

# Today in Sports

## Interesting Basketball

Prince Rupert Defeated Navy By Score of 54-36

There was a large crowd in the Civic Centre last evening to see the basketball game between players from the visiting Navy ships and a local team. The locals won, 54 to 36, and actually were always in front but the Navy team played hard and well. Both teams found it difficult to get the range of the basket at first but the city scored the first basket with Uganda equalizing. At quarter time it was Prince Rupert 8, Uganda 4.

Uganda got two quick baskets after resuming and tied the score at 8 each but from then on Rupert was always ahead. Half-time the score was Rupert 22, Uganda 13. At three-quarter time Rupert had just doubled their opponents' score; it being 42-21. Play continued fast and at times rather rugged. Four minutes from the end it was Rupert 54, Uganda 28. The city team slowed up and the sailors ran in four baskets in quick succession to make the final score Rupert 54, Uganda 36.

The sailors showed lack of practice and, as players were from both the Uganda and the Crescent, they were not familiar with each other's play. Combination was good at times but they failed to capitalize on it. De Costa, the captain, played a hard game as did Greene. A full length floor dribble by De Costa with a good basket at the end was a feature, while a one-handed pivot shot by Province was very neat.

For Prince Rupert, the slick combination of Davis, Arney and Holkestad showed how familiarity with each other's play paid

## LINING UP FIGHT CARD

Five bouts out of a probable eight on the Canadian Legion boxing card which will be held at Roosevelt gym on Saturday night have been arranged so far, according to Jim Nicoll, fight committee chairman. Mr. Nicoll is busy matchmaking to find opponents for Alex Gomez, Leo Adolph and Ed LePacore to complete the card.

Local fighters will meet boys from the Uganda and Crescent, the feature bout being between welterweights Len Hitchens of Prince Rupert and Stoker Woolcott of Uganda. Both boys weigh 147 pounds.

Other fights which have been arranged to date are:

Terry McCarthy, 180, versus P/O Tapping, 176.

Benny Windle, 142, versus A/B Hallkowsky, 147.

Len Carlson, 164, versus A/B Ayres, 164.

Jimmy McDougall, 138, versus Steward McIvor, 138.

## FASTBALL CALLED OFF

Fastball games arranged for yesterday evening between teams from H.M.C.S. Uganda and General Motors, and H.M.C.S. Crescent and 99 Taxi were called off on account of threatening weather. Actually the games might well have been played as the grounds were in good shape and it was not raining.

off. These boys were very smart. Davis scored freely at first and later Arney stole the show. Davis was very fast in dribbling.

Mel Holkestad also showed to advantage in combination plays. Pete Postuk played good ball but, not having played with the others, was unfamiliar with their plays at times. Rupert used only six players.

Teams:

H.M.C.S. Uganda and Crescent Woodburn, Bird, Jupp 2, De Costa 9, Greene 11, Newman 4, Blyth, Edge 2, Graser, Province 4, Wilson 4-36.

Prince Rupert—Davis 14, Arney 20, M. Holkestad 12, Postuk 4, Vuckovich, Gurvich 4-54.

Referee—Fred Leyland.

Before the start of the game Don Forward, director of the Civic Centre, introduced Mayor H. M. Daggett and Lieutenant C. Balfrey, sports officer of H.M.C.S. Uganda. Mayor Daggett and Mr. Balfrey "jumped" with the mayor, who played actively here in pioneer days, tipping the ball and then the game began.

## SMITHERS BASEBALL

Telkwa Beaten by 7 to 4 Score

SMITHERS — The Smithers senior ball team played a game in Telkwa on Sunday afternoon and took the measure of the Telkwa Seniors to the tune of 7 to 4. It was a wild game replete with errors on both sides. Smithers tallied 7 runs with 3 hits and Telkwa totalled 4 runs with 7 hits. Hetherington and Spicer shared mound honors for Smithers and Giddings hurled for the Telkwa nine.

Line-ups were:

Smithers—Aida 2b, Syrnik 1f, Spiecer 3b and p., Hetherington p., Delage ss., Paulis c., Carey 1b, J. Watson rf., Fowler cf., W. Watson spare.

