

Legionnaires Win Mar. Hockey Title

Defeat Berwick 11-7 To Take Intermediate Crown By Round Score 16-15

The Charlottetown Legionnaires came from behind a first game three goal deficit to win the Maritime Intermediate Hockey Championship when they defeated the Berwick Bruins 11-7 in a hard fought overtime battle at the Forum last night. At the end of the regular playing time the two game total goal series was tied 15-15 and the winning goal came from the stick of "Butter" Worth on a pass from Art Perry in the first overtime session. The series ended 16-15.

A packed Forum witnessed the local Legionnaires out-play the Nova Scotia champions in one of the hardest fought games of the year. In the first period the Legionnaires outscored Berwick 4-1 to even the series, but in the second period the Berwick squad regained

7 Sign With Leafs For Next Season

TORONTO, March 21 (CP)—Managing director Conny Smythe of the Toronto Maple Leafs today announced seven players have signed contracts for the 1946-47 National Hockey League season as the club got away to an early start on the rebuilding process. The players are forwards Syl Apps, Steve Stewart, Billy Taylor, Bud Polls and Bill Eicknick; defenseman Bob Goldham; and goalie "Tunney" Brodeur. The Leafs will spend a full month in training camp this fall. Smythe announced that two weeks will be devoted to conditioning, one to inter-league games and one to exhibition games against the N.H.L. or American Hockey League clubs. The site of the fall training camp has not been selected. Several Ontario centres have put in bids.

Bedeque South Shore Hockey

The Bedeque Beavers put a different look on the South Shore Hockey picture on Tuesday night by knocking the Freetown Grads to a defeat in a series at one game. The Beavers helped themselves to a two goal lead in the middle chukker, but came roaring back for three goals in the last period. The team trio of A. McDonald, F. McDonald and Albert DesRoches accounted for the winners. McDonald and DesRoches, who were in their borings-in tactics, made life miserable for Hill in the Freetown Grads. A Hill who was out of harness for the first game sparked the Grads in a second period rally scoring two goals while McDonald banked in the other.

Tempers flared throughout the encounter, and no less than eight times referee Hogan saw the need to sinners row, with six going to the winners. Fans are eagerly awaiting Thursday night's rubber match and if Coach McGrath can get his team to exhibit their form of Tuesday night, the series will be a hummer right to the finish.

Lineups: Bedeque: Goal, Richards; defence, Murray, Smith, McDonald; forwards, A. McDonald, F. McDonald, Reid, Albert DesRoches, Austin DesRoches, Connolly. Freetown: Goal, Hill; defence, Campbell, Waugh, Reeves; forwards, Hill, McCarville, MacMurdo, Taylor, Somers, Handrahan. Referee, "Hum" Hogan.

Table with 2 columns: Period, Score. Summary of Allan Cup Play-offs tonight (Friday) and Memorial Cup Play-offs tonight (Friday). Includes scores for East and West teams.

Red Wings Shut Out Boston 3-0

BOSTON, March 21 (AP)—With all of his teammates covering their checks like a tent, goalie Harry Lumley of the Detroit Red Wings shut out Boston Bruins 3-0 to square matters in the second game of their National Hockey League playoff series tonight before a 13,900 crowd at the Boston Garden. The victory, however, was a costly one for star rookie Pat Lundy, who suffered a shoulder injury while whacking in the first Detroit goal. During the eighth minute of rugged action, Lundy hooked a loose puck in the centre-zone while the Bruins were massed in Detroit territory. He took down on the defense's Frankie Grimsek with such terrific speed that, after launching his scoring shot from 10 feet out, he crashed into the left post of the Boston Garden.

Lundy fell hard and appeared badly shaken when he arose and skated to his dressing room. An examination revealed a seriously bruised right shoulder, plus a possible separation, a combination of injuries that probably will keep him out of the remainder of the coming series.

Summary: First Period: Detroit, Lundy 7:32; Detroit, J. Conacher (Out-rigger) 12:58. Penalties—None. Second Period: Scoring—None. Penalties—Stewart, Gauthier, Guidolin, Crawford. Third Period: Detroit, Watson (Armstrong) 19:22. Penalties—Stewart.

