



BILL MOSIENKO, 31, of Chicago Black Hawks, a 12-year veteran, has been named fastest skater in the National Hockey League in a Canadian Press poll of sports writers and sportscasters in the six NHL cities. The Winnipeg-born right-winger started pro hockey with Providence and came to the Hawks a year later.

Three Pros, One 'Rookie' Named in NHL Honor Roll

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TORONTO—Three old pros and a comparative youngster with a total of 38 years' service in the National Hockey League today received signal honor from sports writers and sportscasters of the NHL cities.

Between them, they hold four titles in a poll conducted by The Canadian Press. They are:

Fastest skater: Bill Mosienko of Chicago Black Hawks, a 12-year veteran.



RED KELLY
... two-way player



BOB GOLDHAM
... under-rated

Best stickhandler: The ailing Max Bentley of Toronto Maple Leafs who has 11 seasons of big-league play behind him.

Most under-rated player: Bob Goldham, Detroit Red Wing defenceman with nine years' big-league experience.

Best two-way player: Red Kelly, Detroit defenceman now in his sixth NHL season.

The high-flying Mosienko is a 31-year-old Winnipeg-born right-winger who started pro hockey with Providence in 1940. Goldham, one year his junior, broke into the money ranks in 1941 and Bentley, who celebrated his 33rd birthday at his Des Moines, Sask. home March 1, went up to Chicago from Saskatoon Quaker seniors 13 years ago.

Kelly, 25, has been a mainstay on the Red Wing defence since 1947 after graduating from junior ranks with Toronto St. Michael's College.

Mosienko showed his heels to a field of seven nominated by the experts. He polled 17 votes, 14 more than veteran Milt Schmidt of Boston Bruins and 15 up on Fleming Mackell of the Bruins, Eddie Kullman and Wally Hergesheimer, New York Rangers, and Marcel Pronovost of the Wings.

One selector, Joe Falls of The

Associated Press, Detroit, saw it this way: Howie Meeker of Toronto Maple Leafs is the fastest during his "first minute on the ice" and Johnny Wilson of the Wings is the fleetest "for the whole game."

Bentley had an easy time winning his title but Kelly and Goldham squeezed to the top over a big field by single-vote margins.

Bentley, dippy-doodle centre, polled nine votes, six more than Elmer Lach of Montreal Canadiens and Gordie Howe of Detroit, tied for the runner-up spot with three each. Single votes went to Kelly, Alex Delvecchio and Ted Lindsay, all of the Wings; Schmidt and teammates Joe Klukay and Mackell; Johnny McCormack of Montreal and Chicago's playing-coach Sid Abel.

Howe, already chosen as the greatest player in the league, the most improved player over the last five seasons, lost out by a whisker to Kelly in the "best two-way player" balloting. He polled seven votes, just one less than the redhead, and two up on Schmidt.

Ted Kennedy of Toronto, out of action with an injury since New Year's Day, caught the eyes of two selectors and singles went to Lach, Harry Watson of the Leafs and Tony Leswick, another Red Wing.

Fifteen players, representing every team in the league, received votes, and the width of a skate separated them. Goldham polled three, one up on Klukay; Marty Pavelich, Detroit; Al Rolins, Chicago; Nick Mickoski, New York, and Bobby Hasard, Leaf rookie.

Single votes went to Tom Johnson and Butch Bouchard, Montreal; Kullman; Gus Bodnar; Chicago; Bill Quackenbush, Hal Laycoe and Mackell, Boston, and Jim Thompson, Toronto.

HOCKEY SCORES

WHL
Vancouver 6, Seattle 2
(Best of five quarter final tied 1-1)

B. C. Senior Final
Spokane 2, Penticton 1
(Spokane leads best of seven series 2-0)

Natural hot water from Iceland's volcanic springs provides heating for buildings in Reykjavik, the capital.

Birdie Duel Planned For Sunday

Eight top badminton players from Terrace badminton club will arrive here Sunday for a challenge match with top players of the Prince Rupert badminton club.

There will be games in women's doubles, men's doubles, women's singles, men's singles as well as mixed doubles. First match starts at 1 p.m.

On request of the Terrace club competitions will be arranged between some of the students from the high schools of both towns.

Players from the Rupert club who will take part in the competition are:

Dot Paulding, Dot White, Joan Cross, Francis Cross, Dave Radford, Barry Williamson, George Viereck and Charles Mills.

Players from Booth High are: Everett Jeffrey, Bill Martin, Armda Toffoli, and Jean Smurthwaite.

