

Canadians earn split

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TORONTO'S LISE SENN was in Vernon on Saturday to conduct a clinic at the

Village Green Tennis Centre. Senn will face the toughest test of her career

later this month at the Federation Cup Tournament. (Daily News Photo)

Young tennis star ready for anyone

Lise Senn is getting ready for one of the biggest challenges of her life. The 20-year-old Toronto native is one of three young ladies who will represent Canada in the Federation Cup Tennis Championships, later this month, in Melbourne, Australia.

Senn was in Vernon on Saturday to conduct a clinic and play some exhibition matches at the Village Green Tennis Centre.

A CHALLENGE

She will be the Daily News' most nervous about facing the greatest tennis players in the world and is looking forward to the challenge and great opportunity. The Federation Cup is the women's version of the Davis Cup.

Senn said, "We play New Zealand in the first round and if we beat them, then we meet the United States. The U.S. has a tremendous team."

Anchoring the American team is Chris Evert. She will

get plenty of help from Billie Jean King, Tracy Austin, and Rosie Casals.

LACKWOOD RICK
The other members of Canada's team were scheduled to appear in Vernon with Senn. However, top-ranked Marjorie Blackwood of Ottawa was sick and unable to attend, while Victoria's Wendy Barlow didn't reach Vernon until Saturday night and was able to play only briefly.

Despite the absence of Blackwood and Barlow, about 100 spectators were treated to three excellent matches on Saturday afternoon. Senn defeated Vernon's Lesley Cole 6-1, former Canadian men's champion Tony Bardsley of Vancouver 6-1, and Bardsley and Senn teamed up to beat Canadian Coach Joseph Brubner and Village Green Pro Bob Moffatt 6-5.

Senn said, "I competed in the Federation Cup last year in England and I have played

Riley Twyford who scampared 20 yards for a major.

Naps came storming back as a quarterback Al Schuck hauled a pass to wide receiver Rick Irwig who romped 10 yards into the end zone.

Then Block Brothers scored again as Twyford took a yard pass from Schuck to set the game, setting the stage for the big play. Schuck took the ball from the snap, pitched out to halfback Lionel Gray who in return pitched it to Horochuk who motored about 55 yards to give Naps their first league championship.

In the Intermediate final, it was the Black Russians mauling Toros 36-7 in a tight-filled clash at the high school.

BRIEFEST
All five football players are reminded to purchase their tickets to the Vernon Sport Centre Grey Cup Banquet, set for Friday night in the Vernon Lodge ballroom. Tickets can be bought at Vernon Sport Centre, Sound Ideas or from Kevin Mitchell of the Cobras.

Bookmakers would be crazy to take bets on junior hockey games. After getting thumped 9-1, by Revelstoke Bruins at 10 p.m. on Friday night, Vernon Canadians bounced back Saturday to thump the Bruins 6-4 in Revelstoke.

BCJHL STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	T	Pts
Interior Division				
Merritt	22	18	5	6
Revelstoke	22	19	5	6
Kelowna	22	19	2	20
Revelstoke	22	19	2	19
Penticton	21	9	12	18
Kelowna	19	8	11	16
Coast Division				
Langley	22	10	3	28
Alberni	21	10	1	21
Chilliwack	22	9	12	19
Nanaimo	22	9	11	19
Delta	22	2	20	4

The victory, Vernon's seventh in its last eight games, keeps it alone in second place in the Interior Division, still 14 points back of the slumping Merritt Canucks.

Canadians' Coach Greg Kvistad told the Daily News there wasn't much difference between the two games. Friday shouldn't have been a 9-1 hockey game. Saturday's game started out like it was going to be another long one for the Canadians. Bruins led 3-0 at the end of the first period and appeared to be in complete control, Vernon

John Need, Terry Lowe, Lance Vachon, and Brian Matheson scored for the Canadians. For 18-year-old Vachon, it was his first junior 'A' goal. After a shaky game Friday, Vernon netminder Trent Smith was a standout in Revelstoke, making 47 stops. Of the 700 fans in Revelstoke, about 100 were Vernon supporters.

LARGEST CROWD
On Friday, the largest home crowd of the season, more than 800, watched their heroes get trounced.

Randy Merritt, Ron Flockhart, and Daryl Stanley scored twice for the Bruins while Clark Podina, Harry Mahood, and Dwayne Swanson added singles. Need got Vernon's lone goal, at 5:43 of the third period, on a penalty shot. Vernon had several good scoring opportunities, but was thwarted by Revelstoke goalie Lawrence Dyck and the

Tom Ouchl, Rick Creelman,

Elks remain undefeated in nine games

Grindrod Elks stretched their unbeaten streak to nine games with a win and a tie in North Okanagan Hockey League action over the weekend.

