SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Saints Still Hot

ST. Dunstan's Varsity hockey team continues its merry pace in intercollegiate play and as a result today they are boasting the fine record of three triumphs, one tie in six starts. Both losses they suffered were by narrow margins, one and two goals.

Coach Jack Kane surely must be proud of his achievement. He has taken this team a long, long way and those who scoffed at Saints' chances earlier this season are just a bit bewildered at what is going on.

Saints entertain Dalhousie University here next Saturday, are at home to Acadia Axemen and St. Thomas Tommies the following Friday and Sunday. If they keep up their present style of play, these three visiting squads will have a battle trying to grab much needed points at the expense of the Red and Whiters.

KANE has a potent line in Dick Tingley, Bob Marshall and Billy Mulligan. They accounted for the majority of the Saints' markers and are continual thorns in the sides of all opposition. Tingley is the greatest scorer of the trio and of course Mulligan's abilities are well-known to all Island hockey fans. The persistent little left winger never stops trying from start to finish. Tingley's blazing drive brings him to the attention of fans in a real hurry.

But this fellow Bob Marshall is a real honest hockey player. He gets his share of goals and helps Mulligan and Tingley get theirs. Marshall works hard both ways and opposition are given few breaks by the Newfoundland native.

We're not related to Bob in anyway but we think he's deserving of a bouquet for his fine play for coach Kane since this intercollegiate league got underway.

That Good Second Line

AND we think that mention should be made of the second line composed of Jim Cullen, George Dalton and George Monaghan.

This unit looks better each time out and Kane must be happy with the way the boys are strutting their stuff. Sunday against Tech, each member of that trio got himself a goal and after all there was the margin of victory for the Red and Whiters. Last Wednesday in Sackville, Jim Cullen sank a pair and it was his second marker that earned Saints a tie in the 5-5 contest.

Saints will be hearing more from this trio in games coming up and it is nice to know that the second unit has developed into such an important factor in the Saints' scheme of things.

Congratulations Curlers

OUR congratulations to Wayne Matheson and his Welshmen curlers on winning the schoolboy championship of Prince Edward Island and the trip to Guelph, Ont., where the Dominion championships are being staged February 18-22.

The city scholars didn't suffer a defeat and they left little doubt about their supremacy. However, they were given a real scare by Eric Johnstone's young band from Summerside. Youthful Bob Keizer won a lot of friends at the championships as he battled courageously all through the competition. His great comeback against the new champions had the spectators really excited Saturday morning. Montague boys made a game try for runner-up honors but they fell a bit short in their private feud with Summerside Saturday afternoon.

To all three rinks, our congratulations.

A Weird Weekend

PERHAPS it has happened before but we can't recall when visiting teams won all six games on a weekend.

We surely were consistent on Saturday as we were wrong on all three games. However Sunday, we batted a bit better, calling Leafs over Rangers and Canadiens over the Black Hawks. Bruins let us down when they dropped a 5-3 decision to Detroit.

And so the National League race is exactly as it was before the weekend contests. Every team scored a win and suffered a loss. The six games settled nothing but Rangers and Bruins must have had a lot of fun beating Canadiens and Leafs on their home ice.

Wednesday night finds only two teams in action. Detroit Red Wings are visitors at New York. However Thursday sees Toronto visiting Montreal and the league leading Black Hawks the guests of the unpredictable Boston Bruins.

These will be the games to watch.

FLANAGAN LEAVES HOSPITAL

Don Ramsay Rejoins Beavers As Manager

MONCTON (CP) — Don Ramsay, left out as manager of the Moncton Beavers just before last season's Nova Scotia Senior Hockey League playoffs, has been returned to the post, replacing Cy Taylor, it was announced Monday night by the club executive.

An official of the club also announced that defenceman Paul Hebert and forward Charlie Poirier, cut earlier in the season but still property of the team, may be rejoining the squad if permission can be granted from the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association.

Jan. 25 was the deadline for adding amateur players. The club has until Feb. 1 to add reinstated pros.

The Beavers have only one import on their roster—defenceman John Ford of Kitchener. They are allowed four.

The team also announced that forward Alphie Flanagan will be out of action for at least another week.

Flanagan was released from Hotel Dieu hospital Monday after being admitted Wednesday with a strained stomach muscle, sustained two weeks ago in a game here against Halifax Tartans. Despite the injury, Flanagan had played, until the pain forced him into hospital.

