

DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

The following letter from Harry in California by George Beckers O'Brien, Alberton, corrects an error we made in last week's notes...

Charlottetown, August 22, 1929.

Billy Cope (McNeill) 1 1 1 Jessica the Great (MacKinnon) 2 2 2 Ted Jackson (Callbeck) 5 4 2 Golden Peter (Horsman) 3 5 3 Queen Helen (Oliver) 3 3 4

Incidentally, due credit must be given to Harry for having bred both Billy Cope and Lucky Lindy. They were out of a high class mare which Harry imported to this province...

Billy was raced by Well with splendid success and then was sold to the writer who won a lot of races with him, then sold to Jimmie Powell who had still further success with the redoubtable Billy mostly driven by Pat McKenna...

Lucky Lindy 2.09 1-4, also bred by Harry O'Brien, made his first appearance at Summerside and won easily taking a record of 2.16 1-2 and was sold to McNeill and Raymond. He had a wonderful racing career and was one of the fastest horses that ever stepped on Charlottetown tracks...

Donald M. Duggan, S'ide, paid us a short visit on Thursday. It was indeed a pleasure to renew our acquaintance with this great horseman and authority on horse breeding...

He was good enough to give us a copy of an article written by W. H. Murray, January 17th, 1930, entitled 'Evan Allen and His Great Race With Dexter'. These horses were at that time the foremost trotters in America...

This week's The Harness Horse has an article entitled 'Memories of Zombro by John Hervey'. Zombro 2.11 is the sire of San Francisco 2.07 1-4, sire of Lusty Frisco 2.07 1-4. It is remarkable the resemblance between Lusty Frisco and his grand sire, particularly in the photo which appears on the second page when Zombro is held by the wife of his owner, Mrs. Beckers.

Mr. Hervey has this to say about Zombro: 'That stallion has always occupied a special place in my regard. I fell in love with him when as a three-year-old he made his wonderful campaign of 16 races of which he won 13, many of them against aged horses. He was owned

Truro Springs Big upset in Defeating Navy

TRURO, N. S., Feb. 27.—(CP)—In one of the biggest upsets of the Maritime hockey season, Truro defeated Halifax Navy 5-2 tonight and advanced to the tri-province senior hockey semi-finals by taking the home-and-home series 8-5.

It was the first defeat of the season for the navy team, Halifax city series winners and favorites to enter the Maritime final against the Cape Breton Hockey League champions, the sailors and Truro, Antigonish-Pictou-Colchester league champions, tied 3-3 at Halifax two nights ago.

New Annan Wins From Airmen 5-3

On Wednesday night a scratch team from the R. C. A. F. at Summerside crossed sticks with the New Annan boys at the Crystal Rink. New Annan defeating the Air Force 5-3. Both teams played good clean fast hockey. The air force boys put up a stiff resistance, but missed a number of sure chances to score.

The Lineups: New Annan: Goal, D. McInnis; Defence, B. Hogg, E. Schurman; Forwards, T. Phillips, M. Montgomery, E. Hogg, Harkness, Marchbank, Forbes, Gallant.

R. C. A. F.: Goal, Erickson; Defence, Smith, Brooks; Forwards, Sullivan, Underwood, Powell, Lewis, Bushy, Araka. Referee, E. Harris.—S

S'ide Academy Defeats W.K.S. 5-2

A hockey team from the Summerside Academy outscored a team from West Kent School, Charlottetown, 5-2 in a fast exhibition hockey game at Summerside last night. It was played in connection with the Academy ice sports.

West Kent got away to a good start and at the end of the first period had a 2-0 lead on the western team. But in the second session the tide began to turn and the Academy boys slammed home four goals to take a 4-2 lead. In the final period they added another goal while Charlottetown was held scoreless.

SUMMARY First Period: 1-W.K.S. Bagnall (Cudmore, Morris). 2-W.K.S. Cudmore. Penalties—None.

Second Period: 3-S'ide, Walker. 4-S'ide, Lecky (Woodside). 5-S'ide, B. Durant (Lecky, Woodside). 6-S'ide, McNeill (Perry). Penalties—Walker.

Third Period: 7-S'ide, Woodside (Durant, Lecky). Penalties, Walker, McNeill, Judson.

INDIA'S NEWSPAPERS NEW DELHI, India.—(CP)—The government has issued an order fixing the price and size of newspapers.

war work takes so much time they cannot secure any pleasure from ownership. All the worthwhile ones seem to be snapped up quickly, however, and it appears there is never any lack of purchasers for good racing material.

We received letters last evening from Ollie Rudderham, Cape Breton and Mayor H. M. Sweeney, Bridgewater, too late for publication. They will be published in full next week and are very interesting.

