SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

A Popular Choice

RUSS Jackson's selection for the double role of Most Outstanding Player and Canadian Player of the Year certainly shouldn't leave much room for criticism.

This fellow Jackson is truly an amazing man. His antics this season with a club supposed to finish in the cellar were fantastic and his choice to head both divisions in the voting surely came about after terrific play..

It is a pity that Canadians will not get a chance to view this great performer in The Grey Cup classic. However, you can blame Hamilton Tiger-Cats entirely for this. Although the Cats were trounced 35-18 before the home fans last Sunday, their 45-0 triumph a week earlier over the Rough Riders was more than enough to earn them the trip to Vancouver for today's classic.

Jackson is a brilliant fellow. He turned down a Rhodes scholarship to take up teaching and football in the Ottawa area. At both vocations he has done extremely well. It is said that his classroom lectures are greatly admired by his students and surely his football feats have been declared great by every football fan in Canada.

We had the pleasure of hearing Russ speak at a Sportsman's Dinner in Summerside a few years ago. We well remember he was the last of the guests to be heard. The hour was late and some darn fine orators had appeared before him. We felt a bit sorry for him as he rose to speak in the smoke-filled auditorium.

But Russ didn't need any sympathy from us or anybody else. He spoke about five minutes and you could have heard a pin drop all the while. His message was one that the folks listened to with the greatest attention and he spoke his piece in a forceful manner.

Russ Jackson is indeed a credit to Canadian football. He is a credit to sport in general and we know of no other selection that would have proved nearly as popular.

Jackson should have many good years ahead of him yet. Others have the guy and he will likely remain with the Riders the rest of his career.

We Like Tiger-Cats

AND The Grey Cup goes this afternoon in the city of Vancouver.

We see where the British Columbia Lions are installed as favorites although Lions' coach, Dave Skrien, doesn't agree this should be so. He feels the invaders from the east deserve more respect than these prophets are showing them. He feels this Hamilton club is a hardrock outfit that will give Lions few chances throughout the encounter.

Probably Mr. Skrien, who masterminds these popular Lions, is acting unduly humble. Perhaps he has the feeling all the time that his boys can soundly trounce these Tiger-Cats who subdued Ottawa Rough Riders so convincingly in that opener at Lansdowne Park a few weeks ago. Perhaps he is convinced that Kapp, Fleming, Morris and Tom Brown will have great times against the Hamilton outfit.

Assistant coach, Jim Champion, concedes the Ticats an edge as far as linemen are concerned. He feels man for man Lions are not as strong as the men in the Hamilton line.

CHAMPION maintains the Lions never had any doubt whom they would play in this Grey Cup battle. In fact Mr. Champion rates the Tiger Cats as the "strongest team in Canadian football".

The veteran Bernie Faloney could be the big question Saturday.. If Bernie is hot, the Lions are in deep trouble. When he's on, there are few quals playing football in Canada. Faloney is well-rested. He was used sparingly last Sunday and should be ready to give a fine performance this afternoon.

It could develop into a do-or-die struggle with the outcome in doubt until the final gun. However, we aren't in that kind of a predicting mood. We see the Tiger-Cats grabbing this one with comparative ease. Chances are we are away off base but those are our sentiments at any rate.

We like these Tiger-Cats by at least 15 points this afternoon.

SPORT OF KINGS

Bowling Business Zooms In Busy Eastern Town

By ED CLINTON
Souris Bureau of The Guardian

The bowling leagues in Souris have been going for three weeks now, and we are finally ready to make our predictions. The Women's League is the easiest one to do. The Men's League presents some problems. For this year at least, it would appear that most, if not all, of actual competition for top honors will take place in the Men's League.

The Pixies should make it a clean sweep in the Women's League, winning both first place and the league championship. As far as we can ascertain there are only two teams with outside chances of winning, and these chances appear to be way way outside. Those two teams are the Tenderbows and Top-Notchers. Individual honors at the present time seem to be between Bernie Mahar, and Dorothy Young, and we'll tag along with the former due to her experience.

