Moncton Wins Dominion Curling Crown

By FRANK SULLIVAN

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)— A sensational rink from Moncton skipped by Mrs. Mabel DeWare, coasted to an easy 15-1 win over a Moose Jaw, Sask., foursome Thursday night to win the Canadian women's curling championship and the Dominion Diamond "D" trophy.

The win, after nine of 10 scheduled ends in the ninth and final round of round robin play at St. Andrew's Curling Club here marked the first time a national championship has come to New Brunswick. The Deware rink won eight games and lost only one—a 14-13 defeat at the hands of Ontario's Toronto rink in the second round on opening day Monday.

The surprising Moncton rink showed skill and coolness under pressure all the way. They were in first place entering the final round 8 p.m. Thursday.

PRAISES RINK

Said Mrs. DeWare as she received the award:

"If it hadn't been for the girls in front of me I wouldn't have won tonight. And I've never curled with such a wonderful bunch of girls as I have in this championship."

The "girls in front" were hard working vice-skip Mrs. Harriet Stratton, second Mrs. Forbis Stevenson and lead Mrs. Marjorie Fraser.

The championship was won last year by Mrs. Ina Hansen's Kimberley rink, representing British Columbia. Mrs. Hansen finished in a second place tie this year with the Ontario rink from Toronto skipped by Mrs. Emily Wooley.

Playoff to decide second place finisher was to be held today at 10 a.m.

In the final round, British Columbia defeated a Halifax rink skipped by Mrs. Shirley Robertson 8-4 and Ontario won 7-5 over Mrs. Inez Kerr's Montreal rink.

Mrs. Pauline Craig of Dalhousie, N.B., president of the Canadian Women's Curling Association, congratulated the DeWare rink on its victory.

Other final round scores had Mrs. Fern Seel's Summerside, P.E.I. rink defeating the Grand Falls, Nfld., foursome 9-6.

Other results in the end of nine scheduled rounds showed Alberta in fourth place with six wins and three losses, Saskatchewan, Quebec and Nova Scotia, all with 4-5 won-loss records—shared fifth slot. Prince Edward Island (5-6) was eighth and Newfoundland and Manitoba were in the cellar with one win and eight losses apiece.

Mrs. DeWare's Moncton foursome was alone in first place going into the ninth and final round at 8 p.m. Thursday in the Lord Beaverbrook rink. St. Andrew's Curling Club here.

She won her seventh game in eight starts in the 3 p.m. draw by edging a spunky Bethany, Man., foursome 9-7 in the closest and most breathtaking match of the round robin play.

The Manitoba quartet skipped by Mrs. Irene Burton played its best game of the championship and for a time looked as if it might score the spiel's biggest upset. After six ends Manitoba was leading 6-4.

But the DeWare rink picked up one in each of the seventh and eighth ends, tied in the ninth and one in the 10th for the win.

EIGHT ROUND	
Alberta	330 204 101 x—14
Nfld.	001 010 010 x— 3
Sask.	101 010 302 0— 7
Nova Scotia	010 401 010 1— 8
B.C.	020 303 022 x—12
Quebec	201 010 300 x— 7
P.E.I.	200 000 001 x— 3
Ontario	012 221 330 x—14
N.B.	030 100 112 1— 9
Manitoba	201 031 000 0— 7
NINTH ROUND	
N.B.	210 111 441 x—15
Sask.	001 000 000 x— 1
Nova Scotia	000 301 000 0— 4
B.C.	002 010 121 1— 8
Manitoba	000 012 100 x— 4
Alberta	321 100 042 x—12
Nfld.	010 010 202 x— 6
P.E.I.	102 101 040 x— 9
Ontario	001 030 110 1— 7
Quebec	100 102 001 0— 5

STANDINGS

	P	W	L
New Brunswick	9	8	1
British Columbia	9	7	2
Ontario	9	7	2
Alberta	9	6	3
Saskatchewan	9	4	5
Quebec	9	4	5
Nova Scotia	9	4	5
Prince Edward Island	9	3	6
Newfoundland	9	1	8
Manitoba	9	1	8

Note: Playoff to determine runners-up scheduled for 9:30 a.m. today.

