

Royals Paste Saints 12-4 To Grab Top Place In Loop

The fast skating Parkdale Royals moved into sole possession of top place in the Island Senior Hockey League by handing a 12-4 pasting to St. Dunstan's University in a league fixture at the Sports Arena last night.

In turning in their most impressive scoring performance of the young season, the Parkdale sextet outplayed the collegians by a good margin in a game that had plenty of penalties besides plenty of goals.

Royals had the tussle pretty well wrapped up in the first period whipping in five goals in a row after spotting the Saints the opening goal of the night. Royals led 8-3 at the end of the second and ran the score to 12-2 before SDU cut the margin with a pair of flickies in the last two minutes.

ROYALS ON TOP

The victory pushed the Royals to top spot in the ISHL standings. Parkdale has won three of four starts. Saints who have one tie in three starts hold down the cellar.

How They Stand	Points	Goals For	Goals Against
Royals	3	10	750
Penguins	2	10	667
Aces	1	2	1375
Stars	0	2	1675

Coach Angie Carroll set the pace for his teammates firing home three goals, tops on either team. Veterans Wally Shepherd and Buck Whitlock and young Fred Burke each hit twice. Allie Carver celebrated his return to the ice wars with a goal. Ralph Josey and Kip Ready got the others.

Reg Ryan fired two for the Saints and helped on another. Rus Browne and Bob Des Champs got singles.

TWELVE PENALTIES

Twelve penalties were passed out by referees Art Perry and Walter Lawlor. Saints could do little in the way of scoring des-

pite having a man advantage 10 times during the tilt. One of the 10 Parkdale penalties was a 10-minute misconduct to Whitlock late in the second period.

Saints had a golden chance to narrow things in the first period when Josey and Ready landed in the penalty box almost simultaneously. But with the Royals putting up a tight net around goaltender Butch Ward and a youngster making some fine stops, Saints got nowhere.

Action in the Island Senior League tonight sees the Saints at home to the Perfection Penguins. It will be the last outing for the collegians until Jan. 11.

LINE-UPS

Parkdale: Goal-Ward; defence-Josey, Ready, MacLure, Steele; Forwards-Carroll, Whitlock, Carver, Dunn, Shepherd, Burke.

Saints: Goal-E. Shepherd; defence-Hache, Clough, Whelan, Trainer; Forwards-Driscoll, Kelly, Ryan, Browne, Labrie, Demers, Des Champs, St. Julian.

Referees: Art Perry, Walter Lawlor.

First Period-1. Saints-Browne

Brown, Charnley Tale Of Tape

Brown	Charnley
Age 34	Age 24
Weight 135	Weight 135
Height 5-7 1/2	Height 5-6 1/2
Reach 70 1/2	Reach 66
Chest nor 38	Chest nor 38
Chest exp 40	Chest exp 40
Waist 28	Waist 28
Neck 16 1/2	Neck 16 1/2
Thigh 21	Thigh 21
Calif 13 1/2	Calif 13 1/2
Biceps 13	Biceps 13
Forearm 11 1/2	Forearm 11 1/2
Wrist 11	Wrist 11
Ankle 8 1/2	Ankle 8 1/2
Wrist 6 1/2	Wrist 6 1/2

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

ATHLETES HAVE a habit of changing their locations every now and then. Sometimes the change is voluntary, other times there is no choice in the matter.

In major league ball for instance we see where Billy O'Dell and Billy Loes will be wearing San Francisco Giants' uniforms next summer while Gordon Jones and Jackie Brandt will be drawing their pay cheques from Baltimore.

National Hockey League players make changes too and Brianullen formerly of the Toronto Maple Leafs is working for the New York Rangers. Toronto has an old Detroit performer, Johnny Wilson, who is going great guns for Punch Imlach.

WE SINCELY HOPE that when sport stories appear in the future referring to any of these players as members of the teams from which they draw their salaries that this columnist will not be accused of leading other columnists astray. Sure, we know this sounds ridiculous and it most certainly is. But as foolish as it sounds, it is no more foolish than blaming us for errors in a hockey lineup—a lineup presented to readers by another sport columnist.