The Men's League seems to be a toss-up between the Night-Hawks and the Perfectionists, and we'll go along with the latter on the strength of their early season victory over the Night-Hawks. The Flintstones, (a new name, but, the same old team) have to be considered as close competitors, and The Federals and Smoke Eaters also have to be given an outside chance. As far as individual honors are concerned, we freely predict that this will be a one man race composed of Edgar Glenn.

NO BIG UPSETS

This early in the season has produced no big surprises in the Men's League. While the Smoke Eaters hold down first place, they have not met the stiffer form of competition as yet. The Perfectionists are undefeated in two games, while the Flintstones and Night Hawks have shorbed one defeat each. Possibly the biggest surprise is the Hawks who have picked up ten of a possible fifteen points to date.

The Pixies are running true to form in the Women's League garnering all points out of a possible fifteen to date. The Riddles are also doing surprisingly well, going three games without a defeat, and another surprise are the Hungry Six, who are currently holding down third place, when they were expected to finish out of the playoffs. The slow start of the Professionals is another surprise.

TEAM STANDINGS

The standings, results and individual honors of the Souris Men's and Women's bowling leagues, after three weeks of play, are as follows: Smoke Eaters 3-0—1—2½ points; Flintstones—2-1-0—11 points; Hawks— 2-1-0— 10 points; Untouchables—2-1-0— 9 points; Night Hawks—1-1-0 — 8 points; Oilers— 1-2- 0— 7 points; Federals—1-2-0 — 6 points; Perfectionists— 1-0-1— 5½ points; Hillbillies—0-0-0 —0 points; Eagles—0-2-0—0 points; Electrons—0-3-0—0 points.

In the women's league, these are the standings (won, lost and points in that order): Pixies— 3-0—12; Riddles—3-0—11; Hungry Six— 2-2—10; Touchdowns— 2-1—8½; Blue Owls— 2-1— 8; Professionals— 1-2—5½; Top Notchers —1—3½; Les Tranquilliers—0-3—3½; Pin Smashers— 0-4—3.

Results: men's league: Smoke Eaters 5 Federals; Flintstones 5 Electrons 0; Untouchables 1 Flintstones 4; Night Hawks 2 Perfectionists 3; Eagles 0 Hawks 5; Oilers 0 Smoke Eaters 5:

Women's league: Pin Smashers 0 Touchdowns 5 Top Notchers 0 Pixies 5; Riddles 4 Les Tranquilles 1; Professionals 5 Hungry Six 0:

Top Bowlers: Women's league Dorothy Young 192.7; Bernadette Mahar 188.3: Emma MacDonald 176; Anne MacDonald 170; Isabel Power 166.7.

Men's league: Edgar Glenn 236.7; Wilfred Bernard 2.10.7; Cyril MacDonald 210; David Morrow 206.7; Elmer MacDonald 204.3.

High singles to date: men: Stewart MacAulay 293; women: Anna MacCormack 250.

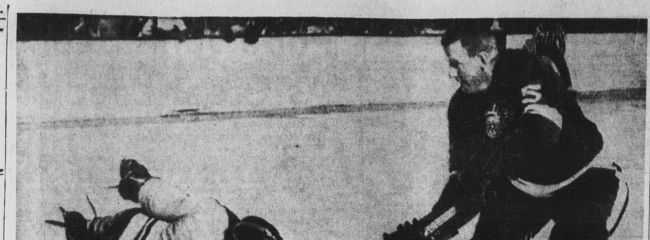
High threes to date: men: Edgar Glenn 710; women; Bernadette Mahar 590.

Legion Tops Dart League

The Charlottetown Inter-Club Dart League saw action Thursday night with games played at four clubs.

Navy downed the Sportsman's Club 4-1, Legion topped Main Brace 3-2, RCAF defeated Sgt's Mess 4-1 and Rod and Gun were 4-1 victors over Belvedere Golf and Winter Club.

