SPORTS FRONT

By JIM CULLEN

Gerry Corues Reputation

Sometimes it is quite a chore for a son to fill his fathers' shoes when it comes to living up to his achievements in the world of sport. Gerry Kane of Charlottetown had quite a task in front of him when he laced on his first pair of skates, if he was to hope to come near the mark carved by his late father Jackie Kane in Maritime hockey circles.

We came across a clipping the other day that although very few Islanders need to be reminded, will illustrate part of the sports legend left behind by Jackie Kane. The write-up told of how the Truro Bearcats had come out on top with a 3-2 decision over the Charlottetown Abbies in the days of the old big six. The account of the game told of how: "Ray Stull in the Abegweit cage turned in a brilliant display" and mentioned the commendable work of Johnny Squarebriggs and then it came to Jackie Kane.

"One player among the galaxy of amateur stars stood out in high relief, the king pin of them all Jackie Kane. Kane was a darting meteoric skater last evening, masterful in his control of the puck, a hockey player par excellance. It is not to much to say that he ran wild, untamed by the utmost the Bearcats could do to stop him. Had some of his mates kept abreast of the dizzy pace he set, Truro would never have entered the picture."

This is only part of the legend of the speedy pivot man and his son Gerry is carving his own reputation in Maritime hockey circles at the present time. Gerry is performing with the Lancaster Mooseheads of the Southern New Brunswick Hockey League, although, he is still only at the tender age of 17.

Gerry was a star performer with the Buck Whitlock coached Charlottetown Legion team, that went to the Maritime juvenile playoffs, last season. Kane has dented the twines on five occasion and contributed four assissts to put himself in second place in the Southern New Brunswick league scoring race.

The Southern New Brunswick loop has some pretty fair Maritime senior hockey players in the persons of Doug Hewey (Kanes' linemate), Doug MacPhee and Dave Inch, former University of New Brunswick goaltending star. This is pretty fair company for a youngster stepping out of juvenile ranks.

Gerry has also been spending considerable time in the sin bin. Doug MacPhee, Maritime Senior League star with the Halifax Schooners is leading the league in this department with 35 minutes, four more than Kane and seven more than Lancaster's Murph Allan. So all-in-all this columnist believes Gerry has been doing a pretty fair job of filling a big pair of shoes" left by his illustrious father in Maritime hockey circles.

Tid Bits From Here And There

Gordie Howe put an end to any doubts that he may be washed up in the National Hockey League Wednesday night as he banged home two markers and helped out on two others to lead the Red Wings to a 7-3 triumph over the New York Rangers. Howe's outburst broke the longest scoring slump the National Hockey League super-star has experienced in his 19 year career in the NHL.

Ken's Pride owned by Otto Smith of Summerside, P.E.I., and Princess Beverly were double dash winners on a 10-dash harness racing card at exhibition raceway Wednesday, in Halifax.

Regina Pats of the Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League will send three players to Montreal to join the Montreal Junior Canadiens in a game against Czechoslavakian national team Jan. 5. The players are forwards Fran Huck and Andre Lagueux and defenceman Doug Piper. Five or six players from the Peterborough Petes will also inforce the Junior Canadiens for the exhibition contest.

Butch Songin, a quarterback with the Hamilton Tiger-Cats of the Eastern Football Conference 10 years ago, was named Coach of the Year Wednesday by his fellowmeners of the Atlantic Coast Football League.

Songin, who retired as a player in 1963 after several seasons in the American League, led Boston Sweepers to the Atlantic coast title in his first year as head coach.

Rogers Rangers Trip Welshmen

Rogers Rangers remained undefeated in the Charlottetown and District Junior Hockey League as they defeated Prince of Wales Welshmen by a score of 9-5.

The Rangers played a solid two way game while the Welshmen tried to play a wide open one. Time and time again the Rangers had a two on one or a three on one break only to be upset by some erratic shooting or by a save from the Welshmen goaltender.

The Rangers opened the scoring at the 5:46 mark of the first period when Mike MacDonald scored with assists going to Ellsworth. The Rangers continued their mastery of the Welshmen and scored two more goals before they got a reply from the Prince of Wales team.

The second period saw only two goals scored, both by the then Jim MacDougall tallied to Rangers. First Kennedy scored make the score read 5-1 after 40 minutes of action.

Prince of Wales scored first in the third period when Joey Brown blinked the light at the 1:48 mark. The Rangers then tallied three before the Welshmen found their scoring eye again. First MacLeod then Campbell and Ellsworth scored to put the game out of sight as far as the Welshmen were concerned. But the Welshmen still had lots of fight left in them as they came back to score at 16:25. The Rangers got that goal back just seven seconds later. Houston then scored twice for the Welshmen to round out the scoring for the night.

