

# Islanders Crush Halifax Atlantics 10-1

## Show Superb Form In Handing Halifax Worst Defeat Of New Season

The Charlottetown Islanders, in their most dazzling display of the new season, walloped the Halifax Atlantics 10-1 last night with a scoring, passing and skating spree that must have rocked the Halifax Club clear to Citadel Hill.

Never since the swashbuckling Islanders of two years ago put their sticks on the ice did the local team show so much superiority over their Halifax rivals. The Islanders last night skated and scored and bumped with the certainty and determination of old.

In fact they were far better than in the days of 1950. Never before in the history of the club did they score three goals in 26 seconds as they did last night. And never before did their goalkeeper have only ten shots to handle.

For the Islanders played as though they were getting a chance to get into the National Hockey League. Their skating, passing, and shooting were magnificent and they thrilled the fair sized crowd of fans time and again with their heady attack.

The Atlantics, of course, were playing without the services of Hughie Campbell, Frank King, and Joe Lepine. And it wouldn't have mattered a great deal if they had been in the Halifax line-up for the Islanders just couldn't be denied.

The defeat was long over-due the Halifax Club. In the last eight starts the Haligonians defeated the Islanders but the local club more than made up for it last night. They have now entered a new era.

But it didn't look that way in the opening minutes of the game. The Atlantics scored the first goal at the 46 second mark of the opening period and for a time it appeared as though the Halifax Club would go along, wait for the breaks and make the most of them.

They saw plenty of breaks but they were wearing garnet and gold colored sweaters and they were everywhere. And they must have filled Murphy Chamberlain's 37-year-old heart with a feeling of satisfaction for they made Murphy look like an awful good scrutineer of hockey talent.

### Highlight Of Game

The highlight in this vicious assault was the three goal spree within 26 seconds of the opening period. Two goals were shot by Gary Gordon and one by Buck Whitlock and they stunned the crowd with their amazing suddenness.

Two Halifax players and one Islander were sitting in the penalty box when the outbreak started. MacPhee and McLagan were sitting out double minors and Carroll Bloom was in the sin-bin for holding.

## FORUM EVENTS

NOVEMBER 10 - 15

**WEDNESDAY**—  
Skating ..... 8 to 10

**THURSDAY—HOCKEY—8:30**  
**Sydney vs. Islanders**

**FRIDAY**—  
Children's Skating ..... 4 to 5:30  
General Skating ..... 8 to 10

**SATURDAY**—  
General Skating ..... 3 to 5  
General Skating ..... 8 to 10

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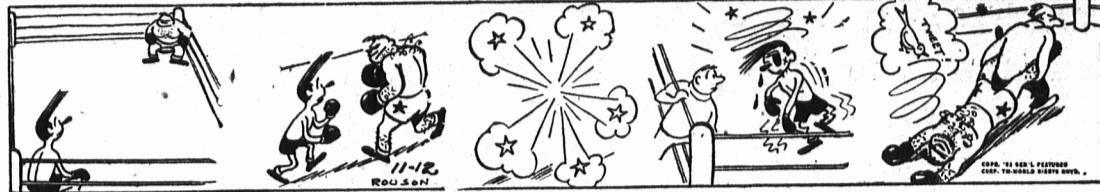
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There's a turning point in nearly every branch of endeavor and last night in the Charlottetown Forum the Islanders reached such a turning point. They humbled the Halifax Atlantics 10-1 and looked like Big Leaguers in doing it. Not for a long time have fans had the pleasure of watching such skating and passing by a home team and the 1,600 and some fans who were present last night saw something which they will well remember throughout the winter months which he ahead.

On top of this stunning defeat there can be heard the good news that the Islanders have purchased a defenseman from the Providence Reds. This defenseman will probably be here in time for Thursday night's game against Sydney. Milne and he's one whom Islander fans are going to like. He is a good body checker and will give that Islanders' defense the hard hitter that it needs to make opposing forwards keep their heads well up.

The Islanders last night were a team that couldn't be beat. They showed more pep, drive and fight by far than any team we have seen this season. From the moment Connie Bonhomme scored that first goal in the opening period and when they went the twines three times in twenty-six seconds, there was no stopping them. That performance was one of the best we have ever given fans in hockey.

