

# Suspends Commissioner Of Maverick League

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association suspended commissioner Frank Boucher of the maverick Canadian Major Junior Hockey League Saturday and amended regulations to woo the league's players back to its domain.

The new steps to cripple the league were taken at a special CAHA executive meeting which upheld its earlier ruling that the CMJHL was unacceptable. It also upheld the suspensions of the governors and players of the newly-formed league.

President Fred Page of Vancouver said the CAHA voted 20 to 2 to uphold its decision although branches in Saskatchewan, Alberta and Quebec had indicated opposition to the league suspension earlier.

"There may have been differ-

ences of opinion but, as far as the future is concerned, I think they're pretty well agreed on this issue," said Page in an interview.

**MOVE TO AID PLAYERS**

He also said the executive had agreed to help players "as much as possible" to play with CAHA - sanctioned clubs by waiving some regulations and that the officers were authorized to revoke suspensions at any time.

These steps were taken to protect the "innocent victims" involved in the formation of the league this season which has teams in Edmonton, Calgary, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Estevan and Weyburn.

Executive members agreed to welcome back the renegade

clubs providing: Alberta teams play in the Alberta League and Saskatchewan teams play in the revived Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League; and that suspended governors and commissioner Boucher be no longer associated with the clubs.

The suspended governors are Bill Hunter of Edmonton, Scotty Munro of Estevan, Del Wilson of Regina, George Agar of Saskatoon, Brian Shaw of Moose Jaw and Jack Monteith of Weyburn.

Page said two regulations were altered at the meeting. One permits the transfer of one additional player between East and West branch teams if he comes from the suspended league and the transfer is approved by both branches.

The other permits any Saskatchewan team, regardless of category or league affiliation, to compete for the Memorial Cup. Formation of the CMJHL killed the SJHL, the only normally-eligible Saskatchewan league.

**WILL BE REVIEWED**

Saskatchewan's amateur hockey situation will be reviewed at the CAHA's semi-annual meeting in January, says Page. If it appears necessary to strengthen Saskatchewan junior teams, "we will help with the strengthening."

Boucher, in a telephone interview from Regina, said he was pleased to be suspended and accused the CAHA of amending regulations "in order to try and break up our league."

"I can only say I was apparently suspended for attempting to prevent the CAHA from breaking its own regulations. I would not want to be a part of any organization that cannot live up to its own regulations. I don't want any part of it."

He said CAHA regulations permit teams to operate outside their own branches if all branches agree. There was agreement between Alberta and Saskatchewan for the Canadian Major Junior League. It was overruled by the CAHA.



## BOSTON'S LONE GOAL

Boston players Ron Schock (32) and Ron Murphy (28) close in on Montreal Canadiens' netminder Lorne Bristow as the Bruins score their only goal in a National Hockey League game set by Boston's Joe Watson (not shown). Montreal won 3-1.

# George Royal Wins Can. International

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**TORONTO (CP)** — George Royal, the dark brown five-year-old from the West Coast, scorched windswept Woodbine racetrack Saturday to win the \$30,000-added Canadian International Championship Stakes for the second successive year.

Jockey Milo Valenzuela, his silks snapping in the 40-mile-an-hour wind, brought the Vancouver-owned horse around the 1 1/2-mile course in 2:42.2, to beat Orbiter, of the Hillcrest Stables at London, Ont., in a drive to the wire.

Tatao was third with Greek Jab fourth.

The victory was worth \$32,700 to owners Ernie Hammond and Bob Hall.

George Royal, an even-money favorite, paid \$3, \$2.50 and \$2.10. Orbiter returned \$2.70 and \$2.30, and Tatao \$2.60.

Orbiter earned \$12,500, Tatao \$7,500 and Greek Jab \$5,000.

George Royal's time was off the track record of 2:41, set in

1963 in the same event by The Axe II.

The victory was revenge for George Royal, who faltered in the final yards two weeks ago to lose by a nose to Orbiter in the Jockey Club Handicap.

He now is expected to be inducted back to the \$100,000 Listed International Nov. 11 at Washington, D.C. Last year he was fourth to Djalome of France after being bumped at the head of the stretch. He was shaded for third by the U.S. entry Roman Brother.