Minor Hockey Night Program Given Monday

Yesterday officials in charge of minor hockey night this Wednesday announced that the following teams will be playing during the evening:

7:30 — 7:50. Paperweights, WKS Colts vs. St. Jean Setters.

7:50 — 8:10. Peewees, PSS Hornets vs. Spring Park—QCHS Foxes.

8:10 — 8:30, Bantams, Sherwood Battlers vs. Parkdale - Spring Park Bombers.

8:30 — 9:15, Exhibition, Midget Abbies vs. Juvenile Abbies

Lineups for the Midget - Juvenile tussle will be announced Wednesday.

All boys accompanied by adults will be admitted free and there will be skating for all following the abbreviated hockey contests.

Loop Statistics Are Announced

SUMMERSIDE — Island Intermediate "A" Hockey League statistics, as released by league statistician, Bob Hopper are as follows:

Top eleven scorers:

	G	A	Pts	P
B. Whitlock, (R)	23	24	47	20
Jim McLeod, (R)	17	23	40	6
A. Gillis, (R)	20	18	38	2
A. Carroll, (R)	14	21	35	10
G. Deighan, (C)	16	17	33	16
S. Peardon, (P)	13	20	33	2
D. Lawlor, (P)	11	19	30	4
G. Harris, (C)	13	14	27	18
A. Arsenault, (R)	12	15	27	0
G. Whitlock, (P)	11	15	26	4
A. Andrews, (C)	10	16	26	17

Best goaler average — Thane Mann — 4.3.

Most minutes in penalties —C. Sark — 94.

Minute in penalties by teams: — Combines — 423; Royals — 405; Penguins 155; Eagles — 141

Twin Bill Seen At Kensington

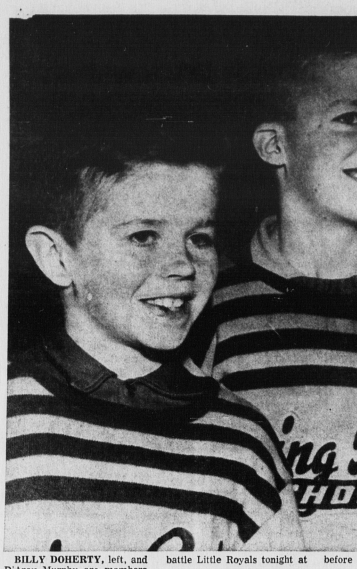
A doubleheader Farmer's League hockey game was played at Kensington rink last night, Kensington Seabrooks trouncing Seemans' Golden Acres 11-3 and Hope River whipping Freetown 11-8.

Doug Johnston paced the Seabrooks to their eighth straight victory with four goals. J. MacFarlane scored two and I. Cotton, B. Caseley, B. MacLean, E. Mosse and D. Thompson each fired one.

Scoring for the losers were K. Sudsbury 2 and W. Mills 1.

J. Pineau was top goalgetter for Hope River in the second tilt with four markers. Other goals were scored by J. Gallant 3, W. Doiron 2, R. Larkin and A. Doucette.

Freetown scorers were G. Drummond 3, B. Drummond and G. Hill



BILLY DOHERTY, left, and D'Arcy Murphy are members of the Little Penguins who will battle Little Royals tonight at 7:30 at The Sports Arena just before the Penguins-Combines clash.

Double Feature Is Slated For Sports Arena Tonight

Penguins entertain Prince County Combines tonight at The Sports Arena in an Island Intermediate 'A' Hockey League fixture and the action promises to keep the fans in a high state of excitement all evening.

Penguins are flying high of late as they prepare for the Maritime junior playdowns and they'll give the visiting Combines loads of competition tonight.

Combines, on the other hand, haven't been too good of late and coach Gord Cuteliffe will surely be urging his charges for this battle.

Before the regular game, Penguins' promoter Ivan Doherty has arranged a battle between Little Royals and Little Penguins. This is in keeping with minor hockey week which is now in full swing.

The little hockeyists get going at 7.30 and the regular game commences at 8:15.

Here are the lineups for the minor league game:

Little Royals — Colin MacDonald, Kenny Hughes, John MacMillan, Barry MacKinnon, Bernard Higgins, Kenny MacDougall, Peter Butler, Dave Murnaghan, Dave Doiron, Gordon Betts, Bobby MacMillan, Gordon Bock — Coach Dr. Jim Higgins.

