

FINE CHRISTMAS TREE BY UNION

Under the auspices of local union association of Plumbers and Steamfitters, a very delightful evening was spent in the Oddfellows Hall on Friday to entertain the children of the pipe-fitting industry in the city. Over 50 children participated in the event, receiving substantial and useful gifts from Santa Claus with the usual trimmings of ice cream etc.

A splendid program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered under the leadership of Mrs. J. E. Randall, who was responsible for the training of Elsa Schmidt, Mable Hadath, Francis Hadath, Bobbie Hadath, Yvonne Bouvette, Louis Patrick, Joyce Peterson and Anne Oyolson. The orchestra was composed of Mrs. J. E. Randall, piano; Ivan Little, Spanish electric guitar; Cliff Larsen, violin and banjo; and Walter Bard, violin.

On arrival of Santa Claus and during the presentation of the gifts a series of flashlight photos

Hotel... arrivals

Prince Rupert
M. McPherson, city; E. McKay, Sockeye; Mr. and Mrs. S. Lickness and daughter, Ketchikan; P. Forrest, Skeena Crossing; Mrs. J. Scott, Bella Bella; H. M. Harper, Georgetown; M. L. Clark, Georgetown; Lieut. F. W. Reich, Canadian Army, England; P. H. Carl, city; Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson, Victoria; N. P. Moran, Smithers; Sgt. R. W. Smith, city; Mrs. H. Chastney, Vancouver; V. Kaspar, Vancouver.

were taken by J. J. Wrathall. Mesdames Patrick and Bouvette had charge of the refreshments, which were enjoyed to the full by the large gathering of parents and friends who were in attendance.

Committee in charge of the arrangements consisted of J. Bouvette, R. Houde, J. Patrick and G. S. Weatherly.

Classified Ads bring results.

Today in Sports

JANIRE WINS OVER ZAVALA

NEW YORK—The Youngstown, Ohio, welterweight hope—baby-faced Tony Janire—grabbed a unanimous eight-round decision in New York last night from Mexico's Humberto Zavala. It was a lively encounter, marking Janire's start on the comeback trail. Zavala was badly battered but scrappy throughout. Janire cut both of the Mexican's eyes in the early rounds and retained command all the way.

HOCKEY PLAYER TURNS WRESTLER

EDMONTON, @—Cecil "Tiger" Coldstick, formerly of Edmonton says he may accept a contract to wrestle in California and Oregon after the hockey season is completed. Coldstick, who is a welterweight, is at present helping to handle the New Westminster Royals of the Pacific Coast Senior Hockey League. The contract offer was made by Carl Pojello of Portland, Oregon.

OUTSTANDING WOMAN ATHLETE

Babe Didrikson Gets Call in Associated Press Poll
NEW YORK—Babe Didrikson Zaharias has been named the outstanding woman athlete of 1945 by an Associated Press poll of 70 sports editors. Mildred has been winning assorted championships for the last 15 years. She dethroned the 1944 champ, Ann Curtis of San Francisco, to capture this year's honor. She had 126 points to 104 for Miss Curtis.
Mrs. Zaharias first hit the headlines for her prowess on the track. Later she competed in most sports as an amateur and a professional, but now she concentrates on golf. And it was in that field that she was chosen the outstanding woman athlete during the 1945 campaign.

MELTHAM, Yorkshire, Eng. @—Gas pressure here is so low that red danger lamps have been put around gas lamps in the village square to prevent vehicles running into them.

The London fight promoter, Jack Solomons, is in New York to talk over possibilities of a fight between the British and British Empire heavyweight champion, Bruce Woodcock, and Gus Lesnevich, world light-heavyweight king. Solomons' United States representative, Nat Fleischer, says there is still a hitch in the deal but a cable is expected from England within the next day or so which will straighten it all out. While in the States, Solomons also expects to see Mike Jacobs, the New York promoter, on prospects of arranging other international bouts.

The United States Lawn Tennis Association has named Herbie Flam of Beverley Hills, California, as the number one junior tennis player of the United States in 1945.

Eddie Shore, manager of the New Haven Eagles of the American Hockey League, has accepted an offer from the Providence Reds for the services of forward Marcel Filion. The announcement has been made by Theo Racette, manager of the Shawinigan Falls Cataracts of the Quebec Senior Hockey League. Providence will advise the Cataracts when they want Filion, who now is playing with the Shawinigan Falls Club.

The Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League are recalling defenceman Elwin Morris from the Pittsburgh Hornets of the American Hockey League. Morris was on the regular Leaf lineup last year but was sent down to Pittsburgh three weeks ago and replaced by Jimmy Thomson, a 20-year-old rearguard from Winnipeg, Man. Thomson now goes to Pittsburgh.

TWO PLAYERS LOSE LIVES

Tragedy Strikes at University of Idaho Basketball Team
MOSCOW, Idaho @—Tragedy has struck into the ranks of the University of Idaho basketball team. Two of the team's players were killed and three others injured yesterday when the club's station wagon collided with a truck. Those killed were Walter Thomas and Ronnie White.

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT" AND IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RICHARD H. HALVORSON, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS RICHARD H. HALVORSON, DECEASED.
TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge Fisher dated the 17th day of December, 1945, I was appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Richard H. Halvorson, otherwise known as Richard H. Halvorson, deceased, late of Portland, Oregon, who died at Portland, Oregon, on the 17th day of October, 1944. All persons having any claim against the estate are required to submit them to me properly verified on or before the 31st day of January, 1946, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay to me the amount of their indebtedness, forthwith.
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GOLD PLAQUE TO GOLF STAR

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BYRON NELSON WORLD'S BEST

Named No. 1 Athlete for Year 1945 by Sports Writers

NEW YORK @—The old shotmaster, Byron Nelson—winner of the United States Professional Golfers' Association championship and 18 other tournaments—has been named the world's number one male athlete of 1945. The judges were the sports writers of the United States. This is the second consecutive year the honor has gone to the 33-year-old Texan.

Of the 82 sports writers participating in the poll, 36 placed Nelson at the top of the list, while 30 picked Doc Blanchard, the Army's All-American half-back.

GAY SONGS AND DANCES

Replete with gay songs and lively dance routines, "Patrick the Great," described as a singing-dancing drama of show people, comes to the screen of the Capitol Theatre here on Monday and Tuesday with Donald O'Connor and Peggy Ryan in the featured roles, supported by such other screen notables as Frances Dee, Donald Cook, Eve Arden, Thomas Gomez and others.

The story deals with the career of an ambitious youngster who happens to be the son of a famous musical comedy star, O'Connor being the star and Cook the father with Miss Ryan as O'Connor's romantic dancing partner. Frances Dee is the object of young O'Connor's affections and later becomes his father's bride. The transition solves one of the story's interesting problems by permitting the young actor to take his father's place in a spectacular Broadway production. Scattered generously throughout the plot are songs and dances which fall logically into place as the action proceeds.

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