

Tough Competition For Unknowns At Vancouver

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Could an unknown come through to win the \$100,000 Canadian open golf championship in Vancouver this month? Tradition says he could, but this year he would have to beat a lot of good men to do it.

Jim Gaquin, executive-director of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, says the Canadian Open, from Sept. 29 to Oct. 2 at Shaughnessy Golf Club, will see 40 of last year's 50 top-money-winners in action.

Except for Arnold Palmer, the top 10 of this year's winners will be there.

For the newcomer, it's an exceptional challenge, but one that has been met in the past. In 1955 in Toronto, Palmer shot a 265 to win his first tournament on the Professional Golfers' Association tour, the big league of golf.

In 1956 at Montreal, amateur Doug Sanders picked up the victory while Dow Fin-

sterwald picked up the prize money. It was the last time the Open was won by a non-professional.

BAYER'S FIRST WIN
George Bayer, in 1957 at Kitchener, Ont., used the Canadian Open to make his tournament-winning debut. The same was true of Wes Ellis in 1958 at Edmonton and Jackie Cupit in 1961 in Winnipeg, during the storm-tossed "umbrella" open.

Kel Nagle of Australia won the Canadian Open in 1964, his first North American victory.

Gaquin, 43, a native of Newton, Mass., with a mind like a computer programmed with the facts, figures and history of golf-picks the 1919 Open as one of the most spectacular.

J. Douglas Edgar brought his hickory-shafted clubs up from Atlanta, Ga., to Hamilton and won with a 278—a record which stood for 10 years.

The measure of his feat lies

in the fact that he came in 16 strokes ahead of the great Bobby Jones, who settled for second.

Edgar won again in 1920 with a 298 at Rivermead Golf Club, Ottawa. He was killed the same year in a hit-and-run accident that bore overtones of foul play.

"His 1919 victory was an incredible feat with that old equipment," Gaquin says.

"A 278 is a good tournament record even today."

BACK NINE FIRST
For this year's Open, the order of play has been switched at Shaughnessy—the start comes at the 10th hole, with the second nine going from the first hole.

"The greens will pose the big problem," Gaquin says.

"Some of the greens are undulating, slightly elevated and with shoulders to turn away shots hit the least bit off centre. The course will play 6,907 yards, but if weather conditions are adverse, it'll play like a 7,400-yard course."

He sees holes nine and 18 (originally 18 and nine respectively) as the tough ones. Nine is a 473-yard par four with woods on both sides and the green slightly elevated and the prevailing wind off "the tee."

The 18th is out of bounds on the left and requires a second shot long into the wind.

"They have done an outstanding job on ticket sales," he says.

"So far the advance sale is about \$75,000. We are expecting crowds of 15,000 to 20,000 on the Saturday and Sunday providing we have favorable weather."

Ch-town Marksman Takes Championship

Registering a total aggregate of 216 points of a possible 230, Tpr. Bob Barwise of Charlottetown captured the United Services Officers Club championship at Squaw Point Rifle Ranges Saturday. The event was fired in two stages by the P.E.I. Rifle Association.

In the first stage a week previous Barwise scored 117 of a possible 125 and followed this up in the second stage with 99 of a possible 105.

In taking top honors the city marksman edged out three other competitors, Tpr. Eldon MacLean, Charlottetown, Tpr. Hal Jones, Summerside, and Lt. Mary Lea, Crespad, who each had aggregates of 215.

WO2 Mike Susick of CFB Summerside captured top honors in the second stage with a score of 103 of a possible 105 fired from the 200, 500 and 600 yard ranges. His closest competition was put up by Tpr. Barwise, Tpr. MacLean, Tpr. Ron Clarke and SSM Danny Clark both of Charlottetown, all of whom finished with 99.

In class two Tpr. Fred White of Murray Harbor again came out on top with a score of 95.

Following are the results of the USOC championship and the second stage:



Tpr. B. BARWISE

Tpr. Fred White	210
Sgt. Roy Vessey	208

SECOND STAGE CLASS ONE

WO2 Mike Susick	108
Tpr. Ron Clark	99
SSM D.O. Clark	99
Tpr. Eldon MacLean	99
Tpr. Bob Barwise	98
Sgt. Perc Landrigan	98

CLASS TWO

Tpr. Fred White	95
Tpr. J.J. Leightner	93
Tpr. Lorne Doucette	91
Cpl. R.H. Bennett	90
CPO S.G. Bowles	87
Cpl. George Davies	87

Details Of BB Playoffs Worked Out With Coin

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The National League announced today that the playoff games should be a two- or three-way tie for the league pennant.

