

Islanders Suffer 6-3 Defeat At Saint John

Halifax Wins 5-1 As Moncton Hawks Blow Up In Second Period

HALIFAX, Dec. 4—(CP)—Beaten the smallest crowd of the season Halifax St. Mary's breezed to a 5-1 win over Moncton in a Maritime Senior Hockey League game here today. It was a dull affair.

After checking the Saints to a standstill in the first period, Hawks blew wide open in the middle session and Saints whipped in four goals. There was no scoring in the scarily third stanza, though St. Mary's fired 13 shots at burly Les Colvin in the Moncton cage.

The close checking style adopted by Hawks held Saints at bay for nearly 30 minutes after the Halifax club met the first goal in the opening chapter. But in the last 11 minutes of the middle frame, the Irish waltzed through a futile Moncton defence for four goals.

In the last period Hawks had only two close in shots at goalie Eddie D'Aoust, a light defence forcing them to shoot from well out.

The victory extended the Halifax undefeated skein to six games and moved them to within five points of league-leading Charlottetown Islanders.

First goal of the game came with the contest only 42 seconds old. Danny Wilkes was the marksman, whipping home a backhand shot after Eddie Brown had hit Colvin's pads with a whistling slap shot. Loose around the net in the first few minutes, the Hawks suddenly tightened and

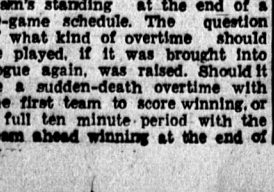
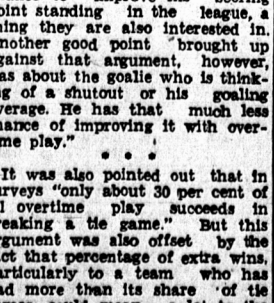
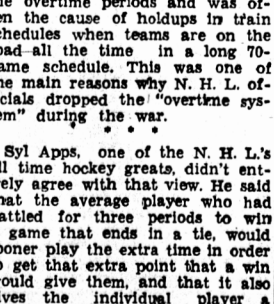
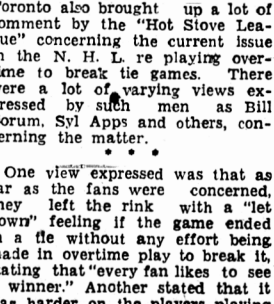
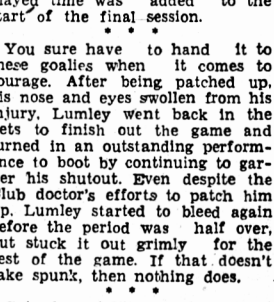
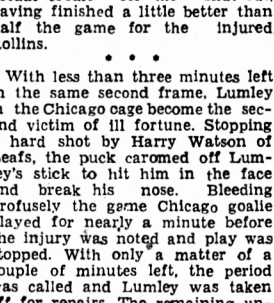
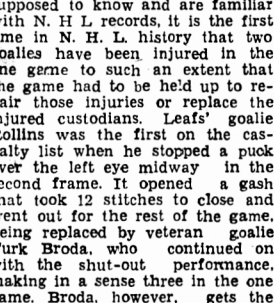
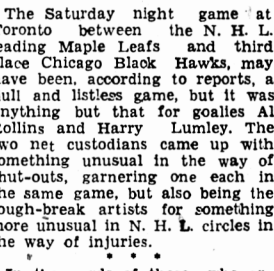
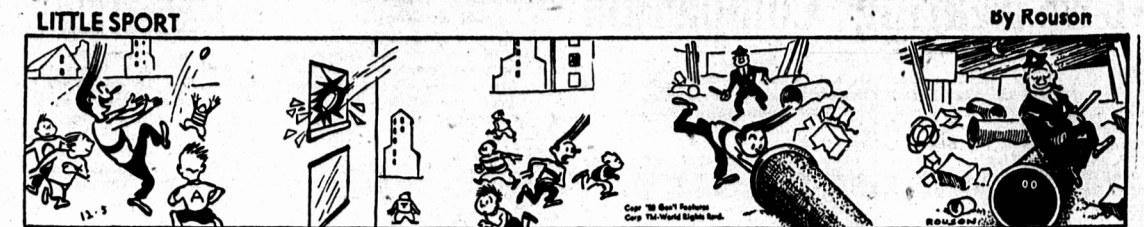
stopped the fast skating Saints in their tracks. The Hawks' most effective line—Dalton Barkwell, Mike Demchuk and Jack Morrow—combined to tie the score seven minutes after the Halifax goal. Demchuk brushed home the tying counter after a three way play with Morrow and Barkwell.

