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TAKE OVER THIRD PLACE

Saints Defeat Montague 10-5 In Island Loop Tilt

St. Dunstan's University moved right from last place into third place in the Island Senior Hockey League at the Sports Arena last night by doubling the score, 10-5, on the Montague Primroses, who sank into fourth place from third while B. Y. C. took over ownership of the cellar spot.

The Saints and Primroses played an even-even game for 40 minutes but in the third period Saints ran away from the hard-pressing Montague crew outscoring them 6-3 after building up a 4-2 lead in two periods of fast hockey.

The first period ended all even at 2-2 but the Saints took over in the second with two unanswered goals.

The "Old Pro" Joe Mahar, shunted back to a defense post for the second game, was the big man in a scoring way for Saints sharing honors with centreman Ray Gionet. Both players fired 2 goals and picked up two assists.

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DOWLING GETS TWO

Montague playing coach Cecil (Bobby) Dowling shot two goals for the Primroses and chipped in with two assists for four points.

Apprs Arsenault, Stu MacLure and Billy Hughes got the others. The game was wide-open and plenty rugged especially in the second period as the two teams thrashed their weight around with abandon.

Even though the going was pretty heavy at times only 9 penalties were passed around by referees Brian MacCallum and Don Whelan. Montague picked up five of the penalties, including a minor and misconduct in the third period to Flick Landry. All other penalties were minors.

Earl Shepherd, Saints' puck-

stopper, turned in a sensational game and his best effort of the year as the goal-minded Primroses swarmed around him in the first two periods and early in the third. Shepherd rose to every occasion, though, and turned aside a number of labeled shots in all he stopped 30 of the 35 shots sent his way.

One of the year's smaller crowds, in the vicinity of 400 fans, saw the two teams play a fast first period of hockey in which the Primroses twice took the lead and twice lost it.

George MacDonald, making his first start of the season on the defense for Montague, set up a nifty goal at 5:03 to celebrate his return to the Island wars. MacDonald took Dowling's drop pass at the blueline shuffled his way around a couple of Saints' players and laid a perfect pass on Billy Hughes.

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It took Saints seven minutes to tie it up and Jean Lemay did the trick as he lifted a rebound over Bon Dillon's pads after the Montague goalie had stopped Gaston Roy from in close.

Montague went one up again as Apprs Arsenault converted Dick Carroll's short pass into a goal and less than a minute later Joe Mahar shot his first goal and tied the score at 2-2 as he whistled a shot from the blueline that caromed off George MacDonald's skate into the net.

The Saints shot two goals without a return in the second period and from that point on were never headed. Lemay gave them the lead for keeps when the period was only 11 seconds old, making good on Gionet's pass. At 7:18 of the period Gionet got a clear cut break away from centre ice as a result of some sloppy defensive work and gave Dillon no chance. That

goal made the score read 4-2. The Primroses got right back into the game in the third period as Dowling shot his first at 2:37. But the roof came in on the Primroses after that and Saints countered four times without a return. Gionet shot his second goal, Gaston Roy, Jack MacDonald and Johnny Whelan all hit in a period of less than seven minutes and at 13:01 of the period the score was 8-3. Montague came fighting back for two in a row with Dowling hitting at 13:31 and MacLure doing likewise less than a minute later. However, Mahar and Murphy iced the game for Saints with goals at 14:45 and 19:56.

CHATTER ... Joe Mahar is getting a little better with every game ... His colorful rushes add a lot of interest to a hockey game ... Best line on the ice all night was the Saints combination of Roy-Lemay-Gionet. They scored half the S. D. U. tallies. Buck Davey was back in uniform for Saints ... He picked up one assist. ... Saints start their intercollegiate grind at the Arena Friday night against St. Thomas ... George MacDonald was a little shaky on his legs at times but he will be a big help to Primroses before this league is over. There is a lot of high-sticking going on in this league that is missing the eyes of the referees. ... B. Y. C. and Parkdale play at the Arena Thursday. ... In spite of the frigid weather there should be a big crowd there.

LINUPS

Montague: Goal, Dillon; Defense, MacLure, G. MacDonald, Coyle, Longphore; Forwards, Arsenault, Carroll, Ketch, Trowsdale, Dowling, Hughes, Landry.

Saints: Goal, Shepherd; Defense, Hache, M. MacDonald, Murphy, Mahar; Forwards, Gionet, Lemay, Roy, J. MacDonald, Davy, Whelan, Kane, MacGuigan, Burns, Veilleux.

Referees: Brian MacCallum, Don Whelan.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1. Montague, Hughes (G. MacDonald, Dowling) 5:03; 2. Saints, Lemay (Gionet, Roy) 12:06; 3. Montague, Arsenault, (Carroll) 15:10; 4. Saints, Mahar (J. MacDonald) 16:01.

