

JIM RILEY LEADS COAST PUCK SCORERS; METS FACE THREE GAMES NEXT WEEK

BY LEO H. LASSEN

BIG JIM RILEY, Seattle's husky left wing, is leading the procession in the race for the individual scoring honors of the Coast puck league with a total of seven goals in four games.

Riley piled up his seven goals in his last three starts as Seattle was shut out in the first game of the season by Vancouver.

The big fellow is playing at top form right now and with Bernie Morris and Frank Foyson he makes up one of the greatest trios of hockey forwards in the business.

HOW RILEY SCORED
Riley scored two goals against Victoria in the first game on the local ice a week ago Wednesday and then added three counters against the team Christmas day in Victoria, scoring three of Seattle's four goals and shooting the winning counter in overtime. He added two more here against Vancouver Wednesday, scoring two out of Seattle's three counters and annexing the winning goal in Seattle's second overtime game of the season.

"Smookey" Harris, Vancouver's left wing, is second in scoring list with three goals and two assists in three starts. He has played in one less game than the Seattle leader.

GATMAN IS THIRD
Eddie Catman, Victoria's stellar wing, is third with four assists. Eddie has also taken part in only three games.

While the teams are playing a pretty clean brand of hockey, penalties are numerous enough. Bob Rowe, Seattle defense man, and Sid Desiran, Vancouver center, are the "bad men" of the league so far, both getting 15-minute penalties here Wednesday. Lloyd Cook, Vancouver captain, has been sent to the bench for two three-minute penalties in three games.

MEANS FACE THREE GAMES
Seattle faces a stiff hockey schedule again next week, playing three games. The first tilt will be with Vancouver in Vancouver and then the Mets will tangle with the Victoria Aristocrats here. The second game of the week will be against the Victoria club in Victoria.

Seattle's team should be in much better condition than the Vancouver team, which will be playing its fourth game within a week.

VANCOUVER VS. VICTORIA TODAY
Vancouver and Victoria clash in Victoria this afternoon in the second matinee game of the season. Vancouver won the first meeting between this pair by a 6 to 3 score, but Victoria should be in pretty good shape by today. And if Fred Fredericksen, their new center ice man from Winnipeg, arrives in time it will further strengthen the Islanders.

"MOOSE" JOHNSON IS GOING GREAT
Judging from the form he has been showing in his starts so far this season "Moose" Johnson, the veteran Victoria defense man, is due for one of his greatest seasons at the ice game. The big fellow isn't as fast as he once was, but he's still good enough to be one of the real stars of the game. His famous poke check is working in mid-season form and he's about the best defense bet on the Victoria team right now.

"COURAGEOUS" FRANK TO 'BATTLE'
Frank Farmer, the courageous Orting heavyweight, who has been in hiding ever since his face bout with Sam Langford here several months ago, comes out of his shell today when he boxes 10 rounds with the San Francisco heavyweight, in the main event of the Portland boxing bill.

Alex Trambits and Frankie Murphy, welters, will mix in the semi-windup. It's a 10-round go.

The third bout on the card will be the "Babe" Herman, the Sacramento bantamweight, and Ray Rose, a Portland boy. This is also over the long run.

BIG TANK MEET AT Y. W. C. A.
The state indoor women's swimming and diving championships will be held at the Seattle Y. W. C. A. tank on the evening of January 21.

Entry blanks have been sent to swimmers in all parts of the state, and a large number of blanks have been returned to the director, Mrs. Anna Borstell.

The following events have been offered: Fancy diving, 150 yards back stroke, 40-yard dash (junior), 200 yards breast stroke, 40-yard dash, plunge for distance, 220-yard dash and relay race.

The Y. W. C. A. pool resumes its regular schedule January 3.

Walter Mails to Coach St. Mary's College Nine

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 1.—Walter Mails, Cleveland southpaw, has been signed to coach the St. Mary's college baseball team. Mails will be on the job Monday and will tutor the collegians until he leaves for the spring training camp of the Indians. St. Mary's has produced some of the greatest college teams in the country, sending such stars as Harry Hooper, of Boston; "Dutch" Leonard, of Detroit, and Duffy Lewis, of New York, to the big leagues. Their guests, who delayed their departure in order to see Major Green installed as worshipful master of Port Townsend on Dec. 6, were: Mr. J. B. Martin, Jr., Miss Martin and Mr. E. D. Martin of Port Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin of Seattle and Mr. J. Martin, Jr., of Waivale, Wash.

Two Intersectional Grid Games

East Tech Team Which Battles Eve



Upper row (left to right), Coach Sam Willaman, Athletic Director Gordon B. Frost, Manager Jordan. Players (left to right), McFadden, LaRiche, Hakket, Brown, Paul, Block, Carlson, Ramos, Berkowitz, Hardy, Frato, J. Behm, Trice Sherring, N. Behm.

INFORMAL DINNER
Lieutenant Colonel J. H. Moore, U. S. A., commandant of the Marine Corps, and Mrs. Moore, were dinner guests on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. H. Moore.