Bruins Defeat Red Wings 5-3

BOSTON (AP)—Detroit's relentless Gordie Howe moved into a share of the National Hockey League scoring lead in Thursday night but Boston Bruins, getting goals in clusters defeated the Red Wings 5-3.

By assisting on goals by Vic Delvecchio and Parker MacDonald, Howe reached 67 points, which ties him with Chicago's Stan Mikita.

Tommy Williams and Forbes Kennedy scored within a space of about two minutes in the first period to give the league Rookie Bruins a 2-0 lead they never relinquished.

Rookie Bob Leiter restored the Boston margin after Delvecchio temporarily narrowed the gap in the middle period. Then, Charley Burns and Guy Gendron, Leiter's linemates, found the range in a span of 23 seconds, putting the contest out of reach.

The Bruins had beaten the Red Wings only once in 12 previous games this season.

The score was 5-1 going into the finale when Bruce MacGregor and MacDonald scored for Detroit. MacDonald's goal was his 30th.

Action was halted 16 minutes in the third period when Boston's rookie goalie, Ed Johnston, had six stitches taken in a gash over his right eye.

SUMMARY

First period: 1. Boston, Williams 22 (Oliver, Bucyk) 12:34; 2. Boston, Kennedy 10 (Bucyk, Green) 14:42. **Penalties**—Lieter 6:20, M. Pronovost 10:21.

Second period: 3. Detroit, Delvecchio 15 (Howe, Gadsby) 5:52; 4. Boston, Leiter 9 (Prentice, Gendron) 7:31; 5. Boston, Burns 12 (Kennedy, Godfrey) 15:25; 6. Boston, Gendron 18 (Prentice, Westfall) 15:51. **Penalties**—McDonald and Oliver 3:18, Spencer 4:01, Howe 8:40.

Third period: 7. Detroit, MacGregor 8 (Ullman) 6:36. 8. Detroit, P. Macdonald 9 (Barclay, Howe) 7:42. **Penalties**—M. Pronovost 9:17; Barclay 11:11; Boivin 17:45.

Saves:

Worsley	9	9	8—26
Johnston	7	11	7—25

Rangers Trounce Chihawks 6-1

CHICAGO (CP)—Three goals by Andy Bathgate led New York to a 6-1 triumph of Chicago Thursday night — the Rangers first victory over the Black Hawks in 13 games this season.

The goals gave Bathgate a career total of 252, making him the 10th player in NHL history to score more than 250 goals. Only three of the remaining nine are still active—Gordie Howe, Bernie Geoffrion and Jean Beliveau.

Bathgate now has 32 goals and 65 points for the season, putting him in second spot in the National Hockey League's scoring race, two points behind Howe and Chicago's Stan Mikita.

Howe got two assists Thursday night as Detroit Red Wings were beaten 5-3 by Boston Bruins. Mikita picked up an assist against the Rangers.

SUMMARY

First period: 1. New York, Bathgate 29 3:38; 2. New York, Bathgate 30 (McKenney, Howell) 13:20; 3. New York, Balon 10 (Henry, Howell) 15:34. **Penalties**—John 5:55, Balfour 9:39, Howell and Hay 16:18.

Second period: 4. New York, Henry 25 (Bathgate, McKenney) 1:56; 5. New York, Henry 26 (Hebenton, Ingarfield) 13:14. **Penalties**—McNeil 1:12, Maki 2:09, Mikita 17:04.

Third period- 6. New York, Bathgate 31 (McKenney, Johns) 3:24; 7. Chicago, Hay 11 (Wharram, Mikita) 17:51. **Penalties**—Hay 8:08, New York bench penalty (served by Hextall) 10:46, Mikita 18:39.

