

Campanella Says He's A Lucky Man

By JOE REICHLER
GLEN COVE, N. Y. (AP)—Paralyzed Roy Campanella, facing the prospect of spending the remainder of his life in a wheel chair, called himself a lucky man today and said he has many things to be thankful for.

The former star catcher of baseball, who has slimmed down to 185 pounds from 215 following his long siege in hospital as a result of his automobile accident nearly 10 months ago, is back home.

Last year at this time, the week of the U.S. Thanksgiving holiday, he was looking forward to his move to Los Angeles with Brooklyn Dodgers. Now, he puts in hours each day trying to rebuild his muscles in the hope that some day he might be able to walk again.

Campanella admits that day may never come but he hasn't lost hope, and the warm smile that won him so many friends is still on his thinned-down face.

"I keep telling myself how lucky I've been," he said. "I just keep thanking God I'm alive and I had a house and a family to come back to. Look at poor Mel Ott. He was in an automobile crack-up, too. He's dead. I'm only paralyzed. I said a little prayer for Mel and I sent him a wire but I guess he never got to read it."

Campanella is no longer burdened by the neck brace he had worn since last January when he underwent an operation on his broken neck. He is still paralyzed from the chest down, however, and he has to be lifted from his bed into the wheel chair.

He has to be dressed and undressed. He is attended by a male nurse. He needs an appli-

ance on his hand to feed himself, to lift objects, to sign his name. He still has no movement in his fingers.

As Campanella was talking, he kept caressing his five-year-old daughter, Princess, who was sitting on his lap. Roy Jr., 10, and Tony, 8, two others of Campanella's six children, were running from room to room, playing a game of tag. Roy's wife, Ruth, was busy in the kitchen.

Roy's eyes glistened as he watched the activity.

"Look at the kids," he said. "They're not worried about me being in the wheel chair. 'Daddy's home.' That's all they care about. I have trouble keeping them out of the wheel chair. When I'm in bed, they're all in there with me. I've got no time to sulk with them around."

As Campanella spoke he kept flexing his wrists, flailing his withered arms across his body and raising them over his head. He kept pivoting his shoulders in quarter turns.

"I got to keep doing that to prevent atrophy of the muscles," he said. "I still have no feeling in my legs but I know my insides are all right and I feel strong."

Except for his arms, which are painfully thin, Roy looks robust enough. He visits the Institute for Physical Rehabilitation three days a week and spends five hours a day lifting weights and exercising his muscles.

"I may have to live with this all my life," he said. "But I got to make myself believe otherwise. I got to think it will all come back. Maybe I'm fooling myself but I go to keep fighting and praying. And I know some day, with God's help, I will walk again."



THREE WITH ONE SHELL

A lifelong ambition was realized by William "Bill" Rhynes of Marshfield yesterday when he bagged three fat geese with one shell. He had arrived home shortly before noon and his wife

Dorothy told him there were geese and ducks in the lower field, towards the Hillsborough River. He said towards them with his single barrel 12-gauge loaded with No. 2 shot, pushing

some snow in front of him. "I waited until the three were lined up," said Bill. "I wanted to show there were still men who could do it."

Johansson Thinks Chances Are Good For Title Bout

NEW YORK (AP) — Ingemar Johansson and his advisor came out of involuntary seclusion Wednesday and said there is a good chance Johansson will meet world heavyweight boxing champion Floyd Patterson in a title bout.

But there was no confirmation of this from Cus d'Amato, Patterson's manager, in a comic opera press conference.

Johansson is a poised, good looking, unmarked fighter who thinks he has a good chance of getting a crack at Patterson in the United States next summer. "He'll beat Patterson, too,"

said Edwin Ahlquist, Swedish promoter and advisor of the undefeated heavyweight king from Sweden.

Ahlquist said he intends to come back in January with the hopes of having everything settled. He said if things aren't settled by February "then I intend to go ahead with two important fights, one I will promote in Sweden with Ingemar against a leading American."

"The other would be a big one in London—a European title fight against the winner of the Brian London-Henry Cooper English title fight."

Some 50 reporters, photographers, radio men and d'Amato aides milled around in d'Amato's living room.

SECRET MEETING
"Gentlemen" said Cus. "First I want you to know that these two fine gentlemen from Sweden met secretly with us because I wanted it that way."

"I am dealing in five possible fights for Patterson and the Johansson fight is just one of them. We have received a guarantee of substantially more than \$250,000 for a fight in Colorado Springs to meet one of five top ranking fighters. Outside of that I can't tell you any more."

"I don't want any obstacles thrown in my way by the IBC (the International Boxing Club) with whom he is fighting. We intended to have three title fights last year and we only had one."

