

Three Rinks Eliminated In British Consols Play

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN
The following skips won their initial games in the first day of competition for the British Consols trophy at Summerside Curling Club yesterday: C. MacDonald, Frank Acorn, Myron Bell, Hiram Atkinson, Dr. W. MacFarlane, Charlottetown; Bruce MacWilliams, Horace MacFarlane, Gerry Hayes, Freddie Folland, Summerside; Ralph Beck, Alwood MacDonald, Montague, Herb Matthews, Alberton.

R. Beck (M)	020 202 100 011	9	M. Ferguson (RCAF)	120 101 220 200	11	F. Folland (S)	010 224 120 100	13
J. Burden (C)	500 010 000 110	8	Don Ede (RCAF)	001 010 002 000	4	A. Clark (S)	101 000 001 010	4
M. Bell (C)	023 000 111 001	9	Dr. W. MacFarlane (C)	010 020 110 010	6	P.M. Turner (RCAF)	002 001 001 002	6
H. MacFarlane (S)	020 350 401 202	19	6.00 P.M. F. Bryan (A)	001 000 000 301	5	Diekie (S)	110 140 130 430	18
E. Campbell (A)	101 001 030 000	6	G. Hayes (S)	110 212 341 020	17	Hopkins (RCAF)	301 000 102 000	7
3.00 P.M. J. Karwady (RCAF)	020 202 010 001	8	H. Matthews (A)	302 010 310 013	14	Brooks (S)	010 481 020 121	15
H. Atkinson (C)	103 020 302 210	14	C. Ramsay (S)	020 102 002 100	8	Burden (C)	333 012 012 201	18
A. MacDonald (M)	020 202 100 011	9				Campbell (A)	000 600 200 010	9

The Turner rink, and Hopkins rink of RCAF Station, and the Campbell rink of Alberton were eliminated from championship competition, having lost two games.

Is Surprised At Criticism Of Macs

TORONTO (CP)—Drury Denyes, general manager of Belleville MacFarlane's, says he's surprised that a Canadian Olympic official would criticize Canada's representative in the world amateur hockey championships before the team has played a single game in the tournament. Denyes was commenting on statements attributed to Ken Farmer, president of the Canadian Olympic Association, at a meeting in Moncton, N.B. Farmer said the Belleville team is "nothing but a group of over-the-hill pros" and is not strong enough to retain the championship. He also said Canada should not expect much of the team.

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"I doubt he has seen our teams play a game all year," Denyes said. "I also doubt he has followed accounts of the exhibitions the team has played in Europe." An Olympic official isn't in much of a position to talk about what Canadians have done in international competition. "As I recall, our last Olympic team didn't bring home many medals. Maybe the Olympic officials should be more concerned with that than worrying about our team."

Today's Minor Hockey Program

11:00 — 12:00 — Skate—Notre Dame Girls.
4:00 — 4:30 — Pee-wees — Wrens vs. Jays.
4:30 — 5:15 — Midgets — Vics vs. Arrows.
5:15 — 7:00 — Juveniles — P.W.C. vs. Abbies.

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND teams who have registered under the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association banner know now when they are to see action and must be prepared to meet mainland winners on the dates that have been fixed by the Association.

The intermediate provincial playdowns will be a three team affair with Royals, Navy Tars and Summerside Aces the participants. This wasn't the way things were originally planned. It was expected that Aces and Royals would jump in the senior bracket, leaving the Tars the sole intermediate representative.

However, Summerside and Charlottetown started jockeying for position and when the fun was over all three teams were in the very same category.

WE ATTENDED last weekend's meeting of the M.A.H.A. in Halifax when playoff dates were fixed. We made no secret of our opinion that neither Aces or Royals belonged in the intermediate group. We pointed out that Charlottetown last year went right to the Maritime finals and we stated we thought this year's club an improvement over the 1957-58 team. As far as Summerside was concerned, we argued the same way. The club of last season fought with Royals and Abbies in the Maritime league and there is no disputing the fact that Windy Steele has Aces going much better than those Aces of a year ago.