Little Penguins — Alan MacCormack, Garry Stead, Carl MacKinnon, Kent Gorveatt, Glen McDearmid, Bill Doherty, D'Arcy Murphy, Derrick Egan, Robert Sterling, Jimmy O'Connor — Coach, Dick Sterling.

Campbell Confirms Chicago Nets Smaller

MONTREAL (CP) — Clarence Campbell, president of the National Hockey League, Monday night confirmed the goal-frames in Chicago are smaller than the regulation size—four feet high by six feet wide.

He said in an interview that the error will be corrected before the Black Hawks' next home game.

Goalie Jacques Plante of Montreal Canadiens launched the episode last week when he claimed size of goal-frames varied in different rinks around the NHL.

Referee Eddie Powers measured the frames at Sunday night's Montreal game in Chicago.

Plante later said that Powers found the frame was only three feet, 10 inches high.

Campbell Monday night confirmed the frame was shorter than regulation but he said "maybe not as much as two inches."

He also said measurements by league officials have shown a second discrepancy in the Chicago rink and one in Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens.

Both have been straightened out.

He said in Chicago, at a face-off circle in one end of the rink, the spot where the referee drops the puck was six inches out of line, giving the centre of the defending team a one-foot advantage nearer to the spot.

The NHL rules call for the two opposing centres to stand at least nine feet apart, meaning that each player is 4½-feet from the spot where the puck is dropped.

But in Chicago, the spot was six inches closer to the defending team's goal.

In Toronto, he said, one of the bluelines was found to be two inches wider than the other.

The rules call for 12-inch-wide bluelines.

Campbell said the error in Chicago was apparently inadvertent and "I'm sure the Chicago hockey club can hardly be blamed."

Robinson Trains For Comeback

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — "It takes me longer now to get ready for a fight," puffed Sugar Ray Robinson.

"But when I get ready I'm just as ready as always."

Sugar Ray, trying for his second comeback at 43, said Monday he has trained strenuously for six weeks for his 10-rounder here Wednesday night with Ralph Dupas of New Orleans .He has hopes of going on to his sixth middleweight title.

"I used to be able to train for a fight in a couple of week," said Robinson. "But the end result is the same. I'm in excellent condition."

Sugar, who began his professional career in 1940, when Dupas was five years old, continued:

"I know a lot of the old Robinson is gone. I naturally don't feel as young as I used to. But I think I can win the title again by beating Dick Tiger."

WANTS TIGER

His program, he said, calls for "beating Dupas, then Terry Downes, and that should get me a crack at Tiger." Doenes is English, Tiger from Nigeria.

His face virtually unmarked after 166 pro bouts, Sugar boasted: "I've never taken a bad beating."

The man who once quibbled over a $500,000 offer to fight Carmen Basilio goes into the ring in Convention Hall for a $5,000 guarantee. "Sure, I need the money, but I'm not destitute," he said.

The U.S. government, Robinson reported, is holding $514,000 from his 1957 Basilio fight.

HOLDOUT A SHAME

"That's a shame," he scowled. "It's unfair. I don't owe the money. They're holding it for what they call 'anticipatory.' They don't want to get stuck on taxes like they did with Joe Louis."

Robinson became welterweight champion by beating Tommy Bell in 1946. He won the middleweight title from Jake Lamotta, lost it to Randy Turpin, regained it from Randy, all in 1951.

After coming out of retirement in 1954, Robinson took the crown again by knocking out Bobo Olsen. In 1957, Sugar lost the title to Gene Fullmer, regained it, and lost it to Basilio. In 1958 he beat Basilio. He lost the championship to Paul Pender in 1960.

Bulldogs Crush Meteors 13-4

Hampshire Bulldogs trounced Cornwall Meteors 13-4 in regular league action at North River rink last night.

Scoring for Hampshire were Johnston 2, Dunn 3, L. Balderston 2, MacArthur, Hughes, and Bringwell, one each.

M. Scott, C. Godfrey, L. Thomas and C. Scott were the Cornwall goalgetters.

Pownal and Nine Mile Creek tangle Wednesday evening at 8.30.

Pownal Downs Mermaid 9-2

Sunny Isle Farm League action at the Sports Arena last evening saw Pownal roll to a lopsided 9-2 victory over Mermaid.

T. Small was a big gun for the winners with seven goals. H. Smallwood and Duffy each scored once.

MacDonald and Ings triggered the Mermaid goals.

