

Saints Take Opening Game For Title

R.A.F. Team Losers In Bitter-Fought Contest On Saturday; Score Is 11-6



Staying off one of the most sustained attacks witnessed on a local gridiron for years with one of the staunchest defensive stands, St. Dunstan's fine opening game for the Island Senior Title as they turned back a Royal Air Force squad in a grueling, sensational struggle.

With each appearance the R.A.F. and St. Dunstan's senior football squads are putting up better and more rugged battles. Saturday's game, especially in the last ten minutes of play was a thriller if ever there was one and one would have to travel far to witness two more evenly matched teams in action.

Saints have now won their last two starts but it has only been their edge by their winning that all-important first game yesterday but the R.A.F. repeats their offensive of yesterday in the next encounter then it is doubtful if the S.D.U. team will be able to put up such a defensive display as they did on Saturday.

Old timers at Saturday's game were digging far back in their memory to recall when they saw a squad give such a non-hearted display. The football fortitude, known in the sporting world as plain "guts" was the prime factor in Saints' winning the game. The pressure on Saturday and for their showing they deserve all the praise in the world. They were being outplayed all the game but not outwitted and when the game was at stake they were at their best.

How that R.A.F. team did fight however. Facing an 11-0 deficit and that deficit due to a measure to three bad breaks, it would have been excusable had the Air Force boys let up a little. But not them. They came back like roaring lions the rest of the way especially after O'Neill's sensational 75-yard run, and had they been facing any other squad but the Saints on Saturday could well have overcome their opponent's lead and walked off with a victory.

O'Neill's 75-yard jaunt, the most thrilling bit of running seen on a football field here in a good many years, did not seem so important at the time but it turned out to be the payoff. And the three quarter man was right on his toes. He saw the opening and cut to take advantage scooped the pilskin in to outpace the R.A.F. team to the line. It was a fine piece of football work.

Backfield didn't get much chance to shine on Saturday either. The game from the opening whistle resolved itself into a duel between two opposing packs of forwards that were on the ball every minute. Rarely if ever did the lines get a chance to get in really dangerous passing attacks. The forwards were on top of the game before they could get started and as a result the opposing backfields were being dumped hard and often all through the encounter.

Only regrettable feature of the game was the injury suffered by young Jim Morris late in the first half. The Saints' three quarters man suffered a broken collar bone attempting a tackle after he had displayed some effective work from the opening whistle on.

Hard luck seems to be dogging the youngsters' footsteps. It was just last season that this same player suffered a broken ankle that kept him on the shelf for the entire season and this year after the first game he again finds himself forced to the sidelines for the duration.

There is some doubt concerning the length of the series that will decide the Island senior title. Conditions permitting the game between McGilgan, coach of the Saints, stated yesterday that the series would likely be the best out of three games. However, only two games can be played points will decide the issue.

However one more game will be played and fans can well expect an all-star tussle. Every game these teams have been in to best for entertainment and hard moments and all around good rugby and when the teams clash in the second encounter don't fail to be in on it.

Saints will play an exhibition game with St. Francis' Xavier's University at Antigonish on Tuesday. Father McGilgan announced Saturday. A full sound will make the win and on the showing the warriors of the Red and White have made in their last two appearances they should be able to give the Antigonish team a mighty battle all the way.

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Toronto Argonauts established themselves as the question mark club of the interprovincial Rugby Football Union two years ago today when they dropped a 5-0 decision to Hamilton Tigers at Hamilton. Argos had come back from an early-season 41-6 drubbing at the hands of Ottawa Rough Riders to down the by-then 11-9 the previous week. Ottawa retained their Big Four championship that season.

