



Top Ranger Rookie

Andy Heberton of New York Rangers is one of the top scorers on the National Hockey League team. He is playing his first N.H.L. season with Rangers. He was born in Winnipeg, Oct. 3, 1929. (CP Photo).

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Baby Habs Loom As Threat For Memorial Cup Honors

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MONTREAL (CP)—Montreal Junior Canadiens, a nomadic team without a league to play in, nevertheless shape up as a threat for the Memorial Cup this season.

In the opinion of General Manager Sammy Pollock there are half a dozen of his youngsters who ultimately may be with the parent Canadiens of the National Hockey League. Already eight of the Junior Habs have filled in, on emergency or lend-lease duty, with teams in the pro Quebec Hockey League and the American Hockey League.

When the Quebec Junior Hockey League folds at the end of last season, Managing Director Frank Selke of the parent Canadiens' empire and Pollock bused themselves at "getting back to grassroots junior hockey."

Salaries of Junior A players had been getting out of hand, and the metropolitan league of 10 teams came into being. Kids by the load were given a crack at the game.

But Selke didn't give up the fancy Junior Canadiens, who graduated Henri (Pocket Rocket) Richard to the NHL Canadiens this season. Generally speaking, the team remained as a unit—with an eye on the Canadian junior championship. The last Montreal winner of the cup was the Junior Canadiens of 1949-50.

TEAM HIT HARD

This season the baby Habs hit the road, 20,000 miles of it by train, plane, bus, boat and even taxicab. Their only organized competition was the Laurier Cup series. It had its inaugural last year between Junior A teams of the Ontario Hockey Association and the QJHL.

The Junior Canadiens have already clinched that trophy. For that series there were games at home and away. Including exhibition games the Little Canucks have become one of the most travelled teams in hockey. They roamed eastern Canada from Kapuskasing, Ont., to St. John's, Nfld., and made a trip to Clinton, N.Y.

They didn't hesitate to play out of their class. They defeated Sudbury Wolves of the Senior Northern Ontario Hockey Association 4-2 and played to a 4-4 standoff with Montreal Royals of the pro QJHL. Their seasons record to date is 61 wins, 10 ties and eight losses. On a point bases they have played at a .835 clip.

New Glasgow Ice Racing Results

The biggest crowd of the season witnessed good Ice Racing at New Glasgow on Saturday.

Summary

Class A.	
Sunny B. (E. Bernard)	1 1
Mappit (R.D. MacFadyen)	2 2
Kay's Cleg (R. Stevenson)	3 3
Brother Bill (A. Pineau)	4 4
Winning horse owned by Emmett Bernard.	
Class B.	
Colonel Henry (A. Smith)	2 2
Long John (C. Smith)	1 2 D
Basil's Nipper (R. Ford)	4 3 1
Just Pride (Clark Smith)	3 4 D
You'll Do (D. Simmons)	5 D D
Winning horse owned by Allan Smith.	
Class C.	
MacKay's Girl (A. Orr)	1 1
Linda D. (J. Peter's)	2 2
Winning horse owned by Miss MacKay.	
Officials (Judges—Lloyd Carew, Peter Gallant, Bert Younker; Starter—Henry Gallant; Announcer, George Smith).	

Cadet League Rifle Scores

The Charlottetown Garrison Indoor Cadet Rifle League was organized early in January under the joint sponsorship of the Garrison Indoor Rifle League and the Provincial Rifle Association. The purpose of the league is to promote interest in rifle shooting among cadets. The following were named as officers: D.B. MacBeath, President and F.O. Larabee as secretary and treasurer.

Below are the results of the first shoot of the league.

P.W.C. Cadet corps: B. Lantz 95; R. Hyndman 96; J. Hobbs 93; R. Kennedy 93; A. MacKenzie 90. Total - 468. Counted out - A. Dunbar 89; L. Murphy 89.

Queen Charlotte High School Cadet Corps: P. McNutt 95; G. Burgoyne 94; G. Ferguson 86; K. Gass 89; S. Laddner 89. Total, 457. Counted out: W. MacMillan 87; J. Reardon 87.

Air Cadet Sqdn: R. Pitcairn 95; R. Higgins 93; W. MacLean 92; G. Soy 92; C. Munroe 82. Total 457. Counted out: E. Toombs 85.

Q.S.S. Cadet Corps: G. Egan 91; B. Richards 89; E. Kelly 86; J. Kelly 84; M. Smith 82. Total: 432. Counted out: J. MacDonald 77; J. Bradley 76.

S.D.U. Cadet Corps: P. Connolly 92; G. Tingley 86; M. Farmer 86; C. Doyle 83; Lee 82. Total: 429. Counted out: J.W. Smith 81.

R.C.S.C.C. (Kent): J. Lawlor 46; R. Shields 41; R. MacKinnon 38; B. MacDonald 32; J. Cumiskey 28. Total 185. Counted out: J. Kenny 24.

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Approve Site Of East-West All-star Game

TORONTO (CP)—The Canadian Rugby Union Saturday approved in principle the playing of the East-West all-star game at Vancouver this year. The date probably will be Dec. 1, one week after the Grey Cup final.

The game was inaugurated last year in Toronto and resulted in a 6-6 tie. Proceeds go to Shriners hospitals in Winnipeg and Montreal.

Report Detroit 'Wants Konstanty'

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Reports circulated around New York Yankees training camp Saturday that Detroit Tigers would like to acquire pitcher Jim Konstanty to bolster their relief corps provided the Yankees ask no more than the \$10,000 waiver price.

