

Everyone in what is described as the western world, from the kid next door to the striped-pants gent at the embassy must inve given a big sigh of relief after yesterday's big win for the Penticton Vs. It was an actual, moral and political triumph, of which, propaganda-wise, we probably haven't heard the last.

Undoubtedly there will be recriminating articles in Russian newspapers and fellow-travelling sheets in the western world against the rough tactics of the Canadian-type hockey, but this is to be expected. It is particularly to be expected inasmuch as the Dynamos, like so many hot-shot outfits, were found to have skates of clay when put to the "chips are down" test. They turned out, to be a "great-when-winning-team" according to the broad-

Today, probably, back beyond the Urals, small boys are enthusiastically tearing up pictures of Dynamo goalie Putchskov and its doubtful if 100 eigarette cards of centreman Bobrov could be exchanged for one of Malenkov, who is no hero himself at the

Back in Penticton, delirium reigned and without a doubt this home-team supporting town of some 12,000 souls is planning a bang-up reception for the Vs that will put many a larger centre to allame. For a city that depends largely on the vagaries of the apple and peach market for its existence, Penticton does a superb job of supporting the home-town club,

It is puzzling to note that Toronto, the city that produced the Lyndhursts who provided the Dynamos with a victory march through the Red Square last year, also produced the only telegram of encouragement received by the Vs from a major league hockey club . . . a "Go-Vees-Go" wire from Hap Day, coach of the Maple Leafs.

Speaking of the Maple Leafs, Foster Hewitt seemed a little lost on his broadcast. It didn't seem to have quite the zip and continuity that his Saturday night NHL coverage has. True the broadcasting facilities were not the same as at Maple Leaf Gardens and names like Kuchevsky and Sologubov not as easy and camiliar as Kelly and Howe, but those are the problems one expects Canada's "Hockey Voice" to be able to take in his stride.

The main thing, however, was the result which made Canada a unitedly happy place for an hour or two.

On the local basketball front, Gordon and Anderson have turned in vastly improved performances in their last two games with Rainmakers, who, if anything have deteriorated somewhat.

Saturday night's game had a couple of ramifications, however, which make it less than 100 per cent palatable fare. One, of course, was the set-to between Rupe Holkestad and Greig Forbes which resulted in them both getting the heave-ho. As we were not sitting in that corner of the gym, it is not possible to say who is to blame. From where we sat it looked like a straight collision, with Rupe getting the worst of the "boarding." What vords, if any, were exchanged between the pair were not audible at the G & A bench, but there's no doubt as to whose face got

Today should tell the tale, according to George Brown, baslietball association president as to whether G & A will be without Holkestad's services for a game or two. It depends on the interpretation put on the incident by referees Ray Spring and Gien Carlson, the PRBA prexy said.

The threat of a forseiture or protest, over the sailure, of three G & A players to be members of the Civic Centre, was a sad development, too.

If there was even the smallest possibility of a forfeiture or protest developing from a technicality that existed before the game started, then the game should have been either cancelled and awarded at the outset, or at least held up until some mutual roint of agreement had been reached.

It would also behoove any coach who has players who are not Civic Centre members to make sure they take out a membership before they find a protest in their lap.

The commission acted wisely in not throwing out the game, although they would have been perfectly justified in doing so. The "membership" sule was laid down long enough ago for everyone to have knowledge of its existence. However, a hard and

fast ruling would have only resulted in more grief. Glad to see that the commission has decided to extend the junior league playoffs to a four team affair. There again, a situation was developing which was not healthy for baskethall here. A four-team playoff seems as fair a way as any to handle the situation.

Sunrise, of the intermediate loop and Bo-Me-III Golds of the senior girls, have ventured to Kitimat in search of further glory in their inter-high tourneys with other B.C. towns. Sunrise, coached by Booth principal R. H. Davidson and Golds coached by Mrs. Bert White left last night by boat,

Next on the list to try their hand at out-of-town competition are the Rainmakers who will be taking in the B.C. high school . championships in Vancouver March 18 to 19. Coach Don Hartwig "has not yet chosen his team, whose roster will depend, he says partly on finances and partly on a perusal of student's grades,

