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Wilson Makes Clean Sweep Of Maritimes In Singles; Other Champions Declared

(By Gordon Bauld, Canadian Press Staff Writer)
(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
HALIFAX, Aug. 18—Ross Wilson was on his way home to Toronto tonight with the singles titles of New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia and tennis fans of the Maritimes will long remember the powerful forehand drive that carried him to his three victories over Joe O'Hara of Ottawa.

Defeating O'Hara in three straight sets in New Brunswick and five sets in the Island, Wilson was forced to four long sets in the Nova Scotia senior tennis tournament Saturday before he was declared champion over the quick-smiling Irishman.
Winning the first two sets, 7-5 and 8-6, Wilson fought hard for the third but the Ottawa star took the overtime set, 7-5. Wilson went after the fourth set as both players tried noticeably under the blazing sun. He won this 6-4.

Leiber, In Comeback Leads Giants In Victory Over Reds; Rover Blanks Yankees 6-0

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Hank Leiber, who was in such a slump a few days ago that he was almost out of the team, today led the Giants to a 6-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds at New York.
Leiber smacked his 17th home run of the season, two doubles and a triple in five trips to the plate as the Giants belted Leroy Herrmann and Elias Johnson for 15 hits. Travis Jackson was right behind him at the plate, hitting three singles, driving a walk and making a sacrifice.

The upsetting Dodgers pulled one of their old tricks at Brooklyn when they scuttled Pittsburgh pirates twice before a crowd of 15,000.
In the fourth inning, a serious setback in the pennant race. Watson Clark allowed only three hits, two by Arky Vaughan, as he whitewashed the Bucs in the opener.
In the second game the Dodgers knocked Guy Bush out of the box in the fourth and continued against Jim Weaver to take a 5-0 lead. Five double plays helped protect that margin.

CHICAGO AND THE PHILLIES DIVIDED a twin bill today. The Cubs won the first game 8-3 and the Phillies took the second 6-5.
Chicago triumphed in the first tilt by hitting Curt Davis in timely fashion, while Hershman and Wernke scattered the Phils' 11 hits.
In the second game the Phillies rallied in the seventh to score four runs and drive Larry French from the mound.
Leo Durocher, dropped by the Yankees and the Reds because he couldn't hit, smashed a home run with the bases full in the 10th inning of the nightcap at Boston to give St. Louis Cardinals an even break in a doubleheader with the tall-end Boston Braves.

Around The Rail At The Race Track

The race horses are practically all in now. Every stall on the grounds is filled up and the Hertz barn is being utilized for the overflow. The only ones not here are Abner T. Clegg 204 1-4, who is journeying all the way from Pennsylvania and will arrive this evening. May Tell 2.1 and Uscita L. will also be here this evening. It is the most race horses that have been stabled on the grounds for any year in the writer's memory.

Billy Keyes who was one of the racing moguls of a few years ago but has fallen decided to quit the game and go into the raising of Silver Foxes, has figured in the purchase of the pacer Abner T. Clegg 204 1-4 for Frank Adams of Halifax.
This is said to be a very high priced horse and he has certainly cut a wide swath in his short racing career of less than three years. Two weeks ago he won in 2:06 over a Pennsylvania track, but that has been discounted by the local racing men. They say that it means 2:10 here because of the different conditions due to heavier air and the change from that section to this, particularly the long travel of nearly 1,700 miles by truck and train. You will be able to judge for yourself whether this view is correct on Wednesday as Abner T. Clegg will be a starter that day.

United States Retains Wightman Cup Defeating British Team In Upset

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—In a totally unexpected reversal of form, the United States Wightman Cup tennis team won three out of four Saturday's matches at Forest Hills and retained the trophy for the fifth year.
Five thousand spectators who had come out to see the British team carry away the Cup, were amazed to see Mrs. Sarah Paley Fayban, Miss Helen Hull Jacobs who had been defeated the day before, and Mrs. Ethel Burkhardt Arnold take three singles matches in a row to win without much trouble.

Stars Take League Lead Over Tanners

The All-Stars defeated the North End Tanners 8 to 5 in the third playoff game for the Industrial League Trophy, the game was played over the week-end at the Park Diamond before a large crowd of enthusiastic fans. The win incidentally puts the All-Stars in the lead. Having won the second game on Friday night they are now leading their highly-touted opponents two games to one and are favorites to cop the title.

Table with 3 columns: Team, Wins, Losses. Includes International League, National League, and American League standings.

Chuck Templeton's SPORTRAITS



Little Trouble

Miss Jacobs, American's No. one had small trouble with Dorothy Round. The United States champion had apparently fully recovered from her exhausting defeat by Miss Stammers the previous day and gave the former English champion little to work on. The score was 6-3, 6-2.
The fourth match of the day went to the British as a sort of consolation prize. Miss Nancy Lynch the United States' ninth triumph since Hazel Hotchkiss Wightman, one-time queen of United States tennis, donated the international trophy in 1923. Mrs. Wightman, on the sidelines as non-playing leader of the home forces, had the satisfaction of seeing her team stage a remarkable rally.

