



**HOCKEY  
HANDBOOK  
1980-1981**

**CANADIAN AMATEUR  
HOCKEY ASSOCIATION**

**CONSTITUTION**

**Bylaws and History as Adopted at Ottawa  
December 4th, 1914 and Amended to May 1980**

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This edition is prepared for easy and convenient reference only. Should errors occur, the contents of this book will be interpreted by the Executive Director according to the official minutes of meetings of the Association.

The Senior, Junior and Minor Regulations, as well as the playing rules of this association, are published in separate booklets and may be obtained from the Secretary-Manager of any CAHA Branch, or from the National Office.

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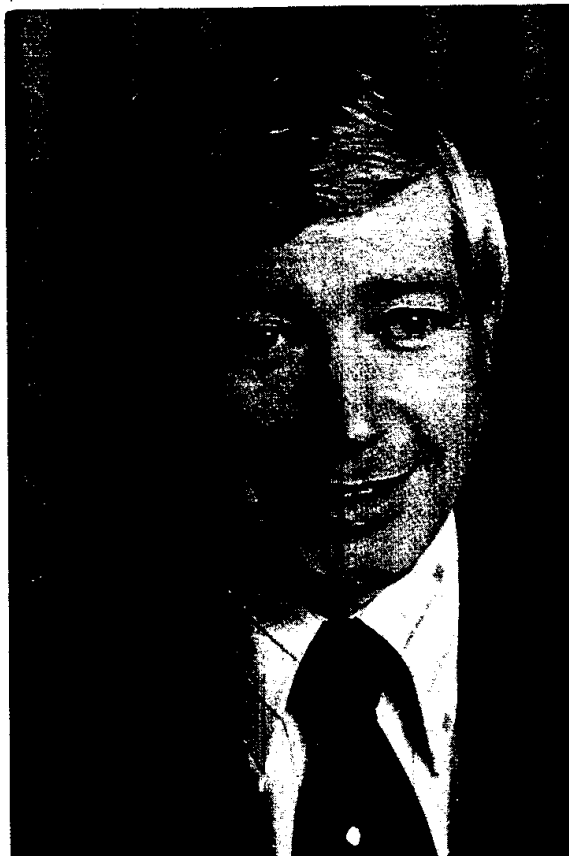
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The Officers of the Association

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Negotiating Committee .....Frank L. McKinnon  
Standing Rules Committee .....Ron Chalmers  
Olympic Committee .....Murray Costello  
CAHA/CMJHL Negotiating Committee .....Murray Costello  
Int./Ext. Communications Committee .....Larry Skinner  
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C.G. Patterson, Guelph, Ontario

### Patton Cup

Art Potter, Edmonton, Alberta  
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### G.P. Bolton Memorial Trophy

Frank Sargent, Thunder Bay, Ontario  
J.H. Witteker, Cornwall, Ontario  
Hanson Dowell, Middleton, N.S.

### Abbott Memorial Cup

Fred Wilson, Regina, Saskatchewan  
E. Vic Johnson, Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Gordon Orser, Lethbridge, Alberta  
Frank Spring, Cambrook, B.C.

### George T. Richardson Trophy

Frank Buckland, Peterborough, Ontario  
Robert LeBel, Chambly, P.Q.  
Frank Doherty, Thorold, Ontario

### Manitoba Centennial Trophy

Earl Dawson, Winnipeg, Manitoba  
William Addison, Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Frank McKinnon, Carman, Manitoba

### Dudley Hewitt Memorial Trophy

C.G. Patterson, Guelph, Ontario  
Lloyd Pollock, Windsor, Ontario  
William Hanley, Toronto, Ontario

### W.G. Hardy Trophy

Pat Smith, Cornwall, Ontario  
Harold Brandreth, Calgary, Alberta  
Don Kerr, Cardale, Manitoba  
Robert LeBel, Chambly, Quebec

### Edmonton Journal Cup

Gordon Orser, Lethbridge, Alberta  
Art Potter, Edmonton, Alberta  
Ray Marsh, Red Deer Alberta

### The Col. J. Bourque Cup

Lionel Fleury, Quebec, P.Q.  
Hanson Dowell, Middleton, N.S.

### Wills International Trophy

Lloyd Pollock, Windsor, Ontario  
Pat Smith, Cornwall, Ontario  
P.E.M. Thompson, Absecon, N.J., U.S.A.

### Air Canada Cup

Claude Taylor, Montreal P.Q.  
Pierre Jerome, Montreal, P.Q.  
Cliffe Phillips, Newmarket, Ontario

### Colonel Sanders Cup

Brian Wakelin, St John, Newfoundland  
Bob Cawley, Toronto, Ontario  
Edward Gogoff, Toronto, Ontario

### Callaghan Trophy

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### Officers

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Vice-Presidents: C.A. Erhardt, F.A. DeMarwicz  
Secretary: Mrs. P.M. Marsh

# **PART I**

## **SECTION 1.**

### **Constitution**

WHEREAS the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association is a voluntary Association of members and individuals, designed to promote and foster amateur hockey throughout Canada;

AND WHEREAS members and individuals participating in the activities and games sponsored by C.A.H.A. or its branch members have confidence in the judgment of the Board of Directors of the C.A.H.A.;

AND WHEREAS it is declared that one of the purposes of this Constitution, and the Association's by-laws, regulations and rules shall be to confer upon the C.A.H.A. and its Board of Directors all of the powers of a fully self-governing organization;

NOW THEREFORE be it enacted:

#### **ARTICLE 1.**

- 1 This organization shall be called the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

#### **ARTICLE 2.**

- 2 (a) The Association is the governing body of amateur hockey in Canada in accordance with the definition of an amateur hockey player hereinafter set down.
- 3 (b) The Association is a member of the International Ice Hockey Federation.

#### **ARTICLE 3.**

##### **Objects**

- 4 (a) Its objects are to foster and encourage the sport of amateur hockey throughout Canada.
- (b) To foster and encourage leadership programs in all areas related to the development of Hockey in Canada.
- 5 (c) To promote and encourage the foundation of Provincial and Inter-Collegiate Amateur Hockey Associations as local governing bodies.

- (d) To establish and maintain a uniform test of amateur standing and uniform playing rules for amateur hockey.

- 7 (e) To affiliate with and co-operate with other national or international amateur hockey organizations.

- 8 (f) To conduct inter-branch and international contests of amateur hockey.

#### **ARTICLE 4.**

##### **Definition of an Amateur**

- 10 (a) An amateur hockey player is one who is not engaged in organized professional hockey, or if he has so engaged, has been reinstated.
- 11 (b) Amateur hockey players may, however, take part in not more than five professional games in any one season as provided in the regulations, without losing amateur status, and an additional three games following the completion of his amateur season.
- 12 (c) A professional hockey player, upon application, shall be reinstated upon approval by the President of this Association, provided he has signed a CAHA registration certificate before the final registration date.

#### **ARTICLE 5.**

##### **Members**

- 13 The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association shall be composed of the following Amateur Hockey Associations and of any other branch which shall hereinafter become affiliated, viz.:
- 14 (a) The British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of British Columbia and the Yukon Territory.
- 15 (b) The Alberta Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of Alberta and the North West Territories.
- 16 (c) The Saskatchewan Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of Saskatchewan.
- 17 (d) The Manitoba Amateur Hockey Association which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of Manitoba.

- 18 (e) The Thunder Bay Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over that part of North-western Ontario west of the 85th Meridian.
- 19 (f) The Ontario Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the province of Ontario, with the exception of those portions placed under the jurisdiction of the Thunder Bay Amateur Hockey Association and the Ottawa and District Hockey Association, and also including the town of Gananoque and of that portion of the County of Leeds west of Highway No. 32 and South of Highway No. 15.
- 20 (g) The Ottawa and District Hockey Association which shall have jurisdiction over that part of Ontario lying east of, and including the Counties of Leeds, Lanark, and Renfrew.
- 21 (h) The Quebec Ice Hockey Federation, which shall have jurisdiction over the province of Quebec.
- 22 (i) The New Brunswick Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of New Brunswick.  
(j) The Prince Edward Island Hockey Association which shall have jurisdiction over the province of Prince Edward Island.  
(k) The Nova Scotia Hockey Association which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of Nova Scotia.  
(l) The Newfoundland Amateur Hockey Association, which shall have jurisdiction over the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador.
- 23 (m) Full membership in the above Associations shall be restricted to teams, leagues or associations of recognized amateur standing.
- 24 (n) Membership in the above Associations by the constituent bodies, players, members and individuals, is purely voluntary, but application for or acceptance of membership entails acceptance by such constituent bodies, players, members and individuals, of the final and binding authority of all rulings and decisions of the Board of Directors of the Association and acceptance of the governing authority of the Association.

- (o) Each Branch of the Association is empowered to foster, conduct and control amateur hockey within its respective territory in a manner consistent with the constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations and Board of Directors' decisions of this Association, provided that the Board of Directors of the Association may always, at any time, over-rule any decision of any Branch or official thereof, which is inconsistent with the constitution, bylaws, rules, regulations or Board of Directors' decisions of this Association.
- 26 (p) Except in inter-branch playoff games (where the authority is that of the President of the Association) the President of a Branch where games are played may impose any suspensions or penalties required and all Branches will recognize such suspensions and the Executive Director of the Association shall be notified immediately of such suspensions and penalties. Any person so suspended or penalized shall have the right to appeal through his Branch to the C.A.H.A.

#### ARTICLE 6.

- 27 An Association may at any time be admitted to membership in this Association or withdraw therefrom upon compliance with the By-laws of this Association.

#### ARTICLE 7. Associate Memberships

- 28 This Association shall have the right to approve Associate Memberships.  
Such membership shall be acquired by application in writing to the Board of Directors through the Executive Director of this Association, and membership shall take effect upon the election of the applicant by the Board of Directors.  
Representatives of Associate Members shall not be voting members, but shall be entitled to attend and take part in the annual and other meetings of this Association, at the expense of the Associate Member. Membership shall also entitle such members to the usual services provided to Branches including the right to send representatives to clinics and schools conducted by this Association and its Branches. Such attendance shall also be at the ex-



pense of the Associate Member.

The following Associate Memberships have been approved:

(a) Directorate of Physical Education and Recreation Training Committee (accepted May, 1962).

(b) Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union (accepted May, 1966).

(c) Canadian Oldtimers Hockey Association (accepted May 1976).

Associate Members shall take what steps they deem necessary for the registration and administration of personnel in teams, leagues, and groups which are strictly within their own organizations, and shall report such registrations to the Association annually in the same manner as branches.

Where teams, however, compete in, or are members of a league or group administered by a Branch, such teams and players shall be registered by the Branch concerned, and for competition, etc., such teams and players shall be under the jurisdiction of the Branch and subject to the regulations of this Association.

#### ARTICLE 8.

- 29 This Association at any annual, special, or Board of Directors' meeting may adopt, amend, revise or repeal By-laws or Regulations for the governance of this Association in accordance with the methods set forth thereof in By-law Twelve (b). (Para. 148).

#### ARTICLE 9.

- 30 Amendments or alterations can be made to the Constitution only at the Annual Meeting of the Association, after specific notice in writing to the Executive Director, and then only by a two-thirds majority of the members voting. Such notice in writing must be received by the Executive Director on or before March 15, and he shall communicate all such proposed amendments or alterations to each member on or before April 15.

## SECTION 2.

### By-Laws

#### BY-LAW ONE Membership

Wherever used in the constitution, bylaws, rules or regulations, the word "member" shall be deemed to include where the context permits, Branch, or any person, club or team holding a CAHA card or participating in games or activities of any kind sponsored or organized by the Association or by any of its Branches (whether or not such person, club or team is in fact a member of the Association) and the word "Individual" shall include, where the context permits, any person, player, coach, manager or official affiliated with or associated with, in any capacity whatsoever, any club or team participating in games or activities of any kind sponsored or organized by the Association or by any of its Branches, and shall also include game officials, and throughout the constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations (except in Regulation H) the masculine includes the feminine and the neuter, and the neuter includes the masculine and the feminine, the singular includes the plural and the plural includes the singular, whenever the context requires or permits.

- 31 (a) Branch membership shall be acquired by application in writing to the Board of Directors through the Executive Director of the Association, expressing compliance with and adherence to the Constitution, By-laws and Regulations of this Association, accompanied by the requisite fee for membership.
- 32 (b) Each Branch, as condition precedent to membership in this Association, shall adopt a constitution, by-laws, and regulations in conformity with the Constitution, By-laws, and Regulations of this Association, and shall not at any time make any amendments of its constitution, by-laws, or regulations conflicting with the Constitution, By-laws, or Regulations of this Association. A copy of each member's Constitution, By-laws, and Regulations shall accompany each application for membership and all

amendments or changes in any such constitution, by-laws, or regulations together with a complete list of the officers shall be submitted in writing to the Executive Director of the Association within fifteen days of their adoption or enactment.

33 (c) Such Branch membership shall take effect upon the election of the applicant by the Board of Directors.

34 (d) A Branch may resign from membership in this Association, provided such member is in good standing at the time of doing so, by submitting its resignation in writing to the Executive Director of this Association. Upon such resignation becoming effective such Branch shall forfeit all its rights and privileges and it shall be the duty of the officers of this association to proceed with the organization of a Branch in the territory formerly under the control of the Branch so resigning from the Association.

35 (e) All games played by such member, and the qualifications of all persons competing at such games as members of its clubs, shall be in conformity with the Constitution, By-laws and Regulations of this Association and with the rules and conditions of competition adopted and prescribed by the Board of Directors of this Association.

36 (f) Branches of this Association shall have sole discretion in classifying the teams under their jurisdiction as being Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Juvenile, Midget, Bantam or Pee Wee consistent with age limit. Associate teams shall be eligible to compete only for trophies offered for competition by teams representing associate members.

