Dodgers take substantial lead

Dorothy Ratcliffe defeats Beryl Bush to win women's singles tennis crown

Dorothy Ratcliffe won the Prince Rupert women's singles tennis championship by defeating Beryl Bush in two out of three sets at the Rotary Tennis Courts last night.

In the first set Ratcliffe edged Bush 6-4 games. In the second Bush came back with a 6-1 win, but was beat in a tight long drawn final set by a score of 8-6 games.

The final set proved to be a thriller for the group of spectators gathered for this the final competition of the Prince Rupert Tennis Club's Annual closed tournament.

Bush played strong offensive tennis during the three sets while Ratcliffe played well on the defensive.

For awhile, in the final set, it seemed Ratcliffe was tiring under Bush's fast, hard hitting siege.

Bush's serves were on but she showed some weakness in her returns. She frequently overshot the playing area.

Ratcliffe floundered in the twelfth and thirteenth games but gather wind back in the fourteenth and got ahead of Bush with a 40-5 score.

The final rally of the last set caused a good deal of excitement as both women battled it out with long shots for quite some time before Ratcliffe decided to shorten one of her returns to throw her opponent off and win the championship.

The tournament showed some good tennis and it is expected the Junior tournament to be held this coming Saturday will also have plenty in store.

Tournament results:

Men's Singles—B Flight
Semi-Finals

Rollie Smith beat Carl Etzertza 6-4; Jake Vandenbrink beat Tom Ronson 8-6.

Finals

Rollie Smith beat Jake Vandenbrink 7-5, 4-6 and 6-3.

Mixed Doubles—B Flight
Semi-Finals

Marge Tough and Rollie Smith beat Ozzie Lindseth and Bob Tough 7-5; Anne Smith and Jake Vandenbrink beat Joyce and Tom Poulton 6-4.

Finals

Marge Tough and Rollie Smith beat Anne Smith and Jake Vandenbrink, 5-7, 6-1 and 6-0.

Ladies Doubles—A Flight
Semi-Finals

Dorothy Ratcliffe and Marge Tough beat Helga Wooster and Magda Adolph 6-1 and 6-3; Beryl Bush and Val Pippus beat Anne Smith and Ozzie Lindseth 6-1 and 6-4.

Finals

Beryl Bush and Val Pippus beat Dorothy Ratcliffe and Marge Tough 5-7, 11-9 and 6-4.

Men's Doubles—Semi-Finals

Derrick Ratcliffe and Jack Lem beat Jake Vandenbrink and Dave Bonn 11-5 and 6-1; Bob Bush and Bob Lem beat Helge Holkestad and W. D. Arnold 6-8, 6-4 and 6-2.

Finals

Derrick Ratcliffe and Jack Lem beat Bob Bush and Bob Lum 6-1 and 9-7.

Ladies Singles—Semi-Finals

Beryl Bush beat Helga Wooster 6-2, 5-7 and 6-1; Dorothy Ratcliffe beat Elsa Holder 6-3 and 6-2.

Men's Singles—Semi-Finals

Bob Bush beat Derrick Ratcliffe 6-1 and 6-1; Helge Holkestad beat W. D. Arnold 6-1 and 6-1.

Finals

Relge Holkestad beat Bob Bush 6-2, 5-7 and 8-6.

Mixed Doubles—Semi-Finals

Dorothy Ratcliffe and Derrick Ratcliffe beat Val Pippus and Bert Patterson 6-3 and 6-0.

Beryl Bush and Bob Bush beat Trudy Symington and Bob Lum 6-0 and 6-2.

Finals

Beryl Bush and Bob Bush beat Dorothy Ratcliffe and Derrick Ratcliffe 6-2 and 7-5.

Brampton wins lacrosse finals

VICTORIA (CP) — Brampton Excelsiors defeated Victoria Shamrocks 13-10 in the first game of the best-of-seven Canadian junior lacrosse final Tuesday night and left 1,200 fans wondering just how much more effective the Ontario club will be when well rested.

The Excelsiors arrived here late Tuesday after an exhausting train ride from Toronto and, with less than five hours rest, wore down Victoria with a relentless fast-breaking attack.

Honolulu — Hurricane Kid, 153, San Francisco, knocked out Winnie Rebolado, 149¾, Manila, (5).

Teams jockey for position

Few things are cut and dried as the Pacific Coast League baseball season streaks to a close.

The league has a pennant-winner in San Diego, but the other spots in the first division are up for grabs. Even Vancouver Mounties — in seventh place — have a chance if their nearest rivals start losing.

Tuesday night the Mounties won — 7-5 at home against Salt Lake City Bees — but sixth-place Portland did as well, edging Spokane 3-2.