Saves:

Worsley	11	9	10—30
Hall	8	4	12—24

Combines Host Eagles Tonight

RCAF Eagles and Prince County Combines renew their semi-final feud in Island Intermediate 'A' Hockey League circles tonight at Civic Stadium.

The Combines sport a 2-1 advantage in games following that 9-4 thumping they handed Airmen Wednesday night at the air base. They'll be favorites to make it 3-1 tonight and put the Eagles right back against the wall.

However, the Airmen play some of their best hockey at the Stadium and this could be the night that they'll hang a defeat on Gord Cutcliffe's gang. That beating at the air base was humiliating and the Eagles are smarting yet from its effects.

The season's biggest crowd is expected for this big one tonight because feeling is running mighty high at the moment. The Airmen will have plenty of supporters come in for this big tussle.

Game time goes at 9.15.

CURLING DRAW

The following is the curling draw for Friday at the Charlottetown Club. (Spares needed).

6.50 P.M. (Friday Knock-Out)

Ice 1 — Dr. Kelly, R. MacKenzie, Dr. Jelley, I. MacKinnon vs. G. Bennett, A. Ballem, H. Simpson, H. Edwards.

Ice 2 — F. Acorn, W. Farrell, P Borys, D. Wood vs. H. Bartlett, C. Asprey, D. Ward, S. Simpson.

Ice 3 — H. R. Carruthers, D. Douglas, A. Gill, J. Weldon vs. F. Curtis, E. MacLeod, G. Lidstone, I. Webster.

Ice 4 —H. Dobson, C. MacLean, K. Cantwell, K. Dalziel vs. M. Jenkins, F. MacMillan, H. Love, B. McLennan.

Ice 5 — E. Wood, D. Matheson, N. MacNeill, G. McLaren vs. D. Cox, M. Kennedy, L. Bagnall, E. Thomson.

8.30 P.M.

(Mixed Championship)

Ice 1 — D. Wonnacott vs. G. Stewart.

Ice 2 — L. Blakeney vs. A. Humphrey.

Ice 3 — Doug Bell vs. Geo. Vessey.

Ice 4 —Paul O'Rourke vs. Addie MacDonald.

Ice 5 — H. Peters vs. Art Burke.

Race Entries Are Given

Entries for Saturday's ice racing card at North River causeway were given last night by the Victoria Driving Club and are as follows:

First race: Miss Chief, Partner's Dream, Mitchell, Moab, Doctor Alec, Laura Budlong, Hey You, Billy June.

Second: Millie Lee, Winston's Wish, Roger Stone, Midnight Sun.

Third: First Dream, Josedale Chief, Cecil Heromine, My Hero, Lady Simcoe, Billy C., Dudds, Chesterway Thomas, Crafty Bell.

Fourth: Time Will Tell, Noble Argot, True Marion, Dayton Hal, Angie C, Perfect Hal, Tommy Shanter, Springfield Boy.

Teams Take Playoff Tilts

Glasgow Road edged York 3-2 and Hampshire shut out Milton 8-0 in Intermediate C. playoff action at North River rink last night.

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Leafs Back In Second

TORONTO Maple Leafs have recaptured second place in the National Hockey League standings and Leafs' backers are hoping they can cling to that spot from now until March 24. That's the night the 70-game schedule draws to a close.

Toronto got back in second with a 6-3 decision over Chicago Black Hawks Wednesday night. Sid Mahovlich led the way, scoring one and setting up three others. The Imlachmen were never behind as they outplayed the Rudy Pilous crew from start to finish.

AFTER losing Saturday night to the cellar-dwelling Boston Bruins, Leafs bounced right back to beat the pace setters. Before Bruins came into town, the Montreal Canadiens were there to do battle and Leafs took care of the invaders from Montreal.

As had been said so often this season, Leafs can beat the top teams but they play dead against the low clubs. Toronto can never seem to get untracked when Boston is at the other end of the ice. The Bruins just keep Leafs worrying away and when things are over for the evening, Toronto is usually at the short end of the score.

But with Hawks or Canadiens providing the opposition, the Leafs give out with their best and usually that best is too good for Chicago or Montreal.

