

### Lady Thompson Captures Feature Event At Causeway

The Victoria Driving Club yesterday staged the first of a pair of all-star racing cards at North River causeway yesterday afternoon before a bumper crowd of racing fans.

Highlighting the event was the free-for-all trot, won by Lady Thompson, in times of 31:32.2 and 32. The mare is owned by M. T. Thompson of Crapaud.

The Class C pace saw Lady's Boy cop all the three dashes and the Class B pace was won by Carnation Lass. In the Class B Trot, three entries shared the honors, Cedar Crest Deb, Basil Girl and Just In Time.

Another top-notch meet has been lined up for today by the Victoria Driving Club with a free-for-all pace heading the program.

Following were the officials at the meet: Starter on Gate, Lem Neill; Sinclear Cutoffter; Driver of Gate, George Cudmore; Judges, Harold Cudmore, George MacDonald, George Smith; Timers, Charlie Smith, Harry Murphy, Roland Wood, Alton Younker; Numbers Clerk - V. Mulligan; Announcer - W. H. Beaton.

Free-For-All Trot  
Lady Thompson (Chappell) 111  
Colonel Budlong (Thorne) 272  
Nacoma's Bell (Smith) 323  
Tommy Shanter (Bernard) 636  
Lucky Logan (Jones) 645  
My Hero (Neill) 764

Winning horse is owned by M.T. Thompson, Crapaud.  
Class B Pace  
Carnation Lass (Smith) 111  
Frankie Budlong (Kelly) 232  
Noreen Clegg (Bernard) 266  
Stormy C (Carr) 347  
Feather Duster (Sith) 454  
Times: 31, 32-2, 32.

Class C Pace  
Cedar Crest Deb (Hughes) 563  
Diana Henley (Smith) 455  
Barry's Breeze (Rankin) 674  
Times: 33; 32; 32-1.  
Winning horse is owned by Stanley Mayhew, Kinkora.

Class B Trot  
Lady's Boy (Thompson) 111  
Sandy Budlong (Younker) 322  
Whispering Bud (Willis) 2,3 dm  
The Bowers Boy (Downe) 463  
Hasty Road (Hennessey) 554  
Miss Harvester (MacLeod) 746  
Gulf Coast (Shaw) 678  
Times: 32-2; 34-3; 32-2.  
Winning horse is owned by Dave Thompson.

Class B Trot  
Basil-Girl (Downe) 318  
Cedar Crest Deb (Smith) 172  
Just In Time (Kelly) 561  
Michael Peter (Lester) 226  
Gordon Mac (Lester) 842  
Clever Palie (Neill) 638  
Miss Real Money (Giespie) 454  
Farnham Queen (Ramsay) 787  
Times: 35-1; 35-2.  
Cedar Crest Deb is owned by Stanley Mayhew, Kinkora. Basil Girl is owned by Reg MacKenzie and Just In Time is owned by L. Kelly, Soughport.

Bordon Mac came first in the first heat but was set back for beating the gate.

### OCH Whips BHS 7-1 In Opener

Last night at the Sports Arena Queen Charlotte High School boys defeated Birchwood High School by a score of 7-1 in a free-wheeling wide open game of hockey.

The contest was the first of a best of three series for the Island Interscholastic title and the Hawley Crockett trophy, emblematic of same.

In the first period, as Birchwood got off to a shaky start, Queen Charlotte High banged in five unanswered goals. The sandwich session went scoreless and in the third period Queen Charlotte boys fired two markers to one by the Birchwood squad.

Although the final score read 7-1, this really was not a criterion of the night's play. The game all the way was typical school-boy hockey with every player on both teams giving all he had all the way.

Scoring for the winners were Billy MacMillan, Roy Biggar and F. Neilson, each with a pair, with Fernie Robertson picking up the other four.

Long marker for Birchwood was fired by G. Monaghan. Referees Walter Lawlor and Billy Boyles handed out a total of six penalties.



