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Navy Swamps P.W.C. 11-2 To Capture Top Spot In City League

Walter Lawlor's Navy hockey squad romped into sole possession of the City League leadership by swamping the Prince of Wales College Welshmen by a score of 11-2 in a league fixture at the Forum last night.

Although the Welshmen opened the scoring early in the first period when Arnold McCallum, making his second debut in City League ranks, banged in five more goals to run their total to 11 without an answering tally from the Collegians.

The scoring didn't start until well past the midway mark in the period when McGregor banged home the first one at 13:35 on a passing attack with Kelly and Jay, while less than two minutes later Higson and LeClair combined from the blue line in the latter potting Higson's pass. The next two came in quick succession a minute later on solo efforts, Dowling potting his third goal of the game when he intercepted a pass halfway in on net to beat out Cudmore cleanly, while Carver steamed right through the Welshmen defence from the faceoff three seconds later to wing in a nice shot.

The final Navy goal came at 19:04 when Perry intercepted a P.W.C. passout inside their blue line to drive a hard shot past Cudmore from considerable distance being handed out but roughed up considerably in the final canto, which saw Jay and MacMillan send five men to "sinners row".

The first two periods were very evenly played, with only one penalty being handed out but roughed up considerably in the final canto, which saw Jay and MacMillan send five men to "sinners row".

The following are the lineups:—
 Navy: Goal, Davis; defence, Perry, Gallant, Josey, K. Carmichael; forwards, A. Carver, Dowling, W. Sheppard, Higson, LeClair, Strain, Kelly, McGregor, Jay.
 P.W.C.: Goal, Cudmore; defence, MacRae, D. Jardine, MacLeod, Dalziel; forwards, Blanchard, Beer, McCallum, Andrew, Downes, S. Carver, Brown, Howatt, P. Jardine, Richard.
 Referees: Leth Jay and George MacMillan.

Beavers Clinch First Place, Hawks Third

HALIFAX, Feb. 8 (CP)— Saint John Beavers clinched first place in the Maritime Senior Hockey League tonight by quashing Dartmouth Arrows 6-2 in a lachrymose game.

Saint John's victory coupled with Moncton's 7-4 win over Halifax St. Mary's left the final league placings: Saint John, Dartmouth, Moncton, Halifax.

Result of the league's last scheduled game—Halifax at Saint John Thursday night—cannot alter the standings.

The league semi-finals will open here and at Saint John Saturday. St. Mary's will go against Beavers, Moncton will meet Arrows on Halifax ice.

Southport Wins 5-2 At Milton

MONCTON 7, ST. MARY'S 4
MONCTON, N.B., Feb. 8 (CP)— Moncton Hawks finished in third place in the Maritime senior hockey league and will go into the league semi-finals against Dartmouth Arrows after turning back Halifax St. Mary's 7-4 in a wide-open game here tonight.

Tonight's win tied Hawks with Arrows for second place in the league. But a loop rilling which leader position in the standing on the basis of games won in the event of a tie gave Dartmouth the edge. Arrows have won 23 games to Hawks 22.

Flashing their best form of the season Hawks outskated and outshot their rivals in the first and third periods, and outscored them in all but the final frame.

YOUR CALENDAR AT THE FORUM

MONDAY - NIGHT SKATING - 8 TO 10
 TUESDAY - CHILDREN'S SKATING - 4 TO 5:30
 CITY LEAGUE HOCKEY - P.W.C. vs. NAVY - 8:15
 WEDNESDAY - HOCKEY MATCH - Abegweits vs. Ramblers
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St. Thomas Comes From Behind To Defeat S.D.U. In Intercollegiate Opener

CHATHAM, N.B., Feb. 8 (CP)— St. Thomas University, coming from behind in a fighting second period and coasting to victory in the third, outscored St. Dunstan's University of Charlottetown 8-5 here tonight in the season's first hockey game of Maritime intercollegiate senior varsity playoff competition.

Carrying a three-goal lead, the Tommies will play the St. Dunstan's team in Charlottetown in the second game of the series.

After P. O'Neil opened the scoring for St. Thomas early in the first period, the Island team fired three straight goals from the sticks of McIsaac and Mahar, the latter getting two, to take a 3-1 lead into the second period.

