

Pyle And McCluskey Win Bouts

HALIFAX, June 12—(CP)—Following Joe Pyle, the New Waterford, N.S., knockout artist, hammered Irish Jimmy Mooney of Moncton, N. B., to the canvas in two minutes and five seconds of the fifth round here tonight in a 10-round main bout billed as a "Maritime welterweight title match."

Pyle put the lights out for the Moncton battler with a looping left hand smash to the chin which landed near the beltline. Mooney at 147, outweighed his negro opponent by five pounds.

The contest for Mooney after Pyle opened up in the fourth heat to pummel the New Brunswick boy about the ring with a series of right hand blows that drove Mooney half way through the ropes and down for a six count before the bell saved him.

Pyle continued his offensive in the opening minutes of the fifth frame and had Mooney groggy and bleeding at the mouth before applying the flasher. The knockout punch caused a commotion around the ring as fans swarmed about the roped square protesting that the final blow was low. Most ring-side observers thought the punch had landed just about on the beltline.

For the first three rounds the bout was fairly even with Mooney using a hobbling and weaving style to keep away from numerous hay-makers thrown by the dusky Pyle. The first heat was taken away from Pyle for a low blow.

A Canadian Press correspondent Mooney with the second and gave the third to Pyle. Pyle earned the fourth by a wide margin.

McCluskey Easy Winner

In the semi-final bout on the card that drew a capacity house of more than 7,000 fans, Bertie (Ace) McCluskey, Dartmouth, N. S., 154, won an easy six-round decision over Gene Outmet 147, of Montreal.

French-Canadian battler from the Quebec metropolis, handicapped by McCluskey's seven-pound pull in the weights, gave a name display as he came back from four knockdowns in the early rounds to stage a rally in the final heat.

McCluskey floored Outmet with a short right chop to the chin in the second for a six count and a hectic third round saw the Montrealer hit the deck three times. This seemed to fire McCluskey as much as Outmet as he slowed down considerably in the last three rounds. Outmet appeared a little fresher in the last frame and opened a bad cut under the Dartmouth fighter's right eye.

Feller Cools Hot Bats Of Boston Sox

By The Canadian Press

Pitching at his own request, rapid Robert Feller cooled off the steaming Red Sox by walking Cleveland Indians in the first frame yesterday before 33,534 American League fans, Fenway Park's largest crowd of the season.

While snapping the league-leading western club to its first tri-Feiler made the slugging Soxkers

MATINEE RACES RIVERSIDE

June 19 - WEDNESDAY - June 19

Four Classified Races

Races Start at 2 O'clock Sharp (Daylight Saving)

The opening race meet of the 1946 season will be held on Wednesday, 19th June, at the Riverside Track.

Considerable work has been done on the track this Spring including "built up turns" and every effort made to have it in perfect condition for this season's campaigning.

Parking space all around the upper turn has been cleared and spectators can sit comfortably in their cars and have a clear view of the race-track.

Added features at the race track include the serving of meals and refreshments at the grounds; loud speaker announcing system; pari-mutuel betting.

One of the beauty spots on the Island. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this Matinee race card.

Provision is made for horsemen to get their meals on the grounds at 11 o'clock the day of the race.

Several of the horses started in the New Glasgow \$2,000 Purse Stake will be starters in this race.

Race horse owners are reminded to have their eligibility certificates. Failure to have certificates will necessarily eliminate participation in the races.

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Entries Close 15 June

No Entrance Fee—Oats will be Given as Premiums.

J. LEO PRAUGHT,
Secretary and Manager,
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Baseball Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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| New York | 100 000 010 2 5 4 |
| Cincinnati | 001 010 10x 3 4 0 |
| Koslo, Kraus and Cooper; Walters and Lamanna. | |

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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| St. Louis | 000 000 000 1 0 1 |
| Washington | 000 000 000 0 7 0 |
| (10 Innings) | |
| Kramer and Helf; Newsum and Evans. | |
| Cleveland | 210 020 110 7 12 1 |
| Boston | 000 001 001 2 9 1 |
| Peller and Hayes; Bagby, Brown, Dreisewerd, Heflin, Ryba, and H. Wagner. | |
| Detroit | 102 200 010 6 11 3 |
| New York | 301 001 000 5 9 1 |
| Trout and Swift; Marshall, Page, Murphy and Dickey. | |

