

Boston And Chicago Win N. H. L. Games; Rangers Tie Wings

Tells Of Fine Track, Field Showing

The rapid strides which track and field has made in the Province since the revival of the Abegweit Amateur Athletic Association last year was borne out by Mr. George Walters, chairman of the Track and Field Committee in his report at last night's annual meeting.

Score of the accomplishments of Island athletes and teams is recalled in Mr. Walters' report as follows:

On behalf of the "Track and Field Committee," wish to present the annual report of our activities for the past year. The "Abbies" were well represented in the four major track and field meets held in the Maritimes during the past summer. Our club won two of these meets on total points and were close runners-up to the winners in the other two. In the four meets the seniors captured a total of 26 firsts, 14 seconds and 11 third places, while our Juniors won 3 firsts, 7 seconds and 6 thirds. In addition members of the team set one new Maritime record and four senior and three junior records at Memorial Field. I believe that this record of achievement in our first year of activity is a credit to the club's re-organization should encourage the continued interest by our members and citizens in general.

Before continuing with a detailed summary of the various competitions, I should like to express our appreciation to Brig. Bill Reid and his Department of Physical Fitness for their generous co-operation during the year. Brig. Reid has done a tremendous job in providing that excellent sports center, Memorial Field, which has become the scene of so many thrilling events during the summer months, and has in many ways assisted our teams.

Early in the year we received a notification of the Maritime Interscholastic Track and Field meet to be held at Acadia University, Wolfville on May 24th. Although the early season and poor weather did not provide for proper training schedule, the Club in co-operation with the Department of Physical Fitness, sent eight boys from our City schools to this meet. This was the first time an Island school team had competed in an outside Maritime meet and they made a very creditable showing winning one event and placing well in others.

On the same day a group of five distance runners took the Abbie colors to the New Glasgow 10 mile road race. From a strong field the team placed second in points, while individual members took fourth, seventh, eighth, twelfth and fourteenth positions.

On June 11th, a team of five seniors and one junior competed for the "Abbies" in the Maritime Olympic Trials at Halifax. While some of our athletes were elected for the Canadian trials, they were still good enough to win the team championship on total points, sweeping seven firsts and two third places. Our juniors picked up three seconds and a third.

Our next competition was the Antigonish Highland Games on July 21st and a team of five seniors and two juniors took part in the "Abbies" colors. For the first time in the history of this meet, and I believe to the dismay of the host club, the junior competition counted in points for the meet championship. The Wanderers Club, making a clean sweep of the junior events won the meet on total points, with Antigonish second and our own team third. In the senior competition it was a nip and tuck battle between the large Antigonish team and our small team of five members. Antigonish winning by only four points. I might mention that we had no entries in "Tossing the Caber" an event of long standing in Scottish competitions, and the Antigonish club here took all nine points; so with the exception of that event, our Club really would have won the senior section of the meet. Our club won two juniors took second and two thirds also second in the mile relay. Although the junior competition was half completed at the time of our arrival, our juniors shook off the weariness of the traveling to win their heats in several events and placed second in two of the finals.

The crowning glory of the year came to the Abbies on August 1st at Fredericton, N.B. when the team won the Maritime Senior track and field championships with a total of 54 points, twenty more than their nearest competitor the Antigonish team. Members of the team won eight firsts, two seconds, two thirds and were second in the mile relay. Members of the team were first and second in individual high point honors and a new record was established in the Javelin throw. In the junior section the Abbies took two thirds and made a surprising win of the quarter-mile relay from the favored Fredericton quartet.

Our final competition was held at Memorial on Labor Day, when our good rivals, the Antigon-

BOSTON, Nov. 17 — (CP) — Little Nobby Warwick, the National Hockey League's top point-maker, scored for all of Boston scoring tonight as the Bruins gained their fifth straight home victory with a 2-1 decision over Toronto. Maple Leafs before a jammed 13,900 crowd at the Boston Garden. The goals were Warwick's seventh and eighth and boosted his 10-game total to 16 points.

SUMMARY
 First Period.
 1-Toronto, Bentley 5:43
 Penalties—Schmidt, Egan, Lynn (Taylor)
 Second Period
 2-Boston, Warwick 13:07
 (Schmidt, Crawford)
 Penalties—Barliko (2), Warwick
 Third Period
 3-Boston, Warwick 16:00
 Penalties—Sandford (major), Gardner, Barliko, Lynn.

CHICAGO 4; MONTREAL 3
 CHICAGO, Nov. 17 — (CP) — The lowly Chicago Black Hawks fought from behind twice here tonight to defeat the third-place Montreal Canadiens 4-3 before 14,967 fans and force a three-way tie for the National Hockey League cellar position.