There were 29 penalties with the Welshmen picking up 15 of them. All the penalties except a misconduct and a game misconduct to Boyles of the Welshmen were minors.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1. Rang. — Mac Donald (Ellsworth) 5.46; 2. Rang. — V. MacDougall (Murchinson, MacEachern) 9.20; 3. Rang. — MacDonald (Campbell) 14.00; 4. PWC — Cyr (D. MacArthur, R. MacArthur) 18.48. Penalties — Duncan, Boyles (mice), MacLeod, Duncan, Murchinson, Murchinson.

Second Period: 5 Rang. — Kennedy (MacEachern, Campbell) 5.04; 6. Rang. — J. MacDougall (Campbell) 15.58. Penalties — Duncan, V. MacDougall, Brown, Thompson, Crane, MacEachern, Duncan, D. MacArthur, MacEachern, Thompson.

Third Period: 7. PWC — Brown (Cyr, R. MacArthur) 1.48; 8. Rang. — MacLeod (Kennedy, MacDonald) 6.28; 9. Rang. — Campbell (MacEachern) 8.32; 10. Rang. — Ellsworth (Kennedy) 10.11; 11. PWC — Brown (unassisted) 16.25; 12. Rang. — Campbell (Ellsworth) 16.32; 13. PWC — Houston (Cyr, Brown) 18.02; 14. PWC — Houston (Brown) 19.28. Penalties — Turner, Murchinson, D. MacArthur, Duncan, Ford, Watin, Kennedy, Boyles (min., misc.), Duncan, MacEachern, Ford, Kennedy.

Minor Hockey

The following is the remainder of this week's schedule in the Charlottetown Hockey League.

BANTAM

Friday, Dec. 18th. — 5:15 p.m. — Flyers vs Hawks; 6 p.m. — Hornets vs. Clippers.

Saturday, Dec. 19th. — 12.30 p.m. — Aces vs Comets; 7.20 p.m. — Indians vs Knights; 8.05 p.m. — Senators vs. Totems; 8.50 p.m. — Barons vs Blades

PEE WEE

Sat. Dec. 19th — 7 a.m. — Springers vs Seals; 7.45 a.m. — Coyotes vs Bisons; 8.30 a.m. — Foxes vs Wolves; 9.15 a.m. — Racoons vs Rams; 10 a.m. — Ice Cleaning; 10:15 a.m. — Zebras vs Setters; 11.00 a.m. — Otters vs Elks; 11.45 a.m.— Caribous vs Lions.

PAPERWEIGHT

Sat. Dec. 19th — 5 p.m. — Ice 1 — Bluebirds vs. Sparrows; Ice 2 — Cardinals vs Eagles, Ice 3 — Ducks vs. Falcons. 5.40 p.m. — Ice 1 — Robins vs Jays Ice 2 — Blackbirds vs Redbirds; Ice 3 — Ravens vs. Orioles; 6.20 p.m. — Ice 1 — Owls vs Larks Ice 2 — Loons vs Crows; Ice 3 — Gulls vs Hawks.

The following changes in the Paperweight Division have been approved and are effective immediately. Coaches, players and parents please note: Lorne Rhynes transferred from Sparrows to Ravens; John MacMillan transferred from Falcons to Hawks; John Abbott transferred from Eagles to Gulls.

NHL STANDINGS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

National League

	W	L	T	F	A	Pt
Montreal	13	7	6	78	61	32
Detroit	13	10	4	71	68	30
Toronto	11	9	7	79	66	29
Chicago	13	11	2	83	69	28
New York	9	11	7	65	81	25
Boston	6	17	4	64	95	16

AMERICAN LEAGUE MVP

Gino Cappelletti (right) named most valuable player of the American Football League by an Associated Press panel, chats with teammates who placed on the annual Associated Press All-A.F.L. team during a practice session in Boston today for their game with the Buffalo Bills Sunday. Left to right: Babe Parilli, Larry Eisenhauer, Billy Neighbors, Nick Buoniconti, Ron Hall, nad Cappelletti. (AP Wirephoto)

Toronto, Montreal Tie 2-2; Bruins Snap Losing Streak

MONTREAL (CP)—Montreal Canadiens overcame a two-goal third - period deficit Thursday night to earn a 2-2 tie with Toronto Maple Leafs in a rousing National Hockey League game before 14,410 fans.

Goals by John Ferguson and Jacques Laperriere gave the Canadiens the tie, and enabled them to hold on to a slim first-place lead in the NHL standings.

Frank Mahovlich and Carl Brewer were the scorers for Toronto who moved into sole possession of third place, one point ahead of idle Chicago.

The tie cost Canadiens dearly. They lost Gilles Tremblay, late in the third period with a broken right leg, the result of a crunching end-zone board check by Ron Ellis. Tremblay was carried from the ice in a stretcher and will be lost to the team for the rest of the season.

