

# Detroit, Boston And Toronto Win NHL Games

**DETROIT, Dec. 4** — (AP)—Detroit Red Wings, playing only a few hours after the sudden death of owner Jim Norris, pushed to within 1-2 games of first place in the National Hockey League with a 5-3 victory over the last-place New York Rangers tonight.

First Period	
1—Detroit, Lindsay (Kelly)	1:04
2—Detroit, Pavelich	4:11
3—New York, Prentice (Raleigh, Bathgate)	6:50
Penalties—Wilson 14:05, Kullman, Lindsay 19:05	
Second Period	
4—Detroit, Sinclair (Delvecchio)	11:01
5—Detroit, Pavelich (Skov, Leswick)	17:14
Penalties—None	
Third Period	
6—New York, Mickoski (LaPrade)	1:40
7—Detroit, Howe (Wolt, Prystay)	7:22
8—New York, Stanley (Hergesheimer, Strain)	9:45

**BOSTON 5, CHICAGO 1**  
**BOSTON, Dec. 4** — (AP)—Ed Sandford provided two of the goals as Boston Bruins clicked off their fourth straight National Hockey League victory with a 5-1 decision over top-place Chicago Black Hawks tonight at the Boston Garden. It was the visitors' first setback in their last six starts.

First Period	
1—Boston, Klukay (Schmidt, Lund)	7:30
2—Chicago, Babando (Gardner, Gadsby)	10:14
3—Boston, Sandford (Armstrong, Klukay)	16:04
Penalties—Dewsbury 7:31	
Second Period	
4—Boston, Chevrefils (Armstrong)	8:47
Penalties—Armstrong (major), McPadden (major) 14:57	
Third Period	
5—Boston, Sandford (Armstrong, Dumart)	2:48
6—Boston, Creighton (Pearson, McIntyre)	5:13
Penalties—Sandford 12:15	

## Williams Unable To Keep Date

**SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 4** — (AP)—Promoter Norm Rothschild said today that he would be unable to keep a fight date here because of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

Williams, former lightweight champion, had been scheduled to meet Carmen Basilio of Canada Dec. 15. Williams, of Trenton, N. J. was quoted by Rothschild as saying he had suffered head and knee injuries in a truck-car collision.

## Hockey Scores

(By The Canadian Press)  
**QUEBEC SENIOR**  
Quebec 3, Shawinigan Falls 5.  
Chicoutimi 1, Sherbrooke 5.  
**A-P-C SENIOR**  
Antigonish 4, Truro 16.  
**OHA SR. B.**  
Stouffville 3, Oshawa 1.  
**ONTARIO-QUEBEC JUNIOR**  
Kitchener 1, Quebec 2.

## FORUM NEWS

**Dec. 2 to 6**  
**TUESDAY**—Children's Skating 4 to 5:30  
General Skating 8 to 10  
**WEDNESDAY**—Skating 8 to 10  
Booster Club Event.  
**THURSDAY**—Children's Skating 4 to 5:30  
General Skating 8 to 10  
**FRIDAY—HOCKEY—8:30**  
**MINERS vs. ISLANDERS**  
**SATURDAY**—Skating 3 to 5  
Skating 8 to 10

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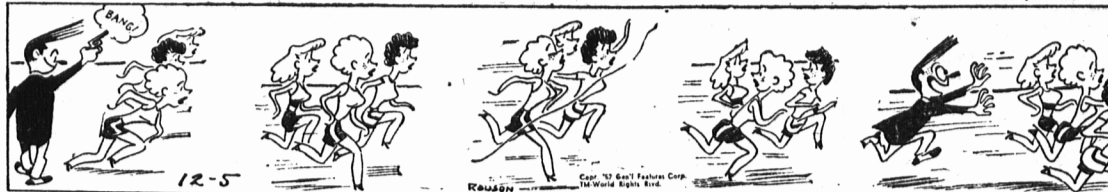
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## LITTLE SPORT



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**IN THIS CORNER**  
With the deadline for bringing in hockey players drawing close, things are beginning to hop on the Maritime hockey front. The busiest man or at least the man getting the most results is the Islanders' Murph Chamberlain and Murph hopes to have his defense sporting a new look tonight. If things go right Gus Gustavson and Steve Brklacich will be wearing Islanders uniforms before the night is spent and if they are fans can expect to see some of the bumping they have been craving for since the days of the late Johnny Dutchak.

"The Big Swede" and Brklacich, whose name is pronounced "Burke-La-Cich" will give the defense plenty of size. Gustavson weighs about 200 pounds (Chamberlain says 192 with his ribs sticking out) and Brklacich comes in at 190. They are both supposed to be rough, tough hockey players who make it plenty difficult for opposing forwards in the corners and at the blueline.

Both will probably be a bit tired tonight. Gustavson would have to travel throughout most of the night in order to reach here. Brklacich on the other hand, played with Shawinigan Falls last night when the Cataracts defeated the Quebec Aces 5-3. Incidentally he drew two minor penalties, one in the second and the other in the third period. They were the only penalties in the last two sessions.

