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EDITORIAL

The Position Of Iceland . . .

Soon after the war began Iceland was occupied by British troops as a safeguard against being taken over by Germany. When Holland was taken by Germany the island declared its independence and today is nominally a protectorate of Great Britain.

The question now being considered is whether Iceland will join with the British Empire, with the United States or remain independent. The consensus of opinion on the island is that she will ask to join the British Empire. The present situation is not satisfactory. After the war it will be one of the matters that will have to be settled.

Helping China . . .

United States, while taking no part in the struggle between Japan and China, has decided to advance China a credit of \$100,000,000 to enable her to buy supplies in that country. This was announced at the same time that Japan formally made peace with the puppet government of China. It may not have been designed to offset the peace announcement but it must have had that effect. It will help China to carry on the struggle against her oppressor.

A Spitfire Fund . . .

Recently the Germans attempted to bomb Windsor Castle and the attacking plane was shot down, falling close to the castle. A canvas fence ten feet high was immediately erected around it and a fee charged those who wished to inspect it, the money so raised going to the Spitfire fund. A constant stream of people have been paying admission.

Poland In Scotland . . .

Scotland or some parts of it are actually being almost overrun with Poles who have taken refuge in that country. Telling of this Overseas says:

"The district, however, might be accurately described at the moment as Poland-in-Scotland, for wherever one goes there are Poles. Tall men in khaki striding along the streets; gazing into shop windows in couples; filling the buses and trains; Polish, that liquid and attractive language, is to be heard on all sides. And everywhere everyone has a good word to say for these Allies of ours. 'Their manners,' the inhabitants exclaim, 'are beautiful.' And indeed they are, as I had good reason to observe, always getting up and offering their seats to women in crowded buses; helping to hand out all the strange bundles and bags we travel with nowadays; saluting gravely to each other as well as to us, and even on occasion, kissing the hands of the female inhabitants who had perhaps entertained them, an unheard of proceeding in this part of the world! 'The Poles have been the surprise of the war,' someone remarked to me. Tragedy is written across the faces of many; they smile with difficulty; they are quiet in the canteens, and their eyes seem to be focussed on objects we cannot see and can only guess at. They are zealously learning to speak English, and even nonplussing their teachers with searching grammatical questions, for the majority of them are highly educated men.



LOCALS IN HANDY WIN

Prince Rupert Savoy had an easy victory over the visiting Port Simpson basketball team Saturday night by a score of 47 to 20. A large crowd of fans attended the Exhibition Hall and appreciated an interesting game. It took the players a rather long time to get their shooting eyes, the score at half time being only 13 to 9 in favor of Prince Rupert. The pace quickened in the second half and the basket marksmanship was also more effective. At no stage of the game, however, were the locals ever in any danger. The veteran Sonny Stiles was tops for scoring with a total of sixteen points. He played a good, clean game and was only once penalized. He was the star of the evening. A return game is planned for Port Simpson at the end of this week.

The Intermediate game between Co-operatives and Scythians was close and well contested the former winning 25 to 19. The Co-Ops had decidedly the best of things in the first half which ended 17 to 10 in their favor. The second half saw some rousing play and, for the period, the Scythians actually outscored their victorious opponents by a single point.

The Girls' game had a slow and ragged start with either side getting only two points. The girls settled down to business in the second period and High School finished on the long end of a 12 to 7 score over McClymont Park.

As exciting as anything seen during the evening was the Junior League curtain raiser between Bea's News Stand and McClymont Park, the former winning by the margin of a single point 24 to 23. The Newsies got away to a strong start in the first half with 18 points to the Park's 8. McClymont made a valiant attempt to wrest victory out of defeat and fell but one point of doing so.

Johnny Comadina was referee for the Port Simpson-Prince Rupert game with Art Murray handling the whistle in the others.

The individual scoring was as follows:

Senior Intertown
Port Simpson—R. Ryan, 5 (1); C. Henry (1); G. White, 3 (3); M. Ross, 10 (2); G. Green (3); Tait, total, 20.

Savoy Hotel—Morgan, 3 (2); Campbell, 2; Holkestad, 8 (1); MacPhee, 11 (2); Stiles, 16 (1); Houston, 5 (1); Dominato, 2; total, 47.

Intermediate
Scythians—Gill, 3; Graves, 4; McDonald, 2 (1); Eastman, 8 (1); Montesano, 2 (1); Lundquist (1); total, 19.

Co-operatives—Viereck, 4; Astori; Huseck; Knutsen, 11; Bremner, 8 (4); Mintenko (1); McDonald (2); Arney; Zbura, 2 (2); total, 25.

