

Midget Abbies Win N. B. - P. E. I. Hockey Title

Turn Back Moncton Rangers In Sudden Death Tilt Last Night

Fishing the form that carried them to their Provincial title Paul Williams' Midget Abbies squad last night added the New Brunswick title to their season's hockey conquest when they defeated the Moncton Rangers, New Brunswick champions, 8-1 in a sudden death game for the two-Province title played at the Forum before a crowd estimated at over 600 fans.

Carrying the play most of the game, the fast skated Williams coached crew led into a 3-0 lead at the end of the first twenty minutes of play; by the time the sandwich session had been completed the local wearers of the red and black had added two goals to their margin of victory and then completed their conquest of their invaders by outscoring their opponents 3-1 in the windup session to account for their seven goal margin at the end of the hostilities.

By their victory the Abbies now qualify to meet the Glouce Bay Midget team for the midget hockey championship of the Maritimes, the Cape Bretoners earning the right last night when they defeated the Truro team 7-3 to win the two-game, total goal round in the Nova Scotia finals.

In the first few minutes of last night's game the visitors matched the locals in speed and bumping but after the Abbies had scored the initial counter punch the six minute mark the superiority of the locals began to assert itself. Burke, guarding the twines for the locals, was extended on one occasion as visiting marksmen broke in upon him but he came through with a goal mouth save that kept them at bay; getting stronger as the game progressed Abbies made it 3-0 at 13:19, Kennedy scoring on a pass from Burgess on a shot that picked the open corner cleanly and 26 seconds later McLean on a pass from Lorne Hennessey made it 3-0 to complete the scoring for the period. Abbies at the end of the session were enjoying a big margin in play but could not beat the stellar netminding of the Moncton net janitor.

The winners increased their margin to 5-0 in the first eight minutes of play during the second session. Hennessey and Glover scoring on passing plays. Towards the latter part of the chukker Moncton was awarded a penalty shot that saw Glover turn aside the close-in drive and with the resulting penalty awarded to Carver Abbies held off the determined attacks of the visitors for the remainder of the period to keep their five goal margin intact.

Less than three minutes after the start of the third and final session the winners increased their margin to 6-0 when Carver dented the twines on a pass from Hennessey on another pattern passing play; less than three minutes later A. Dolron of the Rangers slammed in the Moncton team's only goal from a mixup in front of the Abbies' cage, with G. Melanson getting an assist on the play. But before the game had ended, with the Abbies again taking the upper hand, young Keith Dalziel came through with two more goals, getting the first on a pass from Glover and winding up his night's performance by converting Flannigan's passout into another twine twister five minutes and 17 seconds from the final whistle.

Lineups:—
Moncton: Goal, M. Arseneault; defence, L. Melanson, Robichaud, R. LeBlanc; forwards, E. Arseneault, R. Melanson, C. Gallant, A. Dolron, R. Hebert, G. Melanson.
Abbies: Goal, Burke; defence, Flannigan, Fields, McNevin, Burgess, Cameron; forwards, Dalziel, Kennedy, Glover, Hennessey, McLean, Carver, Hughes.
Referee: L. Melanson, A. Perry.

Summary:—
First Period
1—Abbies, Glover, 6:45
2—Abbies, Kennedy, 13:15
3—Abbies, McLean, 13:45
Penalty: Fields.
Second Period
4—Abbies, Hennessey, 4:18
5—Abbies, Glover, 7:01
Penalties: Hennessey, G. Melanson, Carver, Fields.
Third Period
6—Abbies, Carver, 2:03
7—Moncton, A. Dolron, 4:48
8—Abbies, Dalziel, 14:43
9—Abbies, Dalziel, 19:21
Penalty: Flannigan (major).

VICTORIA RINK
TUESDAY NIGHT
Third Game of Finals
ALBANY ST. PATS
Versus
CANOE COVE ROUGHRIDERS



What may be the final hockey struggle of the season is slated for the Forum tonight when West Kent and Summerside High School hockey squads tangle in a sudden-death tilt for the Island inter-scholastic hockey title and Hawley Crockett Trophy. The game should be a fitting finish to what has been a great hockey season.

All the age-old rivalry between Summerside and Charlottetown athletic squads should crop up in tonight's tilt. Everything will be at stake in tonight's battle with no second chances forthcoming and before the two teams skate off the ice fans who attend should witness a stirring ice spectacle between two teams that do not know the meaning of the word "quit" and who will injure themselves into a state of exhaustion in order to be returned the winners.

In a couple of exhibition games between the two squads during the season Summerside, we believe have come out on top of the heap but in every instance the margins have been close ones, so close in fact that very little difference in strength was noted between them by close observers of the game. As has been the case in the past both squads are very liable to play away over their heads in order to capture the Crockett silverware and the title that goes with it and we'll miss that part of the two team rivalry don't furnish just as exciting a hockey night as has been witnessed here all season long.

