

Island Teams Set For Spiel

By JIM CULLEN

Charlottetown's Bill Moreside rink and Constable Dan Durling's foursome will represent this province in the Maritime Junior Curling tournament scheduled to be held at the Seckville Curling Club this Friday and Saturday. The participating teams will engage in a round-robin schedule to determine the Maritime Junior championship. (Members of the respective teams must not have been curling for more than eight years).

The Island representatives will tangle with two provincial winners each from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. The local rinks obtained the right to represent the province in a provincial competition which was staged at the Montague Curling Club early in March. The Bill Moreside rink copied top honours in the Montague spiel while the Durling skipped foursome nailed down the runner-up position in the provincial competition.

The Less Brownrigg rink from the Heath Curling Club, Saint Andrews captured the provincial junior championship in New Brunswick and they will meet the Ross Milliet foursome which was the second place team in the N.B. spiel in the opening day's action of the Maritime championship.

The Nova Scotia champions are skipped by Jack Turner of Dartmouth and they will be accompanied by a team headed by Gerald Freeman of Amherst. The Nova Scotia runner-up foursome skipped by Wayne Horne of Sydney, is unable to make the trip and is being replaced by the Freeman quartet.

Championship and runner-up rinks from each provincial bonspiel are eligible to compete in the only Maritime playdown still being continued in curling. The winning rink is presented with a trophy emblematic of the Maritime crown while trays are presented to members of the winning and second place teams.

Members of the Moreside rink include: Bill Moreside, skip; Ralph Manning, Bonnie Lepage and Hugh Simpson while the Summerside representative consists of Dan Durling, skip; Garth Harris, Kenny Gunn and Jack McGuire.

Tid Bits From Here And There

Congratulations to the Summerside Junior Legionnaires upon capturing the Island junior hockey championship by virtue of their 3-1 win over Rogers Rangers at the Charlottetown Forum, Monday night. The Legion outfit overpowered the Rangers throughout Monday night's contest and the Summerside team exploded in the second period for six goals. The outcome of the game was never in doubt after the second period and Summerside skated off with a 3-1 decision in the best-of-five series. The Summerside pucksters will now advance against the winner of the Glace Bay-Halifax series for the Maritime junior hockey championship. At the time this column went to press the Glace Bay squad was leading Halifax 2-1 in their best-of-five series for the Nova Scotia championship.

Bert Steele's St. Dunstan's juvenile hockey team defeated Summerside's Kinsmen juvenile club 7-4 in the first game of two game total goal series for the Island juvenile championship at Civic Stadium, Monday night. The game was awarded to the Red and White team when players from both benches poured on the ice and a real donnybrook began and the referees awarded the game to the Steele-coached aggregation.

The Charlottetown Forum will be the scene of the Rotary Easter Seal ice show tonight and action is scheduled to get underway at 7:30. Figure skating will be one of the highlights of the show with Sally Radford, Moncton, playing the lead role. Miss Radford has been journeying to Charlottetown each Thursday since last fall to instruct pupils of the Charlottetown Figure Skating Club. Forbie Kennedy of the Boston Bruins and Bill MacMillan, local college star, will referee a hockey game between the Peerless Pee Wees' and the Bantam Panthers. Tickets are on sale at all local drug stores.

Stan McCabe, a Charlottetown resident, explained to us yesterday what he thinks will happen in the Stanley Cup playoffs and then went on to tell us how he had come up with his prediction which is as follows: while travelling through the hill country the other day I was lucky enough to find old man Moss home. After three batches of "Kick-boo-juice" he couldn't come up with any clear answer. The best answer he could give, "put a man on Babalovitch", "Kest", "Hill, Millie, Tommie, Ullman, Steve and Dabucchio", "Detroit", "Hill, Millie and Egan", "Chicago", "Montreal", "Who will watch Provost, Backstrom, Richard, Belliveau, Larose, Balon, Ferguson and Rousseau, Montreal.

Prince Edward Island Kentucky Of Canada

By DAVE MILLER

Prince Edward Island is called the Kentucky of Canada and is a hot bed for harness racing and the breeding of standard bred horses. Charlottetown and Summerside both operate 1/2 mile tracks with pari mutual betting, and several country tracks run weekend meets. Harness racing is becoming big business throughout Canada and the United States, and the 1965 Trotting and Pacing Guide shows that 22 million Americans bet over one billion dollars at American harness tracks.

