P & Fs Defeat Port Edward 9-2 To Move Into Third-Place Tie

Third place in the men's senior softball league became a three-way deadlock last night as P & Fs moved a half game up the standings on the strength of a 9-2 win over Port Edward.

The win puts the police-firemen in third slot, along with Local 703 and Savoy Hotel three games back of undefeated B.C. Packers. The loss moves Port Edward 4½ games back, 2½ games behind runner-up Atlin and Canfisco.

Port Edward out-hit P & Fs 7-5, getting lone singles in every inning from the fourth on, plus a double to C. Stewart in the third.

P & F pitcher D. Wallin held the Port Edward team scoreless until the sixth when C. Wing was sacrificed to third after singling and stealing second and coming home on Jim Stewart's groundout.

P & Fs led off with two runs in the first, added three more in the fourth and brought four more in in the fifth frame.

Stewart, the loser went five innings and gave up four hits, four runs and is charged with all nine runs. He was replaced by E. Johnson. Stewart fanned one, Johnson one, while walking two batters.

Winner Wallin went the distance was tagged for seven hits, gave up three walks and fanned four.

Port Edward left four men on base. P & Fs eight.

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P & Fs	200 340 00X	9	5	0

STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct	GB
B.C. Packers	5	0	1.000	
Atlin	3	2	600	2
Canfisco	3	2	600	2
Local 703	3	4	429	3
Savoy	3	4	429	3
P & F	3	4	429	3
Port Edward	1	5	167	4½

AL Survival Battle Underway Tonight

By The Associated Press

Call 'em critical, crucial or just plain crazy, but a pair of three-game series opening tonight could be the beginning of the end for New York, Boston, Cleveland or Detroit in the bewildered American League pennant race.

While first-place Chicago takes on the shaggy-maned listless Kansas City Athletics, Boston invades New York and Cleveland plays host to Detroit.

Yankees are just three percentage points behind White Sox. Third-place Cleveland is half a game back. Fourth-place Boston is 1½ games back, and fifth is 5½ short.

Tony Kubek, Yankee rookie ace of Contenders' contenders with 8 victories against 1 defeat, is slated to open against Bobo Holloman, rules out each Baltimore. This Bobo has yet to win a game and something's got to give.

12 IMPORTANT GAMES

Yanks and Red Sox meet play-even over 12 games yet. Indians and Tigers have a dozen scraps left to them in 10 days, while White Sox play six games with sixth-place Kansas City, half of these 12 dates yet to be completed.

What's more all four of the club, chasing White Sox must face the other contenders in more than half of their remaining games.

Although Yanks lost a series to Chicago and Cleveland and split with Detroit on their current home stand, manager Casey Stengel tags Red Sox as "maybe the toughest yet." Pinky Higgins, whose Red Sox started the Yanks on their slip with a July 4 double-header sweep, figures his club "is as good as anybody's."

Cleveland's Al Lopez, following a three-game failure against seventh-place Washington, looks on the bright side with the apparent recovery of Bob Lemon and Mike Garcia. Bucky Harris still needs pitching for his Tigers.

And Frank Lane, White Sox general manager, has been figuring on how to pitch to Brooklyn the club with the National League pennant all but in hand.

LOST MONDAY

Dodgers did not tighten their grip on the flag Monday, in the day's only game. They lost 1-0 to Chicago with the usually unreachable Don Newcombe shut off from what could have been his 19th victory.

It was Newk's second defeat of the season, and both have been to Cubs. This time it was a home run by Gene Baker, who had half of Chicago's six hits, that beat the big righthander.

Sad Sam Jones was the winner on a four-hitter, although he was in hot water with six walks. Jones, now 10-15, fanned seven while getting his first victory since July 3.

The decision gave Cubs a sweep of the three-game series - their first over Dodgers in Wrigley Field since 1947.

