

# C. And B. Scores 13-0 Victory Over Air Force

The Curran & Briggs baseball team, Prince Edward Island Physical Fitness League leaders, trounced the R.C.A.F. Royals at the C. & B. diamond last night by the score of 13 to 0. Pete Mickus, on leave from his station in Toronto, pitched well for four innings, but the Curranites began to solve his delivery in the fifth and Murphy relieved him after the next inning after seven runs had scored in the fifth. Murphy was also tagged hard; Bob St. Pierre was his usual effective self giving up only three hits and striking out 12.

## Island Ladies Doubles Title Is Decided

Misses Wanda MacMillan and Helen Larter captured the ladies doubles title of Prince Edward Island over the Charlottetown Tennis courts yesterday afternoon when they downed the DeBlouis sisters, Audrey and Nora, in straight sets of 6-3, 6-4 in a well-played final match.

Both the winner and runner-up teams are from the City Club, and leaves only the men's doubles final to be decided before the two-week long Provincial Closed Tennis Tournament winds up.

The final match of the latter division will be played at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon over the Charlottetown Club courts, when Earl Smith and Walter Cullen will meet Ivan Dowling and Paul Kays, after which the final presentation of prizes is expected to be made to the various tourney winners.

## K. of C. Tennis Tourney Completed

The annual tournament of the Knights of Columbus Tennis Club was concluded over the Victoria Park courts last evening when Andy Adams and Miss Theresa Arsenault copped off top honors of the mixed doubles division by defeating Art Hughes and Stephanie LeClair in a keenly contested final match that was extended to five sets before it was decided.

The Adams-Arsenault team finally won the decision by scores of 4-6, 6-0, 1-6, 6-1, 6-2 to emerge the mixed doubles title holders of the K. of C. Club for this season and was the climax to a highly successful tournament that produced plenty of smart tennis and close competitive play.

E.C.A.F.	ABRHPOAE
MacCulloch, ss	4 0 0 1 4 4
St. John, lf	3 0 0 1 1 1
Hulme, c & cf	4 0 0 3 1 2
Carson, c	4 0 0 3 0 0
Barlow, lf	3 0 2 12 0 0
Phillips, rf	2 0 0 0 1 0
Martineau, 3b	3 0 0 1 1 0
Landry, ss	3 0 0 1 1 0
Murphy, 2b	3 0 0 0 1 1
Mickus, p	3 0 0 0 4 0
Totals	29 0 3 24 13 8

C. & B.	ABRHPOAE
MacKay, rf	5 3 3 2 0 0
P. Schurman, cf	5 1 1 0 0 0
Timmins, 3b	5 2 0 2 0 0
Dunlop, lf	5 1 3 9 2 0
Landry, ss	4 0 1 0 1 0
G. Bernard, 2b	4 1 0 2 1 0
Gallant, lf	4 2 2 0 0 0
B. Schurman, c	3 2 1 12 0 0
St. Pierre, p	4 1 2 2 5 0
Mitchell, ss	1 0 0 0 0 0
xxFinn, lf	1 0 0 0 0 0
xxxG. Bernard, 2b	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	42 13 15 27 18 9

## Favorites Advance In Eastern Tennis Tourney

**DARTMOUTH, N. S., Aug. 23**—(CP)—The favorites came through in the second round of the Eastern Canadian lawn tennis championships here today as all seeded players won their matches.

Raymond Page of Montreal, former Canadian junior champion, won his two matches without a loss. He defeated Gordon Hart of Dartmouth 6-1, 6-0 in a morning round and then breezed past Dr. Phil Cole of Chester, N.S., 6-1, 6-2.

Another favorite, Peter Stuart of Toronto, had a little more difficulty but also came up with two wins. Stuart downed Kenny Reardon of Halifax 7-5, 6-4 and then went on to defeat Clyde Myers of Halifax 5-7, 6-4, 6-3.

Don Bauld, Halifax, made his only court appearance of the day a winning one as he downed club mate Frank Nolan 6-2, 6-2.