Our argument was listened to but the rest of the executive was not in the mood for stepping the teams up. They realized they had the right but they were not anxious to use their power. Their feeling was that both clubs had picked this category, so let them stay in it.

HOWEVER, WE ARE convinced that the fact that this year's Maritime senior winners must be ready to play Allan Cup by March 20 was a big factor in allowing Aces and Royals to play with the intermediates.

It was indeed a difficult job arranging playoffs in senior so that a Maritime winner would be ready to travel to Upper Canada about March 20. Had the M.A.H.A. taken Royals and Aces into senior company, then the chance of getting a three-province winner in time would indeed be remote.

All leagues, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia and North Shore, will have to cut playdowns as it is, but with Aces and Royals in the race, the playoffs in these leagues would have been further curtailed. Cape Breton, especially, are looking for some large crowds in those semi-finals and finals and naturally they want both series to be as long as possible.

And so this season Prince Edward Island has no representatives in senior competition. Perhaps the mainland is delighted to be rid of us, but they couldn't escape playing us if we had entered where we belonged. We are still not going to be satisfied with the Maritime senior winner is crowned, that they have the best club in the Maritimes. We have a whole lot of pretty fair players around these parts and we think that this year they might have gone all the way.

However, let's make the best of what we have. There'll be a city playoff to name an opponent for Summerside and of course the winner should be Sandy Frizzell's boys. This team is supposed to be the best around the capital city so they certainly should be going against Summerside. That Aces-Charlottetown feud it most likely to be a best-of-nine affair with the winner ready to entertain New Brunswick here on March 14.

Herb Elliott Sees 3:50 Mile

MILWAUKEE (AP)—Herb Elliott, nonpareil miler from Australia, predicted Monday that the 3:50 mile will become a reality, but indicated the three-minute mile is something else again. Elliott and Althea Gibson of New York, world's foremost women's tennis player, were here to accept trophies from the Fraternal Order of Eagles Monday night for being named the Associated Press' male and female athletes of the year 1958.

"I could say neither 'aye' nor 'nay' to the three-minute mile," the 20-year-old man from down under declared. "Remember, many people thought the four-minute mile was impossible." He continued: "The ultimate in the mile is merely a mental barrier, although I would rather not use that word because it gives one the impression of a brick wall. Only confidence in oneself can conquer any barrier. There must be an ultimate however, because you can't run the mile in no time. I'll say this, though, the 3:50 mile will be broken. Then, who knows: With new systems of training and dieting, perhaps someone will run the mile in three minutes flat."

Ice Racing Wednesday

An ice racing programme is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at the North River Causeway, weather permitting. Starting time is 2:30 sharp. Following are the entries: Class C Trot and Pace—Gulf Coast, Hasty Road, Lady Thumpston, Coronation Lass, Brown Budlong, Miss Howerster, The Bowery Boy, Bertha Clegg, Stormy C. A Trot—Sarah J., Lucky Logan, Granville York, Colonel Budlong, New Forest, My Hero. Class A Pace—Perfect Hal, Jolly Mark, Jolly's Pride, Gaganan, Myrtle E. Argot Pointer. Class B Pace—Winston Budlong, J.W. Abbe, Frankie Budlong, Colonel Henry, Barry's Breeze, Christie's Best, Buddy Watson.

Royals, Abbies Battle To Draw

At the Sports Arena last night in a fast, penalty-ridden game, the Midget Royals and Abbies battled to a tie score 4-4. For the Royals, Johnny Davis scored twice with David Lee and Roy Biggar netting singles. For the Abbies, Stan Pearson and David Royer both scored a pair. Leroy Barnett and Billy MacMillan handled the whistles for the game.

Suspension Of 'Vanishing Boxer' Is Extended

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP)—The Rhode Island boxing commission Monday extended until March 5 the suspension of Gordon Parker, the vanishing boxer. Parker, from Athol, Mass., disappeared a few hours before a scheduled Sept. 22 bout here with Pat McCoy of Ireland. Parker testified at a hearing that on the day of the bout he was accosted near the Providence terminal by a stranger and threatened with bodily harm if he did not throw the fight to McCoy. The fighter said he became frightened and went home.

