

# Sports

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## MONCTON AIRMEN WIN TITLE

A team from the RCAF's Supply Depot in Moncton captured the Maritime Air Force Curling Championship at RCAF Station Summerside Sunday night. The winning skip Sgt Don Casels is shown above receiving the trophy from Mr. W. R. Tinney, representing the company. In the background are (L-R) the male W.O. Emmett Higerty, lead W.O. Austin Huyche and second stone LAC Bob Foley. The Moncton team was undefeated in the week-end bonspiel which saw teams from RCAF bases in the Mar-

times competing for the coveted M. A. P. Co. trophy. An exciting final game between the Moncton boys and a Maritime Air Command Headquarters team saw the winners come from behind 3 to 10 in the seventh of a 10 end game to capture the championship 11-10. (RCAF Photo)

## Twenty-four Rinks Poised For Opening Curling Play

Twenty four rinks are in readiness for their opening play this morning of the Provincial Curling Championships. At the end of the trial rests the Consols Trophy and a trip to the MacDonald Brier Dominion Championships, to be held in Vancouver.

All five Island Clubs will be represented in the playdowns, Alberton R.C.A.F., Montague, Summerside and Charlottetown. From morning till night the four ice lanes of the City club will echo to the roar of rock, swish of broom and bellow of skip.

The Charlottetown Club has a total representation of eleven

rinks in the double knock-out competition, Summerside six, Montague four, R.C.A.F. two, and Alberton one.

In charge of play in the biggest Consols competition yet is Gordon Bennett.

A highlight of the local curling season, the event is expected to produce sparkling curling and keen competition. Spectator room will be at a premium, especially during evening matches.

Among the starry list of entries will be rinks skipped by Dr. Wen MacDonald, four-time Montague veteran; Clifford MacDonald, last year's champion skip; Frank Acorn, a triple win-

ner, and Gerald Hayes, a one-time winner of the coveted crown. These, however, are but a few of the rinks to be reckoned with. There could easily emerge "dark horses" to throw the classic wide open. For instance the Atwood MacDonald rink of Montague is always regarded highly, as is also the Freddie Folland entry from Summerside. Locally, there is too, the Doug Cameron and Bill MacNeill quartets, either one a potent contender. The Airmen

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## DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

The annual meeting of District 11, U. S. T. A., was held in the Hotel Brunswick, Moncton, at 2.30 p. m. on Monday afternoon. An account of it will appear in this column on Saturday.

Ingham Palmer gives us the information that a new, fast pacer has been brought to the Maritimes by Cyril Durely, Saint John, N. B. Major's King, a black horse, five years old, by Major Hal, dam Anita Abbey. In 1956 he was raced by Fred W. Mawhinney, Machias, Maine, and was six times first, four times second, and twice third. His total winnings to the end of 1956 was \$7,452, and he started 1957 eligible to the 2.17 Pace.

During the past year, he won at Vernon Downs in 2.04, and was timed in several races between 2.02 and 2.05, and added to his string of victories.

Saint John Raceway will have a formidable number of stars for pacing events when the 1958 season rolls around.

MOVES ON

Readers of the magazine "Hoof Beats" will regret to learn that James C. Harrison, its editor, who was also public relations director of the United States Trotting Association, has resigned to accept a position as assistant to L. W. Sheppard, president of Hanover Shoe Farms, Hanover, Pa., the largest harness horse breeding farm in the world and the home of "Adios"—the most potent living sire of speed that Mr. Sheppard bought a controlling interest in. The figure paid for Adios was \$500,000.

Mr. Harrison is only 36 years old, and ten of those years were spent with the U.S.T.A. During that time, he has brought Hoof Beats to the top as the most popular harness horse publication extant. Prior to his connection with the U. S. T. A. During that time, he has brought Hoof Beats to the top as the most popular harness horse publication extant. Prior to his connection with the U. S. T. A., he was sports editor of the Middletown Times-Herald, and had been associated with that newspaper from the time of his graduation from high school in 1938. During World War II he joined the U. S. flying corps and won the Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart and Air Medal. He was the founder and first president of the United States Harness Writers Association. In his new position, he will continue active in the newspaper field as a special harness racing correspondent for the Hanover Sun, which, we presume, is controlled by the Hanover Shoe Farms' president. So the harness horse world will not lose the genius for bringing out the most pleasing activities of the sport.

