

Atlantics Drub Off-Color Islanders 6-2 In MMHL Game At Forum

The League leading Halifax Atlantics lengthened their lead over the Sydney Millionaires to ten points last night as they outplayed and outscored the Islanders 6-2 in an MMHL game at the Forum.

A strong Halifax defense kept the Islanders first goal as they pounced on a loose puck after MacMeekin stopped a drive by Palladino. Orrin Carver on a pass from Paul Sandino completed the scoring for the Islanders.

MacMeekin played a good game in the Halifax cage behind the powerful Halifax defense quarter of Bloom, McNeill, Lenine and Arcand. He handled 35 shots while the Atlantics forced Roger Besette for 18 saves.

Big Spike Laliberte from St. Eustache, Quebec, centered Paul Sandino and Orrin Carver. He looked good in shorts and in the Halifax dressing room after the game his former team-mate Pepin stated he was a better hockey player than Claude Robert which statement covers a lot of territory.

Win Palladino and Paul Sandino were the nick of the Islanders. For the local club it was an effort as they came up with their only non display of the season on Forum ice. As the visitors' side afterwards the game was just the reverse of the one in Halifax two weeks ago which the Islanders won 2-2.

The score was tied 1-1 at the end of the first period. The Atlantics went ahead 4-2 in the second period. In the final session the visitors played tight defensive hockey and at the same time managed to score the only two goals of the period.

Ford scored Atlantics first two goals. He picked up a loose puck at the side of the Islanders net and stickhandled out front to backhand an ankle high shot past Besette for the first goal. He knocked MacPhee's rebound into an open net for his second. They were his 55th and 59th goals of the season, only five short of the Maritime record of 64 set by Buck Whitlock in 1950.

Ford also started the plays for both of Pepin's goals. He picked up a loose puck in the Islanders zone and started a MacPhee to Pepin play for one goal and carried into Islanders territory for the other.

Carroll Bloom scored on a backhand screened shot in the second period for his sixth goal of the year. LeClerc rounded out the scoring by scooping a soft one from the corner past Besette.

Whitlock was Johnny-on-the-spot to fire a loose puck past MacMeekin for the first goal of the game. Carver drilled a 15 foot shot over MacMeekin's outstretch-

Leads Abbies



Playing coach Cecil Dowling (above) along with Jack Ready and Art Perry will lead the Abbotsford team when they play the Summerside Aces in the Raceway Arena, Summerside.

First place in the City Hockey League is at stake. Each team has a perfect 2-0 record.

The Islanders other goal was scored by the late goalies. The Islanders had other scoring chances but couldn't seem to get untracked. Sandino and Whitlock both had open nets but Bowness stopped Whitlock and Sandino shot past the corner.

Line-ups:
Halifax—Goal: McMeekin; defence: Lepine, Arcand, Bloom, McNeill; forwards: Bowness, Watson, Ford, LeClerc, McPhee, Pepin.
Charlottetown—Goal: Besette; defence: Gustavson, McLaughlin, Blackburn; forwards: Whitlock, Carver, Sandino, Gray, Laliberte, Gagnon, Ritchie, Trainor, Palladino.

Referee: O'Donohue. Linesmen: Perry and Squarebriggs.

SUMMARY

First Period

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| 1—Charlottetown, Whitlock (Palladino) | 3:59 |
| 2—Halifax, Ford (McPhee) | 19:56 |
| Penalties: None | |
| Second Period | |
| 3—Halifax, Ford (Pepin, McPhee) | 6:38 |
| 4—Halifax, Bloom (LeClerc) | 9:05 |
| 5—Charlottetown, Carver (Sandino) | 18:15 |
| 6—Halifax, Pepin (McPhee, Ford) | 19:43 |
| Penalties: None | |
| Third Period | |
| 7—Halifax, Pepin (McPhee, Ford) | 6:50 |
| 8—Halifax, LeClerc (Bowness) | 16:02 |
| Penalty: Arcand 17:10 | |
| Stops: | |
| McMeekin | 13 10 12-35 |
| Besette | 5 6 7-18 |

Bulldogs Edge Cornwall 5-4

The Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs scored three goals in the first period and then hung on to edge the Cornwall Meteors 5-4 at North River rink last night.

