

Plan ball team Kensington School To bring Leafs To higher rung Ice Sports

By Scott Young Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, March 17—(CP)—Lee MacPhail has a big job for a young fellow. It also would be a big job for an old fellow, or a middle-aged fellow. He has been given the job of hoisting Toronto Maple Leafs off the bottom of the International Baseball League.

Lee's activity as general manager of the Toronto club has been constant and inspiring. Few days go by without announcement of another player-deal. His connections with bigtime owners and managers have helped plenty, and he's the first to admit it.

New President

Lee was signed as general manager last Dec. 1. Between that date and the end of the 1941 season, Toronto had drafted two players and elected a new president, Pete Campbell of Toronto. Since MacPhail was signed, here is his record:

The eagerly awaited school sports held on Kensington rink ice on Friday night proved to be a red letter event for competitors and spectators alike. S. R. Pendleton (the chicken man) spark plugged the works by donating two chickens for a lottery, the returns from which provided the residue required for prizes beyond those provided by business firms mentioned below.

Principal Norman Macdonald and vice-principal Theodore Ling promoted and managed the sports. They were assisted by Mr. Pendleton (starter), Ivan Darrah and Elmer Bernard (rink manager). The boys and girls entered into the proper spirit of competition with the utmost zest and vivacity. Many spectators remarked that there should be more speed competitions.

- Race 1. 2. 3. and 4. Eleanor Bernard, 2nd William Ives. Race 5 1st. Ralph Condon, 2nd Olive MacDonald. Race 6 1st. Elaine Humphrey, 2nd Yvonne Arsenault, 2nd Allan Champion. Race 7 1st. Jackie Bernard, 2nd. Elizabeth Simms. Race 8 1st. Frances Adams, 2nd. Pineau Clark. Race 9 1st. Isabelle Jardine, 2nd. Betty Caldwell. Race 10 1st. Tommy Cobb, 2nd. Roger Kennedy. Race 11 1st. Marjorie Mann, 2nd. Peggy McQuaid. Race 12 1st. Eileen Protitt, 2nd. Marjorie Connick. Race 13 1st. Leonard Kelly, 2nd. Richard Kelly. Race 14 1st. Leonard Kelly, 2nd. Austin Pendergast. Race 15 1st. Joyce Heeschen, 2nd. Eileen Protitt. Race 16 1st. Richard Kelly, 2nd. Leonard Kelly. Race 17 1st. Ronnie Kennedy. Race 18 1st. Grade VIII, 2nd. Grade IX. Race 19 1st. Richard Kelly, 2nd. Jos. Thebeau. Race 20 1st. Joyce Heeschen, 2nd. Jessie Clark. Race 21 23rd. Grade VIII, 2nd. Grade IX. Race 22 1st. Eileen Protitt. Boy point winner: Dick Kelly. Special 8-10 Girls, Betty Caldwell, Shirley Kennedy. Special 8-10 Boys. Toto McNally, Allan Champion. Special (girls) 10-13-1. Peggy McQuaid, Norma Humphrey. Special 10-13-1. Layton Christou, Lee Semple. Firms who contributed prizes: M. F. Schurman Co. Canada Packers, Russell Champion and Sons S. R. Pendleton, Elmer Bernard, J. L. Davison, P. A. and C. Kennedy Taylor Drug, Wm. S. MacLeod, Keir Clark, MacKenzie Co. Lulu M. Toombs, R. Tuplin and Co. K.

In addition, Lee said he will get help from Pittsburgh, probably a few pitchers, a catcher and an outfielder.

There were 26 names on the Toronto roster for the club's muster March 16 in Camden, South Carolina, for spring training. MacPhail and Grimes have combined to line up nine pitchers, three of them southpaws; three catchers; eight infielders and six outfielders. Of this number, only eight were with the club last year.

GUARDIAN SPORTING NEWS

Utah pitcher Brooklyn bet Halifax Canadiens Take Maritimes Junior Crown Will decide Juvenile title On Saturday

MIAMI, Fla., March 17—(CP)—Leo Durocher believes he has solved the problem of finding a fourth pitcher for his Brooklyn Dodgers. The solution? It was too simple: Leo suddenly discovered that for two years he had been almost completely overlooking the biggest twirler on his squad 200-pound Newell Kimball.

