

Top-Notch Encounter At The Forum Tonight

Recce Wins From Saints In Exhibition Hoop Encounter

With the two Summerside hoop teams falling to put in an appearance due to poor road conditions, the Saint Dunstan's and Recce squads put on an exhibition game at P. W. C. auditorium Saturday night, with the Recce winning out by the close score of 53-49. The league leading Recce were strengthened by Jack Pearce who usually plays for the P. W. C. team.

It was the second time during the week that the games had to be cancelled because of poor road conditions. The Saints and the Schurman-sponsored team were to meet in the opening game and the City College squad were to tangle with the R. C. A. F. team in the aftermath encounter.

In the exhibition game the Saints, after a slow start began to speed up the game and nearly succeeded in upsetting the highly rated Recce team. Leading the winners' attack was Pearce, who accounted for twenty-six points, with Donnie MacLean garnering ten. High scorer for the losers was Jack O'Connor who notched thirteen points, while Owen Mullen was next as he collected an even ten.

Harold "Red" Howatt and Bud Rossiter were the referees, while Walter McGuigan was the timer.

The following is the summary:

Saints	FG	FS	FT	PF	TP
Reardon	4	0	0	8	
Noble	3	0	2	6	
Roche	3	0	0	6	
Bradley	3	0	1	6	
Mullin	5	0	3	10	
Worthy	0	0	0	0	
O'Connor	6	1	0	13	
	24	1	6	49	

Recce	FG	FS	FT	PF	TP
MacLean	5	0	2	10	
Oullen	4	1	0	9	
Loclair	1	0	1	2	
Langille	3	0	1	6	
Pearce	12	2	2	26	
McLennan	0	0	0	0	
	25	3	4	53	

French Capture Ski Championship

ASPEN, Colo., March 20—(CP)—The North American ski championships were won today by two members of the daredevil French national team.

George Panisset made the slalom down Magnifico Cote in one minute, 4.1-10th seconds the first time and clipped off the 1-10th in his second try to nose out teammate Jean Pazzi, winner of the downhill Saturday, for the men's title.

Lucienne Schmidt, only female member of the French team, won today's slalom and combined that victory with her second place in the downhill for the women's crown.

Rhoda Wurtele Eaves of Montreal, who placed first Saturday in the women's downhill event, was runner-up for the women's crown. In the slalom today she placed fourth with times of 1:15 for the first run and 1:24 in the second.

Mrs. Eaves' twin sister, Rhona Wurtele Gillis, placed fifth in the women's division. Today she made the two slalom runs in 2:20.2 and 2:30 to take sixth position in that event after finishing seventh in the downhill in 2:47.4. Mrs. Gillis now makes her home in Whitefish, Mont.

LONDON, March 20—(AP)—Cottage Rake, Ireland's champion steeplechaser, was scratched Saturday from the Grand National at Aintree March 26 by trainer M.V. O'Brien. This cut the field to 50 horses for the 4 1/2-mile jump classic. Lord Milidmay's Cromwell remained the 8 to 1 favorite.

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Bruins Clinch Second Place In N.H.L. Standings; Canadiens Finish Third

BOSTON, March 20—(AP)—Boston Bruins clinched second place in the National Hockey League tonight by trouncing Toronto Maple Leafs 7-2 while the first place Detroit Red Wings edged the Montreal Canadiens 2-1. The Boston victory, achieved before a sellout 13,900 Boston Garden crowd, gave the Bruins a one point margin over the third place Canadiens.

The Bruins now will open series "B" of the Stanley Cup play-off here Tuesday against these same Leafs, who wound up the season in fourth place.

DETROIT 5, TORONTO 2
TORONTO, March 20—(CP)—The leading Detroit Red Wings and the fourth-place Toronto Maple Leafs went through the motions to wind up the National Hockey League schedule locally Saturday night. Wings won 5-2 but the game had no bearing on the League standing.

Although it was obvious from the loose play that there was nothing at stake, 13,829 fans saw a bristling contest which produced three fights.

Referee Ray Gettiffe ruled with an iron hand as the players bashed each other and the Wings spent 20 minutes in the penalty box against the Leafs. Ted Lindsay was the chief offender, taking two minor and one major five-minute penalty, all in the last period.