Next step for George Royal is the \$100,000 Jockey Club Cup over two miles at Aqueduct in New York. He'll run against Buckpasser, North America's leading three-year-old and one of the world's top money winners.

A crowd of nearly 20,000 saw George Royal break from the gate last in a seven-horse field, move up to fourth, then hand back before turning on a stretch drive which took him under the wire three-quarters of a length ahead of Orbiter.

## Saturday's NHL Statistics

**CHICAGO, 7 DETROIT 4**

**LINEUPS**

Chicago: Goal — DeJordy, Dryden. Defence — Van Irpe, Bavelich, Stapleton, Jarrett. Forwards — Angotti, Esposito, R. Hull, D. Hull, Mohs, Hodge, Nesterenko, Maki, Wharram, Boyer, Mikita.

Detroit: Goal — Crozier, Basen. Defence — Bergman, Marshall, Bolvin, Wall, Craschley. Forwards — Ullman, Howe, Delvecchio, Mahovich, MacGregor, Hall, Smith, Watson, Henderson, Prentice, Bathrat.

Referee — Ashley. Linesmen — Pavelich, St. Iler.

**SUMMARY**

First period — 1. Detroit, Delvecchio 1 (Smith, Ullman) 9:41; 2. Chicago, R. Hull 3 (Mikita) 12:57; 3. Detroit, Smith 1 (Ullman, Delvecchio) 18:24. Penalties — MacGregor 4:20, Watson 8:30, Stapleton 8:24, Hall 11:00, Chicago (bench penalty), too many men on ice 18:01, Hodge 19:03.

Second period — 4. Chicago, Mikita 3 (Mohs, Pilon) 2:22; 5. Chicago, Nesterenko 1 (Esposito, D. Hull) 7:29; 6. Detroit, Henderson 1 (Ullman) 15:51; 7. Chicago, Hodge 1 (Mohs, Mikita) 18:31. Penalties — R. Hull 3:00, Marshall 5:16.

Third period — 8. Detroit, Henderson 2 (Ullman, Smith) 3:35; 9. Chicago, D. Hull 1 (Nesterenko) 2:52; 10. Chicago, Nesterenko 2 (R. Hull) 16:32; 11. Chicago, D. Hull (unassisted) 19:59. Penalties — Esposito 15:45.

Shots on goal by Chicago 19 11 14 — 39; Detroit 14 16 13 — 43.

field, Hicks, Robinson, Goyette, Marshall, Berenson.

Referee: Goal — Bauer, Savchuk. Defence — L. Hillman, Pronovost, Horton, Douglas, Stanley. Forwards — Kelly, Ellis, Armstrong, Selby, Sternowski, Keon, Jeffrey, Pappin, Coscher, Shaek, Breneman, Carleton.

Referee — Buffey. Linesmen — Casselman, Armstrong.

**SUMMARY**

First period — 1. Toronto, Coscher 1 (Selby, Shaek) 5:58; 2. Toronto, Carleton 1 (Keon, Douglas) 8:10; 3. Toronto, Kelly (Ellis, Stanley) 11:18; 4. New York, Gilbert 1 (Goyette, W. Hillman) 14:47. Penalties — Neilson 3:47, Brown 8:24.

Second period — 5. New York, Gilbert 2 (Marshall, Goyette) 4:10; 6. Toronto, Coscher 2 (Shaek) 6:06; 7. New York, Gilbert 1 (Goyette) 12:32; 8. New York, W. Hillman 1 (Gilbert, Goyette) 16:49. Penalties — Stanley 6:53.

Third period — No scoring. Penalty — Douglas 6:27.

Shots on goal by New York 10 14 12 — 36; Toronto 12 9 15 — 36.

Attendance — 15,537.

## Hamilton Drubs Montreal To Capture Second Place

**MONTREAL (CP)** — Hamilton Tiger-Cats clinched second spot in the Eastern Football Conference Saturday afternoon by drubbing Montreal Alouettes 31-14 before a hometown crowd of fewer than 17,000 fans.

The win gave the Ticats a 2-to-1 edge in season play against the Alis and an over-all 9-4 record for the season. Hamilton now has 18 points, six more than Montreal, which is 6-7 for the year.

Each club has one regular season game left to play. The Hamilton victory assured them of home grounds for the EFC's sudden-death semi-final Nov. 5 between the two clubs.

