

Jersey Joe Claims He Plans To Fight Marciano

CAMDEN, N. J., Jan. 20 — (AP) — Jersey Joe Walcott said today he has every intention of fighting heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano and to tell the New York State Athletic Commission — chairman Robert Christenberry — in particular — he doesn't need any help in deciding when to retire.

Walcott was incensed by Christenberry's statement last night that he (Walcott) likely will never fight again. Christenberry told the fourth annual dinner of the Wilmington Sports Writers and Broadcasters Association: "I seriously doubt that Walcott will fight again." He said rules of the New York Commission and almost every other state say that a fighter cannot be licensed after he is 39 years old.

"I'll be 39 January 31," said Walcott today.

"And as far as Mr Christenberry is concerned, he's nothing but a hovel bellhop. He hasn't done anything for boxing. As far as his saying I am near 40, it would make no difference if I was near 30."

The former heavyweight champion said, "and here's more if you dare to print it. I would appreciate if the governors of different states would stop and consider these boxing commission jobs, and appoint someone who knows and has experience in boxing instead of playing politics."

"Why take men who have done nothing more than run elevators and manage hotels, and give them political appointments to keep people around who have done nothing

Islanders Star



Marcel Clements (above) scored the Islanders' only goal last night as the short-handed Charlottetown Club held the Sydney Millionaires to a 1-1 draw at Sydney.

but good for the game of boxing? "When I get to the place that I can't give the public what is expected of me, I don't need Christenberry or any other berry to tell me when to retire."

Vote Mize As Providing Sports Thrill Of Year

By JOHN CHANDLER
NEW YORK, Jan. 20 — (AP) — When big Jawn Mize stroled to the plate as a pinch-hitter in the last half of the ninth inning of the third World Series game last Oct. 3, the Brooklyn Dodgers had the New York Yankees hanging on the ropes.

The Big Cat promptly scorched a homer off Preacher Roe into the Stadium's right field seats, but it was in a lost cause and the Bums won 5-3 to go ahead in the Series, two games to one.

At the same time, however, that blast made up manager Casey Stengel's mind. The next afternoon Mize replaced Joe Collins at first base in the Yankee lineup. Collins had gone hitless in 11 trips, and O'Case decided he had to get some power, inserted Mize into the cleanup spot.

The thousands of fans who saw the next four thrilling games at Yankee Stadium and Ebbets Field, and the millions who watched on television sets, know what happened.

The 36-year-old Mize, in the twilight of a great baseball career, was one of the big sparks that brought a fourth straight World Series to the Stadium.

So, for his play, Mize was voted the athlete who provided the sports thrill of the year in the annual Associated Press year-end poll of U. S. sports writers and sportscasters.

The big Georgian, who passed his 40th birthday early this month, came to the rescue with six hits in 15 trips, with three homers, a double, and six runs batted in. His batting average of .400 topped players on both teams in the series.

Second greatest sports thrill of 1952 was the U. S. Olympic team, which won on the unofficial point score over Russian athletes in the last two days of the games. Victories by American swimmers and boxers gave the U. S. 610 unofficial points to 553 1/2 for the Soviet.

Standing In Local Curling "A" Competition

Following is the standing in the "A" competition at the Charlottetown Curling Club:

	P	W	L	Pts.
Dr. W. MacDonald	10	8	2	16
J. E. Burden	9	7	2	14
W. MacNeill	10	8	2	14
F. Adams	7	7	0	14
W. E. MacInnis	8	4	4	10
Dr. G. Giddings	8	5	3	10
D. Saunders	9	4	5	8
S. MacDonald	8	4	4	8
C. MacDonald	8	2	6	4
J. F. MacLeod	9	3	6	6
E. Tanton	8	2	6	4
Dr. Frowse	8	4	4	8
Ed Wood	9	1	8	2
W. Worth	9	1	8	2

Hoop Game At Holy Name Hall

The Bulls defeated the Baskets 31-25 yesterday afternoon in a Queen Square House League Basketball game played in the Holy Name Hall.

Bernard MacDonald led the Bulls with a 26 point attack. Pat Landrigan set the pace for the Baskets with 17 points. Landrigan suffered a dislocated knee in the second half.

Line-ups:
Bulls: B. MacDonald 26; R. Sumner 8; V. MacDonald 6; P. Vail 5; P. MacEachern 0. Total—31.
Baskets: Pat Landrigan 17; G. MacDonald 4; D. LeClair 2; P. Arsenault 2; C. Thistle 0. Total—25.

Covehead And Hampshire Win At North River

The undefeated Covehead Flyers defeated North River 5-3 and Hampshire downed the Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs 5-1 in North River League games last night.

