

# Red Wings Within One Game Of Title

## Rout Maple Leafs 5-2 To Go Three Games Up In Stanley Cup Series

DETROIT, April 9—(CP)—The amazing Detroit Red Wings spotted the Toronto Maple Leafs two first period goals tonight and then came on to seize their third straight victory 5-2 before 13,354 spectators in the best-of-seven Stanley Cup hockey series.

The hustling Detroiters, seemingly in serious trouble when the veteran Lorne Carr of Toronto bagged a pair of goals 30 seconds apart, squared the count before the initial period ended on shots by rookies Jerry Brown and Jack Carveth.

Then young Pat McReavy, substituting for the injured Sid Abel who suffered a possible fractured jaw, pushed the puck past goalie Walter (Turk) Brda in the second period for the deciding goal. Syd Howe and Eddie Bush also talked to put the verdict beyond Toronto's reach.

By crushing the favored Leafs for the third time, the Detroit club, fifth place finishers in the National League before the start of the play-offs, can close out the series here Sunday. Last year Detroit made hockey history by losing five straight in the finals to the Boston Bruins.

Detroit received assistance tonight from its secondary strength at crucial times. Its top line of Abel, Doug Grosse and Eddie Bush was broken up in the first period by injuries, although Grosse picked up two assists to draw within one point of the playoff scoring record.

The principal figure in the Detroit offense became Bush, burly defenceman who joined the club in mid-season. Bush figured in all five Detroit scores, drawing assists on the first four and then winging a 50-footer past Broda that closed the scoring.

## U. S. pork price Control Efforts

CHICAGO, April 9—(AP)—Efforts to control wholesale pork prices while purchasing large quantities of pork for lend-lease export appeared today to have brought Government Agencies face-to-face with one of the knottiest problems yet to confront the Anti-Inflation program.

Aroused by what they termed an inequitable situation, representatives of small United States Meat Packers convening here have sent a delegation to Washington to see if some changes can be made in wholesale pork ceilings or in Agricultural Marketing Administration buying policies.

Trade circles said smaller packers were caught between rising live hog prices, which are at 16 year peaks, and the frozen wholesale pork price structure. Some smaller packers might be confronted with the possibility of closing their businesses.

## Canadian Embassy At Washington?

OTTAWA, April 9—(CP)—Reports heard in Ottawa today that the Canadian Legation in Washington might soon be raised to status of an embassy, under an ambassador who would be a member of the Cabinet.

It would be regarded as a promotion for any member of the cabinet, with the exception of Prime Minister Mackenzie King, to be moved to Washington as an ambassador and this has given rise to speculation that the Minister of Rationing would be deserving of such a promotion. However, this raises the point whether he could be spared from his present post.

Officials decline to comment on the report an embassy will be established in Washington but it is known such a change has been talked about in high Government circles.

Canada's growing importance in international affairs, as a major producer of most of the materials essential to prosecution of the war and as a participant in vital war councils in Washington, are factors which have revived the embassy proposal.

The report is strengthened, also, by the fact that most if not all of the western hemisphere countries represented in Washington have ambassadors there.

If such a change were made presumably it would involve retirement by Hon. Leighton McCarthy, Canadian Minister to the United States since February, 1941, to make way for appointment of a cabinet minister as ambassador.

## 'Sneak Disallowance' Of Alberta Acts

EDMONTON, April 9—(CP)—The Dominion Government's recent action in disallowing Alberta acts was termed a "sneak disallowance" by Hon. Lucien Maynard, Provincial Minister of Municipal Affairs, speaking at a meeting of Social Credit supporters here last night.

"The Federal action was compared to Japan's sneak attack on Pearl Harbor," he said.

The Alberta Bills disallowed by the Dominion were an act respecting the Orderly Payment of Land Debts, an act to amend the Limitations of Action Act, 1935, and the Debt Proceedings Postponement Act.

Mr. Maynard criticized the Federal Government for disallowing Alberta Debt Legislation which he said was drafted to protect the people of this Province.

The Minister said the Dominion had announced disallowance of the Provincial measures after the Alberta Legislature had prorogued and when it was too late for members to take any action to counteract the decision. This he termed a "sneaky" method.

## Majority Favor Duck Shooting

TORONTO, April 9—(CP)—Divergent opinions on whether to shoot or not shoot ducks in wartime were the seventh North American Wildlife Conference into a discussion forum today. It was later revealed a consensus was to continue the seasonal duck-shoot.

Mrs. G. N. Edge, chairman of the Iruvency Conservation Committee, in her address during the general session said a closed season not only would benefit the propagation of ducks, but stressed that "every ounce of our ammunition must be hurled at our enemies in defence of decency and Christendom"—against Hitler and Japan rather than at waterfowl.

Lithgow Osborne, commissioner of the New York Conservation Department, Albany, in an address following Mrs. Edge, took issue with her saying that sports ammunition mainly comprised gun-shot cartridges not manufactured for the duration, but coming out of reserve supply. He also said that it was unusable as war ammunition and not suitable for conversion to war uses.

