

Kensington Man To Head P. E. I. Lawn Tennis Association

New National Racing Group Is Planned

TORONTO, June 26 (CP) — Willie Morrissey, president of the Ontario Division of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, said today the Association will form a national body before June 28.

He said he hopes formation of the National Association will curb the power of the Incorporated Canadian Racing Association. He felt the I.C.R.A., representing race track owners, has "too much power" over Canadian racing.

Representatives of the three present Canadian divisions of the H.B.P.A. — Ontario, Prairie and British Columbia — attended the annual meeting of the United States body in Miami this year. The U.S. authorities agreed that their rules are not acceptable in Canada because of the different racing seasons.

The delegates drew up more acceptable rules and have had them approved by the Canadian divisions. The constitution now requires the approval of the U.S. body.

Morrissey described the H.B.P.A. as an organization in favor of "anything for the betterment of racing."

Bob Feller's Status Remains Uncertain

WASHINGTON, May 26 (AP) — The status of Bob Feller is as uncertain as ever.

Nobody is willing to say just when the famous Cleveland cavalier will be able to pitch again. Bob himself refused to give a date. "One thing is sure—the 30-year-old hurler is definitely not ready now, not even for relief."

In the clubhouse after last night's game, Rapid Robert glumly said: "I haven't won a game since May 7 and it looks like the next one I win will be after July 4."

"I'm going to take a rest. That's about the only thing that will help me."

Bob, one of baseball's all-time greats who has won 177 and lost 98 in 10 years in the American League, got off to the worst start of his career this year. His record is one victory against three losses.

Feller has been suffering from a pulled muscle.

VIC'S BASEBALL PRACTICE

All players are requested to be on hand at an important practice tonight at the K. C. Diamond at 8 o'clock.

ABEGWEIT BALL PRACTICE

A ball practice for all members of the Abegweit team will be held at Memorial Field at 5:30 tonight. In preparation for Sunday's exhibition game with Summerside Curran and Briggs.

NOTICE TO RACE HORSE OWNERS

The starting gate will be available on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week at 10 o'clock on the Charlottetown track for parties who would like to get their horses accustomed to the gate before race day. Special arrangements can be made with William MacAusland at track.

IN PERSON AT KINSMEN SPRING CARNIVAL



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Senators In 5-4 Win Over Cleveland Indians

By The Canadian Press

Washington, May 26 (AP) — The Senators yesterday (Thursday) mauled Gene Bearden for five runs in the first three innings to defeat Cleveland Indians 5-4 while in the only other American League game, Boston Red Sox triumphed 7-5 over last place St. Louis Browns.

Detroit at New York was postponed due to rain.

Larry Doby lifted the Indians to a 2-0 lead in the first inning with his sixth homer of the year after Joe Gordon had doubled.

Al Evans' single after Eddie Robinson had been hit by a pitched ball and Sam Denté had walked gave the Senators a run in the second inning, and they got two more when Ed Stewart singled after John Simon walked.

A walk to Lou Bourreau, Gordon's single and Doby's long fly tied the score at 3-3 in the third, but Washington retained with a two-run outburst in its half of the inning.

Dale Mitchell's single, a walk to Ken Keltner and Mickey Vernon's single gave the Indians their final run in the sixth.

The game was called at the end of the first half of the eighth inning to allow both teams to catch their breath.

Boston Red Sox took full advantage of an error and a close play at second base by scoring four unearned runs in the eighth inning. The victory gave the Sox a firmer grip on third place.

The Browns had gone ahead 5-3 in their half of the eighth when they drove out starter Mel Pusey.

The St. Louis starter, Ned Garver, seemed on his way to his third victory after disposing of the first two batters in the eighth.

But a live catch by Bearden, bounded a single into center field. Birdie Tebbets followed with a line single into left. Tom O'Brien, batting for the reliever and winner, hit a home run.

Maggio then drilled the ball toward shortstop.

Zarilla raced home. Lou Stringer, running for Tebbets, did everything.

The St. Louis pitcher was enough to make the St. Louis shortstop bobble the ball. All hands were safe as the run scored on the error.

Johnny Pesky then banged one toward center field. Gerry Priddy made a great barchanded stop and threw a live ball to the pitcher.

Jim Maguire, however, was ruled safe as Stringer scored the tying run.

Red Williams then came through with a live single into right for the winning runs.

Bedeque Softball League Is Formed

A meeting was held at Bedeque Rink yesterday to organize a softball league, to be known as the Bedeque Rink Softball League. Mr. James Clark presided and the following districts were represented, each deciding to enter a team: Fernwood, Bedeque, Freshwater and North Carleton.

