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No More Games In Sydney, Coach Says As Team Quits City

SOMEWHERE OUTSIDE SYDNEY, April 11—(Special)—“We’ll never play another game in Sydney,” this was the emphatic announcement by Coach Leo Lamoureux of the Islanders in a phone conversation to his Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald and the Press early this morning.

Members of the team made a strategic withdrawal from their hotel in Sydney and at the time of contact were some seven miles from the seething steel centre. Leo lavishly praised the gallant battle waged by his charges in last night’s game and deplored the action of Sydney fans. “Our boys outplayed ‘em and it shouldn’t have been a tie or anything else,” was his comment. The tying goal in the dying moments of play was a heartbreaker for youthful Dennis Brodeur who rose to dizzy heights of greatness during the game. The puck glanced into the cage from a player’s skate.

B. A. Fitzgerald, Guardian sports editor, remarked that the team left the hotel under police escort. They were accompanied to the outskirts of town by two constables. There was some talk that the game might be awarded the Islanders, but was declared “no

U. S. Baseball Salaries Now Under Gov't Control

(By Joe Ives.)

WASHINGTON, April 10—(AP)—Baseball player salaries were placed under government wage controls today.

A long-awaited ruling by the Wage Stabilization Board put a ceiling over the salaries of the top-priced star on each major and minor league club at the 1950 level.

An individual plea to the board in special cases is still open, however.

The board said lesser lights can be granted merit raises and bonuses, provided such increases remain within a general pattern and do not exceed the salary of the club’s highest paid player last year.

The one big league star certain to be affected is Stan Musial of St. Louis Cardinals. Musial is understood to have been awarded a \$35,000 pay jump over last season’s reported salary of \$50,000.

While president Fred Saigh of the Cards said he thought the board will permit Musial to keep his raise, officials here felt it unlikely that the board will permit Musial to be given such a tremendous pay jump. They said it is doubtful if a \$35,000 increase is within the general pattern of the St. Louis club.

Lethbridge Team Sails For Home

LIVERPOOL, April 10—(CP)—Lethbridge Maple Leafs, world amateur hockey champions, sailed home today with 72 ounces of solid silver in their luggage.

Customs gave no trouble because the silver was in the Winston Churchill cup, won by Lethbridge in a challenge series against teams representing England and the United States.

The Maple Leafs also received individual medals.

The team sailed aboard the Empress of France, scheduled to reach Montreal April 17.

Englishman Looks For Speed Title

SALT LAKE CITY, April 10—(AP)—Another Englishman wants to be world land speed king. He is Col. A. T. Gardner of London.

He will use the Bonneville salt flats on the Utah-Nevada border in an attempt to lift the speed records established several years ago by John Cobb, London fur broker. No date has been set for his attempt.

SKATING TO-NIGHT

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LITTLE SPORT



By Rouson



SYDNEY, N. S., April 10—Tension is high here in the Cape Breton capital as Sydney Millionaires and the P. E. Islanders prepare for their seventh game of Maritime Major hockey play-off finals at Sydney Forum tonight. Winning the sixth game here last night by a 3-1 count has given the Sydney club a 7-5 point advantage that will only take a tie game to decide the title in their favor.

But the Leo Lamoureux-coached Islanders are rested and ready to make it a real battle for victory that can send the series into an extra eighth game, which according to reports here, will be played over neutral ice, with Halifax the probable playing site later this week. The Islanders will be a determined band of pucksters when they hit the ice in a do or die effort and what is more, are confident that they can do it.

Arriving in Sydney for the first game here on Tuesday night after a long, tedious bus trip that kept them on the road for 16 of the 24 hours it took to make the trip, the players were definitely tired and restless and at a handicap in turning in their best performance during the contest that took place some four and one-half hours after their arrival on Tuesday afternoon. The fact too, that two of the players, Wes Trainor and Johnny Horeck were presented with summons to appear in a civil court action in Sydney the following day didn't help the morale of the team in general. The charges laid are in connection with the second game of the series played in Sydney Saturday, March 31st.

There is no denying, however, that the Sydney team turned in their best performance of the series to date on Tuesday night to earn their 3-1 victory. It was a close checking but cleanly played contest all the way, that saw both teams come up with good hockey. Sydney definitely held the playing edge for two periods to run up a 3-0 advantage with the Islanders making a last period stand that marked their best efforts of the night and earned them their only tally.