Elks overcame a 4-0 deficit to earn a 6-6 tie with Westside Packers on Saturday, and in Winfield on Sunday, Grindrod thumped the Raiders 8-3.

In other weekend games, second-place Vernon Sport Cougars bombed Winfield 9-4 and Rutland Molsons blasted Revelstoke Selkirks 7-3.

Cougars trail the Elks by four points, but have one game-in-hand. In Enderby, Gary Pearson's third goal of the game, with less than nine minutes remaining in the third period, pulled Elks into a tie.

Rick Harris, Jeff Collins, and Bernie Reed also scored for Grindrod.

Chad Bodnar and Gary Henwick scored two apiece for Packers with singles from Ron Biglier and Granger Evans.

Elks' goalie Ed Forslund made 60 saves, including 28 in the third period. Dale Harder blocked 34 shots for Westside.

FOUR GOALS
In Winfield, Keith Louts, who had scored only one goal in Grindrod's first, eight games, blinked the red light.

Harris, with two goals, and Fred Parent countered for the Raiders.

The teams were tied 1-1 at the end of the first period, but Elks led 6-1 after 40 minutes.

DYE RETURNS
On Saturday in Vernon, Wayne Dye made his return to the NOHL in grand fashion.

Dye, who quit playing hockey early last season, scored three goals to lead the Cougars.

Gary Gilchrist and Dave Caldwell had two goals and two assists for the winners while

goats. Dyck made 29 saves and the Canadians ratted three shots off the post. Smith and Len Lot combined to make 31 saves for Vernon.

NO MAJORS
Canadians took five of nine minor penalties, and in the two games, no majors were assessed.

Canadians are idle until Friday when they host their namesakes from Langley. On Saturday and Sunday, Vernon has a home-and-home series with Kamloops Rockets.

CENTS WIN
Merritt ended a three-game losing streak on Sunday by edging Revelstoke 5-3 in other weekend games.

Bellingham Blazers ace Chilliwack Collis 5-2, Kelowna Buckaroos slipped past Penticton Vees 3-2, Nanaimo Clippers whipped Delta Suns 8-5. Bellingham dumped Kamloops 11-7. Langley nipped Abbotsford Flyers 7-6, Kelowna upset Bellingham 9-6, Langley downed the hapless Suns 5-3, and Penticton crushed Merritt 5-2.

Lumby dumps Barons

Lumby Flying Frenchmen edged Rene's Barons 3-2 in White Valley Hockey League action Saturday night at the Lumby Arena.

For the visitors Barons, it was their best effort in six starts.

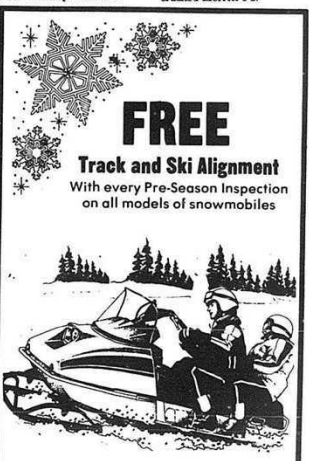
Bill Glaesdel, Bill Beck, and Jim Stecyk scored for the Frenchmen while Richard Louts and Robbie Lacroix countered for the Barons.

Frenchmen held period leads of 2-1 and 3-1 before Lacroix scored late in the third period to make the game close.

All goals, with the exception of the one by Beck, were scored on powerplays.

Barons took 15 of 28 penalty minutes.

League play resumes Tuesday night, in Lumby, with two games. At 1 p.m., Lotus Gardens battle Allison Smoke Eaters and at 8 p.m., Coldstream Hotel takes on Fearless Pipes.



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Naps capture football crown

Vernon Naps did what they haven't been able to do for the past two seasons Sunday when they upset heavily-favored Block Brothers 16-12 to win the Vernon Major Men's Flag Football Championship.

The Naps, led by the formidable running of Ray Horochuk, downed Block Brothers by combining some very straight forward plays and a few razzle-dazzle and a few razzle-dazzle block play stories that paid off.

LOOK BACK FIVE YEARS

NOVEMBER, 1973
A new arena has been proposed for the Vernon area. A committee of people wanting the facility, headed by Charles Gray, member of Coldstream Recreation Commission, has set up a public meeting in the Vernon Recreation Complex for later this month.

WILD SKIS

A new 90 minute ski movie by Dick Barnmore
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