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

OVER A MONTH AGO we announced to you (and in the best of faith) that an Island Hockey League would operate here this coming winter. That league was to have composed Summerside Aces, Saint Dunstan's, Parkdale Flyers and one or possibly two teams from Charlottetown area.

A few nights later another meeting was held at the Sports Arena and there was a good deal of opposition to the proposed league and especially to the inclusion of Summerside in the fold. However, after a long discussion, the league was still in existence and a meeting of steering committee members and team representatives was called for the following Sunday. That meeting was to pool players in the Charlottetown area and name officers of the new loop.

ONLY ABOUT 15 players in this area put their names into the committee, thereby expressing their intention of playing in the Island League. It wasn't near enough and the loop folded right then and there.

SEVERAL WEEKS LATER a definitely formed league is still not a reality. The latest development would indicate that a City League is the most likely thing for 1958-59. Saint Dunstan's, Orin Carver's Juniors and Parkdale Flyers are ready to operate in such a loop. Prince of Wales College and Frank Roper are anxious to put teams into the fight and they'll do just that if sufficient material is available.

The Welshmen entry would not be a strictly college team. In fact the city collegians would need quite a bit of outside help in order to carry on in this league. The question that is worrying some is whether there is enough talent to make P.W.C. strong and let Frank Roper have an equally capable outfit.

That is the big question.

IF THE LEAGUE HOPES to succeed, it must not have any team that is hopelessly outclassed. Parkdale Flyers will be a solid club; the Juniors, with some senior help for City League play, should be quite able to take care of themselves and Saint Dunstan's, at least on paper, appears like a formidable outfit. If we take the remaining hockey talent around Charlottetown and split it into two divisions, is the result going to be satisfactory?

Our personal opinion is that Roper and Prince of Wales should get together and form one club. That club would be a fairly strong one—one that would make every other outfit step for league honors.

We didn't discuss this with too many players but the few we did were inclined to go along with our line of reasoning. Mind you, we are not opposed to five teams. We feel the more the merrier, providing they are able to care for themselves.

NOW WHAT ABOUT the Summerside Aces? The westerners are working out regularly and are just itching for competition. They thought they had that competition all arranged but when the Island League collapsed, things were badly upset.

The westerners have done everything possible to get Charlottetown interested once again in an Island circuit. But there doesn't seem to be enough interest to swing it. And we regret that this appears to be so.

However, there are some interested persons in Charlottetown who don't want to see Summerside left out in the cold. They will insist that some arrangement can be worked out to give the Aces some competition with the City League entrants.

WE SINCERELY HOPE that a solution will be reached whereby the boys from the western capital can have some tussles with the lads from Charlottetown. A little bit of give and take may be necessary but surely that can be arranged. It's practically impossible for Summerside to operate any league of their own. They haven't got the material from which to draw. Charlottetown is more fortunate. A city league can be operated here without any outside help.

However, Charlottetown could help chase away at least some of Summerside's problems by arranging some sort of a schedule with them. The Prince County boys are not asking for any charity. They'll use visiting teams well financially. They want hockey in Summerside and they are willing to pay to get it there.

Let's hope Summerside will not be overlooked.

THOSE TRYING to get this City League underway ran up against a real headache the other night when they started to talk schedule. December 9 was noted as an opening date and immediately, at the mention of that date, college representatives started talking. Christmas examinations start about that time and playing hockey and writing examinations aren't considered a very good mixture. Saint Dunstan's finish up about the 18th and then many of their players head home for their Christmas holidays. They don't return till about January 6. Prince of Wales, if they should become an entrant, would present a somewhat similar problem. So you can readily see the problems facing those poor guys who must draw up a schedule.

With the college teams out of the picture in December, hockey would be very limited as far as the City League is concerned. It gets more and more confusing every day. Doesn't it?

In yesterday's column, we referred to the coming to Civic Stadium, Summerside Friday night of Ottawa-Hull Junior Canadiens. We said that Civic Stadium manager, Charlie Hogan, was bringing the Memorial Cup champions to Summerside.

This was an error on our part. The Lions Club of Summerside is sponsoring this game, not the Civic Stadium management. Again, our apologies.

JUNIOR PRACTICE

There will be a hockey workout for all players wishing to try out for the Charlottetown Junior Hockey team at the Sports Arena this evening from 5 until 6 p.m. Coach Orin Carver welcomes all interested players to take part in the practice.

Harvard Star Hopes To Attend McGill University

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (CP) — A 200-pound guard who kicked Harvard off to a 2-0 victory over Yale this year in the 75th renewal of the rivalry says he wants to attend Montreal's McGill University next fall so he can continue playing football.

Chuck Papalia, defensive stand-out as Harvard gained revenge for last season's 54-0 drubbing at the hands of Yale, says he intends to apply to McGill's school for physical education, where he hopes to get a master's degree.

A senior, Papalia would be ineligible to play as a graduate student in American competition.

