

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

The Juniors Are Rolling

WES 'Bucko' Trainer has his Junior Penguins rolling. Tuesday night at the Sports Arena, the Baby Birds threw a real scare into the league's defending champions, Sandy's Parkdale Royals, before settling for a 2-5 tie. Indeed, the Old Spinnakers had a 3-3 cushion well along in the third frame and only costly penalties brought about the deadlock.

It was only last week that Summerside Combines came to the arena and hung a bad drubbing on the Baby Birds. The junior entry looked really nervous that evening and coach Trainer didn't spare his words on them. He told them he knew they were made of better stuff and he wanted players to start showing it with all their ability from on out.

Thursday night the RCAF Eagles came to town and the Penguins went to work on them, crushing the Airmen in impressive fashion. It was just hard to know if Penguins had improved that much or whether the Eagles were just having a bad night. Fans were holding their opinions until Tuesday when Sandy's Royals would test the ambitious Juniors.

Proof Came Tuesday

WELL Tuesday finally came and those persons who wondered their way to the Nicholson winter playground found out how much the Birds did improve.

They saw them outdistate their senior brethren in the action-packed contest and they witnessed them all but emerge with a triumph. Had they along showed more consistency they might well have tied The Sports Arena with two points instead of one. But the Royals, always the opportunists, took full advantage of those penalties and knew that they were out on an out on Tuesday.

Can Give Good Competition

IT matters little to the Juniors where they finish in the league standings. They are interested in Maritime junior playdowns and getting else. However, they are showing strategy when they might play to play good hockey that the folks will want to see them in action.

There were expressions of opinion earlier this season that the Penguins would soon fail to make the turnstiles click. We hoped those voicing those sentiments were wrong but we wanted the Birds to prove the statement. We thought last week in the final period after veteran minor leaguer Forbes Kennedy of Charlottetown, P.E.I., playing his first game with the Bruins, had skated the length of the ice to tally his first goal.

Are Combines Next?

IN their two meetings with the Combines, the Birds have got to register a victory.

In their first clash at Civic Stadium, the Penguins impressed the Summerside fans by defeating 4-2 but last week the westeners completely outplayed the Old Spinnakers before a disappointed Charlottetown audience.

However next Tuesday night, The Sports Arena should see one of its best games when the Birds try again to topple the league leaders. Yes, the Combines are here on December 11 and the best skater, Trainer crew are already itching for the encounter. They tested victory against Eagles on November 11 and held Royals to a tie on December 4 and have high hopes of adding a couple more points tonight when the Eagles are at the Sports Arena.

If the Birds should come through with a decision over the Combines, then nobody will argue their right to be in the league. Even if they fail, there shouldn't be too much criticism if the Old Spinnakers give the westeners a stern battle.

And right now, the Combines look like the team to beat, MacArthur has them rolling and rolling and rolling and they have their work cut out for them if they hope to retain the Maritime Central Aurora trophy they copped a year ago.

Things are beginning to pick up.



BEAMING BOMBERS

Herb Gray and Steve Patrick (83) of Winnipeg Blue Bombers beam as they hold high the Grey Cup which they won in the final played Saturday and Sunday at Toronto's Exhibition Stadium. At right is Sidney Halter, Canadian Football League commissioner, who made the presentation.

Kennedy Scores One Goal As Bruins Bow To Hawks

CHICAGO (AP)—Third period goals by Ab McDonald and Pierre Plote gave National Hockey League leading Chicago Black Hawks a 5-4 victory over last place Boston Wednesday night.

McDonald's goal, his 12th of the year and second of the game, tied the score at 4-4 midway in the final period after veteran minor leaguer Forbes Kennedy of Charlottetown, P.E.I., playing his first game with the Bruins, had skated the length of the ice to tally his first goal.

the second period. However, Ken Wharram beat Perrault with a 20 footer to put the Hawks back on top, 3-2.

Tommy Williams pulled the Bruins even again midway in the period with a 15-footer over Chicago goalie Glenn Hall's left shoulder.

Kennedy performed his route going off at 8:48 of the final period. The ex-Black Hawk and Detroit Red Wing swept from behind his own cage and cut down centre ice all the way to the Chicago goal mouth, where he slipped the puck past a falling Hall.



FORBES KENNEDY

Third period: 7. Boston, Kennedy 1 6:46; 8. Chicago, McDonald 12 (Hay) 12:46; 9. Chicago, Plote 3 (Hall) 14:33. Penalties—Vanko 13:01, Bucyk 13:16, Bolvin 14:59.