	W	L	Pts
Legion	8	2	16
RCAF	7	3	14
Rod and Gun	6	4	12
Sportsmens	4	6	8
Navy	4	6	8
Brace	4	6	8
Golf Club	4	6	8
Sgt's Mess	3	7	6



HALTING AN ATTEMPTED SCORE

Goalie Charlie Hodge of the Montreal Canadiens moved out on the ice to deflect a shot by Detroit Red Wings' Doug Barkley in game Thursday night at Detroit. Canadians won 7-3. Hodge made 22 saves during the game.

Grey Cup Tilt Matches Cats Brawn And Lions Resource

By DENNIS ORCHARD

VANCOUVER (CP) — Hamilton Tiger-Cats match brawn, finesse and playoff experience against the resourceful, explosive British Columbia Lions today for the Grey Cup

The 36th East-West final is a test of old-timers against first-timers for the championship of the Canadian Football League.

Televised across North America, the game caps a Grey Cup festival in Vancouver that started slowly this week but hit a roaring stride Thursday night. Ite here at odds variously quoted

Hamilton is the betting favorout crowd of 36,465 is expected as 7 to 5 or three points. A sellfor the 1 p.m. PAST (5 p.m. AST) kickoff.

The line on the game quivered Friday morning when a rumor flashed through the city that Ticat quarterback Bernie Faloney had sprained an ankle. This was quickly denied by coach Ralph Sazio.

This is the first Grey Cup classic since 1952 in which the host city has watched its own team play and the fourth cup game in Vancouver.

7-7 RECORD

Tiger-Cats have a 7-7 record Grey Cup competition since

BERNIE FALONEY JOE KAPP

TODAY'S FIELD GENERALS

their first final in 1909, and a 6-5 mark since it became an East West affair in 1921.

They have represented the East in six of the last seven years and come into this game smarting from four cup losses in 1958-59-61-62.

Lions, slow starters after entering the league in 1954, make their first try for the cup today. Only reserve linebacker Walt Bilicki, a former Winnipeg Blue Bomber has ever played in the national final.

Coaches Sazio and Dave Skrien of Lions rate Hamilton's experience highly, and Skrien fears the stimulation so many defeats may have on the Ticats.

His own club will have cheering support of most fans and the considerable advantage of knowning the Empire Stadium

CURLING DRAW

The following is the curling draw for Saturday at the Charlottetown Club.

1.45 P.M. Rotation (Spares Needed)

Ice 1 — Dr. Hooper, J. Whalen, W. Farrell, J. Cameron vs. D. George, B. Boyles, E. Ford, R. Ewing.

Ice 2 — E. Matheson, L. Welner, I. Horne, A. Bagnall vs. H. Douglas, F.W. Curtis, C. Asprey, G. Newman.

Ice 3 — H.S. Spillett, F. MacMillan, S. Beaton, T.W.L. Prowse vs. E. Tanton, R.S. Spillett, H.R. points: Eagles—0-2-0—0 points; Electrons—0-3-0—0 points.

Ice 4 — Open.

Ice 5 — C. MacLean, D. Douglas, K. Kennedy, A.E. Piercey vs. Dr. Jelks, C. White, V. Milton, L. Turner.

3.30 ALL ICES OPEN

7 P.M. (Mixed) M. Dockendorff (in charge)

Ice 1 — L. Turner, M. Dowling, E. Ford, H. MacKinnon vs. K. Kennedy, H. Micheal, C. Micheal, A. MacDonald.

Ice 2 — C. Flemming, S. Flemming, B. Martin, J. Hall vs G. Storey, S. Storey, C. MacInnes, V. Robinson.

Ice 3 — D. George, F. Vessey, A. MacEwen, P. Bowness vs G. Anderson, M. Wilson, M. White, C. Edgett.

Ice 4 — H. Douglas, K. Douglas, C. MacDonald, E. Douglas vs. D. Douglas, M. Dockendorff, H. Douglas, J. Douglas.

8.30 P.M.

Ice 2 — M. Reeves, M. Jones, Dr. Willis, W. McGill vs Dr. McKay, A. MacLean, A. Garrett, I. Newman.