Winner of that game advances to the two-game, two-point EFC final against Ottawa Rough Riders.

Quarterback Joe Zuger called a balanced game under ideal conditions. His passing and running attacks almost matched yardage and he personally accounted for one touchdown in the opening quarter.

**NET ON 3 TD PASSES**

In the same quarter he threw a strike to end Dave Vitt, and added touchdown passes to Hal Patterson and Tommy Grant in the second. Don Sutherland kicked a 28-yard field goal in the third quarter and added single points

on all four Hamilton touchdowns to round out the winners' scoring.

Montreal picked up second-quarter touchdowns from halfbacks Don Lisbon and Bob Patremore, with Peter Kempf adding the extra point on each occasion.

The clubs each picked up 18 first downs in the game, but Hamilton's balanced offence showed 167 yards rushing and 134 yards through the air, as compared to 205 on the ground for Montreal and 76 by passing.

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**LINEUPS**

New York: Goal — Maniogo, Giacomini. Defence — W. Hillman, Howell, Brown, MacNeill, Neilson. Forwards — Selling, Gilbert, Fleming, Ingarfield, Head-

# Three Double Wins At Driving Park

Miles Hal, Evelyn's Ardent and Mark Purdue scored double dash decisions on Saturday's harness racing program at Charlottetown Driving Park.

Dividing honors in the other two miles were, Captain Logan and Triffle. Biggest upset of the night saw Triffle romping home a winner in the fifth and paying a handsome \$32.70 to win and \$10.90 to place.

Other double win pays were Captain Logan \$10.60 and Evelyn's Ardent \$29.00. Top place pay of the program was \$17.80 for Willard's Choice in the night's final mile.

Best feature pay was the quintella, Evelyn's Ardent and Bell's Last, \$28.40. The first double, Captain Logan and Miles Hal, was worth \$24.00, the second, Evelyn's Ardent and Mark Purdue, \$19.60. The exactor, Miles Hal and Brown Budlong, brought a small \$8.70 return.

A cooler, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Burgoyne and presented by Gerald Burgoyne, went to Evelyn's Ardent, winner of dash three.

Best time of the night was Mark Purdue's 2:15.3 effort.

Next race is Saturday night Oct. 29.

**RACES 1 and 5**

Captain Logan (E. Clow) 1 1/4  
Triffle (J. Cairns) 4 1  
Amigo Mike (S. White) 2 3  
Sarah's Jet (L. Neill) 6 2  
Shelby Knight (C. O'Brien) 3  
Windy June (R. MacDonald) 5  
Times 2:16.1, 2:16.2

Captain Logan owned by Everett and Donald Murray, Charlottetown.

Pays: 10.60, 4.50; 3.80, 32.70, 10.90; 6.80.

**RACES 2 and 6**

Miles Hal (D. MacNeill) 1 1/4  
Broom Budlong (H. Hughes) 2 2  
Lamb's Navy (S. White) 3 4  
Clover King (R. MacDonald) 5 3  
Hurricane Jennie (C. Henry) 6 5  
Handsome Lady (F. MacDonald) 4  
Times 2:17.3, 2:18.

**RACES 3 and 7**

Evelyn's Ardent (A. Smith) 1 1  
Bell's Last (R. MacDonald) 2 5  
Horizon (E. Clow) 6 2  
Free Chance (E. Larter) 5 3  
Lucky Lark (W. Henderson) 3 4  
Helen's Dream (H. Poulton) 4  
Drillio Hal (L. Neill) 4  
Time 2:15.2, 2:14.

Evelyn's Ardent owned by Elmer Golwill, New Haven.

Pays: 29.00, 7.20; 3.30, 7.60, 4.60; 5.00.

**RACES 4 and 8**

Mark Purdue (E. Bernard) 1 1  
Real Spirit (A. Smith) 2 4  
Willard's Choice (W. Kelly) 5 2  
Jolly Dick (H. Poulton) 4 3  
Sunny Key (E. Clow) 3 7  
Bold Debby (S. White) 6 5  
Cyclone Kelly (L. Kelly) 7 6  
Time 2:14, 2:13.3.

Mark Purdue owned by Rex MacArthur, Summerside.

Pays: 5.50, 3.10; 5.50, 3.80, 3.50; 17.80.

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