Summerside Takes Lead In City Finals

R.C.A.F. All Stars Wednesday night captured the City League basketball title when they came through with their second straight win over the Navy team in the finals, and according to this writer who has watched the squads in action most of the season, they are deserving of their laurels.

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That their victory is surprising is a foregone conclusion when one stops to consider that for the greater part of the league the Navy team, according to most of the fans, were considered to be the best team in action.

But, and it is hard to place one's finger on the reason, Navy, over the last few games of the second section of the league have not shown the same form they had been displaying all season. They were definitely off their stride in all departments of the game but at the same time the Air Force team from the local station here deserves all the credit in the world for their victory.

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Forced to win three games in a row at the last end of the second section the Airmen proved their worth by taking them. Then they went to playoff with the Navy in what turned out to be a sudden-death encounter for second section honors. They captured this one to take their best out of three playoff with the team that had won the first, and in the finals proved to be the better squad.

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Hoop fans, nevertheless, despite which team were returned the winners, saw a great season of basketball. The games were always well fought affairs with splendid exhibitions of the hoop game displayed in each and every encounter, with the best of sportsmanship being displayed, despite a few odd happenings that are bound to occur in any branch of sporting activities.

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The scheduled series between the Mt. Pleasant team, coached by Walter Goss, himself well-known in local basketball circles when the guiding light of the Hi-Y squads, should prove to be closely-fought affairs in each and every game with the outcome probably very much in doubt right up to the final minute of the last game.

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On tap for Monday night at the Forum is the Saint John, New Brunswick champions versus the Isonville Canadiens from Charlottetown hockey tussle in a sudden-death battle for the right to meet the Nova Scotia titlists, for the Three-province title.

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It should prove a drawing card for local hockey fans, especially with the City Hockey League rapidly drawing to a close. Those kids from the City, last year's winners of the three-province crown, play a smart brand of the national pastime and despite the loss of six players from last year's championship team are still being reckoned strongly to provide a successful defence of their Maritime crown.

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Players garnered from last year's junior ranks, aided and abetted by the persons of Jack McCourt, Al Bevin and Freddy Bradley, the latter who coached them to the title last year and well-known Island athletic circles, have proved to be capable replacements. Their play this year has left nothing to be desired and Canadiens should ice a team next Monday night that will leave nothing to be desired in the eyes of the fans.

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Just skip this yarn if you heard, or read, it before, but we think the story related by the fight manager, James J. Johnston, in a recent issue of the Coronet magazine about an experience he had back in the roaring twenties is truly a pip.

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It happened one night in East Chicago, Indiana, when Johnston had a pretty fair leather tosser by the name of Johnny Dundee matched with another pretty fair fist-buster named Sammy Man-

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Because both of these boys were going pretty well in the fight business, he knew that a good publicity stunt would bring interest to a fever pitch. So Johnston let it leak out that Dundee was so good that he wouldn't let him enter the ring until he was handed $10,000 in cold cash.

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The scheme worked and the ingenious manager was contentedly sitting in the packed arena the night of the fight when he suddenly realized that he was completely unprotected and everyone knowing he had the money with him!

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Having heard plenty about the strong-arm methods of Chicago gangsters in the 20's, and knowing the place was filled with them, Johnston sat through the fight nervously expectant.

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At the sound of the final bell, he felt a jolt in his side, but instead of the muzzle of a gun, found a newspaper man sitting beside him, who advised him to beat it. Not needing a second hint, he ducked out the rear exit.

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As he stumbled across the parking lot a big black limousine drove up and someone shouted, "Going my way, Jimmy? I'm headed back to Chicago. Hop in!" It was an order, not an invitation.

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They drove and drove, Johnston thinking each moment would be his last. But finally the car pulled up right in front of his hotel door. In gratitude the fight manager turned to the man who had saved his money and perhaps his life and said, "Say, what's your name? I'd like to look you up next time I hit town."

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"Almost anybody can tell you where to find me," the stranger replied. "Just say you wanna see Al Capone!"

Win Last Night's Game By 6-5 Score To Take One Game Lead In Series

In an action-packed encounter, that particularly in the last five minutes of play nearly sent a near capacity crowd into hysteria, Flying Officer Cotie's hockey squad from Summerside last night defeated the Collegians 6-5 in the third game of the City League finals to take a 2-1 lead in games but only after the young city squad had staged as thrilling a comeback that very nearly gave them the tying counter as any hockey fan would want to see.