Besides this frantic rush to the wickets, many other interesting factors can be noted in the field of harness racing. Most tracks in Canada and the United States are half-mile, but some American tracks are a mile, three-eighths, three-quarters, and five-eighths of a mile in circumference.

The famous Grand Circuit of harness racing was founded in 1873 when it was called the Quadrilateral Trotting Combination. The charter members were Utica and Buffalo, N.Y., Cleveland and Springfield, Ohio. Now the grand circuit contains over 20 tracks in Canada and the United States.

Many people will speak of the great speed witnessed on half-mile tracks, but the fastest mile ever paced on a half-mile track occurred in 1961 in Delaware, Ohio, when Eddie Cobb drove Adios Butler home in 1:55 and three fifths. Adios Butler was five at the time and achieved this record in a time trial in the afternoon.

FASTEST TROT

The fastest mile ever trotted on a half-mile track was by Matstar at Delaware in June 1963. Time for the mile was 1:58 and three fifths and Harry Pownall handled the reins for the stallion. The famous trotter Greyhound, trotted a mile in 1:59 and three quarters on a half mile track, but no one has ever equalled Matstar's mark.

The fastest mile ever trotted in a race was by the great gelding Daru Safa on a half-mile track at Saratoga Springs in 1967. Overtrick paced the fastest heat in a race when he took the three-year old's honors in 1:57 and one in a half mile track.

Dead heats are generally few

St. Dunstan's Wins Ch'hip

SUMMERSIDE — A Saint Dunstan's team, paced by the high scoring performance of Kevin White, captured the Island Senior Intercollegiate "A" Boys Basketball crown here last night by defeating Sun-Hi 66-67.

This was the second game of a best of three final series. The Saints had won the opening game in Charlottetown by a similar 19 point margin, the final score reading 52-33.

White, a 5 foot, 5 inch player swished the twines for a total of 28 points. Tops for the local hoopers were Chuck Conkey with 14 points and Brian Scully, 11.

Officials for the game were Jim Fox and Al Forgie.

A second game saw Bonies Pharmacy girls won the opening game of a two-game, total point series for the Island Senior girls playoffs.

The Bonies girls do not play in the YMCA League of Charlottetown.

Leading the scoring for the winners were Jane Bray, 16, and Gloria Pincock with 7 points. Sherry Hineson was top pointer for the visitors with 13 points.

The second game in this series is slated for Charlottetown Thursday evening.

Referees for this game were Bruce Knowles and Chick Silliphant.

IN DOUBLEHEADER AT GARDEN

Torres TKO's Pastrano; Griffith Retains Crown

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP) — Fiery Jose Torres handed light heavyweight champion Willie Pastrano a fearful beating and then stopped the light heavyweight champion in nine rounds after welterweight king Emile Griffith drubbed José Stabile in a pair of title bouts before a roaring crowd at Madison Square Garden Tuesday night.

Referee Johnny Lobianco stopped the slaughter in the light heavyweight clash after the finish of the ninth round of the scheduled 15-rounder. It goes into the books as a ninth round technical knockout under New York rules.

Torres, a 26-year-old Puerto Rican born New Yorker, dropped Pastrano in the sixth round with a smashing left hook to the jaw followed by a paralyzing left hook under the heart. The 29-year-old Pastrano, a stricken look on his bleeding face, sagged to the canvas in a delayed fall.

It was the first time he had been dropped in a pro career of 13 1/2 years.

Crouched on his knees on the floor and looking out to the crowd, Pastrano took a nine-count from the referee. Then he gamely rose to his feet and absorbed a terrific beating to the head and body from the inspired Torres.

Referee Lobianco, said "Pastrano was taking too much punishment. He had nothing left. The doctor Dr. Harry Kliezman had told me to stop it if he took any more after the eighth round."

Pastrano weighed 174 1/2 to Torres' 171 1/4.

By BOB GREEN

NEW YORK (AP) — Emile Griffith, who apparently became aroused when the packed house at Madison Square Garden started chanting Jose Torres' name, rallied in the late rounds and successfully defended his world welterweight title with a unanimous 15-round decision over the Cuban-born New Yorker Tuesday night.