These Glace Bay Miners, who play here tonight may be a very tough team to beat before the season is over. Last night, it was announced that they had obtained a centreman from the Shawinigan Falls team and it also appears that they have been guaranteed another Quebec League player. In addition three hockey players from the Western Hockey League may be with the Glace Bay team before Dec. 15. One of them might be Bud Poile.

The Vancouver Province, in a recent issue, suggests in a very forceful manner that Poile may be near the end of the trail as coach of the Edmonton Flyers. Also in the same issue it is stated that Eddie Dorohoy of the Victoria Cougars. The Cougars are in the cellar of the eight team league and the Flyers are only one stop above them. Any coach, no matter how good he may be, is walking on dangerous ground when his team is in or near the cellar.

States the Vancouver paper "Edmonton, a Detroit farm club bears a distinct similarity to last year's Indianapolis American League team. On paper they were picked as the team to beat at the start of the year. And that's what has happened. They've been beaten so often that Poile has migraine headaches. Poile coached in the Maritimes at Glace Bay last year and did a great job. This isn't the Maritimes though as Bud is finding out. Everywhere Bud goes people tell him he has a potentially great club. Yet, none of the players seem willing to bear out the praise on ice."

Tonight at the Forum for the game between the Islanders and Miners there will be twenty special guests. These will be the twenty children from the Mount Herbert Orphanage who are to see the game as the guests of the Islanders and the Forum. The kids are being transported to the game by I. O. O. F. They will be given candy and peanuts and ice cream and everything that goes with it to make this a big evening. Next week a similar number of kids from Saint Vincent's Orphanage will be treated in a similar manner. This is a very fine gesture on the part of the I. O. O. F., Forum and hockey team who are giving those kids one of the biggest evenings of their lives.

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## Islanders Hope To Have Two New Defensemen For Game With Bay Tonight

Steve Brklacich, a 190 pound defenseman from Shawinigan Falls was obtained by the Islanders yesterday from the New York Rangers and may be here in time for tonight's game against the Glace Bay Miners. It was learned last night from coach Murph Chamberlain that he will be here in time for tonight's game against the Glace Bay Miners. It was learned last night from coach Murph Chamberlain that he will be here in time for tonight's game against the Glace Bay Miners.

And Gus Gustavson, the bruising rearguard from Syracuse of the American Hockey League is expected here this morning. "The Big Swede" left Syracuse yesterday and was due to fly out of Montreal at midnight, arriving here at seven o'clock.

Both boys will see action tonight if they arrive in time. Brklacich is not expected in until about seven this evening.

The 23-year-old Brklacich played last year with Cincinnati. He started this season with the Vancouver Canucks and was promised to Chamberlain by Frank Boucher of the New York Rangers before the season opened.

Brklacich was sent to Shawinigan Falls Cataracts of the Q.S.H.L. but Boucher told Chamberlain that the player would be here before the Dec. 15 deadline. Yesterday Murph was in touch with Boucher and the Shawinigan officials and obtained the services of the player.

The defenseman played last night in Shawinigan Falls. Following the game he was supposed to go to Montreal from where he will fly to Charlottetown.

At least two more players may

## Draw For Week-End Spiel

The draw for the week-end bonspiel to be played at the Charlottetown Curling Rink is as follows:  
**Friday—7:00 P. M.**  
Ice 1—R. Carruthers, skip, A. Howatt, W. G. Barbour, H. B. Douglas, vs. F. Hansen, skip, F. Cox, M. Bell, Dr. R. H. Burnett.  
Ice 2—G. G. Hughes, skip, C. McDonald, J. P. Campbell, H. W. Douglas, vs. F. R. McLaine, skip, D. Saunders, R. C. Kydd, B. Myers.  
**8:45 P. M.**  
Ice 2—J. J. Morris, skip, R. James, S. Johnson, G. M. McDonald, vs. W. Worth, skip, F. Driscoll, W. Kelly, M. Block.  
Ice 3—Col. G. E. Full, skip, J. O'Rourke, J. Wilson, W. Beer, vs. S. Moore, skip, F. Hansen, N. Nicholson, G. Michael.  
**Saturday—2 P. M.**  
Ice 2—A. W. Hyndman, skip, S. Beaton, D. Hill, J. Mustard, vs. Dr. W. MacDonald, skip, J. A. Likely, A. Rogers, A. H. Cordell.  
Ice 3—J. S. MacDonald, skip, W. R. Burnett, A. W. Matheson, P. Simmonds, vs. Dr. E. S. Giddings, Dr. L. Prowse, Louis Turner, F. Norton.  
**3:45 P. M.**  
Ice 2—E. Tanton, skip, H. McNeil, D. Hill, D. McLeod, vs. G. R. Spillett, skip, Judge C. Trainor, M. McGuigan, G. J. Reynolds.  
Ice 3—H. Spillett, skip, Dr. J. C. Gallant, A. O. F. Gill, A. H. Anderson, vs. J. E. Burden, skip, Dr. H. H. Pierce, J. H. Cerry, B. McDonald.

## Scot's Night At The Forum

Tonight is Scot's Night at the Forum and as a result the Glace Bay Miners representatives of Cape Breton Scotsmen should have an added incentive to defeat the Islanders in their Maritime Major Hockey League game.