37 (g) Any team entered in C.A.H.A. inter-branch competition shall have the right to appeal to the C.A.H.A. when the Executive Committee of the Branch to which the club belongs makes a ruling contrary to C.A.H.A. Constitution, By-laws, or Regulations.

#### **BY-LAW TWO**

##### **1. Suspension and Expulsion of Branches**

38 Any Branch suspended by the operation of other provisions of these By-laws shall be liable to per-

manent expulsion from the Association by the affirmative majority vote of any Annual or Special meeting of the Association. In case of such expulsion, the territory of such member may be reorganized or divided among the other members of the Association in the discretion of the Board of Directors. In the case of suspension of a Branch, by the operation of other provisions of these By-Laws, the officers of the Association shall proceed with the organization of such groups and leagues within the territory of the suspended Branch for the then current season as may be necessary to enable clubs so desiring to participate in the games of the Branch, and to declare winners to represent the Branch in inter-branch playoffs.

##### **2. Suspension of Members**

39 Without limiting or restricting the generality of anything elsewhere contained in the constitution, by-laws, rules or regulations, and without derogating from any of the specific or general powers of the Board of Directors elsewhere contained any breach or violation by any member or individual of any provision of the constitution, by-laws, regulations or rules, or of any decision or ruling of the Board of Directors shall automatically, upon the Executive Director giving notice thereof, result in its or his immediate indefinite suspension from membership, and also his immediate indefinite suspension from participation in all games or activities of any kind sponsored or organized by the Association or by any of its Branches. If such breach or violation is committed by any club or team participating in any such games or activities then the aforesaid immediate indefinite suspension shall be automatically suffered by the said club or team. If such breach or violation is committed by any individual, other than a player, then the club or team with which such individual is associated or affiliated at the time of commission of such breach or violation shall also (in addition to the said individual) suffer the aforesaid immediate indefinite suspension. The said suspension may, in the sole discretion of the Board of Directors, be removed or remitted by action of the Board of Directors under By-law Five 2 (d).

### BY-LAW THREE

#### Dues

- 40 (a) Each Branch shall pay, annually on or before April 1st, to the Executive Director of this Association a membership fee of \$500.00.
- 41 (b) Each Associate Member shall pay, annually on or before April 1st, to the Executive Director of this Association a membership fee of \$500.00.
- 42 (c) A Branch who does not pay such membership and assessment fees by April 1 shall be notified in writing within 7 days by the Executive Director. Voting privileges shall be forfeited by the offending Branch at any meeting of this Association or the Board of Directors until such membership and assessment fee is received. Expenses incurred by offending Branches attending these meetings after April 1 shall not be paid. Failure to pay within three months will automatically entail loss of membership to the offending member.

### BY-LAW FOUR

#### The Officers and their Duties and Powers

- 43 1. The Officers of the Association shall be the Chairman of the Board, Immediate Past Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Chairman (Senior Intermediate & Adult Hockey) Chairman (Junior Hockey) Chairman (Minor Hockey) Vice-Chairman at Large and the President.
1. (a) Full time or part time employees of a branch shall not be eligible for election as officers of this Association.
- 44 2. The Chairman of the Board, Vice-Chairman, and four Vice-Chairmen shall be elected annually at the Annual General Meeting, and in the event of a vacancy of any of the said offices, the vacancy may be filled by the Board of Directors. Any officer elected must be elected by an absolute majority of fifty percent of the votes cast plus one. If no winner is declared on the first ballot, the candidate with fewest votes will be eliminated from the second ballot, and so on, until one candidate obtains an absolute majority.
- 45 3. The President shall be appointed by the Board of Directors of the Association and be answerable to the Board of Directors.
- 46 4. At the semi-annual meeting of the Association, a nominating committee consisting of the branch presidents and chaired by a mutually agreed upon member of the committee shall consider nominations

for the various positions of office within this association.

Such nominations shall be filed by the Chairman of said Committee with the Executive Director immediately following said meeting, and all branches will be provided with a list of those nominated for office at least forty-five days prior to the Annual Meeting.

Notwithstanding the above, additional Officers may be nominated in writing by a branch in the Association or by an Officer of the Association, and the nominations must be in the hands of the Executive Director thirty days prior to the Annual Meeting.

A person may be nominated for any number of positions and may seek election for offices to which he has been properly nominated. Defeat in an election for any office does not disqualify him from seeking election to a subsequent office to which he has been properly nominated. Each branch shall be furnished with a final list of those nominated for office, on the next business day following the closing of nominations.

"To be eligible as a candidate for election as an Officer of this Association, the nominated person must have served on a Branch Executive or on the CAHA Board of Directors for at least one (1) year."

- 47 5. Upon each Chairman of the Board completing his tenure of office it will be the privilege of this Association to confer upon him, in recognition of his services, a ring, duly made by die for this Association only. The ring shall entitle the qualified owner, upon presentation of same, to admission to any game or games played under the jurisdiction of its Branches.
- 48 6. The Chairman of the Board shall preside at all meetings of the Association and Board of Directors, Registration and Finance Committees. He shall generally perform the duties usual to the office of Chairman of the Board, and may at his discretion order the calling of meetings of this Association or its Committees. It shall also be the duty of the Chairman of the Board immediately at the close of each annual general meeting to convene a meeting of the Board of Directors in order to discuss the business of the forthcoming year.
- 49 7. The Chairman of the Board shall exercise, in addition to his own powers conferred upon him by the Constitution, all duties and powers of the Board of Directors when it is

impossible for the Chairman of the Board to obtain a vote of his Board of Directors in case of emergency.

- 50 8. (a) The Chairman of the Board or his delegate shall have power to suspend summarily any player, coach, manager, person, club, team, member or individual for any breach or violation of any of the provisions of the constitution, by-laws, regulations, rules or of any decision or ruling of the Board of Directors, or for ungentlemanly conduct on or off the ice, or for abusive language to any of the officials, or for alleged infraction of the amateur definition, provided that the Chairman of the Board or his delegate is satisfied that such player, coach, manager, person, club, team, member or individual as the case may be has committed such breach or violation, such suspension to be automatically and continuously effective until dealt with by the Officers, which shall deal with such suspension within fifteen days thereof. Such suspension shall result in the penalties outlined in By-law Two (2). The Chairman of the Board or his delegate shall have the power to impose such suspension in respect of any matter or incident which may occur at any time whether having to do with a game of any kind (exhibition or regularly scheduled) or otherwise.
8. (b) The President shall represent the CAHA on matters involving the Government, Professional Hockey and Public relations. The President shall attend all meetings designated by the Chairman of the Board.
- 51 9. The President of the Association shall be the official representative of the C.A.H.A. to the Annual Meeting of the International Ice Hockey Federation. The expenses of the Chairman of the Board and the President shall be paid by the Association. In case the Chairman of the Board and/or the President are unable to attend, the decision as to who shall represent either or both shall be in the hands of the Officers.
- 52 10. The Vice-Chairman shall, in the absence of the Chairman of the Board, have all the powers and perform all the duties of the Chairman of the Board.
- 53 11. (a) The salary of the President shall be set annually by the Board of Directors. The President shall not have a vote at any meetings of the Association.
11. (b) The Executive Director shall perform all general secretarial duties, attend all meetings designated by the Chairman of the Board, relieve the Association Officers of all routine details, and assist in other general duties as the need arises; receive and distribute all funds received from any source in payment for players upon approval of the Officers of the Association.
- 54 12. (a) The Executive Director shall receive all monies of the Association and deposit same in a chartered bank selected by the Finance Committee. He shall keep proper books of account and pay all bills approved by the Finance Committee. Official receipts num-

are to be issued for all monies received the duplicates to be kept on file. Cheques shall be signed by the President and/or Executive Director of the Association. The Chairman of the Board shall be alternate signing Officer for the Association. The Chairman of the Board, the President and the Executive Director must be bonded for not less than \$25,000.

- 55 (b) The Executive Director shall prepare the annual financial statements each year, which shall be presented to the members of the Board of Directors after being duly audited. He shall be Treasurer of all committees of this Association.

(c) The Executive Director shall be and is hereby authorized with the concurrence of the Chairman of the Board for and in the name of the Association to draw, accept, sign, and make all or any bills of exchange, Promissory Notes, Cheques and Orders for the payment of money; to pay and receive all monies, and to give acquittance for the same, to borrow monies from time to time from a chartered bank selected by the finance committee upon the credit of the Association in such amounts as he may deem proper and by way of overdraft or otherwise, to grant securities by way of mortgage, hypothecation or pledge covering all or any of the property and assets of the Association as security for all or any money so borrowed and interest thereon and generally for and in the name and on behalf of the Association to transact with the bank any business he may think fit.

(d) The Executive Director shall be and is hereby authorized with the concurrence of the Chairman of the Board on behalf of the Association to negotiate with, deposit with or transfer to the bank (but for credit of the Association account only) all or any Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, Cheques or Orders for the payment of money and other negotiable paper and for the said purpose to endorse the same or any of them on behalf of the Association; also from time to time to arrange, settle, balance and certify all books and accounts between the Association and the Bank; and to receive all paid cheques and vouchers, unpaid and unacceptable bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments.

(e) The Executive Director may delegate some of his duties to a deputy only with the prior approval of the Board of Directors. Any persons so delegated shall be bonded for not less than \$25,000.

**BY-LAW FIVE  
Committees**

- 56 The standing committees shall be a Board of Directors, a Registration Committee, a Finance Committee, a Rules Committee, a Senior-Intermediate Hockey Council, a Junior Hockey Council, a Minor Hockey Council, a Hockey Development Council, a Hockey Scholastic Council, a Negotiating Committee, an International Committee and a Convention Committee.

**Board of Directors**

- 57 1. (a) The Board of Directors shall consist of the officers of this Association, the Presidents of the Branches comprising the Association, plus one Director each from the Senior-Intermediate Hockey Council, Minor Hockey Council, Hockey Development Council and two Directors from the Junior Hockey Council. In the absence of any Branch President, his alternate shall be a member of that Branch Executive duly appointed by his own members. The Association's Chairman of the Board shall chair all meetings. Each Branch shall be permitted two observers at meetings of the Board who will have no voting privileges nor will they be permitted to speak, unless permission is obtained from the chairman.
- 58 (b) Should any vacancy occur on the Board of Directors the vacancy shall be filled by the Branch or council which is affected.
- 59 (c) Any member may at any time, by registered letter addressed to the Executive Director of the Association, signed by the President and Secretary of such Branch, withdraw its representative, provided that another representative be at the same time substituted for the one withdrawn.
- 60 (d) A majority of the active officers of the Association shall constitute a sub-committee of the Board of Directors which shall have authority to exercise the powers and duties of the Board of Directors when it is impossible to have a meeting of all of the said members, it being understood that such actions as they may take must be referred within fifteen days to the complete Board for approval or rejection.

**Board of Directors Powers**

- 57 The Board of Directors shall have the power (in addition to its power elsewhere contained):
- 61 (a) To formulate, prescribe, alter and amend by-laws and rules for the government of this Association, not inconsistent with the scope and provisions of its constitution, and in general, to make rulings or decisions on any matter brought before it from any source.
- 62 (b) To grant or refuse applications for branch membership in this Association.
- 63 (c) To impose and enforce any penalties for any violation or breach of the constitution, by-laws, regulations or rules of this Association or for any violation or breach of any decision or ruling of the Board of Directors (which penalties shall be in addition to the automatic suspension set out in Bylaw Two(2)).
- 64 (d) To remove or remit, on such terms and conditions as it may deem fit, any suspension or penalty that has been imposed by this Board, or by any of the Branches of this Association, or by operation of any of the provisions of these by-laws.
- 65 (e) To adjudicate all disputes between branches.
- 66 (f) To appoint the President.
- 67 (g) By a two-thirds vote to forthwith remove from office any member of the Board of Directors who by being remiss or neglectful of duty or by conduct tending to impair his usefulness as a member of the Board shall be deemed to have forfeited his position.
- 68 (h) To declare vacant the position of any office or member of the Board of Directors who shall cease to be a delegate or when the Association that he represents ceases to be a member.
- 69 (i) To fill the vacancy upon this Board caused by the resignation or expulsion or withdrawal of the Branch represented by such member.
- 70 (j) To appoint sub-committees for its membership or otherwise employ individuals for the handling of special or specified business.

- 71 (k) To supervise the collection of the fees and funds of the Association and the expenditure of money.
- 72 (l) To the exclusion of any body, so that this power is vested in the Board of Directors, solely, finally, absolutely and exclusively, to establish and define the rules and laws of Amateur Hockey in Canada.
- 73 (m) To the exclusion of any other body, so that this power is vested in the Board of Directors, solely, finally, absolutely and exclusively, to interpret, construe, define and explain all the provisions of the Constitution, By-laws, Regulations and Rules. All members and individuals shall accept as final and binding, all such interpretations, constructions, definitions and explanations given or made by the Board of Directors.
- 74 (n) To call any necessary special meetings of the Association and to fix the time and place of such meetings not fixed by the Constitution.
- 75 (o) To have immediate access through a qualified auditor on demand or on demand of the Chairman of the Board, to all books, vouchers, receipts and records generally pertaining to the finances and operation of any Branch of this Association, or of any League or Club affiliated with any Branch of the Association, and if the auditors' report is unsatisfactory to the Board or to the Chairman of the Board, to take such disciplinary action as may be necessary in the premises.
- 76 (p) To enter into agreements from time to time with the National Hockey League, and other organizations conducting professional hockey providing for the regulation of matters of mutual interest.
- 77 (q) To enter into agreements from time to time with other members of The International Ice Hockey Federation providing for the regulation and control of the transfer of hockey players and other matters of mutual interest.

