

# Hawks Coast To 5-2 Win Over Millionaires

## Rangers Take Over 4th Place In National League

BOSTON, Jan. 1 (CP)—Defenceman Steve Krafcheck, who had scored only three goals all season before tonight, sank two in the first period and New York Rangers went on from there to take over fourth place in the National Hockey League by downing Boston Bruins 4-2.

The defeat dropped the Bruins into fifth place. It was the first road victory for the Rangers since Bill Cook took over as coach. A crowd of 6,301 sat the game.

**SUMMARY**

**First Period**

1—Boston, Creighton	3:12
2—New York, Krafcheck (Sinclair)	3:58
3—New York, Krafcheck (Mickoski, Ronty)	9:31

Penalties: Buller, Kyla.

**Second Period**

4—Boston, Creighton (McIntyre, Peirson)	11:04
5—New York, Stewart (Stowinski)	14:04

Penalties: None.

**Third Period**

6—New York, Hergesheimer (Ronty, Mickoski)	5:04
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Penalties: None.

## Canadiens In 2nd Place Tie With Leafs

CHICAGO, Jan. 1 (CP)—I took Maurice Richard and Montreal Canadiens only 12 seconds tonight to win a National Hockey League game and move into a second-place tie with the idle Toronto Maple Leafs.

Victims were the last-place Chicago Black Hawks who finally bowed out 3-0.

The 10,111 customers were barely settled in their seats when the Rocket punched home a penalty shot past goalie Harry Lumley for what proved to be the winning goal.

**SUMMARY**

**First Period**

1—Montreal, Richard (Penalty Shot)	0:12
Penalties: Johnson 8:53, Bouchard 16:35	

**Second Period**

Scoring: None	
Penalties: Lach 9:37, Fogolin 14:26, Stewart 19:44	

**Third Period**

2—Montreal, Meger (Curry)	5:34
3—Montreal, Meger (Curry)	19:06

Penalty: Reay 3:46.

Stops: McNeil 5 13 9-27, Lumley 11 7 7-25

## Montreal 5, Detroit 3

DETROIT, Jan. 1 (CP)—Despite Gordie Howe's three-goal effort, Montreal Canadiens rallied to beat Detroit Red Wings for the first time this season, before 11,023 New Year's Eve fans in a National Hockey League game here last night.

**SUMMARY**

**First Period**

1—Montreal, Richard (Olmstead, Lach)	2:05
2—Detroit, Howe (Pronovost)	9:15

Penalties — Pavelich 11:45, Geoffrion 12:06, Meger 19:45.

**Second Period**

3—Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Kelly)	2:22
4—Montreal, Lach (Olmstead)	5:39
5—Montreal, Lach (Richard, Geoffrion)	11:42
6—Montreal, Curry (McCormack)	13:03
7—Detroit, Howe (Lindsay, Abel)	19:53

Penalties — Pronovost 10:46, Olmstead 17:59.

**Third Period**

8—Montreal, Reay (Curry, St. Laurent)	19:35
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Penalties — Pavelich 7:49, Meger 13:51.

Stops: Sawchuk 30, McNeil 28

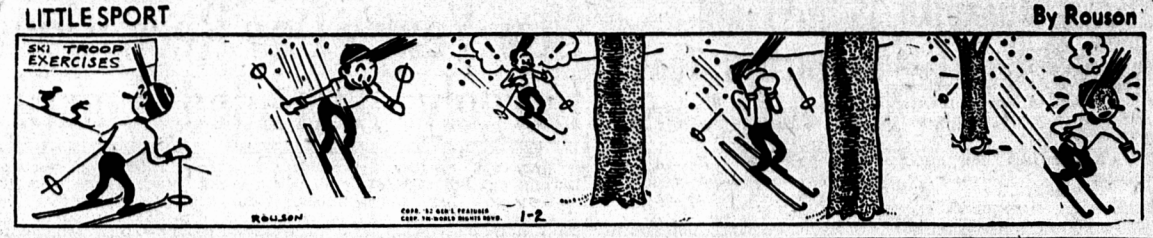
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**FORUM EVENTS**

DEC. 31 TO JAN. 5

MONDAY	Children's Skating	2:30 to 4:00
	HOCKEY—GLACE BAY	7:00
TUESDAY	NEW YEAR'S Afternoon Skating	2:30 to 4:30, Night 8 to 10
WEDNESDAY	Skating	8:00 to 10:00
THURSDAY	Children's Skating	4:00 to 5:30
	Hockey Practice	
FRIDAY	HOCKEY—MONCTON	8:30
SATURDAY	Skating	2:30 to 4:30
	Hockey Practice	



It is not likely that the Glace Bay Miners coach Norman "Bud" Poile will forward an official protest to Judge Elliott Hudson about Monday night's game with the Islanders here since the Miners won the contest. Following the game however, Poile maintained he would send a protest to Judge Hudson and that he was also sending a wire protesting the rough play of several members of the Islanders team. "I am going to tell him that opposing players are subject to serious injuries by the Islanders tactics," he stated.

