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HOOP TALK

Saturday night is going to be Bo-Me-Hi night at the Civic Centre! It will be the biggest night in the colorful hoop life of the Rainmakers. By special arrangement it should be packed full of thrills for both the players and the fans. The reason for this shebang is a farewell send-off for the students prior to leaving for the Provincial Invitation High School Tournament to be held in New Westminster next week. This is the first time Prince Rupert has crashed the "big time" southern B.C. sports playground.

Local hoop fans who saw the big battle on Tuesday night will realize that it is a crackerjack squad going south.

To give the Rainmakers a fitting farewell for the occasion, the Basketball League has declared Saturday as Bo-Me-Hi night at the Civic Centre. And what a night it will be! The mayor, a couple of presidents, the faculty, the parents, the student body and all the rabid sports fans in Prince Rupert will be there. Maybe even a band or two!

But just in case there are some who like to see basketball besides, the B. A. has arranged a special card for the night. The Senior "B" will be represented by Maceys and Port Edward in the opener. Then, an hour later B. C. Packers will come up against Greenville, one of the best native teams on the coast. This will be followed by a special event game between Savoy and the Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers.

The local radio station is making special arrangements so that the big battle will be broadcast for the benefit of those fans who have broken legs or who can't crawl to the Civic Centre.

Little short of a broken leg should keep the fans from such a send-off.

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FAREWELL TO HOOP TEAMS

Special Proceedings During Saturday Night's Hoop Game

Booth High School Rainmakers will carry the official civic blessing of Prince Rupert plus several semi-official and hundreds of private benedictions when they leave next Tuesday for New Westminster where they will compete for the provincial high school basketball championship against six other chosen aggregations.

Official status as good-will ambassadors will be bestowed on the team in the Civic Centre gym Saturday night by Mayor Arnold during the half-time intermission in the students' game with Savoys which will be the feature attraction of the regular week-end hoop show.

In addition to Mayor Arnold's blessing, messages of goodwill are to be delivered by G. A. Hunter, president of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, and W. W. C. O'Neill, principal of Booth Memorial High School.

Civic Centre Director Don Forward said Wednesday that he hoped to prevail on the civic band to lend colorful music to the intermission ceremonies.

In addition to the feature game between Rainmakers and Savoy, there will be an extra-schedule encounter between the Greenville seniors who are journeying from their Naas River lodges for the occasion, and B.C. Packers of the local senior hoop circuit.

The Rainmakers will enter the provincial high school tourney on March 7 in the Royal City in competition with the most select hoop talent that the southern part of the province can offer.

With Alex Bilbus as coach and Boyo Gurvich as business manager, the local Rainmakers team making the trip will consist of Mel Thompson, centre; Reg. Lagigne and Don Hartwig, forwards; Eddie Ciccone and Jim Forman, guards, and Jim Intermela, Jim Flaten, Ole Skog and Bill Davidson, spares.

The team will leave next Tuesday afternoon on the Coquitlam and will be away for two weeks.

Says P.G.A. No Help To Working Golf Pro

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., (AP) —A Chattanooga golf club and its pro may become the rock on which professionals come to the parting of the ways.

Pro Ran Killinsworth of the Meadowlake Golf Club of Chattanooga declares: "The Professional Golfers' Association has nothing to offer the working professional who makes his living running a golf club. That organization has deteriorated into a booking-office for some 75 or 80 professionals and is operated for their special benefit with little thought given to the men who make their tournaments possible.

"It simply isn't possible for a man who devotes his time to repair work, instruction and overseeing a golf course, to compete on equal terms in a tournament with 75 or 80 specialists who do nothing but swing a club seven or eight hours a day, then take a couple of clubs to their rooms to practice before a mirror each night."

Killinsworth, who does not hold membership in the P.G.A., said he proposes a Tennessee state organization with possibilities that it may become country-wide.

Asked to explain the difference in a golf pro and a pro golfer, Killinsworth grinned and replied:

"A professional golfer is a man who is particularly good at the game and too lazy to work for a living. A golf professional is a man who loves the game itself and makes his living the hard way running a golf club."

STARS ON ICE

By ED IGOE

Aussie Wonder Horse Took Giant Strides

SYDNEY, Australia, (AP)— The strides of Australia's two greatest race horses have been measured as eight to 11 feet longer than those of the average thoroughbred. Bernborogh's stride is 28 feet, Phar Lap's was 25 feet; the average galloper's is 17 feet.

The success of Bernborogh proves that great horses come in all shapes and sizes—from the purist's angle Bernborough appeared too small across the hindquarters. He has huge shoulders and these and his low sweeping, energy-saving stride gave him his spectatcular victories. Bernborough could gallop could gallop round turns faster than any horse in Australia.

SCHEDULE OF FIVE-PIN BOWLS

March 3—Fish Dock vs. Gyro; Morgans vs. Burns; Stones vs. Malkins; North Star vs. Co-op; Moose vs. Grotto; Post Office vs. Peoples Store.

March 10—Moose vs. North North Star; Co-op vs. Post Office; Gyro vs. Burns; Malkins vs. Morgans; Peoples Store vs. Stones; Fish Dock vs. Grotto.