Bedeque Beavers Capture Series

Bedeque Beavers fought their way into the second round of intermediate C playoffs last evening by walloping Cavendish 11-6. This was a best of three series, and this third and deciding game was played at Bedeque. Point getters for the Beavers were: C. Roberts 6, B. Bell 4, R. Arsenault 3, A. Craig, F. J. Roches 4, G. Campbell 2, C. Arsenault 1, R. Roberts 2, J. Rogers 1. For Cavendish E. Dunning, 5, J. Johnson 5, O. Houston 2.

Record Number Participates In Weekly Civilian Rifle Shoot

Fifty-nine enthusiastic riflemen turned out at the weekly shoot of the civilian small bore rifle club, which was held at the RCMP barracks on February 3, 1959. The next shoot will be held tonight commencing at 7 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the winners in each of the four classes. The results of the shoot are as follows: CLASS I: A. K. Mutch 96, Bill Rogerson 96, Roy Vessey 96, R. E. Jenkins 95, D. O. Clark 95, Bob Barwise 95, P. J. Landrigan 94, Ted Smith 94, Mrs. A. K. Mutch 92, Lea Windsor 92, Alf MacDonald 91. CLASS II: Roy Coles 96, Irwin Buel 96, Albert Court 96, Bob Hambly 96, Leonard McDonald 95, Terry Jones 95, Heber Jones 95, Harold Smith 95, Had Ings. 95, Barbara Place 95, Alf Weatherly 95. CLASS III: Paul Clark 94, Eddie Acora 92, Dave Smith 91, Dave Johnston 91, Perley Taylor 89, Allison Gillis 89. CLASS IV: Barry Edwards 83, Harry Edwards 83, Stewart Jenkins 83, Burt Patterson 83, W. A. Horne 83, John Edwards 83, Sheila MacDonald 83, Jerry MacInnis 83, Wilf Hughes 83, Donnie MacInnis 83, Jack Williams 83, Tormod MacFrieselach 83, James Burnett 83, Stephen MacLaine 83, Clifford Birt 83, Cecil Taylor 83, Gordon Ranahan 83, Fred Ranahan 83, George Agnew 83, Doug Parkman 83, Avard Ferguson 83, Ian Smith 83, Winston Smith 83, Chester VanDerstine 83, Bob MacInnis 83, Donnie Burns 83, Robert Patterson 83, Leigh Grabbe 83, Allison Coles 83, Ralph Gay 83, Manny Kaye 83.

