

# Islanders Eight Points Back Of Halifax

## Glace Bay Miners Hang 4-0 Shutout On Millionaires

GLACE BAY, N.S., Jan. 14 — (CP)—Glace Bay Miners, continuing an all-out bid to squirm out of the Maritime Major Hockey League cellar, hung their second straight shutout on Sydney Millionaires tonight with a 4-0 shutout.

The victory left Miners a slim two points behind their old rivals Nick Pidsodny. Sydnie's net goal was the most over-worked man on the ice. But even his sensational goalkeeping which turned aside 39 drives was not enough to halt the Glace Bay onslaught.

Johnny Ravnak notched the first tally on a solo dash midway in the opening period. Bill Burega got the second on a combination with Pop Backer and Hub Macey while Freddie Weaver was sitting out a minor penalty.

Nel Amadio tallied unassisted in the middle frame while Burega had three seconds of a penalty remaining and George Miller would it up late in the third period with Eddie Joss and Bill McCracken.

Ten minor penalties were called during the encounter, two for a tiff between Backer and Sydnie's Johnny Morrow late in the first period. Sydnie's Goal, Pidsodny; defencemen, Weaver, MacIntyre; forwards, Birukow, Hildebrand, Prie, Horeck, McDonagh, Rowe, Hill, Morrow, Marneau.

Glace Bay — Goal, Lockhart; defencemen, Hildebrand, Burega, Amadio, Weaver, Forwards, Macey, Backer, Ravnak, Joss, Bonhomme, Miller, McCracken, Keller, McKenzie.

**SUMMARY**

**First Period**

1—Glace Bay, Ravnak 8:47  
2—Glace Bay, Burega  
(Backer, Macey) 14:00  
Penalties — Weaver 13:14, Backer 18:13, Morrow 18:13.

**Second Period**

3—Glace Bay, Amadio 5:45  
Penalties — Burega 3:48, McCracken 12:54.

**Third Period**

4—Glace Bay, Miller 14:30  
(Joss, McCracken)  
Penalties — Birukow 2:55, Joss 3:55, Backer 4:18, MacIntyre 4:18, Horeck 17:54.

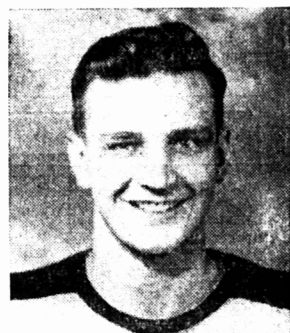
**Stops:**  
Pidsodny 20 17 22—59  
Lockhart 7 8 5—20

## Mayflower Club Retains Trophy

HALIFAX, Jan. 14 — (CP)—Halifax Mayflower Curling Club made its sixth successful defence of the McLean Challenge Cup today, defeating four rivals from Moncton Beavers Club 79-71.

The clubs split four matches, R. G. Callander and W. S. Redmond winning for the Halifax club, R.T. McCully and M. M. MacDonald for the visitors.

## Scores Winner



Defenseman George McLagan (above) fired the winning goal last night as the Islanders defeated the Halifax Atlantics 2-1 in Halifax. The result of the win leaves the Islanders eight points behind the league leading Atlantics.

## Borden Sisters Defeat S'ide

The Borden Sisters defeated the Summerside in the first ladies hockey match of the season at Mount Pleasant rink Tuesday night by the score of 3-1. Summerside went into the lead by scoring their single tally in the first period and seemed to have the edge in play for the first two frames, but the Borden lassies came strong in the final period, and aided by Summerside penalties scored twice to sew up the match. There were eleven penalties which is considerably above par for a ladies match.

**SUMMARY**

**First Period**

1—Summerside, S. Arsenault 19:10  
Penalties—Westhaver, Gaudet.

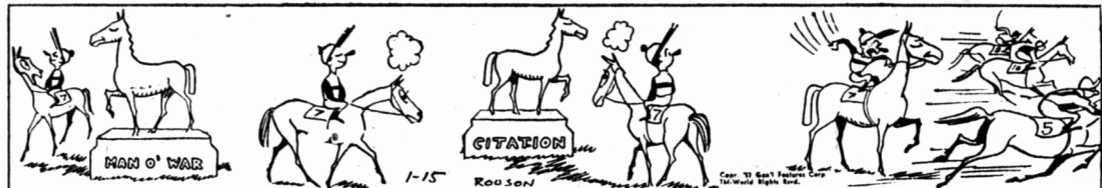
**Second Period**

2—Borden, Westhaver 13:10  
Penalties — Gallant and Gordon (majors), Jay, Gaudet, Westhaver.

