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PRESENT TROPHIES

At a meeting of Whist and Cribbage League committees last night, with S. M. Newton presiding, it was decided to hold a joint whist and cribbage drive on April 16 when trophies won during the past winter in the whist and cribbage league competitions will be presented to the winners.

MADE PRESENTATION

At the train this week as she left for Niagara Falls, where she has been called on account of the illness of her mother, Miss Beatrice Marshall of the Commodore Cafe staff was presented by officers of the Prince Rupert Gyro Club with a \$20 gold piece as a slight token of appreciation for services she has given the club at its luncheons.

TERRACE WON BOTH GAMES

Beat Smithers at Basketball in Home Hall After Losing at Railway Town

TERRACE, April 5.—Terrace boys and girls in their own hall and with the cheers of their friends to help them, won both basketball games from Smithers last night, in the return games after losing two nights in succession at Smithers.

Last night the Terrace girls won against Smithers' girls 15 to 14, while Terrace boys went in favor of the home team 40 to 18.

TOD MORGAN WON DECISION

Fought Native Indian From Panama Jungles at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, April 5.—Tod Morgan last night successfully defended his world's junior lightweight championship against Santiago Zorilla, a native Indian from the Panama Jungles. The champion was awarded the decision after 10 fast rounds in which there were no knockdowns.

ST. ANDREW'S BOWLING

J. Watson's Rink Beat C. Taylor's Last Night by Score of 11 to 8

J. Watson's rink beat C. Taylor's 11 to 8 in the St. Andrew's carpet bowling competition last night. The next game will be on Monday between G. Scott and G. Abbott rinks.

The standing of rinks to date:

	W	D	L	P
B. Dalgarno	4	1	0	9
J. McLean	4	1	1	9
C. Taylor	2	1	2	5
B. Cameron	1	3	1	5
J. Frew	1	2	2	4
J. Watson	2	1	2	5
G. Abbott	1	1	3	3
G. Scott	1	0	4	2

Sport Chat

Concern is being expressed because Babe Ruth is not bouncing home runs, against the welkin during the spring training, comments Andy Lytle of the Vancouver Sun. Home runs, however, that come in the gentle springtime are not included in the averages nor do they pay off on this kind. There is no need for worry about Ruth. He will exert himself no little this season as, in the fall, he must go into financial futures again with Colonel Jake Ruppert. Mr. Ruth feels that he should have slightly more than is paid the Republic's president for his labors, but the cagey Colonel feels he should try to get along on much less. It will depend on the amount of exertion that Ruth puts into his season's work, therefore, what the Yankee owners will feel impelled to pay him in 1930.

If the Babe beats or comes even near to former records, it will be mighty hard to convince any jury of baseball fans that he isn't worth almost anything that he asks. Ruth has been perspiring persistently in training. He perspired freely in Artie McGovern's gym, before that. There are no surface indications that he is slipping and that was especially true of his last appearance in St. Louis when he banged out three home runs right in three faces of the hostile multitudes at Sportsmen's Park. It will require a full season to see clearly if Mr. Ruth is deteriorating. When he does it will hurt the Yankee gate receipts quite as much as it will damage Mr. Ruth.

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP BILLIARD ENTRIES

Eight Players Entered In Junior Section and Similar Number Expected in Senior

There are eight entrants for the junior individual billiard championship of the city. The draw will be made tomorrow night and play is to commence next Monday. The entrants are Angus Macdonald, James Hillman, Jack May, William Mitchell, M. M. McLachlan, Bert Morgan, W. E. Willis-croft and Joe Beesley.

There are four entries so far for the senior competition, but at least six and possibly eight are expected. Those already entered are F. G. Pyle, W. H. Long, C. P. Balagno and A. A. Easson. Play in the senior events will take place after the junior is concluded.

COAST LEAGUE BASEBALL

Seattle 6, Portland 9.
San Francisco 5, Missions 6.

ST. ANDREW'S CARPET BOWLS

Apr. 8—G. Scott vs. G. Abbott.
Apr. 11—C. Taylor vs. B. Dalgarno.
Apr. 15—R. Cameron vs. J. Watson.
Apr. 18—J. Frew vs. J. McLean.
Apr. 22—G. Scott vs. J. Watson.
Apr. 25—R. Cameron vs. B. Dalgarno.
Apr. 29—C. Taylor vs. J. McLean.
May 2—J. Frew vs. B. Dalgarno.

