

Quarterly Ratings Of National Boxing Ass'n

By Arthur Edson
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 5—(AP)—Last month Archie Moore took away Joey Maxim's light heavyweight title on a decision. Today the National Boxing Association, in its quarterly ratings, followed through on Maxim with a verbal knockout.

Normally a champion who gets knocked slips down a notch to become the No. 1 challenger. But the NBA decided Maxim wasn't a logical contender at all.

It rates Harold Johnson of Pennsylvania and Harry Matthews of Washington as one-two behind Moore. Maxim wound up merely as an "outstanding boxer."

By contrast, the NBA puts Joe Walcott right behind the man who took away his heavyweight title, Rocky Marciano.

And Britain's Randy Turpin, who once held the middleweight title briefly, was put in the No. 1 spot for the championship left vacant by Sugar Ray Robinson's retirement.

The NBA said it would be a good idea for Turpin to fight Charles Humes of France. The winner then could be matched with the winner of a United States tournament for the world's title.

The NBA rated Johnny Saxton of New York, Johnny Bravon of Illinois and then Chuck Davey of Michigan as the logical contenders for the welterweight title now held by Cuba's Kid Gavilan.

Arthur King of Toronto was rated second among the outstanding boxers in the lightweight class. Jimmy Carter of New York is the champion of the class.

The ratings:

Heavyweight
 Champion — Rocky Marciano, Massachusetts.
 Logical contenders — Joe Walcott, New Jersey; Ezzard Charles, Ohio; Rex Layne, Utah.
 Outstanding boxers — Roland Lantara, New York; Clarence Henry, California; Johnny Williams, England.

Light Heavyweight
 Champion — Archie Moore, Missouri.
 Logical contenders — Harold Johnson, Pennsylvania; Harry Matthews, Washington.
 Outstanding boxers — Joe Maxim, Ohio; Danny Nardico, Florida; Yolande Pompee, Trinidad; Jake Lamotta, New York; Jimmy Slade, New York; Connie Rux, Germany.

Middleweight
 Champion — Vacant.
 Logical contenders — Randy Turpin, England; Carl (Bobo) Olson, Hawaii; Charles Humez, France.
 Outstanding boxers — Ernie Durando, New Jersey; Rocky Castell-

Dirty Playing Out of Control

CLEVELAND, Jan. 5—(AP)—Coach Bun Cook of Cleveland Barons said today that dirty playing in the American Hockey League is getting out of control.

"The close control of the game by officials," he told a reporter, "has disappeared. It's become a free open battle for survival."

"We played two games in Pittsburgh that really weren't hockey at all—they were gang wars."

"It's getting very bad and the worst is still to come. If the players are permitted to get out of control, some of the clubs won't have enough to finish out the season."

Rangers Recall Goalie Worsley

NEW YORK, Jan. 5—(AP)—New York Rangers recalled goalie Lorne (Gump) Worsley from their Saskatoon farm club of the Western Hockey League today for Wednesday's game against Chicago Black Hawks in New York.

Worsley, who played 15 games early in the season for the National Hockey League Rangers, will sub for Chuck Rayner in the nets. Rayner was injured in last night's 5-2 victory over Boston Bruins. X-rays reveal that he suffered strained ligaments of the right knee.

Rayner will probably miss Saturday's game in Montreal as well as the game against the Canadiens in New York Sunday.

The Rangers also returned Ian MacIntosh to Vancouver of the Western League and brought up two 19-year-old amateurs from Quebec Citadels for three-game trials. They are centre Adolph Kukulowicz and right winger Michel Labadie.

Monte Irvin Signs Contract

NEW YORK, Jan. 5—(AP)—Asserting that his once-fractured right ankle was "as good as ever," Monte Irvin signed his 1953 contract with the New York Giants.

The 31-year-old Negro outfielder put his signature on a contract calling for about \$25,000. President Horace Stoneham said Monte received the same pay as last year.

Irvin broke his ankle in a slide to third base during an exhibition game with Cleveland Indians April 2. Monte didn't get into a regular game until July 27 when he stepped up as a pinch-hitter. He started playing regularly on Aug. 1, got into 46 games, and wound up with a .310 batting average.

