

BACK STRETCH

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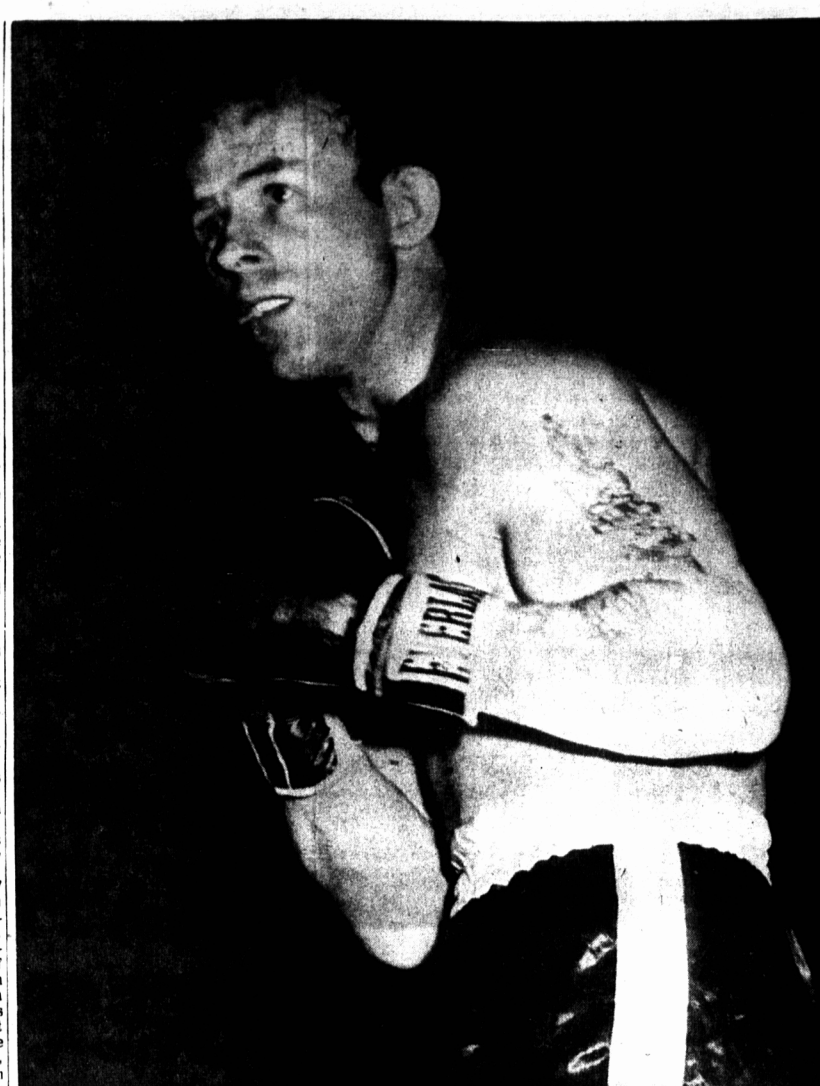
The complete dispersal of the harness horse owned by the late W. H. Cane, proprietor of the Yonkers Raceway, will be conducted by Tattersalls of Kentucky at three different sales during the coming season. The 17 head of the racing stable will be sold first at a special sale to be conducted at Gosport, N.Y., on Saturday, June 30th.

Henry Thomas, who is retiring as a harness racing driver, was tendered a "night" at Roosevelt Raceway on Friday, May 25th. It was the first time in the history of harness racing that a driver was honored in such a fashion.

"Thomas was known as a 'dare-devil' driver and many other drivers complained that he drove too close and a chance of crashing wheels at the risk of causing a spill."

Noel Simpson, largest New Zealand breeder of the Standardbreds, and Frank Reiss, top breeder of Standardbreds from Australia, are visiting United States and plan to stay several weeks.

In faraway Bay Meadows, California, at its opening Spring meeting of the year on Saturday, May 15th, Misstatement, 6-year-old bay mare owned by Walter S. Found of Merced, Calif., and driven by Clarence Hanson, was the winner of the CC Trot, time, 2:06 3/5. On May 19 the Open Pace, purse



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TO DEFEND MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE

Cobey McCluskey will defend his Maritime middleweight title Monday night at Stellarton against Normand Gautreau of Providence, R.I., originally of Moncton, N.B. Cobey still has

own stallion Free Spirit 2:05 2/5. Harry Mount of Fredericton has Marion Budlong 2:11 1/5 for Frank Van Buskirk and the stallion Shamrock Thoughts 2:04, owned jointly by him and Mr. Van Buskirk. Bill Burt has Jennie Lee 2:15 3/5 and Jeannette Belle for Joe Coates of Fredericton and Ralph Giberson has his own Senator Hedgewood 2:08. Driving Club president Bob Hamilton assisted by Kenny Smyth has Prince Albert 2:15 and Fraser Hal for Jack Fraser. Hal's Gal for the Stiles Estate. Victory Bell 2:15 and Bob's Dan for his own account.