### MAKE FINE SHOWING

The Elmsdale Rockets hockey team made a fine showing in the third round of the semi-finals series. Members of the team are, front row, left to right, Allan

Wallace, Alton Williams, Walter Adams, Elwyn Jelley, Fred Renie, Wendell Matthews. Back row, left to right: Rankin Mac-

Kinnon, Eric Adams, Erskine Matthews, Floyd Hardy, Sam Tibbo, D. Ellis, Chum Hardy, Reg Pridham, Ross Tuplin.

### Confederation Bonspiel Comes To A Close Today

Charlottetown's 12th Annual Confederation Bonspiel is in its final stages and today's all-male bonspiel for the MCA Trophy and Imperial Oil Trophy will climax a week of competition for various trophies and individual prizes.

A total of 19 rinks from such curling centres as Newcastle, Saint John, Moncton, St. Stephen and Sackville in New Brunswick, River Herbert and Pictou in Nova Scotia, plus the rinks from the various Island curling centres, took part in this year's 'spiel.

The 1959 bonspiel was considered the biggest in post-war years and a lot of late entries regrettably had to be rejected.

The opening day of the bonspiel was devoted to the ladies only and the BA trophy was up for grabs. A Charlottetown rink skipped by Sybil MacMillan, won the trophy in this 'spiel. Other members comprising this rink were Marion Dockendorff, Doretha Stewart and Iris MacLellan.

Mixed curling was engaged in on Tuesday and Wednesday. Tuesday saw a quartet skipped by Ed Tanton of Charlottetown, come out on top to capture the Dunham Rose Bowl. Other members of this rink were Shirley Prowse, Ron Ketch and Lois Shaw.

A foursome skipped by Terry Murphy of Moncton were the eventual winners in Wednesday play. The trophy being competed for in this 'spiel was the Morrison and MacTee Trophy. Other members of the winning rink were Nora MacDonald, Clifford MacDonald and Kay Johnson.

The final three days of competition are devoted to the men. Thursday the John 'Snag' Square-briggs-skipped team grabbed the R.T. Holman trophy. Other members of this rink were Mel Jenkins, John Squarebriggs, Jr., and George Whitlock.

Last evening the Doug MacDonaw-skipped quartet of Moncton defeated a rink skipped by Dr. Wren MacDonald 10-5 to win the Charlottetown Wholesale Grocers trophy. Other members of the winning rink were Larry Campbell, Wally Rodd, and Duke MacPhail.

Members of Dr. Wren's runner-up rink were Danny O'Rourke, George Wellner and Andy Humphrey.

The Wren MacLaine-skipped quartet defeated a rink from Moncton skipped by Dr. Steeves, 7-5 to grab first consolation. Other members on the winning rink were J. Cameron, Gordon Bennett and Rusty Chambers.

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### Aces Grab Island Crown With 3-2 Win Over Royals

SUMMERSIDE — The Summerside Aces won the Island intermediate "A" hockey championship at Civic Stadium last night, edging the Parkdale Royals 3-2 and taking the series four games to three. This was the fourth straight home game which the Aces had won by a one-goal margin. The red-shirts had to fight their way back from a 2-0 deficit to win.

The first period ended 2-1 for the visitors, Aces scored two unanswered tallies in the middle session, and the third period was scoreless with the Royals throwing everything they had at the home forces, and the Aces hanging on desperately for the victory.

Angie Carroll scored both goals for Parkdale. His first at 2:20 of the first frame was a long shot from just inside the blue-line which Mann apparently misjudged. His second goal came five minutes later after a sustained bombardment of the Ace cage. Carroll finally pierced Mann's defensive armour on a fairly close-in shot from left wing. Aces made it 2-1 three minutes before the end of the period, Benny Grady firing the shot with Reeves and MacArthur in assisting roles.

