# SPORTS FRONT

By JIM CULLEN

## Tid Bits . . .

The Acadia Axemen split a twin bill with the Dalhousie Tigers in Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey league action over the weekend. The Axemen walloped the Tigers 6-1 in their first start of the year Friday night, but the Tigers came back the next day to avenge the defeat and handed the Acadia squad a 4-2 loss. The Axemen will invade the St. Dunstan's University rink Friday night to give the John Kane coached pucksters their first taste of league competition. The Axemen aren't considered a serious threat for the league championship, but the Acadia squad usually has a small but fast skating team that is a constant threat in pulling a big upset. The Saints are working hard for their opening tilt and coach Kane expects to have a healthy team for Friday night's battle. A couple of the Saint's players have received minor injuries to date but Kane expects to have a full lineup for the Acadia contest.

**The Chicago Black Hawks were shut out in Toronto Saturday night by a 1-0 count. We had called for the Hawks to win, but we can't win all the time. It made us feel a little better when Billy Reay and his lads entertained the Montreal Canadiens at home Sunday night and walloped the Flying Frenchmen by a 6-2 count. That Toronto defence was really something on Saturday night, although, we don't imagine the Chicago forwards appreciated it. We would venture to say that the Hawks didn't get one serious scoring opportunity against Sawchuk.**

Lowell MacDonald of Thorburn, N.S., scored on a breakaway with three minutes left in the game to give the Detroit Red Wings a 3-3 tie with the New York Rangers on Sunday night. Lowell was a big star with the Hamilton Red Wings at the same time Pit Martin was carving a big reputation in junior hockey circles. We thought MacDonald would make the big time before Martin as he had the size and speed necessary in professional hockey, but Martin went to the Wings from junior hockey and MacDonald went to the American Hockey League for seasoning. We think Lowell has arrived to stay with the Detroit organization. We wish they would decide to trade to say the Chicago Black Hawks so that we would be able to cheer for his team also soon, as it stands now we feel he's on a team that is going into severe nose dive in the very near future.

The Charlottetown and District junior hockey league will swing into action tonight at Wes 'Bucko' Trainor's 'ice palace' on Fitzroy street—The Prince of Wales pucksters handled by Billy Mulligan will be pitted against the St. Dunstan's Juniors with Varsity star Bill MacMillan at the helm. The PWC team will have several of last year's team back in the fold and coach Mulligan maintains that the Welshmen are going to have to be reckoned with in this loop. Action gets underway at 8:30 p.m.

## . . . From Here And There

Sandy's Royals will tangle with Johnny's Flying Hawks at the Charlottetown Forum on Thursday night. This will be the first start of the year for the Flying Hawks and they have relatively the same team as displayed their colors last season, no tap for Thursday's contest. Ralph 'Boo' Shepherd, the defensive ace of last year's edition of the Hawks has left the Island to journey to Florida, and his services will be missed by Johnny's forces. They have a determined crew and the Hawk's players down to a man feel they can take Sandy's outfit in Thursday's encounter. Billy Mulligan, coach of the Royals will put his squad through a practice session at the Forum tonight from 7:00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. in preparation for the battle.

**The Hamilton Tiger-Cats displayed what championship teams are made of when they overcame an 18 point deficit Saturday to defeat the Ottawa Roughriders 39-35 and thus obtain the right to represent the East in the annual Grey Cup classic. We will be rooting for the Hamilton gridiron squad to defeat the British Columbia Lions in the annual fall classic.**

Flash Elorde of the Philippines, world junior lightweight champion, retained his oriental lightweight title Saturday night by outpointing Suh Kang Il of South Korea in 12 rounds. Each weighed 135 pounds.

The New York Rangers are still facing the problem of who is going to be rewarded their goaltending job for this season. Plante only brought clothes for one game, but the way he has been performing for the Blues there is a good chance he will be holding out a wire for Baltimore for the remainder of his belongings. The Ranger management have also been mulling over the idea of alternating Plante and Marcelle Paille. Paille took the job from Plante in the pre-season camp, but the New York club was forced to recall Jake from Baltimore when Paille twisted his ankle.