SUMMARY

First Period

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| 1—Bulldogs, F. Taylor (D. MacEachern) | 4:04 |
| 2—Bulldogs, R. MacGregor (C. MacDougall) | 5:56 |
| 3—Bulldogs, C. MacDougall (Brown, Burke) | 6:13 |
| 4—Cornwall, Kelly (Brown, Burke) | 17:00 |
| Penalties: None | |
| Second Period | |
| 5—Cornwall, Brown (Carmichael) | 7:15 |
| 6—Cornwall, Burke (Kelly) | 7:45 |
| 7—Bulldogs, D. MacEachern (Brown) | 11:02 |
| 8—Bulldogs, S. Taylor (D. MacEachern) | 15:41 |
| 9—Cornwall, C. MacDonald (Penalty: None) | |
| Third Period | |
| Scoring: None | |
| Penalty: Mills 10:46 | |

FORUM DATES

FEB. 2 TO 6

THURSDAY—Children's Skating 4-5:30
CITY HOCKEY—8 p.m.
P. W. C. vs. S. D. U.

WEDNESDAY—Skating 8-10

THURSDAY—**QUEEN SQUARE SCHOOL SPORTS—7:30**

FRIDAY—Children's Skating 4-5:30
HOCKEY—GLACE BAY 8:30

SATURDAY—General Skating 3-5
City and Country period 8-10

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Prince of Wales Auditorium
TUE., FEB. 2 and WED., FEB. 3

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In This Corner

A. J. MacAdam, Saint Dunstan's University hockey coach, stated Sunday that the S.D.U.-Summerside Aces City Hockey League game played in Summerside Saturday night was one of the best games he had seen in years. MacAdam was impressed by the play of both teams and especially the young goaltender Wilfred Gillis who has shown a lot of improvement this year. Gillis handled 36 shots Saturday night in the game which the Aces won 5-4 by scoring a goal in the final 30 seconds.

The Saints shuffled their lineup for the game in Summerside. They played without Dick Wedge who has a broken wrist and in his place used Roy back on defense. Claude Callaghan was brought up to replace Lloyd Gaudet as the centre on the first line between Paul Jay and Rodney MacInnis. Gaudet replaced Wedge as the left wing on the line with Cormier and Lemieux. The S.D.U. outfit has shown improvement with each passing game and hope to be in top shape for their opening Intercollegiate game against Mount Allison on Saturday night in Sackville.

Apparently the Mounties have a strong team. They defeated the Saints in a two game series last year and are reported to be considerably improved this season. However, two or three of their players were injured in league games recently and this prompted coach Waldo MacCormack to withdraw his team from the League. The Mounties refused to play the Sackville Eagles because of the type of hockey played by the town team. MacCormack claimed that St. Joseph's University had the only team fit for a college team to play against in the league.

The Saints will miss Dick Wedge for the Intercollegiate series. Wedge was a solid blueline player and the hardest bumper on the S.D.U. squad. He was big, fairly fast and an effective carrier as well. He was injured in the game against the Abbies last Tuesday night when he was checked by Jack Ready. He fell on his wrist, fracturing it in two places.

The Abbies travel to Summerside tonight to meet the Aces in a battle for sole possession of first place in the City Hockey League. Both clubs have a 2-0 record and on the basis of their early showings the pre-game odds should be about even. At the Charlottetown Forum the Intercollegiate rivalry between the Saints and P.W.C. will be renewed. Both teams will be seeking their first League win and it should be quite a game.

Rotary Rink

Minor hockey schedule Tuesday, Feb. 2:

Paperweights
4:00 p.m. PSS Tigers vs QSS Rammers
4:30 p.m. Sp. Park Rovers vs QSS Jets
5:00 p.m. QSS Bruins vs QSS Bears
5:30 p.m. QSS Arrows vs QSS Lions
7:00 p.m. Practise for Abbie Sisters.

British Consols Playdowns At Curling Club

MONTREAL, (CP)—President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League said Monday night no further action will be taken regarding an incident in Chicago involving Larry Zeidel of the Chicago Black Hawks.

Campbell's statement followed receipt of a telegraphed report from referee-in-chief Carl Voss, who attended the game. Voss said that Zeidel and Tony Leswick of Detroit Red Wings got into a fight during Sunday night's game and were given major penalties by referee Red Storey. Voss' version of the affair differed greatly from newspaper reports, which said Zeidel struck linesmen George Hayes and Mush March and dropped Leswick with a right hook.