Noted Trainer Passes After Short Illness
NEW YORK, Nov. 1—(AP)—Arthur McGovern, noted physical conditioning of prominent sports figures of the 1920's including Babe Ruth and Jack Dempsey, died in hospital today. He was 51. McGovern, who had lived at Phoenix, Ariz., for the last three years, entered hospital Saturday suffering from a kidney ailment. He had come to New York about a month ago to visit friends. A broken knuckle suffered in 1910 when he was a better-than-average lightweight prizefighter cured McGovern of the condition. A business which ultimately made his name known throughout the United States. Probably his best-known achievement was putting the Babe into shape after the home-run king's disastrous season of 1925. After a winter of McGovern's ministrations Ruth was battling grimly in the shadows of their own goal posts, just two short yards away from the last white stripe.

Red Wings Shutout Bruins
DETROIT, Nov. 1—(AP)—Detroit Red Wings seized a share of first place in the National Hockey League by blanking Boston Bruins 3-0 before 10,870 spectators at Olympia Stadium tonight. Goalie Johnny Mowers of Detroit turned in the first shutout of the new season.

Hershey Team Takes Over League Lead
HERSHEY, Pa., Nov. 1—(AP)—Hershey Bears took possession of the Eastern lead in the American Hockey League Saturday night by defeating Providence Reds 3-2 in a rough-and-tumble game that sent 14 men to the penalty box. About 3,500 attended.

Canadiens Hand Bruins 3-2 Drubbing In Opener
MONTREAL, Nov. 1—(CP)—Lamoureux. Montreal Canadiens handed out a 3-2 drubbing to Boston Bruins Saturday night in the opening National Hockey League game here. The Canadiens held the edge from the start, although the Hub City scored first in the first period.

Two Straight For Barons
CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 1—(AP)—Cleveland Barons scored their second straight victory over the young American Hockey League season as they blanked Washington Lions 4-0 Saturday night. The Lions were no match for the well-conditioned Barons, who scored three times in the first period.

Pittsburgh and "Cap" Stubbs
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1—(AP)—Flat-lighting among the rival players resulting in halting of play more than 15 minutes midway of the second period, marked an American League Hockey game here Saturday night in which Indianapolis defeated Pittsburgh 3-1.

Owner Johnny Harris of the Hornets had to make a personal appeal to his players before play would be resumed. Six major penalties were called during the period. Chuck Shannon of Pittsburgh getting a 10-minute penalty after mixing with Jack Keating of Indianapolis. Keating also drew a major penalty and was taken from the rink for medical aid.

R.A.F. Fullback Sheriff; three quarters: Baine, Courtney; Howells; Forwards: Richards, MacDonald; Forwards: Mundy, Johnson, Forthingham, Parker, Burrows, Smart, King, Rogers, Forbes, Siddeman.

S.D.U.: Fullback, Higgins; three quarters: O'Neill, Morris, Martin, McLellan, Hill, Cameron, Sharley, McEntee; forwards: Devereux, Rossiter, Aiyward, McTague, McDonald, O'Shea, McAdam, Sullivan.

Referee: Flying Officer, Evans.

Rookie Third Line In Limelight As Maple Leafs Whip New York Team 7-2
TORONTO, Nov. 1—(CP)—In surprisingly simple fashion, Toronto Maple Leafs conquered New York Rangers 7-2 Saturday in their opening National Hockey League game before 11,777 fans to pick up the thread where they left off in the Stanley Cup finals last season.

The unexpected brilliance of Leafs' rookie third line contributed most substantially to the easy triumph. Teaming together in Coach Hap Day's remodelled lineup, Stewart was particularly effective. The 19-year-old Fort William left winger, already heralded as a second Busher Jackson, scored two goals and assisted in another to lead the individual marksmen.

Paradoxically enough, Rangers derived most of their offensive potency from another "kid" line—the Joe Bell, Lin Bend, Bill Gooden trio from Portage La Prairie. The other Leafs goals went to Lorne Carr, Sylvanus Apps, Billy Taylor and Hank Goldup.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 1—(AP)—Goals scored in an overtime period by Buzz Cook and Harry First gave Cleveland Barons 2-1 victory over New Haven Eagles tonight after a hardfought American hockey league battle.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Nov. 1—(CP)—With their goalie Dick Danore playing a brilliant game, Hershey defeated Providence Reds, 3-1, before 4,000 here tonight to score their third straight American hockey league victory.