Saves: 17 14 8-60 Perrault 7 10 8-23 Hall

HOCKEY SCORES

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Detroit 3 New York 3
Boston 4 Chicago 5

American League
Cleveland 7 Providence 3
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Knoxville 2 Clinton 0
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Port Huron 6 Muskegon 5

EPHL-IHL
Kingston 5 Syracuse 0
Ontario Senior
Woodstock 2 Chatham 7
Nova Scotia Senior
Moncton 6 Windsor 5
Amherst 6 New Glasgow 5

Intercollegiate
McGill 2 Laval 3

Eagles Playing Birds At Arena

RCAF Eagles are at the Sports Arena tonight looking for their first triumph in I.S.L. and Senior Hockey League competition.

Penguins looked impressive against the Frizzellines and if they continue that style of play tonight, they should hand the boys on hand to provide the opposition.

However, by this time the Airmen are growing tired of being outplayed. The Birds are fresh from that 5-3 drubbing with Sandy's Parkdale Royals and have ambitions to climb much higher in the league standings.

If the Penguins can sideline the Eagles tonight, it will mean that they will be only two points behind second place Parkdale.

Wings, Rangers Play 3 All Draw

NEW YORK (AP)—Detroit Red Wings, who twice blew one-goal leads, came from behind to tie the New York Rangers 3-3 in a National Hockey League game.

The tying marker came on a goal just after Detroit had its fourth forward on the ice. Gordie Howe's slap shot from the point was tipped in by Ullman, eliminating a Red Wings comeback that saw them get 16 shots on goal in the last period.

Dean Prentice scored twice for New York and assisted on another goal. His second goal, a power play late in the middle period, appeared to be the winner until Ullman scored.

THE SUB GOALIES
Each team played with a substitute goalie. Dennis Riggin in place of Terry Sawchenko and Marcel Paille for Gump Bredny for New York. Bob Weis and Worley are injured.

Andre Pronovost, who came to Detroit from Boston earlier this week, gave the Red Wings a lead with his first shot on goal early in the first period. Prentice matched that in the second period. Detroit went up again on Floyd Smith's goal. New York's Larry Cahab tied it for the second time and Prentice gave the Rangers their first lead only 18 seconds after Red Wings back to back Young men assessed his third penalty of the night.

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Leafs Shade Habs 3-1; Stewart Scores Winner

By BILL MacDOUGALL
TORONTO (CP)—Right winger Ron Stewart broke a 1-1 tie Wednesday night to give Toronto Maple Leafs a 3-1 victory over Montreal Canadiens in a National Hockey League game that featured brilliant goalkeeping on both sides.

The Canadiens had managed to tie the game only a minute and a half into the second of the third period—on a goal by Bernie Geoffrion. The Montreal right winger was injured on the play.

Frank Mahovlich scored right in on Bower and sailed from his doorstep. Geoffrion scored by The Leaf goal-tender was shaken up but Geoffrion hurt his wrist. X-rays taken at the Maple Leaf Gardens first aid room showed the possibility of a cracked bone in the lower right wrist. The wrist had been taped because of an earlier injury.

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Stewart scored the winning goal in the 15th minute of the game. He was assisted by Larry Brown and scored from a rebound. The Canadiens goalie, Jacques Plante, was unable to stop Stewart's shot.

Games Played At SDU Rink

GLASGOW ROAD, WEST ROYALTY AND CUNNEY FARM HOCKEY LEAGUE ACTION AT SDU RINK LAST NIGHT.

GLASGOW ROAD CROWNED SOUTHPORT 5-3. WEST ROYALTY DEFEATED TRACEDIE 5-3 AND COVEDWAD WALKED BRACKLEY 7-2.

W. FORD SCORED ALL THREE GOALS FOR GLASGOW ROAD WITH GOAL AND B. PIPPEY EACH COUING ONE GOAL FOR SOUTHPORT.

WEST ROYALTY SCORERS WERE R. PAQUET 2, L. KELLY 1, W. DORON 1, AND L. DOLRON 1. FOR TRACEDIE IT WAS FISHER 2 AND SMITH 1.

IN THE FINAL GAME K. MACDONALD, G. VESSEY AND E. COOPER DETROIT EACH BLASTED TWO GOALS AND L. ASHLEY A SINGLETON.

BRACKLEY GOALKEEPERS WERE BOSTON 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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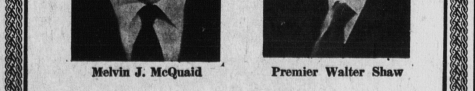
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