

Today in Sports

FIRST WHITE TEAM EVER TO VISIT KITKATLA; LOCAL CO-OP SENIORS ROUNDLY DEFEATED BY 71 TO 35

On Saturday night the local Co-op Senior B basketball team had the distinction of being the first Prince Rupert team ever to make a visit to the village of Kitkatla on the south side of Porcher Island, a distance of 45 miles from the city, to suffer a resounding 71-to-35 defeat. Transportation was provided by the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association's packer Kanawaka, Capt. Harold (Buck) Marshall.

Immediately on arrival at the village the Co-ops were whisked into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hill. Mr. Hill is the mayor of the village and honorary president of the Kitkatla Excelsior Club. An excellent banquet was there extended to the team and visiting spectators and all those present were extended the freedom of the village.

From the banquet all present proceeded to the fine community hall to watch a hard fought, close game of basketball between two intermediate teams of Kitkatla, the Greens and the Maroons. The final score of this game was 43 to 40 for the Greens, which speaks for itself.

The feature attraction—the Prince Rupert Co-op Senior B's vs. Kitkatla Excelsior Club game—took place immediately afterward. During the first quarter the play was close with the Co-op barely coming out on the top side of the score. During the second and third quarters the Co-op defence fell apart and the Kitkatla team began booming in baskets right and left. In the fourth quarter Co-op fought hard and again had the edge of the play but it was a case of too little and too late. The final score was 71 to 35.

After the game, Joe Innis, president of the Kitkatla Excelsior Club, extended thanks and appreciation to all visitors present. A sum of money was offered to the Co-op team for expenses of which half was returned to help the fine new hall built by the public-spirited citizens of Kitkatla.

From the hall all visitors and players again proceeded to Chief Councillor Matthew Hill's for a reception which was very much enjoyed. The coach of the Co-op team, George Viereck, responded suitably to the fine extension of hospitality by all the people of Kitkatla, especially Chief Councillor Hill.

Individual scores for the game were as follows:
Co-op—Sheppard 8, Slatta 6, Wesch 2, Leveret 2, Petersen 7, Menzies 4, Astoria 6, Viereck.
Kitkatla—A. Innes 18, W. Innes 10, Hill 6, Spencer 24, J. Vickers 4, A. Vickers 3, W. Jackson 2, E. Jackson 4, M. Nelson.

Hockey Scores

Saturday	
Chicago 2, Montreal 1.	
Boston 3, Toronto 4.	
Sunday	
Detroit 5, Boston 1.	
Chicago 1, Montreal 0.	
New York 3, Toronto 2.	

LONDON—Britain's second television station, planned for Birmingham, will not be opened for at least two years, said W. A. Burke, assistant postmaster general.

THIS AND THAT



"Daddy wants to trade this for a book on First Aid... and please hurry!"

Basketball

Bo-Me-Hi Wins One

Rainmakers Come Out of Slump—Macey's Beat Port Edward

Coming out of their slump with a bang, the Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers pounced on the luckless B.C. Packers in the Saturday night hoop card in the Civic Centre to win with a 50 to 34 score. It was a game but very much weakened B.C. Packers squad that faced the rejuvenated Rainmakers quintet. The Packers have suffered the loss of some of their players and faced the students with only six men. Even so they put up a stiff defence for the High School to crack. It was not until the third quarter, however, that the pace really began to show on the Packers.

At the end of the first quarter the green and gold lads were out in front by only two points, 10-8. They increased their lead by a few points to come into the much-needed half-time breather on the long end of the 23-17 score. But if the rest period was to have put some more fight back into the Packers it put even more into the students who jumped well out in front by the end of the third period. With a 41-26 score facing them, the Packers put up a last quarter battle which held the students down but which could not decrease the gap in the score.

Hartwig and Thompson led the scoring parade with 13 and 12 points each.

The crowd got a big bang out of the friendly feud that was in progress during the game. It was comical to see Lavigne and Gurnich riding each other throughout the game, pulling at each other's uniforms and other little annoying things which were not dirty but were highly irritating to the one on the receiving end.

This was the first game the students have won in their last eight starts. If they can continue to pull themselves together they should be in very good shape by the time they meet the Duke of Connaughts in New Westminster in March.

B.C. Packers—Calderoni 8, White 3, Gurvich 4, Brown 7, Mazzone 6, Pierce 6, Total 34.

Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers—Thompson 12, Hartwig 13, Lavigne, Ciccone 8, Forman 7, Flaten 10, Skog, Davidson, Intermela, Total 50.

Macey's Beat Port Edward

Driving hard after the Macey squad had got the jump on them in the first quarter, Port Edward dropped a hard fought game in the Senior B hoop

match 49-45. Macey's took the lead when Port Ed started the game by putting their second string on the floor. With the score 11-7 at the end of the quarter the two teams settled down to a real ding-dong battle for the next three periods. At half time Macey's had a slight edge, leading 20-19. Then in the last half, with Pierce of Macey's and Gurney of Port Edward setting the pace, both squads settled down to some real bang-up basketball.

It was a fast game with both teams tearing up and down the floor displaying some very spectacular shooting. High scorers for the game were Gurney of Port Edward with 21, followed by Menzies and B. Pierce of Macey's with 18 and 17 points respectively.

By the end of the third quarter Macey's had moved another point into the lead which opened the last frame with the soda boys out in front 35-33. In the last period Macey's managed to squeeze two more points to bring the mix-up to a close 49-45 for the local team.

Macey's—Menzies 18, Haugan 4, Arnsten 6, E. Pierce 3, James 1, B. Pierce 17, Teng, Gill, Total 49.

Port Edward—Gurney 21, Stevenson 6, Clayton 12, Morven 4, Barton 2, B. Nelson, T. Stevenson, Leeson, Alexander, Morgan, Total 45.

Last Half Drive Wins For Gyros

In the Junior game, Gyros went on a last half drive which gave them the win over Watts & Nickerson 30-21. But throughout the first half they seemed to be kept pretty well in check by the aggressiveness of the Clothers' squad. The score at the end of the first half stood at 15 to 12 for the Gyro. In the last half D. Scherk of the Gyro found the mark and dropped in 10 of his 15 points to help lead his team on to the victory.

Outstanding feature in this game was the number of fouls handed out by Referee Boyo Gurvich, 32. Gyro converted 25 per cent of their free shots but the Watts & Nickerson quintet outshone them here by making 50 per cent of their shots. Thirty-two fouls in one junior game is quite a few and if the refing keeps up as strict as it has been lately the teams will end up by playing a much smoother brand of ball.

Gyro—Haugan 4, D. Scherk 15, Scher 2, Moore, S. Sher 2, Sunberg 5, Mercer 2, Total 30.

Watts & Nickerson—Bill 3, Spring 5, Jones 2, Ratchford 2, Scharf 4, Laurie 3, Kelly 2, Garner, Total 21.

THIS AND THAT



"Not ALL the way to the top. Remember, Mama still has an amateur standing."

TEN PINS BIG TEN

	Games	Pins	Avg'e
S. Bury (Savoy)	21	3,698	175
R. Sparks (Savoy)	24	3,994	166
N. Kinslor (B.A. Oil)	18	2,995	166
T. McMeekin (B.A. Oil)	24	3,861	161
D. Arney (Imperial Oil)	24	3,846	160
Anderson (W. & N.)	24	3,845	160
Gunderson (Imperial Oil)	21	3,350	159
Comadina (B.A. Oil)	18	2,874	159
V. Dell (Imperial Oil)	15	2,366	157
J. Currie (Imperial Oil)	24	3,759	156
G. Howe (Imperial Oil)	22	3,412	155

SCHEDULE FOR MIXED BOWLS

January 15—Pirates vs. Pushovers; Co-op vs. Headpinners; McMeekins vs. Midgets; Rockets vs. Thistles; King Pinners vs. Lipsetts; Reddy Kilowatts vs. Atomics.

January 22—Lipsetts vs. Headpinners; King Pinners vs. Rockets; Thistles vs. Pirates; Reddy Kilowatts vs. McMeekins; Midgets vs. Atomics; Pushovers vs. Co-op.

January 29—Midgets vs. Co-op; McMeekins vs. Pirates; Pushovers vs. Kingpinners; Headpinners vs. Rockets; Lipsetts vs. Reddy Kilowatts; Atomics vs. Thistles.

February 5—Atomics vs. McMeekins; Headpinners vs. Kingpinners; Reddy Kilowatts vs. Thistles; Pushovers vs. Midgets; Rockets vs. Co-op; Pirates vs. Lipsetts.

