

By DICK AYRES

What a difference a year makes! By way of a change and to keep in our hand as a columnist, we thought we'd take a look at the sports world, local and international.

Quite a pleasant surprise in some respects. In others we found matters little changed.

Pleasing was the change in the Gordon and Anderson baskotball team. It's just about a year ago that they were in the doldrums, covered with a cloud of frustration every time they took the floor.

Saturday night we could hardly believe our eyes as practically the same collection of gents raced up and down the Civic Centre gym with unlimited abandon, completed floor-length passes with ease and made Booth-Memorial High Rainmakers look like candidates for the old age pension.

We know that Don Hartwig's Rainmakers aren't the seasoned crew that Alex Bill is piloting. But even Hartwig is at a loss to explain Saturday night's 54-28 debacle. He figured his boys were improved on passing plays so they concentrated on shooting. In their encounter with G & A neither mattered as G. & A's Derek Letourneau and Roy Webber broke up passing plays with no effort and Rainmakers' sheeting was enough to give the patient Donald dyspepsia. In the third quarter the closely-checked high schoolers sank but one field goal.

Most improved G & A player, from our view, is Harold Marshall. Last year Buck didn't seem to care whether school kept or not. This year he's a ball of fire and in there doing yeoman

Whether the hardware boys can maintain the pace against Manson's come tomorrow night will be interesting to see. The power-luden Omegas have beaten G & A twice and been beaten by the Bill boys once. Another win for G & A will place them in a favorable position as the final drive towards the end of the season gets underway. Manson's had a much larger lead on its closest opponent this time last year but whether Angus McPhec's squad will be able to repeat remains to be seen. 🛒

Rumor has it that sportscaster Met Thompson and his engineer may have to bring along their own "crowd; noises" when they breadcest future care games. The roars that went up Saturday night as the crowd yelled excitedly was so deafening that you could have heard a pin drop. All told, counting referees, two CBC men, two reporters, scorers and a Civic Centre staff members who paused at the door, the drowd numbered 97.

Maybe roller-hockey next year, eh?

See where Sam "The Rifle" Etcheverry is in the soup. Well It won't be the first time someone who tried to play both ends against the middle found himself in a jackpot. If he's not careful it won't be "Sam. Sam pick up thar musket lad," it'll be "Sam, Sam, put down thar helmet and sit on sidelines for a year."

Canadian Press' Jack Hand pondered the question recently as to why the well-heeled Sugar Ray Robinson should find !! necessary to make a comeback? Since we haven't heard of the Robinson ventures going on the rocks and he hasn't been playfng the night club circuit for peanuts, it's our guess that it's not because he's broke. True, the urge to collect more green stuff is always with a man, but we feel that the fight game is such, that it's hard to crase from one's blood. Not only that, but we're pretty confident that nothing will stop Sugar Ray until he gets to Bobo Olson and when he does we should have another bailieof the year. We figure Bobo to lose, if and when such a brawicomes off, If Robinson should make the grade and become-the first champ to regain his crown twice, the only thing that would please us more would be to see Britain's Randy Turpin take it off him again. However, Turpin seems to have faded from the picture completely.

As the man who heads the National Hockey, League, Clarence-Camphell grows in stature in our eyes, almost every time he opens his mouth. A week ago, Campbell heard obscenities coming from Detroit Red Wings bench and moved from his seat ic caution coach Jimmy Skinner. Skinner was reported to have told the league president "to mind your own business, you're only a spectator."

-Sald Campbell afterwards:

"I can't quarrel with what Skinner said," he admitted, "I must agree I was only a spectator, although my premise was based on league interest."

There's a boy who knows his place.

Underdog Quakers, Cougars

Baskatoon Cankers are riffling striking distance of the leaguethe crest of a one-game winning leading Edmonton Flyers. Flyers stronk today, and for the West- hold the top snot with 51 points, place Boston Bruths battled to a or 21 runs over a combined ern Hockey League tail-enders Calgary has 48, and New West- 1-1 deadlock in Montreal while, eleven after two days' play here. that's something to shout about, minster 40,

Winless since Dec. 6, the lowly LED BY MANSON Quakers smacked down the secend-place Calgary Stampeders kers' attack with three goals, 0-0 Saturday night as Bey Bontley, playing superbly between ley and Lou Fontinato each scor- tied 1-1-in Boston, the pipes, recorded his first shutout of the season.

It was a week-end for the um-1 derdogs in the WHL as thei fourth-place Victoria Cougars whipped New Westminster Roypoints of the No. 3 position hold-

Baskutoon's surprise win came as they prepared to embark on tour through the west coast teams. They open against Vanconver Canneks Tuesday night In the only game scheduled. That lengue is idle tonight.

