



ESKIMOS NOW LEAD

Seattle Defeats Portland 1-0 and Goes to Top of Pacific Coast Hockey League

SEATTLE, Feb. 14.—A single goal by Jack Walker in the third period enabled Seattle Eskimos to defeat Portland Buckaroos in a hard and fast fought Pacific Coast Hockey League game here last night, the Eskimos thus going into the league leadership with a margin of a single point over the Vancouver Lions. The Eskimos have 28 points, the Lions 27, and the Buckaroos 24.

The referees went into conference with the captain of the Seattle team before the start of the game and the first period was exceptionally free of unnecessary roughness. In the second period, however, some roughness developed and several penalties were handed out.

After scoring, the Eskimos spent the latter part of the third period stalling and engaging in defensive play. The Buckaroos tried valiantly until the last second but were unable to tie it up.

GEHRIG IS SIGNED UP

Stellar First Baseman and Batter of New York Yankees is Booked Again

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Lou Gehrig, who has been holding out for more money, finally signed up yesterday for another two years with the New York Yankees. The terms were not announced by Col. Jacob Rupperecht, owner of the Yankees, but it is understood the stellar first baseman and batter is to receive a stipend of \$55,000.

Ireland Beats England Today In Rugby Game

TWICKENHAM, England, Feb. 14.—Fifty-five thousand fans witnessed the international rugby match here today in which Ireland defeated England 6 to 5.

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Old Country Soccer LANDIS IS NOT GOING

Fifth Round—English Cup
Birmingham 3, Watford 0.
Chelsea 3, Blackburn Rovers 0.
Barnsley 1, Wolverhampton Wanderers 3.
Portsmouth 0, West Bromwich Albion 1.

Everton 5, Grimsby Town 3.
Exeter City 3, Leeds United 1.
Southport 1, Bradford 0.
Sunderland 2, Sheffield United 1.

Third Round—Scottish Cup
Cowdenbeath 3, St. Bernard's 0.
Boness 1, Ayr United 0.
Third Lanark 4, Arbroath 2.
St. Mirren 2, Falkirk 0.
Montrose 0, Kilmarnock 3.
Dundee 1, Aberdeen 1.
Hibernian 0, Motherwell 3.
Morton 1, Celtic 4.

English League—First Division
Arsenal 6, Derby County 3.
Manchester United 1, Westham United 0.

Newcastle United 0, Middlesbrough 5.
Sheffield Wednesday 3, Liverpool 5.

Scottish League—First Division
Queens Park 2, Partick Thistle 1.
Rangers 8, Clyde 0.
Airdrie 3, Hamilton Acads 1.

English League—Second Division
Bradford-Reading unplayed.
Bury 0, Charlton Athletic 1.
Cardiff City 0, Bristol City 1.
Everton-Barnsley unplayed.
Millwall 2, Burnley 1.

Nottingham Forest 2, Tottenham Hotspurs 2.
Oldham Athletic 2, Preston North End 0.

Plymouth Argyle 0, Bradford City 2.
Stoke City 1, Southampton 3.
Swansea Town 2, Port Vale 1.
Wolverhampton Wanderers-West Bromwich Albion not played.

Scottish League—Second Division
Alloa 2, Dumbarton 0.
Armadale 0, Brechin City 0.
Clydebank 4, Albion Rovers 1.
East Stirlingshire-St. Bernard's postponed.

Forfar Athletic 1, Queen of South 1.
Montrose-Arbroath, not played.
Raith Rovers 0, Dundee United 0.
St. Johnstone 1, Dunfermline Athletic 0.
Stenhousemuir 3, Kings Park 2.
Third Lanark-Boness not played.

Open Tournament For Badminton In Moose Hall

The Moose badminton team has arranged with the city association to put on a tournament commencing February 23 to enable the committee to pick the players who are to meet the visiting teams from Premier on March 17. The tournament will run for a couple of weeks and will be open to all players who wish to enter.

As the series against the visitors will be played in the Moose Hall the tournament now arranged will give local players some practice in that hall prior to meeting the outside teams.