Like hockey basketball which despite slim attendances had been enjoying a banner season, is also rapidly drawing to a close but if present negotiations are successful it is likely that a doubleheader bill featuring two Moncton squads will be seen in action here Saturday night.

C. Y. O. Girls who made such a favorable impression here last season when they met Prince of Wales Co-Eds in a two game series for the Maritime Intermediate championship of the two provinces are angling for a game with a local girls all-star squad while intermediate C.Y.O. men's teams would also like to stack up against the Able intermediates in the other encounter.

It is to be hoped that arrangements will conclude satisfactorily. We feel that a smart girls' team could be banded together to give the visitors quite a tussle while the Abbies, an all star squad picked from the City League should be able to hold their own with the Moncton team. In the Abbies case it would give them much needed competition for their coming playoff games in the Maritime intermediate playoffs, if and when they are allowed to participate depending presently upon the attitude taken by the body governing the playdowns.

The National Hockey League semi-final playdowns continues tonight in Boston and New York and in both cases the home teams still trail Toronto and Detroit and if they are to have a chance of getting to the final round must come up with victories in tonight's important tussles.

Although not out of the woods by any means the New York Rangers outlook is brighter. Their 3-2 victory they scored over the rugged Detroit Red Wings on Sunday night may have given the injury-plagued New Yorkers a needed shot in the arm and if they can duplicate their performance tonight it would not be surprising if the series went to the full limit of seven and that would be surprising considering that the Red Wings were odds-on-favorites to advance to the finals.

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Glouce Bay Midgets Win N. S. Title

GLouce BAY, N. S., March 29—(CP)—The Nova Scotia midget hockey crown went to Glouce Bay Y.A.C. squad tonight when they whipped Truro All-Stars 10-3 in the second game of a home-and-home series.

Former North Sydney Coach Claims Damages

SYDNEY, N.S., March 29—(CP)—A writ claiming \$6,830 damages for breach of contract was filed today by Hugh MacNeil, former coach of North Sydney Victorias in the Cape Breton Senior Hockey League, against Ed Swyers of nearby North Sydney.

Curling Club Schedule Today

Matches scheduled at the Charlottetown Curling Club tonight follow:—

- Keefe Trophy
7 P. M.
O. Diamond vs. R. McCabe
D. Saunders vs. H. Saunders
9 P. M.
S. McKay vs. H. McInnis
The winners of the 7 p.m. matches play again at 9 o'clock.
- Dominion Life Trophy
7 P. M.
Ice No. 2—J. S. Moore vs. Col. Full.
Ice No. 3—F. J. McLaine vs. Dr. MacIntyre.
9 P. M.
P. W. Turner vs. J. A. Fraser.

Mr. Johnston is Mr. John King, veteran yachtsman and Mr. Joe King, one of the enthusiastic and up-and-coming young yachtsmen of the City.

Leafs Confident As They Head For Boston

Exhibition Baseball

(By The Associated Press)
At Lakeland, Fla.: Phil. (N) 100 003 000-4 9 1
Det. (A) 031 002 10x-7 12 2
At Bradenton, Fla.: St. L. (N) 000 200 011-4 3 1
Boston (N) 006 000 13x-10 9 3
At Tampa, Fla.: St. L. (N) 009 200 000-2 6 0
Cin. (N) 120 100 00x-4 5 2
At Phoenix, Ariz.: Chi. (NL) 000 111 021-6 13 2
Chi. (NL) 207 000 11x-11 14 0
At St. Petersburg, Fla.: Boston (A) 000 000 001 100 000 00-2 5 3
New York (A) 000 000 001 100 000 00-2 10 2
(17 innings, tie).
(Called end of 17 innings account of darkness).
At Fresno, Calif.: Pitts. (N) 000 000 000-0 8 0
New York (N) 000 010 10x-2 8 0
At Haines City, Fla.: Kan. City (AA) 211 300 000-7 8 0
Newark (Int.) 020 000 120-5 7 3
At Tucson, Ariz.: St. L. (A) 000 000 000-0 5 0
Cleve. (A) 000 000 02x-2 5 2

Expect Marlon's Knee Injury To Clear Up

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 29—(AP)—Dr. Robert P. Hyland, St. Louis Cardinal surgeon, examined shortstop Marty Marlon's knee today and declared the injury should clear up without difficulty.

REMEMBER WHEN

By The Canadian Press
Detroit Red Wings won their first National Hockey League championship 14 years ago tonight by defeating Toronto Maple Leafs, defending champions. The Detroit team didn't gain the Stanley Cup though, losing to Chicago Hawks.