CONSIDERS APPEAL TO COURTS

Ex-NHL Player Wants Life Suspension Lifted

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

The president of the National Hockey League Monday shattered the hopes of Don Gallinger that a lifetime suspension for betting on NHL games 15 years ago will be lifted.

But the former Boston Bruins centre has been quoted as saying two months ago that he "may have to go to court" if his latest appeal, made to the NHL board of governors in December, failed.

At the same time NHL President Clarence Campbell disclosed that the NHL has turned down two appeals by Gallinger. Campbell said he personally would not let Gallinger back into hockey and he doubted whether the NHL board of governors would lift the suspension.

The report that Gallinger was considering court action was published in the Kitchener-Waterloo Record by associate sports editor Len Taylor.

The Taylor story says that

DON GALLINGER

Gallinger, former Boston Bruins forward and now a resort owner in Muskoka, Ont., tried to catch on with the Bruins this season as a coach.

An admission by Gallinger that he bet on and against Bruins while playing for them in the 1947-48 season was published Monday in the Toronto Globe and Mail in a copyright article by Scott Young.

EXPELLED FOR LIFE

He was expelled for life from hockey for conduct detrimental to the game, though the NHL did not mention the gambling charge. Gallinger says now he admitted betting in a 1949 confession to NHL President Clarence Campbell, but only now has he confessed publicly.

Billy Taylor of New York Rangers was suspended at the same time for "detrimental conduct." Now working in Florida, he told Young he has no comment except that he has "paid and paid."

Campbell over the years has declined to make public details of the scandal. But Gallinger says he used to bet regularly—between $250 and $1,000 a game —with a Detroit gambler whose telephone turned out to be tapped by the police. Gallinger says he wound up losing between $1,000 and $1,500.

In Montreal, President Campbell said that on two occasions since the lifetime suspension was ordered the NHL's board of governors reviewed the case and unanimously decided against any change. These reviews, on applications by Gallinger, were made June 1, 1955, and Nov. 27, 1962, Campbell said.

FATHER WAS ILL

President Campbell said the only reason the full story was never made public by himself was because Gallinger's father was critically ill at the time.

He said he and former Boston General Manager Art Ross visited Gallinger's father at the time, but felt they could not tell him the full story, because they had been asked not to by Gallinger and the family pastor.

"It was a pathetic affair," Campbell said. "Here was a father pleading for his son, because he believed in him, as a father is expected to do, but we couldn't tell him. Gallinger listened and never said a word. The father went to the grave not knowing."

Campbell said it was "an indefensible crime" to bet against one's own team, as Gallinger now admitted he had done.

KEPT FILES CLOSED

"It wasn't easy to sit for years and be vilified when all I had to do was open the files and provide the proof," Campbell said. "It would have silenced every critic in the country."

Campbell said the important thing about Gallinger's statements is the question: "What does he want us to do now?" "Does he want us to make it possible for him to return to hockey?" he asked. "If so, he is a very naive citizen."

Campbell said he doubted NHL governors would lift the lifetime expulsion from hockey. He said he personally would not allow Gallinger back in hockey.

BLOCKED PLANS

Gallinger, now 37, says he has asked the NHL board of governors to lift his suspension but has always been refused. He said the bank has blocked plans for a hockey school in connection with his Muskoka resort.

"I made this terrible mistake —and it was a terrible mistake —when I was 22 years old," he told Young. "I don't think that 'Clarence Campbell or anyone else understands what it means to be sentenced, for life, for a mistake I made at the age of 22."

Sportswriter Taylor says Gallinger told him in a confidential talk Nov. 29 that he was hopeful his latest appeal to the governors would be granted but that "if that doesn't work, I may have to go to court."

"Gallinger said," Taylor adds, "that he has been under the impression that the NHL board of governors had been informed of his (1949) confession but that he now believes Campbell never told them at all and that their feeling he had refused to admit his guilt was one reason why they had ruled against him for such a long period."

AAU Meet Goes Tonight

There will be an Amateur Athletic Union of P.E.I. intermediate hockey meeting for Queens County this evening in Prince of Wales College, Room 16, at 7:30.

Today's Minor Hockey Schedule

Following are today's events at Sports Arena scheduled under the City's Minor Hockey organization:

11.00-12.00 — Skate — Notre Dame and Rochford girls.

