

Saint John Scores 5-0 Shutout Over Glace Bay Miners

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Nov. 8 (CP)—Goalie Phil Hughes gained another shutout as his loop-leading Saint John Beavers goose-egged Glace Bay Miners 5-0 in a Maritime Major Hockey League fixture tonight. It was the fourth shutout for Phil in 15 games.

Beavers widened their total to 24 points while Charlottetown Islanders obtained their 15th by trimming Moncton Hawks 5-1 and succeeding Glace Bay in second place with a one-point advantage.

After a scoreless first period, Saint John shot two in the second and then added three for unnecessary insurance. The scorers were Ken Watson, Tom Smelle, Matt Mesich, Ed Mulligan and Ron Hurst. Both Watson and Mulligan had one assist and Johnny Arundel gained two.

The three third-period goals came while Bob Cooper of Miners

was serving a costly minor. Mesich fired a screened shot from the blue line. Mulligan counted a fast three-way passing play and Hurst drifted in with another on a passout from Mulligan.

Watson opened the scoring when he took the puck as Buchanan shot wide. In getting the second goal, Tom Smelle grabbed the loose rubber after a linemate, Johnny Ubrico, was checked at center ice.

Beavers played their fourth straight game with only two centres.

The fixture was fast and wide open with Beavers enjoying a decided edge although Miners, while outshot, held their own in much of the territorial play. More than once Hughes saved what looked like bullseye shots.

Glace Bay: Goal, Hicks; defence, Bloomer, Amadio, Cooper, Myketyk; forwards, Poile, Macey, Chorley, Haley, Wywrot, Leger, Anderson, Bailey, Rohmer.

Saint John: Goal, Hughes; defence, C. Smelle, Lee, Heon, Mesich, Arundel; forwards, Ubrico, O'Flaherty, T. Smelle, Hurst, Meidrum, Nicolle, Mulligan, Watson, Buchanan.

Referees: Hugh MacLean and Lawrence Heffering.

First Period

Scoring: None.

Penalties: Lee 1:30, Bloomer 4:08, Macey 5:02.

Second Period

1—Saint John, Watson 6:51 (Buchanan)

2—Saint John, T. Smelle 12:24 (Ubrico)

Penalties: Bailey 13:44; Mesich 19:55.

Third Period

3—Saint John, Mesich 15:45 (C. Smelle, Watson)

4—Saint John, Mulligan 16:23 (Arundel, Heon)

5—Saint John, Hurst 16:34 (Mulligan, Arundel)

Penalties: Cooper 15:08, Myketyk 16:46, T. Smelle 16:48.

Stops: Hicks 16 13 10—39; Hughes 5 8 7—20

M.M.H.L. Standings

Following are the team standings in the Maritime Major Hockey League:

GP	W	L	T	Pts.
Saint John	15	11	2	24
Charlottetown	15	7	7	15
Glace Bay	15	6	7	14
Moncton	14	5	6	13
Sydney	14	5	8	11
Halifax	15	5	9	11

SPORT BRIEFS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 (AP)—Chairman Emanuel Celler (Dem. N. Y.) of the House of Representatives monopoly committee yesterday released figures showing that Brooklyn Dodgers earned profits of more than \$2,364,500 from 1945 through 1949.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Nov. 8 (CP)—Dr. J. G. (Carl) MacDonald, leading Pictou County athlete died here yesterday. He was a member of the lacrosse team which won a Maritime title and later represented Canada on an Olympic team.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 8 (CP)—Glenn Dobb, quarterback of Regina Roughriders, has won the Jeff Nicklin Memorial Trophy, awarded annually to the player in the Western Interprovincial Football Union voted the most valuable player to his team.

MONTREAL, Nov. 8 (AP)—For the second straight year, linemen Herb Trawick has been selected by fans as the most valuable player of Montreal Alouettes of the Big Four Football League.

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LITTLE SPORT



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Royal Couple Scheduled To Attend Game At Forum Here Today

The Moncton Hawks will meet the Islanders at the Forum tonight and will play before the Royal Couple, Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip during the first period.

In their last appearance here the Hawks and the Islanders battled to a 1-1 overtime draw before a packed house. Last night the Islanders handed the Hawks a 5-1 beating and moved into sole possession of second place.

"Toby" Brown, who arrived here Wednesday may be playing for the Islanders tonight. Otherwise the lineups will likely be the same as last night.

The game this evening gets underway at five o'clock but all fans must be in their seats by 4:15 according to orders no one is allowed to enter the rink in the period one half hour prior to the arrival of the royal couple. Band music will be supplied for the fans during their wait.

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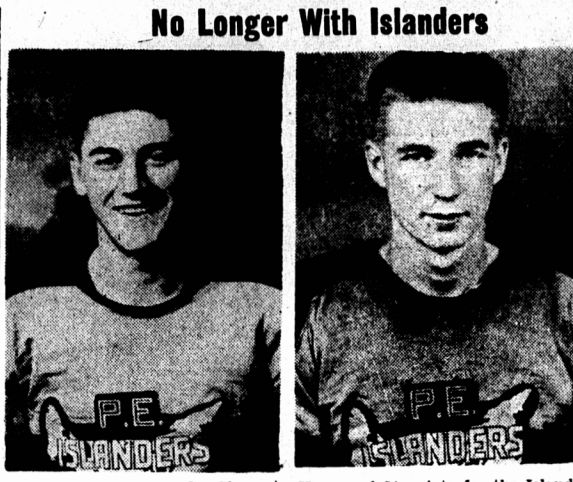
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Home furnishings and services were high in all centres, except St. John's. Fuel costs increased at Toronto and Vancouver. Rents were not surveyed during that month.