Battle Still Rages

THE battle will continue to rage between Montreal and Toronto for second place. Undoubtedly both Leafs and Habs would like to avoid Black Hawks in the semi-finals. They figure Detroit Red Wings would be much more hospitable. But Wings might surprise and throw that second place finisher for a big upset. That's what happened a few years back when the Wings ousted Leafs in five games and went on to worry the Black Hawks in the Stanley Cup finals.

That could happen again in 1963 but chances are slight for such an occurrence.

Another Big Weekend

THIS coming weekend both Leafs and Canadiens play games on Saturday and Sunday nights. Toronto has played one more game than Montreal so that Leaf losses from here on could rob them of second place. They must keep winning these battles or find themselves winding up in third place and facing Chicago Black Hawks in the playoffs.

Leafs entertain Rangers on Saturday and travel to Boston Sunday for a game with their toughest foes, the Bruins. Canadiens host the Red Wings Saturday and travel to the Windy City Sunday for a tussle with the Black Hawks. The Habs pick up their game in hand next Tuesday when they invade Detroit's Olympia for an engagement with the Red Wings.

Leafs and Canadiens have split their games with each other so far this season. They must keep winning these battles or find themselves winding up in third place and facing Chicago Black Hawks in the playoffs.

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THE Red Wings haven't proved too tough for Montreal of late. The Canadiens have beaten the Abelmen with ease and perhaps they can do it again Saturday in Montreal and next Tuesday in Detroit. Habs and their supporters are hoping so and these same folks are wishing that Leafs' jinx with Boston and Rangers holds. By the way, Boston comes visiting Maple Leaf Gardens next month and goes into Montreal Forum Thursday night. The last time Bruins visited both these places, they escaped with decisions over Canadiens and Leafs. It's not likely that it will happen again but with these Bruins, you just never can tell.

Ice Sports Tonight

THE provincial ice sports are being staged tonight at The Sports Arena and director of physical education for the province, Dave Boswell, is hoping for a large turnout. The cream of the crop from the three counties will be on hand, trying to win honors for their respective schools.

The program should be an interesting one and the meet is surely deserving of your fullest support.

Brier Hopefuls Heading West

Heading for Brandon, Man., and hopeful of The Island's first victory in the Dominion Curling Association championship Brier matches, Charlottetown's rink headed by youthful Skip Doug Cameron left yesterday for the west.

With him are mate George Dillon, 2nd stone Allison (Joe) Saunders and lead Arnold Llewellyn.

Scheduled to fly out today are Ron Ketch, president of the Charlottetown Curling Club; Dr. E.S. Giddings, the Island delegate to the Dominion Curling Association; Gordon Bennett, chairman of the committee to bring the 1964 Brier here; Danny O'Rourke, vice-chairman of the committee; and Douglas Saunders representing the new Golf and Winter Club.

Also on hand at Brandon to extend this city's invitation to hold next year's championships here will be Mayor A. Waldron Gaudet who is also flying west today. With him will be Sidney Green, chairman of the Commissioners of Sewers and Water Supply, who in private business life is the local representative of the MacDonald Tobacco Company which sponsors the Brier.

Tartans Oust Maple Leafs

HALIFAX (CP) — Halifax Tartans, cheered on by the biggest crowd here in years, trounced Windsor Maple Leafs 6-1 to win their best-of-seven Nova Scotia Senior Hockey League semi-final series 4-3 Thursday night.

With 6,000 fans jammed into the forum and yelling from the opening whistle, Tartans played their finest hockey of the year to gain a berth in the finals of the four-team league. They will meet Moncton Hawks in the finals.

The crowd was the biggest ever to watch an NSSHL game.

Hartley Estabrooks, a New Brunswicker picked up when Amherst Ramblers folded earlier this season because of poor crowds, scored two goals to lead Tartans and his first proved to be the winner.

Skating his fastest of the season, the young winger streaked across the blueline and deflected a blazing drive by linemate Gilles Picard — another ex-Rambler — to score at 8:26.