Poile's protest about the game stemmed from the referees' sentence of a misconduct penalty on the Glace Bay team for having too many men on the ice. He claimed that the Miners did not leave the players bench until the stick swinging episode between Bailey and the fans commenced and according to the rule book such a misconduct can be given only when a player leaves the player's bench when there is a fight or dispute on the ice.

In the office after the game referees Elliot and Peters maintained the penalty, both for leaving the players bench and for Bailey's action in swinging the stick towards the spectators. Baily broke his stick over the board leading to the dressing room and the end of it landed in a spectators' lap seven rows from the ice.

Coach Leo Lamoureux was none too pleased over the twenty minute delay which the referees allowed. Leo told the officials that the delay cost the Islanders the game. In the first half of the second period the Islanders had scored four straight goals and had the play over the Miners like a tent. Following the delay the Islanders never got back in stride, Poile, knowing that the Islanders were not, played it smart in detaining the play as long as possible and broke their victory march.

Had the officials been severe enough, they could have ordered the Miners back onto the ice in two minutes and if the visitors did not respond, then the game could have been awarded to the Islanders. Such a decision would also mean that coach Poile would be automatically suspended for one year without the right of appeal. Instead the officials chose to call it a delaying game. But there was no delaying the game in Saint John last night when Lamoureux took the Islanders off the ice.

The game itself was rugged and fast and contained a wealth of smart hockey. Sheldon Bloomer of the Miners paid Johnny Dutchak quite a compliment when he remarked after the contest that it took Dutchak to put the spirit into the Islanders. He also praised the work of "Bucko" Trainor. In our opinion Trainor and Bob Gray were two of the game's standouts.

The Charlottetown Forum is sending a protest to Judge Hudson about the delay in the game. It was learned last night from Forum

## Beavers Edge Islanders 5-4 In Lively Game On Saint John Ice

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 1 (CP)—Saint John Beavers edged Charlottetown Islanders 5-4 tonight in a lively Maritime Major Hockey League game and increased their lead over the second place Island team to 17 points.

Beavers had to hold the fighting Islanders at bay in the last period when Charlottetown outscored the locals 2-1 and threatened to knot the count. A 3-1 lead in the first provided the winning margin. Each team shot a goal in the second.

All scorers had singletons. Ken Watson, playing coach Peanuts O'Flaherty, Johnny Urbico, Nick Nicolle and Langelle tallied for Saint John. The Charlottetown scorers were Buck Whitlock, Walter Pawlyshyn, Bucko Trainor and Red Favero.

Play was rough, especially in the last session.

Manager Bill Brown. The Forum is also protesting the actions of John Bailey in swinging his stick towards the crowd and they have sent in a protest about the profane language used here recently by a visiting player.

We would have liked to have seen the Islanders defeat the Miners Monday night for Hal Gordon's sake. Hal was playing his second game on Charlottetown ice since he received a painful mouth injury several weeks ago. The Miners scored nine goals on him, the most that has ever gone behind Hal in two seasons of play and we know it must have been tough for a goalie of Gordon's ability and fight to see the Miners get those goals. What made it doubly tough was the knowledge that the Miners could never score nine goals on Hal Gordon in his usual playing form.

This is not to insinuate that Gordon was responsible for the loss. No matter how good he had been Monday night there would have been at least half a dozen goals scored on him. His defense gave him little protection and every goal that was scored came while Hal was unprotected. His team mates knocked one in themselves and another shot, which Hal had covered, skidded across the net to a waiting Glace Bay player.

Hal has been out of the game so long that he has to start the season over again and it's going to take him a little time to get back to his pre-injury form when he was the hottest goalie in the M.M.H.L. We know that he can do it and that when those important games come up Hal will be ready for them. And when you have an important game to win and the chips are on the line, you can have your Pidsodny's and Hughes' well take Hal Gordon. His record shows that he's come through in the pinches too often.

The best news that we heard over the holiday was that which came from Dr. F. C. Dougan President of the Islanders Hockey Club. The word that the executive has matters well in hand is most reassuring and a tribute to the Islanders Club as well as the fans who support the team from across the Province. The news will also dispense with any rumors and unfounded reports of hockey troubles in the club which emanated at a time when the players had to play nine games in eleven days—a rugged enough schedule without any further worries.

## Sport Echoes From Prince County

Saturday evening we paid our first visit to O'Leary rink. Sumner High was playing the Glace Bay Miners, and a fine turnout of fans were present. The ice was in excellent condition but the year-end thaw was knocking at the door and the ice was getting soft as the large crowd of skaters took over after the game.