The winning goal was engineered by the "kid line" with Greg Deighan parking the rubber behind Roper after both his mates, Claude Gaudet and Gerry Ronahan, had taken shots at the cage. There were some close calls for both sides in the final period. LeRoy Crow broke in alone to be outguessed by Roper, and Ulric Gallant also had only the big-Royal goaler to beat but failed to dent the twines. Doug Williams swooped in fast to take Orin Carver out of play when the Parkdale star was set to shoot from close-range, and Angie Carroll's wicked drive seemed to have Mann beat, but whizzed just outside the post.

A crowd of over 3,400 fans watched the tense, exciting contest. Five minors were handed out by referees Jack Kane and Gord Faulkner, the Aces getting three. Both goalies, Frank Roper and Thane Mann, turned in magnificent jobs in the net.

Parkdale: Goal — Roper; defence — Junior MacLeod, Wood, Duffy, Perry; forwards — Hennessey, Hughes, Shepherd, Whitlock, O. Carver, Carroll, A. Carver, Dunn, K. Ready, S. Carver.  
Aces: Goal — Mann; defence — Reeves, MacArthur, G. Grady, Williams; forwards — Deighan, Ronahan, Gaudet, B. Grady, C. Grady, Clow, Howatt, Harris, Gallant.

First Period: 1. Royals, Carroll (O. Carver) 2:20; 2. Royals, Carroll (Duffy, O. Carver) 7:43; 3. Aces, B. Grady (Reeves MacArthur) 17:16. Penalties: Whitlock, Deighan.  
Second Period: 4. Aces, Howatt (Harris, MacArthur) 7:30; 5. Aces, Deighan (Gaudet, Ronahan) 12:44. Penalties: G. Grady, Carroll.  
Third Period: No score. Penalties: Clow.

Montreal Leads Figure-Skating  
MONTREAL (CP) — Young Montreal figure-skaters led in three of four classes Friday on completion of school figures in the eastern Canada figure skating championships.

Allan McNeil of Verdun led the juvenile men's class, Caroly Tincombe of Lachine the juvenile ladies' class and Diane Lewis of Town of Mount Royal the novice ladies' class.

Blair Armitage of Ottawa was the only out-of-town competitor leading a class—novice men's. Eight skaters qualified in each class and three Moncton, N. B. girls failed to make the grade. Sherry Abramson was 10th in the juvenile ladies. In the novice ladies Susan Blackmore was 17th and Beverley Blackmore 19th.

Events of the Week At SPORTS ARENA SATURDAY—Afternoon Skating 2:30 to 4:15

Friday's Minor Hockey Results  
Results of yesterday's playoff Paperweight "B" games of the Minor League playdowns were as follows:  
Loons 2 vs Ravens 0. Loon goals by Jimmy MacDougal (2).  
Falcons 1 vs Finches 0. Falcons goal by R. Frizell.  
Hawks 0 vs Larks 0. This game was closely played all the way and proved a real crowd filler.  
Canaries 4 vs Otters 3. Canary goals by D. MacIsaac, Paul Jelly (2), Robert Campbell. Otters goals all by Gary Mahar.  
Referees were John Davis (Jr.) Reg Profit, Bill Boyles.

These teams all meet again to day in the second game of their home-and-home series to advance into the second round of play-downs.

### Automatic \$100 Fine For Player Leaving Bench

NEW YORK (AP)—A National Hockey League player who leaves the bench to join in a melee on the ice will be fined \$100 automatically, the board of governors decided Friday.

Previously, the rule provided for a \$25 fine and a 10-minute misconduct penalty. With the increase in the fine, the automatic penalty was removed but the offending player may be sent to the box at the discretion of the officials. The new rule becomes effective immediately.

The governors also set up tentative playoff dates. With Montreal definitely assured of first place and three different teams possible third placers, the board decided that the first two games of the division A semi-final round would be played on March 24 and 26. If Chicago or Boston finishes third, the first two games of division A will be played at Montreal. If New York is third, the first two games with Montreal will be played in Madison Square Garden.

The Division B series, involving second and fourth placers, also will have March 24 and 26 openers with the runner-up club the host in all cases except if the Rangers should finish fourth. Then the New York club will entertain on those dates no matter who finishes second.