Griffith, a native of the Virgin Islands now living in New York, came in at 146 1/2 pounds, one-half pound more than Stabile, the No. 1 challenger of two 15-round title clashes in the big arena.

Light heavyweight champion Willie Pastrano was set to defend against Jose Torres in the second bout, also scheduled for closed-circuit television to 86 locations in the United States and Canada.

Griffith, who was making his 11th appearance in a title bout, snapped out of a lethargic performance in the middle rounds, mounted a clever, punishing attack over the late going and won it handily.

Judges Al Berl and Frank Forbes had it 95-91 and 84-81, respectively, while referee Art Mercante scored it 11-4, all for Griffith. The Associated Press scored for the champion 95-91.

There were no knockdowns, and no important cuts, although each fighter was staggered at times and Stabile had a pink froth covering his mouthpiece from the third on and a tiny trickle oozed from under his right eye in the 10th. Neither was a factor.



JOSE TORRES

EMILE GRIFFITH

MADE GOOD BOAST

Torres, a 6-5 underdog and winner of eight straight previous, had boasted he would knock out Pastrano "somewhere between the seventh and 10th rounds." He made good on the boast over an opponent noted for his iron jaw and lion's heart.

Torres had taken command from the middle of the first round and Pastrano, winner of two previous defences on technical knockouts, never was in the fight.

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Club and in the final weeks played like a veteran.

Harris, a Winnipeg native who is 28 appeared in four season games with the club during the 1963-64.

Canadiens came up with another blue line addition in Noel Picard. Blake feels with some seasoning this Montreal product will shape up and make the Leaf forwards advance with their heads up. Picard was used in 16 games this year and managed seven assists.

As Terry Harper, who completed his second year for Canadiens blue-line brigade this year, said:

"With the way we feel now and with the few additions we have, it'll be a different series."

Souris Teachers Nip East Point

By AL MCNEIL

MONTREAL (CP)—It was a relaxed and healthy group of hockey players that took to Montreal Forum ice Tuesday morning.

The dressing room following the workout was reminiscent of a major victory rather than a prep for an upcoming battle.

Hijinks and horsplay were the order of the day as Montreal Canadiens held their first workout in preparation for their initial contest with Toronto Maple Leafs in their Stanley Cup semi-final series.

Game time is 8 p.m. Thursday in Montreal.

The Habs arrived at the Forum from a Laurentian Mountain retreat for the practice. To a man they appeared fit and healthy. A major portion of the players' discussion

1st Practice Held By Habs In Preparation For Leafs

hinged on an impromptu bonspiel coach Toe Blake had arranged as relaxation at their hideaway.

The relaxed and confident attitude of the squad's veterans was expressed by centre Henri Richard.

IN TOP SHAPE

"For myself, I feel at top shape. We're not the same club that went into the playoffs last year," the Pocket Rocket said.

"Other players spoke in the same manner.

Claude Provost, Canadiens' scoring leader in league action this year, said the whole club feels up for the Toronto series and all are sure they will not bow out in the first round of the defending Stanley Cup champions.

Toronto won last year's series in seven games and went on to beat the Detroit Red Wings—this year's regular season champs—in the same number of games in the final.

I feel confident we'll take them this year," Blake said.

"But don't get the idea we are under-estimating that gang. They're a tough outfit and can come up with the big one that kills you."

HAPPY WITH VETERANS

Blake said he is happy with his veterans and is looking to some of the younger players give steadier performances with another year's competition under their belts.

However, the Montreal coach will have several players facing Toronto who as yet are untested in playoff battles.

Probably the finest surprise for Blake this year has been the play of big Ted Harris on defence. Harris, who appeared in 66 games for the Habs, finished the regular season with one goal and 14 assists.

He proved during the regular season to be a steady influence on the blue line for the

JUVENILE HOCKEY PLAYOFF

St. Dunstan's High School vs. Summerside Kinsmen Juveniles

S. D. U. RINK

Wednesday, March 31st—8 p.m.

Admission: Adults 50c; Students 25c

CHAMPIONSHIP HOCKEY TONIGHT (Wednesday)

CIVIC STADIUM 8.30 P.M.

RCAF EAGLES vs. **BORDEN NATIONALS**

Regular Admission Prices

CURLING DRAW

The following is the curling draw for Wednesday night at the Charlottetown Club.

