SPORTS

HURT RIB, NOT BAD

Primo Carnera and Jim Moloney to Meet on Schedule on March 5

MIAMI, Florida, Feb. 21—Primo Carnera, the giant Italian heavyweight injured a rib while training yesterday and it was feared for a time that the injury might interfere with his bout for March 5 with Jim Moloney. After Carnera had been examined by physicians, it was ordered by the Miami Boxing Commission that no postponement of the fight should be necessary as he should be able to go on. Carnera's manager protested the ruling, stating that his principal would not be in fit shape.

Grotto Leads In Billiards

Have Eleven Point Margin Over Elks in Three Games of Last Night's Fixture

Only three of the five games in last night's Billiard League fixture between Elks and Grotto were played, the Grotto having a lead to date of 733 to 722. The individual scores were as follows:

C. P. Balagno (Elks) 250, Don Brown (Grotto) 233.

William Mitchell 246, George Waungh 25.

Johnson Smith 226, M. M. McLachlan 250.

Games of W. E. Willscroft vs. James Andrews and M. E. Young vs. George Howe will be played over the week-end.

KID FRANCIS BOUT WINNER

Outpointed Eddie Shere by Wide Margin in New York Last Night

NEW YORK, Feb. 21— Eddie Shere, after an absence of six years from the ring here, returned last night, only to lose a decision to Kid Francis, the fast little Italian featherweight, by a wide margin.

Wins Florida Golf Honors

Miss Helen Hicks, Who Eliminated Diana Fishwick, Captures State Championship

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 21:—Miss Helen Hicks of Long Island, who eliminated Diana Fishwick, British open champion in the semi-final, won the Florida State open golf championship here yesterday.

Capt. Roy W. Ammel, Chicago broker, in his plane, Blue Flash, upon arrival at Panama canal zone, after record flight from New York of 24 hours, 35 minutes.

Sensational Freak Goal Mere Second Before Final Whistle Gives Seattle Eskimos Win

SEATTLE, Feb. 21:—A sensational chance shot by Ernie Anderson, Eskimos right winger, after a mix-up in front of the goal one second before the final whistle of the overtime period gave Seattle a two to one victory over Vancouver Lions in the Pacific Coast Hockey League here last night, Seattle having scored one in the first period and Vancouver one in the second. It was probably the most exciting game that has been seen here this season. Certainly, it was one of the fastest. The Seattle team exhibited its usual speed and the Lions played a great game, considering the fact that it was their third match of the week, having played all around the circuit. It was a clean game with only 10 penalties, two major. The Lions still maintain a one-point lead in the standing.

Twelve minutes and 56 seconds after start of play, Bobby Connors scored for the Eskimos. It was a beautiful shot from a wide angle which Percy Jackson just could not stop. For at least 15 minutes of the period, as fast and furious hockey as has been seen for many a day in Seattle was played and there was only one penalty.

Seventeen minutes on in the second period, Jimmy Arnott scored for the Lions with a fast one that went between Dave Kemp's legs, and tied it up.

The third period was fast as might have been expected. Both goalies had narrow escapes but both saved. The game got rough and there were a few penalties. Terrific efforts were made by either side to score, Red Stewart of Seattle being particularly dangerous, and there was tremendous excitement but no score.

The overtime period was marked pretty well by strong defensive play with an occasional dash to one end or the other, both goalkeepers being tried. The Eskimos possibly had the best of the play. Pete Belfoy made several long but unsuccessful shots on behalf of Seattle. After Jackson had saved one of these long shots, the puck ricocheted off one of the Vancouver man's skates and Ernie Anderson, quick as a flash, smote it tremendously and it bounced inside past Jackson, one second before the final whistle.

The standing of clubs to date is as follows:

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Vancouver	13	8	7	48	44	33
Seattle	11	7	8	49	38	30
Portland	8	12	8	39	44	24

Miss Louise A. Boyd, San Francisco, heiress and society woman, with two thrilling Polar expeditions to her credit.

