

# SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

## Local Hockey Meeting

TONIGHT a meeting of last year's members of the Island Intermediate League has been called for The Canadian Legion home in Summerside at 8 o'clock.

However, we have been told that any persons interested are invited to attend. It's not only last season's participants but any others who have an idea of getting into the league this 1963-64 campaign.

We haven't heard too much local hockey talk to date. However, we do feel that Sandy Prizell's Royals, 1st season's champions will be back to defend their crown. Undoubtedly the Prince County Combines will be once again in the fold and there's a good chance that this club isn't played in the Island League but went their own way in playoffs and emerged as junior champions of the Maritimes.

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## Better Playoffs

IT'S hard to get a happy solution for our Island hockey. When we went down, we were slaughtered by the Nova Scotia Senior Hockey League champions. Last season Sandy's Royals ran wild against Fredericton and Bridgewater in intermediate play. Gates were terrible locally because the outcome was a foregone conclusion.

There is a chance for a good series between the Cape Breton League winners and the Island League winners if the Island League goes senior this season. Both the Cape Breton and Island Leagues have been given permission to strengthen but if both are senior the Nova Scotia Senior Hockey League will have a bye into the Maritime finals.

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## Signs Detroit Contract

THE son of a former Charlottetown couple has signed a Detroit Tigers contract.

He is Doug Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Peters of Charlottetown and now Sarnia, Ontario. Reg is a brother of Albre Peters of Connaught. Doug Peters and Mrs. Peters is a sister of Ferguson "Puddy" Cousins, Malpeque Road. "Puddy" will be remembered as the great moundsman of the Abbies in the late 20's and early 30's.

Doug starred on the mound for Sarnia Juniors last season and will report to the Class "A" Northern League Detroit Tigers farm club as a pitcher for spring training in Lakeland, Florida.

Doug was scouted by several major league clubs and Pittsburgh Pirates also made him an offer. The Tigers came through with a substantial bonus. One weekend he practiced with a Pittsburgh farm club in Batavia, New York. A short time ago he played in an all-star game at Tiger Stadium before Detroit baseball officials and verbally agreed to terms. The contract signing came the next week.

Prince Edward Islanders will be keeping their eyes on Doug and wishing him the very best.

## Try For Maritime Crown

CHARLES Ryan's Canadian Legion Juveniles, baseball champions of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, will try for the Maritime crown this coming weekend.

The best-of-three set will open here in Charlottetown's Memorial Field this Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Second and third games are slated for Halifax Sunday.

Ryan will pitch his sensational Mike Kelly against the Nova Scotians Saturday. He will have Billy Weatherie and Carl McQuaid ready for Sunday action.

These youngsters deserve a huge turnout this coming Saturday and here's your chance to see Mike Kelly in action. You have heard so much about him—now come out and see him perform.

Let's cheer these juveniles to a Maritime crown.

## Wanted - A Home

CHARLOTTETOWN'S new recreation director, Jimmy Fox, is having his troubles finding housing accommodations in this city.

Jimmy's wife and four children are still in Saint John but they must vacate their present home by the end of this month. Jimmy is desperately trying to find a three-bedroom home here before that time.

Any sports fan who can help solve the problem will become Jimmy's number one friend.

## Walter Alison Up For Raise

HE received around \$42,000 this season.

Alison probably won't sign formally for 1964 until the winter baseball meetings in December. He has managed the Dodgers for 10 years, during which time they've won four National League pennants and a raise that will put him close to the \$50,000 bracket.



## MAKES IT OVER FOR TOUCHDOWN

Calgary Stampeders quarterback Eagle Day (12 white) ploughs from the one-yard line to help Stamps to their 47-7 win over Ottawa Rough Riders in a Canadian Football League game in Calgary Monday night. The Riders are attempting to stop Day's plunge (CP Wirephoto).

# Canadians And Bruins Play To Tie In Opening Contest

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After Markham regained his feet and several spectators helped him separate the two brawling boxers, he awarded the fight to Hall, who was behind in points.

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## LINEUPS

Boston goal: Worsley; defence: J. C. Tremblay, Laperriere, Reume, Gauthier, Taber, Harper; forwards: Bellevue Geoffrion, Ferguson, Backstrom, Hicke, Provost, Rousseau, Richard, Balon, G. Tremblay and Berenson.

Boston goal: Johnston; defence: Green, Rowin, McCord, Johnson, Westfall, Avrey; forwards: Kurlenbach, Heberton, Prentice, Bucyk, Williams, Kennedy, Oyer, Mohs, Toppazini, Gendron, Lerch, Connelly.

Referee: Ashley; linesmen: Wicks and Pavlich.

SUMMARY: Boston Williams 1 (Mohs, Gendron) 5; 2. Boston, Oliver 1 (Bucyk) 8:45; 3. Boston, Ferguson 1 (Bellevue) 9:56; Penalties — J. Green, Ferguson 0:12, J. G. Tremblay 0:48; Mohs 4:37; Williams, Ferguson 10:39; Harper two minors 10:51; Connelly 12:54; Tabot 16:23.

Second period: 4. Boston, Prentice (Kurlenbach, Bolvin) 14:57; 5. Montreal, Ferguson 2 (Montreal, Laperriere) 15:25; 6. Montreal, Geoffrion (Ferguson, Balon) 17:15; Penalties—Laperriere 7:51, Gauthier 10:55, Green 15:18, Gendron 16:52, Backstrom 19:28.

Third period: 7. Montreal, Worsley 8 15 7—30; Harper 1 (Rousseau) 14:16; 8. Johnston 6 16 9—13-30.

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In another 10-round contest, Frankie Taylor of England stopped Harold Gomes of Providence, R.I., in 25 seconds of the ninth round.

