

Halifax Squeezes Out 6-5 Win Over Hawks

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 18—(CP)—Cellar-dwelling Halifax St. Mary's squeezed out a 6-5 win over Moncton Hawks in a Maritime Major Hockey League game here tonight. A goal by Fred Weaver midway through the third period broke a five-all tie and gave Saints the win.

Joe MacArthur, Hughie Campbell, Pete Leswick, Billy Watson and Weaver were the goal-getters for Saints. Campbell had a pair. Sam Kennedy, with two, led the Moncton scorers. Other goal-getters were Tom Rocky, Milne and Marcel Clements.

The teams battled on even terms in the first period. MacArthur opened the scoring—Mon-

ton goalie Don Lockhart let in the first shot—and Kennedy tied it up four minutes later.

Campbell started Saints off in the second, and Leswick made it 3-1. Rocky put Hawks back in the game but Watson extended the Saints' lead two minutes later.

Hawks made their best showing of the night in the third period. Kennedy got his second goal and Campbell netted his second after which Hawks banged in a pair. Milne and Clements were the marksmen.

With less than three minutes remaining Leswick and MacArthur set up a passing play to Fred Weaver for the winning tally.

Bar Joe Louis From Fighting In California

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18—(AP)—The head of the California State Athletic Commission said today that former heavyweight champion Joe Louis will not be permitted to box again in California because he is too old.

The announcement by commissioner Joe Phillips headed off the plans of local promoters who had hoped to match Louis here when he returns from a tour of the Far East.

Phillips said that if Louis does not apply for a boxing licence here, he would be forced to turn him down as over-age.

California rules specify that no boxer over 35 years old may be given a licence without special permission of the commission. Louis will be 38 next May.

Ch'town Curling

Schedule for the turkey bonspiel at the Charlottetown Curling Club today:

7 P. M.

Ice 1—A. W. Hyndman vs. A. Howatt

Ice 2—Hal Spillett vs. J. E. Burden

Ice 3—E. F. Acorn vs. R. Egan

Ice 4—J. J. Larabee vs. J. F. MacLeod

8:30 P. M.

Ice 1—Dr. MacDonald vs. J. S. Moore

Ice 2—Sterling MacDonald vs. R. Carruthers

Ice 3—R. Spillett vs. G. M. Avard

All skips requested to contact their teams.

HOCKEY SCORES

(Canadian Press)

O. H. A. Senior A
Stratford 3, Brantford 5

O. H. A. Junior A
Waterloo 3, Kitchener 7

Oshawa 2, St. Catharines 9

Quebec Senior
Shawinigan Falls 1, Chicoutimi 7

Quebec Junior
St. Jerome 6, Montreal National 7 (overtime)

Granby 2, Montreal Canadiens 7

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The Sydney Millionaires will leave town today and its a safe bet that they won't be sorry about going. Behind them will be memories of the worst defeat that has been hung onto a Sydney team by another Maritime squad in quite a while. Last night's defeat was something of a repetition of the 8-1 lacing which the Islanders gave the Mills in the play-off last spring only the game last night was not nearly as rough.

The Millionaires looked bad in defeat. They looked much worse than they actually are and this could be partially explained by the fact that they only arrived in town a few minutes before game time. They came here by bus and it has now been pretty well established that no team can get off a bus and start to play hockey right away. They may attempt to do it but they never seem to get results.

Hal Gordon and Bob Gray watched the game from the press box. About two seconds before Larry Travis got his first goal of the season Hal shouted "Score a goal Larry." We doubt if Larry heard the order but anyway he complied with Hal's request and we were glad to see Larry leave the no-goal company. Larry's steady and effective work on defense often goes unnoticed and it is not so often that he gets a good scoring opportunity. If he scored a goal for every play he broke up he would not have much trouble leading the league in scoring.

It's no time for talking about baseball but every now and again, despite the winter's storms, news about the latest happenings in the baseball world creep into the sports pages across the country. Among those who get their names into print with a noticeable regularity are Ted Williams and Ned Garver. Both have been prominently mentioned as trading material but within the past week the owners of both players have made it known that the stars have been taken off the market.

There was speculation that the newly appointed manager of the Boston Red Sox, Lou Boudreau would be willing to trade Williams for a pitcher and catcher combination such as Bob Lemon and Jim Hegan of the Cleveland Indians. Then there was the report that Larry Doby played the Indians along with two or three lesser players and a bundle of cash would go to the Browns in exchange for Ned Garver. Garver in return was to be traded by the Indians to the Red Sox for Williams. This, however, was strictly rumor and apparently was unfounded.

Another report had Williams going to the Yankees as a star attraction to replace Joe DiMaggio. This was to take place only if the Yankee Clipper retired. Now that DiMaggio has hung up his glove the road is open for the deal to be transacted if it were being considered seriously. But like many another deal it was probably only rumor or the product of a publicity man's imagination.

The retirement of DiMaggio brought to an end the career of one of the greatest ball players who ever put his hand in a glove. He retired as he played, quietly and gracefully yet with the color and show which has been the background of the Yankee organization since the days of Babe Ruth. The announcement that he was through was met with mingled feelings by the true baseball fans. They hated to see him go but they didn't want Joe to go through another year if he were only going to be a shadow of his former great self.

