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SUSSEX COLTS TRIM CH'TOWN ABBIES 3-1

Wonderful Work of Diamond, the Visitors' Goalie, Saved Team From Bad Beating.—"Bill" Hay Played With Sussex and Showed His Old Time Form.—Was a Great Game.

Hockey fans witnessed one of the best games seen on Sussex ice for some time when on Friday night last the Sussex Colts trimmed the Charlottetown Abbies to the tune of 3-1.

It came pretty near being a shut out as the Abbies battled hard for 58 minutes to place the puck behind Roach, and only succeeded in doing so within two minutes of the ending of the last period. And Roach was not in any way to blame for the score being made.

Diamond was a busy man during the evening's entertainment and he certainly exhibited his wares as a net artist in a manner that spelt "star goalie." If it had not been for his wonderful work the visitors would have received a bad trimming.

Roach in goal for Sussex though not called on nearly as often as Diamond, also played a stellar game.

"Bill" Hay after two seasons' absence from active play, appeared on the defence, in place of Percy Radcliffe, who was injured in the last game played here with Saint John.

"Bill" showed up in his old time form and thoroughly enjoyed himself in breaking up rushes of the Abbies, and also in making some nice individual plays, one of which resulted in the first score for Sussex.

Harold Radcliffe was at his very best, and the whole Sussex outfit put up a gilt edge brand of hockey.

Prowse and McEachern starred for the visitors.

Joe Leclair refereed satisfactorily to all concerned.

The game was fast and clean, only three penalties being handed out, all of which were for minor offences.

In the first period for ten minutes the play centered very much in the

vicinity of the Abbies' goalie and he was peppered with shots, all of which he took care of nicely.

The puck was kept moving swiftly up and down the ice for the last half of the period, but it ended without either team being able to score.

In the second period after 11 minutes' play Hay came down the ice and sent in a hot one which struck the net and rebounded. There was some little dispute over the goal but it was allowed. Harold Radcliffe, six minutes later, in one of the nicest plays ever staged in the arena, landed the puck behind Diamond for Sussex' second goal.

There was no further scoring and the second period ended Sussex 2, Abbies 0.

Early in the third period H. Radcliffe on a pass from J. Friars scored, and there was no other tallies made until about two minutes of the ending of the period, when McEachern notched one up for the visitors and the period and game ended with the score standing Sussex 3, Abbies 1.

During the third period the lights in the rink went out owing to the blowing of a fuse and the game was delayed about 10 minutes.

There was a good attendance of fans at the game.

The line-ups were:

Abbies	Goal.	Sussex
Diamond	Roach	
Kelly	Defence	W. Hay
E. Diamond	J. Friars	
	Forwards	
Prowse	H. Radcliffe	
McEachern	Lutz	
Campbell	E. Friar	
Cox	M. Radcliffe	
Cronin	Brooks	

PASSEKEAG

Feb. 22.—The recent snow storms, which have made the roads in a bad condition and almost impassable, but our popular mail driver was able to make his regular trips.

Charles and Pearl Kennedy arrived home Thursday from Maine to attend the funeral of James Kennedy.

Miss Adelaide Bettie spent Saturday in Norton.

Frank D. Oherly is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Doherty.

Miss Annie Maxwell spent the week end at her home here.

Gus Hourihan of Wards Creek, attended the funeral here on Saturday.

Miss Amelia Dunlop spent the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunlop.

R. Ryan spent Sunday at his home.

ANAGANCE

Feb. 23.—The members of the Women's Institute held a quilting party at the home of Mrs. Stanley Hall on Wednesday afternoon. Supper was served by the hostess and an enjoyable and profitable afternoon was spent. The regular meeting of the Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon, Mar. 4th.

Wilford Hubley spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Arch Osborne spent a few days with relatives in Moncton.

Keith Bros. unloaded a car of feed here this week.

Mrs. N. Nickerson is spending some time in St. John, called there by the death of her grandson, eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith.

PENOBSCUIS

Feb. 22.—The Penobscuis Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. S. J. Morton on Thursday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Albert Hall, in the chair. Thirteen members answered to roll call. Correspondence relating to the Institute was read and discussed. The quilt, which the Women's Institute was making for the new home at Coverdale, was reported completed. Mrs. M. R. Welling invited the Institute to meet with her for the March meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. Banister, Mrs. George Hall and Miss Stella Crandall.