In the middle stanza McAlone, Breen and Malone scored for St. Thomas against a single St. Dunstan's goal by Rodgers to even the count at 4-4. In the third Malone shot two more for the home team and McAlone and Barry added single counters against a lone St. Dunstan's marker by Rodgers.

Three major penalties were handed out for fighting, Breen of St. Thomas drawing one and McQuaid and Rodgers taking raps for St. Dunstan's.

Lineups:—
 St. Dunstan's: Goal, Strain; defence, Rodgers, McInnis, Francis;

News of "Bucko" Trainer's promotion to the New York Rangers was received with acclaim by the host of followers the quiet-spoken hockeyist made when he was performing here with junior teams.

How long "Bucko" will stay up there is a matter that only the Ranger management can determine but if all-out honest effort pays off dividends Trainer is going to be there quite a spell—and that is just what his friends hereabouts will be hoping for.

His entry into the Rangers line-up climaxes a dream that "Bucko" has had for a long while. It is a dream that has been finally realized but the realization did not come until he had overcome a lot of obstacles that probably might have taken the heart out of a lot of other players.

First came the war that interrupted a career that promised to be very bright. Coming out of the conflict he took up his old trade again and started to hit his stride after a few weeks with the Moncton Hawks. But then came the toughest obstacle of all to surmount. A knee injury threatened to halt his career for good.

But Bucko stuck to his guns. All last season with the St. Paul Saints the injured member had to limp on the skates for indefinite periods with the result that he had what he termed himself "a h-1" of a poor season. At the start of this season Bucko was of course eager to go to the Rangers training camp and he still under contract he had no other alternative.

He got through the training session OK and took his first game with the Saints again. Again he was off to a slow start but suddenly the knee injury responded to treatment. Then Trainer started to roll. From away in the scoring lists he rose fast and when he got his call to the Rangers had accumulated 67 points for summer-up spot. It took plenty of courage to take up the Rangers' cause and he has earned his chance. And there will be many hoping he will stay right up there.

There were three other former juniors here who also made the moneyed ranks but not the big top. Clarence Steele, Harry Currier and Mosey Dowling played with the league squads but never got the big chance. Raynolds, going back into the years, played with the Regina Caps when that team took part in the Western Professional League and started in a defence position but the only one really to reach the Big Time and stay was Charlie "Moose" Cahill of Summerside.

That was back in the days when the Boston Bruins were just breaking into the National League. "Moose", starting with the Summerside Crystals when that squad was in the seventh, got his chance with the Boston Bruins and made the grade and overnight blossomed into a steady performer. That, too, was in the days when the National Hockey League was only a place for the rugged Western players. "Moose" stood up under the pressure for he was a rugged lad himself and although he was not sure of the number of years he stayed up there he always proved a consistent performer packing one of the hardest shots in the league.

No, we didn't forget him. There is still another Charlottetown boy who very nearly made the grade. A star with Abegweit teams when a mere youngster, Ivan "Hickey" Nicholson after playing hockey in London for a spell came back across the pond to join up with St. Paul Saints. Here again the fast skating left winger enjoyed a starring role and towards the close of that season Chicago Black Hawks with an eye on hot, all season gave him a tryout. Hickey played two games at the end of the season with the Hawks and in his very first game potted a goal against the Boston Bruins. That was the last of the season and if we remember rightly Hickey had enlisted before the next season returned home to enter into business life.

Ice Racing This Afternoon

The Victoria Driving Club presents a three class card for ice racing fans at the Exhibition Grounds this afternoon and with the horses being evenly matched in all events said fans should witness some exciting duels of speed over the quarter mile distance.

The first heat will be called at 2 o'clock sharp:

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Penalties—Rodgers (major), Malone	

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Curling Results And Schedule

Clifford McDonald's rink will bear the colors of the Charlottetown Curling Club in the play for the Regal Flour provincial trophy scheduled for Alberton on Thursday. Last night in a ding dong battle the McDonald rink, gaining an early lead and tramping on grimly edged out Ev McNeill's quartette 11-10 to win the club title and their crack at the Island title. McNeill's bid in the closing part of the battle was spectacular but just failed to nip the smooth-working McDonald outfit.

Members of the winning rink include: H. McInnis, 1st stone; Doug J. Rogers, 2nd; R. A. Parker, 3rd; and C. McDonald, 4th.