The first game will be played Monday, May 30 at 7:15 between North Carleton and Fernwood. At that time all teams will submit their lists of players. Additional teams wishing to enter the league will receive consideration at the conclusion of the game.

Sport Echoes From Prince County

Two baseball seasons ago Russ Phaneuf made a spectacular catch that won a very important game from Charlottetown. On May 24, 1949, he came through in another pinch with the stakes not quite so high. With two out and the score tied at 13 to 13 (No. 11 wasn't basketball) in the game with St. Joseph's, Russ stepped to the plate and drove out a clean single driving in the run that won and stopped the ball game. The dyed-in-the-wool fans who cheered at the sidelines were almost as grateful to Phaneuf for stopping the game as for winning it.

And say, is the weatherman who predicted 65 degrees Fahrenheit for Prince Edward Island on Victoria Day still at large? In figuring out the square root, reckon the meteorological boys are doing the best they can at that, but May is the most fickle jade on the calendar.

Catching a high fly in those games on Victoria Day was like tucking a tornado in your vest pocket. The boys just couldn't get under the elusive pill as it twisted its way to earth. Throwing players out at first was no picnic either. A lot of errors were made in short field, but we personally wouldn't be too much inclined to charge it up to the players concerned. Not till we see him work on a decent day for playing ball anyway.

The cold windy weather didn't stop General "Joe" Bernard from standing sixteen men Bennewick batters on their respective heads, however. Not quite so effective in the first frame, he was the same when he flung them when he really went to work. He struck out Cormier, St. Joseph's clean up batter three times out of four, and the big fellow managed to get to first the other time because of an infield error. The St. Joseph scorer told us that Cormier was a much feared hitter, he did slam out a homer in the second game, but he was ducked solo to "Joe" Bernard. Joe allowed three hits in the first inning, but only three more for the remaining five he worked.

Cece Powell was also very effective in the short time that he worked. In 2 1/3 innings he didn't allow a hit and struck out three batters. His home run and triple were quite a contribution to the attack too.

Both Powell and Bernard are considerably above average as outfielders when they're not on the mound. They can snag flies with the best and they swing a shillelagh with a lot of authority. This makes them very valuable ballplayers on any club.

Bob Schurman and Henry Gallant are hitting 1.000 in the last two office meetings playing with the Halifax St. Mary's in the "Big Four" hockey last winter as a member of the St. Joseph's club team, playing short stop and pitching in the afternoon game, and holding down third base in the nighttime. He is a pretty fair ballplayer too.

It is rumored that a Summerside baseball team composed largely of juveniles will enter the Prince County Baseball League.

Baseball Standings

(Canadian Press)

| American League | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|-----------------|-----|------|------|
| New York | 22 | 10 | .688 |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 15 | .571 |
| Boston | 17 | 15 | .531 |
| Washington | 17 | 17 | .500 |
| Chicago | 17 | 16 | .515 |
| Detroit | 16 | 18 | .471 |
| Cleveland | 12 | 17 | .414 |
| St. Louis | 10 | 25 | .286 |

Games Friday: St. Louis at Detroit (N); Chicago at Cleveland (N); Philadelphia at New York (N); Washington at Boston (N).

National League

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|--------------|----|----|------|
| Boston | 20 | 14 | .588 |
| New York | 19 | 14 | .576 |
| Brooklyn | 19 | 15 | .559 |
| Cincinnati | 18 | 15 | .545 |
| Philadelphia | 15 | 17 | .469 |
| St. Louis | 15 | 17 | .469 |
| Pittsburgh | 14 | 21 | .400 |
| Chicago | 12 | 19 | .387 |

International League

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|-------------|----|----|------|
| Jersey City | 19 | 10 | .655 |
| Buffalo | 17 | 11 | .607 |
| Toronto | 19 | 17 | .528 |
| Montreal | 15 | 14 | .517 |
| Rochester | 17 | 18 | .486 |
| Newark | 12 | 14 | .462 |
| Syracuse | 11 | 19 | .367 |
| Baltimore | 11 | 19 | .367 |

Games Friday: Rochester at Montreal; Buffalo at Toronto; Syracuse at Newark; Jersey City at Baltimore, (all night).

Plans For Robinson, Gavilan Bout In June Fall Through

NEW YORK, May 26 (AP) — Negotiations for a welterweight championship fight at the Polo Grounds June 17 between Ray Robinson and Kid Gavilan of Cuba fell through at the last minute today because of a disagreement over radio and television rights.

Robinson and his representatives refused to sign because of the Madison Square Garden, the promoter, should "yield" the rights to them.

