

# SPORTING NEWS

## SPORTS LEADER



MISS JANET ALLAN

...to being re-elected the presidency of the Ontario Hockey Association. Miss Janet Allan has further honored by being representative to the C. C. Committee on Athletics, Miss Allan member of the Aura Lee hockey team of Toronto.

## Gym. News

...of the teams in the of the Cross hand-ball is as follows:

Schedule	Played	Won	Lost
Joseph	3	3	0
Payne	3	2	1
Millman	3	1	2
Praucht	3	1	2
Robins	2	1	1
McDon	2	0	2

...league is causing a great excitement among the boys. It has been seen in very close play. Howard and Joseph have the lead and have two more to play. Dairon and are right on their heels and are going to be within we can do is watch and

...night on the L.O.C. Gym another game in the hand-icament was played. The between Doucette, Robins, and Millman. The game by the former by score-

Team	Score
Robins	15
Millman	8
Robins	12
Millman	15
Robins	15
Millman	10

## Rogers Hornsby Asks \$100,000

Special to the Guardian) NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The owner of the St. Louis club of the National League has been doing thinking as regards Rogers Hornsby, who demands \$100,000 years under a new con-

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## REG NOBLE IS SOLD TO MONTREAL TEAM

### St. Patrick Star Goes to Maroons For Eight Grand

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—Cecil Hart and Reg Noble, of the new Montreal team in the National Hockey League, came to Toronto today and put through a deal for Reg Noble, veteran St. Patrick's player, and the Collingwood boy out for Montreal to join his new team next season. It was a straight cash deal of a sum said to be close to \$8,000.

What Montreal Thinks MONTREAL, Dec. 12.—Reg Noble, veteran centre and left wing player of the Toronto St. Patrick's has been obtained by the Montreal pro hockey club, and will be in a maroon uniform when the new Montreal team clashes with Canadiens at Mount Royal Arena tomorrow evening.

Just what terms were involved in the Noble deal are not yet known here, though it is reported from the Queen City that Cecil Hart was attempting to engineer a trade whereby Fred Lowrey, flashy young centre player, would go to Toronto for Noble. Noble is well-known here, having played in the National Hockey League for years. An experienced player, it is expected that his generalship will add to the scoring punch of the forwards.

## BOWLING

There was another close game bowled at the Charlottetown all-boys last evening when the Beroys, vs. Sailors the latter winning out by 27 pins. The scorers were as follows:

Sailors	Beroys
G. Lund	111 141 125
E. Flynn	140 122 132
J. Flynn	131 152 151
J. Ranahan	137 176 127
P. Lund	104 108 85
Total—1922	
J. Turner	131 131 85
W. Vickerson	104 142 162
H. Vessey	134 108 100
E. Caswell	147 164 130
F. Chandler	139 149 98
Total—1925	

The highest score bowled in the game was 176 bowled by J. Ranahan of the Sailors team. There will be another game bowled Monday, Dec. 15th between the Pilots vs. Stars. (Patriot please copy.)

As Hornsby failed to attract the crowds, and as he demands \$100,000 for three years, the owners are said to be willing to let the great one pass on if they can get three players of value in exchange, along with some cash.

## FAST CENTRE



GILL PHILIPS

Plays centre for the "Soo Greyhounds" of Sault Ste. Marie, winners of the Allan Cup last year, and is one of the World's Amateur Championship in hockey.

## MATCH-MAKER IS RESPONSIBLE

### Brought Ring Titles to Goldstein and McTigue

By Joe Williams. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Some champions fight their way to the throne by dint of sheer ability, plus the needed perseverance. Others are just plumb lucky.

Jack Dempsey belongs where he is. The westerner fought his way through all the pretenders, climaxing a gradual uphill climb by beating Willard, the champion, to a sorry pulp.

Benny Leonard is a legitimate titleholder, too. Leonard was the best lightweight in the game a full year before he won official recognition. Freddie Welsh, the champion, would have none of Leonard's games in an out-and-out championship fight. Leonard had to battle him three times in short fights before he managed to hang up a knock-out.

Mickey Walker's ascent to the welterweight apex was meteoric but none the less authentic or deserved. From the very start the New Jersey Irishman displayed genuine class.

Most of the other champions, however, owe their position to pre-eminence either to shrewd match-making or lucky "breaks."

Eugene Criqui, game little French man, would never have won the featherweight title if Johnny Kilbane, aging and super-cautious champion, hadn't crawled into a hole and refused flatly to contest with the several worthy contenders in America, chief among whom was Dundee.

