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## Kearns Rates Adamick Great Ring Prospect

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—Professor Jack Kearns, who has had more ups and downs than a ferris wheel since that long ago day when he and Jack Dempsey broke up their famous partnership, is back in town wearing cream spats and talking about Jimmy Adamick, his new heavyweight. Once he gets warmed up on the subject he's scarcely coherent. If what the professor says is half true, the Detroit youngster is a combination of Dempsey, Mickey Walker and a sack full of wildcats.

### Will Be Champion

"Adamick is the boy who's going to bring back the \$1,000,000 gate," said Kearns today. "He's the greatest prospect to come along since I been in the fight racket. He'll be champion just as soon as I can get him either Schmeling or Louis."

What caused folks to listen is the fact that Kearns still is a smart hombre about fighters. That plus the fact that Joe Louis the other day made a particular point of saying he positively was not going to meet Adamick in one of his "warm-ups" this winter.

### An Impressive Record

Kearns has brought Adamick, a former Golden Gloves champion, along slowly and carefully. Under Jack's wing he's piled up something like 50 knockouts, including a quick one over Maxie Rosenbloom.

Adamick is 22 and a shade under six feet. He's a 190-pound farm boy out of Midland, Mich., of German and Slav descent and Kearns says he loves to fight.

## Williams Paces Montgomery For Scoring Lead

SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 16—(CP)—With five games of Cape Breton County's hockey league schedule completed, Rocky Montgomery, winger of the North Sydney Monarchs, continued to lead point scorers. He had seven goals and two assists for nine points, two better than his team-mate and nearest competitor, Steve Estabrooks.

Williams of Reserve, a former Prince Edward Islander, had six points. Behind him were Topshoe of Sydney, Robert Anderson of Glace Bay and Monarchs' forward, Syd Clarke, formerly of Halifax, with five points each.

Four Sydney players, Billie Estabrooks, MacGibbon, MacAdam and Malcolm, and Red Anderson of Glace Bay had four points each.

## Bill Bonthron To Try Comeback

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 16—The competitive spirit that carried Bill Bonthron to the world 1500-metre outdoor record in his heyday as a metric miler has again taken hold of the former Princeton track star.

Forsaking the mile, Bonthron will essay a comeback during the 1938 outdoor season in the longer distances—two or three miles. His failure in the 1936 Olympic final trials, which was almost as conspicuous as the thrilling stretch battle fought between the Kansans, Glenn Cunningham and Archie San Romani, convinced "Bonnie" that the mile no longer was his forte.

## Conacher Is "Big Gun" In Leaf Attack

(By The Canadian Press)  
MONTREAL, Dec. 16—Chiefly through the bombing of big Charlie Conacher, Toronto Maple Leafs won their way to within a point of the leading Canadiens in their section of the National Hockey League tonight as they defeated the Montreal team 4-2 before 6,000 fans here.

Conacher, who returned to the Leaf lineup last Saturday after a layoff through injury, scored the first Toronto goal one minute after the start and added what proved to be the winning one in the third period. Red Horner got the second Leaf score and Nick Metz finished off the triumph less than a minute from the finish.

Little Aurel Joliat scored both Canadian goals, assisted by his forward line mates, Paul Haynes and Johnny Gagnon. But without George Mantha, out through injury, Canadiens looked weak on the attack. The loss was their second straight after a streak of nine games in which they had gone unbeaten.

Leafs used heavy checking methods to stop the homesters but they bodied cleanly and there were only two penalties, one to each side. Joliat levelled the score in the second period at 1-1 and the teams were tied as they entered the third.

Then Horner pushed Leafs to the front and Conacher added his second goal in quick order. Another Joliat score kept the Frenchmen in the running until Metz converted Kelly's pass in the dying moments.

### SUMMARY

First Period  
1—Toronto, Conacher (Boll) 1.03.  
Penalties—None.

Second Period  
2—Canadiens, Joliat (Haynes, Gagnon) 3:15.  
Penalties—Chamberlain, Buswell.

Third Period  
3—Toronto, Horner (Boll, Thoms) 5:24.  
4—Toronto, Conacher (Thoms) 6:34  
5—Canadiens, Joliat (Haynes, Gagnon) 8:27.

