



Providing M.A.H.A. officials accept the terms offered by the Forum management on Saturday and it was learned that due to the exorbitant guarantee wanted by the M.A.H.A. the local rink could not possibly see their way clear to stage the series as it would mean a loss of roughly \$200,000.00 and that counting on top of a crowd of 2300 attending the game.

And from information given us it looks as if the M.A.H.A. wants it all plus extras: It definitely is not the right attitude and is only proving discouraging to the players and fans alike.

Navy basketball team will be definitely one of the highlights of the Air Force All Stars in the second game of the City League playoff finals at the Y on Wednesday night.

Soundly beaten in the opening encounter at Friday night the outlook for the "Tars" is anything but encouraging and they definitely will have to show far better form if they wish to extend the series to three games.

The Airmen were far the better team from every angle. For all the first half of the encounter Navy did manage to keep well with the Tars but in the second half they were badly outplayed as they were held to one solitary basket while their opponents kept on rolling up the score on them.

Despite the beating they took, however, in this writer's opinion the Navy team is too good a team to be yet counted out of the running. For the last three weeks they have been in the second half even in exhibition games. This cannot keep up for ever and although they must regain their form by next Wednesday night, look for them to do just that thing and extend the series to a third and deciding game.

Boston Bruins now definitely in the plays off interrupted the lengthy streak of victories won by the Red Wings over Bruins recently. But they still haven't proved themselves capable of satisfying a fan base but in the second half tactics of "Flash" Hollett, which extend now over a streak of 16 games.

Not even the Boston bid for a playoff berth can crowd into the background of the interesting personal plays—a feud carried on by Hollett ever since Ross traded to Detroit. Born of dissatisfaction over that move and engendered by a flaming desire to remind Ross of it on every occasion, Hollett has cracked in a total of 11 goals against the Bruins since that date.

Hollett, happy enough now with Detroit, nevertheless reserves some of his most consistent and effective goals for the Bruins. He has two goals recently and clipped one point from a pair that Bruins could well have used.

Such deals as the Hollett one have inspired not a few feuds in hockey. Hockey has some notable ones as well as baseball where traded players have tattered along in mediocre fashion. Hollett's position except the hirings of a former manager. For such occasions are reserved their mightiest efforts, and veterans have been known to call on astonishing powers of reserve if only to confound a former boss who once scorned him.

Such player feuds aren't unknown to Ross, who can be a bitter enemy enough to some of his former friends. There never was any love lost between Ross and Art Gagne in the latter's declining days in the N.H.L.

Gagne had had a turn with the Bruins and after he donned a Senator uniform some years ago there was considerable bitterness. At least Gagne never made any bones about his feelings, and among hockey players there were few more expressive than the former Canadian and Ottawa forward.

There was one night that Gagne was doing his best along the right boards to annoy Ross at the Auditorium. He was whirling around in top form. Uncle Arthur squirmed on the Boston bench and then couldn't restrain himself any longer on one occasion when Gagne nailed the puck. "Hit him, hit him," Uncle Arthur screamed at Dit Clapper, who was Gagne's check.

Randy Dit promptly attempted to follow orders. He cut loose with a terrific body-check, but it was more notable for sincerity of purpose than effect. Gagne was not there when it arrived, and Clapper wound up in an ignominious heap practically under Ross' nose.

Gagne was as quick of tongue as he could be on skates. Before the crowd had a chance to roar he had got in his licks. It was Gagne's moment and he cut loose with a shriek at Ross that could be heard a block at the top of the section back at the Bruins' bench. Not often have we so many fans heard so plainly a pretty vicious retort from the ice. Not often, either, has a player flashed a smile of such evident satisfaction as Gagne did.

Every good housewife is proud of her silverware. It's sparkling bright all the year around. To a precious silverware in good

SPORTING NEWS

Black Hawks Break Jinx By 5-3 Win At Detroit

DETROIT, March 18 (AP)—Chicago Black Hawks, scoring two goals in the last 10 minutes, defeated the Detroit Red Wings, 5-3, before 8,337 spectators here tonight for their first victory in a regular season game here in five years.

It was the season's finale and gave the Hawks three victories in 10 meetings with the second-place Red Wings who have won seven. Bill Mosenko counted two goals, his 27th and 28th of the season, and assisted on counters by Clint Smith and Pete Horeck to lead the Hawks to victory. Smith assisted on both of Mosenko's goals.

