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LOCAL LADIES BEAT VISITORS

First Game for Northern B.C. Girls' Basketball Championship Won by Prince Rupert

Probably because they were strange to the local floor, the visiting ladies' basketball team from Anox was defeated by the Prince Rupert Maple Leafs aggregation last night by a score of 17 to 4, in the first game of the Northern B.C. championship. The Anox girls started out well and, at the end of the first quarter, the score was 3 all. The local ladies started from then on, however, and scored fourteen during the remaining periods while the visitors obtained only one more point. The Anox team will play with the Maple Leafs again this evening and they are confident they will make a better showing.

R. B. Skinner refereed last night's match and the teams lined up as follows:

Prince Rupert — Miss A. Stephens (4); Miss Louis Fisher (1); Miss Myra Harvey, 7; Miss E. Lowe, 6; Miss Margaret Graham (2); Miss Laura Frizzell. — Total 17.

Anox — Miss R. Champion; Miss R. Moffatt; Miss S. Calderone (2); Miss S. Dean (1); Miss H. Calderone (2); Mrs. Windstrum. — Total, 4.

Intermediate Exhibition

The second game of the evening's program was an exhibition match between the Intermediate Golts and High School. This was a well contested affair and the High School maintained the lead till very near the close when the Golts staged a rally and wound up victors by 38 to 32.

W. Mitchell refereed and the line-ups were:

High School—Don Matheson, Alex. Mitchell, Dido Gurvich, Gordon Bulger and Arthur Phillips.

Golts—M. Rudenich, Douglas Frizzell, George Rhythe, Ralph Smith, J. Kelly and J. Sims.

Following the games there was a dance which lasted until 1.30. The Westholme furnished the music and there was a good attendance.

The Anox visitors, all of whom took part in the game last night, are chaperoned on their trip by Mrs. Chapman.

LUNCH COUNTER CARS ON NATIONAL



The lunch counter has been fitted up at one end of a steel colonist car, where the best grade of tea and coffee freshly made will be served. Light meals comprising cereals, sandwiches, pies, preserved fruits and other canned goods will be available at Canadian National standard lunch counter prices. A competent and courteous attendant will be in charge of each lunch counter and service may be secured at any time during the day.

The suggestion of the lunch counter cars was made by Mr. Walter Pratt, General Manager of Dining, Sleeping and Parlor Cars and of Hotels, who has been anxious to provide this facility to further improve travelling conditions and add to the comforts of passengers on the Canadian National Railways.

LUNCH counter cars which will care for the needs of passengers in the colonist, first class and tourist cars of the main line trains, if they desire to patronize them, are to be operated by the Canadian National Railways for the convenience of the travelling public, and particularly of immigrants arriving in Canada. As an experiment, lunch counter cars have been placed in service between Winnipeg and Toronto. While these trains carry dining cars and while the Canadian National Railways also have lunch counters and restaurants at all divisional points, it is considered that the lunch counter car will be a great benefit to women travelling with children and to others who may be physically unfit or unable to leave the train at stations because of severe weather, or for other reasons.

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for and against though some players and fans are quite enthusiastic in their support of such a move. Perhaps the principal factor in favor of it would be that Prince Rupert talent so recognized could compete with other cities of the province for recognized championship honors. Registered players would enjoy certain advantages such as the possibility of being selected—if their quality warranted—for provincial or Dominion all star organizations such as the Canadian football team that is going to Australia this year. On the other hand, talent is often rather scarce here and, for the benefit of the public at large as well as for the good of the sport, it is sometimes convenient to line up players that at one time or other might have been professional and thus would be debared from strictly amateur company. There might also be difficulty if it were desired to stage inter-town games with other points in the district not so affiliated. If amateur affiliation is to be inaugurated here it would seem that it should be a district move and other points such as Prince George, Anox, etc., should be simultaneously lined up in a like manner.

managing committee consisting of Mrs. Ewart, Miss McRath, Messrs. Coates, Harper, Foot, Smith and Sgt. Taylor has been appointed.

