

# Canadiens, Red Wings Win Opening Games In N. H. L. Schedule

MONTREAL, Oct. 11—(CP)—Montreal Canadiens opened the National Hockey League season tonight with a 4-2 win over Chicago Black Hawks before 14,100 happy hometown fans.

Bernie (Boom Boom) Geoffron fired two goals for Canadiens and Maurice (Rocket) Richard and Jim MacPherson got one each.

Roy Conacher counted the first goal for the Hawks when his team was down three goals and Bill Mosienko scored the second a little more than a minute from the end.

It was a fair brand of hockey for the season's opener, both teams showing bursts of mid-season speed in stretches but the pace slowed a bit toward the end.

Canadiens had a wide margin in the shooting, 37-18, and frequently sifted through the Hawk defence to pepper goalie Harry Lumley.

The Montrealers also appeared to have a bit more finish to their plays.

The Hawks were poorly off for subs. With Bill Gadsby, Max McNab and rookie Fred Hucul on the injured list.

Along with Mosienko, Roy Conacher and George Gea showed up well on the Hawks forward line.

Canadiens were at full strength. One of the snappiest lines was the kid trio of Paul Masiuk, Geoffron and Paul Meger.

Line-ups: Chicago—Goal, Lumley; defence, Stewart, Dewbury, Martin, Raglan; forwards, Gee, Peters, Guidolin, Bentley, Mosienko, R. Conacher, Babando, J. Conacher, Bodnar, McFadden.

Montreal—Goal, McNeil; defence, Bouchard, Johnson, Harvey, MacPherson; forwards, Lach, Richard, Olmstead, Geoffron, Curry, Gamble, Couture, Reay, Mosdell, Meger, Masiuk.

Referee—Geo. Gravel. Linesmen—Bill Morrison and Doug Davies.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period  
1—Montreal, Richard (Lach, Olmstead) 1:29  
Penalties: Babando (3:14); Harvey (3:45); Raglan (13:36); Harvey (14:36).

Second Period  
2—Montreal, MacPherson (Lach) 6:00  
Penalties: None.

Third Period  
3—Montreal, Geoffron (Masiuk, Meger) 3:34  
4—Chicago, R. Conacher (Bentley, Bodnar) 4:47  
6—Montreal, Geoffron (Olmstead) 11:07  
6—Chicago, Mosienko (Bentley) 18:40  
Penalties: Fogolin (5:14); Richard (5:25); Martin (9:37); Richard (11:25).

Shots: Lumley—10-12-15-37.  
McNeil—3-9-6-18.

DETROIT, Oct. 11—(AP)—The defending champion Detroit Red Wings opened the National Hockey League season on the right note tonight, edging Boston Bruins 1-0 on Glen Skov's first-period goal.

Flashing a puck-controlling offence, the Wings got their goal when Sid Abel dug the puck out of a corner and fired it to Ted Lindsay in front of the net. Lindsay's blast was deflected by Skov between goalie Jim Henry's legs. The Bruins had a man in the penalty box at the time.

The Bruins, who finished in the cellar last season, suffered their defeat only a few hours after the Boston Garden Corp. announced it had purchased the club.

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Detroit: Goal, Sawchuk; defence, Kelly, Reise, Goldham, Wolt, Pronovost; forwards, Howe, Lindsay, Leswick, Pavelich, J. Wilson, Glover; centres, Abel, Prystai, Skov, L. Wilson.  
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**SUMMARY**  
First Period  
1—Detroit, Skov (Abel, Lindsay) 6:49  
Penalty: Ferguson.

Second Period  
Scoring: None.  
Penalties: Laycoe, Wolt.

Third Period  
Scoring: None.  
Penalties: Lindsay, Schmidt, J. Wilson, Laycoe, Sandford.

## Boston Garden Buying Bruins

BOSTON, Oct. 11—(AP)—Arrangements for the purchase of a 60-per-cent controlling interest in the Boston Bruins National Hockey League club were completed today by the Boston Garden-Arena Corporation.

For all practical purposes the deal, which has been in the making for about six months, was settled when Weston W. Adams resigned the club's presidency in favor of Walter Brown, general manager of the Boston Garden-Arena Corporation.

In a joint statement, Brown and Adams explained that it called for the purchase of 16,320 of the club's total of 27,200 shares of stock held by a comparatively small group.

## Sydney, Moncton In Player Trade

SYDNEY, N. S., Oct. 11—(CP)—Sydney Millionaires of the Maritime Major Hockey League announced that right winger Sammy Kennedy had been obtained from Moncton Hawks in a trade for two rearguards.

Millionaires, overstaffed by defencemen, sent Laurie May of Winnipeg and Norva (Red) Olson of Port Arthur to Hawks.

