

## Durnan's Shutout Record Ends As Chicago Holds Canadiens To 2-All Tie

### Horse Races On Summerside Ice Yesterday

Summerside horsemen staged their weekly races on Summerside harbor yesterday afternoon with a fair attendance of fans. The course was in perfect condition perhaps in the best condition it has been during the entire racing season.

It was learned yesterday afternoon from race officials that a decision would be available Friday night as to whether the provincial meet will be held in Summerside next week or not. Local horsemen are looking forward to having the event staged on Summerside harbor and should weather conditions continue to be favorable they point out that no better course can be found anywhere.

The following is the summary of yesterday's race:

**Class A Trot**

Gay Aubrey (Bowness).....	1 3 1
Breezy Jane (Arsenault).....	2 1 3
Hal Britton (Glover).....	3 2 2

**Class A Pace**

Babe Britton (G. Thompson).....	1 1
Mollie Bars (R. McDonald).....	2 2

**Class B**

Rhodola D. (R. McDonald).....	1 2 1
Indian Land (E. Reeves).....	2 1 3
Lucky Guy (T. Arsenault).....	3 3 2

**Colt Race**

Range Hawk (R.H. Phillips).....	1 1
Spot Cash (E. Newsom).....	2 2
Emma McKeilvin (H. Warren).....	3 3

Starter, Audrey Perry; timers, Claude Harkness, Preston Warren; judges, R. Dewar, Jim Heffie, Earl Hogg; announcer, Robert Dewar.

### Bowling

**Kinmen-Kinnetts Bowling**

Stants—8719—4 1/4 points  
Indians—2589—1 1/4 points

**Kinman high single E. Boyles 284**  
Kinman high three L. Duffy 711  
Kinnetts high single E. Lord 270  
Kinnetts high three F. Lord 624.

**Bowes—8473—4 points**  
Dodgers—3481—3 points

**Kinman high single E. Lord 277**  
Kinman high three E. Lord 593  
Kinnetts high single E. MacDonald 778  
Kinnetts high three E. MacDonald 752

**Yanb—8673—3 1/4 points**  
Red Sox—2625—2 1/4 points

**Kinman high single J. Shelton 289**  
Kinman high three N. Higgins 614  
Kinnetts high single L. Higgins 236  
Kinnetts high three L. Higgins 585

### HOLY NAME ALLEYS

**Big Four League**

**All Stars—4 points**

C. Lawlor.....	160	178	179
C. Proude.....	230	170	254
E. Pinesu.....	180	287	181
D. MacDonald.....	191	209	207
G. LeClair.....	218	227	219

**Total—3070.**

**Knights—1 Point.**

R. MacDonald.....	218	185	145
F. Gallant.....	250	174	152
T. Creighton.....	186	254	251
H. Dolson.....	164	173	114
Low Score.....	160	170	179

**Total—2815.**

High single T. Creighton 291.  
High three T. Creighton 731.

### KENSINGTON RINK

THURSDAY, March 10—Skating 8 to 10.

FRIDAY, March 11—Finals Merchants League, French River vs. Long River. Skate after game. Game 8:15 sharp.

CHICAGO, March 9—(AP)—Bill Durnan's shutout record came to an end at 309 minutes, 21 seconds tonight by his Montreal Canadiens mates pulled out a 2-2 tie with the Chicago Black Hawks before 15,311 National Hockey League fans.

Durnan, with four straight shutouts was last scored on at 16:15 of the first period of a 3-1 victory over the Hawks here Feb. 24. Roy Conacher hit the target in that instance. Tonight, Gaye Stewart of the Hawks connected at 5:36 of the second period to end a run of perfect goal tending considered best in modern major league hockey history.

In 1930 the late Charlie Gardiner of Chicago went 290 minutes, 12 seconds without a score against him. In 1928, when the style of play and general rules were considered to have handicapped offensively tactics, Alex Connell of Ottawa, had a string of 400 scoreless minutes.

**First Period**  
1—Montreal, Carveth (Ray, Piamondon).....13:32  
Penalties: None.

**Second Period**  
2—Montreal, Mossell (Pillion) 1:18  
3—Chicago, Stewart (J. Conacher, Natrass).....5:36  
Penalties: Dickens, Ropelle, Guidolin (misconduct), Natrass, Pillion.

**Third Period**  
4—Chicago, Hamill (Prystal, Guidolin).....16:44  
Penalty: Leger.

**DETROIT 5, TORONTO 0**  
DETROIT, March 9—(CP)—The Detroit Red Wings all but clinched the National Hockey League championship—their first in six years—by beating the defending champions Toronto Maple Leafs 5-0 before 13,664 home fans here tonight.