L.O.B.A. No. 143, met for their regular meeting on Thursday evening. The officers were installed for the year and three members were given the scarlet degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart spent several days last week in Moncton.

Miss Jean Wallace and Marjorie Morton spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McLeod, Roschville.

Miss Nellie Freeze is at present nursing in Sussex.

S. J. Morton has finished his lumber operations in Mechanic and has returned to his home.

Mrs. Albert Scott, who is spending the winter in St. John, spent several days of last week at her home here.

The many friends of Mrs. Dimock are sorry to hear of her illness and wish her a speedy recovery.

STEWARTON

Feb. 22.—The weather of late has been extremely rough and stormy, leaving us our choice of being shut off or shovelling and snow plowing. We have been quite fortunate this winter so far as regards our mail. We have only missed three deliveries, which speaks well for our road master and men.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Desnousseau will hear with regret of the death of their protegee, Arthur Rancourt, at the age of 18 years, who died on February 16th. Although not of robust health relatives and friends did not realize that the grim reaper was so near until two months ago. The funeral service was held at Norton at the Church of the Sacred Heart, High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by Rev. Michael O'Brien. Burial was in Sacred Heart cemetery, Feb. 18th at noon. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Otto Cain, Jack Lockhart, Hazen and Eddie Taylor.

Messrs. Joseph Appleby, Wm. Stevenson, George Carlisle, Mrs. Lewis H. Martin, Masters Alex. and Bruce Martin attended High Mass for the late Arthur Rancourt on Thursday, Feb. 18th, at Sacred Heart Church, Norton.

Dr. Fraser was called one day last week to perform a minor operation on the little daughter of Mrs. Charles Hersey.

Mrs. Chisholm has returned home after spending two months in Westfield and St. John with relatives.

Quite a few people are on the sick list with colds, although none requiring medical attendance.

Robert Stewart's men are having a hard time to finish hauling their logs left from last winter, on account of the bad state of roads. They also had the misfortune to lose one of their horses.

MT. MIDDLETON

Feb. 22.—An item in the Mt. Middleton notes of last week read as follows: "Orin Northrup had the misfortune to lose a horse last week." This was an error, as the item should have read that George Askwith had the misfortune to lose a horse. The unfortunate animal broke its leg while turning into the gateway at Mr. Askwith's home.

Feb. 24.—Miss Chambers of Knehtville, is now engaged as nurse to Miss Lelia Sharp.

A number of young people spent last Thursday evening at the home of Frank Hetherington. The evening was passed in games, the party breaking up at an early hour.

Harrison Murray spent Sunday at the home of I. H. Killam.

A birthday party was held in honor of Miss Pauline Chapman, Saturday last. Quite a number of young people were present, the evening being passed pleasantly in games and music.

George and Harold Lucas who have been employed in the woods this winter, have now returned home.

COLES ISLAND

Feb. 22.—Miss Vivian Stewart has been spending a few days at her home on account of her mother being ill. She returned to Hampstead Mon-

KINGS BANNER DAIRY COUNTY OF PROVINCE

Within its Boundaries One-third of the Creamery Butter and Ninety Per Cent. of Cheese Made in the Province is Produced.—Supplies Saint John With Milk and Cream.

Kings County besides being the chief source of supply for milk and cream of the city of Saint John, has within its boundaries 18 out of the 21 cheese factories operating in the province, and also the butter factory having the largest output. A large quantity of milk is also sent to Moncton. That Kings is the banner dairy section of the province goes without saying. 1925 was a great year for the dairy industry, as information received through Assistant Dairy Superintendent J. R. Sutherland will show.

Mr. Sutherland states that the higher price received for butter and cheese during the year acted as a stimulus to the industry.

There were 14 creameries in operation in the province during the year and there was an increase of over 70,000 pounds in the output of butter over 1924. The total output of butter was 1,232,927 pounds and of this amount, 406,448 lbs. or practically one-third, was made in the factory of the Sussex Cheese & Butter made in the province.

The value of \$469,295.69, and of this amount the Sussex factory contributed \$162,572.20. The factory at Jeffries Corner manufactured 64,850 lbs. of butter valued at \$23,064.02.

