

Boston Bruins and Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets Open N.H.L. Pro Season Tonight

SMOKY CITY CREW HAS MOST ROOKIES

Boston Rules Favorites For Opening Game in Jackets' Bailiwick.

SHOULD BE CLOSE.

Boston Strengthened and Pittsburgh Is Salted With Seasoned Vets.

Associated Press Despatch. Boston, Mass., Nov. 25.—A newly assembled hockey machine bearing a Pittsburgh marker, receives its initial "tryout" here tomorrow night, when the Boston Bruins, tail-enders in the 1924 National Hockey League race, entertain the Pittsburgh Pirates, brand new members of the professional hockey family. The match will also be the opener for the 1925 program of the National League, and a season of hockey that has just acquired a decided international flavor will be put under way, with the blast of the starting whistle.

While the Bruins rule a slight favorite to bring the inaugural tilt by virtue of this being their second season in professional hockey, whereas the majority of the members of the Pirates are just being introduced to the "moneyed" game, all the local sports scribes warn the Boston board of strategy that they have a hard contest on their hands. The Pittsburgh team includes many of the "veteran pure" stick-handlers of last year's Yellow Jackets, and while this will be their debut into the program, the magnates of the smoky city have salted their six elite with many seasoned professional players, and this is expected to balance the team. Reports from Duquesne Gardens, where the Pirates have been receiving their early season training, headed the team as a "fast-skating, hard-checking, smooth-passing" machine.

The Bruins have also shown phenomenal condition in their pre-season practices. Strengthened with the addition of many new players from both the professional and amateur ranks, the Boston entry in the Canadian-United States league is conceded a bright chance of finishing the league schedule in a first division berth. The teams will probably line up as follows: Pittsburgh—Worters, goal; Smith and Comacher, defense; O. Cleghorn, center; Tarragh, right wing; Berfloghette, left wing; McCurry, Drury, Sticks, subs. Boston—Stewart, goal; S. Cleghorn and Hitchman, defense; Geran, center; Herberst, right wing; Mitchell, left wing; Brackenborough, Cooper, Stuart, subs.

SET NEW TRACK MARK. Associated Press Despatch. Boston, Nov. 25.—Frank Marlow's Anna Marone II set a new track record, 1:06.5, for 2 1/2 furlongs, in winning the Twin Cities handicap today over seven other good sprinters. Jockey Horn had the mount.

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Race Results

BOWIE RESULTS

FIRST RACE—6 furlongs: Northern \$10.40, \$4.10, \$2.60, won. Happy Argo, \$5.10, \$1.50, second. Hiko \$9.50, third. Time—1:24 2-5.

SECOND RACE—5 furlongs: Traveller, Glance, Rockover, Happy Birthday, Declare, Mississippi, Hec, Zed and Forever and Ever ran. Time—1:20 4-5.

THIRD RACE—7 furlongs: Anna Marone II \$2.50, \$1.50, won. Lightview \$5.00, \$2.00, second. High Star \$2.50, third. Time—1:26 2-5.

FOURTH RACE—5 1/2 furlongs: Anna Marone II \$5.50, \$2.50, won. Senator Norris \$3.50, \$2.00, second. Storm King \$2.50, third. Time—1:26 2-5.

FIFTH RACE—1 1/2 miles: Roxana \$4.10, \$1.50, won. Revillon \$3.50, \$2.00, second. Son of Tromp \$13.50, third. Time—1:52.

SIXTH RACE—1 1/2 miles: North Wales, Peace Pal, Our Birthday, Savoy, Miss Washington, Soviet, Quebec, Yakima, Royal Airman, Noble Lady, Trajanus, Ivy, Evelyn, ran. Time—1:51 2-5.

SEVENTH RACE—1 1/2 miles: Dernier Son \$5.40, \$2.50, won. Gray Gables \$4.40, \$2.00, second. Porro \$5.70, third. Time—1:51 2-5.

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SESSION OPENS DECEMBER 10 BUT 100 WRITS ARE HELD UP

Premier Not Perturbed As Parliament Opening Date Nears.