Sultans Top PWC 55-33

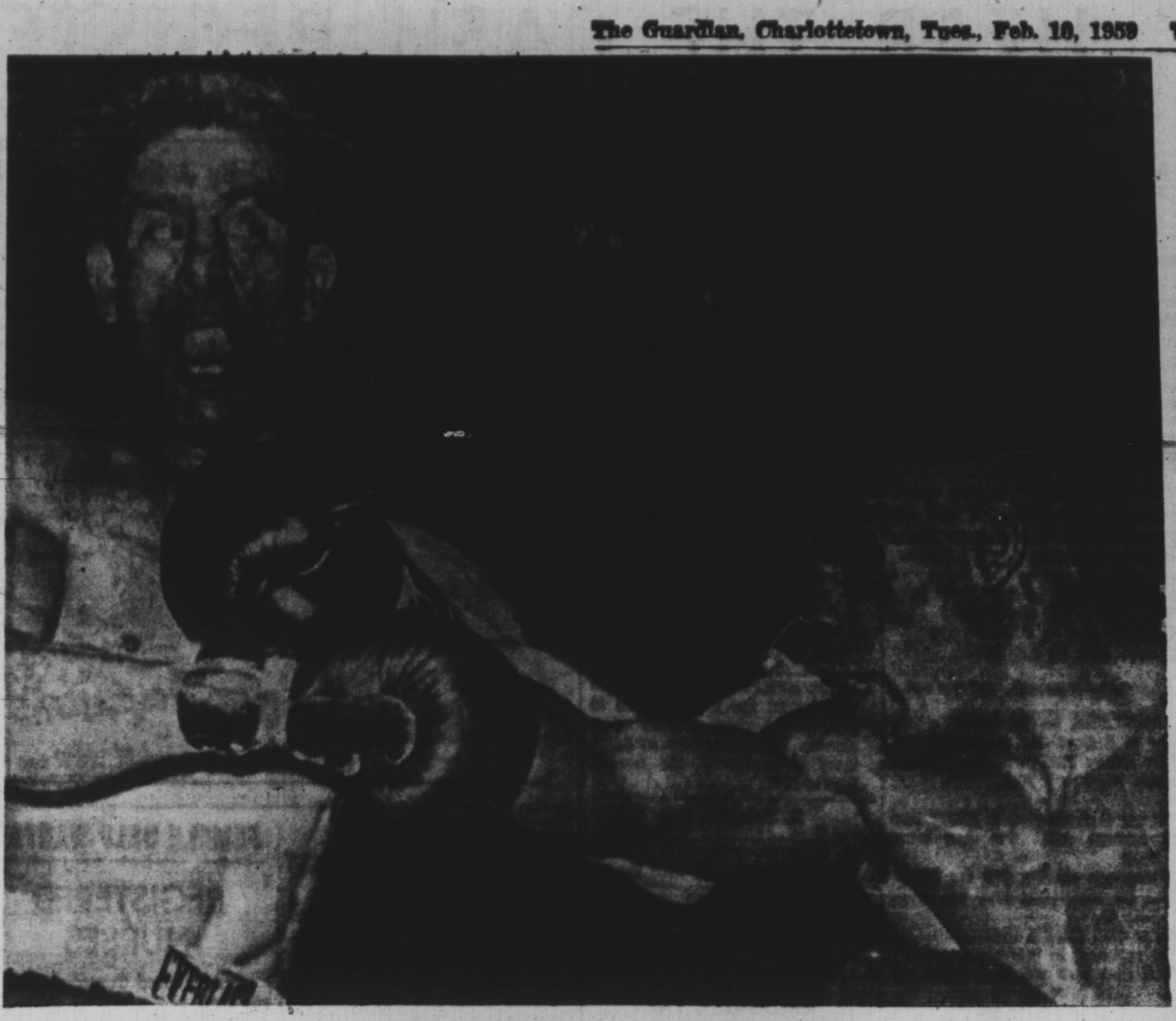
SUMMERSIDE: The RCAF Sultans defeated the Prince of Wales Five 55-33 in a regular league basketball tilt at the airforce drill hall last evening. The Sultans never looked back after the opening whistle and were leading 27-7 at half time. Kelly of the airforce squad was the high scorer last evening collecting a total of 22 points. LINEUPS: PWC: MacKenzie 3, H. MacLean 2, R. MacLean 19, Seller 8, R. MacLeod 0, B. Lea 1, Russell 0, Murphy 0. SULTANS: Purchase 3, Lester 5, Ternan 0, Millar 8, Kelly 22, Lebalcn 6, Howlett 5, Campbell 0, Little 1. Referees were Bill Ray and Tom Scantlebury.

Record Jump May Not Be Recognized

NEW YORK (AP)—John Thomas' seven-foot high jump—the first in history indoors—may be tossed out the window, AAU chief Dan Ferris indicated Monday. "There's no doubt about it," said Ferris, "the height was not measured after the jump as required by the rules."