Vic Deacon, H. MacDonald, Joe O'Brien, Joe McCabe and L. MacMillan scored for Covehead in their win over North River. The North River scorers were: L. MacLean with two and Larler.

L. MacLeod, C. MacKenzie, S. Wats, V. White and M. Ward scored for Hampshire. The lone Nine Mile Creek goal came off the stick of A. MacDougall.

WINTER CAMOUFLAGE

The Rocky Mountain sheep has a brown coat in summer, turning bluish grey in winter time.

ATTENTION

All sea cadets are requested to be on board H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte at 1845 hours Wednesday evening.

Signed,
J. D. W. SMALLWOOD,
Commanding Officer.

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Allen Young, Dinah Shore, Robert Merrill
ALSO SHORT SUBJECTS



The Islanders, as a result of their extended winning streak of the past three weeks, have moved into a loftier position than that which they have held for over the past month. As a result of last night's game they are now fifth points behind the pace-setting Halifax Atlantics. Three weeks ago they were 16 points back. In their last thirteen games the Islanders have won eight, tied three and lost two while picking up 19 out of a possible 26 points, a record which certainly makes them the hottest team in the league since the start of the New Year.

Islanders, Millionaires Battle To 1-All Tie In Wide Open Game

SYDNEY, Jan. 20 — (CP) — Sydney Millionaires and Charlottetown Islanders went 70 minutes to a 1-1 overtime tie in a Maritime Major Hockey League contest here tonight.

The game got underway 90 minutes late after Islanders were grounded in Charlottetown. Team officials reported the airlines servicing the team was unable to provide the plane for their scheduled takeoff time.

It was a free-wheeling, wide open game. Islanders were without coach Murph Chamberlain, still sitting out a six-game suspension. They also lacked their scoring leader, Buck Whitlock, and Hub Beaudry, Orval Lavell and although Chuck Holdaway dressed he didn't play. Millionaires did not dress Nick Hill.

The only scoring of the game came in a hard-hitting second period.

Mills started the frame with a slam-bang style and at 1:13 Dunc MacIntyre set up playing Coach Johnny Horeck for the only Sydney tally. Islanders began to drive midway in the second period and they cashed in when Marcel Clements finished off a three-way play with Ted Powers and Lyle Wiseman.

There were only two penalties. Islanders' defencemen George McLagan and Larry Travis drawing the Millionaires.

Millionaires had a first period edge but couldn't beat Al Millar. Total stops were Millar 27, Pidsodny 24.

Line-ups:
Charlottetown: Goal, Millar; defencemen, Brklacich, Gustavson, McLagan, Travis; forwards, Powers, Wiseman, Clements, Gordon, Hurst, Holdaway, Gray, Pawlyshyn.
Sydney: Goal, Pidsodny; defence, Weaver, MacIntyre, Whalen; forwards, Marneau, Morrow, Horeck, Robertson, Rowe, McDonagh, Birukow Hildebrand, Pirie.

SUMMARY
First Period
Scoring: None.
Penalties: McLagan 14:16.
Second Period
1—Sydney, Horeck (MacIntyre) 1:13
2—Charlottetown, Clements (Wiseman, Powers) 11:25
Penalties: None.
Third Period
Scoring: None.
Penalties: Travis 4:22.
Overtime Period
Scoring: None.
Penalties: None.
Slops:
Millar 27, Pidsodny 24, 4-2-2
Pidsodny 24, 6-10-4-24

Practice Tonight

A practise for the junior Abbies will be held at the Forum this evening at eight o'clock. This will be the final practise for the Abbies Juniors before the registration on January 25.

Saints, Abbies In Hoop Game Tonight

The Saint Dunstan's University basketball team and the Abbies meet tonight at Prince of Wales College in an Island Hoop League game. The game will get underway at eight o'clock.

The powerful Saint Dunstan's team have won their only two league starts winning over both the Abbies and the Summerside R.C. — A.F. The Abbies lost in their only start to the Saints.

S'ide Rink Scores 8-Enders

A curling rink skipped by Freddie Folland, competing for the C. & B. trophy at the bonspiel now being carried on in the Summerside Curling Club, had the unusual distinction of scoring an 8-end last night. The players participating in this grand slam of curling were as follows: First stone, Harold Rodd, second stone, Dick Henthorne, mate, Bruce MacWilliams, skip, Freddy Folland.

Last year on March 13, a ladies' rink from Summerside playing against Alberton for the Crockett Trophy, also scored an 8-end. Irene Silliphant, and Betty Linkletter (skip) were members of that rink.

Plans are under way to organize an 8-end club in Canada, and if and when this club is organized, the above curlers will be eligible for membership.—S.

Vic Lynn Has Played In All N.H.L. Teams

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 — (AP) — Vic Lynn of Chicago Black Hawks is the only player to perform for all the National Hockey League teams.

