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Alexander, Former Famed National League Pitcher, Elected To Hall Of Fame

Mickelson At Bat For Saltzgaver

By PAUL MICKELSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Jan. 18—With all due respect for "Old Pete" Alexander, the baseball experts installed the wrong hero in the Cooperstown Hall of Fame today. The ball player who should have made it was Jack Saltzgaver.

Saltzgaver did a better job in his line than Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, Christy Mathewson and the rest of the game's official immortals. He made bench warming a big business.

He got more dough for each silver than most great stars received for home runs, no-hit games or broken legs. But the sad part of his story is that New York Yankees now have shipped him west to the Kansas City farm where he'll get little opportunity to cash in on silver.

Nowhere in the second books can be found a record like Jack Saltzgaver's. For five seasons, he was time king of second basemen with the Yankees, wearing holes in the benches. Statistics show "Silver Jack" was the world champ at his trade.

During his five years with the Yankees as utility infielder, Jack drew pay checks totalling \$55,747.64, which included \$37,500 in actual salary and \$18,247.64 as his share of the players' pool for being with three world championship Yankee teams.

His total service for all that dough was appearance in 227 games, 645 times at bat and 161 hits. He didn't get into the world series game but he cut just as big a figure as Ruth, Lou Gehrig and Joe DiMaggio when Judge Landis passed out the series checks.

Saltzgaver's strange career with the Yankees hasn't been due to laziness. It just happened he couldn't hit big league pitching even though he could field with the best of them.

He was asked one day what he thought of his bench warming existence. Also if he wouldn't prefer to play every day with a weaker ball club.

"No," he replied, "I'd rather sit on the bench with the Yankees."

Recalls Tour Of Canada By Scot Rinks

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CALGARY, Jan. 19—Memories of the first tour of Canada by rinks of Scot curlers were brought back to Jack Robertson in Calgary today as preparations were made for curling contests with the 1938 visitors from Scotland.

In 1903 Mr. Robertson as a young Winnipeg curler played against the visitors.

"As to their curling prowess, it is true they played a different game from the style developed in Western Canada by such curlers as Bob Dunbar of Winnipeg and Minneapolis; J. D. Flavell of Lindsay, Ont.; and Archie McConnachie of Neepawa, Man.

"I had the pleasure of one game against the Scots, and while I was partial to the wick and roll style, my opponents had an uncanny knack of breeding to the shot rock, cramping the style of any knock-out artist.

"While they did not win any of the open events in the splendor of good western rinks shared the same fate. They won the international event, which meant beating some of the best rinks representing Canada and the United States.

"They always enjoyed their games, win or lose; they always had a good gallery, and every game I watched both players and spectators were having the time of their lives.

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The victory kept Rangers within four points of Boston Bruins, leaders of the United States section, and left Canadiens deadlocked with the New York Americans for second place in the Canadian group standing.

The Rangers capitalized on fast breaks in the overtime session to register their winning margin, Mac Colville and Cecil Dillon chalking up the deciding tallies, when Canadiens sacrificed their powerful defence to stage power plays against the Ranger cage.

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Millionaires Take Lead In Sydney Loop

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Glance Bay and Reserve battled to a 4-4 draw in the other game scheduled.

Back MacAdam, a Sydney boy scored all three Millionaires goals. His first evened the count in the first period after Rocky Montgomery had put Monarchs ahead at 3-5. Paddy Cormier again gave Monarchs the lead at 3-2 of the third period but MacAdam's pair, the first unassisted and the second on a pass from Malcolm, gave Millionaires the victory.

Robert Anderson gave Glance Bay a 1-0 lead at the first intermission. McInnis tied the count at 2:18 of the second only to have Anderson score again in a minute later.

Williams made it 2-2 at the 10-minute mark but Kane and Bob Anderson shot two more for Glance Bay before the period ended. MacDonald and Whalen scored for Reserve within three minutes of the final goal to earn the tie.

Program For Empire Games Announced

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SYDNEY, Jan. 18—Here is the program for the British Empire games, being held here from Feb. 5-12 in conjunction with Australia's 150th anniversary celebrations:

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Feb. 6: Boxing and wrestling in the evening.

Feb. 7: Cycling in the evening.

Feb. 8: Diving and rowing in the afternoon; swimming in the evening.

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Feb. 10: Track and field in the afternoon; swimming in the evening.

Feb. 11: Swimming in the afternoon; cycling in the evening.

Feb. 12: Track and field in the afternoon; cycling in the evening.

The track and field events have been distributed over three days, with the men's 100-yards dash, half-mile, three miles, quarter-mile hurdles, javelin throw, shotput and high jump all down for decision opening day. Besides these finals, the women will run off their 100-yards dash and the quarter-mile relay.

On Feb. 10 the men's six miles, quarter-mile relay, broad jump and hammer throw will be held with the women deciding the 600-yard medley relay and the javelin throw.

Two days later the program will conclude with the men's 220 yard mile, marathon, 120-yard hurdles, mile relay, hop, step and jump, pole vault and discus throw. The women will finish with the 220, 90-yard hurdles and the high jump.

HALIFAX, Jan. 18—(CP)—Two members of the crew of the British freighter Manchester Citizen were taken to hospital when the vessel arrived in Halifax today, from the United Kingdom.

Joe Casey Standout In Nets For Winners In Thrill - packed Contest

The Crystals ran roughshod over the Charlottetown Abbies at Summerside last night to win 7-1 in a wide open game that had plenty of thrills. Joe Casey was the sensation of the evening between the pipes for the winners. The game was rough but clean as Referee Earl Arsenault handed out only four penalties.