Ice 3 — C. MacLean, E. Wood, B. McGill, M. MacNeill vs L. Blakeney, O. MacDonald, K. Cantwell, A. MacKinnon.

Ice 4 — R. Jones, C. O'Rourke, I. MacKinnon, Dot Cormier vs A. MacDonald, M. Blakeney, N. MacNeill, Peg MacKay.

Ice 5 — H. Peters, B. Reeves, A. MacFadyen, W. McGill, D. O'Rourke, M. Garrett, G. Newman, M. Ives.

CURLING DRAW FOR BELVEDERE

Curling Draw for Belvedere:

Ice 1 — Edgar Taylor, Frank MacInnis, Ed Hodgson, Bill Jardine vs. Frank Hansen, Harry Simmons, Allan MacCurdy, Ivan Berrigan.

Ice 2 — Frank Acorn, Irene MacWilliams, Tillie Acorn vs. Stan Bryanton, Betty Bryanton, John Smith, Pearl Smith.

Ice 3 — Norman Nicholson, Earle Baker, Irvin Buchanan, N.L. Kennedy vs. Don MacDonald, Fred Cannon, Jiggs MacDonald, Ivan Hughes.

Ice 4 — Open.

9.00 P.M.

Ice 1 — Mel Jenkins, Jane Irwin, Kent Irwin, Lorna Jenkins vs. Roger Perry, Jean Perry, Toby MacMillan, Connie MacMillan.

Ice 2 — W.R. MacNeil, Marie MacNeil, Percy Simmonds, Pauline Simmonds vs. Doug Hill, Rosemary Hill, Joe Malloy, Gladys Malloy.

Ice 3 — Andy Likely, Helen Likely, Angus MacEachern, Rita MacEachern vs. Bill Beer, Joyce Beer, Hughie Simpson, Bertie Howatt.

Ice 4 — Bonnie LePage, Butt LePage, Gordon Wellner, Gail Wellner vs Doug Saunders, Pauline Saunders, R. MacLean, Ann MacLean.

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NHL Underdogs Have Chance To Prove Mettle On Weekend

By DAVE BETTS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Hockey fans who like rooting for the underdog should be able to work up bundles of emotion over the Hockey League action this weekend.

After 57 games the league has practically split itself into two packs, with the growling Chicago Black Hawks, the dogged Montreal Canadiens and the scrappy Toronto Maple Leafs on top and the other three teams licking their wounds on the bottom of the heap.

Although they couldn't have known it at the time, those who drew up this year's schedule set aside this weekend to give the underdogs a chance to prove if they can come up off the floor.

In a full six-game set of home-and-home series today and Sunday, last-place Boston Bruins get two chances against Montreal, Detroit Red Wings go twice against Toronto, and New York Rangers come toddling-bowl with Chicago both days.

Today the Hawks will be in New York for an afternoon fight, and tonight the Wings invade Toronto and the Bruins skate onto Montreal Forum ice. Sunday night the combatants are the same but the locations reversed.

SUFFER WOUNDS

All the teams have already felt the painful effects of the scrap. Injuries have cut deeply into the rosters of Detroit, Montreal and Chicago and the others sport assorted cuts, bruises, scrapes and sores.

Most serious injury this week was suffered by Jack McIlhargey, left winger on Chicago's first line, who had his spleen removed Friday morning after a Thursday night collision with Leafs' ungentle defence pair of Bob Baun and Carl Brewer. McKenzie is expected to be out of the fray until February.

Red Wings will have to manage without goalie Terry Sawchuk, defenceman Bill Gadsby and forward Norm Ullman, out with shoulder, back and ankle injuries respectively. Roger Crozier from Pittsburgh of the American Hockey League will replace Sawchuk.

The individual top dogs have been getting their lumps too.

Perennial all - star Gordie Howe of Detroit hasn't been able to score since he broke Rocket Richard's scoring record three weeks ago. Toronto captain George Armstrong is in his third week of trying for his 200th career goal. And former superstar Doug Harvey is sniffing around the AHL for a job after being cut by the Rangers.

