

DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

This month has been one of the greatest harness racing months of all time, with big races held in the United States and Canada. Every harness horse paper we pick up contains stirring accounts of turf battles stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

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SPORTING NEWS

Watchim Breaks Mar. Record At St. Stephen

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Aug. 25 - (CP) - Watchim, owned by Frank Adams, Halifax, lowered the Maritime trotting record for stallions of 2:07 1-4 to 2:06 3-4 in winning the Free-For-All at today's harness racing meet here.

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Rain proved a friend indeed to the Navy squad Thursday night when it halted their second play-off game with the Aircrafmen.

If ever a team seemed headed to make it two straight in the play-off series it was the Aircrafmen.

Of course the Aircrafmen have been particularly active at this time during the entire season. They are easily the hardest hitting team in the league with several on their lineup of power hitters and are fact has atoned for errors they have made defensively.

The Navy team were the direct opposite both in the field and at the foot when a first inning error paved the way for the first two runs.

But their hitting has been weak ever since the play-off started. However their light fielding displayed both in the outfield and infield have kept them right in the thick of things and have shown themselves to be opportunists of the first order whenever a break came their way.

They could gain a lot of confidence with a victory in tomorrow's game but should the Aircrafmen come through with an Associated Press victory, they are very likely to terminate the series.

Only veteran fans will remember when it was possible to discuss St. Louis Browns this late in the season without first making an apology.

But the Browns are at the top of the heap today and most expert observers have virtually conceded them the pennant. As far as we know none of the prognosticators who are predicting a pennant for them in the opening game tomorrow night.

Only Ed Larrow, president of the Yankees, appeared to think of the Browns as a threat, and he gave as his reason the presence of Luke Sewell as manager.

He has taken hurlers like Galehouse and Fetter, and made wins with other clubs, and made wins



Field paymasters of the Canadian Army follow the troops right into the front lines to the boys a newly dug trench, somewhere in France. (Canadian Army Overseas Photo).

K. Of C. Tennis Schedule For This Week-End

Following is the week-end schedule for the Knights of Columbus tennis tournament:

SATURDAY'S MATCHES: 6:30 P. M. L. Hessian and Mary Mitchell vs. W. McMillan and J. Feavour.

They will have to play a high class brand of ball all the way if they are to do so. Aircrafmen are the favorites in their service.

Remember when Helen Willis Moody detailed to the United States for Forest Hills, N. Y., 11 years ago today.

Joe Williams had some interesting remarks to make about Sewell recently. The World Telegram sports editor was out in Ohio when Sewell first came up from Alabama to join the Indians under Tris Speaker.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND A CANNING DEMONSTRATION AND FIELD DAY SPONSORED BY THE DIVISION OF ILLUSTRATION STATIONS EXPERIMENTAL FARMS SERVICES

Canning demonstration to be held at ALLSTON on the Illustration Station operated by MR. T. ALBERT HICKEN, on MONDAY, AUGUST 28th, at 6 p. m.

New Record For 10,000 Metre Run

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 26 - (AP) - A dispatch from Helsinki tonight said Lipo Heino, a Finn, surpassed the world record for the 10,000-metre run today with a clocking of 29 minutes, 35.4 seconds.

The Experts Say By The Canadian Press OTTAWA, Aug. 24 - (CP) - CORRY-ON-THE-COB is a revered Old North American dish which comes into its very own every August and September.

FRESH TOMATOES: No matter how good canned tomatoes and tomato juice seems during the winter months, they are never equal to the flavor of luscious ripe tomatoes fresh from the garden.

FALL HOUSECLEANING: Although you wouldn't think it by the name, fall housecleaning is actually the best time to clean up.

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Supervisors. J. A. CLARK, LEO M. CASSERLY, Supervisor.

American Derby Scheduled Today

CHICAGO, Aug. 26 - (AP) - The American Derby, which will have its 35th renewal at Washington Park tomorrow, shapes up as a duel between Pensive, Kentucky, and Jimminy, currently the three-year-old stake champion of the east.

NATIONAL Philadelphia 3, Boston 7 Cincinnati 2, Chicago 0 AMERICAN New York 4, Washington 2 Boston 4, Philadelphia 9 Chicago 2, Cleveland 10 Newark 2, Baltimore 4 Montreal 2, Toronto 3 Rochester 10, Buffalo 6

Report Gen. Von Kluge Killed STOCKHOLM, Aug. 26 - (Saturday AP) - Gen. G. von Kluge, German Gen. Guenther Von Kluge has been killed, the newspaper Dagens Nyheter said today on the basis of information received from Germany.

Nazi Chances Of Using V-2 Bomb Are Decreasing

WITH THE R. A. F. IN NORMANDY, Aug. 25 - (CP-Reuters) - German chances of using their V-2 weapon - supposedly a cruise flying bomb - are decreasing.

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Y. M. C. A. Swimming Class Demonstration

The pupils of the Y.M.C.A. swimming class held their annual demonstration yesterday afternoon at Brighton Beach.

On Tuesday of next week the various tests will be held for the following awards: Bronze Button, Silver Button, and Gold Button for swimming and the Bronze Medal for life saving.

Famous Racing Schooner To Go On New Service GLOUCESTER, MASS., Aug. 26 - (AP) - The famous racing schooner, the 115-ton, 11-masted schooner, the "Theodore," will leave for the north Atlantic waters to enter the treacherous waters between Florida and the larger islands of the Caribbean.

Softball Challenge We, the members of the Knights of Columbus All-Stars softball team, do hereby challenge the St. Stephen's All-Stars softball team to an exhibition game to be played at Victoria Park on the City League softball diamond Sunday evening at 6:30.

Mixed Foursomes Planned For This Afternoon Mixed two-ball foursomes will be played this afternoon over the Victoria Park Golf Club starting at 2 o'clock.

Standing In Horseshoe Club Tourney In the Brighton Horse Shoe Club tournament now underway it is expected that place will be completed over the William Weatherbe Club. The standings to date are as follows: (in percentages)

Airmen And Navy Meet Again Sunday Navy and Aircrafmen meet in the second game of the City League playdowns at the park diamond at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon with the Airmen leading one game to nothing as a result of their opening game victory on Tuesday night.

VERSATILE JEEP KANDY, Ceylon - (CP) - A jeep was used by two officers of a Gold Coast field company to transport supplies down the Kalanar River in Burma.

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