

# Billy Conn Was Winner, Then Lost

## Norrington And Miss Beatrice Berner In Tennis Victory

Norrington and Miss Beatrice Berner won the mixed doubles championship of the Prince Rupert Club last night when they defeated Rocky Mountain Rangers by a score of 3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

They defeated Vance in a consolation event.

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## COMPOSITES KEEP LEAD

Are Still On Top In City Football League As Result Of Victory Over Rocky Mountain Rangers

Composite Services retained their leadership of the City Football League standing Tuesday night by defeating Rocky Mountain Rangers by a score of two to nothing in a well contested and interesting game which was refereed by Walter Ferguson.

Last Saturday Dry Dock won over Composite Services by a score of 7 to 1 in a postponed game which was refereed by Sid Woodside.

The league standing to date is as follows:

|              | W | D | L | F  | A  | P |
|--------------|---|---|---|----|----|---|
| Composites   | 3 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 9  | 6 |
| Dry Dock     | 2 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 3  | 5 |
| Independents | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5  | 11 | 2 |
| R. M. R.'s   | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2  | 9  | 1 |

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## Pittsburg Challenger Had Heavyweight Belt In His Grasp

Had Brown Bomber Beaten and Then Gambled by Trying to Match Punches and is Beaten Down to Canvas

NEW YORK, June 19: (CP)—For fleeting golden moments last night Billy Conn of Pittsburg held the heavyweight championship of the world in his grasp. Then Billy gambled, trying to match punches with Joe Louis, and the big negro snapped out of his lethargy and knocked Conn kicking in the thirteenth round.

Conn, 174 pounds was well in front when the end came, having danced around Louis for half the distance. He tied him up in clinches and then came on to slap the Brown Bomber's teeth out.

In the thirteenth Conn, thinking he was in, rushed heedless from his corner to be staggered by a left hook, followed by everything Louis had, until the challenger crumbled to the canvas.

## SPORT CHAT

Baseball's No. 1 Comebacker of the year is William Malcolm Dickey. Many thought that the tall, easy-going New York Yankee catcher's days were numbered as they watched him dragging his heels last year. Bill looked terrible. He couldn't hit and he looked like a slow freight on the bases. He wound up with a puny .247 average. Just a half dozen more timely hits by Bill might have won the 1940 pennant for the Yanks, who finished only two games back of Detroit.

Some thought Bill had just run down at 33 after 11 years with New York. Others figured he was worried about his health. Lou Gehrig was Bill's road trips room-mate and when husky Lou was stricken in his prime the blow struck Dickey harder than any of Lou's other friends. But there was nothing wrong with Bill. Apparently he realized this during the off season and determined to get into shape for more good seasons. Lots of golf and hunting around his Arkansas home built up his legs and he reported in fine condition. And he has been belting the ball from the getway. He was one of the league's five top hitters, with a .375 average, as the campaign moved into June.

For years experts gave said that although Ruth and Gehrig and DiMaggio were the headline stars, the real backbone of the Yankees was Dickey. As long as he went well, the club could take slumps by the others. The Yankees have been a hot-and-cold so far this year but they're still within reaching distance of the league leaders, and if Bill keeps hitting and the others finally come up with a surge to match his pace, the Yanks may overhaul Cleveland and Chicago.

Battling rivals should remember that in Bill's many years with the Yankees he finished under 300 only one time before last year. That was in 1935, when he hit .279, and Bill came back to bang out a .362 average the following year. Other successful comebackers this year are Roy Cullenbine of the Browns, Joe Cronin of the Red Sox, Jeff Heath of the Indians, Jimmy Wasdell of the Dodgers, Lee Handley of the Pirates and Don Padgett of the Cardinals.

## Baseball Scores

- American League**  
Cleveland 14, Philadelphia 2.  
Chicago 3, New York 2.  
Detroit 5, Boston 2.  
St. Louis 3, Washington 2.
- National League**  
Brooklyn 1, Chicago 5.  
Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 7.  
Boston 4, Cincinnati 2.  
New York 2, Pittsburg 2 (eleven innings).