**Third Period**

3—Borden, Gordon 11:40  
4—Borden, Noonan 17:30  
Penalties — Jay, Gaudet, Gallant, Delaney—S

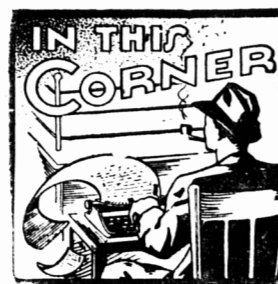
## LITTLE SPORT



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Murph Chamberlain, the Old Hardrock of National Hockey League fame who has been connected with some of hockey's outstanding subarbs, has been placed on the hot seat of the Maritime's latest flare-up and has been severely burnt. This time, probably unlike so many others, there will be a certain amount of sympathy for Murph. By all standards of legal and hockey justice it would appear as though Chamberlain has been dealt a sentence far out of proportion to the seriousness of his actions during the Halifax-Islanders game here on Monday night.

For his actions the other night in throwing three hockey sticks in the direction of referee Ross Morrow the Islanders coach has been suspended six games and fined \$100. If Murph had thrown the sticks at Morrow with the avowed intentions of injuring the referee then we could agree with President Hudson's sentence. But to us Chamberlain's action in firing the sticks indicated only an expression of disgust and anger at Morrow's officiating.

Morrow was no more than fifteen feet in front of Chamberlain when the sticks came over the boards. The first two landed on the ice at least five feet from the official. The third landed at the official's feet. Had Chamberlain intended to fire the sticks at Morrow with the object of hitting him we think he could find the mark at that short distance. The fact that the sticks missed by so wide a margin indicates that the intent to injure was not in the Hardrock's head.

In contrast to Chamberlain's actions was the display by Hughie Campbell more than a week ago. In that game at the local Forum Campbell pushed Morrow half way into the front row of seats. With one hand around the official's neck and the other fist cocked Campbell was prepared to send Morrow into a dreamland. The fact that his right fist never met the point of Morrow's chin is probably no fault of Campbell's. His teammates rushed in and restrained the big winger from further action. The result was a match misconduct penalty to Campbell and suspension. Which of the two, Chamberlain or Campbell had the intent to injure?

The sentence which Campbell obviously should have received had never been handed out and never will be. That much Morrow told us after the game when he stated that Campbell never hit him and the only reason he was forwarding a report on the Campbell incident was because it happened in the last ten minutes of the game. The reason that the book was thrown at Chamberlain was because he is Chamberlain. Another person would have escaped with a fine or short suspension.

We feel that Murph was indeed subject to some punishment. The showing of disrespect or abuse to an official is a poor practice even though that official may be in the wrong. The attempt to injure an official is about as low as a person can go in sports. On the other hand an inconsistency in punishing guilty parties is almost equally as bad. That, of course, can not be blamed on Judge Hudson. He acts only on the report that official forwards him about the incident.

Both the Campbell and Chamberlain incidents arose out of poor calls on the part of Morrow. Hughie Campbell was given a minor penalty which he never should have received and this led to his attack on Morrow. The penalty to Campbell came after Orval Levell of the Islanders hit him with a couple of lefts and rights and Hughie merely hung on to avoid being sent to the penalty box. We could understand his anger but we could find no justification for his assault on the official.

## Dr. Dougan Resigns As President Of Islanders

Dr. F.C. Dougan (right), Islanders Club President for the past year and a half resigned from the Presidency and Club executive yesterday on account of ill health.

Dr. Dougan has guided the Islanders Club since the summer of 1951 when he was elected President. Since then he has been the central figure of several hockey controversies the most notable of which was the Connie Bonhomme-Bob Gray case of more than a year ago.

Single-handedly he fought the case with the C. A. H. A. and in the end won the rights for the two players. He won his point only after the C. A. H. A. reversed itself on an earlier decision.

Last year he was re-elected as Club President and laid the ground work for the Islanders team of 1952-53. However he was forced to give up the task, this week on the advice of his physician.

In announcing his resignation last night the Doctor stated that he was leaving the Club with the deepest regret. "Although there was a lot of hard work involved I enjoyed doing it and I would wish to continue doing it," he stated.

"There is no doubt in my mind but that the team will win the Maritime Championship," he said. "The record in the last ten games would seem to bear out his statement. In the last ten the Islanders have won seven, tied two and lost one.

