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S. D. U. Second Team Defeats P. W. C. Hoopsters

In an exciting game that was witnessed by a large crowd of baseball fans, the second string Saint Dunstan's hoop squad defeated the second team Prince of Wales by a score of 47-31 at P. W. C. auditorium yesterday afternoon. The winners built up a 13-point lead in the opening half only to have the losers finally find themselves in the final twenty minutes and fight the Saints to a well earned victory. The losers came on rapidly in the closing minutes to put a scare in the winners' lead but they could not overcome it. The winners started out fast and kept building up their lead. The P. W. C. hoopsters frequently missed scoring due to very erratic shooting on their part. Leading scorer for the S. D. U. team was Dave Kennedy, flashy forward. He racked up thirteen points to lead all scorers on both teams. Fred Coyle and Arnold Murphy were next in line as they both contributed ten points each to aid in the winning cause. Pete Dunphy with seven played a good game for the winners as he spearheaded attacks on the P. W. C. team throughout the encounter.

For the winners Bob Anderson and Johnny McNaught were the pick as each scored three baskets to account for twelve points, Ed Aitken, Ian McNevin, Johnny Allen and George Andrew were next with four points each.

The game was handled by Clarence Roche and Red Howatt while the timer was Col. W. J. MacDonald.

Girls Hoop Title Series Game Tonight

The Prince of Wales College girls hoop squad will clash with the P.E.I. Hospital Nurses quintette on the Cundall Home floor tonight in the second game of their best two of three series for the Island ladies senior basketball championship.

The Co-eds, who are the defending champions, lost out to the Nurses in the opening game on Tuesday night at the P. W. C. auditorium by the close score of 21-18, in a well played, keenly contested encounter.

If the Nurses win through tonight it will give them the series two straight and they will be coming out strong to do just that, but the Co-eds have other ideas, and with an enviable reputation to uphold that has seen them take the title five times in a row, will be a determined band of hoopsters when they take to the floor tonight intent on a victory which will force the series into a third game.

In any event, regardless of who wins, the game should be a top-notch affair and one that will provide plenty of fast action and smart basketball.

Play For MacArthur And Gaboury Trophies Today

Hockey Titles To Be Decided At Bedeque Tonight

Paperweight, bantam and peewee Abegweit hockey squads, accompanied by Mr. W. E. Scantlebury and a number of his figure skating troupe will leave the Travel Bureau at six o'clock tonight bound for Bedeque Rink, where the hockey teams will compete against representative teams from Summerside for Island titles in all three divisions, and Mr. Scantlebury and his figure skaters will put on an entertaining evening of skating events.

The hockey matches themselves should produce an outstanding evening of keen competition and smart hockey and with the added attractions of a really fine calibre of graceful figure skating for the fans of Bedeque and surrounding districts can be assured of a first class evening of entertainment.

Albany Takes Third Game of Finals

Albany St. Pats, Tuesday night won a close 5-4 decision over Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs at Victoria rink before a crowd of over 400 fans to take a 2-1 lead in search of the B. C. Wood Cup.

The game was lively and hard fought which featured plenty of heavy body checking that threatened to develop into some real meltdowns, but with such an important game on, players managed to hold their tempers.

For the winners Ed Douguy played a flashy game, scoring two goals and drawing an assist while Charlie MacDougall, who is perhaps the best defenceman in the League scored three goals for the losers. Charlie displays the best checking seen around this rink in recent times.

This game was played under protest by the Creek because of the use of an intermediate player by Albany and the decision on such is awaited.

The officials were Art Perry and Jackie Kane.

Sherbrooke Wins 7-0 From Montreal

MONTREAL, March 31 (CP)—Five goals by Torpedo Tony Demers sparked Sherbrooke St. Francis to a 7-0 victory over Montreal Royals here tonight and earned the Saints the right to meet Ottawa in the Quebec Senior Hockey League final.