The regional index shows changes in retail prices and services in each city, but does not indicate whether it costs more or less to live in one city than another. The index is based on August, 1939, prices equalling 100, except in St. John's, where the base is June, 1951.

The regional index during September with August standing in brackets:

Vancouver, 190.0 (190.2); Edmonton, 181.9 (181.5); Saskatoon, 187.0 (186.2); Winnipeg, 183.1 (182.2); Toronto, 185.8 (185.4); Montreal, 196.4 (196.0); Saint John, N.B., 185.1 (184.2); Halifax, 178.2 (177.5); St. John's, 103.0 (102.7).



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Identify Body Found In St. John River

FREDERICTON, Nov. 8 (CP)—A body found in the St. John River Oct. 31 has been identified tentatively as that of John Charters, 19, of New Maryland near Fredericton, Police Chief J. D. O'Connell said today.

He said police were confident of the identification but certainty in the matter was difficult because of the body's condition.

Charters, who had been employed as a woodman at Travey, has been missing since Oct. 5.

The identification, if confirmed, would eliminate a previously suggested possibility that the body was that of one of the three men being sought in Eastern Canada for theft of cheques.

When taken from the river, the body had a rope around the neck tied to a 23-pound weight. Head injuries were revealed as the cause of death. The verdict at an inquest, said these injuries "would point to foul play by a person or persons unknown." A broken bone in the right hand indicated the victim might have been in a fight.

500 Ontario Hotels Are Up For Sale

TORONTO, Nov. 8 (CP)—Five hundred Ontario hotels worth \$78,000,000 are up for sale, real estate dealers said today.

Fifteen of them worth \$3,750,000 and 10 cocktail bars valued at \$1,250,000 are for sale in Toronto.

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LONDON, Nov. 8 (AP)—Charles Edward Irvine Jones, 52, comptroller and accountant general of the General Post Office Department, died on his way to work today. In 1939, he went to Ottawa as adviser on accounts to the British Supply Board, an organization set up to obtain munitions from North America.

Hear Talk Of Ray Robinson Graziano Bout

NEW YORK, Nov. 8 (AP)—Talk of a Sugar Ray Robinson-Rocky Graziano middleweight title bout at Chicago, Feb. 20, and another American visit by Britain's Randy Turpin livened the boxing beat today.

Turpin may be matched with Kid Gavilan, the welter champion in an over-the-weight bout at New York or Detroit next January. At least that's what Al Well, International Boxing Club matchmaker, has in mind.

This would lead up to a third Robinson-Turpin meeting at London next June, providing there were no upsets.

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Player Trade In Quebec League

SHAWINIGAN FALLS, Que., Nov. 8 (CP)—Shawinigan Falls Cataracts of the Quebec Falls Hockey League today announced they had traded left-winger Marius Groleau and defenceman Bob Dawson to Chicoutimi Saguenens in return for defencemen Maurice (Billy) Arcaud.

Shawinigan's new acquisition is a home-town boy who five years ago went to Providence Reds of the American Hockey League. He stayed in Providence three years before going to Chicoutimi.

Chicken Raffle

FRIDAY NIGHT NOV. 9th K. of C. HOME Water Street, City

FORUM BULLETIN THIS WEEK

MONDAY—SKATING 8 to 10

TUESDAY—CHILDREN'S SKATING 4 to 5:30

WEDNESDAY—HOCKEY—8:30—SYDNEY HERE.

THURSDAY—CHILDREN'S SKATING 4 to 5:30 GENERAL SKATING 8 to 10

FRIDAY—HOCKEY—5 O'CLOCK—MONCTON

SATURDAY—GENERAL SKATING 8 to 10

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THE FORUM

Hockey Scores

By The Canadian Press

Maritime Major

Charlottetown 5 Moncton 1, Glace Bay 0 Saint John 5.

Quebec Senior

Shawinigan Falls 1 Sherbrooke 1 (overtime tie).

Quebec Junior

St. Jerome 5 Granby 2.

Thunder Bay Junior

Port Arthur Bruins 4 Port Arthur Flyers 4 (overtime tie).

Tar Heel Sells For Record Auction Price

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 8 (AP)—Tar Heel, who shares the world's three-year-old pacing championship, was sold today to the Hanover Shoe Farm, Hanover, Pa., for \$125,000—the highest price ever paid for a harness horse at an auction.

It took only four minutes for the bidding on the black colt to jump from \$50,000 to the sale price in spirited competition at the standard-bred horse sale between Lawrence B. Sheppard, Hanover Shoe Farm's owner, and Walter Michaels, of Pickwick Farm, Bucyrus, O.

Just a half-hour before Sheppard had purchased Solicitor, Tar Heel's stablemate and co-champion, for \$100,000. That bid was the highest ever made in a harness horse auction.

Tar Heel won the \$66,000 Little Brown Jug stake at Delaware, O., this year in a photo finish with Solicitor. Both horses were clocked in a record 1:57 2-5 for the mile.

The two colts were part of a 36-head consignment from the estate of the late W. N. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, N.C. The entire consignment sold for \$523,600.

Canucks Win After Hypnotism

VANCOUVER, Nov. 8 (CP)—Coley Hall, owner of the Vancouver Canucks Pacific Coast League hockey team today said: "I have asked Ray Munro to confer with me some time today, so that we might discuss plans for another hypnotic experiment on my players before their game with New Westminster Royals Friday night."

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