During 1925 the cheese factories of the province made in the 21 factories operated 1,112,894 lbs. of cheese valued at \$225,226.85.

All of the above cheese with the exception of 128,987 lbs. valued at \$24,861.82 was the product of Kings county factories. In other words over a third of the butter made in the creameries of the province and 90 per cent. of the cheese, was produced in Kings county.

Cheese Factories
Dairy Supt. Sutherland further states that the season of 1925 was a banner year for the cheese industry. The price of cheese was relatively higher than butter throughout the season and as a result the production of cheese was considerably increased.

The reports of the various factories operated through the year show an increase of over 240,000 pounds of cheese over the previous year. There were 21 factories manufacturing cheese during the season. The Corn Hill factory did not operate, but this did not mean a lessening of production, as practically all the milk that heretofore had gone to this concern was delivered to nearby factories. The Newtown cheese factory that had been lying dormant since 1921 was re-opened and a very satisfactory year's business is reported and the cheese plant began operations the first of August and a considerable quantity of cheese was manufactured.

The equipment and general appearance of cheese factories as a whole

are greatly in need of improvement, such as better floors, painted walls and new utensils. In most cases the necessary improvement would not entail the expenditure of a great amount of capital. Too much emphasis cannot be placed in the appearance of factories or the necessity of keeping whey tanks and general surroundings clean and sanitary.

Quality of Cheese
Quality is a matter of much concern to the reputation of New Brunswick cheese at the present time. The flavor of the cheese seems fairly good when freshly made but does not stand up in cold storage. It is therefore apparent that the quality of milk delivered to the factories is largely responsible for this condition and patrons should make special effort to co-operate with the cheesemaker in overcoming defects that can be traced to the milk supply. The texture, closeness and moisture content of our cheese showed great uniformity.

The majority of complaints regarding New Brunswick cheese from the trade were in regard to finish and appearance and in most cases the criticism was justified. Our cheese has to compete with the finest Ontario make in the local market and if we are to continue to supply the home market it will be necessary to manufacture a finer and more attractive type of cheese. Poorly finished cheese is partly the fault of the cheesemaker, but in some cases it is the result of faulty equipment. Careless bandaging, allowing the cheese to stand on moldy shelves before waxing and poor waxing are defects that are under the control of the cheesemaker and could be remedied by making him responsible for the finish of his cheese, provided the equipment is in good condition.

Cheese Board
The cheese board held thirteen regular meetings during the season and a greater quantity of cheese was sold through the Board than during any previous year.

Through the agency of the Cheese Board a precedent was established in manufacturing triplet cheese. The New Brunswick Wholesale Grocers Association recommend that cheese weighing from 20 to 28 pounds, packed three in a box be manufactured to replace in part the twin size of cheese that had been made exclusively in New Brunswick for a number of years.

A committee from the Board met the wholesale grocers and it was agreed to make the smaller size of cheese for which the buyers were willing to pay half a cent above the twin price. The factories were well satisfied with the arrangement and a considerable quantity of triplet cheese was manufactured.

Lbs. Milk Received
Lbs. Cheese Made
Value

Factory	Lbs. Milk Received	Lbs. Cheese Made	Value
Albert Dairy Co.	190,556	19,955	\$ 4,096.82
Bethrick	328,173	30,334	6,209.44
Bathurst	185,000	18,000	3,744.00
Bellefleur	609,518	58,851	12,361.77
Collins	510,571	49,342	9,861.19
Carletonville	206,082	20,630	4,089.86
Corn Hill C. & B. Co.	1,621,310	150,230	30,614.62
Clover Hill	218,119	19,494	3,948.49
Hammond Vale	265,144	23,599	4,851.88
Havelock	1,281,117	117,929	23,585.33
Head Millstream	690,556	67,613	13,811.00
Killam's Mills	488,060	44,840	9,379.00
Knightville	695,817	63,700	13,272.22
Lewis Mountain	687,000	65,092	11,606.00
Lower Ridge	524,772	49,663	9,936.14
Mt. Middleton	327,557	30,917	6,246.02
Mannhurst	532,717	48,032	9,814.03
Newtown	689,773	64,993	13,162.64
Pearsonville	387,131	36,739	7,560.01
Penobscuis	1,001,006	97,753	20,121.13
Springfield	379,517	36,653	7,459.26

11,819,294 1,112,894 \$225,226.85

Elizabeth Simpson, spent an evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Long.