This other columnist last Thursday stated that Ralph Shepherd would be with the Royals in Summerside last Friday. We look him to task for this but he came through with a humdinger of an explanation. The fault was ours he maintained because we had Shepherd working out with the Royals in a story on our page back on November 17. Our friend's column appeared on November 26 and Shepherd up to this time had never played a single game with the Royals and had long since left the province for Amherst. Yet he cries he had no way of knowing this had occurred and his column of November 26 was based in part on what he had read in this paper on November 17.

WHEN HE READ the November 17 issue, Ralph Shepherd was working out with the Royals but when he sent this controversial column to bed, Shepherd was not even in the province.

Floyd Patterson was heavyweight champion of the world early one evening by 11 o'clock that night Ingemar Johansson had lifted the crown from him. We undoubtedly referred to Patterson as the world champion in our column the morning of the fight but nobody took us to task a week later and said we misled them.

We have made our share of mistakes in columns or stories over the years but we have never had the audacity to lay the blame on the utterance of a rival paper. However, we imagine we should be honored that so much faith is put in our stories.

We always try to give factual reporting but we have no way of knowing what the future will do. When we reported Ralph Shepherd was out practicing with the Royals it was a fact but our report of such practice couldn't keep him from going over to the Amherst club. We were well aware he had gone and our friend should have known too. However, he didn't and his only excuse was our practice item published nine days earlier.

We hadn't intended carrying this controversy any further but we couldn't resist answering this latest utterance. We have no desire to keep up the argument but neither have any intention of letting matters like this go unchallenged.

TONIGHT TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS are entertaining the wild running Montreal Canadiens.

It will be the fifth meeting between the two clubs this season and the Leafs have been able to show only one point for the other four battles. That came on Wednesday October 28 when the Imlach crew battled the league leaders to a 1-1 draw. Leafs have lost only one home game and that was to the same Blakemen, a 4-1 decision on November 21.

Toronto is going great guns this season but their showing against Montreal just indeed be hurting their pride. They have had success with just about everybody else but nothing goes right when they meet up with the Canadiens.

You can look, however, for the greatest assault of the year by Toronto tonight. Imlach has his sights set high this season and he still doesn't think the first place place spot is out of reach. It does seem mighty ambitious to be figuring you can beat out the Canadiens but Imlach is a really ambitious man. Last season such ambition carried him a long, long way and this season the Queen City entry appeared to carry on from where they left off.

Boldly we call for a Toronto victory tonight.

WORD HAS IT that the Milwaukee Braves are hot after a second baseman and the name at the head of the list is Gil MacDougald of the New York Yankees.

Red Schoendienst doesn't know why the Braves are looking for such a performer but the fact remains that they are. Milwaukee sportswriters say the deal is probably all cooked up now just awaiting an announcement.

There are other names mentioned in addition to MacDougald. They are Billy Martin of Cleveland, Frank Bolling of Detroit, Pete Runnels of Boston just to name a few. However MacDougald's name always keeps bobbing up. It won't die.

YANKEES NEED lefthanded pitching to aid Whitey Ford and the Braves have a young gentleman the New Yorkers would like to acquire. That's Juan Pizarro who is only 22 and a valuable piece of property.

MacDougald had a bad year in 1959 but it was not a typical MacDougald season. In nine years in the majors, he has batted .280, he played second, short or third as a regular and has played in seven world series and three all-star games. In 1958 his performance against the Braves in the world series was outstanding. That was the series he belted two home runs.

Yes, the Braves would like to acquire Gil but if the Yankees let him go you can be sure they'll get from Milwaukee exactly what they want.

Something should be happening very soon now.

(Driscoll, Ryan) 2:51; 2. Royals-Shepherd (Burke, Dunn) 4:09; 3. Royals-Josey (Whitlock, Carver) 5:51; 4. Royals-Whitlock (Carroll, Josey) 8:22; 5. Royals-Carroll (Whitlock, Carver) 18:08; 6. Royals-Burke (Dunn, Shepherd) 19:30. Penalties- Josey, Ready.

Second Period- 7. Royals-Carroll (Ready) 1:07; 8. Royals-Carver (Whitlock) 4:10; 9. Saints-Deschamps (Demers, Labrie) 4:31; 10. Royals-Whitlock (Carver) 14:52. Penalties- Whitlock, Clough, Dunn, Burke, Brown, Whitlock 10 minute misconduct.