Jean Guy Morrissette, formerly of the Moncton Hawks, is between the pipes for the Omaha Knights of the Central Professional hockey league this season. Jean-Guy has recorded two shut-outs in the Knights first three victories and appears to be headed for a banner season in Omaha.

**Dow's Men's and Boys' Wear in Charlottetown have devised a new gimmick to inspire the St. Dunstan's entry in the Maritime Intercollegiate league. The local firm will donate three shirts to the three stars of all the Saints home games, this season.**

# Ex-Champ Patterson Favorite Over Chuvalo

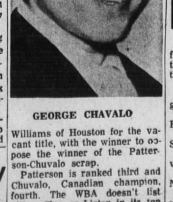
NEW YORK (AP) — Former world heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson has been made an early line 8-5 favorite over George Chuvalo of Toronto, although the contract for their 12-rounder at Madison Square Garden Jan. 29 has not been signed yet.

"We hope to get the contracts signed and approved within a week," Harry Markson, Garden director of boxing, said Monday.

Although the World Boxing Association considered this a vital part of its tournament to determine a new heavyweight champion, it does not carry that official significance in New York.

The WBA stopped recognizing Cassius Clay as champion the moment he signed for the return bout with ex - champion Sonny Liston. The New York Athletic Commission still considers Clay the champion.

The WBA named Ernie Terrell, its No. 1 heavyweight, to meet second-ranking Cleveland



GEORGE CHAVALO

Williams of Houston for the vacant title, with the winner to oppose the winner of the Patterson-Chuvalo scrap.

Patterson is ranked third and Chuvalo, Canadian champion, fourth. The WBA doesn't list either Clay or Liston in its top 10

## Minor Hockey For To-day

p.m. — Bruins vs. Canadians.

5 p.m. — Councillers vs. Citizens.

The following players are requested to appear at 6 p.m. with equipment for the make up of two extra teams in the Midget division.

Citizens — Doug MacPherson, Pat Walsh, Byron Ferguson, Bobby Foster, John Duncan, Eddie Davey, Bill LeClair, Bobby Jewell, Donald MacDonald, Allie McCallum, Ron Cudmore, David Millar, Ralph Farrell, Terry Mahar, Roger Frizzell, Eric Chandler, Mike MacKinnon, Rennie Stanley, Mike

Campbell, Melvin Murray, Barry McLaren. — Murray Carmichael, coach.

Councillors — Reg Chapman, Gordon Ellis, Phil O'Neill, George MacWilliams, Paul Cosey, Howard Ellis, Ian Waye, Billy MacKinnon, Donnie MacGuigan, Don MacKinnon, Wendall Yeo, Terry Steele, Fred Quinn, Blair Mayne, L. MacAvinn, Robert MacKay.

Players will be assigned to the different teams by Lorne Hennessey and Jack Morris, Division Directors.

## LEAGUE OPENS TONIGHT

Shown above are two members of the Billy Mulligan coached Prince of Wales entry in the Charlottetown and District junior hockey league. The Mulligan coached squad will tangle with the St. Dunstan's juniors in the league opener tonight at the Charlottetown Forum with action set to get underway at 8.30 p.m. The PWC players are Karl Duncan (left) and Angus Houston, team captain.

# Braves Sell Spahn To New York Mets

NEW YORK (AP)—Warren Spahn, the big leagues' top southpaw, joined the lowly New York Mets Monday. The 43-year-old pitcher was purchased from Milwaukee Braves.

Spahn also will serve as the Mets' pitching coach for the National League club. "But the greatest job in baseball is being a starting pitcher and that's what I expect to be next year," he told a press conference.

Spahn, who won 356 games during a 19-year career with the Braves, posted a 6-13 record in 1963. He had only four complete games in 27 starts.

"I wasn't pitching enough last season," he said. "I have to pitch regularly to be effective. I talked with Johnny McHale and Bobby Bragan and told them I wanted to go somewhere else if I didn't fit into their plans."

