



### BASEBALL ON TONIGHT

Centrals vs. Elks Important in View of Vancouver Boys Visit

The baseball fixture this evening will be between Centrals and Elks this being the game postponed from Tuesday evening. Interest is increasing in these games now with the assurance of the visit from Vancouver of the V. A. C. and the local players are all on their toes hoping to catch the eye of the selection committee. In addition to this the teams this evening are tied at the bottom of the league, and each is very anxious to get away from that bedrock location.

Teams will be as follows: Centrals: McKeown, Chenoski, Downie, Barry, Farquhar, Gavin, Stone, McNulty, Morrison, Hill, Bury, Moore.

Elks: A. Mitchell, Loblick, Stephens, George Mitchell, Moran, W. Harold, Arseneau, Skinner, Budinich, Foreman.

### CHALLENGE FOR THE CUP

Team From Kitwanoocoo to Come Here and Try to Wrest Trophy From Kitimaat

Kitwanoocoo, at one time known as the village of the bad Indians, is proposing to send a football team to Prince Rupert for the fair to compete for the challenge cup now held by the village of Kitimaat. It is the Gitanyow team that is coming and they are said to be as likely a bunch of football players as may be seen in many a day.

The Kitwanoocoo boys are quite satisfied that, given a chance, they can carry that cup back to their village and they will be here in force the first week in September and their backers with them.

A ship with heated holds to maintain a cargo of asphalt in liquid form is being built in Ireland.

### TWELVE PLAYERS ARE COMING HERE FROM VANCOUVER

The V. A. C. baseball team are completing arrangements for their visit to Prince Rupert during the Exhibition Week. Word received from them this morning states that they are bringing 12 players with them. In their recent games the team has been maintaining a winning gait and they are practically assured of being the B. C. champions. They are looking forward to their trip to Prince Rupert.

### Two Straight For New York

Earl Coombs... Falk and Goose Goslin All Hit Homers in American League

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—New York made it two straight over Detroit by winning a slugging match in which Earl Coombs hit a homer for New York. Philadelphia took the third straight game from Cleveland. Falk hit a homer for Cleveland. Goose Goslin aided St. Louis in registering the victory over Boston. He got a homer and two singles.

In the National League, Brooklyn Robins moved within two points of the leading Chicago team when they defeated the Cubs and broke their own five game losing streak. Eack Wilson hit his fortieth homer for Chicago. The Robins hammered five Chicago pitchers for 18 hits.

National League New York 7, Cincinnati 6. Philadelphia 4, Pittsburg 8. Brooklyn 15, Chicago 5. St. Louis-Boston rain.

American League Detroit 8, New York 10. St. Louis 7, Boston 2. Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 7. Chicago 4, Washington 7.

### EXHIBITION FINE BALL

Station Ropped Home Winner Against Dry Dock 4 to 3

In a very keen game the Station team romped home the winner in the ninth by getting the extra run, in last night's C. N. R. softball game. The numerous spectators were given an exhibition of fine ball. The players on both teams played consistent ball but the Station were the most aggressive.

As the league is slowly drawing to a close, the remaining games will be closely watched.

Station: Horton, Styles, Downie, Summers, Unger, Tobey, Morrison, McIntosh, Skattebol.

Dry Dock: E. Smith, Wendle, J. Smith, Kelsey, Bury, Gaven, J. Nelson, Geddes and McDonald.

The next game will be played tomorrow evening at 7 p.m.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Station	6	2	.750
Dry Dock	3	4	.429
Round House	2	5	.286

### Girls Show Up Well In Practice

Local Team Has Good Opportunity of Winning Against the World's Best

The girl's basketball team had a splendid practice last night and the girls, who had not played for some time, show that they are really coming back and if they play as well against the Edmonton Grads on August 20 as they did last night they may have a good opportunity of lowering the colors of the visitors.

The Edmonton Grads have for years held the world championship in girls basketball. They have competed against the best teams in the world but the local girls have had no opportunity of meeting them. Next Wednesday will tell the tale.

### ATHLETIC EVENTS AT HAMILTON

Empire Games Will Be Outstanding Event in Canada

The doings of the members of the Canadian athletic team at Hamilton in the British Empire Sports that commence on Saturday next will be of real interest to all local sports followers and the list of the following, who won the various events at the Canadian championships held last Saturday in Toronto, should be kept so that their accomplishments at Hamilton may be compared.

This list is that of the Canadian champions and does not include all the Canadian competitors of whom there are 60 altogether.

British Columbia is also represented by D. C. McNaughton in the high jump and by Archie McDiarmid in the weight putting contests.

Track Events 100 Metres—Percy Williams, Vancouver, 10 3-10 seconds.

200 Metres—Johnny Fitzpatrick, of Hamilton, 21 1-10 seconds.

400 Metres—Alex Wilson, Montreal, 49 seconds.

800 Metres—Vic Pickard, Hamilton, 1 minute, 58 3-10 seconds.

1500 Metres Run—Eddie King, Hamilton, 4 minutes, 21 1-10 seconds.

5000 Metres—Walter Hornby, Hamilton, 16 minutes, 1 second.

10,000 Metres—Billy Reynolds, Galt, 32 minutes, 58 3-5 seconds (new Canadian record).

3000 Metres Steeplechase—William Reid, Toronto, 10 minutes, 30 3-5 seconds (new Canadian record).

400 Metres Relay—Hamilton Olympic Club, 3 minutes, 27 3-10 seconds.

110 Metres Hurdles—A. Ravensdale, Cobourg, 15 5-10 seconds.

400 Metres Hurdles—W. Connolly, Toronto, 58 7-10 seconds.

1500 Metres Walk—Harry Clemen, Toronto, 6 minutes, 18 seconds.

Field Events

Running High Jump—Jack Portland, Collingwood, Ont., 6 feet.