**First Period**  
Scoring: None.  
Penalties: Thomson, Barliko, Lindsay, Reiss.

**Second Period**  
1—Detroit, Abel (Stewart).....19:43  
Penalties: Stewart, Mortson, Lindsay.

**Third Period**  
2—Detroit, Abel (Lindsay).....1:23  
3—Detroit, McFadden (Lindsay, Howe).....2:18  
4—Detroit, Howe (McFadden, Lindsay).....6:40  
5—Detroit, Lindsay (Howe, Abel).....18:06  
Penalties: Stewart, Thomson, Fogolin.

**BOSTON 8, NEW YORK 1**  
BOSTON, March 9—(CP)—Boston Bruins, scores in their last two games, went on a goal-making spree tonight by blasting New York Rangers 8-1. The victory, fashioned before 12,211 fans in the Boston Garden, assured the Bruins of a berth in the Stanley Cup playoffs and eliminated the Rangers from any chance at the National Hockey League's post-season series.

**First Period**  
1—Boston, Sandford (Dumart, Peters).....0:52  
2—Boston, Peters (Sandford).....2:00  
3—Boston, Schmidt.....5:40  
4—Boston, Ronty.....13:07  
Penalties: Dumart, Stanley.

**Second Period**  
5—Boston, Peters (Dumart, Egan).....2:37  
6—Boston, Henderson (Schmidt, Creighton).....6:48  
7—New York, O'Connor (Stanowski).....11:18  
8—Boston, Harrison (Felman).....18:09  
Penalties: Peiron, Stanowski, Schmidt (2).

**Third Period**  
9—Boston, Peiron (Crawford).....10:15  
Penalties: None.

MONTREAL, March 9—(CP)—Alan Gilchrist of the Ocean Falls, B. C., swimming club has been awarded the Beauty Trophy as Canada's outstanding swimmer for 1948, the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association announced today.



According to some of the boys, the Intermediate Abegweit hockey team had quite an eventful journey to Murray Harbour on Monday night, where they played the Intermediates there in the first game of their semifinal intermediate playoffs.

Having considerable trouble due to bad roads enroute to their destination they didn't get their game underway until about 11 o'clock, and after taking a 5-2 beating from the King's County aggregation, started out on their return trip.

Experiencing more road trouble, the boys spent most of the night becoming stuck and unstuck and eventually arrived at Montague at six in the morning, and didn't arrive back in the City until Tuesday noon. Between pushing the bus, tramping through the slush and snow and trying to sleep on the bus, the boys were pretty well truckered out by the time they reached home.

Congratulations go out to the smart band of P. W. C. Juniors, who captured the N. B. P. E. I. junior title from the Saint John Maroons at that city on Tuesday night. The Welshmen, despite the fact that they fell down badly here in the third period on Monday night, when they allowed the Maroons to overtake a five goal lead to tie up the game at 8-8 came back strong at Saint John on Tuesday night to edge out the New Brunswickers by a 7-5 count and earn the right to meet the Halifax St. Mary's Juniors for the Maritime title.

Holding them by a 6-1 score at the end of the second period, which was identical to the score here on Monday at the end of the same period, the local squad didn't make the same mistake of relaxing on their defensive play, which cost them their lead here, but went out and put up a strong defensive style of play which resulted in final victory.

If Tuesday night's game between Navy and Summerside is any indication of the style of game the fans will see here next week in the final game of their series in City Hockey League semi-final playoff competition, then they are in for a smart game of hockey and keen competition.

The two teams put up a real battle, and although the Navy held the edge on the play to win out by a 5-3 margin, the Summerside squad were a continual threat all the way. And despite the fact that they will have a two-goal lead to overcome tonight, they can be counted upon to come out fighting harder than ever.

The Navy, only using two lines instead of their usual three, were very effective in their passing attacks with both lines really turning in first class performances, although the line of Carver, Dowling and Sheppard were the driving force behind the Tars attack. The All Stars, using their full three lines, were minus the valuable assistance of their playing-coach "Windy" Steele back on their rear guard position. And there is no doubt that his absence was felt by the team not only in their defensive power but also as a stabilizing factor in their play.

Whether Windy will be back on their lineup for the next game was not known at time of writing, but if he is you can depend that it will strengthen their chances of winning considerably.

Although the line of Oatway, Grady and Gay turned in their usual effective performance in leading the Western attack, the man who really stood out on the team for his excellent performance was their net custodian, Frankie Foy.

