

# Ice Racing At Causeway Attracts Large Crowd

Doctor F.C. Mr. Kate, Granville York and Bonny Budlong emerged as race winners on yesterday afternoon's ice racing program staged on North River Causeway.

Doctor F. C. and Bonny Budlong did it in straight dash fashion but the other race winners were forced to a third dash before achieving victory.

Best time of the afternoon was Granville York's 31.3. A large crowd of spectators were on hand for the mid-week show.

**A PACE**

Da. F.C. (MacFadyen)	1-1
Jolly Mark (Dr. Furness)	2-2
Y Not Chief (Chappelle)	4-3
Perfect Hal (Downe)	4-6
Argot Pointer (Willis)	6-4
Jay's Abner T. (Jones)	5-5
Times - 32, 32:1. Winning	

horse is owned by Ralph MacFadyen, Hunter River.

**B PACE**

Mr. Kate (Smith)	1-dnf-1
Muriel E. L. Kelly	2-1-2
Jollity Guy (Gallant)	9-2-5
Barrie's Breeze (Rankine)	5-3-4
Buddy Watson (Clow)	4-dnf-3
J. W. Abbe (Fergus)	3-dnf-9
Billy C. Duds (Chappelle)	8-4-7
Jollity's Pride (MacLeod)	7-dnf-5
Millie's Express (Craig)	6-dnf-8
Times 32:3, 32:3, 32:3.	

Winning horse is owned by Stanley Mayhew, Kinkora.

**CLASS A TROT**

Granville York (Corbett)	6-1-1
New Forest (Bernard)	1-2-4
My Hero (Neill)	4-3-2
Michael Peter (Larter)	2-7-5
Taylordale (Chappelle)	7-4-3
Airlock (Seaman)	3-8-dns

**CLASS C TROT AND PACE**

Bonny Budlong (Chappelle)	1-1
Gulf Coast (Shaw)	2-4
Basil Girl (MacKenzie)	7-2
Hasty Road (Arsenault)	5-5
Cornation Lass (Smith)	3-3
Little Abner (Jones)	5-7
Cedar Chest's Best (Smith)	6-6
No time	

Winning horse is owned by Harold Muirhead, Nine Mile Creek.

Officials - Starter Sinclair Cutcliffe; driver John Walker; Timers Charles Stewart and Harry Murphy; judges George Smith, Harry Keating and A. Smith; announcer W. H. Beaton.

# Maple Leafs Beat Habs; Wings Shade Hawks 3-2

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Maple Leafs, bolstered by Ed Chadwick's sensational goaltending, started Montreal Canadiens with a spirited performance Wednesday night and picked up a key 3-1 victory in their bid to vacate last place in the National Hockey League.

It was Canadiens' second straight defeat here. They lost 2-0 to Leafs New Year's Eve.

It was the third straight game the league-leading Canadiens failed to win and they badly missed the services of their great rightwinger, Maurice Richard. He broke an ankle in a game against Chicago Black Hawks last Sunday and will be out for at least six weeks.

Canadiens, who have Richard and Ralph Backstrom out with injuries, also lost the services of

centre Phil Goyette in the first period when boarded by Toronto defenceman Carl Brewer. Goyette suffered torn rib cartilages and will be lost for about two weeks.

The Leafs scoring was handled by Dick Duff and centre Billy Harris. Defenceman Tom Johnson scored the Montreal goal on a 45-foot slap shot in the third period.

Chadwick, who at times this season has had 18 share netminding duties with Johnny Bower because of so-so performances, was brilliant. He stopped 33 Montreal shots.

# SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS-CALLAGHAN

### SOME 500 FANS waited patiently for an upset at the Sports Arena Tuesday night for a game that never came. These were the same fans who had watched Parkdale Royals battle Summerside Aces on even terms for forty of the sixty minutes of play.

The great majority of those 500 persons were Royals' supporters and they were indeed a disappointed people when the final siren screamed. The period that had started on a rosy 4-4 basis concluded on an 11-5 note with the visiting westerners six goals to the good. There has been plenty of doubt for those first two periods as to the eventual winner but that doubt was soon dispelled once that final twenty minutes was underway. The Aces roared to the attack and the Royals just crumbled before the onslaught.

EVER SINCE THIS hockey league got underway, Windy Steele's men have been showing the rest of the league how it is done. They appear to improve as the game rolls along and their third period performances have by now become something to write about. This is in real contrast to Aces teams of these past few years. They were the Aces who tired badly as the game got into its final stages.

But Windy Steele wanted no part of such goings-on in this 1958-59 season. If he has to direct traffic for the Aces, he would only ice a squad that stayed in the hockey game until the very end of hostilities. In fact, he was after an outfit that would improve as the game went on and he surely came up with one in this year's edition of Summerside Aces.