The circuit was completed for the 27-year-old left-winger last week when the Hawks obtained him from Cleveland Barons of the American League.

As a 16-year-old, Lynn had a one-game trial with New York Rangers in the 1941-42 NHL season. He played three games with Detroit Red Wings in 1942-43, two with Montreal Canadiens in 1945-46 and then had a four-season fling with Toronto Maple Leafs.

He was with Boston Bruins for little more than a year. Then after dropping to the minors, he got his chance with the Black Hawks last week.

Lynn, who hails from Saskatoon is a 178-pounder who skates fast and rough. In the off-season, he works in the neon sign business. He'd like to light his name on the marquee at the Chicago Stadium for the Hawks.

"I really would like to stick up in the big time," he said. "I'm hustling more than I ever did and hope I can help the Hawks finish right up in there. I was in three Stanley Cup playoffs with the Maple Leafs and it's a wonderful feeling."

The Hawks brought him up in the hope that his back-checking will benefit them in the stretch drive.

Sie Abel, the Black Hawk coach, liked the spirit Lynn has displayed thus far. "He's a good two-way man. He can help us," said Abel.

Hockey Scores

Ontario-Quebec Junior
St. Catharines 3, Montreal Royals 0.

Ontario Junior A
Toronto St. Michael's 3, Windsor 1.

Ontario Junior A
Barrie 6, Kitchener 5
Oshawa 4, Galt 3

Ontario Senior A
Kitchener 5, Owen Sound 2
Northern Ontario Senior A
Sudbury 8, Sault Ste. Marie 0, 5.

Quebec Junior
Quebec 0, Montreal Canadiens 6.

Quebec Senior
Ottawa 1, Chicoutimi 1 (overtime tie).

Maritime Major
Charlottetown 1, Sydney 1 (overtime tie).

New Brunswick Senior
Fredericton 7, Moncton 2.

Thunder Bay Junior
Port Arthur Flyers 6, Port Arthur Bruins 4.

Intercollegiate
McGill 3, Laval 3 (overtime tie).

M.M.H.L. Standings

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Halifax	51	30	19	2	05	172	62
Ch'town	53	27	23	3	194	154	57
Sydney	54	22	29	3	146	181	47
G. Bay	52	20	27	4	147	173	44

Tomorrow night at O'Leary hockey fans in the western section of the Island will get a first class chance to see the Islanders in action. Murph Chamberlain's charges will play an Inter-squad game with the O'Leary Maroons. Half the Islanders team and half the O'Leary team will combine to play their other halves. The game is sponsored by the Boosters Club and should draw quite a crowd. The O'Leary players should benefit by the experience as it will give them a great chance to learn a few of the finer points of the game. The Maroons have always been strong competitors in Island hockey and with a few more hockey tricks under their belts they might be good enough to win a Provincial hockey crown. The game will also provide Murph Chamberlain to get some coaching practise. Unfortunately, however, it won't count as one of his suspended games.

ATTENTION ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY RESERVE

Weekly drill for RCN(R) personnel will be held on Thursday 22nd January, 1953, in lieu of Wednesday 21st January.

Thereafter routine will revert to normal.

(Signed)
K. A. MacKENZIE,
Lieutenant RCN(R)
Commanding Officer.



Horeck Scores

Playing coach Johnny Horeck (above) scored for Sydney last night as the Millionaires and Islanders played to a 1-1 draw.

Gillis Heads Scoring Race In Hoop League

Wendall Gillis of Rays pulled into the lead in the point scoring race of the Abegweit Basketball House League during the past week by picking up 29 points to run his total for the season to 76.

Mark Ladner of Prince of Wales College collected 28 points to move into second place in the standings with 66. Ladner has a one point advantage over third place George Scantlebury of Rays.

The Saint Dunstan's University second team moved into the League lead with a record of four wins and no losses. Prince of Wales College have four wins and three losses.

Following are the standings:

	GP	W	L	Pts
S. D. U.	4	4	0	8
P. W. C.	7	4	3	8
Rays	7	3	4	6
Arabs	7	3	4	6
Abbies	7	2	5	4

Team Standing

Dean Prentice Warned Against Further Injuries

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 — (AP) — Dean Prentice, left winger of New York Rangers, who was injured in Sunday's 2-0 loss to the Chicago Blackhawks Saturday, was warned another severe jolt may end his hockey career.

Prentice was treated at Henrotin Hospital after a collision with Lee Fogelin of the Hawks. Dr. Myron J. Remaine, Hawk physician, said he was concerned over Prentice's report he had a mid-section hemorrhage develop twice after bumps in a game.

Hawks officials completed the medical checkup before he plays again. Prentice left for New York today.