Belegged by a barrage of rubber, particularly in the second period, Foy turned in probably his best performance of the year when he made some really brilliant saves to turn the Tars back time and again during repeated dangerous scoring attacks.

## N. B. Takes Lead In Junior Curling 'Spiel'

### Millionaires Deadlock Series With 2-1 Victory

(By The Canadian Press)  
SYDNEY, N. S., March 9—Sydney Millionaires raged back to deadlock the Maritime senior hockey final by nipping Halifax St. Mary's 2-1 before 3,500 spectators here tonight.

The best-of-seven finals now stands at 1-1 and the teams will entrain tomorrow for Halifax where the third game will be played Friday night.

It was a different Millionaire team that faced the Big Four champions tonight. Weak defensively when they dropped a 5-4 decision in the series opener yesterday, the Moneybags relied on their defensive network to hold off Halifax.

Heavy hitting at the Sydney blue line was one of the outstanding features in a typically tight playoff tussle that was played on ice that stood up well in comparison to Tuesday's mushy conditions. With temperatures ranging over the 100-degree mark, however, third period ice was soft.

Millionaires came from behind to turn the trick, shutout the Halifax club 2-1 and had a decided edge on the play all the way.

It was ironic that former Big Four League players figured in the Sydney victory. Len Medynski and Cliff Roach, formerly with Truro Bearcats, were the goal scorers. Billy Hannon shot the Halifax goal.

John Myketyk, a two-year man with Millionaires and a one-time Saint John Beaver, was Sydney's big pillar on the blue line.

Myketyk had a particular affinity for St. Mary's Jim Gray, whom he flattened twice with heavy shoulder belts. The first time Gray went down on a Myketyk check was at the two-minute mark of the second period. The Halifax captain staggered to his bench and collapsed from lack of wind.

He revived in a few minutes and came back to the war but the intensity of the check kept Halifax wary of the hard-hitting Myketyk thereafter. They gave the left side of the Myketyk-Arundel combination a wide berth.

**First Period**  
1—Halifax, Hannon (McGregor).....6:37  
2—Sydney, Medynski (Roach, Dowling).....19:32  
Penalties: Prentice, Nelson, McLaughlin, Arundel.

**Second Period**  
3—Sydney, Roach (Dowling, Fritz).....11:10  
Penalty: Gray.

**Third Period**  
Scoring: None.  
Penalties: Watts, McLaughlin.

**N. H. L. Standings**  
(By The Canadian Press)

P W L D F A Pts.	
Detroit	56 31 18 7 180 134 69
Boston	55 25 22 8 166 152 58
Montreal	55 25 22 8 139 121 58
Toronto	55 21 21 13 136 143 55
Chicago	56 20 28 8 166 196 55
New York	55 17 28 10 123 157 44

## Large Entry List For Provincial Skating Meet

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the fourth annual Island interscholastic skating meet which will get underway at the Forum tomorrow night when a total of 297 entries, the largest in the history of the meet, representing some 25 schools throughout the Province will compete for top honors in Provincial speed-skating competition.

The meet, which is under the sponsorship of the Department of Physical Fitness, will be comprised of 24 events which will see the best skaters in the Province compete against one another in what is expected to be the keenest competition to be seen here in years.

Brigadier W. W. Reid, Director of Physical Fitness, reported yesterday that the services of the most competent judges and officials obtainable have been enlisted to handle the meet to see that all events will be run off quickly and efficiently to ensure the success of the program, and that all transportation arrangements have been completed to bring in the various contestants from the different rural centres.

For the benefit of those contestants in the outlying centres, here is a brief outline of the various bus schedules: Leaving Summerside High School at 3:30 p.m.; Kensington 4 p.m.; Borden at 3:45 p.m.; Tryon Corner at 4:15 p.m.; Crapaud at 4:30 p.m.; Montague at 5:30 p.m.; and Georgetown at 5:30 p.m.

The buses leaving Summerside and Borden will pick up 25 contestants from Beque, while the bus stopping at Tryon and Crapaud will bring in entries from Augustine Cove, Victoria and Crapaud. The buses leaving Kensington, Georgetown and Montague will proceed direct to the City.

It is expected that a group will make the trip from Souris but present road conditions indicate that

## P.W.C. Juniors To Play Sudden Death Game At Halifax

MONCTON, N. B., March 9—(CP)—New Brunswick opens the second day of play in the Maritime junior curling bonspiel tomorrow holding the lead over rinks from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Two Moncton Belaver Club rinks, skipped by R. T. McCully and B. H. Steeves, today captured three of the four matches in which they engaged Nova Scotia, represented by rinks from Halifax and Bridgewater, had a record of two wins and two losses, while P. E. I., whose colors are carried by Charlottetown rinks had one win and three losses.

