

# SPORTS

## Turkey Shoot Is Huge Success

One of the best shoots of the year was held at the Charlotte-Gun Club, Winsloe yesterday. The gunners shot under ideal weather conditions and some really keen competition was witnessed by the many spectators.

Held in conjunction with the skeet shoot was a pistol shoot which was eagerly contested by all.

Glydon Willis won Class A with Ron Atkinson as runner up. In Class B Ralph Jenkins took home the turkey. Wylie Bryenton the chocolates.

Class C was won by Paul Jenkins with Allie Foster walking off with the gumdrops? Class D was taken by Leo MacDonald while G. G. K. Peake took second place.

Ralph Jenkins flashing some of the form that made him a top skeet shooter took home the turkey for the pistol shooting, hitting 33 out of a possible 40. G. G. Houston was runner up and Ron Atkinson third.

A most enjoyable time was had by all and everyone went home happy.

Following are the results:

**CLASS A—Possible 40**

Glydon Willis	24	22-46
Ron Atkinson	21	22-43
Gil Houston	22	20-42
Art Hogan	17	21-38

Bob Hyndman ..... 17 21-38  
 Hugh Simpson ..... 21 16-37  
 M. McKenna ..... 17 19-36

**CLASS B—**

R. E. Jenkins	16	19-35
Wylie Bryenton	17	16-33
D. Gallant	17	13-30
L. McCallum	16	12-27
Sid Green	13	13-26
Jack Brown	11	15-26
Roy Vessey	12	14-26

**CLASS C—**

Paul Jenkins	12	14-26
Allie Foster	14	12-26
Utley Birt	10	15-25
Howard Douglas	13	11-24
Wallace Rodd	8	14-22
T. M. Gillies	9	11-20

**CLASS D—**

Leo MacDonald	10	6-16
G. G. K. Peake	8	6-14
E. Rowness	5	9-14
Heber Jones	13	—13
Leo MacDonald	2	—2

**TOP TEN PISTOL SHOOTERS**

Possible 40—	33
R. E. Jenkins	33
G. G. Houston	33
Ron Atkinson	32
H. Jones	31
Andy Likely	30
Leo McCallum	28
Wylie Bryenton	28
G. G. K. Peake	28
D. Gallant	26
D. MacKenna	26

## Amherst Ramblers Visitors Tonight

The second place Amherst Ramblers of the Atlantic Coast Senior Hockey League return to the Forum tonight after defeating the league-leading Islanders 4-2 in Amherst last night to come within 5 points of the top.

The Ramblers have really been rolling in recent weeks and have some of the best players in the Maritimes on their roster. Leading the pack is veteran Sherman White, Jackie Schmidt and Paul Saindon. This trio have all seen professional duty recently and have impressed local fans greatly with their fast skating and passing combinations. Several other men who have given a very good account of themselves are forward Henri Tharrien and defenseman Maurice Parr.

The Islanders, badly rattled by heavy fines and prolonged suspensions, are having a tough time to hold on to the league lead which they gained shortly after the team was taken over by coach and defenseman Steve Brklacich. They are playing with only two regular rearguards, but expect Copper Leyte back in the line-up for tonight's match at the Forum. The last time these teams met on the local ice sheet they staged a terrific performance with the Islanders emerging as 4-2 winners.

**Hockey Scores**

Atlantic Coast Senior  
 Charlottetown 2 Amherst 4

APC Senior  
 New Glasgow 7 Truro 4

Ontario Junior A  
 Barrie 7 Hamilton 8

Northern Ontario Senior  
 Pembroke 0 Sault Greyhounds 5

North Bay 6 Sudbury 3

## Thinks Russians Will Lose World Hockey Ch'ship

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Herman Carlsson, president of the Swedish ice hockey selection committee, said Sunday he doesn't believe the Russians will be able to retain the world amateur hockey championship.

"I think the Russians will lose their world championship title during the forthcoming championships and that the title will be regained either by the Canadians or the Swedes," Carlsson said.

Russia won the championship last season defeating Canada 7-2 at Stockholm.

Personally, I believe that the

Russian world champion victory was something of a mere chance," said Carlsson at Sunday's game in which Russia defeated Sweden 3-0. Commenting on the game, he said: "If we had had firmer referees the result would have been more in favor of the Swedish team."

"Now the Russians will play in a manner that would never have been unpunished by a more qualified referee. I was very surprised when I saw that the Russians without objection were able to smash their opponents' skates, which is a deadly sin in the home country of ice hockey—Canada."