Tartans built up a 6-0 lead before Jim Beckman, who hails from nearby Fairview and teamed his hockey in Halifax, scored the lone Windsor goal late in the third.

Ed Swartzack scored Halifax's first goal at 9:20 of the first period. Brian Graver scored 10 minutes after Estobrooks in the second.

Bob Bowness, the veteran who joined the select 300-goal club in Maritime Senior Hockey this season, scored early in the third.

Estabrooks and Germaine Munger rounded out Halifax's scoring in the period.

Tartans held a commanding edge throughout the game, outshooting Windsor 32-21.

STANDINGS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
National League

	W	L	T	A	Pt
Chicago	30	17	14	176	151 74
Toronto	29	21	9	187	158 67
Montreal	24	16	18	186	145 66
Detroit	24	22	13	154	164 61
New York	18	31	11	176	203 47
Boston	14	32	15	184	244 43

Doug Jones Speaks Kindly Of Cassius

PLEASANTVILLE, N.J. (AP) "Let that Cassius keep on talking. The more he talks the more money I'll make."

Doug Jones spoke kindly Thursday about Cassius Clay, the man he'll meet next in Madison Square Garden March 13.

The poetry-spouting Cassius has captured the fancy of the public like no other fighter in many years. The answer is the box office. The Clay-Jones fight looms as the Garden's first boxing sellout in years.

"That Cassius can really talk a blue streak," said Jones, at his training camp. "But he can't hurt me by shooting off his mouth. And I don't scare easy.

"He says I'm gonna go up six. Let him talk. As far as I'm concerned he's just another opponent. Only I'll make more money with Cassius."

TAKES CLAY SERIOUSLY

"You've got to take him seriously, though. He's a good fighter. But I'm just as fast as Clay and we'll see what happens in the ring. Not with his mouth talk.

"He holds his hands a little low and I just hope he does that against me. It will be interesting."

Jones, who turned 26 Wednesday, is a six-foot-three 185-pounder. Clay, 21, stands 6½ and weighs about 206.

Clay's record is 17-0, including 14 knockouts. Jones' record is 21-3-1 including 13 knockouts. Clay is ranked second contender by the WBA and Ring Magazine. Jones is ranked third by Ring and fifth by the WBA.

A recent graduate of the 175-pound division, Doug said he'd rather fight heavyweights. In his last fight he spotted Zora Folley 10 pounds and flattened the contender from Arizona in the seventh round.

Jones isn't predicting anything right now.

"We'll see what we shall see," he said.

New Annan Grabs Lead

New Annan edged New London 9-8 in overtime last night at Kensington to take a 2-1 lead in the best of five Farmers' League semi-finals.

D. Walker paced the winners with four goals. J. MacKay trigered two goals including the winner in the overtime session. Singles went to E. McKay, R. McKay, and E. Walker.

New London snipers were N. Morrison and D. McKay, 2 each. D. Morrison, R. Montgomery, S. Woodside and I. McCoubrey.

BOBBY KROMM

Smokies Whip Swedes 5-2; Kromm Hurt

GOTEBORG, Sweden (AP)— Canada's Trail Smoke Eaters, representatives for the world amateur hockey championships, defeated Sweden's world champions 5-2 Thursday night in a game interrupted for half an hour by a brawl in the second period.

Trail manager Bobby Kromm was hit on the head during the melee by a bottle thrown by a fan. He suffered a badly gashed head and had to be carried to a dressing room by police.

The Canadian players, apparently thinking Kromm had been arrested, rushed off the ice to help him. They returned when the situation was explained to them and the game was continued.

The brawl broke out after a quiet first period that ended in a 1-1 tie. But late in the second Trail's Hugh (Pinoke) McIntyre—a 143-pound forward —and a Swedish defenceman, Roland Stola, started a minor fight.

It quickly developed into a free-for-all involving the whole Canadian team and the Swedish players on the ice, with the two referees frantically trying to calm the wildly swinging players.

