Warriors Take 2-1 Lead

Hustling 'Peg Team Wins Third Game 5-1

WINNIPEG (CP)—Coach Elmer Lach of Montreal Royals is a dyed-in-the-wool optimist. The Quebec League champions are trailing Winnipeg Warriors 2-1 in games in the best-of-nine series for the Duke of Edinburgh Trophy and the minor professional hockey championship of Canada.

The host team has always won the cup. The next three games are in Winnipeg tonight, Tuesday and Thursday.

Yet after Royals were trounced 5-1 in the third game at Calgary Saturday night, Lach said: "We've come from behind all year and there's no reason we can't do it again. We seem to go our best when the odds against us increase. We're a long way from being out of this thing yet."

"No legs and injuries to some of our key players," Lach, former National League high-scoring centre for Montreal Canadiens, diagnosed his team troubles.

"Three of our defence-men—Bud MacPherson, Jack Deslauriers and Ron Ingram—are playing with pulled muscles and shouldn't be out there at all.

"Besides our little guys up front are taking quite a going over and are not playing anywhere near the hockey they played in the East.

"They're being hooked and interfered with so much that they're not getting an opportunity to show their true worth. You can't blame them for getting discouraged."

Calgary Stampeders won the cup the first year the post-season series between the Western and Quebec titlists was played two years ago. Quebec Aces came West for the series.

WARRIORS PRAISED

The next year Edmonton Flyers travelled East and were beaten by Shawinigan Falls Cataracts.

Winnipeg has something more than tradition going with them. Lach praised Warriors as a "good hockey club—well balanced and with terrific netminding."

"We should have had a couple of goals in that first period Saturday but erratic shooting combined with Ed Chadwick's good work kept us off the scoresheet."

Coach Alf Pike of Winnipeg said Warriors "hustled and played their positions much better. They didn't have to work hard at it either. They played as a unit."

Howie Meeker, who will coach the NHL Toronto Maple Leafs next season, thought Warriors "checked much better than the night before."

Landy Starts U.S. Workouts

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — John Landy, Australia's world champion miler, arrived in the United States Sunday and almost immediately began working out for two races in which he hopes to crack the 3:58 record.

After a press conference and lunch he got into a sweat suit and tennis shoes and worked out on the grass around the baseball diamond at the University of San Francisco.

He runs Saturday in the special mile race at the USC-UCLA track meet in Los Angeles Coliseum, and again in the Fresno relays May 12.

Among those greeting Landy was ex-California track star Lon Spurrier, holder of the world record of 1:47.5 for the half mile and one of Landy's opponents in the Los Angeles mile Saturday. The others are Oregon stars Jim Bailey and Bill Dellinger.

The Aussie presented Spurrier with a pair of track shoes made of Kangaroo leather and wished him "good luck."

Spurrier thanked him and said "I don't think you'll see much of them in Los Angeles, John. I'll probably be behind you."

PINEHURST, N.C. (AP)—Hillman Robbins sank a five-foot putt on the 36th hole Saturday to match a one-over-par five by Bill Hyndman and win the north and south amateur golf tournament one up.

The Seychelles islands in the Indian Ocean were awarded to Britain by the Paris treaty of 1814.

Major League Standings

By The Associated Press

American League	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Chicago	5	1	.833	½
New York	8	3	.727	
Cleveland	6	5	.545	2
Washington	7	6	.539	2
Boston	4	5	.444	3
Detroit	4	6	.400	3½
Kansas City	3	6	.333	4
Baltimore	4	9	.308	5

National League	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Milwaukee	4	2	.667	
Brooklyn	7	4	.636	
St. Louis	5	3	.625	½
Cincinnati	5	5	.500	1½
New York	5	6	.455	2
Philadelphia	5	6	.455	2
Pittsburgh	5	6	.455	2
Chicago	3	7	.300	3½

PCL Standings

By The Canadian Press

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Seattle	14	6	.700	
Los Angeles	13	6	.684	½
Sacramento	12	6	.667	1
San Francisco	10	9	.526	2½
San Diego	9	11	.450	5
Hollywood	6	12	.333	7
Vancouver	6	12	.333	7
Portland	6	14	.300	8

GENE LITTLER
. . . second in row

Littler Top Money Winner

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP)—California's Gene Littler won the $38,500 Tournament of Champions in a rousing last-round duel with Cary Middlecoff Sunday.