## 2. Registration Committee

- 78 (a) The Registration Committee shall consist of the Officers of the Association. The Chairman of the Board shall be the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman, the Vice-Chairman, and the Executive Director the Secretary of the committee.

- (b) The Executive Director shall examine and decide upon all applications for branch-to-branch transfers. The Branch Registrars or Secretaries are empowered to act for the CAHA Executive Director in approving transfers.

- 80 (c) Appeal from any decision of the Executive Director may be made by the player concerned or by the Branch concerned. Such appeal shall be made in writing to the Executive Director and shall clearly state the grounds for the appeal. If at the discretion of the President, having been assured after consultation that the appeal contravenes current regulations, then the appeal shall not be accepted for consideration. This provision shall also apply to Branches when dealing with player appeals.

- 81 (d) The Committee shall have the right in considering and determining questions respecting an application for transfer to act upon any kind of evidence, circumstantial or direct, which may to it seem sufficient. The Committee may suspend a player pending consideration of his case.

- 82 (e) Any person who shall refuse to testify before the Registration Committee, or to answer any question which such committee shall rule to be proper, shall be liable to suspension or such discipline as the Committee may determine until he has purged himself of such failure or refusal.

- 83 (f) Any person who has made or has participated in, assented to or acquiesced in the making of a false statement in a registration certificate, an application for a transfer or in any document requested to be filed or in a statement or answer filed or made, is liable to a suspension. The omission of required information leading to or causing any misrepresentation is, for the purpose of the present paragraph, also interpreted as being a false statement.

- (g) The Registration Committee shall receive and decide any appeals from any decision of a Branch Executive Registration Committee. Such appeal shall be made in writing, addressed to the Secretary of the Branch with ten copies of the evidence. The Branch, without further delay, shall forward the appeal and all evidence submitted to the Executive Director. Appeals from a Branch decision may be made only when two or more branches or one branch and another member of The International Ice Hockey Federation

are concerned.

- 84 (h) The Executive Director shall, in a manner approved by his Committee, index and register applications. He shall immediately advise by wire or registered mail the Branch concerned of any application which has been refused by this Committee.

(i) It will be the responsibility of the CAHA Executive Director to check and verify the eligibility of any player upon the request of any Branch Registrar, Branch President, or CAHA Officer.

### 3. Finance Committee

- 85 (a) The Finance Committee shall consist of the Officers. The Chairman of the Board shall be the chairman of the committee.

86 (b) It shall be the duty of the Finance Committee to regulate the financing of the Association in conjunction with the President and subject to the approval of the Board of Directors. At the Annual Meeting the Board of Directors shall appoint a Director as Comptroller.

87 (c) It shall be the duty of the Finance Committee to examine any question arising out of the finances of the association, or of any Branch and to recommend to the Board of Directors any course of action which may be deemed advisable.

### 4. Standing Rules Committee

- 88 (a) The Standing Rules Committee shall consist of six (6) members. The Chairman will be an Officer appointed by the Chairman of the Board. One member shall be named Referee-in-Chief. One member shall be named the Administrator. Four of the six members must be qualified officials and must be representative of all Regions in Canada (i.e. Atlantic, Western, Quebec, Ontario). The members of the Standing Rules Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors.

(b) It shall be the duty of the Standing Rules Committee to propose revisions of and amendments to the playing rules from time to time and submit such revisions and amendments to the Association for consideration and action at the Semi-Annual Meeting in each odd numbered year. It shall from time to time as it may deem expedient and whenever requested by any Officer of the Association or by any Branch,

interpret any rule. It shall issue instructions for referees so that the rules may be uniformly interpreted throughout Canada. It shall meet from time to time with representatives of professional organizations in order to obtain as far as possible a uniform code of rules and interpretation thereof.

### 5. Adult Hockey Council

- 89 The Senior, Intermediate and Adult Hockey Council shall consist of one representative from each Branch. A Branch which has teams entered in both Hardy and Allan Cup competitions shall have two representatives. It is recommended that members of this Council be elected within the Branch by persons actively engaged in these divisions of hockey.

The Chairman of this Council shall be the Association's Chairman for Senior, Intermediate & Adult hockey. The Council Director shall assist the Chairman and at the Chairman's request may chair the council at a meeting called by the Chairman for specific purposes. At each Council meeting, each members shall have one vote, with the Chairman only voting in case of a tie. A quorum at Council meetings shall consist of the majority of voting members entitled to be present. In the absence of a Branch representative, the Branch executive may appoint an alternative member.

Council meetings shall be called by the Chairman on authorization by the Chairman of the Board.

At the Associations Annual meeting, an "Annual Senior, Intermediate and Adult Hockey Congress" shall be held, and chaired by the Associations Chairman for Senior, Intermediate and Adult Hockey or his representative. At that Congress, each council member, except the Director and Chairman, shall have two votes unless a Branch designates a second representative, in which case, the member and the second representative shall have one vote each. In the absence of a Council member, the Branch may appoint an alternate member. The Council Director shall have one vote and the Chairman a vote only in case of a tie. Other delegates from Branches, Leagues and teams, may attend the Congress level only as observers with the right to speak.

At the beginning of the Association's annual meeting, the Branches will appoint their representatives on the Senior,

Intermediate and Adult Hockey Council for the following season. After the annual congress, the Association's Chairman for Senior, Intermediate and Adult Hockey shall call a meeting of the newly-appointed members during the Annual Meeting who will elect the Director for the Association's Board of Directors for the following season. The members representing the Branches on the Council, shall elect amongst themselves the Senior Intermediate and Adult Hockey Director. This election will create a vacancy and such vacancy shall be filled by the Branch affected.

**Responsibilities:**

- (a) National Playoffs — Establish dates at the annual meeting and operate inter-branch playoffs leading to national championships under CAHA regulations and under the direction of the President of the Association.
- (b) International Hockey — Tours, tournaments and championships if applicable, within the CAHA regulations and in co-operation with the Board of Directors.
- (c) Rules and Regulations — Should make recommendations to the Board of Directors.
- (d) Development and Promotion — As required.

**6. Junior Hockey Council**

- 90 The Junior Hockey Council shall consist of the following members: The Association's Chairman for Junior Hockey, A Junior Director, a Major Junior Director, one representative from each Branch and one representative from each of the Major Junior Hockey Leagues. It is recommended that branch members of this Council be elected by persons actively engaged in these divisions of hockey.

The Chairman of this Council shall be the Association's Chairman for Junior Hockey. The Junior Director and Major Junior Director shall assist the Chairman. One of the two directors, at the Chairman's request, may chair the Council at a meeting called by the Chairman for specific purposes. At each Council Meeting, each member shall have one vote with the Chairman only voting in case of a tie. A quorum at Council meeting shall consist of a majority of voting members entitled to be present. In the absence of a branch representative, the

branch executive may appoint an alternate member and a Major Junior Hockey League will do the same in the absence of a representative.

Council meetings shall be called by the Chairman on authorization by the Chairman of the Board.

At the Association's annual meeting, an "Annual Junior Hockey Congress" shall be held and chaired by the Association's Chairman for Junior Hockey or his representative. At that Congress, each Council member, except the two Directors and the Chairman, shall have two votes unless a Branch or a Major Junior Hockey League designates a second representative, in which case the member and the second representative shall have one vote each. In the absence of a Council member, the Branch or the Major Junior Hockey League involved may appoint an alternate member. Each of the two Council Directors shall have one vote and the Chairman a vote only in case of a tie. Other delegates from Branches, Leagues and teams may attend the Congress but only as observers with the right to speak.

At the beginning of the Association's Annual Meeting, the Branches and the Major Junior Hockey Leagues will appoint their representatives on the Junior Council for the following season. After the Annual Junior Hockey Congress and during the Annual Meeting, the Association's Chairman for Junior Hockey shall call a meeting of the two outgoing Council Directors and of appointed representatives, representing branches on the Council who shall elect from amongst themselves a Junior Director. The outgoing Major Junior Director and appointed representatives representing the Major Junior Hockey Leagues on the Council, shall elect the Major Junior Director. In the event that such elections create one or two vacancies on the Council, such vacancy shall be filled by the branch and/or the Major Junior Hockey League affected.

**7. Minor Hockey Council**

- 91 The Minor Hockey Council shall consist of one representative from each Branch. It is recommended that members of this Council be elected within the branch by persons actively engaged in these divisions of hockey.

The Chairman of this Council shall be the Association's Chairman for Minor Hockey. A Minor Hockey Director shall assist the Chairman and at the Chairman's request, may chair



the Council at a meeting called by the Chairman for specific purposes. At each Council meeting each member shall have one vote, with the Chairman only voting in case of a tie. A quorum at Council meetings shall consist of the majority of voting members entitled to be present. In the absence of a branch representative the branch executive may appoint an alternate member.

Council meetings shall be called by the Chairman on authorization by the Chairman of the Board.

At the Association's Annual Meeting, an "Annual Minor Hockey Congress" shall be held and chaired by the Association's Chairman for Minor Hockey or his representative. At the Congress each Council member, except the Director and the Chairman, shall have two votes unless a Branch designates a second representative, in which case the member and the second representative shall have one vote each. In the absence of a council member, the Branch involved may appoint an alternate member. The Council Director shall have one vote and the Chairman a vote only in case of a tie. Other delegates from Branches, Leagues and teams may attend the Congress but only as observers with the right to speak.

"At the beginning of the Association's Annual Meeting, branches will appoint their representative on the Minor Council for the following season. After the Annual Minor Hockey Congress, the Association's Chairman for Minor Hockey shall call a meeting of the newly appointed members and the incumbent director during the Annual Meeting who will elect a director to the Association's Board of Directors for the following season from amongst themselves. This election may create a vacancy and such vacancy shall be filled by the branch affected."

**Responsibilities:**

- (a) Develop and administer National Championships as may be deemed advisable and establish the regulations and classifications for the teams eligible to compete in any such championships, in co-operation with the Board of Directors.
- (b) Recommend International Minor Tours involving foreign teams in Canada and C.A.H.A. teams outside Canada, to the Board of Directors.
- (c) Recommend Changes to the playing rules for Minor

Hockey as may be deemed to be beneficial to those particular divisions of hockey, in co-operation with the Hockey Development Council and the Standing Rules Committee.

- (d) Recommend changes to the regulations for Minor Hockey as may be deemed to be beneficial to those particular divisions of hockey to the Board of Directors.
- (e) Monitor the needs of Minor Hockey at any level and work in co-operation with the Hockey Development Council of the C.A.H.A. and any C.A.H.A. Special Committee or Council in order to satisfy the specific needs.
- (f) Establish and maintain a Minor Hockey Week program in Canada on an annual basis.

**8. Negotiating Committee**

- 92 (a) The Negotiating Committee shall consist of the Officers of the Association. The Chairman of the Board however shall have the power to add to this Committee.
- 93 (b) It shall be the duty of the Negotiating Committee to confer from time to time with representatives of the National Hockey League, the World Hockey Association and other professional organizations and to report to the association as to such negotiations.

**9. Convention Committee**

- 94 (a) The Convention Committee shall consist of two members, one, who shall be the Chairman, shall be appointed, by the Board of Directors, the other by the Branch Executive of the branch in which the ensuing meeting will be held.
- 95 (b) It shall be the duty of the Convention Committee to co-ordinate the business and social affairs of the annual convention in consultation with the officers and to arrange adequate facilities for carrying on the work of the Association and its commit-



#### 10. Hockey Development Council

(a) The Hockey Development Council shall consist of the following members: The Officer appointed by the Chairman of the Board, a Director, one representative from each Branch, one member each from the minor, junior and senior-intermediate councils and one from the Standing Rules Committee as well as non-voting representation from the following organizations: Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union; Sport Canada; Canadian Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation; Canadian Community Colleges; Canadian Federation of Provincial Schools Athletics Association and the provincial directors of Sport and Recreation.

(b) The Chairman of this Council shall be the Officer appointed by the Chairman of the Board; the council Director shall assist the Chairman and may chair the Council at a meeting called by the Chairman for specific purposes. At each Council meeting, each member shall have one vote with the Chairman only voting in case of a tie. A quorum at Council meeting shall consist of a majority of voting members entitled to be present. In the absence of a branch representative, the branch executive may appoint an alternate member. Other delegates from branches may attend Council meetings but only as observers.

(c) From the Council at large, an executive committee chaired by the CAHA Development Coordinator will be formed. This committee will have as its members Chairmen of the Councils' sub-committees which currently are: coaching; referees; research and medicine; special projects and applied skills.

(d) At the beginning of the Association's annual meeting, representatives will be appointed for the following season and during the annual meeting the newly appointed members will elect a Director to the Association's Board of Directors for the following season.

(e) It shall be the responsibility of the Council to formulate and recommend hockey development programs, reporting directly for approval on such matters to the CAHA Board of Directors. Once ap-

#### BY-LAW SIX

##### Meetings of the Association and its Committees

96 (a) All meetings of this Association and its Committees shall be called by the President on order of the Chairman of the Board.

97 (b) A meeting of the Association shall be held annually at such time and place as may be designated by the Board of Directors. A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at a central location in January of each year; this meeting to finalize CAHA playoff dates and other business. A Board of Directors meeting will also be held each fall (either late September or early October).

98 (c) A meeting of the Branch Registrars shall be held each fall.

99 (d) Special Meetings of this Association shall be held when requested by a vote of two-thirds of the Board of Directors upon not less than fifteen days' notice to all members. The notice of such meeting shall contain the date and place of meeting and object thereof. All special meetings shall be held at a place designated by the Chairman of the Board.