Second Period: 5. Saints, Lemay (Gionet) 0:11; 6. Saints, Gionet 7:18.

Penalties: Davey, Carroll, Coyle, 2; Mahar, 2; Gionet, 2; Roy, 2; Dowling, 2; Hughes, 2; Landry, 2; Gionet, 2; Roy, 2; Mahar, 2; J. MacDonald, 2; Whelan, 2; Kane, 2; MacGuigan, 2; Burns, 2; Veilleux, 2.

Stops: Shepherd 12 11 7-30; Dillon 7 10 10-27.

MINOR HOCKEY

Only activity scheduled for Minor Hockey League play at Sports Arena today is a Midget game between Midget Flyers and Midget Abbies at 6:00 p.m.

2 Games Are Scheduled In Hoop League

Two games are on top in the City Basketball League tonight. The second place St. Dunstan's quietest travels to Summerside for their second clash of the year with the R.C.A.F. and at the Y.M.C.A. the "Y" team will be host to the league-leading Trotters, unbeaten in six starts.

The Saints played only one other game against airmen this year and in that one doubled the score on the winless airmen.

The last time Trotters and Y.M.C.A. met they put up the battle of the year. The game was actually over when Trotters captain Gump Gillis shot the foul shot that gave the Trotters a close 53-52 victory.

Both games are scheduled to get underway at 8 p.m.

Ladies Bonspiel For Club Title Nears Completion

The W.W. Wellner Competition for the Charlottetown Ladies Curling Club championship which began in November is nearing completion with three teams left in the running. This competition was arranged in three sections with six teams in each section.

Winner of the first section: M. White (skip), E. Foster (mate), E. Bagnall (second), F. Whitlock (first).

Winner of second section: E. MacDonald (skip), J. Giddings (mate), E. Goss (second), L. Bell (first).

Winner of third section: M. MacLellan (skip), B. Cameron (mate), V. Hooper (second), C. Agnew (first).

On Monday afternoon the four- some skipped by Margaret Worth defeated the MacLellan skipped team.

In the final round the Elizabeth MacDonald rink must meet both the MacLellan and Worth teams and the team emerging victorious will be declared club champion and winners of the trophy.

CHLOROTTEOWN

Continuing Round Robin series. 7 P.M. Section C: 1. H. H. Simpson vs. W. A. Beer. Ice 2 - Paul O'Rourke vs. H. Dobson. Ice 3 - H. H. Simpson vs. W. A. Beer. Ice 4 - H. H. Simpson vs. H. Dobson. Ice 5 - H. H. Simpson vs. E. MacNutt. Ice 6 - R. Spillett vs. W. Storey. 8:30 P.M., Section X: Ice 1 - A. Likely vs. J. Cameron. Ice 2 - Had MacInnis vs. C. Gallant. Ice 3 - Doug Cameron vs. Dr. Giddings. Ice 4 - Dr. W. MacDonald vs. C. MacDonald.

MONTAGUE

Curling schedule for Montague, Wednesday, Jan. 16. 7:00 P.M.: East ice: T. Clair, G. MacDonald, B. Haneveld, L. Carpenter vs. D. Wannamaker, Leon Johnston, R. Turner, S. Hanson. West ice: L. H. Poole, C. Nicholson, S. Liewellyn, J. Ballum vs. C. G. Stewart, I. G. Phillips, F. Vuozzo, V. Martin. 9:00 P.M.: East ice: A. A. Fraser, R. B. Beck, D. A. Acorn, R. Johnston vs. H. L. MacGregor, R. Hamilton, R. Knox, J. Giddings. West ice: G. G. Jardine, R. Pettit, B. Koke, B. Clair vs. A. E. Sullivan, H. Fraser, E. Robertson, E. Darby.

Grand Jury Indicts Aragon

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A grand jury Tuesday indicted welterweight boxer Art Aragon on a felony charge of offering a bribe for the purpose of fixing a fight.

The hour scheduled to pit the California "Golden Boy" against boxer Dick Goldstein at San Antonio, Tex., last Dec. 18 never came off because Aragon was taken ill at the last moment.

Aragon, long-time king of the local fight box office, has denied offering Goldstein any money, saying he could beat Goldstein easily. He said he discussed money with Goldstein, but only in an attempt to collect \$500 he said Goldstein owed him.

EMERGENCY TIRE CHAINS

The postponed annual meeting of the Charlottetown Driving Park and Provincial Exhibition,

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SNIDER HIGHEST PAID

Dodger Payroll Nearing \$500,000 Mark For 1957

By JACK HAND

BROOKLYN (AP)—It costs money to win pennants and the Brooklyn Dodgers' player payroll reportedly is approaching the \$500,000 mark for 1957.

Although E. J. (Buzzie) Bavasi, vice-president of the club, has been able to hold the salary line with many of his veterans there have been increases to men who showed great improvement last year.

