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CINCINNATI IS LEADING AGAIN

CHICAGO CUBS IN SECOND PLACE, GIANTS THIRD AND BROOKLYN FOURTH

(Special to Daily News)

NEW YORK, May 23.—Cincinnati Reds, defeating St. Louis Cardinals yesterday, are again leading the National League while the New York Giants, routing the Phillies by 9 to 1, are in third place, one-and-a-half games behind. Chicago Cubs, losing to the Pittsburg Pirates, dropped from the top to second place, while Brooklyn Robins, with a win over Boston, are now in fourth place. The Cardinals are in fifth place.

In the American League, the New York Yankees doubled the score of the Philadelphia Athletics in the first game of a series which turned out to be a regular old bush league batting bee. There were no changes in the standing of this league. Cleveland Indians and St. Louis Browns were even three all when the game was called.

Yesterday's scores:

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 9, Philadelphia 1.
Pittsburg 4, Chicago 2.
Brooklyn 5, Boston 3.
Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston 4, Washington 6.
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 3.
New York 14, Philadelphia 7.
Chicago 4, Detroit 6.

COAST LEAGUE
Mission 6, San Francisco 7.
Hollywood 1, Los Angeles 2.
Portland 5, Seattle 3.
Oakland 6, Sacramento 4.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	23	15	.605
Chicago	22	15	.595
New York	17	12	.586
Brooklyn	19	15	.559
St. Louis	20	16	.556
Pittsburg	17	16	.515
Boston	10	21	.329
Philadelphia	6	24	.200

American League

New York	25	6	.807
Philadelphia	19	9	.678
Cleveland	20	14	.588
Boston	14	17	.452
Washington	14	18	.438
St. Louis	14	19	.424
Detroit	14	23	.378
Chicago	10	24	.294

THISTLES WIN SECOND GAME

DEFEATED GRAND TERMINALS 3 TO NIL AND HAVE EDGE ON STUART FOOTBALL SHIELD SERIES

With a decisive three to nil victory over the Grand Terminals, the Thistles last night got the jump in the Stuart Benefit Shield football series, having now won the opening two games in that competition and beaten both other teams in the league. Weather conditions were just right for play and there was another good-sized crowd of fans in attendance.

Quality of play was not as high a standard as in the first game between the Thistles and Regiment.

The first half was productive of no scoring and, if anything, the Grand Terminals probably had the edge of the play. They were on the offensive a good part of the time but were unable to register. Both sides, as a matter of fact, missed a number of scoring chances.

The second half saw Terminals start with a rush and Warren hit the upright with Campbell well beaten. A minute later Jack Campbell saved well from Dickens. Thistles combined well and Campbell hit the upright with Gurvich at the other end of the goal. Alex Mitchell centred well and, following a weak clearance by Skinner, Campbell put Thistles a goal up. Jack Campbell saved well from Dickens after the Terminals had combined well. Thistle defence was very sound, Hadden and Haig stopping Warren and Chenoski effectively. Murray hit the upright and later his long try went over. Campbell caught Dickens' header and then the latter shot wildly over. Thistles had a narrow escape when Harrison's shot hit the inside of the upright and Campbell scrambled the ball away. Gurvich fell on the ball to clear and then faulty back play let Campbell in to score his second goal. Murray made a fine opening for Campbell but the latter shot wide. H. Erskine made it three nothing when he gave Gurvich no chance from close in. At the other end Campbell ran out to kick clear. Erskine and Haig were not to be beaten and a drive of Harrison's was luckily blocked. Terminals forced there corners but could not score and Thistles ran out winners by three goals to nil.

Teams:

Terminals — S. Gurvich, Skinner, Howe; Harison, Hill, Lundy, Hamilton, Strachan, Dickens, Warren, Chenoski.

Thistles—Jack Campbell, Haig, Erskine, Hadden, S. Currie, Woods; A. Mitchell, Erskine, Jock Campbell, Murray, Jimmie Currie.

Referee—Gus. Krause.

Linesmen — George Waugh and A. Clapperton.

SPORT CHAT

The British Columbia championship in the Dominion marksmen rifle competition open to all cadet corps of the province, was won recently by a team from Ocean Falls Cadet Corp with the very excellent score of 1400. The team, by winning the provincial honors, is now elegible to compete for the Dominion championship against the champions of each province. The Ocean Falls team consists of R. Brownhill, L. Silversides, D. Nickol, J. Raymond, D. McKay and were under the instruction of J. J. Raymond, popular chief of the Ocean Falls fire department. The provincial championship last year was won by the Victoria High School with a score of 1369 out of 1400, and the Dominion championship by the Delta Collegiate Institute, Hamilton, Ont., with 1398 out of 1400, which was a world's record for cadet corps.

