



HEIR APPARENT

France's Charley Humez, mid-weight champ of Europe, slips to the canvas in the second round of his 10-round bout with Utah's Gene Fullmer at Madison Square Garden, New York city. Fullmer won a unanimous decision in the upset, making him the leading contender for Sugar Ray Robinson's crown. It was the second U.S. start of the second-ranked Frenchman, and his second straight U.S. defeat.

PEAHEAD WALKER JOINS FRAY

Al's To Wage War For Sam

By W. R. WHEATLEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer
MONTREAL (CP)—Coach Douglas (Peahead) Walker, back from his North Carolina home to the soupy heat of an overdue Montreal spring, joined the Montreal Alouettes brass Thursday in a declaration of war to retain the services of quarterback Sam Etcheverry.

At the same time Walker promised that the 1956 Al's of the Big

Four football league will have a better backfield, a whole array of top-notch kickers and, in general, an all-around better ball club.

Walker was the principal figure at a press conference. Etcheverry's case came in for more attention than did the gray-haired southern coach.

The all-star Canadian quarterback from Albuquerque, N.M., must appear in court in Sante Fe June 16. The Chicago Cardinals of the National Football League seek an injunction that would, in effect, put Sam in a Cardinal uniform.

The whole thing involves the option or reserve clause. Etcheverry, signed in 1954, last year signed two contracts—one with the Cardinals and the other with the Al's—although claimed by the Al's under the reserve clause. He wound up with Al's—without court action—but the Cardinals again are laying claim to him.

Local Tennis Courts Ready For Season

After an unavoidable week's delay the Charlottetown Tennis courts are now open for use for the 1956 season.

The club was supposed to throw open its doors last weekend but unforeseen circumstances forced a postponement for a few days.

Court 1, 2, and 3 are set and ready for use now and it is expected that nos. 4 and 5 will be ready within the next week.

Club officials expect a banner tennis year this summer and are making preparations for the largest membership in a good number of years.

The courts now ready have been rolled hard and smooth and will once again uphold the club's reputation for having as fine a green of clay courts as there is in the Maritimes.

GALLERY ON EDGE

Scot Defeats Last American

TRON, Scotland (AP)—A cool Scot champion, and a cold Scotch man, blew defending champion Joe Conrad out of the British amateur golf championship Thursday, leaving the tournament without an American semifinalist for the first time since the Second World War.

Reid Jack, whose greatest previous golfing achievement had been winning the Scottish amateur title last year, defeated Conrad, one-up, in an up-and-down 36-hole quarter final match that kept a gallery of 4,000 on edge.

The Texas carrot-top from San Antonio who won the title last year was the last survivor of 27 Americans who started play Monday.

Today it will be Jack against John Beharrell, an 18-year-old English schoolboy, and George Henderson, a Scottish civil servant, against Leslie Taylor, Glasgow insurance man, in the 36-hole semi-finals.

Thus Scotland is assured of its first finalist and perhaps its first champion since Alex Kyle won in 1939.

Beharrell, Britain's brightest young prospect, coasted to a 6 and 5 victory over Dr. Frank Deighton, 20-year-old Scottish physician. He was nine up after 25 holes.

Henderson turned back the west Scotland champion, Herbert Thomson, two up and Taylor beat Melville Bucher 4 and 3.

FINAL ON SATURDAY

The 36-hole final is scheduled for Saturday over Tron's 6,583 yard seaside course and for the first time in 11 years it will be played without an American. Since competition was resumed after the war, Americans have won the title nine times and have been finalists the other four years. Three Irishmen and an Australian accounted for the other titles.

Conrad, who started virtually as an "unknown" member of the U.S. Walker Cup team when he won last year at Royal Lytham and St. Annes, came close to winning Thursday after blowing a big lead. He was three up at the end of the morning 18 holes, two down after the 27th and all square with only two holes to go. The match finally was decided by a missed seven-foot putt on the 35th green.

A sudden change in the weather may have had something to do with the result but Conrad didn't use that as an alibi. Until

RED SOX NIP ORIOLES

Homer-Happy Braves Blast Cubs; Yankees Whip Nats

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Chicago's "beautiful Wrigley Field" never has looked better to Milwaukee Braves. The National League leaders won the rubber game in their three-game set with the Cubs 15-8 Thursday, hammering a pair of major league record-setting performances.

