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Park Nips Pistons 12-11 To Retain Unbeaten Mark

Rookie manager Mike Cooley is having plenty of success with his City Softball League entry, National Park All-Stars but he is getting help from his opponents.

Last evening the league newcomers won a squeaker from Canadian Tire Pistons, edging the 1961 league champs 12-11 for their fourth win in as many starts.

Fastball artist Vince Bradley, making his first appearance of the season, was credited with the victory. The rangy moundsman was tagged for ten hits over the distance. He also walked four and struck out two.

Lloyd 'Teet' Gregory and Mike O'Brien shared the pitching chores for the Pistons. Gregory started and worked four innings, being relieved by O'Brien who lasted two frames. Gregory returned to the mound in the bottom of the seventh with the scored deadlocked at 11-all and ended up being tagged with the defeat.

The All-Stars got to the Canadian Tire hurlers for 12 hits, two of them circuit smashes in the third inning.

Both teams gave a display of shoddy fielding with a total of thirteen errors being committed.

The Pistons committed 7 miscues and bunched four of them in the opening frame. The winners took advantage of these bobbles and with a single hit in the opener managed to bring home four runs.

A costly error by the losers in the third inning got batter John Hughes on base and then Bud Giffin sent him home with a circuit smash to tie the score at 7-all. Errors figured in on two more National Park runs in the sixth inning.

Bobbie by the winners also proved costly and figured in on five of the Piston runs.

Third sacker Hubie Morrison and first baseman Joe Caswell paced the winners at the plate. Both players hit 3-for-5. Morrison tagging three singles and Caswell poling two doubles and a single. For the losers it was Mike O'Brien setting the pace with three singles in four trips. Sluggers Paddy Shepherd and Merle Longaphie each picked up two hits in four trips.

Frank Bell officiated behind the plate with Gary Gallant and Lester Taylor assisting him on the bases.

This evening it's Shamrocks at home to Barry's with action slated for 6.30.

Top Racing Card Going Tonight

A terrific harness racing card goes tonight at Charlottetown Driving Park.

This looks like a sizzler from beginning to end and patrons should be in a high state of excitement throughout the entire evening. The eight dashes look like crowd pleasers in every respect and furious battles are anticipated.

That feature, dashes four and eight, gives promise of outstanding action. Six great pacers are entered in this fast class and everyone of them has the abilities to get to the wire first.

Chances are that June Byrd, the Green Brier Farm entry, will leave the wire as favorite. The classy pacer, just a few weeks in this country, looked plenty good in winning her first trip out last week. However, the local speedsters have considerable work since that outing and they could give the Poplar Byrd mare a rather interesting evening. At any rate, the two dashes of this class are certain to be brimming with action. The other five competitors are Jolly Abb, Dominion Byrd, Dunlop B, Amos Frost and Mr. Rock.

Two single dashes, each with seven starters, open the night's show, and these two will constitute the first daily double. Picking the right combination here will be a rugged assignment.

Dashes three and six, and five and eight, find six and seven starters respectively. These are likely looking classes and should give action galore.

All in all, it shapes up like a great night of racing. First dash goes promptly at 8 o'clock.

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Bowling Tourney Gets Underway

SUMMERSIDE — The men's bowling tournament got under way at Crest Lanes last evening with twenty bowlers surviving the first six strings, and these will continue the tournament next Wednesday evening, when the best two bowlers will emerge to play off for the John McNeill championship trophys.

The list of successful bowlers in the first night of play are as follows: George Power - 1403; Earl Smith - 1384; Scotty Glendenning - 1356; Jim Dwyer - 1314; Al Carlson - 1268; Mort Osgvet - 1265; Ira Campbell - 1263; Jim Flick - 1259; Junior Gallant - 1242; Don Baldwin - 1231; Elmer Simmons - 1208; Lloyd MacDonald - 1205; Al Perry - 1201; Austin Brooks - 1190; Allie Harris - 1180; Ray Durant - 1154; Doug Tucker - 1132; Joey Quinn - 1129; Dick White - 1104; Steve Craig - 1093.

Pontiacs Trip Flyers 11- 9

SUMMERSIDE — The Summerside Pontiacs baseball team defeated the RCAF Flyers at Queen Elizabeth Park last night, taking their first win to the tune of 11-9. Richard Perry, the winning pitcher, went all the way, giving up 9 hits. Jim MacDougall, losing pitcher, also was touched for nine bingles.

