

# GYROS MAY ADOPT OPEN AIR SWIM POOL IN McClymont Park AS BIG OBJECTIVE IN FUTURE ACTIVITY

Plan for providing a commodious and attractive outdoor swimming pool by raising of the level of the water in Hays Creek three feet through putting in of a dam a short distance below the McClymont Park Bridge was discussed by the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at its regular monthly business meeting last night.

## CENTRES ARE SECOND HOMES

Australia Finds Clubs Are Answer to Youth Problems

SYDNEY, Australia. (P)—Australian parents and social workers are meeting the problems of over-crowded homes, child delinquency and the occupation of leisure time with youth community centres.

The centres try to compensate youngsters for the break-up of normal neighborhood life in areas fast becoming industrial or business districts.

A typical centre is run by Rev. Alan Walker at Bondi, where rooms have been opened under his church. There he caters to the interests of local children who learn gymnastics under an expert instructor, carpentry, printing (the centre has its own hand press), play games, borrow books from the library, or join a drama group.

"The centre is not denominational," says Rev. Walker. "If the children don't belong to our church it makes no difference. We hope to make it a meeting place for children and their parents, with interests for all ages."

Inspired by the centre's success various civic organizations are attempting to raise \$17,500 for a new building to accommodate 700 members. The new centre will include a theatre, library and instruction rooms for weaving, handicrafts and painting.

## Australia Plans Export of Furs

AUSTRALIA. (P)—Wartime has brought Australian furs into their own. The soft, long-haired honey beige Australian fox and russet-toned natural fox are in the forefront of fashion as autumn wraps. In view of the popularity of these furs Australian manufacturers now are planning to produce the furs in exportable quantities.

The undertaking was, however, considered a little too ambitious for the club to undertake this year. However, it will be further studied as a possible major objective for the future.

Meantime, as one means of building up the club funds for its work of providing outdoor recreational facilities for the children and young people, the club decided to revive the formerly popular hoedown dance events and the first of these will be held on Hallowe'en night. Committees will be appointed soon with a view to making it a real outstanding event. An Apple Day sale shortly before Hallowe'en is being planned as another money raising event.

The club decided to support the National Clothing Collection drive, now in progress, appointing Frank Skinner to marshal help from among club members for the work of packing and shipping clothing received here.

A questionnaire from the provincial government on various aspects of electoral reform should, it was decided, be made the subject for consideration at a luncheon of the club two weeks hence.

For the summer, at least, it was decided to give up business meetings of the club in the evening and revert to noon meetings.

President W. D. Lambie was in the chair at last night's meeting and there was a fair attendance of members.

A recent social event of the Gyro Club was a dancing party last Saturday night at Reid's Cafe when the attendance was not large but an enjoyable evening was spent. Music was by Andy McNaughton.

Patrick Henry, early American patriot, said: "In all free government and in the estimation of all men attached to liberty, there are certain rights inalienable and of so sacred a character that they cannot be guarded with too much caution. Among these are liberty of speech and of the press."

# TODAY IN SPORT

## SHORT SPORT

New York Yankees invaded Columbia University 23 years ago to sign Lou Gehrig, pitcher and first-baseman. Joining the American League team after the college season, "Columbia Lou" started making baseball history. He was the circuit's most valuable player in 1927, 1931, 1934 and 1936.

Germany's Max Schmeling gained the world's heavyweight title 16 years ago on a foul called against Jack Sharkey in the fourth round of their titular bout in New York. He lost the title to Sharkey two years later.

Jimmy Braddock jumped from relief roles to the world's heavyweight boxing championship when he dethroned Max Baer at New York 11 years ago tonight. In dire financial circumstances, the New Jersey battler scored one of the biggest ring upsets in years. The bout went 15 rounds.