We have the following letter from J. A. MacDonald, Vancouver, B.C., an article on behalf of Mr. Murray Davis, president of the Delta Agricultural Society, Patterson Park, Ladner, B.C. We see in the magazines and other mediums where there is wonderful racing in your Province and we would like to contact through you the head of your Island racing association."

The 22-weeks Maine racing season opened at Cumberland Fair grounds last Monday night. It included classes for 20 and 30-class trotters, 21 and 25-class pacers and a 22 conditioned pace and a class 14 conditioned trot. Among the reinmen who will be driving on that circuit is Harry Coleman, well-known to Maritimers, Irving Luce, Dick Huff, Herb B on a day, and others. From Cumberland the horses will move to New Gloucester for the week of June 4-9 and to the Maine State Fair grounds at Lewiston June 11-23.

Stanley Dancer holds the Yonkers Raceway track record for three out of four seasons, a record better than any previously recorded.

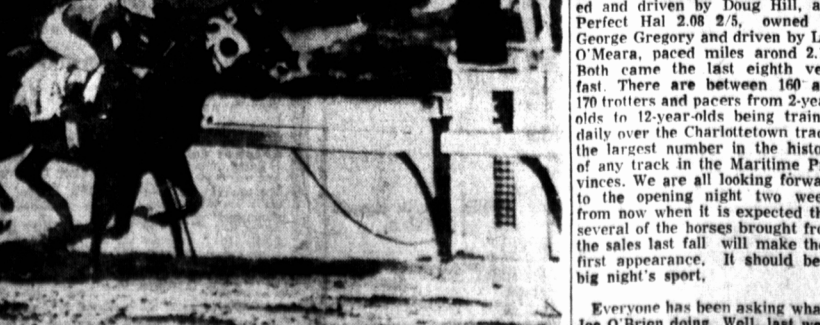
Harness horsemen in and around Moncton are looking forward to the opening meet there and there is a lot of interest taken in new performers that have moved in. Among those we may mention Tenniswood 2:09 2/5, a 9-year-old pacer by Corporal Lee eligible to the 15 pace. Victoria B. Gratton 2:17 3/5, eligible to the 28 pace and Brilliant Frisco 2:10, a 6-year-old pacer by Frisco. Dale 2:00 eligible for the 20 pace. At Woodstock the Wilfred Price stable is in charge of Teddy Weir and Bert Harper. They consist of Pure Gold 2:07, Lesabel 2:13, Dianadale 2:15, Diamond Chief 2:14, Morning Wing by Taylor 2:05 and out of Dianadale, named Charlie Hal. The veteran Jim Smyth has Bay State Joe 2:10 and Sunny Maid 2:17 for Jack Mehan of St. Stephen; Bill's Betty 2:15 for the Stiles Estate; Hal's Betty (2) for Claire Wilson; Ronald Federal (3) for Mac Tail of Fredericton and his

Colonel J. R. Calkin of Woodstock in his column The Tack Report reports last week's week-outs as follows: Henry DeWitt Stable - Dominion's Pride, 2:28, John Jolly and Ina Belle to be heard in 2:29. Wilfred Price Stable - Lesabel 2:26, Lebas 2:34, Dianadale 2:32, Diamond Chief 2:31, Morning Glory 2:31 and Gold in 2:28. Clarys Killam Stable, Guy Tucker 2:26, My Clegg 2:31, Hedgewood H. 2:32 and Johnny Cabalero in 2:35. Bob Hamilton Stable - Hal's Gal 2:36, Fraser Hal 2:36, Prince Abern 2:29 and Victory Bell in 2:36. Bob Brown Stable - Shoter in 2:35. Jim Smyth Stable - Bay State Joe and Sunny Maid in 2:35. Everett

The defeat of Adios Harry 1:55, world's champion pacer, at Roseville, 1:59 2/5, driven by Del Cameron and owned by George W. Reed, Fort Fairfield, Maine, is considered the greatest upset of this season. The time was 2:03 4/5, over a thunderstorm. Adios Harry had previously won three straight victories at Roseville, one of them in 2:00 3/5. A new record for Mutual betting at any track in the United States was set at Roseville Raceway when the \$1,000,000 purse was won by the Ironmen in one night.