A fine, friendly crowd of fans in O'Leary. Good-natured ribbing of the visiting boys, but no insults or vicious comment. Believe it or not, the boys left the dressing room unlocked and came back after each period to find everything unaltered. We've known dressing rooms where if they went out and left the door unlocked, they'd have to go home in their sock feet and underwear.

One of the Sum-Hi young players left a five-dollar bill in his pocket Saturday night, and came in after the game to find the V-spot missing and three dollars in its place. It began to look as if a very unusual crime had been committed. We'd heard of trouser pockets "cleaned" before but this was the first time the yegg had left any change. Turned out to be a gag pulled off by one of the player's close friends.

The Maroons have the makings of a good team. A lot of kids are playing with the team for the first time this year, but coach Ed Turner seems to be getting them off on the right foot. The only old-timers we recognized were Brent MacDonald Aubin Wedge and Raynald MacNeil in the net. Wedge had two young players, Boulter and L. Bernard on a line with him, and the three worked particularly well together, we thought. MacDonald is still a threat every time he goes down the ice. Not losing any of his speed, Harris looks like a good prospect; a bit pugnacious, but has that aggressiveness so necessary to a good defenceman. Rogerson looks like a real smoothie and Bagloe shows us well.

The Sum-Hi boys look as if they might hold their own in the South Shore League. They are a shade light, but make up in fitness what they lack in brawn. The little fellows on the team are no shrinking violets, however. Dick Noonan, on defence, and "ance Harris and Pete Green up front, all pint-sized per-

## St. Mary's Outplay Miners For 9-2 Victory

HALIFAX, Jan. 1 (CP)—Halifax St. Mary's, outplayed in the first period, rode over Glace Bay Miners in the last two sessions for a 9-2 victory in a Maritime Major League game here tonight.

The Saints were on the short end of a 1-0 count when the first period closed. It was the only time the Miners were in the game.

In the second and third chapters, the locals hammered the Glace Bay net with hardly a pause and only stellar work by goalie Bob Arnell kept the score from hitting double figures.

Miners fast breaks kept the Saints on the defensive in the first period and a penalty to the locals helped the visitors to their first goal.

It took only 10 seconds of the middle chapter for the Halifax club to tie the score and before a minute had elapsed, they were ahead.

After that they never looked back. When the middle stanza was in the record books the count was 6-2 and they added three more in the last period without a reply from Miners.

Bill Ford, hitting the register all night, rifled three goals past Arnell and also set up Billy Watson for a fourth point.

Ex-Charlottetown player Johnny Morrow had a pair and Doug Lewis, Billy Watson, Kenny McKenzie and Joe McArthur came through with singles.

**Arnell Outstanding**

For Glace Bay, Arnell was the outstanding player in a losing cause. Top performances were also turned in by Bud Poile, Bailey, and Pete Wywrot. Bailey and Poile were the Glace Bay marksmen.

Pete Leswick continued his outstanding play. The balding veteran of professional and amateur hockey wars set up three of the Halifax goals and with a little luck, would have had more. On the backline, a little noticed but very effective Danny Nixon bounded the Bay players all night. He had able assistance from Bob Drainville, Morley MacNeil and Frank Bergeron.

Glace Bay—Goal, Arnell; defence, Cooper, Windley, Bloomer, Myketyyn; forwards, Poile, Rhomer, Wywrot, Leger, Anderson, Haley, Bailey.

Halifax—Goal, O'Hearn; defence, Drainville, Nixon, Bergeron, McNeil; forwards, McArthur, Leswick, Ford, Campbell, Lewis, Watson, Morrow, Thompson, McKenzie.

Officials—Heffering, Peters.

## No General Meeting Of Hockey Club

The executive of the Islanders Hockey Club does not feel that there is any need of a general meeting in the immediate future. It was learned from the Club President, Dr. F. C. Dougan last night following an executive meeting.

The club feels that everything is in good shape, stated the Doctor. He said that the executive was contented with the present situation and that they were looking forward to things being brighter when the holiday rush is completed.

He also referred to the record of the team which has been as good as any squad in the league and better than them all except Saint John since the first seven games.

## Famous Quebec Hockey Player Fatally Burned

OTTAWA, Jan. 1 (CP)—Jean (Johnny) Beauchamp, 30, internationally-known hockey player, died today of burns suffered Christmas eve while trying to extinguish a fire in the family homestead at Ste. Rose de Lima, Que.

His father, J. Clement Beauchamp, 60, translator and former staff member of the Ottawa Journal, died of a heart attack while rushing to the fire, eight miles west of Ottawa.

Johnny Beauchamp learned his hockey in Ottawa and had played in Paris, London, Hollywood and New York.

## M.M.H.L. Standings

Team	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
St. John	30	12	3	198	100	63
Ch'town	21	20	4	156	148	46
Glace Bay	19	22	4	159	161	42
Moncton	18	20	5	128	164	41
Halifax	17	22	4	146	169	38
Sydney	15	24	4	119	161	34

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