We cannot report too much success for Howard Wale of liazelton who wrote asking for information concerning a middleweight bout between Carmel Basilio of Syracuso and Peter Mueller of Germany. Mr. Wale said he was trying to convince a friend that Beello decisioned the German in a bout during January. A check of back lesues to the beginning of Dicepiper shows Mueller in three bouts and Basillo in one, but never together. March 2, Joey Clardello ko'ed Mueller in the second round at Milwaukee and during December Mueller knocked out Ernie Durando in the seventh at the same place. The German also outpointed Joe Micell in 10 rounds at Boston in December. Only Basillo fight we have a record of is a December 17 bout in which he stopped Ronnie Harper of Detroit in the third at Akron. Only January bout published in The Daily News, featuring a German, was the Los Angeles heavyweight bout in which Charlle Powell outpointed Hans Friedrich of Dortmund in ten,

### Aston Rink Wins Murray Trophy

The Peggy Aston rink won the Art Murray Trophy yesterday by besting the Kathy Kerr entry 14-8 in the Albal Admes by the Women's Ourling? Olub before the Women's Bonspiel

Aston advanced to the finals by downing Anderson 10-9 and John-

ston 11-8 last Monday while Kerr iwent through the semi-finals defeatting Petrow 13-5 and Wilkins 11-10. SAWS SHARPENED

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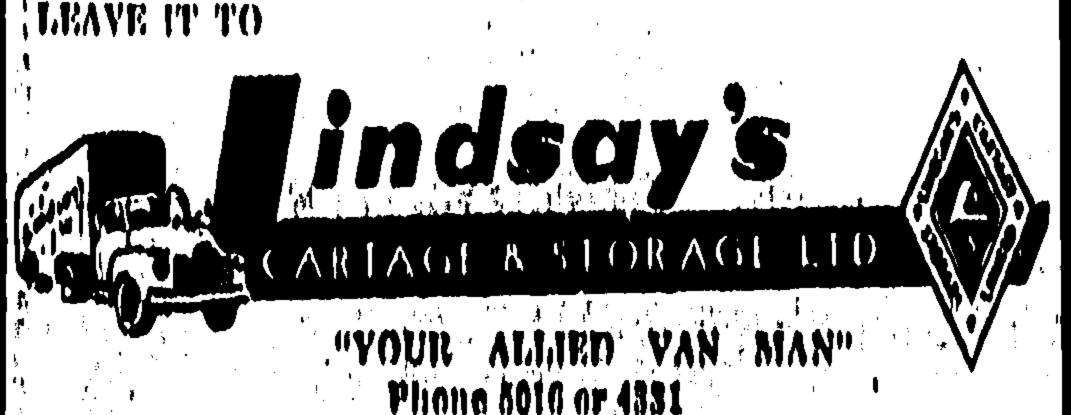
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# Enter Finals

Gordon and Anderson advanced into the Senior B basketball finals against Manson's Omegas Saturday night by walloping Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers 64-39 in a fast-action game that saw two players ejected and which forced an emergency meeting of Basketball Association executive over a possible protest.

cutclassed the high school team later drank beer from it. and led 33-24 and 44-30 at half and three-quarter time.

series with Golds, taking a 12-11 in the clutch as each picked up decision, while Sunrise upset a pair of goals. Captain George IMPECCABLE PERFORMANCE North Star 47-32 to take the first McAvoy scored the fifth goal to game of their semi finals, Sport climax the one-sided battle. Shop eked out a 30-29 win over Annunciation in a junior boys! game in the other preliminary.

point attack, backed up by Marshall with 12 and Jim Flaten Kristmanson led the losers wil 10 points each.

Two technical fouls were handed out in the second quarter, one to each team, as Rupe Holkestad and Greig Forbes became the endous din with their assorted n-incipals in a one-sided cuffing noise-makers and took up Penduel. Referees Ray Spring and ticton's battle cry, "Go' Vs Go." Glen Carlson also assessed 23 personal fouls, 12 to Booth.

shots, the hardwaremen proved adians. It took 10 minutes to re- hockey is played in Canada. superior to their opponents, who store order for the trophy presin the last frame appeared al-jentation. most completely disorganized.

the G & A squad were not paid- tournaments they have entered. up members of the Civic Centre. One of the most down-hearta stipulation brought in at the ened players was Nikolai Puchfirst of the season.

in junior and intermediate ranks the third period. who are not Centre members comply with this ruling.

one game each, Greens staged a Krkychan. last frame rally to come from But for young Ivan McLelland behind an 11-6 deficit on field-lit was a day of glory. For the

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## Piche Winner At Billiards

Paul Piche won over Jock Campbell in the final game of the Canadian Legion Billiard Tournament played over the weckend. Nell Cameron's break! of 38 stood up as the highest of the series.