## SCRAP RUBBER NEEDED

The 50,000,000 pounds of scrap rubber urgently needed for Canada's war needs represent 2,500,000 passenger tires. They would form a spire 238 miles high, or placed end to end, would stretch in a straight line from Toronto to Halifax.

## Construction Of B. C. Fishing Vessel May Be Subsidized

OTTAWA, April 8—(CP)—The Government is considering the possibility of subsidizing construction of fishing vessels in British Columbia and a decision is expected shortly, it was learned officially tonight. Fisheries department officials said requisitioning of fishing vessels by the armed forces made necessary some replacement scheme to maintain production. It was understood the subsidy propos-

## Provincials Take lead in K. of C. series

The finals in the playoff for the Grand Knight's Cup in the Knights of Columbus Bowling League saw the Provincials with Gus Murphy, Captain, open up a lead over the other seven teams. The provincials' total pinfall was 2704, which was 243 higher than the second place Pearnights, under Reg. MacDonald, Captain.

The second game of the finals will be held next Thursday night and the four leading teams will then play off for the cup.

The four leading teams after last night's play were the Provincials, the Pearnights, the Dreadnaughts and the Messerschmidts. E. Doucette had the high single for the evening and Reg. MacDonald had the high three. The scores follow:

Summary	
First Period	
1—Toronto, Carr (Taylor, Kampman) 15:30	
2—Toronto, Carr (Taylor) 16:06	
3—Detroit, J. Brown (Bust, A. Brown) 18:20	
4—Detroit, Carveth, (Bust, A. Brown) 18:40	
Penalties—Orlando, Stewart, Motter, Bush, Wares (10-minute misconduct) Taylor, Carr.	
Second Period	
5—Detroit, McReavy (Grosso, Bust) 13:11	
6—Detroit, Howe (Grosso, Bush) 15:11	
Penalties—Orlando, Metz, McReavy, Kampman (2).	
Third Period	
7—Detroit, Bush (Liscombe) 7:11	
Penalties—Orlando (minor and 10-minute misconduct), Liscombe, A. Brown, Bush, Carr 2.	
Messerschmidts:—	
W. Flynn	106 70 91
R. McDonald	201 193 100
B. Gallant	116 138 120
D. Noonan	134 130 152
M. Lee	150 135 176
E. Doucette	244 353 107
Spitfires:—	
W. Connolly	223 181 164
Rev. Geo. McDonald	217 195 154
E. Murphy	93 86 106
J. Richard	164 147 138
E. J. Gallant	165 167 162
A. Doyle	98 147 152
Total—1965.	
Dreadnaughts:—	
G. Nantes	174 136 174
Dr. Johnston	156 112 212
L. McDonald	189 156 154
E. McDonald	175 132 146
B. McInnis	182 174 138
Total—2410.	
Blitzers:—	
Dr. J. MacMillan	151 150 147
L. O. Kelly	140 152 137
Leo Doyle	144 129 127
E. McAuley	169 154 181
C. McInnis	198 177 161
Total—2337.	
Provincials:—	
G. Murphy	170 208 136
H. Peeters	192 186 150
B. Holland	185 302 227
J. J. Morris	205 135 179
G. Essery	141 228 160
Total—2704.	
Royals:—	
C. McLellan	187 151 265
W. Currie	110 177 189
A. Farmer	139 115 129
H. McKenna	183 63 148
T. McAdam	179 135 86
Total—2256.	
Fearnights:—	
R. McDonald	219 256 212
B. Doyle	154 152 160
C. Costello	172 155 168
H. Hennessy	168 167 149
W. Campbell	142 77 110
Total—2461.	

## Smith, Runyan Lead Masters'

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 9—(AP)—A couple of golf's old timers—lanky Horton Smith and little Paul Runyan—blossomed on a diet of sunshine and showers today to gain the first round lead in the 1942 Augusta Masters tournament with sizling 67's.

The Hogans, Sneads, Woods and Mangrums—picked as possible men-to-beat—were lucky to finish within shouting distance after battling the long-rolling fairways and treacherous greens on the par-72 Augusta National Course.

Craig Wood, United States Open and defending Masters' champion, posted a 72. Ben Hogan 73, Lloyd Mangrum 74 and Sam Snead 78.

## Skating Contest At Forum Tonight

A prize of \$2.00 will be given tonight to the most graceful skater in the 5th and 6th bands. A perfect sheet of ice will greet the skaters for this contest.

The prize was submitted by Dr. D.B. Finn, deputy filter's minister who returned last week from a visit to British Columbia.

## Airmen Score Shutout In 3rd Game Of Series

MONTREAL, April 9—(CP)—The Aces capitalized on the breaks gave Ottawa Royal Canadian Air Force Flyers a 3-0 victory here tonight over Quebec Aces and sent the Airmen into the Allan Cup final on a clean sweep of the first three games of the best-of-five Eastern Canadian senior hockey finals.

It was the first shutout of the series and one in which goalie Len Pinke of the Flyers earned full credit for the zero hung on the Aces. The Flyers, victorious 3-2 and 5-4 in the first two games, snatched up a goal in each of the three periods with the scores going to Johnny Acheson, Pickles MacNicol and Woody Dumart.