100 (e) Notice of all meetings of this Association shall be sent by the President to each member of the Board of Directors and the Secretary-Manager of each branch. Such notice shall be sent to the last known address of said individuals, not less than fifteen days before the holding of any such meeting.

101 (f) At all meetings of this Association and of its Committees, a quorum shall consist of a majority of the voting members entitled to be present.

102 (g) At all meetings of this Association and of the Board of Directors, the following shall be the order of business:

1. Presentation of delegates' credentials.
2. Roll call of delegates.
3. Chairman of the Board's Report.
4. Reading of minutes.
5. Business arising out of minutes.
6. Registration and finance reports.

7. Report of Committees and Councils.
8. General or new business.
9. Elections.
10. Adjournment.

103 (h) At annual and special meetings of this Association each Branch, except the Quebec and Ontario Branches, shall be represented by two delegates, each of whom will be entitled to one vote on behalf of said Branch, provided their proper credentials are deposited with the Executive Director before the opening of the meeting. Should a member be represented by but one delegate, such delegate will be entitled to two votes on behalf of such member. In the case of Quebec and Ontario branches they shall be represented by 5 delegates, each of whom will be entitled to one vote on behalf of said branch, provided their proper credentials are deposited with the Executive Director before the opening of the meeting. Should such member be represented by but one delegate, such delegate will be entitled to 5 votes on behalf of such member. Each Director elected by a Council shall be entitled to one vote. At all such meetings each officer of the Association, except as provided for in By-law Seven (a), shall be entitled to one vote. Unless special permission is obtained from the Chairman only those entitled to vote, the Chairman of the Board, the President, the Executive Director and Life Members are at liberty to speak at these meetings.

(i) (1) At all annual meetings of this Association there shall be established a Resolution Committee whose duty it shall be to review, report and/or recommend to the General Meeting, all matters referred to it through Notices of Motion, duly filed with the Executive Director, as well as other matters properly submitted to them.

(2) The Resolutions Committee shall consist of the Vice Chairman of this Association as Chairman and the Branch Presidents, each of whom shall be entitled to one vote. In the absence of a Branch President, the said Branch shall be represented by an alternate delegate. Each Branch shall be permitted one additional representative who will have no voting privileges but will be permitted to speak, also other Branch Representatives may be permitted to attend as observers.

(3) The Special Rules Committee shall consist of the Chairman of the Standing Rules Committee as Chairman, a representative from each Branch, and the members of the Standing Rules Committee (By-law five, section 4(a), each of whom shall be entitled to one vote, except when any member is a full-time employee of the Association.

(4) In the absence of either the Vice-Chairman or the Chairman of the Standing Rules Committee, the Chairman of the Board of the Association shall appoint a chairman. If a Branch President is so appointed, he shall be entitled to but one vote.

(5) Alternate Delegates may, where necessary, represent their Branches at annual meetings, and on the Resolutions Committee and the Special Rules Committee.

(6) All matters which have been duly filed with the Executive Director as a notice of motion shall be discussed by the respective Committee without the necessity of a seconder to the motion. Discussion on any matter shall be limited to the members of the respective Committees.

(7) The officers of the Association shall be entitled at all times to participate in any Committee discussions.

104 (j) Meetings may be held upon shorter notice than required by these By-Laws, provided waivers of notice shall be given in writing by all of the members.

105 (k) Delegates to all meetings shall be members of the Branch which they represent; voting by proxy is prohibited.

106 (l) Copies of the minutes of all meetings of this Association shall be mailed by the Executive Director as expeditiously as possible after such meetings to the members of the Board of Directors and to the Secretary of each Branch.

107 In like manner copies of the minutes of committee meetings shall be sent to the members of such committee.

108 (m) All general meetings will be open. All Board of Directors meetings will be limited to members thereof plus two observers per branch. All other Committee Meetings will be limited to members thereof and such other persons as may be invited by the committee to attend. Officials of the CAHA National Office may be permitted to attend Board of Directors meetings at the request of the Chairman.

#### **BY-LAW SEVEN**

##### **Voting**

109 (a) At meetings of the Board of Directors, each Officer of the Association (except the Chairman of the Board and the President) shall be entitled to one vote and each Branch to two votes. Also, the Directors appointed from each Council shall be entitled to one vote. The Chairman of the Board shall have a casting vote in case of a tie.

110 (b) At all meetings of this Association or of its committees voting shall be by show of hands, unless the meeting decides upon a ballot.

111 (c) Decision shall be by majority of the votes cast, unless the favorable vote of a larger proportion of the votes is required by the Constitution and By-laws.

112 (d) A vote of the officers or the Board of Directors cannot be taken to change or amend the regulations other than at the annual meeting or Board of Directors' meeting, or at the request of three branch presidents.

113 (e) Any matter which could be voted upon by any committee of this Association in session, may be submitted to the members of such committee by registered mail or telegraph, and the members shall vote thereon in like manner, a majority in accordance with these By-laws of the votes thus recorded with the Executive Director shall decide the matter.

h mail or telegraph votes shall be taken by the Executive Director under the direction of the President and the ballots of each member must be preserved by the Executive Director, and shall remain confidential.

114 (f) Voting procedure is as follows:

(i) ordinary air mail delivery will be used, with seven days from post date allowed for a branch to submit their ballot.

(ii) each branch must return their ballot either "for, against or abstaining"

(iii) the same information will be sent to the secretary of each branch informing him that his president has been asked that his ballot be returned within seven days and if his branch president is unable to vote to arrange to have a ballot submitted by his branch. If such ballot is not received by the deadline date, such branch is to be solicited by the Executive Director at the expense of the branch involved and such branch will be allowed an additional 24 hours, following which the result of the vote will be announced.

(iv) once a vote has been cast, it cannot be changed.

115 (g) Within twenty-four hours from the closing of the vote the President shall advise the members of the committee the result of the vote.

#### **BY-LAW EIGHT**

##### **Life Membership**

116 (a) Life Membership may be bestowed by this Association and is to be awarded only for very distinctive services to the Association. Nominations for Life Membership must be forwarded in writing 30 days prior to the Annual General Meeting, with the approval of at least four Branches on the nominating papers for each proposed life member and shall be restricted to those who have served on the Board of Directors of the Association. Life members shall have

the privileges of the Board of Directors in an advisory capacity; but they shall not be permitted to vote. Expenses of the life members shall be paid to annual meetings only.

- 117 (b) The Board of Directors shall decide on all nominations for life membership at the annual meeting. Election to Life Membership shall be limited to not more than one every even numbered year.

**BY-LAW NINE  
FINANCIAL  
1. General**

- 118 (a) All moneys received by the Association from any source, except as otherwise provided, shall be used for the expenses and objects of this association by the Finance Committee subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

- 119 (b) The moneys received for players who have or may become professionals shall be used in part for the development of hockey through grants made to the Branches from time to time by the Board of Directors and for expenses of the Association incidental to its agreement with the professional organizations.

- 120 (c) At each Fall Board of Directors Meeting a budget shall be adopted providing for the expenses of the Association for the present fiscal year. Such budget shall be submitted by the Officers for the consideration of the Association.

(d) Any expenditures in excess of the itemized budget figure so adopted, must be approved on a temporary basis by the Comptroller, who in turn shall report the matter to the next meeting of the Board of Directors. The Comptroller shall also review, generally, association expenditures within the authorized budget.

- 121 The amount of the budgets so adopted shall be provided as follows:

1. From grants from all sources.
2. From the sale of broadcasting and television rights.
3. From fees for inter-branch transfers (\$50. per player)

Players transferring to Senior Intermediate or Junior teams the sum of \$25. shall be retained by the Branch to which the player is transferred. No transfer fee will be charged on a transfer when the player is of Junior hockey age or under and resides with his parents or guardian and the parents or guardian change their place of residence and the player continues to reside with his parents or guardian. (Transfer required).

**NOTE —**

A guardian as referred to in these regulations shall mean a person with whom the player has actually resided from the first day of January preceding the change in place of residence.

4. From fees for international transfers (\$100.00 per player).

Half of all international transfer fees charged by the CAHA shall be retained by the branch involved in said transfer. (Note: This does not include any transfer fees levied by the IIHF.)

5. From the deduction of 15% of the gate receipts, after local tax if any, of all inter-branch playoffs.

6. From levies on the membership of the Association as follows:

From branch membership fees of \$500.00 annually.

From a branch assessment which shall be determined at each annual meeting.

From Associate membership fees of \$500.00 annually.

7. From 10% of the net on any foreign tour sponsored by the Association.

**NOTE:**

"Upon completion of each tour the CAHA will circulate to all Branch members, a finalized financial balance sheet before the current C.A.H.A. Annual meeting."

8. Any balance required shall be provided from the Association's reserves or the Trust Fund.

## 2. Play-off Receipts

122 (a) After taxes and the arena share are deducted, the CAHA Representative will pay the expenses of the participating teams, referees, and all expenses incurred in running the series as provided. The balance will then be forwarded to the CAHA National Office. The National Office will deduct 15% of the original gate after taxes from the balance, for the purposes provided for in part one of this by-law, and shall deduct a further 5% of the gate for the play-off insurance fund. The surplus remaining shall be divided among the teams participating in the play-offs. The playoff Insurance Fund shall consist of a deduction of 5% of the gate receipt set up to cover any losses incurred in the inter-branch playoffs in Major Junior, Junior "A" and Senior-Intermediate divisions. Any money remaining in the Insurance Fund after playoff losses are met, shall be distributed in full to the teams on a pro rata basis. Figures from losing series will not be used in computing the return from the Insurance Fund, nor will teams involved in losing series receive any credit for that series. All losses over and above the 5% Insurance Fund will be paid by the Association.

123 (b) The funds received from the playoffs in each series shall be kept separate and distinct for the purpose of this by-law and the surplus resulting from each series shall be divided as aforesaid only among the teams of that series participating in the play-downs.

## 3. Expenses of Teams Participating in Playoffs

124 (a) The gate receipts and expenses of Allen Cup, Hardy Trophy, Memorial Cup and Centennial Cup games between teams representing branches of this Association and the travelling expenses of such teams shall be under the sole control of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association. The travelling expenses paid shall not exceed the allowances specified and the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association. The travelling expenses paid shall not exceed the allowances specified and the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, through its officers as provided for herein, shall require detailed vouchers for such expenses.

125 (b) Allowances for travelling teams in Allan, Hardy Trophy and Centennial Cup playdowns (providing always that gate receipts are sufficient to cover same) shall be transportation for a maximum of 19 players plus a coach, manager and

trainer for a total of 22 people. Transportation shall be approved by CAHA officials in charge of the series, and shall be the most practical and economical, either, rail, air or bus. In the event of travel by railway under "All inclusive Plan" the team will receive one-half of the per diem allowance of \$175.00. "Invoices for transportation shall be sent to the CAHA National Office for payment after approval is obtained from the CAHA representative, unless arrangements are otherwise agreed to by the National Office." A per diem allowance shall be paid of \$175.00 per day per team while travelling and \$400.00 per day per team while in hotels, which includes tips, local transportation and incidental expenses. A sum of \$225.00 per game shall be paid to the visiting team and \$100.00 to the home team to cover incidental expenses. Expenses of a representative of a visiting team's branch in the Allan Cup, Hardy Trophy and Centennial Cup finals shall be paid by the CAHA and such expenses shall be included in the expenses of the series.

## NOTE -

"In the Allan, Hardy and Centennial Cup Play-downs, payments for transportation to teams travelling less than 500 miles (roundtrip) shall be based on the cost of ground and/or water transportation. If said teams prefer any other forms of transportation, the difference in the cost will be at the expense of the said teams."

126 (c) Nothing contained in the By-laws and Regulations of the Association shall be held to create or imply any liability on the part of the C.A.H.A. for any expenses, disbursements or obligations of any kind incurred in connection with any cup matches or qualifying matches or otherwise with regard to the cups.

## 4. Referees Fees and Expenses

127 Fees for referees in inter-branch playdowns shall be \$50.00 per game. Economy air fare or railway fare with berth will be provided or allowance of 15¢ per kilometre if travel is by car, with an allowance of \$10.00 per day while travelling and \$50.00 per day while in hotels. CAHA official in charge is authorized to arrange any form of transportation that will be most practical and economical.

128 Fees for linesmen in inter-branch playoffs shall be: railway transportation including lower berths when required, or 15¢ per kilometre travelled when both linesmen are motoring together, with an allowance of \$10.00 per day while travelling

and \$50.00 per day while in hotels; plus a fee of \$25.00 per game.

Transportation from airport and/or railway station to hotel, where such is required by referee and/or linesmen, is an allowable expense.

#### 5. Trust Fund

- 129 (a) The bonds and cash now held by the National Trust Company Limited (hereinafter called "The Trust Company") for safe keeping are hereby constituted a Trust Fund.
- 130 (b) The Board of Directors may from time to time authorize the payment or delivery to the Trust Company of any other monies or investments of the Association and such other monies or investments shall become part of the Trust Fund upon being so paid or delivered.
- 131 (c) The income arising from the monies and investments from time to time forming the Trust Fund shall be collected and retained by the Trust Company and shall form part of the Trust Fund.
- 132 (d) The monies from time to time in the hands of the Trust Company shall be invested whenever, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, they are of sufficient amount to warrant this being done.
- 133 (e) Investments may be sold or exchanged from time to time at the discretion of the Board of Directors.
- 134 (f) All investments shall be what are known in the law of the Province of Ontario as "trustee investments". They shall be selected by the Board of Directors after consultation with the Trust Company.
- 135 (g) From time to time, monies or investments may be withdrawn from the Trust Fund and used as hereinafter provided, but not otherwise:—
- 136 1. At the discretion of the Board of Directors for the purpose of financing Olympic representation.
- 137 2. At the discretion of the Board of Directors for the purpose of meeting the operating expenses of the Association or the expenses of the play-offs

when, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, the other resources of the Association are insufficient for the purposes or cannot readily be made available.

