



A FAMILIAR SCENE

Canadians' Dickie Moore fires the winning goal past Maple Leafs' Johnny Bower late in the third period to clinch a 4-3 vic-

Argonauts Trying To Get Ronnie Knox Back In 1959

TORONTO (CP)—Low Hayman, managing director of Toronto Argonauts, is planning an all-out attempt to get passing wizard Ronnie Knox back for the 1959 Big Four football season. The 24-year-old quarterback, on loan from Chicago Bears of the National Football League, has been the key to an amazing Argonaut comeback, passing and leading them to whopping shutout victories in their last two games. Argonauts swamped Hamilton Tiger-Cats and Ottawa Rough Riders 37-0 and 41-0 respectively as Knox completed 41 of 59 passes and emerged as a brilliant offensive facilitator. The victories were Toronto's second and third of the Big Four football union season against eight defeats and left the club with a mathematical chance of making the three-team playoffs in their last three games. HOLLYWOOD MAY BECKON Knox wants to come back with the club for 1959 but George Halas, owner of the Bears, may have other ideas. And so may Hollywood. Halas holds Knox's football contract and if he wants to keep playing he may have to do it for the man he squabbled with last year. Knox was drafted by the Bears in 1957 but left the club after a dispute with Halas and was suspended. The movies may also lay claim to the services of the handsome player. Knox is bound for Hollywood as soon as Argos play their last game and he says football must take a back seat to his acting ambitions. "I am freelancing and waiting for the big break," he says about his acting. "I hope it comes."

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

HOCKEY PLAYERS and fans alike feel much better about the prospects of hockey for this coming winter. That meeting on Monday night was most enthusiastic and the formation of an Island Hockey league seems like a certainty.

Saint Dunstan's, Parkdale and Summerside have signified their willingness to participate in such a league and there seems a better than even chance that a Charlottetown team will make it a foursome when the group meet again next Monday night.

THERE WAS NO TALK of anything but an Island League. Everybody present appeared agreed that this was the only solution to the problem. Last year's Amherst-Charlottetown-Summerside affair didn't get fans very excited and there wasn't a peep out of anyone about trying up with any mainland outfit. Players, especially, seemed to have enough of that last season and are anxious to get back with an Island loop. It certainly wasn't surprising to find such a feeling prevalent.

THERE SHOULDN'T be a great deal of trouble rounding up another team for the proposed league. Parkdale Flyers undoubtedly will dress a number of Charlottetown players, but there should be enough besides those to make a strong fourth club from Charlottetown. Back a few years ago, there was a five-team loop with Parkdale, Summerside, Basilica Youth Club, Saint Dunstan's and Montague. Parkdale, B.Y.C. and Montague all drew their players from the Charlottetown area and these weren't exactly any weak sister. That made three teams from the capital, so surely there will be enough for at least two this year.

THERE WILL BE plenty of activity this week as team managers keep busy rounding up players for the coming season. Next Monday night will find Summerside, Parkdale and Saint Dunstan's with a pretty fair idea of who will perform for them in 1958-59. At the time we may find that a fourth team has been lined up, ready to battle for Island hockey supremacy with the other three.

At this next meeting, officers will be appointed to conduct the affairs and careful consideration should be given to their selection. Very often the success or failure of a league is dependent on the type of officers who control its destinies. A nominating committee will bring in a proposed slate next week and undoubtedly that committee will consider the matter carefully before bringing in their selections.

LAST MONDAY'S MEETING did prove that there are many players who want to play hockey this winter. This talk that no organized hockey would be played here this year took a real knock on the head at that session. We were most agreeably surprised with the large turnout as we had not anticipated anything like the large number that attended. The whole affair showed real interest and that's a fine way to get any season underway.

We can have a good hockey season right here among ourselves. We did it before and we can do it again. Of course everybody must co-operate and that everybody includes a lot of people. In that category you can put, players, managers, coaches league officers, fans and rink management. All of these folk play a most important part in the operation of any hockey league. Let's have that full co-operation forthcoming this season.

PRINCE OF WALES and Saint Dunstan's Varsity football teams played an exhibition game on Monday and what the folks say they enjoyed. Saints won the battle 14-0 but the affair was a good advertisement for the best-of-three series these two teams will engage in very shortly. The Junior Varsity probably surprised everybody, including the Welshmen, with their fine showing despite very little practice. They were guilty of more rule infractions than the city collegians and when the going is really tight that could prove disastrous for them. However, this was undoubtedly because of their lack of practice and Father Frank Ledwell, their coach, will soon straighten these things out.

NATURALLY at St. Dunstan's the senior squad has preference for the use of the field and uniforms. With A. J. McAdam's men working out at every opportunity, there isn't much chance for the juniors to get a word in. But with this series coming up with Prince of Wales, the junior varsity will get more attention than they received these past few weeks.

WE ANTICIPATE a real bang-up series between these two old rivals and if we get some warmer weather than Monday, you can expect to see some big crowds in attendance. The boys won't put on as good a display as you would get from Mount Allison and Saint Dunstan's, but they'll make up in determination what they lack in finesse.