He had been the Habs' best scorer against the Leafs this season.

The teams played to a scoreless tie in the opening period with Canadiens having a slight edge in the play. But Leafs took over in the second, completely outplaying the Habs, firing 14 shots at goalie Charlie Hodge.

Mahovlich put the Leafs in front finally on a power-play goal at 18:38 with Ferguson in the penalty box for interference on Ron Stewart.

SUMMARY

First period—No scoring

Penalties — Ferguson 3:21, Brewer 9:08, Douglas 10:30, Beliveau 19:15.

Second Period — 1. Toronto, Mahovlich 7 (Keon, Bathgate) 18:38. **penalties** — Laperriere 14:19, Ferguson 18:05.

Third Period — 2. Toronto, Brewer 2 (Stewart) 0:37, 3. Montreal, Ferguson 6 (Backstrom, Larose) 3:30, 4. Montreal, Laperriere 4 (Balon) 8:50.

Penalties — Brewer, Talbot 2:50; Baun 14:40.

Saves

Bower	10	5	9—24
Hodge	6	13	8—27

BOSTON 5, DETROIT 3

DETROIT (AP)—A three-goal spurt in the second period carried Boston to a 5-3 National Hockey League victory over Detroit Red Wings Thursday night and snapped the Bruins' losing streak at four games.

Usually low - scoring Boston now has tallied 14 goals in its last three games.

Reg Fleming, Murray Oliver and Ab McDonald were the Boston marksmen in the second period as the Bruins scored their firs triumph on Detroit ice in 14 outings.

Ted Lindsay gave the Red Wings the lead when he scored at 2:50 of the first period.

That turned out to be the only time Detroit led as Boston tied the score later in the period on Dean Prentice's marker and held the lead two other times before Oliver put them in front to stay.

Two of the Boston goals came on power plays. Each was scored within 15 seconds after the Bruins took the man advantage.

The two teams combined for three goals two of them by Boston, in a 59-second span early in the second period.

Fleming scored at 1:49 but Alex Delvecchio led a Detroit rush and knotted the score again when he fired the puck through goalie Ed Johnston's legs at 2:11.

Detroit's Doug Barkley was penalized for hooking at 2:40 and Oliver flashed the red light for the Bruins again, steering in Ted Green's shot from the blue line.

A little over four minutes later, Fleming snatched the puck out of the corner in the Detroit end and passed it to McDonald who shot and scored before goalie Roger Crozier could move.

The Bruins tied the score again when Prentice scored just 14 seconds after Detroit's Marcel Pronovost was waved off for interference at 9:20.

Boston went ahead for the first time later as Tom Williams beat Crozier with a backhander.

But Detroit tied the score again 34 seconds later as Delbecchio won a face-off and shot at the Boston net. Gordie Howe and Paarkey MacDonald each jabbed at the puck before the latter put it into the net.

SUMMARY

First Period—1. Detroit, Lindsay 5 (MacGregor, Joyal) 2:50, 2. Boston, Prentice 11 (Oliver, Green) 9:34, 3. Boston, Williams 4 (Prentice) 15:35, 4. Detroit, MacDonald 5 (Delvecchio, Howe) 16:09. **Penalties** — Smith 5:46, Pronovost 9:20, Awrey 9:54.

Second period — 5 Boston, Fleming 7 (McDonald, Knibbs) 1:49, 6. Detroit, Delvecchio 8 (Howe, MacDonald) 2:11, 7.Boston, Oliver 5 (Green, Bucyk) 2:48, 8. Boston, McDonald 3 (Fleming) 6:52. **penalties** — Barkley 2:40, Boivin 16:53.

Third Period — No scoring

Penalties—Maxner :53.

Saves

Johnston	9	11	16—36
Crozier	6	8	14—28

Juniors Meet Borden Nats

Summerside Junior Legionnaires take on Borden Nationals in a Prince County Hockey League game here tonight at Civic Stadium. Game time is 9:15.

The hard skating Juniors, currently in last place, face one of the hottest players in the league in Fe White. Picking up a goal and three assists in Wednesday's game against Enman Drug, White has quickly taken over the individual scoring with 12 goals and nine assists. Linemates Al Andrews and Gerard Roberts are on the move too. Roberts has pulled into, and shares third place with Alan Gaudet of the Juniors. Roberts has five goals and 11 assists.

Andrews, after missing the first few opening season game, has come on strong, collecting four goals and nine assists, good enough for a share of seventh place. Borden as a team, are in second place with five wins and three losses.

Defencemen John Beer and Gerry 'Smelt' Smith are back with the Legionnaires after being sorely missed in the last game with the league leading RCAF Eagles. Both were given one game suspensions for fighting.

Against each other, both teams have a win and a loss. The Legionnaires thumped Borden 12-4 the first time out. The Nationals came back with a 5-2 win.