WOLFEVILLE, N.S., Nov. 1—(AP)—Acadia Axemen defeated Dalhousie University 19-2 today in an exhibition English rugby match.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Nov. 1—(AP)—Buffalo Bisons scored twice in the first period on goals by Dede Klein and added four more in the third tonight to defeat Pittsburgh Hornets 6-3 and win their third victory of the American hockey league season before 9,800 spectators.

Cornwall Army Team Blank Air Force 8-0
MONTREAL, Nov. 1—(CP)—Cornwall Army allowed no quarter to the Montreal Air Force team and handed out an 8-0 whitewashing to the R.C.A.F. in the second game of a Quebec Senior Hockey League doubleheader here today. In the first game Quebec Morton Aces and Montreal Army battled to a 2-2 draw.

Lex Cook's Cornwall men outskated and out-played the Almen at every turn. In fact the R.C.A.F. were lost from the start with the game being fought out mostly in the Montreal defence area. Jerry Brown and Frank Mario each scored twice for the Army.

U.N.B. Wins Over Mounties By 5-3 Score
SACKVILLE, N.B., Nov. 1—(CP)—University of New Brunswick rugby players continued their season's unbroken record of victories with a 5-3 win over Mount Allison University Saturday. A week previously U.N.B. defeated Mount Allison 10-0 in the first contest of the two-game exhibition series.

men, while George Imlach, Lorry Thibeault, Jack Riley and Jimmy Drummond added the other four. In the opening encounter, the Army held the Aces to a 2-2 draw, although the Aces held the edge of play from the start.

Armand Gaudreault assisted by Mike McMahon gave Quebec its first goal early in the first period. Hallway through the frame, Coach Bill Reay backed up by Reale Roginni put Quebec two goals ahead, but the soldiers tightened up their defence and prevented the Aces from scoring again. Butch Stahan made four trips to the penalty box during the first period, three times for minor offences and the fourth time earned a 10-minute misconduct penalty.

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were able to score while penalties were given to Al Kuntz and Bill Reay. An estimated crowd of 7,500 witnessed the games.

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I WANT TO SEE MY DEAR LIL KITTEN CAP STUBBS—AN DON'T TELL ME IT'S WANDERED AWAY AGAIN.

NO! HERE SHE IS! AN' I'M AWFUL GLAD YOU WANT HER STEADDA 'TUZ I'L TIGER—'TUZ I WANT IT!

UMMMM! I BELIEVE I'D RATHER AW, GEE, NO!! OH—WELL, SEEMIN' IT'S YOU...

GRAMA, ETHEL, LOOK ANOTHER WAYS TO GO NEW HART, MARGRET CAN HAVE TH ONE SHEN ETHEL BOTH PICKED.

By Edwin

But Maggie—let me stay home

BUT MAGGIE—LET ME STAY HOME COME COMFORTS OF THIS EASY CHAIR—

GET UP—EVERY NIGHT FROM NOW ON WE'RE GOING TO LIVE ON SOME OF OUR FRIENDS IT'S OUR DUTY TO SOCIETY—

SEE HOW QUIET AND SERENE IT IS HERE AT MR. AND MRS. TELLUS HOME? TELLUS HOME? THEY'RE SUCH A CLUTE COUPLE—

WELL! STOP TALKIN' SO I CAN ENJOY IT—

OH—I'M SORRY—BUT MR. AND MRS. TELLUS ARE OUT OF TOWN—SHE'S IN CANADA AND HE'S IN SOUTH AMERICA

WELL—NO WONDER IT'S SO QUIET AROUND HERE—

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