Stolz was sent to the penalty box along with three Canadians, and the play resumed.

The Smoke Eaters scored one goal in the second period before the brawl and three more in the third, while the Swedish nationals also added one in the final session.

Defenceman Harry Smith potted two of the Smokies' goals. Singles went to George Ferguson, Russ Kowalchuk and Walt Peacosh. Sweden's scorers were Eilert Maettas and Per Olof Herrdin.

The Canadians were given 21 minutes in penalties, including a major to Gerry Penner and three minors to Smith. The referee handed Sweden only two minor penalties.

About 17,000 fans saw the game, played in cold, misty weather at the big Ullevi outdoor stadium. The game was the final one of a single round-robin series between Sweden, and the United States.

Both the Swedes and the Canadians whipped the Yanks with ease earlier.

The Swedish team opens its defence of the world championship at home in Stockholm March 7.

Spiel Set For S'side

A provincial mixed curling competition, the first under the Prince Edward Island Curling Association will be staged in Summerside on two successive weekends, March 30 and 31 and April 5 and 6. It will be a double knockout competition.

The entry list is limited to 24 rinks, 10 from Charlottetown, 5 from Summerside, 5 from RCAF, 2 from Alberton and 2 from Montague.

Entries must be submitted to George Nicholson, Montague.

Royals Sideline Penguins With 6-4 Win Last Night

Sandy's Royals eliminated Old Spain Junior Penguins from further competition in Island Intermediate 'A' playdowns last night by defeating the 'Baby Birds' 6-4 before a big turnout at the Sports Arena.

The Royals took the best of seven semi-final series in five games and now meet the winner of the Combine-Eagles series in the finals for the Island title.

Billy Mulligan, making only his second appearance with the Royals in the playoffs, played his usual hard-working game and his effort paid off. Despite the fact that he suffered a gash near his left eyebrow in the second period, the blond-thatched puckster was the triggerman on two goals and assisted on three others for a five point night. Other goals for the winners went to Kip Ready, Angie Carroll, Jim MacLeod and playing coach Buck Whitlock.

Dave Lawlor snared a brace for the Penguins and R. Gallant and Dave Martin each scored once.

After two periods of play it appeared as if the Penguins might be able to prolong the series for at least another game with the score reading 3-2 in their favor. The Royals poured on the power in the final 20 minutes however, outscoring their less experienced opponents 4-1 for the 6-4 decision.

Billy Mulligan opened the scoring in the game at the 12:26 mark of the initial stanza when he tucked a Reeves relay behind Penguin goalie Donnie Frizzell but six minutes later Dave Lawlor put the Penguins on even terms at 1-all.

Kip Ready put the Royals ahead again early in the sandwich session but Penguins retaliated with two goals before the period had ended. Ronne Gallant deflected Louis Smith's long shot into the twines for the first one and then Lawlor put the tie Birds in front when he flipped a Whitlock pass into the mesh.

The Royals were back on even terms after five minutes of play in the last frame when Angie Carroll got a breakaway and let go with a shot from twenty feet out that caught the upper right hand corner of the Penguin cage.

Jim MacLeod sent the Royals in front again when he beat Frizzell neatly from close in. Dave Martin, an elusive little puckster put on another display of dipsy doodling before putting the Penguins on even terms for the last time of the night around the six- minute mark.

Mulligan and Whitlock combined forces on the last two markers, Mulligan scoring the winner and Whitlock adding an insurance goal.

Officials Don Whelan, Joe Coyle and Leroy Barnett handed out a total of eight penalties, all of them going to the Royals, Joey picked up five of them, on two occasions being slapped with double minors.

First Period: — 1. Royals B. Mulligan (Reeves) 12:26; 2. Penguins — Lawlor (Peardon, G. Bursey) 18:30. Penalties — Josey 1:03; Josey (2 minors) 8.55;.