Al Balding of Toronto fired a four-under-par 68, the best score of the last round, to pull into a three-way tie for fourth money, eight strokes behind Littler.

Littler, winning this event for the second straight year, fired a one-under-par 71 for a 72-hole score of 281. Four strokes back came Middlecoff after a gallant struggle to catch and pass his 25-year-old rival. Littler won $10,000 and Middlecoff $4,000.

Parker KOs Neuhaus In Third

DORTMUND, Germany (AP)—James J. Parker of Barrie, Ont., knocked out Germany's former European heavyweight boxing champion, Heinz Neuhaus, in the third round of a scheduled 10-round fight here Sunday night. Both weighed 218½ pounds.

Neuhaus, 30, was as surprised as the 14,000 fans in Westfalenhalle when the 27-year-old Canadian floored him with a terrific left hook to the chin.

Victoria Champ Wins V.I. Open

VICTORIA (CP)— Laurie Kerr, 1955 Victoria city golf champion, Sunday won the Vancouver island match play open with a 3 and 2 victory over Vince Clarkson.

Kerr was 6 up at one stage of the 36-hole final but Clarkson nibbled away at the lead and was 4 down after the first 18. He picked up more ground in the afternoon and moved to within one hole when he won the 32nd hole with a birdie 2.

ROVERS DOWN CORK 3-2

DUBLIN (Reuters)—Shamrock Rovers beat Cork Athletic 3-2 in the Football Association of Ireland Cup final Saturday.

Wally Post Takes Over As Redleg Top Slugger

By The Associated Press

If Ted Kluszewski doesn't get back in the Cincinnati lineup and start swinging that home-run bat at a $40,000-a-year pace, Wally Post is going to be grabbing the heavy sugar.

The 26-year-old outfielder hit four home runs Sunday as Redlegs swept a doubleheader from Chicago 5-4 and 8-4. Only one man, Stan Musial of St. Louis Cardinals ever hit more. Stan set the record of five May 2, 1954.

Post also his one Saturday to make it five in three consecutive games, also one short of the major league record of six held by Tony Lazzeri, Gus Zernial and Ralph Kiner (twice).

Ed Bailey and Frank Robinson joined Post's homer party and Harry Chiti, Ernie Banks and Jim King hit home runs for the Cubs.

DODGERS DROP TWO

The big news Sunday was Brooklyn's double defeat by Pittsburgh 10-1 and 11-3. The double disaster dropped the world champion Dodgers out of the National League lead while Milwaukee, idle for seven straight days, took over on a percentage basis.

Ramon Monzant, 23-year-old New York Giants righthander from Venezuela, turned in a one-hit 8-1 victory against Philadelphia to get Giants an even break. The only hit off Monzant, who fanned nine, was a first-inning single by Del Ennis that drove in a run.

Phillies topped Giants 5-4 in the first game on the first major league home run by relief pitcher Jack Mayer.

ANOTHER TOUGH ONE

Herb Score made the headlines the hard way, for the second time this season, by losing a 1-0 game. The Cleveland lefty struck out 13 Detroit Tigers and allowed only three hits, but one of the hits was a homer by Bill Tuttle in the 10th inning that gave Billy Hoeft the victory. Score lost a 1-0 game to Chicago 10 days ago.

Vic Wertz and Al Smith each hit two homers and Hal Naragon got one as Cleveland won 8-4 in the second game. Bob Lemon allowed seven hits but took the victory.