Arthur Patterson, assistant to the general manager, relays the information from Bavasi that the 1956 payroll was "around \$470,000." Despite the retirement of Jackie Robinson and his \$33,000 salary, the trend is upward.

Sal Maglie, about the last of the name players still unsigned, is expected to get about \$30,000 when he talks business with Baseball in the next day or so.

HALF ALREADY SIGNED

Half the club is in the fold. The better-known unsigned members are pitchers Don Beasant, Roger Craig and Ed Roebuck and infielders Charlie Neal, Ransom Jackson and Don Zimmer. The club is expected to announce agreements from most of those men in the next few days.

Top man on the list is Duke Snider, the slugging centre fielder, whose salary has been estimated at \$42,000. Although cut because of a bad year at bat, catcher Roy Campanella's \$37,500 pay is No. 2 among the Brooks.

Fee Wee Reese, the veteran shortstop, is at the \$35,000 level with first baseman Gil Hodges. Don Newcombe at \$30,000 reportedly is the highest priced Dodger pitcher in history.

In the absence of any official figures, the Dodgers' payroll is believed to be the highest in the National League. The New York Yankees of the American League, reportedly are close to the \$500,000 figure, depending on future negotiations with some players.

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IN THIS CORNER

Nearing Another Milestone

Nearly a score of years ago a 7-year-old youngster was performing with Charlottetown Royals in a playoff series with Truro Bears and in one of the games on Charlottetown ice he paced a win over the Royals by scoring five goals and adding 2 assists. That early history was being written especially for a fellow of Buck's, his youngest later went on to become the greatest scorer in Maritime hockey history.

At the end of this year, the book will be closed on a glorious hockey career.

Buck, you know, is not exactly an "old man" even as hockey players go. He was born in January of 1924 and this would make him 33 today. This isn't too old, especially for a fellow of Buck's ability in a league such as the



BUCK WHITLOCK

"The Old Lampighter" he is called today and probably never refers to his hockey history was a player dubbed with a nickname that suited him so well. For Ray (Buck) Whitlock has illuminated more lamps than any other player ever. Today Whitlock stands on the threshold of adding another chapter to his illustrious career in Maritime hockey for in a week or so he will have surpassed the 1,000th point mark. We have been busy leaving through old Gaspar's files and with an assist from Stu Foster's Maritime Hockey magazine have compiled a summary of Whitlock's scorching records since he started out in Senior competition back in 1946-47 with Moncton Hawks. These unofficial statistics show that Whitlock is only 9 points short of the 1,000 mark—441 goals and 550 assists, for a total of 991 points.

Barring injuries or any unforeseen developments Whitlock will surely pass the coveted mark with the Basileia Youth Club in the Island Senior loop. Since joining the club in December Buck has sifted through enemy defenses for five goals and helped his mates to score 12 others for 17 points in four games. At this rate Buck will pass the 1,000 point on Thursday, January 24, against Parkdale Flyers.

Buck's greatest scoring year in hockey came as a member of the Charlottetown Islanders in the 1952-53 season. In that memorable year Whitlock shot 55 goals and picked up 73 assists—an all-time high for Buck—and set a new Maritime scoring record with 128 points. The mark was surpassed in the very next year by Bill Ford of Halifax. In a goal scoring way Whitlock's best year was 1949-50 when he shot 64 markers as a member of St. John Beavers. Five times he has carried off scoring titles in his league. He did it first in his second year with Moncton Hawks; twice more with St. John Beavers and in 1953-54 and 1954-55 with Charlottetown Islanders.

Actually Whitlock is well past the 1,000 point mark now. However in compiling his records the year 1946-47 when he played with the New Glasgow Bombers of the APC League and his records with Junior Royals and playoff records are not counted.

We think it is fitting that Buck should be ending up his career on the Island with a Charlottetown team. He was born here and learned all his hockey here and when he hangs up his blades, possibly

ISHL. If he wanted to Buck could be a star around here for at least three or four more years. His legs may go back on him but he still has that old savvy around the net.

CHATTER ... A Boston sports-writer has bitter words for the Detroit press ... The writer says that the Motor City writers "gang-ed up" on Rocket Richard and Larry Regan in none of them voted for Regan in the Calder Trophy poll giving their votes to Billy Dea, Ed Chadwick and Forbie Kennedy in that order and a didn't even give Richard a look-in for the second all-star team ... We are looking for a record crowd for the 1956-57 season to sit in on the ISHL clash between Parkdale Flyers and B.Y.C. Thursday night. ... It should be one humdinger of a game now that the youth club seems to be better organized, having won two in a row ... The severe drubbing handed to Summerside Aces Monday night by the BYC came as quite a surprise ... The Aces seem to be in real trouble after a great drive earlier in the year ... They have been beaten four straight times ... All on home ice too.