It was Sherbrooke's second straight triumph in the abbreviated best-of-three semi-final series. The Saints took the first 1-0.

Exhibition Baseball

At Bradenton, Fla.—	New York (A)	9 11 1
	Boston (N)	7 1 1
At Alpine, Tex.—	St. Louis (A)	6 16 1
	Chicago (N)	7 12 0
At Haines City, Fla.—	Philadelphia (A)	20 18 2
	Newark (IL)	5 12 3
At Vera Beach, Fla.—	Montreal	9 16 2
	St. Paul	4 3 0
	Lare, Miller (8) and Thompson; Labine, Graham (6) and Anderson, Dabek.	
At Tucson, Ariz.—	Chicago (A)	10 8 0
	Cleveland (A)	2 9 1
	(Called end fifth, cold weather.)	
At Tampa, Fla.—	Washington (A)	10 13 1
	Cincinnati (N)	9 16 0
At St. Petersburg, Fla.—	Philadelphia (N)	4 10 1
	St. Louis (N)	1 5 1
At Lakeland, Fla.—	Boston (A)	8 12 1
	Detroit (A)	16 17 2

REMEMBER WHEN

By The Canadian Press
 Toronto Maple Leafs fought their way into the Stanley Cup finals for the first time since they won the trophy in 1942 when they eliminated the Montreal Canadiens in the semi-finals, total-point series by eight goals to four, four years ago tonight. Leafs then vanquished the Detroit Red Wings in the finals four games to three to win the Stanley Cup.

During the next war, a soldier can carry a radio in his pants pocket. The Army Signal Corps has developed a pocket-sized transmitter-receiver, believed to be the only radio its size that contains all the necessary component parts. By simply inserting a detachable aerial, the user, left, can send and receive spoken messages over distances greater than 200 yards. The radio and collapsed aerial fit into a man's hand, right. The 11-ounce set features plug-in units which can be pulled out and replaced like fuses.



The Summerside Flyers, this year's Island intermediate hoop champions, will get their chance at the N. S.-P. E. I. basketball title on April 8th and 9th when they meet the Saint Francis Xavier cagemen in a two-game playoff series on the Mainland which will give them the right to compete in the Dominion intermediate hoop finals if they win through for the twin-Province title.

The Flyers, who have a strong aggregation and worthy of outside competition, eliminated the Charlottetown Abegweit Hoop squad, who were a good test for any squad, and although the Summerside entry had a tough time winning out in the two-game, total point series, they copped off the Island crown and proved themselves the team to represent the Province in Maritime and Dominion play.

While on the subject of basketball, play in Island Physical Fitness League competition is narrowing down, with only two games left in semi-final play before entering into the final round for the title. Recce and S.D.U. who finished first and second respectively in regular schedule play, took the opening games here on Wednesday in their two-game, total point semi-final matches, with the former downing Ray's by a 19-point margin, while S. D. U. took the measure of the R.C.A.P. by a 9-point advantage.

Recce and Ray's will clash in their second and deciding game on Saturday night at the Prince of Wales College auditorium, while the final match between Saints and R. C. A. P. will take place at the Summerside Airport floor on Monday night.

Following Wednesday night's game at Boston between Leafs and Bruins, dressing room talk has it that "Toronto's tired and happy Leafs, who Wednesday night won their way into their third successive Stanley Cup playoff with a 3-2 decision over Boston's Bruins, agreed virtually - unanimously: "These Bruins were tough, tougher than we expected" said coach Hap Day, rubbing a small cosmetic bottle which had landed near him in the third period.

"We beat a fighting club, and don't forget we got our share of the breaks. Our boys played well and I think deserved to win." Day grinned when asked if he had any preference for the final cup series. "No Sir, they're both tough, whichever one we meet, we'll have to be at our best, like we had to be in this series."

