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## ABBIES WIN JUNIOR N. B. - P. E. I. TITLE

### Overcome Early Saint John Lead To Win Game 9-6 And Take Series 16-8

SAINT JOHN, N. B., March 14—(CP)—Charlottetown Abbeys showed continued superiority over Saint John Pontiacs tonight with a 9-6 victory, winning the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island junior hockey championship by a round score of 16-8. The Abbeys will battle Halifax Canadians for the Maritime title and a place in the Memorial cup playdowns.

Trailing 2-1 going into the second period the travel-weary Abbeys rallied in the second to outscore the Pontiacs 4-2 and put on an even stronger burst of speed in the third to notch four more while the New Brunswick champions were getting two.

### IN THIS CORNER

SAINT JOHN, N. B.—Train-weary and leg weary after a 15-hour trip by train and boat, Junior Abbeys last night showed their courage to the fullest when they downed St. John Pontiacs 9-6 in the second game to take the round by a 16-8 margin, the same edge they enjoyed over Amherst St. Pats.

Playing without the services of Buffer Worth after early in the first period, Abbeys came from behind a first period lead of the Pontiacs to increase their lead and at the end of the game had the loyal Saint John fans cheering their efforts.

They were a jubilant gang in the dressing room after the game. Eagerly looking forward to the Halifax series, the local youngsters are more confident than ever now of taking the Halifaxians into camp and this opinion is shared by not a few of the Saint John fans.

Pontiacs, just as game a team as ever tied on skates, were naturally disappointed but they certainly showed their sportsmanship by coming to the Abbie room in a body and congratulating the victors.

The game was a rugged, bristling affair throughout with heavy bumping going on in every zone, but the only real disturbance occurred when O'Toole and Grant traded punches in the second period that saw both get major sentences.

Abbeys were full credit for their victory. After their shaky start that saw St. John have a big margin in play in the first period the Abbeys' smooth passing plays began to click and from then on they were in command.

Early in the second they gained the lead and from there they never headed. Pontiacs could do little with the close-checking forwards and smart blocking defence, and continually Abbeys would break away on dangerous sorties into St. John territory.

The entire team played well last night, but again there was the fancy of the fans, and skating both ways. Ev last night scored four goals and made the plays for three others and his performance just put another clincher to the fact that he has come back to stay.

Another player whose performance was outstanding was Whitlock, the small centre man of the Abbeys' first attacking force, who was a tower of strength offensively and defensively. He netted two goals and an assist during the game and only for the sensational work of the St. John goalie could easily have doubled his total.

Abbeys' entrain for home this morning. Tomorrow they meet Halifax Canadians in the opener of the finals and if over a bunch

### WEARY TRAIN JOURNEY

On the road from early in the morning until 10 o'clock tonight, when they arrived in Saint John, the Abbeys were a weary lot of boys when they were finally ready to start the game. Heavy ice in Northumberland Strait held up the ferry on which they were passengers with Victoria Unions, intermediate hockeyists who also were late for their game at Sussex.

The brilliant Jay, fast-skating left winger of the Abbeys stood out like a beacon on a dark night as he notched four of his team's goals and assisted Reg Flannigan on a fifth. Stellar work by Keith Langille in the second and third periods nullified any serious Pontiac scoring chances and Bill Gigsey, blond net guardian of the Indians, was given plenty to do after Abbie forwards found their skating legs.

They peppered Gigsey from all angles, but the little fellow had no chance once the sharp-shooting combinations of Whitlock and Worth and McEachern and Ev Jay found their range and began slipping through the Saint John defence.

Two major penalties were handed out by Referee Pat Power of Charlottetown and Jimmy Murphy of Saint John when Joe O'Toole, Pontiac defenceman, and Vince Grant of the Abbeys' rearguard came to blows.

The lineups: Saint John—Goal, Gigsey; defence, Fortune, O'Toole; forwards, Murphy, Coughlan, Osborne, Garsy, Stanley, McCormack, Riley, Smith.

Charlottetown—Goal, Langille; defence, Darrach, Grant, L. Jay; forwards, MacEachern, Worth, Flannigan, Dowling, E. Jay, Black-utier, Whitlock.

Referee—Pat Power, Charlottetown; Jim Murphy, Saint John.

Summary: First Period 1—Saint John, Osborne (Stanley) — 2.30 2—Saint John, Stanley (Osborne) — 10.42 3—Charlottetown, Worth (Whitlock) — 19.20 Penalties: Murphy, Smith, E. Jay.

Second Period 4—Charlottetown, Whitlock — 3.30 5—Charlottetown, Flannigan (Grant) — 3.35 6—Saint John, Fortune — 11.45 7—Charlottetown, E. Jay — 12.48 8—Saint John, Garey (McCormack, Smith) — 16.51 9—Charlottetown, E. Jay — 19.50 Penalties: O'Toole, Grant.