Contact Club Bowling

(FEBRUARY 23) CAPITAL BOWLING ALLEYS SUMMERSIDE P.E.I. WELLINGTONS T. Mason 141 163 178 E. Cooper 150 172 102 L. Robinson 180 184 192 H. Swartman 115 119 166 M. Stevens 116 169 196 Total 2640

SPIFFIRES S. Axworthy 128 161 233 M. Kane 144 156 161 H. Pomes 157 135 95 E. Chikofsky 155 112 136 L. Russell 109 118 166 Total 2183

HURRICANES E. Buckley 111 179 144 E. Somerville 153 118 92 L. Smith 198 185 158 V. Cursins 78 241 128 John Doe 103 112 95 Total 2095.

Canadiens Chances Of Making Playoffs Hinge On Games This Weekend

(By The Canadian Press) The chips will be down for the Montreal Canadiens this weekend, when they meet Brooklyn Americans twice in games that might well decide whether the Canadiens are ever going to pull themselves out of the National Hockey League cellar into the playoffs.

Every one in a while during the season, Canadians have given signs of hitting the stride that was expected of them before the season started, and pulling themselves out of the cellar, but each time something seemed to go haywire. The result has been that Montrealers were always threatening to pull up higher in the standings, but never quite making the grade.

Experts See New Brunswick Rink As Curling Threat

By Harold Atkins Canadian Press Staff Writer QUEBEC, Feb. 27.—(CP)—Plate-glass skips around these parts who have been following the Macdonald's Brier Tankard playdowns for the Dominion championship since its inauguration in 1927, feel that this is the year the west's domination of this coveted granite award is due to end.

With the tournament being played here for the first time in its history at the Arena from March 2-5, pre-game speculation is rife as to the merits of the outstanding curlers throughout Canada. Picked as the likely rink to bring the Tankard east again is Daniel P. Connolly's of the Bathurst club in New Brunswick.

Since Murray MacNeill's Halifax team of J. E. Donahoe, C. L. Toney and J. MacInnes won the award back in 1927, the Tankard has never been further east than Hamilton, which along with Kitchener, has brought the title twice to the Ontario Curling Association.

Manitoba has easily outshaded other provinces in the event, having captured the Tankard nine times, while another western province, Alberta, has taken the Dominion crown three times.

Quebec, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Saskatchewan and Northern Ontario have yet to win the honors. Dan Connolly, with his twin brother Joe, has been campaigning for the Brier award on three previous occasions, 1931, 1932 and 1938. He is considered by the easterners to have a sound all-round game, and capable of competing against the wide-open pucking play or the neater draw match which won the Canadian crown for Howard Palmer's Alberta rink last season.

The South Shore Hockey League

The first game of the semi-finals for the Arnett Cup was played in Bedouque Rink Monday night between Middleton and Freetown with the former coming out on top of a 4-2 score with a large crowd in attendance.

The outstanding players were Muttart, the brilliant forward for Middleton who carried the brunt of the attack for his playmates and Paynter in the Freetown net who stopped 31 shots to 13 by Bell. McKenna was leading point-counter with two goals on well executed plays. R. Gardner of Freetown was deserving of mention in that he held down the centre lane during the entire 60 minutes of play.

Summary: First Period: 1. Middleton, H. Muttart. 2. Middleton, J. MacKenna (M. Bradshaw). Stops: Paynter 13; Bell 5.

Second Period: 3. Freetown, G. Somers. 4. Middleton, I. Sobey. 5. Freetown, W. Auld. 6. Middleton, McKenna (Douglas). Stops: Paynter 8; Bell 5.

Third Period: No Score. Stops: Paynter 10; Bell 5. Penalties: Drummond (2). Referee: John Green.

ALBANY PLEASANT CIRCLE W.I. Lady members of Albany Pleasant Circle Institute met at the home of Mrs. Arthur MacKay on Feb. 19th for their monthly meeting. The president, Mrs. Keith Cameron presided and called the meeting to order. Collect for Club Women was read in union. Roll call was responded to with a hint on ironing, cleaning and pressing clothes. There was a good attendance of members and several visitors were present. After the read-

St. Pats advance To meet Truro

AMHERST, N.S., Feb. 27.—(CP)—Amherst's St. Pats lost 4-3 to Saint John Beavers tonight, they advanced to the Maritime senior hockey semi-finals by dint of a 9-6 victory scored Wednesday in the first-game of the home-and-home series.

Doggedly defending its original three-goal lead, St. Pats held Beavers 2-2 in the first period, gave up a goal in the second and then matched the visitors' single goal in the last session.

BOWLING

Y.M.C.A. BOWLING ALLEYS Friday Afternoon Ladies League Spittfire: M. Bishop 188 117 144 G. Blinn 126 205 126 H. Jenkins 194 155 102 A. Barrett 136 85 86 Total: 2039.

Thumbs-up: M. Brady 109 140 95 N. Yorke 144 120 155 E. Hassard 107 163 128 H. Price 104 123 202 L. Higgins 90 137 169 Total: 1992.