And Hawaii, another notch higher and 3½ games ahead of Mounties, dropped San Diego 6-5.

Tacoma maintained its drive for second place by making it three straight over Seattle, this time 11-3 to edge within half a game of Salt Lake.

King retains amateur boxing championship

TORONTO (CP) — Jim King, 28-year-old Negro heavyweight from Glace Bay, N.S., couldn't get a fight last year but made up for it Monday night in the Canadian amateur boxing championship. King defended his Canadian heavyweight title by knocking out Phil Loomer of Sackville, N.B., in the first round.

In 56 amateur fights King has won 51, 46 of them by knockouts, and all in the first round.

Another hard puncher who was impressive was Ronnie Jones of Montreal, who stopped veteran Larry Cardinal of Victoria, B.C., in the third round of their middleweight fight.

In the battle of champions, Harvey Reti of Taber, Alta., defeated Winnie Schelt, the defending light - welterweight champion. Reti was also a defending champion but in the welterweight division. He weighed 146 pounds last year but dropped to 139 pounds and vacated the welterweight crown.

The boxers were also battling for places on Canada's six man British Empire Games team.

RESULTS

Bantamweight, 119 lbs: Orvin Combs, Drayton Valley, Alta., decisioned Cal Osmond, Sarnia.

Lightweight, 132 lbs.: Mickey McMillan, 100 Mile House, B.C., decisioned Joey Morgan, Windsor, Ont.

Light - welterweight, 139 lbs.: Harvey Reti, Taber Alta., decisioned Winnie Schelt, Vancouver.

Light-middleweight, 156 lbs.: Harold Mann, Prince George, B.C., defeated John Kubinec, Windsor, Ont. Stopped in third round.

Middleweight, 155 lbs.: Ronnie Jones, Montreal, defeated Larry Cardinal, Victoria, B.C. Stopped in third round.

Light-heavyweight, 178 lbs.: Lorne Fredericks, Edmonton, decisioned Robert Palu, Windsor Mills, Que.

Roseboro's stealing helps defeat Giants

By The Associated Press

Los Angeles Dodgers, big, bad bandits on the basepaths, have stretched their National League lead to 3½ games on a sudden burst of speed by the unlikeliest desperado of them all — catcher John Roseboro.

The 5-foot-11, 195-pound Dodger receiver came barreling home in the fifth inning of Tuesday night's key battle with the second-place San Francisco Giants, sliding in safely with the run that turned out to be the clincher in a 5-4 squeaker.

The Dodger triumph, besides boosting their edge over the Giants, equalled the key four-game series between the leaders at one game apiece and gave the Dodgers a substantial edge with 23 games remaining before the NL awards its blue ribbon.

It looked like an easy one for the Dodgers, who struck for three quick runs off Bill Pierce in the first inning on run-producing hits by Tommy Davis, Frank Howard and Ron Fairly. The Giants got one back against Pete Richert in the fifth on Tom Haller's homer.

Then Roseboro lashed a triple, scoring Lee Walls, and stole home for the second time within a week.

National League

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Los Angeles	91	48	.655	—
San Francisco	87	51	.630	3½
Cincinnati	85	55	.607	6½
Pittsburgh	83	56	.578	6½
St. Louis	74	65	.532	17
Milwaukee	72	68	.514	19½
Philadelphia	68	75	.477	25
Chicago	52	87	.346	39
Houston	51	89	.370	39½
New York	35	106	.248	57

GIANTS STOPPED

Ron Perranoski came on for the Dodgers to protect the lead, but ran into trouble in the ninth when a single by Harvey Kuenn and a homer by Jose Pagan brought the Giants within one run. But he bore down, striking out slugger Willie Mays and Orlando Cepeda to end it.

The third - place Cincinnati Reds remained 6½ games back, using Marty Keough's homer for a 9-6 victory over Milwaukee Braves. St. Louis Cardinals belted Chicago Cubs 7-1 on homers by Stan Musial and Gene Oliver while Harvey Haddix pitched and batted Pittsburgh Pirates to a 5-1 decision over New York Mets.

At Houston, the Colts snapped their 17-game losing streak to Philadelhpia, beating the Phils 4-1 behind Bob Bruce's four-hitter without the elaborate jinx-breaking production which they tried Labor Day.

"The game's not over until the final out" might be a trite old battle cry — but for the amazing Los Angeles Angels it's a way of life.

Following the script they've used so often this season, the Angels humbled New York Yankees 7-6 Tuesday by pouring across six runs in the seventh inning and producing the winner in the ninth. It was the 16th time this year they've scored the clincher in their last turn at bat, and the 33rd time they've come from behind in the final three innings.