Third Period 10—Charlottetown, E. Jay (Darrach) — 3.00 11—Charlottetown, E. Jay (Grant) — 8.42 12—Saint John, Stanley — 9.00 13—Charlottetown, Whitlock — 9.03 14—Saint John, Murphy (Fortune) — 13.55 15—Charlottetown, Flannigan (E. Jay) — 15.57 Penalties: Smith, Dowling, Darrach.

Darks lead in shanting. The best colors include rust, hunter green, wine, and raspberry—also pale grayish blue as well as pale pink.

deserve lots of support it is this game of fast skating hockeyists who never know when they are beaten.

## VICTORIA UNIONS DEFEATED BY SUSSEX

### Island Team Dethroned In Close Game

SUSSEX, N. B., March 14—(CP)—Sussex Rovers won the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island Intermediate Hockey Championship tonight, edging Victoria Unions 3-2 and taking the round 5-4. Rovers will meet Fort Morden, N. B., for the Maritime title.

Nutter's two last period goals decided the issue. Trailing the Victoria Unions, last year's Maritime champions, throughout the first two periods by one goal, the Rovers tied the score with less than a minute of the third stanza game and scored the winning counter with less than a minute to play. The first game played on the Island Friday night ended in a two-all draw.

The Island team showed great improvement over their first game and met a bitter defeat. They opened the scoring tonight and the first stanza ended with them leading 1-0. The score was tied in the second but before the period ended the Unions again put themselves in the lead but in the final and most crucial session they failed to get a counter.

The game was fast and evenly contested. Both goalies turned in stellar performances. Danny and Lester McLeod shone on the Island lineup with Nutter, Harmer, Brewster and Ev Jay turning in good games for the Rovers.

On one occasion Nutter protested that they had scored the winning goal, but the referee and several fans were questioned, but none were of the opinion that the disc had crossed the goal mouth.

The lineups: Victoria Cross—Goal, J. McLellan; Defence, A. Gaudet, A. Moisse; Forwards, G. Campbell, S. Peardon, L. Campbell, T. McEwen.

Montague—Goal, A. Fraser; Defence, S. Kerr, J. Bell; Forwards, L. Strong, H. Martin, A. Peters, L. Fraser, P. McDonald.

Summary: First Period Scoring: None. Penalties: Strong, Moore, Bell.

Second Period 1—Montague, C. Bell (A. Peters) 6.00 2—Victoria Cross, N. Campbell 13.00 Penalties: Strong, Gaudet.

Third Period 3—Victoria Cross, Peardon (Kennedy) 5.55 Penalties: None. Referee: Floyd MacKinnon and Lowell Poole.

Montague Leads In MacArthur Trophy Play

According to reports early this morning Montague curlers were well launched on their way to turning back the Charlottetown threat for the MacArthur trophy.

At press time the Montague club roled up a 21 point advantage with one match left to be played. The E. MacKinnon rink of Montague defeated the Charlottetown rink skiped by R. MacLaine 15-9, while in another match the Montague rink skiped by J. W. MacGregor won from the P. C. Moore rink 22-7.

The H. J. Mabon-Phil Cobb match had not been concluded at an early hour.

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Montague Curling Club

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### Drillon Continues To Set Scoring Pace As N.H.L. Schedule Nears Windup

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) MONTREAL, March 14—The National Hockey League teams headed into the last week of the schedule tonight with Gordon Drillon, Toronto Maple Leaf, second-year star, still setting the pace for about 140 marksmen on the scoring records.

Scoring two points during the last week, Drillon added a point to his margin over teammate Syl Apps. Tonight's league statistics are his 45, divided evenly between goals and assists. Apps has 20 and 25, for a 45 total.

Drillon's 24 goals also leaves him ahead in actual scores, two up on George Mantha of Montreal Canadiens. Leadership in assists goes to Apps, with Drillon in second.

Paul Thompson of Chicago Black Hawks remained at the top of the American division during the week and in third place in the combined standings. He is credited officially with 21 goals and 22 assists. (Unofficial compilations, however, give the Chicago only 21 assists, and this wouldn't change his position.)

A neck-and-neck race is underway between Red Horner of Toronto, Detroit, and Chicago, and Rangers for penalty leadership. Each has 80 minutes, though Coulter has been out of action for several games.

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### CHITOWN BOWLING ALLEYS

Pirates—3291. Tigers—3289. Ladies high single F. McKinnon 286. Ladies high three F. MacKinnon 580. Gents high single E. McNeill 301. Gents high three E. McNeill 127. Giants—2512. Dodgers—3053. Ladies high single F. Mallett 291. Ladies high three F. Mallett 700. Gents high single D. Purcell 238. Gents high three D. Purcell 635. Tonight at 8:30: F. Fantucci & E. Dougan, J. McKinnon & F. Smith, F. Gaudet & A. Kane, H. McLeod & H. Praught, J. Lawlor & E. Loppin, T. McAdam & P. McKinnon, C. McKenna & P. Smith, C. Praught & D. McDonald, A. Taylor & F. Paquet, K. Acorn & A. Sherry.

### WRIGHT TROPHY

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