TOP FAVORED

This year's record favors the top clubs to further widen the gap in the standings.

The Hawks have beaten the Rangers in their three previous meetings. Montreal has been Boston twice and tied once. The Leafs will be playing the rubber match with the Wings, each having beaten the other once in two engagements this fall.

After 20 games, Chicago is almost in a class by itself, having tied four and lost only two, both to so-called second-division clubs — Detroit and Boston. Chicago, with 32 points, is 10 ahead of Montreal.

Thursday night the Hawks scored their third shutout over the Leafs 2-0, the Bruins beat the Rangers 5-3 and the Canadiens overwhelmed the limping Red Wings 7-3.

Ten Dashes Going Today

The biggest race program of the fall and winter season goes this afternoon at Charlottetown Driving Park.

Promoter and classifier Frank Acorn has lined up five classes for today with all horses getting two chances to show their stuff. The ten-dash card is the most attractive yet handed out to the faithful race patrons.

All of today's classes are well-filled and loads of excitement can be expected in each and every half mile. Last Saturday folks were talking it about the quality of the competition and and they are likely to be more enthusiastic after this afternoon's proceedings.

Good mutuel pays have been in evidence ever since the 'new' season got going and chances are for even bigger returns today.

The ten-dash card gets moving at 1.45.

FAMILY KILLED

CRAB ORCHARD, Tenn. (AP)—A mountain family of a small plane killed a smalltown druggist - pilot, his wife and three children on U.S. Thanksgiving Day. Officials Friday listed the dead as George McCall Finley, 42, of Lawrenceburg; his wife, Grace, 40; and their children, Grace Elsie, 12, Ellen, 11, and George Jr. 9.

Curling Draw At Montague

MONTAGUE — Following is the curling draw for play taking place in Montague this evening.

Any curler unable to play at the time scheduled is requested to arrange for their own substitute

7 P.M.

Ice 1 — J. Cudmore, M. Nicholson, A. Nelson, C. Bears, vs. D. McGowan, E. Clay, L. Stewart, Pauline MacDonald.

Ice 2 — A. Jones, E. Cudmore, Dr. W. McIntyre, D. McLeod vs. C. Nicholson, K. Hughes, Gene Murphy, O. Hennigar.

9 P.M.

Ice 1 — K.McKenzie, L. Sinclair, S. MacKinnon, C. Sullivan, vs. A. Sullivan, H. Clair, J. McNeil, P. Nicholson.

Ice 2 — Glen Murphy, C. Stewart, G. Giddings, L. Nelson vs Dr. P. McIntyre, P. Sullivan, E. Duvar, L. Hooley.

Rinks Going To Moncton

Six rinks from Charlottetown Curling Club are travelling to Moncton today for games at The Beausejour Club. These rinks were winners of the expense-paid competition.

Here are the rinks going to the mainland:

1. Bill MacGregor, Marion M. Donald, Dave Jardine and Chris Phillips.

2. Art Burke, Gloria Piggott, A. Llewellyn, Rose Pineau.

3. Doug Bell, Helen MacDonald, Ken Jenkins and Isabel MacDonald.

4. Don Wonnacott, G. MacKay, Eric Gillespie and Edna MacInnis.

5. Alan Smith, Cathy Bolger, Bob Dillon and Eilleen Handregan.

6. Bob LeClair, Ella Taylor, Cliff Campbell and Doris LeClair

Several other curlers are intending to make the trip, bringing the total to around 50 curlers

Rink Sets Record For Opening Date

ALBERTON — Ice making has been completed at the Alberton curling rink, the earliest date in the history of the club. First curling will take place tonight with regular scheduled play planned for next week.

S'side Defeats O'Leary 5-3

SUMMERSIDE — As in the game with Borden Nations last Friday evening, the Summerside Junior Legionaires came from behind at Civic Stadium last night to score four goals in the final period to defeat O'Leary Maroons 5-3 in a Prince County Hockey League game. They were down 3-0 until the 17-minute mark of the second period when they got their first goal.