McHale and Bragan are Milwaukee's vice-president and manager, respectively.

The purchase price was not revealed. However, it was estimated to be about $25,000.

**SOUND PHYSICALLY**

"I am sound physically," Spahn said, "and I'd like nothing better than to make the comeback of the year as a pitcher next season. You don't go from middle age to old age in one year."

In Milwaukee, McHale said he called Spahn last week and told him of the Mets' interest. "Because of Spahn's brilliant and long career with the Braves we wanted Warren to have the opportunity to accept or reject this assignment," McHale said.

Spahn rejoins Mets manager Casey Stengel, who piloted Boston Braves in 1942, the year the left-handed pitcher made his big league debut.

Spahn hold numerous other major and National League records. Among them are most 20-victory seasons, 13; most strikeouts by a left hander, 2,493; most years leading in games won, eight; and most years leading league in complete games, nine.

## Big Bonspiel At Belvedere

The first annual Early-Bird Bonspiel will be held at the Belvedere Golf and Winter Club on Friday and Saturday, November 27 and 28. On Friday there will be a men's draw at 9 and 11 a.m. while Saturday will feature a mixed draw also at 9 and 11 a.m.

Invitations are extended to all curling clubs in the province and a large attendence is expected. All entries will be accepted until Thursday evening.

The entry fee will be $12 per team and this money will be used towards prizes. Please note the date for entries is Thursday November 26, 1964.

## Curling Draw

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

**7 p.m.**

Ice 1 — G. Bennett, N MacNeill, D. Reid, W. MacGregor vs. J. Cameron, L. Johnston, B. Martin, D. Taylor.

Ice 2 — H. Peters, W. Carr, M. White, C Fisher vs. A Love J. MacDonald, G. Rodd, N. Dooley.

Ice 3 — C. Whiteneet, K. Kenkins, Jim MacLean, Bob Stevenson vs. H. Douglas, C. MacInnes, A. Callbeck, Bill Stevenson.

Ice 4 — D. Flemming, J. Brooks, B Crockett, J. Shelfoot vs. Dr. Hooper, Dr. Webster, C. MacDonald, S. Willis.

Ice 5 — K. Acorn, K. Kennedy, A. MacFadyen, B. Tanton vs H. Carruthers, D. Douglas, B. Hopkins, B. Patterson.

**8.30 p.m.**

Ice 1 — (open)

Ice—2 L. Wellner, F. Corcoran, B. Partridge, C. Butler vs. T. Whitlock, F. MacDonald, G Gallant, E. MacRae.

Ice 3—A. Burke, S. Lavers, J. Whalen, P. Perry vs. J. Burden, D. Wonnacott, V. Robertson, F. Dillon.

Ice 4 — D. Bell, E Nicholson, A. MacEwen, D. Rogers vs A Saunders, W. Rodd, K. Dalziel, L. Burke.

Ice 5 — G. Stewart, B. Boyles, R. MacDonald, E. Jay vs. A Llewellyn, Dr. Higgins, M. Purgey, F Burke.


**Charlottetown Skating**

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# Schedule Released

The following is the schedule for the Charlottetown and District Junior Hockey League until December 17.

Tues. Nov. 24—PWC vs. SDU.

Sun. Nov. 29—SDU vs. Rangers.

Mon. Nov. 30—PWC vs. North River

Tues. Dec. 1—Rangers vs. SDU

Thurs. Dec. 3—North River vs. PWC.

Tues. Dec. 8—Rangers vs. North River .

Tues. Dec. 15—North River vs. Rangers.

Thurs. Dec. 17—PWC vs. Rangers.

## Juniors Meet RCAF Eagles

SUMMERSIDE Junior Legionnaires play RCAF Eagles tonight at the Air Base. Game time is 8:15 p.m.

The Legionnaires thus far, have won one and lost two. The Eagles are unbeaten with two wins.

SPORT CJM

CURLING DRAW ..... CJM

The following is the curling draw for Tuesday, Nov. 24 at the Belvedere Golf and Winter Club.