Max Bentley, sprawled on a bench in the hot dressing room, said he was "glad it was over, it was a tough series. They gave us a real hard fight, specially with three of their experienced men out with injuries." Similar sentiments were expressed by Turk Broda, who added "and I thought those last few minutes could have gone faster." Young Ray Timgren, who scored his second playoff goal Wednesday night, remarked "it couldn't go fast enough for me."

The bottle of a facial cream Day had in his hand had been tossed from the stars during a demonstration by the fans who were displeased with a penalty ordered by referee King Clancy against Boston's Fern Flaman. The game was delayed for 17 minutes while the ice was cleared.

Over in the Boston dressing room, Weston Adams, Bruin President, said "you'll never see a gamer club. I'm proud of every one of them." Johnny Crawford and Milt Schmidt, unable to play because of injuries suffered in Toronto, also were proud of their team-mates. "Too bad we had to lose but the gang never quit. They've nothing to be ashamed of," they agreed.

P. E. I. Basketball Champions



Pictured above are Summerside Flyers intermediate basketball champions of P.E.I.: Standing left to right, E. Bullis, Mgr., C. Linkletter, Smith, P. Mickus, M. Carson, L. Heide, N. Anderson, Kneeling, left to right, R. Bayne, L. Finnonseaut, D. Cornish, The Flyers play St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish on April 8 and 9 for the N.S.-P.E.I. Championship. The winners will meet the winners of the Quebec-Ontario-N.B. playoffs for the Dominion championship. If the Flyers win from St. F. X. the Dominion championship playoffs will be held in Summerside.

Liscombe Wins "Clean Player" Award in A.H.L.

NEW YORK, March 31 (CP)—Carl Liscombe, high-scoring left winger of Providence Reds, has been voted the American Hockey League's most gentlemanly player for a 19-40 season.

Liscombe, who also won the circuit's most-valuable-player award, will receive \$300 from the league for winning the Jack Fox memorial or "clean player" award.

The veteran forward from Perth, Ont., nosed out Sid Smith of Pittsburgh Hornets for the award. Liscombe drew 17 points to Smith's 16. Danny Sprout, Cleveland Barons defenceman, was third with 14 points, followed by Phil Hergeshmeier of Philadelphia Rockets with nine.

The circuit's 11 referees made the selection. The maximum number of points a player could have received was 23.

Liscombe now has picked up \$800 in salary this year. He received \$300 for winning the most-valuable-player award, \$200 for making the second all-star team and \$300 for the clean-player award. He spent only two minutes in the penalty box in the 88 games he played this year.

CHICAGO, March 31 (AP)—Maynard G. (Sooty) Fessenden of Chicago, president of the Western Golf Association, today was voted the man who made 1948's outstanding contribution to golf in the second annual poll of the Golf Writers' Association of America. Hollywood's Bing Crosby won the runner-up spot, shading Mayor Jim Rhodes of Columbus, Ohio. Fessenden was instrumental in developing the W.G.A.'s Chick Evans Caddy Scholarship Fund into a plan now embracing 10 universities and colleges throughout the United States.

Third Period Goals Give Red Wings 3-1 Victory Over Habs

DETROIT, March 31 (CP)—Goals by Jerry Couture and Gordon Howe 32 seconds apart in the last four minutes of play tonight gave Detroit Red Wings a 3-1 Stanley Cup playoff victory over Montreal Canadiens and a three-to-two lead in the best-of-seven series.

A crowd of 14,299 howling fans sat through a flood of 19 penalties to see the dramatic climax that put the Red Wings within a single victory of a berth in the cup finals against the defending champions, Toronto Maple Leafs.

Montreal scored first, early in the second period, when Rip Riopelle fired a backheader as he sprawled tumbling past the Detroit goal and caught Detroit netminder Harry Lumley by surprise.

For a long time it appeared that the Red Wings would have a missing innumerable good scoring chances in the first two periods and falling once with a two-man advantage for a full minute, broke loose for all three goals in the final 20 minutes.

