

Brooklyn's Lead Cut To Half - Game; Giants Idle

(Associated Press) Brooklyn's crumbling lead shrunk to a half game Thursday as the National League steamed toward a photo finish.

While the runner-up New York Giants were idle, the Dodgers lost a 4-3 decision to Boston, breaking Preacher Roe's 10-game win streak. Umpire Frank Dascoli chased Roy Campanella and cleared the Dodger bench during the Braves' winning rally in the eighth.

The race is sure to go down to the wire because the Giants have only two to play at Boston Saturday and Sunday. Brooklyn's last three games are at Philadelphia Friday night, Saturday night and Sunday.

One club dropped out of the American League battle when the third-place Boston Red Sox were beaten by Washington 8-6, losing their last mathematical hope.

The idle New York Yankees, facing a five-game closing series with the Red Sox, hold a 2 1/2-game lead over second-place Cleveland.

The Yanks can now down the pennant by sweeping Friday's Yankee Stadium doubleheader from the Red Sox. Any combination of two wins or two Cleveland defeats would sew it up.

The Indians have only two to play against Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Chet Nichols, a 20-year-old rookie lefthander, struck a vital blow at the Dodgers' hopes with a six-hit effort for his 11th win, as Roe lost his third to 22 victories.

Dascoli chased catcher Campanella and then cleared the Dodger bench after an eight-inning argument when Bob Addis was called safe at home with the winning run.

Singles by Addis and Sam Jethroe who hit a homer and double earlier in the game, set up the big run.

Says Islanders Interested In Services Of Whitlock

The Charlottetown Islanders are definitely interested in acquiring the services of "Buck" Whitlock for the coming season.

Dr. F. C. Dougan, President of the Islanders Hockey Club stated last night. The statement was made in contradiction to a statement written earlier in the week in a Halifax paper by a Halifax writer.

Alex Nickerson, sports columnist in the Halifax Herald suggests that it would surprise everyone if George Mabee gave "Buck" his release and stated that "The picture is somewhat clouded by a statement from an Islanders executive who says he is not interested in Whitlock."

"I said that we did not contact Whitlock because he is a member of the Saint John Beavers," stated Dr. Dougan in referring to his statement at last Saturday's meeting. "We are interested and would be delighted to have 'Buck' on our club," he added.

"Buck" as yet has had no success in obtaining his release. The matter may go before the C.A.H.A.



Saints Win Practice Game From Abbies

Saint Dunstan's University football team scored a 7-0 win over the Charlottetown Abbies in a practice game on the S.D.U. field yesterday evening.

Diminutive Joe Mullally scored the only try of the game. Phil Coyle, converted the try and made good a penalty kick for the Saints remaining points.

The game was held to prepare the Abbies for Saturday's game with Shearwater which will be held on Memorial Field at three o'clock. The Abbies will hold a light skirmish tonight and a skull practice in Prince of Wales College at seven o'clock.

Shoot-Off For President's Cup Saturday

The shoot-off for the President's Cup will take place on Saturday, September 29 at two o'clock, it was announced last night. The President's Cup was donated by Lt. Col. D. A. MacKinnon, D.S.O., while president of the Prince Edward Island Rifle Association.

The winner of the Grand Aggregate was to hold the cup for one year and at the end of five years the five winners were to shoot off for permanent possession.

The winners are as follows: Capt. R. A. McCabe, Sgt. P. J. Landrigan, Capt. A. J. McCabe and Sgt. G. G. McLennan. There are only four in the shoot off as Sgt. G. G. McLennan led the grand aggregate for two years. The match will be fired at the 200, 500 and 600 yard ranges, seven shots at each range.

BASEBALL'S BIG SIX

Player & Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Musial, Cardinals	150	571	122	204	357
Fain, Athletics	114	418	63	145	347
Ashburn, Phillies	151	626	91	213	340
Robinson, Dodgers	147	524	101	174	332
Minoso, W. Sox	146	530	112	173	326
Williams, R. Sox	147	528	111	169	320

Runs batted in: American League, Zernial, Athletics, 129; National League, Irvin, Giants, 119.

Home runs: American League, Zernial, Athletics, 33; National League Kiner, Pirates, 41.

Four Of Last Year's Islanders' Stars Are Expected To Return

Four of last year's hockey stars, Bruno Favaro, Hub Beaudry, Walter Pawlyshyn and George McLagan will very likely be returning to the Islanders training camp early next week, it was learned last night from coach Leo Lamoureux.

Don Bellingranger and Willie Marshall arrived in the City last night. Bellingranger is the 21-year-old North Sydney star of last season while Marshall was the youthful centre ice star of the Toronto St. Michael's Juniors.

Coach Lamoureux had a long telephone conversation last night with Terry Reardon, coach of the Providence Reds, and learned that the four Islanders of last season would likely be back here this year. They are planning to return here but something may occur down there in the next few days to disrupt these plans, he stated.

