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SAINT JOHN 'BLUES' TO HAVE SIX NEW PLAYERS ON TEAM THIS YEAR

Truro To Tackle Athletics Assn. Team In Second Invasion of Boston

Many Veterans Pass From Big Leagues This Season

Said To Have Surprise In Store For Opponents—Enjoy Chicken Supper

The feeling of spring in the air has aroused the local ball-players and plans are being made by various organizations in regard to the coming season. Last evening the Saint John "Blues," of the City League, had a get-together meeting at the home of their manager, "Tommy" Campbell, 220 Duke street. It is rumored that "Tommy" has several "dark horses" signed up for this year and the meeting last evening was for the purpose of allowing the old and new players to become acquainted. It is said that there would be at least six new players on this team this season and there is much speculation as to their names. "Tommy" is planning a big surprise for his opponents and developments are being awaited with interest by the local fans.

U. N. B. BASKETEERS WIN WESTERN TITLE

Defeat Mount Allison By Narrow Margin In Fast Game Last Night

SACKVILLE, March 18.—By defeating Mount Allison by the narrow margin of a single point, the University of New Brunswick basketball team won the championship of the western section here tonight. Harry Hutton got the game away at 8.15. Later took the first shot of the game and missed. Frank Thomas got the first point of the contest when he netted the ball after a foul by Fraser. A few minutes later, the University of New Brunswick team was leading 10-0. Hutton got the first foul on Wilson. Thomas got the first field goal of the game after four minutes of play, and repeated a few minutes later. The Red and Black were attempting to get in close but Wilson and Anderson were blocking well. The University of New Brunswick combination was working well. Ray Smith put Mt. Allison well in the lead with a fine basket from away out and Lister repeated. Later threw another before the period ended, while Babbitt got U. N. B.'s lone field goal in this session, and his team mate, Seely, tossed a foul. Score at end of the first was Mt. Allison 12; University New Brunswick 4.

SECOND PERIOD

The second opened with Malcolm going for Thomas at once. Seely got through after a fine dribble but missed his shot. Babbitt sent U. N. B.'s stock up with a couple of nice baskets. Smith got the ball from throw up, and missed a long shot. Donohue and Seely combined for a couple of field goals, and the score was tied. At this stage of the game Thomas replaced Malcolm. Ray Smith netted a foul shot, and a few seconds later Thomas sent Mt. Allison ahead with a field goal. Seely tossed a foul on Lister, and the score was tied. The score from under the basket. Donohue got what proved to be the winning point a minute before the end of the game, when he netted a foul throw. Final score was 15-16.

GAME WAS FAST

The game was fast right through, with Mt. Allison playing better basketball than the Red and Black in every department except shooting. It was a hard game to lose, especially after running up a substantial lead in the first. For Mt. Allison Lister and Wilson were good, while Anderson, replacing Rice, who is on the sick list, blocked well and effectively. Babbitt and Seely were the most effective for University New Brunswick.

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LOCAL BOWLING

City League.
On Black's alleys last night in the City League, the Tigers and Pirates broke even with two points each. The scores follow:

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Pirates—	Total Avg.
Gillen.....	116 94 92 302 102-3
Northrup.....	91 107 99 297 99
East.....	80 80 86 246 83-3
O'Connor.....	81 88 79 248 82-3
Wallace.....	80 86 76 242 81
476 455 432 1363	

Commercial League.	Total Avg.
In the Commercial League on Black's alleys last night, the C. P. R. took all four points by default from the Malcom team. The total pinfall was 1324.	

McAvity League.	Total Avg.
Last night on the Imperial alleys in the McAvity League the Wholesale team won three points from the Brass Shop. The scores follow:	

Wholesale—	Total Avg.
H. Bell.....	73 80 87 240 80
T. Williams.....	74 73 72 219 73-3
C. Chase.....	100 86 94 280 98-3
D. Foohy.....	111 79 83 273 91
447 410 441 1298	

Brass Shop—	Total Avg.
W. Henderson.....	76 81 86 243 81
A. Devine.....	74 75 72 221 73-3
Doucet.....	91 89 80 260 86
Gray.....	94 108 85 287 95-3
425 435 426 1286	

C. P. R. League.	Total Avg.
The Steamship Checkers captured all four points from the Manifesting team in the C. P. R. League on the Imperial alleys last night. The individual scores follow:	