The loss frustrated Stamped-1 ers' bld to move within one-point i

NHL Standings

while Aggie Kukulowicz, Len Haed once. Jackle McLeod picked up three assists.

Calgary 15-6, and hit for three Lumbey's fifth shutout of the ! more markers in the final 20 season.

period but the Hoal was disallow- goals before 12,588 hometown

ed because of an offsido. In the game at New Westminster, Cougars rammed in three

Royals held them to a 4-1 split

Victoria scoring was shared by

Doug MacAuloy, Andy Rebenton, | Geno Achtymlehuk, Blil-David-

215 1st Ave. West

G&A Swamp Booth

Gordon and Anderson tightened their race for night to edge Ken Warren's night's draw is as follows: first place in the Senior B league Saturday night at George Cook Jeweler's compe- Robertson vs Thom; Scott vs the Civic Centre by trampling last place Bo-Me-Hiltulon trophy at the Prince Ru-Garner. Rainmakers 54-28 before one of the smallest crowds pert curling rink. of the season.

The win gives the hardware- by first-place Frizzell's. men eight points in the standlings, just two behind the lengue off Manson's to climb out of leading Manson's Omegas who second place in the Junior league they meet tomorrow in a chance and earn a first position lie with defeated Scott 9-6 and Petersen to tie the league lead. G & A went up in the first All three teams have six points. Tomorrow night play for the

quarter and pulled steadily ahead, showing a 25-17 score at the half and holding the school Helin 1, Shenton 2, Turcotte 2, Anthe half and nothing the school Helm 1, shenton 2, Threotte 2, All-team to 11 points in the final derson 6, Kristmanson 8, Young. Win Exhibitions half, while racking up 28 points Black. Stewart 2. Marshall with 18 points, G & A ber, Sedgwick 8, Lavigne 2. led 12-9, 26-17 and 42-20 at the three-quarter mark.

SCORED EASILY

The winners garnered 44 of their points on field goals and Johnson 4, N. Morven 11, Saville. appeared to be able to score Morven 2, Nakatsu 5, Matauo 5, Rush. whenever they wished. Rainmakers, who scored 18 points on Lande 6, McIntosh 5, Reld, McLeod, field goals and made 10 of 25 Kelly. free throws pay off, missed Mintenko, Basso 2, Rowe 11, Girbov 2, chance after chance as players Johnson 3, Sklapsky, Rudolph, Allen falled to flud the basket.

Derek Letourneau and Jim Flaten shared the runner-up scoring spot for the winners with 10 | Manson's . points each.

Fred Kristmanson with eight points led the losers while Mel Anderson with six was runner- Frizzen's

Two preliminary games saw upsets scored. In an intermed-1 late game. Sunrise went up into Manson's 3.

six points; six off the pace set

Sport Shop gained a 34-20 win the jewellers and Annunciation. downed the Bateman rink 13-4.

Rainmakers-Newton 4, Morrison

G & A-Marshall 18, Letourneau 10, themselves. Paced by Harold Holkestad 6, Abbey, Flaten 10. Web-Davis Cup players won INTERMEDIATE Sunrise---Leask 18. McLeod. Carl-

embassy here today,

Emerson 4-8, 6-4.

BLONDIE

LONE SPACEMAN

Vic Selxas defeated Ken Rose-

wall 6-2, 6-2. Tony Trabert de-

bert drew with Resewall and

LONE SPACEMAN IS GENNY.

HE IS TO DO MENTAL BATTLE

WITH THE MARTIANS ON THE

TOPIC OF CO-EXISTENCE

3 is 11..... NO! 16!

son 10, Mah 2, J. Stewart 3, Denn. C. Stewart, Peterson 6, McLean 7. North Star-Sankey 4, McKay 6,

JUNIOR BOYS Manson's-Pleming 2, Johnson

Sport Shop-Kelsey 12, Thom 2.

Standings: INTERMEDIATE North Star 3 Sunrise 9 5 6 JUNIOR BOYS. n second-place tie with North Annunciation 3 2 0 Star when they defeated the Boott Shop 3 2 0 Fraser & Payme 2 3 4 bottlers 46-37. Both teams show ormes

Earlier Games Aid Gate But No Help to Rangers

By The Canadian Press

pletely changed National Hockey diens-Boston engagement. He League fans in New York.

the thousands from Madison didn't stand up. Loo Labine came Square Garden while their Ran-| back for Bruins at 12:08 of the gers writhed in the worst slump, second to tie it up on a play with of the 1954-55 season, A. 6,000 or Real Chevrellis and Don Mc-17,000 crowd was considered good. Kenney. particularly with the Blueshirts. Centre Rudy Migay gave the able to win only one game in Leass their lich the of our wartheir last 20 starts,

80mcbody came up with the netminder Joan Henderson at iden of starting New York home 19:51 of the second period at games at 7 p.m. instead of 8:30 Boston. Until then, Bruins were p.m. The experiment started plodding along on a 1-0 lead sup-Sunday night and 13,007 cus- plied by McKenney at 6;27 of the temers sat in while Rangers were first session. humiliated 7-1 by the leagueleading Montreal Canadiens.

