

FRONT

By Pius Callaghan

Looking For Explanation

EVERYBODY is still looking for an explanation of that 11-0 triumph over the Bruins which took place at the Maple Leaf Saturday night.

Mind you the fact that Bruins beat Leafs doesn't mean anything. Leafs have managed to do this before this season and they'll likely accomplish the feat some more before the regular season draws to a close. However, the manner in which Toronto dropped this one left just about everybody with his mouth wide open.

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THERE surely must be something wrong in the Leafs' camp, just what is taking place seems hard to find out but it's a safe bet that everybody isn't happy. The Bowser-Imlach incident got a lot of publicity and many figured that Bowser wasn't really hurt for some kind of a logical explanation. It was not until after this one left just about everybody with his mouth wide open.

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Simmons Was Goat

At any rate, Simmons was surely made the goat in Toronto Saturday night. It was indeed a rough night for the veteran netminder. After you can name Simmons for any goal that may have taken place. He's a sturdy goalie and goes between the pipes when he's hotly beaten. He's given us excellent service in the past and it's hardly fitting that there should be any resentment against him. Perhaps there isn't but Saturday's game serves for some kind of a logical explanation.

We aren't trying to take anything away from Boston. They definitely are showing signs of coming alive and more power to their wheel. As we said they can beat Toronto and any other club on certain nights. But this 11-0 stuff is strictly "for the birds."

Surprise Sunday Night

BUT if there was trouble in the Leafs' camp, it apparently was dispelled Sunday night in Chicago where the Imlachman slanted Bobby Hull's puck into the net. It was indeed a surprise to the Leafs of the postees and had the experts shaking their heads in disbelief. Monday morning, here's a team that was hotly beaten Wednesday night by the cellar-dwellers in Maple Leaf Gardens. They come into Chicago looking for a victory. They were surprised to find where. Rumors of Imlach going are prevalent. They try to take in a minor league goal for this big one with Chicago. His plane doesn't make it and he's stuck with Simmons who was beaten 11 times the previous night.

It's not a very pleasant sight. You could have visions of a most dismal Maple Leafs' dressing room. You would have ideas in your mind of sudden players who really didn't care what happened. Perhaps the Leafs thought that kind of a team. If they did, they were greatly surprised.

Leafs came out fighting, quickly showing the Hawks that they intended to make a comeback. They were surprised to find that Toronto was all the scoring for the evening as Leafs conquered 2-0.

What's The Answer?

We can't figure the whole thing out and if you can, by all means get in touch with us and we'll pass the news on to our anxious readers. Folks are just a bit bewildered with recent happenings and they welcome the truth from the horse's mouth.

Obviously, we are just as bewildered as anyone over these happenings. That blanking of Chicago after you were in Toronto surely shows everything into a real mood.

Perhaps you have the "who" figured out by now. If you have, let's have the lowdown.

WE have several items on the local scene which we want to touch on but our space for today is used up. Before signing off, we'll mention that the Hawks and the Varsity skaters on their two big hockey triumphs in Waterloo and Halifax, Friday and Saturday.

WE'll have more to say on this tomorrow.

DAVE Bowell, director of physical education for Prince Edward Island, has announced that Earl Nicholson, physical education at Prince of Wales College, will hold a basketball clinic for boys in the Kensington area tonight, January 21 at 6:30. The clinic is set for Kensington Regional High.

Mr. Bowell also stated that the hockey team originally scheduled for Craupod tonight, has been postponed until next Wednesday evening, January 22 at Central County Regional High School at 7 o'clock.

The attention of all interested is directed to the announcement of the annual meeting of the AAU of C hockey committee Wednesday night, January 22 at Central County Regional High School at 7 o'clock.

All club members in the 'B' and 'C' brackets are urged to have a representative at this important meeting.

ers for the winners with singletons going to J. MacDougall and G. Mitchell. L. Fitzpatrick fired the lone marker for the home side.

Philip Arbing, Corran Ban netminder played a standout game.

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Ice 2 — A. Giddings, B. Jones, B. McLennan, H. Douglas, L. Weller, Dr. Williams, H. Edwards, A. MacEwan, D. Douglas, L. Blakey, G. Newman, G. MacLeod, Dr. Webster, C. MacLean, F. Wendon, H. Douglas, D. Reid, D. Wood, F. MacMillan, A. Fife

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Ice 4 — D. O'Rourke vs. J. Blyth

Ice 5 — M. Bell vs. D. Bell

ST. JOHN'S TO GET Convention Hotel

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—St. John's to have a new 100,000-room convention hotel, it was announced Monday by New-Ten's vice president Oliver L. Vardy.

The seven-story, 210-room structure is to be built by a group of contractors headed by Doran Construction Ltd., of Ottawa. The six-story convention-type hotel will be located in the city's north end at the intersection of Elizabeth and Long Point roads.

Montague Ties Local Squad

MONTAGUE — The Montague Regional High School Team played a two all tie with the Charlottetown Juvenile Citizens at Montague rink on Friday night. The game was close, fast and cleanly played. In the first period the Citizens dominated play, checking the Montague team very closely and scoring their two goals. The second and third periods featured even play and close checking by both teams, with Montague gaining a goal in each of the last two periods for the tie. In an earlier encounter the Citizens had won 2-1.