6—Toronto, Metz (Kelly) 19:16.  
Penalties—None.

## Tennis Rankings Recommended By Association

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 16—National tennis rankings as recommended today to the United States Lawn Tennis Association by its ranking committee, and to come up for approval at the 57th annual meeting at Miami Beach, Fla., Jan. 15, 1938:

Men's Singles—1. J. Donald Budge, Oakland, Calif.; 2. Robert L. Riggs, Los Angeles; 3. Frank A. Parker, New York; 4. Bryan M. Grant, Jr., Atlanta; 5. Joseph R. Hunt, Los Angeles; 6. Wayne R. Sabin, Hollywood, Calif.; 7. Harold Surface, Jr., Kansas City, Mo.; 8. C. Gene Mako, Los Angeles; 9. Donald McNeill, Oklahoma City, Okla.; 10. John Van Ryn, Austin, Tex.

Women's Singles—1. Alice Marble, Beverly Hills, Calif.; 2. Helen Hull Jacobs, Berkeley, Calif.; 3. Dorothy May Bundy, Santa Monica, Calif.; 4. Mrs. Marjorie Gladman Van Ryn, Austin, Tex.; 5. Grace W. Wheeler, Santa Monica, Calif.; 6. Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan, Cambridge, Mass.; 7. Mrs. Dorothy Andrus, New York; 8. Helen Pedersen, Stamford, Conn.; 9. Mrs. Carolyn Babcock Stark, Los Angeles; 10. Katharine, Winthrop, Boston.

### LACEY IN FORM

QUILDFORD, England — Beating a mark of 71 that had stood for seven years, Arthur Lacey, Berkshire golf pro, won the Guildford Alliance stroke competition at West Byfleet with 67.

### NEW MIDLAND CHAMP

NOTTINGHAM, Eng. — George Marsden, Nottingham, became the new Midland featherweight boxing champion when he outpointed the title-holder, Harry Edwards, Birmingham, over 16 rounds.

### "CAP" STUBBS AND TIPPIE

LOOK, TIPPIE! I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT I GOT FOR GRAN'MA — BUT I WON'T SHOW HER —



## Rangers Blank Amerks 2-0 To Capture Section Lead; Chihawks Trim Red Wings

(By The Canadian Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 16—New York Rangers shot into first place in the National Hockey League's American group tonight by trimming their city rivals, Americans, 2-0. The two points enabled Rangers to oust Boston Bruins from the leadership.

The contest, hard-fought but ragged, was played before more than 15,000 fans.

The defeat dropped the Americans to third place in the Canadian group.

Lynn Patrick took advantage of the big break of the game to score the initial Ranger tally early in the first period. He intercepted a lateral pass from Sweeney Schirmer to break away and score easily. Rangers were a man short at the time.

Davie Kerr, the winning team's crack goal keeper, hung up his fifth shutout of the season in holding the Amerks at bay for the balance of the game.

Neil Colville rang up the second marker of the game in the last second while Americans were short-handed.

### SUMMARY

First Period  
1—Rangers, Patrick 3:33.  
Penalties—N. Colville.

Second Period  
Scoring—none.  
Penalties—none.

Third Period  
2—Rangers, N. Colville (Coulter) 19:59.  
Penalties—Coulter, Cooper, Anderson.

## Jackie Kane Will Continue Playing Coach

(By The Canadian Press)  
SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 16—Officials of Sydney, North Sydney and Reserve Clubs of Cape Breton County's hockey league were unanimous tonight in their decision to allow Jackie Kane, formerly with Charlottetown Abegweits, to continue to play with Glace Bay Miners for the remainder of the season.

Kane, a hockey itinerant who came to Nova Scotia from Ontario to play with Halifax Wolverines but continued to Charlottetown where he donned an Abegweits sweater, arrived in Cape Breton last weekend and played his first game with Glace Bay Friday.

He was partially blacklisted yesterday by Maritime Amateur Hockey Association authorities who decided he would be allowed to complete the schedule with the Miners provided the other teams agreed. He will be barred from the provincial playoffs if the Miners win the Cape Breton championship.