In addition to the hockey the fans are going to be treated to some first class Scottish music. The popular Lads and Lassies Pipe Band of Charlottetown have consented to play at the Forum and between periods they will play their music for the benefit of the fans.

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## Can Beat Halifax



"From here in we can beat Halifax on or off the ice," stated Murph Chamberlain, (above), coach of the Islanders last night as he discussed his latest player acquisitions.

Within the next week or so Chamberlain hopes to have five new hockey players wearing Islanders uniforms. Three of them will be defensemen and the others forwards.

Due to join the club today are Gus Gustavson of Syracuse and Steve Brklacich from Shawinigan Falls. Both are defensemen. Left-winger Charles Holdway should be here by Sunday. A centre-line man and another defenseman, due to arrive here next week, will round out the list of new players.

Chamberlain himself has a busy day ahead of him. This morning he will address a group of Summerside students in Summerside. The address, arranged by the members of the Summerside School Student Council, will highlight the presentation of a donation to the Summerside Rink Fund.

At noon Chamberlain will hold a meeting of his players and this afternoon he will if he can, attend the ladies cake sale in aid of the Boosters Club. Tonight he has the job of looking after Macey's Miners.

## Boosters Club Sponsoring Two Functions Today

The Boosters Club, which has already paid for two hockey players and is preparing to pay for more, will sponsor two more functions today in their successful drive to obtain funds.

This afternoon a ladies' cake sale will be held in aid of the club and team. A group of lady hockey fans have volunteered to conduct this sale which will be held at Fennell and Chandler's this afternoon at 2:30. Members of the hockey team will be on hand to help the ladies with the sale.

Tonight the Boosters are staging a dance at the Roll-Away Club. The hall has been donated free of charge and the Boosters are hoping for a big turn-out of dance fans. Dancing is from 10 to 1.

## President Of Detroit Red Wings Club Dies

**CHICAGO, Dec. 4** — (AP)—James Norris, 73, a leading grain operator and a sportsman with a wide range of interests, died today.

He entered Passavant Hospital Tuesday. Physicians said his death was caused by a heart attack. Only a week ago last night he attended the Chicago Stadium boxing card and had been in his office at the Norris Grand Company Monday.

Norris owned Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League and had interests in numerous sports arenas. He also was a director of numerous business concerns.

A native of Montreal and graduate of McGill University there Norris held directorships in five sports arena corporations — Chicago Stadium Corp., Madison Square Garden Corp., St. Louis Arena Corp., Indianapolis Coliseum Corp., and Olympia Stadium Corp., Detroit.

He was also a director of the First National Bank of Chicago, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Co., the West Indies Sugar Corp., the Upper Lakes and St. Lawrence Transit Co., Ltd., and Toronto Elevators, Ltd. He was a trustee of the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Co.

He is survived by James D., a son by his first wife; his widow, Marguerite Loris Norris; and three children of the second marriage—Mrs. Arthur R. Kneibler Jr., of Libertyville, Bruce A., and Marguerite Ann.

He lived in Lake Forest, fashionable suburb north of Chicago.

## Bill Veeck's Baseball Proposal Is Rejected

**PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 4** — (AP)—The minor leagues today turned down a proposal by Bill Veeck of St. Louis Browns that would forbid major league clubs from signing any players without previous professional experience.

Veeck's plan also would have made it mandatory for all minor league players to have been made eligible for the draft after their first year of professional ball.

The members of the National Association of Minor Leagues did not even bother with discussion and voted the proposal down with a voice vote.

Veeck's scheme came after the minors passed a new bonus rule banned recall of optioned players after July 31 (except for emergency cases) and continued the present high school rule.

There was a flurry of excitement when Prentice Wilson, attorney for the Dallas Club of the Texas League, threatened to seek "quitable relief elsewhere" unless Dallas' plea for considering revision of the major-minor league agreement was passed.

After the Dallas measure lost by a 27-16 vote in the executive session held behind closed doors, Dick Burnett, Dallas owner, outlined his stand to the press.

"We do not want a lawsuit now" he said. "We do not want to break up organized baseball. But there must be a change."

Burnett charged "major league domination of the minors," pointing to a publication by the Brooklyn club that boasted of owning 400 players. He declared he major-minor contract states no club shall own or control more than 40 players.

"This action today shows the cards are stacked against us," said Burnett. "If they continue this policy, there will be no alternative but to go to the court house."

Before the Veeck proposal came up, the convention unanimously adopted the bonus rule.

The new bonus rule, designed to curb payments of \$50,000 and \$100,000 to untried youngsters, sets up definite rules by which a signed free agent becomes a "bonus player."

plus bonus exceeds \$4,000 from a major league club or a club in class A or higher, becomes a "bonus player" in class B or C the limit is \$3,000.

Clubs violating the rules would be subject to fines of \$2,000 in the majors and \$1,000 in the minors.

Unless the majors follow suit at their joint session Sunday, the minors' vote means nothing. However, as the new bonus plan is the brainchild of the major-minor league executive council and favored by the Commissioner Ford Frick, it probably will pass.

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