Ronnie Hurst showed that he is going to be a big help to the Islanders. Ronnie played a very aggressive game as he did most of the time with the Beavers last year. He skated very fast, used his head and might have been the spark which the Islanders needed to ignite them. Of course in considering last night's game one must not forget that the Islanders had four days rest since their last outing and this, no doubt, accounted for a great deal of their zip.

There were so many pleasing Art Perry and Johnny Squarebriggs, linemen.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period  
1-Halifax, Ford (MacPhee, Watson) ..... 4:05  
2-Charlottetown, Bonhomme (Beaudry) ..... 6:41  
3-Charlottetown, Gordon (Clements, Whitlock) ..... 16:05  
4-Charlottetown, Whitlock (Gordon, Clements) ..... 16:22  
5-Charlottetown, Gordon (Whitlock) ..... 16:31

Penalties — Gould 2:25, Hagen 4:30, Beaudry 7:30, MacPhee (double minor) 14:45, McLagan (double minor) 14:45, Bloom 15:56, Hagen 18:40.

Second Period  
6-Charlottetown, Hagen (Travis, Whitlock) ..... 2:18  
7-Charlottetown, Bonhomme (Kiley) ..... 5:36

Penalties — Bloom 8:59, Whitlock 8:59, Kiley 13:14, Hurst 14:50, MacPhee (major) 19:50, McLagan (major) 19:50, McNeil (miscellaneous) 19:59.

Third Period  
8-Charlottetown, Clements (Hurst) ..... 7:02  
9-Charlottetown, Travis ..... 11:51  
10-Charlottetown, Gray ..... 12:09  
11-Charlottetown, Beaudry ..... 13:32

Penalties — Gray (major) 4:48, McLagan (major) 4:48, Hayes (major) 7:15, Kiley (major) 7:15.

Stops:  
McMeekin ..... 6 7 8-21  
Arnell ..... 2 6 2-10

## Star In Islanders' Victory



Buck Whitlock (left), Connie Bonhomme (centre) and Gary Gordon were three of the leading stars last night in the Islanders' 10-1 rout of the Halifax Atlantics at the Forum.



Bonhomme, whose name translated into English means Good Man, played his best game since he joined the Islanders. Connie scored twice and picked up an assist. His second goal was the prettiest of the evening.



Gordon scored two of the goals and Whitlock one. In addition Whitlock picked up an assist later in the game.

## Boston Bruins Score 4-0 Victory Over Leafs

BOSTON, Nov. 11 — (CP) — Boston Bruins scored four first-period goals this afternoon and coasted to a 4-0 victory over the second-place Toronto Maple Leafs.

A crowd of 7,861 National Hockey League fans sat in on the Remembrance Day contest.

Joe Klukay, Real Chevrefils, Hal Laycoe and Fleming Mackell counted the early goals and the inept Leafs never recovered.

It was goalie Sugar Jim Henry's third shutout of the season and his second over Toronto. The Bruins, who moved over from Detroit into fourth place in the standings, have beaten the Leafs three times in four starts.

Toronto: Goal, Lumley; defence, Thomson, Flaman, Horton, Balvin, Sullivan; forwards, Watson, Bentley, Smith, Kennedy, Migay, Sloan, Hassard, G. Armstrong, Hannigan, Stewart.

Boston: Goal, Henry; Defence, R. Armstrong, Quackenbush, Toppanzi, Laycoe; forwards, Sandford, Mackell, Klukay, Dumart, Schmidt, Labine, Creighton, McIntyre, Lund, Peirson, Chevrefils.

Referee: Bill Chadwick. Linesmen, Doug Davies, Sam Babcock.

Summary:  
First Period  
1-Boston, Klukay (Laycoe, Sandford) ..... 3:59  
2-Boston, Chevrefils (Laycoe, Labine) ..... 6:47  
3-Boston, Laycoe (Schmidt, Chevrefils) ..... 12:02  
4-Boston, Mackell ..... 14:35

Penalties: Gagny 9:15, Chevrefils 12:41, Sandford 15:28.

Second Period  
Scoring—None.  
Penalties: Horton 14:39, Horton 17:14; Peirson 17:14; G. Armstrong 17:21.