Third Period- 11. Royals-Carroll (Ready) 2:36; 12. Royals-Ready (Carroll) 5:48; 13. Royals-W. Shepherd (Burke, Josey) 7:43; 14. Royals-Burke (Dunn, Shepherd) 8:18; 15. Saints-Ryan (unassisted) 18:02; 16. Saints-Ryan (Demers) 19:59. Penalties-Burke, Josey, Ward (2).

Saints & PWC Notch Victories

Saints and Welshmen notched victories in a doubleheader hoop tilt at Birchwood High School last evening, with the Welshmen downing YMCA 40-34 and the Saints defeating LePage's Trotters 55-44.

The Prince of Wales crew set the pace in the first game and at half time were carrying an eight-point cushion. The Jack Ross-coached 'Y' team could only close the gap by two points in the bottom half of the tilt, outscoring the collegians 21-19.

Ray MacLean was top sniper for the winners, swishing the net for 17 points. Dave Sellar followed close behind with 14 markers.

Wendell MacLean paced the losers with 13 points. Glen Patchell picked up 12 points.

The second game on the twin bill between Saints and Trotters followed along the same lines with the Malpeque Road Collegians carrying a 14-point bulge at half time.

Ed Murphy paced the Saints, sinking baskets for a total of 14 points. Todd and Tingley followed closely behind with 14 and 11 points respectively.

Dave Arnold was big gun for the losers with 15 counters. George McGuigan picked up 14.

Handling the whistles were MacDonald and Mac Goodwin. Here are the lineups:

PWC-Ray MacLean 17, Dave Sellar 14, T. Scantlebury 5, S. Lavers 2, B. Jardine 2, J. Matheson, D. Matheson, L. Gallant, Stevenson, J. Cote, S. MacPherson. Total 40.

YMCA-W. MacLean 13, G. Patchell 12, H. Phillips 4, R. Atkinson 2, Hector McDougall 1, B. MacGinnell 2, B. MacKinnon, Garthum, R. Perry, S. Thomson, D. MacLeod, A. Holman, F. Gimble.

SAINTS - Todd 13, E. Murphy 14, Tingley 11, Smith, Ryan, MacDonald 2, MacMillan 7, Paul Murphy 2, Callaghan 2, MacWade 4, Mullally. Total 55.

Trotters - D. MacLean 6, G. Collins 7, I. MacKinnon 2, G. McGuigan 14, D. Arnold 15, Farmer, Ladner, Chinery. Total 44.

Yacht Vim Is Loaned To Aussies

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) - Vim, one of the United States' sleekest racing yachts, left for Australia Tuesday where she will become a test boat for a possible Australian attempt to capture the America's Cup.

The 28-year-old sloop was towed Monday from Oyster Bay, N.Y., to Port Newark, where she was loaded as deck cargo aboard the City of Poonia.

The freighter is due in Sydney, Australia, on Jan. 1.

Sir Frank Packer heads a group of Australian yachtsmen who chartered Vim for two years. They plan to study the American boat, build one like her and then hold races between the two. Their aim is to enter their own yacht in the America's Cup races in 1961.

Last year, Vim lost to Columbia in trial races to determine which would represent the United States in defending the cup.

Columbia went on to defeat the British yacht, Sceptre, with ease.

Corbo Arrives For Appearance In L.A. Court

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Frankie Corbo, accused of fight game racketeering, received a jail sentence in New York Monday and arrived here Tuesday for another court appearance today.

The quick shift from coast to coast was accomplished by U.S. marshal's deputies who picked up Corbo in New York Tuesday morning and brought him by jet plane to Los Angeles.

Corbo maintained a stony silence when reporters tried to question him upon his arrival.

He was whisked to jail to await arraignment in federal court on charges of attempted extortion.

Corbo, 35, and four others are charged with threatening physical harm to Donald Paul Neseth, a local fight promoter, in attempts to muscle in on Jordan's purses.

The other defendants are Frank (Blinky) Palermo, Philadelphia fight promoter; Truman Gibson Jr., president of the National Boxing Enterprises, Chicago; and Joe Sica and Louis Tom Dragna, both of Los Angeles.

In New York, Corbo pleaded guilty to three misdemeanors, conspiracy, undercover fight manager and undercover match-making. He was given a two-year jail sentence.

