



Joe O'Brien is away out in front as leading driver on the Universal Scoring System for the Santa Anita race meeting, California. This afternoon he will probably drive Dutch Harbor in the \$50,000 Golden West Trot for free for all trotters. The distance is one and one-quarter miles. Next Saturday he will in all probability drive Prince Jay in the \$50,000 Golden West Pace for free for all pacers, distance one and one-quarter miles. It was with Prince Jay that he set up a world's record for one and one-eighth miles at Santa Anita last week. Prince Jay is a four-year-old by Scotland 1.59 1-2. As a three-year-old last season he took a record of 2:01 and his total winnings at the end of the year were \$11,470.

Next Saturday night we will witness the opening meet of the season's Saturday night racing events here. Thousands of dollars and a tremendous lot of labor have been expended in making improvements to the track, the grounds, the lighting arrangements and other features. You will see a complete new fence around the outside of the track and its silvery gleam is due to a coating of a special aluminum paint which is being tried for the first time here. It has been recommended as having far more reflective properties than white paint. The jockey stand has been moved back, a new vaudeville platform built and a much improved arrangement made for the receiving of the photo finishes from the Godfrey studio above the grand stand. The lighting system has been stepped up 25%. These are but a few of the features you will note when the starter's gong sounds next Saturday night.

Almost one hundred horses are chartered or being trained over the Charlotte track. The most recent arrivals are the Hankinson Stable from Middleton, N.S. with Hero Mine, P.E.I. Budlong, Dinah Budlong and Wee Michael. On Tuesday Harvey Cormier will be in from Moncton with Tryon, Ma Cherie, Bonnie Clegg and Billy Professor and the John Forbes stable from Fredericton is also expected next week in charge of Frank McAluff. Applications have been made from other stables, some of which will probably be here in the not too distant future.

Roland MacDonald, who has acted as patrol judge and in other official capacities at race meets, has been practising as starter with the Starting Gate at the local speedway. Both he and Russell Abbott have taken turns getting the horses away with this rather intricate apparatus. Both have been very helpful in educating the horses the past week with the Gate available each morning from 9:30 until 10:30, and of course we must not overlook Bill MacAusland who is at the controls. The four-year-old brown filly

DOWN THE BACK STRETCH



"Plans for the third annual Maritime Invitation Track and Field Meet are progressing daily and everything points towards a highly competitive meet again this year" it was reported by officials of the meet here last evening. The event, which is under the sponsorship of the P. E. I. Department of Physical Fitness in cooperation with the Charlotteville Abegweit Amateur Athletic Association, will be held at Memorial Field at Charlottetown on July first (Dominion Day) and already many team entries from leading Maritime athletic clubs have been received.

The sponsors of the meet have already released their program of events and other data concerning the competitions and it might be of interest to many contemplating taking part, to jot down in this column now, some of the requirements, rules, etc. in connection with the meet.

To start with, the meet is open to all amateur clubs or unattached amateur athletes in the Maritimes, and it is the wish of the sponsoring groups to extend a cordial welcome to all in the hope that each club will be represented as every effort is being made to make it a most successful meet.

Due to the fact that the meet is sanctioned by the Maritime Amateur Athletic Union and is to be run by Amateur Athletic Union of Canada rules, all athletes participating must be in good amateur standing and must produce their 1950 amateur cards, which can be secured by forwarding an application to the secretary of the M. A. A. U., Mr. Hugh A. Noble, 504 Dennis Building, Halifax, N. S., or on the field at Charlottetown.

With regard to entries, all clubs and associations can have three entries in each event with a contestant entering as many events as he wishes. Each club or association will also be entitled to enter a relay team of four in the senior mile relay and the junior 440 yards relay. There will be junior events in connection with the meet and to compete in junior events an athlete must have been under 19 years of age on November 1st, 1949. Junior events will not count toward the aggregate club award. All entries should be addressed to Brigadier W. W. Reid, Director of Physical Fitness, P.O. Box 70, Charlottetown, P.E. I. The closing date for entries is midnight, June 29th.

The junior events will consist of 100 and 220 yard dashes, 880 yard and one mile runs, high jump and one-quarter mile relay. The track events in the senior bracket will be 100, 220 and 440 yard dashes, 880 yard, one mile and six mile runs, and a one mile relay. The field events will consist of running broad and high jumps, pole vault, discus throw, shot put, hammer throw, javelin throw and hop-step-and-jump.

Entertainments in connection with the meet will include a dinner for all competitors and officials as the guests of the Department of Physical Fitness, and a special monster dance to be held at the Armouries on Monday evening. During the intermission period at the dance, the presentation of trophies and awards will be made by His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor J. A. Bernard.