The Ketchikan Chronicle of Monday says: According to word received here from Prince Rupert fans last week, they will be unable to arrange a basketball game with the local players at Prince Rupert because they do not feel they could live up to the guarantee asked and offered by the local association for a return game here. According to the Rupert papers they have been more or less actively interested in the game down there all season, and the only reason local fans account for their refusal is a possible inability to get many people to attend a game. It has been the desire for some years to match with the B.C. players, and this year it is entirely possible for Ketchikan to guarantee a sufficient amount, the same which they asked of Rupert. With no chance for a Rupert game it is not definitely known when Ketchikan will play another out-of-town quintet.

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Sport Chat

With the reorganization of city baseball, football and lacrosse associations for the coming season, the question of Prince Rupert's affiliation with recognized amateur bodies of British Columbia will no doubt again be broached. There are arguments

With the Great War Veterans still maintaining a long lead in the City Billiard League competition for the Bulger & Cameron cup, interest in the series has been flagging somewhat of late. It should be revived this week again, however, for the Grotto and Great War Veterans are due to meet on Friday night. If the Grotto are not successful in overcoming a great deal of the lead against them as runners-up, the Veterans will have a pretty sure pinch on the silverware for this season. Should the tobaccoists, however, succeed in pulling the soldiers down to any great extent the race would again assume a more interesting aspect and the Billiard Hall, third place team, might also have a chance at the season's honors. The St. Andrew's and Elks' teams are scheduled to meet tonight. The tournament is not expected to make much difference to the complexion of the league standing.

The Prince George Parent-Teachers' Association has established a gymnasium in that town and classes are being started this week in the different lines of gymnastics. A store has been loaned for the purpose and available apparatus has been installed. The Boy Scouts have loaned their equipment and will make use of the gymnasium for their meetings. A girls' physical culture class is also to meet there and an effort is being made to form afternoon classes for younger children who cannot attend in the evening. Several capable instructors have offered their services and no fee is charged for the gymnasium. A

BILLIARD AVERAGES

The following averages have been made to date by players in the Prince Rupert City Billiard League competition for the Bulger & Cameron Cup:

Games, Pts, Av.	
Col. McMordie (V.)	7 1400 200
Sgt. Jepson (V.)	8 1576 197
B. Jelich (B.P.)	7 1382 197
W. J. Nelson (G.)	4 789 197
G. Blythe (G.)	2 393 197
W. Hutchinson (B.P.)	9 1760 196
B. Morgan (G.)	7 1370 196
F. Pyle (V.)	8 1535 192
J. Sudek (G.)	8 1508 189
J. May (V.)	7 1343 188
W. Walsh (E.)	5 940 188
W. Mitchell (E.)	8 1494 187
G. McIlmoyle (B.P.)	9 1664 185
F.A. Aldridge (B.P.)	6 1271 182
F. Stephens (E.)	6 1093 182
Dr. West (S.E.)	8 1450 181
C. Balagno (E.)	8 1444 181
G. Waugh (G.)	6 1088 181
R. H. Shockley (S.E.)	8 1439 180
J. Smith (B.P.)	2 355 178
C. Thompson (B.P.)	6 1064 177
R. Howe (S.E.)	9 1588 176
M. M. McLaebian (S.A.)	8 1401 175
D. Brown (G.)	7 1208 173
M. Andrews (S.A.)	5 859 172
J. Howe (S.E.)	8 1366 171
E. Fenelon (V.)	4 679 170
S. L. Warrior (V.)	4 170 170
J. Judge (G.)	6 1042 169
J. Andrews (S.A.)	8 1316 165
A. A. Easson (E.)	8 1305 163
W. Balagno (E.)	5 816 163
Ben Self (B.P.)	4 651 163
A. Broderick (E.)	3 488 163
G. P. Tinker (S.E.)	9 1457 162
S. D. Macdonald (S.A.)	8 1278 160
J. Brown (S.A.)	7 1120 160
R. Davie (S.A.)	3 459 153
D. Balfour (S.E.)	2 288 144
S. J. Evans (B.P.)	2 276 138
T. Silversides (S.E.)	1 136 136

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Pte. A. Rix	21
Lieut. J. Barnsley	20
Pte. W. Woolton	18
Capt. R. W. Cameron	18
Pte. L. Warner	16
Bandsmaster A. Beale	15
Lieut. H. Floyd	14
Pte. J. Caldwell	13
Pte. M. Smith	12
Pte. D. A. Robertson	11
Pte. S. Wrigglesworth	10
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