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Island Curling Association Holds Annual Meeting

Mr. W. R. McNeil was named president of the Prince Edward Island Curling Association at its annual meeting held in the Charlottetown Club Room last evening. Representatives from Charlottetown, Alberton, Montague and Summerside were in attendance. The meeting was presided over by H. M. Smith, Montague, in opening the meeting expressed thanks to the members for their support during the year and congratulated the Charlottetown branch on the showing made by their representative team in the Briar Bowl held in Edmonton last spring. Mr. McNeil, who was re-elected as secretary-treasurer for the coming year, then read the minutes of last meeting and gave a financial report. Following occupation of the chair by the new president, Mr. McNeil, it was decided that a request

by Charlottetown's mayor to hold a Centennial Bonselpelt this year in place of the annual Confederation Bonselpelt be granted. It was suggested by Mr. Rankin McLaine that high school curling on the island is not as flourishing as it might be and that every means possible be taken to encourage the students in curling. Dr. Wayne MacDonald extended a vote of thanks to Mr. MacLeod for the fine way in which he handles the secretarial duties of the Association. Dates and places for the year's play were also set.

Other members of the executive appointed were: Chairman of games, Randolph Caruthers, Charlottetown; Summerside assistant, Fred Holland; Alberton, Chester Hayes; Montague, Lou Poole; Souris, Art Wright. A motion that next year's annual meeting be held in Summerside was passed before adjournment.

Kluszewski Equals First Baseman Fielding Mark

NEW YORK (AP)—Powerful Kluszewski of Cincinnati Reds equaled a major-league record for fielding percentage by leading off fielding percentage for the fourth consecutive season. Three other players, Milwaukee shortstop Johnny Logan, third baseman Willie Jones of Philadelphia Phillies and shortstop Chico Carrasquel of Chicago White Sox, defended their 1953 defensive honors. Kluszewski became the fifth first baseman to finish on top in four straight campaigns. The record was set by Dan McGann of New York Giants 1903-1906 and later tied by Charley Gandil of Cleveland and the White Sox 1916-1919, Joe Judge of Washington 1922-1925 and Charley Grimm of Chicago Cubs 1930-1933. Figures compiled by The Associated Press disclosed Wednesday Kluszewski made only five errors in 1,339 chances for a defensive

mark of .996, shading Brooklyn's Gil Hodges and Joe Adcock of Milwaukee with .995 each.

THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR
Logan, for the third year in a row, paced the National League shortstop with a .989 average. Jones also fielded .989 to head the National League third basemen.

Carrasquel erred 21 times while handling 797 chances for a .974 rate.

First basemen Mickey Vernon of Washington .992, Nelson Fox of Chicago at second base .988, Eddie Yost of Washington at third .970, catcher Jim Hegan .994 and outfielder Jim Delsing of Detroit .906 were the other American League defensive pace-setters.

Davey Williams of New York Giants at second base .982, catcher Bill Sarni of St. Louis .996 and St. Louis outfielder Stan Musial .990 rounded out the National League's list of fielding standouts.

Britain's Chataway Sets Record For 5,000 Metres

By STERLING SLAPPEY
LONDON (AP)—Chris Chataway, London's merry brewer who finished second in four world record races this year, smashed the world record for 5,000 metres Wednesday night in a spectacular duel with Russia's Vladimir Kuc. The red-haired, cigar-smoking Briton sped the distance in 13:51.6, five seconds faster than Kuc's still-unratified record, to finish a stride in front of the Russian in one of the great races of all time. Kuc also broke the record with a clocking of 13:51.8 and en route passed the three-mile marker in 13:37 for another record-buster. The previous best time for three miles was Kuc's 13:27.8 in Bern last August when he broke the 5,000-mark in the European track and field championships. In that same race Chataway finished second as the Russian cracked the record set by Emil Zatopek of Czechoslovakia. The first of the three record-breaking performances in this floodlit meet between Moscow and London in White City Stadium was chalked up by Russia's Yuriy Lituyev, who skinned 440-yard hurdles in 51.3 seconds, three-tenths of a second faster than the best world mark of 51.6 set by Charlie Moore of the United States in 1952.

Never Say Die Highest Priced English Stallion

NEWMARKET, England (AP)—Never Say Die, American-owned-and-bred winner of the Epsom derby and Doncaster St. Leger stakes, will become England's highest-priced stallion next season. The three-year-old colt will take up stud duties at Lord Derby's plantation stud, Newmarket, at a fee of \$14,700, it was announced Wednesday. That will be the highest stud fee of any stallion in England. Never Say Die, owned by Robert Sterling Clark, of New York and Upperville, Va., will stay in England for four years and then go to his owner's stud in the United States. He won \$87,211.40 on English tracks.