Members of the Charlotteville Golf Club who will be turning out to take part in the second stage of the President's Match to be played this afternoon or in regular play over the week-end, will have the opportunity of playing over a new green on the 15th hole for the first time. The new green was commenced last fall at the close of the regular season, and will be opened officially today as a permanent green for the course.

The new green will be a great improvement to the 15th hole and is in fine condition at the moment, although it is hoped by officials that when it is fully developed, it should be one of the finest greens in the entire course.

Knights And Vics Open Junior League Sunday

The Knights of Columbus and Charlottetown Victorias Junior ball clubs will clash over Memorial Field at Victoria Park tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the opening game of the City Junior Baseball League that will send the three-team loop into action for the summer in a 24-game schedule.

The league, that has proved such a success here during the past few years, is being looked forward to with much interest by local ball fans again this year, and its opening is expected to be the forerunner to really keen ball and close competition this season.

Coached by Charley Ryan, the man who piloted the Knights to the title last year has lined up a formidable aggregation to defend that crown again this year and plans to go all out here on Sunday to cop off the initial lead in the league race.

It isn't likely that it is going to be as easy as that, however, as the Vics are reputed to have a strong roster this year too, and under the capable handling of coach Harry "Had" McInnis, will be ready to do battle for top honors right from tomorrow on.

Cliff Ready will be the starting pitcher for the Vics with Arnold McCallum doing the catching while other hurlers who might see action for the Vics will be Wendell Gillis and southpaw Junior MacLeod. The starting battery for the Knights was not available last night, but it is likely that Phil Murphy, Jackie Burke, Red MacKenzie or Donnie MacLean will go the mound duties, with Maurice Flynn on the receiving end.

Record-Breaking Golfer Blows Up Second Day

By GAYLE TALBOT

ARMORE, Pa., June 9 — (P) — The boy from Birmingham, Ala., blew up today with a report heard in adjoining suburbs. He shot an 81 over Merion's scorched acres, and the 50th United States open golf championship returned to something resembling normal at the halfway point.

While Lee MacKey, Jr., the phenom who hit the jackpot with a record 64 in Thursday's opening round, was getting his lumps in a manner painful to behold, one of the old pros, E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, moved in quietly and took over the lead with two fine rounds of 72-67-139.

Harrison, the 40-year-old veteran from Arkansas who won the 1949 Canadian open, will carry a shaky one-stroke lead over three pushing rivals into tomorrow's final 36 holes. He's never won a major championship.

On his heels as the shortened field of 52 goes into Saturday's gruelling test will be Johnny Bulla, whose brilliant 66 — the day's best — shot him into the contention; Jim Ferrier, the transplanted Australian, with steady rounds of 71-69, and Julius Boros of Southern Pines, N.C., a recent addition to the pro ranks, with 68-72.

And right behind this trio was game little Ben Hogan at 141. Bantam Ben, who only 17 months ago was supposed to have been so terribly injured in an auto wreck that he would never again be a major factor in championship golf, was breathing down their necks with 72-69 — 141 and showing no signs of tiring.

Both Sammy Sneed and Jimmy Demaret, who were co-favorites to win the \$4,000 first money when they began Thursday, were out of the running. Sammy, the man who banks all the money in other tournaments, saw his dream of winning an open title go glimmering again when he wound up two miserable days at 73-75-148. His putter failed him, and he sank only one birdie putt in the two rounds.

Demaret was even worse today. He started off confidently after his opening 72, and then slowly died as he scrambled to a 77 on his second trip around Merion's frightening acres. He barely qualified for tomorrow's final rounds. Frank Stranahan, the celebrated amateur, was right with him with 79-70. The dividing line for last day qualifiers was 149.

Baseball Results

American League

Detroit	640 108 000 13 16 0
New York	600 122 200 7 7 1
Gray, Calvert (5) and Robinson; Lopez, Johnson (6), Porterfield (6), Sanford (8) and Berra, Houli (7).	
Cleveland	110 000 420 8 9 1
Washington	102 010 003 7 11 9
Feller, Pieretti (7), Gromek (9), Zolack (9) and Hegan, Murray (7), Arroyo, Hittle (7), Weik (8), Haynes (9) and Evans.	
St. Louis	001 104 033 12 9 0
Boston	202 000 300 7 11 3
Garver, Widmar and Lollar; McDermott, Schanz (5), Pappal (8) and Suchecki (9) and Tebbets.	
Chicago	001 000 110 3 4 0
Philadelphia	010 010 00 2 10 1
Wight and Maasi; Hooper, Wyse (9) and Guerra.	

National League

New York	000 001 305 9 16 0
Chicago	100 000 200 3 8 4
Jansen and Westrum; Schmitz, Hiller (8) and Walker.	
Brooklyn	001 102 221 9 15 0
Pittsburgh	004 000 210 7 12 0
Banta, Palica (3), Podbielniak (7), Newcombe (9) and Campanella; Dickson, Werle (6), Walsh (8) and McCullough.	
Boston	010 002 110 5 9 1
St. Louis	202 202 60x 8 11 3
Hall, Roy (4), Chipman (7) and Cooper; Lanier, Staley (8) and Rice.	
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, postponed, rain.	