EARLY DECISION NEEDED

King Believes Long Delay May Involve Government in Litigation.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Nov. 25.—"We still hope to call parliament by Dec. 10," said Premier Mackenzie King tonight, at the close of a long cabinet council. The prime minister intimated that a definite announcement on the subject probably would be forthcoming on Monday next, so that the usual ten days' notice of the opening of parliament could be given its members-elect.

After a final consultation with the chief electoral officer, the government will decide if there is reasonable likelihood of all the writs being returned by the tenth. The premier suggested that if there remained only one or two writs unreturned on the date decided on, it might be possible to begin the business of parliament, if it was probable that the members affected by these delayed writs would take their seats before the house reached a vote at the Christmas adjournment.

As to when this adjournment would be taken and how long a recess would ensue, the premier pointed out that this was for parliament to decide. His sole reason for hastening the meeting of the house, he said, was that the whole question of who is to carry on the government could be put up to the people's elected representatives.

It is understood that about 100 of the writs issued for the elections of October 29 are still out. Most of those are held up through some technical omission on the part of the deputy returning officers, and the bulk of them will be returned complete within the next week or so.

LEONARD TO RETURN ONLY WHEN REAL MAN LOOMS UP

Associated Press Despatch. New York, Nov. 25.—Benny Leonard is ready to return to the ring only when "a good fighter comes along and there is an enormous demand" for the retired lightweight champion to meet him.

Leonard is quoted to this effect today by the Evening World, adding that he wants to fight again and is not in a hurry to do so, but has no immediate intention of re-entering the arena.

Leonard said he thought the lightweight of today were of good calibre, but lacked experience. "I'll make the required weight," he said, indicating that if he returned to the ring he would do so as a lightweight in spite of the general conviction that he was outgrown this division and would be forced to box in welterweight ranks.

WOODSTOCK "Y" JUNIORS DOWN COLLEGIANS 64-27

Woodstock, Nov. 25.—The Junior O. B. A. team of the Woodstock Y.M.C.A. sprung a surprise on the Woodstock College basketball team this afternoon when they defeated the Collegians, 64 to 27, in a game played on the college gymnasium. The college team was highly rated, but speed and combination of the "Y" team left them standing still at many periods of the game. The "Y" team will take a lot of beating this year.

The teams: Y. M. C. A. Juniors—Stevenson, Wilson, Smith, Oberson, Gaultier and Ritz. College—Lee, Brownell, Wilson, Tarr, Denike and Dolson.

CLERIC'S WIDOW DIES

Mrs. Helen McKenzie Passes in Montreal; Lived in Brampton 38 Years.

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MONEY ALLEGED MURDER MOTIVE

Quebec Man Faces Charge of Slaying Aged Mother For Wealth.

WAS STRANGLED

Canadian Press Despatch. Quebec, Nov. 25.—Eugene Bigaouette, 40 years old, appeared this afternoon before Judge Lachance in police court to face the charge of having murdered his 79-year-old mother.

Bigaouette pleaded not guilty, and the preliminary inquiry was fixed for Friday.

The arrest was made in the morgue after the coroner's inquest. After hearing nine witnesses the jury rendered the following verdict: "Mrs. Alexander Bigaouette died of strangulation caused by Eugene Bigaouette, held criminally responsible of her death."

A will signed by the deceased in May, 1925, was found by detectives in Mrs. Bigaouette's house. In this will she named her son Eugene the sole heir to her fortune, valued at \$30,000.

The brothers of the accused testified at the coroner's inquest that Eugene Bigaouette had caused great trouble in the family, and that for the last six months they had seen the recorder and the police with a view to having him interned in the asylum.

HOLD-UP STORY FALSE. Toronto, Nov. 25.—Charged with the theft of \$317 and of drugs valued at \$50 and the circulation of false reports, Donald S. Gollan, manager of a drug store of Bloor street west, was placed under arrest this afternoon. The police state that on the night of Sept. 13 Gollan reported that he was attacked by two thugs while closing the store, and beaten over the head with a blunt instrument.

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