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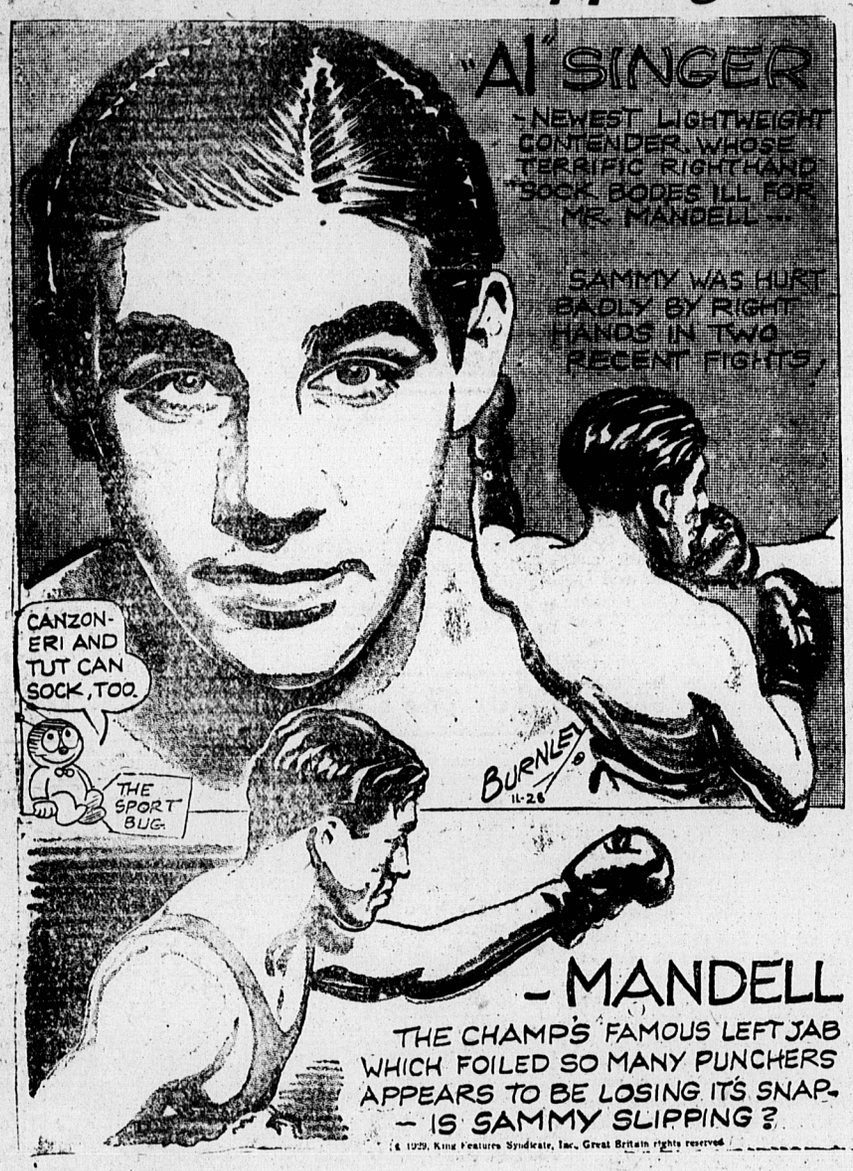
Is Mandell Slipping?



Those who take fistic entertainment seriously are beginning to wonder how long Sammy Mandell will wear the lightweight crown now that his left seems to have lost much of its championship magic. That matter has been widely discussed ever since Jimmy McLarnin widely out-pointed Mandell in a 10 rounder at Chicago recently. Of course Sammy went out of his class to box Jimmy, who is now a welter, but even so, critics point out that Mandell should have made a far better showing had his left been as keen offensively and defensively as it was in the days of yore.

In their first bout more than a year ago, McLarnin was unable to tag Mandell with a single hard right, novice in that New York showing when both were lightweights. But at Chicago "Baby Face" jarred the champion repeatedly with smashing rights. He did not seem to shoot them faster or more expertly, but Mandell's left jab was no longer speedy enough to foil such shots.

If the champion's left has lost even a fraction of its old charm it bodes ill for his future because the three leading contenders—Al Singer, Tony Canzoneri and King Tut—have great rights.

Critics agree that Mandell took altogether too many rights on the chin in both his recent McLarnin and Canzoneri fights. The impression is spreading that "Sammy is slipping." They are already beginning to lament that "laggard left."