And despite the fact that he was paid \$100,000 a year for his services Joe D. was an amateur at heart as evidenced by his final statement: "When baseball is no longer fun, it is no longer a game... And I have played my last game." At least he was honest about it and he knew when he could no longer give his best. Fans will prefer to remember him by his home run in the last world series or the double he hit in his time at bat in the sixth inning of the game in which the Yankees won the World Championship in 1951.

We only saw him play twice and

Islanders Crush Sydney 10-2 In Wildest Scoring Outburst Of The Season

Hungry for goals and eager for revenge Leo Lamoureux's Islanders tore through the Sydney Millionaires like a binder through a wheat field as they trounced the Millionaires 10-2 at the Forum last night in the coldest reception handed out to a visiting club this season.

From the opening whistle until the closing siren the Islanders played with the Millionaires like a cat with a mouse. At times it was hard to believe there were Millionaires on the ice as the Islanders headed goalward in the wide-open swashbuckling style of play that made them the terror of the Big Four league a year ago.

And fitting it was that it should be the Millionaires, the Islanders bitter rivals of a year ago, who were on the receiving end of the locals' most determined victory march of the season. All hands from the goalkeeper outwards played a prominent part in the massacre of the moneymen.

Willie Marshall, Islanders youngest centreman was the leading goal getter with three but there were other events to even out Willie's performance. Denis Smith celebrated his return to the Islanders by scoring two goals and likeable Larry Travis scored his first of the year.

Jim MacKenzie, who opened the scoring, fired two goals for the winners. Johnny Dutchak and the Walt Pawlyshyn rounded out the scoring with singletons. Centre Frank Bathgate and wingman Duke MacIntyre scored for the losers.

Although they widely outplayed the Millionaires in the first period the best the Islanders could do was to come up with a 2-2 draw. The Islanders counted four times in the second period and came back with four more in the final frame.

Frechette Over-Worked

Larry Frechette, former Halifax goalie made his first appearance in a Sydney uniform and it was a disastrous outing for him. Frechette, however, could not be blamed for the Millionaires' downfall for he kicked out 40 shots and played good hockey despite the 10 goals that got by him.

At times the Millionaires looked lost and their attacks in the first two periods were about as dangerous as a cat's attack on an elephant. The visiting defense was at its worst and put up only a token of resistance to the invaders.

The visitors looked better in the third period than they did at any time during the game. As the final siren sounded they went on the attack and played an even terms with the Islanders for half the period. But again they collapsed and the roof fell on them.

Possibly it was that the Islanders were at their skating best while the visitors were at their skating worst that made such a difference in the play. At any rate the Islanders looked close to perfect in everything except some of their shooting around the net.

Denny Smith, back from Halifax, possibly played his best game in the Maritimes. Smith started the play for the first goal, shot two quick ones in the second and skated both ways like a fiend all night. His play seemed to spark the Whitlock line which hit the scoring column for the first time in a week.

The Marshall line also got back in scoring form. Willie got two goals in the second period and added another in the third. Conny Bonhomme picked up three assists while Don Bellinger, who played an outstanding game, got one assist.

The Trainer line probably had more scoring chances than either of the other two lines but counted only one for the final goal. Favero, Trainer and Pawlyshyn all had the goalie at their mercy but only Walter could make the red light blink.

As far as the team was concerned the biggest goal of the night

was the one scored by Larry Travis. Marshall and Bellinger started the play with a two-man rush. Marshall passed to Bonhomme who whipped the puck back to Travis. Larry skated towards the net and let one go through a maze of players from about 30 feet out.

Dutchak Spills Defense

Johnny Dutchak gave a neat slickhandling effort for the Islanders second goal. The Mills were a man short at the time.

Dutchak started at his own end, split the defense and drove one into the corner by Frechette.

Bathgate's goal came on a neat three way passing effort in front of the Islanders net. MacIntyre scored from the blue line as he got the one that Fredericks thought he had covered.

All the Islanders except Fredericks, Vitale, McLagan and "Hub" Beaudry were in on the scoring. Willie Marshall was the highest point getter with four points. "Buck" Whitlock, Jim MacKenzie, Denis Smith and Conny Bonhomme each had three.

The Islanders outshot the Moncton 50-15 and this pretty well indicated the play. Six penalties were handed out with each team receiving three. One of them was a misconduct to George McLagan for elbowing a referee.

Frank Bathgate appeared to be the best Sydney player on the ice and he took a bad beating from the Islanders defense. Laurie Peirson was back after his bout with virus pneumonia and played a good game.

Missing from the Islanders lineup were Bob Gray and Hal Gordon. The Millionaires played without Bill Dinning and Alex Birukov.

The Islanders will leave this morning for bus for Saint John where they will play the Beavers tonight. They will return tomorrow and line up against Glace Bay tomorrow night.