Return Bout In Wrestling

Dr. Karl Sarpolis to Have Another Chance Against John Evcoe in Seattle on Monday

SEATTLE, Feb. 14.—Dr. Karl Sarpolis of Cleveland and John Evcoe will meet in a wrestling bout here on Monday night. It will be a return bout, Evcoe having beaten Sarpolis a short while ago.

Sarpolis claims that he and not Evcoe should have been the winner in their last meeting. Evcoe threw Sarpolis over the top and third rope of the ring at that time but it was not counted a foul against Evcoe as was done against Joe Malkewicz here last Monday night when he did the same thing to Charlie Hanson, the latter being declared the winner.

There has been much discussion of the matter since Monday and Dr. Sarpolis came north especially from Los Angeles to demand another chance at Evcoe.

Commissioner of Organized Baseball Denies Perennial Report Regarding Retirement

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 14.—Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of organized baseball, yesterday once more denied the perennial rumor that he is giving up the important post "because he is disgusted with the game." Judge Landis said he was anything but disgusted and that he had no intention of resigning.

Judge Landis said that he was in the best of health and was enjoying his regular daily round of golf.

RAW DEAL IN BOXING

Len Harvey Seemed to Have Won New York Bout Easily Last Night but Vince Dundee Got Call

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Vince Dundee, Baltimore Italian middleweight, won his second victory over Len Harvey, the British champion by a decision in twelve rounds at Madison Square Garden here last night.

A crowd of eleven thousand fans thinking Harvey had won easily, booed the verdict.

Grotto Leads In Billiards

Scored 991 to 922 Over Canadian Legion in Four of Five Games Last Evening

Grotto took a lead of 69 points over Canadian Legion in four out of five games which were played in last night's Billiard League fixture. The fifth and last game between Charlie Baptie and James Andrews is to be played tonight. Last night's individual scores were as follows:

G. P. Tinker (Canadian Legion) 215, Don Brown (Grotto) 250.
A. Murray 250, George Waugh 241.
Marcus Andrews 219, George Howe 250.
Frank Ziemann 238, M. M. McLachlan 250.

UNIVERSITY WINS MATCH

University of Washington Beats State College in Basketball By Score of 45-42

SEATTLE, Feb. 14.—University of Washington defeated Washington State College here last night 45 to 42 in the first of a crucial two-game basketball series, the second game of which will be played tonight.

At Corvallis, Oregon State defeated Idaho to the tune of 37 to 24.

SPORT CHAT

Miss Dorothy Rapsey, B.A., 1930 graduate of the University of Western Ontario has been selected as the only woman member of the Ontario Athletic Commission's Committee, which is to conduct an investigation into Toronto Women's Softball Association's financial management of the Sunnyside girls' softball standing. Miss Rapsey was interested in sport during her college course, although not a member of university teams, and was chosen because of her disinterestedness in the present matter under investigation.

Cutting up a golf ball may be a short road to blindness, said Miss Mary McClelland, field secretary of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, addressing a woman's club in Montreal recently. Miss McClelland referred to certain types of balls which used to contain an acid. She also spoke of pea shooters, pop-guns and pointed toys as dangers to the eyesight of children.

C. N. DANCE ENJOYABLE

One of Most Successful That Has Been Held—280 Persons in Attendance

The seventh annual ball last night in the Moose Hall of the Canadian National Recreation Association was voted by all the 280 persons who were in attendance one of the most enjoyable that the association has had. Delightful music was provided from 9 p.m. until 3 a.m. by the Premier Orchestra and, even at that hour, the guests were loath to leave. W. H. Tobey, divisional superintendent, was master of ceremonies.

At the midnight hour, delicious refreshments were served, everybody commenting upon the excellence of the eats.

William Reid was general chairman for the dance with W. G. Harold acting as secretary and presiding at the door. Other committees were as follows:

Invitations—Albert Palmer, J. Smith, J. A. Teng, J. H. Horton, F. A. Rogers and Roy Summers.
Refreshments—J. H. Mair, James Simpson, J. Strachan, R. Scherck, J. Barrie and W. E. Funnell.
Decorations—Jack Campbell, A. King, E. Tulloch, J. Edwards and Roy Taylor.

