

Cruikshank Team Wins Island Title

Chalk Up Five Victories Yesterday In Beating Out Premier T. A. Campbell's Rink

Playing in five gruelling games and winning each one of them W. R. Cruikshank's Charlottetown curling rink early this morning captured the Island title and British Consols Trophy and with it the right to represent the Island in the Macdonald-Brier Dominion playdowns when they downed Premier Thane A. Campbell's Summerside rink 12-5 in the final game after winning their way into the finals by downing the same quartette 19 to 7, the previous match of the day's program.

Five games that meant 60 ends of curling was the tough assignment that faced the winners yesterday to gain their title and it was the second year in a row that Skip Cruikshank has guided a team to the Island title. Mate Harry Sear was also on last year's championship team. But although winning by good margins in their final two games Premier Campbell's rink put up a stiff fight all the way. Previous to meeting the champions they had captured four straight games to draw a bye but then fell before the superior curling of the Cruikshank rink.

Premier Campbell got his rink away with a flying start in the first end but was chalked up a big three on the first end but Cruikshank's rink replied with a three on the second to square the match and then took seven of the remaining ends played to take the encounter 12-5.

In the second game the winner's margin was not so big but they captured seven of the ends while holding their opponents to singles in three of the four ends the Campbell rink won. Immediately after the champions had been decided President Dr. Heath McIntyre of the local club presented the magnificent British Consols Trophy to skip Cruikshank congratulating the winners on their magnificent victory and stating that he knew they would give their best in their coming Dominion Championship tests. Beautiful engraved silver trays and sweaters were also sent to each member of the winning rink.

Engraved silver trays were also presented to the members of the runners-up rink.

Premier Thane A. Campbell in replying to the presentation stated that he was glad the best team had won and he knew that they would uphold the dignity and sportsmanship of the Island in the championships which were being held in Quebec City starting March 1st. He wished them the best of luck. Also, the Premier said, he wished to express on behalf of his rink and himself their appreciation to the Macdonald Tobacco Company for the splendid prizes and appreciation to the games and entertainment committee for the splendid way in which the bonspiel had been conducted.

Skip W. R. Cruikshank on behalf of himself and his rink thanked the previous speakers for their kind remarks and assured those present that the rink would do their very best in the Dominion bonspiel at Quebec.

Members of the winning rink are: D. Gass, R.R. Bell, H.L. Sear, W.L. Cruikshank.

Members of runners-up rink are: H. Gaudet, F. MacRae, L. R. Allen, Premier Thane A. Campbell.

Premier Campbell's dark-horse rink continued to knock favorites aside as the morning matches started by disposing of the favored G. G. Hughes rink 12-7 to make it three straight. It was the Hughes rink's first loss against one defeat. In the other matches R. W. Beck threw another upset as trailing 5-1 going into the fifth end he took seven of the remaining eight ends to beat E. P. Foley 11-6. W. R. Cruikshank's strong four went to the semi-finals by disposing of R. S. P. Jardine's quartette 9-8 in another of the brilliant, exciting matches that have been part and parcel of the bonspiel.

The Cruikshank-Jardine encounter was the highlight of all three. Jardine got away to a flying start as he chalked up three singles each in the first three ends; Cruikshank came back to take the lead with a big four in the fourth; Jardine replied with a double on the fifth and single on the sixth for a 6-4 advantage. Two singles by the winners squared the match and on the fifth end Cruikshank got his margin of victory with a two. Jardine had a single on the sixth but Cruikshank replied with one on the seventh and as it came down to the skins last stones on the 12th Jardine was laying in for shot with a beautiful chance to tie it up or even get a three for three giving Jardine's first stone came down to lay just on the outside circle; Cruikshank's first stone failed to change the rink. Jardine on his last tried to knock out Cruikshank's two "biters" but he was just inches narrow to lay in for three giving the game to his opponent 9-8.

The Premier Campbell rink forged into an early lead in their match with G. G. Hughes' four and never yielded although the losing team hit several good chances to chalk up big ends only either to be knocked out by their opponents or miss their shots by inches. Halfway through the match the Premier had gained a 9-2 lead and although outscored 5-3 on the final six ends came out the victor 9-7.