Royals Win Twin Bill From Bears

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
MONTREAL, Aug. 18.—Montreal Royals today defeated Newark Bears a double headed 3-2 and 4-1 to go into a lead of three clear games over their nearest International League rivals Buffalo Bisons.
Leon Chagnon, down from New York Giants, pitched his second straight victory for Montreal, limiting the Bears to eight hits in the first game and shutting them out until the eighth inning.
In the second game Chad Kinsey in registering his 14th victory of the season, gave the visitors only four hits. Royals beat the League leading pitcher, Ted Kleinhaus, in the night-cap, hitting him hard for three innings.

The Bisons turned back Toronto Maple Leafs 8-7 in 10 innings at Buffalo in a one game stand. The victory boosted the local win streak to five games and 12 out of 15 starts.
Johnny Heving, former Toronto catcher, making his debut in a Bison uniform, hit a pinch single leading off the 10th to provide the loophole for the winning rally. Meyers sacrificed and Wassem, running for Heving, registered on Mulleavy's sharp single.

Class Order For Exhibition Horse Races

The following is the order of Classes for the Horse Races at the Provincial Exhibition.
TUESDAY, AUGUST 20TH
212 Trot and Pace
215 Trot
224 Pace
The 224 Pace will undoubtedly be raced in two divisions, making four classes on above day.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21ST
2 Year Old Trot and Pace
215 Trot and Pace
218 Trot and Pace
225 Trot Maritime Bred.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 22ND
221 Trot and Pace
Free-for-All Trot and Pace
218 Trot
3 Year Old Trot and Pace
The officials will be as follows:
SPEED JUDGES
F. J. E. Wright, Summerside, Walter S. Brown, 195 Fitzroy Street, Dr. A. A. Lockhart, Kensington.
TIMERS
L. B. MacMillan, 4 Water Street, Byron Brown, Revere Hotel, Thomas Ranahan, Queen Street.
STARTER
E. F. Acorn, 174 Great George St.
CLERK OF THE COURSE
W. J. Brown, 129 Pownall St.
ASSISTANT CLERK OF COURSE
J. A. MacDonald.
PATROL JUDGES
Ira Carr, Covehead, Hugh Walker, North River.
DISTANCE JUDGE
P. McMahon, Charlottetown

Coffin Brothers Sail Onawa To Victory In Light Breeze Saturday

Almost drifting across the finish line, so still was the day, the Montague yacht Onawa sailed by Gordon and Eric Coffin captured 37 1-4 points in two heats to win the prize in Charlottetown's sailing revival staged yesterday. P-No owned by Jack King of Charlottetown with 36 1-4 points was second after the two heats had been run over the three-mile course.
The third and final heat had to be called off when the faintest trace of breeze disappeared and none of the 19 competing yachts were able to reach the finish. The heat was not necessary to decide the winner.
Twelve of the sailing entries were from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick—eight from Shediac, four from Pictou—but the only mainland boat in the running was Vestra, owned by Charles Fawcett of Shediac, which took third place with 34 points.

Capt. Harrison Wins Coveted King's Prize

By Foster Barclay, Canadian Press Staff Writer (By Guardian's Special Wire)
CONNAUGHT RIFLE RANGES, South March, Ont., Aug. 18.—A great war veteran, Capt. Roy Harrison, 45-year-old Toronto marksman, tonight was Canada's best shot.
Under a blistering sun that left clothes clinging to his body, the tall, jovial sniper Saturday won the Governor General's gold medal—the King's prize of Canada—at the annual meeting of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association.
In one of the greatest sharpshooting battles ever seen here the Toronto rifleman was extended to five extra shots by Lieut. Phil Martinson of La Tuque, Que., before being declared victor.
Lieut. Martinson, who earned the plaudits of the Empire by his exhibition of marksmanship at Bixley Camp, Eng., in 1934 appeared to have the medal well in hand in the match proper, but he was headed for a triple possible over 300, 600 and 900 yards. On his last shot, however, he scored an inner and finished with 174 of a possible 175.
Even then it was believed he had won and congratulations were extended from all sides. Word trickled over the mounds, however, that Capt. Harrison's score was "coming up." In a whirlwind finish the war veteran plastered the target at 900 yards with 15 bulls and also "red" with 174. The only point he dropped was on the short range earlier in the day.
With more than 1,000 persons including Premier R. B. Bennett, looking on the pair went to the mounds immediately to battle for the crown. First of the extra shots, The Toronto marksman won, 24-23.
A quintet, Sergt. Jim Kier, Vancouver, Corp. G. L. Evans, Esquimalt, B. C. Sergt. N. L. Scott, Hamilton, Capt. L. J. Stiver, Ottawa, and Officer-cadet E. A. Whittington, of high calibre "under-Grads, finished with 173.
After his victory Capt. Harrison was placed in the traditional chair reserved for the occasion and preceded by the Governor-General's Foot Guards Band playing martial airs, was lifted high into the shoulders of fellow-competitors and borne to the winners' enclosure in front of the administration building. There the Prime Minister made the presentation.