Trailing 6-2 with less than eight minutes of the game left to play the Squarebriggs'-coached team came through with three goals in the remaining time left and on two occasions were within inches of punching through with the one that would have deadlocked the count only to be stopped by the stellar net-minding of Nixon plus some stout defensive work of the visiting team.

It was a sensational finish to an equally sensational game. Taking a two goal lead in the first period the Summerside team saw their lead lessened in the middle canto as the Collegians outscored them 2-1 to trail by 3-2. It looked to be all over when the visitors piled up a 6-2 lead in the early minutes of the third period but it only set the stage for the sensational finish staged by the losers that came within an ace of sending the game into overtime.

Once again the fighting spirit of the City team was to the fore. At times they were badly outplayed by the well-balanced, more experienced Summerside outfit, but although the visitors are now to the fore in the race for the league title the outcome, in the majority of the fans' minds who witnessed last night's struggle is still very much in doubt.

Wide-open and plenty rugged all the way, the encounter was jammed full of exciting action all through with the referee and two linesmen, the latter seen here for the first time, having a busy evening of it as the two squads ranged from end to end of the ice in the fast-skating encounter.

The big crowd got its first thrill in the opening second as Collegians with Robertson carrying in, was inches away from a goal, but before the next two minutes had been reached Proude kicked out three drives from close in.

With the Collegians' second line playing a great brand of hockey the City team got a break when Gauthier was chased for slashing but it turned out to be a boomerang when after the Collegians had missed a couple of chances Evans rounded the right side of the defence to blast a backhand drive behind Proude on a beautiful individual effort.

Collegians were close again with the teams at full strength as Nixon blocked Dowling's efforts and for the second time in the period Gauthier was chased for high-sticking behind the Collegians' net but the sides were evened seconds later when Blanchard got the nod from Referee Cameron for tripping.

But Summerside got their third penalty a half minute later when Kerr was chased for charging but once again Evans of the visitors proved his worth, when after taking a pass from Winn inside his own defence he skated fast down the left boards to blast a sizzling drive behind Proude from far out to give the Summerside team a 2-0 advantage with less than five minutes of the period remaining.

Before the session had ended the visiting team, due to erratic shooting when in point-blank range, missed adding to their 2-0 lead with the Collegians trying in vain to get through the visitors' defence, strengthened considerably by the addition of McCaig who had missed the second encounter between the two teams.

From the opening second of the middle session both teams went at it hammer and tongs, trading blow for blow every chance they got. Nixon was brilliant as he got his skate in front of Blanchard's sliding drive just after the two minute mark had been passed, but a minute later Evans scored his third straight goal of the game when he was on the receiving end of passes from McDivitt and Winn to bat home the disc from five feet out to make it 3-0 for the visiting team.

A penalty to Hennessey of the Collegians was followed shortly after by another to Gauthier, his third of the game, leaving the teams playing five men apiece. But they were back at full strength before Collegians clicked for their opening goal.

Carrying the offensive all the time A. J. McAdam finally broke the ice for his team. Nicolle, carrying over the line on the right boards was stopped but managed to get a pass out to Blanchard, the latter relaying to McAdam with the Collegians' defenceman slamming it home on a low backhand drive from 15 feet out.

Both teams were going all out in the fast pace being set, with each one missing scoring chances galore when the City squad struck for their second goal and the one that carried them right back into the thick of the fight. From a faceoff McAdam got the disc to Robertson and the latter's pass was deflected into the net by Blanchard to make it 3-2 at 13 25 of the period.

Summerside came roaring back to test Proude on two occasions with the youngster proving equal to the task with McDougall missing a chance on a breakaway as he shot weakly when practically right in on top of Nixon.

For the remaining minutes of the session the big crowd got enough thrills to last them a lifetime as the play continually raged from end to end without a letup, with both Nixon and Proude coming through with saves that bordered on the miraculous.

Collegians if anything had a little better of the going as they kept on boring in with Robertson, with what looked like the tying goal on the end of his stick, being stopped by Nixon from right inside the goal crease on an individual effort.

In the space of less than four minutes in the final session Summerside struck suddenly and sharply for three counters that gave them a 6-2 margin. A minute and 43 seconds after the start Evans, breaking fast from his own blueline carried over the Collegians' line. Flanked by Winn on the right boards he slipped a pass through the defence that sent Winn right in to blast a waist-high drive into the twines.