Terry Reardon reported that Hub Beaudry was the most improved player in the Providence camp. Hockey fans will be glad to hear this news for the young centreman was one of the hardest working players in the Maritimes last season and one of the most likeable.

The other boys are all looking good, Reardon reported. Pawlyshyn and McLagan have already signed contracts, and Favaro has agreed to come to terms.

Don Bellingranger is the Kingston, Ontario hockey player who turned out to be the highest scoring wingman on the Northside Vics last year. Bellingranger scored 38 goals, the fourth highest mark in the Cape Breton League. He also picked up 22 assists for a total of 60 points. He formerly played with Guelph Biltmores and was a team-mate of Frank Bathgate's.

Willie Marshall was the leading scorer on the Toronto St. Michael's Juniors last year with 35 goals and 35 assists for a total of 70 points. He is the property of the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Entry Results In Horse Classes

The remaining fourteen classes of horses, Division 2, were judged at the Provincial Plowing Match at Dundas yesterday and for the fourth year in a row the champion horse was shown by John A. MacLeod and Son of Primrose with their entry in the Class 16. The results of the judging are as follows:

- Class 10: Draft Mare or Gelding, born in 1950: No entries.
- Class 11: Draft Mare or Gelding, born in 1949: 1st, T. J. Kieckham, Souris West.
- Class 12: Draft Mare or Gelding, born in 1948: 1st, Francis MacMaster, Cardigan, R.R. 4.
- Class 13: Draft Mare, with foal at foot, and: 1st, Francis MacMaster, Cardigan, R.R. 4.
- Class 14: Draft Foal of 1951: 1st, Preston Bryerton, Rollo Bay; 2nd, Paul McPhee, Launching.
- Class 15: Draft Stallion, any age (Reg.): Roland Saunders, Middell.
- Class 16: Draft Mare or Gelding, over 1,400 lbs., born before Jan. 1st, 1948: 1st, John A. MacLeod and Son, Primrose; 2nd, M. D. McAulay, St. Peter's; 3, Dan Brehaut and Sons, Strathcona; 4th, M. D. McAulay, St. Peter's.
- Class 17: Draft Mare or Gelding, under 1,400 lbs., born before Jan. 1st, 1948: 1st, Malcolm Campbell, Cardigan; 2nd, John D. Morrison, Georgetown; 3rd, Harold Redmond and Son, Cardigan; 4th, Harold Redmond and Son, Cardigan.
- Class 18: General Purpose Mare or Gelding, born before Jan. 1st, 1948: 1st, Dan Brehaut and Sons, Strathcona; 2nd, Brian Clay, Bridgetown; 3rd, Francis A. White, Souris West; 4th, Daniel Burke, Rollo Bay.
- Class 19: General Purpose Mare or Gelding, born since Jan. 1st, 1948: D. J. Chaisson, Bear River.
- Class 20: Plow Team, over 2,600 lbs.: 1st, Douglas MacDonaid, Forest Hill; 2nd, Carl Shephard, Forest Hill; 3rd, F. Campbell, Dundas.
- Class 21: Plow Team, 2,000-2,600 lbs.: 1st, Harold Taylor, Dundas; 2nd, William Taylor, Strathcona.
- Class 22: Plow Team, under 2,200 lbs.: 1st, Wylie Taylor, Dundas Centre.
- Class 23: Draft Team, hitched to truck wagon: 1st, M. D. McAulay, St. Peter's; 2nd, John A. MacLeod and Son, Primrose; 3rd, Harold Redmond and Son, Cardigan; 4th, T. J. Kieckham, Souris West.

Pep And Saddler May Be Called On The Carpet

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 —(AP)—Willie Pep and Sandy Saddler may be called on the carpet by the New York State Athletic Commission for last night's wrestling match with boxing gloves.

Bob Christenberry, new chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission today directed all officials present at the feather-weight title bout to submit written reports.

If the reports warrant, a full-dress open hearing probably will be called before the commission next week.

Referee Ray Miller and judges Art Aldala and Frank Forbes were ordered to report to Dan Dowd, executive secretary of the commission, along with the referees who worked the preliminaries.

"It would be presumptuous of me to comment until I received the reports," said Christenberry.

It was learned the commission was far from satisfied with the dirty brawl in which most of the rules were fractured.

Pep, who quit in his corner after the ninth round to lose on a ninth-round technical knockout, went home to Hartford, Conn., this morning.

Saddler, showing no signs of battle, took his pre-induction physical for the army. The champion is 25 years old with brief previous service in the navy. He was sent to the station hospital at Fort Jay for further tests.

Veteran boxing observers racked their memories to recall more disgraceful exhibitions of foul tactics.

All seemed agreed on one thing — this is the end. Four fights between the two, was too much.