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

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| Toronto | 300 202 002 9 17 2 |
| Syracuse | 011 010 020 5 8 3 |
| Jordan and Cronquist; Frenckgast, Wittig and Just. | |
| First game— | |
| Montreal | 000 1010 2 5 1 |
| Jersey City | 011 500x 7 12 3 |
| Hathaway, Kehn, Partlow, Gahard and Howell; Kash and Grasso. | |
| Buffalo | 010 000 007 8 10 0 |
| Baltimore | 100 000 000 1 3 2 |
| (10 Innings) | |
| Horton and Tabaschek; Podgajnyj and Kahn. | |
| Newark | 001000 001001 4 7 4 |
| Rochester | 030000 000010 3 9 4 |
| (13 Innings) | |
| Gardner, L. Moore, Mikan, Sakas and Hockenberry; Dubiel, Makosky and Berra, Garbark. | |

Second game—

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| Montreal | 300 001 (13:30) 28 17 1 |
| Jersey City | 010 210 0 30 8 16 2 |
| Laga, Louder and Franks; Andrews, Mellis, Jungles, Fowler, Grissom and Becker. | |

Island Racing Circuit Club Holds Meeting; President Re-elected

The annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Racing Circuit Club was held in the City Hall last evening. Among those present were: George A. Calbeck, D. E. MacLeod, Lt.-Col. J. P. Hooper, Clifford MacDonald, Harry Murphy, J. W. Boulter, Rankine McLane, J. Leo in Braxton, owner of Charlie Budlong, 101 points; \$6.00 to Harold Stead, owner of O. U. Volo, 80 points; \$5.00 to Lt.-Col. F. Hooper, owner of Shirley H. Temple, 86 points.

Lt.-Col. MacDonald, official scorer, explained that O. U. Volo and Shirley H. Temple were tied for third place, so third and fourth money was divided between them.

He explained that the rule for scoring, adopted in 1943, was that points would be made up on the basis of places won in heats as follows: five points for first; three points for second; two points for third; and one point for fourth. The prizes will be awarded for purse races only.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Following was the text of the report submitted by the president, Mr. Calbeck:

"It is a pleasure to greet you here again at the beginning of another season and to make a report to you on the activities of the past year. As we look back on it we can certainly consider 1945 most successful racing season. It started at Summerside July 2nd, then to Montague July 15th, Covehead July 18th, Riverside July 25th, Covehead August 1st, Montague August 8th, Old Home Week August 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th, Summerside August 22nd, Covehead August 23rd, Covehead September 12th, Goodwill Races September 21st and 22nd. Large attendances featured every meeting. Summerside

Walnut Abbe Is Winner Of Free-For-All

NORTH SYDNEY, June 12—(CP)—Walnut Abbe, owned by J. Fraser of Edwinstown and driven by Worrill Lewis, today won the Free For All event of the light harness meet here. All events were over the mile for the first time this season.

SUMMARY

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| Mary Ellen (M. Jabalee) | 2 1 1 |
| Corporal Owen (M. Jabalee) | 1 2 2 |
| Trilly T. (A. Young) | 4 3 3 |
| Misty Morn (A. McLeod) | 3 4 4 |
| Times 2:15, 2:21, 2:21 1-2. | |
| 2:22, Purse \$250 | |

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| Helen K. (W. Lewis) | 1 2 1 |
| Speedy Hanover (M. Jabalee) | 4 1 2 |
| Manchester Alberta (Ratchford) | 2 3 4 |
| Johnny Kelly (Lewis) | 3 4 3 |
| Mary Stuart (Hastings) | 5 3 2 |
| Tony Harvester (H. Hunt) | 6 6 6 |
| Times 2:18, 2:18 1-2, 2:18 1-2. | |

Free For All, Purse \$300

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| Walnut Abbe (W. Lewis) | 2 1 1 |
| Lee McKillop (Hickey) | 1 3 4 |
| Cyclonic (Vickers) | 4 2 1 |
| Happy L. (B. Vickers) | 3 4 3 |
| Times 2:15, 2:15, 2:15. | |

2:18, Purse \$300

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| Jacob Withrow (M. Jabalee) | 1 1 1 |
| Jack Clyde (A. Young) | 3 3 2 |
| Muriel Henley (W. Lewis) | 4 2 3 |
| Robert Bellwin (Ond) | 2 4 4 |
| Times 2:17, 2:18 1-2, 2:18 1-2. | |

Chicago White Sox, president Clark Griffith of the Senators said.

Kuhel who will be 40 years old June 29 and a 15-year man in the majors, came to the Senators in 1930 from Kansas City of the American Association, was traded to the White Sox in 1936 for Zuke Bonura and returned to the Senators on waivers and played here in 1944 and 1945.

