SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Hit Victory Trail

FORBIE Kennedy's Flyers have hit the victory trail and according to manager Kennedy the rest of the clubs are in for plenty of trouble from here on.

When you took a look at the league standings after the Flyers had played five games, you would come to the conclusion (if you hadn't been attending the games) that Forbie and his associates were by far the weakest team in the loop. This was anything but true as they had lost four of those five games by the narrowest of margins. Luck ran against them every time as they tried for that initial triumph.

But last Saturday no luck was needed. They took on top-rung Rovers and pounded them 13-2. They took their batting eyes along that Saturday afternoon and Kennedy sent a young man by the name of Roger MacLeod out to tame Johnny Squarebrigg's gang.

Roger had no trouble whatever. He was in brilliant form, fanning fourteen and allowing four hits. Many of the Rovers' hitters never saw the ball as they went down on strikes. His control, usually his greatest problem, was good, leaving the Rovers little or no chance to get men on base.

Others To See Roger

FORBIE made it public that the other teams can get ready to have a look at Roger. He plans to give the lanky southpaw plenty of work in an effort to get the Flyers back in the thick of contention. We expect Stars and Dodgers to encounter trouble similar to what befell Rovers Saturday afternoon. You can't hit what you can't see and there'll be plenty of batters who will not see MacLeod's pitches if he really burns them in there.

So, we see no need of a 'crying room' for the Flyers and their backers. They occupy the basement at the present but it shouldn't be too long before they vacate these premises. They appear to have the necessary material to make it upward in this league race and that victory Saturday surely has been a great boost to them.

Those who were giving Forbie the horse's laugh of late had better ease up a bit. Things are looking up for Kennedy and his Flyers and it shouldn't be too long before Forbie can return some of those slams.

No sir, not too long.

June Byrd Keeps Winning

WELL, June Byrd made things look easy here Saturday night in The Evening Patriot Inaugural.

The popular Byrd mare made no mistakes whatever as she coasted to her double dash triumph before some 2,000 fans. Despite the cold hard fact that she scored in fifth horse place, June was the victor in the first dash of the classic. After copping that the rest was a matter of form.

We would dearly love to see this great mare get a chance at the track record under conditions similar to those which Mighty Lee had the afternoon of July 30, 1959. She went a 2:05.3 at the CDP in June with fog and cold trying to dampen everyone's enthusiasm. If she could do this under such adverse conditions, it would surely be nice to see her race under ideal conditions.

We aren't predicting she would break the track record of 2:03.4 made by Mighty Lee that scorching afternoon in July 1959 but we firmly believe she would give it a really big scare.

Where Are The Knockers?

JUNE Byrd now goes to Moncton and then to Saint John for additional legs of the Maritime circuit free-for-all. Folks around these parts will be pulling for the Greenbrier Farms' entry to keep up her winning ways. Undoubtedly she will have terrific drawing power wherever she races and track operators will surely be happy to see her come to their track.

Of course, the few knockers who were proclaiming she couldn't win here Saturday night are strangely silent. They did a lot of spouting off before the race but things are different these days. All these knockers had their ears pinned back Saturday as they saw for themselves what a stouthearted race mare June Byrd really is.

Of course, these knockers were a comparatively small group. Just the usual fellows who like to knock anything that has a touch of hometown about it. They are always ready to believe that everything from outside the province is better than what we have here.

This time they were dead wrong.

Canuck Quarterback Looks Like Real Find

By MARVEN MOSS

JOLIETTE, Que. (CP)—At 23 home - bred quarterback Cal Connor looks like a real find.

No one will say so officially but it appears the grey - eyed blonde youngster from Burlington, Ont., has won a job with Montreal Alouettes this season.

His work has been one of the features of the club's training camp in this community 55 miles northeast of Montreal.

Says J. I. Albrecht, Montreal's chief scout:

"The kid has great potential. All natural ability. He shows a fine arm and plenty of poise And he has the leadership qualities."

Coach Perry Moss won't commit himself outright at this stage of the pre-season camp. But it's apparent he plans to work Connor into the lineup as a supporting quarterback.

"All he needs is experience," says Perry.

Among the 58 players in camp—Moss has still to make his first cut—the Als have four quarters from the United States.

TOUCH OF LARCENY

Connor is an outspoken young man with an engaging grin whom the Als plucked from Queen's University of Kingston, Ont., in the off-season intercollegiate draft.

Softball Meet Goes Sunday

The annual meeting of the P.E.I. Softball Association, previously scheduled for Summerside last Wednesday, was rescheduled to Sunday, July 15th at the Legion Home in Summerside.