Even Charlie Johnston, Saddler's manager, agreed, "That's the end." He said "who'd want to see it? but we'll fight him tomorrow for the right price if anybody wants it."

Mimnegash In 12-4 Victory Over Kinkora

The Mimnegash Royals defeated the Kinkora Red Sox 12 to 4 at the Recreation Grounds in Summerside yesterday, thereby winning the semi-final series two games to nil. The Royals had previously taken two straight from the Red Sox but both games were thrown out because of the ineligibility of one of their players, Aeneas Doucette, who had been flown from Kingston, Ontario, to pitch in this series, allowed Kinkora only seven hits, struck out 12, and walked only 2. McGuigan of the Red Sox was touched for 13 bingles. He struck out 4 and walked 3. Doucette's superb pitching had won the Prince County title for Mimnegash last year. He has lost only one game this season. The promising young flinger has just turned eighteen.

The Mimnegash team now enters the finals for the Prince County Intermediate "B" title against the Lennox Island Mic-Macs. The series will be best-two-out-of-three, the first game to be played at Lennox Island next Sunday.

Mimnegash Royals: A. Doucette, p; M. Callaghan, c; Boyd Bernard, 1b; Wendell Stewart, 2b; Claude Callaghan, 3b; Lloyd Gaudet, ss; Melvin Gallant, lf; M. Mokler, cf; W. Gallant, if.

Kinkora Red Sox: W. E. McGuigan, p; J. Shreanan, c; J. D. McCarville 1b; R. McCarville 2b; W. McFadyen, 3b; D. Roberts, ss; S. Farmer, lf; S. McIver, cf; A. Johnson, if.

Umpires: Plate, Jack Schurman, bases, Johnny Finn and Gordon Sullivan.

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Judges for the Horse Classes yesterday were Mr. W. J. Reid and Mr. Louis Cantelo.

A Canadian Air Force radio outpost at Alert Bay on Ellesmere Island, is only 460 miles from the North Pole.

First Class Fight Card At Geo'town Last Night

Harry Poulton, former Maritime welterweight champion of Charlottetown last night knocked out J. Martin, also of Charlottetown in the seventh round of their 10-round main bout on a Georgetown Community Welfare League boxing card. The end came at 1:21 in the seventh round. Poulton weighed 145 and Martin 160.

The card was staged in the Georgetown Rink and there was a good attendance.

In a semi-final B. Lund of Charlottetown won by a knockout the sixth round over B. Gallant, also of Charlottetown with the end coming at 1:14. Lund weighed in at 184 and Gallant one pound lighter.

In a four-round no decision exhibition bout, Richard DeLory of Georgetown and J. Russell of Charlottetown put on a good display. DeLory weighed 168 and Russell 170.

Preliminaries: Sonny Jamieson, Lower Montague, 145, won a three-round decision from Vincent Boudreau, 135, also of Lower Montague.

Roger Solomon, Georgetown, 80, won by a T. K. O. over Paul MacLean, also of Georgetown, 75 pounds.

Wally McIntyre, Lorne Valley, 85 pounds, fought to a draw with Bob Walker, Georgetown, 70 pounds.

Officials were: referee, A. Found, Charlottetown; judges, D. George, Montague, D. McCormack, Charlottetown, A. Rogers, Charlottetown; timer, W. J. Fitzgerald, Georgetown; announcer, J. B. Scully, Georgetown.

Gives Reasons For Ruling In Gray, Bonhomme Case

Following is a statement by Mr. Walter Lawlor, President of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association on the recent Gray-Bonhomme controversy.

"The Glace Bay Club at no time notified the M.A.H.A. that they did not intend to operate this coming season. Consequently, the Glace Bay Club is still a member of the M.A.H.A., and Gray and Bonhomme are still the property of the Glace Bay Club.

"If those two players," Mr. Lawlor continued, "received their release from the M.A.H.A., all players belonging to the Glace Bay Club would also become free agents. The League by admitting Glace Bay without any clauses regarding the right to players have accepted them as belonging to the Glace Bay Club. Therefore," Mr. Lawlor stressed, "the League is at fault."

The Islanders Hockey Club have appealed the ruling of the M.A.H.A. on the case to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

Dr. F. C. Dougan, President of the Islanders Club last night stated that he would refer any statements about the merits of the case pending the decision of the C.A.H.A.

GUELPH, Ont., Sept. 27 —(AP)—Gaye Stewart and Paul Ronly, high-scoring forwards acquired by New York Rangers in trades, have signed their 1951-52 contracts, the National Hockey League club announced today. Rangers are in pre-season training here.

Attention Sportsmen

Having bought an area of land and marsh from Mr. Frank Townsend a couple of years ago, bordering on the west side of Walte's Creek, commencing at the Sherbrooke Road and extending to the shore of Malpeque Bay together with the hunting privileges of his entire farm, I hereby warn that all hunters caught trespassing contrary to these rights or destroying signboards will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

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