SUMMARY
1st Period
1—Chicago, Mosenko (Smith) 13:04.
2—Detroit, Carveth (Seibert) 16:59
Penalties—None.

2nd Period
3—Chicago, Mosenko (Smith) 2:18
4—Chicago, Smith (Mosenko) 8:51
5—Detroit, E. Bruneteau (Quackebush) 11:17.
Penalties—Liscombe (major), Cooper (major), Simon, Hollett.

3rd Period
6—Detroit, Howe (M. Bruneteau) 8:17.
7—Chicago, March (McDonald) 11:21
8—Chicago, Horeck (Mosenko) 18:37
Penalty—Jackson.

Rangers End Season By 5-4 Victory Over Leafs

NEW YORK, March 18 (AP)—New York Rangers ended a losing season with a triumphant note tonight when they scored a goal in the last minute to defeat Toronto Maple Leafs 5-4, after an uphill battle.

Despite the victory, Rangers finished last in the National League standings for the third consecutive season. Rangers didn't have a chance to climb out of the cellar after Chicago Black Hawks, one point ahead, defeated Detroit tonight. But the blue shirts never let up and as a result finished with a higher point total than any year since 1941-42, when they won the league championship.

SUMMARY
1st Period
1—Toronto, Pratt (Bodnar) 2:40

2nd Period
2—Toronto, Hill (Kennedy) 6:37
3—Toronto, Schirner (Pratt) 9:47
4—New York, Shack (Atanas) 11:52
5—New York, Hund (Warwick) 13:00
Penalty—Stanowski.

3rd Period
6—Toronto, Schirner (Bodnar) 1:28
7—New York, Atanas 7:35
8—New York, Hund (Warwick) 18:57
Penalties—None.

9—New York, Thurier 2:50
10—Toronto, Carr (Schirner, Bodnar) 3:03
11—New York, Warwick 3:08
Penalties—Pratt, Heller.

Red Wings Defeat Toronto Maple Leafs 4-3

TORONTO, March 18 (CP)—Sensational goal tending by young Harry Lumley coupled with a timely goal by forward Joe Carveth gave Detroit Red Wings a 4-3 National Hockey League victory over Toronto Maple Leafs Saturday night before 12,949 fans.

Lumley, a native of Owen Sound, Ont., netted 52 shots. Goalie Frank McCool of the Leafs, playing his first game since he won the Calder Trophy as the League's outstanding rookie had 26 Detroit shots.

Carveth's winning goal came in the last four minutes of play. McCool was taken from the nets in the last half-minute but even a six-man attack failed to score for Leafs.

SUMMARY
1st Period
1—Detroit, Wochoy (Hollett) 10:54.
2—Toronto, Meiz (McCreedy, A. Jackson) 16:23.
Penalties—Kennedy, Hollett.

2nd Period
3—Detroit, Hollett (Armstrong) 5:2
4—Toronto, Meiz (McCreedy, A. Jackson) 12:25.
Penalties—Lindsay, Hill (2).

3rd Period
5—Detroit, Hollett (M. Bruneteau) 7:06.
6—Toronto, Davidson (Hamilton, Stanowski) 12:25.
7—Detroit, Carveth (Wochoy) 16:52.
Penalties—None.

NEW RECORD SET IN CHELTENHAM STEEPLECHASE

CHELTENHAM, Gloucester, England, March 18 (CP Cable)—Red Rover yesterday set an all time record for the Cheltenham gold cup steeplechase classic—a three-mile event—with a winning time of six minutes, 16 1/2 seconds. The old record of six minutes, 30 seconds was set by the world famous Golden Miller 10 years ago.

The field of 16, biggest in history of British racing, took advantage of the recent withdrawal of the government's three-year ban on steeplechasing and the best horses in England competed.

The winner, owned by Lord Stalbridge, finished three lengths ahead of Mrs Kay Cameron's Shubert. Paladin, owned by R.A. Kolbeck, ran third.

FOR THE SIGNIFICANT NEWS READ THE NORTHERN MINER

VALLEYFIELD, Que., March 18 (AP)—A third-period rally did not help Cornwall Cookies to make up for loss ground in the second game of their Inter-Provincial Hockey League best-of-seven final series here today with Valleyfield Braves. Final score was 5-3 for Braves who now tied 1-1 with Cookies in the series.

