

Terry Sawchuk Suspended

BOSTON (CP) — Terry Sawchuk, rated the world's top goalie Tuesday, became hockey's greatest enigma Wednesday.

The sometime temperamental star was nowhere to be found when his suspension was announced by Boston Bruins, the team that Sawchuk has sparred to within shooting distance of the National Hockey League championship. No one, not even his baffled teammates, appeared to know where Sawchuk had gone.

Boston coach Milt Schmidt Tuesday reported that Sawchuk called on him at home and told him he was quitting the team. Schmidt announced the suspension Wednesday after a practice session, qualifying it only with the explanation:

"If he's sick we'd send him

home to rest. But how do we know (if he's sick) if he won't see us. If he is (sick) I'll be the first to apologize."

The suspension will last until lifted by the club—and that could mean life if Sawchuk, a native of Winnipeg, does not make his peace with management.

To replace Sawchuk in the Boston nets the Bruins recalled Norm Defelice, 23, from Hershey in the American Hockey League.

Defelice, riding the bench at Hershey as a sub for Gil Mayer, filled in for Sawchuk in seven games last month.

RECALL DEFELICE

Schmidt issued a statement Tuesday night that Defelice was being recalled because Sawchuk "seems to be laboring under an

emotional strain" and that Sawchuk would benefit from a rest.

Following his December illness Sawchuk complained about his timing, but performed well. Last weekend, however, Bruins dropped two games, 4-1 and 2-1, to league-leading Montreal Canadiens. Boston is in third place, following Detroit.

Schmidt said Sawchuk insisted he was through with hockey "and I told him he was letting the team

down, letting his family down and letting himself down. He said he didn't care about the money, he was through."

Without a top goalie the Bruins, who led the league much of the season, will have to battle harder with Canadiens and Red Wings, whom they play here tonight.

The players have confidence in the rookie Defelice but as one said "you can't lose a Verina winner and not feel it."

Parkdale, B.Y.C. At Arena Tonight

Normally when a league's first place team is scheduled to face the all-time team in a league game there isn't a great deal to get excited about but tonight at the Sports Arena one of the biggest crowds of the year is expected to turn out to watch this very thing and the crowd is expected to see plenty to get excited about.

The league-leading Parkdale Flyers are slated to clash with Basilio Youth Club and from all expectations the clash should produce quite a boom.

B.Y.C. coach Jack Ready says he has never seen a better team than his B.Y.C. in last place in the island loop and he may be right for in the recent games the B.Y.C. has shown definite signs of climbing out of that dark spot having come up with two victories in their last two starts. Their latest victory was a 13-3 clobbering of the second-place Summerside Aces. A win tonight will put them in third place.

The proud Flyers are enjoying their best winning streak of this season and haven't tasted defeat since December 10 when they were beaten 10-7 by Aces. Since then

the Flyers moved right to the top of the league with 5 wins in a row, and have every intention of strengthening their lead by knocking out the B.Y.C. tonight.

Twice the Flyers have beaten the B.Y.C. The first game ended 3-2 in their favor and they had just as tough a struggle winning the second game despite the misleading 9-5 score.

In fact many fans were heard saying afterwards that that game produced the fastest and best played hockey to be seen in a Charlotteville rink in many years.

There will be a big crowd there tonight looking for more of the same.

Game time is 8:30 sharp.

Likely lineups:

Parkdale: Goal, Roper; Defense A. MacLeod, Josey, K. Ready, Wood, Moore; Forwards, O. Carver, J. MacLeod, Hurry, A. Carver, S. Carver, Dunn, MacGee, Crews, Cudmore.

B.Y.C.: Goal, Doyle; Defense, J. Ready, F. Shepherd, Mullins; Forwards, Whitlock, Pineau, Howarth, Squarebriggs, L. Shepherd, Burke, J. Shepherd, Delancy, Weatherbie.

Gerry McNeil Sympathizes With Boston Goalkeeper

MONTREAL (CP)—Gerry McNeil, who decided in 1954 he had had enough of goal-tending in the National Hockey League, was all smiles Wednesday for Terry Sawchuk.

"I know just how he feels," said the former Montreal Canadiens goalie on learning that Sawchuk had quit the Boston Bruins. "It's pretty hard to explain to anyone who has never been in the net."

McNeil had his share of injuries in the NHL including a fractured cheek bone. He had to be replaced during the playoffs in the spring of 1954 by Jacques Plante, now Canadiens regular goalie.