Another Halifaxian, Blair Dunlop, picked up a pair of victories as he trimmed Eric Sutherland of Dartmouth 6-1, 6-0 and Jerry Regan of Windsor, N.S., 6-2, 6-1.

In the women's singles, Miss V. Large of Halifax downed Miss Betty Evans of Saint John, N.B., 6-1, 6-0 while Miss M. Edger of Montreal edged Mrs. B. Dunlop of Halifax 7-5, 6-3. Ruth Miller of Halifax won her match against Mrs. H. Purdy of Saint John by default.

The feature match of the men's doubles saw Page and Stuart down Regan and Cliff Rooncraft of Halifax 6-1, 6-2.

In a mixed doubles event, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hughes of Windsor, N.S., won their first set against Miss Annie Stacey and Dave Pigot of Halifax 6-2. The second match was tied 6-6 when time was called. It will be continued tomorrow.

## Proximity Faces Tough Battle In Race Today

**WESTBURY, N. Y., Aug. 23**—(AP)—It will be Proximity, the miracle mare of the harness racing world, against eight rivals tomorrow night in the \$25,000 American Trotting Championship at Roosevelt Raceway. But she faces a tough battle—especially in Demon Hanover, winner of the 1948 Hambletonian.

The eight-year-old trotting queen, holder of the all-time earning record for harness horses with \$214,629 will get away from a choice no. 3 spot behind the mobile gate.

If she can last the one mile route, or twice around the Roosevelt Oval, the victory will be worth about \$12,000 to owners Ralph and Gordon Verhurst of Victor, N. Y.

Chief opposition is expected from Demon Hanover, from the stable of Harrison Hoyt, Bethel, Conn., and Chris Spencer. The latter is from the Bostwick Farm, Shelburne, Vt., and won this same race last year.

Demon Hanover was beaten a short neck last Friday by Proximity in a tuneup here. The winner sped the distance in 2:08 flat, indicating she is in top form for the big one tomorrow. In June, Proximity set a world's record over a half-mile track by stepping 2:01 1-5 at Roosevelt.

## Sport Briefs

**SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 23**—(CP)—Glouce Bay Miners ended their Obitory League schedule as they started it with a torrent of base hits. They blasted Pier Pirates 7-1 before a sparse crowd at Whitney Pier Stadium tonight setting the stage for a four-team playoff which opens at the Stadium Friday evening.

**DARTMOUTH, N. S., Aug. 23**—(CP)—Stellarton Albions defeated Dartmouth Arrows 10-7 here tonight in the opening game of their best-of-three Halifax and District Senior Baseball League semi-finals.

## MINOR LEAGUE BALL

The rained-out game between the East and West End Bantams will be played tonight, Aug. 24 at the old Park diamond at 5:45 sharp.

The East End Midgets will meet the North End on Friday evening at 5:45 at the old Park diamond. All players are requested to be on hand.

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## Mainland And Island Horses Split Honors At Parkview Raceway

Mainland and Island horses split leading win honors at the Wednesday afternoon meet held over the Parkview Raceway, South Rustico, yesterday when two Saint John, N. B. horses, owned by Cecil Alexander, copped off the race honors in the numbers one and two classified events, while local entries were the big winners in the third and fourth classified divisions.

It was a great afternoon's racing that gave a large crowd some very close, thrilling finishes as well as keen, changing battles for the lead positions over the mile route to the finish wire.

Doing no better than fifth place in the opening heat as the result of a bad start in a big 11-horse field, Bud Abner, owned by Mr. Alexander and driven by Bill Burt, swept to two consecutive wins in the two final heats for race honors. Willard Kelly's Milldale was the leading contender, Kelly bringing his charge home in front with a terrific stretch drive in the opening heat, and just being nosed out by Abner in the other two heats for second summary. Joandale, driven by Charlie Willis, was also close in at the finish in all three heats for the show position on the race.

Both winning horses set new records for themselves, Milldale dropping to a new mark of 2:18 2-5 in the first heat and Bud Abner coming under the wire in 2:18 2-5 in the middle session for a new mark over the mile route.