Then came the break. Robertson was chased for tripping and before he was rightly seated with the timers Summerside had shot two more counters. Bower, accepting Walker's passout snapped a drive home from short range and then 32 seconds later on a smart passing attack Walker made the play for the third Summerside goal of the period, passing to McCaig who blasted the disc home from the left boards.

Collegians, however, kept up their wide-open offensive and finally were rewarded with a goal with Nicolle slamming the wafer home on a beautiful piece of combination with Robertson and Blanchard.

A little better than two minutes later Nicolle was back again with another goal, scoring from close in after picking a loose puck in close.

A minute and 39 seconds later he was back again, going from well inside his own defence zone up the right boards and blazing a drive behind Nixon to make it 6-5.

Right after the score Evans was chased to the penalty bench to give Collegians a real chance, but they couldn't quite make the grade. They did come close on three occasions, with Summerside being foiled by Proude on a breakaway effort. The game ended with the losers still pounding away looking for the equalizer inside the Summerside defence.

Lineups:

Summerside: Goal, Nixon; defence, McPherson, McDivitt, Miller, McCaig; forwards, Evans, Kerr, Winn, Walker, Bower, Whyte, Gauthier, Midghall, Lefebvre, Chouinard.

Collegians: Goal, Proude; defence, McAdam, Hennessey, McDonald; forwards, Blanchard, Nicolle, Robertson, McDougall, Richard, Larue, Irvine, Quigley, Murphy, Dowling.

Officials: Cameron, Lawlor and Savario.

The summary:

1st Period

1—S'Side, Evans 8.59
2—S'Side, Evans (Winn) 15.15
Penalties: Gauthier (2), Blanchard, Kerr.

2nd Period

3—S'Side, Evans (Winn, McDivitt) 3.04
4—Collegians, McAdam (Nicolle, Blanchard) 7.14
5—Collegians, Blanchard (Robertson, McAdam) 13.26
Penalties: Gauthier, Hennessey.

3rd Period

6—S'Side, Winn (Evans) 1.48
7—S'Side, Bower (Walker) .. 3.13
8—S'Side, McCaig (Walker) 3.45
9—Collegians, Nicolle (Blanchard, Robertson) .. 12.45
10—Collegians, Nicolle 15.01
11—Collegians, Nicolle 16.40
Penalties: Robertson, Evans.

REMEMBER WHEN

By The Canadian Press

Lou Gehrig missed his first ball game with the New York Yankees since 1925 six years ago today when he stayed on the bench to watch his team make a 14—4 conquest of Kansas City, Yankee farm team. Later in the season, Gehrig withdrew permanently crippled by a form of paralysis which claimed his life in 1941.

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lege of Agriculture, co-operated in importing seed for the first flax grown in the west and were the first to grow alfalfa there. Mr. Sclanders also promoted growing of soy beans.

His "ten commandments for new settlers" were distributed to thousands of settlers in the west, and his name is perpetuated in the settlement of Sclanders, named for him by Lord Shaughnessy, then president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Late in the First Great War, Mr. Sclanders became commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce at Windsor, Ont., and organized the Border Cities' Symphony Orchestra.

Coming to Saint John in 1926, as commissioner of the Board of Trade, he was active in the movement leading to appointment of the Duncan Commission on Maritime rights and acted as secretary for the commission.

He has been elected to five Royal Societies —the Horticultural, Geographic, Agricultural, Arts and Industries, and Colonial Institute.

Local Girls Hoop Team To Make Trip

The co-eds basketball team from Prince of Wales College is scheduled to leave this morning for Amherst, N.S., to play an exhibition hoop tilt with the girls team from the High School there.

It will be a return game. The Amherst team defeated the co-eds 27-22 in a game here recently.

Berwick Wins N. S. Intermediate Title

TRURO, N.S., March 22—(CP) With Al Fagan slapping home six goals, Berwick Bruins tonight defeated New Waterford intermediates 14-10 in a sudden - death game for the Nova Scotia intermediate hockey championship. Berwick now meets Borden, P.E.I. for the Maritime title.

Colorful Spectacle Expected At Ice Follies At The Forum Tonight

The annual staging of the Charlottetown Ice Follies is set for tonight at the Forum and this year's program promises to be even better than the many fine performances staged in the past.