Singer, Canzoneri and Little Tut are aching for a chance at the champion's chin. One or two of that trio may get that shot before spring returns. However the Sport Bug by no means is certain that Mandell's left will not regain its former skill during this 1929-1930 campaign.

L. O. C. BOWLING

Last night on the League Alleys the Crescents defeated the Spuds by a small margin of 93 pins. A. Joy rolled high single of 314 and also had high three string total of 731 pins. Scores and line-ups are as follows:—

"CRESCENTS"			
A. Joy	212	205	314
F. Doucette	214	301	187
P. Doyle	152	175	143
J. McInnis	193	303	163
J. A. Bentley	175	158	212
Total—3107.			
"SPUDS"			
J. McMahon	252	231	215
S. Moore	215	195	141
W. Craswell	183	199	229
A. Huestis	141	171	145
E. Robin	236	251	200
Total—3014.			

Tonight at 8.15 the Alerts meet the Abegweits.

AUREL JOLIAT TAKES LEAD FROM KILREA

Canadian Star Has 14 Points; Red Horner Leads The Bad Men.

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—Sharpshooters of the Canadian group of the National Hockey League continue to show the most effective sniping, according to official scoring records issued last night from the office of President Frank Calder. In both sections the leading scorers represent teams which are fighting for the leadership in the close struggle which marks the two divisions.

Aurel Joliat, diminutive but potent left wing of the Montreal Canadiens has forged to the front over Hec Kilrea, sturdy port-side star of Ottawa Senators, who has led the section from the start. Joliat, an artistic play maker and deadly shot, has compiled seven goals and the same number of assists. Kilrea still leads all other snipers in actual number of goals, scored with ten, but Joliat exceeds in assists.

Frank "King" Clancy, defense player of the Senators, is third, with eight goals and three assists, while in fourth place is Nels Stewart, star centre ice performer of Montreal Maroons. His triple scoring feat against Ottawa brought Stewart's goal total up to eight and he has had two assists. Nick Wasnie, replacing Art Gagne on right wing for the Canadiens, is making good the former Newark star being fifth in the standing with six goals and three assists.

Bill Cook, crack right wing of the New York Rangers, and Ralph "Cooney" Weiland, tiny centre-ice-star of Boston Bruins, are waging as close a fight for scoring honors as their clubs are for the sectional lead. They are dead-locked with ten points each, Cook having scored seven goals and Weiland six. For second position there is a triple deadlock, Gainor, the Boston left winger, George Hay of Detroit, another southpaw and Frank Frederickson, manager and centre ice player of Pitsburgh, all being deadlocked.

The Canadian section of the league also leads in penalties. "Red" Horner the exuberant, Toronto Leaf defence player, starting his first complete season in the major league, leads all others to the week-end with 26 minutes on the penalty bench. Jimmy Ward of Montreal Maroons, has had but one minute less than Horner, while Lionel Conacher, playing manager of the New York Americans, has served 23 minutes.

In the American division the forceful "Ching" Johnson, burly defence player of New York Rangers has quickly achieved leadership, after missing his club's early games. He has served 24 minutes exceeding his team mate, Fred "Bun" Cook by two minutes. Reg. Noble, veteran Detroit defence player is third with 20 minutes.

N. H. L. Standing

INTERNATIONAL GROUP	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	F	A
Ottwa	5	2	1	11	34	27
Canadiens	4	1	2	10	26	19
Maroons	4	4	0	8	30	21
Toronto	2	4	1	5	21	30
Americans	1	4	0	2	11	18
AMERICAN GROUP						
Boston	5	2	0	10	26	23
Rangers	4	3	1	9	25	23
Chicago	3	2	2	8	25	23
Detroit	2	5	1	5	25	34
Pittsburgh	1	4	0	2	19	30

"Y" DOINGS

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL

Last night the Other Y's Men and Spartans played their first game of a good series, let us hope. The Spartans won with the close score of 29 to 28. The teams were so evenly matched that neither one team nor the other had a lead throughout. This game was not characterized with the usual roughness. The players held their tempers in check somewhat better although at times there was a tendency to return to the old style of tripping, charging, blocking and pushing. One point the large majority should watch in their next game is, running or taking more than one step with the ball without passing. It is hardly fair to mention one player above another because all played their place and played hard. The Y's Men suffered a loss at the very start in the injury of their old reliable guard, Gordon Toombs. The following is the score and lineup:—

OTHER Y's MEN	SPARTANS
Forwards	
W. Henry 13	T. Holl 3
G. Partridge 7	W. Goss 1
	W. McEwen 12
Centres	
A. Mosher 6	A Kerr 12
Guards	
G. Toombs	P. Cameron
B. Murley	E. Offer 1
E. Cleveland	J. Clow 1