Remember When

Georges Vezina, the "Chicoutimi Cucumber" and one of the greatest professional hockey goalies in history, died of tuberculosis 27 years ago today. Vezina played his first professional game with Montreal Canadiens in 1910 and his last in 1925, when his fatal illness was developing. His name is perpetuated in the Vezina Trophy for the NHL's best goalie each season.

HAPPY DAYS

MONTREAL (CP)—As in many other municipalities, Montreal parks officials now are busy refurnishing the summer equipment for recreation centres for children. All but 10 of the city's 162 skating and hockey rinks had been dismantled last week.

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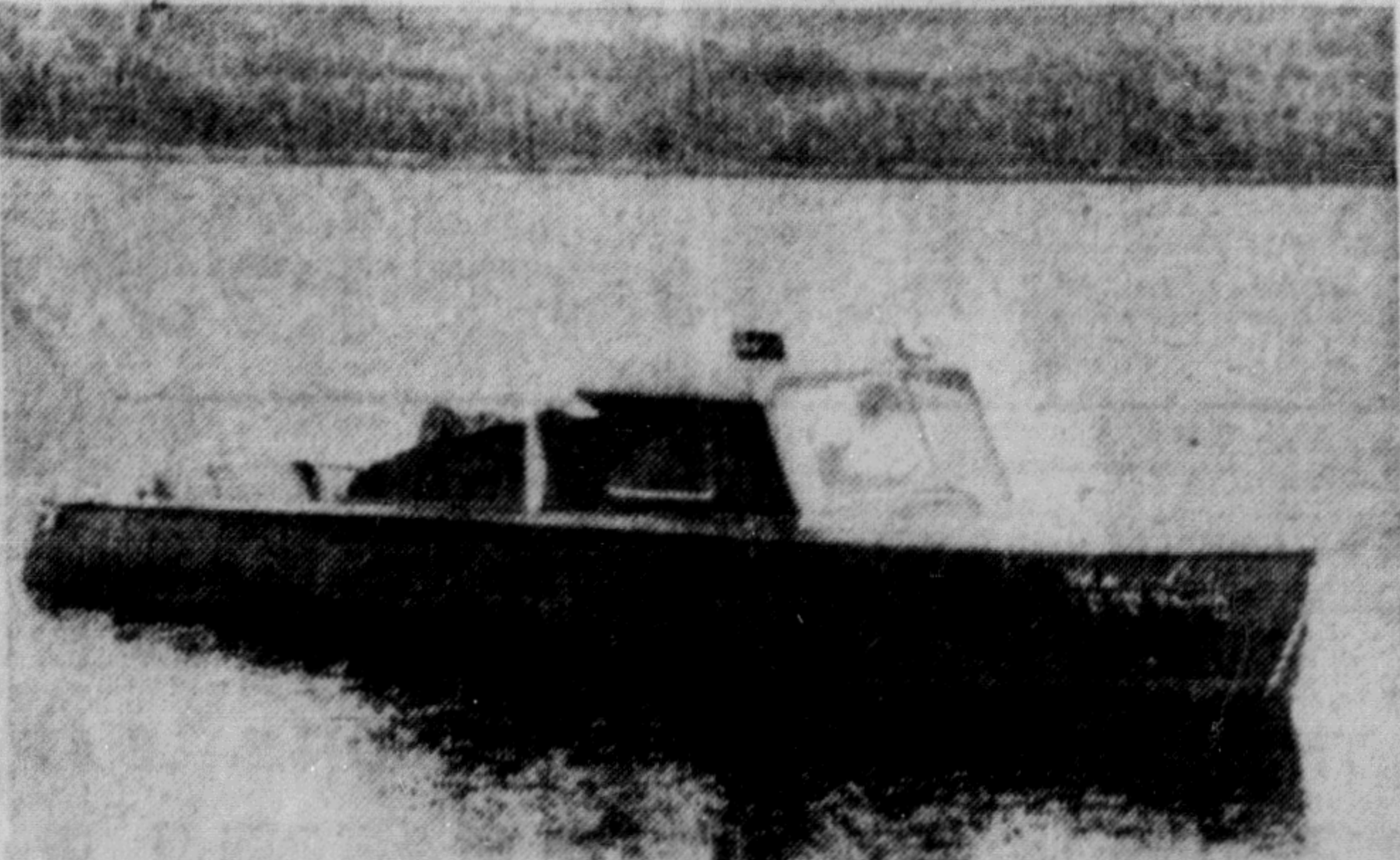
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Prince Rupert Daily News
Saturday, March 28, 1953

B.C. Man Wins Major Prize With 15-Pound Rainbow Trout

NEW YORK (CP)—Field and Stream magazine today announced prize winners in the second section of its 1952 fishing contest.