Ladies' League
High School—E. Yamanacka, 5; Gawthorne; Payne, 5; McKay; M. Yamanacka, 2; Sherman; Murray (1); Clapp; Owens; total, 12.
McClymont Park—Duffus, 6; Nishikaze, 1; Robertson (1); Bremner (2); Armstrong; total, 7.

Junior League
Bea's News Stand—Holby, 6; J. Davies; Lee, (1); Eby, 8; Anderson, 4; Knutsen, 2; total, 24.
McClymont Park—Sim, 3 (1); Holk, 4; Macdonald, 8 (2); Postak; Mentinko; Hingston, 8; total, 23.

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LEAFS HAVE HEAVY LEAD

Toronto Had Two Easy Wins In National Hockey League Play Over Week-End

DETROIT, Dec. 2: (CP)—Toronto Maple Leafs drove more solidly into the lead of the National Hockey League over the week-end by outclassing the New York Americans 6 to 1 at the Maple Leaf Gardens Saturday night and coming on here last night to trounce the Detroit Red Wings 3 to 1. The Red Wings remain in second place but are now six points below the Maple Leafs. The Boston Bruins defeated the Americans 10 to 3 last night in the heaviest scoring game so far this season. In the third game scheduled for last night the Chicago Black Hawks defeated the Rangers in New York. The Rangers had gone into exclusive possession of first place ahead of the Montreal Canadiens by defeating the Habits 6 to 1 Saturday night.

Week-end scores in the National Hockey League were as follows:

Saturday
Canadiens 1, Rangers 6.
Americans 1, Toronto 6.

Sunday
Toronto 3, Detroit 1.
Boston 10, Americans 3.
Chicago 4, Rangers 1.

The league standing to date is as follows:

	W	D	L	F	P	A	P
Toronto	9	0	2	37	17	12	
Detroit	4	4	2	22	20	12	
Chicago	4	2	4	23	23	10	
Boston	3	3	3	28	23	9	
Rangers	3	2	4	23	21	8	
Canadiens	2	2	5	13	29	6	
Americans	2	1	7	15	33	5	

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ROSE BOWL NEXT STOP

Stanford and Nebraska in Famous New Year's Football Classic

By Sam Jackson
Associated Press Staff Writer

PALO ALTO, Calif., Dec. 2: (CP)—A Cinderella story of football is being written this season and its logical storybook ending will take place in the Rose Bowl on New Year's day when Stanford University meets University of Nebraska.

Its hero is Clark Daniel Shaughnessy, Stanford University's new coach. With the same players who in 1939 gave Stanford its most dismal disastrous season in years he mopped up on the Pacific Coast conference.

Stanford completed its schedule by playing its old rival, California, Saturday, the happy ending being 13 to 7 which takes Stanford into the Rose Bowl as the 1940 team, being untied and undefeated this season.

At the end of 1939 Stanford had had C. E. "Tiny" Thornhill as football coach for seven years. With his famous "rowing sophomores" he had won a conference and a Rose Bowl date three times. But recently things were going badly. Except for its final victory over Dartmouth, the Stanford team was unable to win a single game on its 1939 schedule.

Thornhill was dismissed. About this time the University of Chicago, after a humiliating season of lop-sided losses, decided to discontinue football and Shaughnessy became a coach without a team. Stanford hired him.

Shaughnessy, 48, has been identified with football as either player or coach for 30 years. His reputation was made largely at Tulane and Loyola Universities in New Orleans.

Shaughnessy brought with him the T formation which the professional Chicago Bears use for offence and which had been employed only sparingly in coast football.

Because of his deadly passing, Albert is being mentioned in the same breath with the great Sammy Baugh. And his admirers believe that, if he doesn't rate all-American at the end of this tri-

umphant Stanford year, next season — he has another year of competition—he is sure to make the grade.

Albert is a left-handed passer and a left-footed kicker. When he's in the game—which is practically all of the time—he does Stanford's punting and goal kicking, in addition to calling the plays and handling the ball from centre in Shaughnessy's T formation.

In Saturday's game Stanford led 13 to nothing until the Golden Bears made their single touchdown 20 seconds before the end of play.

Arrangements Complete For Game Dinner

The executive of the Prince Rupert Rod and Gun Club has decided to hold the annual game dinner again this year in December. The Game Commissioners



will be present and bring with them some movie films of wild game life.

A fine program has been arranged for Pictures will show the wild life of British Columbia and trout propagation. For the dinner there will be moose meat from the Bulkley Valley district and venison from the Queen Charlotte Islands.

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