Detroit's Jack Stewart and Toronto's Barliko tangled in the first bout of the evening, and before they could be separated Leo Belfrage of the Wings and Bill Juzda tangled. When Lindsay and Ezinicki swapped punches, only 1-2 minutes of play remained in the game.

Navy's 6-5 victory over Saints in the second game of the best of three-game finals for the City Hockey League championship at the Forum Friday night, which went into a second period of overtime before the winner was decided, was by all odds the keenest battle to be seen in City League competition this year, and one that kept the fans on the edge of their seats through the entire encounter.

The following are the lineups:
St. F. X.—Rudie MacNeill, Dan Joe Currie, Phillip Boves, Eddie Chasson, Geno Scatolowe, Alfred Chasson, Ken Ferren, Duncan MacLntyre, Elmer Morrison, Joseph MacEcheran.
S.D.U.—Goal, Frank Strain, sub-goal, Eugene Sullivan; defence, Mike Hennessey, A. J. McAdam, Joe Mahar; forwards, Cart MacDonald, Wildor Houde, Reg Rodgers, Stan Deighen, Allison Farmer, Bill Ledwell, Gerry McQuaid, Mark McQuaid, Cliff Bernard, Elmer Blanchard.

NEW YORK 5, CHICAGO 1
NEW YORK, March 20—(CP)—New York Rangers ended the National Hockey League season with a well-earned 5-1 victory over Chicago Black Hawks tonight before 10,132 fans in Madison Square Garden.

Chicago's Roy Conacher, winner of the league's individual scoring race with 68 points, was held scoreless in the fast-paced tussle. Also scoreless was his runner-up and line mate Doug Bentley, with 66 points.

They decided several weeks ago to share the prize money—\$1,000 for first place and \$500 for second.

Halifax Horse Racing Results
(By The Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, March 20—Photo-finishes featured the weekly winter Halifax Harness Horse Club meet here Saturday. The mare Sister Henley, owned by Malcolm MacDonald, of Antigonish and driven by Wally Carroll, won the Class A event. Flo Direct, trained by Steve Currie, took the first heat and pressed hard in the other two.

Robie Kalzer's speedy mare May Todd, driven by Jimmy Given, landed Class B honors. Roy Kidney piloted Marietta Guy, owned by Cole and MacDonald stable, to Class C victory and then captured Class D, driving Maud Unko to victory in three straight heats.

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Halifax Horse Racing Results (Continued)
Class A.
Sister Henley (W. Carroll) 2:11
Flo Direct (S. Currie-Boutillier) 1:22
Previous (D. Turner) 3:33
Winning owner: Malcolm MacDonald, Antigonish.
Class B.
May Todd (J. Given) 1:13
Evelyn Worthy (H. Boutillier) 2:21
Martindell (R. Kidney) 3:42
Mac Pingo (G. Gardner) 4:34
Winning owner: Robie Kalzer, Halifax.

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N. H. L. Standings
MONTREAL, March 20—(CP)—Final unofficial National Hockey League standing:
Detroit 60 34 19 7 195 145 75
Boston 60 29 23 8 178 163 66
Montreal 60 28 23 9 152 126 65
Toronto 60 22 25 13 147 161 57
Chicago 60 21 31 8 173 212 50
New York 60 18 31 15 153 172 47

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U.N.B. Retains Boxing Crown

HALLIFAX, March 20—(CP)—University of New Brunswick retained the Maritime intercollegiate boxing championship here Saturday, edging teams from St. Francis Xavier, Dalhousie, and Nova Scotia Technical College.

Final scores by teams were: U.N.B. 13; St. F. X. 10; Dalhousie 6; Tech, 3. Joe Hemsworth, winner of the junior welterweight class, was Tech's lone entry in the meet.

In the heavyweight division, Jimmy Cruikshank, 193, of Dalhousie scored a knockout over Dave Ritchie, 218 1-2, of U.N.B. Dick Gorham, 160 1-2, of U.N.B. took the lightweight title with a third-round technical knockout over Hank Arthur, 167, of Dal.

Middleweight section was capped by Allan Neill, 158, of U.N.B. who defeated Dal's Gordie MacDonald, 154 3-4. Alex MacDougall, 162, of St. F. X. captured the senior welterweight division with a decision over Stan Jobb, 146 1-2, of U.N.B. Junior welterweight honors went to Joe Hemsworth, 141 1-2, of Tech by a decision over Joe Gallant, 141 1-4, of St. F. X.