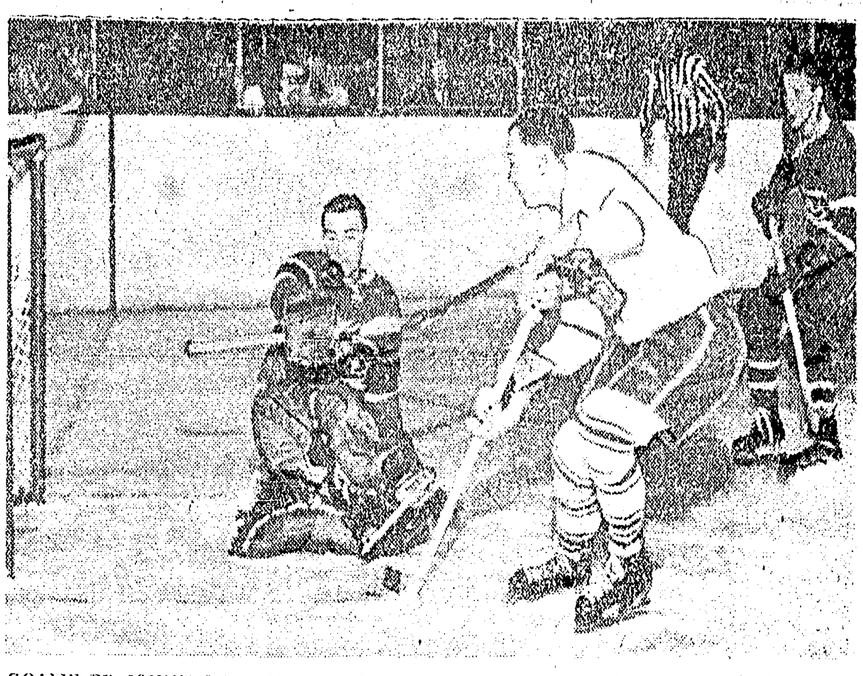
Baltimore beat Washington 8-6 with the help of Tito Francona's two-run pinch homer. Hal Smith and Billy Gardner also hit homers for Orioles and Roy Sievers and Jim Lemon for Senators. Sievers and Karl Olson also homered in the second game, won by Washington 5-4 on Dick Tettlebach's single with the bases loaded in the ninth.

Boston finally caught up with Yankees Saturday, beating them 6-4 for the Red Sox first win in five games with Yanks this season.

Pitcher Camilo Pascual was the key man in Washington's 5-3 win Saturday over Baltimore. He rapped out four hits, driving in two runs with a third-inning single, and struck out 12 batters for his second victory of the season.

In the National League, Brooklyn beat Pittsburgh 5-2, Phils beat Giants 6-2 and Redlegs downed Cubs 9-1.

St. Louis-Milwaukee, Chicago White Sox-Kansas City, and Cleveland-Detroit were rained out.



GOALIE ED JOHNSTON of Montreal Junior Canadiens stops a high puck with his shoulder on a shot from Ken Girard of Toronto Marlboros during the deciding game of the eastern Canada Memorial Cup final at Toronto. Marlies blanked Canadiens 2-0 to advance into the Memorial Cup playoffs with Regina Pats, western Canada champions. Other Montreal player is unidentified. (CP Photo)

Pats No Match For Marlboros In Second Memorial Cup Game

By RON ANDREWS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Marlboros appear a good bet to be the second team in history to win the Memorial Cup two consecutive years.

Marlboros untracked themselves Sunday to coast to an easy 5-1 victory over Regina Pats in the second game of the best-of-seven series.

Pats, who surprised many critics in the first game by holding Marlboros to a 4-4 tie, just didn't have the stamina in the second game. A crowd of 8,463 fans watched Toronto score three goals in the first period and then out-hustle the western Canada champions the rest of the way.

Oshawa Generals won the Memorial Cup in 1939 and again in 1940—the only team to win two championships in a row. Marlboros captured the Memorial Cup last year when they defeated Pats in five games at Regina.