Officials — Bradshaw, Sleep, Capus.

First Period
1—Halifax, Wilkes (Watson, Brown) 42
2—Moncton, Demchuk (Morrow, Barkwell) 7:56
Penalties—None.

Second Period
3—Halifax, Campbell (Watson) 9:02
4—Halifax, Thomas (McGregor, Wilkes) 10:14
5—Halifax, Hollett (Powers, Grabowski) 15:13
6—Halifax, Miller (Anderson) 18:57
Penalties—Morrow (2), Wilkes.

Third Period
Scoring—None.
Penalty—Mousseau.



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Islanders Club Elects New Directors At Large, Enthusiastic Meeting

Probably the largest hockey meeting to be held in this city for a great many years took place at the Clover Club last night. Some 200 interested hockey fans attended a special meeting of the P. E. Islanders Hockey Club, Inc. to elect a permanent board of directors to replace the provisional executive which has been carrying on the Club's business ever since it was formed earlier this year.

The meeting was presided over by the Provisional President, Major T. B. Rogers, who in the opinion of those attending, made an excellent job of conducting the meeting in a successful and progressive manner.

The new Directors elected at last night's meeting, who will carry on the business affairs of the Club until its first annual meeting to be held on the second Tuesday of June, 1951, are as follows:—Major T. B. Rogers, William Boyles, Clarence MacGinn, Arthur Clark, Harry McInnis, Dr. R. F. Seaman, Dr. F. C. Dougan and Somerled Trainor.

The selection was made from 15 nominations, some of which were brought in by an appointed nominating committee of W. E. Scantlebury, A. W. Rogers and Somerled Trainor, the remainder being nominated by the meeting from the floor. Under the Club Constitution, all persons possessing holding seats are members of the corporation, and those present cast their ballots at last night's election.

Among a number of others who declined their nominations in the election of new directors, Mr. W. J. "Bill" Brown, Provisional Vice-President of the Club said "as Manager of the Charlottetown Forum, I don't feel that I should carry on as a member of the executive, because in matters of business between both the Club and the Forum, it would put me in a very difficult position in reaching a decision."

The first meeting of the new Directors will be held tomorrow evening at five o'clock to elect their executive officers of President, 1st Vice-President, 2nd Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer etc.

Speaking on behalf of the outgoing provisional executive as its President, Major Rogers stated "We have no apologies to make for the manner in which the business and activities of the Club have been carried on since its formation. We have provided the land hockey fans with a team leadership.

With the past few wins for Halifax and losses for themselves cutting down Islanders 11 point lead to a shaky five, the Islanders will need a win tonight if they are going to stave off last year's league champions from overtaking their leadership before the week is out.

With the chips down, and so much at stake in tonight's contest, it has every prospect of producing the most action-packed tilt of the season to date, and plenty of smart hockey can be expected before the final verdict is reached.

Millionaires In 5-3 Win Over North Sydney

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 4—(CP)—Sydney Millionaires blasted home four goals in the final period tonight to squeak a bid for victory by Northside Victorians in the Cape Breton Senior Hockey League. The final score was Sydney 5, North Sydney 3.

Tallend Vics led 2-1 at the end of the second but then the circuit-leaders hit back hard. The game saw three juniors working as replacements. Angus MacDonald of Sydney replaced Nick Pidsodny in the Sydney cage. Pidsodny has a fractured finger. Bill Gardiner of Sydney Mines and Dougie MacLeod of Sydney eked out the injury-depleted ranks of Vics.

Bob Bowness, starchy Millionaire forward, collected minor and match misconduct penalties in the final period. He was handed the misconduct for chasing the referee who penalized him for elbowing. Each goalie had 20 stops. Attendance figure was 1,127.

First Period
1—Sydney, Dinning (Brukow, Whalen) 2:32
2—North Sydney, Demarco (Peterson, Olsen) 15:48
Penalty—Matthews.

Second Period
3—North Sydney, Petersen (Demarco) 10:10
Penalties—McKae, Bowness, Scatillon.