Goals for Montague were scored by E. Prosser, 1 and A. MacEwan, 1. For the Citizens, J. Kennedy, 1 and B. Weatherly, 1.

Fans were pleased with the brand of hockey and are looking forward to future games with the two teams.

GeoTown Beats Mowell Team 8-2

GEORGETOWN — In a game played Saturday night in Georgetown the local Juveniles skated and stick-handled to a convincing 8-2 victory over the visiting Mowell Juveniles. Chickie MacLean was the top goal-getter for the home side, hitting the net on three big chances during the first period. Other scorers for the winners were Eldon Batchelder; Kenny Batchelder, Hal MacLean; Kenny Prosser and Garry Selkie. For Mowell the scoring chores were handled by Johnson and McCarton with one each.

Golden Acres Win Contest

KENSINGTON—Semans Goldens defeated New London 5-3 in a Farmer's League game played Saturday night.

Allison Loghin, Don Reeves and Scorpion Reeves all scored singles for the winners. Woodside and Don Fife all scored once for New London.

Two goals for Junior North Shore night at the Kensington rink.

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SENIOR CURLERS ARE WELCOMED

The Men's Senior Curling Championships get underway at the Belvedere Golf and Winter Club yesterday and will continue until Saturday afternoon at the Belvedere Golf and Winter Club. From left to right they are: Harry Hill, Andy Baginell, T.W.L. Prosser, Rankin MacLaine and Frank Acorn.

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Official Opening Sated Tonight

NORTH RIVER JUNIORS and Charlottetown Legionaires provided about 500 fans with a fine afternoon's entertainment Sunday at The Forum.

The occasion was the first clash in the Charlottetown Area Junior Hockey League and it was the kind of show that would make the folks come back again.

The North River lads jumped into an early 3-0 lead but they just ran out of steam before the contest concluded. A few more practices under their belts and these boys will make it tough for any team in the loop.

Legionaires, although injured, are well able to handle themselves in this junior competition. They'll give the other three entrants a merry time of it in every contest. Folks need not worry about these youngsters taking care of themselves in this company. They'll fare out all right.

Tonight, however, the league has two more clubs ready to do battle and this one promises to be a humdinger. The participants will be Prince of Wales Wehahmen and St. Dunstan's Saints.

This is the night of the official opening of the league. A snowstorm forced postponement of it last Tuesday and president Al Rogers and his executive decided to go ahead with it tonight.

His Worship Mayor A. Walthen and G. Gill, N. Fraser contributed to get the contest underway and headed by Lt. Gov. W.J. MacDonald, will be in attendance. The Prince Edward Island Regiment band will play selections before the start of the contest and during the intermissions.

All in all, it shapes up like a fine evening of entertainment and you shouldn't miss out on it.

Action starts promptly at 8:15 sharp.

Fort Augustus Takes Contest

Fort Augustus defeated Vernon River 10-2 in a CVO hockey game played at the SDU rink last night.

MacDougall led the winners with four goals, Smith collected 3, P. Trahanor 2, and G. Murnaghan 1.

G. Power scored 3 for the losers with singles going to J. Gill and G. Gill. N. Fraser scored twice in a losing cause.

Miscouche Beats Kensington 7-1

SUMMERSIDE — Miscouche R.H.S. defeated Kensington Regional 7-1 in the opening game of The Provincial Inter-Municipal B Hockey League schedule played at Kensington Saturday afternoon.

Claude Goodwin paced the winners with four goals and a key front pick-up 2-1 markers.

TO-DAY AT THE FORUM

TUESDAY

7:00 a.m.—Minor Hockey 7:15-4:15 p.m.—W. C. 4:00-7:30 p.m.—Minor Hockey 8:15 p.m.—Junior Hockey P. W. C. vs. S. D. U. Students 35c; Adults 60c.

JUNIOR HOCKEY

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TUESDAY, Jan. 21st, 8.15 P.M.

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PRINCE OF WALES

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(Official opening ceremonies preceding game.)

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Dart Standings Are Released

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Legion 35 21 42

Main Brace 35 19 38

Sergants Mess 30 17 34

R.C.A.F. 30 15 30

R.C.N. 30 12 24

Rod and Gun 30 10 20

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The following are the games scheduled for this week: Thursday: Navy at Sportsmen; Main Brace at Legion and Sergeant's Mess at R.C.A.F. 7:00 — Winner of game eight vs. Rod and Gun drew by 7.

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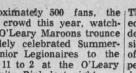
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Merchants Down Buster's Maroons

MONTAGUE — The Montague Merchants won a 9-4 victory over Buster's Maroons at the Montague rink on Saturday night. The game was fast and clean with no penalties. However, the Montague goalies, Walter MacEwan, was accidentally struck in the face which necessitated his leaving the game.

Stan Peardon paced the Merchants attack with 5 markers. Singletons went to G. McCarron, D. McCarron, B. Ballum, and E. MacLure. For the Maroons, D. Wood fired two, while E. Morrissey, B. Pippy, and D. Drake each contributed one.

The Game of the Week at Montague will take place tonight 8 o'clock when the Merchants take on the Murray Harbour Bruins. In their last outing these two teams battled to an 8-8 tie.

Acorn's Rink Is Eliminated

Frank Acorn's