Kinsmen Plan For Carnival Week

The final arrangements were made for carnival week and considerable discussion on several projects was carried on at last night's meeting of the Kinsmen Club at the Charlottetown. Chairman for the meeting was Mr. Robert MacDermid.

Reports of the various committees were given. Following is a summary of the report of Younger Girl's Camp held last August under the sponsorship of the Kinsmen Club. 30 girls selected from Rochford Square, West Kent and Prince Street Schools attended the camp. The Kiwanis Club provided for the board of five girls from Mount Herbert Orphanage. They did likewise to St. Vincent's Orphanage on the occasion of the Girl Guides Camp at Rustico.

The girls spent a week at the Holland Cove Y.M.C.A. camp site accompanied by camp leaders. There was no evidence of homesickness and each girl thoroughly enjoyed herself. The chairman of the camp committee, Mrs. Harry Cudmore, thanked the members of the Kinsmen Club for their help and confidence.

Behaviour Of Red Troops Aids Cause

By Anna Landman

SHANGHAI, May 26 (AP) — Behavior of Communist troops here makes clear one reason why the Reds are winning the war. The Communists have made a

Open Golf Tourney Planned Here August 4-5

At a meeting of the high-handicap golfers of the City last night, it was decided that an Open Tournament would be held on August the 4th and 5th. The tournament will be open to all golfers with a club handicap of 20 and higher. It will be an invitation meet and it is expected that a large band of high-handicap golfers will take part in this special tournament.

The following officers were elected last night: Howard McInnis, chairman; Gordon Hutchinson, secretary; Thomas Mitchell, treasurer; and Stewart Moore and Gordon Macdonald, also being elected to round out the executive.

The local club sponsored a High-Handicap Tournament last year that was open to all high-handicap golfers who had a high-handicap. The meet was a complete success and it is hoped that another one will be held this year.

Enthusiastic Tennis Season Expected At Summerside

Summerside tennis enthusiasts are looking forward to a busy season on the local courts this summer. There would appear to be a definite increase in interest taken in the game among the younger set as well as the more mature devotees.

On Monday evening an organization meeting will be held in the Summerside Armories to which all players are invited as well as anyone else interested in the game.

Forum Annual Meeting Held Last Evening

The annual meeting of the Charlottetown Forum Ltd. was held last evening. A very comprehensive report of the year's activities was presented by the president, Dr. I.J. Yeo. The financial statement was submitted by the secretary-treasurer, A.C. Sinclair. Due to increasing costs the financial statement was not nearly as good as on previous years.

A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to the president and secretary-treasurer for their attention to the affairs of the company throughout the year.

Resolutions of regret and appreciation were inscribed in the minutes because of the death of the former secretary-treasurer, H.S. Henderson, and director J.W. Butler.

The following officers were elected: honorary president, W.R. Aitken; president, Dr. I.J. Yeo; vice-president, T.W.L. Foster; secretary-treasurer, Ivan Sinclair. Directors include, in addition to officers, the following: J.E. Harris, W.R. Aitken, Lt.-Col. D.A. MacKinnon, A.C. Sinclair, Ivan Sinclair, J.P. Skrimson, W.L. MacEachern, H.H. Horne.

No Changes In Chicago Cubs

CHICAGO, May 26 (AP) — There will be no changes either in the field or office management of Chicago Cubs, owner P. K. Wrigley said today after a two-hour meeting with five key officials of the club.

Wrigley chose to keep his top hands and to look elsewhere for answers to the question "what's wrong with the Cubs?"

The question, Wrigley found, has lost some of its urgency because the Cubs looked good in twice defeating New York Giants after losing five straight in the National League.

"We've been in a slump," he said, "but we're coming out of it."

good first impression on Shanghai. An anti-Communist merchant related how he saw a Communist soldier eating a bowl of dry rice. A bottle offered the soldier a glass of boiling water which is a poor substitute for tea.

The soldier declined the water and lectured the coolie and crowd which gathered on how the Peoples Liberation (Communist) Army never takes anything from the public. He said he would go to a hot water shop and quench his thirst.

Other Communist soldiers declined the use of beds, preferring the sidewalk. They said they did not want to impose on the public. Their attitude toward foreigners is impersonal but correct.

The National soldiers in the last few weeks have been looting and Shanghai residents generally have been afraid of them.

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(Called to allow teams to catch trains).

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IDEA: If you graduate this year why not twist Dad's arm slightly by dropping this advertisement in his breakfast table.

Dear Pop I know you plan to give me a graduation present. Watch Because you're a right guy. How about making it a self-shopping self-honing Rolls Razor Son

STOP RELINE NOW WITH Johns-Manville Brake Lining SAFE!

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