



SCRAPPLY LITTLE fighters are these paperweights who started off last week's Elk's Club boxing card here. Dick Bury (left) took the decision from Billy Watmough. Both boys were "managed" by their fathers.

Old Country
FOOTBALL

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division 1
Arsenal 1, Manchester United 3.
Aston Villa 2, Newcastle United 2 (tie).
Blackpool 1, Tottenham Hotspur 0.
Chelsea 1, Charlton Athletic 0.
Derby County 5, Bolton Wanderers 2.
Huddersfield Town 1, Fulham 0.
Liverpool 2, Preston North End 2 (tie).
Manchester City 0, Stoke City 1.
Portsmouth 2, Burnley 2 (tie).
Sunderland 3, West Bromwich Albion 3 (tie).
Wolverhampton Wanderers 4, Middlesbrough 0.

Division 2
Barnsley 1, Everton 0.
Blackburn Rovers 3, Brentford 0.
Bury 1, Cardiff City 1 (tie).
Coventry City 4, Leeds United 2.
Hull City 2, Birmingham City 4.
Notts County 2, Leicester City 3.
Queens Park Rangers 4, Nottingham Forest 3.
Sheffield United 2, Southampton 2 (tie).
Swansea Town 5, Rotherham United 0.
Westham United 0, Sheffield Wednesday 6.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division A
Celtic 2, St. Mirren 1.
Dundee 3, East 4.
Hibernian 5, Queen Of The South 0.
Morton 0, Rangers 1.
Motherwell 3, Aberdeen 3 (tie).
Partick Thistle 5, Airdrieonians 2.
Raith Rovers 1, Third Lanark 0.
Stirling Albion 0, Hearts 4.

Ketchikan Takes Second Hoop Game

Big Rainmakers' Comeback in Second Half Failed To Overcome Deficit

Ketchikan won the second game of the international High School series at Ketchikan last evening by a score of 52 to 33 over Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers, a strong Prince Rupert rally in the second half failing to overcome a bad first half deficit.

The total point score for the two games so far in the series is 108 to 83 for Ketchikan which won both games. The series resumes here next Tuesday for another two games. Bo-Me-Hi was completely helpless in the first half last night. "They couldn't find themselves at all," said Coach Jack Evans. The first quarter yielded only two foul shots and the second quarter two field baskets for a total of six points while Kayhi was netting 33 points on the period. The Rainmakers came back with a vengeance in the second half and outscoored Ketchikan 27 to 19. Roddy Tait and Billy Morrison shared high scoring honors for Prince Rupert in the second game with 12 points each. Bus was high for Ketchikan with 16 points. First game score was 56 to 50 for Ketchikan. Kayhi was, as usual, hospitable, social features being a luncheon and assembly Thursday for the Canadian visitors with a party last night. The local team returned home by Queen Charlotte Airlines this morning.

Crack Hoop Team Coming

Vancouver Eilers Taking On Local All Stars Here at Month-End

Eilers' basketball team, tops in both Vancouver senior and inter-league loops, has been definitely booked to come to Prince Rupert December 28 and 29, local basketball secretary Angus MacPhee announced today.

The showings the locals make against this lofty 6'5"-average aggregation from the big time in the south may well determine whether Prince Rupert Co-op Challengers will make a bid for provincial Senior A honors this winter.

Last year the Eilers were runners-up to the champion Clover Leafs.

Alex Bill is now having selection work-outs for the local team and will announce his selections next week.

Coming with the Eilers are John Forsyth, Reid Mitchell (grandson of Mrs. J. R. Mitchell, Prince Rupert), Norm Watt, Jim Moses, Ron Bissett, Leo Lizee, Jim Bardsley, Bill Bell and Dennis Witherspoon.

WEIRD MOLLUSC

The octopus is not a fish, but a mollusc, member of the soft-bodied but hard-shelled specimens of that classification.

DANGEROUS FIND

MONTREAL (CP)—A live two-inch motor shell was found in the Chambly Street sewer and sent to the Ordnance Depot for disposal. Found by a city employee, the shell is believed a war souvenir discarded by its owner.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

6:45 p.m.
JUNIOR—Maple Leafs vs Mansons
7:30 p.m.
INTERMEDIATE—Merchants vs Hi-Green
8:45 p.m.
SENIOR—Mansons vs Gordon & Anderson

Russia and '52 Olympics

HELSINKI, Finland—Forty-five nations have accepted invitations to the 1952 Olympic Games here next summer, but the big question is still unanswered—will the Russians come?

The Russians are eligible for the first time to join in the Games. They were admitted to the International Olympic Committee in May.

A Soviet sport delegation visited here last week to get acquainted with the preparations. The Russians expressed their appreciation of what is being done.

Seventy-five nations were invited and they have until June 7, 1952, to accept. Many more acceptances are expected. So far, no nation has rejected its invitation.

Sweden was the first to accept and the 45th was The Philippines, whose answer arrived last week. Forty-nine nations and 4,159 active athletes participated in London Olympics in 1948. Helsinki expects 65 nations and more than 6,000 athletes. Among the nations in London was Germany which was the sixth nation to accept the invitation to Helsinki.

The following nations have accepted the invitations (in this order):

Sweden, Switzerland, Bulgaria, Belgium, the United States, Germany, Yugoslavia, Denmark, Canada, Great Britain, Saar, Pakistan, France, Greece, Egypt, Puerto Rico, Liberia, Italy, Peru, Norway, Iceland, Australia, Argentina, Austria, Iran, Chile, the Netherlands, Uruguay, Poland, Mexico, the Antilles, Ceylon, the Gold Coast, New Zealand, Burma, Hong Kong, Paraguay, Panama, Ireland, Jamaica, Luxembourg, South Africa, Turkey, Rumania and The Philippines.

Enrolment Slow For Aid Fund

If Prince Rupert basketball players want the benefit of the Mutual Aid Fund, authorized by the Basketball Association here, they will have to speed up their applications. Sports Director Fred Calderone says only four teams have applied and enrolment deadline is December 15.

There is no cost to the players; sponsors of teams are responsible. But, says Mr. Calderone, it is up to team managers to see their team is enrolled, which includes taking out individual membership in the B.C. Amateur Basketball Association.

Mutual Aid Fund will pay doctor bills up to \$50 for injured players, but all players in one area must be enrolled.

Hockey Scores

Pacific Coast
Saskatoon 5, Edmonton 2.
New Westminster 6, Vancouver 4.
Calgary 2, Victoria 5.
Pacific Coast Amateur
Nanaimo 2, Kerrisdale 3.
Okanagan
Vernon 5, Penticton 3.

ing Depends Turn-Out Volunteer Help

... marshall the help on the construction of the Seal Cove curling rink that everything on the turn-out of club tomorrow, whether or not the rink is ready for use before Christmas. ... are scheduled to start laying Monday but will be held up unless the show up to spread the gravel and sand. ... would mean the rink will be ready for the children and the curlers under the holiday season, and well into January. In fact, the season would be all lost. ... "stottleneck," said Mr. ... the volunteer labor about the last chance. ... that many work out Sunday and bring them with them."

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Booth Memorial High School

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12

CIVIC CENTRE

Main Game 8:30 p.m.

Preliminary Game 7 p.m.

Reserved Seats 75c

Rush Seats 35c