The fastest miles reported in this Province so far were stepped on the Summerside oval on Thursday when Tuta 2:09 and Downy 2:03 3/5 paced in exactly the same notch 2:14. They are being trained by James MacGregor and are owned by Andrew Perry. At Charlottetown yesterday the trotters Ted Genesee 2:16 1/5 and Jerry A. Hanover 2:06 1/5, both owned by Roy Bevan, and the former driven by Rankin McLaine and the latter by Archie Llewellyn, trotted miles in 2:21 and 2:22 respectively. They are the fastest miles trotted at Charlottetown this season. Mr. Jollcott 2:12 3/5, owned and driven by Doug Hill, and Perfect Hal 2:08 2/5, owned by George Gregory and driven by Len O'Meara, paced miles around 2:17. Both came the last eighth very fast. There are between 160 and 170 trotters and pacers from 2-year-olds to 12-year-olds being trained over the Charlottetown track, the largest number in the history of any track in the Maritime Provinces. We are all looking forward to the opening night two weeks from now when it is expected that several of the horses brought from the sales last fall will make their first appearance. It should be a big night's sport.

Everyone has been asking what's Joe O'Brien doing. Well, last week he arrived at the Wolverine Raceway, Detroit, with the Sol Camp stable of 38 and of course Scott Frost 1:59 2/5. "Harness Horse of the Year 1955" was one of them. From now on Joe will be in the news.



The mighty Swaps is nosed out by darkhorse Porterhouse (1A), which scored an upset to win the

IN EIGHT CANADIAN PROVINCES

Harness Racing Business Brisk

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Harness racing fans of eight Canadian provinces are expected to push perhaps \$25,000,000 through pari-mutuel machines this year as sulkies drivers compete for upwards of \$1,784,000 in purses. Business may exceed the brisk

pace set last year where an estimated \$23,000,000 was wagered and \$1,744,000 offered in stakes in all provinces except Alberta and Newfoundland where no harness racing exists. Most of the sport's popularity is centered in Quebec province, where Montreal's Blue Bonnets raceway and Richelieu park and Quebec City's tracks are offering \$1,500,000 in purses this year.

Sports

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IN THIS CORNER
Oriole-Pirate World Series For Bettermen Of Baseball

Even at this early date it appears that one C. Stengel will assume the title of genius for another season. The season of 1956 is still only in short pants with only a little more than one quarter of the playing schedule completed, but the way Case has taken his Yankees away from the wire has threatened to turn the pennant race into a slow walk at least as far as seven of the teams are concerned.

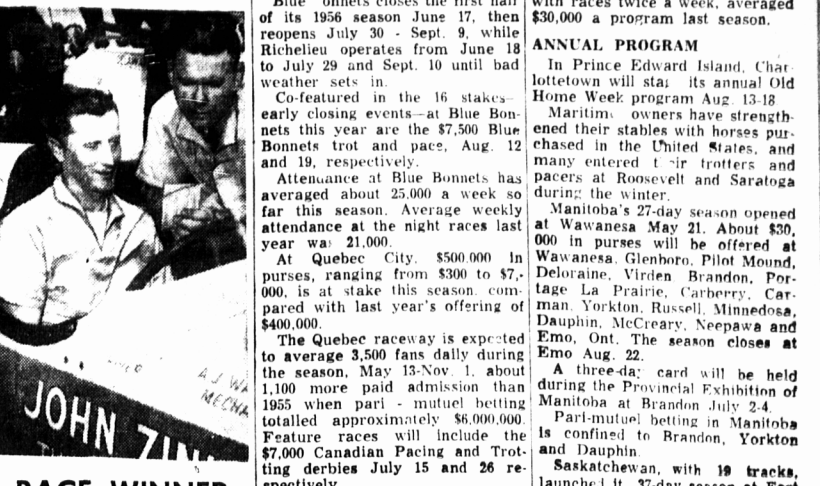
It will be remembered that a couple of years ago a big chief named Lopez of the Cleveland tribe massacred the residents of the American League settlement with such ferocity that Casey's personal stock market took a hit and plunged. Even the finest worded, much-valued phrase of "Break Up The Yankees" slid to the platitude latitude to join others of its ilk like "every dog has his day," "a fool and his money," and "wait 'til next year."

Lopez' Indians shot past the wire hitting on all 9 cylinders in 1954 and their momentum was such that they couldn't see the stone wall looming up before them in the shape of the New York Giants. When the Indians awoke the giants had been crowned World Champions and the term "bush" was often heard spoken in the same sentence as American League. Casey Stengel, and Al Lopez. Some inspired sportswriters got busy on their typewriters and clacked out those forgettable pieces as "Has the American League Gone Hilarious?"

You may have heard that the Yankees bought the pennant from the Baltimore Orioles last year when they acquired Bob Turley and Don Larsen in a player trade. Between them the two hurlers picked up 26 wins (17 for Turley) and are sure 'muff the Yanks' tacked their 17th flag in 35 years to the Stadium's pennant pole.

In the ensuing World Series with the Dodgers from Brooklyn, the combination of Duke Snider and Johnny Podres proved too much for the Bombers, who bowed out but not so ingloriously as did the Indians the year before.