Welshmen and Saints always did provide fans with the greatest kind of rivalry and there seems no chance of them disappointing this fall.

GENE CONLEY, who failed to win a game for Milwaukee Braves in 26 appearances this past season may return to baseball with Boston Celtics. However, Gene adds, this doesn't mean that he will quit baseball. "It might change the atmosphere for me," the big pitcher said. "I've been in a sort of a rut and maybe this is the change I need. I haven't pitched since August 19, so you can be sure I'm well rested. I know I can help the Celtics."

Regardless of whom you root for, it would be nice to see big Gene make a comeback in 1959. There's a strong possibility that if he does, it will be in a uniform other than Milwaukee. BOB HAZLE, the young outfielder whose .403 hitting helped win the 1957 pennant for the Braves, is back in the minors. The Detroit Tigers, who obtained Hazle last May, released him to their Charleston farm club in the American Association. He batted only .58 times this past season and hit .241 with two homers and five runs batted in. Hazle may get another chance but the odds are against him. His big league days appear to be at an end.

SPORT FORUM

Fight Fans Are Assured Of Plenty Of Fireworks

Sir:—The ten-round main event of the fight card at the Sports Arena tonight will see Mario Nini of Bathurst, N.B. go against Don "Duck" Trainor, the fighting policeman from Charlottetown.

Nini is a strong all-round fighter who has been in the fight game since he was sixteen. At the age of seventeen, he fought in Ontario with more than usual success and picked up a lot of experience. Now he figures he can reverse the close decision he lost to Trainor last year.

Mario comes here highly recommended by the New Brunswick and Ontario promoters. Both Trainor and Nini are on the threshold of the championship class which is ideal for good fighting and at the same time fits in with the promoter's plans. The various champions and top contenders come too high on the purses and the promoters are, of course, obliged to secure fighters within financial reason. This will probably produce some better battles than if the champs were engaged.

An excellent supporting card has been arranged with an eight-round semi-final featuring Walter Arsenault, rugged and hard-hitting junior middleweight from Summerside and Bruno "Rocky" Boucher, highly touted Quebec

puncher. Arsenault is one of the most colorful ringsters in the game today and can boast of a record of something like 50 fights and very few defeats.

Bruno Boucher, his opponent, also has a fine record with many knockouts to his credit. Last month at the Sports Arena, Boucher surprised boxing circles when he stopped Vince Cook of Halifax. Boucher, like Arsenault, can punch and is getting the best of training under the watchful eye of Bud Lund.

Promoter Ivan Doherty has recruited Jimmy Poulton and Don Arsenault for one of the four rounds. The pair fought to a decision bout in their first meeting, with Poulton coming from behind to surprise a cheering crowd by gaining a decision. Arsenault has asked for the return bout and is confident he will reverse the tables.

Poulton is the nephew of the widely-known Harry "Kid" Poulton, so familiar to boxing fans throughout the Maritimes.

In the curtain raiser Carl Arsenault of Summerside will clash with young Dean of Halifax. This bout should provide plenty of fireworks before the outcome is decided.

I am, Sir, etc. W.O. McCLUSKEY

Pat Supple Signs To Fight Dower

MONTREAL (CP)—Pat Supple, Canadian bantamweight boxing champion, has signed to meet Dia Dower of Wales in a 10-round bout at London, England, Oct. 28, it was learned Tuesday.

Eddie Supple, father of the 21-year-old Montrealer, said he was notified of the bout by telephone call from London. Supple is on a European tour.

Dower is the former world's flyweight champion. A native of the Welsh community of Abercynon, he now campaigns as a bantamweight. He's 25.

Supple was outpointed by Scotland's Peter Keenan at Glasgow Oct. 16 in a 15-round match for the British Empire bantamweight title.

The champion lost ground steadily in the first six rounds, but then took command and piled up a sufficient lead to win the decision although he suffered two knockdowns in the final round.

New Japanese Baseball Idol

TOKYO (AP)—The newest baseball hero of Japan is a 21-year-old son of a Kyushu fisherman—a young pitcher who almost singlehandedly won the Japan "world series."

He is Keizuhisa Inao, a sleepy-eyed, muscular athlete who seemingly never tires.

A pitcher for the Nishitetsu Lions, he saw his team lose the first three games of the Yomiuri Giants of the best-of-seven series. Then, in a rally reminiscent of the Yankees' comeback against Milwaukee, the Lions proceeded to win the next four games. Inao won them all.

In fact, this young iron man pitched in six of the seven games. He pitched a record 26 scoreless innings. He didn't issue a walk for 18 innings.

The press called him Superman and The Boy Wonder. All Japan is anxiously waiting to see how their hero fares against St. Louis Cardinals, who arrived here Tuesday night for a series of games against Japanese all-stars, beginning Friday.

The Cardinals played in Korea earlier in the day, beating an all-star Korean team 3-0.