"In view of the facts that no misconduct penalties were assessed, and apparently the events did not warrant any, no further action will be taken," said Campbell.

Officials Not Hit

In his wired report Voss said: "Neither of the linesmen was struck by Zeidel at any time and none of his actions could be construed as striking an official or attempting to strike an official."

"Although there was considerable milling around by players on the ice and Zeidel did throw a few punches, neither Leswick nor Zeidel was struck by a punch from the other."

Tod Campeau Added To Islanders Player List

Tod Campeau, a hockey player with a long National Hockey League and professional record behind him, was added to the Islanders player lists yesterday on the deadline for bringing professionals into the Maritime Major Hockey League.

Campeau, who once played with Montreal Canadiens, has been playing with Providence this year. He was released to Ottawa yesterday and Tommy Gorman placed him on the Islanders list.

Islanders coach Bucko Trainor played against Campeau five years ago. At that time Trainor was with the New York Rangers and Campeau with the Canadiens. Tod has been playing defense for the past couple of seasons but can also play forward.

Campeau was known as a terrific play-maker during his days in the Quebec League when he played in Sherbrooke. He also played with the Montreal Royals. While in the National League he was sometimes used on the point during Montreal power plays.

Trainor gave no indication of when he expected Campeau to join the Islanders. "There is a financial matter to be straightened out first," he said.

Meanwhile the Islanders are awaiting the arrival of Claude Robert from Ottawa. Club officials yesterday stated he definitely was on his way.

The additions of Campeau and Robert will swell the Islanders ranks to fifteen players.

Hold District Meeting Of Trotting Association

MONCTON, N. B. (CP)—District 11 of the United States Trotting Association, which comprises the Maritimes, will appeal for cancellation of a new ruling by the parent body that bars horses more than 15 years old from tracks.

A meeting of Maritime owners and drivers here Monday decided to petition the U.S.T.A. to allow horses over 15 years old to race on Maritime tracks in 1954, as in the past.

Maritime harness men voted down a motion to adopt the ruling by a narrow 25-23 margin and then decided to petition the annual U.S.T.A. meeting in March to allow the cancelling of the rule in the Maritimes.

Those against adoption of the rule felt barring of horses over 15 years old would work a serious hardship on many tracks, even using the older horses.

Opposition Strong

Opposition was strong from Saint John, N. B., Truro, Halifax and the Moncton area.

Col. D. A. MacKinnon, Charlottetown, executive director of District 11, presided at the meeting. The other directors, J. H. Dewitt of Woodstock and J. C. McCurdy of Truro, were also present, as was John Duchame, Columbus, O., legal advisor to the U.S.T.A.

More than 75 harness men from all parts of the Maritimes were in attendance. G. L. Clarke, Moncton, acted as secretary.

U.N.B. Edges Saints 57-50 In Hoop Game Of Intercollegiate League

FREDERICTON, (CP)—University of New Brunswick edged St. Dunstan's University of Charlottetown 57-50 Monday night after trading the lead a score of times in a hard-fought basketball game of the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island Intercollegiate League.

Brady Brannen of UNB starred with 22 points on his accurate hook shots. Gus Dorais and John Taylor of the visitors netted 13 each.

St. Dunstan's featured a passing game around plays sparked by Dorais. Brannen and Jack Patterson led the UNB attack.

UNB led 30-26 at half time.

Minor League Hockey Results

Following are the results of yesterday's Minor League hockey games at the Rotary Rink at Memorial Field:

Bantams
Stars 4-Rangers 1
MacAusland scored three goals for the Stars and G. T.ompson one. The Rangers goal was scored by Kenny Ford.

Bombers 2-Braves 1
D. Stewart scored both goals for the Bombers while L. Flack scored for the Braves.

British Consols Playdowns At Curling Club

The opening games of the British Consols playdowns at the Charlottetown Club were played last night with the following results:

S. MacDonald 8, D. Saunders 7, F. Acorn 9, S. Moore 5, Dr. W. MacDonald 8, Dr. E. S. Giddings 6.
J. Burden 10, H. Atkinson 9, F. Hansen 20, Dr. L. E. Prowse 6.