The victory moved Charlie Conacher's Hawks into a tie with New York Rangers and Toronto Maple Leafs for second place in the 4-4 draw with Detroit tonight while Boston Bruins defeated Toronto 2-1. Canadiens fell two points behind the second-place Bruins.

First Period
 Scoring—None.
 Penalties: R. Conacher, Richard, Pryal, Mondell, Natrass, Guldolin, Harvey, Reardon, J. Conacher.
Second Period
 1-Montreal, Mosienko 3:33
 (R. Conacher, Bentley) 6:42
 3-Chicago, Stewart 8:58
 (Harmon, Richard) 13:13
 5-Montreal, Harvey 14:15
 Penalties: Reardon (minor and misconduct), Bentley, Ripelle, J. Conacher.
Third Period
 6-Chicago, Bodnar 14:15
 (Stewart, McCaig) 4:33
 7-Chicago, Stewart 10:16
 (Natrass)
 Penalties: Gadsby (2), Harvey, Richard.

NEW YORK 4, DETROIT 4
 DETROIT, Nov. 17 — (AP) — The New York Rangers scored three times in the first four minutes of the second period tonight to earn a 4-4 tie in a National Hockey League game with Detroit Red Wings before 12,606 fans.

SUMMARY
First Period
 1-Detroit, Gauthier 4:00
 (Howe, Abel)
 2-Detroit, Enlo (Gee, Reise) 14:11
 Penalties—Howe, Shero (2), Colville, Reise, Enlo.
Second Period
 3-New York, Leswick (Kullman, Laprade) 6:10
 4-New York, Land (Raleigh, Shero) 8:06
 5-New York, Albright (Stanowski) 8:54
 Penalties—Lumley, Enlo.
Third Period
 6-New York, Laprade 9:25
 7-Detroit, Gee 9:31
 8-Detroit, Gauthier (Gee, Enlo) 15:30
 Penalties—None.

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Summerside And P.W.C. Meet At Forum Tonight

Hawks Defeat Dartmouth 6-1

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 17 — (CP) — Coach Les Ramsay juggled two lines, benched two players and came up with a winning combination of Moncton Hawks that defeated Dartmouth Arrows 6-1 tonight in a Maritime Senior Hockey League game. The smallest crowd of the season, 2,852 paid, watched Hawks display their mastery over Arrows, who were struggling to break a three-way deadlock for second place. Hawks' win gave them 21 points and placed them four games ahead of the other three teams in the league.

First Period
 1-Moncton, Fitzpatrick 1:46
 Penalties: Porter, Sorel, Leger.
Second Period
 2-Moncton, Steele 7:00
 (Fitzpatrick)
 3-Dartmouth, Sorel 9:14
 (MacKenzie, Milan)
 4-Moncton, Jodoin 15:54
 (Leger)
 Penalties: Sorel, Steele, Leger, L. Wallington, Lay, Fitzpatrick.
Third Period
 5-Moncton, Porter 3:30
 (Barkwell)
 6-Moncton, Gagnon 7:10
 (Steele)
 7-Moncton, Steele 11:05
 (Fitzpatrick)
 Penalties: Fitzpatrick.

Bowling Results

KINSMEN-KINETTES
 Indians—2712—0 points.
 Cardinals—1972—0 points.
 Kinsmen high single S. Ives 236.
 Kinsmen high three E. Sullivan 287.
 Kinettes high single S. Bryden 523.
 Kinettes high three S. Bryden 452.
 Red Sox—2765—4½ points.
 Yanks—2470—1½ points.
 Kinman high single E. Lord 201.
 Vics high three B. Boyles 528.
 Kinettes high single B. MacDonald 205.
 Kinettes high three B. MacDonald 577.

N. S. Man Holds Sweepstakes Ticket

QUEBEC, Nov. 17 — (CP) — J. Arby MacDonald of Harbor View, N. S., holds a sweepstakes ticket on Rubens 11 in Saturday's running of the Manchester November handicap. It was learned today when Quebec Army and Navy sweepstakes ticket holders were announced.

Cape Breton Hockey League Standing

Team	P	W	L	T	PTS
Glace Bay	10	6	4	0	12
Sydney	10	4	5	1	9
North Sydney	10	4	5	1	9

(Includes Wednesday night's game)

Imonti Continues To Lead Big Four

Team	G	A	PTS
Imonti, Moncton	14	12	26
Sullivan, Halifax	8	15	23
Gray, Halifax	6	17	23
Claudet, Halifax	17	5	22
Barkwell, Moncton	6	15	21
Myke, Dartmouth	6	13	19
Fitzpatrick, Moncton	9	9	18

Community Pools, Cash And Brawn Erect New Rink

MAIDSTONE, Sask., Nov. 17 — (CP) — There are fewer than 500 persons in this northwestern Saskatchewan village, but they've built themselves a rink for curling, hockey and skating which cost \$12,000 and has an estimated value of \$24,000.

