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Player Heading For Top Honors Though Belated

Detroit's Forward Line Leader And Goal Getter May Issue From Eclipse With Stellar Recognition.

(By Elmer DuMagne)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)
TORONTO, Jan. 21.—A tendency to regard Ralph (Cooney) Welland as "smooth," "slick," or "polished," but not really a great hockey player is diminishing this season among even the most critical observers. It is even rumored here and there that the grey-haired Detroit fellow is the best centre player of the lot this season.

In his prime and, good as Welland undoubtedly was, there was only one Major centre for the Cook brothers of New York Rangers, Boucher took over the all-star role from Morenz in 1933. Perhaps he will be replaced this season by Welland.
Born and raised hockeywise at Seaford, Ont., Welland developed under Bill Hancock, noted Toronto junior coach, when Cooney went to Owen Sound in 1922 to play for the Greys. Welland, Butch Keeling of the Rangers and Teddy Graham of the Red Wings were outstanding on the Owen Sound junior team that won the Canadian championship in 1924. Then to Minneapolis where he played in the American Association as an amateur and later as a pro. He became the most prolific scorer in the mid-west circuit. The Minneapolis defence at that time consisted of Ching Johnson and Taffy Abel, the giants who set a new high for left when they later joined Rangers together.

LEAF SNIPERS INCREASE LEAD

MONTREAL, Jan. 21.—Toronto's great pair of point-makers, Charlie Conacher and Harvey "Busher" Jackson, still further increased their margin over all other snipers in the National Hockey League, statisticians issued tonight by President Frank Calder revealed.
Conacher, who passed Jackson only recently, added six points to his total during the week, now has an aggregate of 36, and is six points in front of his teammate and 11 points ahead of the next best rival, Ralph "Cooney" Welland, centre-line player of Detroit Red Wings.

Speed Skating Ace Loses Leg

(A.P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Jan. 21.—Valentine Bialis, thrice a member of the United States Olympic skating team and a strong contender for next year's competition had his right leg amputated in an automobile-train collision near here today.
The 32-year-old Utica, N. Y., athlete was driving home from Michigan, where he competed in the Olympic tryouts a few days ago. Two companions, John Buehler, 20, of Saranac, N. Y., and Marvin Conover, 30, of Fort Johnson, N. Y., escaped injury as Bialis' car was struck by a nickel plate road train east of here.
Buehler said the car skidded into the crossing as Bialis leaped from the machine but the former Olympic star slipped on the ice and his right leg was severed by a car wheel.
Weak from loss of blood, Bialis was brought to hospital here, where physicians said his condition was critical.

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MINIATURE RIFLE SHOOT

Monday night's shooting was well attended with some high scores. Below is a list of competitors and points made out of 100. Next shoot Friday when teams will shoot in Dominion Marksmen competition.
W. Walsh 99
R. E. Jenkins 96
A. V. Spillet 95
J. S. MacDonald 95
Maj. Conrad 94
K. Burch 94
L. A. McDougall 94
W. Dinnis 93
D. Mayne 93
H. Jamieson 92
J. D. Jenkins 91
W. Seaman 90
S. S. Moore 89
G. Mayne 88
W. A. Jenkins 88
C. Ives 88
Don Grant 82
S. Peoll 71
W. McDonald 70

DOWN THE ALLEYS

"T" BOWLING
Black Ups 2150
Majority for Pees 161
High single, Ladies, Marguerite Oudmore 136.
High two, Olive Houston, M. Oudmore 246.
High single, men, W. Goss 260.
High two, W. Goss 450.

Birthday Greetings

REMEMBER WHEN—
Ten years ago today when the National Hockey League scoring averages were released and showed Cecil "Babe" Day, hard-shooting Toronto St. Pat's right winger, on top with 23 goals. Aurel Joliat, Canadiens, and Cy Denneny, Ottawa, were tied with 19 each. Next in line were Billy Burch, Hamilton, 13; Shorty Green, Hamilton, 12; Harry Broadbent, Montreal, 11; Jack Adams, St. Pat's; Billy Boucher, Canadiens and King Clancy, Ottawa, were tied with 10 each.