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DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

The Western Harness Racing Association pulled down the curtain on its most successful season last week, and driver Joe O'Brien was the leader among drivers. In 94 starts, he was 31 times first, 16 times second and 13 times third. In the final day's racing the "B" Trot, purse \$2,400 with the five-year-old "Time Me" in 2:03 1-5, and the "AA" Pace for a \$5,000 purse which he won with Raider Frost in 2:01 2-5. He was also second in the "A" Pace for a \$4,000 purse with Adios Express; the winner was Rock Brewer and the mile was in 2:00 4-5.

The daily average pari-mutuel handle was a record \$766,652, and the total handle for the 35-day meet was \$26,811,814. Among the victors marked up by Joe O'Brien that he haven't previously chronicled was the winning of the "C" Pace, purse \$1,800, with the S.A. Camp-bred "Explorer", a three-year-old, time 2:03. Another "C" Pace, also for an \$1,800 purse on November 18, was won by Joe with Telepace, time 2:04 1-5. Telepace is by the Camp Farms' sire, Meadow Pace.

On November 19, the "C" Pace, purse \$1,600 was won by Pace-way, driven by Joe, he is a two-year-old also by Meadow Pace, in a good 2:05 2-5. This one is also owned by the S.A. Camp Stables. Joe was up behind Wonderful Time, owned by the Hayes Fair Acres Stable, that same afternoon in the Three-Year-Old Pace, purse \$7,500; Wonderful Time led six others to the wire in the excellent time of 2:01. He had another winner in Axel Rod in the Claiming Trot, purse \$2,500; the time was 2:03 3-5.

GIVEN AWARD

Joe was presented with the Guy Crigger Memorial Award for winning the fall Western Harness driving title—He set a new Western Harness Racing Association driving record by posting his 29th win of the season, and he went on to finish with 31 wins, as we noted in the opening paragraph.

When our Maritime Harness Racing Review for 1959 appears, it will show the five-year-old pacer, Bad News, by Jollity, as being among the tops in the Maritimes. During the past season he won 22 heats and took a record of 2:09 4-5. His record at the beginning of the season was 2:18. He is owned by Hazen Fletcher, Advocate Harbor, N.S.

Bad News raced this year as a five-year-old and was driven in all his races by owner Hazen Fletcher.

Among the winners at Roosevelt Raceway the night of November 16 was Ruth Ann Rodney, a four-year-old by Rodney, that finished first in the B-2 Pace, purse \$1,900 with Greg MacDonald driving. The time for the mile was 2:05 4-5.

It was a very cold night, and no really fast times were made. The fastest mile of the night was in the A-1 Pace, won by Spears Direct in 2:04 4-5.

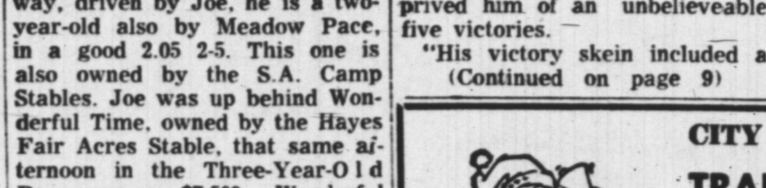
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Chicago Cubs And Boston Involved In Player Deal

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) Chicago Cubs Tuesday traded veteran outfielder Bobby Thomson to Boston Red Sox for pitcher Al Schroll. It was a straight player swap.

It was the second important major league trade in two days, onday San Francisco Giants and Baltimore Orioles were involved in a five-player swap.

Outfielder Jackie Brandt, pitcher Gordon Jones and catcher Roger McCardell went to Baltimore for pitchers Billy O'Dell and Billy Loes.

It also was the second trade engineered by the Cubs and Red Sox since the inter-league trading period went into effect Nov. 21. On that date the Cubs traded pitcher Dave Hillman and first baseman Jim Marshall to Boston for first baseman Dick Gernert.

Thomson is famed for the clutch ninth inning home run which gave the then New York Giants a playoff pennant victory over Brooklyn Dodgers in 1951.

He came to the Cubs from the Giants in 1958.

BETTER BULPEN

"I know our bullpen has improved 100 per cent with the addition of Loes," said Phil Rigney, the Giants' manager. "This is the best pitching staff I have had since I became manager. It means I won't have to go to Sad Sam Jones in the bullpen when he should be resting for a start."

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