It all started when the village board of trade decided in 1943 to keep the proceeds of a sports day which it staged every two years as a community fund for recreational purposes, and to add to the fund in any way possible.

By 1944, popular opinion was that the best way to spend the fund would be to build a rink. The objective was set at \$20,000. A fraternal organization turned over \$1,300, proceeds of a carnival.

From then on the proceeds of almost everything from sales of lemonade to fowl suppers were earmarked for "the rink."

By the spring of this year, the fund had cash and pledged donations amounting to \$11,000. The board of trade decided to tear down the old rink, long obsolete, and begin building the new one on the same site.

The entire village turned out to week the old rink. Some of the better material was salvaged for use in the new building. The rest was auctioned for \$400.

The board of trade hired only a foreman. It told the people of Maidstone, "If you want a rink, come on over, bring your hammer and we'll build it."

Victorias Swamp Glace Bay 7-0

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Nov. 17 — (CP) — North Sydney Victorias opened the flood gates here tonight to swamp Glace Bay Miners 7-0. The win moved the Vics back into a second-place tie with Sydney Millionaires in the Cape Bre senior hockey circuit.

Cape Breton League Scoring Statistics

Player	G	A	PTS
White, Glace Bay	6	6	12
Cheyne, Glace Bay	6	6	12
Runions, N. Sydney	4	7	11
Platz, Sydney	5	5	10
Mosienko, Glace Bay	6	3	9
Miller, N. Sydney	5	4	9
McRae, Sydney	3	6	9
Whalen, Sydney	1	8	9

P.W. Turner Elected President Of Abegweit Athletic Association

At a very successful and well attended annual meeting of the Charlottetown Amateur Athletic Association held in the City Hall last evening Mr. P. W. Turner was elected president. He succeeds Mr. Col. L. T. Lowther. Other officers elected were: Patron, Lieutenant Governor J. A. Bernard; hon. president, Premier J. Walter Jones; hon. vice-president, Hon. Dr. W.J. MacCallum; Vice-president, Lt. Col. W.J. MacDonald; secretary, R. A. MacDonald (re-elected); treasurer, W.E. Massey (re-elected); Committee chairman, Football, J. W. MacCallum; Hockey, Johnny Williams; track and field, G. A. Walters; baseball, George Francis; basketball, W.E. Scantlebury; property and miscellaneous, W.E. Massey; finance and membership, S.F. Doyle; social, R.A. MacDonald.

Four new directors, who were appointed to replace those whose terms of office had expired, were Lt.-Col. W.J. MacDonald, Jackie Kane, G. A. Walters and Johnny Williams. The above directors were elected for a three-year term of office and will act with the eight other directors who still have one and two year terms of office to fulfill their term. They are: P. W. Turner, George Francis, Ivan Nicholson, J. W. MacCallum, W.E. Massey, W.E. Scantlebury, S.F. Doyle and R.A. MacDonald.

The meeting was under the chairmanship of the retiring president Col. Lowther, who, following the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting, spoke on the activities of the club during the past year and was very strong in his views that the Association should work in the closest co-operation with the Department of Physical Fitness. He spoke on the policy of future activities, which he said, "should be definitely decided at this meeting." During his talk, Col. Lowther also paid warm tribute to Mr. Ed. Acorn, who passed away during the past year, and had always been a loyal member of the Abegweit Club and a staunch supporter in all fields of sport for many years. The speaker thanked all the members of the Association for their splendid support and co-operation during the past year and paid high tribute to Brigadier W. W. Reid and the Department of Physical Fitness for their invaluable assistance.

The annual reports were then presented to the meeting by the various committee chairmen which included football, hockey, track and field, baseball, basketball, membership, social, constitution and communications, all of which were highly commendable reports with the exception of baseball, which had been confronted with unforeseen difficulties which went against having a very successful season in 1948 as the Association was concerned. However, committee chairman George Francis assured the meeting that these difficulties would all be ironed out before the coming season of 1949, and that the Abegweit Club would definitely have a baseball team for regular competition and that the prospects for the coming baseball year looked very promising.

The balance of the business meeting was devoted to open discussion and many old and new Abegweit members were called upon to say a few words. Among those who spoke were Col. D. MacKinnon, H. L. Bethune, S. F. Doyle, Gordon Bennett and Brigadier W.W. Reid, who all highly complimented the Abegweit Association for their splendid achievement during the past year and all wholeheartedly pledged their full support and cooperation to the Association.

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