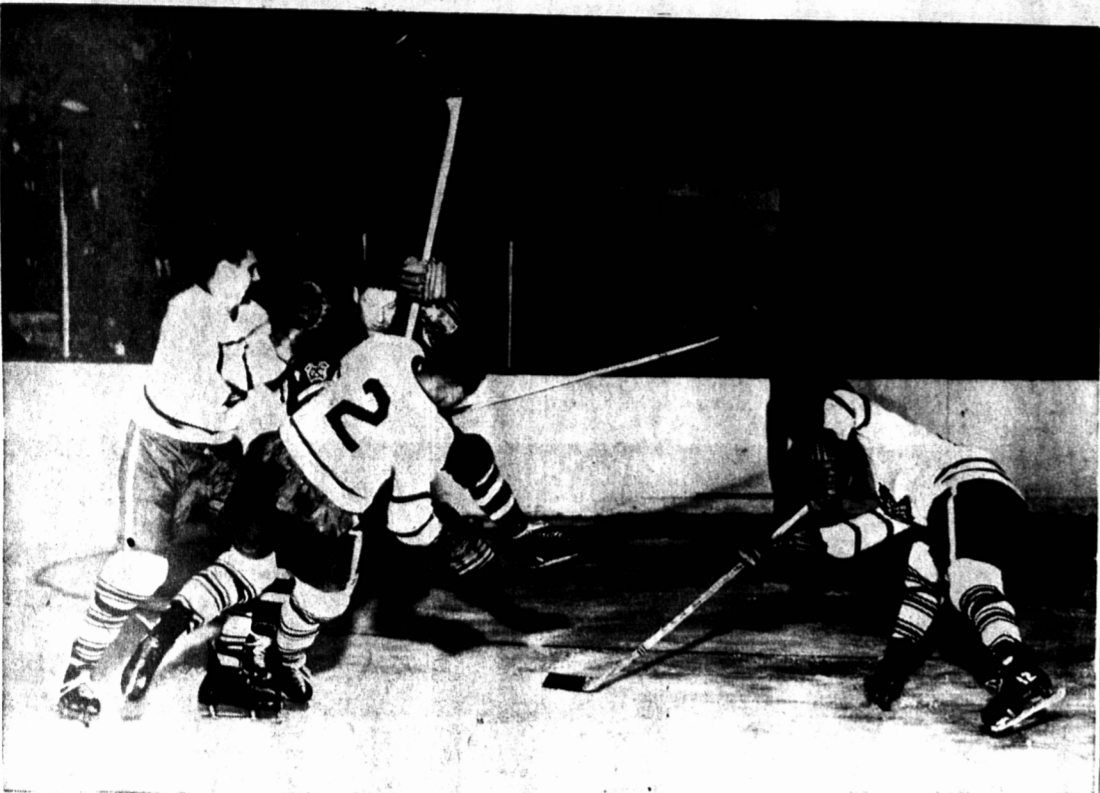


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BOLTON AND THOMPSON DUMP SULLIVAN

Hugh Bolton and Jim Thomson Chicago's Red Sullivan off balance during play in National Hockey League game in Toronto. Leafs' right is Leafs' Ron Stewart. (CP Photo)

Tod Sloan Scores Twice

Toronto Leafs Vault Into Second Place On 3-1 Win

TORONTO (CP)—With veteran centre Tod Sloan leading the way with two goals, Toronto Maple Leafs Wednesday night defeated Detroit Red Wings 3-1 and vaulted over three teams into second place in the National Hockey League standings.

A crowd of 15,014 saw the Maple Leafs break out in front 2-0 in the second period and both clubs score once in the final. The victory kept the Toronto record unblemished on home ice this season. The Leafs now have won five games

here and tied the other. Toronto went into the game in fifth place with nine points and their two points lifted them over the three clubs tied with 10 points—New York Rangers, Boston Bruins and Chicago Black Hawks—into the runner-up spot behind Montreal Canadiens.

WINGS STILL IN CELLAR
The Red Wings, a pale copy of last spring's Stanley Cup champions, remained in last place with seven points.