The next tournament draw will take place tonight and it is hoped that the players can get fall games in the first round completed by the end of this

### Hockey Scores

Saturday Montreal 4, Chicago 4 Toronto 2. Boston 2 Detroit 6, New York 2 Sunday

Montreal 4, Ohleago 3 Boston 3, Toronto 1 Detroit 2, New York !

Edmonton 7. New Westminster 3 Victoria 4. Vancouver 3 Calgary 0, Sankatoon 3,

By ARCH MacKENZIE

KREFELD, Germany (CP)—Penticton Vs outplayed and outmanoeuvred Russia's defending champions Sunday to regain the world hockey crown Canada with a decisive 5-0 victory.

The helmeted, red-and-white luniformed Russians were a de-From the start of the second jected lot as the Canadians requarter when they broke a 14-14 ceived the championship cup. tle, the hardwaremen completely The cinderella Penticton crew

After the first period, there was no doubt who would win. The Senior B game was one of The only question was by how three playoff contests. In the much. Mike Shabaga and Bill senior girls game, Bo-Me-Hi Warwick, veterans of many Greens evened the best-of-three playoff game, were the big men

10,000 fans including many Can-Finland, Poland and Sweden. He adian soldiers and airmen turned allowed three goals against Danny Bill led C & A with a Krefeld's Rheinland-Halle into Czechoslovakia and one each to a madhouse. Even the Germans, the United States, Switzerland Maddy Sedwick with 13, Harold who booed the Canadians for and Germany for a .75 average. rough "Canadian style" hockey! Puchkov, with the next best with 10. Art Helin and Fred in previous sames, joined the goals-against average, allowed) Canadian supporters in the wild 13.

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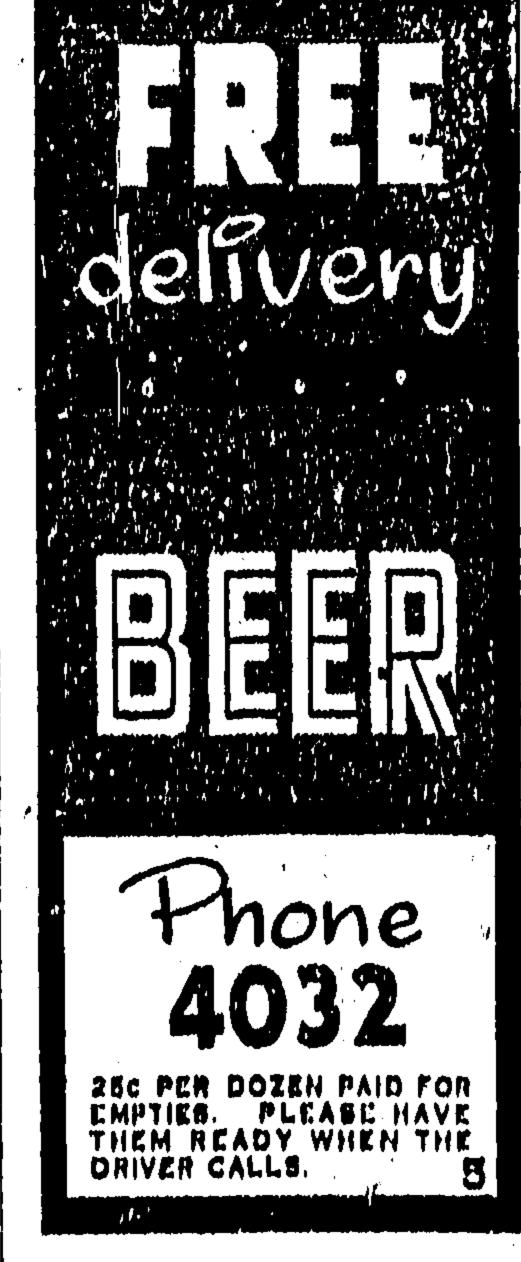
The spectators raised a trem-

al whistle, spectators poured on and relaxed nerves. In checking, shooting and foul to the ice and hugged the Can-

stated that three members of the first time in the two world the Russians 7-2.

