Back Stretch

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2.31; Victory Dusty 4, 2.03¾ in 2.41, and Roy Hanover 2.07¾ in 2.20. The work sheet for two-year-olds shows Morris Hanover in 2.42; Nephew Hal in 2.35; Puritan Hal and April Direct in 2.42; Candy Frisky in 2.46 and several other two-year-olds in 2.42 to 2.55. Comparing Joe's stable performances for two-year-olds with those trained elsewhere we think he is combining prudence with good training and balancing as all the members of his stable seem to be making progress. Unlike some of the other two-year-olds, Joe's were not high-priced so if they are not up to expectations the owners will not suffer a great loss.

One of the fastest miles at Pinehurst last week by a two-year-old was turned in by the pacing filly Semi-Sweet by Royal Napoleon in the Albert Jones stable. Her time was 2.41. The top performance in the S. A. Wathen stable was a mile in 2.43 by Mighty Red by Mighty H. The best mile by a two-year-old trotter was Coley Colby's 2.38½. He is being trained by Don Mil-

At Orlando, Florida, Del Miller showed onlookers a two-year-old filly that seems to be the top of the list there. She is Lively Lady and she sped over the clay in 2.25, last quarter in 35 seconds. Several other impressive miles were stepped by members of his stable. John Simpson has not called on any of the Hanover Shoe Farm stable juveniles for better than 2.40 with closing quarters in 34 seconds. Sep Palin and Jimmie Wingfield are pursuing much the same plan. At various other southern traacks trainers seem to consider miles in 2.40 to 2.50 still the safest for juveniles. Certainly no records will be broken for fastest two-year-olds, either pacers or trotters, in the south this season.

And now to Thane Belyea, Fredericton, N. B.:—"I should have written you before about the death of Hamilton G. Kitchen of Fredericton. You will remember he was a great railroad builder and the best patron of harness horse racing we had here in the years 1911 to 1925. The first horse I can recall him owning was James K. Newbro 2.12½. Tommy Raymond bought him in Indiana and he was certainly a popular horse, a striking grey in color he could easily be distinguished among the pack and he had an awful lot of whiz at the finish. If you glance over the summaries of 1914-15 and on you will see his name very prominent. Then there was Alice Hal 2.13, that made a clean sweep of her engagements the season of 1915, also Jess H. 2.14, Tubal Cain 2.16, Tommy Cotter 2.15½, The Manor 2.12¼, Rilla Hal 2.18½, and Miss Keefer 2.20¼. He had some colts out of Miss Keefer and Rilla Hal but they did not make the headlines. Then he bought Mary Sue. She won pretty much all the events she was eligible to and is the dam of all the "L's"—Happy L. Aaaron L., Lil Abbe, etc. The last one he raced was Harry Putnam 2.07¾. Mr. Kitchen was 84 years old and the last years of his life he was nearly blind. Devoted friends in great numbers paid their final tribute of respect to him the last day of January. As Allen Quartermain wrote last week, he was one of the finest owners that a trainer ever worked for."

A letter from Harvey Cormier, well known driver of Salisbury, N.B., informs us that he is a patient in Lancaster Hospital, Floor E., Saint John, N.B., being treated for ulcers of the stomach and may have to go through an operation. We regret very much to hear this bad news but trust that Harvey's good constitution will make an operation unnecessary. He would be very pleased to hear from any horsemen friends and sends his regards to Dr. Temple Hooper and all the horsemen here.

Georges Giguere who has taken over the job of racing secretary at Provincial Raceway, Inc., Richelieu Park, Montreal, is putting new life and vim into that organization and we predict that in a few years night racing in Montreal will be big business. For the season of 1952 he is promoting over $250,000 in stakes and purses. Overnight events will be raced for from $400 to $600 on racing nights. The season will open May 4th and continue until Oct. 26, racing every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights and Sunday afternoons.

Guinea Gold, that suffered three bone fractures in three years is today one of the sport's top pacers. He proved that in 1951 by winning 19 of his 20 races and taking a record of 2.01 for a mile on a half-mile track. He had not been staked so his earnings were comparatively small—less than $7,000. This year as a seven-year-old he will go after the big money. His first accident occurred when he was a 3-year-old. It was a fractured bone in hisc right hind foot. He came back sound the same season to win in 1.59½. In 1949 he broke a bone in his left hind foot and though he recovered enough to race he had a poor year. Bad luck struck the third time in 1951. This time a bone in his left shoulder broke. Given up for racing he was mated to several mares. However, he made a remarkable recovery and was out racing in mid-June. The first start he made he won in 2.07½ and he wound up 1951 with several track marks. In his five years racing he has won 36 of his 73 starts and last year 12 of his 19 wins were in 2.05 and 8 in below 2.05, racing mostly on slow tracks, all of them half-milers.