NEW YORK, March 29—(AP)—Joe Louis, who ended an exhibition series in London Saturday, will arrive in New York on April 12 and leave for a Michigan training camp on April 14, the 20th Century Sporting Club said today.

Bathurst Wins Intermediate Hockey Crown

HALIFAX, March 29—(CP)—Bathurst Papermakers swept to a rollicking 6-1 triumph over Halifax Navy here tonight to capture the Maritime Intermediate hockey championship. Bathurst took the first game at home 11-2 and won the total-goal series 17-3.

It was a 3-1 game until four minutes from the end when Papermakers rapped in three quick goals without a reply from the sailors. The first period produced the best hockey of the night with the smooth-skating visitors taking the lead in the first three minutes. After Navy got the tying goal—and their only one—Papermaker scored twice. The second period was scoreless.

MacKay scored three goals for the winners while Martin racked up two and added an assist. Legere got the sixth. Eight penalties were handed out in the third period and a couple of spectators got into the fray that left Martin and Piller in the penalty box with majors.

Summary:—
First Period
1—Bathurst, MacKay, 3:00
(Martin)
2—Halifax, Patry, 5:02
(Piller)
3—Bathurst, MacKay, 5:36
(Babin)
4—Bathurst, Legere, 7:50
(Stothart)
Penalty: Patry.
Second Period
Scoring—None.
Penalties: McSweeney, Driscoll, Stothart.
Third Period
5—Bathurst, Martin, 15:43
(Pitre)
6—Bathurst, Martin, 17:25
(Stothart)
7—Bathurst, MacKay, 17:31
(Pitre)

Sydney Juveniles In 11-4 Victory To Win Maritime Championship

SYDNEY, N. S., March 29—(CP)—Sydney Academy were Maritime juvenile hockey champions tonight after downing Charlottetown Kinsmen 11-4.

The Sydney squad, coached by Hank Hayes, took the two-game total-goal series 15-8. First game at Charlottetown ended in a 4-4 draw.

Jim MacDonald of Sydney and Charlottetown's Willie Ross tied for scoring honors with three goals apiece.

Sydney: Goal, McMillin; defence, Kehoe, S. McDonald; centre, Stephenson; wings, J. McDonald, McQueen; subs, McLeod, McLean, McQueen, Dixon, Rundle, D. McDonald.

Charlottetown: Goal, Roper; defence, Anderson, Lund; centre, Ross; wings, Larter, McCallum; subs, McKenzie, Biso, Gallant, Creelman, Smith, Cameron.

Summary:—
First Period
1—Sydney, Stephenson, (McQueen) 3:03
2—Ch'town, Ross, (McCallum, Gallant) 3:25
3—Ch'town, Ross, 9:15
4—Sydney, J. McDonald, (Kehoe) 10:43
5—Sydney, Dixon, (Kehoe) 13:04
Penalties: None.
Second Period
6—Sydney, J. McDonald, (Stephenson) 3:31
7—Sydney, McQueen 3:33
8—Sydney, Rundle, (Dixon) 7:40
9—Sydney, McLeod, (McLean, McQueen) 11:10
10—Sydney, McLean, (S. McDonald) 12:05
11—Ch'town, Ross, (McCallum) 15:53
12—Sydney, J. McDonald, (McQueen) 16:40
Penalties: None.
Third Period
13—Sydney, McQueen, (Stephenson) 9:00
14—Sydney, McLeod, (S. McDonald) 11:45
15—Ch'town, Larter 15:00
Penalties: None.
Penalties: Piller (major and minor), Martin (major and minor), McSweeney, Ruffling, Mercereau (2), Driscoll.

Windjammer II Wins Yacht Race

HAVANA, March 29—(AP)—Windjammer II, flying the flag of the New Orleans Southern Yacht Club, was the first craft across the finish line in the annual St. Petersburg-Havana yacht race today and apparently won both class and fleet honors.

Ed Links' Blue Heron from Gananque, Ont., finished sixth among the seven finishers reported thus far, but recorded the best time for the Class B entries and the second best time in corrected figuring for the fleet prize.

The Windjammer, a Class A craft, is a 76-foot ketch. It covered the 294 miles in 40 hours, 40 minutes and 43 seconds. The ketch is at scratch in Class A and it is doubtful if any of the craft still at sea can beat her time.

Not only is the Windjammer the likely Class A winner but she looms also as the fleet winner and is assured of taking the prize of crossing the finish line first.

Twenty-one boats started from St. Petersburg, Fla., Saturday noon. Judges said the Windjammer's time would be official unless reports are true that she crossed the starting line before the gun. If the rumors are true, an hour will be added to the time.

The Blue Heron covered the distance in 47 hours, 22 minutes and 24 seconds with a corrected time of 44:47:07 and a fleet time of 41:59:48.

Brazil's first school of chemical engineering is located at Sao Paulo—the country's industrial centre.

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