One of baseball's fanciest-fielding first-sackers, Kuhel was a highly valued player last season in the Senators' fight with Detroit Tigers for the American League pennant.

Kearns Thinks Conn Should Win Easily

By GAYLE TALBOT

GREENWOOD LAKE, N.J., June 12—(AP)—If the six rounds he boxed tonight may be accepted as a tip-off, Billy Conn has the mind to do a week from tonight is try to bring Joe Louis down with a steady barrage to the big man's neck.

Under directions from his manager, Johnny Ray, the challenger concentrated on boring his way in and making his jabbing in the pantry until they grunted and hung on. Billy's straight, stabbing left, which is his best weapon, was only rarely in evidence.

After two days of rest during which he ballooned up to 188 pounds, Billy looked strong as he mauled heavyweights Mickey McAvoy, Frank Foreza and Mickey Saludo for the benefit of a small crowd.

Ray says he has decided not to bring Conn into the ring at any certain weight. A few days ago both he and Billy were mentioning 180 as the goal toward which they were working for the big test, but Ray says now that Conn might come in as high as 184.

"We'll just go along working and taking it easy, and whatever Billy weighs next Wednesday will be all right," Johnny said. "The important thing is that he's in condition. Did you notice that none of those guys could hit him to-day?"

Jack Kearns, former manager of such greats as Jack Dempsey and Mickey Walker, came out flat-footed for Conn after giving him the eye today. "He ought to win all by himself," he said. "I mean he ought to be away out in front all the way."

Kuhel Gets Release From Senators

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 12—Joe Kuhel, veteran first baseman, was given an unconditional release by Washington today at his request in order to accept an offer from

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It looks as though the City ball league will develop into quite a dog-fight now that Ev McNeil has unveiled his Legionnaires and results have shown them to be a well-balanced outfit. The Legionnaires checked up victory number one over the Rovers on Tuesday night in a well-played encounter and tonight will do battle with Husky McCabe's Anchors. A win tonight for the Anchors will result in a three-cornered fight for first place as each team will have won one game and lost one. However, if the Legionnaires take tonight's game they will give them sole possession of first place.

Tuesday's game was a much better played game than the last opener with both teams coming up with some good fielding plays. Youthful Jackie Cairns produced a nice pitching effort in his first assignment behind his mates 12-hit attack, two of which went for extra bases. Francis LeClair, Rovers' right fielder continues to stroke the apple at a merry clip hitting safely in two out of three tries. LeClair has hit safely six times out of eight official trips to the plate for a robust .750 average.

A fair crowd of fans sat in on the contest although the weather man was in one of his poorer moods and a light drizzle made the ball difficult to handle in the closing innings. The Legionnaires have the material for a real strong contender for league honors with a good mixture of youth and experience and in Ev McNeil they possess a manager with plenty of ball savvy as well as an accomplished player. While the Rovers were never far off the pace they showed the lack of good coaching something that should be remedied when their mentor George Hawkins gets back from the mainland.

All is milk and honey in the camp of the Boston Red Sox that they've acquired those winning ways. Even at this early date the Crimson Hose look like a shoe-in for the American League pennant as they are ten full games out in front of their nearest rivals, the New York Yankees. Manager Joe Cronin, who recently retired from active playing duty has lately been extolling the spirit and hustle of his club which moves Doug Vaughan, Windsor sports scribe to recall the Boston Red Sox knew nothing but trouble from the temperamental, gold-plated athletes who made up the team.

In 1936, Cronin's second year at the Boston helm, he was running too many glorified firebrands, Uncle Tom Yawkey had taken the rubber band off his back and had unbundled himself of three quarters of a million dollars to assemble these name players. The biggest investment was Cronin's talent of course, he cost \$20,000 plus Lynn Lary, whom Yawkey had grabbed weeks earlier for \$35,000.

But the others were expensive chattels, too. Jimmy Fox was loaned for \$125,000; Lefty Grove cost \$100,000; Wes Ferrell, Babe Walberg, Doc Cramer, Bill Werber, Eric McNair, Dusty Cooke, Helen Manush, George Melillo—these came in cash deals of \$25,000 or more. The worst of it was that Cronin was kicking a lot of ground balls at shortstop and not getting over for others, so that his trigger-tempered pitchers were telling him in effect, "Do I have to take that from a guy who can't cover his own position?"

It is different now. Long ago Yawkey discovered the truth of the axiom that you can't buy yourself a pennant—not with ready-made major leaguers, anyway. He now has a fully developed farm system and, if you take the trouble to run down the Red Sox line-up, you will find that most of the players either are right off the farms or were picked up from independent league teams as youngsters.