The game drew 460 fans, many of them calling the contest one of the most thrilling seen at Summerside for some time. Glen Rogerson scored two goals for O'Leary and George Dalton had a goal and two assists for the Juniors.

The O'Leary team, putting up a stout defence in Ron MacArthur, Elmer Gorrill, Peter Green and Edgar Ellis, shut the juniors out in the first period and scored twice themselves, each time the result of beautiful rising shots by Glen Rogerson.

In the second frame Gerry Ranahan picked up a short rebound to make it 3-0 after a little over six minutes of action. The Juniors started to come on then, but were held off the score sheet until the 17-minute mark when George Dalton salted away a rebound off Dave Gaudet's shot.

The third period was only 11 seconds old when Ronnie Rice took a pass from Dave Gaudet and dented the twines to make the score 3-2. Eight minutes later Richard Perry took a pass from Paul MacWilliams and knotted the score at 3-all. The Juniors went ahead three minutes later, John Poirier the marksman, and Dave Gaudet taking a pass directly from a face-off shot the final goal of the evening with a minute and a half left in the game.

Referees Bill MacDonald of Borden and Glen Matthews of RCAF called a total of 16 penal. ties, the Juniors getting 11.

Two O'Leary players had identical names so Ron MacArthur of Summerside has an (s) after his name and Ron MacArthur of Tyne Valley a (tv).)

SUMMARY

First Period — 1. O'Leary— G. Rogerson (Clarkie Smith) 11.46; 2. O'Leary G. Rogerson (P. Green) 18.23. Penalties —R. MacArthur (tv), P. Green, P. MacWilliams, W. Grady. R. MacArthur (s), D. Gaudet, A. Gaudet.

Second Period — 3.O'Leary— Ranahan (R. MacArthur (tv) 6.41, 4. Legion — G. Dalton (D. Gaudet, J. Poirier) 17.20. Penalties — J. Kennedy, G. Rogerson, G. Smith.

Third Period — 5. Legion — R. Rice (D. Gaudet) 0.11, 6. Legion — R. Perry (P. MacWilliams) 8.43, 7. Legion — J. Poirier (G. Dalton) 11.46, 8. Legion — A. Gaudet (G. Dalton) 18.33. Penalties — G. Smith, J. Poirier, A. Gaudet, G. Ranahan, D. Campbell.

Kidd, McArdle Clash Today

NEW YORK (AP) — Bruce Kidd, Canada's 20-year-old distance ace, is favored to dethrone veteran Pete McArdle of New York today in the 60th National AAU cross - country championship.

The University of Toronto student won the event as an 18-year-old at Louisville two years ago but he was competing in the British Empire Games at Perth, Australia, last year when McArdle took honors at Chicago.

Kidd and McArdle head a field of 208, which will run over the hills and dales of Van Cortlandt Park in a test covering 10,000 metres — approximately 6½ miles.

Shipping Told Closing Near

OTTAWA (CP) — The St. Lawrence Seaway Authority reminded owners of ocean - going vessels Friday that weather and ice conditions may make it necessary to close down operations at "very short notice."

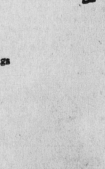
The authority said in a statement that there still are 80 ocean ships west of St Lambert Lock at Montreal.

CHOLERA OUTBREAK

SINGAPORE (AP)—Another case of cholera was confirmed Thursday, bringing the total on this island to 18. So far 193.000 persons have been inoculated against the disease.

PETER PAN

Swan Song No. 6



December is a happy month, in lands both far and near
It brings the joy of Christmas, glad tidings of good cheer.
It brings the snow, the mistletoe, The Star that shone so bright
The happy sounds of carolling, Resounding through the night.

But at this happy festive time, One sad thought makes us sigh
The loneliness that we feel, Each time we say goodbye —
Not to friend or loved one, Or a favorite dog or cat,
But to a favorite eating spot With its "ever welcome mat".

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