Mr. Arthur Wright, of Head of Millstream, spent Sunday at the home of Charles B. Steen.

Mr. Bliss Darling and Frank Long of Pleasant Ridge, passed through here on Friday.

Miss Florence Parlee spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Long.

Mr. Allan Simpson spent Sunday afternoon at Pleasant Ridge.

Mr. Edward Chown, of Keirstead Mountain, spent Sunday evening at the home of J. H. Ganong.

Mr. Hedley Cameron spent Saturday at Marlow.

Mr. Kenneth Simpson of Erb Settlement, spent Sunday at his home here.

Ross Simpson is spending some time at Lower Millstream.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Long spent Sunday evening at the home of Allan Simpson.

Miss Elizabeth Simpson spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Duncan McFarlane, of Keirstead Mtn.

All the family skeletons are not confined in closets, says an exchange. Many of the mummy be seen at the bathing beaches.

NATIONAL DAIRY COUNCIL MEETING

Annual Session Held at Quebec Last Week Was Attended by J. Frank Roach and A. J. Conrad, of Sussex.—Wide Variety of Interesting Topics Discussed.

The seventh annual meeting of the National Dairy Council of Canada was held at Quebec last week at which many interesting aspects of the industry were touched on.

Among the delegates present were J. Frank Roach and A. J. Conrad, of Sussex. The Montreal Bulletin states that among the subjects discussed were arbitrary weights for ice cream empties; express rates on ice cream in iceless containers; stamp tax on cream tickets; education work and distribution of educational literature and charts; Toronto milk campaign and others. Finances of the Council were shown to be the best in condition since its establishment. At the end of 1925 a balance of \$5,451.04 and there are no debts. The contribution from Ontario of \$5,600 is one of the specially gratifying features of the statement.

The big features of the meeting was the discussion on freight rates on butter and cheese; compulsory pasteurization; Atlantic rates; commodity rates on cheese; the Australian agreement; and domestic and foreign markets. These questions were very thoroughly ventilated as follows:

Freight Rates on Butter and Cheese
By Order in Council dated June 5th, 1925, the Government instructed the Railway Commission to make a thorough investigation of railway transportation charges in Canada with a view to reducing excessive rates and bringing about more equality in freight rates throughout the country. The Railway Commission invited all those who had any matters to bring before it on the inquiry to submit their statements in writing by the 15th day of August. A submission was put in on behalf of this Council, but no definite action was taken by the Board in 1925. It is expected that in the near future the Board will be held by the Board in different parts of Canada in connection with their freight investigation. It is to be hoped that as many dairy men as possible will prepare evidence to be submitted to the commission at some convenient sitting of any requests for changes in rates which they would like to have brought about. The Council has a number of traffic matters pending before the Commission but it is not expected that final action will be taken in any of them till the general investigation has been completed.

Compulsory Pasteurization
An agitation is developing in a number of cities and towns in Canada for the passage of municipal bylaws requiring the compulsory pasteurization of all milk sold for human consumption in these municipalities. Success in securing the passage of such bylaws rests largely on public opinion. In order to educate the public to appreciate the necessity of pasteurization the Council is having prepared a booklet specially written by Dr. N. Smith, the eminent scientist, who has

had considerable experience in dealing with the milk question as an officer of the department of health of the city of Toronto. A large number of copies of this booklet will be printed and distributed.

Atlantic Rates
During the last session of Parliament the question of the reasonableness of Atlantic Ocean rates on Canadian exports to Europe was taken up by a special committee of the House of Commons. This Council arranged for the submission of expert evidence before the Committee which clearly established the unreasonable and excessive nature of the rates on butter and cheese. Unfortunately, owing to the sudden death of Sir William Peterson, with whom a contract was being arranged to carry commodities across the Atlantic at reduced rates, no definite action was taken. It is expected that the matter will be taken up at the 1926 session of Parliament and suitable action taken.

Commodity Rates on Cheese
In May last the railway companies applied to the Railway Commission for permission to cancel the commodity rates on cheese to Montreal. These are most important rates because all the export cheese moves under them. The cancellation of these rates would have meant higher rates on cheese. The Council opposed the application, which was reserved. No decision has ever been given, and we do not think the matter will be heard of again. The commodity rates have remained in effect.