The bonspiel will wind up here tomorrow night at the Moncton Curlers Association rink.

**Results:**  
**Halifax**  
L. H. Hills  
P. B. Hoggood  
W. Outitt  
H. A. Williams  
8

**Moncton**  
B. Goudey  
W. C. Hopkins  
M. MacDonald  
R. T. McCully  
15

**Moncton**  
R. Lyman  
N. Morris  
G. Clogg  
B. Steeves  
6

**Bridgewater**  
Rhodenizer  
R. Simons  
K. Goudrey  
B. Haines  
13

**Ch'town**  
L. Jay  
F. Hansen  
A. Likely  
Dr. W. A. MacDonald  
13

**Ch'town**  
Acorn  
7

**Ch'town**  
MacDonald  
12

**Standings**

Won		Lost	
New Brunswick	3	1	
Nova Scotia	2	2	
P. E. Island	1	3	

**Remember When**  
By The Canadian Press

Daniel P. Howley, 59, former manager of the Toronto baseball club of the International League, died of a heart attack five years ago today at his home in Weymouth, Mass. Dapper Dan had three terms with the Maple Leafs between 1918 and 1939 and under his management the team won pennants in 1918 and 1926.

**GOOD HUNTING**  
HALIFAX—(CP)—Nova Scotia trappers received more than \$189,000 from the sale of beaver pelts taken during the two-week open season last November, Forests Minister A. A. Mackenzie announced here.

**BARED BEAR**  
CARROT RIVER, Sask.—(CP)—Ernie Parfiter, northern Saskatchewan farmer, found more than a nigger in the woodpile. It was a 300-pound black bear, sound asleep. He shot it.

**Durnan Appears Headed for The Vezina Trophy**  
By ALAN RANDAL

MONTREAL, March 7—(CP)—At the risk of putting the big fat whammy on such a fine fellow as Canadiens' Bill Durnan, it seems timely to mention the feeling abroad these days that goalie Bill is only a scant distance now from winning the Vezina Trophy.

For Bill a trophy win would be quite a thing since he held it four seasons hand-running until last year. Brode of Toronto Maple Leafs snaffled it away from him last season.

Hereabouts Dink (Montreal Gazette) Carroll notes Durnan "has been terrific of late," having gone, prior to week-end games, eight periods without being scored upon. Dink is hesitant, too, about mentioning this and recalls the last time he wrote an epic on Durnan the roof fell in before it could get into print. New York Rangers' belted nine goals past him.

**Another Durnan Booster**  
Elmer (Montreal Herald) Ferguson also gives the nod to Durnan as the top netman of the National Hockey League. Fergie looks askance at coach Dick Irvin of Canadiens who gloomily fears Durnan won't be nominated by coaches as the all-star goalie of the league.

"Bill has had only one bad game in 52 and this observer can't see how any selector could pick anyone else but Durnan as the stand-out among goalies," says Fergie. "But Irvin has fears. He has no confidence in the judgment of his fellow coaches."

And here is what Irvin says: "In Toronto the other day, Hap Day of the Leafs declared Rayner (Chuck Rayner of Rangers) is the greatest goalie in hockey, so I suppose he'll vote for Rayner. Other clubs will have other views. New York will go for Rayner and Durnan will get the double-shuffle—I think."

## Murray Harbor Scores Shutout Over Abbies To Enter Island Finals

The Murray Harbor Bruins skated their way to a decisive 2-0 shutout victory over the Charlottetown Intermediate Abbies at the Forum last night in the second and deciding game of the semi-final round to advance into the finals against Summerside Intermediates for the Island Intermediate hockey championship. The victory gave them the round by a 7-2 count, having taken the opening game on home ice by a score of 5-2.

The game was a really wide-open rough and ready affair, and despite the fact that there were few penalties handed out there was plenty of clean, heavy body checking dished out with the locals being on the receiving end a good portion of the time.

Some 800 fans were in attendance. A special train brought 280 from Murray Harbor.

Skating hard and over on the puck, the Bruins continually disrupted organized Abbies attacks, and when they did get inside the Murray Harbor blue line they tied them up solid with very effective defensive play which rarely gave the Abbies a clean shot on goal.

The visitors showed their superiority most in the second and third periods, with the play being on much even terms in the opening canto. The Abbies made some smart opening breakaways, but when they did work their way through the opposing defence they were stymied right and left by some really excellent goaltending by the Murray Harbor net custodian, Silas MacKay.