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## Ray Powell Pulls Away In QHL Scoring

MONTREAL (CP)—Veteran Ray Powell of the Quebec Aces picked up two goals and four assists last week to pull away from the competition in the Quebec Hockey League's individual points parade. He ran his total to 49 points.

His nearest rival, Kelly Burnett of Montreal Royals managed only an assist during the week and is in second place with 44 points—14 goals and 30 assists. Powell's points are made up of 19 goals and 30 assists.

Orval Tessier of the Royals holds down third position with 41 points, three better than Mike Labadie of the Aces. Lulu Denis of Montreal has 37 points, followed by Jim Uniak of Quebec with 32.

Rounding out the list of top 10 scorers are: Gerry Desauteliers of Shawinigan Falls Cataracts with 30 points; Connie Broden of Shawinigan with 28; Fern Perreault of Shawinigan also with 28; and Gilles Dube of Chicoutimi Saguenens and Gerry Ehman of Quebec with 27 each.

## Yanks Win First Two Davis Cup Tennis Matches

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—Harry Hopman, captain of the Australian Davis Cup tennis team, said Monday, commenting on the United States victories in the first two singles matches, he now thinks the Aussies will win 3-2.

Discussing the defeat of Ken Rosewall by Vic Seixas, he said: "I thought Seixas played one of the best and smartest games of tennis that I have ever seen him play, even better than when he won at Wimbledon in 1953. He anticipated well and was at his top volleys."

If Hopman's prediction is to come true, the Australians must win the doubles and the final two singles.

U. S. captain Bill Talbert, who predicted before the matches that the U. S. team of Seixas and Tony Trabert would win 5-0 had increased reason for optimism after the Trabert win over Lewis Hoad and Seixas' victory.

Talbert said the team had worked 12 months on the plan for Seixas to beat Rosewall—the attack to the forehand—but added that until Monday Vic never had followed the plan to the letter.

Hopman said he thought that in the last set of the four-set match, it was not the real Ken Rosewall on the court. "He didn't look like himself," said Hopman.

"I have seen Lew and Ken play better," Talbert agreed.

## Rival Rose Bowl Coaches Both Look For Victories

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—The rival Rose Bowl coaches Monday declined to come right out and predict victory for either Ohio State or Southern California, but neither left any doubt that he expects to win the big one New Year's day.

The two, Ohio State's Woody Hayes and Southern Cal's Jess Hill, were guests at a football writers' luncheon in Los Angeles given by the Pasadena Tournament of Roses.

"I will not predict that we'll win," said Hayes, "but in all fairness to my youngsters, I will not sell them short. I couldn't look them in the face if I didn't say I think they will win this game. We do expect to win."

"There is no question" said Hill a moment later, "that Ohio State has a fine football team. But we have been meeting fine football teams all year."

## German Team Wins First Hockey Match

DAVOS, Switzerland (Reuters)—Fuessen (Germany) defeated Davos 6-2 Monday in the first match of a four-nation annual hockey tournament for the Spengler Cup in which Canada is represented by a Royal Canadian Air Force squad.

The tournament continues until Friday. The cup goes to the team with the highest points total.

## Two More Argonaut Rookies Receive Bids From New York

TORONTO (CP)—Two more Toronto Argonaut rookies have received bids from New York Giants of the National Football League, it was reported Monday night.

The two are guard Jack McGee and tackle Danny Shaw. Last week Giants made an offer to Argo half-back Johnny Fedosoff.

Argo team director Harry Sonshine said Monday night letters from the Giants had been sent to McGee and Shaw in care of the Argonaut office. He said the letters have been forwarded to the two players.

"It's just an open attempt to hit back at us—to cause us some concern," he said. "We'll do with Shaw and McGee what we'll do with Fedosoff. We'll talk things over, see what they're offered by the Giants and go on from there."

McGee is 22, stands five feet 10 1/2 inches and weighs 210 pounds. He played one season with Queen's University, a year with Balmby Beach and joined Argos last season.

Fedosoff, 21-year-old who has played three seasons with Argos, last week was offered \$6,500 by the Giants to make the move to New York. He hasn't announced yet whether he will accept the offer.

McGee and Shaw were not immediately available for comment Monday night.