McNeil stayed out of hockey a full season. He returned, playing with Montreal Royals of the Quebec Hockey League and since then has filled in when Plante has been laid up with injuries.

"During those playoffs it seemed everything was going bad," said McNeil. "There was nothing I could do about it. I was all nerved up, and although I tried twice as hard things seemed to get worse. I felt as if I was fighting the world."

"I didn't quit because I was afraid or didn't want to play. I wanted to play, all right, but I knew I wasn't doing my share and I felt sorry for the rest of the team."

SPORT ECHOES

How Have The Mighty Fallen!

How have the mighty fallen! Short weeks ago the Summerside Aces were in the midst of a seven-game winning streak, taking three games in a row from the league-leading Parkdale Flyers, and bowing over all opposition. Now with the very same players they are regularly taking it on the chin from all comers. The 13-3 drubbing handed them by the Basilio Youth Club at Civic Stadium on Monday night just about convinced Summerside hockey fans that the Aces club is a very sick man, and in grave need of the services of a competent hockey physician.

where, they should take a short course on the art of holding an enemy at bay when the odds are against you.

Certainly the blame cannot all be laid at the door of the young goalie, Thane Mann. Whitey had one of his worst nights, we'll admit, but he was not responsible for the avalanche of goals in that final period. It seems to be the opinion of some of the fans who watched that game that Mann didn't really fold and let in soft shots until he began to realize that he was battling the BYC boys almost single-handed.

There will no doubt be a lot of hockey doctors, most of them quacks, ready to hand out free advice as to what should be done to get the Aces sitting up and taking nourishment again. It's all a part to the hockey picture and the fans who pay the shot, have a right to give their opinions. Their guesses are probably as good as anyone else's at that.

Reckon it's about time we concluded the post-mortem. The Aces have struck bottom with a sounding thump as far as fan opinion of them is concerned, and there is no direction they can go now but up. The fans seem to be fairly unanimous that the Aces are bums (only in the sporting connotation of the word, of course), now they can get up off the floor, dust themselves off, get mad, and show everybody including us that we don't know what we are talking about.

The major penalty given to Eustace Reeves for fighting in the dying minutes of the second period was the costliest we have ever seen in so far as we can remember. Howatt was banished with Reeves on a two-minute roughing sentence, which meant the Aces had to play one man short for three minutes in the early part of the third frame. Summerside looked as if they were three or four men short during those hectic minutes, and the BYC team scored four goals in two and one-half minutes! In the case of a minor penalty when a goal is scored against the short-handed team the penalized player returns to the ice. This is not so, however, in the case of a major penalty. So the massacre went merrily on its way.

Reeves is unquestionably a valuable man on the ice, but it hardly explains the complete collapse of the club while he was sidelined on this occasion. There must have been other times during the season when the Aces were a man short, and Reeves not on the ice. Yet the opposing team didn't keep the red light blinking as if it were up a Christmas tree. Just who were on the Ace line-up during those fatal 2½ minutes we do, not know. But whoever they

Hampshire Whips Winsloe 7-5

A regular league game was played at North River Rink last night when the Hampshire Bulldogs defeated the Winsloe Heartbreakers 7-5. In the first period Hampshire went ahead 2-1, and in the middle frame each team scored a pair. In the final period the scoring in favor of Hampshire was 3-2. Johnston chalked up five points for Hampshire and Mulligan five for Winsloe. The referees were L. ay and R. White.

Saints Claim Game By Forfeit

St. Dunstan's University City League basketball team travelled through the snow to the Summerside airport for a scheduled game with the air force last night but the airmen were not at home to greet them.

Through a misunderstanding the airmen were somewhere else and the Saints returned to Charlotteville claiming the game by forfeit.

Leduc, Campeau Issue Apology

NEWCASTLE (CP) — The following apology "to the Mayor and citizens of Newcastle" has been issued by playing coach Ray Leduc and Tod Campeau of Dalhousie Rangers:

"We the undersigned players of the Dalhousie Rangers hockey team humbly apologize for the abusive and profane language as well as the disgraceful conduct during the hockey game in the Sinclair Rink at Newcastle on January 7, 1957, and promise that if we are permitted to participate in future North Shore hockey games that there will be no recurrence. Sincerely, Raymond Leduc playing coach, C. Campeau, player, Dalhousie Rangers hockey club."