E. P. Foley's Summerside rink seemed headed for their third win in the early stages of their match with W. Beck's Montague rink but instead were eliminated as Beck staged a garrison finish to take the match 11-6. Highest ends ended in the ding-dong battle were Foley getting two of them and Beck three.

Hazen Phillips rink and G. G. Hughes rink both went out of the running in two other morning matches played.

For the first six ends the Phillips-Beck match was as close a game as one would want to witness with singles by the order of the day and as they struck the seventh end both rinks were tied at 3-all

GUARDIAN SPORTING NEWS

Fine Racing Card Is Scheduled For Saturday

A fine racing card has been prepared by the Victoria Driving Club for the Charlottetown Harbor ice Saturday afternoon. The races start at 2 p. m. sharp. Officials are requested to be in the stand at 1.45. Following are the probable starters: Free-for-All, Silent Mac, Singin' Sam, Class A Trot, Lusty Prisco, Bonny Mary, Lucky Guy, and Mr. Tilley.

Conn Has Everything To Lose Against Zale Tonight

By Sid Feder
Associated Press Sport Writer
NEW YORK, Feb. 12 (AP)—Except as a pay-day, there is no apparent reason for Billy Conn to tangle with Tony Zale, the middleweight champion in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night. This doesn't apply to the fight itself, because that figures to be a pretty fair kind of a tangle-pull, with Tony's heavy thumps matched against Billy's boxing, ring generalship and weight edge. But on the face of it, Billy has everything to lose and nothing to gain—except, a piece of change, and that always comes in handy to a prospective father.

Forum Scrapers Bridgewater captures Win 3-1 from Navy N. S. curling title

A bristling game of hockey was played last evening between the R. C. N. V. R. team and a team from the Forum staff mostly made up from the scrapers and coached by "Connie" Vall. The final score was 3-1 in favor of the Scrapers, but the Navy boys made it rough sailing for their opponents all the way and many almost sure goals were missed by the seagoers. A return game will be played soon.

Albert Morrison scored for the Navy while Allie Carver, Higson and Jay shared the points for the Scrapers.

Navy: Goal, Noonan; Defence, Howard, MacEachern, Hancock, Duck, MacIntyre; Forwards, Trotter, Harper, MacKay, Arsenault, Peters, Morrison, O'Connor, MacLean, MacQuaid.

Scrapers: Goal, Proutie; Defence, Pound, Frizzell, Lawlor; Forwards, Jay, Higson, Carver, Livingstone, MacGregor, Perry, MacCallum, Anderson, Chaisson, Matheson.

Referee—Joe McFar.

Use Minard's for dandruff.

BRINGING UP FATHER

TIPPIE AND "CAP" STUBBS

COMMANDOS

DRAG NAUGHTS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

TANNERS

STANLEY STEAMERS

N. H. L. STANDINGS

NEW YORK

BOSTON

TORONTO

CHICAGO

DETROIT

BROOKLYN

MONTREAL

TONIGHT AT 9 O'CLOCK Big 4 League: All Stars vs. Five Aces.

A total of 8,881,740,500 cigarets were made available to consumption in Canada in 1941.

Black Hawks City Police 6 Clip Wings 4-2 Queen St. Hawks 2

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12 (AP)—Chicago Black Hawks tonight defeated the Red Wings, 4-2, in the Detroiters' final local appearance of the regular National Hockey League season. Their 1941-42 competition on Chicago Stadium ice wound up at three victories for end as both teams put on the pressure.

Getting away to an early start, the Police piled up a three-goal lead in the first period with Gordon Stewart getting two tallies and Keith Johnstone accounting for the other. This lead was increased by one in the second period when Jimmy Cudmore scored for the Police. However, two quick goals by Paquet and Martin gave the Hawks new courage and they battled hard to add to their score.

The Police were playing heads up hockey all the way and proved too rugged for their opponents. Two more goals, in the third, by Henry Gauthier put the game in the bag for them and although the Hawks kept trying they were unable to get any more.

The lineup for the Police was as follows: Goal, Gordon Ross; Defence, Kelly, Johnstone and Lund; Forwards, Stewart, Gauthier and Cudmore.

