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## Sport Echoes From Prince County

Let's come to the point. The point we're talking about is the one the All-Stars chalked up in playing that game with the Prince of Wales boys. After taking five beltings we finally did come up and hold one of the Charlottetown teams even. It's a small mercy, maybe, but we're all mighty thankful down here where the West begins to show signs of the spirit and dash they displayed last winter. We hope everybody remembers last winter.

The old familiar pattern was still visible however in Tuesday night's stalemate with the Welshmen. The All-Stars established a lead but failed to hold it. The P.W.C. athletes roared down the home stretch to earn a draw after the second period had ended with the Steelworkers two goals to the good. The old alibi still holds as regards this deplorable habit of the Summerside team's coming flat-footed around the last turn. The boys don't get enough skating. This is our story, and we'll stick to it until the natural ice rinks start to set into action. If Windy's Westerners don't improve by the second week in January, remind us that we were soaking wet on this theory of ours.

The "Prodigal Sons" line of Oatway, Grady and Gay reached Island soil just in time to keep the three Charlottetown boys out of the All-Star line-up. We can't say we're not glad about this. There is no question but that Shepherd Carver and "Plum" MacDonald would have formed our best-end team into the team to beat for the title, but we like much better trying to do it the hard way. We don't say it would not have been a wise move to accept the offers of these boys if the kids hadn't come back. One or two more defeats, especially at the hands of the Welshmen would have just about put us out of the play-offs, and we rather owe it to the Charlottetown League backers, who have treated us well, to stay in the contention as long as possible. But what the prodigals back and natural ice also putting in an appearance, we hope that Windy will play the hand that's dealt to him, and win or lose with our own home-brew westerners.

Labonte of the Summerside air-

## Ramblers And Y.M.C.A. In Hoop Game Tonight

The third scheduled game in the Juvenile basketball series will get underway tonight at the Prince of Wales College Auditorium between the Ramblers and Y.M.C.A. hoopers, with the game slated to start at six o'clock.

All three teams in the League have been playing a smart brand of basketball so far this season, and with both teams involved in tonight's contest having already gone down to defeat at the hands of the present league leaders, the Juvenile Absweit quintette, both squads will be taking the floor tonight in an all out effort to earn a victory which will put them in second place in the league standing.

Regardless of who will be the ultimate victor in tonight's contest, everything points towards it being a bang-up, closely contested affair right from the opening whistle.

Another basketball doubleheader is scheduled for Prince of Wales College Auditorium tomorrow night (Saturday). This time Ray's Millionaires will take on the strong local airforce quintet, while Schurman's play the second game of their career against Michelson and his fellow tars. On form the Navy should win over Schurman's but the result of the other game is anybody's guess, these two teams having won a game each in exhibition encounters.

Cheering news has come from a meeting of the Summerside Town Council. There is to be a meeting of the citizens of Summerside to discuss the feasibility of erecting a new rink in the town. We hope that the meeting will be called soon and are confident that tangible results will come out of this get-together.

## Airmen Defeat Schurman's In Hoop Game

The Summerside R.C.A.F. basketball team defeated Schurman's in an exhibition tilt at the airbase court last night by the score of 48 to 27. The front lines were fairly even, the Airmen edging their opponents 28 to 20 but the Flyers second line were far ahead of Schurman's relief corps getting 20 points to 7 for Schurman's.

BOX SCORE

R.C.A.F.	FG	FT	PF	Pts
Bayne	2	4	0	4
Helde	1	3	0	4
Carson	2	0	0	4
Delaney	1	0	0	2
Pinsonneault	4	0	0	8
Bullis	2	0	1	4
Caloren	1	0	2	2
Foy	4	0	0	8
Reidie	3	0	0	6
Anderson	1	0	0	2
Murray	1	0	0	2
Total	21	6	2	48

Schurman's	FG	FT	PF	Pts
C. Linkletter	0	2	0	0
E. Smith	3	0	3	6
D. Cornish	4	0	1	8
B. MacMurdo	0	0	0	0
J. Harris	3	0	0	6
K. Arseneault	0	0	0	0
B. Giggis	0	1	0	0
D. Estey	1	0	0	2
C. MacDonald	1	0	0	2
A. Stewart	1	0	0	2
H. Ferguson	0	0	0	0
Total	13	1	6	27

Referee — S/L Langstaff.  
Two girls teams from the Summerside High School played a ten minute game between halves, the Reds beating the Blues six to two. Lineups: Reds — Howatt 4, Jenkins 2, MacFarlane 0, Meikle 0, Burns 0, Blues — Cannon 2, Pate 0, Estey 0, Dewar 0, Woodside 0. — S.

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