MAJOR CHARLES ROBERT FINLEY, U. S. A., and Mrs. Finley, were hosts Saturday at dinner to Major Alvin Charles Miller, medical corps, U. S. A., and Mrs. Miller.

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DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR
On Friday, in their Fort Worden quarters, gay in the greens and bolly, Major P. J. Applin, U. S. A., and Mrs. Applin entertained Colonel John L. Hayden, U. S. A., commandant of the Puget Sound command.

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HOCKEY RECORD BOX

Player, Club	Games	Goals	Assists	Totals	Penalties	Minutes of
Riley, Seattle	4	7	0	7	0	0
Harris, Vancouver	3	3	2	5	0	0
Batman, Victoria	2	0	4	4	0	0
Rickey, Seattle	2	0	3	3	0	0
Foyson, Seattle	4	0	3	3	0	0
Morris, Seattle	4	1	1	2	0	0
Skinner, Vancouver	2	1	1	2	0	0
Dunderdale, Victoria	2	1	1	2	0	0
C. Loughlin, Victoria	2	1	1	2	0	0
Cook, Vancouver	2	2	0	2	0	0
J. Adams, Vancouver	2	0	2	2	0	0
H. Meeking, Victoria	2	0	2	2	0	0
Johnson, Victoria	2	0	2	2	0	0
Walker, Seattle	2	0	2	2	0	0
Duncan, Vancouver	2	0	1	1	0	0
Patrick, Victoria	2	0	1	1	0	0
Rowe, Seattle	2	0	1	1	0	10
Murray, Seattle	2	0	1	1	0	0
Tobin, Seattle	2	0	1	1	0	0
Desiran, Vancouver	2	0	1	1	0	10
W. Loughlin, Victoria	2	0	1	1	0	0
W. Adams, Vancouver	2	0	1	1	0	0
G. Meeking, Victoria	2	0	1	1	0	0
Genge, Victoria	1	0	0	0	0	0

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Seattle	3	1	.750
Vancouver	2	1	.667
Victoria	0	3	.000

GAMES THIS WEEK

TODAY
Vancouver vs. Victoria at Victoria.

MONDAY
Seattle vs. Vancouver at Vancouver.

WEDNESDAY
Victoria vs. Seattle at Seattle.

FRIDAY
Seattle vs. Victoria at Victoria.

CITY CAGE LEAGUE TO GET UNDER WAY AT CRYSTAL POOL MONDAY

WITH games billed between the Northern Life Insurance company five and the University Commercial club, and the System Sign Co. and the Elks' club, the city basketball league will get under way at the Crystal Pool Monday night. The first mix is scheduled for 8 p. m. and the second battle will start an hour later.

Both games should be thrillers, as four of the best teams in the league are matched to play.

LINEUP
The "U" team is expected to line up with Bell and Woodcock at forwards, Rennie at center, and R. Williams and Pickering at guards.

The Northern Life team will take the floor with George and Louie La Fray at forwards, Burrows at center and Overton and Kertis at guards. This team is well fortified with subs, listing Graham and Williams, guards, and Nordquist, a forward.

The schedule for the season has been completed and each team will play each team once. All the games will be played at the Crystal Pool, on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays.

COMPLETE SCHEDULE FOR CITY HOOP TEAMS

JANUARY 3
Elks vs. System Sign.
University Commercial Club vs. Northern Life.

JANUARY 6
Silent Frats vs. Elmer Noble Post (American Legion).
McDougall & Southwick vs. W. M. C. A.

JANUARY 10
Puget Sound Paper Box vs. Y. M. C. A.
System Sign vs. Northern Life.

JANUARY 13
System Sign vs. Puget Sound Paper Box.
University Commercial Club vs. Elmer Noble Post (American Legion).

JANUARY 16
Elks vs. Y. M. C. A.
Northern Life vs. Puget Sound Paper Box.

JANUARY 19
Silent Frats vs. McDougall & Southwick.
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JANUARY 23
System Sign vs. Y. M. C. A.
University Commercial Club vs. Chauncey Wright.

JANUARY 27
Northern Life vs. McDougall & Southwick.
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JANUARY 30
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ICE RACE ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY

Here are the ice racers who have entered The Star's second annual steel blade event, which gets under way at the Arena next week.

Ralph Winwood
Frank Lynch
D. J. Darst
James McGrath
Hugh Davies
J. I. Price
J. C. Johnson
P. Eberhardt
Edward Butler
Buster Brown
John McRay
G. W. Carlson

Racers who have entered and whose names don't appear in the above list should get in touch with the sporting editor of The Star Monday to be sure that their name is entered.

With 17 ice racers entered to date, and many more expected to enter before Monday, The Star's second annual steel blade event will get under way at the hockey tilt between Victoria and Seattle, here, Wednesday.

Entries, which are open to all amateur skaters, close Monday. They will be accepted at The Star or at the Arena. There are no charges.

The event is to be raced in heats with one heat being staged at each hockey game. Each heat will be eight times around the Arena. The finals will be made up of the winners of these heats. Each racer will have two chances to win a heat.