ABBIES TO PLAY UNDER C.A.H.A. BANNER

Will Likely Play Series With Halifax Wolverines to Decide Senior A Winner.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
AMHERST, N. S., Jan. 21.—Definite statements the Charlottetown Abegweit would have nothing to do with mercantile hockey were made today by Abegweit officials in a telephone conversation with R. M. Ross, of Amherst, secretary of the Maritime Hockey League.
Still associated with the disorganized amateur league, the Abbies are now preparing for playoffs and possibly Allan Cup play-offs. Col. MacKinnon was seeking particulars about the league championship series, and said both he and manager John Conn of Halifax Wolverines were willing to stage the series at an early date.
League regulations call for a series between the second and third place teams with the winner meeting the team that placed first in the league schedule. However, it is impossible to run off the first bracket since Moncton Hawks and Saint John Beavers withdrew from the league leaving only two teams.

BEAVERS DEFEAT ALL-STARS 5-4

"Dizzy" Desilets Shoots Three Goals and Assists in Fourth.

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 21.—The smallest crowd of the season watched Beavers nose out All-Stars 5-4 tonight as the two Saint John commercial teams opened a new hockey schedule. After lagging in the first 20 minutes play was very fast during the last two periods.
"Dizzy" Desilets, who shot three goals for All-Stars, made the outstanding play of the game by scoring unassisted from the blue line in the second period. "Skeet" Kuhn in the Beavers game, didn't get near the shot. Desilets, with Ray Gettiffe, assisted "Duke" Campbell for the All-Stars' other goal.
"Beck" Donald aided by Medinski and Joe Shields, tallied twice in the first period. He helped Shields to dent the draperies in the second, when All-Stars scored three. Donald shot another Beaver goal in the third period and "Tee" Houston also tallied against the All-Stars.

LINE-UPS
Beavers: Goal: Kuhn; Defence: Walker, Drayner; Centre: Donald, Monson; Right Wing: Medinski, Sherwood; Left Wing: Houston, Archer, Shields.
All-Stars: Goal: Wilson; Defence: Renaud, Smith; Centre: Gettiffe; Right wing: Marshall, Desilets; Left Wing: Campbell, Kelly.
Referee: "Nig" Bremmenan.
SUMMARY
First Period
1—Beavers, Donald (Medinski) 1.09.
2—Beavers, Donald (Shields) 12.46.
3—All-Stars, Desilets (Gettiffe) 16.04.
Penalties: Walker, Medinski, Campbell.
Second Period
4—All-Stars, Campbell (Desilets, Gettiffe) 2.35.
5—Beavers, Shields (Donald) 7.32.
6—All-Stars, Desilets 17.13.
7—All-Stars, Desilets (Renaud) 18.38.
Penalties: Monson, McCabe.
Third Period
8—Beavers, Houston (Sherwood, Donald, Medinski) 10.02.
9—Beavers, Donald (Medinski, Shields) 19.25.
Penalties: Sherwood, Walker.
Goal Saves
Kuhn 6 14 17 37
Wilson 9 18 10 38.
HOCKEY
CHALLENGE
We the "Down-East Heart Breakers" do hereby challenge the "West-End Rangers" or the Holy Redeemer Altar Boys, to a friendly game of hockey, any time suitable to both teams. Goals: H. Hennessey; Defence: R. Hogan and L. Dolron; forwards: Chas. Michael, R. Flanagan, A. Conway, E. Trainer, P. Doyle and E. Michael.
REG. FLANAGAN, Captain.