The sudden death of our horseman friend, Herb Campbell, was very unexpected. Just a day or two previously we had been talking to him for a few minutes and mentioned how well he looked and he said he was really feeling very good. Herb's place of business has been a rendezvous for horsemen for upwards of 35 years and there the race horses, drivers and their performances were thoroughly discussed. It was a most friendly spot and made so by the genial remarks and careful handling of his customers by Herb. Like Large's Livery Barn it was one of the fixtures for horsemen and there probably will not be another like it. With a good memory for horses and their records, Herb was appealed to as an authority on many occasions. He loved horses and raced several during his career, the most outstanding being the trotter The Pup 2.20¼, that won one of the most exciting races held at the Charlottetown track, September, 1926. That race was very pleasantly recalled by Herb for years. Countless horsemen friends throughout the Maritimes and many who met him at Harrisburg and other places, will join with us in extending our deepest sympathy to his bereaved sisters and brothers.

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PROVINCIAL HIGH SCHOOL CURLING CHAMPIONS — The Summerside rink which represented the Province in the Canadian High School Championships at Moncton this week is shown, left to right, Alexander Campbell, skip, Derwyn Huestis, mate, Wyman Miller, second, Clive MacDonald, first.

"The Summerside High School curling rink, provincial champions, deserve great credit for their showing at the Canadian High School Bonspiel just concluded," stated F. R. McLaine on his return from Moncton Thursday.

Provincial representative on the Dominion committee, Mr. McLaine spoke highly of the Island rink's performance both on and off the ice. "They were a credit to the Province and to themselves," he stated.

The Island rink won three of their matches and lost out by only a point or two in several others.

The School Boy Championship is scheduled for Saskatoon next year.

Artillery Meets Signals Monday

The Artillery will meet the Signals Monday night in the first game of a best of three series for the Garrison Hockey League title.

The last time these teams met in the regular schedule the high scoring Sigs. downed the gunners 6-4. Since then the Artillery have strengthened and were impressive in their semi-final win over the Navy.

The game will get underway at 6:45. Following the contest at 8:30 there will be the usual Garrison Night skate to the music of the Recce Band.

King's College Wins 2-1 From PWC In Exhibition

A Kings College hockey team from Halifax backed by the outstanding goaling of young Gordon Trivett eked out a 2-1 decision over the Prince of Wales College team at the Forum last night in an exhibition game.

The Welshmen outplayed their rivals by a wide margin but inaccurate shooting and smart stopping by Trivett kept the local Collegians on the short end of the score.

Trivett had a shutout until the last two minutes of play. Centreman Clee Gillis spoiled his bid by backhanding the disc into the corner of the net after taking a pass from Tommy Scantlebury. The Welshmen were playing with the extra forward up the ice as the result of Jack "Spy" Ready's strategy in pulling the goaltender, a feat which he performed seven times in the last period.

Eisenhaur opened the scoring for the visitors at the 3.12 mark of the first session. He took a pass from Power and rifled a shot past Donnie Simmonds from 10 feet out.

The Kings College sextet went ahead 2-0 early in the third period when Bouchard drove a 20 footer high into the rigging. Bouchard intercepted a P. W. C. pass-out to score the winning goal.

From then on the Welshmen played with their goaltender on the sidelines for most of the game. They controlled the play but could only get through once for the important goal. In the last period the visitors had only two shots on net.

The game did not start until about 10:30 as the visitors were about four hours late in arriving here.

Jack Kane and Art Perry capably handled the contest.

Lineups:—

P. W. C.: Goal, Summonds; defense, MacDougall, Chandler, Birt, Leitch; forwards, Gillis, Clarke, Carson, Hood, Revell, Lantz, Lefrenay, Wood, Smith, Scantlebury, Prowse.

Kings: Goal, Trivett; defense, D. MacDonald, E. MacDonald, Woodhead, Smith; forwards, Sear, Murphy, Bouchard, Lewis, Skinner, Power, Eisenhaur, Tidmark, Greek.