It was Rangers' second straight drubbing. They were lambasted BOOED AND LAUGHED

The New York attendance was as the Detroiters ran w.ld. the largest of the Rangers' campalgn. The fans first booed and then stamped their feet undi laughed as Rangers muffed chances around the nets, failing to get organized anywhere along (

the line. the earlier starting time was England Gains brought in after the Ranger England Gains management polled the lans on Two-Inning Lead The subject. Most said they want-

led therearder start. the second-place Datroit Red Winys odged the last-place Chieago Black Hawks 1-0 at Detroit Ray Manson paced the Qua- Saturday. The Wings walloped; Hawks 8-2 in St. Louis Sunday

Londs, lod by laftwinger Sld Smith's two goals, looked good Quakors led 1-0 at the end of Suturday against the inept Ranthe first period, scored two more gors and had little trouble help- lings, in one over before stumps, in the second while out-shooting ing to protect goaltender Harry'

Centre Bob Balley and right- il Bid Finney managed to slip the | wingers Eric Nesterenko and Joe | puck past Bentley in the second | Klukay secred the other Toronto |

BERNIE GETS TWO

Bernin Geoifrion, sensational goals without a reply in the first 23-year-old rightwinger. period and never looked back. Jean Bellyonn each scored twice is Dollard St. Laurent, Eddle Ma- | \

LOOK INTO 1955 NOW

Beliveau was the only Mon-Earlier game times has com- treal corer in Saturday's Canasent Habs into a 1-0 lead at 9:39 For weeks they stayed away by to the delight of 14.374 lans. It

> son when he whipped a shot past Bill Dineen fired a rebound off

I the backboards past goalle Al. Rollins Saturday to give Red Wings their 1-0 win over Chi-5-0 by the third-place Maple (ago, It was Terry Sawchuk't Leafs at Toronto Saturday night. seventh shutout of the teason. Earl Reibel scored three goals!

against the Hawks Sunday night. Johnny Wilson, Alex Delvecchio and Gordle Howe got singles, Eddle Litzenberger and Larry Wilson scored for Hawks.

HOBART, Australia (Routers) In four other weekend games: | ... England's touring cricketers Canadiens and the fourlist today gained a first-innings load

Top scorer for England was Trovor Balley with 63 runs in two hours and eight minutes.

Just before the close of play! night as the Bruins and Leafs England was all-out for 242 in reply to the combined eleven's i first-innings total of 221. The combined eleven scored nine without loss in their second inn-

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Warnie Petersen's rink stag- Grotto Olgar Store competition ed a last-end comeback Friday trophy gets underway. Tuesday

8:30—Rowbotham vs Rogerson: 449. The game, a close one all the Berg vs Aston; Petersen vs Tayway saw Warren one up coming lor.

10:30- Georgeson vs Moore; and Star Cabs amassed 2304 for home only to have the Peterson rink make three on the last end. Rudderham vs Ostertag; Ander- team high three. In semi-final games Warren son vs Shier.

SALISBURY CATHEDRAL Almost 40 years were required [to bulld, Sallsbury Cathedral, U.S. Net Champs completed in 1258.

CANBERRA (A) - American singles and drew the doubles in a series of two-set exhibition CHOP SUEY

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feated junior Roy Emerson, who is a future Davis Cup hope, 6-1, Hollywood Cafe In the doubles Seixas and Tra-

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Olson Tops Mixed Ten-Pin Loop

Art Olson with a high single of Results: Star Cabs 2, M& M's 218 topped the Mixed Ten Pin 2; Dominoes 0, Pat's Service 4: Bowling longue Sunday after- Luckles 3. Tinymites 1. noon. Joe Glordano rolled al