- 138 3. For any other purpose of the Association, on the recommendation of the Board of Directors and with the approval of the Association given by, at least, a three-quarter vote at an annual meeting after notice of the purpose and amount of the proposed withdrawal has been given to all Branches and to the officers of the Association by registered letter mailed at least sixty days before the date of the meeting.
- 139 (h) The Board of Directors may from time to time authorize any agreement between the Association and the Trust Company which it may deem necessary or advisable for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of this by-law. The terms and conditions of any such agreement shall be wholly in the direction of the Board of Directors, provided they are not inconsistent with the express provisions of this by-law and, in particular, any such agreement may provide for the reasonable remuneration of the Trust Company and may specify upon what evidence of compliance with the provisions of this by-law, by the Association and/or the Board of Directors, the Trust Company may rely or act.
- 140 (i) Any agreement so authorized shall be executed on behalf of the Association by the Chairman of the Board, or Vice-Chairman, and by the President, and the Trust Company may regard any agreement touching the subject matter of this by-law, which has been so executed, as having been duly authorized and it may rely and act thereon accordingly.
- 141 (j) This by-law shall have full effect notwithstanding the provisions of any other by-law of the Association.

#### 6. Broadcasting and Television Fees,

- 142 (a) In all CAHA games, including all inter-branch playoffs leading to National Championships, and international matches, the CAHA reserves all radio and television rights, and motion picture rights, and such rights for CAHA playoffs will be awarded after consultation with the Branches in-

volved in such playoffs. Only the CAHA shall have the authority to assign such rights. This shall be a condition when arranging such playoffs and other matches. For the purpose of these regulations television rights shall include live or delayed telecasts and closed circuit television, in whole or in part.

- 143 (b) All business pertaining to the above shall be conducted under the authority of the President by a television-radio committee.

#### 7. Television Revenue

- 144 Television revenue from games played in any CAHA inter-branch series shall be divided as follows: 25% to the rink; 25% to each team participating; and 25% to the Association.

#### 8. Delegates Expenses

- 145 The expenses of the Officers of the association and the Directors from each Council shall be paid to annual meetings of the Association. Expenses of the Officers and Directors from each Council shall be paid to meetings of the Board of Directors and meetings and annual congress of the Councils. The payments shall be made on the following basis:

(a) Transportation — actual economy air fare or railroad and sleeping car fare, plus transportation to and from the airport or railway station. One may choose to travel by car at .15¢ per kilometre if more economical than actual economy air fare.

(b) Per diem allowances of \$10.00 a day while travelling, and when in hotels, a choice of \$50.00 per day or actual hotel cost plus \$20.00 per day.

The expenses of two delegates from each branch to annual meetings of the association and one representative from each branch to meetings of the Board of Directors and meetings and annual congress of the Councils shall be paid and the payments shall be made on the following basis:

(a) Transportation — actual economy air fare or railroad and sleeping car fare. One may choose to travel by car at .15¢ per kilometre if more economical than actual economy air fare.

(b) Per diem subsidy of \$30.00 per day when in hotels.

#### BY-LAW TEN

##### General Procedures, Appeals, Further Powers of Board of Directors

- 146 (a) It is declared that all members of the C.A.H.A. and all participants in C.A.H.A. or Branch activities and games, whether persons, clubs, teams, members or individuals desire to cause the C.A.H.A. to be a fully self-governing organization, and it is the express intention and desire of all members and individuals that the constitution, by-laws, regulations and rules be applied and interpreted so as to permit the C.A.H.A. to be fully self-governing organization.

(b) It is declared that all members of the C.A.H.A., and all participants in C.A.H.A. activities and games, both members and individuals, understand and agree that C.A.H.A. can function efficiently, properly and to the best advantage of all members and individuals only if there is at all times complete and absolute reliance by them on decisions of the Board of Directors.

(c) In the event of any dispute, difference or question regarding any matter of any kind arising at any time, but only where there is specifically provided elsewhere in the constitution, by-laws, regulations or rules the right to an appeal from any decision made under the Rules, Regulations, or By-laws of CAHA or of any Branch, then the following shall be the recourse available to any member or individual dissatisfied with any such decision:

- (i) Such member or individual may appeal firstly to the league in question, and if dissatisfied with the decision of such league,
- (ii) Such member or individual may then appeal to the Branch in question, and if dissatisfied with the decision of such Branch,
- (iii) Such member or individual may then appeal to the Board of Directors.
- (iv) The Officers may deal with any appeal when it is impossible for the Board of Directors to do so.

(d) The decision of the Board of Directors on such matters brought before it, and on any other matter brought before it, is absolutely final and binding on such member or individual concerned, and on



C.A.H.A., and there is no further appeal from such decision. Such decision is not capable of being overruled except by further decision of the Board of Directors, such further decision to be made by the Board of Directors only, in its sole and absolute discretion.

(e) At any stage of any such appeal, before the Board of Directors, such member or individual concerned shall receive adequate and reasonable prior notice of the hearing of such appeal, and shall have the right at all such appeals to be represented in person and, at his option by legal counsel, and shall have the right at all such appeals to make any representations he desires to the Board of Directors. Such appeal shall be heard at such time and at such place as the Board of Directors in its discretion decides.

(f) As stated hereinbefore, and without restricting the generality of anything elsewhere contained in these by-laws or in the constitution, regulations or rules, any breach or violation of any ruling or decision of the Board of Directors results in automatic indefinite suspension from C.A.H.A. or Branch sponsored or organized activities and games, and without limiting said result, the Board of Directors may, in the event of any such violation or breach, and if it considers, in its opinion, that it would be in the best interests of amateur hockey to impose a further penalty, impose any other reasonable penalty that, in its sole and absolute discretion, it may see fit to impose.

(g) Any recourse to the Courts of any jurisdiction by any member or individual, before all the rights of appeal and all the rights and remedies of the Constitution and By-laws of the Association shall have been exhausted, shall be deemed to be a violation and breach of these By-laws, and a violation and breach of the Board of Directors decisions, and shall result in the automatic, indefinite suspension of such member or individual from all CAHA and Branch sponsored or organized activities and games, as specifically set out in By-law 2 herein.

(h) If any recourse to the Courts of any jurisdiction is taken by any member or individual after all the rights of appeal (if any) and all the rights and

remedies of the Constitution and By-laws of the Association shall have been exhausted, then the taking of such recourse by such member or individual shall, of itself, be deemed to be a violation and breach of these By-laws and shall result in automatic indefinite suspension as aforesaid, PROVIDED ALWAYS that if the Court in question (or any Court appealed to from the Court in Question) makes a finding of fact that CAHA or its Board of Directors, or the Branch in question or the League in question, as the case may be, has, with regard to the matter brought to the Court, acted in bad faith, or has not complied with the rules of natural justice, or has acted in violation of the By-laws, Rules or Regulations as the case may be, then in that event such suspension shall be immediately removed, but in the absence of such finding of fact the said suspension shall continue.

(i) It is declared that all members and individuals shall accept as final and binding all Board of Directors decisions including, without limiting the generality thereof, any interpretation or construction of the rules, regulations, by-laws or constitution made by the Board of Directors.

(j) The Board of Directors is declared to be, for the purpose of appeal and for the purpose of making decisions and rulings on any matters regarding amateur hockey that may be brought before it, a domestic tribunal constituted for the express purpose of being capable of making final determinations of all issues brought before it.

(k) It is declared that the Board of Directors has the power to make decisions and rulings for the better government and organization of amateur hockey, as it, in its sole and absolute opinion and discretion, may consider desirable.

(l) Without restricting the generality of the foregoing, the Board of Directors may suspend the right of any member or individual to participate in any C.A.H.A. or Branch sponsored or organized activity or game, indefinitely or otherwise, if in the sole and absolute opinion of the Board of Directors, such member or individual has been guilty of conduct detrimental to the welfare of amateur hockey, but such decision shall be made only at a meeting of the

Board of Directors, and prior to making such decision, proper notice of the said meeting shall be given to such member or individual and he shall have the right to make representation at the Board of Directors meeting and to be represented by counsel thereat.

(m) All provisions, paragraphs, sub-paragraphs, sections and terms of the constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations shall be deemed to be severable one from the other, and if such provision, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section or term is ever found or declared by competent authority to be void or invalid, same shall be deemed to be stricken from the constitution, bylaws, rules or regulations, as the case may be, without affecting the validity of any other provision, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section or term.

#### **BY-LAW ELEVEN**

##### **Professionalism**

- 147 No one who is actively engaged in professional hockey in any way shall be permitted to hold office in or be a member of any organization connected with this Association or any of its branches, but may be permitted to coach any team.

#### **BY-LAW TWELVE**

##### **Amendments**

- 148 (a) The Executive Director shall notify all Branches of this Association, by registered mail, of changes which may be made from time to time in the Constitution, By-laws, Regulations or Playing Rules.
- 149 (b) This Association at any Annual, Special or Board of Directors Meeting may adopt, amend, revise or repeal bylaws or regulations for the government of this Association, or playing rules, upon the affirmative majority vote of the members present and voting at such meeting. Changes in the playing rules will only be considered at semi-annual Meetings held in odd-numbered years. No decision shall be made by the Board of Directors by way of adoption, amendment, revision, or repeal (but this shall not limit any Annual, Special Meeting) regarding any specific individual case, which decision so made shall constitute a breach of any by-law, regulation or playing rule. Any such adoption, amendment, revision or repeal made at the CAHA Annual meeting (but not

at a special meeting or a Board of Directors Meeting) shall not be made unless notice in writing thereof has been given to the Executive Director of the Association by March 15th and communicated by him to the members attending such meeting by April 15th. Adoptions, amendments, revisions or repeals made by the Board of Directors, or proposed to be made by the Board of Directors, shall be circulated to all members of the Board of Directors at least fifteen (15) days prior to the holding of such meeting. All actions taken under this By-law shall take effect immediately. When an amendment has been made at the previous annual meeting, such change shall remain effective for a period of at least one year, unless the Board of Directors by a two-thirds majority vote, amends or rescinds such amendment or addition. All amendments to the regulations, by-laws and playing rules made by the Board of Directors must be ratified at the next Annual Meeting.

- 150 (c) The giving of the notice provided herein may be waived at any meeting by the unanimous affirmative vote of the meeting.
- 151 (d) Any amendment or change in the Constitution, By-laws, Regulations or Playing Rules of this association shall automatically amend or change the Constitution, By-laws, Regulations or Playing Rules of each Branch member of this Association in accordance therewith.
- 152 (e) Any change in the Constitution, Bylaws, Regulations and/or Playing Rules, which have been adopted, amended or revised in the manner herein set forth, shall not be negated by reason of any error or omission which may occur in the periodic printing of the Constitution, By-laws, Regulations and/or Playing Rules of this Association.
- 153 (f) Notices of Motion may be submitted for the Annual Meeting by the Officers, the Branches and each Council Director.

## Places of Annual Meeting

1915—Winnipeg, Man.	1948—Toronto, Ont.
1919—Toronto, Ont.	1949—New York, U.S.A.
1920—Toronto, Ont.	1950—Banff, Alta.
1921—Winnipeg, Man.	1951—Halifax, N.S.
1922—Toronto, Ont.	1952—Minaki, Ontario
1923—Winnipeg, Man.	1953—Niagara Falls, Ont.
1924—Toronto, Ont.	1954—Vancouver, B.C.
1925—Winnipeg, Man.	1955—Regina, Sask.
1926—Montreal, Que.	1956—Montreal, Quebec
1927—Vancouver, B.C.	1957—Edmonton, Alberta
1928—Ottawa, Ont.	1958—Toronto, Ontario
1929—Winnipeg, Man.	1959—Detroit, Michigan
1930—Toronto, Ont.	1960—Sydney, N.S.
1931—Winnipeg, Man.	1961—Port Arthur, Ont.
1932—Montreal, Que.	1962—Ottawa, Ont.
1933—Vancouver, B.C.	1963—Brandon, Man.
1934—Toronto, Ont.	1964—Ottawa, Ont.
1935—Halifax, N.S.	1965—Victoria, B.C.
1936—Toronto, Ont.	1966—Montreal, Quebec
1937—Toronto, Ont.	1967—Saskatoon, Sask.
1938—Ottawa, Ont.	1968—Windsor, Ont.
1939—Winnipeg, Man.	1969—Calgary, Alberta
1940—Montreal, Que.	1970—St. John's, Nfld.
1941—Calgary, Alta.	1971—Thunder Bay, Ont.
1942—Toronto, Ont.	1972—Saint John, N.B.
1943—Port Arthur, Ont.	1973—Charlottetown, P.E.I.
1944—Montreal, Que.	1974—Winnipeg, Manitoba
1945—Toronto, Ont.	1975—Quebec, P.Q.
1946—Vancouver, B.C.	1976—Penticton, B.C.
1947—Quebec City, Que.	1977—Ottawa, Ont.
	1978—Regina, Saskatchewan
	1979—London, Ontario
	1980—Edmonton, Alberta

## PART II

### History of the Association

The origin of hockey in Canada has never been definitely established. Claims have been made on behalf of many localities, notably Montreal, Halifax and Kingston and the controversy will no doubt go on as long as the sport continues.

There is no doubt that hockey has been played for a long time in Canada and individual clubs such as the Victorias of Montreal were known at an early date. Montreal also lays claim to having the first organized league of clubs.

The first organization actually dealing with the administration and development of the sport was the Ontario Hockey Association which was organized on the 27th of November, 1890.