In 1951, he appeared in 151 games, hit 312 and drove in 121 runs to lead the league in RBI's.

Iaini, Pennsylvania; Norman Hayes, Massachusetts; Eugene Hairston, New York; Ralph (Tiger) Jones, New York.

Welterweight
 Champion — Kid Gavilan, Cuba.
 Logical contenders — Johnny Saxton, New York; Johnny Bratton, Illinois; Chuck Davey, Michigan.
 Outstanding boxers — Billy Graham, New York; Bobby Dykes, Florida; Gil Turner, Pennsylvania.

Lightweight
 Champion — Jimmy Carter, New York.
 Logical contenders — Johnny Gonzalez, California; George Arujo, Rhode Island.
 Outstanding boxers — Virgil Akins, Missouri; Arthur King, Toronto; Joe Brown, Louisiana; Lauro Salas, Mexico.

Featherweight
 Champion — Sandy Saddler (now in the army).
 Logical contenders — Ray Famechon, France; Percy Bassett, Pennsylvania; Tommy Collins, Massachusetts; Willie Pep, Connecticut.
 Outstanding boxers — Glen Flanagan, Minnesota; Frederico Plummer, Panama; Ted (Red Top) Davis, Connecticut.

Bantamweight
 Champion — Jimmy Carrathers, Australia.
 Logical contenders — Vic Towel, South Africa; Maurice Sandeyron, France; Gaetano Annaloro, Italy.
 Outstanding boxers — Pappy Gault, South Carolina; Jean Sneyers, France; Peter Keenan, Scotland; Andrew Valignat, France; Giannini Zuddas, Italy.

Flyweight
 Champion — Yoshio Shirai, Japan.
 Logical contender — Jake Tull, South Africa.
 Outstanding boxers — Dado Marino, Hawaii; Terry Allen, England; Vic Herman, Scotland; Luis Skerfving, Tanny Campo, Philippines; Jimmy Pearce, England.

Light Heavyweight
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Results of York Rifle Shoot

Following are the results of the York Rifle Club Shoot:

Howard Waits	96
H. T. Vessey	96
D. Swan	95
Leigh Vessey	93
W. E. Hardy	93
W. L. Crockett	92
Mrs. R. A. Vessey	91
Mrs. W. E. Hardy	91
R. A. Vessey	91
J. Andrews	91
A. J. Cluney	89
M. Ling	88
A. Brown	87
G. Andrews	87
P. Proud	87
N. Brown	86
E. Sproule	85
C. Watts	85
F. Vessey	85
Miss C. Proud	85
L. Lewis	85
B. Ling	80

Bowling Competition

Bowling competitions for Christmas and New Year's games were held recently at the Roll-Away Alleys. Following were the winners:

Christmas game
 Ladies high single, Stephanie McNeil, 325.
 Men's high single, Charlie Balem 365.
 Candlepin high single, Glen Matheson 141.
New Year's game
 Ladies high single, Stephanie McNeil 323.
 Men's high single, Glen Matheson 427.
 Candlepin high single, Jamies Williams 129.

Outfielder Jim Rivera Divorced

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5—(AP)—Mrs. Maxine Rivera was granted a divorce today from outfielder Jim Rivera of Chicago White Sox.

Mrs. Rivera, 24, charged general indignities. She did not seek alimony. Rivera, 31, was charged last September with raping a Chicago woman, but a jury refused to indict him. He did not contest the divorce suit.

OHA Standings

TORONTO, Jan. 5—(CP)—Standings in the Ontario Hockey Association Senior A Series, released by the League tonight, including games of Jan. 3:

Team	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Stratford	21	8	1	172	114	43
Owen Sound	20	8	2	176	106	42
Kitchener	16	12	1	126	101	33
Brantford	15	14	0	119	113	30
Sarnia	14	15	1	109	128	29
Chatham	13	15	1	127	117	27
Hamilton	0	27	0	56	208	0

M.M.H.L. Standing

Team	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Halifax	43	26	14	2	174	148	54
Ch'Town	44	22	21	1	161	130	45
Sydney	45	20	24	1	123	149	41
G. Bay	44	17	24	2	126	148	36

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Millionaires Come From Behind For 3-3 Tie With Islanders

The Sydney Millionaires believe there is nothing better for a hockey team than air travel. In the Sydney dressing room following the game, coach Johnny Horeck was in a happy mood as he tied a Windsor knot in his tie and talked about how fresh his team felt in comparison to their last trip here. "We felt like skating out there tonight," said Horeck. "The last time here we were worn out by that long bus trip."

