



# SPORT



## On the Sidelines

Everyone we know seems destined to go to the boxing-wrestling show at the U. N. B. Gym tonight at eight o'clock. Unless we're greatly mistaken there ought to be some good acts in the ring and mat theater.

English-bred hockey players are progressing so rapidly in the Canadian game, notes the Toronto star, that they are capable of making it at least interesting for teams of Canadians that perform there. But players from the Dominion claim that the British are still some distance behind Europeans and Americans who have a better chance to play on natural ice.

According to the Boston Record, "information from New York is that big gamblers who frequent the Garden at hockey games and boxing matches are receiving a lot of attention from the official police.

Bangor, Maine, is going to put on a boxing show soon in which one of its own sons, Al McCoy, will meet Leo Salvus. McCoy is progressing rapidly since his bouts with Vince Dundee and Al Gainer, two high-ranking mittmen.

It is with a certain sadness that we have to announce that Winnipeg Monarchs, who have been enjoying life in Europe this winter, trimming the best teams on the continent, are coming home soon to play in the Allan Cup eliminations. We can't help a certain discomfort we feel at not being able to once again predict the Dominion championship for the Moncton Hawks. But those days of the Hawks' greatness are definitely over.

While the season is certainly not congenial to fishing or hunting, the following comment about New Brunswick fishing sport, reported by Donald Stillman in his column "Rod and Gun" in the New York Herald-Tribune is not amiss:

**Salmon Fishing**  
"G. A. S. writes: Three friends and myself are planning to go salmon fishing this spring to the south-west branch of the Miramichi River in New Brunswick. We would like to know the proper time in May or June for the spring fishing."

\* Spring salmon fishing in the Miramichi means fishing for mended kelt; that is salmon which instead of returning to the ocean in the fall, remain in the river throughout the winter. Immediately after spawning, these fish are in poor shape, but during the winter they recuperate, and, except that they lose weight and some of their brilliant coloring, probably are the equal of fresh-run salmon from the angler's viewpoint.

This last assertion may draw the indignant fire of salmon anglers to whom the fresh-run salmon is the only salmon. But the truth of the matter is that pound for pound the mended kelt probably wages as game a battle as the fresh-run fish, and while no fish which has spawned is as tasty in the pan as one which has not spawned from the

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## HOLLETT'S MAY BECOME "DEANS" OF HOCKEY

Bill and Brother Frank Great Pair—"Sure, I'm Good," Says Brother Bill of the Leafs.

TORONTO, Feb. 6—Obscure at present as far as the hockey limelight is concerned is a young lad playing for Toronto Dukes in the Ontario Hockey Association junior "B" series. Frank Hollett is the name. He is a brother of Bill Hollett, Maple Leaf defence-man.

Big brother bill is one of the most interesting, most promising and most colorful rookies that has crashed big time hockey in many years. He is fast making a name for himself as hockey's only rival to Dizzy Dean, baseball's No. 1 "nut."

However, "Headline" Hollett needs a little help to really equal Dean's nuttiness because Diz has a brother, Paul, to help him out. Both are members of the world's champion St. Louis Cardinals. Therefore, hockey leaders are hoping that the youngster, Frank Hollett, turns out to be as good a hockey player and just as "daffy" as Bill.

"Sure I'm Good"

If such a thing comes about, hockey will have a brother act to equal the Dean boys' show. Even today, "Will Bill" Hollett can just about equal the "nut" feats of both Deans put together. He is at once both the joy and despair of his bosses. They don't know what he is going to do next, and about the only thing they are sure of is that Bill is turning out to be one sweet hockey player.

Hollett, who originally hails from Nova Scotia, is good and knows he is good. "Sure, I'm good," said Headline. "I'll show these guys how to play hockey.

Several years ago he was quite a lacrosse player and signed to play professional on condition that he be given a chance in pro hockey ranks. Little was known of Hollett's hockey ability as he had played only in a Toronto minor industrial league.

But Bill surprised them—crashed the headlines while performing with Buffalo in the International League—and gained the nickname "Headline." Loaned to Ottawa in the National League last season, he made good in higher company from the start. He took great delight in turning in star efforts when playing against the club that owned him, the Leafs.

**Jumped Off a Boat**

When "Headline" accompanied the Leafs and Detroit Red Wings on their post-season western Canada exhibition last spring, one of his performances was to jump fully clothed from a boat. He happened to be short of cash at the

angle of the conservationist, it must be better conservation to take these fish after they have spawned than before they have spawned, which is the case when catching fresh-run salmon.

I have been in New Brunswick when the mended kelt still were in some rivers and the fresh-run fish were entering others. I have closely observed the fighting tactics of both and am inclined to believe the mended kelt the equal, or virtually so, of the fresh-run fish. I am quite aware that on some rivers it is considered unethical or something to fish for mended kelt, but this does not alter the fact that the spring fishing is the best some New Brunswick rivers have to offer.