In the lightweight class, Keith Fletcher, 134 3-4, of U.N.B. scored a T.K.O. over Dal's Dave Boswell, 133 1-4, in the first round.

St. F. X. boxers captured both the feather and bantamweight classes. Hughie Kay, 124, T. K. O.'d John Alward, 124 3-4, of U.N.B. in the first round for the featherweight title. Lloyd MacDonald, 106, defeated Ian Thomas, 119 1-4, of U.N.B. for the bantam championship.

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Coaltown Equals World's Record

(By The Associated Press)
MIAMI, Fla., March 20—Coal-town, Calumet Farm's great four-year-old, Saturday equalled the world's record for 1 1/4 miles in winning Gulfstream Park's \$20,000 handicap by seven lengths.

Carrying 128 pounds, Coaltown galloped under the wire in 1:59 4/5—the record time set nearly 10 years ago in Brighton, England, by Saint Andrews II and equalled for the first time on the American turf by Shannon II at Golden Gate fields Oct. 23, 1948.

Mrs. E. L. Hopkins' Three Rings was second and Coaltown's stablemate, Armed, was third, a half length behind Three Rings.

Although they will not be entered in the record books, Coaltown shattered two world's records in fractional times.

The bay speedster was timed at 45 seconds flat for the half mile—two fifths of a second faster than the world record set by The Score April 1, 1945, at Mexico City, Mexico.

The mile time was clocked at 1:34 1-5, a fifth of a second faster than the record mark set by Equipoise June 30, 1932, at Arlington Park, Ill.

Just eight years ago tonight Joe Louis successfully defended his world's heavyweight title for the 15th time, knocking out Abe Simon in the 13th round of a 15-round bout at the Olympia in Detroit. The giant Simon fought a sensational battle for 13 rounds but finally wilted under Louis' savage punching power.

East Royalty Wins Central Queen's Title

The East Royalty Royals took the sting out of the Milton Hornets at the Forum on Saturday night when they downed them by a 3-1 score to take the Central Queen's Hockey League championship for the second year in a row.

It was a sudden-death playoff encounter for the title.

Playing a smart brand of hockey all through the encounter, the two squads battled it out on very even terms with the exception of the first period when the Royals got the jump on their opponents to outshoot them 3-0 on the frame.

A. Love got the opening tally at 11:15 when he combined on a passing attack with N. Larter, while W. Wheatley got the second on a solo effort about five minutes later, with M. O'Donnell following it up with the final counter of the period at 18:50 on another individual effort.

Becoming more organized in the second frame to put up a much stiffer battle, the Hornets played the Royals on even terms and although both teams made some really nice scoring efforts, neither could break through the armor of the two goalies, Andrew and Roper, the latter turning in an exceptionally smart performance as the Royals' net custodian.

Coming on even stronger in the final canto, the Hornets held the edge on the play to outscore their opponents 1-0 but couldn't maintain quite enough superiority to overcome the Royals' lead that they piled up in the first period. G. Cruwys got the Milton lone tally at 15:20 when he teamed up with D. Coles on a snappy passing attack.

The victory kept the Royals record clean to go undefeated in some 15 games played this season.

The following are the lineups:
Royals: Goal, F. Roper; defence, E. Code, M. Morrissey, V. Deacon, M. O'Donnell; forwards, W. Wheatley, A. Love, N. Larter, B. Clements, F. Walsh, B. Coles.
Hornets: Goal, R. Andrew; defence, R. Crabbe, R. Cruwys, R. Cummings; forwards, H. Cruwys, D. Coles, V. Gillespie, S. Cruwys, G. Cruwys, L. Andrews, J. MacLean, C. MacLean, R. Coles.
Referees: Hawley Crockett and Silving Stead.
Summary:
First Period
1—Royals, A. Love, 11:15
(N. Larter) 11:15
2—Royals, W. Wheatley, 16:10
3—Royals, M. O'Donnell, 18:50
Penalties: Walsh.
Second Period
Scoring—None.
Penalties: Code, Coles.
Third Period
4—Milton, G. Cruwys, (D. Coles) 15:20
Penalties: Deacon, S. Cruwys.