Joe Adcock hit two of the homers and drove in five runs as the Braves again matched the record of 14 home runs in three consecutive games and also repeated their 1953 feat of slugging 16 in four straight games. Milwaukee already shared the three-game mark with New York Yankees and Boston Red Sox, and is all alone in four-game production.

In the American League, Mickey Mantle went hitless in four trips, but the Yankees turned five unearned runs into a 9-6 victory over Washington that boosted their lead to 6½ games over idle Chicago and Cleveland. Boston trimmed Baltimore 4-1 behind Bob Porterfield's four-hitter in the only other AL game scheduled.

Del Crandall, Billy Bruton and Eddie Mathews walloped the other Milwaukee homers Thursday and Bobby Thomson, who drove in seven runs in the Memorial Day twinbill against the Cubs, got a triple and single for four RBIs in the 15-hit barrage.

St. Louis Cardinals, behind Wimer (Vinegar Bend) Mizell, walloped Cincinnati 9-3 and moved past the Redlegs into second place in the tight National League race.

Mizell, gaining his third straight victory and fifth of the season, shutout the Redlegs on two hits until the ninth inning when Gus Bell, Ted Kluszewski and Frank Robinson hit successive pitchers for homers.

The big Red bird lefthander, walking only two batters, finished with a six-hitter in which he fanned six men, bringing his season's total to 50 in 69 innings. In his last three starts Mizell has yielded only 15 hits.

Two night games were scheduled in the NL—Cincinnati at St. Louis and New York at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Ronnie Kline, 24-year-old Pittsburgh Pirate right-hander, pitched his second shutout of the season Thursday night as the scrappy Pirates beat the New York Giants 3-0.

Gene Freese accounted for all of the Pirate runs with a bases loaded double off starter Jim Hesse in the fifth. The game was called by rain in the last of the eighth.

The Giants had retired the first Pirate batter in the eighth when the rain came. The umpires waited for 44 minutes before deciding the contest could not go on.

No one was happier than the Pirates for it meant two victories in three games with the Giants and left them only 1½ games behind first-place Milwaukee.

Kline, who now has a 4-3 record and who beat Milwaukee 5-0 on a six-hitter May 20 for his first shutout of the season, gave up but four hits—all singles. Don Mueller got two of them.

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Stan Musial and Don Blasingame belted four hits apiece Thursday night as the

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

RESULTS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

American League	National League
Boston 200 020 000-4 2 1	Milwaukee 460 010 106-15 15 2
Baltimore 100 000 001-4 0 0	Chicago 000 010 106-8 9 0
Porterfield and White; Wright, Dorish (6); Schnitz (9) and Triandos. L-Wright.	Burdette, Murff (9) and Crandall, Rice (6); Minner, Hacker (2) and Landrieh. W-Valentinetti (7) and Landrieh. W-Valentinetti (7) and Landrieh. W-Valentinetti (7) and Landrieh.
Washington 000 130 110-5 12 2	Pittsburgh 000 030 000-3 4 0
New York 020 025 000-9 12 0	(Called with one out last of 8th. rain.)
Stobbs, Chakales (6); Grob (7) and Courtney, Berberet (6); Grim, Larsen (5); Morgan (7) and Howard. W-Morgan. L-Stobbs. HRs: Was-Sievers, Luttrell; NYK-Bauer.	
St. Louis 200 000 000-4 2 1	
Cincinnati 000 000 003-3 6 4	
St. Louis 440 001 018-9 15 1	
Fowler, Jeffcoat (1); Black (8) and Bailey; Mizell and Sarni. L-Fowler. HRs: Cin-Bell, Kluszewski, Robinson.	
International League	
Columbus 000 002 110-4 9 0	
Richmond 000 010 000-1 8 0	
Kuzava, Kume (8) and Noble; Coates, Cereghino (8); Voiselle (8) and Thacker.	
Buffalo 000 202 000 00-4 6 0	
Rochester 400 000 000 01-5 6 1	
(11 innings)	
Nicholas and Tompkinson; B. Blaylock and Rand.	

