



MERCHANTS TAKE LEAD

Defeated Canadian Legion Six to Nil in League Football

By winning over the Legion last evening by six goals to nil, the Merchants have a clear lead of two points in the Mobley Cup League football competition. There was a good attendance and there was not the difference between the teams that the score would indicate.

Vink did well to stop Gilker's high drive and then Smith miskicked to give A. Dickens a chance and he opened the score for the Merchants. Shortly after he narrowly missed with a good drive. Currie was playing well and then Skinner stopped Chenoski. Henry Dickens was just too high with a fine drive and Chenoski was nearly through when the Legion defence was slow. Vink gave a corner in clearing from Hadden's header from Woodside's centre. Dickens slipped Skinner but Chenoski shot past. Currie took a free kick well and, when Skinner played Dickens, a penalty was given from which Albert scored. Smith saved well from S. Dickens' curling centre and Jack did well to stop A. Dickens and Hill. D. Smith was clever but got no support. J. Smith cleared weakly but Hill headed just over.

Albert Dickens made a clever run but Jack cleared. Webster was playing good football and opening out the game well but the Legion forwards were weak. Vink cleared and then dropped the ball but was lucky enough to get it away. Legion then pressed for a time with Webster and Hadden backing up their forwards. Webster and Currie staged a battle of football brains with honors about even. Chenoski got away and his hard drive struck Skinner and swerved inside the post to give the Merchants a third goal. Then a fourth came fast when a twisting shot from McKay struck a rock and bounced well out of Smith's reach. Webster gave Murray a long pass but the latter's centre was cleared. A twisting shot from Murray nearly beat Vink but he cleared and then following a miskick by J. Smith the latter held A. Dickens but the ball was cleared. The Legion goal had a narrow escape when Smith punched away Hill's centre and the ball was later returned to hit the face of the bar

before being cleared. Jack saved and then from Hill's corner S. Dickens made the total five. A misunderstanding between Smith and Jack let A. Dickens head a sixth goal for the Merchants. Following a corner taken by Woodside the ball burst and a new one was requisitioned. D. Smith shot but Vink got the ball clear. Gilker's drive was saved by Menzie at the upright. Murray and D. Smith made headway but Douglas and Menzie cleared. Woodside was ordered off. D. Smith was again prominent and then Chenoski missed a good opening. No further scoring took place.

Merchants—Vink; Menzie, Douglas; Mitchell, Currie, McKay; Hill, H. Dickens, A. Dickens, S. Dickens, Chenoski.

Canadian Legion—J. Smith; Skinner, Jack; W. Murray, Webster, Bussanich, Woodside, Hadden, D. Smith, Gilker, W. Murray.

Referee, J. Johnston; linesmen, J. Kelly, M. Colussi.

Comments on Play

The Merchants' defence was severely tested. Vink fielded a couple of shots weakly but got the ball away. Menzie was the better back but Douglas missed little. Currie again turned in a clever game and McKay made a good half back tackling well and feeding his forwards. Mitchell was hard to pass. The forwards all played good football some of their combined movements being fast and dangerous. A. Dickens and Hill were the pick. Chenoski did well turning out when his team was short.

J. Smith was unlucky in losing a couple of goals but his kicking was uncertain. Jack again turned in a fine game at back and Skinner played his usual bustling game. He was not to blame for the goal Chenoski got. Webster showed class in his heading and positional play but was inclined to go too hard towards the end. Hadden was good and Bussanich did some clever things. Of the forwards D. Smith and W. Murray at outside left were the pick. W. Murray at right half was a hard spoiler but lacks control. Woodside again incurred the referee's displeasure and was ordered off, this being but the first time he has suffered this penalty. It is high time the association took action when players have been ordered off. We have not heard of any penalty being inflicted on a player for having been ordered off this season and unless the association backs up the referees, football will suffer. It is up to the association to require refer-

LEADERSHIP IS TIED UP

Round House and Station in Dead-lock For Softball Honors

In the C. N. R. A. Softball League game last night, the Round House defeated the R. C. N. V. R. by a score of five to two.

The Navy Boys did not seem to be quite strong enough to hold out their opponents, and were only successful in collecting two runs while the Round House brought in five. This win ties the Round House and the Station for first place in the league with the R. C. N. V. R. second and the Biological Station in the cellar.

Batteries were Boulter and Skatkebol for the Round House, Pitcher and Peterson for the R. C. N. V. R. League standing to date is as follows:

| Station | W. | L. | P. |
|--------------------|----|----|----|
| Station | 5 | 1 | 5 |
| Round House | 5 | 1 | 5 |
| R. C. N. V. R. | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Biological Station | 1 | 5 | 1 |

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

Scottish League—First Division Airdrieonians 2, Aberdeen 4. Ayr United 1, Hamilton Acads 3. Celtic 3, Dundee United 2. Cowdenbeath 3, Clyde 0. Dundee 2, Morton 1. Hearts 3, Kilmarnock 0. Motherwell 4, Rangers 2. Patrick Thistle, 1, Falkirk 2. St. Mirren 2, Queens Park 0. Third Lanark 2, Leith Athletic 0.

BASEBALL

Aug. 17:—Native Sons vs. Old Empress.

ees to report results of games, goal scorers, and special features. A tightening up along these lines will improve the status of the game.

Mobley Cup Standing

| | W. | L. | F. | A. | P. |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Merchants | 4 | 2 | 17 | 11 | 8 |
| Regiment | 3 | 3 | 14 | 12 | 6 |
| C. Legion | 2 | 4 | 9 | 17 | 4 |

To complete the Mobley Cup series three postponed games will be played next week. On Monday the Merchants meet the Regiment, on Wednesday the Merchants meet the Legion and on Friday the Regiment plays the Legion.