Islanders themselves were not satisfied with their own performance. All admitted that they felt tired and draggy from the long bus trip but are prepared to give it everything they have tonight. Talking to Johnny Horeck after last night's game, the much abused Islanders' left winger was definitely not in his best mood for hockey. Said Johnny: "With all the abuse and criticism that has been thrown at me since we played that Saturday night game here, I was scared to lift a finger and really buckle down and play hockey. Every time I did anything on the ice the fans went after me verbally like I was a criminal or something."

It was not hard to understand what Johnny was referring to, because even in the press box at that game one could hear some choice phrases and words being thrown at him. It was no secret; either that some fans had employed the use of water pistols that were directed at the Islanders players and more than one was the target for apples, rubbers, etc.

Coach Lamoureux's reaction to the summons being served on two of his players after their arrival here on Tuesday was one of indignation and disgust. "Such action," said Leo, "was the poorest unsportsmanlike gesture that I have ever come in contact with in my 20 years of organized hockey and two years of coaching. Such tactics, certainly have no place in organized hockey."

The cases against the two Islanders were taken before a Magistrate's Court at Sydney this afternoon, but were adjourned until a later date with no evidence being given. Trainor and Horeck had been summoned to court for two o'clock hearing, but had to wait for one and a quarter hours while a reckless driving charge was being heard in which some eight or more witnesses gave evidence. It took about five minutes to adjourn the hearings against the two Islanders players.

MONCTON, N. B., April 10—(CP)—Possibility of Murph Chamberlain, former N. H. L. player and coach on Vancouver Canucks of the Pacific Coast League coming to Moncton next season was seen here today.

Lebaron Reid, president of Moncton Hawks of the Maritime Major Hockey League, revealed that he has discussed a "deal" with Chamberlain in which the former Hard Rock of the N. H. L. would become a part-owner and coach of the Hawks.

Reid said the deal still was in the "talking" stage and that no final plans would be made for at least several weeks. Outcome of the talks depend upon a "lot of things," Reid said. He declined to elaborate.

Gordon (Doggie) Kuhn of Bedford, N. S., finished the current season as coach of the Hawks after replacing Gordie Drillon.

Chamberlain coached Charlotteville Islanders early in the season, leaving the Islanders to take over the Vancouver team.

Teacher - Pupil Clash In Stanley Cup Finals

TORONTO, April 10—(CP)—There's a two-way teacher-pupil clash in the best-of-seven Stanley Cup hockey final between Montreal Canadiens and Toronto Maple Leafs.

Frank Selke was in the Toronto organization for years under Conn Smythe before he went to Montreal in 1946 to become general manager of the Canadiens. Dick Irvin coached the Toronto club through the 1930's, with Smythe as his manager. Toronto's freshman coach, Joe Primeau, spent most of his playing days in the National Hockey League under Irvin's coaching.

But those old, close relationships don't mean that the clubs are likely to make a friendly competition of their first cup final meeting since 1947 when the Leafs won out in six games to start a three-year title reign. The rivalry is bitter.

Irvin is after his fourth cup win. He coached the Leafs to one in 1932 with Primeau as an ace playmaking centre. He led the Canadiens to the top in 1944 and 1946.

Primeau is bidding for an unprecedented coaching grand slam—last year he guided Toronto Maple Leafs to the Canadian Senior Allan Cup championship and twice his Toronto St. Michael's College club won the Canadian junior Memorial Cup title.

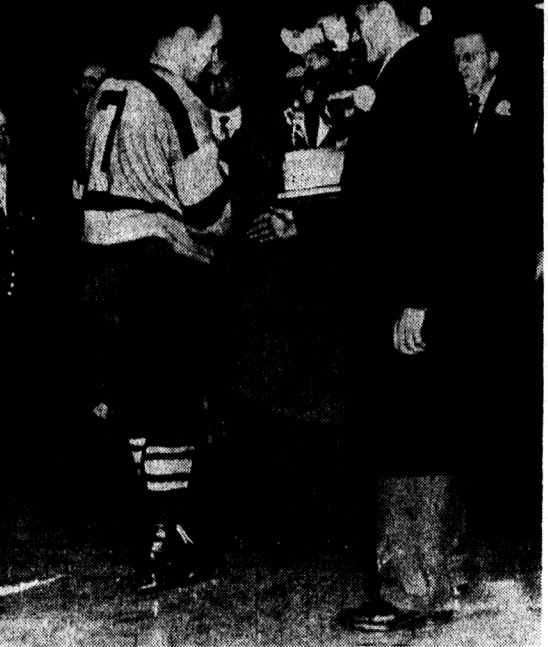
The Leafs are taking things easy at St. Catharines, Ont., and will come to Toronto just before game time. They may have left-winger Harry Watson, who sat out the semi-final round against Boston Bruins, in uniform again. He was idle because of a shoulder separation.