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Canadiens Defeat Black Hawks 5-1 To Take Two Game Lead In Series

MONTREAL, March 21 (CP)—Playing the brand of hockey that helped them outpower Chicago Black Hawks here last Tuesday, the fast skating Montreal Canadiens again skated rings around Hawks tonight to defeat their opponents 5-1 and take a 2-0 lead in their best-of-seven semi-final Stanley Cup series.

Hawks played more determined hockey than in their first playoff contest here but could not capitalize on their scoring chances and again plain fumbled golden opportunities with sloppy passing plays.

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'45 Hunting Licences Sale In N. B. Record

FREDERICTON, March 21 (CP)—Sale of all classes of hunting licences reached an all-time high in New Brunswick last year, Hon. John B. McNair, Premier and Minister of Lands and Mines disclosed in a report released today. A total of 2,718 licences to non-resident hunters represented the largest increase. This was 80 per cent higher than the previous record set in 1944. Residents of the Province also showed more interest in hunting than ever before. Licences issued in this classification numbered 88,273.

With a closed season continuing on moose, New Brunswick's moose population was estimated at 7,700. The number of beaver was placed at about 13,900. At Bononi, South Africa, a man sprang a 10-shilling (\$2.50) ticket on the local tote double, asked for numbers 4 and 13 and was given 10 and 13 by error. He didn't notice the miscue until after No. 10 had been drawn. He won \$1,300 when he collected 2947 (\$2,911) on the bet he never meant to make.

At least six players are to be tabbed regulars. At Jurisch, acquired from St. Louis with Wyrzykowski, Tom Hughes, Ken Raffensberger, Schooly Rowe, Oscar Judd and Charley Schanz will take a turn. Hunt, Mulebay also is rounding into shape. While Chapman talked, his five-year-old son, Billy, wandered into the clubhouse. Somebody asked him if he wanted to be a ball player. "No, sir," was the answer. "I want to be a manager like my Daddy. All he has to do is sit down."

For Sale BARGAIN Complete Motion Picture Equipment suitable for Permanent Theatre. Simplex Projectors. Apply B. H. YEO, Montague.

Hamilton Wins Opener From Beavers In Allan Cup Quarter-Finals Series

SAINT JOHN, N. B., March 21 (CP)—Hamilton Tigers took the measure of Saint John Beavers in decisive style tonight in the first round of the Allan Cup quarter-finals, of the Allan Cup playdowns. The second game will be played here Saturday, with a third, if necessary, scheduled for Monday. The score was a good indication of play in the opening contest. Hamilton simply overpowered the team and excelled in practically all aspects of the game. The Tigers gave the finest display seen here in a long time. The result showed that Beavers either will have to show great improvement in the next battle or Hamilton will walk away with the series in two straight. Supporters of the Saint John team, known as a fighting outfit which came from behind to defeat the Hamilton club in the first round, still held hope the local boys could win a hard-fought series Saturday night. Beavers gained some satisfaction in showing the first goal in their first Allan Cup play.

Playing in National Hockey League style and pin-pointing their passes, the Tigers kept Saint John on the defensive much of the time but Beavers never stopped fighting.

The Ontario champions held the initiative almost from the start. The Beaver forwards couldn't seem to get going during much of the first period and seemed like strangers in the arena. Their fast, husky opponents showed the best combination play seen here in years.

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Good News For Canada's Western Wheat Farmers

OTTAWA, March 20 (CP)—Good news for Canada's western wheat farmers came today in the Commons in a three-fold announcement by Trade Minister MacKinnon. He made these announcements, long awaited by the wheat grower: 1. The 1946 barley equalization payments will be made in May. 2. The initial wheat payment of \$1.25 a bushel basis No. 1 northern in store Port, William-Port Arthur or Vancouver will be continued for another crop year up to July 31, 1947. 3. The wheat price will be paid for oats, barley, flaxseed, rapeseed and sunflower seed in the Western Provinces and for winter wheat grown in Ontario and marketed in 1946-47.

The wheat will be no over-all reduction on deliveries of wheat during 1946-47, although "temporary" deliveries probably will be used in the early part of the marketing season to distribute local elevator stocks as evenly as possible among the producers.

OTTAWA, March 20 (CP)—The address in reply to the Speech from the Throne was read by the Nova Scotia legislator here today. He has been formed by Mrs. Luce. "I am not a member of the House of Commons," she said. "I am a member of the House of Representatives."