## DOMINION DAY HERE

Complete Program For Dominion Day Here Arranged

Dominion Day will be a busy one for the sport fans of Prince Rupert. In the morning there will be track and field events for the boys in service. The afternoon will decide the finals for the Dominion Day Soccer Cup and also the Senior Men's Softball Cup. In the afternoon there will be the finals between the three army baseball teams which are at present playing in the Senior Baseball League. The day's events will be climaxed with a dance in the evening at the Moose Hall.

The following is the tentative program:  
Track events—9:30-11:30 a.m.—100 yards dash, 220 yards dash, 440 yards dash, 440 yards relay, 880 yards relay, Broad jump, hop, skip and jump, high jump, sack race, potato race, egg and spoon race, Tug of war.

2:00 p.m.—Dominion Day Soccer Cup final: Composite Services vs. Dry Dock.  
3:30 p.m.—Finals of Men's Senior Softball.  
7:00—Finals Army Baseball.

There will be one entry for each event and from each service unit—Navy, 102nd, Searchlights, R.M.R.'s, R.C.C.S. and R.C.A.F.

## RESCUED BY GRANNY

LIVERPOOL, June 19: (CP)—Mrs. Sarah Mawson, 68, was minding her four grand-children when a Nazi bomb hit the house, demolishing it. One by one she got the children out—nobody hurt.

## UNCLE SAM EXPECTS

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per Fred Nash, Agent.  
Dated June 18, 1941.

## LOAN NEAR OBJECTIVE

Subscriptions For Canada Up To \$586,700,600—British Columbia Over Top

OTTAWA, June 19: (CP)—Total subscriptions to the Victory Loan are now \$586,700,600. Yesterday more than \$47,900,000 was subscribed including \$20,000,000 from the Sun Life Assurance Co.

British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Manitoba were the first provinces yesterday to go over the top.

British Columbia and Yukon Victory Loan quota of sixty million dollars was exceeded by half million dollars last night according to official announcement by Austin Taylor of Vancouver, chairman. Officials, however, stressed imperative necessity of over-subscription in order to prove that Canada is solidly behind Britain in her magnificent and heroic struggle. Victory Loan lists close at midnight Saturday June 21. "Those who have not yet invested should do so immediately. Every dollar is needed to provide the tools that Britain needs to stem the tide of Hitler's fury," said Taylor.

Vancouver city, dragging behind the rest of the province in response, last night had subscribed \$10,500,000 out of a quota of \$15,000,000. Two workmen's areas in the East End were leading the city, having gone over the top.

By divisions, the standings in British Columbia last night in order were Okanagan, North Vancouver Island, Kootenay, Vancouver suburban, New Westminster and Fraser Valley, Prince Rupert and Yukon, Lower Vancouver Island, Cariboo and Vancouver City.

## Simpson Girl Becomes Bride

Mrs. Effie Robertson Becomes Bride Of Charles Lincoln

Tuesday a pretty wedding took place at St. Andrew's Cathedral when Mrs. Effie Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph White of Port Simpson, became the bride of Charles Howard Lincoln, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lincoln of Kinloch. Bishop Rix officiated at the ceremony. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Peter Ryan, Miss Evelyn White, Miss Cora McKay, Miss Mary Alexcee and Miss Alice Musgrave. Groomsmen were Geoffrey Benson, Robert Hill, Percy Alexander and William Lincoln. The bride's father gave the bride in marriage. The reception was held at the Commodore Cafe.

## V. C.'S HOME GUARD JOB

LONDON, June 19: (CP)—Capt. W. J. Symons, an Australian who won the Victoria Cross at Gallipoli in the First Great War, has been appointed commander of a specialized unit in the United Kingdom Home Guard.

## Y. M. C. A. GETTING HIT

LONDON, June 19: (CP)—The Y. M. C. A. lost seven mobile canteens in German air raids in Britain and two tea cars operating in the Middle East desert campaign.

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