Managers of the other three teams tonight expressed willingness to have Kane play. Under these arrangements Kane will continue as playing coach with the mining town hockeyists.

### OUTSTANDING ATHLETE

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
MONTREAL, Dec. 16 — Robina Higgins of Winnipeg was announced tonight as 1937 winner of the women's amateur athletic federation's "Rose Bowl," awarded yearly to Canada's outstanding woman athlete.

### MAY BECOME MANAGER

LIVERPOOL, England — Ned Tarleton, former British featherweight champion injured recently in a motor accident, will retire from the ring to concentrate on the managerial side of the game.

### MAY GO NORTH

LONDON—It's up to Jack Holliday, Brentford's star utility player, whether he joins Manchester City. The Maine Road football club has offered a big transfer fee and Brentford has left it to the player.

### 'CHASER FALLS DEAD

NEWMARKET, England — Vivian Smith's fine 10 year old steeplechaser, Ready Cash, expected to run in next year's Grand National, fell dead while exercising.

## Oxford Team Composed Of Canadians

(By The Canadian Press)  
OXFORD, Eng., Dec. 16—This season's Oxford University hockey team follows precedent. It is almost completely Canadian. A German utility player, Erwin Goldschmidt, and a New York defenseman, Lou Palmer, are the only non-Canadian players.

In preparation for the annual clash with Cambridge in late January, the team is making a continental tour through Holland, Belgium, Germany, Austria, Switzerland and France. The tour started in The Hague Dec. 8 and ends in Paris in mid-January.

The game has not yet achieved ranking as a major sport at the old university and the Canuck players, mostly Rhodes scholars, find themselves termed "half-blues," a far cry from the famous distinction "Blue with a capital B."

Oxford started the season by taking two games from Bristol 6-3 and 3-0 and they tied United Hospitals, Cambridge has been beaten by both these squads.

The Oxford lineup: Goal, Jack Garrett, Calgary, University of Alberta; defence, Ian Wahn, Yorkton, Sask., University of Saskatchewan; Lou Palmer, New York; right wing, Captain Freddie McLean, Univ. Sask., University of Saskatchewan; Henry D. Hicks, Bridgetown, N. S., Mount Allison; and Dalhousie; centre, Bruce Ferguson, Halifax; Dalhousie University; left wing, Alan Thompson, Montreal, McGill University; Donald C. Duffie, Fredericton, N.B., University of New Brunswick and St. Joseph's.

### SUMMARY

First Period  
1—Chicago, Dahlstrom (Palangio, Brydson) 7:22.  
Penalties—None.

Second Period  
2—Chicago, Romnes (March, Gottselig) 3:18  
3—Chicago, Palangio (Dahlstrom, Brydson) 5:27  
Penalties: Palangio, Levinsky, Dahlstrom, Liscombe.

Third Period  
4—Detroit, Lewis (Aurie, Barry) 6:02.  
Penalties—None.

## Sports Dope

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—Paste this in the old hat: Neither Schmeling nor Louis will fight anybody of consequence before they collide in June right here in New York. All this talk about Schmeling fighting Tommy Farr in Miami or Louis meeting Jimmy Adamick in Detroit is pure bunk.

Tony Galento, the Newark "night stick," hoisted 16 steins of beer in a Broadway spot the other night, then squawked his head off when they charged him \$1 per stein. The medico who delivered Max Baer's baby said the kid has the biggest hands and broadest shoulders he ever saw on an infant.

Tom Yawkey, millionaire owner of the Red Sox is seriously considering putting a pro football team in Boston next season.

Glenn Cunningham, the great Kansas miler, is getting in shape for working out at Saratoga, Fla. Bing Miller, who has been on the Red Sox roster as a coach, has been shifted to the scouting department.

The golfing dub is given official recognition in at least two spots. There is a Dubsdrad Golf Club at Orlando, Fla., and a Dubbo Club in New South Wales.

## Scribes Hail "Goofy" Gomez Comeback King

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 — (AP)—United States sports writers put their stamp of approval today on Vernon (Goofy) Gomez as the hero of 1937's most amazing athletic comeback.