Thursday in addition to the local representatives rinks from Alberton, Summerside and Montague will battle it out for that go with the trophy and prizes that go with it and Alberton curling fans should witness an exciting duel all the way.

Results of other matches played yesterday together with today's schedule follows:

Physical Fitness Trophy
 Doug Saunders 20, R. E. Jenkins 7, George J. Rogers 15, Doug Mayne 6; Dr. W. MacDonald 10, Frank Hansen 9.

Sentinel Trophy
 J. S. MacDonald 9, E. F. Acorn 7, George J. Rogers 15, Doug Mayne 6; Dr. W. MacDonald 10, Frank Hansen 9.

Physical Fitness Trophy
 Ice 1—G. J. Rogers vs. Dr. W. MacDonald.
 Ice 2—Doug Saunders vs. W. McNeill.
 George W. MacLeod Trophy
 Ice 3—L. O'Rourke vs. D. E. MacDonald.
 Ice 4—Maurice Blake vs. James Coles.

8:30 P. M.
 George W. MacLeod Trophy
 Ice 1—Dr. Hogg vs. James Coles.
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 Ice 3—Doug Mayne vs. Frank Hansen.

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There are two games scheduled for tonight, with the first taking place at the Kensington Rink when the juvenile hockey series will get underway between the Juvenile Abbies and the Summerside Juvenile Sheen and McInnis pucksters, while at Borden Charlie Ryan's intermediate Abbies will tangle with the Borden Nationals. Both teams will travel by bus which leaves the Travel Bureau at 5:30 tonight bound for their respective destinations.

On Friday night the Prince Street School boys and girls teams will journey to Victoria where the boys will oppose the Victoria School boys aggregation while the girls will pit their strength against the Tyson School female pucksters. The bus which will carry the two local squads to their destination will leave the Travel Bureau at 6:15.

The concluding schedule for the week will see the boys and girls teams from West Kent School go into action at Montague rink against the corresponding teams from Montague High School on Saturday night. The two teams in this instance will also make the trip by bus which will also leave from the Travel Bureau at 6:15 on the night of the game.

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East Royalty Wins From Covehead

The East Royalty Royals last night defeated the Covehead Red Wings 3-1 in a hockey game at East Royalty rink. The game was fast on an excellent sheet of ice. There was no scoring in the first period. In the second Royalty shot three goals without a reply. Clements, Jode and Morrissey being the marksmen, O'Donnell and Wheatly getting assists on the first two. In the third period Thomas scored Covehead's lone marker, McLaughlin getting the assist.

Junior hockey circles, it certainly looks like this Province is certainly not lacking in promising hockey material, which thanks to the Department of Physical Fitness and the Charlottetown Abegweit Club bids fair for the future of this Province as a place where good sportsmanship and keen competition reigns supreme.

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Amherst Ramblers And Abbies Clash Here Tonight

The opening game of the home and home, total goals series to decide the winner of the regular schedule of the Central Senior Hockey League will get underway at the Forum tonight at 8:15 when the Charlottetown Abegweits clash with the Amherst Ramblers.

The two teams in tonight's contest, who battled it out on particularly even terms this season to end up in a first place deadlock at the end of the regular schedule, are about as evenly matched as two teams can be, and plenty of close competition and smart hockey is expected to provide an action-packed evening of hockey entertainment.

Because of the fact that the Abbies will have to play the remaining game of the series at Amherst tomorrow, the local squad will be striving hard to pile up a good lead to carry with them into that game, while Amherst at the same time will be out for a victory which will give them a definite advantage with the last game being played on their own ice. All of which tends to make tonight's contest one which will really be worth going to see.

Officials announced yesterday that due to the fact that a large number of fans have requested reserved seats, a limited number of the front row seats at the Forum will be sold on a reserve plan.

Following is the Abbies line-up:

Three Rinks Plan Trip To Montague

Two rinks from the Charlottetown Curling Club will go to Montague this afternoon for friendly games with rinks from the Montague Curling Club. Personnel of the rinks will include: R. E. Jenkins, Cpl. P. Keyes, Sgt. William Swindell and Superintendent N. J. Anderson, skip, and Frank Curtis, Gordon White, J. F. McKay and P. B. Conrad, skip.

In the evening a third rink will be present to play representatives from the Montague club. It will include H. C. Atkinson, J. H. Howatt, Dr. H. McIntyre and W. R. Cruikshank, skip.

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