Immediately after the close of the first game two girls' teams from P. W. C., played a fast and interesting game. The Reds although having the lead for the greater part of the game were overcome in the last moments. The girls play a fast game but hold the ball too much. For their benefit in future games the writer would mention these points in particular, do not hold the ball too long before passing and avoid personal contact. This would make a faster game. Within the last year these two teams have improved wonderfully and the prospects for the future are extra good. All players have the idea of the game well in hand and know where the faults arise. The score and line up:—

REDS	WHITES
Forwards	
F. McMillan	E. MacDonald 12
D. Rodgers	C. Nicholson 6
G. Barbour 2	
Centres	
E. Rattenbury 16	V. Harrington 4
Guards	
R. Stewart	W. McKie
O. White 1	E. Burke

The final score was 22-19 in favor of the Whites. Esther Rattenbury of the Reds who plays a wonderful game and a consistent scorer lead with a total of 16 points.

Next Tuesday night these teams meet again. Come to the Y and judge for yourselves. Will you agree with me or not? Be on hand, its worth your while.

In the first match of the C. N. R. league Roxy's Gang won by default over the Never Sweats who failed to appear. Following is the line up:—

J. Dryden	185	145	218
S. Hood	160	218	175
F. McMillan	122	150	150
E. Warren	122	218	217
	589	731	760

Total 2080.

In the second match the Top Notchers defeated the Rinky Dinks by 350 pins. Sheldon Matheson rolled high single of 288 and high three of 655. Following are the line-ups:—

TOP NOTCHERS			
E. Small	259	115	161
S. Matheson	220	288	147
L. Matheson	155	170	184
R. Duncan	151	126	244
	785	699	736

Total 2220.

RINKY DINKS			
J. Vickerson	184	182	138
H. Woolridge	160	118	143
H. Hyde	148	151	240
C. Small	61	171	174
	553	622	695

Tonight at 7 p. m., Y. M. C. A., vs Oddfellows, and at 8.30 Rovers vs C. N. R., in the city league.

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To preserve all their GOODNESS
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JOHNNY AN... LOUIS NEM... ARE WINNE...

ST. JOHN. N. B., Dec. 3.— Nemis, Halifax, and Boston k... out Herbie Beck, Portland, M... the sixth round of a schedule... round bout at the armories tonight.

In the semi-final Porter Mel... Saint John, scored an impr... knockout over Gordon Paris, John, after less than two m... fighting in the first round.

SPRINGHILL, Dec. 3.—J... Nemis, New Waterford, middle... knocked out Roy Wheelock, Ca... Maine, in the third round in a s... duled ten round bout before a l... crowd Saturday night. The first rounds were about even. Both h... ed some heavy punches, but afte... seconds of fighting in the third r... Nemis caught Wheelock with a... iffic right to the jaw, knocking... out for five minutes. In the... liminaries Young Welsh defeated Ferguson in a three rounder and... Mitchell and B. White went a t... round draw. Ned A. Adams refe... The judges were Ralph Matthe... the singing miner, and Bud Jard...

PICTURES OF HUMAN BODY

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 3—(By The Canadian Press)—X-ray motion pictures of interior views of the human body. This is the latest innovation of the Science of Radiology and the use of the "Cin-ex Camera" was explained tonight by Dr. H. A. Jarre of Grace Hospital, Detroit, Michigan, before the 15th annual convention of the Radiological Society of North America.

More than 800 scientists and physicians who specialize in the use of radium and x-ray are attending the five-day convention. Dr. Jarre said in part. "Until about a year ago we depended upon visual observations and the fluoroscopic screen, but in some x-ray studies the images obtained in this way are too faint and are otherwise not as valuable as they might be. Now we have an apparatus which resembles a moving picture film which shows us many things we could not learn from a still photograph. In the fall of 1928 we first built such an x-ray moving picture machine. We confine our pictures to the rate of one to four per second, while a regular motion picture camera takes 16 shots per second.

"The four bodily organs we have studied most with our camera are (1) Bronchial tubes. In this study we discovered that there is a peculiar rythmic motion phenomena in the tubes during breathing so that in a normal human lung foreign materials and excretions as well as air are expelled by these movements alone. (2) Kidneys and Ureters. In this study we found that these organs too had an interesting cyclic motion. (3) Heart and large blood vessels in the chest were studied as well as the thymus gland. (4) Stomach and intestines.