The Rugby League code of football, second in sports interest, is also booming. Attendances at many big matches in Sydney have already set new records, and these are expected to soar when the English Rugby League team, now in Australia, plays its scheduled matches in Sydney. Gates aggregating \$400,000 and crowds totalling 1,500,000 are expected in New South Wales for the season which has just begun. A similar jump in receipts and crowd attendances is expected in Queensland, the only

## Baseball Scores

**American League**  
Cleveland 7, Boston 2.  
Chicago-Philadelphia (rain).  
St. Louis 1, Washington 0 (10 innings).  
Detroit 6, New York 5.

**National League**  
New York 2, Cincinnati 3.  
Boston-Pittsburgh (rain).  
Philadelphia-Chicago (rain).  
Brooklyn 10, St. Louis 7.

## LUCRATIVE DREAM

MELBOURNE, Australia. (P)—A plate of oysters, four glasses of sautern, and a helping of chicken helped a Melbourne hotel manager win \$40,000 in a lottery. He had the meal at a city cafe and went home and dreamed of a number. He bought a lottery ticket with the number and it won first prize.

other state in Australia in which the Rugby League game is played. Both states expect the Australia vs. England matches to be played in Sydney and Brisbane to draw record crowds of more than 70,000.

Boxing is drawing big crowds down under and big amateur international contests at the end of the year are planned. A team of U. S. "Golden Gloves" boxers is expected to visit Australia in November and a team of Australian amateur boxers will probably tour South Africa. If successful, the two visits will be the biggest international boxing moves outside the Olympic Games.

## FIGHT FANS POISED FOR TONIGHT'S LEGION CARD IN CIVIC CENTRE GYM

The air of suppressed excitement hovering over the city today has nothing to do with fear of a war with Russia. Most of the level-minded citizens feel fairly free of the danger of proletarian atom bombs for the moment and are concentrating on tonight's Legion fight card in the Civic Centre. Promoter Jimmy Nicoll approves this attitude.

Sometime during his past life, Jimmy has encountered the Hollywood adjective "colossal" and in recent references to tonight's events, the adjective has trembled on his lips. But he is said to his eternal glory, the word has never yet been uttered in the presence of a reporter. In spite of his delicate reticence, however, Mr. Nicoll is obviously thinking in terms of "colossal."

At latest word, Mr. Nicoll and his colleagues had lined up eight bouts for the fans tonight. These will be topped off by a battle between Len Hitchens and Bill McDonald of Vancouver which has seemed to capture the interest of the sporting gentlemen throughout the town.

Mr. McDonald, who is a tidily built 18-year old as one would want to see, is in the city today in company with his trainer, Tommy Ganns of Vancouver's Western Sports Club. Here, too, is Colling, a 167-pounder who will mix with Terry McCarthy in the light-heavyweight semi-wind-up. Colling is also 18.

On the other hand, Len Hitch-

ens, the local headliner, is very much in the offing. Trainer Benny Windle sees Len as the rising star of the north, and with all due respect to whatever may appear over the horizon, Mr. Windle knows a fighter, and knows how to handle one.

In the semi-windup, it is understood that the scales will show a considerable advantage for McCarthy over Colling. Mr. Ganns, who picked his boys for ability rather than for the number of pounds they carry, was notably undisturbed yesterday at mention of McCarthy's advantage in avoirdupois.

In both the feature and semi-windup, the fights will run for five two-minute periods, barring knockouts, while in the preliminaries the fights will be of three two-minute periods each.

Here is the card as it stood today:

- Feature bout—Len Hitchens 147, Billy McDonald 148.
- Semi-windup—Colling 167, Terry McCarthy, 177.
- Preliminaries:
  - Leo Adolpe 155, Johnny Richards, 155.
  - Bud Collins 175, Glen Carlson 175.
  - Bill McChesney 80, Bill Toderas 80.
  - Vic Johnson 175, Walter Carlson 175.
  - Jordan Smith 70, Carl Markey 72.
  - Alex Gomez 140, Bill McDougall 140.