Kimball is one of Utah's few girls to baseball. The 27-year-old right-hander from Logan stands a half inch over 6' 2". He's got plenty on his first fall, has good control and a fairly fast curve.

Bruins win 8-3 From Brooklyn

BOSTON, March 17—(AP)—The lowly Brooklyn Americans' last feeble hope of qualifying for one of the six National Hockey League playoff berths was decisively crushed tonight when Boston Bruins gave them an 8-3 trouncing in their regular season's finale before 9,000 at the Boston Garden.

- 1—Boston, McGill (Bruce, Smith) 14:52. 2—Boston, Smith (McGill) 16:00. 3—Boston, Conacher (Cowley) 18:33. Penalties—None. Second Period. 4—Boston, McGill (Bruce, Hiller) 5:54. 5—Boston, Crawford 17:35. Penalties—Bryant, Cain, Mosdell. Third Period. 6—Boston, Hiller (Bruce, McGill) 3:00. 7—Brooklyn, Anderson (Boll, Benson) 8:35. 8—Brooklyn, Field (Armstrong, Hill) 4:32. 9—Boston, H. Jackson (Cain, Anderson) 10:09. 10—Brooklyn, Watson (Larson, Anderson) 11:04. 11—Boston, Cain (H. Jackson, A. Jackson). Penalties—Churton, A. Jackson. If Lee's business acumen is comparable to his energy, Toronto will move off the bottom of the league this season. Toronto fans, remembering other management changes and shakeups that didn't click, are keeping everything but their ears in hope that the young MacPhail will come through.

SAINT JOHN, N. B., March 17—(CP)—The power-packed Halifax Canadiens swept easily to the Maritime junior hockey championship tonight and won a place in the Memorial Cup playdowns. An 8-3 victory over Moncton Wheelers clinched the Maritime crown for the Nova Scotia title-holders, who humbled Moncton Wheelers 10-4 at Halifax last Saturday and thus took the two-game series by a total one-sided count of 18-7.

Wheeler's New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island champions were outclassed tonight in addition to the six-goal deficit with which they started play. Their power drives netted two goals early in the first period but another at the start of the second was their final successful effort and at that point the round score stood at 12-7. Canadians matched Moncton's two first-period tallies, added another brace in the second and made the margin overwhelming with four more before the game ended.

For Halifax, Morash led the scoring with two goals and three assists. Roach shot two and one each came from the sticks of Power, Currie, McDonald and Chrysler. Evans and Sleep also were prominent in the play-making.

The last period saw Canadians capitalizing on the breaks and taking advantage of the Wheeler's weariness. In 47 seconds after the 15-minute mark the Nova Scotians hammered home three goals.

Table with columns for Y's Men, Service Club League, Kinmen, Hi-Y Grads, Printers, Corporals, Buck Privates, Sergeants, and a list of names and scores.

KENTVILLE, N. S., March 17—(CP)—The Maritime juvenile hockey championship will be decided next Friday and Saturday at Truro. N. S. it was announced today by C. M. Dodge, secretary-registrar of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association.

The sudden-death semi-final game will be played Friday between the Nova Scotia mainland and Cape Breton Island champions. On Saturday the winners will meet the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island titlists.

Sydney Eagles, Cape Breton winners, will meet Windsor in the semi-final. The surviving team will meet the winner of this week's series between Moncton, N. B., Bulldogs and Charlottetown juvenile Royals in a sudden death match.

TORONTO, March 17—(C P)—Frank Selke, acting general manager of Toronto Maple Leafs, announced tonight that Leafs would meet New York Rangers here Saturday night in the first game of their best-of-seven Stanley Cup semi-final series.

Officials of the Toronto and New York Club reached an agreement on the semi-final playoff dates in telephone conversations tonight. Toronto finished second to Rangers in the league schedule. Selke said the second game of the series would be played in New York Tuesday night. The third in New York Tuesday night and the fourth in Toronto Saturday, March 28. If fifth, sixth or seventh games are necessary they will be played in New York March 29, Toronto March 31 and New York April 2, respectively.