## Traffic Cop Tags Koufax

NEW YORK (AP) — New York Yankees' couldn't tag Sandy Koufax, ace left-handed pitcher of the Los Angeles Dodgers, in the first or last games of the World Series — but a New York policeman succeeded Tuesday.

Koufax, awarded a sports car for being the outstanding player in the series, appeared at a downtown restaurant to claim his prize. The car was driven onto the sidewalk in front of the establishment so that photographers could get various angles of it and its new owner.

While the photographers were busy, a policeman wrote out a ticket charging Koufax with parking on a sidewalk and obstructing pedestrian traffic.

## Fanningbrook Cops Opener

Action Sunday in the Southern Cross Baseball League saw Fanningbrook play the opener in the best-of-three final series by defeating Tracadie 10-6.

David MacDonald started for Fanningbrook and was relieved by Angus Rogerson in the last of the 7th.

L. MacQuillan started for the losers and was relieved by B. Mays in the second.

Fanningbrook opened up an early lead of five runs in the first inning and Tracadie trailed with no score until the 7th inning.

Kenny McNally and Martin Kelly were top batters for Tracadie.

Charlie Rogerson led the Fanningbrook batters with a .35 performance.

J.P. Henriksen had the longest hit of day, a triple in the seventh. He also scored three runs for the winners.

Stanley Hickey played a stand-out game behind the plate for Fanningbrook.

Plate umpire was Ernie Crane and Art Coffin and Gary Clark worked the bases.

The second game in this series will be played at Tracadie Sunday at 2 p.m.

## RESIGNS

Red Hickey resigned as head coach of the San Francisco 49ers recently after the National Football League team's third straight loss of 1963. (AP Wirephoto).

# Koufax Hopes To Capture Most Wins In Baseball

By TED SMITHS

NEW YORK (AP) — Sandy Koufax, hero of the 1963 World Series, said Tuesday his ambition is to win more games than anyone else in baseball—but he admitted "I'd have to be fortunate to do that."

The winningest pitcher in the game is the legendary Cy Young, who won 211 and lost 213 in a career that ran from 1890 to 1911.

Koufax has a record of 93-65 with Los Angeles Dodgers, not counting the two brilliant victories he scored over New York Yankees in the series. He is 27 and even if he had 15 more seasons with 25 victories each, as he did in 1963, he would only be up to 468.

"But anyway I'd like to win as many as I can," he said.

Koufax, slender, handsome and soft-spoken, unveiled his dream at a luncheon here in his honor.

The occasion was the presentation to him of a sports car and an outstanding player of the series.

Koufax had only praise for the Yankees, but a little four straight by the Dodgers. He particularly singled out Joe Pepton, the Yankee first baseman whose muffed of Clete Boyer's throw paved the way for the winning run in the final game, taken by the Dodgers 2-1.

"Pep had a great season, and helped the Yankees win the pennant," said Koufax. "I'd heard about the Yankee's \$3 million infield. It's as good an infield as I ever saw in baseball. And the outfield is great. . . . But we did everything right for four days. We had fought and scratched to win the pennant. We had the kind of ball club where every day we needed somebody to do some thing special."

"Bill Skowron had a tough year. I don't think the Moose disliked the Yankees for trading him to us, but one of the biggest thrills we got was the way Moose played in the series.

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## Relko To Represent France In Big Race

LAUREL, Md. (AP) — Francois Dupre's Relko will represent France in the \$100,000 Washington, D.C. International Nov. 11 despite his setback Sunday in Paris, John Schapiro announced Tuesday.

The president of Laurel race course watched as the three-year-old Relko finished sixth at an even money favorite in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe.

The 1 1/2-mile race, same distance as the International, was won by Exbury.

Relko's entry in the International grass race will give Dupre, jockey Yves Saint-Marie and trainer Francis Mether a chance for a repeat victory.

They brought over Match II last year and he defeated the U.S. champion, Kelso, in a sizzling stretch duel.

Kelso is entered for the third time in the 12th International. The three-time American thoroughbred champion also finished second in 1961.

Mongo will be the other half of the U.S. entry. Foreign acceptances in addition to Relko so far are Ireland's Christmas Island, England's Espresso and Hungary's Imperial.

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**JOHNSTON MAKES SAVE**

Ed Johnston (right) Boston Bruins goalie, makes a save off the stick of Bob Rossner (second left) of the Montreal Canadiens in the first period of their National Hockey League game at Boston Garden Tuesday night. The puck is about to pass between Rousseau and Jerry Toppazzini (left) of the Boston Bruins. Also in on the play is Ted Green (rear) of the Bruins. The game finished in a 4-4 tie. (AP Wirephoto).

**Top Racing Card Is Going Tonight**

Charlottetown Driving Park has arranged a great looking harness racing program for tonight.

Stanley Hickey played a stand-out game behind the plate for Fanningbrook.

Plate umpire was Ernie Crane and Art Coffin and Gary Clark worked the bases.

The second game in this series will be played at Tracadie Sunday at 2 p.m.

Then, dashes three and seven seem most likely to be hum-dingers. Here Glover Boy leaves on the rail the first time out. The others trying for top money in this class are Dennis Herbert, Doctor Alex, Bogge Parlay, Zither and Dreamy Guy.

Claude Murphy has the choice number one position as a veteran pacer. Anthony L. in dash two, Claude will be trying to outpace his rival as Calie Hal, Scottish Light, Cyclee Kelly and Jolly Dick. These horses get their second trip in races number six.

All in all it shapes up like a Darnin' class. One of the weathermen cooperates a good crowd should witness this performance in races four and eight.

Action starts at 8 o'clock.