Sons of Norway Ladies' Aid Is Now Organized

The Ladies' Aid of the Sons of Norway had their first meeting last night at the home of Mrs. J. Murvold and it proved successful and well attended. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. A. Dybhavn.
Executive—Mrs. J. Murvold. Mrs. O. Wick, Mrs. S. Andersen and Mrs. A. Wick.
Secretary—Mrs. J. Storsette.
Plans were discussed for the coming year and, after the business had all been attended to, a piano solo was played by Miss J. Murvold and a vocal duet by Mrs. S. Andersen and Mrs. O. Dybhavn with Mrs. O. Wick playing the piano.

At the conclusion of the meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by Mrs. O. Wick and Miss J. Murvold.

HIGH SCHOOL DANCE PARTY

Pupils of King Edward High School enjoyed a happy dancing party last night in the auditorium of Booth Memorial School. There were 150 scholars at the affair which was in progress from 9 p.m. until midnight. Tunesome music was furnished by the High School orchestra.

Before the party broke up, delicious refreshments, provided by the Girls' Club, were served.

The party was supervised by Principal D. H. Hartness and members of the High School teaching staff.

Billiard Averages

C. P. Balagno (E)	18	4391	244
A. Murray (CL)	17	4151	244
J. Smith (E)	10	2406	241
G. P. Tinker (CL)	17	4013	236
F. Ziemann (CL)	14	3252	232
Don Brown (G)	9	2092	232
G. Howe (G)	19	4343	228
W. Willisroft (E)	11	2507	228
G. Waugh (G)	18	4078	227
M. McLachlan (G)	18	4059	226
C. Baptie (CL)	11	2464	224
J. May (G)	8	1767	221
M. E. Young (E)	18	3917	217
W. Mitchell (E)	18	3862	215
A. Macdonald (CL)	7	1499	214
M. Andrews (CL)	18	3833	213
J. Andrews (G)	16	3412	213
F. H. Stephens (E)	5	1026	205
C. L. Youngman (CL)	4	814	204
T. Clough (G)	3	599	200
F. Bray (E)	3	590	197
W. Murray (E)	7	1342	192
J. Scott (CL)	1	172	172
John Bulger (G)	1	169	169

Rifle Shoot Postponed

Last night's rifle shoot in the Orme Cup competition was postponed owing to targets having not arrived. It is expected it will be held within the next few days.

District News SMITHERS

In County Court here on Tuesday, an order was issued against W. S. Harris and the Harris Copper Mines to pay \$401.90, being a claim by Gordon McLennan and Young Sowe of Hazelton for wages.

Mrs. Alex McLean has resigned as a member of the board of directors of the Smithers Hospital. Dr. R. C. Bamford has been elected as her successor. H. M. Mathews has been named secretary of the hospital.

The Bulkley Valley Cow Testing Association, at its annual meeting recently in Telkwa, elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: president, J. G. Donaldson; secretary, O. Ekman; directors, George Oulton, W. Cocks, W. Billeter, R. Macgregor and F. M. Dockrill.

The session of the municipal court of revision, which was to have opened last Monday morning, was postponed until tonight.

Smithers defeated Burns Lake in an exciting hockey game which was played here on Sunday last. Smithers will play a return game at Burns Lake tomorrow night in connection with the Ski Carnival there.

The Masonic Hall was the scene last Friday night of a banquet tendered by pupils of Division 8 of Smithers school to scholars who passed from that division at the midsummer examinations last year. Bert Gray presided as toastmaster, and among the youthful speakers were Helen Mehaffey, Jack Dunlop, Kathleen Giraud, Evelyn Giraud, Pat Downey, Angus McLean, Vimy Windt and Myrtle McIntyre.

Completing their schedule of nine games with eight victories and only one defeat, the curling team skippered by R. C. Davidson has a long lead in the curling tournament which is in progress here for the Hanson Cup.

The Woman's Auxiliary to St. James Anglican Church here has elected officers for the years as follows: president, Mrs. J. G. Stephens; vice-president, Mrs. R. B. Brummitt; secretary, Mrs. R. W. Champion; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Kirby; dorcas secretary, Mrs. H. G. Windt; thank offering secretary, Mrs. W. J. Dawson; leaflet secretary, Mrs. W. Sims; baby branch secretary, Mrs. F. E. Page; representative on hall committee, Mrs. J. E. Kirby.