Summary:—

First Period

1—Kings—Eisenhaur, (Power) 3.12

Penalties: None.

Second Period

Scoring—None.

Penalties: Sear (1.15); MacDougall (13.42).

Third Period

2—Kings, Bouchard 7.30

3—P.W.C., Gillis, (Scantlebury) 13.01

Penalties: Gillis (misconduct) (1.45); Clarke (major) 8.07; Bouchard (major) 8.07; MacDonald 8:15.

New Schedule For Intermediate Hockey Playoffs

The Intermediate play-offs games between Summerside R.C.-A.F. and the Summerside Mercurys and between the Borden Nationals and the Freetown Royals, which were scheduled for this week, were postponed on account of bad weather and a new schedule of dates for the games has been arranged by the M.A.H.A. President Walter Lawlor.

Following are the dates on which these games will be played:

Feb. 27 — S'Side R.C.A.F. at S'Side. Mercurys.

Feb. 28 — S'Side. Mercurys at S'Side. R.C.A.F.

March 1 — S'Side. R.C.A.F. at S'Side. Mercurys.

Series C

Feb. 25 — Borden at Freetown.
Feb. 27 — Freetown at Borden.
Feb. 28—Freetown at Borden.

The play-off between Milton, Cornwall and Covehead will be arranged by Mr. Warren, Manager of the North River rink and will be played on available dates.

Bantam Hockey Games Played At S.D.U. Rink

Last evening in a double-header Bantam League feature at S.D.U. Rink P.S.S. Flyers edged Q.S.S. Eagles by a score of 4-2 and W.K.S. Whirlwinds defeated W.K.S. Rangers 9-5.

Following are the summaries:

FIRST GAME

First Period

1—Eagles, Dillon (Duffy, McCormack) 3:00
2—Flyers, Dingwell (Lee) 6:10
3—Flyers, Lee 14:00

Second Period

4—Eagles, Lamoureux 5:25
5—Flyers, Lee 14:55
Penalty—Lamoureux

Third Period

6—Flyers, Lee 9:20
Penalties— Dillon, Duffy, Noonan.

SECOND GAME

First Period

1—Whirlwinds, Birt 6:15
2—Rangers, Phillips (McArthur, Buntain) 11:00
3—Whirlwinds, Pasher 11:30
4—Whirlwinds, MacKensie (Pasher) 13:00
5—Whirlwinds, Clark (White) 14:05

Second Period

6—Rangers, MacDougall (Phillips) 4:00
7—Whirlwinds, Mellish 6:20
8—Rangers, McArthur 13:50

Third Period

9—Rangers, McArthur (McDougall) 2:00
10—Rangers, Buntain (Phillips) 4:10
11—Whirlwinds, MacKenzie (Pasher) 5:00
12—Whirlwinds, Pasher (Lidstone) 5:50
13—Whirlwinds, Pasher (MacKenzie) 6:20
14—Rangers, McArthur (Hyndman) 10:15
15—Whirlwinds, MacKenzie 12:05

Referee—McIsaac.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
No. 709
IN CHANCERY

In the matter of the estate of SAMUEL ALBERT MacDONALD late of Charlottetown in Queen's County, Prince Edward Island, manufacturer, deceased, testate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In pursuance of an order of the Court of Chancery made by the Vice-Chancellor on Wednesday the 20th day of February A. D. 1952.

I hereby notify all creditors of the said deceased and all persons claiming any interest in his estate to appear before the Vice-Chancellor in the Court Room in the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown on Wednesday, the 5th day of March at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon and prove their claims; otherwise to be excluded from the benefit of the said order and barred from any claim against the said estate.

DATED this 23rd day of February A.D. 1952.

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Registrar of the Court of Chancery.

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S.D.U.-U.N.B. Hockey At Forum Here Tonight

The second round of the New Brunswick—Prince Edward Island Intercollegiate hockey series will get underway at the Forum tonight with St. Dunstan's University meeting the University of New Brunswick. The game will get underway at 8:30.

The first round of the series saw U.N.B. defeating Mount Allison University in a home and home series. That competition was completed on Thursday night when U.N.B. eked out a 3-2 win over Mount A.

The Saints, as a result of almost daily practise sessions and City League competition, are expected to give the visiting scholars quite a battle.

