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## King Clancy Arrives To Open School For Hockey Referees, Coaches

Frank "King" Clancy, a youth witness one of the closest races in years. The game itself, due to the wide open play, is proving very pleasing to the fans, he said. And although at times it becomes somewhat of a "scramble" type it is proving very spectacular.

Clancy, who is now in the city by plane yesterday morning to conduct a school for referees and coaches. The "King" will work in conjunction with Pete Kelly, the latter a former Abegweit player before he migrated to the big time as a member of St. Louis and Detroit squads.

Small in stature but showing little effects of the 28 years he has been in the game, a game in which he rose to stardom as a defenceman first with the Ottawa Senators and later with the Toronto Maple Leafs. Clancy is now a senior referee on the National League staff and, as was the case in his playing days, he is now regarded as one of the best in the business.

Yesterday afternoon in company with Brigadier W.W. Reid, through whose efforts the school has become a fact, he paid his respects to His Honor Lieutenant Governor Bernard and Premier J. Walter Jones. In both instances the visits were highly enjoyable and many stories were told of interesting happenings in his career. The noted hockey player also met Hon. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, O.B.E., leader of the Opposition.

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## Bruins Come From Behind To Tie Rangers

NEW YORK, Dec. 7 (CP)—The league-leading Boston Bruins scored two goals in the third period tonight to tie the New York Rangers 2-2. The deadlock snapped a five-game losing streak for the Rangers. National Hockey League tail enders.

Grant Warwick's backhanded angle shot on a pass from Fernie Flaman early in the closing session sent him out in front in the race for the League's individual scoring honors, with 13 goals and nine assists.

The goal tying up the razzle-dazzle game came at 15:26 when diminutive Kenny Smith picked up Johnny Peirson's rebound and slipped the puck behind Chuck Rayner's back on a neat angle shot. Rayner had been sucked out of position clearing Peirson's shot and had no chance to stop Smith's chip shot from near the left of the crease.

Rayner had to stop only 20 shots compared with a total of 37 blazed at Frank Brimsek who was laid up for two minutes in the second period when a puck caught him on the chin.

The tie enabled the Bruins to move three points ahead of the second place Detroit Red Wings.

In a pre-game presentation N. H. L. president Clarence Campbell handed New York's Hubert (Buddy) O'Connor the Hart Trophy for the "most valuable" player in 1947.

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## Horsemen Vote In Favor Of Full Futurities Program

About 60 horsemen attended a special meeting of the P. E. I. Harness Racing Club held in the City Building last evening and called by the president, Lt.-Col. J. P. Hooper, M.C., to discuss a resolution passed at a horsemen's meeting held recently. That resolution sent out to owners of colts, broodmares and stallions, a large majority favored races for two-year-olds and four-year-olds. "Our previous meeting," he said, "was not in order as I called it on my own authority. But this meeting is a legal one, having as its object the arriving at a decision as to whether or not our members which now number 103 paid up, favor the racing of two-year-olds and four-year-olds, in addition, of course, to the three-year-old futurities."

A motion was made that futurities be started as previously arranged. The motion carried without dissent.

It was pointed out by Dr. F. C. Dought that the term "stakes" would be more appropriate than futurities and his suggestion was adopted.

There was some discussion as to where the races would be held and the conditions on the entry blank. It was agreed that these matters be left to the directors to decide.

## Students At Referees And Coaches School

Following are the students attending the hockey referees and coaches school here:

J. Elliott, Halifax  
 Sgt. W. W. Anderson, R.C.A.F., Summerside.  
 C. E. Cahill, Summerside.  
 H. B. Schurman, Summerside.  
 J. E. Schurman, Summerside.  
 Norman MacDonald, Summerside.  
 Bill Acorn, Souris.  
 Art Peters, Souris.  
 Ed Lavie, Souris.  
 A. J. McAdam, S.D.O.  
 Ted Fowler, North Sydney.  
 Rev. J. H. Reinsborough, Chatham.  
 N. E. Cullen, Charlottetown.  
 Dewar Judson, Moncton and Charlottetown.  
 Ivan Frizzell, Charlottetown.  
 Lloyd Sillicker, O'Leary.  
 Ed Turner, O'Leary.  
 Lloyd Matthews, O'Leary.  
 Art Perry, Charlottetown.  
 W. T. Nolles, Springhill, N.S.  
 Bill Calnan, R.C.A.F., Summerside.  
 Major Doug McGowan, Montague.  
 Austin Fraser, Montague.  
 Bert Fraser, Montague.  
 Frank Fraser, Montague.  
 Jim Hogan, Summerside.  
 George Walker, Summerside.  
 Greg McInnis, Tignish.  
 George Nicholson, Crapaud.  
 Harry Ferguson, Crapaud.  
 Pulz Bagnall, North Sydney.  
 A. F. Campbell, Montague.  
 G. W. Ollerton, Amherst, N. S.  
 Bob Rogers, Charlottetown.  
 Ron Elliott, Amherst.  
 Paul Williams, Charlottetown.  
 Chick Williams, Charlottetown.  
 George MacMillan, Charlottetown.  
 Bev Wheaton, Amherst.  
 Earl Atkinson, Alberton.  
 Perley Hardy, Alberton.  
 E. I. Jay, Kensington.  
 P. T. Semple, Kensington.  
 K. W. MacLean, Victoria.  
 Pete Mill, Amherst.

## First Inter-Club 'Spiel Of Season Here Today

The first inter-club bonspiel of the present curling season is scheduled to open at the Charlottetown Curling Club today. Some 32 rinks are entered, including five each from Summerside and Montague, two from Alberton and the remainder from Charlottetown. The winners will be decided on a points system.

Following is the draw:

- 1st Round**
- Ice 1-10 a.m.  
 Ed. Tanton vs. R. S. P. Jardine  
 Ice 2  
 P. W. Turner vs. T. F. Mitchell  
 Ice 3  
 J. P. MacLeod vs. W. R. Jenkins  
 Ice 4  
 J. S. Moore vs. N. J. Anderson  
 12:30 P.M.
- Ice 4  
 Fred McIntyre, Montague vs. Morley Bell, S'ide.  
 Ice 3  
 T. A. Campbell, S'ide, vs. W. R. Cruickshank  
 Ice 2  
 Gilbert Montague vs. F. B. Conrad.  
 Ice 1  
 G. G. Hughes vs. T. D. Morrison, S'Side  
 2:30 P.M.
- Ice 1  
 Ed. F. Clay, Alberton vs. G. A. Hawkins.  
 Ice 2  
 E. H. Saunders vs. J. C. Matthews, Alberton.  
 Ice 3  
 Frank Acorn vs. Dr. L. E. Prowse.  
 Ice 4  
 Dr. E. S. Giddings vs. Stirling MacDonald.  
**2nd Round**  
 4:30 P.M.
- Ice 3  
 Fred McIntyre, Montague vs. T. D. Morrison, S'Side.  
 Ice 2  
 G. G. Hughes vs. Morley Bell, S'ide.  
 Ice 1  
 Ed. F. Clay, Alberton vs. G. A. Hawkins.  
 Ice 2  
 T. A. Campbell, S'ide vs. F. B. Conrad.  
 Ice 4  
 W. R. Cruickshank vs. Gilbert Montague.  
 7:00 P.M.
- Ice 2  
 Ed. Tanton vs. Sterling MacDonald.  
 Ice 3  
 R.S.P. Jardine vs. Dr. E. S. Giddings.  
 Ice 1  
 P. W. Turner vs. Dr. L. E. Prowse.  
 Ice 4  
 T. F. Mitchell vs. Frank Acorn.  
 9:00 P.M.
- Ice 4  
 J. F. MacLeod vs. J. C. Matthews, Alberton.  
 Ice 1  
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 J. S. Moore vs. G. A. Hawkins.  
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## St. Mary's Win 4-2 Victory Over Arrows

HALIFAX, Dec. 7 (CP)—Veteran Billy Hannon and youthful Ronnie Gaudet sparked Halifax St. Mary's to a 4-2 victory over Dartmouth Arrows here tonight to boost their lot in the Maritime Senior Hockey League cellar.