The racers for the first preliminary will be drawn by lot and will be announced in Tuesday's Star.

Further details of the meet will be furnished at The Star or at the Arena.

ROTH GOES TO YANKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Bobby Roth, outfielder, has been traded by the Washington club to the New York Americans for Duffy Lewis, fly-chaser, and George Mogridge, southpaw hurler.

JOHNSTON WINS

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Jan. 1.—William Johnston, American tennis star, defeated Norman Brookes in the final match of the Davis cup games, won by the American team of Johnston and Tilden, by a score of 5-7, 7-6, 6-3.

Bill Brennan will have but \$5,000 after he pays the trainers. But look at all the publicity he got out of it.

Ice Race Entry

I wish to enter The Star's annual ice races. I have never received money for ice racing.

(Name) _____
(Address) _____
(Telephone) _____
Entries close January 1.
Entries may be mailed to The Star or will be accepted at the Arena office.

1920 Was Big Sport Year

With the conclusion of the year of 1920 at midnight last night the greatest year in the history of athletics has also come to a finish.

During the past year many of our athletic kings have been uncrowned by a better and possibly a younger opponent.

Three former ring champions had their colors lowered by actual combat during the year of 1920.

Mike O'Dowd lost his middleweight title to Johnny Wilson, who was practically unknown until his championship battle with O'Dowd. Battling Levinsky lost the light heavyweight championship of the world to Georges Carpentier. Pete Herman was the last of the champs to lose his crown, that of the bantamweight division, to Joe Lynch of New York.

Jack Dempsey, heavyweight; Jack Britton, welterweight; Benny Leonard, lightweight; Johnny Kilbane, featherweight, and Jimmy Wilde, flyweight, have still retained their championships and are in a class by themselves for some time to come.

Johnny Layton is the new three-cushion billiard champion of the world, recently dethroning Robert Canfield, the former title holder.

Willie Hoppe still reigns supreme in billiard circles, as he has done for the past 15 years.

When the 1919 baseball season ended it was thought that there never could be a baseball team of the caliber of the Cincinnati Reds. But Willie Robinson's Brooklyn Dodgers beat the supposed invincible Reds in the next season. But it seemed that the title must remain in Ohio, so in the world's series, at the hands of the Cleveland Indians, under the leadership of Tris Speaker, the Brooklyn outfit went down to defeat.

In baseball, also, Tyrus Raymond Cobb, the former king of the sluggers, removed his crown and placed it on the head of Babe Ruth, the Bambino. Ruth established a home run record of 52 circuit clouts during the past season.

A complete list of 1920 champions follows:

Boxers—Heavyweight, Jack Dempsey; light heavyweight, Georges Carpentier; middleweight, Johnny Wilson; welterweight, Jack Britton; lightweight, Benny Leonard; bantamweight, Joe Lynch; flyweight, Jimmy Wilde.

Wrestling—Edward (Strangler) Lewis.

Rowing—Singles, Jack Kelly; double, Kelly and Costello; eights, Naval academy; collegiate, Syracuse; professional, Ernest Barry.

Track and field—Pennsylvania, Basketball—Pennsylvania.

Fencing—Columbia.

Football—East, Princeton; West, Ohio State and Notre Dame; South, Georgia Tech; Coast, California.

Golf—Amateur, Chick Evans; open, Ted Ray; woman, Alexa Sterling.

Tennis—Wm. T. Tilden.

Billiards—Willie Hoppe.

WONDER NOT WHY M'CARTHY QUIT

BY MORY
(In the Los Angeles Record)

LITTLE WONDER that President Taft's decision to appoint McCarthy of the Coast league to the position of league president has been received.

Quashing of the incident in the past has been a matter of course. McCarthy of the Coast league has been a matter of course.

Willis appears to indicate that baseball fans of California have no objection against crooked ball players.

From reports at hand, Judge Willis decided that though Borton openly confessed to crooked work no criminal action had been legally committed against the people of the State of California. Judge Willis should know the law and possibly his decision would stand with the supreme court of the state.

The one point which interests and disgusts the baseball public is that a crooked ball player can "get away with it."

The law is a mighty peculiar thing. Ponzetti steals something like five million more or less and gets a few years in the pen. Another man steals a sack of coal and gets twice the time Ponzetti did.

In the eyes of California fans Babe Borton was no better than Crockett and Jackson. Apparently he doesn't claim to be. The courts of Illinois, at least to date, have not quashed the indictments against those men and probably won't.

Though Judge Willis legally may be right and assuming that he was actuated by motives of the highest integrity it is to be regretted that he, as a superior judge, chanced to be the factor which leaves the Coast league baseball scandal in a most farcical situation that ever.

How Carpenter Saved His Life

When Tex O'Rourke, who piloted the British and army and navy champions in this country on the Olympic, got ashore he told the story of how Carpenter saved his own life. He said:

"I met Carpenter and Deschamps at the Hotel Savoy in London and told them that I had just come across the Channel in a Handley-Page express aeroplane.

"I suggested to them that it was a great sport and asked why they did not return to France as I had done. Carpenter looked up and said: 'I have