May, a steady performer with Millionaires last season, is a reinstated pro. Olson jumped into senior ranks with North Sydney Victorias last season. He joined Sydney's training camp early this week.

Kennedy, also a reinstated pro, was with Toronto St. Mikes in the Ontario Major Series last year.

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## Ellerslie Man Is Double Winner In Local Dog Trials

An Ellerslie, P. E. I., man, Richard Found emerged a double winner in the Charlottetown Hunt Field Trials when he took first prizes in the Derby and Shooting Dog Stakes yesterday.

The Shooting Dog Stakes were completed yesterday morning after commencing on Wednesday. Mr. Found's "Abegweit Gale" won the stake.

"Abegweit" jointly owned by Mr. Found and R. R. Logie, also of Ellerslie, won the Derby Stake. Mr. Found handled both dogs.

"Busher de Klemanor", owned by W. B. Klemanor of Springfield, Illinois, was the winner of the Open All Age Stakes. The dog was handled by the capable T. W. Cox of Indiana who also handled the winner of the Puppy Stakes on Tuesday along with a number of other high placing dogs.

Mr. Found's double win is of particular significance for it is very seldom that any person wins two stakes in one meet. This fact was noted at last night's concluding dinner in Winsloe Station Hall by S. C. Scranton and Stewart Jones.

In addition to winning the Charlottetown Kennel Club prize of a beautiful glass partridge and the silver tray donated by W. B. Klemanor of Springfield, Illinois, Mr. Found also won the prizes for having the best Island dog in each stake.

**Best Island Dog**  
O. S. "Ollie" Harper of Charlottetown won the prize for having the best Island dog in the Open All Age Stakes. Mr. Harper, who handled his own dog, finished fourth in the Stake and won a thermos kit.

"Rem of Autron", owned and handled by Dr. R. H. Young of Goshen, Indiana, placed second in the Shooting Dog Stakes. "Domino de Klemanor", owned and handled by Walter B. Klemanor of Springfield, Indiana, finished third. This stake was judged by Richard Hoyer, Andover, Mass.; Raymond R. Camp, New York; and Charles Middlemiss, St. Stephen, N. B.

Second place honors in the Derby Stake went to "Bellocks Ginger", owned by Mrs. J. B. Bell, Palm Beach, Florida, and shown by Tommy Cox. This same dog won first place in the Puppy Stakes on Wednesday. "Humdinger's Tip", owned by Ted Cunningham, Bangor, Maine, and handled by Frank McGinley, also of Bangor, placed third. W. B. Klemanor and Alfred Grey of Moncton, were the judges of this stake.

"Bonaire Doc" finished second to "Busher de Klemanor" in the Open. The season place dog was owned by William P. Yant of Murraysville, Pa., and handled by Tommy Cox. "Green Valley Two Bits" owned and shown by C. W. Cummings; of Roxbury, Conn., finished third. The judges were Richard Hoyer, Raymond Camp and Charles Middlemiss.

Prizes were presented last night at the concluding dinner held by the Charlottetown Kennel Club. In addition to the prizes treated to a varied and enjoyable entertainment.

Mr. S. C. Scranton, vice-president of the Kennel Club, presided at the informal dinner. He thanked the farmers for allowing the gunners to cross their fields and the ladies of Harrington, South Winsloe and Highfield for their work in preparing the meals. He also made special mention of the work of the Field Trials Superintendent, Stewart Jones, the Field Marshall, Dr. Gil Houston, B. Graham Rogers, Mrs. W. M. Brehaut and Mrs. J. O. C. Campbell.

Life sized statues of Hungarian Partridges were presented to W. B. Klemanor and H. R. Found. These trophies were awarded by the Charlottetown Kennel Club to the winners of the Shooting Dog and Open Stakes.

W. B. Klemanor presented the silver tray to Mr. Found for winning the Derby Stake. Mr. Klemanor sent the Charlottetown Kennel Club \$25.00 during the year to be used in the purchase of a prize. A special trophy was awarded to Tommy Cox for winning the Puppy Stakes.

Prizes were awarded the best Island dogs in each stake. These were won by Wallace Rodd, Ollie Harper and Richard Found. Blankets were also awarded to the judges.

Following the dinner the guests were entertained with music, singing and tap dancing. Mr. Raoul Raymond, accompanied by Mrs. Raymond on the piano, sang two solos. The Weatherble family, George, Marlene and Leona, played old time music and tap danced and the Highland Dancers led by Mrs. John MacKinnon, danced several numbers including the Highland Fling and the Sword Dance.

