



### BREAKS WORLD RECORD IN 440 HURDLES

G.C. Potgieter, of South Africa, an accident, clears the final hurdle a year ago broke his neck in die on his way to victory in the 440-yard hurdles final during Empire games at Cardiff, Wales, July 22. His time of 49.7 seconds set a new world record.



### DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

One of the most successful horses in the Maritimes is Harry Hirsch, of Sydney, Cape Breton, who, through the past years had one or more of the top-flight pacers competing on Maritime tracks. This year Convar 2.01, has won the majority of his starts, and the three-year-old trotter, Dark Yankee, has been drawing attention by her winning over more aged competitors on several Maritime races. Her most recent win at Halifax last Saturday night was one of the most surprising that we can recall.

### SPORTS FRONT

(While Sports Editor Plus Callaghan is on vacation, this column is being authored by staff writer Gus Flynn.) After watching a few months of high school and American Legion baseball in the United States, it is not overly difficult to discern why there are not more Canadians, especially Maritimers, performing in the major leagues. Apart from the obvious climatic advantages enjoyed by our neighbours to the south, there are many other points in the favour of the American youngster.

## Dallas May Make Bid For Moore-Durelle Title Scrap

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas may seek an Archie Moore-Yvon Durelle light-heavyweight championship fight. R. J. O'Donnell, Dallas theatre magnate, is spearheading negotiations for the bout, which would be held in the cotton bowl in October with proceeds going to charity. O'Donnell said he had talked with Jack Kearns, champion Moore's co-manager, and "He said we probably could have the match if we give Moore a \$100,000 guarantee."

### Old Pals To Honor Casey Stengel On 67th Birthday

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Pals and acquaintances of Casey Stengel's youthful days in Kansas City will honor the New York Yankee baseball manager today when he becomes 67. Happy Birthday, Casey will be lettered on baseball caps that will serve as tickets for about 250 persons at an invitational luncheon. And Casey's eyes can bulge and squint at three enlarged photographs bearing the signatures of the guests. They're pictures from old yearbooks and show Casey in basketball, football and baseball uniforms he wore at Central High School here.

### Russians Heap Praise On Yank Decathlon Champion

MOSCOW (AP) — The Russian press heaped praise on Rafer Johnson of the United States Tuesday, new world's record holder in the decathlon. Russian not only defeated the American hero, Vasily Kuznetsov, but set a mark of 8,302 points in the gruelling 10-event test. "This will dignify the history of world athletic records for a long time to come," said the Moscow newspaper Trud.

### Probable Pitchers Wins Eclectic Golf Match

NEW YORK (AP) — Probable pitchers for today's major league games (won and lost records in parentheses): American League — New York at Kansas City (N)—Larsen (7-4) vs Urban (7-6); Baltimore at Cleveland (N)—Portocarrero (10-5) vs Nartieski (1-8); Boston at Detroit — Delock (10-1) vs Lary (9-10) or Susce (2-0); Washington at Chicago—Romonsky (1-1) vs Wilson (7-8); National League — Los Angeles at Milwaukee (N)—Koufax (8-4) vs Burdette (9-8); San Francisco at Cincinnati (N)—Antonelli (11-7) vs Purkey (2-6); St. Louis at Philadelphia (N)—Mizell (6-8) vs Sanford (6-10); Chicago at Pittsburgh (N)—Phillips (6-4) vs Witt (3-2).

### Campey Can Use Regular Bed Now

NEW YORK (AP)—Roy Campanella said Tuesday he has improved to the point where he now can use a regular bed, and that the brace he has been wearing to protect his broken neck has been replaced by a small collar. The Los Angeles Dodger five-year-old Runyemeade Beale died the trick. Last year, in 27 starts, he was 7 times first, twice second and twice third, and started this year as a 21-Class trotter with a record of 2.10.



### BRITISH RUNNER EQUALS RECORD

Heather Young (13), of Edinburgh (29), of South Africa, and M. Rever (9), of Canada, during the 100-yard event from a heat of the Empire Games at Cardiff, Wales. Heather's time of 10.7 seconds equalled the Empire record. (AP Wirephoto)

## Alouettes Down Blue Bombers

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Alouettes struck for three touchdowns in the third quarter Tuesday night and rolled up a 40-7 win over Winnipeg Blue Bombers in the opening exhibition football game of the season. The Bombers, losers to Hamilton Tiger-Cats in the last final Grey Cup game, scored their only touchdown late in the third quarter after Alouettes had set up a 27-0 lead.

### Olmstead Found Guilty Of Assault

VANCOUVER (CP) — National Hockey League player Murray (Bert) Olmstead was found guilty Tuesday of assault causing bodily harm to a West Vancouver mining executive. He was remanded in custody for sentence Friday after magistrate N. J. Bartman told him it was a "very serious case."

### WHAT PRICE GOLF GLORY?

BISHACK, N.D. (AP) — What price golf glory? Carl Boustead fired a hole in one at Apple Creek course but had to write a fat five on his scorecard. His first two shots on the 120-yard No. 7 hole landed in a creek, each costing him two strokes. On his third drive, he connected for a hole in one.

### Battle Looms Between Two Golf Associations

CHICAGO (AP) — A fight loomed Tuesday between the International Golf Spenders' Association and the Professional Golf Association, which could threaten the sport's entire tournament structure. T. A. Williams Jr., of Greensboro, N.C., secretary of the golf sponsors, said that his group is demanding a voice in running the tournaments it sponsors, but the PGA so far stands firm in conducting the meets.