The Australian Agreement
During the dying hours of the last session of Parliament, legislation was passed approving of an agreement with Australia which originally had a provision allowing Australian butter into Canada on payment of a duty of two cents a pound, but which at the last moment was amended to allow Australian butter in on the payment of a one cent a pound duty. This change was made and the agreement approved by Parliament without giving any opportunity for organized opposition to it to be arranged or to be heard. The agreement only became effective on October 1st, 1925, but already it is quite evident that it is going to have a very detrimental effect on the Canadian butter market, particularly during our winter season, which is the Australian summer season and therefore the time of its greatest and cheapest production. This will be injurious to winter dairymen in Canada and a serious check on our butter industry. Our Executive have had the matter under consideration and have decided that a strong effort should be made to get the agreement modified and Australian butter put on the basis that it occupied prior to the agreement. That is, it should pay a duty of four cents a pound on entering Canada.

SUSSEX RIFLE CLUB

Capt. J. D. Perkins.....79 81 160
J. H. Kirk.....98 96 194
Wm. Robinson.....94 89 183
H. Wiles.....94 83 177
M. Carleton.....87 87 174
Louis McKenna.....69 83 152
J. M. Barton.....63 58 121

Capt. J. F. Prescott.....91 95 186
S. Perkins.....98 95 193
M. A. McKenna.....95 88 183
Wm. Keith.....94 83 177
H. N. Jonah.....85 91 176-915

Capt. P. A. Ellison.....98 94 192
H. Matthews.....99 95 194
Bey Proctor.....95 91 186
John Morrell.....92 88 180
H. Cripps.....92 88 180-932
J. J. Jackson.....92 86 178
C. B. Cripps.....89 86 175

Capt. G. S. Kinnear.....97 92 189
A. L. Miller.....98 97 195
K. Prescott.....94 94 188
M. A. Brown.....93 91 184
Wm. Keith.....90 87 177-933
J. A. Ferguson.....88 89 177
Arthur Kelso.....90 85 175

Capt. F. Lewis.....100 100 200
R. Proctor.....98 95 193
D. White.....98 94 192
J. Jones.....95 94 189
Jack Watson.....85 90 185-959
E. M. McRae.....87 73 165
J. Keith.....82 81 163

Capt. I. C. Bunnell.....95 92 187
G. W. Jones.....99 96 195
H. G. Kirk.....97 95 192
E. Lounsbury.....95 94 189
Phil Rouse.....88 89 177-940
A. Keith.....88 86 174

TYNEMOUTH

Feb. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. William Greer were visitors to Bains Corner on Saturday.

Misses Eva Deredin and Jean Chaterton visited Coleraine on Saturday.

Mrs. Perry Shanklin of Bains Corner was the guest of Mrs. Joseph

Campbell on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Chaterton and son Murray spent Sunday at their home here.

Mr. John Loughery was a visitor to Shanklin on Sunday.

Misses Jessie Moore and Edith Moore of Midway, were the guests of Mrs. William Greer on Sunday.

Miss Flossie Moore was the guest of Mrs. James Garland, Coleraine, on Saturday.

Mr. William Benjamin was the guest of Mr. John Loughery on Tuesday evening.

NOBODY LEARNING TRADES

The complaint was voiced recently, says the Stratford Herald, that there was a shortage of mechanics in Canada or will be when the period of prosperity breaks on the country. A good many of Canada's trained mechanics have gone to the United States, and Canadian boys are no longer learning trades as they used to do. The complaint about the shortage of mechanics in Canada is significant of the belief that an era of industrial activity is at hand. Some time ago the complaint was made that there were too many mechanics in the country, or at least that there were more of them than could find good jobs. The complaint that boys are no longer learning trades is not restricted to Canada. It is indicative of modern conditions. Some put the blame on the multiplication of automatic machinery—boys will not spend the time necessary to learn a trade, and be content with a nominal wage, when they can go into a factory and learn to operate a machine in a few days. Others put the blame on our school system, which, it is claimed, helps to create a desire for what are called "white collar" jobs. Possibly the conditions complained of may be trusted to adjust themselves in time.

Teacher—Rastus, what animal is most noted for its fur?

Rastus—De skunk. De more fur you gets away from him de better it is fer you.