

Wanderers Will Play Abbies Here Saturday In Cup Semi-Final

The Halifax Wanderers will meet the Charlottetown Abbies here on Saturday afternoon in a sudden death game for the semi-final honors of the McCurdy Cup competition. It was announced yesterday by M. E. Mike Campbell.

Mr. Campbell was in contact with the Halifax officials several times over the week-end and the Wanderers agreed to come here on the conditions that they receive a \$100 guarantee to cover expenses and also get accommodations for their players.

Although short on funds—as a matter of fact without any—the Abbies decided to accept the Halifax terms. "We figure that we have a better chance of beating them here than anywhere else," stated Mike, "and we can only trust that the fans will support us."

Roy MacDonald of Glace Bay has been selected to referee the game the Abbies have learned from Dr. Cecil MacLean of Antigonish. MacLean was to referee the game last year in which the Abbies lost to Glace Bay but he was not available for duty on account of an intercollegiate game.

Missing for the big game Saturday against the Wanderers will be fullback Art Perry. Art, who was a tower of strength to the Abbies, wrenched his knee last Saturday in the game against the Saint John Mariners and will be out for the rest of the season.

The Abbies and the Wanderers played an exhibition game here several weeks ago and the Abbies won 3-0. In last Saturday's game against Truro the Wanderers were victorious by a 17-0 score. The winner of the Charlottetown-Halifax game will meet St. F.X. in a two game series for the McCurdy Cup.

Grain Kings Named At Winter Fair

TORONTO, Nov. 12.—(CP)—The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, mecca for thousands of farmers and the season's social highspot for top-hatted horse lovers, opens tomorrow in the Coliseum on Toronto's Exhibition Grounds.

Prize livestock, horses and farm produce have arrived to compete for more than \$142,000 in prize money. Some 3,000 exhibitors have sent 17,000 entries.

Pre-fair judging of grain took place today with 21-year-old Howard Roppel of Rockyford, Alta., winning the world wheat championship with an exhibition of Marquis.

Other grain kings named today:

Corn—H. L. Stiegelmeyer, Normal, Ill.; reserve, Glen Smiley, Millford, Ill.

Rye—Albert Kessel, Rosetown, Sask.; reserve, Chris Morck, Dixon, Alta.

Barley—T. S. Brown and Sons, Cassils, Alta.; reserve, Harry V. Holt, Peace River, Alta., member of the Peace River Junior Farmers' Barley Club.

Oats—Matthew B. Schnurer, Sangudo, Alta.; reserve, Gordon S. Meyer, Elmwood, Alta.

Two new competitions were inaugurated at the fair today—soybeans and forage crops.

R. H. Peck of River Canard, near Windsor, Ont., won the soybean championship and runner-up was Mr. Stiegelmeyer of Normal, Ill.

Ken Davie of New Westminster, B. C. won the forage-crop championship with an exhibit of red clover, also shown by runner-up A. C. Gilmore of Lulu Island, B. C.

Tarpaulin Good, But Plenty Of Manpower Needed

EAST LANSING, Mich., Nov. 12.—(CP)—A tarpaulin spread on Michigan State University's Mackinac Stadium gridiron protected the turf from last week's unseasonable snow storm and left a dry, fast field for State's 35-0 victory over Notre Dame Saturday.

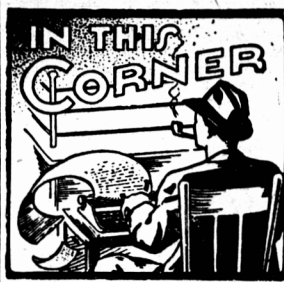
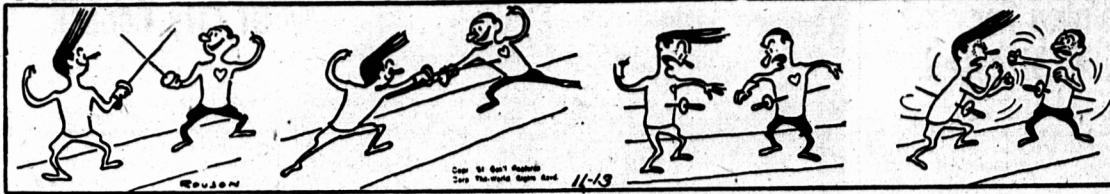
Players said that when the tarpaulin was removed for the game, they found the snow piled on it had packed the turf leaving the field in good condition.

But some said such an operation as laying a tarpaulin and then removing the vast weight of snow on it could only be done where plenty of manpower was available.

Shovel crews worked around the clock Friday to complete the herculean task.