Three goals marian from behind brought St. Mary's to a 2-1 deficit to mark the first time in nine meetings between the teams this season the margin of victory and defeat was more than a single goal. Some 2,000 fans saw the game.

Hannon's playmaking, shooting and defensive brilliance was outstanding in the third period as Saints came up with their best display in weeks on home ice. St. Mary's outshot Arrows but trailed until the 7:21 mark in the closing session.

Although it was a robust game only nine penalties were handed out, five in the first period. Dartmouth scored one goal while short-handed and had one scored against them while under attack.

Goalie Jack Donlevy was injured late in the first period, but returned to the ice later.

## Easier To Stay On Top Than To Climb There

REGINA, Dec. 7 (CP)—One of the handy attributes of that championship team is that, barring player losses, it's comparatively easier to stay on top than for other teams in the league to climb up there.

Usually, the clubs that didn't make the grade had a good reason for ending up out of the money and face rebuilding headaches. And any promising juniors are anxious to join up with a champ rather than an also-ran.

That, says Tom (Regina Leader-Post) Melville, is why Calgary Stampede should hold on to the top rung in the Western Canada Football Conference next year.

Melville says the Grey Cup champions shouldn't have too much trouble cleaning up next year if they keep their club together. Both Regina's Saskatchewan Rough Riders and Winnipeg Blue Bombers have lots of rebuilding to do. And they need reserves.

## New York Boxer Injured In Fight

NEW YORK, Dec. 7 (AP)—Jimmy Tarangelo, New York lightweight knocked out at St. Nicholas Arena last night, was "under observation" in hospital.

He suffered a concussion in the second round when he bumped his head hard after being floored by

## Saints Defeat P.W.C. 12-3 To Tie Navy For City League Leadership

Saint Dunstan's University last night moved into a tie position with the Navy for the City Hockey League leadership by downing the P. W. C. Welshmen by the lopsided score of 12-3.

The contest was a clean, wide-open affair all the way, with only four minor penalties, all in the third period, being handed out by referee Jay and Carver, with the game featuring open breaks and smart passing attacks by both squads. The one-sided score didn't by any means detract the style of play, at least for the first two periods, as the Welshmen playing nice hockey and missing scoring opportunities galore, while the Saints showed their superiority by their more finished play around the net and by making their scoring opportunities count.

Mike Hennessey played a sterling game for the Saints back in his defensive position, and was also a powerhouse in setting up the efforts being rewarded with two well earned goals and four assists. Mahar, Rodgers and J. McQuaid also played a heads-up game of hockey for Saints, with the first two setting two goals and two assists apiece. McQuaid counting for two and an assist while Rodgers notched up two goals. M. McQuaid and Boivin accounted for the other two S. D. U. goals.

Ready, MacLean and Blanchard did the scoring for the Welshmen, with P. Jardine and Andrew assisting on the goals.

Carl MacDonald, who was only playing in his second game of the season, due to an injured shoulder in football this fall, had to go out of the game early in the second period when he suffered injury to his shoulder again while attempting to block a shot from the P. W. C. defence on a solo rush. Just how bad the big defenceman's shoulder injury is could not be learned last night, but in all likelihood it will keep MacDonald out of action for a while. Despite his injury in the second period, MacDonald played a good game for the Saints in the first period, and assisted in one of his teammates' goals.

Between the second and third periods, Margaret Lane, senior ladies champion of the Halifax Skating Club, put on a fine exhibition of fancy skating as an added attraction and received a big hand from the spectators. The crowd for a well executed, graceful performance.