February 12—King Pinners vs. Reddy Kilowatts; Lipsetts vs. Atomics; Midgets vs. Rockets; Pirates vs. Co-op; Pushovers vs. McMeekins; Thistles vs. Headpinners.

» Smiles «

A man went to register his name at an election poll as required by law. The registrar asked him his trade. He replied: "Mason and builder."

A man, who looked very much like a native of Ireland, was next in line. When the clerk asked him the same question, he answered: "Knights of Columbus and bricklayer, yer honor."

The vicar was talking seriously to one of the younger men in his parish.

"John," he said, "I hear that you have been raising false hopes in maiden hearts. I don't like such behaviour. Rumor whispers that you are engaged to one girl in this village, another in Mitchin and a third in Brenchley. How can you do such a thing?"

John looked sheepish as he replied: "Well, sir, I've got a bicycle."

BASKETBALL

January 14—99 Taxi vs. High School, Macey's vs. Co-operative; People's Store vs. High School, Grotto vs. Gyro.

January 18—Savoy vs. B. C. Packers, Port Edward vs. Co-operative, Canadian Legion vs. Watts & Nickerson.

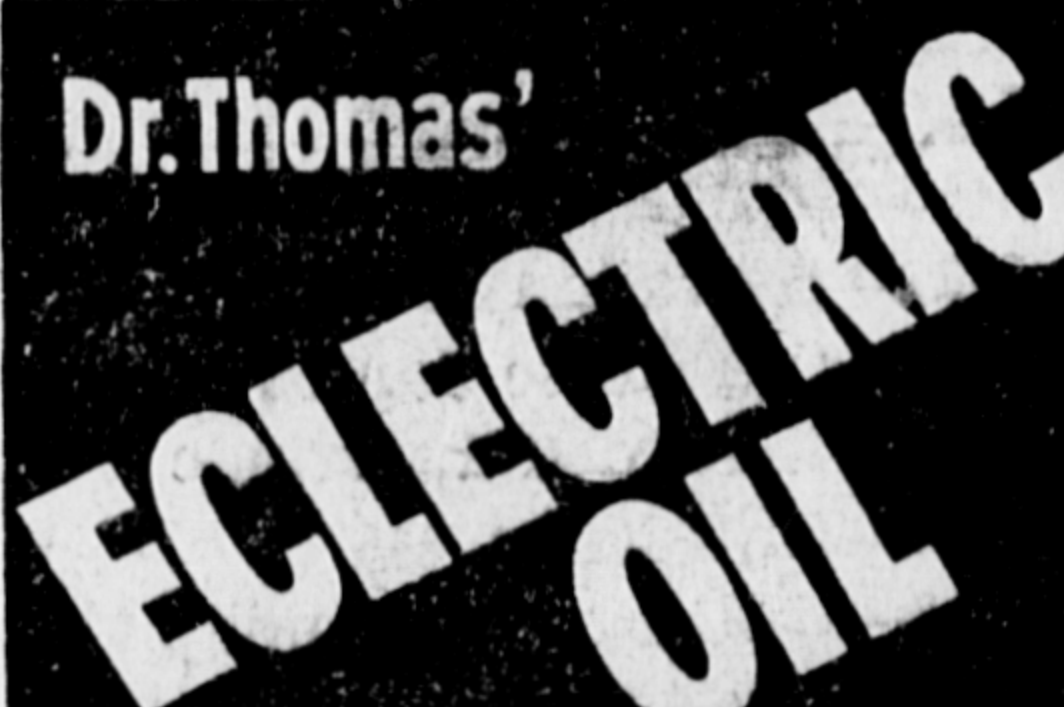
January 21—99 Taxi vs. B. C. Packers, Macey's vs. Port Edward, Sweet Sixteen vs. High School, Grotto vs. Watts & Nickerson.

SCHEDULE FOR LADIES "B" BOWLS

Section B
January 16—Co-op vs. Atlin; Dockettes vs. Bankers; Revenuers vs. Watts & Nickerson, Peoples vs. Khatadas; Whirlwinds vs. W.P.T.B.

January 23—Whirlwinds vs. Bankers, Dockettes vs. Revenuers, Watts & Nickerson vs. Peoples, W.P.T.B. vs. Atlin; Co-op vs. Khatadas.

January 30—Dockettes vs. Peoples, Watts & Nickerson vs. Bankers; W.P.T.B. vs. Co-op; Atlin vs. Khatadas; Whirlwinds vs. Revenuers.



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