A new slate of officers for the 1962 season will be elected at this meet, which will be chaired by C. P. MacKenzie, president of the ass'n.

Other matters to be dealt with will be the entry fees for each classification, appointment of delegates to the Maritime meeting and the setting of team registration deadline for Island playoffs.

All Leagues wishing to participate in Island and Maritime Softball playdowns are urged to have delegates at this meeting. Any individual teams wishing to compete in Mar. playdowns are also asked to have a delegate on hand.

In 1961 Island teams entered in Maritime Intermediate 'B' and 'C' playdowns and MacKenzies House of Fashion successfully defended its 'B' title, captured the previous year. North Rustico Legionaires lost out to Woodstock, N.B. in N.B.-P.E.I. Intermediate 'C' playoffs.

Probable Pitchers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Probable pitchers in today's major league games, won and lost records in parentheses:

National League

Houston (Johnson 4 - 11) at Philadelphia (Mahaffey 10 - 9) (N).

Only game scheduled

American League

No games scheduled.

Eagles Crush Rovers 13-3

MONTAGUE — Georgetown Eagles consolidated their hold on first place in the Kings County Baseball League when they defeated St. Peters Rovers 13-3 on Sunday on St. Peters diamond.

Allie MacPhee pitched the full nine innings for the winners giving up three runs on five hits and struck out eleven.

For St. Peters Ralph MacKinnon pitched five and one half innings being relieved by Morrison. Their combined efforts yielded thirteen runs on thirteen hits, and eleven walks. They struck out nine.

At the bat Joseph Martell had two hits in three trips while youthful Kenny Batchilder had two for four.

The longest hit of the game was a double by Eagles' first baseman Joseph Murphy.

The victory was the Eagles' seventh in eight games. The game was umpired by Walter Walker.

Mt. Stewart Tops Morell

Mount Stewart Huskies topped Morell Beavers 8 - 3 in a King's County Baseball League game at Morell Sunday afternoon.

Art Coffin went the distance for the winners scattering six hits over the nine inning route. He struck out five.

Lou Murphy started for Morell and lasted until the seventh. He yielded eleven hits and fanned five. Mike Kelly finished the job, allowing one hit and striking out three.

John MacEachern led the Mount Stewart attack with a double and single in two official trips. He was forced out of action with an ankle injury in the fourth. Richard Mitchell was three for five and Buddy MacIntyre two for three.

Top hitters for Morell were Joe McGuire and Gerry Connolly. Each performed at a three-for-five clip.

Next Sunday Mount Stewart visits Souris.

Youngsters See Action

In Little League action yesterday at Memorial Field the Indians defeated the Pirates 8-4.

Winning pitcher was Bobby McKenna, with John Creighan absorbing the loss. For the winners Mike Flanagan blasted a bases-loaded triple. Glen Claybourne also connected for a three-bagger. Jimmy McQuaid was two for two.

In other Little League action the Braves drubbed the Dodgers 9-5. Urban MacDonald went the distance for the winners. Philip Ward and Ronnie Carmichael shared pitching chores for the losers.

Ian Waye had a perfect day at the plate with a home run and two singles. George Curley and Mike Duffy each had two hits for the winners.

For the losers Ward had a perfect day with three-for-three including a homer.

Here is the schedule for Wednesday afternoon:

1.30 — Cards vs. Angels (bantam) Cubs vs Senators (midget)

All-Star Box Score

BOX SCORE

National	AB	R	H	RBI	PO	A
Groat SS	3	1	1	1	3	3
Davenp't 3B	1	0	1	0	0	1
Clemente RF	3	0	3	0	2	0
F. Alou RF	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mays CF	3	0	0	0	3	0
Cepeda 1B	3	0	0	1	2	3
Purkey P	0	0	0	0	0	1
eCallison	1	0	1	0	0	0
Shaw P	0	0	0	0	1	0
T. Davis LF	4	0	0	0	2	0
Boyer 3B	2	0	0	0	1	0
Banks 1B	2	0	0	0	4	1
Crandall C	4	0	0	0	5	0
Mazeroski 2B	2	0	0	0	1	0
Bolling 2B	2	0	0	0	1	3
Drysdale P	1	0	0	0	1	0
Marichal P	0	0	0	0	0	0
cMusial	1	0	1	0	0	0
dWills SS	1	2	1	0	1	1
Totals	33	3	8	3	27	12