Down The Back Stretch

One of the most popular drivers in U.S.A. race tracks is Billy Haughton, whose birthplace was Gloversville, New York, on November 2, 1923. Last year he had the most starts of any driver racing—743, and he was 156 times first, 127 times second and 100 times third, for a percentage of .357.

He was the largest money-winning driver in 1957, his total adding up to \$586,950. Billy's percentage was not high as compared to many other drivers. For instance, our native son, Joe O'Brien, born June 15, 1917, had a percentage of .438; Joe made 272 starts, was 72 times first, 53 times second and 53 times third, and his winnings were \$349,355.

Of course Joe is driving an individually-owned stable, while Billy had horses owned by many different owners.

From what we have been observing, driver Haughton will have another big year, probably with larger winnings than last year. One of his top winners is Belle Acton, that on the night of September 30 won the \$50,000 Trans-American Pace at Yonkers Raceway, of which \$25,000 went to her owners. That pushed her lifetime earnings up to \$306,273, which places her fourth among the top money-winning pacers of all time.

Haughton is one of the nicest chaps one would want to meet, and his skill as a driver has not gone to his head. We had several conversations with him a couple of years ago and found him a very fine chap to talk to.

GREATEST RACE Europe's greatest trotting race, open to the world, has been pushed up in value year after year. The next renewal of the event will be raced January

Ottawa Asks Two Rookies To Move Them To Safety

OTTAWA (CP)—Ottawa Rough Riders, stumbling badly in the late-season scramble for playoff berths in the Big Four football league, Tuesday called on a couple of Canadian rookies to move them to safer ground.

They are Russ Jackson, who got the nod from coach Frank Clair to start at quarterback in Toronto Saturday against Argonauts, and halfback Ron Stewart, who will spell 60-minute man George Brancato at flying wing.

The two changes, as Riders drilled to avenge the 41-0 drubbing they suffered at the hands of the resurgent Argos here last week, came as Ottawa faced the necessity of winning one of their three remaining games to make sure of a playoff spot. Two of the games are away from home.

Three straight Ottawa losses, combined with an Alouette win over Hamilton at Montreal Saturday and three Toronto victories would knock out the Riders.

After Saturday's game in Toronto, Riders play Hamilton twice while Montreal and Toronto meet twice.

The Riders, yet to defeat Tiger-Cats this season, have lost their last two games by humiliating scores. Before last Saturday's whitewash by Argos, Ottawa was trimmed 34-13 by the AIs in Montreal.

In another Ottawa lineup change import half Gerr Nesbitt, used mainly as a corner linebacker on defence, will see more action on offence.

MUST MAKE CHANGES "After watching the movies of Saturday's slaughter, I decided to make some changes," Clair said Tuesday. "We've got to do something if we want to stay in the race."

Tony Anthony To Meet Ray

NEW YORK (AP)—Tony Anthony, New York's No. 1 light heavyweight title contender, was signed Tuesday to meet Sonny Ray of Chicago in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden Nov. 14.

Anthony has won his last six fights. Ray has won nine in a row. The match was made by the International Boxing Club.

Greaves, Tuck Battle Tonight

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Rugged Billy Tuck of Louisville meets Canadian middleweight champion Wilf Greaves of Edmonton in a scheduled 10-rounder at the fairgrounds tonight.

Tuck, a wild-swinging fighter with a 28-41 mark, will be meeting his most formidable opponent. Greaves, a polished boxer, has won 23, lost nine and had one draw in fighting some of the nation's top middleweights.

Greaves is expected to weigh 161, Tuck 156.

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SEMI-FINAL — 8 ROUNDS Walter "Peanuts" Arsenault Summerside — 154 lbs. vs. Bruno Boucher 158 lbs. — Quebec

THREE MINUTE ROUNDS CABL "ACAPE" ARSENAULT 148 lbs. — Summerside vs. JIMMY POULTON 131 lbs. — Charlottetown

THREE MINUTE ROUNDS KENNY DEAN Halifax, N.S. — 146 lbs. vs. DONNIE ARSENAULT Summerside — 134 lbs.

Tickets on sale at Fred Lambros. Reduced prices: Ringside \$1.25. Rush \$1.00. Children 50c.

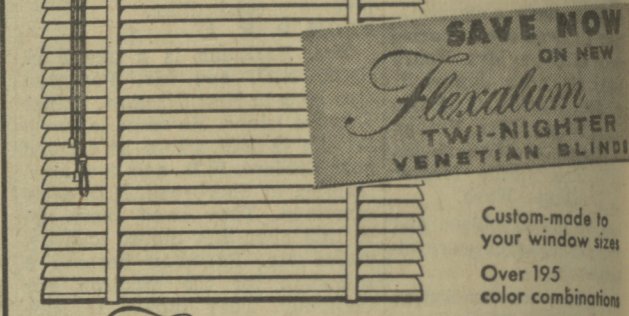
The Riders' injury list is fairly long, but the only doubtful starter Saturday is Bill Sowiaski, a Canadian end who has been a Tiger since he can play.

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