Flipping a coin to make the decisions, team representatives from San Francisco Giants, Los Angeles Dodgers and Pittsburgh Pirates worked out the plans at a meeting.

In case of a tie between Los Angeles and Pittsburgh, the first game in the best-of-three

series would be played in Pittsburgh. The others would be in Los Angeles.

Tom Seeborg, Los Angeles club publicity director, also won the coin toss with San Francisco. He chose to play the first game of any playoff in San Francisco and the remainder in Los Angeles.

Charles Feeney, Giants vice-president, won the toss with the Pirates and elected to play the first game in Pittsburgh and the others in San Francisco.

Straws were drawn to determine progression of a three-team playoff. This would be a double-elimination tournament.

In this case, the first game would be between the Pirates and Giants at Pittsburgh. The second would be Los Angeles at San Francisco and the third would match the Pirates against the Dodgers at Los Angeles.

Should all teams be still tied, straws would be drawn again to determine subsequent game sites.

MARITIME RACING

MONCTON (CP)—Harness fans at Brunswick Downs here Wednesday saw two double wins and two new marks set in the evening's nine-dash program.

Double winners were Port Hill Boy in 2:09 4-5 (new mark) and 2:10 1-5, and Ozark Rod in 2:11 and 2:10 1-5.

A new personal mark was also set by Michael Time in 2:15-15.

Other winners were: Magic Charm (2:11 3-5), Jolly Jerry (2:12 3-5), Jet Black Counsel (2:15 2-5) and Taytoe (2:14 1-5).

SAINTE JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Highley's Way, an eight-year-old trotter owned by Stanley Mayhew of Kinkora, P.E.I., stepped the fastest mile (2:10 3-5) of the night during a nine-dash harness racing card at Saint John Exhibition Park Raceway Wednesday.

Sterling Lee (2:20), Estell Chips (2:13), Mahlon's Gal (2:14 3-5), Lady Lakeburn (2:14 1-5), Gem's Roy (2:11 4-5), Cindy Chief (2:15 3-5), Snappy Wick (2:13 3-5), Bordview Dee Ann (2:16), and Irish Ali (2:15 4-5) were other winners.

Mahlon's Gal and Lady Lakeburn returned \$185.10 for the biggest combination payoff on the daily double.

GOLF DRAW

Following is the schedule of a special match to be held at the Belvedere Golf and Winter Club Thursday. Prizes for the fastest putt and the low score on hidden hole, chosen by the club professional.

1:15—V. Ross, M. Weir; 1:20—M. MacNeill, H. Baker; 1:25—E. Beer, E. MacDonald; 1:30—E. Buntain, D. Rogers; 1:35—G. Berrigan, M. Hunt; 1:40—M. Cannon; J. MacKinnon; 1:45—A. MacLean, E. Cox; 1:50—F. MacKenzie, B. MacEachern; 2:00—C. MacMillan, A. Coady, E. Lord.

The four stage point match, sponsored by Mrs. G.H. Buntain which was completed on Monday, September 19th was won by Mrs. A.G. MacMillan (31½ points) with runner-up being Mrs. C.A. Coady with 31 points.

HQ Staff Wins Honors At CFB

The CFB, Summerside, Headquarters team recently won top honors in the Inter-Section Football League. In the final series, they defeated Neptune Servicing two games to one, losing the first game 2-1 and winning the next two 8-3 and 12-5. The opposing pitchers, P. Burke for headquarters and G. Montford, went all the way through the three games.

SACKVILLE DOWNS, N.S. (CP)—Rowland Deight was the only double winner Wednesday in time of 2:11 1-5 and 2:11 on an eight-dash harness racing card here.

Queen's Kelly raced home in the fastest time of the night in 2:08 3-5.

Other winners were: Spensive Spud (2:13 4-5), Valley Chief (2:10), Indian Colleen (2:13 4-5), Vola Dale (2:12 1-5), and Amish Land (2:14 1-5).

The executor of Amish Land and C.P. Mason paid \$22.60.

PROBABLE PITCHERS

Probable pitchers for today's major league baseball games.

