

A. L. Race Appears To Be Between Yanks And Indians

By JOE REICHLER
NEW YORK (AP)—The tumultuous American League pennant race appears to have trimmed down to a struggle between Cleveland and New York despite the insistence of the Chicago and Boston managers that their teams are still in position to take it all.

"We're still in it," warned Marty Marion, White Sox skipper. "Don't count us out. Of our 11 remaining games, nine are against Baltimore and Kansas City. Cleveland plays us two in our park. If we can win those, we're in good shape."

"It's pretty tough now," admitted Mike Higgins, Red Sox pilot. "But we're not giving up. Those

seven games with the Yankees will tell the story."

CLEVELAND'S SPOT BEST

A thumbnail description of the race boils down to something like this:

Best position—Cleveland.
Worst position—Boston.
Hardest schedule—Chicago.
Softest schedule—New York.
All four contenders got a well-deserved respite Monday but the struggle will resume today with Cleveland Indians engaging in a twilight doubleheader in Washington, Chicago clashing with the Orioles in another twilight twin bill in Baltimore, the Red Sox meeting Kansas City in a pair of

afternoon games in Boston and the Yankees taking on Detroit in a single day game in New York.

Despite his 1½-game advantage over runner-up New York, manager Al Lopez refused to be trapped into predicting a flag for his Indians.

"See me after Tuesday's doubleheader in Washington," he replied.

NATS SPELL TROUBLE

It isn't difficult to understand Lopez' concern regarding the seventh place Senators. A soft touch for practically anybody else in the league, the Nats have simply murdered the Indians all year.

"We seem to play our worst against Washington and our best

against New York," Lopez said.

In 22 meetings with the Yankees Cleveland committed only six errors in winning 13 games while they have been guilty of 26 mistakes in 19 games against Washington, winning only seven against 12 losses.

Cleveland has 11 games left but six are against the tough Tigers and two against the White Sox. Boston has 13 left, 10 at home. The three on the road are against the Yankees, whom they meet seven more times, four in Fenway Park.

The Yankees' 12 remaining games include two with Detroit and three with Washington besides the seven toughies against Boston.

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In This Corner

It seemed like old times on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon at Memorial Field when the large crowds of the season turned out to watch the N.S.P.E.I. Junior baseball finals between the Abbies and Canning. It would have been even more pleasant had the locals taken the title but in losing the Abbies gave a good account of themselves and put up a much more die-hard struggle against the sharp Canning crew than did New Toronto in the N.S. finals series.

Island Softball Finals Resume Today At 5 P.M.

The sixth game of the Island softball final series between the R.C.A.F. Flyers and the Sunshine Dairy scheduled to be played last evening was rained out and will be played this evening on Memorial Field starting at 5 p.m. daylight time.

The Dairy lead the series 3 games to 2 and a victory this evening will give them the Island title.

Pro Golf Meet At Saint John

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Entries have been received from all sections of the Maritimes for the annual Maritime professional golfers' tournament at the Riverside Golf and Country Club. Eighteen holes will be played Saturday and 36 Sunday.

Al Ogilvie of Moncton will defend the title he won last year. Other prominent entries include N.B.P.E.I. champion John Smith of Amherst, Archie Skinner of St. Andrews and Pete Kelly of Bathurst.

Amateurs also will take part in the meet. Among those expected are Moncton's Mousie Dowling, Doug Lewis and Ralph Harley.

Wholesale Trades

Two wholesale trades with Boston Bruins and Chicago Black Hawks wiped out the rest of the Red Wing machine.

Now wearing Boston uniforms are Terry Sawchuk, last season's Vezina trophy winning goaltender, and forwards Vic Stasiuk, Marcel

"Early Bird" Rangers Hope For Truth In Old Saying

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
The New York Rangers, hoping there's some truth in that old saying about the early bird and the worm, have taken a running start in preparation for the National Hockey League season which opens next month.