**RESULTS**  
Derby Stake  
1. Abegweit Apache, owned by H. R. Found and R. R. Logie, Ellerslie and handled by H. R. Found.  
2. Bellocks Ginger, owned by Mrs. J. B. Bell of Palm Beach, Florida and handled by Tommy Cox of Indiana.  
3. Humdinger's Tip, owned by

## Matinee Races At O'Leary

Following are the results of the Matinee horse races at O'Leary on Wednesday afternoon, October 10th. There was a small attendance but the racing was keen. Judges were: Arch McLean, Sandford Phillips and Charles Ellis. The starter was Dr. J. D. Cummings; timer was Hon. Forrest Phillips, and Clerk, Norman Kennedy.

**Class A**  
Jenny Frisco (Arsenault) 1 2 2  
Mac C. (Griffin) 3 1 4  
Mac Watson (Boulter) 4 4 1  
Lady Scott (Silliker) 2 3 3  
Best time: 2:22.

**Class B Trot**  
Cynthia K. (Kennedy) 1 2 1  
Buddy Scott (Buchanan) 2 1 2  
Dolly Gray (Willis) 3 3 3  
Best time: 2:27.

**Class C**  
Black Beauty (Banks) 1 1  
Queen S. (Bryerton) 2 2  
Night Dream (MacDougall) 3 3  
Best time: 2:28 2-5.

## Ottawa Police Have Rustling Problem

OTTAWA, Oct. 11—(CP)—City police, busy with protective arrangements for Ottawa Royal visitors, today were also hot on the trail of cattle thieves who stole six Holstein heifers right inside the capital's city limits. The cattle were taken Tuesday night from the dairy farm of William Fin, about five miles southeast of the Peace Tower.

Ted Cunningham of Bangor, Me., and handled by Frank McGinley. 4. Meadow Pink Begg, owned by Wm. P. Yant of Murraysville, Pa., and handled by Tommy Cox.

**Shooting Dog Stakes**  
1. Abegweit Gale, owned by H. R. Found and handled by Mr. Found.  
2. Rem of Autron, owned by Dr. H. Young of Goshen, Indiana, and handled by Dr. Young.  
3. Domino de Klemanor, owned by Walter B. Klemanor of Springfield, Ill., and handled by Mr. Klemanor.  
4. Glenbrook Rotobell, owned by Dr. Warren Spurge of Southbury, Conn., and handled by Dr. Spurge.

**Open Stakes**  
1. Busher de Klemanor, owned by W. B. Klemanor, Springfield, Ill., and handled by Tommy Cox.  
2. Bonaire Doc, owned by Wm. P. Yant, Murraysville, Pa., and handled by Tommy Cox.  
3. Green Valley Two Bits, owned by C. W. Cummings, of Roxbury, Conn., and handled by Mr. Cummings.  
4. Tennessee Village Jill, owned by O. S. Harper, Charlottetown and handled by Mr. Harper.

**ST. LEONARD'S-ON-THE-SEA**  
England, Oct. 11—(AP)—Mrs. Matilda Coppins, oldest person in the British Isles, was 109 today. The morning mail brought a birthday card from her kid brother, Charles Evans, of Rochester. He's only 97.

## Carson Will Pitch For Abbies On Saturday

Benny Carson will pitch for the Charlottetown Abbies against the Springfield Tankers Saturday in the opening game of the Maritime Junior Baseball Finals. The game will be played in Springhill.

Carson was coach Ev. MacNeill's choice last night unless something turned up to alter his plans. Carson is currently suffering from a slight cold.

MacNeill will be ready to come back with Donnie MacLean and Cliff Ready for the games here on Sunday if the two games are necessary. Phil Murphy will be playing right field in place of Elmer Pineau, who is now in the Navy. The rest of the line-up will be the same as that which won the Island Junior title.

## Plan To Tighten Up On Refereeing

MONTREAL, Oct. 11—(CP)—Carl Voss, referee-in-chief of the National Hockey League, said in a statement today that rule violations will be strictly enforced. The edict stems from action of the Board of Governors.

Voss made no comment, but hockey observers recalled that during the Stanley Cup playoffs last spring there appeared to be a minimum of rule violations and an accompanying maximum of first-class hockey.

Voss' statement said: "Specific orders have been received from the Board of Governors of the National Hockey League to enforce strictly all violations of the rules pertaining to board checking, high sticking, hooking, holding and interference.

"In accordance with their decision, I have issued instructions to all referees to interpret these rule infractions literally as set forth under the N. H. L. playing rules."

The 1951-52 N.H.L. season opened tonight with Chicago at Montreal and Boston at Detroit.

## St. Mary's In 6-3 Win Over Moncton Hawks

FREDERICTON, Oct. 11—(CP)—Halifax St. Mary's defeated Moncton Hawks 6-3 tonight in a pre-season exhibition game between the two Maritime Major Hockey League teams.

Stan Wareki led the Halifax attack with two goals and an assist. Billy Watson, Muckle Hollett and Gordie Pearson picked up one goal and an assist each. Pete Leswick was the other St. Mary's marksman. Two other visitors, Conny Poltras and Danny Wilkes, had two assists each.