IN THIS LEAGUE now in operation, it would indeed be a foolish forecast to make that we think any other team can top Aces for top honors. These Summerside lads are a going concern and they are dead set on going through this entire schedule without a setback. It's a long schedule and such a performance by the Steelemen would appear like quite a chore. However, right now there doesn't seem any good reason why they cannot do it. Apparently all they have to do is stay close in the first two sessions. The third period should take care of matters for the westerners.

A FEW CHARLOTTETOWN fans are a bit annoyed at us for previously predicting that Summerside will be mighty hard to win a game from. They think we shouldn't print such stuff. We appreciate their loyalty to the capital city teams but we can't see how that loyalty could blind anyone to that fact that the Aces are head and shoulders over the rest.

No, we are certainly no press agents for the westerners. They have their own sport scribes in that centre and these gentlemen don't forget to sing the praises of their favourite hockey players. However, we think we would be most lax in our job as columnist if we started predicting victories for other teams even though we felt they didn't have a chance.

Royals stayed the longest with Aces so far this season. If their Parkdale boys can come up with a much improved third period show, then there's a chance for an upset. The Navy still insists that they are not conceding anything yet. They made Aces work hard for their victory here last week and they maintain they'll give the westerners the best game of the season in Civic Stadium on Friday night. For the good of this league, we hope they do. We'll go garther and hope the Tars can come up with a victory.

FIERY PHIL WATSON lost some of his fire when he sent Andy Bathgate and Bill Gadsby with their wives off to Florida for a week's outing.

The Rangers don't see action until Saturday night when they pay a call at Montreal Forum. Phil wants all his boys in top shape for this one and he figures his two workhorses are deserving of such a break in the sunny south.

It seems a splendid idea and one that Detroit Red Wings could well adopt in an effort to get more out of that Motor City team.

There's just a possibility, however, that some of the other Ranger players (who figure they have been working hard) are going to be just a bit annoyed that two players were treated as exceptions. We agree if two players of the New York squad were to be "treated", then certainly the proper ones were chosen.

But there is that chance that some of the other boys are going to feel slighted. And that feeling could reflect in their playing.

And that could be had for the New Yorkers.

RUMORS THAT Johnny Logan would go from Milwaukee Braves have been spiked with the signing of the shortstop for the 1959 season.

Johnny and Haney were reported to be anything but buddies despite the fact that both denied the rumors. Logan was certainly no ball of fire in the world series, but then Mr. Haney didn't cop any medals for outstanding strategy.

Anyway, the Braves think they need Johnny at least for another season and they've had him ink another contract for the same salary as he got in 1958.

That was approximately \$25,000.

WE BET YOU WON'T find many referees who will admit that they can't see the ball.

Well, down Los Angeles way there's a fellow by the name of Charles Medick who is proud to make such a claim. He does it all by sound. And his officiating takes place in table tennis. This Medick can even distinguish whether the ball hits the top or bottom of the net and also can tell what kind of serve is being used.

To show how good this fellow is we need only tell you that he has worked in U.S. table tennis championship from 1947 to 1954. This year he plans to officiate at the 1959 championships. Medick became interested in the game in 1947 when he dropped into a recreation room at Western Reserve University.

"I heard the sound of ball meeting wood, discovered it was table tennis, learned the game and then bet a student a pint of ice cream I could score a game correctly. "I won."



# OLYMPIC BATTLE

Jack McMaster, 20-year-old hockey player partially paralyzed since a hockey accident at Sudberry, Ont., Dec. 5, exercises his muscles for his pretty visitor Ann Cripps. He has regained

the Dutchmen will play. He says he may not get to Squaw Valley as a player, but he'd like to be there in some capacity. (CP Wirephoto)

# York Swamps Winsloe 9-1

York Rangers swamped Winsloe Tigers 9-1 at North River rink last evening in a regular league fixture.

The Rangers scored two goals in the opening without an answer from the Tigers and in the middle stanza outscored the losers 2-1. The final frame saw York score five unanswered goals.

Scoring for the winners were K. MacDonald (3), Cheverie (2), Gillis, Pineau, Bradley and Dowling. Donahoe was the lone sniper for Winsloe.

# City Quartet Tops 'Spiel At Montague

MONTAGUE — A Charlottetown team skipped by Barbara Roper won top honors at a Friday night bonspiel at the Montague Curling Club yesterday afternoon when the Montague Ladies Club was hostess to rinks from the R.C.A.F., Alberton, Summerside and Charlottetown.

Other members of Mrs. Roper's team were Marjorie Stewart, Evelyn Goss and Connie Rogers. The runner-up rink from Summerside consisted of skip Marion Hinton, Lila Schurman, Beth MacLeod and Wanda Hunter.

Play began at 11 a. m. and on completion at 6 p. m., the guests and members of the hostess club enjoyed a banquet at the Bison Rainbow Room.