Rangers started ice workouts at their Saskatoon training camp last Friday. Four other NHL clubs started getting the kinks out of their legs today. The Montreal Canadiens complete the roll call today and report at St. Catharines, Ont. Coach Jimmy Skinner of Detroit Red Wings has begun a general overhaul of the club which broom a league championship and the Stanley Cup last spring in his season in charge. He faced up to the chore when only one player from that high-powered squad checked in at the Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., training camp: Forwards Ted Lindsay, Gordie Howe, (Dutch) Reibel, Alex Delvecchio, Marty Pavelich and Bill Dineen and defencemen Red Kelly, Bob Goldham and Marcel Pronovost.

Bonin and Lorne Davis. In return Detroit received rearguard Warren Godfrey and forwards Ed Sandford, Real Chevrefils and Norm Corcoran. Boston is training at Hershey, Pa.

Former Detroit defenceman Benny Witt and forwards Tony Leswick, Glen Skov and Johnny Wilson now are working out with the Chicago Black Hawks at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. For them the Red Wings got rearguard Bucky Hollingworth and forwards Jerry Toppazzini, Dave Creighton and Johnny McCormick.

Taking over in the Detroit net will be Glenn Hall, called up from farm club Edmonton Flyers of the Western Hockey League.

CANADIEN HOPEFULS

Fifty-six candidates turned up at Montreal Canadiens' camp at Verdun, Que., and ultimately they'll jell largely into Canadiens and Montreal Royals and Shawinigan Falls Cataracts of the Quebec Hockey League.

Indications are that Canadiens will be little changed from the squad that went to the Stanley Cup final last season. Jean-Guy Talbot, with Shawinigan Falls previously, is given a good chance of catching a defence berth.

The main shift is in the coaching department where former left wing star Toe Blake, has taken over from veteran Dick Irvin, now with Chicago.

Twenty-nine players checked at the Maple Leaf camp. Nine were veterans, the rest Toronto regulars of last season and players up from the farm club Pittsburgh Hornets for tryouts.

The only regular not working along with the remnants of last year's club, holding a tentative spot for 20-year-old Hank Cleasby, is a centre who won the Ontario Hockey Association Junior A scoring championship with St. Catharines with 57 goals and 49 assists.

Upsets Mark Amateur Open

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Canada's only entry advanced but a flock of big names fell Monday in a cascade of upsets in the opening round of the 55th annual United States amateur golf tournament.

Jerry Magee, the 21-year-old Ontario amateur champion from Toronto, reached the second round with a two-up victory over George R. Bernardin of Andover, Mass., as two former U.S. champions, Charlie Cox and Dick Chapman and the spectacular Billy Joe Patton failed to survive first-round play.

Patton missed a 28-inch putt on the 23rd hole, losing to George McCallister, 45-year-old real estate dealer from Los Angeles.

Cox, 1949 winner from Oklahoma City, was beaten, 2 and 1 by Jake Howard, 19-year-old University of Georgia student from Augusta, Ga., and Chapman, 3 and 2, by veteran Ray Billows of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., one up, and Ted Lenczok of Newtonington, Mass., 1954 semi-finalist, a victim of Frank Redman of El Paso, Tex., 1 up.

With such favorites as Harvie Ward, Joe Conrad, Bob Sweeney and Willie Turnesa on the sidelines with first-round byes, the gallery of about 2,000 sought elsewhere for excitement and found it in the repeated reversals of form.



CHARLOTTETOWN JUNIOR ABBIES

Pictured above are the Junior Abbies who lost out to the Canning, N.S., Juniors in two straight games over the weekend in the playoffs for the N.S.P.E.I. title. Back row (l-r) Ronnie Staniec, Tom MacFarlane (manager), Vern Hanrahan, Jim Fardy, Johnny Squire, Brian MacCallum, Paul Jay, Lorne MacGugan, Bill Purcell, Frank Row (l-r) Willie Dunn, Bernie Gallant, Cliff Ready, Bobby Lund, Ken MacDonald, Jack Kane, Donnie LeClair and mascot Jamie Kennedy. Missing from the picture is Benny Carson, who helped coach the team during the games.

MacMillan Cops Ladies Title

Tournament play at the Charlottetown Tennis Club produced some fine tennis over the weekend. In the Ladies' Singles Wanda MacMillan upset Elizabeth Willett 6-2, 6-3, 6-3 to take the championship. The finals in the Men's Doubles was a long, hard-fought battle in which Andy Anderson and Jim Johnston finally won out over Paul Kays and Geoff Fitzgerald 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.