The Bruins got their opening counter in the dying seconds of the first period when G. MacNeill drilled home a hard shot from the blue line when he snared F. Harris' passout during a Bruins gangling attack inside their opponents blue line.

Outplying the Abbies in the second canto, the Murray Harbor pucksters forced the attack right from the opening whistle and garnered their second and final goal of the game at 2:01 when G. Harris and G. MacNeill clicked in a passing attack in front of the net, Harris hanging in MacNeill's pass. Murray Harbor held a definite edge on the play for the remainder of the period and kept the Abbie goalie, Roper, pretty busy during some smart passing attacks going in on goal, but the local custodian turned in an effective performance, and kept out everything that came his way. The Abbies made some dangerous breakaways during opposing pressure attacks, but the steady defensive action of their opponents forced them into some very erratic shooting around the net, causing them to miss some nice scoring chances.

The third period roughened up considerably, with the Abbies opening up strong in the early part of the frame in an effort to break into the scoring but the Bruins held their ground firmly and staved off all attacks until they themselves took the offensive. Heavy body-checking became harder and more frequent as the period proceeded, and towards the end of the game tempers started to get a bit as edge, with MacGregor and W. Harris finally forgoing hockey for pugilistic endeavor during a scuffle in a corner. Both received major penalties for their trouble, leaving both teams one man short for the remainder of the game.

The following are the lineups:  
Murray Harbor: Goal, S. MacKay; defence, W. Harris, L. MacNeill, Roby Chapman; forwards, F. Harris, G. Harris, G. MacNeill, S. Hume, Roy Chapman, W. MacNeill, A. Irving.  
Abbies: Goal, Roper; defence, Josey, Blanchard, MacKinnon, D. Larter; forwards, Kelly, MacGregor, Hennessey, R. Sheppard, Gregory, Stanley, Richard, N. Larter, Moynaux.  
Referees: Art Perry and Hawley Crockett.  
Summary:—  
First Period  
1—Murray Harbor, G. Moynaux (F. Harris).....13:23  
Penalties: Moynaux.  
Second Period  
2—Murray Harbor, G. Harris (S. Hume, Roy Chapman, W. MacNeill).....2:01  
Penalties: Roby Chapman, MacNeill.  
Third Period  
Scoring: None.  
Penalties: McGregor major, W. Harris, major.

## Curling Results And Schedule

Following are the scores of matches played at the local Curling Club yesterday:

**Dominion Life Trophy**  
F. W. Turner 11, R. R. Bell 10.  
G. A. Hawkins 9, J. S. Moore & Russ Spillet 7, T. W. L. Prose &.....

**Keefe Trophy**  
Frank Anderson 8, Ed. Belben &.....

**Craswell Competition**  
T. White 12, Tom Rogers 8.  
K. Acorn 10, Fred Cannon 4.

**TODAY'S SCHEDULE**  
The following matches are scheduled for tonight:

**7:00 P. M.**  
**Dominion Life Trophy**  
Ice 1— Russ Spillet vs. W. W. Lord.  
Ice 2— G. A. Hawkins vs. J. F. MacLeod.  
Ice 3— J. S. Moore vs. Hon. T. A. Campbell.

**Keefe Trophy**  
Ice 4— J. O. Diamond vs. W. Whittlock.

**8:45 P. M.**  
**Keefe Trophy**  
Ice 1— William Nicholson vs. Alf. McNeill.  
Ice 2— C. W. Milton vs. Doug Mayne.  
Ice 3— J. H. Hellos vs. R. A. McCabe.  
Ice 4— E. H. Saunders vs. A. G. MacMillan.

**Curling Standing**  
HAMILTON, March 9—(CP)—Standings after the sixth round in the Canadian curling championships:

Won		Lost	
Manitoba	6	0	
British Columbia	6	0	
Ontario	4	2	
Northern Ontario	4	2	
Saskatchewan	4	2	
Prince Edward Island	2	4	
Nova Scotia	2	4	
New Brunswick	1	5	
Quebec	1	5	
Alberta	0	6	

**S'ide At Murray Harbour Tonight**  
Rink officials announced last night that there will be no further City Hockey League playoffs held here this week due to the fact that the Summerside squad will open their intermediate playoff series at Murray Harbour tonight and will be playing their return game at Summerside on Saturday night.

In place of the scheduled game between Navy and Summerside, which was scheduled for tonight, the Forum will hold a special skate with the Recce Band supplying the music.

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