Telkwa—A. George ss., Burke 3b., F. George 1b., Holland c., C. David 2b., Aleck cf., M. Tompkins 1f., Johnson rf., Giddings p., L. George spare.

## SHORT SPORT

Big Bill Tilden was reinstated at Paris as a member of the United States Davis Cup team 18 years ago today by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association after French tennis officials pleaded with the American ambassador. He had allegedly violated amateur rules. France won the challenge round 4-1, Tilden trimming Lacote but bowing to Henri Cochet for his first straight-set defeat in nine years of Davis Cup tennis.

Eleanor Holm Jarrett, United States swimming star, was dropped from her country's Olympic team 10 years ago. Shortly before her Berlin-bound steamer dropped anchor, the 22-year-old backstroke champion lost her place through alleged repeated violation of training rules aboard ship.

Babe Ruth showed how to hit home runs eight years ago when he drove out a 430 foot clout to win \$50 in a long-distance slugger contest at St. Louis. Joe Medwick, St. Louis Cardinal outfielder, was the \$25 second prize with a 425-foot drive.

## Baseball Scores

American League

Philadelphia 0, Cleveland 1.

Boston 4, Chicago 1.

Washington 1, Detroit 0.

New York 5, St. Louis 3.

National League

Cincinnati 2, Boston 1.

Chicago 1, Brooklyn 2.

Pittsburgh 0, Philadelphia 2.

St. Louis 1, New York 3.

## Football—

### Crescent Team Downs Uganda

Close Soccer Game Played On Muddy Field

Football teams of H.M.C.S. Uganda and Crescent performed a competitive amphibious operation on Roosevelt Park playing field Wednesday afternoon and in spite of ankle-deep mud and a soggy ball they turned in a good game. Crescent emerged the victor by a score of 3 to 2.

Uganda's pretty white blouses with maple leaf embossed on the backs achieved an earthiness that would have made a laundryman's eyes light up in anticipation as player after player sprawled his length on the slippery field.

Undoubtedly the Crescent men got as muddy only it did not show up so spectacularly on their gold and blue uniforms. The navy is a hardy race.

Crescent, using the westerly goal during the first half, scored early. Then the play moved into their section where the Uganda mudders kept at it until the end of the half. Uganda scored midway in the half and the score remained at 1-all until half time.

Scorers during the first half were Miller for Uganda and Bayers for Crescent.

In the second half, Crescent scored during the first two minutes of play. They managed to keep the ball in Uganda territory until a drive by the cruiser men resulted in a goal midway in the half, which again equalized the score. Crescent's final and winning goal came within five minutes of the game's end.

Scorers during the second half were Blyth and Wilson of Crescent and Woolcott of Uganda. Considering the wetness of the field and the downpour which drenched the players, the footwork and combination were neat and accurate. Given a dry field, either team could put on a show that would inspire the fans to hoarseness.

According to Lieut. C. A. Balfrey, Uganda sports officer, players from both teams will be chosen to meet the Prince Rupert team on Friday and Saturday.

Substitutions during the second half were: Crescent, Baldwin for Bishop at right half; Uganda, Zimmerman for Potts at centre-half.

The line-ups: Crescent—Goal Coates, right back Blythe, left back Roe, right halfback Bishop and Baldwin, centre-half Raferty, left half Lieut. Green, outside right Preece, inside right Blyth, centre Wilson, inside left Bayers.

## Port Edward Beats Regiment 14 to 0

Port Edward swamped Prince Rupert Regiment by a score of 14 to nothing in another softball game played Tuesday night at Port Edward. It was a five inning affair, the big hit of the evening being a three-bagger by A. Jacula. Team's were:

Reserve—Falmouth c., Mostad p., Carlson 1b., Andersen 3b., Basso ss., Morris rf., Sharp lf., Lawrie cf., F. MacDonald 2b.

Port Edward—Joe Podzorney c., Jim Birwell cf., Andy Jacula rf., Nick Bykowski 3b., Andy Kyle ss., Nick Palyuk lf., Amby Solway 2b., Harold Casey p.