Almost every day now changes the complexion of things in the National baseball league. So many teams have had a crack at the leadership so, with the New York Giants' brief rule a while ago the longest, that the situation is to say the least uncertain. When, as yesterday, six teams are above the .500 mark in the standing, it signifies a close race and certainly the present season's has so far been close enough. There is going to be a plenty of excitement and speculation before the Chicago Cubs, Cincinnati Reds, St. Louis Cardinals, New York Giants, Brooklyn Robins and Pittsburg Pirates, favorites and what not, decide which is going to have the penant. And the American League also may yet be productive of more interest than so far has been attending it. With their galaxy of old stars aboard, the Philadelphia Athletics have so far bid for honors they have staged for years and who would not like to see the Mackmen cop a flag after all these years of waiting? Meantime, every time the New York Yankees receive a trouncing, and so far that has been seldom enough, tongues wag and say that youth may not after all have always to be served.

Boxing fans are evincing considerable interest in the twelve round affairs between Battling Dido Gurvich of Prince Rupert and Alf Harding of Calgary which will take place tonight in the Exhibition Hall. With an interesting bill of preliminaries arranged as well, the card should draw a large crowd, particularly since the local boy is in action again. This will be the first appearance of Dido since his recent training campaign in the south, also his first participation in the twelve-round distance. He has many supporters and confidence is being expressed in many quarters as to his chances of winning. If he can hold off the attack of the rough and tumble Bristol boy, he should have a good chance to win on points if not by a knockout. He will have to watch, however, that his opponent does not get the jump on him for Harding is a hard hitter, differing somewhat in that respect from Jimmy McDonald with whom Dido has had two fights. Both boys are reported to be in good trim and, unless something untoward happens, it should be an interesting grind.

Around The World With Sport Fans

(By The Tramp)

According to Vancouver track and field authorities, the Province of British Columbia will not take a large contribution to the Canadian Olympic trials says the Toronto Globe. The little sprinter, Percy Williams, who made a remarkable showing under adverse circumstances at the national meet here last summer, is expected to win the Provincial sprint events. He did better than even time at Seattle, Washington, a few days ago. John Cameron put the 16-pound shot 43 feet, whereas the standard is 46 feet. Bob Gill made 149 feet in the hammer, and the standard is 150 feet. Unless very great improvement is shown, and the Canadian Olympic standards bettered, the track "team" from the coast is likely to consist of Williams only.

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Poker is under the ban in Italy. It has been declared a game of chance and as such comes under the ban of of the Fascist Government unless for purely nominal stakes. Professional poker and the playing by the working classes for high stakes is what is aimed at.

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WESTERN RACING DATES

Cochrane, Alta.—May 16 to 19.
Victoria Park, Calgary—May 23 to 30 and July 9 to 14.
Chinook Park, Calgary—June 2 to 9, and August 8 to 15.
Polo Park, Winnipeg—June 16 to 23, and September 3 to 10.
Whittier Park, Winnipeg—June 26 to July 2 and Aug. 25 to Sept. 1.
Landsdown Park, Vancouver—June 30 to July 7, and Aug. 1 to 8.
Brighouse Park, Vancouver—July 11 to 18 and Aug. 27 to Sept. 3.
Hastings Park, Vancouver—July 21 to 28.
Colwood Park, Victoria—August 9 to 16 and September 8 to 16.
Willows Park, Victoria—August 18 to 25.

There will also be racing during the exhibition in Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon and Edmonton, with the possibility of a meet at Edmonton in the fall.

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The golf professional is not yet near the money-making mark of the boxer, but he is at least much better off than he used to be a few years ago. The recent winter tournament season produced the following financial leaders: Mac Smith, $8,000; Johnny Farrell, $7,900; Bobby Cruikshank, $5,300; Gene Sarazen, $5,100.

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Before anyone starts whispering of commercialism it might be well to add that these four men, with their total earnings through a long series of tournaments, fell $18,000 short of what Tom Heeney and Jack Delaney each drew for a boxing contest that was certainly no thriller nor yet a performance renowned for its rare skill.

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Regina has lost no time in lining up its hockey stars for next winter's play says the Brandon Sun. There will be no technicalities in connection with residence clauses, so far as they are concerned. Taking heed of the C.A.H.A. ruling that all transfers must be made before May 15, the Regina officials built up their team early. Three of the Kenora junior stars have been taken to the Saskatchewan Capital, and further hockey talent is reported to be there. Some of Regina's Canadian junior champions will have to graduate into senior company next year. It was expected that the team would go into senior ranks intact. But now the boys are splitting up. Harold March and several of his co-stars will be on the senior Regina squad, while the remainder of the team, strengthened by Gallagher of Kenora and probably by one or two others, will comprise the junior outfit seeking a repeat title.

"PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT"

PRINCE RUPERT ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1928, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court-house, Prince Rupert, hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said electoral district, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the "Provincial Elections Act."

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 5th day of April, 1928.

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS,
119 Prince Rupert Electoral District

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(Western Region)

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