## Miners Edge Sydney 5-4

(BY THE Canadian Press)  
 SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 7—Gloucester Bay Miners moved to within one game of the league-leading Millonaires tonight by edging a sparkless Sydney club 5-4 before 2,052 spectators, the smallest crowd to witness a Cape Breton Senior Hockey League game at the Sydney Forum this season.

The game itself proved to be one of the loosest and most listless affairs in the 32 played to date.

Gift goals were the vogue both ways.

Defensive play on both sides was extremely weak. Jack Gibson, in the Sydney nets, made 11 stops to Eddie Daoust's 19 but the work of both goalkeepers was far below their usual standard.

Summary:

First Period  
 1—Sydney, Whalen 1:05  
 2—Gloucester Bay, Cheyne (White) 9:05  
 3—Sydney, Dowling 18:14  
 4—Gloucester Bay, Thaler (Calhoun, Kuntz) 19:04  
 Penalties: Kuntz, Watts.  
 Second Period  
 5—Gloucester Bay, Pirie (Brunting) 1:32  
 6—Sydney, Roach (Arundel, MacDonald) 4:41  
 7—Gloucester Bay, Denny (White, Brunting) 13:10  
 8—Sydney, Brukow (Watts) 14:35  
 Penalty: Delmonte.  
 Third Period  
 9—Gloucester Bay, Postenko (Delmonte, Pirie) 16:40  
 Penalties: Brown, Brunting, Wade (minor and major), Arundel (majors).

## Movies Show Woodcock Was Struck Low Blow

LONDON, Dec. 7 (AP)—The movies show that Bruce Woodcock was struck a low blow before he fouled out to Lee Savold last night, but the fact promises slight consolation to the British heavyweight champion.

London fight writers, almost to a man, scolded Woodcock today for having hit the canvas and writhed around until the referee declared him the winner in the fourth round.

Promoter Jack Solomons abandoned any thought of flying to New York to try to arrange a title bout between Woodcock and Joe Louis in London.

"It is no good going over to America to make a fool of myself," he said slyly.

The slow-motion movies, shown privately to the Associated Press, disclosed that Savold hit Woodcock in the left groin with a right which travelled about three feet. The blow was partially blocked.

It was impossible to judge from the film how painful the blow might have been to the British fighter. He was wearing a protective device which is supposed to prevent injury.

The film shows Woodcock wincing as the blow strikes, then clutching his groin and collapsing.

Most of Savold's purse of about \$24,000 will be held up until the British Boxing Board of Control meets Dec. 21. In cases of disqualification the boxer draws only expenses until the board passes judgment.

It has not been suggested from any quarter that Savold purposely hit Woodcock low.

Daly said his fighter would not be interested in a return with Woodcock but would like to take on Freddie Mills of London, the world light-heavyweight champion.

## Must Hustle

"If Rough Riders plan on taking over the graduating stars of Saskatchewan's western junior champion Hilltops," he says, "they'll have to act fast."

"Hilltops were scouted by Calgary in the western final and by Hamilton Wildcats and Montreal Alouettes in the title game at Hamilton."

Furthermore, if Edmonton decides to join the three-team western loop, "the thing may get out of hand," Melville thinks.

## PITCHER HAS OPERATION

CLEVELAND, Dec. 7 (AP)—Cleveland pitcher Don Black's condition was pronounced "satisfactory" tonight after a four-hour operation.

The purpose of the surgery was to remove a section of an artery supplying the head.

Dr. Spencer Braden, who performed the operation, said: "It was a major operation and Black was on the operating table four hours."

The pitcher collapsed while batting against St. Louis Browns Sept. 13, suffering an internal haemorrhage.

## SPENCER LOSES

BUFFALO, Dec. 7 (AP)—Tom (Gun) Spencer, 149 3-4, New Waterford, N.S., was knocked out in 1:45 of the second round tonight by Russ Virgo, 146, Rochester, N.Y.

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