The tribe was routed in four games but the Yanks at least for



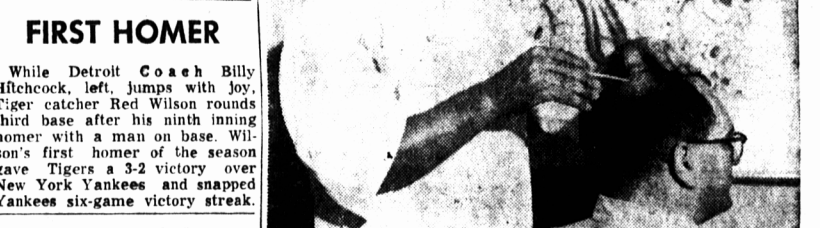
RACE WINNER
Pat Flaherty (left) roared to victory in the Indianapolis Speedway Race Wednesday in the time of 128.49 m.p.h. In the trial run the Chicago tavern keeper clocked 146.05.

But that was last year and this is this year. Apparently Casey has taken the brass to his tarnished crown and with a comfortable spread between himself and Messrs Lopez and Marion in the league standings has taken dead aim at his seventh pennant.

As we mentioned, previously it is a long, long way from May to September. Almost anything can happen between now and then. But barring a major collapse by Whitney Ford, Johnny Kucks, Mickey Mantle or Yogi Berra the Yankees should keep rolling right along.

While the Bronx butchers are chopping up the A.L. the world Circuit Dodgers are having their troubles from Milwaukee, St. Louis, Cincinnati and a new entry from Pittsburgh who by its showing to date seems to have picked up a major league franchise over the winter. According to pre-season predictions (including that of yours truly) the Bucs were participating in the league to more or less keep the eight-team schedule workable. No one expected them to play much baseball but the Pirates have been the surprise of the league. If both Cards and Pirates keep up the pace veterans will have a tough proposition facing them in choosing the manager of the year between Bobby Bragan and Fred Hutchinson.

While it isn't likely to happen this year about the best thing that could happen to Major League baseball is for the Baltimore Orioles and the pirates to face each other in a world Series. While Ravey perennial winners in New York and Brooklyn is fine for Dodger and Yankee fans it is not so fine for fans in other centres who can become awfully tired watching also-rans. It wouldn't hurt baseball in the least if the teams that have been dominating the pennant races in both leagues for years and years took a back seat for a year or two to the boys at the bottom.



FIRST HOMER
While Detroit Coach Billy Hitchcock, left, jumps with joy, Tiger catcher Red Wilson rounds third base after his ninth inning homer with a man on base. Wilson's first homer of the season gave Tigers a 3-2 victory over New York Yankees and snapped Yankees six-game victory streak.

Remember When
BY THE CANADIAN PRESS
Lou Gehrig, one of baseball's immortals, died 15 years ago today after a two-year fight against a crippling bone disease. Gehrig only 37, at the time of his death, in 14 seasons with New York Yankees established a record of playing 2,130 consecutive games.

TORONTO FARES UP
TORONTO (CP)—The Metropolitan Toronto council early Wednesday approved a 2 1/2-cent fare increase sought by the deficit-plagued Toronto Transit Commission which said it would have wound up \$4,250,000 further in the hole if the 10-cent rate was continued. The boost to 12 1/2 cents comes into effect July 1.

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Famed as a quarterback and then as a scout for Winnipeg Blue Bomber, Indian Jack Jacobs faces a big challenge in accepting the job of playing coach with London, new entry in the ORFU. Although several good imports are lined up, the big question mark is homebrew talent. Over 80 Canadians have applied and Indian Jack will have the job of molding them into a contending team. Jacobs, whose main ambition is to return to Winnipeg as coach, hopes the London coaching job will be a stepping stone.

British Golfers Have Little Affection For "Burma Road"
By KEN METHALER
Canadian Press Staff Writer
LONDON (CP)—British golfers call the Wentworth course the "Burma Road."
There's little affection in the nickname, for British golfers have an instinctive dislike for the narrow, tree-lined fairways of the 6,936-yard course at Virginia Water, Surrey, that from June 24 to 26 will be host to the 28 countries challenging for the Canada Cup.
However, Canada's team of Stan Leonard and Al Balding should feel right at home at Wentworth, sometimes described as the United Kingdom course most nearly resembling a Canadian one.
Most British championship courses like famed St. Andrews and Troop in Scotland are situated near the sea with wide, almost flat fairways on which sand dunes and strong sea breezes form the chief hazards.
BUILT AMONG HILLS
Wentworth's par 72 route is carved out of the Surrey hills. It has large, well-defined greens and few blind holes. But in almost every instance the path from the green to the hole is a narrow, tree-lined fairway.

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