Strikers: M. Cudmore 181 218 100 G. Barnall 145 113 98 E. MacDonald 132 141 100 H. Montgomery 137 157 108 L. Cery 159 106 141 Total: 2084.

High Halls: E. Woolner 158 130 127 J. MacDonald 129 109 190 N. MacDonald 201 199 106 H. Garrett 130 147 124 L. Bearisio 99 70 84 Total: 9079. High Single: M. Cudmore—213. High Three: N. MacDonald—566.

The H-Y Bowling Club Yehuda: Downing 217 207 160 Howatt 206 149 148 Hennessy 210 156 155 Cudmore 169 143 141 Total: 1961.

Pink Elephants Shan 144 193 114 Rogers 188 168 157 Stewart 143 138 128 Lann 195 202 198 Total: 1863. High Single—D. Downing—217. High Three, T. Lann—595.

HOLY NAME BOWLING PALACE Big Four League Corvettes: A. Burke 163 173 302 J. Lawlor 258 250 285 H. Lapthorn 146 202 213 A. McParlane 239 321 223 R. Bradley 247 241 331 Total—3597.

All Stars: R. Cameron 199 300 187 J. Peterson 235 231 162 P. Power 186 178 204 A. Sherren 273 210 253 Total—3114. High single R. Bradley 331. High three R. Bradley 819. Corvettes 5 pts; All Stars 0 pts.

Remember When

(By The Canadian Press) George (Twinkletoes) Selkirk was put on the spot seven years ago today when he succeeded Babe Ruth as New York Yankees' right fielder. Selkirk, native of Huntsville, Ont., made good with a first-year average of .312. George still plays for the Yankees.

The sick committee reported visiting the sick and taking treats. After hearing from school committee new committees were appointed. Sick: Mrs. Keith Cameron and Mrs. Elmer Gamble; Program: Mrs. John Walker and Mrs. Basil Sherry; School, re-appointed. Collection 73 cents. Bills for fruit 48 cents. Meeting closed with National Anthem. The Misses Vodia Mackay and Jean Boulier had charge of program and put on several games and contests. Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Elmer Gamble and Mrs. Collie Waugh. Everyone joined in an old-fashioned sing song then a social chat before leaving for their homes.

Bowman Suggests Arrows For Nazis

LONDON, Feb. 25.—(CP)—LA. John Davey, twice champion bowman of Britain and member of the Home Guard, thinks a bow and arrow would be a good weapon in event of invasion. After giving archery demonstrations at a Northern Command exercise Davey said there were enough archers in Britain to form several units, members of which could creep up on invaders in bright moonlight and shoot them without making a noise.

LYSS, England.—(CP)—Harry Maxwell, 84, last of Diss' famous string of basketmakers, died here

FROLIC DAY The FORUM Today—3-5 and 8-10 The Usual Big Week-End Skating Sessions Join Hundreds For Health—KEEP FIT—

Miners pin 5-2 defeat on North Sydney

GLACE BAY, N.S., Feb. 27.—(CP)—Snapping out of their play-off slump, Glace Bay Miners pinned a 5-2 defeat on North Sydney Victorias tonight in the third game of their best-in-seven series for the Cape Breton Hockey League championship.

It was Miners' first win after dropping the first two games to the Northiders, who finished far behind them in the league schedule. The round now stands 2-1 in games for Vics.

The power-laden Miners wasted no time rolling into the lead tonight, and never were headed after defenceman Charlie Phillips had opened the scoring in the second minute of play. Pat Desbiens, missed fire in the first two playoff matches, added another in the same period.

Bill Snelker got one back for Vics early in the second, but Allan Foster restored the two-goal lead for Miners late in the period. Early in the third, Foster got his second tally and Boob Bairst added another before Snelker hung up his second goal.

SUMMARY First Period: 1—Glace Bay, Phillips (Bairst) 2:00 2—Glace Bay, Desbiens (Phillips, White) 14:23 Penalties—Phillips, McCaine 2. White, Boothman, Anderson, McPherson.

USED TO BE JOESKY MANCHESTER.—(CP)—Names of Britain's animal pets have gone Russian. A society official said that nearly all new-born dogs and cats are being called Joe, Towarich or Timo.

BELLS OF EUSTON LONDON.—(CP)—A bell used at Euston 100 years ago has been reclaimed to provide 500 pounds of metal for salvage.



A year ago, Sgt. Bernard C. McCorry was credited with bringing about the destruction of 19 enemy bombers over Britain through his operation of a powerful searchlight. Now he is in charge of the 800 million candlepower light which is one of the exhibits on the Canadian Army Train which is now touring Canada. Victory Bond funds go towards the purchase of such essentials.



MEN OF MERCY—British stretcher bearers carry a countryman over rocky terrain at Halfaya Pass in Libya after its surrender to Allied forces. The wounded man had been a prisoner of the Axis and was freed and cared for when British took over. Ambulance bore him to medical unit.

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