The various rinks are composed of the following players:
Geo. Scott, skip, J. Smith, D. Jack, N. McDonald.
C. Taylor, skip, T. Haddon, J. Gibson, S. D. Macdonald.
R. Cameron, skip, A. Clapper-ton, H. Erskine, D. Finlayson.
J. Frew, skip, R. Wiggins, G. Geddes, W. Brand.
Geo. Abbott, skip, J. S. Irvine, R. Wood, R. Gibson.
B. Dalgarno, skip, W. Barton, A. McLeod, R. Stewart.
J. Watson, skip, T. McMeekin, H. Steen, M. Andrews.
J. McLean, skip, R. Arthur, B. Ferguson, J. Haddon.

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NEW YORK WON OVER PORTLAND

PORTLAND, April 5.—In the second exhibition hockey game here last night the N. Y. Americans defeated Portland 4 to 3.

MEN'S AVERAGES FRATERNAL WHIST

The men's section of the Prince Rupert Fraternal Whist League 1928-1929 season individual averages follows:

To be included in these averages a player must have played in at least 80 per cent of the matches played by his team.

	M	G	W	L	Ave.
H. Fraser, Grotto	11	33	23	10	69.69
D. Larson, Moose	12	36	25	11	69.44
G. Howe, Grotto	12	36	25	11	69.44
A. French, New Empress	10	30	20	10	66.66
G. Rudderham, Grotto	12	36	24	12	66.66
E. J. Cobb, Grotto	10	30	20	10	66.66
C. Barker, St. Georges	12	36	23	13	63.88
G. Royer, Moose	12	36	23	13	63.88
A. McRae, Grotto	11	33	21	12	63.63
B. M. Simpson, Moose	12	36	22	14	61.11
G. Anderson, Grotto	12	36	22	14	61.11
T. Dybhavn, Moose	11	33	19	14	57.57
S. Moran, Moose	10	30	17	13	56.66
F. J. Fuller, St. Georges	12	36	19	17	52.77
J. Judge, Moose	11	33	17	16	51.51
C. H. Brown, New Empress	11	33	17	16	51.51
N. Gunderson, Leif Erikson	10	30	15	15	50.00
W. Burken, K. of P.	10	30	13	17	43.33
L. Thorstinson, Leif Erikson	11	33	14	19	42.42
S. M. Newton, St. Georges	12	36	14	22	38.88
F. Garton, K. of P.	11	33	12	21	36.36
O. Bruskeland, Leif Erikson	12	36	12	24	33.33
E. Stockland, Leif Erikson	12	36	10	26	27.77

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NO TWO TEAM BALL CONTEST

American League Looks Like Open Race This Year Say Critics

ATLANTA, Ga., April 5.—If early star gazers have read correctly signs in the American League Baseball sky there will be no two team race this season, in 1928 the New York Yankees and Philadelphia Athletics thundered to the wire neck and neck, the Yankees finally nosing out the A's. The St. Louis Browns, in third place, were sixteen games back.

As the new season approaches with its fresh trials and problems it may be found that the Yankees and Athletics have shown less improvement than the other six clubs in the circuit. On their performance last year they were well able to leave well enough alone but the opposition seems to have taken up the challenge in earnest.

Of the four second division clubs in 1928, Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland and Boston, the Detroit Tigers, under new management and partially renovated, seem to furnish the most serious