With the passage of the years in other parts of Canada organizations also came into existence and on December 4th, 1914, the first meeting to provide for a national body was held in the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa. While it was fitting that the first meeting should be held in Canada's capital city, the impetus for the organization was provided by a group of men in that Western city which has had such a notable connection with the sport, Winnipeg. The invitations for the meeting were sent out by C. C. Robinson of Winnipeg on behalf of the Allan Cup Trustees and N. H. Crow of Toronto, the Secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union of Toronto.

At the meeting, William Northey of Montreal, Trustee of the Allan Cup was chosen as the chairman and Mr. Crow acted as Secretary.

Those present at the meeting and the organizations represented were as follows:

J. W. Ward, Hamilton, Alberta A.H.A.  
 Otto Dinnith, Montreal, Can. Intercollegiate H.U.  
 Ernest H. Jupp, Toronto, Can. Intercollegiate H.U.  
 Francis Nelson, Toronto, Ont. Hockey Association  
 H. E. Wettlaufer, Berlin, Ont.

W. F. Taylor, Winnipeg, Manitoba Hockey Assn.  
 Mr. P. D. Shand, Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan A.H.A.  
 F. H. P. Marples, Winnipeg, Monarch Hockey Club  
 W. F. Trivett, Toronto, O.A.A.U.  
 C. C. Robinson, Winnipeg, Victoria Hockey Club  
 D. W. F. Nichols, Winnipeg, Winnipeg Hockey Club

R. E. Melville, Montreal, Quebec Br. A.A.U.  
 Jos. B. Parker, Winnipeg, C.T.P.A.A.  
 Jas. G. Merrick, Toronto, Can. Olympic Assn.  
 Thomas Boyd, Winnipeg, A.A.U. of C.  
 Albert E. Vert, New Westminster, B.C.A.A.U.  
 Norman M. Mowat, Montreal, Montreal City

H. League  
 Leo Dandurand, Montreal, Montreal City  
 H. League  
 Norton H. Crow, Toronto, Sec. A.A.U. of C.  
 W. Northey, Montreal, Allan Cup Trustee  
 G. B. Reid, Regina, Victoria Hockey Club

Those present at the meeting decided unanimously that a national governing body for amateur hockey should be organized and thus the Association came into being. A constitution and by-laws were drafted and adopted and Dr. W. F. Taylor of Winnipeg was selected as President, Francis Nelson of Toronto, Vice-President, and C. C. Robinson of Winnipeg as Secretary-Treasurer of the infant organization. It is noteworthy that the Association unanimously chose as Honorary President that outstanding Canadian figure, John Ross Robertson of Toronto, and for Patron, His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General of Canada.

Over the years the Association has become a truly National sports governing body with other areas of Canada becoming members. The Quebec Amateur Hockey Association joined the CAHA in 1919, and in 1920 the Ottawa and District AHA also became a member. In 1928 the Maritime Association, embracing the provinces of Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, was admitted to membership. Newfoundland made the Association truly Canada-wide in 1966, when the Newfoundland Amateur Hockey Association applied for and was welcomed into membership in the CAHA. In 1968, New

Brunswick and in 1974, Nova Scotia requested permission to withdraw from the Maritime branch and become separate members of the CAHA. These requests were granted and brought the total number of branches within the CAHA to twelve.

The first annual meeting of the Association was held in Winnipeg on December 10th, 1915. At this meeting it was decided that Allan Cup competition would be conducted on a basis of eliminations in Eastern and Western Canada with the winners of each section meeting in a final series, instead of the challenge system of the Allan Cup trustees in vogue up to that time.

Captain James T. Sutherland of Kingston was elected as President. Shortly thereafter the President enlisted in the Canadian Forces and was absent from Canada for the duration of the war and during his absence, J. F. Paxton of Whitby, Ontario acted in his place.

On account of the conditions brought about by the war, no meeting was held in the years 1916, 1917, or 1918.

The minutes indicate that the meeting of 1919 which was held in the City of Toronto was a notable one. The Ontario Hockey Association had conceived of an idea of a Junior Dominion championship along the same lines as the Allan Cup competition and it provided a trophy for such competition to be known as the Ontario Hockey Association Memorial Cup.

Uniformity of playing rules was provided for, the rules of the Ontario Hockey Association being adopted, and it was thought sufficient that 500 copies of these rules be printed. It is interesting to note that today, over 100,000 copies of the CAHA Rule Book are distributed annually.

The age limit for junior hockey was established at the 1919 meeting when the OHA Memorial Cup was presented. Although the "deadline" has moved back and forward a number of months over the years, the age limit of 20 has been maintained until 1974 when the regulation was changed to make this class of hockey open to all players who are under 21 on December 31.

There was considerable discussion at the 1920 Annual Meeting with regard to the financing of the Association, and discussions took place with the Allan Cup Trustees so that funds might be available from the playoff games conducted by the Trustees for the financing of the Association. This arrangement continued until 1928 when control of the games was vested completely in the Association itself.

Also at the 1920 meeting, the matter of branch-to-branch transfers was a matter of concern, and this has continued to be so throughout the years.

In 1921 the Association decided to appoint a National Registrar, and the late W. A. Hewitt of Toronto, then Secretary of the OHA was selected to fill the post. In 1925 this office was combined with that of Treasurer, and Mr. Hewitt continued to serve in the dual capacity until his retirement in 1960. Mr. Hewitt also served the Association for many years as a member of the Rules Committee and, in his various capacities, the Association benefitted greatly over the years from his outstanding knowledge of the game.

F. H. Marples of Toronto became Secretary of the Association in 1922 and held this office, although not continuously, until his death in 1945. At that time the Association named George S. Dudley of Midland, Ontario, to the position. In 1947 Mr. Dudley became Secretary-Manager of the Association and continued in that position until his death in 1960.

Following the death of Mr. Dudley, the office of the Association was moved from Midland to Melville, Saskatchewan, with Gordon W. Juckes filling the posts of Registrar, Treasurer, and Secretary-Manager. The Association took a major step forward in 1967 when a National Office was set up for the first time. Winnipeg, Manitoba was selected and remained the location for the National Office until September 1970, when the Association moved to the new Sport Administration Centre in Ottawa where the administrative affairs of the Association are conducted by a full time staff.

Amateur clubs in Canada have the opportunity to play for many fine trophies, the most historic being the Allan Cup, emblematic of the Senior Championship of Canada, and the OHA Memorial Cup, for the Junior Championship of Canada. The Allan Cup, in continuous competition since 1908, has been retired to the Hockey Hall of Fame, and a full sized replica is now used for presentations. The Memorial Cup has been in continuous competition since being donated by the OHA in 1919 and today this national competition has become one of the classics in our sport.

Over the years other trophies have been donated to the Association and a complete history of all trophies can be found in Part III of this handbook. The history of the competition for the trophies is carried annually as an appendix to the C.A.H.A. Rule Book.

The Silver Jubilee of the Association was marked with appropriate ceremony at the Annual Meeting of 1939, which fittingly was held at Winnipeg, the site of the first Annual Meeting in 1915.

Another milestone in the history of the Association occurred in 1964 when its Golden Jubilee was observed. This Jubilee was held in the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, where the meeting which led to the formation of the Association in 1914 was held. On the occasion of this Jubilee, a special commemorative bronze plaque was unveiled in the lobby of the Chateau Laurier. For this occasion, CAHA delegates were joined by many representatives from other spheres in our sport, including the International field, professional hockey, and the Amateur Hockey Association of the United States observed the occasion by holding their annual meeting at the same time and in the same location.

In its early years the Association established and maintained a very strict code of amateurism, but this has changed considerably with times down through the years. One of the first relaxations of the early, Victorian idea of amateurism, occurred in 1933 when provision was made to permit amateur players to try out with professional clubs under very strict conditions.

In 1935 a committee was appointed to consider methods of liberalizing the definition of an amateur and the committee brought in a four-point proposal which provided that a player's amateur status should not be injured if he received payment for loss of time while playing hockey; a position as a result of his playing ability; if he took part in an exhibition game against a professional club or players; or, if he were a professional in another line of sport. This brought on a very considerable controversy with the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, with which the Association was then affiliated, with the result that in 1936 all links between the two organizations were broken.

In 1940 the Association took a further step providing that players would be permitted to play in our Association even though receiving definite salaries. These steps were inevitable in view of the great development of the game in Canada, particularly since the provision of artificial ice surfaces and commodious and well appointed arenas have occasioned the stretching out of the hockey season with exclusive scheduling of games.

An attempt was made in 1923 to introduce a working arrangement between professional and amateur hockey. This proved abortive. But, in 1936 representatives of professional hockey and this Association met to discuss their problems. As a result, an agreement was entered into which provided for the recognition of certain matters by both organizations and for the provision of uniform playing rules.

An agreement between the CAHA and the NHL, representing professional hockey, continued from that time, until 1975, the conditions of the agreement varying according to the times and the situation. Quite a few significant changes were made to the agreement which was signed in May, 1967. The agreement drawn up at that time provided for the elimination of professional sponsorship for individual amateur teams. An amateur draft for players going overage for Junior hockey was implemented. The use of professional tryouts, and option forms for amateur players, was eliminated. Under the new agreement a Joint development Committee was formed representing

the NHL and the CAHA, charged with implementing a Development Program as an alternative to sponsorship.

By 1975, because of the formation of a new professional organization, the World Hockey Association, the NHL was no longer able or prepared to enter into an agreement with the CAHA. For a time after the formation of the WHA, the CAHA succeeded in having agreements with both professional organizations. These, however, were terminated and today no formal agreement exists in Canada between professional and amateur hockey.

Canadian hockey has been represented in the International field by the Association since the formation of the International Ice Hockey Federation following World War II. Canada's participation in hockey, both Olympic and World Championship competition, dates back to 1920. The day has gone when Canada is an automatic winner in International competition, and the great advances made in our sport in many parts of the world, and especially in countries such as the Soviet Union, Sweden, and Czechoslovakia, have resulted in the Olympic and World Championship competitions becoming an outstanding event in recent years.

To meet the new calibre of competition prevailing in International hockey, the CAHA authorized in 1963 the formation of a National Team to represent our country in the 1964 Olympics in Innsbruck, Austria.

The Association continued the National Team program over the next four years until the spring of 1969 when this project was turned over to a new organization, Hockey Canada, which is now charged with providing a team, under the jurisdiction of the CAHA represent Canada in the International sphere.

Although World Championship play has continued almost annually since 1931, Canada has not been given the opportunity to host the games. At the 1967 IIHF Congress in Vienna, however, Canada was awarded the 1970 World Championships. Later, at

the Summer IIHF Congress in Switzerland in July 1969, provision was approved which would entitle teams in the Pool "A" division of the World Championships to use not more than 9 "non-NHL" professional players. In January, 1970 at an IIHF meeting in Geneva the question was raised as to the effect this type of "Semi-open-competition" would have on the Olympic eligibility of the players involved, and as a result of this the five qualified European teams for Pool "A" in 1970 refused to compete under the Regulation which had been approved in Switzerland in July 1969. As a result of this development, Canada withdrew from the 1970 World Championships, and forgoe the right to host the games, which were subsequently moved to Stockholm, Sweden.

Although Canada did not participate in the IIHF World Championships following our withdrawal in 1970, three major tournaments were organized in 1972, 1974, and 1976. These tournaments had a great effect on international hockey and in 1975 the IIHF Congress in Switzerland approved unanimously the opening of the World Championships to all players, professional and amateur. As a result of this action by the IIHF, and the approval of the Canada Cup '76 Series in Canada, our country returned to the World Championships in 1977 and placed fourth in the competition which was held in Vienna.

In addition to participating in the Olympic and World Championship games, the Association has been active, especially in recent years, in exchange visits between Canadian teams and teams from many other countries. These exhibition tours have taken teams to nearly every country in Europe, as well as on two tours of Japan. In the exchange, teams from Japan, United States, the Soviet Union, Sweden, Germany, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Roumania, and Italy have visited this country to display their prowess in our national game.

Hockey has also been a popular sport in many parts of the United States, and the CAHA as far back as 1919 gave consideration to affiliation between amateur hockey in Canada and amateur hockey in the United States. It was not until 1936, how-

ever, that a definite agreement was entered into between amateur hockey of the two countries. This agreement provided for a control over the movement of hockey players and other matters of mutual interest.

For many years, the Officers of the American Association had expressed a desire to entertain the CAHA at its annual meeting in the United States. And finally, in 1949 it was possible to arrange for this to be done. The meeting was held in the City of New York and was an outstanding success, with the Americans outdoing themselves in providing for the enjoyment and entertainment of their Canadian guests. The second opportunity of a similar nature occurred in 1959 when both Associations held their Annual Meetings, concurrently, in Detroit, Michigan. The CAHA was able, in a small way, to repay the hospitality of the Americans in 1964 when the AHAUS was invited to hold their Annual Meeting in Ottawa, Ontario, and to join with CAHA delegates in celebrating the Association's Golden Jubilee.

When the Association was first organized, there is no doubt that the prime purpose was for the administration and promotion of Senior Hockey and the establishment of a National championship in this division. Introduction of the OHA Memorial Cup in 1919 stimulated interest in junior hockey and this has continued throughout the years. But, undoubtedly, in recent years, the greatest expansion within the Association has been on the Minor Hockey level. The development of Provincial and Regional play-offs, and many other promotional programs developed by the Association and its branches has, in the modern era, brought thousands of Canadian boys into organized hockey. A major promotional project was instituted in 1958, and Minor Hockey Week in Canada, held annually in January, is now an important feature in Canada's Minor Hockey program. Indicating this growth in membership, last season 567,521 players registered with the CAHA, playing on some 34,124 teams in competition provided by the CAHA branches and affiliates.

