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WHYS AND OTHERWISE
AS SEEN BY
H. L. G.

Up in Montreal they take their wrestling with peanuts. But, mind you, the spectators don't chew them. Oh, no, they throw them at the contestants and especially at the referee. Wrestling or the "grunt and groan" game is very democratic in this respect. Because the fans throw the peanuts in the general direction of the ring no matter what happens.

Brooklyn Dodgers will not hire "Babe" Ruth, Tony Lazzeri or any other American League man to manage the team, Stephen W. McKeever, 81-year-old president of the baseball club, says.

"We have about 90 applications for the job, most of them from good men, and we ought to be able to get a good National Leaguer out of the lot," McKeever said.

Rumors circulated that Lazzeri, veteran second baseman of New York Yankees, was being considered as a successor to Casey Stengel, deposed manager of the Dodgers. "That's nonsense," roared McKeever. Ruth insisted he still was eager for a chance at the job. "I think Brooklyn has the best franchise in the National League," said the "Babe." "and I think I'd probably have more actual cash value there than anywhere else."

The Bruins in the National Hockey League have sold Robert Blake and Phil Hergeshiemer, wingmen, to the Minneapolis American Hockey Association club.

That "wild horse race" in the 11th annual world's championship rodeo at Madison Square Garden the other night was captured by Herman Linder, of Calgary, Alta., if you don't remember. Nine horses that had never been saddled or ridden were turned loose and a team of three men attempted to saddle each horse with the captain required to ride the horse across the finish line at the extreme end of the arena. Linder and his aides saddled their wild horse first and Herman mounted the bucking broncho and rode him across the finish line.

Softball isn't yet over at Montreal, where this week in a freezing temperature the Trenholm A. A. A. Intermediate champs played the Senior champion Boulevard team. The softball season there will be brought to a close on Monday of next week at Canada's metropolis, when Boulevards and Ahuntsic clash.

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Fredericton One of 4 Clubs Southern N. B. Hockey Circuit

FREDERICTON LIKELY TO ENTER CLUB IN SOUTHERN N. B. LOOP
Saint John, Amherst, Moncton Also Probable League Members

SAINT JOHN, Oct. 15—The formation of the Southern New Brunswick Hockey League for 1936 depends on the outcome of a meeting of representatives of four clubs to be held in Moncton the coming week-end.

The four clubs to be represented are Saint John, Fredericton, Moncton and Amherst.

Announcement of the meeting was made last night following a regular session of the Saint John Hockey Club held at the Royal Hotel.

J. Vernon Cunningham, who made the announcement stated that with H. L. Marcus and P. D. Machum he had been named a delegate to attend the Moncton meeting.

The officials of the local club last night decided that a pre-season series between the Saint John Club and a Halifax All-Star team would be an attraction for the fans and negotiations are to be made within a day or two.

Although the personnel of the Saint John team was not announced last night Mr. Cunningham said that the officials felt that a fine hockey machine for Saint John would result.

At present the club is in contact with a well-known coach from Upper Canada and hopes to secure his services for the coming season.

Mr. Cunningham said that commercial league hockey was out and expressed the belief that the Southern New Brunswick League would give the local fans as well as those in other towns here the team will function plenty of action.

The directors of The Forum, Ltd., have decided that W. Norman (Algy) Brittain, former collegiate athletic star, will manage The Forum the coming season, succeeding D. J. Corr. This was decided on at a meeting and before the end of the week plans will be completed, it was learned, to have Mr. Brittain assume his new duties.

It was also stated that repairs within the rink are under way and a good coating of ice will be made by the first of next week. The rink will be open for skating after the exhibition games between Montreal Maroons and Boston Bruins.

Mr. Brittain is a son of former Mayor James W. Brittain, and is a graduate of Dalhousie University. He was assistant manager to Mr. Corr last season. He is a keen sportsman and starred during his school and college career. During the summer months this year he was the ace hurler for the Ketepec Aces, district softball champions.

HARNESS NOTES

Calumen Evelyn seems to have a possible rival for double-gaited honors in the five-year-old bay mare Maralie Hanover, by Sandy Flash, 2:14.1-4, out of Maralie, by Lee Axworthy. Foaled at Hanover Shoe Farm and sold as a yearling for \$100, she came out as a pacer at two years old, earning a record of 2:09.1-4 which she lowered to 2:04.1-4 at three and 2:02.3-4 at four. Less than a month ago she suddenly took to trotting in her work but filled her pacing engagements at Lexington, where she made a break and was distanced. Harry Short, her trainer, brought her out a few minutes after and worked her in 2:02.1-2 on a trot, to the astonishment of all horsemen. John E. Kelly, of Bangor, Me., owns the remarkable mare. Leon, a grandson of Guy Axworthy that changed his gait this season after pacing in 2:01.1-4 also earned a trotting record of 2:04.1-4 during the meeting.