Note: We might add that the 991 figure does not agree with other compilations. We have seen that would now show Buck to have 990 points. The difference seems to be in the 1953-54 season. We have Buck listed for 114 scoring points in this season whereas other compilations we have seen have him down for 113. According to what we believe are official figures in the Maritime Hockey book Buck had 114 points that season—51 goals and 63 assists.

CHICAGO (AP)—A three-week fund drive to help former heavyweight champion Joe Louis settle his vast income tax debt was announced Tuesday.

Although Louis is some \$1,250,000 in arrears in income taxes, a fund board of directors—with former heavyweight champion Jack Dempsey as honorary chairman—expressed hope that some "reasonable" settlement could be made with the government.

The fund has been chartered a non-profit organization by two Norfolk, Neb., businessmen, who never saw Louis fight in person, but conceived the fund last October because they "always were for the underdog."

It was believed the government might settle for around 250 or 300 cents for every dollar Louis owes. The campaign will include solicitation through personal, press, radio and TV appeals.

The founders of the plan, are young John Youngberg and George Reeves, Jr., both of Norfolk, Neb., mortuary and a pipeline company. Youngberg is a commercial pilot who operates a charter flight service.

Sports

The Charlottetown Guardian, Wednesday Jan. 16, 1957

63 Flying Curlers To Leave For European Journey Today

Sixty three members of the Maritime Flying Curlers club leave Moncton airport today by chartered 4-motor airplane for a European trip that will take them first to Scotland then to England, France and Switzerland.

The Maritime Central Airways big DC 4 plane is scheduled to leave the airport at 2 p.m. and will set down first at refueling at Gander, Nfld. The group is expected to arrive in Prestwick, Scotland on Thursday and will move on from there to Glasgow.

From Glasgow the Maritimers go to Edinburgh and then to London by means of the famous Flying Scotsman train.

After London the next stop is Paris and from there it is on to St. Moritz for 4 days of holidaying at that famous Swiss winter resort.

The group will split up after the stay at St. Moritz and reorganize at London February 7th for the return flight to Moncton on the 8th. J. Finlay MacLeod, secretary of the P.E.I. Curling Association, is organizer and director of the trip.

Goaltenders Suffer As N. H. L. Sharpshooters Find Range

By RON ANDREWS

CANADIAN Press Staff Writer

TORONTO (CP)—When the National Hockey League sharpshooters go shopping for goals, something has to give. Right now the goaltenders appear to be suffering.

The six regular NHL net-minders are not having it as good as they did during the first month of the 1956-57 schedule. Montreal Jacques Plante is Montreal Canadiens still is top man in efficiency ratings but his percentage has slipped.

Plante stopped 796 of the 848 shots fired at him for a .939 rating. In second is Glenn Hall of Detroit Red Wings. His mark is .930. He has blocked 939 of 1,020 shots. Veteran Terry Sawchuk, who quit Boston Bruins Tuesday night, is third with 921.

New York Rangers' Lorne Worley has lost 11 points in two months. He's fourth with .914. Rookie Ed Chadwick of Toronto Maple Leafs and Chicago Black Hawks' Al Rollins have also lost ground. Chadwick's fifth place rating is .910, compared with .917 earlier and Rollins has a .902 average, down seven points.

Up against U.S. golden gloves champs at Maple Leaf Gardens will be Sgt. Leslie Mason of St. Lawrence, N.S., Canadian light welterweight champion, and Spr. Mike Mercere of Yellowknife, N.W.T., army heavyweight champion.

Also facing American opponents will be Cpl. Randolph Upshaw of Three Mile Plains, N.S., a light middleweight, and L. Cpl. Percy Stein of Saint John, N.B., a middleweight. All four are stationed at Camp Borden, Ont.

Canadian Army Boxers Matched Against U. S.

OTTAWA (CP)—Four top army boxers will be matched with champion boxers from the United States in Toronto next month at the newsmen's show—major Canadian amateur boxing event.

Army headquarters also said that its boxers will introduce to Canadian audiences for the first time a "boxing mill." The event, popular in British army boxing circles, matches five-man teams, with two men in the ring for one minute at a time. Action is continuous and, while Marquis of Queensbury rules are pretty well forgotten, oversized gloves reduce chance of injury.

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PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Tom McDonald, Oklahoma's All-American football player in town to receive the Maxwell Award as college player of the year, was detained Tuesday after being mistaken for a "long wolf" bandit long sought in Philadelphia.

McDonald, who only Monday signed a 1957 contract with the Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League, strolled into a central city airlines office. A girl clerk took one look at him and motioned to a couple of detectives in the back room to come and get the football player.

Before it was all over and apologies made for the mistake, McDonald said he almost took a poke at one of the men. "It's a good thing you didn't," said one detective. "I had a .38 trained at your back."

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