Souris Curling

The following is the Turkey Bonspiel at Souris for Friday, December 18.

7-9 P.M.

Ice One—C. Gallant, D. Townstean, R. Campbell, R. Coffin vs. J. Gallant, M. LaPrech, E. Doucette, R. Jenkins.

Ice Two — A. MacLean, H Poole, Dr. Kassner, A. Mallard vs. J. Campbell, C. MacDonald, D. Acorn, T. Gallant.

9-11 P.M.

Ice One — A. Peters Sr., D Pierce, D. Steward, M. Birt vs R. Soloman, R. Peters, J. Hughes, E. Glenn.

Ice Two — A. Griffin, D. MacLaren, J. MacLean, W. Coffin vs. N. Fitzpatrick, W. Fudge, J. Young, W. Marold.

DOCTOR STOOD BY

British actress Shirley Eaton, the girl covered in gold paint in the James Bond movie Goldfinger, always had a doctor beside her during the film's shooting in case the paint caused respiratory troubles.

FORUM SKATING

SATURDAY, DEC. 19th

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Children—10c; (Parents accompanying—25c)

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School Ages—10c; Senior teens and Adults—25c

Black Hawks Have Joined NHL Two Goalie System

By JERRY LISKA

CHICAGO (AP)—It isn't exactly platooning, but Chicago Black Hawks have joined the National Hockey League trend towards twin goalies.

This developed last week when veteran Glenn Hall, 33, benched himself for a rest and rookie Denis DeJordy, 26, jumped into the nets and prevailed for five successive victories.

DeJordy, who played only five full Hawk games last season, allowed just nine goals during the Hawk spurt, but five came in Wednesday night's 7-5 Hawk trimming of Boston Bruins here.

Can a rested Hall get his job back?

"We now have two goalkeepers and they're both good ones," said coach Billy Reay Thursday. "Both will make the trip to Montreal and Boston this weekend.

"Whether it will be DeJordy or Hall at Montreal Saturday night is just a toss-up. There is not much difference between them now. Whoever we have in the nets, we're still sure to get good goal-keeping."

ONE-GOALIE TEAMS

Among the six NHL teams, only Detroit Red Wings with Roger Crozier and Boston with Ed Johnston are one - goalie teams.

GLENN HALL

Toronto Maple Leafs have been alternating 40 - year - old John Bower and 33 - year -old Terry Sawchuk, former Red Wing star. The first-place Montreal Canadiens have Charley Hodge, last year's Vezina Trophy winner, being spelled by Gump Worsley, one-time New York Rangers' ace.

The Rangers have Marcel Paille and Jacques Plante dividing time in the nets.

Reay doesn't like the term platooning. "I don't believe in alternating goalies just to be alternating," he said. "It's a terrific strain for a goalie to be under the gun for 70 regular season games and then the playoffs and keep alert all the way.

"We like to think DeJordy has developed to the extent of being a good replacement when we want to rest Hall."

Prince Of Wales Rifle Results

The following is a result of the shoot held at the Mountie Barracks by the Prince of Wales College Small Bore Rifle Club on Dec. 16.

Scott MacDonald	99—9
John Peake	94—2
Ernest Prowse	93—3
Donnie Deacon	92—4
Ken Yeo	92—2
Larry Jones	90—1
John Wonnacott	89—3
Jane Larkin	88—2
David Wood	87—2
Tom Stewart	84—4
Blois Coles	84—1
Ian Smith	80
Kenneth Smith	08
Bill Hennessey	80

Next shoot Dec. 23 — all welcome.

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Sat. Schedule For Referees

The following is the schedule of referees on duty during Saturday's minor hockey program:

4:45 to 7 p.m. — Rink 1 — Walter White; Ice 2 — Derryl Doyle; Ice 3 — Leo Doiron.

7:20 to 9:30 p.m. — Bob Crockett, Jim Poulton, Grant Crockett, Brian Lewis.

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(FRIDAY)

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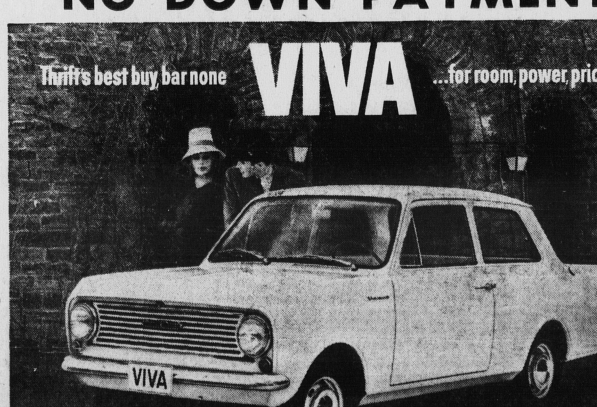

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