The winners of this competition will represent the Charlottetown playdowns in the Provincial playdowns at Summerside later this month.

Saxton Scores TKO Over Laurent

BROOKLYN, N. Y. (AP)—John Saxton of Brooklyn scored a technical knockout over Mickey Laurent of Paris in a scheduled 10-rounder at the Eastern Parkway Arena Monday night. Saxton weighed 140 1-2, Laurent, 150.

The bout was stopped by referee Ray Miller, who said the Frenchman had no defence against the fast-punching Saxton.

It was Saxton's 42nd win against two losses and one draw while Laurent has 23 victories against nine losses and one draw. It was Laurent's fourth loss since coming to the United States.

Pace-Setter



Winger Billy Ford scored two goals and assisted on two more last night to increase his Maritime Major Hockey League point scoring leadership. Ford has 53 goals and 54 assists for a total of 113 points.

American League Schedule For 1954 Released

CHICAGO, (AP)—The American League, with Baltimore Orioles becoming its first new club in 51 years, Monday released its official 1954 baseball schedule.

Baltimore was an original member of the circuit but its franchise went to New York Yankees in 1903. It now returns to replace St. Louis Browns, making its season debut April 13 at Detroit.

The Orioles first home game will be April 15 against Chicago White Sox.

The 1954 season lists 215 night games, nine fewer than were scheduled in 1953.

Washington Senators again have more floodlight contest scheduled than any other club, 45. This is five fewer than the team slated last year.

Other clubs share the night-game schedule this way: Baltimore 38; Philadelphia 37, same as 1953; Cleveland 30, one more than was scheduled last year; Chicago 21, one less; New York 16, two more; and Boston and Detroit each 14, same as last season.

April 13 is the season's start. In addition to Baltimore's game at Detroit, Boston is at Philadelphia, Cleveland at Chicago, and New York at Washington. The season ends Sept. 26.

Curling Draw

Draw for British Consols Trophy. Tonight's games, 7:00 p.m.

Ice 2—Dr. MacDonald vs J. E. Burden
Ice 3—W. R. MacNeill vs F. Hansen
Ice 4—S. MacDonald vs F. Acorn
8:00 p.m.

Ice 1—D. Saunders vs S. Moore
Ice 3—H. Atkinson vs Dr. Prowse
Draw for 7:00 p.m.

Ice 1—A. W. Hyndman, skip, R. A. Parker, B. MacDougall, K. Elliott vs Cleaver MacLean, skip, W. Whitlock, E. E. Jardine, Don Seaman.
9:00 p.m.

Hockey Scores

(Canadian Press)

Maritime Major—Halifax 6-Ch'town 2
New Brunswick Senior—Saint John 2-Amherst 5
A-P-C—Trenton 6, Stellarton 5
Pictou 4, Truro 4
Ontario Junior—St. Michaels 3-Hamilton 1
Ontario-Quebec Junior—Canadians 3, Guelph 4
Ontario Senior—Chatham 1, Hamilton 3
Northern Ontario Senior—North Bay 2, Sudbury 4

Race Tracks Seek To Recover Taxes

CHICAGO, (AP)—Two Chicago race tracks sued Monday to recover \$218,825 in federal corporate income taxes and interest paid on money they sank into the Los Angeles Dons pro football team.

The amount sought was assessed against the Arlington Park Jockey Club, Inc., and the Washington Park Jockey Club, Inc., after their claims for \$454,451 in bad loans in the Dons' venture were disallowed.

The internal revenue service held that the money put into the team, a member of the now defunct All American Conference, represented stock investments over a five-year period, but could not be considered as unrepaid loans. The dispute covered the tracks' income for the fiscal year ended April 30, 1949.

Ernest J. Sauber, assistant revenue director for the Chicago area, was named defendant in the suit.

The complaint listed the initial investment for the Dons as \$200,000, and detailed additional amounts laid out to offset operating losses of the team until Benjamin F. Lindheimer, chairman of both race corporations, took over the Dons' franchise as a family property late in 1948, paying the corporations \$39,000. Each track received only \$275 return from operations of the team after it was dissolved.