June would be too late to find the mended kelt still in the Miramichi and too early for satisfactory angling for fresh-run fish. If I were planning a trip to those waters for mended kelt fishing I would want to arrive there early in May—from the first to the fifth—unless the weather were unusually cold."

## Cubs, Eagles Winners Last Night

League Leaders Defeated Bankers 5-3 to Increase Margin—Youthful Eagles Turn Back Marysville Leafs.

The Fredericton Cubs retained their leadership in the York County Intermediate hockey loop by defeating the local Bankers 5-3 in the first game of a double-header at the Arctic Rink last night. In the second game the youthful Eagles came from behind to down the Marysville Maple Leafs 4-3. A small crowd watched the double bill.

In the first game the Bankers were more aggressive than in previous appearances and gave the Cubs plenty of opposition. "Jeff" Richards in goal for the Bankers was outstanding and saved his team on numerous occasions. Play was rough in spots and Referee Edgar Wade was forced to penalize frequently. The first period ended 1-0 for the Cubs, Beatty scoring on a pass from the redoubtable Steen. Bob Ogilvie evened it up less than a minute after the opening of the second period.

Steen placed the Cubs again in the lead when five seconds later he shot one past Richards. Before the period ended Lynch and Lifford had counted on a smart combination play. The period ended 3-2 for the Cubs. In this period Ogilvie and Mills were put off for scrapping. Ogilvie received a gash over his eye.

The third period was fairly fast and there was heavy checking from both sides. Keenan and Pickard tallied for the league leaders before Palmer ended the night's scoring. There was but one penalty, Ogilvie being chased for holding. For the Cubs Mills, Goodine and McDonald were outstanding, while Rod McDonald, Palmer, Ogilvie and Richards starred for the losers.

### SECOND GAME

The Eagles after a shaky start settled down to a steady brand of hockey and finally emerged victors over the Marysville Maple Leafs by a tally of 4 to 3. The game was forced into overtime and "Bun" McLennahan won the game in the first overtime period on a long shot from center ice.

The first period ended 2-0 for the Maple Leafs, Minue and Cameron scoring unassisted. It looked like a sure win for the Cotton Towners, who have been having some tough breaks in the win column lately. The Leafs held their lead throughout the second stanza. Tait received two penalties for holding. Referee Wade overlooked certain infractions which he deemed

time when one of the other players bet Bill he was afraid to jump overboard.

During a visit of the Leafs to New York somebody handed him a program. He suddenly ripped the booklet in half and hurled it across the room. Asked what the trouble was, Bill replied: "These guys don't know a good hockey player when they see one. They haven't got my picture in the program."

If young Frank can make the grade within the next few years, major league hockey magnates will have the answer to their prayer for a brother act to equal baseball's famous Dean Boys—Dizzy and Daffy.

## Dickson Sails To Join Beaton And McArthur

Foster Dickson, of New Glasgow, former Saint John Beavers' player in the Big Four, sailed for Liverpool, Eng., on the R. M. S. Laconia. Over there he will join the Richmond Hawks, strong English team in the international circuit. Already playing on the team are Joey Beaton and Hymie McArthur, both of whom were members of the Charlotte-town Abegweits last season.

not important. Edgar, by the way, has a habit of this.

After a short talk from Larry McLean the Eagles went out to win by boring-in on their shots. They played four men up most of the time and Ron Laskey counted unassisted five minutes after the period began. Coveney notched the equalized half a minute later with but four minutes to go. Tod Haining beat Staples on a pass from McIntyre. Laskey, playing a whirlwind game, batted one in to send the game into overtime. The only penalty in this period was handed out to Miller of the Leafs.

In the first overtime session "Bun" McLennahan raced to center ice and sent a high shot which completely fooled Fradsham, the Leaf goaler. The Eagles resorted to defensive tactics to defend their lead and the game ended 4-3 in favor of the Eagles.

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**EAGLES:**—Goal, Staples; defence, Flowers, and Tait; forwards, Kilburn, Coveney, Laskey, McLennahan, Morehouse, Mawhinney.

**MARYSVILLE:** Goal, Fradsham; defence, Minue and Miller; forwards, Fallon, F. Wade, Cameron, McIntyre, Haining and Dinsmore.

### First Period

Marysville, Minue, 5 mins.  
Marysville, Cameron, 13 mins.  
Penalties: Miller.

### Second Period

No score.  
Penalties: Tait (2).

### Third Period

Eagles, Laskey, 5 mins.  
Eagles, Coveney, (Kilburn) 5:30 m.  
Marysville, Haining (McIntyre) 16 mins.