Line-ups:

Sydney: Goal, Frechette; defence, Levandoski, Matthews, MacBride; forwards, Cupolo, Pirie, Frezell, Roach, Whalen, Hildebrand, Robertson, Bathgate, MacIntyre.

Charlottetown: Goal, Frederick; defence, Travis, Dutchak, Vitale, McLagan; forwards, Trainer, Favero, Pawlyshyn, Marshall, Bellinger, Bonhomme, Whitlock, MacKenzie, Smith, Beaudry.

Officials: Elliott, and Mann.

First Period

1—Charlottetown, MacKenzie (Dutchak, Smith) 1:44

2—Sydney, Bathgate (Pirie, Hildebrand) 10:09

3—Sydney, MacIntyre (Roach) 13:30

4—Charlottetown, Dutchak (Bellinger, Smith) 16:29

Penalties: McLagan 10:38 (misconduct), Bathgate 16:09.

Second Period

5—Charlottetown, Smith (Whitlock, MacKenzie) 1:54

6—Charlottetown, Smith (Whitlock, McLagan) 2:28

7—Charlottetown, Marshall (Bonhomme) 3:15

8—Charlottetown, Marshall (Bonhomme) 11:40

Penalties: Robertson 3:57.

Third Period

9—Charlottetown, MacKenzie (Whitlock, Travis) 10:42

10—Charlottetown, Travis (Bonhomme, Marshall) 15:40

11—Charlottetown, Marshall (Bellinger, Bonhomme) 15:34

12—Charlottetown, Pawlyshyn (Trainer, Favero) 19:21

Penalties: Bathgate 10:31, Smith 10:31, Travis 16:30.

Stops:

Frechette 14 16 10-40

Frederick 3 6 4-13

M.M.H.L. Standings

Team	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Saint John	25	10	2	166	81	52
Ch'town	18	16	3	130	117	39
Glace Bay	15	17	4	124	118	34
Moncton	14	17	5	100	139	33
Sydney	14	19	4	107	123	32
Halifax	13	20	4	105	154	30

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Bruins Come From Behind To Tie Detroit

BOSTON, Dec. 16—(CP)—Boston's Bruins battled back from a two-goal deficit tonight to tie Detroit 5-5 and move into undisputed possession of third place in the National Hockey League before a slim gathering of 4,200 in Boston Garden.

The small crowd which braved a severe rainstorm and the threat of icy roads to attend was rewarded with a spectacular contest.

The first-place Red Wings trucked for four goals after Boston had piled up a 2-0 advantage. The Bruins finally fought back from a 3-3 disadvantage to move out of its third-place deadlock with Montreal.

The tie also made it 14 road games in a row this season that Detroit—which boosted its lead over idle second-place Toronto to nine points—has gone without defeat.

Capt. Milt Schmidt of Boston notched two goals but it was bespectacled Hal Laycoe and Johnny Peirson who produced the third-period markers that gained the tie. Rookie Jack McIntyre was the Bruins other goal-getter. Detroit's scoring was one by Vic Stasiuk, Red Lindsay, Metro Prystaj Glen Skov and Gordie Howe.

Summary

First Period

1—Boston, Schmidt (Peirson, McIntyre) 9:13

2—Boston, McIntyre (Creighton, Peirson) 9:52

3—Detroit, Stasiuk (Devechich, Skov) 17:17

Penalties — Kyle 2, Abel, Kelly.

Second Period

4—Detroit, Lindsay (Abel, Howe) 1:54

5—Detroit, Prystaj (Favellch, Leswick) 3:29

6—Detroit, Skov (Devechich) 6:00

7—Boston, Schmidt (Morrison) 14:50

Penalty — Kyle.

Third Period

8—Detroit, Howe (Reise, Abel) 0:54

9—Boston, Laycoe (Brown, Sandford) 3:47

10—Boston, Peirson (McIntyre, Creighton) 13:41

Penalties — None.

Vejeor-Fiore Bout Tonight

NEW YORK, Dec. 18—(AP)—Chico Vejar, promising young welterweight from Stamford, Conn., meets Carmine Fiore of Brooklyn tomorrow night at St. Nicholas Arena in the mid-week television network (CBS) offering.

The 20-year-old Vejar is in line for a Madison Square Garden date with a top ranking welter if he gets past the ex-shoes-shine boy from Brooklyn in the 10-rounder.

Vejar's brilliant record shows only one loss in 36 pro starts since he started commuting from his Stamford home to a downtown gym.

Fiore, 21-year-old slugger, is an aggressive fighter. His record for 48 fights is 35-9-4.

Canadian Fighter Loses 10-Rounder

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 16—(AP)—Tito Valle, 128 1/2 of New York, tonight stopped George Sinclair, 127 3/4 of Winnipeg and Toronto in 1:55 of the fifth round of a scheduled 10-round bout.

Valle floored the Canadian three times in the fifth and the referee halted the fight.

FORUM EVENTS — DEC. 17 - 22

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TUESDAY—HOCKEY — SYDNEY — 8:30
WEDNESDAY—GENERAL SKATING 8 to 10

THURSDAY — HOCKEY — GLACE BAY — 9 P. M.
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