7 p.m. (Old Spain and Scratch)

Ice 1 — Open

Ice 2 — A. MacEwen, N. Dooley, P. Perry, G. Procter vs. B. Martin, S. Harper, H. Rector, E. Jay

Ice 3 — R. MacDonald, G. Rodd, L. Burke, D. Taylor vs. B. Partridge, H. MacDougall, Bob Stevenson, W. McGregor

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Ice 5 — R. MacKenzie, Bibi MacDonald, B. Jones, C. Connors vs. B. Boyles, P. Redden, B. McLennan, L. Redmond

Long River Tops Kensington 7-4

KENSINGTON — Long River defeated Kensington Seabrooks 7-4 here Monday night to even their five-game Junior North Shore Hockey League playoff at 2-1. Deciding game of the series is scheduled for here Thursday night.

Long River is defending the Arsenault and MacNitt cup which they won last year.

George Doughart was the big gun for Long River last night, scoring four goals, while Wendell Grasse got two and Wilbur Lamont one.

For Kensington the scoring was equally divided, Garth Toombs, Alan Sinclair, Blair Sinclair and Lloyd Kelly each getting one.

MINOR HOCKEY AT RCAF

The following are the final standings in the paperweight division of the minor hockey league at RCAF:

Team	W	L	T	Pts
Hawks	6	2	2	14
Redwings	4	4	2	10
Rangers	4	4	1	9
Canadiens	1	4	5	7

LEADING SCORERS

Terry Fiendel, 21 points; Michael Killpatrick, 17 points; Peter Whitlock, 14 points; Gary Lyka, 9 points; Wayne Mathews, 9 points; Gordon MacHardy, 9 points; John Brighty, 7 points; Ronnie Sharkey, 6 points, and Jack Fisher, 4 points.

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Entry Forms

Entry forms for all categories are available NOW at all City Schools, Simpsons-Sears Order Office, Kent St. and the Charlottetown Forum. Get your entry forms now, and be ready with your costume for the big event. All entries must be completed and mailed not later than April 3rd, to:

Charlottetown Lions Costume Carnival
P. O. Box 1150, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

PLAN TO COMPETE
Charlottetown Lions Club — Costume Carnival
THE FORUM

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7th—7:00 P.M.



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CURLING ROUNDUP

MONTAGUE

Montague curling draw for today, March 31st:

Ice 1 — K. McKenzie, E. Cudmore, P. Neary, L. MacDonald, J. Murphy, D. O'Connor, R. Collings, H. MacPhee

Ice 2 — E. MacDonald, K. Hughes, C. Solos, D. Parker, D. G. Warner, D. Coffin, R. Ferris, R. MacDonald, R. Stead, M. Sutherland

Some spares are B. Sharpe, O. Hennigar, G. Clarkson, L. Nelson, A. McGregor

9:00 P.M. (McGowan's Farmers Competition)

Ice 1 — H. Moar vs. E. Shaw

Ice 2 — P. Sinclair, A. E. Ings

SOURIS

Curling schedule at Souris today:

2 P.M.

Ice One—Open

Ice Two—Open

7 P.M. Albert Griffin Trophy

Ice one — J. MacDonald vs. C. Gallant

Ice Two — J. Dingwell vs. S. Coffin

9 P.M. TO 11 P.M.

Ice one — J. MacLean vs. M. FitzPatrick

Ice two — A. Griffin vs. A. Peters, Sr.

BELVEDERE

The following is the curling draw at Belvedere for tonight, 6.30 p.m.

Ice 3 — Winner of Dave Walker and D.H. Saunders vs winner of Bill Burden and Bonnie Lepage

Ice 1 — Norman Nicholson, Barb McCurdy, Butch McGee, Betty Bryanton vs Dr. Cox, Kay Mustard, Frank Trainor, Rita Miller

Ice 3 — Fred Cannon, Pauline Saunders, Reg. Magar, Pearl Smith vs Winner of Bill Boer and Andy Humphrey match

Ice 4 — Dr. Drysdale, Joyce MacKinnon, Ted Brooks, Ann MacLean vs Winner of Doug Hill and Bill Moreside Match.

8 p.m.

Ice 2 — H.E. Carmichael, Joyce Beer, Bert Patterson, Miriam Hyde vs Errol Nicholson, Fran Boyles, Harry Simmonds, Marg Grant.

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