U. N. B. Wins Boxing Tourney

FREDERICTON, March 18 (CP)—Scoring 15 points by getting three wins in the finals and having three runners-up, University of New Brunswick won an inter-collegiate boxing tournament here Saturday night. St. Mary's College, Halifax, with two champions and two runners-up, had 10 points for second place. Dalhousie University boxers failed to win a point.

The St. Mary's wins were gained by Joe Hensworth, a lightweight, and Charlie White, a middleweight, and Charlie White, a middleweight, and Charlie White, a middleweight, was judged the best boxer of the tournament.

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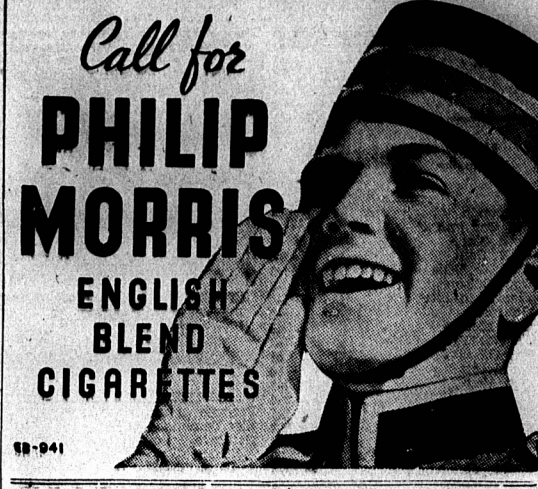
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Call for PHILIP MORRIS ENGLISH BLEND CIGARETTES

Sees American League Race Toss-Up This Year

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 18 (AP)—Manager James Joseph Dykes of the Chicago White Sox predicts the American League race will be a toss-up this season and that if he can find a first baseman, the lowly pile horse will cause pitching Dykes, who has far from the Sox without a first sacker and caused Dykes the biggest worry. Joe Orango, obtained from the Detroit Tigers, probably will be the first star at the position.

Canadiens Collect 10th Win From Boston Bruins

BOSTON, March 18 (AP)—The Montreal Canadiens set off a three-goal scoring blitz late in the final period to gain their 10th straight win over Boston Bruins, 4-2 in the wind-up of the regular season. Maurice Richard, an 11-game winner last year, in the fold along with Frank Pappas and Al Trelchell, who won 17 and 13 respectively for little Red Army last year; John Johnson, acquired from the New York Yankees; Lee (Buck) Ross, who won two and lost seven with the Sox in 1944; Bob

Sport Briefs

LONDON, March 18 (CP Cable)—A thousand football followers braved the threat of German V bombs to jam two London Stadiums yesterday to watch Chicago Black Hawks play league south cup semi-final matches and the right to meet in the cup match at Wembley Stadium April 7.

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP)—Billy Reay's pay-off goal with two minutes to go against the Bruins, 4-2 victory over Montreal Royals today, and tied up their best-of-seven Quebec Senior Hockey League final series at one game each.

Four German Army Officers Executed Navy Discontinues Name 'Paymaster'

LONDON, March 18 (CP)—Four German Army officers were executed after court martial for cowardice or neglect of duty in American seizure of the bridge at Remagen over the Rhine, the German High Command reported today.

A fifth officer, Captain Bratke, who commanded the Remagen garrison, was sentenced to death in absentia, the German Command added, implying he had fled or been captured.

The five were sentenced, "some on charges of cowardice, others on charges of grave neglect of duty in the field, for neglectful failure to blow up the Rhine bridge at Remagen in good time, or else to defend it with determination," the broadcast communique said.

Sentences on all but Bratke were passed out immediately, it added.

The officers were "Maj. Stobel of a support regiment headquarters, Mj. Scheller, adjutant of an army corps, Maj. Kraft of a land battalion, and Lieutenant Peters, in command of anti-aircraft forces."

Disappointing Crop Yield In Argentina

BUENOS AIRES, March 18 (AP)—Argentina is nearing the end of one of her most disappointing crop years in recent years, a result of prolonged drought which has cut production of virtually all grains.

Drought also has reduced meat production.

S'ide Midgets Play Sydney At Truro Tonight

TRURO, N.S., March 18 (CP)—Summerside Cookies and Ashby Aces of Sydney, N.S., clash here tomorrow night in a sudden death game for the Maritime Midget hockey championship. Cookies eliminated Saint John Sea Cadets to capture the N.S.-P.E.I. title, while the knockout set Truro midgets to take the Nova Scotia spot.