## Sports Schedule

July 25—Kinettes vs. Moose, Macey's vs. Whirlwinds.

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Uganda—Goal Campbell, right back Stewart, left back Walls, right halfback Hardy, centre-half Potts and Zimmerman, left halfback Milne, outside right Lieut. Balfry, inside right Miller, outside left Jupp, inside left Woolcott, centre Baker.

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## PROGRAMME OF ENTERTAINMENT to Officers and Men of HMC Ships "Uganda" and "Crescent"

- Thursday, July 25th—  
3:30 p.m.—Swimming Parties to Salt Lakes.  
6:30 p.m.—Whaler Race:  
"UGANDA" vs. PRINCE RUPERT EX-NAVAL MEN.  
8:30 p.m.—Canadian Legion SMOKING CONCERT at Navy Drill Hall (Both Ships). (Legion Members and Guests Only)
- Friday, July 26th—  
\*6:30 p.m.—Football at Roosevelt Park: PRINCE RUPERT vs. "UGANDA" or "CRESCENT." (Hanson Cup) Semi-final.  
9:30 p.m.—Navy League Dance at Navy Drill Hall. (Both Ships). Gentlemen 50c; Ladies and Men in Uniform Free.
- Saturday, July 27th—  
\*2:30 p.m.—Football at Roosevelt Park (Hanson Cup Final). Winner of bye vs. Friday's winner. Other games to be announced later.  
\*8:30 p.m.—Boxing at Gym (Roosevelt Park): Canadian Legion Boxing Club vs. "UGANDA" and "CRESCENT" Boxers.
- Sunday, July 28th—  
10:30 a.m.—Church Parades.  
\*2:30 p.m.—Baseball at Roosevelt Park. PRINCE RUPERT vs. "UGANDA" PRINCE RUPERT vs. "CRESCENT."

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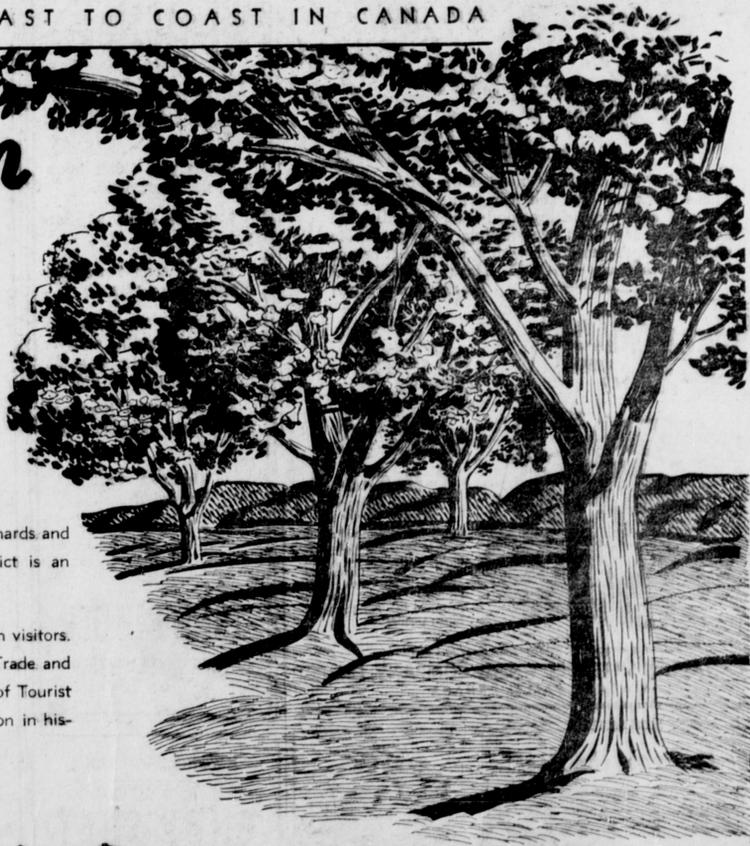
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