They have a young, fast and fairly light team that is rated stronger than last year's sextet. Their strongest point is their net-minding with Harrigan, a former U.N.B. student being the cage cop. Up front they have three well balanced lines backed by four capable blueline blockers.

The Saints drew a bye into the finals for the N.B.—P.E.I. title when St. Thomas University of Chatham dropped out of the competition.

Islanders' Prexy Comments On Club Finances

Because the Islanders have been hard hit by injuries, and the fact that old man Winter has taken a couple of swings at them, clogging the highways with snow and making the present week practically non-productive in a financial way, there has been much loose talk about the club's money problems.

Dr. F. C Dougan, president of the Islanders Hockey Club, put matters aright yesterday when he said: "Certainly we have been hard hit but we have a very loyal people behind us, and they are backing us to the hilt.

"We have no immediate worries," said the Doctor, "but this is not to say that we would not welcome donations from any quarter. We believe that next year the league will be so organized that the individual teams will be able to carry on within their incomes. We expect a reorganization immediately after the play-offs this year. At that time the question of salaries will be dealt with, and it is a foregone conclusion that a more realistic approach will be made to this subject. Meantime," continued the Doctor, "we are rather proud of the fact that this city, solidly supported by hundreds of country residents, is keeping the 'Islanders' a going concern in the Maritimes' major hockey loop.

"It is rather surprising," said he, "that much larger cities pridefully referred to variously as the 'Railroad City', 'The Steel Town', 'the Coal Town' should all be having their difficulties, while the good old Island rolls along, stable and reliable on mixed farming. And," concluded the Doctor with a smile, "this is not the only sport the Island is able to sustain wholeheartedly. Remember we have coming up a grand summer's racing under the lights, and the best exhibition in Eastern Canada. Our farmers make all this possible."

Inter-scholastic Game Tonight

The second game of the Inter-Scholastic Hockey league will be played at the Forum this evening with West Kent School meeting a team from Queen Square. The game will get underway at 6:45.

West Kent have played one game in the series, dropping a 7-4 decision to the Prince Street School boys on Thursday night. Tonight's game will be the first for Q.S.S.

Local Curling Club Schedule

Mixed curling today in Confederation Bonspiel:

11:20 A. M.

J. J. Larable vs. R. A. Parker.
E. S. Giddings vs. Cliff MacDonald.
Ed Tanton vs. W. H. Worth.
T. D. Morrison vs. W. R. Burnett.

1.10 P. M.

T. J. Coley vs. W. R. MacNeill.
W. L. MacDonald vs. W. E. McInnis.
J. E. MacLeod vs. M. Mellish.
J. E. Burden vs. J. S. MacDonald.

Canada At Olympics

What Canada did at the Olympics Friday:

Hockey—Canada defeated Sweden 3-2.

Figure skating, pairs—Robert Norris Bowden and Frances Dafoe of Toronto placed fifth.

Hunters Corner

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correct number. It was 7.674, an average slightly over 108 trout per angler for the season. The list or sheet wasn't hand-picked either. Methinks some of the fishermen are pulling their punch if anything.

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I have noted returns from fishermen who spend every free hour whipping the streams in out of the way places where they get trout too. I smiled to myself when I read the census return. I've checked them with close to as many trout as they reported. Maybe I stumbled across them on their lucky days. This game census return is full of surprises and shows every indication of becoming as temperamental as the results from a general election.

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The biggest upset, surpassing even the pheasant returns, is the way the Ruffed Grouse count has mounted since the census from outlying areas has come in. The "patridge", as many old time gunners are wont to call them, are still an important item in the game bag. In the list as compiled to date the 10 top grouse hunters have reported a total of 92—an average slightly over nine each.

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One argument the game census has disproved is the holler one heard last fall about the Yanks getting all the birds. The 10 local gunners who top the list to date on the number of Huns killed have reported a total kill of 450, an average per hunter of 45 each. The first 156 local hunters submitting game census returns 16 of whom reported taking no Huns and 12 only one each, have reported shooting one thousand five hundred and ninety-nine Huns (1,599) or an average of better than 10 each. At least 20% of the first 156 reporting are not Hungarian partridge hunters but spend their hunting hours after ducks, geese, grouse and pheasants. Huns are incidental with them. Of the 152 non-resident hunters who bought hunting licenses in the province last season, 134 were Americans, 16 were from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and two from Montreal.