## FASTBALL

**Girls' League**  
June 14—Moose vs. Kinettes.  
June 17—Whirlwinds vs. Maceys.

June 19—Maceys vs. Moose.  
June 21—Kinettes vs. Whirlwinds.  
June 24—Moose vs. Whirlwinds.  
June 26—Maceys vs. Kinettes.  
June 28—Kinettes vs. Moose.  
July 3—Maceys vs. Whirlwinds.  
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July 8—Whirlwinds vs. Kinettes.

July 10—Whirlwinds vs. Moose.  
July 12—Kinettes vs. Maceys.

**Senior Men**  
June 14—Grotto vs. General Motors.

June 17—Co-op vs. 99 Taxi.  
June 19—Bo-Me-Hi vs. Reserve Army.  
June 21—99 Taxi vs. Grotto.  
June 26—Bo-Me-Hi vs. Co-op.  
June 28—Grotto vs. Reserve Army.  
July 3—99 Taxi vs. Bo-Me-Hi.  
July 5—General Motors vs. Co-op.  
July 8—Bo-Me-Hi vs. Grotto.  
July 10—Co-op vs. Reserve Army.  
July 12—General Motors vs. 99 Taxi.  
July 15—Grotto vs. Co-op.

## Boxing Tonight

**Main Event**  
**BILL McDONALD** 147 lbs. Vancouver, B.C.  
VS.  
147 lbs. Prince Rupert **LEN HITCHENS**  
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Lyle Colling vs. Terry McCarthy  
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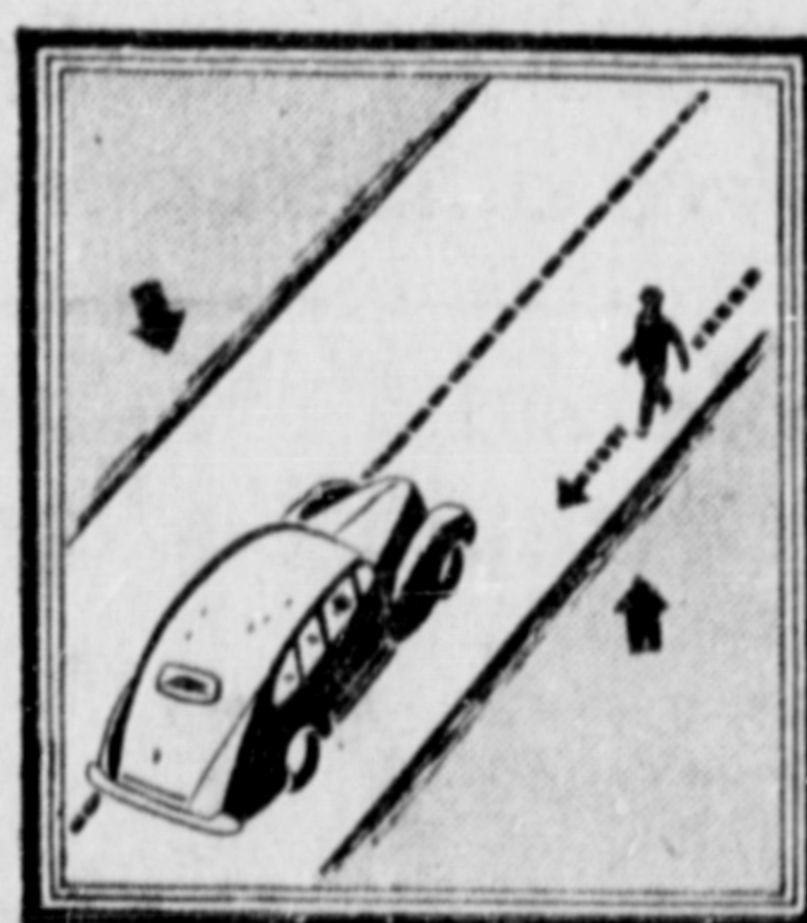
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