Perry Displays Mediocre Form In Toronto

TORONTO, August 18.—Frederick J. Perry, England's Davis Cup ace, was viewed today by Toronto's tennis public with mingled respect and disappointment. A crowd of 1,900 saw the world's No. 1 amateur win only two sets of singles and doubles out of the five he played here yesterday.
In his only serious appearance, Perry defeated Clifford Sutter of Detroit, former United States intercollegiate singles champion, 6-4, 7-5, turning on just enough pressure at critical points to prevent the American from winning a set. Then he gradually lost interest in the proceedings.
Thrown in for an unscheduled one-set exhibition against Gilbert Nunn of Toronto, the Briton lost 7-5, while Nunn played well, 6-4. While Nunn played well, Perry made so many errors that it was easy for the Toronto player.
Then Perry and Nunn teamed to take a straight set beating from Sutter and Martin of Toronto in doubles. The scores were 6-4, 6-0. Martin, playing better than at any time in two years, dominated this session with his terrific service and smashing placements.

Hockey Deal Falls Through

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—Plans of local sportsmen to take over the franchise under the name of the St. Louis Eagles operated in the National Hockey League last winter were reported today to have collapsed.
It was announced that negotiations looking to St. Louis interests purchasing the franchise ended Saturday without success. The course to be followed now by Redmond Quinn, who brought the former Ottawa Senators here last season as the Eagles, was not known in St. Louis. It was understood Quinn was at his Ottawa home.

Home Run Standing

Home Runs Yesterday: Klein, Cubs; Leiber, Giants; Hubbell, Giants; Sullivan, Reds; Spohrer, Braves; Durocher, Cardinals; Werber, Red Sox; Juhl, Senators; Manush, Senators; Fox, Tigers; Rowe, Tigers, one each.
The Leaders: Greenberg, Tigers, 31; Berger, Braves, 26; Ott, Giants, 24; Fox, Athletics, 22; Johnston, Athletics, 21; Camilli, Phillies, 21.
League Totals: National, 531; American, 514; total, 1,045.

MEETING OF INTERMEDIATES TONIGHT

All members of the Abbie Intermediate baseball team are asked to attend a meeting tonight at Jimmie's Shoe Shine Parlor on Queen Street. At present it is undecided whether or not the Abbie will enter into the Maritime play-downs and tonight's meeting is being called for the purpose of obtaining the players' views on the matter. It is to be hoped that everybody will be on hand. Officers and executive of the City League are also asked to be present.

Defensive Play Proves Well In Test Match

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
LONDON, August 18.—Experts in the art of defensive play, South Africa's touring cricketers chortled gleefully today over the failure of England's strategy in the opening day's play of the fifth and concluding test match between the two countries.
Sent in to bat on a perfect wicket Saturday by R. E. S. Wyatt, the English captain, after he had won the toss, the Springboks "sat on the splices" with such success that they had scored 297 runs for the loss of six wickets.
The match is limited to three days and in the event of a draw resulting South Africa becomes winner of the series. The visitors are credited with the only victory to date, three matches having been drawn.
Honors of the day went to Bruce Mitchell whose penchant for stonewalling is well-known. The Transvaal star made 128 runs, his second century against England this season. Displaying a variety of strokes, the Springbok stayed at the wickets nearly five hours before he snicked a ball from Read into the hands of the wicket keeper. He hit 11 fours.
Kenneth Viljoen, going to bat in mid-afternoon followed Mitchell's example and was unbeaten at the close with 60 runs. Ivan Siedel took a long time to score 35 but Dudley Nourse adopted livelier tactics for his 32.
Read, Bowes and R. W. V. Robins of Middlesex each captured two wickets. Leslie Ames, Kent stumper who was again preferred to George Duckworth of Lancashire, made two smart catches dismissing Siedel and Mitchell.

Hall Defeats Bauld For Junior Title

(By George C. Murray)
(CANADIAN PRESS STAFF WRITER)
HALIFAX, Aug. 18.—Bruce Hall, the tall blond youngster from Toronto who gave notice with powerful strokes that he would be a threat in senior tennis tournaments another year, drove his way to the junior championship of Nova Scotia Saturday by defeating Gordon Bauld, up and coming Halifax star 6-4, 6-1, 6-1.
Playing a little too strenuously under a blistering sun, Bauld ran up to 4-1 in the opening set and then had to slacken his pace. With the racket of a veteran, the visiting raquet-wielder took the next five games and ran the Halifax junior all over the courts in the remaining two sets.
It was hot work just watching them, and when it was over both players were almost exhausted.

Birthdays Greetings

(By the Canadian Press)
To Gordon (Tony) Savage, the Calgary boy who spent a lot of time around hockey's minor leagues before getting his big chance last season with Montreal Canadiens. He may stick this time. Tony is 27 years old today. He was born at Calgary and he still spends his summers there.

Orange Prices Will Be Higher

Orange prices will be extremely low due to this bumper crop and the American consumers will be able to buy approximately 25 per cent more oranges than the money, according to the citrus officials. Moreover the oranges are claimed to be sweeter and juicier than usual.

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