MONTEAL, April 10—(CP)—Rosemount Boys Club tonight ran Halifax Queen Elizabeth High ragged to the tune of 70-35 in the eastern juvenile basketball semi-finals. Rosemount won the two-game, total-point series 151-65.

Too Late To Classify

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Presentation Ceremony



Top picture shows Wes "Bucko" Trainor, captain of the Islanders hockey team. Big Four champions, receiving the Frank W. Landry Rose Bowl Trophy at a centre ice ceremony following the Islanders 8-1 win over the Sydney Millionaires last Wednesday night. The presentation was made by Judge J. Elliot Hudson. The lower picture shows Hal Gordon, Islanders goalie, who



turned in a courageous performance after suffering a serious shoulder injury in the first period of the game, receiving a white rose which went to individual members of the team. Also in the picture are His Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald, Coach Leo Lamoureux, Dr. Frank MacMillan, Mr. Wm. Massey and Constable Lloyd Archer.

Hoop Game Here Tonight

The second game of the semi-final series in the Physical Fitness Basketball League between P. W. C. and Y. M. C. A. squads will be played this afternoon at 4:30 at the College auditorium. The Prince of Wales team won the first game 49-35.

The semi-finals is a two game total point series.

Pollet Signs With Cardinals

HOUSTON, Tex., April 10—(AP)—Howie Pollet, 29-year-old left-hander and last major hold-out in the big leagues, signed with St. Louis Cardinals today. Terms were not disclosed.

Last week owner Fred Saigh said he didn't want Pollet on the club and would make every effort to trade him. Pollet said that was the best news he had heard all spring. But it was different today.

The verbal exchange between Saigh and Pollet followed publication of a story in which Pollet was quoted as saying his record last season suffered because of the condition of the injury-riddled club.

Pollet, a 20-game winner in 1949, had a 14-13 record last year. He had been asked to take a cut from his 1951 salary of around \$22,500.

TORONTO, April 10—(CP)—Barrie Flyers won their third Ontario Hockey Association Junior A title in four years tonight defeating Toronto Marlboros 4-3 in overtime.

The victory gave Barrie the best-of-seven series four wins to two and the right to meet Quebec Citadels in the Eastern finals opening here Saturday.

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Horeck, Trainor Cases Adjourned

SYDNEY, N. S., April 10—(CP)—Two members of Charlottetown Islanders hockey team entered not guilty pleas when they appeared today before Provincial Magistrate R. V. Read on charges arising from incidents in the second game of the Maritime major hockey finals here March 31.

Weston (Bucko) Trainor, captain of Islanders, was charged with assault occasioning actual bodily harm. He is alleged to have swung his stick at spectator Frank McCarthy, Sydney wholesale operator. McCarthy suffered a broken arm. The hearing was adjourned a week.

John Horeck, Windsor, Ont., winger with Islanders, was charged with making an indecent gesture. He will appear again tomorrow.

Detective Sgt. Norman MacAskill charged Horeck with committing "an indecent act... to wit... an indecent and obscene gesture with his hands."

McCarthy laid the charge against Trainor.

Exhibition Baseball

At Daytona Beach, Fla.

Toronto (Int)	7 15 2
Rochester (Int)	6 9 1

Robertson, Hudson (8) and Balch; Feholz, Wild (6) and Bucha, Curran (7).

At Nashville, Tenn.

New York (N)	10 15 1
Cleveland (A)	6 10 1

Koslo and Westrum; Wynn, Zuvorink (8) and Murray.

At Durham, N. C.

Cincinnati (N)	12 14 3
Washington (A)	14 17 1

Whehmeier, Blackburn (6) Peterson (7) and Scheffing; Consuegra, Brown (6) and Grasso.

At Kansas City, Mo.

Boston (N)	2 6 0
New York (A)	3 7 1

Sain and Cooper; Byrne and Berra, Houk (5).

Famechon Wins By Decision

CINCINNATI, April 10—(AP)—Ray Famechon of France, European featherweight champion, re-deemed himself tonight by giving his former conqueror, Eddie Burgen of Cincinnati, a bad beating in a 10-round boxing contest. Famechon weighed 127½ and Burgen 125.

It was a unanimous decision. A little more than a month ago Burgen, fighting his 18th professional bout, scored a technical knockout over Famechon in 25 seconds of the second round.

Player Given Car By Quebec Fans

QUEBEC, April 10—(CP)—Jean Beliveau, probably Canada's most promising junior hockey player, was given a "night" tonight.

Fans in this hockey-mad city presented the high-scoring centre with a 1951 model (Nash) sedan for leading Quebec Citadels to the Quebec junior hockey championship.