American Favored Early In First Round Tourney

By STEPHEN SCOTT
Canadian Press Staff Writer

VICTORIA (CP) — The first round of the 1955 Canadian women's open golf championship begins at the Royal Colwood course near here today with an American woman the early favorite.

Mrs. Ercan Anderson Ihlanfeldt of Seattle won top medal honors in the qualifying round Monday with a stylish two-under-par 75.

In a day of generally high scores defending champion Marlene Stewart of Toronto, Ont., equalled par 77 to place second.

Pat Milligan of Jasper, Alta., the Alberta and Ontario champ, slipped into third spot with an 81.

Seven entrants tied with 90 and they contested elimination holes to decide the last four names for the list of 32 qualifiers.

Mrs. Ihlanfeldt went over par by one stroke on the front nine for a 38. She took a six on the par-five first stretching 398 yards.

Mrs. Ihlanfeldt was drawn today against Vancouver's Mrs. E. L. Buchanan who qualified with 87.

Marlene, who cracked the course record Saturday with a six-under-scratch 71 in winning her fifth straight Canadian close championship, was playing steady golf for the first four holes.

Then she took six on the 513-yard fifth and a five on the eighth, a tight par four.

Two over at the turn, Miss Stewart had four birdies on the back nine and two one-over-par holes for her 39-38 — 77.

Miss Milligan was even with Mrs. Ihlanfeldt on the first half in 38 but blew to a 43 coming in.

Miss Stewart was drawn today against Marlene Wach of Winnipeg and Miss Milligan was to play Mrs. J. L. Mussells of Montreal. Both Miss Wach and Mrs. Mussells had 87s Monday.

FLYING FISH — This four-foot, 14-pound sturgeon, wet and wriggling, landed on the porch of Walter Hudson's home at Grand Bay, N.B., near Saint John. His house is a quarter of a mile from the St. John river. Clawmarks on the sturgeon indicate it was carried by an eagle which dropped it, possibly because it was too hard to handle. (CP Photo)

Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	AB	R	H	Pct
Campanella, Bklyn	320	60	107	.334
Ashburn, Phila	460	61	131	.328
Post, Cincinnati	441	89	140	.317
Snider, Brooklyn	391	95	123	.315
Klein, Chicago	434	81	136	.313

Runs: Snider, 95.
Runs batted in—Snider, 100
Hits: Post, 140.
Doubles: Logan, Milwaukee, 30.
Triples: Bruton, Milwaukee and Lowe, Pittsburgh, 9.
Home runs: Snider, 38.
Stolen bases: Boyer, St. Louis, 18.
Pitching: Newcombe, Brooklyn, 10-2, .909.
Strikeouts: Jones, Chicago, 114.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	AB	R	H	Pct
Kaline, Detroit	425	98	149	.351
Kuenn, Detroit	420	70	141	.320
Power, Kansas City	421	68	134	.318
Smith, Cleveland	439	85	138	.315
Kell, Chicago	307	33	96	.313

Runs—Kaline, 98.
Runs batted in—Jensen, Boston, 88
Hits: Kaline, 149.
Doubles: Kuenn, 20.
Triples: Mantle, New York, 9
Home runs: Mantle, 36.
Stolen bases: Rivera, Chicago, 16
Pitching: Byrne, New York, 10-3, .769.
Strikeouts: Score, Cleveland, 160.

Major League Standings

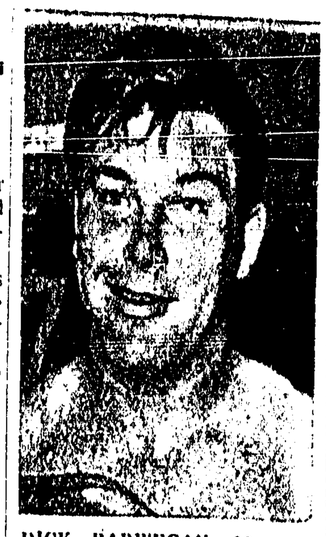
By The Canadian Press

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	GBL
Brooklyn	74	30	.673	
Milwaukee	60	50	.545	14
New York	59	53	.527	16
Philadelphia	57	58	.496	19½
Chicago	56	59	.491	20
Cincinnati	52	59	.468	22½
St. Louis	46	66	.434	29
Pittsburgh	42	72	.368	34