GIANTS IN 2ND PLACE

Boston Braves Displace Brooklyn Robins From Fourth Place

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Second and fourth place in the National League changed hands yesterday. The New York Giants went into second place by defeating Pittsburgh Pirates, while Chicago Cubs were losing to the Phillies.

In the American League Chicago White Sox went into sixth place by defeating Washington Senators while the Boston Red Sox lost to St. Louis Browns.

Yesterday's scores:

National League
Pittsburg 1, New York 2.
Cincinnati 0-1, Boston 1-3.
Chicago 4, Philadelphia 14.
St. Louis 9, Brooklyn 3.

American League
New York 7-1, Cleveland 13-9.
Boston 2, St. Louis 12.
Washington 4, Chicago 5.

Baseball Standings

| National League | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. |
| St. Louis | 72 | 40 | .643 |
| New York | 59 | 48 | .551 |
| Chicago | 61 | 50 | .550 |
| Boston | 55 | 53 | .509 |
| Brooklyn | 57 | 56 | .504 |
| Pittsburg | 53 | 57 | .482 |
| Philadelphia | 45 | 57 | .439 |
| Cincinnati | 41 | 72 | .363 |

| American League | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. |
| Philadelphia | 79 | 31 | .718 |
| Washington | 67 | 42 | .616 |
| New York | 63 | 46 | .578 |
| Cleveland | 53 | 57 | .482 |
| St. Louis | 48 | 61 | .440 |
| Chicago | 44 | 66 | .400 |
| Boston | 43 | 67 | .391 |
| Detroit | 42 | 69 | .378 |

| City League | | | |
|----------------|----|----|------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. |
| Old Empress | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Elks | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Sons of Canada | 2 | 3 | .400 |

SPORT CHAT

Within sound of Piccadilly circus's hubub is one of London's queerest schools, set in a quaint backyard in whose pool embryo casters are taught the rudiments of fly fishing. Captain J. Cornwall, in charge of the school, drills the neophytes in the science of wet and dry fly-fishing or casting. The "professor" teaches his pupils to cast with either hand and has found, he says, the pupil learns the proper cast with the hand he has not previously used. Summer months in England find the fishermen "still" fishing, but with the coming of winter in the Thames the pike strike vigorously. In the northlands trout fishing at present is excellent, but for salmon the wealthier sportsman leases the right to fish one rod, in some of the better Scotch and Irish streams.

Billy Fogell, sterling shortstop of the Toronto Maple Leafs of the International Baseball League, will have a chance in the major leagues. He will go immediately to Detroit in exchange for Shortstop Brower and some cash. Fogell has been well up with the International batting leaders most of the season.

Eagles Dance Is Enjoyable

One Hundred Couples in Attendance at Delightful Affair Last Night in Aerie Hall

There were 100 couples present last night when the Eagles' Lodge held another of its delightful dances in the Aerie Hall. Geo. Brooks was master of ceremonies and Dick Ford presided at the door.

Considerable amusement was caused by clickers and other novelties.

SMITHERS SOFTBALL

The first half of Smithers softball season has now been completed. C. N. R. won first half honors and is entitled to a place in the play-offs.

GIRLS WANTED

To enter Contest for America's Most Beautiful Girl



The winner will be chosen during fair week in Prince Rupert and will get a free trip to Los Angeles and back and be entertained lavishly while there.

Entrants must sell 50 tickets to the Big Coronation Ball, the last day of the fair. Nothing else to do but look pretty. It's the chance of a lifetime.

The fair board at its recent meeting decided to enter a candidate in the International Beautequest at Los Angeles in connection with the celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city, when the most beautiful girl in America will be chosen.

The local candidate will be chosen at the time of the fall fair and immediately after her selection she will have to leave for the south to get there in time for the big California event. Her expenses going and coming will be paid by the Fair Board but while there she will be the guest of the Ocean Park Businessmen's Association, who are sponsoring the event. The attraction for the candidate is set forth in the following letter from the south.

"Your candidate will be met at the railway station, dock or airport by a committee representing the Ocean Park Businessmen's Association.

"She will be the guest of screen stars at various functions.

"She will be entertained by a reigning star of the screen at her home.

"She will be included in all parties listed as part of the program of the International Beautequest and La Fiesta de Los Angeles.

"She will occupy a position of honor in all gatherings including pageants, parades, spectacles, receptions and, in fact, all events planned for the International Beautequest and Los Angeles' great reception."

Candidates must be between the ages of 16 and 30, unmarried and of good character and the one going from Prince Rupert will be chosen in the following manner:

She or her sponsors must sell 50 tickets at \$1 each for the big coronation ball to be staged on the last day of the fair in the exhibition building. For the one selling the most tickets a prize of \$50 will be awarded.

She may enter without sponsors if she wishes but she must sell the tickets.

The candidates must attend the Exhibition every evening while it is in progress here. On the first night one selection will be made by competent judges. On the second night a second candidate will be chosen by another set of judges and on the third night a third candidate will be chosen by a third set of judges.

These three candidates will attend the coronation ball accompanied by the other candidates and at 9 o'clock, the final selection will be made. Two hours later the coronation will take place here and the following day the winner will be required to leave and travel as rapidly as possible by steamship, airplane and rail to Los Angeles.

Candidates from points around Prince Rupert may enter, such as Anyox, Ocean Falls, Smithers, Terrace, Stewart, Hazelton or other points and they will be required to sell 25 tickets to the coronation ball in order to qualify.

Candidates either in the city or out may be sponsored by organizations who may help them in disposing of tickets or otherwise in connection with the event.

Candidates or their sponsors should notify Secretary Vance of the Fair Association at as early a date as possible and as soon as the tickets are ready may commence disposing of them.

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