Third Period
4—Sydney, McRae 37
5—North Sydney, Brelinger (Peterson) 1:24
6—Sydney, Whalen 3:56
7—Sydney, MacIntyre (Whalen, Roach) 12:17
8—Sydney, Matthews (Cupolo, Roach) 14:50
Penalties—Bowness (minor and match misconduct), Scatillon, McRae.

Minor Baseball Leagues Go On Spending Spree

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Dec. 4—(AP)—The high-ranking minor leagues alert to a growing manpower problem, went on a spending spree today in the baseball draft.

An estimated \$270,900 was spent by the triple-A, double-A and Class-A leagues for 75 men.

The three triple-A leagues—International, Pacific Coast and American Association, paid some \$126,400 for 25 men.

Another \$76,500 was dished out by the two double-A leagues—Texas and Southern Association—for 22 additional men to a growing manpower problem.

The four class-A leagues came up with \$68,000 for 28 men. In this group are the Eastern, South Atlantic, Central and Western Leagues. Classes "B" and "C" are scheduled to complete their selections tomorrow.

Several oldsters, like Hal Gregg, the former Brooklyn and Pittsburgh pitcher were on the list. But many were within the military draft range of 19 to 28.

Few clubs had a chance to investigate thoroughly the military status of their selections. It was pretty much "hit or miss" and "hope for the best."

Mounting Roughness Marks Game; Record 20 Penalties Imposed

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Dec. 4—(CP)—Roughness steadily increasing to a bloody third period climax marked a Maritime Senior Hockey League fixture here tonight as short-handed Saint John Beavers drubbed Charlottetown Islanders 6-3.

Fights and a record 20 penalties slowed the game while Islanders, who have seen their once commanding lead dwindle to five points over second place Halifax St. Mary's, strove desperately to score. Saint John remained seven points behind Halifax.

Beavers were leading 6-2 late in the third when hostilities reached a peak. Saint John's Vic Jackson received a two-minute penalty for interfering with Kevin Conway. Then Conway proceeded to beat up Jackson and blood flowed from a cut on the latter's head.

Phil Vitale of Charlottetown and Eddie Bolan were the next to mix it up. Bolan inflicted considerable punishment but bled badly before they were separated. Majors went to Vitale, Conway and Bolan, with Vitale also getting a match misconduct.

Police Avert Fights
Police interference became necessary several times to avert fighting between Charlottetown players and fans.

The defeat was the worst suffered by the league-leading Islanders this season. Half of their 10 losses have been inflicted by Beavers, who have played the Charlottetown team 10 times.

The Saint John crew gained a 2-1 lead in the first period tonight and shot three in the second without a reply. The Islanders lalited twice after the final Beaver goal early in the third.

Red Favaro sandwiched one between a brace by Jackson during the last half of the opening stanza. Five penalties went to Charlottetown, against one for Saint John, in the period. Other infractions escaped punishment. Beavers had a definite edge in the play.

Ice Heavy
Despite softening ice, the teams maintained a fast pace as the game proceeded. Play was fairly even in the second session but Beavers made good on the breaks. Manny McIntyre, Jack Heon and Nick Nicolle were the scorers. The latter's goal appeared to have gone in off a Charlottetown player's skate.

Roger Jodoin ended the scoring for Saint John. Frank Bathgate followed with the second Island tally, and with 21 seconds left to go, Johnny Horeck countered after the final display of stick-swinging and flat-throwing.

Charlottetown — Goal, Gordon; defence, McLagan, Conway; centre, Trainor; wings, Favaro, Pawlynshyn; subs, Vitale, Travis, Bathgate, Beaudry, J. Horeck, D. Horeck, Beaton, Duchak, Clements.

Saint John — Goal, Brodeur; defence, Heon, Mudie; centre, Whitlock; wings, Nicolle, McIntyre; subs, Bolan, Jodoin, Armstrong, James, Jackson, Platz.

Referee, Stan Swain; linesmen, Ed Larabee and Neil Sanford.

First Period
1—Saint John, Jackson (Platz, Jodoin) 12:32
2—Charlottetown, Favaro (Pawlynshyn) 16:48
3—Saint John, Jackson (Mudie) 19:00
Penalties—J. Horeck, Bolan, Vitale (2), Favaro, McLagan.

Second Period
4—Saint John, McIntyre (Nicolle, Whitlock) 6:10
5—Saint John, Heon (Mudie, Jodoin) 8:28
6—Saint John, Nicolle (Whitlock) 12:07
Penalties—McLagan, McIntyre, Pawlynshyn, Beaudry.