VANCOUVER TEAM WINS

Ex-King George's to Play Off For Canadian Hockey Championship

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21:—Ex-King George's of Vancouver retained the junior provincial hockey championship last night by defeating Trail three to nothing. It was the final game.

The Vancouver team will now meet the Alberta champions in the first of the Canadian championship playdowns.

Took Two Falls In Seventeen Minute Wrestle

PORTLAND, ORE., Feb. 21—Joe Malcewicz defeated John Freberg two falls out of three within seventeen minutes of the start of a fast wrestling bout here Thursday night.

Bob Kruze and Joe Malcewicz Will Wrestle

SEATTLE, Feb. 21:—Bob Kruze and Joe Malcowicz will meet here on Monday night in the main event of the regular weekly wrestling card. It is expected to be one of the most interesting bouts of the season here.

FIGHT FOR HIS LIFE

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21—Ban Johnson, 66-year old former president of the American League, is making a desperate fight for his life against the ravages of diabetes from which he has been in hospital here for the better part of four months. A slight improvement in his condition was reported yesterday by Dr. Robert Hylan, Johnson's physician.

One toe of Johnson's right foot was amputated recently to stop infection from spreading. The effort was evidently not successful. Blood transfusion was resorted to on Thursday since which there has been slight improvement.

Mrs. Johnson arrived yesterday from Indiana to be at her husband's bedside.

Old Country Soccer

English League—First Division

Arsenal 4, Manchester United 1.
Birmingham 0, Aston Villa 4.
Blackburn Rovers 1, Westham United 0.
Blackpool 3, Bolton Wanderers 3.
Derby County 1, Newcastle United 5.
Leeds United 1, Liverpool 2.
Leicester City 1, Huddersfield Town 2.
Manchester City 2, Sheffield Wednesday 0.
Portsmouth 4, Grimsby Town 3.
Sheffield United 4, Chelsea 0.
Sunderland 1, Middlesbrough 1.

English League—Second Division

Barnsley 4, Stoke City 2.
Bradford City 4, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1.
Bristol City 1, Millwall 2.
Bury 2, Tottenham Hotspurs 0.
Cardiff City 0, Oldham Athletic 0.
Charlton Athletic 3, Bradford 1.
Everton 2, Nottingham Forest 0.
Plymouth Argyle 1, Preston North End 2.
Portvale 2, Reading 1.
Swansea Town 1, Burnley 1.
West Bromwich Albion 1, Southampton 2.

Scottish League—First Division

Aberdeen 4, East Fife 1.
Ayr United 1, Partick Thistle 1.
Clyde 3, Hamilton Acads 1.
Cowdenbeath 3, Dundee 0.
Falkirk 3, Queens Park 0.
Hibernians 1, Morton 1.
Leith Athletic 2, Hearts 1.
Motherwell 4, Airdrie 0.
Rangers 1, Kilmarnock 0.
St. Mirrens 1, Celtic 3.

Scottish League—Second Division

Albion Rovers 4, St. Bernards 4.
Alloa 3, Stenhousemuir 2.
Arbroath 2, Dunfermline Athletic 0.
Bonness 4, Dumbarton 4.
Clydebank 5, Armadale 2.
Dundee United 6, Brechin City 0.
Forfar Athletic 2, St. Johnstone 1.
Kings Park 3, Queen of South 0.
Raith Rovers 2, Montrose 1.
Third Lanark 4, East Stirlingshire 2.

BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

Mrs. McAuley and J. Macfie Winners of Event in C. N. R. Recreation Rooms

A very successful American badminton tournament was held last night in the C. N. R. Recreation badminton rooms. Winners were Mrs. J. W. McAuley and J. Macfie. Refreshments were served and the prizes were given out by J. A. Teng. The committee in charge consisted of J. A. Teng, convener, Mrs. B. Valde, Mrs. F. A. Rogers, B. Valde and E. A. Woods.