Ted Williams, the Beantowners' temperamental slugger who is currently batting .348 and has knocked out thirteen home-runs came up from San Diego for \$180,000. Bobby Doerr and Dom DiMaggio also were brought out of the Coast for about \$50,000 each. Johnny Pesky, George Metkovich and the Big Three of the pitching staff—Tex Hughson, Dave Ferriss and Mickey Harris—are products of the farm system.

Whereas the 1935 team, which finished in sixth place, cost Yawkey around \$780,000, the current crew of regulars, which must be favored to win the pennant, hasn't stood the Sox owner more than \$300,000. And the nicest thing, as Cronin sees it, is that not too many of the men under his command are in a position to tell him: "I didn't play it that-a-way when I was with Connie Mack or with Joe McCarthy."

Sweeney Schriner, who wound up a starry N. H. L. career last year as a member of the Toronto Maple Leafs will make his debut as a coach next season with Leahy-bridge's senior hockey team. The smooth left-winger was used sparingly last season but allowed to stay up with the Leafs so he could finish his career as a member of the N. H. L. team and was released at the end of the ice season. Schriner twice led the N. H. L. in point getting when he was a member of the New York Americans.

Terrors Take S'ide Girls Into Camp

Brighton Terrors, Charlottetown's fast playing junior girls football nine, defeated the Summerside Royals last night at Victoria Park, the score being 14-10. Played before an audience of more than two hundred adults and youngsters, the game was packed with excitement and thrills which kept the enthusiastic crowd on their toes all the way.

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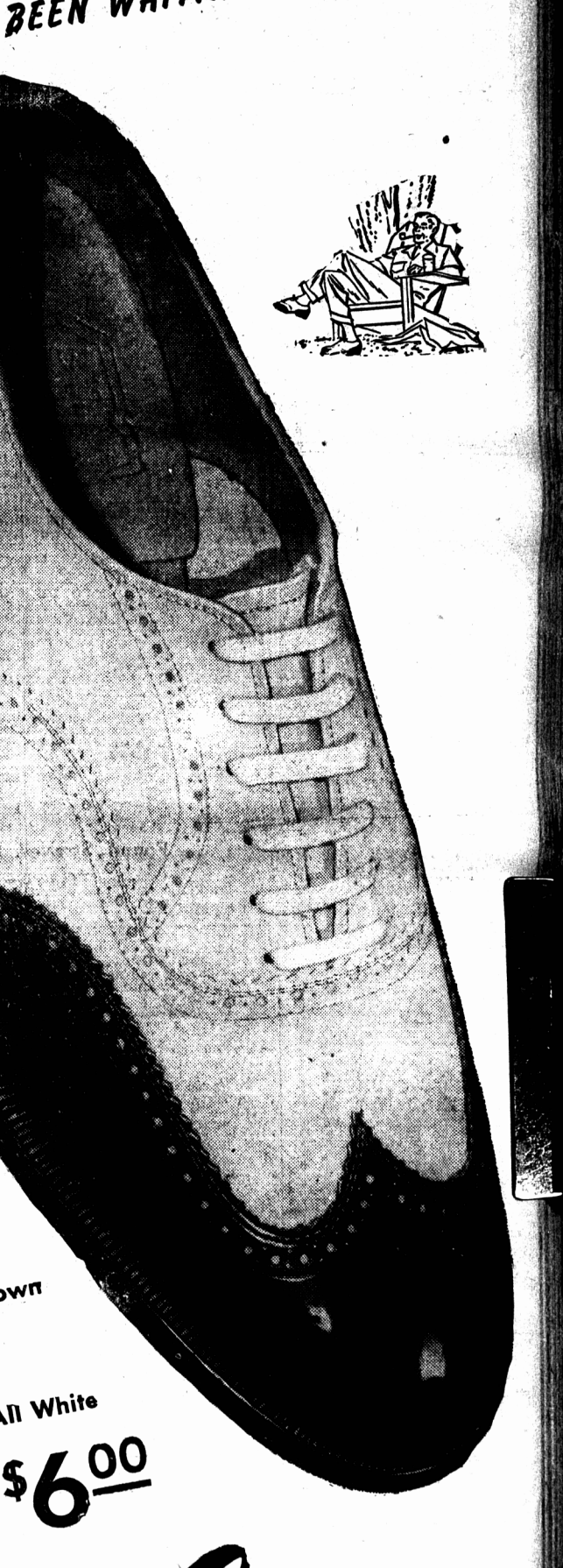
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