Casting their ballots in the Associated Press' seventh annual poll, the writers gave the New York Yankees' star southpaw pitcher a decisive edge over Ralph Guldahl, United States open golf champion, and Joe Louis, king of the world's heavyweight boxers.

Nineteen of the 53 participating writers cast their first-place ballots for Gomez who, after two lean years, came back to lead the American League in effectiveness and pitch the Yankees to two world series victories over the New York Giants.

All told Gomez picked up 69 points in the balloting against 69 points for Guldahl who received nine first-place votes. Louis was third with 34 points and Johnny Goodman fourth with 26.

## Deny Japan To Rangers And Abbies Clash Again Tonight

(By The Associated Press)  
TOKYO, Dec. 16—The Olympic Organizing Committee today denied a report in the newspaper Asahi that Japan is "unable to give a definite answer" regarding its ability to stage the Olympic Games in 1940.

The paper says the war with China has delayed the Olympic preparations to such an extent that "whether the Government will continue to support the games is problematical. Its attitude will be based on conditions."

Members of the organizing committee told the Associated Press that "the report is entirely false. The Government is supporting the games fully and preparations are proceeding on schedule."

In connection with the Asahi report, it was recalled that only two days ago the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association indefinitely postponed the first Oriental athletic games, which had been scheduled for May 1.

## Miniature Rifle Shoot

Earl Burke and W. Dennis tied with scores of 96 last night to head the list of marksmen competing in the second shoot of the season staged by the No. 6 Divisional Signals.

Other scores follow:  
W. Walsh — 95  
A. Spillet — 93  
D. Mayne — 88  
C. McKenna — 85  
B. Connors — 85  
R. Jenkins — 82  
R. Brehaut — 82  
B. Scaman — 81  
L. MacDougal — 79  
A. MacMasters — 75  
The final pre-Christmas shoot will be held on Monday night.

## Crystals Set For Initial Workout

The Summerside Crystals expect to drop over the boards for their initial workout of the season either Saturday or over the week end. Manager Harris reports a good sheet of ice at the rink, and hockey fever is running high.

Several new faces will appear on this year's lineup, and all who are interested in making the jump from junior or intermediate to the seniors, are cordially invited to turn out.

Some talk of an exhibition game with the Charlottetown Abbies for Tuesday night is on the rounds, but no definite arrangements have been completed as yet; the representatives of the club will journey to Charlottetown on Monday to attend the Island league meeting, when the schedule and plans for the winter will be threshed out.—S.

### TIED FOR LEADERSHIP

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 16—A slim 2-1 victory over Fredericton Capitals tonight put Saint John Beavers even with Moncton Maroons in leadership of the Southern New Brunswick Hockey League. Bobby Beaton and Swede O'sen did the Saint John scoring. Bill Gill tallied for Fredericton.

## Rangers And Abbies Clash Again Tonight

Still seeking a victory over the Rangers, Junior Abegweits clash with their arch rivals at the Forum again tonight in the third game of the league's pre-season exhibition series.

Although defeated handily in both encounters Abies still think they can take the Rangers' measure. Coach Lou Campbell has been trying out different attacking units at practice sessions and it wouldn't be surprising if his bunch of youngsters took Nels Whitlock's squad into camp.

Both games have produced a brand of hockey that was really good for so early in the season but the attendance has been meagre to say the least. It is too bad this state of affairs exist, and if it persists junior hockey will soon be discarded also. The youngsters need support and it is to be hoped that a big increase in attendance will be noted.

Tonight's game starts at 8 o'clock sharp and will be followed by an hour's skate with band.

## BUDGE DEFEATS QUIST

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 16 (AP)—Donald Budge, United States' Davis Cup hero, rallied today to defeat Adrian Quist, Australian star, in a tennis exhibition, 4-6, 7-5, 6-1, 6-0.  
Jack Bromwich, Australian, defeated Gene Mako, United States, in straight sets, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

## Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL TONIGHT

8.15 and 9.15 P.M.  
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## F - O - R - U - M HOCKEY TONIGHT

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By EDWINA

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I AM NOT! NOSSIR!

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