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Chicago	63	43	.594	
New York	65	45	.591	
Cleveland	64	45	.587	1½
Boston	63	46	.578	2½
Detroit	59	50	.541	6½
Kansas City	46	64	.418	19
Washington	39	69	.361	25
Baltimore	35	73	.327	29½



DICK BARWEGAN, 30-year-old guard with teams in the National Football League for nine years, is trying out with Ottawa Rough Riders in the Big Four football league. He was All-American at Purdue University and an All-Pro in the NFL. (CP Photo)

Last Night's Fights

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Virgil Akins, 146, St. Louis, outpointed Isaac Logart, 144½, Havana, Cuba, (10).

SAN FRANCISCO—Eddie Machen, 198, Redding, Calif., stopped Shamus Jones, 180, Los Angeles, (2).

Canadian Football Schedule

By The Canadian Press

The 1955 playing schedule of Canadian Senior Football leagues follows:

(CUT OUT FOR YOUR FUTURE REFERENCE)

BIG FOUR

Sept 3	Montreal at Ottawa; Hamilton at Toronto
Sept 5	Ottawa at Montreal; Toronto at Hamilton
Sept 10	Ottawa at Hamilton; Toronto at Montreal
Sept 17	Toronto at Ottawa; Hamilton at Montreal
Sept 24	Montreal at Hamilton; Ottawa at Toronto
Oct 1	Montreal at Toronto; Hamilton at Ottawa
Oct 8	Toronto at Hamilton; Montreal at Ottawa
Oct 10	Hamilton at Toronto; Ottawa at Montreal
Oct 15	Ottawa at Hamilton; Toronto at Montreal
Oct 22	Montreal at Toronto; Hamilton at Ottawa
Oct 29	Ottawa at Toronto; Hamilton at Montreal
Nov 5	Montreal at Hamilton; Toronto at Ottawa

Play-off schedule to be decided

WESTERN INTERPROVINCIAL

Aug 20	Winnipeg at Regina; Edmonton at Calgary
Aug 22	Calgary at Vancouver; Edmonton at Winnipeg
Aug 27	Regina at Calgary, Vancouver at Edmonton
Aug 29	Regina at Vancouver; Calgary at Winnipeg
Sept 3	Vancouver at Winnipeg; Regina at Edmonton
Sept 5	Vancouver at Regina; Winnipeg at Calgary
Sept 10	Calgary at Regina; Edmonton at Vancouver
Sept 12	Regina at Winnipeg, Calgary at Edmonton
Sept 17	Winnipeg at Vancouver; Edmonton at Regina
Sept 19	Winnipeg at Edmonton, Vancouver at Calgary
Sept 24	Winnipeg at Regina; Edmonton at Calgary
Sept 26	Calgary at Winnipeg; Edmonton at Vancouver
Oct 1	Regina at Vancouver, Edmonton at Winnipeg
Oct 3	Regina at Edmonton; Vancouver at Calgary
Oct 8	Winnipeg at Calgary; Vancouver at Edmonton
Oct 10	Winnipeg at Vancouver, Calgary at Regina
Oct. 15	Edmonton at Regina; Calgary at Vancouver
Oct 22	Vancouver at Regina; Winnipeg at Edmonton
Oct 24	Vancouver at Winnipeg; Regina at Calgary
Oct 29	Regina at Winnipeg; Calgary at Edmonton

Semi-finals: Nov 5 and 7
Finals: Nov 11 or 12 for first game; Nov. 16 for second; Nov. 19 for third if necessary.