**9 p.m.**

Ice 1 — Edgar Taylor, Dr. Drysdale, Ted Miller, Alf. Hennessey vs. winner of Walker and Flinn.

Ice 2 — Dr. Angus MacEachern, Stan Bryanton, Rez Mahar, Ed Hodgson vs. Al. MacLeod, Bonnie LePage, Earl Baker, Don MacDonald.

Ice 3 — Andy Humphrey, Bill Burden, Dave Jardine, — vs. Walter Pickard, George Vessey, Ivan Hughes, Dan Dayan.

Ice 4 — E.K. MacNutt, Keith Kennedy, Heber Jones, Bob Gigney vs. loser of Walker and Flinn.

# Ratelle Recalled

NEW YORK (AP) — New York Rangers recalled centre Jean Ratelle from Baltimore Clippers of the American Hockey League Monday. He will join the club for Wednesday's game against the Toronto Maple Leafs here.

Ratelle, who has played for the Rangers for parts of the past four seasons, was a holdout this fall and did not sign until three weeks after the National League season opened. He was then sent to Baltimore, where he has scored nine goals in eight games.

**NAMED FOR WOOD**

The island of Madeira received its name from the Portuguese word for wood—thick forests of laurel once covered the island's mountainsides.

# Senior Hockey To Stay Through Effort Of Kromm

By PAT McMAHON
Nelson News Sports Editor

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Senior hockey seemed destined to die here this season. It probably would have succumbed, too, had it not been for Kromm's Kids.

A team of greenhorns led by a battle-scarred old pro named Bobby Kromm has kept the game going in Nelson, and after three weeks it was in a three-way tie for first place.

This Kootenay city, once a powerhouse in amateur hockey in Western Canada, was ready at the end of the 1963-64 season to put to rest its flagging Maple Leafs entry in the Western International Hockey League.

Nine veterans had retired, leaving the club with little to build on. The coach had resigned. Game attendance was drastically low.

The better players were attracted to the smelter cities of Trail, Rossland and Kimberley, where good jobs went with hockey careers. Some went to Spokane. Wash., where even better wages made playing with that team more attractive.

**REFUSED TO QUIT**

Hockey men began to accept the fate of the Leafs. A public meeting was called to wind up the club's affairs.

But when the time came for the final reckoning, a small group of fans led by Jack James, once active in hockey in Fort William, Ont., refused to give in.

James pleaded for support. He got it, and was promptly named president of the club with power to do what he could.

His first move was to hire controversial, outspoken Bobby Kromm as player - coach. Kromm accepted reluctantly, pointing out that there didn't appear to be a team with which to play or coach.

Kromm had joined Nelson last year as a player after he was dumped by Trail Smoke Eaters, the team he guided to the Allan Cup and world championship in 1961 and to a fourth-place finish in the 1963 world tournament.

Kromm had been censured by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association for a remark that perhaps the CAHA was refusing him more player help in the 1963 world tournament because additional expenses might diminish the "caviar budget" of association officials who were "excess baggage."

**ARRANGED JOBS**

After being appointed player-coach of a team that existed only on paper, Kromm began his task. With help from the Nelson Booster Club, the city council, Notre Dame University and other organizations, he formed a team.

He talked many of them into going to the university while playing hockey for the Leafs. For others he talked Nelson businessmen into giving them jobs to go with their hockey tasks.

Cuts from the professional Western League and unknowns from the coast and the Prairies began to swell the Nelson ranks.

Vancouver Canucks of the WHL sent their alternate goalie, Jim Letcher, to tend goal for the Leafs, subject to immediate recall.

Hard work in training camp and some whip - cracking by Kromm paid off. The rebuilt Leafs soon chalked up impressive victories over the tough Kimberley Dynamiters and Spokane Jets.

But Kromm says he isn't through yet.

"This year things were kinda up in the air. We didn't even know if we'd be in the league.

"Just wait until next year."

## Tignish Team Is Honored

Tignish Regional High School Football team, proud Island Senior B. football champions were feted at a sports banquet by the student's council of their school under the direction of Sister Saint John Francis Home Economics teacher in the school dining room on Sunday evening.