Moncton scorers were Danny Horeck, Burman and Dennis Filion. The latter gained two assists. Halifax led 3-0 at the end of the first period. The middle frame was scoreless.

Jackie Gibson, of Hawks, played goal for Halifax and made 23 saves. Denny Brodeur stopped 19. Moncton forward Ray Marshall and defenceman Bill Winemaster were absent because of injuries.

## Ontario Club, Players Suspended In Scandal

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 11—(CP)—Under wraps for seven months, a hockey scandal involving 16 men was ripped wide open today—the official opening of the 1951-52 season. When the air cleared, one Senior B club was written off the books.

Charged with throwing a four-game playoff series to Peterborough last spring, the manager and coach of Kingston Nylons were suspended for life by the Ontario Hockey Association. Two players were suspended for two years and one-year suspensions were tacked on to another 12 Kingston players.

The O.H.A. ruling body of amateur hockey in the province, announced the penalties today after a sub-committee interviewed the officials and players here Wednesday night. Those suspended were:

Life: Manager D. L. McKnight and coach George Patterson.  
Two years: Players Rawlind Aitken and Edward Plumb.

One year: Players Jack Stone, Ken Murphy, Walter Gerow, Ken Partis, Jack McKeown, Freddy Harrison, Joe Watts, Glynn Udall, Robert Joyce, Kenny Potts, Douglas Patterson and Jack Armstrong.

Two other players—Joey Catlin and Bob Landry—were expelled. They did not attend an alleged meeting when arrangements were said to have been made to throw the series.

Manager McKnight termed the action the "most unjust and apparently pre-arranged decision I have ever seen."

"We were given five minutes to answer questions and no opportunity to present any defence. As there is no opportunity to appeal to the O. H. A., consideration is being given to court action," he said.

The sub-committee said it reached a unanimous decision that proof was shown that the Kingston team threw a four-game series to Peterborough in Senior A competition, so the Nylons would advance in the O.H.A.'s Senior B playoffs.

Peterborough went on to the senior Allan Cup playoffs. In league competition, Peterborough finished first and Kingston second. Kingston was defeated by Markham four games to two in the Senior B semi-finals.

The committee emphasized the Peterborough club had no knowledge of the Kingston plans. No indication was given whether betting took place or money was exchanged in the series.

## Local Men Convicted For Theft Of An Axe

PRESCOTT, Ont., Oct. 11—(CP)—Reginald and Frank Heartz and Edward Matthews, all of Charlottetown, P.E.I., were remanded for a week yesterday after conviction of breaking and entering and theft of an axe.

Four women companions, convicted of vagrancy, were freed after being allowed time spent in jail.

## Bonhomme Has Badly Infected Leg

Winger Conny Bonhomme is suffering a badly infected leg and will not see action for some time. Coach Leo Lamoureux of the Islanders Hockey Club said last night.

Walter Pawlyshyn, Islanders left winger of last season, is receiving treatment from a Providence specialist for a back ailment and is not expected to arrive here for at least ten days.

Bonhomme is a patient in the City Hospital. He suffered the infection in his leg several days ago. He, along with Bob Gray, are awaiting word from the C. A. H. A. on their status.

Pawlyshyn is believed to be suffering from sacroiliac trouble. This trouble often affects athletes, one of the most notable sufferers from it being pitcher Bob Feller of the Cleveland Indians.

## Home Made Games Best For Kiddies

LONDON, Oct. 11—(CP)—Don't throw away your old hats, worn-out handbags and odd scraps of material, says Britain's health ministry. Give them to the children for a "dressing-up box."

"The ministry offered this advice in a hand-book on how to keep children happy at play. Dressing up, the hand-book says, helps to satisfy the child's desire to be grown up and stimulates conversation with other children.

A "junk box" is another good idea. Filled with old screw-top jars, empty thread-reels and other odds and ends, it will teach a child "to use reason and imagination in adapting things for the particular purpose it has in mind."

The hand-book warns that too many fairy tales can frighten a sensitive child. "Real-life stories, preferably about people of the listener's own age, are much better."

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11—(AP)—James P. Finnegan, former internal revenue collector here and a prominent figure in a congressional investigation into reported corruption in the American tax collection service, today was indicted by a federal grand jury on charges of bribery. Two of the indictments' five counts accused Finnegan of accepting a \$250 cheque from a firm involved in income tax difficulties.

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## Doug Harvey Signs With Canadiens

MONTREAL, Oct. 11—(CP)—Montreal Canadiens today announced the signing of defenceman Doug Harvey, last of the players to come to terms.

Managing director Frank Selke said: "Doug was not a holdout. He just hadn't been in to see me until today, and we settled everything in very friendly fashion."

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