ORFC SENIOR

Aug. 26	Sarnia at Kitchener
Sept. 3	Kitchener at Sarnia
Sept 5	Toronto at Sarnia
Sept 9	Toronto at Kitchener
Sept 11	Kitchener at Toronto
Sept. 14	Toronto at Sarnia
Sept 18	Sarnia at Toronto
Sept. 21	Sarnia at Kitchener
Sept 25	Kitchener at Toronto
Sept 30	Sarnia at Kitchener
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Oct, 10	Toronto at Sarnia
Oct 12	Toronto at Kitchener
Oct 15	Kitchener at Sarnia
Oct 22	Kitchener at Sarnia
Oct 23	Sarnia at Toronto
Oct 26	Toronto at Kitchener
Oct 30	Sarnia at Toronto

Play-off: Best two of three games to be scheduled

INTERCOLLEGE

Oct 1	McGill at Queen's; Toronto at Western
Oct 8	Western at McGill; Queen's at Toronto
Oct 15	Western at Queen's; McGill at Toronto Queen's at Western
Oct 20	Toronto at Queen's; McGill at Western
Nov 5	Queen's at McGill; Western at Toronto

Senior Ball Tie-Breaker Set Tonight

The deadlocked lead in the city senior baseball league should be decided tonight with a scheduled game between Gordon and Anderson and Commercial Hotel, currently tied for top spot, slated to meet at Roosevelt Park.

With both teams with 15 and 6 win-loss records, the winner has a chance to move a full game out in front, while Terrace, rained-out Sunday will drop to third spot, five games back. Last-place Esquires, winless since May 22 will be 14 games out of first place.

60 Pros Expected To Try For CPGA Championship

HAMILTON, Ont.—The largest group of golfing "pros" to test their skill over the same course will converge on nearby Ancaster next Thursday when the two-day championship play of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association gets underway at the Hamilton Golf and Country Club.

Captain Dick Borthwick of the host club already has 52 entries, and a total of about 60 club professionals are expected to tee off for the Seagram Shield and $4,175 in prize money on Thursday morning. Medal play for the championship is over 54 holes—, 18 to be played on Thursday and 36 on Friday.

The five-time winner, Stan Leonard, of Vancouver, will not be present to defend his championship but other pros who have entered assure the event of some keen competition. Some of the CPGA golfers who are conceded a good chance of taking the Seagram Shield and top money are:

Henry Martell, Edmonton, runner-up last year; Pat Fletcher, Saskatoon, winner of the 1954 Canadian Open; Murray Tucker and Gordon Brydson, both of Toronto; Jules Huot, Jack Kay and Bill Kerr, all of Montreal.

STAN LEONARD
No Defence

Par for the Ancaster course is 70. The course record of 64 was chalked up in 1931 by Tommy Armour in winning the Canadian Open that year.

Remember when..

By The Canadian Press

Finland's famed track star, Paavo Nurmi, was barred from participating in the 1932 Olympic Games at Los Angeles by the International Amateur Athletic Federation, 23 years ago. Nurmi was previously suspended by the same organization in April, 1931, for allegedly accepting money in excess of his expenses.

CLAMP-LIKE

The jaws of a wasp bite inward from the sides.

Top Canadian Chess Players Meet Next Week For Title

OTTAWA (CP) - Fourteen leading Canadian chess players, including four ranked as international masters, have been invited to the Canadian championship tournament here Aug. 16-26.

The Canadian co-champions Abe Yanofsky of Winnipeg and Frank Anderson of Toronto, will be on hand to defend the title they shared at the 1953 tournament, the 52nd Canadian championship held since 1873. Once held annually, the title tourney now is run off every two years.

The Chess Federation of Canada, sponsor of the round-robin tournament, said the competitors represent the strongest group ever entered in the national event.

YOUTHFUL EXPERT

Youngest player in the tournament is 21-year-old Ross Siemms of Toronto, current holder of the United States junior title. The oldest is Dr. F. Bohatirchuk of Ottawa, 67-year-old Russian-born international master who was champion of his native country in 1927. He now is a Canadian citizen.