SPORTRAITS



James, Miller Receive Enticing Pro Offers

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
MONCTON, Jan. 21.—The New Brunswick inter-city "Big Three" campaign here Wednesday night, it was authoritatively stated tonight by officials of the Moncton Hawks following a meeting of the directors of the Moncton Exhibition Association, lessee of the stadium, home of the Hawks.
Three teams are entered in the circuit, Saint John All-Stars, Saint John Beavers and Moncton Hawks. The All-Stars and Hawks clash here in the opener.
In the meantime Bill Miller, captain of the local squad is speeding toward Montreal where he will meet officials of the Montreal Maroons, in connection with a player contract for the balance of the winter. Miller, before leaving tonight, would not state he had any intention of turning professional and intimated that he would be back in Moncton by Friday.
"Just going to Montreal for the trip," he said, when queried here tonight. It was learned however that the terms offered by Maroons for the services of the big utility ace were such that it will be pretty hard to turn them down.
Dud James, another star of the Hawks, is considering an entirely new offer. The Syracuse Stars, the club Bill Gill joined last week. The Syracuse club engaged James in conversation over long distance telephone today and it is understood the original terms have been raised in an effort to lure the clever centre star to the New York State club.
Now that Hawks have decided to enter the new "Big Three" loops, Albert Medinski, Charlie Marshall and Duke Campbell, recent "imports" who have been playing in Saint John for the past several days, will re-join the Hawks at once.

PARIS DRESSMAKERS RESENT DICTATORSHIP

PARIS, Jan. 21.—The dress-makers of Paris rebelled today against the "dictatorial policy" of their own protective organization, the Paix.
The revolt is the ranks, breaking out on the eve of the spring fashion shows, was inspired by what some of the style designers regarded as too severe regulations imposed by the association.
Two famous dressmakers left the association in the course of the disension. Marcel Roches was voted out for his assertions of independence and Patou followed him by resigning.
The restrictions which raised the complaint were intended to protect Parisian designers against pirating of their models.

U.S. FORWARDS APOLOGY

Formal Note Dispatched to Dominion Government Re "I'm Alone" Sinking.
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The next to last chapter of the story of the sinking of the rum runner "I'm Alone" by an American coast guard cutter was written today when Secretary of State Cordell Hull dispatched a formal note of apology to the Canadian Government.
The last chapter will be written in the form of the amount, \$50,000, to be paid to the Canadian Government and the captain and crew of the ship.
Hull, in the note, informed Canada he was already taking steps to secure the appropriation by Congress of the amount. He recommended the joint Canadian-American commission as damages.
Addressed to Hon. William Duncanson, the Canadian Minister to Washington, the note resulted from findings by the joint commission that, despite the fact the "I'm Alone" was engaged in rum running, its sinking by the coast guard cutter Dexter was unlawful.
"The Government of the United States," Hull wrote, "tenders to His Majesty's Canadian Government an apology for the sinking of the vessel."

STEWART'S DEFEATED BY L. P. U.

In a penalty studied encounter that saw fifteen players take trips to the box, the L. P. U. entry in the City Hockey League retained their first place position when they defeated Stewart's Bakery 4-1 at the Arena last night.
After a scoreless first period D. Gillis accounted for the winners first goal with a rink length dash, and with Stewart's having two men on the bench, the fourth marker in "Sinners pen" G. Gillis kept the scoring in the family on a gang attack.
From a mixup in front of the Bakery net shortly after the start of the final session Bryanston sent the L. P. U. into a 3-0 lead with two minutes later on a long heave from the blueline, the Bakery goalie never seeing the disc until it rustled the times behind him.
Working like trojans to avert a shutout the losers were finally rewarded in the closing stages. Harry Richardson breaking from his defence position weaved his way through the entire L. P. U. team and his pass out from the corner found a taker with Fred Whalen hanging it behind Bill Ryan in the winners cage.
As the penalties attest too, it was a rugged game as both defences spilled incoming forwards with lusty bodying from the opening gong.
Lineups:—
L. P. U.—Goal, Ryan; defence: B. Lawlor, MacDonald; forwards: Lund, Hughes, Sherran; Stanley, Bryanston, D. Gillis G. Gillis.
Stewart's: Goal, Hennessey; defence: Richardson, MacLellan; forwards: Blancheard, Smith, Nickerson, Whalen, R. Cairns, Oudmore, L. Cairns.
SUMMARY
First Period
No score.
Penalties—Bums, Lawlor, Lund.
Second Period
1—L. P. U., D. Gillis (unassisted) 2—L. P. U., G. Gillis (unassisted).
Penalties: Hughes, Oudmore, Lund, Cairns, Nickerson, D. Gillis, Blancheard, Lawlor.
Third Period
3—L. P. U., Bryanston (unassisted).
4—L. P. U., Lawlor (unassisted).
5—Stewart's, Whalen (Richardson).
Penalties—Hughes (4), MacLellan, Lawlor.
Referee—M. Diamond.