TEAM AHEAD

The Moscow team which actually was a collection of Russian athletes easily defeated the London squad which, except for one woman, was strictly local. The team defeat, however, meant nothing to the 40,000 Britons who jammed this outdoor arena to see the Russians in their first dual meet in the Western world. Chataway was the hero and his victory completely made up for his unimpressive way of finishing second when records were set. The good-natured beer drinker, who claims he will "pack in" his running when it interferes with his social life, ran second to Dr. Roger Bannister in the world's first four-minute mile last May. He ran second to Australia's John Landy in history's second four-minute mile, he ran second to Fred Green of Britain in a three-mile record run here in July, and sec-

Nomads' Club Organizes For Maritime Competition

J. Elmer Blanchard was elected president of the Nomad Football Club at an organizing meeting held on Monday when tentative plans were made for several games leading to Maritime-wide finals. More than twenty players have been out daily for the past two weeks, spending much of their training time in the gym at St. Dunstan's University where they have been undergoing practice in handling the ball and taking vigorous exercises. Daily morning outdoor team practices start today. Included in the group are football players from Prince of Wales College, St. Dunstan's University and Acadia University, all of whom have had considerable grid-

iron experience and are expected to make a good showing in top-notch English rugby circles. The Nomads are scheduled to meet a team from Saint John, N.B., as an opener on November 6 in the first stages for the McCurdy Cup, the winners to compete with the senior top-rating aggregation from Nova Scotia. Other officers of the club are: Vice-president and manager, Mike Campbell, secretary-treasurer, Eddie Devine, executive, George Scantlebury and Jack Gay, trainer, Earl Nicholson, club physician, Dr. Frank Burke, coach, Dr. Frank Jelks, W. A. Gaudet is honorary president and Neil Matheson, M.P., honorary vice-president.

Athletics To Make New Home At Kansas City

CHICAGO (AP)—Hard cash and club owner caution made the difference between Kansas City and Los Angeles as the new home of the Philadelphia Athletics. In their nine-hour meeting Tuesday when Kansas City-bound Arnold Johnson got the nod, American League owners gave serious thought to Los Angeles which might have won the A's if an offer by the Texas Murchison interests was acceptable.

It wasn't, not only because it fell far short of Johnson's \$3,375,000 in cold cash—although matching it on paper—but also for reason that the club owners doubted Los Angeles would be easy to crack for a major league team, said a reliable source.

There was some sentiment for a jump to the west coast, beating the National League to the punch, even though it was argued it would be impractical to have one member club that distance from the rest of the league.

The Murchison offer was only \$1,000,000 in cash and the rest in notes to make up \$3,375,000. It was no solution to the Mack family, some \$1,900,000 in debt and wanting \$1,500,000 for their club stock.

It still took an impassioned plea by Roy Mack's lawyer and long-

Improves Chances For Davis Cup Berth

SYDNEY (AP)—Don Candy improved his chances for a berth on the Australian Davis Cup squad Wednesday when he upset Lewis Hoar, Australia's cup stalwart, 5-7, 6-3, 6-3, in the semi-finals of the Metropolitan tennis championships. He meets George Worthington in the final Saturday.

Hockey Scores

National League
Detroit 3 Montreal 2
American League
Cleveland 6 Springfield 5
Pittsburgh 2 Hershey 3
Quebec League
Valleyfield 2 Quebec 5
Northern Ontario Senior
Sault (Mich.) 6 Sudbury 1
North Bay 8 Pembroke 5
Quebec Junior
Jonquiere 1 Trois-Rivieres 1