American	AB	R	H	RBI	PO	A
Rollins 3B	2	1	1	0	1	3
Robinson 3B	0	0	0	0	0	1
Moran 2B	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rich'dson 2B	1	0	0	0	1	0
Maris CF	2	0	0	1	2	0
Landis CF	1	0	0	0	2	0
Mantle RF	1	0	0	0	0	0
bColavito LF	1	0	0	0	1	0
Gentile 1B	3	0	0	0	8	0
Wagner L-RF	4	0	0	0	4	0
Battey C	2	0	0	0	4	1
Romano C	2	0	1	0	1	0
Aparicio SS	4	0	1	0	3	2
Bunning P	0	0	0	0	0	0
aThomas	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pascual P	1	0	0	0	0	1
Donovan P	0	0	0	0	0	0
fSiebern	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pappas P	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	1	27	8

a-Popped out for Bunning in 3rd
b-Ran for Mantle in 4th
c-Singled for Marichal in 6th
d-Ran for Musial in 6th
e-Singled for Purkey in 8th
f-Grounded out for Donovan in 8th

National	000 002 010—3
American	000 001 000—1

E-None. DP - Cepeda, Groat and Drysdale; Battey and Rollins. LOB-National 5, American 7. 2B-Clemente. 3B - Aparicio. SB-Mays, Wills. SF-Maris, F. Alou.

	IP	H	R	ER
Bunning	3	1	0	0
Pascual (L)	3	4	2	2
Donovan	2	3	1	1
Pappas	1	0	0	0
Drysdale	3	1	0	0
Marichal (W)	2	0	0	0
Purkey	2	2	1	1
Shaw	2	1	0	0

BB-Pascual 1 (Mays), Drysdale 1 (Gentile), Marichal 1 (Mantle), Shaw 1 (Colavito). SO-Bunning 2 (Boyer, Drysdale 6) Pascual 1 (Cepeda), Drysdale 3 (Maris, Mantle, Moran), Purkey 1 (Gentile), Shaw 1 (Landis). HBP-By Drysdale (Rollins), By Shaw (Robinson). U-Hurley (A) plate, Donatelli (N) first base, Stewart (A) second base, Venzon (N) third base, Steiner (N) left field, Schwarts (A) right field. T-2:23. A-45,480.

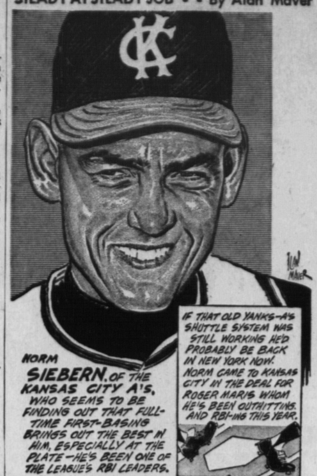
Montague Cops Minor Game

Montague 'A' defeated Cardigan 9-4 in the first game of the Little League baseball season at Montague Monday night.

Carl Franser started on the mound for the winners, being relieved by Angus Beck in the sixth. Ken Victor and John Conohon shared the pitching chores for the losers.

The next game of the series will see Montague 'B' playing Georgetown on Wednesday evening at six p.m.

STEADY AT STEADY JOB - - By Alan Maver



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Harness Racing Tonight At S'side

Summerside Raceway presents another exciting harness racing card tonight.

Nine dashes comprise the program that has the earmarks of a thriller from the word 'go.'

The affair starts with a single dash and is followed by four doubles. Dashes five and nine offer the fast class with seven starters. Edward M leaves on the rail and Victory Scott, Pert Darnley, Vesta Wick, Sky Prince, Billie Eden and Mr. Rock are the other hopefuls.

These dashes should surely be crowd pleasers all the time and a double dash winner in this class is most unlikely.

There's a honey of a trot scheduled for dashes three and seven. The starters in this are Mister Key, Bifty Silver, Tommy Shanter, Reuben Raider, Rio Grande, Star Abbott, Chuck H and Thistle's Son. Picking a winner in these two trips is certain to be a difficult assignment.

Win place and show betting will be available on every dash and two daily doubles, a quinella and an exactor will also be provided.

It looks like a top evening's entertainment. First dash goes promptly at 8 o'clock.

Houk Thought Long Ball By Maris Was Away

WASHINGTON (AP) — "That ball of Maris' was really hit. I thought it was going to make it."

Ralph Houk, manager of the American League squad, was talking about a wallop by fellow New York Yankee Roger Maris in the sixth inning with two men on base.

Willie Mays, National League centre fielder, grabbed the drive on a great catch, then banged into the fence more than 400 feet away from home plate. Rich Rollins scored from third after the catch, but that was the only run the American League got as it lost the 32nd major league All-Star game 3-1.

