



ARENA READY FOR ACTION

This is the new and highly improved Sports Arena which opens tonight for the season's activities. On the right can be seen the new promenade. It has a concrete floor and is five feet wider than the old one. The screens at both ends of the rink are also new and lower so as not to impede the view of a hockey game. The ice is marked and ready for action. Guardian Photo

Sports Arena To Open Tonight

Big Improvements And Renovations

The Sports Arena, gleaming with its newly found beauty, officially opens tonight for the fall and winter skating and hockey season with a general skate. However, citizens who can't wait that long to see how the greatly improved interior looks will be allowed to drop in for a full inspection of the premises this afternoon. Times for this tour of inspection are listed in the advertisement elsewhere on this page.

Everything, including the surface of the ice, has been given a new coat of paint and is in readiness for another successful winter season.

Owners Capt. Carl Burke and Mr. Fred Briggs have spent more than \$60,000 for the improvements this year and this, together with an additional \$25,000 spent last season, makes over \$85,000 that these men have invested in the structure since they took over ownership a little more than a year ago.

One of the major renovations during the off-season was the addition of a concrete floor encasing the brine pipes. With this addition the Arena will be open for sports and other events all year.

SPACIOUS PROMENADE

Two rows of seats all around the Arena have been torn out to make room for a spacious promenade with a concrete floor. The promenade is 5 feet wide and will eliminate discomfort in leaving the Arena following a sports event.

The promenade, of course, can be used for standing room at a hockey game without interfering with a view of fans in the stands.

Fans will notice a big difference in the ice surface itself. After about a 1-4 inch of ice was laid over the concrete floor the ice was sprayed with a pale green paint. This paint will absorb light instead of reflecting it and as a result hockey players, skaters and fans will find that there will be no glare from the ice to hurt their eye while playing, skating or watching.

A new sound system has been installed which comprises something like 25 loudspeakers. Seventeen of these speakers are small in size and placed so that even a whisper over the microphone can be heard in any seat in the house. The other eight loudspeakers are quite large. The two sets can be hooked on the same or separate lines.

LIVE MUSIC

Music on records will be heard no more at evening skating sessions at the Arena. An electric Wurlitzer organ is the latest addition and patrons will be able to skate to the waltzes and other appropriate music of Alec MacLean.

Ventilators attached to the roof are new additions. With these ventilators it is hoped that patrons will be able to smoke during a hockey game or other events without interfering with the performers.

Everything paintable has been painted. The seats have been decorated in red and blue sections while the railing, also new, around the ice surface has been painted light green. The roof, walls and the steel skeleton have been given a coating of aluminum paint.

Other improvements are much too numerous to mention but nothing has been left untouched and as the Sports Arena stands today it is a structure of which every citizen can be justifiably proud.

THE NEWLY RENOVATED SPORTS ARENA

ANNOUNCES ITS
FALL AND WINTER OPENING
TODAY

OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

THIS AFTERNOON 1.30 TO 6.30 P. M.

OPENING SKATE
TONIGHT 8-10

Featuring Alex Maclean
At the Wurlitzer Organ
Admission 50c and 10c



The Sports Arena

Sports

The Charlottetown Guardian, Thursday, Nov. 1, 1956

TIE FOR TOP

Leafs Trample New York 7-2

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Maple Leafs burst forth in a rash of goal scoring Wednesday night to wallop New York Rangers 7-2 and move into a first-place National Hockey League tie with the idle Detroit Red Wings.

It was the highest-scoring game of the young season. Toronto led 4-0 after the first period, 5-1 after the second and potted two goals to the Rangers' one in the final 20 minutes.

Centres Rudy Migay and Billy Harris and rightwinger George Armstrong got two goals apiece for Toronto and rookie rightwinger Gary Alderson added the other.

Defencemen were responsible for both Ranger tallies — Jack Evans and Larry Cahen.

Summary

First period: 1. Toronto, Migay

(Stewart) 4-11, 2. Toronto, Armstrong (Morrison, Sloan) 11-22, 3. Toronto, Alderson (James) 16-21; 4. Toronto, Armstrong (Duff, Stewart) 17-11. Penalties: Evans 7-14, 10-10 and 16-08, Duff 10-10, Creighton 12-16, Barry Cullen 19-08.

Second period: 5. New York, Evans (Lewicki) 3-58, 6. Toronto, Harris (Morrison, Armstrong) 11-40. Penalties: Evans and James (majors) 12-43, Thomson 12-52.

Third period: 7. New York, Cahen (Hebenton, Creighton) 3-52; Armstrong got two goals apiece for Toronto and rookie rightwinger Gary Alderson added the other.

Stops: Worsley 9 13 11—33
Chadwick 10 8 7—22

Soccer Match This Afternoon

P.W.C. girls and a team from Q.C.H.S. will meet in a soccer tussle this afternoon at 4 p.m. at Q.C.H.S. field. The high school girls won the first game 1-0.

Dodger Hurler Pitches 2-Hitter

SHIMONOSEKI, Japan (AP)—Rookie southpaw Fred Kipp pitched a light two-hitter Wednesday as the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the Japanese all-stars 4-0. Rookies Don demeter and Jim Gentile hit home runs for the Dodgers, who now have won six of eight decisions on the tour.

Kipp performed last season with Montreal Royals of the International League.

Says St. F. X. Rink Will Be Repaired

ANTIGONISH, N.S. (CP)—Msgr. H.J. Somers, President of St. Francis Xavier University, announced Wednesday that the University rink, burned out several weeks ago, will be temporarily repaired and in operation by Jan. 2.

He also announced that a new rink will be built at another site at "the earliest possible date" and freezing equipment being installed in the burned structure will later be moved to the new rink.