Coke Grady ended the game with a terrific blast into a resident's back yard back of right field, and two runners crossed the plate ahead of him. In the top of the final inning Martin put the RCAF ahead 9-8 with a grand-slam homer. Dunc Wheeler hit a solo homer for the airmen in the fourth inning. Richard Perry also hit for the circuit with a mate on base.

For Pontiacs Coke Grady had 2 for 2, Willy Gallant, 2 for 3. Both Martin and Sloan hit 2 for 4 for the losers. D. Cook made a nice running catch in centre field of the bat of Norm Little in the second inning. Each side made three errors.

Baseball Tilt Is Awarded

A regular league baseball game between Tracadie and Fanningbrook Sunday afternoon was awarded to Tracadie by umpire Len Baglole as a result of an argument with the Fanningbrook manager in the seventh inning.

Louis Lund started on the mound for the winners and was relieved by Jerry McCallum in the sixth. Fanninbbrook used three hurlers.

Wendell McInnis and Billy Fisher topped Tracadie batters, McInnis poling four doubles in four appearances and Billy Fisher hitting 3 for 3.

Howard Rogers had a perfect day at the plate for the losers with 5 hits in five appearances.

Tracadie hosts Vernon River this Sunday.

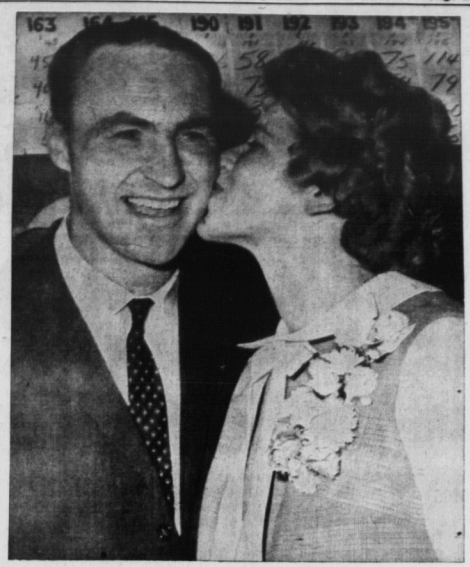
Golf Play Is Sunday

The N.B.-P.E.I. sectional tournament swings into action this Sunday at Summerside Golf Course, not Saturday as was previously announced.

Those trying for a chance to compete in the sectional playoff in Moncton on July 8 must play 36 holes this Sunday and another 36 the following Sunday, July 1 at Charlottetown. The first five golfers will make the trip to the Hub City for the competition.

However, golfers not wishing to compete in this tournament may play 18 holes this Sunday at Summerside and another 18 holes July 1 at Belvedere. This competition will be broken up into divisions based on handicaps. There will be gross and net prizes in all divisions.

In the sectional play Charlottetown's Art MacKenzie was top man in 1961 and later qualified for the Willingdon Cup team and a trip to Edmonton last July.



HOCKEY STAR WINS

Leonard (Red) Kelly, hockey star with Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League, gets big kiss from wife Andra after winning elect ion as Liberal candidate in York West. Kelly won over three other acandidates. (CP Wirephoto)

Rovers Grab Loop Lead; Overpower Dodgers 9-7

Rovers jumped into undisputed possession of first place in The City Baseball League when they managed a 9-7 decision over the Dodgers in a seven inning contest.

It was George 'Lefty' Dunn who picked up the triumph for Johnny Squarebriggs and company, his second in as many tries. Lefty did it in relief last evening, taking over from Len Ellsworth with the bases loaded in the fourth and nobody out. Dunn hurled three-hit ball the rest of the distance, all the blows coming aginast him in the seventh and final frame. Dunn struck out eight during his time on the mound and issued only one base on balls.

Ellsworth was charged with five of the seven runs the Dodgers managed to accumulate. He yielded eight hits in his three innings plus and fanned two batters. Len walked one batter.

John Hunter started on the mound for the Dodgers and was charged with the loss. He lasted two innings and had five runs scored against him. The Rovers collected five hits off him and he helped along with three walks. John had one strikeout to his credit.

Bobby Lund did mound duty in the third and didn't allow the winners a safety. However a walk, an error and a wild pitch accounted for a run.

Earl Perry finished the job. He was generous with bases on balls, sending four runners to first by that route Perry allowed three hits and struck out none.

Gord Whitlock, playing first base for the Rovers, was leading batter with a triple, double and single in four attempts. Shortstop John Kane of the Dodgers managed a pair of triples in four trips to the plate. Bobby Rice and MacIsaac of the Rovers pounded out doubles and Jim Poultor of the Doders cracked a three base wallop in the second.