Second Period: — 3. Royals K. Ready (Tingley, B. Mulligan) 4:48; 4. Penguins — R. Gallant (L. Smith) 13:05; 5. Penguins D. Lawlor (Whitlock, Peardon) 18.29. Penalties Josey 4:23; Reeves 18.08.

Third Period: — 6. Royals - A. Carroll (B. Mulligan) 5.09; 7. Royals Jim MacLeod (A. Carroll, Junior MacLeod) 8.56; 8. Penguins D. Martin (unassisted) 6.15; 9. Royals B. Mulligan (B. Whitlock) 9.46; 10 Royals B. Whitlock (B. Mulligan 17.04. Penalties D. Carroll 2.37; Josey (2 minors) 6.29.

Moncton Hawks Enter Finals

MONCTON (CP) — Moncton Hawks forced New Glasgow Rangers to gamble here Thursday night, and then set up a strong defence to win 5-2 in the deciding game of their best-of-seven Nova Scotia Senior Hockey League semi-finals.

Phil Doiron showed how he aroused the interest of the Nation's hockey followers in Moncton Black Hawks as he scored two goals, including the unassisted winner and set up two more. Doiron has been signed by Chicago for a tryout next fall.

The crowd of more than 4,200 fans delayed play many times by throwing objects on the ice.

Moncton meets Halifax Tartars, who dropped Windsor Maple Leafs 6-1 in the other half of the semi-finals Thursday, in the league finals.

Teams Play 3 All-tie

Co-Op and Fanningbrook battled to a 3-all tie in an exhibition hockey game at Saint Dunstan's last night.

Co-Op goalgetters were Don Warren, Ken MacRae and Claude Stewart. Scoring for Fanningbrook were Johnny MacDonald, Angus Rogerson and Gary Clark.

Flyers Travel To O'Leary

Parkdale Irving Flyers travel to O'Leary tonight to do battle with the Leary Maroons in an exhibition game.

The Flyers leave the Parkdale Irving Station at 6 o'clock sharp.

Playoff Games Played At SDU

Three Sunny Isle Farm Hockey League playoff games were played at Saint Dunstan's Wednesday.

In the opener Southport and Tracadie battled to a 5-all tie.

Scoring for Southport were B. Pippey 2, Gaudet, M. MacDonald and D. Wood. M. Fitzpatrick counted four of the Tracadie goals with the fifth marker going to brother Kenny.

Brackley downed Covehead 4-2 in the second contest.

Brackley goals were by H. Hughes 2, D. Hughes, G. McCallum, G. Vessey scored both Covehead goals.

The final contest saw Glasgow Road shut out Mermaid 8-0 with G. Bernard counting four. Singles went to V. White, W. Ford, D. Godfrey and E. Barrett.

ONCE WAS FORT

The cathedral city of York, England, was founded by the Romans in 71 AD as a great military fortress.

HUNTERS' CORNER

Colmnist Backs Solidly Ass'n Recommendation

The Nor'Easter, that struck with such serious suddenness in the late PM of the 19th and the early AM of the 20th, sure changed the appearance of the countryside. However, it was the type of storm our Huns can take in stride. It bared ploughed fields and meadows alike and the coveys are assured of food and grit in plentitude. I note that the covey's are exercising more judgment in selecting their nightly bedding grounds. Sometimes, but only on rare occasions, covey's have been bedded intact under a mound of snow and were unable to extricate themselves when the storm abated. This danger occurred when the bedding ground was in the open. Now they are more inclined to bed down where there is a hedge or clump of spruce, or in an alder or juniper tangle where the drifts do not pack so hard, or if they do become incrusted if the snow happens to turn to sleet toward storms end, they can't always work out through the network of branches and second growth. It is this columnists opinion that Hungarian partridge are equipped with a degree of intelligence on a par with us humans. They have this advantage however, its applied in general with respect to Huns but with respect to the human race there is a wide variation with regard to individuals.