## First Entry For One Mile Run

BOSTON (AP)—Victor Milligan, Northern Ireland record-holder is the first applicant to be accepted for the mile run in the 29th Knights of Columbus track meet Jan. 15 at Boston Garden.

His best time was his 4:05 fourth place finish in the British Empire Games "mile of the century" last August which England's Roger Bannister won in 3:58.8 followed by Australia's John Landy at 3:59.6.

Rich Ferguson of Toronto, a student at the University of Iowa, nosed out Milligan for third in 4:04.6. Milligan's North Ireland record is 4:06.7.

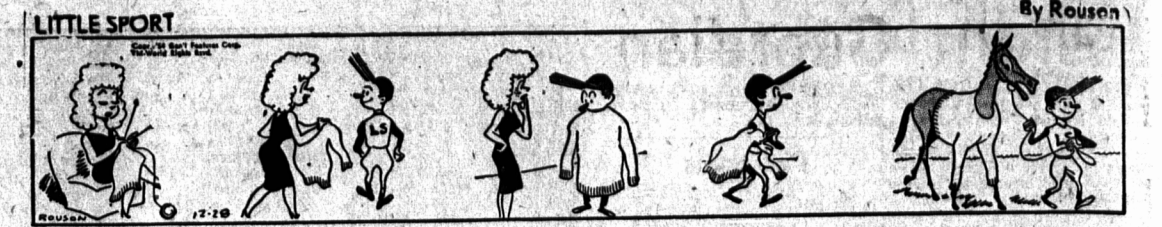
## Maple Leafs Call Up New Player

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League announced Monday they have called up Bob Sollinger from Pittsburgh Hornets, Leafs' American Hockey League farm team, to replace Ron Stewart, injured in a Sunday night game against Detroit Red Wings.

Stewart suffered a broken jaw.



The Rocket Is Honored On 400th  
 Mayor Jean Drapeau presents Maurice (Rocket) Richard of the National Hockey League Montreal Canadiens with a wood carving at a reception in Montreal's City Hall. (The reception, in honor of Richard, was organized after he scored his 400th goal in a game against Chicago Black Hawks. (CP Photo).



## Shorthanded Islanders Lose 4-2 To Ramblers At Amherst

AMHERST, N. S. (CP)—Amherst Ramblers scored a 4-2 win over Charlottetown Islanders Monday night in the Atlantic Coast Senior Hockey League.

It was Amherst's 12th straight win at home and it moved them to within five points of league-leading Islanders. Vince Palladino, Danny O'Connor and Copper Leyte were not in the Charlottetown lineup.

Rollie Savard scored the winner at 4:10 of the third period. Dave Kiley got the insurance marker unassisted at 16:54. Bernie Bernaquez and Bob Reid were the other Amherst scorers.

Roy Whitlock, the league's top point getter, scored both Charlottetown goals, one in the first period while Ramblers' Larry Blackburn was in the penalty box.

A total of 14 penalties were called in the rough contest, nine to the Islanders.

**Lineups**  
 Charlottetown — Goal: Shirley; forwards: Brklacich, Hinchberger; Jones, Leduc, Gray, Kullman, Carver, Dowling.  
 Amherst — Goal: Steeves; defence: L. Kiley, Rogers, Blackburn, Parr; forwards: White, Savard, Therrien, D. Kiley, Reid, Saindon, Kennedy, Schmidt, Bernaquez.

**Summary**  
 First period: 1. Amherst, Bernaquez (Therrien, Blackburn) 7:34; 2. Charlottetown, Whitlock (Gray) 11:23. Penalties: Kullman, Therrien 2:12; Blackburn 7:42, 9:54.  
 Second period: 3. Amherst, Reid (Kennedy, Parr) 2:30; 4. Charlottetown, Whitlock (Hennessey, Brklacich) 3:25. Penalties: Therrien 1:58; Hinchberger 4:58, 10:53; Brklacich 10:15, Parr 11:47, Whitlock 12:32.  
 Third period: 5. Amherst, Savard (Kennedy, Reid) 4:10; 6. Amherst, D. Kiley 16:54. Penalties: Kullman 4:43, 9:12, 15:43, Whitlock 11:06.  
**Stats:**  
 Shirley ..... 10 4 10-34  
 Steeves ..... 12 9 1-22

## Seixas, Trabert Win Cup Matches

By Will Grimsley  
 SYDNEY (AP)—Jack Kramer called Vic Seixas and Tony Trabert the world's best tennis amateurs Monday, after their singles victories in the Davis Cup challenge round, and hailed captain Bill Talbert for the U. S. 2-0 opening day lead.