Eagles, Laskey, 18 mins.  
Penalties: Miller.

### Overtime

Eagles, McLennahan, 7 mins.  
Penalties: McLennahan, Referee, Edgar Wade.

**BANKERS:**—Goal, Richard; defence, Ogilvie, Malloy; left wing, R.

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## WAITE HOYT READY FOR BIG LEAGUE GRIND

NEW YORK, Feb. 6—Waite Hoyte, the prize relief artist of the National League last summer, is passing the off-season in Florida and has notified the Pittsburgh Pirate officials he will go direct from the southernmost state to the training camp, probably arriving there before the party from Pittsburgh.

Hoyt has been living the outdoor life ever since the past season closed, and sends word to Bucco headquarters that he is right now in the proverbial pink of condition.

The chances are that next season Hoyt will get a real chance as a starting moundman for Manager Pie Traynor has a world of confidence in him, and figures he has shown enough as a Pirate to warrant counting on him for regular full distance duty.

Of course, if Hoyt shows that the strain is too much, the plans can easily be changed after the campaign gets under way.

Word has been received that pitchers Harold Smith, Ralph (Lefty) Birkoff, Charles (Red) Lucas, Steamer Struss and Heine Meine will be waiting with Coach Jewel Ens at St. Louis when the train pulls in on the way west, while Frank Parenti, a sandlotter from Albuquerque, who has been given permission to work out with the Corsairs, will be picked up in New Mexico.

It is probable that this will complete the advance guard, the other battery-men going direct to camp from their homes by other routes.

McDonald, Drapeau; centre, Lynch, Thompson, right wing, R. Wade, Palmer.

**CUBS:**—Goal, Young; defence Goodine, Pickard; left wing, Mills Steen; centre, Beatty, McDonald right wing, Keenan, Lifford.

### First Period

Cubs, Beatty (Steen); 19:45 mins.

### Second Period

Bankers, Ogilvie, 45 seconds.  
Cubs, Steen, 55 secs.

Bankers, Lynch (Wade) 4:35 mins.  
Cubs, Lifford (Pickard) 8 mins.

Penalties: Mills, Ogilvie, McDonald Malloy, Ogilvie, Keenan, Pickard.

### Third Period

Cubs, Keenan (Lifford, Goodine)

7:40 mins.  
Cubs, Pickard (Steen). 15:30 mins.

Bankers, (Palmer, Thompson) 16 mins.

Penalties: Ogilvie.

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## ENDEAVOUR TO SAVE RUGBY IN WEST CANADA

Alberta and B. C. Form Provincial Loops As Safety Measure — Expenses Heavy.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6—Formation of an interprovincial rugby league including teams in Alberta and British Columbia will mean the salvation of the game in the west, Sax Crossley, past president of the Western Canadian Rugby Union, stated.

"If we can't get a 'cent-a-mile' rate there is no doubt the league will be in operation this fall," Crossley said. "At present sport is being forced north and south instead of east and west due to the heavy cost of sending clubs on trips.

Two new Vancouver clubs would be operated in the new loop, Crossley said. Meralomas, British Columbia w-tlists for the past three years, would be one and either North Shore or Vancouver Athletic Club the other.

New Westminster definitely would not enter as the Royal City last year transferred its franchise in the Vancouver Big Four League to the North Shore club for two years and present indications are the Northerners will be granted a permanent franchise of their own at the annual meeting of the Big Four this year.

### Roy Beavers Enthusiastic

An inter-provincial rugby league taking in Alberta and British Columbia teams is the hope of Roy Beavers, chairman of the new Calgary Rugby Football club. Plans are underway to build up a strong team for the 1935 season and to bring to the city an outstanding coach to handle the squad.

If feasible, Beavers plans to organize the inter-provincial league to include Edmonton Eskimos, Edmonton Varsity and, probably, Lethbridge. These three Alberta units would link up with teams at Vancouver and New Westminster. Railway companies will be asked to consider lowered transportation rates.

A Boosters' club to make Calgary rugby conscious will be organized and many prominent sportsmen will be included in its membership.

## Cubs Lost Sum of \$600,000 in Baseball

CHICAGO, Feb. 6—An adjustment in the appraisal of the stock value of the Chicago Cubs was being sought today by owner Philip K. Wrigley, following his disclosure that the team, regarded as one of baseball's biggest money makers, had lost \$600,000 over the last three years.

Wrigley said decrease in attendance, generous salaries to players and the large cash expenditure for the purchase of stars caused the club's financial losses over the three-year period.

As far as known, no radical salary cuts have been made this year and Wrigley expects to have all players signed in record time. Catcher "Gabby" Hartnett was the first to sign his 1935 contract.