Len Arsenault, John Hunter and Bobby Lund all of the Dodgers had two singles in four appearances.

Charlie Ryan called balls and strikes. John MacKinnon, Bill Coughlan and Lou Lund handled the bases.

This evening Dodgers are at home to the Stars with game time set for 6.15 sharp.

COOK SCHOOL PLANNED

MONTREAL (CP)—The Quebec Restaurant Association has announced a culinary school will be opened shortly in Quebec City. A spokesman said it is hoped the school will help to alleviate a shortage of some 2,000 cooks in the province. The school will offer refresher courses and training in hotel management.

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1—Dominion Byrd; 2—Dunlop B.; 3—Amos Frost; 4—June Byrd; 5—Mr Rock; 6—Jolly Abb.

DASHES 5—8 PURSE $300.00

1—Jollity Leigh; 2—Loraine's Watchim; 3—Hickory Doc; 4—Jolly Dick; 5—Bobby Brook; 6—Lena Harvester; 7—W. M. K.

NO. 2 (DAILY DOUBLE) L DASH AT $150.00

1—Buddy Lybrook; 2—Chocolate Chip; 3—Hollybud; 4—Moab; 5—J. Orland C.; 6—Lea Cyclonic; 7—Perfect Hal.

NO. 1 (DAILY DOUBLE) 1 DASH AT $150.00

1—Myrtle's Boy; 2—Victory Gallon; 3—Valkit; 4—Nancy Hi Le; 5—Loraine Zombell; 6—Mr. Jollscott; 7—Mal/Kal.

Charlottetown Driving Park

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Yanks Have Troubles

THINGS are surely not clicking for the New York Yankees who trail Cleveland Indians by three full games as we write this column.

The Yankees had just finished losing four straight in the wigwam when they took off for Baltimore. Things were expected to be more friendly in Maryland but the opening game was simply another nightmare. The Orioles downed the Bombers once again and it was the fifth straight setback on the road.

Chuck Estrada turned the Yankees in this opener and the young man surely deserved his achievement. In something like the last 33 innings, these three runs were the first ones gathered for Chuck. He has been a real tough luck guy of late and failed to register triumphs after pitching brilliant ball games.

When Baltimore won that opener, it meant four in a row for the birds over the Yankees.

In their last series at New York, the Orioles dropped the first two contests before getting tough to win the final three. This was the blow that seemed to have shaken the Houkmec who hadn't recovered all the while they were in Cleveland.

By now folks are starting to take the challenges of the other clubs as serious. No longer is it a safe bet to concede the pennant to the defending champs. Teams such as Indians, Twins, Angles—yes and a few others — are thinking seriously about world series games this coming October.

Interes: in the American League pennant race is tremendously high and there's a chance it will remain high right through to the conclusion. The Yankees may yet make a successful defence of their 1961 crown but in order to do this they are going to have to beat a few mighty determined outfits. This they may be able to do. We think, however, the task will not be easy.

Meanwhile fan attendance is showing a great increase and operators of contending teams are smiling from ear to ear.

They'd love to see such a close race keep up.

A Referees' Association

EARLY this spring a referees' association for the Maritimes was formed and this body will seek the approval of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association.

The referees' group hopes to bring into its fold all the outstanding officials in these three seaside provinces. They believe in this way that the standard of refereeing can be greatly improved and that the best officials can be obtained with a minimum of effort.

The referees' association representative in this province is Jack 'Spy' Ready who for the past several years has been referee-in-chief of The Island Senior Hockey League. Jack has application forms for any persons wishing to register as a referee with the new group. Anyone wishing these should get in touch with Mr. Ready at once as a meeting of the referees' group is scheduled for July 9.

Track And Field Club

EARLY next week, this same Jack Ready is calling a meeting of all athletes in the Charlottetown area who are interested in track and field activities.

Jack hopes to form a Charlottetown track and field club and hold a twilight meet in the very near future. 'Spy' feels there is a wealth of talent around the capital city and he has high hopes of getting together a formidable group.

Further announcement will be made in these pages as to the exact date of the meeting.

The Troublesome Colts

THE Houston Colts are having a lot of fun in the National League.

Recently they 'picked on' the league leading Los Angeles Dodgers, grabbing two out of three games from them. They followed right after with a decision over the runnerup Giants from San Francisco.

The Colts surely are not playing dead for any of their opponents and it must be said that their first year in National League competition is definitely an interesting one.

A few years time and these Colt could be a dangerous outfit.