### U.S. Family Enters In N.S. Tennis Tourney

HALIFAX (CP)—Three members of a Montclair, N.J., family are entered in the Nova Scotia tennis tournament here this week. Mrs. Marjorie Crunden her daughter Joan and son Robert were all in action Tuesday. Mrs. Crunden reached the quarter-final in the women's singles. Joan and Robert were eliminated in singles play.

### SPORT FORUM

Sir, I have some thirty young fellows who fancy themselves amateur boxers and I must admit that several have shown well in their occasional amateur fights. Here is a thought: If a similar group of young scrappers (otherwise potential delinquents) of your fair city were to organize, we would be willing to box there for a minimum expense (gas expenses only). Also, if some charitable group were to arrange bouts for a worthy cause, particularly concerning children (see Milk Fund, Children's Orphanages, etc.) we would appear there at our own expense. Believe me, this is a sincere inquiry.

### CHARLOTTETOWN DRIVING PARK

DANCE WEDNESDAY NIGHT 9:00 P. M. to 12:30 A.M. Dance to the music of Rollie MacKenzie and his Orchestra. Admission 50c per person. Canteen service. U-'N-I (formerly New Inn) One mile from Ch'town on North River Road. ATTENTION! THE 2nd ANNUAL RE-UNION of THE P. E. I. HIGHLANDERS (BLACK WATCH) will be held at THE ARMOURIES Charlottetown AUGUST 2, 1958. Parade—3:00 Dinner—5:00 Medals will be worn. PLAN NOW TO ATTEND!

duced her record, and in the Maritime Colt Stakes at Moncton on July 14th this year, she won a dash in 2.10 3-5. Previous to that she had won at Halifax in 2.12, which was the season's trotting record there.

How her 2.09 4-5 in race 1 and her 2.10 in race 4, made in completion with classy pacers that can get away very fast, stamps her as the greatest three-year-old trotter that has ever performed in the Maritimes, with the exception of Lady Lakeburn, owned and driven by Dr. J.T. Atkins of Fredericton, who took a record last year as a three-year-old of 2.08 3-5.

But we must also take into account the number of fast pacers Dark Yankee met last Saturday night. Like Lady Lakeburn, she is of the female gender. Other results at Sackville Downs that night were: Races 2 and 6—Little Deb (R. Johnson) 2-1, Runyemeade Darby (Lavers) 1-6, Bold Dean (L. Walker) 6-2, Joppa Maid (Shaw) 4-3, Royal Budlong (York) 3-5, Ezra Reflective (Balloch) 5-4, time 2.14-1.5 and 2.13 2-5. Runyemeade Darby owned by Fred Lloyd, Acton, Maine, and Little Deb by Walter Cockslock, Hantsport, N.S.

Races 3 and 7—Dave Grattan (L. Walker) 1-2, Mighty Glib (H. Harrison) 2-1, Frenchman (J. Given) 3-4, Newport Chief (MacMillan) 5-3, three other starters time 2.08 1-5 and 2.07. Dave Grattan owned by L. and G. Stables, Halifax, and Mighty Glib by James Given, Halifax.

Race 5—Joliette Lady (E. Smith) 1, Lovely Day (N. Campbell) 2, Bumpsey (E. Shaw) 3, Mighty Guide (H. Walsh) 4, four other starters, time 2:20; winner owned by Mrs. Keith Thomas Halifax. Race 8—Zim M. (Wilis) 1, Perfect Hal (Gregory) 2, Diamond Lady (H. Walsh) 3, Miss Ellis (Rogers) 4, four other starters, time 2:16; winner owned and driven by Glydon Willis, Kensington P.E.I.

Referring again to Dark Yankee, we find that, in addition to breaking the 2.10 list twice in Saturday night's trotting, she also set up a new program record for Sackville Downs of 2.09 4-5. The former record was made by Memory Song 2.02 2-5, on November 11, 1957, and was 2.10. He was owned and driven by Jimmy Given.

TRAINER-DRIVER And now a few words about George L. Mauger. He was born at North Sydney, N.S., on November 8, 1917, and his present residence is Thorburn, N.S. George has had charge of the Hirsch Stables for several years, and has been a most faithful trainer and driver. A great deal of the credit for the performances of Convar 2.01, and Dark Yankee 2.09 4-5 must be given to him.

In the 1,300 or more drivers who performed on U.S.T.A. tracks in 1957, George Mauger stands in about 30th place in average percentage. In 111 starts last year he was 41 times first, 16 times second and 12 times third, with a percentage of .485.

One of the best supporters of this column, who resides in Greenfield, Mass., has sent us a marked copy of the score-card of the races at Saratoga, N.Y., recently. On the margin of the summary of the Empire State Pacing Classic, purse \$20,000, he has said: "If I live to be 100, I shall never see another race like this. In dashes 3, 4, and 7 a blanket would have covered six of the horses in each heat." (This was racing in two division, with the leading five horses in each division meeting in the final.)

Here is the summary of the final: Amortizor 2.02 (E. Bobb) J. Irish 2.00 4-5 (J. Cruise) 2, Newport Judy 2.00 (A. Cameron) 3, Morris Edeen 2.03 4-5 (S. Dancer) 4, Frisco Creed 1.58 3-5 (W. Rouse) 5, Chief Rainbow 1.59 1-5 (E. Minniear) 6, four other starters, time 2.01 3-5. (Saratoga is a half-mile track.) We tallied up the 1957 and 1958 winnings for each of the ten starters in the above race, and they were roughly \$363,800.

GOOD RACING The largest crowd of spectators so far this season was present at the Charlottetown Race Saturday night and the race-