The team played Alberton, Kinkora, O'Leary and Souris. In the five games played they averaged five touchdowns a game or 25 for the season. The defence allowed only four touchdowns in the five games.

In the final games Tignish and Souris had a home and home series and Tignish won the first game 31-13, and the second game 13-0.

Rev. Patrick Walsh guest speaker for the occasion in his usual jovial manner spoke on the importance of developing both the body and the mind.

Other speakers offering hearty congratulations to the winning team on the honor they had brought to the school and to the community were:

Rev. A. Pendergast, Rev. C. MacKinnon, Sister St. Mary Arnold school principal, Sister St. Angela Marie, Sister St. John Francis, Everett Broderick Chairman of school trustees, David Harper, Physical Education Instructor, Aubin J Gallant, Wilson J. Shea Sr., George Chevrier coach of the football team speaking on behalf of the boys expressed appreciation to the teachers and Sister St. John Francis for the lovely dinner.

The turkey was donated by Mrs. Gilbert Judge.

Mary Handrahan president of the students council was chairman for the occasion.

## Bowling Results Are Released

The following are the results of Saturday's bowling in the Holy Family League.

| Henderson-Cudmore | | |
|---|---|---|
| W. Hayes | 159 | 184 138 |
| D. Phillips | 122 | 204 198 |
| B. Ward | 243 | 159 166 |
| Leroy Gauthier | 181 | 171 176 |
| B. Dunn | 208 | 176 221 |
| Points—4 | Total—3696 | |
| **MacLean and Son Electric** | | |
| A. MacEwen | 75 | 108 109 |
| M. MacLean | 175 | 134 99 |
| S. Roberts | 120 | 160 220 |
| B. McGee | 306 | 288 238 |
| E. MacLean | 148 | 156 160 |
| Points—1 | Total—2536 | |
| **Humpty - Dumpty** | | |
| L. Trainor | 171 | 193 145 |
| D. Mullins | 176 | 207 152 |
| E. Doyle | 165 | 259 221 |
| G. Bradley | 176 | 216 184 |
| G. Gauthier | 187 | 268 178 |
| D. Livingston | 178 | 2445 276 |
| Points—4 | Total—3604 | |
| **Island Chev-Olds** | | |
| G. Murphy | 161 | 211 168 |
| M. Thistle | 211 | 156 235 |
| H. Pineau | 207 | 255 130 |
| J. Trainor | 188 | 154 154 |
| G. Duquette | 180 | 214 267 |
| Low Score | 125 | 125 125 |
| Points—1 | Total—3266 | |
| **Crown Billiard Club** | | |
| H. Landry | 170 | 197 144 |
| J. MacLaren | 174 | 184 162 |
| B. Spencer | 144 | 231 208 |
| J. Bradley | 286 | 265 215 |
| W. Doyle | 215 | 169 210 |
| A. Doucette | 176 | 227 186 |
| Points—3½ | Total—3563 | |
| **New Method Cleaners** | | |
| J. Duffy | 125 | 123 150 |
| T. Gregory | 167 | 161 313 |
| K. Madore | 197 | 166 261 |
| J. Bradley | 200 | 168 126 |
| F. Doyle | 238 | 174 138 |
| G. Gallant | 181 | 225 268 |
| Points—1½ | Total—3383 | |

## Jockey Celebrates By Winning Three

TORONTO (CP)—Eric Walsh, 24-year-old jockey from North Sydney, N.S., celebrated his marriage a day ahead of time Monday by riding three winners at Greenwood race track.

Walsh, who marries Patricia Gismondi, 21, of Buffalo today, now is tied with John LeBlanc, a native of Rogersville, N.B., for second place in jockey standings at the track. He has 21 wins, four less than leading jockey Wayne Harris of Vancouver.

"I'll be back riding Wednesday," said Walsh. He plans to spend his honeymoon in Florida at the end of the Ontario racing season Saturday.

Walsh rode winners in the second, third and sixth races.