Criqui got a "break" in drawing the first shot at Kilbane. Six months later the Frenchman proved astonishingly easy for the veteran Dundee.

Abie Goldstein got a similar "break" with Joe Lynch, who was ready to be knocked off by the first well-conditioned bantam he met. Any one of half a dozen 118-pounders could have done what Goldstein did if they had drawn the assignment first.

Goldstein has a clever manager in Willie Lewis, the old welterweight. Lewis has influence in New York. That accounts for Goldstein's crown.

Mike McTigue holds the world light heavyweight title. Gene Tunney holds the American light heavyweight title. A resourceful manager was largely instrumental in McTigue's success. Joe Jacobs was familiar with the bibulous characteristics of Battling Siki, who had come into possession of the world title by stopping Carpenter.

## SOME MANAGERS WHO HAVE MADE MISTAKES

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Compared to gambling in pugilistic talent, the business of dabbling in Wall Street stocks is as unexciting and unprofitable as a set of discarded store teeth.

It is an old story how Jack Dempsey was turned down by manager after manager before Jack Keenan, having nothing else to engage his restless mind at the moment, decided to take a chance on the Minnesota hobo.

One of the men who passed up the present heavyweight champion as a thin slice ofologna was Winky Fred Windsor, is now in dire straits with authorities on the Pacific coast as the result of alleged fakery in trying to establish an other heavyweight, Tony Fountas, as a great knock-out.

Still another member of the large class of ex-managers of champions, John the Barber, is back in his old haunts here, trying to get made blindheaded clients, to us as his new miracle tonic, guaranteed to grow anything from a Valentine vandyke to noisy twins.

Doc Bagley, who prides himself on his shrewdness, sold Gene Tunney to Billy Gibson for \$5,000. At the time Tunney looked like a helpmeet in the chocolate pudding. Bagley chuckled to himself "That's one time the great Gibson was gypped."

A few months later Tunney won the lightweight championship. Last fall he was matched with Carpenter at the Polo Grounds. The fight drew more than \$100,000. Bagley saw it. But he had to borrow taxi car fare to get there.

George Lawrence, veteran manager, gave Harry Wills away for nothing. Lawrence had Wills and Sam McVey, another black, at the time. The two were not very friendly. Lawrence let them go together in a fight. It was not a bad fight. McVey won, Wills

wouldn't have the "bum". Dunn didn't even reply. Crumpling up the message he laughed and said "I wouldn't have the bum if he paid me."

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COMETS: M. Adams 125 116 178 G. Beer 110 142 168 P. Stewart 136 148 126 N. Evans 111 87 141 R. Howatt 123 123 123 Total—1957.

Next game Thursday the 18th 7 p.m. Seminoles vs Comets.

Happenings of The Day At The Y. M. C. A. 10 till 12, Juniors. 2 till 4, Special Classes. 4 till 6, Bus. Men.

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There are momentous events on tap in the N. H. L. St. Pats are going to pass out of the hands of the triumvirate of Querrie, Cicero and the Hambly freeres. The latter have not been able to deliver Toronto a winner, and it is thumbs down on their team from the Toronto fan, who have shown astonishing patience and support for the team that has carried the Celtic colors for the past two years. Apparently the owners could not attract amateurs of class, and some of Toronto's smartest players, notably Hooley Smith and Dunc Muro, evaded their offers and went to other teams. They had Bill Carson on their line, but he wiggled off, and all their efforts to secure stars from the simon pures were vain.

CREDIT WHERE DUE In the hubbub attending the expansion of the National League, the name of one largely responsible for the development has been left out. That personage is none other than President Frank Calder, Calder guided the N. H. L. over many reefs in the past. Quiet and unassuming, a master diplomat, he kept the fiery forces of the N. H. L. in check for years, and his suave methods checked many a serious uprising that threatened to disrupt the league. At the start of this year he was confirmed for a long term as president and he richly deserved the honor. There is less bickering and fighting now in the N. H. L. than in the past. Calder is a square shooter who knows every angle of the game. He was one of Canada's leading sport writers in his day when sport editor of the Montreal Herald. Credit where credit is due, and Frank Calder incline his brow, and have the laurel looped over his titian locks.

Skin Tonic Tincture of benzoin one drachm to a pint of cold water, is a skin tonic. Bathe the face freely with the lotion several times a day.

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