Third Period  
Scoring—None.  
Penalties: Thomson 13:23 and 15:43, Laycoe 13:23.

Stops: Lumley ..... 12 12 4-28  
Henry ..... 8 10 6-24

Galt Tied With Barrie Flyers  
GALT, Nov. 11 — (CP) — Galt Black Hawks tonight moved into a first-place tie with the Barrie Flyers in the Ontario Hockey Association Junior A League by downing Toronto St. Michael's 2-1.

The loss left the St. Mike's one point behind the league-leaders in a three-way tie for third spot with the Toronto Marlboros and Guelph Biltmores.

## Edmonton Eskimos In 22-11 Victory Over The Winnipeg Blue Bombers

OSBORNE PARK, Winnipeg, Nov. 11 — (CP) — Edmonton Eskimos won the Western football championship today with a tremendous 22-11 victory over Winnipeg Blue Bombers in the third game of their best-of-three finals. It gave them a berth in the Grey Cup final for the first time in 30 years.

The Eskimos, given little chance after taking a 20-12 first-game wallop, roared back to whip the favored Bombers 18-12 and then completed their story-book finish this afternoon. They came from behind a 5-0 first-quarter deficit to do it.

The weather was cool throughout the rugged contest, with the temperature hovering around 30. After the game, freshman coach Frankie Filchock said: "The whole team played terrific ball. You just couldn't single out one man."

Bomber coach George Trafton, once a great centre with Chicago Bears, was one of the first to congratulate Filchock. "I hope you go all the way," he said.

The Glace Bay Caledonians feel they have been wronged by the Maritime Rugby Union through having to forfeit the Nova Scotia Rugby title to the Halifax Wanderers, it was learned here last night from Mike Campbell, vice-president of the M. R. U.

Mike had a telegram late last night from Don MacInnis of Glace Bay regarding the Union's actions in ordering the Caledonians to meet the Wanderers yesterday or forfeit the game.

The Caledonians played Yarmouth Saturday afternoon and defeated them 22-0. However, the Nova Scotia championship was supposed to be decided by Saturday according to the dates set down by the M. R. U.

Actually Yarmouth was not admitted to the Maritime Senior League until after the registration date had been passed. It is not known how they were granted permission to play but it is known that not all members on the executive were consulted on the matter.

The Caledonians now take the attitude that they have been knocked out of further competition as the result of playing a team which was not legally registered according to the Maritime Rugby Union laws and regulations.

Campbell last night answered the wire from MacInnis stating that he felt the Caledonians had a case and that whoever permitted Yarmouth to enter the league should not have done so.

Penalties — Vincent, K. Robertson, Watson (2), Willis, H. Menard, Gagnon (major), J. Robertson (major).

Third Period  
9—Barrie, Mongeon ..... 11:18  
10—Montreal, Naylor (Swartzack, Watson) ..... 14:04

Penalties — Teal (2), Thibault, Vincent, Willis, Swartzack.

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## Local Driver Buys Pacer

James "Roach" MacGregor, Charlottetown harness racing driver, bought a four-year-old pacer at Harrisburg yesterday. It was learned here last night. Name of the pacer is My Darling with a mark of 2:08 1/5.

## Edgar Laprade To Re-join New York Rangers

NEW YORK, Nov. 11 — (AP) — Edgar Laprade, the Rangers' homesick hero, is due to return Sunday to help New York's National League entry.

Laprade, a Ranger standout since he won the Calder Trophy as the league's best rookie in 1945-46, decided to retire this year. He wanted to stay with his family and his sporting goods business in Port Arthur, Ont.

Today Ranger manager Frank Boucher, just back from a fruitless trip to the west coast in search of talent, talked to Laprade by phone and persuaded him to come back.

"He said he'd play for a while to help us out," Boucher said. "I don't know just what that means. He doesn't pretend to be in top condition but he has been skating and practising with a junior team there. He will fly down Saturday and won't have time to work out with the club before Sunday's game."

Boucher and coach Bill Cook also expressed hope that Don (Bones) Raleigh, who broke his game, would be able to play by Sunday. Raleigh worked out today and was able to skate and stick-handle about as well as ever although he couldn't get any power behind shots.

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