March 17—Peoples Store vs. Malkins; Gyro vs. Stones; Morgans vs. Co-op; Post Office vs. Fish Dock; Grotto vs. North Star; Burns vs. Moose.

March 24—Post Office vs. Morgans; North Star vs. Peoples Store; Malkins vs. Grotto; Gyro vs. Moose; Fish Dock vs. Burns; Stones vs. Co-op.

March 31—Stones vs. Fish Dock; Grotto vs. Gyro; Co-op vs. Moose; Peoples Store vs. Burns; North Star vs. Morgans; Malkins vs. Post Office.

April 7—Morgans vs. Grotto; Burns vs. Co-op; Peoples Store vs. Fish Dock; North Star vs. Malkins; Post Office vs. Gyro; Stones vs. Moose.

April 14—Co-op vs. Peoples Store; Malkins vs. Fish Dock; Burns vs. Post Office; Stones vs. Grotto; Morgans vs. Moose; Gyro vs. North Star.

April 21—Grotto vs. Burns; Stones vs. North Star; Fish Dock vs. Morgans; Moose vs. Post Office; Gyro vs. Peoples Store; Co-ope vs. Malkins.

April 28—Malkins vs. Gyro; Fish Dock vs. Moose; Grotto vs. Co-op; Burns vs. North Star; Stones vs. Post Office; Peoples Store vs. Morgans.

May 5—Post Office vs. Grotto; Fish Dock vs. North Star; Morgans vs. Stones; Peoples Store vs. Moose; Co-op vs. Gyro; Burns vs. Malkins.

AFRICAN AIRWAYS

NAIROBI (AP)—The four East African dependencies now operate jointly a public airways corporation, while the British West Indian Airways covers 14 routes in the Caribbean several times a week.

FIND LONG-LOST LORNE YACHT CUP

HALIFAX (CP)—One of the Dominion's historic yachting trophies, the Marquis of Lorne Cup, lost to the sporting world for more than 57 years, was discovered recently among antiques in a Lunenburg, N. S., inn and will be returned to the Nova Scotia Yacht Squadron.

In 1880 the Marquis of Lorne then governor-general of Canada, presented the trophy to the squadron to further interest in yachting. It was won in 1881, 1887 and 1888 by the sloop Esme, owned and designed by John Butler of Lunenburg. Then disappeared.

A few weeks ago Dana Sweeney, proprieter of a Lunenburg inn, said he purchased the trophy, without knowing what it was, when he bought a houseful of furniture to add to his collection of antiques.

H. R. Silver of Halifax and a few associates bought the trophy and donated it to the yacht squadron. A new deed is being prepared to designate what class of yachts will be entitled to race for it and under what conditions.

LADIES "B" BOWLS

February 27—Atlin vs. Peoples, W.P.T.B. vs. Revenuers, Khatadas vs. Dockettes, Whirlwinds vs. Bankers, Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson.

March 6—Watts & Nickerson vs. W.P.T.B., Khatadas vs. Whirlwinds, Co-op vs. Atlin, Bankers vs. Dockettes, Peoples vs. Revenuers.

March 13—Khatadas vs. People Co-op vs. W.P.T.B., Bankers vs. Revenuers, Whirlwinds vs. Atlin, Watts & Nickerson vs. Dockettes.

March 20—Co-op vs. Dockettes, Bankers vs. Peoples, Whirlwinds vs. W.P.T.B., Watts & Nickerson vs. Revenuers, Khatadas vs. Atlin.

March 27—Bankers vs. Atlin, Whirlwinds vs. Co-op, Watts & Nickerson vs. Peoples, Khatadas vs. W.P.T.B., Revenuers vs. Dockettes.

April 3—Whirlwinds vs. Revenuers, Watts & Nickerson vs. Bankers, Khatadas vs. Co-op, Peoples vs. Dockettes, Atlin vs. W.P.T.B.

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DESCRIBES WORK WITH DISABLED VETS IN CANADA

Methods used in Canada's veterans' hospitals to assist war-shattered ex-servicemen back on the road to useful living were described to an audience of more than 40 Canadian Legion members last night by Stanley R. Yates, casualty rehabilitation officer and occupational counsellor at Shaughnessy Military Hospital, Vancouver.

Speaking in the Legion Hall, Mr. Yates told how modern medical techniques and therapeutic methods were offering widening opportunities for disabled men to return to normal or near-normal ways of life, and appealed for an attitude of public encouragement and assistance for them in their struggle.

Mr. Yates' address was followed by the display of a film "Employing Disabled Veterans in Industry," which showed the success with which amputation cases are being placed in positions in industry.

The program was completed by the showing of two National Film Board productions, "British Commandos in Action at Narvik," and "Operation Musk Ox" by Frank Parlette.

Col. A. Hamilton Grant, local representative of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, was a guest at the meeting.

INDIAN COMMISSIONS

NEW DELHI (AP)—For the first time in the history of the Royal Indian Air Force, short-service commissions are being offered to those who wish to join the service. This scheme is intended to build up an adequate reserve of highly trained officers.

SEEK ATOMIC STU

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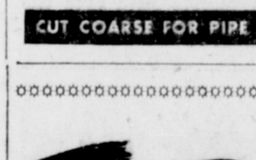
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