REPLACEMENT

The new public relations director of the U. S. T. A. is Lawrence T. Evans, of Whitehall, Ohio, who has had a lot of reportorial experience with newspapers as a sports columnist, and recently had been with the U. S. T. A. as an assistant in the publication of "Hoof Beats."

PLOWED OUT

Our friend Cecil McGinley writes us from Houlton, Maine, that they have had several severe snowstorms in his locality, with the plows piling up high banks beside the highway. A snowplow opened up a big patch around the Houlton race track, wide enough for two horses to jog side

## No Addition To Hall Of Fame

BOSTON (AP) — The Baseball Writers Association of America failed to elect a former major league player to the Hall of Fame for the first time since 1950, it was announced Tuesday.

Hy Hurwitz, secretary-treasurer of the association, announced that no player received 75 per cent of the votes necessary for election. There were 266 eligible ballots cast by 10-year members of the association, making the total number of votes 26,600.

There are 83 former players now in the Hall of Fame. In the last election in 1956, conducted by the baseball writers, Hank Greenberg and Joe Cronin joined baseball's immortals.

Vote is Biennial

The association votes for players every other year. In off years a special committee set up by the heads of baseball elects old-time players.

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## MINOR HOCKEY

Only activity scheduled today for Minor Leaguers at the Sports Arena is a workout at 6.00 p.m. for Jack Kane's Juniors. All players of Junior age are asked to attend.

Royals Defeat Arrows 6 To 3

Royals and Arrows clashed at the Sports Arena last night with the Royals emerging victors by the score of 6-3 after a tough battle. For the winners Whitlock was high scorer with two goals and MacFarlane, MacInnis, Ferguson and Clarke scored singles. MacFarlane also assisted on three goals with MacDonald and MacInnis also drawing assists.

Bonspiel Results

QUEBEC (CP)—Results in the Quebec International Bonspiel: FRANCOIS JOBIN TROPHY

First Round

Brookville, Ont., J. Buist 10 Chibougamau, Que., A. Perreault 5

Quebec Curling Club, D. McKenna 11 North Shore, Glenview, Ill., John Krohn 4

Windsor, Ont., J. W. Flemming 13 Pointe Claire, Que., W. M. Miller 7

Montreal Caledonia, E. B. Paterson 11 Eastern Quebec Army, D. H. Stainton 5

Noranda, Que., Maurice Portelance 13 Royal Canadian Navy, 3 Parker 8

Quebec Cambrae, A. Pugh 9 Toronto Granite, J. D. Tolton 7

Quebec Jacques Cartier, Robert Kirouac 10 Rapide Blanc, Que., Emile Juneau 5

Quebec Jacques Cartier, J. P. Fortin 10 Halifax Mayflower, E. W. Spriggs 9

FRANCOIS JOBIN TROPHY

Second Round

Carleton, West Saint John, N.B., Dr. R. M. Pendrigh 10 Quebec Curling Club, Rene Giguere 8

Kingston, Ont., B. K. Keane 12 Quebec Victoria, Dr. Jim Elliott 4

Toronto Royal Canadian, J. Taylor 8 Oshawa, Ont., Ken Conlin 6

North Bay, Ont., H. A. Brohman 9 Quebec Etchemin, Alex. Levesque 8

Quebec Jacques Cartier, G. Boivin 9 Weston, Ont., Bill Ward 7

Toronto Granite, Dr. E. E.

# Royals Score 8-3 Victory Over N. Glasgow Rangers

The Charlottetown Royals defeated the New Glasgow Rangers 8-3 last night at the Sports Arena in an exhibition hockey contest.

Allie Carver and Angie Carroll scored two goals each for the Royals while Jack Ready, Skip Carver, Merrill Pineau and Willie Dunn collected singles. Swartzack, Wilson and Mason tallied for the Rangers.

TAKE EARLY LEAD

The Royals jumped into an early lead with Jack Ready doing the honors after only half a minute of play. "Spy" came down the right side all alone after receiving a pass from Art Perry, to fool the New Glasgow net-minder.

The Royals made the score read 4-1 after six minutes of play in the second period with Skip Carver getting the tally.

Carver stole the puck from one of the New Glasgow players, deep in the Rangers' zone. He fired a hard shot between the goalie's legs for the score. Swartzack got that one back for the Rangers five and one half minutes later to make it 4-2 in favor of the home-forces.