National League
Cincinnati (Nuxhall 6-5) at Chicago (Dwelling 0-0).
Pittsburgh (Fryman 12-8) at Atlanta (Jarvis 5-1) (N).
Only games scheduled.

American League
Baltimore (Palmer 14-9) at Kansas City (Krause 14-8).
California (Brunet 12-12) at Detroit (Podras 3-4).
Chicago (Horton 9-12) at New York (Bahnsen 1-0).
Only games scheduled.



ALLEY SHUT OFF
San Francisco catcher Tom Haller (5) blocks off the plate and puts out Pittsburgh Pirates Gene Alley (14) in the ninth inning yesterday. Giants won, 6-5. (AP Wirephoto)

High Pays And Fast Times At Summerside Yesterday

SUMMERSIDE—A win pay of \$128 in the first race, a daily double of \$378.40, and a ninth race exactor pay of \$232.50, highlighted a nine-dash harness racing program at the Summerside Oval last night.

Jolly Don, driven by W. Companion, brought home the \$128 in the first race. The win pay is one of the highest on the island this racing season. Jolly Don is by Jollity and Random Harvest, and owned by Edward and Companion. He ran the distance in 2:16.4, ahead of Grattan Abe and Miss Lane.

Jolly Don combined with Homestretch, who took the second race in 2:13.3 for a daily double purse of \$378.40.

The ninth race exactor, combination of Name The Price (1) and Silver Glengie (2) gave the pay of \$232.50.

Grattan Abe had one of the best records for the night's racing with a first in the fourth race in a time of 2:14.3, after finishing second in the first race.

Homestretch also had a 1-2 finish, placing second to Fisherman's Luck in the fifth race. The time was 2:16.3. A win ticket in the fifth paid \$15.50.

Echo Ridge Eddy ran a 2:19 third race, finishing ahead of

Meadow Day, who took the second half of the double dash in 2:12.1. Win pay on the seventh race was \$170, with the queen, la of Meadow Day and Echo Ridge Eddy paying \$12.50.

Real Spirit won race No. 6 in a time of 2:13, as the brown gelding, Name The Price came in fourth. In the second half of the double dash, Name The Price set a new personal record in 2:13.3, as Real Spirit fell off to fourth place.

The win pay was \$19.80 on Real Spirit in the sixth race, with a place ticket on the brown pacer bringing in \$15.60. Win, show, and place on Name The Price in the ninth were \$16.20, \$7.90, and \$3.80. Name The Price and Silver Glengie—a 47 ticket—brought in the high ninth race exactor payoff.

With only three running, Adilway Logan came home first in a good time, the best of the night—2:11.3, in the eighth race feature. Sunny Key was second and Doc Price third.

The fourth race exactor of Grattan Abe and Wick's Ace paid \$10.10.

In the feature races for the "Unsung Heroes", Captain Bill, owned and driven by Fred Ford, came in ahead of four others in a time of 2:16.4, and in the second special race, Single C.C., owned and driven by Clint MacLeod of Summerside, was first in a time of 2:14.4.

Next racing is on Wednesday at eight o'clock.

Special Race No. 1—1. Captain Bill (Fred Ford), 2. Money Royal (Lester Chappell), 3. Sandy (Don Gillo), 4. Sandybee (Sonny Huestis), 5. Tobias Red (Clayton Crabb). Time—2:16.4. (no betting).

Special Race No. 2—1. Single C.C. (Clint MacLeod), 2. Honest Patch (Bob O'Brien), 3. Gary Lee Clegg (Willard MacLeod), 4. Grady, 5. Name The Price (Erskine Waite). Time—2:14.4.

RACE 1
Jolly Don

W. Companion) 1 1/2
Grattan Abe (G. Robinson) 2 1/2
Miss Lane (J. Harkness) 3 1/2
Jolly May (A. Pineau) 4 1/2
Wick's Ace (C. Smith) 5 1/2
Future Chief (E. Clow) 6 1/2
Captain Logan (L. Walsh) 7 1/2
Just Nancy (J. Chappell) 8 1/2
Owners: Edward and Companion; J.A. MacNeill, Summerside.
Times: 2:16.4 and 2:14.3.
Pays: \$128.00, 12.60, 10.30, 3.20, 3.90, 6.90, \$440, 4.10, 2.70, 3.90, 2.30, 4.10.