Winter Returns To Western U.S.A.

CHICAGO, April 10—(AP)—Heavy snow and strong northerly winds brought a return of wintry weather today to a wide area in the Rockies and western plains of the United States.

Two to eight inches of new snow were reported in Northern Colorado and over most of Wyoming. Western Kansas and Northern New Mexico also were struck by the storm.

In contrast, California's interior valleys baked in temperatures around 100.

Meanwhile, the flood-stricken area in the Midwest reported its rampaging rivers were dropping, although the estimated 12,000 persons made homeless by the waters still were unable to return to their homes.

Riotous Scenes Mark Seventh Tilt For The Maritime Hockey Title

Fix Dates For Intermediate Series

OTTAWA, April 10—(CP)—W. B. George, first vice-president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, today set April 16, 17 and 19 as the dates for the Eastern Canada intermediate championship between the Maritime and Ontario champions.

The winner of the Cornwall Falcons and Noranda, Que., series will travel east to meet Fredericton Intermediates, Maritime champions, in the best-of-three series as soon as the Ontario championship is decided. Noranda holds a 2-1 lead in their best-of-five series. Fourth game of the series will be played in Brockville, Ont., Thursday night.

Wakefield Says Will Play For Small Change

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 10—(AP)—"If any major-league team is silly enough to want me, I'll play for small change," says outfielder Dick Wakefield.

The one-time Detroit Tiger \$52,000 bonus star flew here from Oakland, Calif., where the Oaks of the Pacific Coast League handed him his outright release Monday.

He said he wants to get back in the majors "but that \$1-a-year contract stuff is all over."

Wakefield signed a \$1-a-year contract to play for Oakland following a disappointing season last year. He saw action only as a pinch-hitter.

Over \$600,000 In Farm Loans To P.E.I. Farmers

Prince Edward Island farmers borrowed \$605,518 through 706 individual loans under the Farm Improvement Loans Act during 1950, according to information tabled in the House of Commons this week.

The amount loaned to New Brunswick farmers was \$366,776, and to Nova Scotia farmers \$274,940. Total loans for all Canada amounted to \$63,421,383. The Act, which has been in operation six years, was recently extended by Parliament for another three years from March 1, 1951.

A total of \$170,064,703.34 was borrowed under the Act by Canadian farmers during the past six years. The amount borrowed by Prince Edward Island farmers during the period was \$879,274.62.

The greater part of the \$605,518 borrowed by Island farmers last year was used for the purchase of implements, \$338,586 was spent in purchasing tractors through 380 trucks accounting for \$176,077; five bought combines at a cost of \$5,007; ten purchased threshers at a cost of \$8,028 and 364 miscellaneous loans accounted for \$34,581. \$30,740 was spent in the construction and repair of farm homes and buildings. \$2,800 was loaned for the construction of two houses; 28 men borrowed a total of \$17,374 for repair work and nine men borrowed \$10,676 for utility work.

Over the six year period of operation under the Act, \$170,064,703 was borrowed and the sum of \$96,681,406 had been repaid at December 31, 1950, which is equivalent to 56.8 per cent of the total amount lent. During this period only 35 claims were made under the Government guarantee in the amount of \$19,660.

Finance Minister Abbott stated the banks have throughout given excellent co-operation in promoting the objectives of this legislation both in the making of the loans and in acquainting the farm public with the provisions of the Act.

As in the previous five years, loans for the purchase of farm implements and farm trucks represented the greatest volume of lending under the Act during 1950 and amounted to \$66,301,686. Approximately 45 per cent of all tractors, 64 per cent of all threshers purchased in Canada last year were financed under this Act.

FARM BUILDINGS

Farm building loans amounted to 2 1-2 million dollars for the year. 511 new farm homes were constructed with the assistance of loans amounting to \$797,648. An amount of \$784,835 was borrowed for the construction of 650 new farm buildings such as barns and sheds.

In addition 967 loans in the amount of \$649,826 were made during the year for the alteration and repair of farm homes and buildings. 28 per cent of the building loans were made in the province of Ontario and 26 per cent in the province of Alberta.

Loans numbering 1,805 and amounting to \$1,469,474 were made for the purchase of livestock. Most of these loans were made to small farmers for milch cows and registered breeding stock.

The report states, since the inception of the Act in 1945, 6,864 loans have been made in the amount of \$2,833,180 for the clearing and breaking of 336,790 acres of new land for cultivation. The majority of these loans were concentrated in the northern sections of Alberta and Saskatchewan where land settlers are developing new agricultural areas.

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