In the semi-finals in the Men's Singles Walter Cullen overcame Mark MacGuigan 6-2, 6-8, 6-3, 6-4 in a two-and-a-half-hour match in which almost every point was bitterly contested. In the other semi-finals match Paul Kays subdued Reg McAleer 6-1, 6-4, 6-3. The Kays-Cullen championship will be played on Saturday afternoon.

In a Mixed Doubles match Paul Kays and Joan Weir defeated Sid Campbell and Edie Smith 6-2, 6-0.

Track Results

The following are the results of the junior races held in connection with the Queens County Plover Match Saturday, September 10:

BOYS:
6, 7 and 8-1. June MacCabe; 2. Sandra Wilson; 3. Faye Quinn; 9 and 10-1. Patsy Judson; 2. Heather Jones; 3. Sandra Lawton.
11, 12 and 13-1. Janet Jones; 2. Georgina Thompson; 3. Virginia Boudreau.
14 and under-1. Georgina Thompson; 2. Janet Jones; 3. Marilyn Smith.

BOYS:
6, 7 and 8-1. Keith MacEachern; 2. Bobby Mutch; 3. James Quinn.
9 and 10-1. Glen MacEachern; 2. Noel Hayley; 3. Erwin Judson.
11 and 12-1. Douglas Sheidow; 2. Gerald MacMillan; 3. Albert Dunphy.
13 and 14-1. Lloyd MacEachern; 2. Francis Hayley; 3. Douglas Sheidow.
15 and under-1. Lloyd MacEachern; 2. Francis Hayley; 3. David Wood.
100 yard dash—open-1. Donald Smith; 2. David Wood; 3. Francis Hayley.

Baseball Results

National League
Pittsburgh 001 202 003—9 12 3
St. Louis 100 001 010—3 6 3
Donoso and Shepard; Haddix, Wright (6), Gettel (8) and Burbrink. L-Haddix. HRS: Pgh-Long, Thomas, STL-Musial (2).

International League
Montreal 000 100 000—1 5 0
Rochester 200 000 01x—3 9 3
Lasoria, Miekens (8) and Bucha; Markell and St. Claire.
(Rochester leads best-of-seven semi-final 3-1.)
Toronto 300 000 001 4 8 1
Havana 000 001 100 2 6 1
Blake, Shore 8 and Berperet; Bracho, Sanchez 1, Harris 7 and Noble.
Toronto wins best-of-seven semi-final 4-1.

Sport Briefs

LONDON (AP)—Cuban Nino Valdes was a 5-to-4 choice Monday to defeat Don Terry in a 10-round battle of comeback heavyweights at White City Stadium.

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Louise Sugg won the St. Louis women's open golf tour successive sub-par round.

The Islanders have been officially suspended for one year for non-payment of \$250 in fines and some cash suspended owing to the Hawks from last season. We would imagine that the suspension would soon be lifted if the Islanders signified any desire to enter into the circuit, for the simple reason that the Charlottetown team has been the big drawing card in every Maritime rink in all seasons since Murph Chamberlain first turned the Big Four topsy-turvy with his big, rough, tough gang in 1950.

Blame or credit for the changing complexion of Maritime Hockey can be laid at the doorstep of "Old Hardrock" who brought to Charlottetown a group of players instilled with the same desire to win at all costs that Murph himself displayed so prominently when he was bouncing his way around the N.H.L. Before Chamberlain the Big Four winner was only looked upon as a light-workout for the Cape Breton winner on the road to the Allan Cup. But things changed considerably upon his arrival and Maritime hockey has never since regained its normally serene outlook that used to put the emphasis on a stylish brand of hockey instead of the pier six brand.

ATTENTION CURLERS

A special meeting of the Alberton Curling Club will be held in the Library, Thursday evening, Sept. 15 at 7:30 p.m. It is urgent that everyone interested in artificial ice attend this meeting.

ARTHUR WILKIE, President.

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RACE 3—C PACE & C TROT
Gloria Clegg, Prowse Pride, Ann McGee, Wait For Me, Allie Budlong.

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