One Canadian was named among the total of 180 prize winners and those getting honorable mention, in 16 classes.

Frank Vie of 1618 8th Ave., Vancouver, won honorable mention with sixth place in the rainbow trout-western fly-casting division.

His catch of 15 pounds one ounce was made Dec. 14 in the Allouette river; B.C. on a lioness wet fly.

The Allouette river was the only Canadian stream to offer a winner. The Atlantic off Wedgeport, N.S. provided most of the winners in the bluefin tuna class.

The magazine will announce next month winners of the third and last section of the annual contest.

The year's record catch in classes announced today:

Rainbow trout—fly-casting—16 lb. 10 oz. caught Jan. 12 by J. H. Whitesel, Skagit river, Wash., on a home-tied bucktail.

Rainbow trout open-western division—30 lb. 8 oz., caught Oct. 22 by Ken I. Evjen, in Lake Pond Oreille, Idaho, on a FST No. 3 spoon.

Bass, largemouth and spotted—northern division 11 lb. 10 oz., caught May 27 by Frank Bare, Germantown, O., in Dale Hollow reservoir, Ky., on a barracuda.

Bass, largemouth and spotted—southern division—14 lb. 4 oz., caught Nov. 27 by Lamar B. Josey, Ramey air force base,

Puerto Rico, on a Paul Bunyan

66. Bass, Florida, suwannee and spotter—17 lb., caught Oct. 8 by M. F. Joiner, Jacksonville, Fla., in Big Pee Gee lake, Fla., on a creek chub No. 2019.

Channel bass—60 lb., caught Nov. 11 by E. P. White, Buxton, N.C., at Cape Hatteras, N.S., on a cut mullet.

Striped Bass—62 lb., caught Aug. 31 by Edward Myerson, Long Island, N.Y., in Vineyard Sound, Mass., on an eel skin.

Bonefish—13 lb. 13 oz., caught Feb. 25 by H. B. Powell, Jr., Devon, Pa., in Islamorada, Fla., on a live shrimp.

Blue marlin—559 lb. 8 oz. caught June 14 by Aksel Wichfeld, Palm Beach, Fla., at Bimini, Bahamas, on a bonefish.

White marlin—115 lb., caught June 26 by William R. Ellis, Chevy Chase, Md., at Ocean City, Md., on a bait.

Atlantic sailfish—98 lb. 4 oz., caught April 14, by Frank D. McCully, Wilmette, Ill., at Alligator Light, Fla., on a mullet.

Snook—43 lb., caught May 18 by Lee K. Spencer, West Palm Beach, Fla., in Lake Worth, Fla., on a live shrimp.

Tarpon—189 lb. 12 oz., caught Oct. 13 by A. D. Stenger, Austin, Tex., at Wedgeport, N.S., on a herring.

Weakfish—14 lb. 5 oz., caught May 10 by James de Tora, Camden, N.J., at Graveling Point, N.J., on a uperman and squid.

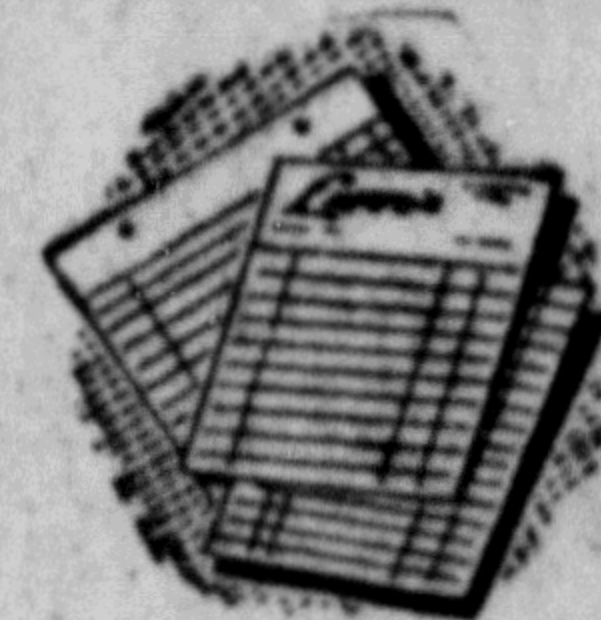
Spotted weakfish—12 lb. 2 oz., caught April 7 by David D. Miller, Eau Gallie, Fla., in Eau Gallie harbor, on a Shakspeare sea witch.

SPORTSMAN'S DIGEST

By Hal Sharp
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by CHIC YOUNG



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