Executive Rules Players Eligible

Jack Kane, President of the P.E.I. Amateur Baseball Association, has announced that a special executive meeting has ruled on the protest by Tignish protesting the eligibility of two Morell ballplayers, Mike Kelly and Walter Bradley, on grounds that they had previously signed with the Charlottetown Juniors.

By vote, the executive decided that the protest be rejected and that both players be eligible for Island and Maritime baseball.

BASEBALL RESULTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
National League
Cincinnati 000 102 000—3 7 0
Chicago 103 002 03—9 13 1
Ellis (12-18), Baldschun (6).
Nottebart (7), Queen (8) and Pavlich; Holtzman (10-15).
Koonce (7) and Hundley HRs: Cline (16), Chi-Williams (20), Phillips (16).
Pittsburgh 000 000 202—5 7 1
San Fran. 000 000 213—6 7 1
Sisk, Mikkelsen (7), Face (6-6) (8) and Gonder; Marichal (23-6) and Haller HRs: Pih-Cledenon (25); SF-Henderson (1), Haller (26); Marichal (1).
St. Louis 000 000 000—0 3 1
Atlanta 000 010 30—4 4 0
Gibson (20-11) and McCarver; Kelley (6-4) and Torre HRs: All-Menke 2 (14).

American League
First California 100 000 000—1 7 0
Detroit 000 000 002—2 3 0
Chance (10-17) and Rodgers; Wilson, Pena (4-2) (9) and Freehan HR: Det—Horton (27).
ADD AL
Minnesota 011 000 000—2 9 0
Cleveland 001 010 03—6 9 1
Kaat (24-11), Worthington (8) and Witterwald; Hargan (12-9) and Aizer HR: Cle-Alvis (17), Fuller (1), Wagner (23).
Baltimore 010 000 270—10 17 5
Kansas City 020 220 002—8 9 2
McNally, Brabender (6), S. Miller (9-4), (7), Fischer (8) and Etchebarren, Hane (8); Nash, Aker (7), Stock (2-3) (8), Edgerton (8), Sanders (8), Grzanda (8), Handrahan (9) and Roof, Lachemann (9) HRs: Balt—F. Robinson 2 (49).

210 Game NHL Schedule Begins October 19 In U.S.

MONTEAL (CP)—The National Hockey League's 50th anniversary season gets underway Wednesday, Oct. 19, with the four United States entries swinging into action—three days ahead of their Canadian counterparts.

The 210-game schedule, which ends April 2, has Chicago Black Hawks visiting New York Rangers and Detroit Red Wings playing the Bruins in Boston in the opening games.

Montreal Canadiens, defending Stanley Cup champions, and Toronto Maple Leafs open their seasons at home on Saturday, Oct. 22, against Boston and New York respectively.

Home town fans in Detroit get their first look at the Wings on the same date when the Black Hawks swing into the Olympia. The teams return to Chicago on Sunday for that club's home debut.

This season's schedule spans 23 weeks, which includes 24 weekends.

47 WEDNESDAY GAMES
There are 47 Wednesday clashes, 28 Thursday and seven Tuesday games listed. No games will be played on either Monday or Friday.

The Maple Leafs play all their home games on Wednesdays and Saturdays this season, engaging in 13 mid-week contests and 22 on Saturdays.

For the first time in the club's history, it is not scheduled to play at home on two Saturday nights. Toronto visits Detroit Saturday, Nov. 12 and are idle Feb. 4. On each occasion there is an ice show at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Canadians will also be at home for 22 Saturday night games, but have their mid-week scheduling revamped. In previous years the Montrealers played the majority of their week-night games on Thursdays, but this season they will be at home for 10 Wednesdays and only three Thursdays.

Christmas Eve sees only two games scheduled, but all teams swing back into action for

Christmas night. All teams play on both New Year's Eve and New Year's night.

This season will mark the first time the annual all-star game, Montreal Canadiens s tackled the assembled stars at game will be played in mid-sea-the-Forum Wednesday, Jan. 18.

Bombers Crush Toronto 43-9

WINNIPEG (CP)—Ken Niel sen caught, three passes from quarterback Kenny Ploen Wednesday night as Winnipeg Blue Bombers crushed Toronto Argonauts 43-9 in a Canadian Football League interlocking game before 17,112 fans.

The result allowed Bombers to snap a three-game slump and move into a second-place tie with Edmonton Eskimos in the Western Conference while Argos suffered their seventh loss in eight starts and trail the Eastern Conference.