The Aces had such a wide margin in the play in the opening period that the Airmen at times were forced to ice the puck although the teams were playing even sides. The crowd boomed these tactics but such was the Quebec superiority that it was the only goal scored by the Aces to relieve pressure. At the end of the period, however, it was the R.C.A.F. team that held the lead.

The first and winning goal went to Acheson while Bobby Lee of 1-0 at Chicago. It was the first time Chicago won the world title. Next year Tommy Gorman, the Hawks coach led Montreal Maroons to the title.

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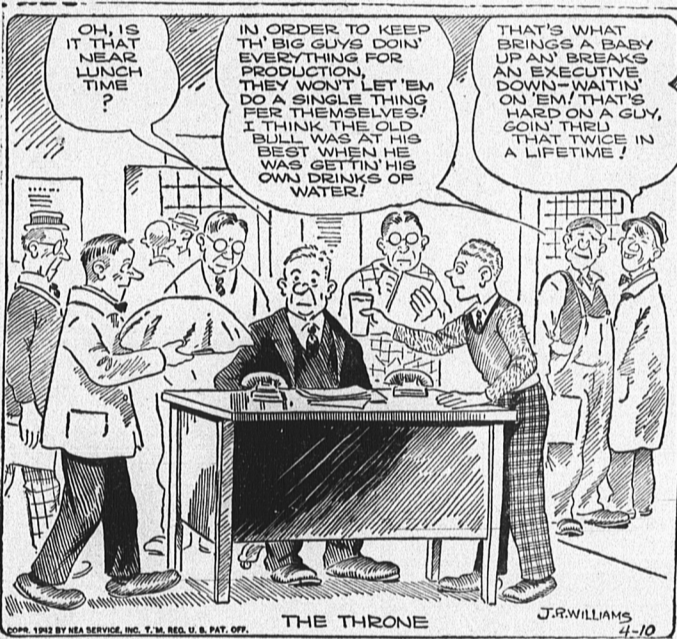
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## OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



## Seven die In blackout

LOS ANGELES, April 9—(AP)—Seven persons died of heart attacks and an air raid warning fell off a two story building as the Los Angeles area blacked out an hour and 51 minutes last night. The warden was injured critically.

The blackout was ordered because of the presence in the Los Angeles area of unidentified planes which later were identified as friendly," reported Lt.-Gen. John L. Dewitt of the western defence command, at San Francisco.

## Babe Ruth Is improving

HOLLYWOOD, April 9—(CP)—Baseball's greatest slugger, Babe Ruth, was slowly gaining ground tonight in his fight against pneumonia.

Ruth was stricken suddenly yesterday and his physician, Dr. R. Nicol Smith, diagnosed the ailment late today as pneumonia after consulting with two lung specialists, Dr. Arthur Mark and Dr. Elmer Liljedahl.

Ruth's nurse reported that Ruth was improving through a harrowing night of alternating chills and fever.

Dr. Smith said: "We've decided it's pneumonia, but it's clearing up at once now. I'm holding my breath. Ruth is improving, but still on the borderline by a definite margin."

He added: "Such an attack is particularly dangerous when the patient is a big man. Ruth's size, weight, and age, along with his tendency toward overactivity, make the possibility of a relapse greater than it would otherwise be. I am also worried about a kidney complication."

The 47-year-old one-time home run king whose record of hitting 60 home runs in one season still stands, came here two months ago to play a part in the Lou Gehrig picture, "Pride of the Yankees."

## Pippie and 'Cap' Stubbs

By Edwina

"BUT YOU'VE GOT TO GET UP AGAIN—PLEASE!"

"DID YOU SAY BUGLER—OR BURGLAR?"

"LET'S SLEEP JAP THE MAP."

"SORRY, MR. JIGGS—WE GIVE YOU ABOUT MRS. JIGGS' BROTHER-IN-LAW. BAD NEWS IN THIS CAMP—"

"WELL, KIN YOU LET ME TALK TO HIM ON THE PHONE?"

"YOU MEAN TO STAND THERE AND TELL ME THAT THEY WON'T LET HIM TALK TO YOU OVER THE PHONE?"

"THEY WON'T EVEN LET HIM OUT OF THE GUARDHOUSE!"

Pippie and "Cap" Stubbs

## Tillie the Toiler— A Successful Black Out!

By Westover

"OH, DEAR, I'M GOING TO A PARTY AND THIS FINGER-NAIL LOOKS AWFUL"

"WELL, I'LL DO THAT JOB YOU TAKE THIS ONE"

"JUST DRAIN THE OIL FROM THAT CRANK-CASE. YOU WON'T BREAK FINGER NAILS USING A WRENCH"

"THAT'S SWEET OF YOU"

"GOSH! IT'S A BLACKOUT"

"WHAT DO YOU MEAN, BLACK-OUT?"

"IT MAY NOT BE A BLACKOUT FOR YOU, BUT IT IS FOR ME. I CAN'T SEE A THING"

Tillie the Toiler