"I'm going to McGill university where graduate students can play for the team," he says.

Papalia, a native of Watertown, Mass., has been a football child of misfortune. A high school star, he entered Harvard at the age of 17, played in freshman ranks, missed his sophomore season when he broke his wrist, and was ineligible last season on his return from a stint in the U.S. Army.

CURLING SCHEDULE

The following is the draw for Thursday night at the Charlottetown Curling Club. 7 p.m.

Ice 1. J.E. Burdop, F. Cannon, A. Carruthers, Dr. Higgins, vs. Dr. Giddings, W. Rodd, W. Scantlebury, C. Delaney.

Ice 2. Mary MacLennan, H. Taylor, A. Trainor, P. Wynne vs. Inez Gallant, E. Goss, G. Seaman, M. Ives.

Ice 3. H. Peters, A. Love, H. Simpson, B. Soper vs. D. Wonnacott, T. Whitlock, Joe Zakem, Norm Kelly.

Ice 4. Bessie Prowse, Jean MacLean, I. Williams, M. Vessey, vs. Barbara Roper, L. Pickard, T. Hawkins, D. Pellerin.

Ice 5: R. Jones, G. Wellner, Dave Cox, Bill Acorn, vs. R.C. Parent, Les Johnston, J. Beaton, Mr. LaFontaine.

Ice 1. H.C. Atkinson, George Anderson, H. Douglas, C. Costello vs. F.W. Curtis, A.H. Anderson, Don Smith, B. Phillips.

Ice 2. Jean Grant, A. Cudmore, M. Toole, V. Wright vs. Marg. Jones, O. MacDonald, C. MacLeod, A. McKee.

Ice 3. G. Greenough, O.K. Presby, Les Doyle, L. Keizer vs. T. Mitton, Dave Walker, Chick Williams, J.S. Squarebriggs.

Ice 4. Iris McLellan, E. Anderson, J. Coady, H. MacDonald vs. Marie MacNeill, M. Stewart, F. Whitlock, B. Reeves.

Ice 5. A.A. MacLeod, J.E. Burnett, Ken MacLaine, N. MacKay vs. E.K. MacNutt, D. George, Don Fraser, W. MacKinnon.

Skiers' Problems Have Been Licked

By CHARLES MORROW
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EDMONTON (CP) — On a wooded ridge near the centre of the city, the Edmonton Ski Club has licked skiers' two biggest problems—the distance to ski developments and high lift costs.

A five-minute bus ride from downtown, the 12-acre layout provides unlimited use of rope tows, free instruction twice a week and free ski storage, all for an adult membership of \$10 a year.

Members say the cost is the lowest all-in fee of any ski club in North America and boast that no other ski development is located so near the heart of a major Canadian city.

On land leased from the city, the club has laid out five 400-foot floodlit hills served by two electric rope tows. A modern club house overlooks the main hill and facilities include 20-metre and 60-metre ski jumps.

The club has cut costs by making every improvement a do-it-yourself project. Volunteers this summer increased the cleared hill area by 50 per cent, installed a new 400-foot ski tow and erected a ski storage hut with 500 individual lockers.

Ingenuous members, finding the cost of a snow-making machine prohibitive, purchased an air compressor, bought lengths of plastic hose and designed their own nozzles. After misfires that left the hill coated with ice instead of snow, the home-made machine worked fine.

The layout's proximity to the city incinerator has become an asset too. A beginner's slope has been laid out on a giant pile of old tin cans.

RAPID GROWTH
The Edmonton Ski Club was organized in 1911 by a group of Norwegian ski jumpers and has developed rapidly in recent years in line with the post-war boom in skiing.

When snow conditions are favorable, members can ski from 9 a.m. until 10:30 p.m. Many beginners become adroit in a single season.

For the more advanced, weekend ski trains go to the Banff and Jasper ski areas four to six times a year and excursions by car are organized to the Red Deer and Lacombe ski areas.

The coming of spring doesn't halt activities. A year-round social program is maintained and the Edmonton grounds are used by the archery division of the club. In summer members of an aquatic division enjoy water skiing, on nearby Sandy Lake.

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Durelle vs Moore

Sizing up the two contenders for the light heavyweight championship fight in Montreal, Andy O'Brien concludes it will be a battle of brawn vs. brains. As N.B.'s fighting fisherman, Yvon Durelle, anticipates, "It'll be a knockout or nothin'." Facts and figures dictate an uneven match—but Lady Luck may intercede!

Barbara Hutton's Son

If you could have everything money can buy, what would you do? This problem faces 22-year-old Lance Reventlow, son of 6 times married heiress Barbara Hutton. Lance's feet are firmly on the ground—even when he's racing one of his numerous cars, flying his own plane, or enjoying the company of a beautiful redhead.

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