But the most astonishing performance at Lexington was that of the four-year-old mare Margaret Castleton. After having driven her to victory in her first public race for the Jack-Pot Sweepstakes, Mrs. Willis Nichols sent her for a record against time on Saturday and she stopped the watches at 2:01, beating the best previous performance by a trotter driven by a woman.

SIX BOUGHT BY CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Oct. 15—Six members of the Fargo-Moorhead Twins were sold to Zanesville in the Middle Atlantic League and will report to their new club next spring. Under the working agreement with the Cleveland Indians, Zanesville had the privilege of selecting the sextette, which included Pitchers Kenny Jungles and Gene Fish, Outfielders Truman Connell and Hugh Alexander, Second Baseman Blas Monaco and Catcher Gus Hixon.

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BILL MILLER SIGNS WITH CANADIENS

MONTREAL, Oct. 14—Two former Maritime hockey players are working out here with the red-white-and-blue squad of Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League.

Railbirds say Bill Miller and Joffre "Dizzy" Desilets, who have played on New Brunswick teams, are both showing impressive early-season form.

Both have been signed to contracts with the Habitants.

Miller, a forward and defenceman with the Moncton Hawks when they were ruling the amateur hockey roost as Allan Cup champions, is expected to be shifted to a defensive berth this year.

Desilets, who used to turn out with Saint John Beavers, is a right-winger. He was on the Canadian roster for part of last season.

Miller was considered one of the best players ever turned out in the East. While with the Moncton Hawks in the Maritimes "Big Four" League he was used as an all-round player and played defence equally as well as forward. He went to the Montreal Maroons from the Hawks but was sold to Canadiens last season.

Desilets formerly played for the Charlottetown Abegweits on the former Stratford "kid" line of Brennehan-Gettiffe-Desilets, and also with Saint John Beavers. Gettiffe this year is with Boston Bruins. No word has been forthcoming about Brennehan, who was with London Tecumsehs in the International Hockey League.

APOLOGY FOR DISTURBANCE ON FOOTBALL FIELD

Student Court to Deal With Football Rioters

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 15—A student court this week will deal with sophomore vigilant committees of the three faculties of Queen's University who are charged collectively with inciting freshmen in a disturbance at the conclusion of the McGill-Queen's rugby football game here.

As the final whistle blew, freshmen, arrayed in pyjamas, dashed from their seats in the bleacher section, crossed the field, swarmed up into the grandstand and attempted to seize three McGill students suspected of having painted the Queen's goalposts Friday night. The section of the grandstand was occupied by supporters of both teams, and some spectators allegedly were roughly treated by the freshmen during several hand-to-hand encounters.

Members of the McGill team, still on the field as the fracas started, seeing what they believed to be a concerted attack on McGill supporters, piled into the grandstand.

One spectator was seized by the freshmen who cut his hair. They thought he was one of the three McGill students they had been sent to punish. It was said he was a reporter from a Montreal newspaper.

SPORT BRIEFS
ADMITTED TO LEAGUE

SEATTLE, Oct. 15—Spokane Indians have been formally admitted to membership in the Northwestern Professional Hockey League, completing the four-team roster which includes the Portland Buckaroos, Vancouver Lions and Seattle Seahawks. Dr. Gordon B. Leitch of Portland was re-elected president and Phil Lyvette of Seattle, vice-president at a meeting of league officials here. The season will open Monday, November 9, with Seattle on Vancouver ice.

GOULET AND PICHE TO TRY-OUT WITH RED WINGS

THREE RIVERS, Oct. 15—Paul Goulet and Philippe Piche of Three Rivers, who played with Pittsburgh in the International Hockey League last year, are to be given a try-out with Detroit Red Wings in the National Hockey League. Jack Adams, Detroit

RIVALS MEET - MOODY WINS

BERKELEY, Cal., Oct. 15—Mrs. Helen Willis Moody, 1935 Wimbledon champion, triumphed in her first clash in two years with her bitterest rival, Helen Hull Jacobs of Berkeley.

Mrs. Moody and her partner, Donald Budge of the U. S. Davis Cup team, climbed into the Pacific coast mixed doubles championship at the expense of Miss Jacobs and Henry Culley of Santa Barbara in a one-set meeting completing the match started Sunday and ended by darkness.

The score of Tuesday's third and deciding set was 6-4. Tuesday the Moody-Budge combination won one set, 10-8, and the Jacobs-Culley team another, 7-5.

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