Third Period
7—Saint John, Jodoin (Jackson, Platz) 2:55
8—Charlottetown, Bathgate (J.

Chamberlain Tangles With Referees; Then Sees Games From Sidelines

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4—(CP)—The Pacific Coast Hockey League is cracking down on rough play. Vancouver coach, Murph Chamberlain saw two of his team's last three games from the sidelines. Both times he was bounced from the bench, once for insulting a referee and once for pushing a referee. The insult, during a game with Seattle, cost him \$75 in fines. Canucks, incidentally, won the game. Chamberlain until last month was coach of Charlottetown Islanders in the Maritime Major League.

The Saturday night Victoria-Tacoma game, which Cougars won, erupted in a first-class riot in the second period. The league announced the setback will cost three players \$25 each.

The downstairs clubs in the circuit finally are making their play toward recognition.

The defending champion New Westminster Royals still hold down top spot, with Portland Eagles following, but the week just past was a rough one for the League leaders.

Victoria Cougars started last week's campaign with a 4-1 victory over the Royals for New Westminster's third straight setback. It was also the third time this season they have lost to the Cougars.

Later, Victoria spurred in the final seconds to gain a 2-2 tie with Portland. And Sunday night the Cougars battled to another draw, this time a 5-5 game with Seattle Ironmen, the cellar team.

Ironmen, meanwhile, finally are playing on home ice. The Seattle Arena was closed until last week. When it opened New Westminster spoiled the homecoming, winning 2-0.

But Ironmen came back to whip Portland 4-2 for their fourth victory of the season.

Sunday night, as Seattle and Victoria fought to their draw, Portland downed New Westminster 8-4, with Frank Kubashek get-

Jack Thaler Is Suspended

NEW GLASGOW, N.S., Dec. 4—(CP)—President Bryce Brown of the Maritime Hockey Association said here today defenceman Jack Thaler has been "suspended until further notice or until an executive vote is completed."

The controversy over Thaler started when he played an unauthorized Maritime Senior Hockey League game with Saint John Beavers Saturday night, without first getting his release from Glace Bay Miners of the Cape Breton senior loop.

Secretary-registrar Gene Connolly of the M.A.H.A. announced in Sydney last night that Miners had not given Thaler his release.

Mr. Love said also that "in the eyes of the M.A.H.A. and the C.A.H.A. Thaler is still the property of Miners."

It is understood that a telegraph vote of the Association executive now is being taken regarding possible action against Beavers and further action against Thaler.

Tommy Farr Loses

CARMARTHEN, Wales, Dec. 4—(AP)—Tommy Farr, onetime king of British heavyweights now on the comeback trail, was outpointed by a wide margin tonight by Lloyd Marshall of Cleveland, O., in a blood-spattered 10-round fight.

Victoria holds down fourth position, hemmed in by the third-place Tacoma Tigers and Vancouver Canucks, who habituate the second-to-last berth. Vancouver drew with New Westminster Saturday night.

Little Sport

The Saturday night game at Toronto between the N. H. L. leading Maple Leafs and third place Chicago Black Hawks, may have been, according to reports, a dull and listless game, but it was anything but that for goalies Al Rollins and Harry Lumley. The two net custodians came up with something unusual in the way of shut-outs, garnering one each in the same game, but also being the tough-break artists for something more unusual in N. H. L. circles in the way of injuries.

In the words of those who are supposed to know and are familiar with N. H. L. records, it is the first time in N. H. L. history that two goalies have been injured in the one game to such an extent that the game had to be held up to repair those injuries or replace the injured custodians. Leafs' goalie Rollins was the first on the casualty list when he stopped a puck over the left eye midway in the second frame. He opened a gash that took 12 stitches to close and went out for the rest of the game, being replaced by veteran goalie Turk Broda, who continued on with the shut-out performance, making in a sense three in the one game. Broda, however, gets the actual credit for the shut-out, having finished a little better than half the game for the injured Rollins.

With less than three minutes left in the same second frame, Lumley in the Chicago cage became the second victim of ill fortune. Stopping a hard shot by Harry Watson of Leafs, the puck caromed off Lumley's stick to hit him in the face and break his nose. Bleeding profusely the game Chicago goalie played for nearly a minute before the injury was noted and play was stopped. With only a matter of a couple of minutes left, the period was called and Lumley was taken over for repairs. The remaining unplayed time was added to the start of the final session.