The Hawks lineup was: Morgan, Peters, Hennessey, Robertson, Paquet, McCourt, Martin, Doyle, Whalen, Traher and Shephard.

SUMMARY
First Period
1—Chicago, Mosenko (B. Carse, Thoms) 19:12
Penalties—Stewart, Bush.

Second Period
2—Detroit, Abel (Grosso, Bush) 5:1
3—Detroit, Liscombe (Bruneteau, Orlando) 2:34
4—Chicago, Mosenko (R. Carse, Hamill) 3:44
5—Chicago, Hamill (Seibert, Mosenko) 4:07
Penalty—Tuten.

Third Period
6—Chicago, R. Carse (Hamill, Mosenko) 11:58
Penalties—Mottet, Tuten, Bush.

St. Dunstan's University and Holman's Victors battled to a 5-all draw at the Forum Wednesday night in a fast and exciting game of hockey. Both teams put on a fine exhibition and plenty of action resulted.

The Victors were forced to put on a burst of speed to come from behind a four-goal deficit which was piled up by S.D.U. early in the game. With the score 4-0 against them Holman's teams succeeded in drawing up to their opponents.

The lineup: S.D.U.: Goal, Forman; Defence, McAdam, Rossiter, Martin, Smith; Forwards, Forbes, McQuaid, Hebert, Sexton, Hemphill and O'Hanley.

Holman's: Goal, McArthur; Defence, Gault, Kelly, Williams, Ridd; Forwards, Pud, Whitlock, Buck, Whitlock, Gauthier, Leard and Woolridge.

Keep Minard's in the home.

W. R. Cruikshank 7
Premier Campbell 3
G. G. Hughes 3
R. W. Beck 3
E. P. Foley 2
Hazen Phillips 2
W. P. Brooks 1
Dr. H. McIntyre 1
Dr. L. A. Johnston 0
R. H. Leck 0
J. F. McLeod 0

Following was the final standing of the rinks in the Provincial Curling Bonspiel—

1—Toronto, Drillon 2:28

2—Toronto, Goldham (Apps) 3:08

3—Toronto, Carr 6:28

4—Toronto, Drillon (Apps) 10:20

Penalties—McCreech, Chamberlain, N. Metz, Gettiffe.

Second Period

5—Toronto, Goldup (Largelle) 2:58

Penalties—MacDonald, N. Metz, Gouppile

Third Period

6—Canadiens, Gouppile (Gettiffe, Sands) 1:38

7—Canadiens, Benoit (Blake, W. Reardon) 3:29

8—Canadiens, Gettiffe (Quilty, Sands) 5:48

9—Canadiens, T. Reardon (Bouchard, Blake) 7:33

10—Toronto, Schriener (Carr, Taylor) 18:20

Penalties—None.

Remember When

(By The Canadian Press)

After knocking out Johnny Fitzpatrick the evening before, Danny Paul, Alberta heavyweight, stepped into the ring of the National sporting event at London three years ago tonight and outpointed Dan McCormack of South Africa in 12 rounds. Paul signed to fight McCormack again after the latter's original opponent, Bill Mahwright, champion of the English Midlands, became ill with influenza.

Hockey Practice

There will be a Junior Royals hockey practice at the Forum at 7 o'clock today and a Juvenile Royals practice at the Forum at 1 o'clock Saturday.

Juvenile Canadiens hockey practice tonight from 6 to 7 Uda's Queen Street rink. All players requested to be on hand.

VALENTINE SKATE

TWO CHANCES TO-DAY—3-5 AND 8-10 P. M.

SKATE WITH YOUR VALENTINE

A GOOD TIME ON GOOD ICE With Good Music

The FORUM TO-DAY

By George McManus

By Edwina

By Westover

TILLIE THE TOILER—A FOOL AND AN ANGEL

HOW DARE YOU?

I'M STAYING OUT OF THIS

SAY WE'RE REHEARSING FOR A PLAY

OH, YEAH?

OH!

WELL, I'M REHEARSING FOR A FIGHT

MAC

FINE! YOU MAY NOT KNOW IT, BUT YOU'RE HELPING ME REHEARSE FOR A FIGHT IN THE THIRD ACT—HEH HEH

By Edwina

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