The Abbies opened the first period with a strong combination of offensive but contented themselves with blue-line shots. Casey, the new Crystal goalie, showed his wares on some fine saves. Although the Summerside squad lacked team play they broke through time and again and only the amazing Mr. Stull kept the score sheet clean. After several goalmouth scrambles in which Stull turned back Crystal assaults, Charlie Cahill robbed an Abbie behind the Charlottetown net and raced out to backhand a hard one into the twines.

Two minutes later in a scramble around the Crystal net, the red light went on but the whistle did not blow. Howatt led a raid down the ice to beat the unsuspecting Stull who had been thrown off his guard by the accidental red flash. Shortly after, Bradley took a penalty but the Abbies held off every thrust of the Summersiders. The period ended 2-0 for the westerners.

Crystals Take Offensive

The Crystals took the offensive from the opening whistle and at 3:32 Howatt batted in a loose puck. The Abbies fought back, but Casey covered himself with laurels to rob the black and red close in. Both teams showed a liking for handling out heavy checks. At 10:44 Schurman scored one of the prettiest goals seen here this season as he raced around the defense to seize the disc into the corner of the net. Thirteen seconds later Campbell made it 5-0.

The Crystals still pressed and at 14:09 Campbell shoved in Howatt's goal-mouth pass. Nineteen seconds later Cahill took Montgomery's rebound to jack the score to 7-0 for the Crystals. The period ended with the locals still holding the advantage.

See-Saw Battle

The third period saw the play move up and down the ice with the goalies doing fine work. Montgomery was chased to the cooler, to be followed almost immediately by Dickie. The Abbies forced the issue but the Summersiders played brilliantly to ward off all thrusts. Casey covered himself with glory as he saved sure goals with sensational dives. With the teams at full strength Cudmore snagged a loose puck to give Casey no chance. Referee Earl Arsenault turned in a good job on the whistle.

Both defenses continued to hand out stiff body checks that gave the crowd plenty to cheer about. The teams were playing all out as the whistle ended the game.

The lineup:
Abbies—Goal, Stull; defense, Saunders, Pound; forwards, Cudmore, Bradley, Weir, Sherran, McKinnon.

Crystals—Goal, Casey; defense, Bowness, Dickie; forwards, Cahill, Schurman, Montgomery, Steele, Campbell, Howatt.

Referee—Earl Arsenault.

Down The Alleys

HOLY NAME BOWLING

Ladies' League

Hilbillies:—
R. McParlane 141 156 161
J. McCabe 101 111 113
E. Curley 93 178 113
A. Francis 129 97 78
F. Carragher 158 152 111
Total—1961.

Nomads:—
M. Clinton 178 154 131
B. Higgins 153 150 93
A. Goss 129 186 196
M. Aylward 184 164 240
Low Score 83 97 78
Total—2131.

High single, M. Aylward, 240.
High three, M. Aylward, 588.
Tonight's Schedule at 7 O'clock
Ladies League: Stars vs. Red Wings.
Commercial League: Guardian Angels vs. Bright Guts.
At 8:30, Big Four League: Five Aces vs. All Stars.

Holy Redeemer Mixed League
Maroons:—
G. Keenan 144 120 141
R. Coyle 186 122 116
A. Cahill 103 82 94
F. DeCoste 106 111 116
F. Duffy 101 110 105
J. Shaw 111 123
Total—1973.

Wild Cats:—
F. Mallett 146 216 93
W. Pineau 155 155 204
S. Mooney 109 151 104
A. Blanchard 176 223 323
Low Score 101 82 94
Total—2558.

Ladies' high single, F. Mallett 216.
Ladies' high three, F. Mallett 457.
Gents' high single, A. Blanchard 333.
Gents' high three, A. Blanchard 732.
Tonight at 8:30: Ever Ready vs. Hawks.
Doughnuts:—
E. McDonald 142 172 103
Mrs. E. McDonald 61 77 85
J. Coyle 112 181 144
A. Coyle 126 130 112
U. Blanchard 213 196 146
Total—2054.

Bluenoses:—
E. Tombs 108 172 154
K. Hennessy 59 98 78
J. Coyle 213 203 171
M. Brown 88 56 63
Low Score 112 176 140
Total—1865.

Ladies' high single, A. Coyle, 130.
Ladies' high three, A. Coyle, 368.
Gents' high single, U. Blanchard and J. Coyle, 213.
Gents' high three, J. Coyle, 587.

Sports Dope

NEW YORK, Jan. 18—Noting the success of the Jesse Owens and the Johnny Woodruffs, the French Athletic Federation has begun a hunt for talent in France's colonies.

Owners of the three New York ball clubs have turned down \$360,000 for the 1938 broadcasting rights.

John L. McGraw, who spent a lot of money looking high and low for a Jewish Jewish card, couldn't see Hank Greenberg once.

British tennis fans are still sore because those who run tennis over there ignored Fred Perry's offer to coach last year's Davis Cup team.

Four of the five most effective pitchers in the National League last season were freshmen . . . Sonja Henie can pack 'em in . . . Her New York appearance is a week away but there's already more than \$10,000 in the box . . . English Levinsky wrestles just about like he boxes which may give you an idea . . . Tony Galento had to pass up the Armstrong-Venturi fight because of engagements at two testimonial dinners . . . During the evening the nightstick polished off five orders of spaghetti and 16 glasses of beer.

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