Mechanical scrapers could not be used to clear the field because of the possibility of damage to the canvas. A crew of paid workers, numbering up to 150 men at times, started the shovelling job Thursday and worked through the night into Friday.

LITTLE SPORT



IN THIS CORNER

Wilf Fields, who verbally blasted the Islanders after the opening game here about a month ago, had words of praise for the team last night following the game. "They have shown a lot of improvement since the first game and since they cut out the viciousness they have become a good club," he stated. "They play a good rugged game out there now and that defense can make any forward respect them. I stated after the first game that they did not cut out the vicious tactics and I believe Leo must have had quite a talk with them." Fields added that he did not see one thing out of place last night.

The talk got around to Phil Vitale and Fields had a bouquet to hand out to Phil. "He's a pretty fair hockey player when he settles down," said the Halifax mentor, "and I would take him on my club any day." Speaking about the game itself, Fields said he thought it was pretty fair hockey and that if some of his own players had not made a few bad plays they would have tied or won the contest. Asked about the mix-up behind the Halifax bench between the Halifax players and the fans, he said that some one got excited and grabbed him from behind when Bob Gray scored his goal. "They can shout all they like, I don't want them to start grabbing me. When I looked around there were about five fists staring me in the face," he added.

Kevin Conway will not be joining the Halifax Club, at least for some time. Fields stated that Conway was involved in a deal between Wayne Stevenson and Bob Drainville and that the "Crusher" was being placed with a club in Penticon, a town with a population of about 10,000 in British Columbia. Conway is subject to immediate recall. Drainville arrived in Halifax last night and will line up with the Saints tonight in their game against Glace Bay.

Fields stated that the M.M.H.L. is a good league and that both Halifax and Moncton will have to be strengthened. Halifax, he stated, needs a lot of help on right wing and Denis Smith, who will leave with Halifax today will be given every opportunity to make the team. He said that Smith would be given a couple of weeks to prove himself. Denny saw the game from the press box last night and watched the play like an impartial fan. He had words of praise for Hal Gordon whom he termed a steady goalie.

The "Buck" Whitlock line turned in its best game of the season last night with "Buck" himself playing an outstanding game. His goal was one of the smoothest pieces of work that has been witnessed for a while and it showed one of the reasons why he scored 57 of them last year. The three for one trade by which Leo Lamoureux acquired "Buck" from Moncton could easily turn out to be the best trade that was made in the M.M.H.L. this year.

The Trainer line was going a storm and within two or three games this trio of Trainer, Favero and Pawlyshyn should be back to their last year's form. Pawlyshyn, due to his long lay-off is not back in shape but "Buck" showed last night that he is once again becoming the "Buck" of other years while "Red" Favero is continuing to show improvement with each game.

Freddy Hildebrand has purchased his own release from the Victoria Cougars and is now a free agent. He has been in contact with coach Leo Lamoureux and may be on his way here shortly. At the end of last season Hildebrand expressed a desire to play with the Islanders.

Islanders Come From Behind For 5-3 Win Over Halifax St. Mary's

Leo Lamoureux's Charlottetown Islanders unleashed a torrid three goal third period attack at the Forum last night to come from behind and defeat Halifax St. Mary's 5-3 in a game that produced both ragged and brilliant hockey and saw a minor riot in the stands between the Halifax players and the fans.

The win moves the Islanders into sole possession of second place one point above the idle Glace Bay Miners. The Islanders have 17 points and the Miners 16 but the Miners have a game in hand.

Trailing 3-2 as the third period got underway the Islanders sprung for the attack. Peppy "Red" Favero tied the game up before the two minute mark and shortly afterwards right winger Johnny Morrow scored the winner. Bullet Bob Gray ended the scoring for the night with a blistering shot into the twines.

Gray's goal was the signal for the outbreak between the players and fans. A couple of punches were thrown between the Halifax coach and a fan and several play-fighters started up the seats. The police were called on and the disturbance was settled without any further damage being done.

Opens Scoring

Newcomer "Toby" Brown opened the scoring early in the game to send the Islanders into a 1-0 lead. "Buck" Whitlock scored the Islanders' other goal on a picture play.

Pete Leswick scored the only Halifax goal in the first period. Freddy Weaver and Bjll Ford counted twice for the Santamarians in the second session.

Play was dull in the first two periods but in the last session the teams opened up and gave the good looking crowd their money's worth. Only three penalties were handed out, one in the second period and two in the last stanza.

The Islanders played without the services of Johnny Dutchak, Bing Merluk and Don Bellringer. Missing from the Saints lineup was centremen Billy Watson.