Declare Saddler's Ch'ship Vacant

MILWAUKEE (A) — The executive committee of the National Boxing Association Wednesday declared Sandy Saddler's featherweight title vacant because of his failure to sign for a title defence.

Fred Saddy, chairman of the NBA rating committee, said the action was taken when the New York boxer failed to meet a midnight deadline to sign to defend his crown.

"We no longer recognize Saddler as champion," Saddy said. "He has been given plenty of time to sign or be examined by an NBA doctor or by the New York Boxing Commission. He is not doing the division any good."

Saddy said a title elimination series would be set up to find a successor to Saddler.

N.H.L. STANDINGS

	W	L	T	P	A	Pts.
Montreal	25	12	6	132	87	56
Detroit	22	11	7	113	87	51
Boston	21	13	7	111	102	49
Toronto	4	21	8	100	111	36
New York	4	20	7	99	123	35
Chicago	8	27	7	87	132	23

PARKS RECORD
A record of 3,507,000 persons visited Canadian national parks during the first 10 months of 1954.

Hockey In Full Swing For Another Year At North River

Hockey is in full swing for another season at that popular ice arena just outside Charlotteville, the North River rink.

No less than three hockey leagues are in operation at North River and to date fans have been coming out in large numbers to the various contests and have as yet seldom gone away dissatisfied with what they have been seeing.

The senior loop at North River is the North River League with four teams entered, and battling for a large number of trophies which are up for grabs.

The teams are nine - Mile Creek Bulldogs, Hampshire Bulldogs, Milton Hornets and Winsloe Heartbreakers.

The S. R. Johnston trophy, which goes annually to the league winner, is up for competition again and either Nine Mile Creek or Milton can gain permanent possession of the trophy by winning it again this year. It is a 3-year trophy and both of these teams have won it twice.

On Saturday morning the rink is turned over to the youngsters from the schools in the district and six teams are entered in this loop, MacKinnon Bros. Trophy goes to the winner of this league and besides the defending champion New Haven team other teams in the league are Bonshaw, Nine Mile Creek, Wiltshire and North River.

Games in the senior league are played on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights. The "C" league takes over on Tuesday and Thursday and a general skate is held every Friday night.

Giles Receives Jack's Request For Retirement

CINCINNATI (AP)—Warren C. Giles, president of the National League Wednesday received a written request from Jackie Robinson that he be placed on the voluntarily retired list of the New York Giants club.

Giles said he was certifying the request to baseball commissioner Ford C. Frick in New York, with a recommendation that it be approved.

Robinson, the first Negro player in the major leagues, announced his retirement from baseball several days ago to enter business.

He played all of his National League career with the Brooklyn Dodgers, and was sold by them to the Giants since the close of the 1956 season.

Other trophies to be given away in the league are:—Sport Lodge trophy for the highest scorer; Patterson's Jewellery Trophy for the runner-up team; Fulton Pierce Trophy for player combining ability with "manly conduct"; Stead's Pharmacy silver spoons which go to the highest scorers on each team and J. R. Williams Trophy to the goaltender sporting the lowest goals-against average at year's end.

The second league in operation is the North River "C" League and six teams are in the running for the R. R. Bell Trophy won last year by Hampshire. Other teams entered in the league are York, Milton, North River, Long Creek and Cornwall.

CURLING

Continuing the Round Robin competition, also the first game in the Central Creameries double knock out club play.

7 P.M. Section D—
Ice 1: J. A. Simmonds vs. W. R. Jenkins.
Ice 2: R. Parent vs. Dr. H. MacIntyre.
Ice 3: G. R. Greenough vs. L. Wellener.
Ice 4: Earl MacLeod vs. C. MacLean.

8.30 P.M., Section B—
Ice 1: L. Turner vs. H. Atkinson.
Ice 2: M. Bell vs. R. Manning.
Ice 3: F. Curtis vs. J. E. Burden.
Ice 4: E. MacInnis vs. Ed Wood.

Tonight the first game in the club competition to select a winner to represent the Charlotteville Curling Club in the Central Creameries Provincial playdowns to be at Summerside in February. The play is a double knock out with prizes to the winner and runner-up at the Provincial play.