STANDINGS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

American League	National League
New York 29 13 690	Milwaukee 19 10 655
Baltimore 18 15 545 6½	St. Louis 23 16 590 1
Cleveland 20 17 541 6½	Pittsburgh 21 15 583 1½
Boston 20 19 513 7½	Cincinnati 21 16 568 2
Baltimore 19 21 475 9	Brooklyn 19 16 543 3
Detroit 18 21 462 9½	New York 15 21 417 7½
Washington 16 25 390 12½	Philadelphia 12 22 353 9½
Kansas City 15 24 385 12½	Chicago 10 24 294 14½

PITCHERS PROBABLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Probable pitchers for today's major league games, won and lost records in parentheses:

National League
New York at Cincinnati (N)—Worthington (1-5) or Mavoneri (1-0) vs Nuxhall (1-4)
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee (N)—Friend (8-2) vs Spahn (3-3)
Brooklyn at Chicago—Craig (4-2) vs Brosnan (1-3)
Philadelphia at St. Louis (N)—Simmons (1-3) vs Pholsky (3-2)

American League
Cleveland at Washington (N)—Lemon (6-1) vs Wiesler (0-2)
Chicago at Baltimore (N)—Keegan (2-1) vs Johnson (0-1)
Detroit at New York (N)—Lary (3-5) vs Byrne (2-0)
Kansas City at Boston (N)—Herriage (1-3) vs Brewer (6-1)

LEADERS

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American League	National League
Mantle, New York 153 45 65 425	Repuski, St. Louis 92 20 36 391
Maxwell, Detroit 104 25 39 375	Long, Pittsburgh 144 25 55 382
Vernon, Boston 161 24 56 348	Boyer, St. Louis 152 29 56 368
Kuenn, Detroit 96 14 33 344	Bruton, Milwaukee 85 17 30 353
Courtesy, Wash 96 14 33 344	Aaron, Milwaukee 108 22 38 352
Runs—Mantle 45	Runs—Blasingame and Boyer, St. Louis 29
Runs batted in—Mantle 50	Runs batted in—Long and Boyer 30
Hits—Mantle 65	Hits—Boyer 56
Doubles—Kuenn 13	Doubles—Furillo, Brooklyn, Bell, Cincinnati and Dark, New York 11
Triples—Runnels, Washington	Triples—Bruton 7
Home runs—Mantle 20	Home runs—Long 14
Stolen bases—Kuenn 7	Stolen bases—Mays, New York 11
Pitching—Ford, New York 7-1, 875	Pitching—Lawrence, Cincinnati 6-0, 1,000

(Above does not include yesterday's games.)

Tough Time For Referees

WIMBLEDON, England (AP)—Umpires and announcers at the Wimbledon lawn tennis championships next month are in for a tough time if the entry of Miss A.D. De Belusteguiogita, of Mexico, is accepted.

"She must have the longest name of any player who has entered the championships," a Wimbledon official said Thursday.

Entries close today. A record number of 37 countries are represented.

Stars Down Bears 23-20

In the midjet softball league last night powered by 7 home runs whipped the Bears 23-20. Lorne Cahill and Louis Smith each belted a pair of round-trippers, while Ernie Smith, Paul Murphy and Jimmie Mulligan walloped one each.

Gerald Noonan clubbed two circuit clouts for the losers.

Vics Defeat Darts 13-10

In a Junior Softball League game played at Hillboro Square last night the Vics defeated the Darts 13-10.

E Joseph's home run proved to be the decisive blow driving in the tying and winning runs.

Winning pitcher was H. Dunn and the loser J. Flanagan.

K. OF C. LEAGUE BOWLING CHAMPIONS



Shown above with their trophies and prizes are the Knights of champions: Left to right, Reg. Theresa Rossiter, Mrs. Alf Peters, Curley. MacDonald (captain), Con Gaudet, Mrs. Aeneas Curley and Aeneas Barter's Film Lab.

Krupp Works Plans Plant in Ontario

OTTAWA (CP)—The German Krupp works plans construction of a giant steel plant on the shores of the St. Lawrence river, two miles east of Cornwall, Ont. It was learned Thursday.

The German firm, operating in Canada as Krupp-Ardelt, has taken an option on 600 acres of land. It is understood the firm plans a major steel industry at the site which is on the St. Lawrence seaway now being built to permit deep-sea shipping into the Great Lakes.

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APPOINTMENT

The appointment of William A. Acorn as representative of the Maritime Life Assurance Company is announced by Keith B. Jenkins, Prince Edward Island Branch Manager. Mr. Acorn will operate from his home in Souris and also plans to keep in close contact with the people of Charlottetown and vicinity. He returned from Halifax last week where he attended a sales training course at the Head Office of the Company.

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