Running Broad Jump—G. Smallacombe, Toronto, 22 feet, 1 3-4 inches.

Pole Vault—Victor Pickard, Hamilton, 12 feet, 6 inches.

Javelin Throw—Doral Pilling, Cardston, Alta., 196 feet, 7 1-2 inches.

16-lb. Hammer Throw—John Cameron, New Westminster, 146 feet, 5 inches.

Discus Throw—A. Zvonkin, Hamilton, 129 feet, 8 1-2 inches.

16-lb. Shot Put—Charles Herman, Halifax, 42 feet.

Hop, Step and Jump—Gordon Smallacombe, Toronto, 46 feet, 8 inches.

### GOOD GAME FOOTBALL

Passengers and Crew of Princess Alice Enjoy Sport at Government Dock

Passengers on the C. P. R. ss. Princess Alice last evening were much interested in the football talent displayed by several members of the crew on the government wharf. The blind end of the biological building provided a substantial and suitable background—there are no windows in it. The ball had seen better days but the seagoing devotees had patched it and in their spare half-hour kicked it about to their own satisfaction and to the amusement of the passengers many of whom were not familiar with association football though one lady was able to inform her companions, "You see, they are not allowed to use their hands. This is soccer football."

Several of the crew showed real football ability but there was one outstanding, a tall rather slim enthusiast who showed fine ball control, was clever with his feet, body and head and who had a drive like a pile-driver in each foot. He certainly hanging on the inside of the tainly must have shaken up any wall. Any Prince Rupert team would be glad to have him.

The international appeal of the game was further seen by the cleverness of two Orientals who were also expert with the ball. And many of the passers-by and some passengers hung around waiting for the opportunity to get an occasional kick at it too. What an influence for international amity sport is, and football is one of the most frequently played games in the world.

### Sport Chat

There is much more interest than usual being taken in the Labor Day field and track sports and the Exhibition Week's sports.

The coming of the Vancouver A. C. Baseball team will be the big outside attraction after the visit of the Grads. Basketball team from Edmonton. But the contests in which the local runners and jumpers will compete are also promising to be of higher quality than usual. The competitors are more numerous and the Hanson cup to be awarded to the individual who scores the highest number of points in all the events of the season is an attraction.

On Labor Day the three special events will be the 100 yards, the 220 yards and the mile. The 100 yards promises to be a feature event. Phil Edgecombe has been showing up best so far. In the first race this year he was given a tie though many in a good position to judge say that he was winner by at least six inches. He may be a favorite for the Labor Day event but many are backing Bill Harold to win it. Harold is a likely looking runner and is sure to make Phil go the limit to win. Ed. Smith is also in the limelight and Doug Frizzell is bent on showing that he has lost none of his speed. Archie Thompson has always been a keen trier in the sprint and will be among the leaders at the finish.

In the 220 yards the same runners may also compete. The Hanson trophy is awarded to the individual who scores the highest aggregate of points in the competitions and with three points for a win, two for a second and one for a third place, the athletes are out to enter several competitions and to pick up as many points as possible.

Hence it is probable that all events will have numerous entrants. Most of the sprinters will compete in both the 100 yards and the 220 yards. And it is not easy to pick the winner.

The name of James Waters appears in the list of firemen injured in the recent fire at Vancouver which destroyed the new C. N. R. docks. It is believed that this is the captain of the Firemen's Baseball team that was at first to come north from Vancouver to play the local baseball team but which found it impossible to get away for the trip.

The captain of the Humpback (Indian) football team has written to say that the team will not be able to visit Prince Rupert this coming week-end. Arrangements were under way for a match with this team and it is likely that the game will be arranged for the following week.

Many of the members and supporters of the Legion football team have been discussing the withdrawal of their team from the Mobley Cup League. They feel that had they known such an action was being considered they would have seen that a team was gotten out even if they had to rely on several young and untried players. They state that next season they will see to it that there will be a team on hand for all games and that as far as they are concerned the season will be completed.

The forthcoming game between the Edmonton Grads and the Prince Rupert girls is being looked forward to with enthusiasm. The practices are being regularly attended and there is no doubt about the keenness of the local players. They will not be overawed by the visitors and

are confident of giving them a fight.

The Grads have of course a wonderful record. In 1923 they defeated the Cleveland "Paw Knits" for the international championship, and won the United Trophy. During the interwar years the team has been defeated in defence of trophy. In 1924 and also in 1925 Edmonton girls went to Europe under the auspices of the Federation Sportive Feminine Internationale played a series of games the world's championship and every game. This is the team our Prince Rupert girls will

The story is told of a football player who in the course of a headed the ball through his goal three times in the first of the game. In the second half side had three free kicks and took each and scored three. He had therefore scored six in a match and it ended in a draw. He had scored all the for both sides.

### FISH SALES

Total fish sales at the local exchange amounted to 70 pounds at prices from 9.50 and to 10.70 and 6c.

American Excel, 19,500 pounds, at 10.70 5c, to Atlin Fish Company. Izoza, 16,000 pounds, at 10.70 5c, to Cold Storage.

Canadian Viking I., 13,000 pounds at 10.70 and 6c, to Atlin Fish Co. Oslo, 14,000 pounds, at 10.70 6c, to Pacific Fish Co. Joe Baker, 8,500 pounds, at 10.70 and 6c, to Cold Storage. Selma, 7,000 pounds, at 9.50 5c, to Cold Storage.

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