Rookie leftwinger Earl Balfour started Toronto off at 14:02 of the game as he snared defenceman Johnny Bucyk of Detroit was serving time at 18:46 when Sloan

made it 2-0, sinking Sid Smith's rebound near the goal crease. The Wings turned on the pressure in the third period in an effort to get close and rightwinger Bill Dineen cut the margin to one goal off Red Kelly's pass.

Kelly, normally a defenceman, was shifted up to the forward lines and spearheaded the late Detroit attack, but Sloan—Toronto's top scorer with seven goals—put the game away near the 15 minute mark. He trapped the puck in the Detroit zone and sped in unopposed on Hall before beating the goalie with a sizzling eight foot drive.

Lineups
Detroit — Goal: Hall; defence: Goldhamer, Pronovost, Kelly, Godfrey, Hillman, Hollingworth; forwards: Reibel, Howe, Lindsay, Pavelich, Delvecchio, Prystay, Ullman, Chevrefils, Dineen, Toppazini, Bucyk, Stankiewicz.

Toronto — Goal: Lumley; defence: Morrison, Horton, Thomson Bolton, Cahon; forwards: Sloan Armstrong, Duff, Harris, Nesterenko, Balfour, Migay, Stewart, Smith, Klukay, Marshall, Reid.

Referee: Jack Mehlenbacher; linesmen: George Hayes and Bill Morrison.

Summary
First period: Scoring—None.

Penalties: Delvecchio 10:37, Thomson 17:47.
Second period: 1. Toronto, Balfour (Horton) 14:02; 2. Toronto, Sloan (Smith, Harris) 18:56.
Penalties: Balfour 7:02; Bolton 12:05; Bucyk 17:06.

Third period: 3. Detroit, Dineen (Kelly, Delvecchio) 3:44; 4. Toronto, Sloan 15:20.
Penalties: Delvecchio 8:38 and 19:36; Sloan 12:01; Thomson 19:07; Hall 18:46; Lumley 11:11 6-28

Yvon Durelle Willing To Meet Anyone

CHATHAM, N.B. (CP)—Canadian light-heavyweight champion Yvon Durelle of Baie Ste. Anne, N.B., announced Wednesday night he is willing to meet anyone for the Canadian heavyweight crown vacated Tuesday by Earl Walls of Toronto.

The onetime lobster fisherman, who claims 59 victories in 63 fights, said he is anxious to meet Arnes Parker or Vern Escoc for the vacated Canadian heavyweight crown, or anyone the Canadian Boxing Federation suggests.

The Baie Ste. Anne battler was knocked out by Trinidad's Yolande Pompey in London Oct. 18. Pompey, who has signed for a crack at Archie Moore's world light-heavyweight title, put Durelle away in the seventh.

A sore right hand that showed a "slight crack" in a knuckle following the fight hampered the Canadian champion in his battle with Pompey. Durelle, a rugged type of fighter, plans to have the hand operated on in Moncton next week.

Durelle was slated to fight in Paris in early December, but may put off the battle until his hand is back in condition. Doctors have predicted it will be as good as new following the operation.

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Houle Pots 2 For Hawks

Schmidt, Brilliant Lead Ramblers To 7-3 Victory

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Frank Filchok Set On Breaking Two-Year Jinx

REGINA (CP)—In an effort to crack a two-year jinx, coach Frankie Filchok of Saskatchewan Roughriders is taking the opening kickoff of the Western Interprovincial Football Union two-game series.

Both teams will go into the 1955 playoffs without any serious injuries, and Riders likely will be betting favorites in view of their 3-1 edge in games during the regular schedule.

SNOW COULD DECIDE
That old bugaboo, the weather, however, could play a major part in deciding the series. If present snow conditions continue, they likely would swing the odds in favor of Bombers. A messy field could hamper the vaunted passing of the Riders, who own the best passer in the league in quarterback Tripucka.

If the clubs stay on the ground, it will be Riders' Ken Carpenter, the league's leading scorer, Bobby Marlow and Sully Galster against Bombers' Leo Lewis, Gerry James and Benson.

SERIES PATTERN
In 1953, Bombers, playing at home, whipped Filchok's crew 43-3 in the first game as homebrew fullback Lorne Benson roared for six touchdowns. Roughies won the second contest at home 18-17 but were series losers 60-23.

Last year, the clubs battled to a 14-14 tie at Winnipeg in the opener. With Larry Isbell taking over for injured all-star quarterback Frank Tripucka in the second game at Regina Riders dropped a close 13-11 decision, and the series.