The other three international masters are Yanofsky, five time Canadian champion; Anderson, an outstanding competitor at last year's international team tournament in Amsterdam, and Paul Vaitonis of Hamilton, 1951 Canadian titlist.

The only other former Canadian titleholder entered is Maurice Fox, Montreal veteran who is an eight-time winner.

A newcomer to the tournament is Rudolph Draxl of Toronto, a 21-year-old German immigrant who has been in Canada about six months.

The other entries are: M. Jurseskis, Vancouver, British Columbia champion; G. Raletich, Edmonton, Alberta champion; Harry Yanofsky, Winnipeg, Manitoba champion; Ivan Suk, Toronto, Ontario champion; Heinz Matthai and Lionel Joyner, Montreal; and Geza Fuster, Toronto.

The tournament will be played under rules of the Federation Internationale des Echecs, International Chess Federation, with Dudley M. Ledain of Montreal as director.

Each player will meet the other 13 once, with one point for a win and a half-point for a draw.

B.C. Enters 27 In Swim Meet

MONTREAL (CP) — Entries continue rolling in for the Canadian swimming and diving championships and indications are there will be the toughest kind of competition.

The meet will be held August 18-20 at McGill University's memorial pool. Norm Ashton, [illegible] for the meet, said today 129 individual entries from 22 clubs across Canada have been received. Three teams from the United States have registered with officials.

Four teams each from Toronto and Montreal have entered swimmers and three clubs from Winnipeg have sent entries.

There will be powerful entries from the west coast, with a 22-member delegation from Vancouver and a five-member team from Ocean Falls, B.C.

Matt Mann, coach of the 1952 United States Olympic team, has entered a team of 26 from his speed swimming camp at Camp Chikopi in Ontario.

SOUTHEND - ON - SEA, England (CP) — The pier in this Essex seaside resort has been equipped with several miles of light and a replica of New York's Manhattan skyline. The illuminations will be on until late autumn.

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Waterfowl Outlook Tops In Western Prairie Areas

Special to The Daily News

WINNIPEG—Waterfowl production is exceptional in western Canada's prairie region . . . Second survey of 1955 breeding season shows impressive hatch by late nesters and renesters in all three provinces where weather continues favorable . . . Visible crop indicates substantial increase for Central and Pacific flyways, ample supply for Mississippi and Atlantic flyways.

There you have encouraging highlights from the August issue of the Ducks Unlimited "Duck-ological", prepared by Chief Naturalist Bert W. Cartwright.

Cautioning that danger from hail storms and botulism still exist where waterfowl are concerned, Cartwright cites the impressive hatch during second half of the breeding season as one outstanding reason for excellent overall production.

The report indicates that Alberta's crop will equal last year's. The foothills province still has a comparatively small drought area in the south, which means that Ducks Unlimited projects have been performing magnificently in nurturing waterfowl. One banding drive in the region produced 2,561 ducks and 61 Canada geese.

Saskatchewan's hatch is described as "an outstanding success" with every expectation that the province's crop will surpass that of 1952, previously the most successful year in D. U.'s experience. Two banding drives were conducted in this province and a total of 4,712 ducks was banded.

Impressive second-half performance by late nesters and renesters in Manitoba has more than balanced initially poor showing by first nesters and production is expected to show some increase over last year.

Report states that "there will be few late broods this year. Most of the young are on the wing with balance of the hatch expected to reach flying stage in a matter of days.

"NOTHING DEFINITE"

HAMBURG, Germany (CP) — German newspapers report that German tennis ace Gottfried Cramm is planning to marry Woolworth heiress Barbara Hutton in Tanglers Sept. 1. Cramm's reporters who asked him about the reports, von Cramm said, "I am not commenting on speculations that we will marry. If you will ask me in October, I may give you a definite answer."

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