The Doctor wished coach Murph Chamberlain, the team, his successor and the executive the best of luck. "My relations with them have been every-

## Saints Win Island Hoop League Opener With 64-38 Victory Over The Abbies

The Saint Dunstan's University Basketball team opened the Island Senior Hoop League with a convincing 64-38 victory over the Abbies in a game played at the S.D.U. Gymnasium last night.

The Abbies did fairly well with the Saints in the first half but fell behind in the last twenty minutes under the driving attack of the better conditioned Saints. The score at half time was 26-17.

Sharp shooting Jack Reardon, who is Mr. Basketball at Saint Dunstan's, racked up 18 points to lead the Saints attack. Jack shot seven field goals and four free shots.

Peis Dunphy took runner-up honors with 13 points. Gus Dorais with eight and Joe Mullally with seven were the next high scorers.

Capable Charlie Hine paced the Abbies attack with an eight point effort. Charlie had two field goals and four free shots. Hector MacDougall was runner-up with six points.

The Chamberlain issue arose from a spotty penalty to Lyle Wiseman.

## S'ide Curling Club Schedule

Summerside Curling Club schedule:

Thursday evening, 7:00 p.m.

Ice 1—Foley vs. Bell.  
Ice 2—Corney vs. Ellis.  
Ice 3—Open.  
8:30 p.m.

Ice 1—Keyes vs. Hopkins.  
Ice 2—Bishop vs. Cannon.  
Ice 3—Currie vs. Clark.

## Murph Fined And Suspended

Murph Chamberlain, colorful coach of the P.E. Islanders, has been fined \$100 and suspended for six games for throwing sticks at referee Ross Morrow and refusing to leave the rink during the Islanders-Halifax game here on Monday night. The announcement was made in Halifax yesterday by M.M.H., President J. Elliott Hudson.

In addition President Hudson stated that "No further games between Charlottetown and Halifax will be permitted in Charlottetown until the Charlottetown Forum management gives an understanding that there will be adequate police protection . . . and the referee and linesmen are guaranteed the exclusive use of a dressing room."

President Hudson also announced the resignation of referee Morrow from the officiating staff effective immediately on account of ill health. The game in Halifax last night was handled by Hughie Gillis who worked during the early months of the season.

Frank MacDonald and Forrest Clow of the Islanders executive conferred with officials of the Halifax Club last night in Halifax over the suspension to Chamberlain. They talked with Mr. Tingley and Harry Butler, president and vice president of the Halifax Club respectively.

Both Halifax men voiced opposition to the suspension handed out to Chamberlain. They felt that the League could not afford to lose the colorful Islanders coach for six games and that the \$100 fine was sufficient penalty for his offense.

## Sherbrooke Saints Want Al Millar

Goal tender Al Millar of the Islanders is being claimed by Sherbrooke St. Francis of the Quebec Major Hockey League. It was learned here last night.

The Saints, who have lost their regular goaltender under a draft clause, claim that a mistake was made in letting Millar out of the Q. S. H. L. two months ago and that under the waiver clause they are entitled to his services. Yesterday Millar received a telegram to report to Sherbrooke.

M. A. H. A. President Walter Lawlor stated last night that it was too late at this stage of the season for Saints to claim Millar. He was in touch with George Dudley of the C. A. H. A. yesterday evening and Dudley expressed the same opinion. Lawlor stated that Sherbrooke had two months to find out about any mistakes and if they wanted Millar they should have taken action at the time he joined the Islanders.

Miller turned in a sparkling performance last night in Halifax as the Islanders downed the Atlantics 2-1.

The Islanders purchased Miller's contract from the Quebec Aces last November and the contract holds for one season.

**Too Late To Classify**  
WANTED — BELL BOY, APPLY Queen Hotel.

## Score 2-1 Victory Over Atlantics For First Halifax Win

### Strong Game



RONNIE "EZINKI" HURST (above) scored the Islanders first goal and came up with an all-round strong performance last night at Halifax.

## MAHA Pres. Gives Registration Dates

The final date for the registration of amateur hockey clubs is January 25, it was announced last night by M.A.H.A. President Walter Lawlor. Clubs wishing registration cards may apply to Mr. Lawlor.

Waller returned Tuesday night from Ottawa where he had attended the semi-annual meeting of the C.A.H.A. over the week-end.

## Black Hawks In Player Trade

CHICAGO, Jan. 14 — (AP)—Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League today obtained Vic Lynn, seasoned left wing from Cleveland Barons of the American League in exchange for a player to be determined within two weeks.

Lynn, 28, formerly played with Detroit Red Wings, Montreal Canadiens, Toronto Maple Leafs and Boston Bruins. He will report to the Hawks for their game at Toronto tonight.

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