TWENTY-SIX PENALTIES

No less than 26 penalties were meted out during the Pacific Coast Hockey League game Thursday night between Vancouver Lions and Portland Buckaroos at Portland. The league referees have been ordered by the president to enforce the penalty rules to the letter.

SPORT CHAT

The Grand National steeplechase, greatest event of its kind in the world, remains as puzzling as ever. This year's race will be run on March 27. Restrictions were imposed when it was feared that the popularity of the new Irish Hospitals' sweepstake might affec the entry list, but entries numbe. 85, one more than last year. The winners and placed horses in the last two Grand Nationals are all back in the contest. They are Shaun Goilin, Melleray's Belle, Sir Lindsay and Glangesia, respectively first, second, third and fourth in 1930; and Gregalach, Easter Hero and Richmond II., first, second, and third in 1929. Of this small but distinguished group probably Easter Hero, owned by the United States turfman, John Hay Whitney, will command most attention. He looked like the winner in 1929 until he spread a plate near the finish. Two dozen others of this year's entry have had experience over the remarkably difficult National course of four miles and 865 yards.

This year the only horses allowed in the Grand National are those who have been placed in a steeplechase at three miles or more; or else over any distance at Aintree; and who have won a steeplechase worth $2,500 to the winner, selling events in every case excepted. Of course, had these restrictions not been imposed, the entry would probably have been very much larger. Of the 85 entered, 23 dropped out at the calling of first non-acceptances on Jan 28. A number of these had failed to qualify under the new rules, however. Probably 40 horses will start the long grind on March 27. The value to the winner will be a little more than $45,000, while the starting fee for each horse will again be $500. The race was worth a good bit more two years ago, when the record field of 66 started.

The Grand National was first run in 1839. A syndicate had taken over the lease of the grand stand and racecourse at Aintree. Each runner had to pay $100 and the added money was $500. The race was restricted to gentlemen riders, a rule which was perhaps laxly observed, and it was not handicap, the weight for each runner being 167 pounds. The first race had 17 starters and was won by Lottery ridden by Jim Mason, who was known as a tremendous dandy. He invariably wore white gloves when riding. The race became a handicap in 1843. The minimum weight for some years was 133 pounds, with which light impost Sunloch won in 1914. The minimum was later increased to 140 pounds, and this year it has been raised to 147. As 175 pounds remains the maximum, the best-class competitors have a more favorable chance this year than ever before.

Entries from Ireland, famed breeding-ground of great steeplechasers, do not appear as numerous or as strong in quality as in previous years. Probably the explanation is that as soon as the jumpers in Ireland begin to show good form nowadays they are quickly snapped up for English stables. Among the Irish entrants this year is the clever mare Georginatown, winner of the Valentine steeplechase there last autumn. The Czecho-Slovakian entrant, Gyi Lovan, is a source of much interest. He will be ridden by his owner, Captain R. Popler, who is chief instructor of the Czecho-Slovak army riding school. Gyi Lovan, a nine-year-old gelding, comes to Aintree with the support of a syndicate of Cap. Popler's countrymen, including Jan Masaryk, the Czech minister to London. The horse is said to be a tautless jumper with great stamina. He has just arrived in England and is completing training at Banger-on-dee. Another unexpected Continental entry is M. Olry-Roederer's Aninay, a winner at Pau and Auteuil but not considered by English experts to have much of a chance in the tough Aintree feature.

GOLF

February 23

Grotto vs. Dry Dock. Great West vs. Acme. Flying Corps vs. Bankers. Gen. Offices vs. 75 Taxi.

March 2

Grotto vs. Acme. Great West vs. 75 Taxi. Flying Corps vs. Dry Dock. Gen. Office vs. Bankers.

Scotland and Ireland Play Draw in Rugby

BELFAST, Ire., Feb. 21:—Ireland and Scotland played a scoreless draw in the forty-third international rugby match today before 20,000 spectators.

SOLDIERS AMBUSHED

British Army Officer Killed in Sierra Leone But Most of Men Escaped

SIERRA LEONE, Africa, Feb. 21:—A deachment of thirty British soldiers, on their way to the interior to question disturbances which had arisen as a result of the activities of native religious fanatics, were ambushed by natives yesterday. The officer in command was killed but most of the soldiers made their getaway.