The following nine teams have entered the local club play:
H. Simpson, skip, A. Love, Don Smith, G. Burge.
Dr. W. Moreside, skip, Dr. Brown, Dr. Cox, Dr. Hooper.
D. Beardsley, skip, W. MacGregor, Kip Ready, Geo. Kayes.
Vic Williams, skip, J. Dingwell, C. Ready, A. Humphreys.
R. Ewing, skip, D. R. George.
E. MacDougall, L. Walton.
H. L. Sear, Jr., skip, E. Gillespie, John Gorrill, Reg Newson.
Addie MacDonald, skip, Cliff Campbell, L. Bagnall, M. Waddell.
Heath MacLean, skip, Tarky Whitlock, F. H. MacInnis, M. MacMillan.
R. McClair, skip, B. Burden, G. Henderson, G. Bennett.

The first game in this competition to be played at 8.30 tonight.



EXPORT

Sports

6 The Charlottetown Guardian, Thursday, Jan. 17, 1957

Y.M.C.A. Stops Trotters Streak At 6 Games With 84-80 Win

Y. M. C. A. pulled the upset of the year in City Basketball play at the "Y" last night by downing the powerful Trotters 84-80 in a hoop tilt that saw the Trotters lose the services of team captain and star scorer Gump Gillis, possibly for the remainder of the season.

Up to that game the potent Trotters had run a string of 6 straight victories without defeat and were leading late in the first half when their rany captain after intercepting a pass fell to the floor and twisted his knee. The fall aggravated an old injury and Gillis was taken to hospital where he was resting comfortably last night. The injury is not of a serious nature but is painful and will keep Gillis on the sidelines for some time.

The game was a thriller from start to finish. The Y. M. C. A. ran into an early lead but were overtaken by the Trotters before the first half ended and trailed 44-41 going into the second 20 minutes.

The lead changed hands several times before the Y. M. C. A. lads moved slowly but surely in front for keeps in the late minutes. A late drive by the Trotters in the last minute of play brought them

within two points of the Y. M. C. A. But Ray Doucette, who played a great game for the "Y", sank two foul shots in the dying seconds to ice it.

Doucette led the Y. M. C. A. to their first win over Trotters and their third of the season, with a 28-point performance. George Scantlebury was not far behind with 22 and Ron Atkinson had 13.

Mark Ladner duplicated Doucette's feat in a losing cause for the Trotters. Kip Ready hit for 20 points and Gillis tossed in 11 in the first half.

Lineups:
Y. M. C. A.: Scantlebury 22; Phillips 8; Welton 9; Atkinson 13; Doucette 28; Crockett 2; Ballen 2; Govia. Total: 84.
Trotters: K. Ready 20; C. Ready 6; Gillis 11; LePage 5; MacKinnon 6; Ladner 28; McGonnell 4. Total 80.

Regals Defeat Maroons 5-3

The Alberton Regals edged the O'Leary Maroons 5-3 at Alberton last night in an exhibition game which took on the appearance of a practice session at times. Action speeded up somewhat in the final frame when O'Leary players went on several solo stickhandling rushes which kept the home team hopping.

The Regals tallied two in the opener and three in the middle frame. Matthews, Fraser, Gaudet, Millman and Kinch tallied for the home team and Gallant and Smallman (2) for O'Leary.

There were no penalties during the game which was refereed by Fred Millman and Larry Profit.

Regals Defeat Maroons 5-3

Wilmot Quits Bedeque League

The Wilmot Monarchs hockey team have decided to withdraw from the Bedeque South Shore League and will be replaced by the Summerside Junior Aces, coached by former N.H.L. player Windy Steele. The Monarchs had played in only one game, a contest they lost to 10-16. The Juniors Aces first league game will be Thursday night against Albany St. Pais.

Wilmot Quits Bedeque League

SCORE THREE IN SECOND

Montreal Canadiens Shade Toronto Maple Leafs 3-2

TORONTO (CP) — Montreal Canadiens scored three second-period goals Wednesday night, then held off a Leaf rally in the third period to defeat Toronto Maple Leafs 3-2 before 14,166 National Hockey League fans.

The victory stretched Canadiens' undefeated streak to nine straight games and their league lead to five points over second-place Detroit Red Wings, who were idle tonight. Leafs remained in fourth place, one point ahead of New York Rangers, who also were inactive tonight.

Centres Jean Beliveau and Henri Richard and leftwinger Dickie Moore scored the Montreal goals. Leftwingers Sid Smith and Dick Duff were the Leaf marksmen.

Moore's goal at 19:24 of the second period was his 21st of the season and ninth against Toronto. Defenceman Jim Thomson of Leafs was in the penalty box at the time.

