bill LeBlanc, Bryenton, Stanley, Darb McMahon, Bruce McCallum. Any others wishing to try-out please attend.

Rugby Union Refuses Queen's Challenge

TORONTO, Nov. 19.—The Canadian Rugby Union tonight declined, with regret, to accept Queen's University as a challenger, for the Canadian Football Championship and announced the Hamilton Tigers will play the O. R. F. U. champions in the Eastern final.

To Decide On Olympic Team Today

(By Arthur Merkel) (Canadian Press Staff Writer) (C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) HALIFAX, Nov. 19.—A cavalcade of amateur athletic officials stormed Halifax tonight to do battle on a complexity of problems that have nearly all risen in the last month. Interest shimmered tonight between the split in the ranks of the Women's Amateur Athletic Union Federation that arose in the opening sessions of its annual meeting yesterday and the question of what team would represent Canadian hockey at the Olympics. Both were scheduled to be threshed out by committees tomorrow, a day before the opening session of the Amateur Athletic Union—and both committees were given very extensive authority.

Early in the morning the advisory board to the W. A. A. F. will investigate combined Ontario and Quebec protests against a system of proxies that has given the Maritime branch virtual control of the women's meeting. The delegates of the central Canadian branches walked out of the afternoon session of the meeting Monday and have not returned since. As a result the scheduled two-day conference enters its third day tomorrow. The hockey problem arose when the Halifax Wolverines, 1935 Allan Cup winners, suddenly disbanded shortly before the Maritime hockey league was scheduled to open. President E. A. Gilroy of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association said tonight a meeting was to take place tomorrow attended by himself, John Conn, manager and owner of Halifax Wolverines, James E. Wry, President of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association, and other officials of the C. A. H. A. "Nothing has been done in the matter," Mr. Gilroy declared on his arrival here. "It has been left entirely to this meeting tomorrow to be decided what is to be done in the Olympics question."

At least four courses were open to the C. A. H. A. committee—a team could be built up around the remnants of the Wolverines, augmented by players named by the Association; an All-Star aggregation could be formed; a play-off series between Montreal Royals and Port Arthur Bearcats, semi-finalists and finalists this year, might be arranged; or Best Arthur Bearcats could be asked to represent Canada as next in line following the withdrawal of the Wolverines. Delegates refused to make any predictions, but it appeared likely the latter suggestion would be adopted, especially in view of the fact that the Bearcats had remained intact after the series with the exception of Jimmy Haggarty, first-line centre, who was in England but within call of the Association.

The above comes to pass we wonder what Montreal Royals attitude on the decision will be. Royals took their defeat by Halifax in anything but a graceful manner but maybe all is now forgotten—and again maybe not.

Sport Shorts

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—The 1936 Canadian, British Empire Championships have been awarded to the Winnipeg Club and will be held March 4, 5, 6 and 7. As a trial move next year's tournament will occupy four days, instead of three as in the past. NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(A.P.)—Earle Combe, veteran New York Yankee outfielder, is through as an active player but will be retained as coach, replacing Joe Sewell, manager Joe McCarthy announced today. McCarthy said Sewell would sign with some minor league club as manager. NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(C.P.)—Sam Langford, one of the leading negro heavyweight fighters 20 years ago, remained in a serious condition in hospital tonight after being struck by a taxicab in Harlem yesterday. He received intestinal injuries. Langford, 48, has been virtually blind since he fought Fred Fulton in 1917.

FREDERICTON, N.B., Nov. 19.—

Donald M. Coughle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coughle, Perth, N.B., was elected captain of the University of New Brunswick rugby football squad for next year at a meeting of the 1935 team held this evening. Owen Sleep, Fredericton, was selected vice-captain.

W.A.A.F. Names Aileen Meagher Canada's Outstanding Feminine Athlete

(By Arthur Merkel Canadian Press Staff Writer) HALIFAX, Nov. 19.—Delayed by the withdrawal of Ontario and Quebec delegates, the Women's Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada was unable to conclude business of its 10th annual meeting tonight and the convention went over two days for the first time in history. Some reconciliation may be accomplished by the extra day, however, for the central Canadians will have a chance to discuss whether Canada would compete in the Games. The Federation had been in receipt of much correspondence during the year opposing Canada's participation at Berlin next year.

Decision was made to establish native Canadian records in addition to the open ones now existing but a resolution to make the Canadian women's track and field championships open was tabled to give the branches a chance to make some decision in that matter. Action in choosing a location to hold the Canadian Olympic trials was postponed until the Olympic Committee was able to decide whether Canada would compete in the Games. The Federation had been in receipt of much correspondence during the year opposing Canada's participation at Berlin next year.

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Well Known Race Horse Burned To Death

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) INVERNESS, N. C., Nov. 19.—A former race horse "Ocell B" was burned to death when a barn owned by John Jamieson was destroyed by fire last Friday night, it was learned here today. The horse was rescued from the burning barn, but died shortly afterwards. A pig and several tons of hay were also destroyed. The contents of the barn were owned by John D. MacDonald. "Ocell B" will be remembered by race fans as the horse which collied with and killed "Silver Grat-tan", Sydney-owned race horse, in a racing card staged at Inverness some years ago.

Impellittiere Signed To Meet Smith

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Ray Impellittiere, New York heavyweight who won a disputed decision from Ford Smith of California at Detroit last week, today signed to meet Smith in a return bout in Chicago Stadium. Mike Jacobs, who will stage the show, will announce the date tomorrow. The Springstead Trophy was offered the Federation last year but never presented. Another was offered the board today by Alexander Gibb, Toronto Star reporter and accepted. It had been sug-

Sportsmen Attention

A public meeting, under the auspices of the Fish and Game Association will be held in the Board Rooms, City Building, on Thursday, November 21st, at 8:00 P. M. Mr. Hayes Lloyd, Supervisor of Wild Life Protection for Canada will be the guest speaker, showing standard size moving picture films of wild life. Mr. R. W. Tufts will also take part in the meeting. Everybody welcome. J. M. MACFADYEN, Secretary.

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