Through the financial support and interest of the National Hockey League, Canadian National Exhibition, and the City of Toronto, our National game received a permanent home in the Canadian National Exhibition grounds on August 26, 1961, when John F. Diefenbaker, then Prime Minister of Canada, opened the new Hockey Hall of Fame. Over the years this Association has had a particular interest in the Hall of Fame, and representatives of the CAHA have acted on both the Governing Committee and the Selection Committee since its inception. The Association has also been responsible, financially and otherwise, for providing the amateur hockey displays. Today the National Trophies of the Association are on view in the Hockey Hall of Fame, and there are individual displays featuring all of the teams which have won the Allan Cup, the Hardy Cup, the OHA Memorial Cup, and who have represented Canada in Olympic and World Hockey Championship competition. A CAHA meritorious award was instituted in 1962, to honor those "who have for many years served amateur hockey faithfully as players, coaches and Association members, and made outstanding contributions to Canadian Amateur hockey." The newest CAHA display in the Hockey Hall of Fame is one which commemorates the winners of this special award.

It is not possible in such a short account to make mention of the many changes which have taken place in the rules of games since the inception of this Association. When the Association was formed in 1914, a team consisted of seven players and no substitutes were allowed. Today a team is composed of six players, and thirteen substitutes. There was no such thing as a forward pass, offside play being strictly prohibited as was kicking the puck or touching it with the hand. Introduction of the forward pass and many other innovations, which have taken place over the years, have resulted in greatly accelerating the tempo of play, and it would appear that this trend meets with general public approval, judging from the recent support the game receives not only here in Canada, but in many other countries of the world.

The history of the CAHA is a comparatively short one, but since that Inaugural Meeting in Ottawa on December 4, 1914, it has had to meet the impact of two World Wars, and to live through periods of both depression and prosperity. Its continued growth and progress is evidence of the capable leadership which the Association, and its branches, have received over the years, and of the high regard with which our National game is held by the people, and especially the young people, of Canada.



## CAHA MERITORIOUS AWARD WINNERS

- 1962—C. N. "Cliff" Henderson, Moose Jaw, Sask.  
C. J. "Charlie" Boyle, Fort William, Ont.  
Art Jefferd, Vancouver, B.C.  
A. E. H. "Abbie" Coe, Winnipeg, Man.  
Earl Samis, Edmonton, Alta.  
Dr. S. H. Hutt, Chesterville, Ont.  
Leo E. Burns, Town Mount Royal, Quebec  
Hanson T. Dowell, Q.C., Middleton, N.S.  
Lorne Miller, North Bay, Ontario
- 1963—Frank Dilio, Montreal, P.Q.  
Frank Sargent, Port Arthur, Ont.
- 1964—Harry Foxton, Portage la Prairie, Man.  
George Panter, Gravenhurst, Ont.
- 1965—Frank Buckland, Peterborough, Ont.
- 1966—A. T. Potter, Edmonton, Alta.  
W. B. George, Kemptville, Ontario.
- 1967—J. W. "Jack" Hamilton, Regina, Sask.  
Judge J. Elliott Hudson, Halifax, N.S.
- 1968—Jack Christie, East York, Ont.  
Martin Conway, St. Lambert, P.Q.
- 1969—Dr. W. G. Hardy, Edmonton, Alberta
- 1970—Leo Atwell, Nelson, B.C.  
Walter Clarke, Grand Falls, Newfoundland
- 1971—William Addison, Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Jack Roxburgh, Simco, Ontario
- 1972—Clyde McCarthy, Trois-Rivieres, P.Q.
- 1973—Matt Leyden, Oshawa, Ontario.  
J. Pius Callaghan, Charlottetown, P.E.I.
- 1974—W. J. Anderson, Trail, B.C.
- 1975—William "Bill" Hanley, Toronto, Ontario  
J. S. "Stu" Peppard, Calgary, Alberta
- 1976—Gordon W. Jukes, Ottawa, Ontario
- 1977—William "Bill" Ford, Swift Current, Sask.  
William "Bill" Glover, Toronto, Ont.
- 1978—Frank Germann, Wilcox, Sask.  
T. B. "Bones" McCormack, Thunder Bay, Ontario
- 1979—Clarence "Tubby" Schmalz, Walkerton, Ont.
- 1980—Ron Wallace, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

## Past Officers

### 1914-1915

Hon. President: J. Ross Robertson ..... Toronto, Ont.  
President: Dr. W.F. Taylor ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
Vice-President: Francis Nelson ..... Toronto, Ont.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: Claude C. Robertson ..... Winnipeg, Man.

### 1915-1919

Hon. President: Dr. W.F. Taylor ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
President: Capt. Jas T. Sutherland ..... Kingston, Ont.  
(During the President's service overseas, Sheriff  
J.F. Paxton, Whitby, acted as President)  
Vice-President: W.M. VanValkenburg ..... Regina, Sask.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

### 1919-1920

Hon. President: Capt. Jas T. Sutherland ..... Kingston, Ont.  
President: Frederick E. Betts ..... Saskatoon, Sask.  
Vice-President: W.R. Granger ..... Montreal, Que.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: W.C. Bettschen ..... Regina, Sask.

### 1920-1921

Hon. President: Frederick E. Betts ..... Saskatoon, Sask.  
President: H.J. Sterling ..... Fort William, Ont.  
Vice-President: W.G. Chester ..... Vancouver, B.C.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: H.E. James ..... Fort William, Ont.

### 1921-1922

Hon. President: H.J. Sterling ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
President: W.R. Granger ..... Montreal, Que.  
Vice-President: Dr. H.O. McDiarmid ..... Brandon, Man.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: W.J. Morrison ..... Montreal, Que.

### 1922-1923

Hon. President: W.R. Granger ..... Montreal, Que.  
President: W.R. Sexsmith ..... Portage la Prairie, Man.  
Vice-President: S.P. Quilty ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
Hon. Sec-Treas.: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
A.A.U. of C. Governor: R.C. Chambers, Fort William, Ont.  
Registrar: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

### 1924-1925-1926

Hon. President: W.B. Sexsmith ..... Portage la Prairie, Man.  
President: S.P. Quilty ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
Vice-President: Dr. J.E. Sandercock ..... Calgary, Alta.  
A.A.U. of C. Governor: R.C. Chambers, Fort William, Ont.  
Hon. Secs.: D.N. Gill and J.M. Dunn ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1926-1927-1928

Hon. President: S.P. Quilty ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 President: Dr. F.E. Sandercock ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 Vice-President: W.A. Fry ..... Dunnville, Ont.  
 A.A.U. of C. Governor: R.C. Chambers ..... Port William, Ont.  
 Hon. Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1928-1929-1930

Past President: Dr. F.E. Sandercock ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 President and A.A.U. of C. Governor: W.A. Fry ..... Dunnville, Ont.  
 Vice-President: J.W. Hamilton ..... Regina, Sask.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1930-1931-1932

Past President: W.A. Fry ..... Dunnville, Ont.  
 President and A.A.U. of C. Gov.: J.W. Hamilton ..... Regina  
 First Vice-President: Frank C. Greenleaf ..... Montreal, Que.  
 Second Vice-Pres.: E.A. Gilroy ..... Portage la Prairie, Man.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1932-1933-1934

Past President: J.W. Hamilton ..... Regina, Sask.  
 President and A.A.U. of C. Governor: Frank C. Greenleaf,  
 Montreal, Que.  
 First Vice-President: E.A. Gilroy ..... Portage la Prairie, Man.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1934-1935-1936

Past President: Frank C. Greenleaf ..... Montreal, Que.  
 President and A.A.U. of C. Governor: E.A. Gilroy  
 Portage la Prairie, Man.  
 First Vice-President: Cecil Duncan ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 Second Vice-Pres.: Prof. W.G. Hardy ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Dominion Registrar-Treas.: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1936-1937-1938

Past President: E.A. Gilroy ..... Portage la Prairie, Man.  
 President: Cecil Duncan ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: Prof. W.G. Hardy ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 Second Vice-President: Geo. S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1938-1939-1940

Past President: Cecil Duncan ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 President: Prof. W.G. Hardy ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 First Vice-President: Geo. S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: Frank Sargent ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1940-1941-1942

Past President: Prof. W.G. Hardy ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 President: Geo. S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: Frank Sargent ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: Hanson T. Dowell ..... Middleton, N.S.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1942-1943-1944-1945

Past President: Geo. S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.  
 President: Frank Sargent ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: Hanson T. Dowell ..... Middleton, N.S.  
 Second Vice-President: A.W. Pickard ..... Regina, Sask.  
 Secretary: F.H. Marples ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1945-1946-1947

Past President: Frank Sargent ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 President: Hanson Dowell ..... Middleton, N.S.  
 First Vice-President: A.W. Pickard ..... Regina, Sask.  
 Second Vice-President: Norman Dawe ..... Verdun, Que.  
 Secretary: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.

#### 1947-1948

Past President: Hanson Dowell ..... Middleton, N.S.  
 President: A.W. Pickard ..... Regina, Sask.  
 First Vice-President: Norman Dawe ..... Verdun, Que.  
 Second Vice-Pres.: D.G. Grimston ..... New Westminster, B.C.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1948-1949-1950

Past President: Hanson Dowell ..... Middleton, N.S.  
 President: A.W. Pickard ..... Regina, Sask.  
 First Vice-Pres.: D.G. Grimston ..... New Westminster, B.C.  
 Second Vice-President: W.B. George ..... Kemptville, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1950-1952

Past President: A.W. Pickard ..... Regina, Sask.  
 President: D.G. Grimston ..... New Westminster, B.C.  
 First Vice-President: W.B. George ..... Kemptville, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: Jas Dunn ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1952-1955

Past President: D.G. Grimston ..... New Westminster, B.C.  
 President: W.B. George ..... Kemptville, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: Jas A. Dunn ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 Second Vice-President: W.A. Duranceau ..... Montreal, Que.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1955-1957

Past President: W.B. George ..... Kemptville, Ont.  
 President: James A. Dunn ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 First Vice-President: Robert LeBel ..... Chambly, Que.  
 Second Vice-President: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1957-1959

Past President: James A. Dunn ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 President: Robert LeBel ..... Chambly, Que.  
 First Vice-President: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Second Vice-President: J.M. Roxburgh ..... Simcoe, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1959-1960

Past President: Robert LeBel ..... Chambly, Que.  
 President: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 First Vice-President: J.M. Roxburgh ..... Simcoe, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: A.T. Potter ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: W.A. Hewitt ..... Toronto, Ont.  
 Secretary-Manager: G.S. Dudley ..... Midland, Ont.

#### 1960-1962

Past President: Robert LeBel ..... Chambly, Que.  
 President: Jack Roxburgh ..... Simcoe, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: A.T. Potter ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 Second Vice-President: Lionel Fleury ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Secretary-Manager: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.

#### 1962-1964

Past President: Jack Roxburgh ..... Simcoe, Ont.  
 President: A.T. Potter ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 First Vice-President: Lionel Fleury ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Second Vice-President: Fred Page ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Secretary-Manager: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.

#### 1964-1966

Past President: A.T. Potter ..... Edmonton, Alta.  
 President: Lionel Fleury ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 First Vice-President: Fred Page ..... Port Arthur, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: Lloyd Pollock ..... Windsor, Ont.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Secretary-Manager: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.

#### 1966-1968

Past President: Lionel Fleury ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 President: Fred Page ..... Vancouver, B.C.  
 First Vice-President: Lloyd Pollock ..... Windsor, Ont.  
 Second Vice-President: Earl Dawson ..... Rivers, Man.  
 Registrar-Treasurer: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.  
 Secretary-Manager: Gordon Jukes ..... Melville, Sask.

#### 1968-1969

Past President: Fred Page ..... North Vancouver, B.C.  
 President: Lloyd Pollock ..... Windsor, Ont.  
 Vice-President: Earl Dawson ..... Rivers, Man.  
 Director: Leo Atwell ..... Nelson, B.C.  
 Director: Alfred E. Taylor ..... North Gower, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Winnipeg, Man.

#### 1969-1970

Past President: Fred Page ..... North Vancouver, B.C.  
 President: Earl Dawson ..... Rivers, Man.  
 First Vice-President: J.J. Kryczka ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 Vice-President Senior Hockey: Henry Crochetiere ..... Sherbrook, P.Q.  
 Vice-President Junior Hockey: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: Don Stynsky ..... North Battleford, Sask.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Winnipeg, Man.

#### 1970-1971

Past President: Fred Page ..... North Vancouver, B.C.  
 President: Earl Dawson ..... Rivers, Man.  
 First Vice-President: J.J. Kryczka ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 Vice-President Senior Hockey: Don S. Johnson ..... St. John's, Newfoundland.  
 Vice-President Junior Hockey: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: T.B. McCormack ..... Thunder Bay, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1971-1973

Past President: Earl Dawson ..... Winnipeg, Man.  
 President: J.J. Kryczka ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 First Vice-President: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 Vice-President Senior Int. Hockey: Don S. Johnson ..... St. John's, Newfoundland.  
 Vice-President Junior Hockey: Roland Mercier ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: T.B. McCormack ..... Thunder Bay, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1973-1975

Past President: J.J. Kryczka ..... Calgary, Alta.  
 President: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 First Vice-President: Don S. Johnson ..... St. John's, Nfld.  
 Vice-President Senior Int. Hockey: Gordon Renwick ..... Cambridge, Ont.  
 Vice-President Junior Hockey: Roland Mercier ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: T.B. McCormack ..... Thunder Bay, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1975-1976

Past president: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 President: Don Johnson ..... St. John's, Nfld.  
 First Vice President: Gordon Renwick, ... Cambridge, Ont.  
 Vice-President Sr. Int. Hockey:  
 Frank McKinnon, ..... Carman, Man.