Right winger Ronnie Rowe, uncovered in front of the Islanders on two occasions, whipped two pucks past Al Millar to force the contest into overtime. His first goal resulted from faulty clearing and his second from a sustained Sydney attack.

The teams went into the third period with the count knitted at 1-1. Within eleven minutes the Islanders jumped into a 3-1 lead on goals by right wingers Ronnie Hurst and Lyle Wiseman.

Each team had three shots on net in the scoreless over-time. The best scoring effort was made by Chuck Holdaway of the Islanders whose backhand from 20 feet out missed the open corner by inches.

Islanders Take Early Lead
 The Islanders went into a 1-0 lead in a fairly dull first period characterized by close checking on the part of the Millionaires. Lyle Wiseman scored the only goal by beating Pidsodny on a breakaway after being set up by Marcel Clements. The Islanders were playing a man short at the time.

Nick Hill evened the count with a 20 foot shot along the ice early in the second period.

The Islanders have now run their unbeaten streak to five games. In that time they have come from third place to within nine points of the league leading Halifax Atlantics. A little over a week ago they were sixteen points behind Halifax. Tonight the Islanders and Millionaires play one another in Sydney. In the meantime Murph Chamberlain may come up with a plan to crack the Sydney Iron Curlew so reminiscent of the Moncton Hawks last year. The Islanders will fly to Sydney this evening.

John Sark of Lennox Island, who is a first year Commerce student at Saint Mary's University, Halifax, won the Tom Longboat Trophy for outstanding achievements in athletic circles at the Halifax University last fall.

The younger Sark, who is 18 years old enrolled at Saint Mary's University High School in the fall of 1948. Like his brother, he showed a lot of natural ability on the football field and he played on the Senior team for three years. In winter he played basketball with the Saint Mary's juvenile squad and last year they won the Nova Scotia championship. They later advanced to the Dominion juvenile finals but bowed out against a strong team from St. Catherine's.

In addition to basketball and football, Sark played an active part in track and field competitions. He won medals at Wolfville, Acadia Relays held at Wolfville, N. S., and at the Halifax County School track and field meet. While on his holidays last summer he competed with the Abegweit Junior track team in Charlottetown. These achievements were cited by a Saint Mary's publication in announcing the award of the Trophy to the Island boy.

Watson's Fate To Be Settled Soon

At this point Johnny Horeck reshuffled his lines, sending Eddy Marineau up front and the move paid off. At the 13 minute mark Marineau golfed a pass to Rowe in front of the Islanders net. The latter knocked the puck to the ice and beat Al Millar from four feet out.

Four minutes later led by big Dunc MacIntyre the Millionaires roared into Islanders' territory. Following a sustained attack George Robertson passed to Rowe and Ronnie sank the puck from 15 feet out.

Both teams had golden scoring opportunities in the third period and failed to connect. Eddy Marineau was sent into the clear by Freddy Hildebrand at the 15 minute mark and missed the net. Seconds later Buck Whitlock got a breakaway but failed to outguess Nick Pidsodny.

Pidsodny in the Sydney cage had 29 stops with his best saves coming off Whitlock, Beaudry and Brklacich. Beaudry broke through in the opening seconds of the second period and Brklacich drilled a low slap shot that almost caught the corner in the same session.

Al Millar of the Islanders had 17 saves with the toughest drives coming off the sticks of Johnny Morrow and Bill McDonagh.

Few Penalties
 The Millionaires drew a team penalty in the first period for playing with a man too many on the ice. The sentence was served by Johnny Morrow. In all there were only six penalties with three going to each team.

Dunc MacIntyre and Eddy Marineau played strong games for the Millionaires. Up front Horeck used the Robertson, McDonagh, Rowe string extensively for attacking purposes.