Put on by local talent who all season long have been under the supervisorship of Wallie Scantlebury there are 35 in the troupe that will perform tonight in 18 numbers that should prove dazzling and snappy to the large crowd that is expected to be on hand to witness the show.

Dazzling costumes, and colorful lighting effects have all been arranged for the performance that will add to the program that has been drawn up.

As in the past several years this troupe of local figure skaters have been going through their practice sessions all season long without any publicity whatsoever but anyone who attends tonight's performance will go away well satisfied with the skill that Wallie's performers will show on the steel blades.

Bruins Defeat Detroit Red Wings By 4-3 Score

DETROIT, March 22—(CP)—Boston Bruins tonight seized a commanding 2-0 lead in their Stanley Cup semi-final series with Detroit Red Wings when they handed the Wings their second defeat 4-2 before 12,136 fans. Bruins won the opener 4-3.

Detroit hopes faded after they had tied the score 1-1 in the second period as Ken Smith and Paul Gladu of Bruins slammed home two goals in 15 seconds.

Eddie Bruneteau and Pat Egan clinched it with third-period counters.

With the next two games on Boston's home ice the Bruins, who had failed to defeat Detroit through the entire regular season, were in a position to repeat the feat of last year's fourth-place Chicago Black Hawks who upset the second-place Red Wings in the first cup round.

The victory tonight cost the Bruins the services of Herbie Cain, who suffered a broken collar bone late in the first period when he crashed against the boards after Harold Jackson charged him. Cain was taken to Harper Hospital where an examination was being made to determine possible further injury.

SUMMARY

First Period

1—Boston, McGill 2:46
Penalties — Jennings, Gaudreault, Jackson.

Second Period

2—Detroit, Jackson (Quackenbush, Carveth) ..8:25
3—Boston, Smith (McGill) ..10:03
4—Boston, Gladu (Rozzini, Gaudreault) ...10:18
Penalties — Jackson.

Third Period

5—Detroit, E. Bruneteau (Seibert) 12:48
6—Boston, Egan 17:05
Penalty — Gaudreault.

Halifax Wins Junior Title

HALIFAX, March 22 — (CP)—Halifax Centrals backed into the Nova Scotia junior hockey title here tonight as they dropped a fast, bumping match to Glace Bay Miners 7-3, but took the two-game round by 11 goals to 10. Centrals won the first game in Glace Bay Tuesday 8-3.

Centrals now meet Moncton Bruins for the Maritime title and the right to advance in the Memorial Cup hunt. First game of the total-goal series will be played at Moncton, N.B., on Saturday and the second game in Halifax next Monday.

Detroit Hurling Staff Sounder

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 22—(AP)—Detroit pitching, sounder today than last season when it was the best in the American League, is the Tiger's big item in plans to corral the pennant that eluded them on the last day of the 1944 baseball campaign.

Hal Newhouser and Paul (Dizzy) Trout, the Tigers' leftright mound "kick" that tolled a total of 664 innings and contributed 56 victories last year, are the backbone of a pitching staff strengthened by service discharge of big Al Benton, ace relief chucker of the 1940 season, and a pair of standout recruits from the minors.

Cardinals Are Facing Tough Proposition

CAIRO, Ill., March 22—(AP) — S. Louis Cardinals were squarely up against the decision today of moving their spring training camp or facing the prospect of having to go into the season's schedule without batting and fielding practice.

Long-time residents here say club officials are fighting a losing battle in attempts by pumps and ditches to dry out Cotter Field sufficiently for use as a training park.

The outfield was under about four feet of water when the club arrived Sunday. Most of this has been drained by the ditches and pumps, but seepage continues.

The Cards are ready for a diamond. Coaches Mike Gonzalez and Buzzy Wares agree that four days of conditioning exercises have advanced the squad of 17 to the batting-practice stage.

If the field is not ready by this week-end, barring rain, the club will have no choice but to move to St. Louis or forego the batting and fielding practice.

The park is on a saturated sand fill. Mayor Egbert Smith says if the water level now surrounding the park can be reduced the infield should drain and dry. Workers dredged additional ditches today around two sides of the park.

Detective Pickets Toronto Police Station

(By The Canadian Press)

TORONTO, March 22—Clifford Cantelon, former detective on the Toronto Police Department, picketed police headquarters here today carrying a sign headed "I Want My Money." Cantelon said he was discharged from the police department 18 months ago and had been unable to collect $1,300 he paid into the police benefit fund during his eight years on the force.