Play started away slowly in the first period with Bill Ford having the first shot on goal as he fired a sizzling 30 footer which Gordon caught on his pads. Shortly afterwards at the other end of the rink, Pawlyshyn rolled one by an open corner.

Then Brown made the red light blink. "Buck" Whitlock carried the puck up the ice and into the corner. Jim MacKenzie tore in and fished it out from behind the net with a pass onto Brown's stick. Brown slid the puck into the corner.

Seven minutes later Pete Leswick got the equalizer. He knocked in a ten footer on which Gordon had no chance. Whitlock sent the Islanders ahead 2-1 as he stickhandled into the clear, drew out Frechette and slipped the puck behind him.

Freddy Weaver's long shot which deflected off Larry Travis skate put the Saints on an even basis with the Islanders early in the second session. Bill Ford sent the Saints ahead 3-2 with a beautiful goal late in the period. He took Leswick's rinkwise pass at the blueline to break into the clear and draw Gordon.

But that was the Saints last effort. At the 1:39 mark of the third period Favero tied matters up. Bob Gray backhanded a drive from the blueline that bounced off the boards. "Buck" Trainer picked up the puck and put it on Favero's waiting stick.

It was left to Johnny Morrow to fire the winner. Whitlock started off the play with a pass-out from the net to Phil Vitale. Big Phil blazed a low one that missed the open corner but MacKenzie got the rebound off the boards and sent it out to Johnny Morrow was well covered but he managed to get his stick free and send the disc past Frechette.

The Islanders were a man short when Bob Gray fired the insurance marker. A Halifax play was broken up at the Islanders

defence and Gray along with Morrow broke away with one man to beat. Bob carried in over the blueline and let go a drive about 25 feet from the net. The red light was on before Frechette could move.

The Saints came back to the attack and Gray again saved the day while the Islanders were a man short as he pulled the puck away from a Halifax forward at the goal mouth. The game ended with the Marshall line swarming around the Halifax net.

Game Odds and Ends

Larry Travis dove head first into the seats in the first period as he went to check a Halifax forward. All that could be seen of Larry was his two feet. Bob Gray and Phil Vitale turned in strong games on the Islanders defence and played a major role in beating the Saints.

Referees Hugh Gillis and Charles Good had quite an argument among themselves regarding where face-off should be called in the second period. The face-off was called after the Islanders scored a disallowed goal. "Buck" Whitlock was a ball of fire all night and played one of his best games here. The Trainer line led by "Buck" also pulled off quite a number of good plays.

Johnny Morrow and Toby Brown alternated on right wing on the Whitlock line and both boys turned in good games. Pete Leswick showed himself to be quite an opportunist and wasted no time in drifting the puck behind Gordon in the first period. Hal pulled off a terrific save in the second period as he blocked a rebound shot on the short side. Denis Smith, who will leave with Halifax today, watched the game from the press box.

Halifax — Goal, Frechette; defence, Nixon, Keating, MacNeill; forwards, Weaver, Wilkes, Leswick, Brown, McArthur, Ford, Lewis, Pearson, Campbell, Thompson.

Charlottetown — Goal, Gordon; defence, Travis, Vitale, McLagan, Gray; forwards, Trainer, Favero, Marshall, Bonhomme, Whitlock, Pawlyshyn, MacKenzie, Brown, Beauvy, Morrow.

Officials — Good and Gillis.

First Period

1—Charlottetown, Brown (MacKenzie, Whitlock) 6:48

2—Halifax, Leswick (McArthur, Ford) 13:26

3—Charlottetown, Whitlock (Brown, McLagan) 15:02

Penalties—None.

Second Period

4—Halifax, Weaver 5:59

5—Halifax, Ford 14:02

Penalties—MacNeill 18:38.

Third Period

6—Charlottetown, Favero (Trainer, Gray) 1:39

7—Charlottetown, Morrow (Vitale, MacKenzie) 4:04

8—Charlottetown, Gray 11:25

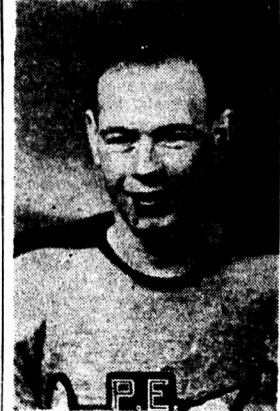
Penalties—McLagan 8:58; Vitale 10:30.

Steps:

Frechette 5 15 10-30

Gordon 8 8 5-21

Scores Winner



Johnny Morrow (above) scored the winning goal for the Islanders last night in their 5-3 victory over Halifax. Johnny scored his goal at the 4:04 mark of the third period about two minutes after "Red" Favero had tied the game at 3-3. Morrow's goal came on a play with MacKenzie, Vitale and Whitlock.