Keen Competition Expected In Bedeque Game

What promises to be a hotly contested game will take place tonight in Bedeque rink when the Freetown Royals will meet the Bedeque Bombers in what may be the final game of South Shore League. Freetown already has won two games in the finals and should they win this game it will end the series. This will entitle Freetown Royals to the Simmons and MacFarlane cup.

However, Bedeque Bombers are marshalling their full force to try and upset Freetown's lead.

The following cups have already been won in the preliminary games and will be presented the night the League winner is declared. Hon. Horace Wright Cup was won by Freetown Royals; the J. Frank Arnett Cup was won by Albany St. Pats; Bedeque Kink Cup and the Ladies Cup were both won by Walter Campbell. Winners of the South Shore League playing at Bedeque will compete with the League winner of the North Shore League playing at Kennington for the Cleveland Baker Cup recently donated.

Bowling

SPORTING CLUB ROLLAWAY
CNR Office—1350—4 points
CNR Frt. Shed—1349—1 point
High single, N. Wilson 114
High three, Jas. Cameron 311.
CNR Frt. Office—1325—4 points
CNR Express—1254—1 point
High single, Jas. Strain 106
High three, Jas. Strain 288
CNR Cartage—1307—4 1/4 points
CNR Mech. Dept.—1248—1/4 point
High single, T. Strain 116
High three, J. Ronahan 300.

LADIES' WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BOWLING

Team 1—2 1-3 points—
Mrs. J. P. Clarke 151 126 348
Mrs. Andrew 96 169 186
Mrs. Craig 82 186 173
Mrs. Rupert 201 123 120
Mrs. McKinnon 83 83 107
613 687 709
Team 2—0 points—
Mrs. Haywood 180 126 121
Spare 125 126 128
Low Score 81 80 110
Mrs. Lord 111 145 137
Low Score 109 127 96
886 897 898
Team 3—1 1-3 points—
Mrs. Stewart 183 123 308
Mrs. Bell 150 172 111
Mrs. Hooper 108 139 111
Mrs. Irvine 180 129 106
Mrs. Clawson 118 83 124
789 686 651
Team 4—5 points—
Mrs. Smith 146 80 148
Mrs. F. B. Clarke 164 127 159
Mrs. Ley 163 139 111
Mrs. Vickerson 109 154 98
Mrs. Campbell 81 174 169
614 698 678
High three, Mrs. Rupert, 201
High single, Mrs. Stewart, 306.

Y.M.C.A. Y'S MENETTES THURSDAY AFTERNOON BOWLING LEAGUE

Team No. 1—2429—1 point.
Team No. 3—2131—3 points.
High single, Mrs. J. H. Cameron, 306.
High three, Mrs. J. H. Cameron, 655.
Team No. 2—2114—3 points.
Team No. 4—2563—4 points.
High single, Mrs. H. C. Atkinson, 247.
High three, Mrs. H. C. Atkinson, 485.

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Hockey Challenge

We, the Borden Abegweits challenge the Borden Nationals to a friendly game of hockey to be played in the Borden Rink this week.

Signed "Captain."

Millionaires Play Lumber Kings Tonight

SYDNEY, N. S., March 20—(CP)—Sydney Millionaires will be at full strength for the opening game of the Allan Cup eastern quarter finals against Pembroke Lumber Kings here tomorrow night.

Coach Jack Fritz of the Maritime champions said tonight centre Cliff Roach, one of the three Sydney natives on the regular lineup, would be back in action.

Roach missed the last game of the Maritime finals due to a hand injury.

Exhibition Baseball

At West Palm Beach, Fla.:
Brooklyn (N) 0 5 2
Philadelphia (A) 6 11 0
At Lakeland, Fla.:
Philadelphia (N) 4 10 2
Detroit (A) 6 7 0
At Tampa, Fla.:
New York (A) 2 5 2
Cincinnati (N) 0 13 1
At St. Petersburg, Fla.:
Boston (N) 2 6 2
St. Louis (N) 6 9 0
At Orlando, Fla.:
Boston (A) 1 11 2
Washington (A) 6 8 0
At Los Angeles:
Cleveland (A) 2 5 1
Chicago (N) 3 8 0
(10 innings)
At San Diego, Calif.:
Chicago (A) 6 9 1
New York (N) 7 9 2

Exhibition Hockey Game

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