Sid Abel tied it up when he ripped in an angle shot on a pass from defenceman Red Kelly. Then the Wings tucked it away with two unassisted goals.

Couture slipped between defenceman Doug Harvey and Butch Bouchard of the Canadiens and slid a 10-foot shot along the ice that goalie Bill Durnan didn't even make a move to stop.

Howe intercepted a Montreal pass at the blue line, moved one stride in and loosed a 55-foot screamer shot that Durnan didn't see until the puck was in the net.

It was Howe's sixth goal of the series and his fifth in the last three games.

Both teams headed back for Montreal by train tonight. The sixth game is scheduled there Saturday.

Lineups:—
 Montreal: Goal, Durnan; defence, Laycoe, Reardon; centre, McKay; wings, Gravelle, Riopelle; subs, Harvey, Bouchard, Flamondon, Carveth, Harmon, Fillon, Chamberlain, Reay, Mossell, Leger, Richards.

Detroit: Goal, Lumley; defence, Quackenbush, Kelly; centre, Abel; wings, Howe, Lindsay; subs, Stewart, Reise, Gee, McNab, Horeck, Polle, Podolsky, Lunby, Couture, Fawcett, Fogolin.

Boxer Dies From Injuries in Ring

SAN JOSE, Calif., March 31 (AP)—Billy Cornwell, lightweight boxer knocked unconscious in a bout here Tuesday night, died yesterday in hospital.

Cornwell, 25, had been unconscious since being knocked out by a straight right to the chin in the ninth round of a scheduled 10-rounder with Tote Martinez. Both fighters weighed 138.

When he fell, Cornwell struck his head on the mat with a thud heard throughout the auditorium. His seconds were unable to revive him and he was rushed to hospital in critical condition from a brain concussion.

Cornwell was given a physical examination before the fight and found to be "in perfect condition," the examining doctor said.

Local Girl Possible Ice Show Recruit

MONCTON, N. B., March 31 (CP)—Seventeen-year-old Barbara Whitlock of Charlottetown, P. E. I., was given an audition for the ice circus even after the performance on Wednesday night. As a result she has been put on the files of the company as a possible future recruit.

Mrs. Richard Palmer, chief auditioner for the ice show, said that Barbara certainly had talent but that it was a pity she, and many more like her, did not have the professional skating teachers in the Maritimes to give them proper instruction.

"When they teach themselves," said Mrs. Palmer, "they get into some bad habits that are difficult to break. Of course it is not their fault — the closest professional teacher to Moncton is Pat Mathews, the Australian skater in Halifax."

NEW YORK, March 31 (AP)—A blind referee will call the shots of some matches of the United States table tennis tournament that starts tonight. Charles W. Medick of Cleveland, blind since birth, arrived today. He began refereeing matches in his home city two years ago on a bet. He relies on sound entirely and says that none of his calls ever has been disputed.

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Dunphy	8	1	0	7
Mullally	1	1	1	3
McQuaid	1	0	1	2
McIsaac	1	0	0	2
McPhee	0	0	0	0
Total	22	3	9	47

P. W. C. FG FS FT TP

Anderson	3	0	0	6
McNaught	3	0	1	6
Aitken	2	0	1	4
McNevin	1	2	1	4
Andrew	2	0	0	4
Allen	2	0	0	4
L. Coyle	1	1	0	3
Jardine	0	0	0	0
Vessey	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	3	3	31

Allan, Memorial Cup Schedule

Allan Cup games tonight (Friday):—
 East:—
 None.
 West:—
 None.

Memorial Cup games tonight (Friday):—
 Eastern Canada semi-final at Ottawa: Montreal Royals vs. Inverman Rockets (Montreal leads 1-0 in best-of-five series).
 West:—
 None.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 31 (AP)—Fawcett Reese, shortstop and captain of Brooklyn Dodgers, said today he planned to visit a doctor this week-end about a chronic soreness in his right side. Reese said he fears it may be a hernia condition.

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