Sydney Juniors Win Opener

SYDNEY, N. S. Nov. 12.—(CP)—Sydney Millionaires opened defence of their Cape Breton Junior Hockey League crown at home tonight with a 10-2 triumph over Glace Bay Miners.

The teams shift to Glace Bay tomorrow night. The third league entry, Northsides Franklyn Sports Club, will not get into action until next week.

Wouters Ordered To Defend Canadian Title

QUEBEC, Nov. 12.—(CP)—The Canadian Boxing Federation today ordered Roy Wouters of Montreal to defend his Canadian middleweight title against Jimmy Langston of Vancouver in the coast city.

Decision of the C. B. F., at its annual convention here, followed a dispute between the two boxers after they signed a contract to meet for the 160-pound crown in Vancouver.

Evidence brought before the convention showed Wouters' attempt to change the site of the bout to Montreal. The Vancouver promoters and Langston refused the transfer.

The date for the fight will be set later. The C. B. F. ruled Wouters will collect 37½ per cent of the receipts and Langston 12½ per cent. The convention also adopted these regulations:

1. All boxers born in Canada or holding naturalization papers may fight in a championship bout;
2. A champion may fight for the title in a heavier category and hold the two crowns if he wins;
3. Gloves will weigh six ounces for all flyweight to lightweight fights, and eight ounces for the welterweight and heavyweight divisions.
4. A boxer rated "outstanding" by the C. B. F. must meet a federation-rated "contender" before getting a shot at the title in his own division.

Beavers Boost Lead With 5-2 Victory Over Moncton Hawks

FREDERICTON, Nov. 12.—(CP)—The eager Saint John Beavers extended their already commanding lead in the Maritime Major Hockey League with another win over Moncton Hawks tonight — this time 5-2.

The result left Beavers 11 points ahead of Charlottetown Islanders, who dislodged the idle Glace Bay Miners from second place by trimming Halifax St. Mary's 5-3 tonight. Charlottetown is one point in front of Miners and has a two-point lead over Moncton.

Beavers gained a 2-0 advantage in the first period, added one in the second and led 4-0 early in the third before Hawks fired a brace.

Paces Saint John

Johnny Ubrico paced the Saint John scorers with two. Matt Mesich, Nick Nicolle and Ron Hurst had singles. Ed Mulligan led in the assist department with three. For Moncton, Charlie Knox and Geoff Burman tallied.

The game originally was scheduled for Saint John Wednesday night. In moving it ahead and to Fredericton after Beavers licked Hawks 7-1 here Saturday, club officials said that because of dwindling attendance some further Saint John home games might be played at Amherst or other towns.

More than 2,000 fans were in York Arena for tonight's contest. Although outshot in the last period, Hawks rallied strongly after being outskated in the first two sessions. During the first 40 minutes, however, Saint John goalie Phil Hughes was called up to make five more stops than his opposite number, Tom Lockhart.

Mesich and Ubrico tallied in the first period and Nicolle counted the second period marker. The Moncton brace followed Ubrico's second early in the final stanza.

Al Buchanan of Saint John was off when Knox made good on a pass from Ron Matthews for Hawks' opener. Two minutes later Burman scored a deflected shot, with assists by Tom Kilby and Laurie May. Hurst, Saint John right winger, ended the scoring at 12:08.

Penalties were restricted to five minors, all against Beavers. Both goalies had the same number of saves—22.

Play was fast and exciting for Fredericton fans who had their first taste of Maritime major league in action aside from pre-season exhibitions.

Moncton — Goal, Lockhart; defence, Winemaster, May, Olson, Matthews; forwards, Hamilton, D. Horeck, Scholés, Fillion, Pirie, Burman, Clements, Knox, Marshall, Kilby.

Saint John — Goal, Hughes; defence, Lee, Hon, Mesich, Arundel; forwards, Ubrico, Smelle, Hurst, Meldrum, Nicolle, McCracken, Mulligan, Watson, Buchanan, Langelle.

Referees — Hugh MacLean and Lawrence Hefferling.

First Period

1—Saint John, Mesich (Arundel, Ubrico) 1:16

2—Saint John, Ubrico (Smelle, Meldrum) 17:02

Penalties — Watson 9:17, McCracken 18:10.

Second Period

3—Saint John, Nicolle (Mulligan, Langelle) 1:45

Penalties — Team 9:00, Lee 18:22

Third Period

4—Saint John, Ubrico (Mulligan) 2:28

5—Moncton, Knox (Matthews) 6:15

6—Moncton, Burman (Kilby, May) 8:24

7—Saint John, Hurst (Mulligan) 12:08

Penalty — Buchanan 4:31.