Other dates in both best-of-seven series are March 28 and 31, April 2, 4 and 7 if Montreal is host. The dates of games in U.S. cities would be the same except that the March 28 date would be changed to March 29.

### Carmen Basilio Wants Match

NEW YORK (AP)—Carmen Basilio posted \$2,000 bond with the New York State athletic commission Friday and formally challenged Sugar Ray Robinson for the middleweight boxing title.

Basilio, who took the crown from Robinson Sept. 23, 1957, only to lose it back to him March 25, 1958, appeared personally before the new chairman of the commission, Gen. Melvin Krulwick.

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### Moore Is Not Worrying Over Dwindling Margin

By W. R. WHEATLEY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
MONTREAL (CP) — If Dickie Moore is worrying about his dwindling margin as pace-setter in the National Hockey League's sizzling scoring race, he isn't showing it.

With the schedule's end only five games away, Andy Bathgate of New York Rangers is only three points behind the Montreal Canadiens star winger. Andy's six-point spurt in his last two games has also popped him into second place, one point ahead of Montreal's Jean Beliveau.

"What's the use of worrying?" said Moore Friday after Canadiens had breezed through a practice in preparation for Saturday's game with Chicago Black Hawks.

"Maybe the pressure is on me, maybe it's on Bathgate. All I know is I'm not losing any sleep over it. Sure, I'd like to win the title again. Who wouldn't?"  
"But the thing that would really please me would be an exact tie between Beliveau and me. I don't know of anything that would make me happier."  
"No, there's no rivalry between us—if you're thinking that. Jean

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### Ti-Cats Beat Import Rule; Send Lads To U.S. Colleges

Hamilton Tiger-Cats appear to be dodging the ticklish problem of American football imports by sending Canadian-born players to United States colleges.

Whenever Canada's professional teams talk of raising the import quota, a storm of protest is raised by proud Canadians who say they would rather not see the game if it is going to be run by Americans.

How well the Hamilton-sponsored players do in gaining experience in the United States could well set a future trend in the country's two professional leagues, the Western Interprovincial Football Union and the Big Four Football Union.

One of the players, Paul Palmer, 19-year-old Toronto athlete, is grabbing headlines in American college circles.

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### P.E.I. Girls Open Finals Tonight

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Detroit 024 001 100-8 11 2  
Turley, Ditmar (4) Dick (6)  
Howard; Bunnin, Foytack (6) Lee (8) and Wilson. W-Ditmar. L-Foytack. HRS: NY - Richardson, Skowron, Mantle, Howard, Siebern; Det-Maxwell.

Due to the withdrawal of Georgetown Eagle Sisters, from the Girls Open final hockey series, the Island branch AAU of C has ruled that Tryon Legionettes meet Alberton Regalettes at Alberton rink tonight at 8:30 in a sudden death contest for the Island title and the Physical Fitness trophy, emblematic of same.

He's a good prospect, says Elliott. "I really can't say how much Canadian high school rules differ from American but Palmer appeared to make the adjustment to American rules very well as a freshman so we'll give him a good try with the varsity."

Palmer was sent to Michigan by Hamilton coach Jim Trimble along with Pete Billingsley, a 220-pound end from Oakville, and Grant McKee, a 190-pound half back from North Bay.

### STALLION IN SERVICE "Mighty Bold" 2:08.4 H.

A beautiful Red Roan Pacer by "Mighty H", 2:04, a two-minute sire, he by the super sire "Volomite", sire of 33 in 2:00; dam "Janet Abbe" 2:06 H. by Bert Abbe, 1:59.1. dam of Mighty Gold, 2:04 1-5; Mighty Lucky, 2:02 1-5; Mighty Duchess, 2:07-1-5; Mighty Bold; 2:08 4-5; Mighty Brave, 2:10. This horse has all the qualities of a good sire—Breed, Speed, Courage and Manners.

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