Royals Meet Moncton Bruins Tonight In First Game For N.B. - P.E.I. Juvenile Title

Seeking their first Maritime Juvenile crown in the history of the club Royals tonight step out against the New Brunswick champions in the first game of a total-goal series to determine the team to meet the Nova Scotia winners for the three-province crown. Tonight marks the first struggle in what is expected to be a gruelling series with the second game also place on Thursday night.

The New Brunswickers are reputed to be a fast rugged aggregation that skate fast both ways and are always in there digging. They go out in an effort to score in convincing fashion and away from home ice at that so Royals can expect to stack up against a pretty tough foe.

The juveniles have a tough time each year financially and it is to be hoped that a large turnout of fans will be on hand for tonight's game. It will help spur the kids on as they go out in an effort to avenge the juniors defeat at the hands of Moncton Wheelers and start on the trail that they hope will lead to a Maritime crown.

Tonight's game will get underway at 8:30 sharp. Here is how the Royals will line up for tonight's game: Cudmore, Defence, Judson, McDougall, Beck. Forwards, Arsenault, Gregory, Jackson, Bagnall, Beer, Simmons, Jay.

Yarri left Batavia for Tiltland on the south coast of Java Feb. 27. A submarine attack on Feb. 28 was beaten off with depth charges. A second minesweeper and an Indian sloop joined the convoy in time to fight off another submarine attack March 3.

Mystery of Missing Sloop Yarra dispelled

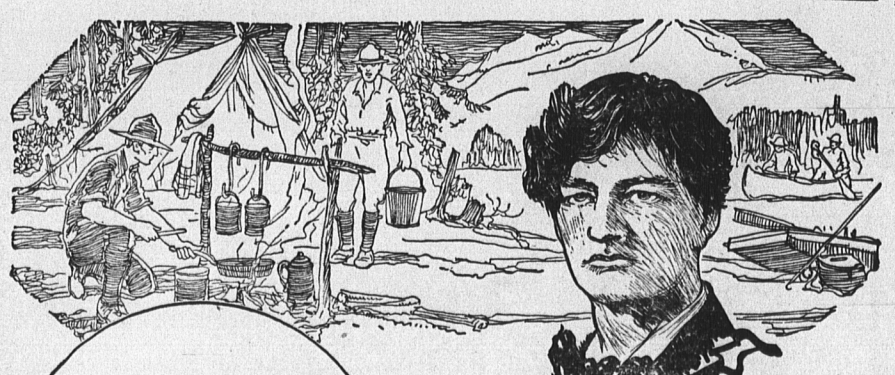
When at dawn on March 4 the Japanese cruisers and destroyers scattered, the convoy scattered, the Yarra staying behind to lay a smokescreen and try to delay the attack.

The story of the Yarra's last fight was related by Sub-Lieut. F. R. Marshal of the Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve, who has reached an Australian port. His minesweeper was destroyed along with the Yarra. He said six vessels escorted by begin next Sunday night. Chicago will travel to Boston for the first game of a best-of-three series in one quarter-final round, with either Montreal Canadiens or Brooklyn Americans meeting Detroit in the Stanley Cup quarter-finals will

But the situation was hopeless. The convoy had a maximum speed of 14 knots; the enemy could manoeuvre at more than 30 knots. Against the eight inch guns of the cruisers and five inch guns of the destroyers the convoy could muster one anti-submarine gun, some machine guns and the Yarra's three-pounders.

At point-blank range the Japanese concentrated on one after another until every one was sunk. Lieut. Marshall and 13 of his 18 men drifted on two floats for three days until a Netherlands ship rescued them.

Survivors of the British destroyers Jupiter and Electra, sunk in other sea fighting off Java, also have reached Australia. They organized a crew for an ancient coal-burning vessel at Tiltland, and with refugee passengers acting as stokers sailed her to safety.



BLISS CARMAN (1861-1929)

Was born at Fredericton, N.B., and educated at the Universities of New Brunswick, Edinburgh and Harvard. He was literary editor of the New York Independent and afterwards worked on the staffs of Current Literature and Atlantic Monthly. His numerous volumes of poetry include Low Tide on Grand Pre and Songs from Yagabondia.

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