Not Invincible But Leafs Good At Half-Season

Scoring To Date Indicates Toronto Is Team To Beat. It May Be Various Combinations For Stanley Cup.

(By Elmer DuMagne)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)
TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Just past the halfway mark of a National Hockey League season that threatens for many weeks to be one big headache, there are signs of great relief from all quarters. Toronto's Maple Leafs aren't going to make it such a runaway race after all.
By handling the Leafs with extreme care, checking the daylight in out of a team that prefers wide-open travelling, the rival powers have found a method of making it tough for the machine that got away to a remarkable flying start. The Leafs probably will go into the playoffs as favorites.
One-half of the 44-game schedule has proved that much. There is no better-put-together hockey machine than the Leafs. It has also brought out these points:
That Tommy Gorman's Montreal Maroons just might beat out Toronto in the Canadian season.
That Eddie Shore is coming back to the heights he once occupied. He is bringing Boston Bruins with him.
That Chicago Black Hawks, strangely enough, remain a formidable brigade without that great defence trio—the late Chuck Gardiner, Lionel Conacher and Roger Jenkins.
That Howie Morenz in Chicago has showed distinct signs of becoming a menace, doubtless a growing menace as the season develops.
That such oldsters as King Clancy, Bill Cook, Lionel Conacher, Ralph McVey, Aurel Joliat, Ching Johnson and Sylvio Mantha have slipped—some of them quite a little.
That when the 44-game business is all over, it may be Leafs-Maroons for the Stanley Cup, Leafs-Boston, Maroons-Boston or any of several other combinations.

NIKES LOSE TO MONTREAL HOOP TEAM

City Team Makes Much Better Showing in Final Half, After Disastrous Opening Period.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
MONTREAL, Jan. 21.—Charlottetown Nikes, women's basketball team, were beaten 28-11 by Canadian Pacific Railway inter-mediate in an exhibition game here tonight.
The Montreal girls ran up a quick lead in the first half over Alice Purcell Kane's visiting team from Prince Rupert, B.C., and led 21-0 at the halfway mark. The Maritime girls evolved a better defence against the C. P. R. scoring thrusters in the second half and were able to hold the winners to six points against their own additions.
The final score was 28-11, with eight points each. Stewart, with Bubs Mallett led P. E. I. sharpshooters with seven points.
Summary:—
Charlottetown: Bubs Mallett, F.; Charlotown: F. O.; Alice Purcell Kane F. O.; Blancheard Conway, F. O.; Lucy Campbell, C. 2; Babs Paquette, C. O.; Isabel Paquette, G. 2; Terry McFasae, C. O.; Gertrude Doyle, G. O.; Mary Duffy, F. O.; Dot Robinson, G. O.
Montreal: Edith Stewart, F. 8; Phyllis Forth, F. 2; Doris Coombs, F. 2; Phyllis Forth, F. 2; Nellie Stratford, F. O.; E. Garner, C. 2; K. Farke, G. 2; E. Line, G. O.; Isabel Squires, G. 4; L. Quinn, C. O.
SUMMARY
First Period
No score.
Penalties—Bums, Lawlor, Lund.
Second Period
1—L. P. U., D. Gillis (unassisted) 2—L. P. U., G. Gillis (unassisted).
Penalties: Hughes, Oudmore, Lund, Cairns, Nickerson, D. Gillis, Blancheard, Lawlor.
Third Period
3—L. P. U., Bryanston (unassisted).
4—L. P. U., Lawlor (unassisted).
5—Stewart's, Whalen (Richardson).
Penalties—Hughes (4), MacLellan, Lawlor.
Referee—M. Diamond.

Announce Dates Of Golf Tourney

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
TORONTO, Jan. 21.—A committee in charge of the open golf tournament to be held at the Look-out Point Golf and Country Club, matrons who sat down with 125 female women for the homely fare of "mulligan."
and sunk off the coast of Louisiana on March 22, 1929, after it allegedly had been discovered, at tempting to land liquor on American territory.

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