Vice-President Junior Hockey: Roland Mercier ... Quebec,  
 P.Q.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: T. B. McCormack ... Thunder  
 Bay, Ont.  
 Vice-President at Large: Marcel Robert ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1976 - 77

Past President: Jack Devine ..... Belleville, Ont.  
 President: Don Johnson ..... St. John's Nfld.  
 First Vice President: Gordon Renwick ... Cambridge, Ont.  
 Vice-President Sr. Int. Hockey: Frank McKinnon .....

Carman, Man,  
 Vice-President Junior Hockey: Roland Mercier ... Quebec,  
 P.Q.  
 Vice-President Minor Hockey: Cliffe Phillips. Newmarket,  
 Ont.  
 Vice-President at Large: Marcel Robert ..... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Executive Director: Gordon W. Jukes ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1977-79

Past President: Don Johnson ..... St. John's, Nfld.  
 President: Gordon Renwick ..... Cambridge, Ont.  
 Vice-President: Frank McKinnon ..... Carman, Man.  
 Vice-President Sr. Int.: Ron Wallace ... Saskatoon, Sask.  
 Vice-President Junior: Roland Mercier .... Quebec, P.Q.  
 Vice-President Minor: Cliffe Phillips ... Newmarket, Ont.  
 Vice-President at Large: Norm Saunders ... Brockville, Ont.  
 Executive Director: David Branch ..... Ottawa, Ont.

#### 1979-1981

Past Chairman: Gordon Renwick ..... Cambridge, Ont.  
 Chairman: Frank McKinnon ..... Carman, Man.  
 Vice-Chairman: Clarence (Tubby) Schmalz ... Walkerton, Ont.  
 Chairman St. Int. & Adult Hockey:  
 Ron Wallace ..... Saskatoon, Sask.  
 Chairman Junior Hockey: Roland Mercier ..... Quebec P.Q.  
 Chairman Minor Hockey: Brian Wakelin ..... St John's Nfld.  
 Vice-Chairman at Large: Ron Chalmers ..... La Pas, Man.  
 President: Murray Costello ..... Ottawa, Ont.  
 Executive Director: Hal Lewis ..... Ottawa, Ont.

## PART III

### A.—Trophies of the Association

#### THE CAHA MERITORIOUS AWARD

At the CAHA annual meeting in 1960, approval was given to the institution of annual "CAHA Meritorious Awards" to honor those individuals who for many years have served amateur hockey faithfully, having participated as players, served as coaches and association members, and made outstanding contributions to Canadian amateur hockey." The first such awards were made in January and May, 1962.

The following are the particulars and regulations governing these awards:

1. One nomination, in writing will be accepted from each Branch through the Secretary-Manager and approved by the Branch Executive. Such nomination will list all qualifications and background pertaining to the applicant.
2. There is no limit as to the age of the Nominee.
3. The Nominee must be living.
4. The Nominee has been or is actively engaged in Amateur Hockey.
5. The Nominee may be nominated any number of years, but can only receive the award once.
6. Nominations must be mailed to the Executive Director of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association by January 10th of each year.
7. The Officers of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association will make the selection and announce same at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.
8. Where recipients are in attendance at the Annual Meeting, all expenses are to be paid by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.
9. There shall be two awards Annually, one from the Eastern Branches and one from the Western Branches.
10. Award Winners will have their names placed in a Roll of Honour.
11. The Roll of Honour will be located in a suitable site in the Hockey Hall of Fame.

12. The above regulations to be incorporated annually.

#### THE ALEXANDER CUP

In the season 1950-51 the Association established the Major Series. The purpose of this series was to remove from Allan Cup competition those stronger clubs which for many years had dominated the play in that series and also to meet a request from such leagues for longer playing time in their own groups. His Excellency Viscount Alexander, Governor General of Canada, was most graciously pleased to donate a trophy for the new Major Series.

The Valleyfield Braves of the Quebec Senior Hockey League were fortunate in being the first club to have its name inscribed on this trophy. Subsequent winners were: Valleyfield Braves 1951, Quebec Aces 1952, Halifax Atlantics 1953 and 1954. Since 1954 there has been no competition in the Major Series.

#### THE ALLAN CUP

The Allan Cup was donated by Sir H. Montague Allan, C.V.O., shortly after the Stanley Cup became the championship trophy of the professional hockey clubs. While the Stanley Cup was an amateur trophy the proceeds from Cup games went to the competing teams, but this led to abuses of the principles of amateurism, owing to clubs gathering star players from all parts of the country, regardless of cost, knowing that if they got into a Stanley Cup series their share of the receipts would take care of the extra expenses in building up a championship team.

Upon the organization of the professional league the senior players who did not turn pro, retired from the game, which reduced senior amateur hockey to practically an intermediate basis, which, of course, greatly discouraged those interested in the amateur game, and it was at this stage that Mr. Northy prevailed upon Sir Montague to offer a trophy for the encouragement of the amateurs, and to safeguard it with such rules and regulations as to prevent it from ever becoming a menace to the sport it was designed to foster. It was decided to make the Cup a challenge trophy open to any senior club having won the championship of its league that

year. The surplus proceeds after paying the legitimate expenses of the competing teams to be given to charity.

The Cup was presented to the Victoria Hockey Club of Montreal, and to be defended by the champion of their league that year. The Cliffside of Ottawa was the first club to defend the Cup as Champions of the league in which the Cup was held. The Queen's University team of Kingston were the first challengers and were successful in winning the first series of matches for its possession.

From this time on interest in the Allan Cup became greater each year until the challenges became so numerous that it was impossible for any team holding the Cup to defend it against all those clubs sending in challenges.

The Trustees then arranged elimination games between teams from the same territory and also limited the number of times the holders could be called upon to defend the Cup in one season to three. Even this did not entirely eliminate the difficulties that the trustees had to contend with, and it was quite evident that some other method would have to be adopted in order to give satisfaction.

In 1914, Mr. Claude Robinson, who had for some time been acting as Western representative for the trustees, suggested that a governing body be formed. This idea was looked upon with favor by the trustees, and Mr. Robinson was asked to communicate with the various leagues and associations, and arrange for a meeting of representatives to discuss the project. This meeting took place in Ottawa at the close of the annual meeting of the A.A.U. of C. in December, 1914, when Mr. Robinson outlined his plan, which met with the unanimous support of those present, and the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association was formed with branches in the Provinces of Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. Dr. W. F. Taylor, of Winnipeg, was its first President.

The "Allen Cup" was accepted as the trophy emblematic of the senior amateur hockey championship of Canada, under the rules and regulations as enacted by the trustees of the Cup, and in accordance with the Deed of Trust.

The trustees continued to disburse a portion of the surplus funds to charity, but retained an amount each year for the purpose of building up a reserve fund to guard against the possibility of the receipts in some years being insufficient to meet the expenses of the competing teams.

During the period of the war it was difficult to get representatives from the various branches to attend meetings of the Association, owing to the heavy cost of sending delegates, and in order to prevent representation by proxy it was agreed between the trustees from each Association that the expenses of one delegate from each branch be paid out of the Cup funds, and that sufficient money be provided by the trustees to permit of the proper functioning of the Association as a governing body.

In 1920 the trustees financed the cost of sending a Canadian team to compete in the Olympic games in Antwerp, and again in 1924 the sum of five thousand dollars was given to the Canadian Olympic Committee towards the expenses of the team that represented Canada at Chamonix.

The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association has fully justified its existence by becoming one of the largest governing bodies of amateur sport in Canada, and Mr. Claude Robinson, of Winnipeg, is entitled to be known as its founder.

In 1928 the Allen Cup was donated outright to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, the formal acceptance taking place at the annual meeting at the Chateau Laurier in Ottawa in March, when a Board of Trustees, consisting of C.A.H.A. members, was appointed for one year; the personnel being S. P. Quilty, Ottawa, Ontario; A. B. King, Okotoks, Alberta, and A. E. Gilroy, Portage la Prairie, Manitoba. A vote of thanks was tendered Sir Montague Allan for his generosity, and to Mr. Wm. Northey, of Montreal, and his co-workers on

the Trustee Board on their retirement after many years of splendid service in the interest of amateur hockey.

#### THE PATTON CUP

This trophy is awarded for the championship of Senior hockey in Western Canada and was first competed for in 1925. It was presented by Mr. T. B. Patton.

#### G. P. BOLTON MEMORIAL TROPHY

In 1938 the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association provided this trophy to be emblematic of the Eastern Canada Senior Championship. The trophy is in memory of the late G. P. Bolton of Sussex, New Brunswick, one of the founders and the first president of the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association.

#### THE O.H.A. MEMORIAL CUP

The O.H.A. Memorial Cup was presented to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association in March, 1919 for the Canadian Championship of junior teams in national competition in memory of the many Canadian hockey players who had made the supreme sacrifice for their country in the First Great War — 1914-18.

Junior hockey was in its infancy across Canada at this time, but the presentation of the trophy for national competition provided the spark that was required to make it a very live issue throughout the Dominion.

The Ontario Hockey Association assumed the financial responsibility for the national junior series in the first two years of operation. University of Toronto, O.H.A. champions won the first series in 1919. The Toronto students first defeated the Melville team of Montreal, and then won from the Regina Pats team, Abbot Cup winners in a two-game series at the Mutual Street Arena in Toronto, to take the first national championship. In 1920, the O.H.A. champions, the Toronto Canoe Club team, became the winners, defeating Loyola College of Quebec, Selkirks of Manitoba and Fort William Beavers of Thunder Bay in that order. First victory for Western Canada was in 1921 when the Winnipeg Falcons defeated Regina Victorias, Fort William Rangers and then Stratford Midgets in the two game

total goal final at Toronto by eleven goals to nine. That victory established the series as a national championship and it has been one of the great annual hockey fixtures ever since.

However at the Association's annual meeting in 1970, Junior "A" hockey was divided into two classifications, namely Major Junior and Junior "A". The OHA, QJHL and WCJHL were placed in the Major Junior category leading to the Memorial Cup and all other junior teams across the country who were previously entered in Memorial Cup play-downs were placed in the Junior "A" category and played off for a new national trophy presented by the Manitoba AHA. In completing this re-classification of Junior hockey for the 1970-71 season, new trophies were accepted by the Association and other trophies re-assigned as follows:

Canadian Major Junior Championship — OHA Memorial Cup.

Eastern Canada Major Junior Championship — George T. Richardson Memorial Trophy.

Western Canada Major Junior Championship — Monseigneur Athol Murray Trophy.

Canadian Junior "A" Championship — Centennial Trophy (Manitoba).

Eastern Canada Junior "A" Championship — Dudley-Hewitt Trophy.

Western Canada Junior "A" Championship — Abbott Memorial Cup.

#### **THE GEORGE T. RICHARDSON MEMORIAL TROPHY**

The George T. Richardson Memorial Trophy was presented to the C.A.H.A. in April, 1932 by James A. Richardson to perpetuate the memory of his brother, who died overseas. It is emblematic of the Eastern Canada Major Junior Championship and is a treasured trophy. Lieut. George Richardson was one of the hockey greats of Kingston and his fame endureth forever as a great hockeyist, as a good citizen and as a soldier, who gave up his life for his country.

#### **CENTENNIAL TROPHY (MANITOBA)**

The Manitoba Centennial Trophy, dedicated to all who contributed to the growth of amateur hockey in Manitoba, was presented to the Association by the Manitoba Amateur Hockey Association to commemorate their centennial year of 1970. The Trophy is emblematic of the Junior "A" Championship of Canada and was played for the first time in 1971.

#### **DUDLEY-HEWITT MEMORIAL TROPHY**

This Trophy was put up by the Association in memory of the late George Dudley and W. A. Hewitt, both outstanding contributors to amateur hockey. The Trophy is emblematic of the Eastern Junior "A" Championship of Canada and was played for the first time in 1971.

#### **THE ABBOTT MEMORIAL CUP**

Capt. E. L. (Hick) Abbott was a noted hockey player in Western Canada. He captained the Regina Victorias when it won the Junior Championship of Canada in 1913 and 1914. Capt. Abbott died on active service in the war of 1914-18 and the trophy was presented in his memory in 1919 by the Saskatchewan Amateur Hockey Association and is awarded annually for the championship of Junior "A" Hockey in Western Canada.

#### **W. G. HARDY TROPHY**

Although Inter-Branch Intermediate competition had taken place for many years, a National Championship, under sponsorship of this Association, did not take place until the spring of 1968. Sept Iles Mineurs, Quebec, became the first National Champions when they defeated Meadow Lake Stampede in a series played at North Battleford, Saskatchewan.

A new trophy, emblematic of this championship, was presented by a group of North Battleford realtors and the trophy was subsequently accepted by the C.A.H.A. and named in honor of Dr. W. G. Hardy of Edmonton, C.A.H.A. Life Member.

#### **EDMONTON JOURNAL TROPHY**

Upon the establishment of competition between the Western Branches in Intermediate hockey The Journal of Edmonton presented a trophy to be emblematic of the championship of that series and this has done much to stimulate interest in inter-branch Intermediate competition in Western Canada which has been conducted so successfully for many years.

#### **COL. J. BOURQUE CUP**

Eastern Canada has not engaged in inter-branch Intermediate competition as long as Western Canada but when this competition was commenced a trophy emblematic of the Eastern Canada Intermediate Championship was provided by Colonel J. Bourque.

#### **THE WILLS INTERNATIONAL TROPHY**

International competition has long been provided for and for many years competition has been carried on between clubs in the United States of America and Canada. In 1922 Mr. Hamilton B. Wills of Toronto provided this trophy to be emblematic of International competition between the United States of America and Canada.