Get Married Young Woman, Mrs. Luce Says

WASHINGTON, March 20 (AP)—Marriage? Career? When you come to this perplexing crossroads, young woman, take your representative Clare Boothe Luce. "Get married," she says. "These old-time words of wisdom from a congresswoman and author as well as wife, were heard by a conference of 500 women at a Washington luncheon today. The women were invited to invade every new-fangled career in the books. The Connecticut Republican told the girls they face untold opportunities in their career. But in marriage the chances are "slower, sure, safe closing." She diagrams it this way: "The young man can't afford to marry early. He hesitates to ask the young woman to give up her pay cheque and independence. Her young career woman also is more particular about her husband-to-be. He must be able to support her. He may have to be five to 10 years older to interest her. "And," says Mrs. Luce, "the older you are already married. She won't take one her own age. There she is."

The Luce foresees less (1) marriages; (2) children; (3) productivity; (4) prosperity. But—if it's any consolation—more and more careers for women.

Senator Opposes Espionage Probe

OTTAWA, March 20 (CP)—Action of the government in the espionage investigation was praised today by Senator John T. Haig. Progressive Conservative Senator Haig made reference to the case in a Throne Speech address generally critical of government policies. Senator Haig, a Winnipeg lawyer, said he did not like the idea of people being heard without counsel but added, "applying on Canada is to me an unforgivable thing," he said did not appear that the government had done anything that was not justified.

Sport Shorts From Britain

LONDON, March 21 (CP)—Lt.-Col. John Kyffin, boxing club of the Oxford University boxing club, has passed with honours the Amateur Boxing Association's examination for referees at the age of 80. Col. Kyffin, who has been a Welsh and honorary A.B.A. referee for 20 years, took the examination "just to show the young uns."

He boxed as a welterweight for the Orton Hospital and for the Orton Gymnasium in 1886, and won his last competition, in Egypt, at the age of 50.

Col. Crockcroft of Mansfield, Nottingham, did not care much about football until he became a prisoner-of-war and then, with nothing more and all day do it in, he got into the habit of joining the leads in a kick around. For no particular reason, he usually took over the goalkeeping duties.

Result: Roy Goodall, former England fullback and now Mansfield town soccer club manager, spotted him and made the ex-p.o.w. a professional.

Edinburgh citizens these evenings hear high-pitched cries of "Shoot, shoot, shoot," as the city's football team, the Edinburgh Ladies Dynamoes, Scotland's only women's football team, practices.

N. S. Throne Speech Debate Concludes

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Too Little Time For Rose Speech

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Probe Poisoning Of Women At Convention

VANCOUVER, March 20 (CP)—An exhaustive probe was under way today into the alleged poisoning of 19 members of the Canadian Legion's Women's Auxiliary while six of them still were in hospital only for further observation. At the stricken women ate lunch at a downtown cafe Monday and although some were ill Monday evening, most of them collapsed at a convention session yesterday. Twenty were taken to hospital from the convention yesterday morning and six were admitted late in the afternoon. HASTINGS, England (CP)—St. Clements Caves, under the West Hill, Hastings, are to be made into a show place. During the war these caves were used as air-raid shelters.

Communist Says Seeking Self-Rule For Manchuria Denies Any Political Link With Russia.

CHUNGKING, March 20 (AP)—A Chinese Communist spokesman asserted today his party wants only self-rule for Manchuria's provinces similar to that enjoyed by states in the United States, and denied there was any political link with Russia.

NORFOLK, Va., March 19 (AP)—Scientists flying from the carrier Shangri La in helicopters, will scout Bikini Atoll after the atom bomb test to check for deadly radioactivity.

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SHANGRI LA will use her radar equipment to track the drones and report them to the control planes. The plan is to land the drones at Roi Island, in the Kwajalein Atoll when 20 and 40 miles from the target about 180 miles from Bikini. The carrier will send up the drones yet.

HOCKEY KENSINGTON RINK FRIDAY, MARCH 22 Final Game Semi-Final Playoffs Bell Trophy—Prince County Championship ALBERTON REGALS Versus KENSINGTON NORTH SHORE ALL-STARS Admission 35c and 20c GAME AT 8:30

OPEN NIGHT FOR SKATERS EXCELLENT ICE — GOOD MUSIC SKATE OR PROMENADE TO FORUM NIGHT