Eight Canadians In Prize Money

DUBLIN (CP)—Eight Canadians were officially named Wednesday as second- and third-prize money winners in the Irish hospital sweepstake run in connection with the Cambridgeshire Handicap at Newmarket, England.

Four of them stand to win about \$54,000 for second-place tickets on Hafiz II and the other four about \$27,000 for third on Epaulette. No Canadians held tickets on the winner, Loppylugs.

Earlier it was reported seven Canadians had won. A later announcement added another Toronto man to the list of second-place Hafiz II ticket holders.

The Halifax II winners: KRV 00829; Fred Gendron, (5567 Dunmore) Montreal; JER 54231 J.R. Bellamy, Toronto; JDS 81540 Bellamy, Toronto; JDS 81540 Michael Rodgers, 2475 Van Horne, Montreal and J.V.D. 05639; Madge Delamy, Vancouver.

Epaulette winners: JHM 62497; W. Burton Toronto; JHL 66412; Evelyn Hall, Sarnia, Ont.; JEN 59675; K.J. Sills Toronto; KQL 63506; Mrs. Kathleen Potticary, Hamilton.

SUPPLEMENTS WHEAT

Manitoba's livestock production increased from \$18,000,000 to \$48,000,000 between 1939 and 1952.

Sal "The Barber" Named As N. L. "Comeback Of The Year"

By REN OLAN
NEW YORK (AP)—Sal Maglie of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who pitched a no-hitter and won a world series game in his 19th season of professional baseball made the National League comeback-of-the-year in the opinion of the Baseball Writers Association of America.

Maglie received 166 of the 199 votes cast in the annual Associated Press poll. Brooks Lawrence, a surprise 19-game winner for Cincinnati, was second with 13 votes.

Maglie's value to the Dodgers following his acquisition on waivers from Cleveland last May probably was best summed up by Pee Wee Reese.

"Without Maglie we wouldn't have a ghost of a chance of winning the pennant," said the Brooklyn captain in the last week of the torrid National League race.

TRANSFER UNHERALDED

A star for the hated New York Giants, Maglie's transfer to the Brooklyn was greeted with a "so what" by the Flatbush faithful. He was 39 years old and had been unable to win a game for the Indians, who were strong on pitching but needed replacements for the slumping Mike Garcia and the faded Bob Feller.

Although he did not start his first game with Brooklyn until May 30 and did not pick up a victory until June 4, Maglie, a native of Niagara Falls, N.Y., won 13 games and lost only five. He had an earned run average of 2.87, fourth best in the circuit, struck out 109 batters and walked only 53.

Moose Mulligan Named Champion

HALIFAX (CP)—Don (Moose) Mulligan, Greenwood Bombers Nova Scotia intermediate football star, has been officially named league scoring champion with 76 points, 16 more than teammate Johnny Hudson and Bob Hayes of Shearwater Flyers, who wound up in a 60-point dead heat.

Mulligan, who took the honor last year, is the first ever to secure the Milovich Trophy two years in succession. Hayes has been runner-up for the last two seasons and won the trophy in 1953.

Avery Brundage Says Nothing To Bar Britain Or France

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP)—Avery Brundage said Wednesday he sees "nothing at the moment that would interfere with the Olympic games," scheduled to start Nov. 23 in Melbourne, Australia.

The president of the International Olympic Committee commented on a question raised in Melbourne as to the status of Great Britain and France because of their warlike operation in the Israeli-Egyptian crisis.

"I cannot recall any Olympic Games regulation which says participating nations must be at peace," Brundage said. "But what is more important, the games are, and always have been, contests between individuals, not nations."

Brundage recalled that in 1940, for example, preparations were well advanced by the United States and many other countries to participate in the Olympic Games in Finland until the Second World War situation became such that it was impossible to conduct the games at all. The games also were cancelled in 1944.

Jack Dempsey In "Good Condition"

CHICAGO (AP)—Former heavyweight champion Jack Dempsey, 61, is in "good condition" but will remain in hospital several more days for completion of a general check-up.

A hospital spokesman said Wednesday more tests were to be made on the old Manassa Mauler, who entered hospital Saturday suffering from fatigue, a virus condition and a muscle strain in his left leg.

Dempsey arrived here last Wednesday from the West Coast.



Rowland Named Los Angeles Pres.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Clarence Rowland Wednesday was named president of the Los Angeles baseball club and Gene Handley the new manager for 1957.

Rowland, who served as Angel president in 1942-43 and later as president of the Pacific Coast League, recently resigned as vice-president of the parent Chicago Cubs.

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| Detroit | 5 | 9 | 2 | 22 | 11 | 12 |
| Toronto | 4 | 1 | 4 | 27 | 20 | 12 |
| New York | 4 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 19 | 9 |
| Boston | 2 | 8 | 3 | 15 | 19 | 7 |
| Montreal | 2 | 8 | 1 | 15 | 18 | 5 |
| Chicago | 1 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 20 | 3 |

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| Molasses | qt. 33c |
| White Beans | 2 lb. cello bag 25c |
| Prunes | 2 lbs. 45c |
| Kraft Dinner | 2 pkgs. 29c |
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| Heinz Spaghetti | 15 oz. tin 2 for 35c |

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| Bulk Currants | 16 oz. pkg. 25c |
| Fraser's Meat Balls | 15 oz. tin 35c |
| McCready's Pickles | 24 oz. bottle 37c |
| Cashmere Bouquet Soap | 4 bars 29c |
| Bulk Carrots | 4 lbs. 29c |
| Bright's Prune Plums | 15 oz. tin 2 for 29c |
| Bulk Tea | 1 lb. 79c |
| Washed Parsnips | 3 lbs. 25c |
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