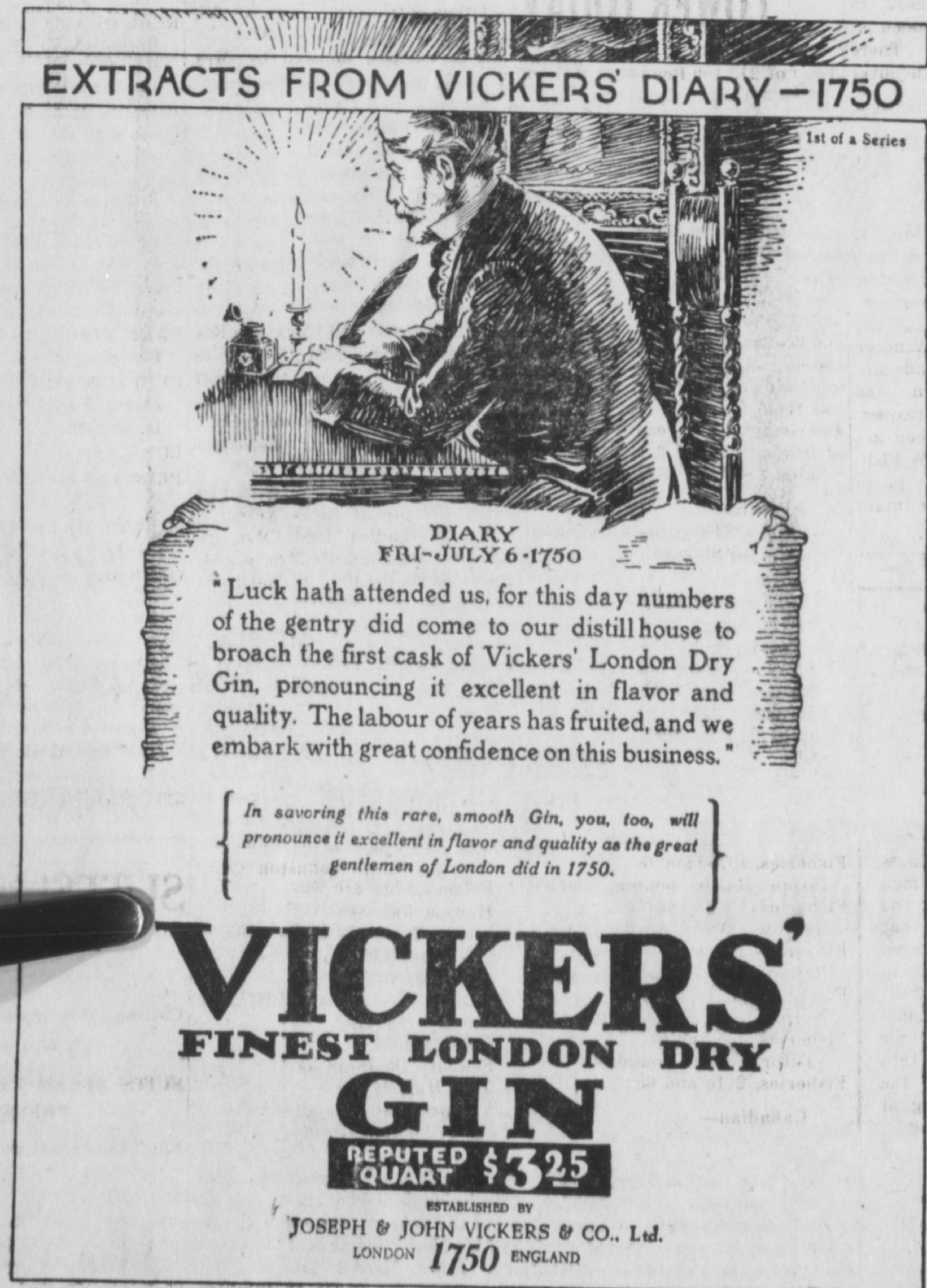
ous threat to the teams higher.

Pyn Lary, the high priced new shortstop of the Yankees has found himself at home as Mark Koenig doubtless will be well enough at third base. Tony Lazzeri's arm remains something of a question mark but his hitting power has not been lessened. With Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig able to swing their bats, most of the experts agree that little or nothing can be done about the pennant chase without consulting manager Miller Huggins. Herb Pennock probably will pitch some good ball games and at least one new pitcher should be ready.

Connie Mack has stood pat on the personnel of the Athletics but has rearranged the infield. Jimmy Foxx, the hard hitting catcher, third baseman and first baseman will be the regular first sacker. Jimmy Dykes who literally can play anywhere, is the leading third base candidate. The A's infield under the new arrangement may prove to be stronger. Manager Mack has only one extra outfielder of experience, Homer Summa, late of Cleveland and will need at least one more. An already strong pitching staff has been made stronger by recruits but the starting moundmen will remain the same.

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