Imlach Decides To Keep Shack

PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (CP) Coach Punch Imlach of Toronto Maple Leafs has decided that right winger Eddie Shack will not be sent to Victoria Western Leaf of the Western Hockey League.

Imlach, who is putting his club through their pre-season drills here, met with Shack for 45 minutes and said: "Everything is settled."

Shack will work out with Tulsa Oilers of the Central Professional Hockey League here until rejoining the Leafs Oct. 13, Imlach said.

Imlach had announced several weeks ago that he would send Shack to Victoria at the beginning of the season. Shack had been sent to Rochester Red Wings during the earlier part of last season and after rejoining the Toronto club scored 26 goals—his best scoring record in eight NHL seasons.

Giants' Win Jolts Pirates; Baltimore 10, Kansas 8

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Ninth-inning home runs by Tom Haller and pitcher Juan Marichal lifted San Francisco Giants to a 6-5 victory over Pittsburgh Pirates Wednesday, jolting the pennant hopes of the Pirates.

The loss dropped second-place Pittsburgh two games back of Los Angeles Dodgers in the National League race with the Dodgers playing Philadelphia Philis Wednesday night.

The Pirates had broken a 3-3 tie with a pair of runs on Bill Mazeroski's two-out single in the top of the ninth, but the Giants' bounced back.

HOMER TIES SCORE
Jesus Alou opened with a single to center. Haller followed with his 38th home run, tying the score.

After Don Mason fled out, Marichal hit his first homer of the year, ending it.

The victory kept the Giants' faint pennant hopes alive. San Francisco is 4½ games back of the Dodgers and 2½ back of Pittsburgh.

Gene Alley opened the Pirates ninth with a double and Roberto Clemente singled him to third. But Marichal, who won his 23rd game, got the next two outs.

Then Mazeroski singled to center, scoring one run and when Mays bobbled the ball, another run scored.

The Giants had tied it 3-3 in the eighth as Pirate reliever Pete Mikkelsen lost control. He walked pinch-hitters Bob Burda and Jack Hitt around a sacrifice by Marichal and gave up a two-out infield single to Mays before forcing in the tying run by walking Willie McCovey.

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Frank Robinson walloped a pair of home runs and Baltimore Orioles rallied for seven runs in the eighth for a 10-8 victory

over Kansas City Athletics Wednesday night.

The victory reduced the Orioles' magic number for clinching the American League pennant to two.

Any combination of two Baltimore victories or Detroit defeats wraps up the flag for the Orioles.

Five Baltimore errors, three by first baseman Boog Powell, helped the Athletics to an early 6-1 lead. But Robinson keyed the Oriole comeback.

The lanky slugger walloped his 48th homer of the season with Russ Snyder aboard in the seventh, narrowing the deficit to 6-3. He hit No. 49 during the big eighth inning.

Powell opened the eighth with a walk. Curt Blefary singled and after an infield out advanced the runner, Charley Lau's pinch double produced two runs. Vic Roznovsky delivered a pinch single, tying the game.

Singles by Luis Aparicio and Snyder and errors on both hits by the Kansas City outfield, gave the Orioles two more runs before Robinson's second homer of the night.

Robinson raised his batting average to .314, six points better than Minnesota's Tony Oliva. His four runs batted in gave him 120 for the season. He leads in all three Triple Crown categories—bating, home runs and runs batted in.

DETROIT (AP)—Willie Horton's two-run homer with two out in the bottom of the ninth gave Detroit Tigers a 2-1 victory over Dean Chance and California Angels in the first game of a two-night doubleheader Wednesday night.

The second game was postponed by rain. The teams will play an afternoon doubleheader Thursday.

CHICAGO (AP)—Home runs by Billy Williams and Adolpho Phillips carried Chicago Cubs to a 9-3 victory over Cincinnati Reds Wednesday before 530 fans—the smallest crowd of the major league baseball season.

Ken Holtzman (10-15) got the victory while Reds' starter Sammy Ellis was tagged with his 18th defeat in 30 decisions.

Williams hit his 29th homer with one on in the third and Phillips connected with two on in the eighth inning.

Pete Rose had three hits for the Reds, a homer and a double and brought his hit total for the season to 202. He and Felipe Alou of Atlanta are the only hitters in the majors with more than 200 hits.

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