SHAKY NETMINDING

Marlboros took advantage of some wobbly goaltending Sunday. Two of their first three goals were scored on long shots which fooled Regina goaltender Hank Metcalf. Another was deflected into the net by a Regina defenceman.

Coach Murray Armstrong of Regina wouldn't concede the series after the game.

"Marlboros were good to take advantage of a couple of our bad breaks—just like they were in the first game—but three of their goals were lucky. And we had some tough luck in scoring chances, too. Our shooting was poor but we'll remedy that in the next game. We aren't dead yet, not by a long shot."

Left winger Bob Pulford scored twice to pace Marlboros. Defenceman Al MacNeil, right winger Ken Girard and left winger Gary Collins scored the other Toronto goals. Left winger Murray Balfour saved Pats from a shutout loss with a goal midway through the second period.

Metcalf stopped 24 shots, half of them in the first period. Marlboro netminder Len Broderick made 25 saves, but many of them were long shots made in desperation.

Pats showed a tendency to wait a second or two too long when getting ready to shoot and thus lost many opportunities to set up good scoring chances. Other times the Pat players passed too much in front of the Marlboro goal and the puck was cleared from danger by the Toronto defencemen.

The referees called a total of 11 penalties, including a 10-minute misconduct against Collins in the third period. Marlboros received six of the 10 minors.

Third game is scheduled for Wednesday with the fourth Friday and fifth next Sunday.

Mounties Split PCL Twin-Bill With Seals

By The Canadian Press

Vancouver Mounties lost their three-game PCL series with San Francisco Seals 2-1 in Vancouver Saturday. The Mounties won the opener 3-2 but dropped the night-cap 6-2.

The Seals scored three runs in the second game to break a 2-3 tie. Vancouver had tied the score in their half of the eighth on a double by Willy Quintana and a single by Len Neal. A crowd of 2,736 watched the night game in 9,000-seat Capilano stadium.

In the afternoon, 2,039 customers saw the Seals come close in the last inning when Ed Sadowski tripled and scored on a single by Gordon Windhorn but the rally fizzled. Other games:

Saturday—San Diego 0, Seattle 2; Hollywood 3, Los Angeles 5.

Sunday—Hollywood 7-3, Los Angeles 8-9; San Diego 2-0, Seattle 11-4; Sacramento 7-4; Portland 6-2.

Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press

American League	AB	R	H	PCT.
Wertz, Cleveland	36	9	17	.447
Mantle, New York	41	10	17	.415
Skowron, New York	44	7	18	.409
Piersall, Boston	31	7	12	.387
Olson, Wash.	47	10	19	.404

Runs—Yost, Washington, 13.
Runs batted in—Mantle, 15.
Hits—Olson, 19.
Triples—Four players tied with 2.
Doubles—Goodman, Boston, 5.
Home runs—Wertz, 5.
Stolen bases—Philley, Baltimore, Bauer, New York and Lemon, Washington, 2.
Pitching — Pierce, Chicago, 3-0, 1.000.
Strikeouts—Score, Cleveland, 31.

National League	AB	R	H	PCT.
Boyer, St. Louis	30	8	15	.500
Sauer, St. Louis	28	4	12	.429
Long, Pittsburgh	43	9	18	.419
Boone, St. Louis	30	7	12	.400
Dark, New York	44	5	16	.364

Runs—Gilliam, Brooklyn, 11.
Runs batted in—Post and Jablonski, Cincinnati, 13.
Hits—Long, 18.
Doubles—Furillo, Brooklyn, 6.
Triples—Landrith, Chicago, Bruton, Milwaukee and Walls, Pittsburgh, 2.
Home runs—Post, Cincinnati, 7.
Stolen bases—Gilliam, Brooklyn, Drake, Chicago and Walls, 2.
Pitching—Roberts, Philadelphia, 3-0, 1.000.
Strikeouts—Friend, Pittsburgh, 14.

BIGGER AVERAGE

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