Konstanty and infielder Billy Martin are the only Yankee hold-outs.

The 39-year-old Konstanty feels he can get the \$20,000 he is asking from any other club in the majors.

Martin says he'll refuse to report unless he gets a \$5,000 raise to \$20,000.

Reese Misses Dodger Workout

VERO BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Pee Wee Reese, suffering from a pulled muscle and torn ligaments in his back, missed the Brooklyn workout Saturday and will be out of uniform for at least four days.

"It's much too early to tell," said trainer Harold E. Wendler. "You never can tell when a fellow 36 years old comes up with a bad back. It still could be very serious."

Lawyer Threatens Court Charges Against Brundage

NEW YORK (AP)—The attorney for Wes Santee threatened contempt of court action against Avery Brundage Monday for a statement attributed to the president of the International Olympic Committee.

Attorney Charles P. Grimes also said he plans to try to get Congress to investigate operations of the IOC and the Amateur Athletic Union, with whom Santee is staging a running fight over a lifetime suspension.

"If Mr. Brundage was quoted correctly, then he was in clear contempt of court," said Grimes. "I warn him he had better stay out of the jurisdiction of New York courts or I'll try to have him cited."

Brundage was quoted at his Santa Barbara, Calif., home as saying that if he were an amateur runner he would not compete against Santee despite a New York Supreme Court injunction temporarily staying an AAU ban on the crack American miller.

The IOC president could not be reached immediately for comment on Grimes' statement.

Santee, whose 4:06.5 mile is the fastest ever run by an American, was suspended Feb. 19 by the AAU executive committee, which charged him with taking more expense money than permissible for participation in several track meets last year.

HAD NO POWER

Last Thursday Grimes, arguing the AAU acted without proper jurisdiction, obtained an injunction forbidding the AAU from enforcing the suspension until the case could be heard March 9.

The AAU appealed to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, which refused to lift the injunction. So Santee ran in the Columbian Mile of the Knights of Columbus Games, beating Ed Shea and Ed Kirk in the mediocre clocking of 4:13.8.

The top millers — Ron Delany, George King, Fred Dwyer and Jim Bailey—withdrew from the feature mile and ran in a special event, won by Delany in 4:11.4.

Elected Pres.

TORONTO (CP)—Ken Montgomery of Edmonton Saturday was elected president of the Canadian Rugby Union. He succeeds Jim McCaffrey of Ottawa.

G'town Squads Cop Two Tilts

Two very interesting and well-played games of hockey took place in the Georgetown rink on Thursday, March 1st when the visiting Montague Girls team went down to a 4-1 defeat at the hands of the smart Georgetown Girls team. E. David scored three for the winners and C. McCullough one.

For the losers, E. Poole was the goal-getter. In the second game of the night the fast-skating Georgetown Juveniles defeated the Montague Juveniles by the score of 9-3, for the winners, R. Soloman got two, R. Landry two, A. MacPhee three and P. MacLean two. For the losers: R. Annear bagged four and Shaw got a single.

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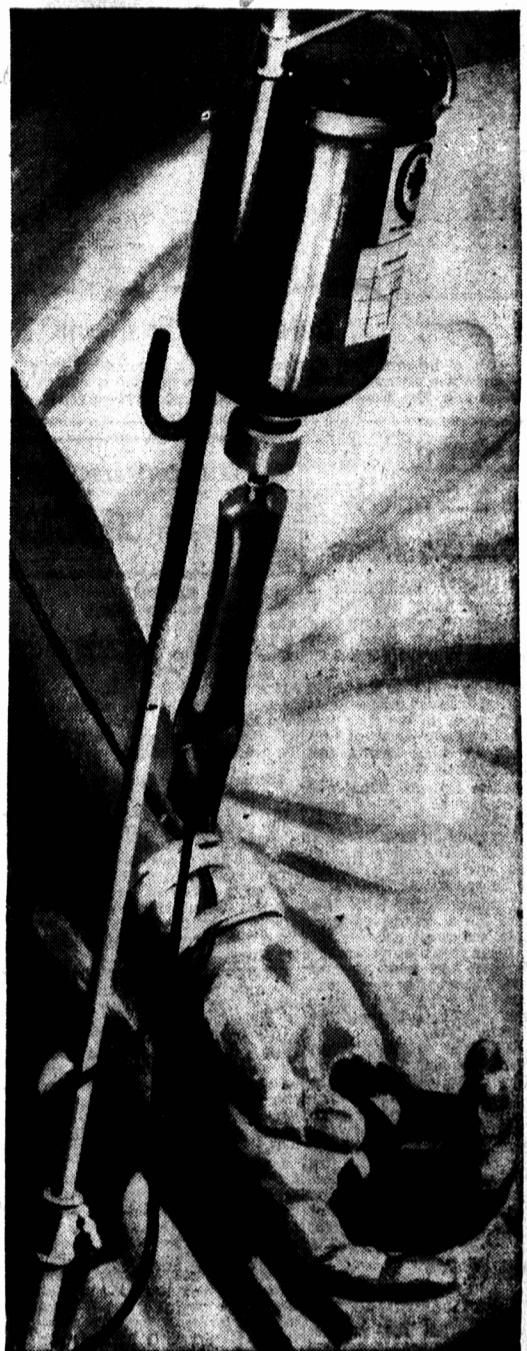
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