Steamship Checkers—	Total Avg.
McCarthy.....	100 92 83 275 91-3
Betta.....	88 101 76 265 88-3
Morey.....	94 82 81 257 85-3
Fitzgerald.....	94 82 108 284 94-3
459 438 449 1366	

Manifesting—	Total Avg.
Morrissey.....	73 82 86 241 80-3
Lindsay.....	77 80 82 239 83
Tardival.....	75 83 81 239 79-3
Hammond.....	79 80 80 239 79-3
Clark.....	106 88 88 282 94-3
410 434 436 1286	

Ladies' L. O. F.	Total Avg.
On the Imperial alleys last night in the Ladies' L. O. F. League, Wygoody team won all four points from Lingley C. The scores follow:	

Lingley C.—	Total Avg.
Demers.....	87 74 86 247 82-3
Corcoran.....	83 83 87 253 84-3
Ellis.....	66 66 79 211 70-3
Kaye.....	80 83 69 232 77-3
Fallickson.....	87 72 232 80-3
303 339 333 965	

LOCAL PLAYERS UPSET "DOPE"

Carlton and Seely Eliminate Halifax Players in Badminton Title Play

A distinct surprise was sprung by Messrs. Carlton and Seely, Saint John juniors, when they defeated Major Grant and Dwyer, of Halifax, in the badminton tournament on the Armory courts here yesterday. The win of the local men was an upset of the "dope" as the Halifax players had been generally regarded as favorites for the title.

COMETS WIN FORM DAIRY KINGS, 4-2

Locals Double Score on Sussex Colts in Exhibition Hockey Game

SUSSEX, March 18.—In an exhibition game at the Royal Arena tonight the Saint John Comets won out from the Sussex Colts by the score of 4 to 2. The game was one of the fastest skated here this season. It was clean, nice hockey and afforded lots of thrills for the fans. In the first period Piers scored for the locals after 10 minutes play and Brooks fouled McPhee for another in six minutes later. Three minutes before the ending of the period Lane netted up one for the Comets and Brad Gilbert followed with another, the period ending in a tie, 2 to 2.

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THE LAST OF MIKE MCTIGUE

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BEARCATS ALSO DOWN TO MEET PEREMARQUETTE

Maritime Champs Change Line-up; Capt. Murdoch On Injured List

Canadian Press
BOSTON, Mass., March 19.—The Truro Bearcats, Maritime Province hockey champions, tackle the Boston Athletics Association team here tonight in the first game of their second invasion of Boston this year. Tomorrow they will clash with the Pere Marquette team.

A few weeks ago the Truro boys dropped down to show Boston hockey fans some of the feebliest amateur hockey of the season. Last Wednesday the Canadians saw the B. A. A. Pere Marquette game, and they are confident that they can take both outfits into camp.

The Bearcats will present a slightly changed lineup against the Unicorn tonight and Pere Marquette tomorrow. Sammy Murdoch, captain and centre, is out of the game with injuries, and his place will be taken by Archie Nicholson, of New Glasgow. "Doggie" Kuhn, whose lightning-like dashes down the ice electrified the fans here on the last trip, will operate on right wing. "Tiger" Smith, his running mate here last month, will be in the left position again. On the defence, Truro will introduce Pete McDonald, from the Halifax Crescents.

SWANSEA DEFEATS PORTSMOUTH BY 1-0

LONDON, March 18.—Soccer and Rugby games played in the Old Country today resulted as follows:
Soccer—English League, second division: Swansea, 1; Portsmouth, 0. English League, third division, northern section: Halifax, 3; Southport, 0. Rugby—Rugby Union: Neath, 19; Cardiff, 9; Gloucester, 21; Air Force, 9; Cornwall, 23; St. Francis, 8; game played at Camborne. Rugby League: Hull, 9; Wakefield, 8.

Frank Nighbor Wins Lady Byng Trophy

MONTREAL, Que., March 18.—Frank Nighbor, veteran centre of the Ottawa Senators, has been awarded the Lady Byng trophy as the player in the National Hockey League, who, in the past season, has shown at the same time the most effective and sportsmanlike play in the games in which the team competed.

Nighbor polled 70 votes to take first place, Billy Burch, New York Americans was second with 63 and Carson Cooper, Boston Bruins, third, with 60.



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