International League

First game:—

Buffalo	000 000 1 8 1
Springfield	036 00x 9 13 1
Wade, Burch (3), Burtuschy (3), and Tabacksch; Kelley and Peden.	

Second game:—

Buffalo	000 000 201 3 8 0
Springfield	000 100 000 1 5 2
Lovenguth and Novick; Spicer, Porto (9) and Burgess.	
Rochester	220 014 000 9 12 2
Syracuse	010 002 000 3 10 1
Reeder and Wilber; Peterson, Sanders (7), Burkhardt (8) and Hayworth.	

Jersey City — 020 000 030 5 6 2
 Thomas, Lee (7), Epperly (8) and Teed; Bowman and Years.
 Toronto — 100-020 000 3 6 3
 Baltimore — 202 020 00x 6 10 0
 Stuffer, Peterson (3), Bowers (8) and Plumbo; Raney, Kennedy (3) and Unser.

Baseball Standings

American League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	32	14	.695
Detroit	29	14	.674
Boston	30	20	.600
Cleveland	23	22	.511
Washington	21	24	.467
Philadelphia	17	30	.362
Chicago	16	30	.348
St. Louis	14	28	.333

National League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	27	17	.614
St. Louis	27	17	.614
Philadelphia	26	18	.591
Boston	24	20	.548
New York	20	21	.488
Chicago	20	22	.476
Pittsburgh	18	30	.375
Cincinnati	13	30	.302

One of the chief advantages of the new green is the fact that it has been elevated some six or eight feet and should greatly facilitate "pitch" shots and better judgment on shooting this hole. The 15th will remain as a par-4 hole. Earlier in the season when the new green was being prepared, a temporary one was being used.

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SEMI-FINAL — 6 ROUNDS
 BUD LUND, Lightweight Champion
 vs.
 BOBBY GALLANT
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 FIRST BOUT—6:30

RINGSIDE \$1.00 — RESERVED 75c

FORUM

5 Senior Hockey Leagues Taken Out Of Allan Cup Class By C.A.H.A. Move

BANFF, Alta., June 9 — (CP) — A new super-class of amateur hockey clubs, ineligible for Allan Cup competition, was created today by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

At its annual meeting, the Association lifted five senior leagues out of the Allan Cup category and decided to set them in a class by themselves. They will compete in a "super-series" for a trophy as yet unnamed.

The leagues placed in the new top bracket, which will no longer be classified as senior, are the Western Canada Hockey League, the Ontario Hockey Association Senior A, the Quebec Senior Hockey League and the Maritime and Cape Breton Senior Leagues.

Other senior organizations will continue to compete for the Allan Cup.

In the closing day of the 37th annual convention here, C. A. H. A. delegates also decided that in future senior players would be signed to contracts, similar to the system used by professional clubs.

Details of the new setup and the contact system will be formulated at a special meeting to be held sometime in July, Winnipeg, was suggested but no definite venue was set.

Second Stage Of President's Match Scheduled Today

The feature attraction in golfing activities over the weekend at the Charlottetown Golf Club's Belvedere course will be the holding of the 2nd stage of the President's Match which will be played there this afternoon commencing at two o'clock.

The match is 18-hole, handicap medal play competition and is to be played off in four stages with the final winner being declared on a total point basis.

The first stage was run off here two weeks ago with Skipper Sears leading a field of some 22 golfers with a net 70 to be the top man going into today's play with a total of 10 points. Other leaders in the match to date are Roger Clark and Don MacDonald who checked up net 71's in the first stage play to tie for second with 8 1-2 points each.

Another large field is expected to turn out for this afternoon's competitions.

O'Brien Drives Race Winner

ARCADIA, Calif., June 9 — (AP) — Paul R., with Clint Hodgins handling the reins, today won the featured Redlands Pace on the Grand Circuit card at Santa Anita.

The Clardeboye, Ont., driver had Paul R. in front all the way and was clocked in 2:06 1-5 for the mile. Gray Star was second and Henry Mac third.

Joe O'Brien, formerly of New Glasgow, N. S., and Alberton, P. E. I., drove McHal to first place money in the class F third race. The horse paid 9.40, 4.80 and 3.40.

The summary included:
 Third race, One mile, Pace. For horses in Class F. Purse \$1,000.
 McHal (J. O'Brien) 1
 Miss Pegasus Logan (Stewart) 2
 Harvey King (Schue) 3
 Time: 2:06.
 Eighth Race, One mile, Pace. Horses in Class DD. Purse \$1,000.
 Socrates (Crippen) 1
 Favourite Chief (Osborn) 2
 Rocket Abbe (O'Brien) 3
 Time 2:03 4-5.
 Also Raced—Lomita Queen, Levi Watts, Lee Earl, Adah Tass.

