



## St. Boniface Enters Western Finals

FORT WILLIAM, April 3.—(CP)—St. Boniface Canadiens fought their way into the Memorial Cup semi-final series against Regina Pats by thumping Fort William Canadiens last night 10-7 before 1,600 fans. The result gave St. Boniface the best-of-seven quarter-final 4-1.

The Manitoba champions open their semi-final series against the Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League champions at Winnipeg Saturday night. Dates for the remaining games in the best-of-seven series have not been set.

Three St. Boniface recruits played an important part in their win. Big Gord LaBoassiere slammed in three goals and Bill Colpitts and Bill Saunders one each.

LaBoassiere, MJHL scoring champion and picked up from Transcona Rangers, scored twice in the second and once in the third period. Colpitts and Bill Saunders of Winnipeg Monarchs were picked up along with LaBoassiere for the play-offs.

Other St. Boniface scorers were Don Hart with a brace and Ted Lanyon, Ted Green and Jerry Kruk with one each. Dave Merrifield, a Fort William pickup, and Gary Olney each scored twice for Fort William. Joe Szura, Roger Sawicki and Ernie Dupuis added one each.

St. Boniface collared 13 of the 18 penalties, including a misconduct to defenceman Lanyon.