Andy Pafko Sold To Boston Braves

BROOKLYN, Jan. 20 — (AP) — Outfielder Andy Pafko of Brooklyn Dodgers was sold to Boston Braves Saturday for second baseman Roy Hartsfield and an undisclosed amount of cash.

The Dodgers, with 12 outfielders left on their roster, said Hartsfield will be assigned outright to Montreal Royals in the International League.

Pafko came to Brooklyn from Chicago Cubs in the big four-for-four trade, June 15, 1951. The Dodgers also got catcher Al Walker, infielder Wayne Terwilliger and pitcher Johnny Schmitz, trading outfielder Gene Hermanski, infielder Eddie Miksis, pitcher Joe Hatten and catcher Bruce Edwards. Walker is the only one left on the Dodger roster.

Pafko batted .287 in 150 games last year, drove in 85 runs and hit 19 homers.

Buzzy Bavasi, Brooklyn vice-president, said Pafko was traded to make way for younger outfielders. They include Jim Fendleton, an all-star shortstop last year who Montreal, who is to be converted to an outfielder.

night 12-5 in 11 ends. It was the second time Wood had driven off with a car. In 1947, the first year the bonspiel was held, he played lead on his father's winning rink.

Enos Slaughter Hopes For Good Year

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 — (AP) — Enos Slaughter, nearing 37, says he hopes to do better for St. Louis Cardinals in 1953 than last year.

The veteran Cardinal outfielder was voted the player who made the "comeback of the year" in 1952.

"I feel great," he says. "My legs feel better than when I left the army in 1946. I weigh 191, the same when the season ended last year."

Slaughter hit .300 and drove in 101 runs in 1952.

"When I started last season they had me down as a utility outfielder. I sat around for 10 games. I just can't stand that. Then one day (Eddie) Stanky tells me to get in there. I played 140 straight games after that. I'm hoping to do even better this year."

Winnipeg Man Wins Car Bonspiel

NIPAWIN, Sask., Jan. 20 — (CP) — Howie Wood, Jr., of Winnipeg Granlie Saturday won the 1953 Nipawin car bonspiel. He defeated Billy Rose of Sedgewick, Alta. 11-10 in the second game of the best-of-three final to carry off the cars.

Wood won the first game Friday.

Well Known Saint John Sportsman Dies

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 20 — (CP) — Lloyd T. King, 63, well known sportsman, died in hospital Monday. He was a pitcher in former years, organized baseball teams and managed the Trumps Basketball Club.

Al Millar Continues To Top Goalies In League

The Islanders Al Millar continues to lead the Maritime Major Hockey League in the goal tending department with a goals against average of 2.94. Millar also leads in shutouts with five.

His closest competitor is the Glace Bay Miners Don Lockhart, Don has a G.A. of 3.16 and four shutouts. The following figures do not include last night's game at Sydney.

	G	GA	SO	Ave.
Millar (C)	38	112	5	2.94
Lockhart (GB)	48	152	4	3.16
Allard (S)	3	10	0	3.33
McMeekin (H)	5	17	0	3.39
Arnell (GB)	4	21	0	
Pidsodny (S)	7	17	1	3.45
Pidsodny (S)	50	181	1	3.62
Campbell (C)	7	25	0	3.57

Millionaires Seek "Babe" Pratt

SYDNEY, Jan. 20 — (CP) — Sydney Millionaires of the Maritime Major Hockey League have made an offer to Waiter (Babe) Pratt, former National Hockey League star, it was learned today.

But Pratt, who admits to 36 years, said he wasn't sure about his next move and will think things over.

The veteran of 517 N.H.L. encounters quit yesterday as coach of New Westminster Royals of the Western League, claiming his charges "aren't going anywhere."

N. Y. Rangers Call Up Left Winger

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 — (AP) — New York Rangers today called up George Senick, a 23-year-old left winger, from the Saskatoon Quakers of the Western Hockey League.

Senick, who is five feet 10 inches and weighs 175 pounds, scored 20 goals and had 32 assists in 35 games for Saskatoon. He is expected to report to the Rangers in time for their game against the Red Wings at Detroit Thursday night.

Gaudet Rink Wins C. and B. Curling Trophy

A rink skipped by Harold Gaudet won the Curran & Briggs Trophy at the Summerside Curling Club last night. Other members were: Frank Daley, mate Parker Crockett, second stone, Dr. Vince Grant, lead. Prizes awarded them were donated by R. T. Holman, Ltd., with stores in Summerside, Charlottetown and New Glasgow.

The runners-up were: Harry Dickie (skip), Albert Silliphant, mate, Eric MacKay, second stone, Jerry Sheen, lead.

Prizes for the runners-up were donated by the P. E. I. Bag Co., Ltd. of Summerside. The contest between the finalists was very close, the winners emerging with a lead of only two points.

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