English Girl Issues Challenge To Swimmers

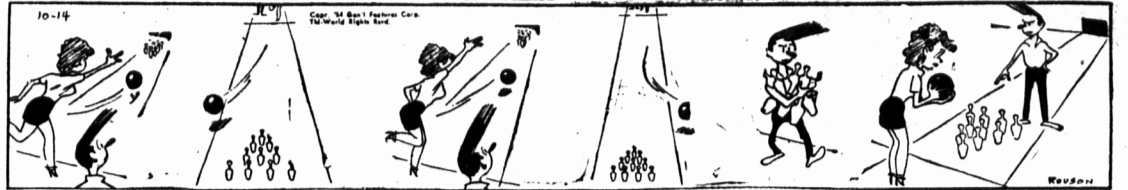
NEW YORK (CP)—A New York advertising and public relations firm said today an English swimming star has challenged the long-distance laurels of Marilyn Bell of Toronto, Florence Chadwick, of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Winnie Roach Leuzler of St. Thomas, Ont., and Calgary. John T. Cunningham of Anderson Cairns, Inc., said Brenda Fisher of Grimsby, Eng., would meet any of the three at a time and place of their choosing. Lake Ontario or the English Channel were reported most likely locations. He said final prize in such race across either lake or channel might exceed \$10,000. Miss Fisher won women's sections of the international channel race in 1951 and 1954.

Miss Fisher is daughter of a sea captain and developed long-distance talent swimming beside her father's ship. She trains on fish and chips. In Toronto, Gus Ryder, Marilyn's coach, said he would like to see such a swim take place along the Toronto waterfront but said what Marilyn did was not up to him. Michael Pretty, chairman of Marilyn's advisory committee, said the committee has not heard of the offer.

Football Scores

ORFU Senior
Sarnia 13 Kitchener-Waterloo 23

LITTLE SPORT



Cleveland Club Not For Sale

NEW YORK (AP)—The Cleveland ball club "isn't for sale" said George A. Medinger, vice-president of the Indians. Medinger made the statement when he asked about reports the club was going to be sold. "The club's prospects for 1955 are good," said Medinger. "I have some very outstanding young ball players who will be coming up from Indianapolis." Among them are Herb Score, lefthanded strikeout whiz, and Rocky Colavito, slugging outfielder.

Plastic Tarpaulin For Big Stadium

VANCOUVER (CP)—A temporary plastic tarpaulin will be used to cover Empire Stadium's water-logged gridiron, stadium officials reported Wednesday. Ben Williams, general manager of the Pacific National Exhibition which operates the 25,000-seat stadium, said the entire 70,000 square feet of the turf would be covered with a plastic material. It will cost more than \$1,000. Use of the tarpaulin is the latest move to keep the gridiron in playable shape for home games of the B.C. Lions. A breakdown in the field's drainage system has left the field waterlogged. Officials said earlier they would have to dig up and rebuild the entire stadium infield at the close of the season.

Wings Edge Canadiens 3-2 To Take First Place

MONTREAL (CP)—Detroit Red Wings withstood a last-ditch drive by Montreal Canadiens Wednesday night and a 3-2 victory sent the Wings into first place in the National Hockey League. The game was reminiscent of the Stanley Cup final between the teams last year and had 14,518 fans in an uproar. Tempers flared frequently in the wide-open, heavy checking play. Big Gordie Howe of the Wings, NHL point-scoring champion, scored one Detroit goal and assisted on the other. Dutch Reibel and Ted Lindsay counted the others for Detroit and Jean Beliveau and Maurice (Rocket) Richard scored for Canadiens. Detroit's two goals in the opening period, without a reply from Montreal, came on all-out power plays while Canadiens were short handed, and Richard's goal, only one of the final period, was counted while Howe was sitting out a holding penalty. Howe's goal was his second in three games this season and his first goal on Montreal ice since the 1952-53 season. Richard's goal, his third in four games, ran his NHL career total to 387.

Jim MacPherson's penalty soon after the game started sent the Red Wings into a power play that clicked after 42 seconds. Reibel took Howe's pass just inside the Montreal blue line and scored with a screened shot. Howe made it 2-0 at 8:48, whipping in a short pass from Reibel, a few feet out from goalie Jacques Plante, after Red Kelly's shot bounced out off the end boards. Beliveau cut the margin at 10:30 of the second period with a low shot to the far side of the net, with Bernie Geoffrion and Dickie Moore on the relay end. Lindsay

got the goal back at 11:01, tipping in Howe's short lift from 15 feet out. Richard's goal came on passes from Ken Mosdell and Doug Harvey, the Rocket tumbling to the ice as he shot from just outside the crease. Ten minor penalties were called, seven to Canadiens, and three of the 10 were four roughing—the result of near fistfights. Lineups: Detroit—Goal, Sawchuk; defence, Goldham, Pronovost, Kelly, Woit, Allen; forwards, Delvecchio, Howe, Lindsay, Leswick, Prystais, Pavelich, Skov, Reibel, Wilson, Dineen, Poile, Bonin. Montreal: Goal, Plante; defence, Harvey, MacPherson, Bouchard, Johnson, St. Laurent; forwards, Mosdell, Litzemberger, MacKay, LeClair, Richard, Olmstead, Beliveau, Geoffrion, Moore, Masnick, Curry, Meger. Referee: Bill Chadwick; linesmen, Doug Young, Scotty Morrison.