NEWSPAPER MAN IS HONORED

LONDON, Dec. 3—(By The Canadian Press)—Many compliments have been extended to J. L. Garvin on his completion of 21 years as editor of the Observer. At a luncheon in his honor organised by Evelyn Wrench, Editor of the Spectator, most of the men prominent in the great newspaper organizations of Fleet Street and its neighbourhood were present.

The health of the chief guests was proposed by Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, Foreign Secretary, who claimed the distinction above all the company of having known Mr. Garvin longest. Mr. Henderson was referring to a time 40 years ago, when Mr. Garvin was working in a humble capacity in a Newcastle newspaper

BELIEVES IN UNKNOWN GOD

LONDON, Dec. 3—(British United Press)—Curious funeral directions and views of death were contained in the will of Henry Alfred Wadworth, 77, which was admitted to probate the other day.

The will reads:—

"At death, my body shall be placed in the cheapest decent receptacle and taken in my own trailer and car to the most convenient crematorium to be cremated. My gardener, William Gittos, and my chauffeur will accompany my body and no one else, taking a small box (deal) of about 12 inches each way, to bring back the ashes, which are to be broken up and scattered in my wood at Brainton Court, as were my daughter Alice's ashes in 1901.

"I believe (and some of the leading scientific men of the day assure me that I believe rightly) that at my death, the organic constituents of my body will be quickly converted into carbonic acid and ammonia, and that these gases will by the law of diffusion be at once distributed over the whole world and will help to build other plants and their turn animals, so that in the future every plant and animal in the world will contain an infinitesimal portion of my body.

"The inorganic parts of my body (the phosphates of lime, etc.,) will also be disolved and by the agency of rains, rivers, and ocean currents will also be distributed, but more slowly.

"The energy left in my body at death degraded to heat will quickly leave it and form part of the energy of the universe. This I believe to be the true resurrection of the Dead and the Life Everlasting.

"I believe in God, but, like the God of St. Paul's Greeks, it is an unknown God, as in our present state of development we are incapable of understanding Him, His origin, and some of His laws."

CARDIGAN SCHOOL

November Cardigan School (Primary Grades.)

Grade IV.—1. Ronan McDonald; 2 Rita Sullivan; 3. Lawrence Shepherd; 4. Gladys Redmond.

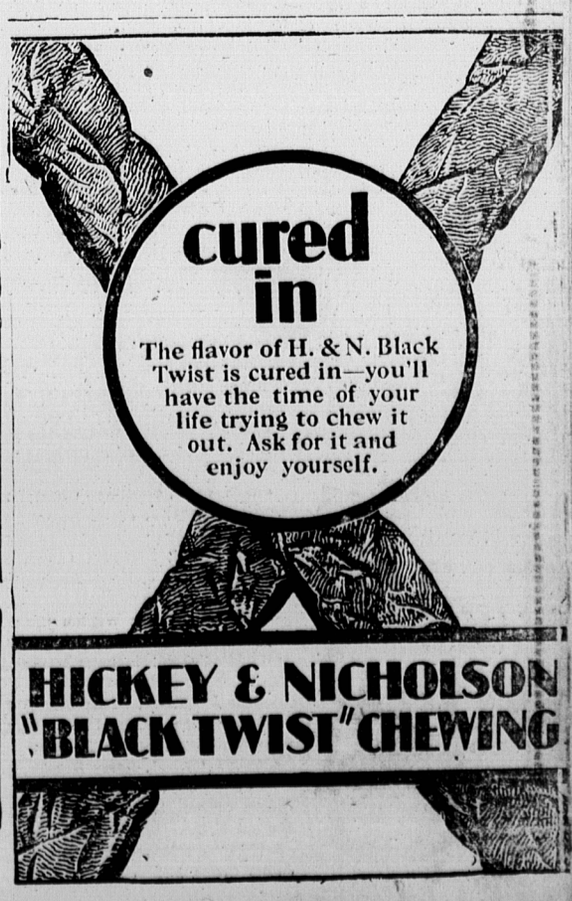
Grade III.—1. Helen McAulay; 2. Mary McSwain.

Grade II.—1. Regis Ryan; 2. Anne Ryan and Clarence Ryan (equal); 3. Ethel Shepherd; 4. Allan Walsh.

Grade IA.—1. Reta Murphy Henry Shepherd.

Grade IB.—1. Joe MacAulay Jean McDonald; 3. Teresa Mur...

Grade IC.—1. Alban Sullivan Hilda Stanley (equal); 2. Tillie Intyre; 3. Norbert McDonald.

Grade ID.—1. Raymond McDor (Teacher) Bernadette Lewis.

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