Bobby Bragan Named As Pirates Field Manager
PITTSBURGH (AP)—Pittsburgh Pirates picked Bobby Bragan as field manager Wednesday, and thereby started a new National League guessing game: Is Bragan a "Rickey man" or a "Brown man"?

Bragan himself, moving up from Hollywood Stars, the Pacific Coast League, promptly paid tribute to Branch Rickey Sr., whose five-year contract as Pirate general manager ended only Tuesday.

But General Manager Joe L. Brown, successor to Rickey, emphatically labelled Bragan as a "Brown man" and said he will stake his record as general manager on Bragan's performance with the team.

Rickey After Prospects
Rickey wasn't at the news conference, and reportedly was en route to Mexico to look over some player prospects in the winter league there.

But this much was clear: Bragan's name popped up in speculation about the new Pirate field manager within minutes of the announcement by Fred Haney on Sept. 25 that he had been told he would not be retained for this year. At that time Rickey still was general manager.

Bobby, originally an infielder, switched to catching while with Philadelphia Phillies in 1942, and was a playing manager in 72 games at Hollywood last year where his team rallied to finish third after a sorry start.

Ryff Wins Decision From Paddy DeMarco
BALTIMORE (AP)—Frankie Ryff, fourth-ranking lightweight, knocked down Paddy DeMarco, former champion of the division, for an eighth count in the sixth round Wednesday night and went on to win a unanimously-closed decision.

The 22-year-old Ryff of Brooklyn, who had lost only once in 20 fights, bled from cuts over his vulnerable eyes from the fourth round on, but his right-hand flooring of the 27-year-old DeMarco gained him the nod of two judges and the referee before 1,727 paid fans at the coliseum and a coast-to-coast television audience.

Referee Eddie Leonard, voted 98-92 for Ryff, Judge Bennie Goldstein 98-94 and Judge John Kelly 99-95. The Associated Press scoring card agreed with Kelly.

Both fighters weighed 139½.

Ryff's right-hand sock came suddenly in the sixth to put DeMarco flat on his back. As the former lightweight champion was going down, Ryff's right elbow caught him in the face and drew blood from his nose.

"Plumber" Craig Blanks St. John Beavers 2-0

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Doug McPhee was the scoring star here Wednesday night and Plumber Craig earned a shutout as Fredericton Capitals beat Saint John Beavers 2-0 and rose to a second place tie with Saint John in the Atlantic Coast Senior Hockey League.

Beavers and Amherst Ramblers had been tied for the four-team leadership but Ramblers emerged alone at the top with a 7-3 win over Moncton Hawks.

McPhee was in on a three-way play with Bob Leger and Bill McDonagh for the first Fredericton goal in the opening period. McDonagh hooked the puck between Beaver goalie Jim Shirley's legs from about 20 feet out.

After a scoreless second period and with less than two minutes to go in the game, Beavers took out Shirley for a six-man attack. McPhee grabbed a loose puck inside his own blue line and scored into the open cage.

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Gordon Wallace And Don Barton Are Matched
LONDON (AP)—Don Barton, Challenger for the British light heavyweight title, will fight Gordon Wallace of Branford, Ont., in a 10-rounder at Nottingham Nov. 28, promoter Reg King announced Wednesday.

Wallace brought off an upset victory in London Oct. 18 when he knocked out Randy Turpin in the fourth round. Before that Turpin was in line for a crack at Archie Moore's world light-heavyweight title.

Teachers Form Badminton Club
Yesterday the City teachers met at Queen Charlotte High School and formed the City Teachers Badminton Club. Chosen as the executive for the school year are the following: J.A.S. Williams; Queen Charlotte, President, Miss Anne Walsh, Queen Square; Miss Barbara Pound; Prince Street, Miss Margaret Riley; West Kent, Miss Bessie Prowse; Queen Charlotte, Treasurer.

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INJURED OTTAWA ALL-STARS
Avanis Sloan, left, and Tom Tracy of the Ottawa Rough Riders all-star football teams. A third of the two teams and, curiously sporting identical injuries, have Ottawa player, Frank Dempsey, enough, has the same type of hand another than in common—has (available at the time the picture injury (CP Photo).

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