FIRST PERIOD—
1—Detroit, Reibel, 0-12
2—Detroit, Howe, 8-48
Penalties: MacPherson 0:31, Bouchard 3:45, 7:22, Geoffrion 7:22, Skov 7:22, Richard 12:46.
SECOND PERIOD—
3—Montreal, Beliveau, 10:30
4—Detroit, Lindsay, 11:01
(Howe, Delvecchio) 11:01
No penalties.
THIRD PERIOD—
5—Montreal, Richard, 12:44
(Mosdell, Harvey) 12:44
Penalties: MacPherson 2:07, Leswick 2:07, Litzemberger 7:04, Howe 11:38.
Stops: Sawchuk 8 10 10—28 Plante 11 4 6—21

Hughie Campbell Will Attend Tonight's Meeting

Hughie Campbell, Islanders' newly appointed coach will arrive in the city this afternoon. Campbell who has been busy lining up players since his appointment will open training camp Friday morning at 11:00. Campbell will attend a meeting of the Club shareholders in the Forum this evening at 7:30 p.m. and it is expected that a fairly complete starting lineup will be released. At a meeting in Moncton last evening it was found that the club will operate with four teams namely Amherst, Fredericton, Moncton and Charlottetown. The Islanders will play their first game in Fredericton on Friday, October 22, and return to the island on Saturday to meet Amherst at the Forum. Moncton have announced that they have acquired the services of one of the most colorful goalies ever to play in the MMHL, Nick Pidsodny. The executive of the Islanders Hockey club will be appointed tonight and will run the club for the remainder of the year. The club thus far has been under the guidance of a steering committee lead by forum manager Forrest Clow.

Bluejays-Rovers Series Arranged

AMHERST, N. S. (CP)—Amherst Bluejays said Wednesday they will open a best-of-three series for the Maritime intermediate baseball title against Memramcook, N. B., Rovers here Saturday. Bluejays received word Tuesday that Summerside Holmans had defaulted on the final game of the N. S.-P. E. I. series. The second and third games of the Amherst-Memramcook series are scheduled for the New Brunswick town Sunday.

Determine Out Of Race With Injury

LAUREL, Md. (AP)—Determine, the Kentucky Derby winner, has popped a splint while training in California, and won't be able to race in Laurel's International Nov. 3, it was announced Wednesday. Determine and King Ranch's High Gun had been selected by a committee of turf writers to represent the United States in the \$65,000, 1 1/2-mile turf race. The committee will meet later this week to select a replacement for Determine from the alternates, Stanley Mickell's Brush Burn and Jaclyn Stable's Closed Door. Six horses from England, Ireland, France and Germany are scheduled to be flown here for the third running of the International.

French Design Wins Cesarwirth Stakes

NEWMARKET, Eng. (Reuters)—French Design, a seven-year-old gelding, won the 113th running of the Cesarwirth stakes here Wednesday—on his fourth attempt. Starting at 100 to 6 and ridden by Douglas Smith, French Design won an exciting race by three-quarters of a length from the 66-to-1 outsider Earlwood, with Mixed Vermouth, a 20-to-1 chance, two lengths farther away. Thirty-one horses started. French Design is owned by Sidney Banks.

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SATURDAY— 3 to 5—General Skating 8 to 10—Rural-Urban Get-Together.

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 - 2—Nancy Clark, Summerside Elementary, Grade 7, Vocal Solo.
 - 3—Beniah Monse, Summerside Jr. High, Grade 7, Reading.
 - 4—Gail Somers, Summerside Elementary, Grade 5, Piano Solo.
 - 5—Donnie Murphy, Summerside Elementary, Grade 5, Reading.
 - 6—David Mercer, Summerside Elementary, Grade 4, Piano Solo.
 - 7—Mary Arsenault, Kensington High School, Grade 8, Piano Solo.
 - 8—Grant MacKay, Summerside Elementary, Grade 5, Reading.
 - 9—Ruth Ramsay, Summerside High, Grade 8, Vocal Solo.
 - 10—Valerie Waugh, Wilmot Valley, Grade 9, Piano Solo.
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