ASHES ARE SCATTERED

Unique Ceremony Over Spot Where B. C. Airways Plane Sank in Puget Sound

VICTORIA, Feb. 21:—Three years ago a B. C. Airways plane, flying between Victoria and Seattle with passengers, crashed and sank in Puget Sound, seven persons losing their lives. The body of the pilot was never found. Yesterday the ashes of the pilot's father were taken out in another plane and scattered to the winds over the point where the plane sank.

ANOTHER BOAT OFF

Twenty Halibut Vessels Have So Far Met Union Terms and Left Ketchikan

KETCHIKAN, Feb. 21:—Making 20 boats which have so far signed agreement with the Halibut Fishermen's Union, the J. P. Todd, a five-man boat, yesterday agreed to the Union terms regarding boat's share and left for the banks.

TORY IS ELECTED

Conservatives Have No Difficulty in Retaining Fareham Seat in British House

FAREHAM, Hampshire, Feb. 21:—The Conservative party was successful in retaining Fareham constituency in a by-election, Sir Thomas Inskip, former attorney general, being returned by a 12,000 majority over the Labor candidate while he secured 15,000 more votes than his Liberal opponent.

The case of Leo Contoli, charged with seduction, has been further remanded for eight days in city police court.

CRIBBAGE SCHEDULE

February 23—
Hawks vs. Seal Cove Sawmill.
Toc H. vs. Eagles.
P. R. Hotel vs. Operators.
Elevator vs. I.O.O.F.
Moose vs. Kts. of Columbus.
Grotto vs. Six Muskeeters.

March 2—
Hawks vs. Grotto.
Seal Cove Sawmill vs. Eagles.
P. R. Hotel vs. Toc H.
I.O.O.F. vs. Operators.
Kts. of Columbus vs. Elevator.
Six Muskeeters vs. Moose.

March 9—
Grotto vs. Kts of Columbus.
Seal Cove Sawmill vs. Toc H.
Operators vs. Hawks.
Elevator vs. P. R. Hotel.
Moose vs. I.O.O.F.
Eagles vs. Six Musketeers.

March 16—
P. R. Hotel vs. Hawks.
Toc H. vs. I.O.O.F.
Elevator vs. Six Musketeers.
Moose vs. Grotto.
Eagles vs. Kts. of Columbus.
Seal Cove Sawmill vs. Operators.

WILL VET LOAN

President Hoover Ann Intention in Connec Soldier Benefit M

WASHINGTON, D.C., President Hoover anno terday that it was his i veto the $700,000,000 so bill which was passed th Congress. It will requir thirds vote of both hous the bill over the presid but, in view of the empha vote in its favor both in and House, there is no that it will go through a

UNIQUE OPE

Hon. Frank Stanfield o Scotia Legislature in Clothes

NOVA SCOTIA, Feb. Frank Stanfield, the new ant Governor of Nova S an unprecedented thing when he opened the sess Nova Scotia Legislature clothes. The paraphernali past governors was too b too big around the girth for Nova Scotia's slender cumbent. It is the first believed, that this has done in Canada.

HOLD HIM IN E

Powerful Interests Strivi vent Adolph Linden Going to Seattl

NEW YORK, Feb. 21— ate fight is developing keep Adolph Linden, fo of the Puget Sound S Loan Co. in Seattle, fro Seattle to give evidence he knows about the colla western concern. Powerfu are at work in the atten vent him from going we

Canada Busine Men Leave South Am

HALIFAX, Feb. 21:—O dred leading Canadian men sailed from here yes the Canadian National Prince Robert for Rio de where they will attend th Empire Exposition. They away about six weeks, to West Indies and South A ports while away. The to der the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce.

Wesley Singer of Massey rived in the city yesterd spending the winter in t while away motored to C and Mexico. He will sail f the Prince John for the s

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