For the gals, Alma Millikin)

rolled 171 for women's highly

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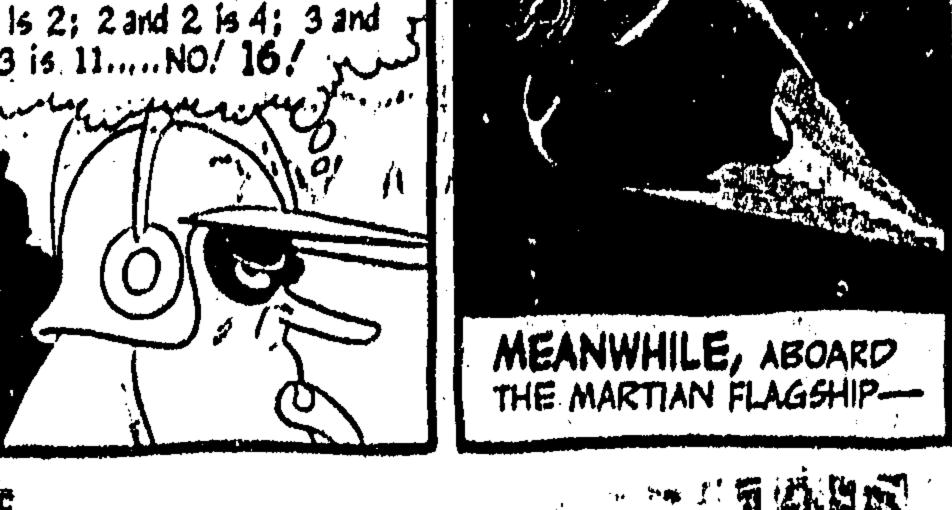
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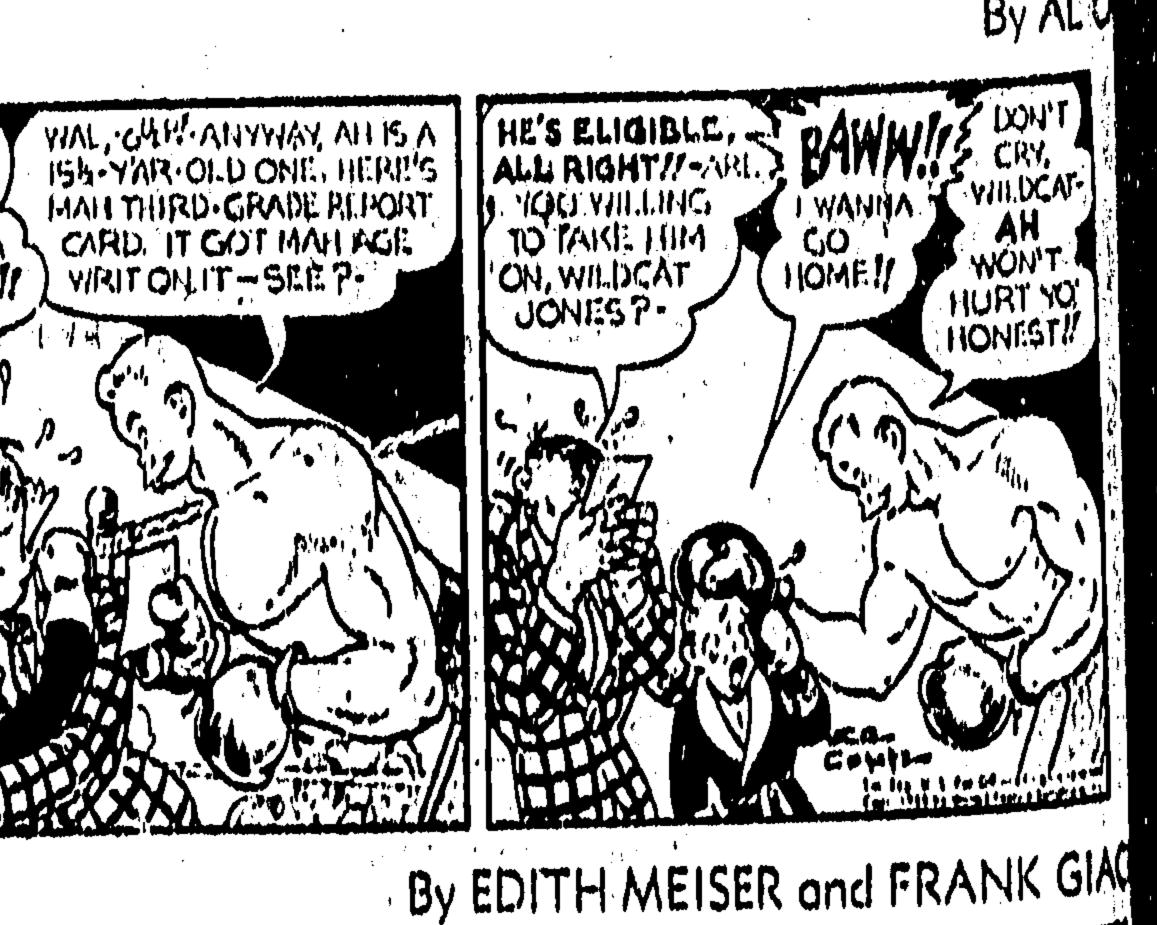




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