Braves Sweep Bill; Colts Top Giants 9-5

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Hank Aaron continued his torrid hitting Wednesday as he powered Milwaukee Braves to a double - header sweep over New York Mets 9-4 and 3-2.

Aaron was the single-handed wrecker of Mets in the second game, called at six innings because of rain, by smashing a pair of homers and driving in all three Braves runs.

In the opener he teamed with former Met Gus Bell to lead Braves' 15-hit attack by singling three times and knocking across three runs. Bell whacked a three-run homer.

National League action Norm Larker hit a grand slam home run to help Houston down San Francisco 9-5.

In the American League Washington rallied for three runs in the seventh with Chuck Hinton's two-run homer climaxing the outburst and beat Detroit Tigers 5 - 4. In the first game of a double-header Bubba Phillips hit a three-run homer to bring Cleveland from behind and give them a 6 - 3 victory over Boston.

HANK HAS FEAST

Aaron feasted as he rapped out nine hits in 16 trips, including three homers—one a grand slam—and batted in 11 runs. His hitting raised his average to .335.

In addition to Larker's homer, a bases-loaded double by Pidge Browne in the seventh broke a 5-5 deadlock at the expense of Giants reliever Stu Miller. Roman Mejias belted a solo homer for Houston in the first and Tom Haller contributed a two-run smash for Giants in the fourth.

Hinton's homer helped Washington to their victory, but it also took a nifty bit of relief pitching by Pete Burnside to halt a Tiger comeback in the bottom of the seventh.

Probable Pitchers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Probable pitchers for today's major league games, won and lost records in parentheses:

American League

Boston (Wilson 4-2) at Cleveland (Ramos 4-5)

Washington (Rudolph 2-2) at Detroit (Bunning 6-4)

Minnesota (Railck 5-5) at Chicago (Wynn 3-4) (N).

Los Angeles (Belinsky 6-2) at Kansas City (Segui 4-3) (N).

National League

Chicago (Anderson 1 - 4) at Philadelphia (Hamilton 4-5) (N)

BASEBALL SCORES

American League

Washington	000 020 200—	5 10 0
Detroit	020 000 200—	4 6 0

Chency, Hannan (3) (1-2), Hamilton (7), Brunside (7) and Schmidt; Mossi (6-7) Kline (7), Fox (8), Nischwitz (9) and Roarke, Brown (7). HRs: Wsh—Cottier (3), Hinton (9). Det—Cash (18).

Boston	300 000 000 -	3 7 0
Cleveland	200 003 01x -	6 8 0

Conley (6-7) Earley (7), Kolstad (8) and Pagliaroni; Perry (6-3), Allen (8), Bell (8) and Edwards. HRs—Bos — Geiger (6). Cleve — Phillips (5), Held (10).

Second

Boston	000 000 000 -	0 5 1
Cleveland	011 000 01x -	3 6 1

Fornieles (2-3) Cisco (4), Earley (8) and Tillman; Latman (4 - 4) and Edwards. HRS:—Cle—Kirkland (12), Kindall (7).

First

Milwaukee	005 211 000—	9 15 0
New York	010 001 101—4	10 0

Cloninger (2-1) and Crandall; Daviault (6-1), Mizell (4), Moorhead (6), Hillman (8), Hook (9) and Cannizzaro. HRs: Mil—Bell (3), Adcock (10). Nyk — Mantilla (5), Throneberry (2).

Chicago at Philadelphia, ppd, rain.

Second

Milwaukee	002 001 -	3 2 2
New York	000 002 -	2 7 0

(Called after 6 innings, rain)

Hendley (4-5) Burdette (6) and Uecker; Hunter (1-2) and Cannizzaro. HRs: Mil—H. Aaron 2 (16).

National League

Minnesota	000 000 010 -	1 10 1
Chicago	031 000 01x -	5 6 2

Bonikowski (5 - 7) Sadowski (3), Donohue (7) and Battey, Zimmerman (8); Herbert (5-4) and Lollar.

Cincinnati	000 211 000 -	4 10 1
Pittsburgh	011 030 00x -	5 8 1

O'Toole (4-5) Klippstein (5), Drabowsky (6), Brosnan (8) and Edwards, Foiles (8); Law (4-3) Olivo (7), Face (9) and Leppert. HRS: — Pinson (14), Lynch (5).

Houston	104 000 210—	8 11
San Fran.	200 201 000—	5 9 2

Bruce, Stone (1) (3-2), Mc-Mahon (7) and Ranew; Marichal Haller. HRs: Hts — Mejias chal, Miller (7) (3-2, Duffalo (9) (17), Larker (5). SF — Haller (7).