On account of so many other functions being on, there was a small attendance at the delightful dance staged last Friday night by the Hockey Club in the Anglican Hall.

Canadian Legion defeated Canadians by a score of 11 to 4 in a hockey game played here on Tuesday night.

Smithers merchants are paying the farmers \$1.15 per 100 pounds for oats and \$1.50 for wheat.

H. C. Fraser of Prince Rupert, inspector of schools, was a visitor in Smithers this week on official duties.

The funeral of Clara, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Priest of Nadina, whose death occurred in Prince Rupert this week, took place this afternoon here. Rev. William McKenzie officiated at services which were held in the United Church.

With claims that distress exists in many a home in Smithers, a number of local unemployed workmen are making a demand upon the provincial government for immediate relief in the way of employment. The petition has been signed by many.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Brummitt entertained delightfully with four tables of bridge last Saturday evening. Prize winners at cards were

Speedy Jack Walker
Real Hockey Pioneer

Jack Walker, the fast and foxy old forward player of the Seattle Eskimos in the Pacific Coast Hockey League, has been playing hockey since 1906. The old timer is largely responsible for the fine showing the Eskimos are making this winter.

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PRINCE GEORGE

Miss Jeanne Corning was the winner in the Queen of the Carnival contest in connection with the Western Canada ski meeting here this week. Anna Dahlgren, coming second in the contest was her maid-of-honor.

The Prince George Agricultural & Industrial Association has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, J. C. Pidgeon; Vice-President, A. E. Sibley; Secretary, J. O. Wilson; Treasurer, W. L. Hornsby; Finance Committee, W. L. Armstrong, F. A. Matheson and W. Prest.

It is reported that the Giscome mill is to resume cutting lumber within the next few weeks and that, if the lumber situation warms, it may continue running. The reopening of the mill would provide employment for approximately 300 men.

Rev. Father Charles Wolf has been transferred from Prince George to Anyox as parish priest. He left last Monday for the smelter town. On the eve of his departure, the congregation assembled at a large meeting and P. J. Moran, on behalf of the local people, presented the popular priest with a purse of gold.

The Giscome Conservative Association has elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, J. K. A. Freeland; Vice-President, C. H. Colson; Secretary-Treasurer, H. J. Douglas.

Mr. Bolton, brother of the late Homer Bolton, who has just died,

was at Giscome this week in the body and accompanying Vancouver for burial.

There was a large gathering of railway officials in Prince George on Tuesday last. Among those present were: B. T. Chappell, general superintendent, Vancouver; J. Quantie, superintendent of power; S. Morrison, district engineer; Bruce Boreham, public representative; W. H. Tobey, divisional superintendent, Vancouver; R. F. McNaughton, district manager; M. A. Burbank, general engineer; Fred S. Walker, master; A. R. Holby, B. C. master; G. A. Gray, assistant superintendent, Smithers; J. Groat, chief dispatcher, B. C. Denene and R. C. Davidson, masters; J. O. Meschewitz, master, McBride; Archie Wilson, divisional master mechanic, B. C. George; W. L. Armstrong, agent; A. R. Harlow, roadmaster; and E. Gunderson, roadmaster.

The establishment of a new in Prince George was urged public meeting which was held here last week. A committee consisting of John Henderson, J. W. J. Down, Woodpecker, McDonald, McBride, Charles Phoe, Reid Lake, J. W. Taylor, Creech, Andy Allen, Charlie Miller, Mud River, E. B. Willow River, James Allen, Pineview, and Chris Nelson, mon River, was named to work with the Board of Trade on the matter.

The Fort George District Conservative Association has elected officers as follows for the year: president, A. B. Mc; vice-president, A. Mc; secretary, S. J. Watson; treasurer, M. C. Wiggins; executive, Gunn, E. H. Burden, A. P. Jensen, A. E. Sibley, Levi Gunn, Martin S. Caine, O. H. Bolton, Tom Hughes, D. C. Williams and D. Corning.

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