Saints And Welshmen Renew Hockey Rivalry At The Forum Tonight

The Intercollegiate rivalry in hockey circles between St. Dunstan's and Prince of Wales Colleges will be revived here tonight when the two squads meet in a City Hockey League game at the Forum. Game time is eight o'clock.

It has been nearly half a dozen years since the two College teams competed in the same league but the keen rivalry and close competition that featured of the two teams in the past is expected to be very much in evidence when they lineup to cross sticks tonight.

To the possession of the game will go sole winner of third place. Both teams have played two games in the C.H.L. and both have bowed before the Abbies and Summerside Aces. In an exhibition game earlier in the season the Welshmen eked out a 6-5 victory over the Saints.

The Saints are coached by A. J. MacAdam and the Welshmen by George Andrew.

NEW YORK, (AP)—Norman Piltz, 53, a pitcher for Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Giants between 1916 and 1927, died Monday. He lived in York, Pa., but had come here for the annual New York baseball writers' dinner Sunday night.

Milwaukee Braves In Trade With N. Y. Giants

MILWAUKEE, (AP)—The Milwaukee Braves Monday traded four players and tossed in an undisclosed amount of cash for outfielder Bobby Thomson and second-string catcher Sam Calderone of the New York Giants.

General manager John Quinn said the Braves gave left-handed pitchers Johnny Antonelli and Don Liddle, Edba St. Claire, a utility catcher, and Billy Klaus, a rookie from Toledo, for Thomson and Calderone.

The trade, completed in New York, was the second in which the Braves have been involved this winter. They traded veteran Sw Gordon and pitcher Max Surkont to Pittsburgh late in December for infielder Danny O'Connell.

"We hated to give up both Antonelli and Liddle," Quinn said, "but we had to have a hard-hitting outfielder and were desperate for a catcher to back up De Grandall."

The Braves' decision to give up Antonelli, to whom they paid a \$65,000 bonus in June, 1948, when he was graduated from high school, came as a surprise. The youngster posted only a 12-12 win-loss record last summer, but his 3.19 earned run average was fifth best in the National League. He struck out 131 batters and walked 71 in 175 innings, allowing 167 hits and 83 runs.

In their desperate need for pitchers, the Giants were forced to give up one of the Polo Grounds' all-time baseball heroes.

It was Thomson who blasted the ninth-inning three run homer in 1951 which gave the Giants the National League pennant in a play-off with Brooklyn Dodgers.

Reinforcements For Lyndhursts Are Considered

MIDLAND, Ont. (CP)—George Dudley, secretary-manager of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, said in an interview Monday the CAHA "probably would send reinforcements" to Toronto East York Lyndhursts, now touring Europe in preparation for the Feb. 26-March 7 world championships.

Dudley, who said he was "disappointed" at the 11-2 pasting the senior B Lyndhursts took in Paris Saturday night, added that nothing would be done until after this week.

Lyndhursts, Canada's representatives in the Stockholm championships, have four exhibition games against Switzerland in the next few days.

"I didn't expect Lyndhursts to win on Saturday, their first exhibition game after an Atlantic crossing, but I certainly didn't expect them to lose by that score," Dudley said. "If they still look weak against Switzerland, we'll shop around and probably send senior A players just before the championships."

At Paris, the players blamed seasickness and a party which they attended on board ship the night before they landed last Thursday for their performance against Canadian players now performing for teams in England.

Detroit To Play Prison Game

MARQUETTE, Mich. (AP)—Detroit Red Wings today are going to prison, where they'll probably be penalized.

But don't get too excited about it. The Wings are going to play an exhibition game against Marquette Pirates, a hockey team composed of prisoners.

Leonard (Oakie) Brumm, prison athletic director, says he hopes the Pirates will be able to join an organized league next season. All their games, of course, will be "home" games.

Bus To S'IDE

20 seats available on Abbies bus going to Summerside tonight. Leaving Bus Stop at 6:30 and returning from Summerside at 11:30. Return trip \$1.00.

HOCKEY CRAPAUD RINK

CHARLOTTETOWN ISLANDERS vs. CAPE TRVERSE ROVERS

THURSDAY NIGHT 8:30 SHARP

Admission 50 and 25
Skate after

HOCKEY

CHARLOTTETOWN ABBIES vs. SUMMERSIDE ACES

Raceway Stadium, Summerside

TONIGHT—8:30
Admission 35 and 60 cents