PULL AWAY

The Royals started to pull away in the third period with Angie Carroll showing the way. Carroll scored his first goal of the period after only one minute and forty seconds of play but Wilson brought the Rangers to within reach of the leading Royals eight minutes later.

Then the Royals started to pile in the goals, Merrill Pineau made it 6-3 at 13.07 when his soft shot got by the Ranger goalie during a scramble in front of the net. Angie Carroll collected his second tally of the

period at 14.45 with a tricky play. Carroll was parked on New Glasgow blue line when he received a pass from Skip Ready, after getting the puck he raced in over the unprotected line to score.

Willie Dunn finished the scoring at 19:53 with help from Ready.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1—Royals, Ready (Perry) 2; 2—Royals, A. Carver (Whitlock) 5:32; Rangers, Mason (Billick) 12:44.

Second Period: 5—Royals, Carver, 5:57; 6—Rangers, Swartzack (Billick) 11:32; Penalties: Mullonson 5:45; Josey 6:03.

Third Period: 7—Royals, Carroll, 1:40; 8—Rangers, Wilson (Fahey) 9:36; 9—Royals, Pineau (Carroll) 13:07; 10—Royals, Carroll (J. Ready) 14:45; 11—Royals, Dunn (K. Ready) 19:53. Penalties: Josey 15:25.

## N. Y. Mayor Promises New Sports Stadium

NEW YORK (AP) — Mayor Robert Wagner committed the city of New York Friday to a new sports stadium by 1960 to house a National League baseball team. But the stadium will not be built, the mayor added, without a promise from organized baseball that a team will locate here. He said Ebbets Field, old home of the Dodgers, could be used as a stop-gap if the team is available before 1960.

Diprose 11 Shawinigan Falls, Que., E. Brock 5

Quebec Curling Club, A. Demers 15 Quebec Winter Club, Gerry Venne 8

Quebec Ambral, Maurice Gagnon 9 Quebec Canadian General Electric, E. Blackadder 5

CHATEAU TROPHY

Third Round

Cornwall, Ont., Nels Finlay 10 Quebec Jacques Cartier, Pierre Anyot 3

Quebec Etchemin, Luc Gosselin 14 Quebec Winter Club, R. Monast

Quebec Jacques Cartier, Pierre Anyot 3

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Hawkesbury, Dr. P. A. Perrier 11 Montreal St. George, Art Macdonald 10

Hamilton Thistle, Geo. Snyder 13 Quebec Victoria, W. Rourke 3

Toronto Royal Canadian, Bob Metcalf 8 Oshawa, Ont., Oscar Parker 7

Ottawa Rideau, P. L. Young 11 New Glasgow Bluenose, B. M. Love 10

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## RIFLE SCORES

The following are the scores of the Small Bore Rifle shoot held January 30th, at the Armouries. Please note the change from Wednesday to Thursday at 7 p.m. This change is effective for the remainder of the season.

P. J. Landrigan ..... 97  
Roy Coles ..... 96  
Bill Rogerson ..... 96

Ted Smith ..... 94  
Leonard MacDonald ..... 93  
Dana Trenholm ..... 93  
Doug Sheidow ..... 91

Earl Norrie ..... 90  
Blair Bruce ..... 90  
David Smith ..... 87  
D. Rozman ..... 87

Gordon Sheidow ..... 82  
Don MacLean ..... 80  
Don Constable ..... 80  
Darryl Doyle ..... 80

Ross Matheson ..... 80  
Guth Herring ..... 80

Wednesday 1-3 p.m.  
pre-school skate  
Adm. 25c a family  
Wednesday 4-5:30  
Admission 25c & 10c  
Wednesday Night  
8-10—Adm. 50c

Thursday—8-15 p.m.  
Hockey

Friday Night  
Queen Charlotte Ice Sports

Saturday 2:30-4:15  
Admission 25c & 10c

SPORTS ARENA

## MARCH OF DIMES

### DANCE

ROLL-AWAY — THURSDAY FEB. 6

9 till 12:30

Admission 75c

Lowell Huestis Band

Art Cantwell Quintette

## Y. M. C. A. Basketball League Halfway Through Schedule

The S.W.A.P. (Sport with a purpose) basketball league last week completed the second of four sections that comprise the full schedule.