He brought home Ernie Lieberman's Weed Bender in the third. Favored by a crowd of 6,432, Weed Bender returned $5.50 to win and completed a $66.60 daily double which included Valcuita in the first race.

Walsh rode Sol Rotenberg's Cool Fool in the third and rode longshot Slithering Sam in the sixth. Slithering Sam gave bettors a $19.40 win.

## Money Race Sets Record

DUNEDIN, Fla. (AP)—Jack Nicklaus' narrow victory over Arnold Palmer in the 1964 Professional Golfers Association money race was the closest since it started keeping records, the PGA said Monday.

The $81.13 difference beat the previous closest race when Ben Hogan topped Lloyd Mangrum by $322.01 in 1948, the PGA said. Official records date back to 1947.

Nicklaus won $113,824.50 by playing in 24 tournaments. He won four tourneys and finished in the top five 17 times. Palmer, who had won the money derby two years in a row, collected $113,203.37 for playing in 24, winning two and finishing in the first five 15 times.

Nicklaus tied with Gay Brewer Jr., for second in the Cajun Classic in Lafayette, La., Sunday when Brewer missed a 15-foot putt on the final hole. Palmer was third. If Brewer had made the putt, Palmer would have beaten Nicklaus in the PGA money standings.

**PRAY TO MECCA**

Devout Moslems are required to pray towards Mecca five times each day, and all mosques are oriented towards Mecca when built.

## Souris Ladies Take Lessons

SOURIS — The ladies division of the Souris Curling club held a special meeting last night to receive instruction in the game of curling from three members of the Charlottetown Curling Club.

The trio from Charlottetown were Mrs Ines Gallant, past president of the ladies provincial association; Mrs. Elizabeth MacDonald and Mrs. Ella Runahan.

Mrs. Joseph Gallant presided and questions were asked of the three by the Souris ladies. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

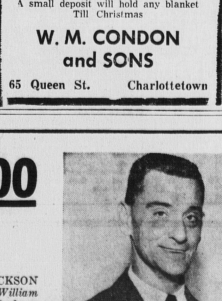
## Coach Clair Wants To Stay

OTTAWA (CP)—Coach Frank Clair indicated Monday night he wants to stay with Ottawa Rough Riders of the Eastern Football Conference for the next few years.

Clair said on a radio broadcast he talked about a new contract with Rider president Barry O'Brien earlier Monday and a second meeting has been scheduled for Wednesday.

"I'm sure the club will come up with a reasonable contract," Clair said.

There have been reports that Clair is being sought by Toronto Argonauts, but Clair said he hasn't talked with Toronto officials about coaching the club.

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7:00-8:00 a.m.—Queen Charlotte
12:45-1:45 p.m. P. W. C.
3:30-4:30 p.m. Spring Park School
5:00-7:00 p.m. Minor Hockey
8:30 p.m. Junior Hockey: S. D. U. vs. P. W. C. First game of Junior League. Adults 50c; Students 25c

**WEDNESDAY**

12:30-1:30 P. W. C.
1:30-3:00 p.m. Pre-School Children Skate (25c per family)
7:00-8:00 p.m. Hampshire Practice.
8:10-9:10 North River Jrs.
9:20-10:20 p.m. N. Larter

**THURSDAY**

7:00-8:00 a.m.—Queen Charlotte
11:00-12:00 a.m. Parkdale Elementary
12:45-1:45 p.m. P. W. C.
4:00-5:30 p.m. Skating: Children 15c; Adults 25c
5:45-7:30 p.m. Minor Hockey

**FRIDAY**

12:45-1:45 p.m. P. W. C.
1:45-3:45 p.m. Ch'town Rural High
3:45-4:45 St. Jeans School
5:00-7:00 p.m. Minor Hockey
8:30-10:30 p.m. Skating: Adults 50c; Senior Teens 35c

**SATURDAY**

7:00-1:15 p.m. Minor Hockey
2:00-4:00 p.m. Skating: Adults 25c; Children 15c.
4:45-9:00 p.m. Minor Hockey


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