"Talbert conceived and worked on the plan for Seixas to beat Ken Rosewall first," the American professional star, here for radio and newspaper commentary said. "He had Vic working for weeks on a plan to attack Rosewall's forehand, both on service and receipt of service, and Vic carried out the formula beautifully."

Kramer said he disagreed with those who thought Hoad and Rosewall played poor tennis in their losing efforts.

"I think Trabert was the only amateur who could have beaten Hoad today," he added.

## Barbara Ann Scott Recovering

CHICAGO (AP)—Barbara Ann Scott was confined to her hotel room again Monday—making the third straight day she has missed appearing in the Hollywood Ice Rink.

The Ottawa-born revue star is suffering from a virus infection. Miss Scott's mother, Mrs. Clyde Scott, said her daughter would be confined for at least another day but was "coming along very nicely."

Miss Scott has yet to appear in the show, which opened at Chicago Stadium Christmas night.

This is the first time the former Olympic figure skating queen has missed a scheduled performance.

## Trabert Hung On

Kramer said Hoad played superb tennis to Trabert until the third set and it was to Tony's credit that he hung on and took the initiative in the third set.

"I took Trabert to slow down Hoad's tremendous power game of strong service and killing volley," Kramer added.

Adrian Quist, leading Australian tennis expert, acknowledged his mistake in picking Australia to win the cup.

"Trabert and Seixas both played well and displayed supreme fighting qualities," Quist said.

"Trabert cut down Hoad 6-4, 2-6, 12-10, 6-3 in the opening singles match and Seixas then overcame a match point by defeating Rosewall 8-6, 6-8, 6-4, 6-3. Rosewall had previously beaten Seixas in eight of their nine meetings."

After the doubles, Trabert meets Rosewall and Seixas takes on Hoad.

## Lumber Kings Sign Player

PEMBROKE, Ont. (CP)—Left-winger Alan Kuntz of the now-defunct Ottawa Senators has been signed to play for Pembroke Lumber Kings, officials of the Northern Ontario Hockey Association club announced Monday night.

Kuntz was released by the Senators when they dropped from the Quebec Hockey League last Monday.

Since he broke into professional hockey with Philadelphia Eagles of the American Hockey League in the 1940-41 season, the 35-year-old winger has seen service in the National Hockey League with New York Rangers, the old United States Hockey League and the Pacific Coast League, besides the QHL.

## Prediction Revised

After loss of the singles, coach

## Health Hint

To help avoid colds, keep the feet warm and dry and eat a balanced diet.

## U. S. Sports Writers Pick Giants' Sweep Top Upset

NEW YORK (AP)—The Indians had the pitching and the Giants had the power so it was not surprising that the Clevelanders were made 15-to-10 favorites to win the world series from New York Giants. Sure, the Giants were given a chance, and if you were a daft enough Giant fan with money to burn, you could get 20-to-1 against a New York sweep.

It's baseball history now how the Giants massacred the Indians with four successive wins. And so it's not surprising that sports writers and sportscasters around the United States Monday named the sweep as the sports upset of 1954 in the annual year-end Associated Press poll.

"Odds don't mean a thing to me," snapped Giant manager Leo Durocher the opening day of the series. "You win them on the field, not with bets."

With 12 first placers and 101 points. Next came Arkansas' rags-to-riches climb to the South-west Conference football championship and a berth in the Cotton Bowl (five and 35 points); the Indians' dominant victory in the American League to break the Yanks' five-year hold on league title (six and 33); Johnny Saxton's decisive victory over welterweight champion Kid Gavilan in a title bout (two and 27); Navy's thrilling 27-20 football victory over Army (four and 22); and South Carolina's 34-20 football triumph over Army, Ed Furgol's victory in the U. S. open golf championship, and Mississippi Southern's 7-2 football ambush of Alabama, 21 each.

## All-Round Excellence

The Giants got homerun pinch-hitting from Doby Rhodes, spectacular fielding by Willie Mays, gritty pitching by Johnny Antonell and superb relief hurling that added up to four great victories in a row.

Seventy of the 188 participating in the voting named the Giants' conquests as the No. 1 upset. On a basis of three points for first two for second and one for a third choice, the sweep polled 251 points. Purdue's 27-14 victory over Notre Dame — the Irish's lone defeat of the season — was the second choice.

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