4.00-4.40 — Bantams — Sherwood Battlers vs. BHS Tigers.

4.40-5.20 — Bantams — QCHS Panthers vs. BHS Bears.

5.20-6.00 — Bantams — QCHS Beavers vs. Parkdale-Spring Park Bombers.

Referees — Les Barnes and Grant Crockett.

Race Entries Are Released

Entries for Wednesday's ice racing card at North River Raceway released by the Victoria Driving Club are as follows:

No. 1 — Doctor Alec, True Marion, Crafty Bell, Meadow Grace, Roger Parlay, Hey You.

No 2 — Spears Direct, Chief Ozaukee, Dayton Hal, Hickory Doe, Cecil Hermine.

No. 3 — Bonnie Watchim, Knapsack, Miss Chief, Millie's Girl, Joyland, Gahagan's First, Royal Queen.

No. 4 — Thunder Mountain, Farmer's Pride, Will Maland, Drillo Hal, Miss Real Money.

Alberton Gives Curling Draw

Here is the Curling schedule at the Alberton curling rink this week for the Myricks Alberton Limited trophy:

WEDNESDAY

7 p.m. — F. Bryan vs A. Wilkie; D. Carpenter vs. B. Pridham.

9 p.m. — F. Millman vs R. Pettitt.

FRIDAY

7 p.m. R. Pettitt vs F. Bryan; W. Hardy vs F. Millman.

9 p.m. D. Carpenter vs A. Wilkie.

Curling Draw For Montague

Here is the Montague Curling Club draw for today Tuesday)

7 P.M.

Ice 1 — Ladies

Ice 2 — Legion— J. E. Cudmore, Foch MacDonald, Glen Murphy, D. Herring vs. Souris Legion.

9 P.M.

Ice 1: Ladies.

Ice 2 — Legion, George Nicholson, A. Robertson, Sandy MacDonald, D. Clarkson vs. Souris Legion.

Tracadie Whips Vernon River

Tracadie trounced Vernon River 11-3 in a regular CYO League contest at Saint Dunstan's rink last night.

Tracadie snipers were M. Fitzpatrick, V. Fisher, L. Fitzpatrick and K. McNally, two each and K. Fitzpatrick, P. Hughes and M. McNally singletons.

Scoring for Vernon River were L. Hynes, N. Fraser and V. Doherty.

Shoot Staged At Murray H.

The Murray Harbor Rifle Club staged its 4th weekly shoot on last Thursday with the following scores registered:

Jim Gordon	97
Wm. J. Harris	96
Bruce Gormley	92
Wayne Harris	92
Fred C. White	92
Randall Richards	92
Roland Penny	90
Louis Herring	89
Marven Gordon	85
Bert MacLeod	83
Derrell McClure	83
Ronnie Gormley	82
John Hanlon	80
Alden Gordon	80
Jim Lightizer	80
Harley Fraser	80
Bruce Dort	80
Keith White	80
Dennis Ferguson	80
Clinton Harris	80
James Richards	80

Curling Draw

The following is the curling draw for Tuesday at the Charlottetown Club. (Spares needed), 6.50 P.M.

Tuesday (Knock-out Finals)

Ice 1 — F. Curtis, A. Bagnall, K. Kennedy, B. Ball vs. E. Gillespie, I. Horne, N. Kelly, J. Weldon.

Ice 2 — R. Ewing, M. McGuigan, B. Cook, G. Lidstone vs. E. MacLeod, H. Douglas, A. E. Piercey, A. MacCormack.

Ice 3 — W. Farrell, K. Jenkins, L. Bagnall, D. Wood vs. T. W. L. Prowse, D. Douglas, D. Jelks, J. Veniot.

Ice 4 — J. Cooke, Dr. Webster, H. Love, G. MacInnes, vs. Dr. Giddings, A. Leaman, N. MacNeill, K. Dalziel.

Ice 5 — F. MacMillan, L. Turner, C. Michael, B. Crockett vs. C. Flinn, H. Smith, H. Gaudie, H. Edwards.

8.30 P.M .Rendezvous (Sec "A")

Ice 1 — D. George vs. M. Bell.

Ice 2— Doug Cameron vs. Frank Hansen.

Ice 3 — D. O'Rourke vs. Jim Burden.

Ice 4— Doug Hill vs. Dr. MacDonald.

Ice 5 — J. S. MacDonald vs. G. Stewart.

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