Houk replaced Maris the next inning with Jim Landis of Chicago, and, as a result, found Landis coming to bat in the eighth with a man on base and two out, when a Maris home run would have tied the game. Landis struck out.

"I thought six innings was about right for Maris," Houk explained in the dressing room later. "I wanted everybody to get to play. After all, this is an All - Star game. They were picked from their clubs and I think they should have the opportunity to play."

NOT MUCH CHATTER

The American League players, for the most part, dressed swiftly and left without much chatter. Most of the players who were removed from the game didn't hang around for the finish.

The first two American League pitchers, Jim Bunning and Camilo Pascual, both left as soon as they completed their allotted three innings. Maris and his fellow Yankee, Mickey Mantle, both were gone long before the end of the contest.

However, Leon Wagner of the Los Angeles Angels probably spoke for most of the heavy hitters in the American League lineup:

"I just wasn't hitting the ball," said Wagner, who currently leads the league with 25 home runs. "The pitching wasn't that good. None of them were overpowering. I just hit the ball at somebody all day."

Kennedy, Musial Doing All Right

WASHINGTON (AP)—As far as Stan Musial is concerned he and President Kennedy are both doing all right.

Musial, whose sixth inning pinch single helped start the National League scoring and added to his basketful of all-star records, was called over to the president's box just before the game began.

Talking to reporters in the clubhouse after the game, Musial said he reminded Kennedy of the time they met in Milwaukee two years ago when Kennedy was campaigning for the presidency.

"Remember," he told the president, "you said they thought you were too young to be president and I was too old to play baseball, but that we'd fool them? Well, I think we're both doing a good job."

Musial, whose hit was his 20th in All-Star play, adding to a record he already held, was one of three centers of attention in the National League dressing room. The 41-year-old St. Louis Cardinal star also set new All-Star records for most games played, 22; most total bases, 40; and most at bats, 60. He held all the old records, too.

Maury Wills, the Los Angeles Dodgers' base - stealing shortstop, was mobbed by reporters trying to find out whether he was running on orders when he scored from third base on Felipe Alou's short foul fly to Leon Wagner in right field. Wills beat the throw with a beautiful slide for one of two runs he scored.

The soft-spoken Wills, playing for the first time in his native Washington, D.C., said he was strictly on his own, as he was when he sped from first to third on a ground single to left, drawing a throw behind him to second base from Rocky Colavito.

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Stan Musial Leads Way As Nationals Top AL 3-1

By JACK HAND

WASHINGTON (AP) — Stan Musial, the 41-year-old-grand old man of the St. Louis Cardinals, showed his National League mates how to do it Tuesday with a pinch single that touched off a two-run inning for a 3-1 victory over the American League while President Kennedy cheered.

The president, part of a record crowd of 45,480 at D.C Stadium for the 32nd All-Star baseball game, applauded vigorously when Stan the man touched off the winning spurt in the sixth inning with his 20th All Star-hit.

There was no score when Musial, appearing in his 22nd All-Star game, popped out of the dugout to bat for San Francisco's Juan Marichal, who turned out to be the winning pitcher.

Camilio Pascual of Minnesota snaked over two called strikes before Musial stroked a single to right field.

Fred Hutchinson, Cincinnati manager who bossed the Nationals, called for speed boy Maury Wills of the Los Angeles Dodgers to run for Stan.

GROAT MISSED

Wills, stealer of 46 bases in the regular season, dashed for second as Dick Groat of Pittsburgh swung and missed. Wills stole second without a throw from Minnesota's Earl Battey. Groat then singled Wills home with a smash into center field.

Roberto Clemente of Pittsburgh followed with his third hit, a single. and both men advanced after Willie Mays of San Francisco sent Roger Maris of New York deep to the fence in centre for his long fly ball. Groat scampered home with the second run while Rich Rollins of Minnesota was throwing out Orlando Cepeda of San Francisco.

Mays, although he failed to get a hit, twice went deep to drag down long blasts by Maris, the 61-home run king of last year. It was Mays also who headed to the fence in deep right center for a game-ending catch on Chicago's Luis Aparicio.

Wills gave the American League fans another taste of his famed speed in the eighth when the National added their third run. The little shortstop dropped a Texas league single into left off Cleveland's Dick Donovan. When Jim Davenport of the San Francisco Giants singled to left, Wills tore into second base. Rocky Colavito of Detroit, playing left field, threw to second base only to see Wills headed for third.

WILLS SHOWS SPEED

But Wills, the only man in recent years to become a real threat to Ty Cobb's base stealing records, was not finished yet. When Felipe Alou of San Francisco fouled out to Los Angeles' Leon Wagner, along the right field line, Wills tagged up and scored in a cloud of dust. He slid home while Cleveland's John Romano grabbed for Wagner's peg.