kov, the regular Soviet net-However, a meeting of the minder and one of the 15 holdbasketball commission following overs from last year's champthe game decided that, provided ionship team, Puchkov, last! the delinquent players paid their year's leading tournament goalle, membership fees, the game was pulled out shortly after would stand. Action will also be Penticton scored its last two taken to see that other players goals in the first 2½ minutes of

Puchkov looked very sad as he skated off the ice and was re-In the evening their series at placed by sub-goalle Grigory;



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produced the best defensive as amiters. well as offensive hockey in the The Russians tried one rigid with a short summary of the 10-game tournament.

in Conway and McAvoy. stocky McLelland chalked four shutouts in eight games and: allowed a total of six goals.

cable performance against the trating on the wingers. An overflow crowd of almost Russians after having shut out,

> The Russians just didn't have the hockey savvy to cope with | the Canadians.

"We outsmarted them, outskated them, outpassed them and ! outplayed them," said Bill Warwick in a dressing room atmos-After the referee blow the fin- phere crackling with happiness

It was a triumph for the way And it put Canada's interna-

tional hockey reputation back: The Canadian strategy was so where it was before Russia took It was during the final quarter iron-clad that the leading Soviet the world title in her first try! that the question of a possible player, 32-year-old Vsevolod Bob- last March in Stockholm. Canforfeiture was introduced by Bert rov, never got a shot on goals as ada sent over Toronto East York, White, PRBA secretary, who the Russians were shut out for a senior B team, and it lost to

bullt and with the Warwicks pro- out of position, . . viding the spark won the Allan

GREAT OPPORTUNISTS

In the nine-country round-robin world tournament, the proved great opportunists. They adapted themselves quickly and played just as well as was necfor cssary to win all eight games.

late Tuesday. Full of spirit and fire, the Vs were a good team and one of the 24-year-old goalkeeper from strongest to play for Canada gome will be sent to eastern and TA South Porcupine, Ont., was one since the pre-war Trail Smoke of the big reasons why Penticton Eaters and the Kimberley Dyn-

attack pattern and when this play. Station in Poland, Czech-Backed by the able support of failed they were lost. They let such defence stalwarts as Key-their wingers handle the puck as ried running commentaties, the they moved down the ice. After i un crossing the attacking blueline tor complained now and then of the Russians invariably passed to the centre.

no excuses for the Soviet defeat. The Canadians soon solved the attacks, nipping off the Russians He turned in another impec- around the blueline by concen-

> The Russians seemed to suffer most from lack of vigor and bite. They worked a cross-rink pass effectively and their wingers looked pretty fair. They gave goalie McLelland a couple of close call, and defenceman Me-1 Avoy cleared the rebound of a

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A. E. Powley, CBC supervisor

of outside broadcasts, said the

film which has to be processed

probably will not be shown until

Kinescope productions of the

But the East German Television films of the game tator complained of are being flown to Canada and fairness" of the Canada will appear on the CBC's network

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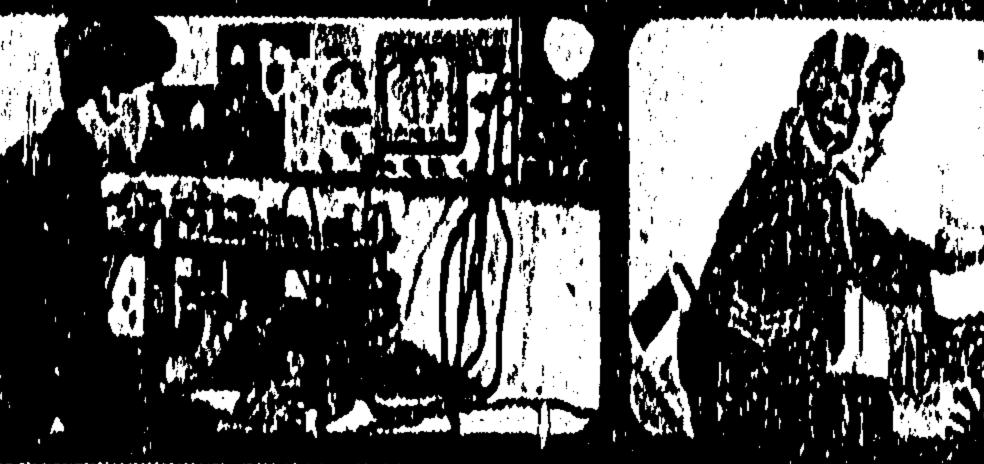
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