THE FIRST TYPEWRITER

The first typewriter on record was one designed by Henry Mill, who patented it in 1714

Quebec Aces On Hockey Tour

QUEBEC, March 22 — (CP) — Quebec Aces, Allan Cup winners of last year, have accepted an invitation for an exhibition tour throughout Western Canada, President Gerry Martineau announced today.

Mr. Martineau said that no plans had been made yet as to exactly where and who Aces will play but that his team would leave immediately after the Quebec playoffs are terminated.

Aces are leading Montreal Royals 2-1 in the best-of-seven series for the Thomas O'Connel Memorial Trophy, emblematic of the Quebec Senior Hockey League championship and the winner is scheduled to meet the inter-provincial hockey league champs.

Toronto Ekes Out 3-2 Victory Over Canadiens

MONTREAL, March 22—(CP)—Staving off a furious third period drive, Toronto Maple Leafs eked out a 3-2 victory over Montreal Canadiens here tonight, to go two up in their Stanley Cup semi-final series.

A crowd of more than 12,000 saw Leafs play the the same kind of game that brought them a 1-0 victory here Tuesday night, checking relentlessly throughout and breaking up the Canuck plays before they really got going.

Down 3-1 going into the third, Canadiens had a wide margin in the territorial play in that period, but could make it good for only a single goal.

Ted Kennedy, who scored the only goal of Tuesday night's game, started the Leafs off right with the only goal of the first period.

Butch Bouchard got that one back for Canadiens in the second when he trapped a loose puck and whipped a hard one past Frank McCool.

Lorne Carr got another on Sweeney Schriner's smart play. Metz made it 3-1 late in the period while Elmer Lach was off.

Elwin Morris was off when the Canadiens finally cut the margin in half but by then there was only two minutes to go and the equalizer wouldn't come. Elmer Lach grabbed the third period goal, taking Bouchard's pass at the side of the net to poke it past McCool.

SUMMARY

First Period

1—Toronto, Kennedy (Davidson, Pratt) 4:07
Penalties — Hamilton, Chamberlain, Getliffe, Blake, (major), Stanowski (major), Bouchard, Richard, Davidson.

Second Period

2—Montreal, Bouchard 8:15
3—Toronto, Carr (Schriner) ..10:58
4—Toronto, Metz 16:37
Penalties — Metz, Lach.

Third Period

5—Montreal, Lach (Bouchard, Richard) 17:21
Penalty — Morris.

Island Hoop Playoff Dates Announced

Provincial basketball playoffs between Summerside, Mt. Pleasant and Charlottetown airport teams will be played at Mt. Pleasant Saturday and Sunday Walter Goss, manager of the Mt. Pleasant team announced last night.

The series which will be a round robin affair with each of the three teams playing the other once will be decided by the team winning the most number of games but in the event of a tie the team with the greater number of points will be declared the winners.

Following is the schedule:

Saturday, March 24th, 8 p.m., Charlottetown vs. Mt. Pleasant.

Sunday, March 25th, 2 p.m., Summerside vs. Charlottetown.

Sunday, March 25th, 8 p.m. Mt. Pleasant vs. Summerside.

Hockey Scores

Inter-Provincial Hockey League
Valleyfield 9, Cornwall 4
(Valleyfield leads 3-1 the best-of-seven series.)

Sports At Bedeque

—A large crowd attended the annual school sports held in Bedeque rink last week. The judges were Brewer Johnson, Robert Jardine, Erle McMurdo, Gordon Hammill and Ralph MacFarlane. Announcer, Walter Campbell, Starter, T.J. Inman.

Races

Pupils, 7-9— 1. Edwin Hammill, 2. Sherman MacCaull, 3. Gerald Gauthier.

Girls 10-12 — 1. Carolyn Clark, 2. Jennie Reeves, 3. Lillian Jack.

Boys, 10-12 — 1. Donald Profitt, 2. Claude Paynter, 3. Gordon Simmons.

Girls 13-15 — 1. Margaret MacMurdo, 2. Alberta Moase, 3. Catherine Auld.

Boys 13-15 — 1. Bruce Profitt, 2. Jimmie Hale, 3. Gerald McCarville.