Leafs held a territorial edge in play during the first period but wilted under Canadiens' pressure in the second. Henri Richard opened scoring at 2:02 when he took brother Maurice's pass at the blue line and beat Leaf goalie Ed Chadwick with a 20-foot shot. Beliveau made it 3-0 36 seconds before the end of the period when he let a quick shot go from the left wing boards.

Canadiens checked tenaciously during the third period, trying to give goaltenders Jacques Plante his seventh shutout of the season. But while Habs' Tom Johnson was in the penalty box, Smith

fired his 10th goal of the season at 12:20.

Leafs removed Chadwick after Duff's goal and the move almost backfired when Beliveau got the rolling puck in control but the period ended a second before the puck entered the empty Leaf cage.

SUMMARY
First period: Scoring: None. Penalties: Reaume 2:28, Fulford 9:28, Provost 12:45.
Second period: 1. Montreal, H. Richard (M. Richard, Moore) 17:45.
Third period: 4. Toronto, Smith (Migay, Stewart) 12:20; 5. Toronto, Duff (Armstrong) 19:33. Penalties: James 6:55, Talbot 9:36, Johnson 11:04, Reaume 16:34.
Stops: Plante 10 7 8-25; Chadwick 10 8 9-27.

The Sports Arena

ISLAND HOCKEY LEAGUE
TONIGHT — 8:30 P. M.

In order to avoid a pre-game rush, tickets for tonight's game will be on sale at the box office during the day.

PARKDALE FLYERS Vs. **B. Y. C.**

ADMISSION: ADULTS 60c; CHILDREN 35c

CUDMORE'S
WEEK-END SPECIALS

EXTRA SPECIAL VARIETY FOR YOUR BABY'S DIET

HEINZ BABY CEREALS 4 PKGS. 39c

This price also includes Heinz new INFANT SOY CEREAL.

HEINZ INFANT and JUNIOR BABY FOOD 3 TINS 29c

Ocean Spray Cranberry tin Large 39c pkg.
Sauce 25c | Breeze, 2 for 75c

Royal Instant 3 pkgs. 29c | Barbour's Pure 2 oz. pkg. Pepper, 2 for 35c

Puddings 29c | Peppers, 2 for 35c

Molts Asst. bulk lb. Red Rose 1 lb. tin
Chocolates 49c | Coffee \$1.19

Areo Paste 1 lb. tin Holly Hill 48 oz. tins
Wax 35c | Orange Juice 39c

Wethys 9 oz. bottle Blend Juice 35c
Pineapple Grapefruit
Marmalade 21c | Juice 33c

Snowflake lb. Wagstaff's Cherry 20 oz. tin
Shortening 25c | Pie Filler 39c

Giant reg. 85c New 3 lbs.
Surf. on sale 69c | Carrots 29c

Wethys 9 oz. btl. 2 for 35c
Plum jam 35c

CHOCOLATE

DIAL FREE DELIVERY 1
8813 C.O.D. ORDERS ACCEPTED ELM AVE.

Little Scotty Says BUY 'EM NOW

THOSE SUBURBANITE WINTER TIRES BY GOODYEAR

Little Scotty (the fellow holding the tires above) isn't the type of person to take long chances. He likes the odds in his favor, like the big-league baseball coach who always sits in the seat next the door every time he flies. To avoid the risks involved in winter driving Little Scotty recommends that car drivers drop into Island Tire Service this week and pick up their set of Suburbanite winter tires by Goodyear. He warns that there are months of tough winter and spring driving ahead and there will be times when only suburbanites will see you through. You'll love the sure traction of suburbanites in snow, slush, mud and in the thaws during the spring break up. Imagine how those 1856 sharp suburbanite edges can grab, take hold and boost you along over the winter highways. Have a pair of those amazing tires installed on your car or truck today at Island Tire Service. And watch for the diamonds on the side of the tire — they're proof you're getting genuine rubber.

DRIVE SAFELY WITH SUBURBANITE RETREAD

Island Tire Service will retread your own tires with the Goodyear Suburbanite Tread to give you the same traction, features and quality as the new tire at a much lower cost. Drop in today and see us for your tire needs.

Ice and Snow Make Suburbanites a Must for . . .

- GETTING IN AND OUT OF SNOW-FILLED DRIVEWAYS
- POSITIVE PULL-AWAY FROM PARKING
- SKID-FREE STARTING FROM STOP-LIGHTS
- SAFE, SECURE DRIVING ON RUTTED ROADS

ISLAND TIRE SERVICE
201 WEYMOUTH ST. DIAL 8525