Ladies' League Bowling Results

GEMS VS. ATOMS	
Gems	81 83 84-258
F. Pineau	82 79 86-247
P. Duffy	91 82 82-255
P. Hennessey	83 80 75-227
P. Rice	81 95 86-262
Points 4 1/2	1249
ATOMS	
E. McInnis	76 95 82-253
P. Tulle	60 74 97-240
P. McDonald	68 78 80-221
I. King	82 84 79-245
D. Walsh	102 81 70-253
Points 1/2	1212
STARS VS. AGES	
Stars	84-84 87-265
J. MacAleer	84 73 81-238



Gaspar Ortega's mouth opens wide from a right to his chin thrown by Rudal Stitch, right, in sixth round at Madison Square Garden. Ortega, from Mexico, scored a split decision victory in the 10-round main event. He weighed 146 1/2. Stitch from Louisville, Ky., weighed 144. (AP Wirephoto)

Summerside Aces Romp To 12-5 Win Over Royals

The Summerside Aces defeated the Parkdale Royals at Civic Stadium in Summerside last night in a wide open game by the score of 12-5. Bonnie Howatt led the Aces marksmen getting three goals and one assist. Urie Gilant fired two goals and helped in three others, and Greg Deignan chalked up two counters and had one assist. Kip Ready led the visitors with two tallies and one helper. Benny Grady, Leroy Clow, Vance Harris, Gerry Ronohan, and Grant Grady each got a single marker for the winners, and Jim McLeod, Angie Carroll, and Buck Whitlock picked up the other Parkdale scores. Referees Joe Bernard and Donnie Frizel handed out only six minor penalties. LINEUPS: Parkdale Royals—Goal—Bobby Dillon, Defence—Joe Coyle, Chas. Ready, Wood. Forwards—Buck Whitlock, Angie Carroll, Billy Mulligan, Kip Ready, Jim McLeod, Apps Arsenault. Summerside Aces—Goals—Thane Mann, defence—Ron MacArthur, Grant Grady, Doug Williams. Forwards—Bonnie Howatt, Vance Harris, Urie Gallant, Coke Grady, Benny Grady, Leroy Clow, Claude Gaudet, Gerry Ronohan, Greg Deignan. SUMMARY: First Period—1. Aces—Gallant (Howatt) 1.58, 2. Aces—Howatt (Gallant, Williams) 9.28; 3. Aces—Deignan (Gaudet) 13.45; 4. Aces—B. Grady (Clow) 16.46; 5. Royals—MacLeod (K. Ready) 17.45; 6. Aces—Howatt (Gallant, Harris) 19.28; 7. Aces—Deignan 19.54 penalties—C. Ready. Second Period—8. Royals—Carroll (Whitlock) 2.55; 9. Aces—Gallant (Harris) 3.07; 10. Aces—Ronohan (Gaudet, Deignan) 8.22; 11. Aces—Clow (B. Grady, C. Grady) 10.06; 12. Aces—Howatt (Harris) 11.30; 13. Royals—K. Ready (McLeod) 15.26 Penalties—C. Ready. Third Period—14. Aces—G. Grady (C. Grady, B. Grady) 1.44; 15. Royals—Whitlock (Arsenault, Carroll) 5.27; 16. Aces—Harris (Gallant, G. Grady) 10.45; 17. Royals—K. Ready (McLeod) 15.21 Penalties—Wood, MacArthur, C. Ready, Wood.

Saints Face Tars At Sports Arena

Action in the Charlottetown and District Hockey League resumes at the Sports Arena tonight with Navy Tars-Saint Dunstan's providing the entertainment. Both these clubs own victories over the fast-skating Summerside Aces. Navy's triumph was an 8-5 affair and Saints last week threw the surprise of the season with a 5-4 decision at the university's new rink. A few weeks ago the Tars would be top heavy favourites to wallop the collegians. Tonight those same Tars will be top choice but the betting won't be so heavy against the Red and White. Their performance against Summerside has made the rest of the league treat them with the greatest of respect. Both squads are expected to be full strength for tonight's affair. Action gets underway at 8.15.

Mount Stewart Tips Souris 4-1

Mount Stewart downed Souris 4-1 last evening in an intermediate C playoff game. This is a best of three series and the series is now knotted at one game apiece. McGee paced the winners with a three-goal outburst. Other goal for Mt. Stewart was picked up by MacBachern. Lone sniper for the losers was Dugas.

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