Puck Once Around Rink —1. Fred Cairns, 2. Donald Simmons 3. Malcolm Matheson.

Pair Twice Around Rink — 7-9— 1. Charles Folland and Helen Folland. 10-12 — 1. Gordon Simmons and Shirley Lewis; 2. Wanda Francis and Henry Scales; 3. Donald Profitt and Jennie Reeves. —13-15 —1. Bennett Arsenault and Margaret MacMurdo; 2. Malcolm Matheson and Catherine Auld; 3. Donald Simmons and Marion Taylor.

Hand Sleigh Race. —7-10 —Mary Lewis and Allan Scales. 11-15 — 1. Alberta Moase and Donald Simmons; 2. Carolyn Clark and Bennett Arsenault; 3. Catherine Auld and Malcolm Matheson.

Relay Race— 1. Upper Freetown, 2. Lower Freetown, 3. North Bedeque.

Backward Skate — 1. Walter Reeves, 2. Vernon Paynter, 3. Margaret McMurdo.

Most Graceful Skater — Boys— 1. Malcolm Matheson, 2. Walter Reeves, 3. Donald Simmons.

Girls— 1. Margaret MacMurdo, 2. Patricia Clark, 3. Catherine Auld.

Largest Percent of Skaters — 1. Lower Freetown, 2. Upper Freetown, 3. North Bedeque.

Best Stunt — 1. Upper Freetown, 2. Lower Freetown.

Trachers' Race — 1. Janet MacMurdo.

Best Tickets — 1. North Bedeque, 2. Upper Freetown, 3. Lower Bedeque.

Honeymoon Race — Speed —1. Eric Hammill nad Carolyn Clark, 2. Vernon Paynter and Jennie Reeves, 3. Bennet Arsenault and Marion Taylor.

Costumes — 1. Malcolm Matheson and Catherine Auld, 2. Bruce Profitt and Elaine Hammill, 3. Vernon Paynter and Marion Taylor.

Hockey Match—Upper Freetown vs. Lower Freetown—won by Upper Freetown, score 2-1.

Upper Freetown won the cup by having 68 points. Lower Bedeque had 49 points, North Bedeque had 38 points; Bedeque had 19 points and Lower Bedeque had 11 points. —S.

Plan Daily Service Across Atlantic

TORONTO, March 22—(CP)—A daily trans-Atlantic mail, freight and passenger service will be inaugurated by trans-Canada air lines within the next two months, it was learned here today. Four "mail" Lancasters, similar to those turned out by Victory Aircraft Ltd., for ocean crossing some time ago, now are under construction and will be ready for delivery to T.C.A., it was understood.

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McNair Opposes Provincial Bloc For Conference

FREDERICTON, March 22—(CP) —Existence of a movement to build a "provincial bloc" for the time of the Dominion-Provincial conference was charged in the New Brunswick Legislature today by Premier J. B. McNair, who concluded the budget debate.

"This government has avoided becoming involved therein, in any move calculated to align beforehand the Provinces against the Dominion."

He referred to opposition suggestions that New Brunswick follow the example of reciprocal arrangements by Ontario and Quebec regarding succession duties.

"We are well aware of the Ontario-Quebec arrangement. We are equally aware that such plans have the endorsation of, if they were not inspired by, the monied interests of the country. Apart from that, however, coming as they have at this particular time, it occurs to us that these proposals may be a part of a general plan to build against the national authorities a provincial bloc, dominated by the two major provinces of Canada and used by them to impede any national programs for rehabilitation and reform."

Premier McNair expressed his "unfaltering belief in the Canadian federal system of government," and an opinion that "widely speaking, the social and economic problems of the Canadian people can be solved within the present framework of the constitution."

New Brunswick had long complained of her treatment within confederation but "I assume that no one in Canada really thinks that the union can be dissolved."

Mr. McNair said the "chronic unbalance in the Canadian economy, due largely to monopolistic control with a resultant heavy concentration of economic, commercial and financial power in certain favored areas, is due primarily to an irrational and inequitable exercise of powers vested in the Dominion Parliament and government since confederation."

He urged promotion of a "sense of national pride, a belief in the greatness of our nation, a sense of true Canadianism, to the end that the forces of bigotry, sectionalism and prejudice may lose their power among our people." In the face of sacrifices by Canadian servicemen, whoever willingly sowed racial discord in Canada was a "traitor to humanity itself."

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