Ace McCloskey Stopped In Ninth Round

CHATHAM, N. B., June 9 — (CP) — Arnold Fleiger, Chatham, stopped Ace McCloskey, of Charlottetown and Halifax, in the ninth round of a featured boxing match tonight. Fleiger weighed 158 and his opponent 160. McCloskey suffered a cut over his left eye and the bout was stopped at 2:15 of the ninth.

Three other matches on the card ended in draws. The fighters were Cecil Gray, 180, Halifax, and David Cassidy, 178, Chatham, a six-rounder; Stewart Johnston, 142, Halifax, and Etoile Durelle, 142, St. Anne, N. B., six rounds; Dunc McTavere, 142, Chatham, and Coof Moore, 140, Chatham, four rounds.

St. Louis Browns Win First Game From Red Sox

(Canadian Press)

Friday was anti-climax day at Boston's Fenway Park. The heavy-hitting Red Sox broke only one run and equalled another as they were beaten 12-7 by the lowly St. Louis Browns, victims of Thursday's 29-4 slaughter.

When Bob Doerr slugged his seventh homer of the season, his fourth in two games, it gave the Sox a total of 15 in four games, matching a mark of the New York Yankees.

The seven runs gave the Socks a total of 56 in three games, four better than the previous record, which also had been established by the Yankees.

The St. Louis victory, credited to young Ned Garver who pitched the first seven innings, was the first of the Sox in seven meetings.

Ted Williams hit his 17th homer of the campaign for the Sox in the first inning.

Left hander Maurice McDermott started for Boston and led the game after four innings with a 4-2 lead because of a painful left shoulder.

He was followed by Charlie Schanz, Al Pappal and Jim Suchecki. Schanz was charged with the loss.

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According to reports "Jim" Crow is taking quite a shellacking since the announcement of the Crow Shooting Contest. The Provincial grand prize, a Savage 3 shot automatic shotgun, is a trophy well worth trying for. In addition to the Provincial prize there are three County prizes of sporting goods to the value of \$25, \$15 and \$10 dollars respectively. In this connection Kings and Queens are listed as one county on account of Kings County not having organized their branch of the P.E.I. Fish and Game Protection Association before the contest rules were announced.

To be eligible for the contest one must be a member of the Game Association. The regular adult membership costs one dollar but for those 16 years and under there is a junior membership fee of 50c. Membership cards may be obtained from H. J. Shaw, Charlottetown, or Ernest McQuarrie, Summerside, presidents of their respective County Associations. Crows feet are worth 10 cents per pair when turned in at the Royal

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ENTRIES FOR SATURDAY NIGHT RACES JUNE 17

After posting of entries which have been classified any owner or agent who wishes to declare a horse or horses out must do so by a written declaration or telegram to the Secretary by Tuesday at 5 p.m. preceding the Saturday race.

No. 1—One Dash—Purse \$150.00
 1—JOANDALE
 2—JUST NELLIE C.
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 4—DOT BUDLONG
 5—BONNIE CLEGG
 6—BRITISH GUY HAI
 7—DINA BUDLONG
 8—P.E.I. BUDLONG
 9—HAPPY VERNON
 10—NELLIE GREY

No. 2—Two Dashes — Purse \$150.00 per Dash
 1—VALLEY LONG
 2—ROMEO
 3—LELA BUDLONG
 4—ROSALIE H.
 5—TRYON
 6—BONNIE BOY
 7—O. U. VOLO
 8—NEW LOOK
 9—MARY'S DELIGHT

No. 3 — One Dash —Purse \$150.00
 1—BOB CANUCK
 2—DIRECT VOLO
 3—MA CHERIE
 4—LILLIAN BUDLONG
 5—MISS CHERRY VALLEY
 6—CALUMET ONWARD
 7—MARGARET JEAN
 8—HILDA MAC
 9—SUGAR HARVEST
 10—LILLY MARLENE
 11—BILLY PROTESTER
 12—PRODIGAL VIC
 13—RANDOM HARVEST

No. 4—One Dash — Purse \$200.00
 1—WAIT N'SEE
 2—LUSTICIA
 3—BONNIE DALE
 4—BUDDY BUDLONG
 5—BABON

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 1—QUICK LICK
 2—JESSICA DIRECT 2nd
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 4—JEAN RENLEY
 5—ELEANOR G.

No. 6—Two Dashes — Purse \$200.00 per Dash
 1—BILLY CONN
 2—DALE B
 3—MISS KNOX
 4—LEE BREWER
 5—TENNESSEE SUE
 6—JOHNNY KALMUCK
 7—RHODOLA D.