I note where the recommendation by the Fish and Game Association that the duck season this year (1963) open on October 15th and close on December 9th has drawn sparks from a Tignish East shooter who, he claims has been shooting for 50 years. This columnist shot his first black duck at the tender age of 15 so I have an 11 years advantage. I might even claim that I first set eyes on Pisquid Pond before the writer of the letter in question was born. I visited it with my father at least two years before I started hunting black ducks.

This columnist is squarely be-

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McGowan Quartet Wins Legion 'Spiel

MONTAGUE — The Doug McGowan Legion curling rink defeated the George Nicholson rink 8-7 in an extra end to win the Gooderham and Warts trophy and trays and the Moosehead trophy, engraved mugs and crests and the right to represent the province in the Dominion championships to be held on March 22nd at Port Arthur.

This was the climax to a four day Legion spiel which saw many close finishes and exciting games.

The McGowan rink consisting of At. McDonald as mate, George Worth as second stone and Duke MacDonald as lead, went through the competition without a loss.

The George Nicholson rink, made up of Red Robertson as mate and Sandy MacDonald as second stone with Dave Clarkson as lead, suffered one defeat earlier in the week and on Wednesday had the misfortune of losing second, Sandy MacDonald, who injured his back. The Nicholson rink continued with three curlers to come as close as could be possible of winning the competition.

In yesterday's game Nicholson had to defeat the McGowan rink twice to win the competition. In the game each team was able to get a two end and saw all other ends as singles with five ends ending in a tie. In the final McGowan missed his take out giving Nicholson the tie and last rock on the extra end. Nicholson built his lead and was able to get a rock on each side of the tee. McGowan with his last rock drew to the back of the inner circle and lay short rock.

Nicholson came down to take out a comparatively easy shot, was on the broom, but slightly heavy and did not get the expected fall, nudged the McGowan rock a bit but not enough to move him from shot rock.

Following is the line score:

D. McGowan 010 101 201 001 1—7

G. Nicholson 101 010 010 210 0—7

Saturday Minor Hockey Schedule

Following are the various games scheduled for Minor Hockey Leagues at Sports Arena Saturday:—

MIDGET

7.00 - 7.45 — Leafs vs. Canucks (deciding game).

7.45 - 8.30 — Ramblers vs. Darts (first of best-of-three).

PEE WEE

8.30 - 9.00 — Sp PK Swallows vs. PSS Spitfires (sudden death)

9.00 - 9.30 — Pkdl- Spt Robins vs. St. Jean Jays.

9.30 - 10.00 — BHS Cranes vs. winners Swallows vs. Spitfires.

10.00 - 10.30 — Pkdle - Spt Parkdale vs. QCHS Foxes.

PAPERWEIGHTS

10.30 - 11.00 — Larks vs. PSS Falcons (exhibition).

11.00 - 11.30 — St. Jean Otters vs. WKS Colts.

11.30 12.00 — PSS Tigers vs. Sp PK Elks

12.00 - 12.30 — St. Jean Buddies vs WKS Redwings

12.30 - 1.00 — St. Jean Snipes vs. Sp PK Bluebirds.

PEE WEES

1.00 - 1.30 — BHS Lions vs. WKS Wolves.

BANTAMS

5.00 - 5.35 — BHS Hawks vs. QCHS Colts.

5.35 - 6.10 — QCHS Gulls vs. Sherwood Condors.

6.10 - 6.45 — Pkdle- Spt Bombers vs. BHS Tigers.

6.45 - 7.20 — BHS Wrens vs. QCHS Panthers.

8.00 - 10.00 (exhibition) SDU High School vs. Juneville Abbies.

10.00 - 11.00 — Skate for all.

OFFICIALS

7.00 - 8.30 — Grant Crockett, Les Barnes.

8.30 - 10.30 — Barry Turner, Gary Cudmore.

10.00 - 10.45 — Howard Murchison, Geo. Duncan.

12.00 - 1.30 — Bill Boyles, Ron Carmichael.

5.00 - 7.30 — Knobby Walsh, Reg Profitt.

8.00 - 10.00 — Bill Sherry, Dennis Flannagan.

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