American League

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
New York	82	59	.582	—
Minnesota	79	61	.564	2½
Los Angeles	78	62	.557	4½
Detroit	70	67	.511	10
Chicago	71	69	.507	10½
Balitmore	70	70	.500	11½
Cleveland	68	74	.479	14½
Boston	65	74	.468	16
Kansas City	63	77	.450	18½
Washington	54	87	.383	28

It was a day of multiple shocks for the Yankees, whose American League lead over the rain-idled Minnesota Twins was cut to 2½ games and over the third-place Angels to 3½.

Even before game time, the Bombers received a disheartening setback when the muscular but fragile slugger Mickey Mantle was disabled in a batting practice mishap. Mantle tore the lining loose from his rib cage taking a hard cut, missed the game completely, and is expected to be sidelined for several days.

SMITH GETS CLUTCH HIT

In other AL action, Chicago White Sox edged Cleveland 3-2 on Al Smith's pinch single in the 13th inning and Kansas City whipped Boston 7-2. In addition to the Twins-Senators postponement at Washington, Detroit Tigers and Orioles were rained out at Baltimore.

PRINCE RUPERT women softball all-stars won the Northwestern British Columbia softball championships at Terrace Sunday. Pictured at centre is Carol McKay who received the trophy on behalf of the local team. At left is Norma Bellamy of Terrace who won the most valuable player award, and Chris Hobenshield who won an award for hitting the first home-run in the tournament.

Old Country Soccer

Results of soccer matches played in the United Kingdom over the weekend.

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I

Aston Villa 1, Blackpool 1
Burnley 2, Arsenal 1
Fulham 1, Everton 0
Ipswich 1, Notts F 1
Leicester 4, Bolton 1
Leyton 2, West Ham 0
Liverpool 2, Sheffield U 0
Man United 2, Birmingham 0
Sheffield W 3, West Brom 1
Tottenham 4, Man City 2
Wolverhampton 4, Blackburn 2

Division II

Bury 0, Scunthorpe 2
Cardiff 1, Middlesbrough 2
Charlton 2, Luton 0
Grimsby 0, Norwich 2
Huddersfield 1, Leeds 1
Plymouth 3, Walsall 1
Portsmouth 1, Derby 0
Preston 2, Newcastle 1
Rotherham 2, Southampton 0
Stoke 0, Chelsea 0
Sunderland 3, Swansea 1

LONDON (Reuters)— Results of soccer matches played in the United Kingdom Monday night:

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP
First Round

Torquay 2, Oxford 0
Tranmere 2, Carlisle 3

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I

Blackpool 2, Notts F 1
West Ham 1, Liverpool 0

Division III

Millwall 5, Hull City 1
Port Vale 4, Colchester 2
Queen's PR 4, Crystal P 1
Southend 3, Shrewsbury 1

Division IV

Chesterfield 1, Stockport 2
Hartlepools 0, Darlington 2
Newport 2, Lincoln 1
Southport 3, Barrow 3

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division II

Arbroath 1, Cowdenbeath 1

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MEETING THURSDAY

There will be a general meeting of the Prince Rupert Basketball association in the ladies lounge of the Civic eCntre beginning at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

A minor Basketball meeting will be held next Monday 7:30 p.m. in the common lounge of the Civic Centre.

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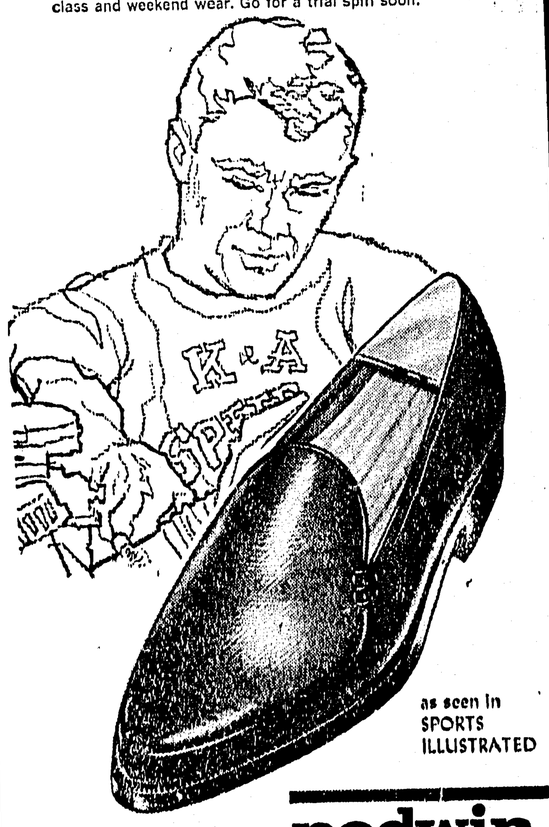

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