# Town Taxi And Tignish Win

SPORT-TOWN TAKE — Town Taxi defeated Sherbrooke 7-2 in the first game of a double-header at Civic Stadium last night in the Rural and Commercial Prince County league. Toey Phillips scored three for the winners. Louis Poirier also got the "hat trick. MacLeod got the other tally. For Sherbrooke Irv Somier and Arnold Muttart fired a goal each.

In the second game Tignish beat Coombs 9-3. Leclair, B. Fennessey, C. Bernard and T. Gavin each scored a pair, and A. Richard got the odd counter. Ira Strongman scored two for Coombs and Alf Groom one. Benny Grady handled the whistle for both games.

# Alex Olmedo Defaults Match

ADELAIDE (AP) — Alex Olmedo, the ailing U.S. Davis Cup star, defaulted in the Australian doubles tennis Wednesday and is likely to withdraw from the singles today.

The 22-year-old Peruvian is to take the court against Ulf Schmidt of Sweden in their singles quarter-finals, but he has been ordered to "walk off" at the slightest twinge of pain from his strained stomach muscle.

"We can not jeopardize this boy's tennis future," said Perry Jones, U.S. Davis Cup captain. Olmedo and Barry MacKay defaulted their semi-final doubles match to the Australian team of Bob Mark and Rod Laver, who will meet upset winners Bob Howe and Don Candy of Australia in the final.

Officials offered to postpone the doubles match until Friday, but Olmedo said he preferred not to play.

# FLOODING EASES

CALGARY (CP) — About 20 families evacuated Saturday during a five-hour flood of the Bow River in southeast Calgary returned to their homes Monday. The flood did comparatively light damage.

# Trotters, P.W.C. Cop Victories

The League-leading Trotters dumped St. Dunstan's 32-28 and P.W.C. grabbed a 51-50 squeaker over Y.M.C.A. in a twin bill basketball fixture at Birchwood High last evening.

In the first game the S.D.U. five held their own against the high-flying Trotters in the first half, trailing only by 20-16 at half time.

The bottom of this fixture saw the Trotters go far out in front of the collegians. Ladner of the Trotters was top scorer in the game with a total of 15 points followed close behind by Father Roche of the Trotters with 14.

Following are the lineups: Trotters:—Howatt 0, Ladner 15, Roche 14, Tooke 5, Cummissey 11, MacDonald 7, MacKinnon, Flynn, LePage, MacLean.

S.D.U.:—MacWade 1, Tingley 2, Marr 10, Lavers 7, MacMillan 4, Harper 2, Callaghan 2, Smith Murphy, Denny.

The bottom half of this double-header Prince of Wales and the

# Ice Sports On Friday

Prince Street School is staging its annual ice sports tomorrow (Friday) night at the Sports Arena.

These sports, as well as all others staged by other schools throughout the province, are eagerly looked forward to by pupils and parents.

The youngsters always come up with a top notch show and Friday's program at the Arena will certainly be no exception.

In addition to the various races, a hockey game between Spring Park and Prince Street will be played.

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# St. Dunstan's Collegians Are Crushed By Tars 11-1

A short-handed Navy Tars team walloped Saint Dunstan's 11-1 in a Charlottetown and District Hockey league game at the college rink last night.

The Collegians jumped into a 1-0 lead after 43 seconds of play and clung to that one goal margin for slightly less than three minutes. After that it was strictly no contest as the Tars skated rings around the Red and White.

The sailors enjoyed a 6-1 margin at the end of the first session and led 10-1 entering the third period. They fired one unanswered tally in the closing frame.

Billy Hughes led the Tars with four big tallies. Alan Gillis, Harry Simmonds and Dick Carroll each made the red light glow twice. The other Navy marker came of the stick of Dave Street.

Referees Walter Lawlor and Maurice Goodwin had a busy night of calling a total of eight, seven penalties. All were minor with the exception of a ten-minute misconduct to Navy's

Carroll 5:40; 10. Navy-Gillis (Duffy) 11:05; 11. Navy-Hughes (Street, Duffy) 11:54. Penalties—Sark, 3:13, Murphy, 3:17; Sark 8:35; Gillis, 8:35, Longaphie, 12:57. Third Period—12. Navy-Street (Hughes, Arsenault) 2:34. Penalties—Hache, 7:01, Sark, 7:40, Rivard, 14:07, Duffy, 19:27.

# Garrison, Royals Playing Tonight

Royals and Juniors square off tonight at the Sports Arena in a regular scheduled Charlottetown and District Hockey League game.

Both teams are getting anxious to get back in winning ways, the Royals after two straight crushing defeats by Summerside Aces, the Garrison lads after that trouncing by the Navy Tars.

The Juniors are anxious to show all the fans that their showing against the sailors was something that won't happen again this season. It was probably the poorest display Orin Carver's lads had given since the league got underway.

Royals are talking to themselves after those shellackings by those Aces. They want to take their wrath out on somebody and Juniors could be the unlucky ones.

It promises to be one of the best games to date. Starting time is 8.15.

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