Lyle Wiseman with two goals was the big gun for the Islanders. Marcel Clements turned in a very strong performance on left wing while the defense, led by Lavell, came up with a solid effort.

Sydney — Goal, Pidsodny; defence, Whelan, MacIntyre, Weaver; forwards, Marineau, Hill, Brlukov, Morrow, Horeck, Rowe, Hildebrand, Robertson, McDonagh, Pirie. Charlottetown—Goal, Millar; defence, Brklacich, McLagan, Gustafsson, Lavell; forwards, Whitlock, Hurst, Holdaway, Gray, Gordon, Wiseman, Beaudry, Pawlshyn, Clements.

Referee, Charles Goode; linesmen, Art Perry and Johnny

Stan Musial Signs Contract

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5—(AP)—Stan Musial of St. Louis Cardinals, whose lifetime batting average of .346 is about 30 points higher than any other active Big League player, signed his 1953 contract today for a reported \$80,000.

Neither owner Fred Saigh nor Musial would disclose terms of the one-year contract, but it was believed to call for about the same salary and bonus arrangement Musial received last year.

Musial won the National League batting championship last year for the sixth time, with an average of .336.

Results Of Bantam Games

Three Bantam League games were played at the Forum in the minor hockey league program. The Braves defeated the Bombers 1-0, the Ramblers downed the Royals 5-4 and the Whirlwinds eked out a 4-3 win over the Hawks.

Ford, assisted by Thompson and Lantz scored the only goal as the Braves defeated the Bombers 1-0. I. MacDonald and R. Thompson each scored two goals for the Ramblers with the other goal going to L. Gregory. G. Trainor scored all four goals for the Royals.

Pasher scored twice, Birt and Clarke once in the Whirlwinds 4-3 win over the Hawks. D. MacCormack fired two and V. MacDonald one for the Hawks.

SUMMARY First Period
 1—Charlottetown, Wiseman (Clements, Lavell) 14:07 Penalties — Morrow (team penalty) 12:03, Hurst 13:20, Robertson 16:02, Gordon 18:55.

Second Period
 2—Sydney, Hill (Horeck, Pirie) 2:05 Penalties — Clements 5:25.

Third Period
 3—Charlottetown, Hurst (Gordon, Beaudry) 5:58
 4—Charlottetown, Wiseman 11:51
 5—Sydney, Rowe (Marineau, McDonagh) 13:10
 6—Sydney, Rowe (Weaver, Robertson) 17:19 Penalties — Marineau 1:47.

Overtime Period
 Scoring — None.
 Penalties — None.
 Stops: Pidsodny 11 8 7 3—29
 Millar 5 5 4 3—17

Mangrum Wins Los Angeles Golf Crown

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 5—(AP)—Lloyd Mangrum of Niles, Ill., captured the \$20,000 Los Angeles open golf crown for the third time today when he scored a one-under-par 70 for a 72-hole total of 280.

Mangrum, 38, wound up the full route four strokes under par. It matched his winning score in 1951 and was four shots under his triumphant total in 1949.

Mangrum, in taking the winner's cheque of \$2,750, had a five-stroke edge over Jack Burke, Jr., of Houston, whose 70 today added to 70-75-70 gave him 285 and \$1,900 prize money.

Mangrum captured the lead in the first round of play last Friday, was within one shot of the lead at the midway mark, and yesterday he forged back to take a solid five-stroke margin over his nearest rivals.

They were Burke and Art Wall of Pocono Manor, Pa.

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ICE TIMERS

Severe physical demands of modern professional hockey led Toronto Maple Leafs to establish a system of clocks to record the actual playing time of each player, Leafs and their opponents, in each game at Maple Leaf Gardens. Controlling the 31 clocks — 16 for Leaf players and 16 for the visitors — are switches operating the individual clocks as players take the ice or leave it. The clocks are connected to a switch at the timers' bench and are stopped when play is stopped. The Leafs' bench receives progressive reports on playing times to help prevent overwork that could shorten a playing career.

Here Shanny MacKenzie, star lineman of the Canadian football champions, Toronto Argos, and an employee of the Gardens, relays time figures. The only other such system is at Pittsburgh, home of the Leafs' American Hockey League farm club.

(CP PHOTO)