Being nosed out by Eric Moreside's Worthy Ermine in the opening heat of number two classified, All American, the Alexander entry from Saint John, was driven to race honors in the final two heats

by Bill Burt who, by so doing, chalked up his fourth winning drive to be the leading reinsman of the meet. The New Brunswick entry also covered the fastest mile of the day with the winning time of 2:11 2-5 in the second heat. Worthy Ermine and Rhodola D. were the other leading horses in the division, with 1-2-2 and 3-3-3 summaries respectively, and made each event a real battle to the win post on all three occasions.

Chalking up his second and third winning performances of the day, Willard Kelly came through with the same type of top-notch driving that won him the British Consols Trophy as leading driving award during the Old Home Week meets here last week, when he piloted his own Lucky Number to wins in the first and third heats of the number three classified for race honors. Holding true to his usual style, Kelly came through from well back in the field with powerful home-stretch drives for close, exciting wins.

Rosalie Hooper, driven by Walter Craig, was the other leading contender for race honors, proving to have too much zip on the stretch for Lucky in the middle session for a smart win, and pressing the Kelly-owned horse every inch of the way in the first and third heats.

But it was the fourth and final division on the program, the No. 1-5 that produced some of the real close racing of the day in an action-packed ten-horse field that was forced to an extra heat before it was decided.

Coming through with the opening win of the division, Lillian Budlong, owned and driven by Eric Moreside, headed Abegweit Milyad and Bonnie Dale to the wire, while Miss Commando pulled the surprise upset in the second when she topped out Abegweit and Lillian to the wire. Llewellyn doing the winning driving of the McIntyre horse from

## Yankees Get Back Into Pennant Race

By The Associated Press  
New York Yankees clawed their way back into contention in the American League pennant race today.

They set down Detroit Tigers 7-5 and cutting the lead of the League leaders to 1-1-2 games.

Tom Ferrick saved the game for New York. He relieved Vic Raschi in the eighth and quelled a Tiger uprising that scored three runs with two out.

A crowd of 50,476 saw the Yankees win their sixth straight and their second in a row over the Tigers.

Fred Hutchinson's two-run single in the eighth drove Raschi from the mound just as Raschi's two-run single in the fourth had made his pitching rival, Art Houtteman, walk to the bench in disgust without waiting for Hank Borowy to be called in from the bullpen. Raschi was credited with his 16th victory of the year. John Mize hit a two-run double in fourth, and Yogi Berra's 16th homer of the year in the sixth scored Joe DiMaggio. Yogi drove in what proved to be the winning runs. Hoot Evers, Tiger leftfielder, lashed his 20th homer in the sixth, scoring George Kell ahead of him.

Boston Red Sox, struggling to keep in the American League pennant race ran their current winning streak to nine games by subduing St. Louis Browns 9-5. Four of Boston runs were unearned.

The front-running Philadelphia Phils, with fireman Jim Konstanty once again coming to the rescue, defeated Cincinnati Reds 6-4 in the National League. Home runs by Del Ennis and Andy Seminick helped the youngsters to win.

A brilliant relief job by southpaw Monte Kennedy enabled New York Giants to edge Chicago 5-4 and maintain their jinx over the Cubs. It was the New Yorker's ninth straight victory over the Cubs and their 17th victory in 20 games with Chicago. Monte Irvin's seventh homer of the year and Bobby Thomson's 18th, each with none on, paced the Giant offense.

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The veterans of some 2,000 such performances, the Godfrey donkeys are expected to provide a thrill and spill a minute when they supply the transportation facilities for the City's leading ball players in carrying out their plays for the first couple of innings, after which teams from the Legion and Kiwanis organizations who are jointly sponsoring the show and will be made up of mostly leading business men of the City, try their hand at the baseball routine while mounted on a donkey.

## Amateur Boxing Championships At Summerside

Amateur boxing championships are to be competed for in the Old Curling Rink, Summerside, on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 4th. This card has been sponsored by Number Five Branch Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., and it is their intention to have Island championships at a later date this fall. Everyone or anyone is welcome to take part in these championships. Boxers will be classified in proper weights and ages so that all bouts will be properly matched.

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