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They averaged 22 Huns each and the approximate hunting time for each party was seven days. In addition to the Huns they bagged 64 pheasants and two Ruffed Grouse. At that rate of going it will take the non-resident hunters a long time to clean up the game in the province, especially when they are limited to 200 hunters per season with a quota of 40 birds on top of that. Incidentally this quota per season is liable to be reduced. As I watch the total of game taken in the province by local hunters piling up into three figures I wonder what prompted a license holder to write across his license this recommendation: "No outside licenses for five years and a close season on all birds for two years."

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Another license holder reported one lone Hun in 72 hours hunting. I wonder how many miles he drove and how many gallons of gas he burned ... more gas than powder I betcha.

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Here's a last reminder to delinquent license holders. The time limit for receiving game census returns expires on February 29th. they will have lost their value after that date. There has been a marked stepping up in census returns received by the Department concerned this past week but the step will have to be a lot livelier if even 50% of the angling and hunting licenses sold last season are to be heard from.

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Y.M.C.A. News

Saturday Night Club

This Saturday will be the final night of the present series of the S.N.C. but another series is coming right along pronto. To date this Club has been a very fine success and it is hoped it will continue to be such—but that of course depends on you it's members.

Last Saturday's speaker was Capt. Titcombe of the Salvation Army who spoke on Youth and Alcohol. As an onlooker and a listener it was quite evident that the Captain's talk was much enjoyed. Our thanks to Capt. Titcombe for his splendid contribution to our Club.

The Interest Groups that are being held are really buzzing, especially the square dancing group under the direction of Miss Florine Evans. All of these Interest Groups are being continued in the new series, and perhaps some new ones. That brings a point to mind: There is now a Suggestion Box for the S.N.C. at the "Y". It is hoped you will make use of it and drop in any suggestions you may have.—or complaints. The S.N.C. wants to please you and this is one way it will have to know what you want. If you have any suggestions, remarks or complaints, write them down on a piece of paper (no need for a signature) and drop them into the Suggestion Box at the "Y". Thanks.

The speaker this Saturday is Dr. George Fisher who's topic is "Courtship and Dating". It is expected a large group will be out to hear this talk.

The following Saturday evening, March 1st, will consist of dancing from 9:30 to 12:00. This will be a full night of dancing before we begin our new series the following week. The admission is the same so come along and enjoy yourself for the evening. The new program will be ready by then and each one will be able to get one. If there is anything you would like to have in this new series, that we can arrange, don't forget to drop it into the Suggestion Box right away so we can begin work on it. Until next week—so long.

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So-Ed

The first serious night of So-Ed started on Tuesday with a record-breaking crowd attending the interest and lecture groups. Many new people signed up to attend the interest groups of badminton, bowling, bridge, film projectors course and square dancing. Everyone was most enthusiastic.

In the Current Event series Canon E. M. Malone spoke on "Life and Liberty" and in "You and Your Personality" Dr. J. C. Theriault gave a talk on the general aspects of mental hygiene. Both men had large and attentive groups and those who were there came away with much food for thought.

The balance of the evening was spent dancing to the lively music of the So-Edders, during which a fine lunch was provided. Nice start for the spring So-Ed!

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Leathercraft

A leathercraft class was started this week under the capable direction of Miss Eleanor Higson. There was a fine turnout considering the weather. Most of the members proudly took home a key case or small change purse which they had completed during the evening. Next week they are ready for bigger and better things.

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Boys' Intermediate Basketball

The Intermediate Boys have formed four basketball teams: the Olympics, Capt. Roger Clark; the Knickerbackers, Capt. Ralph Whitehead; the Celtics, Capt. Skinner Thomsen; and the Globe Trotters Capt. Angus MacLaren. A playing schedule is posted on the "Y" bulletin board and another will be published shortly in the newspaper. Next Thursday evening the four teams will be playing, the Knickerbackers and Celtics at 7:00 p.m., the Olympics and Globe Trotters at 8:00 p.m. If you are an intermediate and do not know what team you are on, come into the "Y" and check up.

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The general City area will be involved in the interruption, with the **exception** of the Southwestern section bounded by Great George and Kent Streets, the Northeastern section bounded by Fitzroy Street and Longworth Avenue, and all of Parkdale.

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