The league, under the direction of Ron Atkinson, consists of five teams of boys 15-17 years old and has in its ranks a few of the current stars in the Island Basketball League.

In top place at the halfway mark with 10 pts are the Centennial and Alpha teams coached by Mark Ladner and Myron Weeks respectively. Running a close second with 8 pts, are the Satellites coached by last year's S.W.A.P. player of the year Ken McKenzie.

Top scorer in the league is Centennial's big Ray McLean who in eight games to date has potted 142 points. Pushing hard on his tail is Satellites jump-shot artist, Wendall McLean with 128 pts. George Phillips of Phiats is third with 98. Dewey Harper has picked up 25 per cent fouls to lead the league in that department.

S.W.A.P. was started in the fall of 1956 by Charlie Ballem

to provide the young men of Charlottetown a chance to learn the wonderful game of Basketball and at the same time develop in them a fair sense of team play and sportsmanship, thus from this idea of a sport with a basic purpose Charlie Ballem derived S.W.A.P.

To bring this knowledge to the boys, the league depends of five top notch coaches who this year are Mark Ladner, Myron Weeks, Jack Turner, Ken McKenzie and Jack Ross.

The success of S.W.A.P. can be visibly seen in the Island Senior Basketball League this year with about 50% of both the Y.M.C.A. and P.W.C. Senior teams made up of last year's S.W.A.P. graduates, plus the fact that many of this year's S.W.A.P. players are already active in the Senior League.

Following are the team standings:

	P	W	L	Pts.
Centennial	8	5	3	10
Alpha	8	5	3	10
Satellites	8	4	4	8
Triangles	8	3	5	6
Phiats	8	3	5	6

## SPORT OF KINGS'

### Souris Defeated After Using The Zone Defence

Using the zone defense, a new affair for them, the Souris High School were defeated by Queen Charlotte High School in their first game in the newly formed Island High School Basketball League.

In the past, the local High School has always employed a man to man defense. A zone defense, if properly employed can really cut down on the opposition's scoring. With only a few practices using the zone defense, the locals are still unsure of themselves. With more practices, and games, they are bound to improve.

This coming Saturday, the locals again journey to Charlottetown, where they will meet the only Prince County entry in the league, Summerside High School. The only fact known about the Summerside squad is that three of their players are members of the Spudniks, Summerside entry in the Island Intermediate League.

Permission had been granted the Summerside entry to use these players for this year only. They have only an eight man team, and without these players would not be able to enter a team in the High School League.

NHL hockey made its debut on the Island on Saturday night. Local fans got a glimpse of the big name players that they've been reading about. Of course, Island product, Forbie Kennedy's every move was closely followed.

If the mild weather continues, hockey fans in natural ice districts may not see any hockey except that which appears on the TV screen. One skate has been held on the Souris Rink ice surface this year. Since then, mild weather has reigned supreme. Cold weather is expected, and if it comes, we may see some hockey this year.

Morell High School is the only team from Eastern King's to play a game so far this year.

Last week they journeyed to Montague, where they met the local High School. Montague has had ice and hockey during the last month, and the more better-conditioned Montague squad had little trouble with the Morell team.

Turning to bowling, in the Men's league, two battles are being fought. The Federals and Ramblers are battling it out for the first place, with the Federals holding a two and a half point lead, while the Ramblers have two games in hand. The other struggle is for sixth place. At present, the Perfectionists hold down the last playoff position with a four point edge over the Mathew and MacLeans entry.

The Perfectionists have one game remaining, while the M and M entry have two games left. MacLeans meet the Has Beens this week in the only game the two contenders indulge in.

The battle in the Women's League is for sixth place. The Happy Gang have a one and a half point margin over the Green Horns with no games left, while the Green Horns have one game left, with the Claim Jumpers. This week will see the end of the Women's League, with the playoffs beginning next week.

The playoff schedule calls for 1st against 4th, 2nd against 5th, and 3rd against 6th. These elimination rounds are best two of three. The team winning with the highest pinfall draws a bye into the finals, while the other two winners meet in the semi-finals.

Down St. Peters way, a fifteen team Mixed League is going strong. The top team is the Greenhick Big Five with twenty-one out of a possible twenty-five points. Three other teams are following close behind. They are: Scrubs 19, Busy Bees 18, and the Co-op entry with 17. Any more information gained about this league, and the league operating in Morell will be passed on as soon as it is received.

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