Stops:

Lockhart 8 4 12-22

Hughes 8 7 7-22

Gil Turner Wins By Knockout

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—(AP)—Gil Turner, perpetual motion punching Philadelphia welterweight, scored a technical knockout over Bernie (Big Duke) Ducusen tonight in the sixth round of a scheduled 10-rounder. Turner weighed 146 1-2 and Ducusen 145 1-2.

The 21-year-old Turner gained his 25th straight victory of an unbeaten career, and his 22nd via the T.K.O. and knockout route.

Turner had the crowd of 9,000 standing in open-mouthed amazement at the furious attack on the sturdy Filipino from New Orleans. Referee Charley Daggert stopped the contest when Ducusen was found unfit to answer the bell for the seventh round.

Learned and Bridgewater and Lunenburg were still more or less anxious to see St. Mary's Juniors in the circuit. It may be that the Saints would operate out of Liverpool for the season, giving that town junior representation as well as an entry in the south shore loop.

Last night Saints manager Jimmy McDonald said there was still hope that the Saints would be able to operate but whether it would be as a Halifax or Liverpool club, he wasn't sure.

Delay Disbanding St. Mary's Juniors

HALIFAX, Nov. 12.—(CP)—Halifax St. Mary's meeting tonight to disband their junior hockey team, postponed action in the hope of being able to enter the South Shore League.

The team planned to disband when he could not gain a berth in an organized league.

The postponement was proposed after it was learned the South Shore League would be meeting Thursday.

Liverpool would not operate in the South Shore League. It was

LIST OF PROBABLE STARTERS

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Football Game Injuries Fatal

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 12.—(AP)—David Cecil, 16, died in hospital today of head injuries suffered in a high school football game.

Two operations were performed Saturday for removal of a blood clot which apparently formed after he received a blow on the head. The boy lapsed into a coma and never regained consciousness.

FORUM DATES THIS WEEK

MONDAY — HOCKEY — 8:30 — HALIFAX

TUESDAY — CHILDREN'S SKATING — 4 to 5:30

NIGHT SKATING — 8 to 10

WEDNESDAY — GENERAL SKATING — 8 to 10

THURSDAY — HOCKEY — ST. JOHN — 8:30

FRIDAY — CHILDREN'S SKATING — 4 to 5:30

GENERAL SKATING — 8 to 10

SATURDAY — AFTERNOON SKATING — 3 to 5

NIGHT SKATING — 8 to 10

Smith Going To Halifax On Loan Basis

Right winger Denis Smith has been given to Halifax Saint Mary's on a loan basis, it was learned last night from Islanders coach Leo Lamoureux. Smith will probably remain with the Saints for the season but is still the Islanders property and will likely return here next year.

Smith came to the Islanders from the Providence Reds training camp in Grand-Mere Quebec this year. He played in only a few games on the Whitlock line and picked up six points, one goal and five assists.

A fast skater with a hard shot, Smith drew favorable comments from all who watched his play. He will lineup with Halifax tonight at Glace Bay and take over a regular right wing position.

Sioux Princess Goes To Aid Of Jim Thorpe

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—(AP)—A Sioux princess is rallying Indians in the metropolitan area to the aid of Jim Thorpe, famous Indian athlete now ailing in a Philadelphia hospital.

Princess Juanita Senter said tonight she had formed a committee of New York Indians and that she donated \$100 to a fund to help the onetime all-america football star and Olympic gold medal winner described by his wife as "flat broke."

Thorpe, voted the outstanding all-around athlete in the Associated Press' mid-century poll, underwent an operation last week for skin cancer. He is reported doing well.

Pays \$10,000 For Royal Robes

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 12.—(CP)—D. J. Kennedy, Winnipeg horseman, today paid \$10,000 for Royal Robes, a 13-year-old chestnut mare. It was top price at the opening session of the Breeders' Sales Company auction of thoroughbred breeding stock.

Royal Robes is a daughter of Hastie and imported Mademoiselle de Valois.

Kennedy also paid \$7,500 for Golden Rose, a 13-year-old brown mare by imported Sickle and Imported Nipliquit.

Both mares were from the consignment of Elmendorf Farm. Forty-nine head sold at the first session for \$69,500 to average \$1,409.

BLACKPOOL, England.—(CP)—This famous Lancashire resort has formed a committee to censor picture postcards, since several storekeepers were prosecuted for selling allegedly indecent cards.

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