The American League, which now leads this series by the ever - narrowing margin of 16-15-1, scored its only run in the sixth.

Rollins opened the American sixth with a bloop single to left and Billy Moran of the Los Angeles followed with a long single to left centre. Quick fielding by Mays prevented the ball from going between the outfielders.

Maris got good wood on a 1-1 pitch and the ball sailed through the bright sunshine into deepest centre with Mays in pursuit. At the last second Willie made a leaping glove - handed grab near the wire screen. Rollins tagged up and scored without a play.

Pascual, Cuban right-hander, gave up four hits and two runs in three innings, taking his first All-Star defeat.

NO HOMERS

The National's foursome of Don Drysdale of Los Angeles, Marichal, Bob Purkey of Cincinnati and Bob Shaw of Milwaukee held the Americans to four hits. There were no homers.

Jim Bunning of Detroit did a tremendous job of pitching that will be overlooked because his team lost. He pitched three shut out innings, allowing only one hit—a double by Clemente in the first.

Each manager used 19 of his 25 players, following the plan they announced before the game.

Scot Heads 'Open' Field, Nicklaus, Palmer Qualify

TROON, Scotland (CP)—Eric Brown, a peppery Scot, shot an easy 70 in a tricky wind Tuesday and led qualifiers into the British Open golf championships which begins over tough old Troon course today.

Brown, a Ryder Cup player, was one of the early finishers in the second day of qualifying rounds and his 36-hole total of 139—he had a 69 Monday—stood up as other golfers battled sea winds from the Firth of Clyde.

Qualifying rounds were played at Troon and nearby Lochgreen — both par 72 — and conditions were particularly trying at the 7,045-yard Troon layout where the tournament will be held beside the sea.

The better scores — including Brown's — were posted at the 6788 - yard Lochgreen, where Arnold Palmer of the United States defending champion, came through with a five-under-par 67 after a shaky 76 Monday for a total of 143.

DEVLIN, CARR TIED

Bruce Devlin, Australia, and Joe Carr, the Irish amateur and British Walker Cupper, were tied at 140 on scores of 72-68 and 71 - 69 respectively. Both played at Lochgreen.

Australia's Kel Nagle, winner in 1960, struggled over Troon Tuesday, finishing with a 76 for 141 after a record-smashing 65 at Lochgreen Monday. Davis Thomas of Wales also had 141 on rounds of 68 and 73.

Two of Tuesday's stars—Brown and Palmer—were battling physical handicaps. Brown is recovering from a bout with influenza and Palmer, U.S. Masters champion, nursed an inflamed hip muscle.

South Africa's Gary Player, rated highly in the tournament, came in with what he termed an "unhappy" 71 Tuesday for a 146 total.

Other Americans qualifying include Sam Snead, winner of the British Open 16 years ago, 69 - 74 — 143; Gene Littler, 1961 U.S. Open champion, 71-76—147; Jack Nicklaus, U.S. Open champion.

Stars Take On Dodgers

Rain last evening once again washed City Baseball League action.

However, the loop will try again this evening when Stars entertain Dodgers in a contest postponed last Thursday night because of rain.

The victor in tonight's tussle will share the top rung with Johnny Squarebrigg's Rovers who lost their last two tilts.

Game time is 6.15 sharp. The place is Memorial Field.

	P	W	L	Pct
Rovers	6	4	2	.667
Stars	5	3	2	.600
Dodgers	5	3	2	600
Flyers	6	1	5	.167

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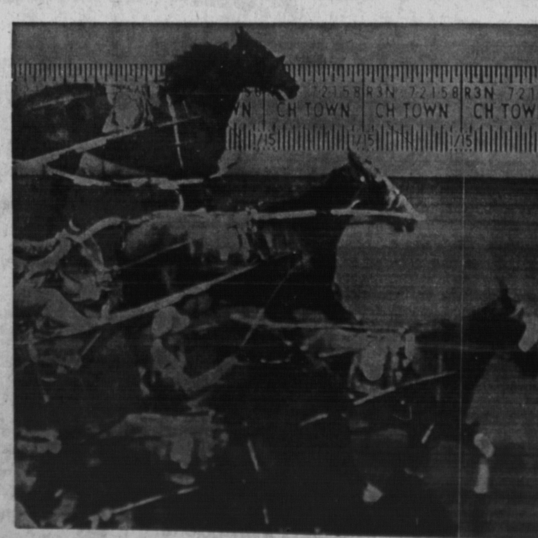

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