Berwick, New Waterford Meet For N. S. Title

HALIFAX, March 18 (CP)—Berwick and New Waterford will meet tomorrow night in a sudden death game for the Nova Scotia intermediate hockey title. It was announced tonight by President J.E. Hudson of the M.A.A. that the game probably will be shifted to Truro where artificial ice is available.

Cookies Leave This Morning For Truro, N. S.

Summerside midget Cookies are leaving this morning for Truro, N.S., where they will meet Sydney Aces tomorrow night in a sudden death game for the Maritime midget hockey championship. Sydney defeated Truro in two games played on the evening and Saturday afternoon, winning the Nova Scotia championship.

This is the first time in a good many years that Summerside team has competed in a Maritime championship playoff and the citizens are following the fortunes of the youngsters with a great deal of interest. If they come home with the Maritime championship tucked under their belts they will have won a great deal of interest. If they come home with the Maritime championship tucked under their belts they will have won a great deal of interest. If they come home with the Maritime championship tucked under their belts they will have won a great deal of interest.

Duke Of Windsor May Visit Canada

(By The Canadian Press)
NASSAU, Bahamas, March 18 (AP)—The Duke of Windsor, who is expected to visit the Bahamas today, may visit the ranch at High River, near Calgary, Alta., which he bought when Prince of Wales.

The disclosure came when the Duke, whose resignation as governor of the Bahamas Islands was announced yesterday, told correspondents he and the Duchess would be in Nassau during the latter part of April and from there might go to his ranch. Later they plan to visit Europe.

The Duke, who became governor of the Bahamas Aug. 17, 1940, told reporters: "My resignation does not mean a permanent severance from public life, because after the war men with experience will be badly needed and I'll fit in anywhere that I can be helpful."

When the Secretary of State for Colonies visited Nassau last December, the Duke added, "I told him that I wanted to be relieved when my five-year term as governor expired."

"Now that the war in Europe is near an end, I have interests in Canada, America and Europe that need more than the spasmodic attention that I can give them from the distance."

"I shall go to England some day, but there are no definite plans of dates."
"We have no immediate plans beyond going to New York and probably to my ranch in Canada. We certainly will go to Europe when travel is possible. Both the Duchess and I love to travel. Nearly five years in Nassau is the longest time I have spent in one place since my adolescence, and the longest I hope to spend in any place in the future."
"I have a deep affection for the Bahamas, and learned much of colonial administration while here, and the Duchess and I hope to return to Nassau one day as visitors to see the fruits of the work we started here."
He explained that the announcement of his resignation was made two days before he expected it, and therefore the word appeared to come as a surprise.

SKATING NIGHT

HOURS 8-10 p. m. AT THE FORUM TO NIGHT

Engineers Lose Lives When Remagen Bridge Collapses

Reports Indicate That Structure Can Be Repaired Without Much Delay.
By HOWARD COWAN (Associated Press War Correspondent)
WITH THE AMERICANS ACROSS THE RHINE, March 18 (AP)—The central span of the 1,300-foot Ludendorff bridge at Remagen collapsed Saturday, carrying many army engineers to death. The collapse, blamed on a weak steel main supporting girder that had been damaged by a German demolition team, was announced officially tonight that the gap can be repaired and the bridge soon will be in operation again.

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Lucky "Red Devil" Back In Canada

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP)—State Secretary McLarty announced today that the Government has given consideration to the possibility of reverting to standard time but has decided that daylight saving time should continue for the present because of wartime demands for electric power and other factors.

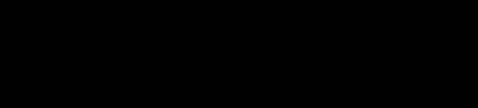
The statement said that "if anything, in the matter of freight transportation, the necessity is even more imperative than it was when daylight saving time was first adopted. Freight and passenger traffic between Canada and the United States would be disturbed and the travelling public confused by a switch in time."

The statement said rural school children undoubtedly suffered some hardship in the winter months but this did not apply during the longer hours of the spring, summer and autumn.

On the other hand, in the summer the farmers felt they were losing one hour due to daylight saving. In the winter, the situation existed in Britain which not only has daylight saving but an extra hour of daylight saving during the summer months.

QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds



"I see you're selling your bicycle with a Guardian. Want Ad—how come?"