You sure have to hand it to these goalies when it comes to courage. After being patched up, his nose and eyes swollen from his injury, Lumley went back in the nets to finish out the game and turned in an outstanding performance to boot by continuing to garner his shut-out. Even despite the Club doctor's efforts to patch him up, Lumley started to bleed again before the period was half over, but stuck it out grimly for the rest of the game. If that doesn't take spunk, then nothing does.

Saturday night's scoreless tie at Toronto also brought up a lot of comment by the "Hot Shot" magazine concerning the current issue in the N. H. L. re playing overtime to break tie games. There were a lot of varying views expressed by such men as Bill Corum, Syl Apps and others, concerning the matter.

One view expressed was that as far as the fans were concerned, they left the rink with a "tie down" feeling if the game ended in a tie without any effort being made in overtime play to break it, stating that "every fan likes to see a winner." Another stated that it was harder on the players playing the overtime periods and was often the cause of holdups in train schedules when teams are on the road all the time in a long 70-game schedule. This was one of the main reasons why N. H. L. officials dropped the "overtime system" during the war.

Syl Apps, one of the N. H. L.'s all time hockey greats, didn't entirely agree with that view. He said that the average player who had battled for three periods to win a game that ends in a tie, would sooner play the extra time in order to get that extra point that a win would give them, and that it also gives the individual player a chance to improve his scoring point standing in the league, a thing they are also interested in. Another good point brought up against that argument, however, was about the goalie who is thinking of a shut-out or his goaling average. He has that much less chance of improving it with overtime play."

It was also pointed out that in surveys "only about 30 per cent of all overtime play succeeds in breaking a tie game." But this argument was also offset by the fact that percentage of extra wins, particularly to a team who has had more than its share of tie games, could mean a lot to the team's standing at the end of a 70-game schedule. The question of what kind of overtime should be played, if it was brought into vogue again, was raised. Should it be a sudden-death overtime with the first team to score winning, or a full ten minute period with the team ahead winning at the end of

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Charles 5-To-1 Choice To Retain Title

CINCINNATI, Dec. 4—(AP)—Heavyweight champion Ezzard Charles today ruled a 5-to-1 choice to retain his laurels in tomorrow's 15-round title scrap with rugged Nick Barone of Syracuse.

Overlooking the fact Barone has never been off his feet in 52 professional fights, the betting boys opine "the only thing Charles figures to lose is his moustache."

The City Boxing Commission has ordered the champion to shave the hirsute adornment from his upper lip.

About 10,000 of Charles' home town fans are expected to put some \$50,000 on the line to watch the Cincinnati Negro's fifth defence of the title in Ohio's first heavyweight championship scrap in almost 20 years.

This is one championship bout in which neither principal gets a guarantee. The payoff will be on the number of dollars they draw at the gate, with Charles getting 42 1/2 per cent, and Barone 17 1/2.

Most of the experts figure Charles' snaky left and his two-inch advantage in reach will keep Barone from getting inside where he does his most effective work.

Barone, at 24, has youth riding on his side against the champion who, at 29, isn't exactly a greybeard. Charles, weighing about 184, will have a four-pound pull.

The fight, originally scheduled last Tuesday night, was postponed when the biggest snow of the decade blanketed the state. Now the snow is gone, but floodwaters offer a new menace. The high water isn't expected to hamper the fight—but may cut the attendance from out-of-town.

Champion Retires

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 4—(AP)—Ice skating champion Nancy Ann Viner is retiring from competition—at the age of 14.

She made the announcement today—saying "skating for fun was one thing, but some are out for blood and that takes the enjoyment out of the sport."

Nancy Ann holds the North American outdoor speed skating title as well as the U. S. indoor crown in the juvenile class.

Horeck, D. Horeck 11:48
9—Charlottetown, J. Horeck (Trainor) 10:30
Penalties—Travis, Clements, Jackson (2), McLagan, Vitale (minor, major and match misconduct), Conway (major), Bolan (major).

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FORUM BULLETIN DEC. 5 TO 9

TUESDAY—Children's Skating—4 to 5:30
Hockey—8:30—Halifax vs. Islanders
WEDNESDAY—Hockey practice
THURSDAY—Skating—8 to 10
FRIDAY—Children's Skating—4 to 5:30
Hockey—8:30—St. John vs. Islanders
SATURDAY—Skating—3 to 5
Skating—8 to 10.