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Baseball Seeks Civic Centre Tie-up

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ciation, at their annual meeting last night, decided unanimously to send their executive to a meeting of the Board of following points:

Baseball Association.

tions for out of town trips.

sociation back the baseball association morally and financially in order to simplify credit arrangements and equalize iinancial problems over a period of years.

4. That all ball players in the league become members of the Civic Centre.

The closing date for entries of game to be held May 14.

team.

beginning of the meeting included reading of the minutes and the financial statement. dertaken the operation of any provide an operating executive a small operating surplus barring payment of \$100 to the winning team last year. Speak. purchased.

the year and asked for their operations. continued support through the All other sport and activity is Baseball this year. This is coming season.

A. S. Nickerson; second vicepresident, Gunnar Anderson: secretary-treasurer, George Mur-

It appeared from the meeting that it was likely there would be two teams from the city and one from Watson Island. Don Forward was asked to carry an invitation to Terrace to enter the league with those games to be played Sun-

The meeting closed on a note of optimism for baseball in the district this year.

Reply Of Civic Centre Director To Prince Rupert Baseball Ass'n.

executive secretary of the Prince for staff be obtained? Rupert Civic Comme.

a program for the youth of the is definitely not in the scope of community during the summer the Cive Centre. set for May 11 with the first this youth work. The Association Civic Centre-it is its member-

Senior Club or Association. The for the Civic Centre.

The following statement was the Aero Club and every other presented to the executive of the organization in the city expect Prince Rupert Baseball Associa- us to do the same for them, and, Legion Clubrooms and drew up Prince Rupert Baseball Asso- tion last night by Don Forward, if so, where would the funds plans for the opening of the 1950

The Baseball Association has a \$4,000 or more per year def- afternoon when two selected intimated through the news- icit. We try to keep that deficit teams will meet prior to the regpaper that the Civic Centre As- at a minimum by budgeting for ular league games. Directors of the Civic Centre sociation will be asked to operate a skeleton staff in the summer. The President's eleven will be Association with a proposition the Baseball Association this time. Already, because of bud- selected from H. Morgan, "Monk" to become affiliated. The affili- year. In fact it has been intim- get limitations, our Pro-Rec in- Sunberg, "Brick" Eby (captain); ation proposal will contain the ated that the Civic Centre plans structor has been laid off until P. Mazzoni, Glen Olsen, Charlie to get out from under this re- needed in the fall. The program Currie, W. Baxter, Alvin McKay, 1. That the baseball associa- sponsibility. First let me explain secretary goes on leave of ab- Nick Pavlikis, Andy Wyatt, D. tion be called the Civic Centre that the shoe is on the other foot. sence without pay till September. Ward, Vanderheide, John Wil-The Baseball Association, not the The physical instructor is em- son, Arne Lien, James Greer, J. 2. That the Civic Centre As- Civic Centre, has always operated ployed on a seven-months-a-year Bremner, R. Robinson, Stan sociation approve all negotia- baseball. If there is an attempt basis and is not presently on the Veitch, Billy Gomez, W. Beauto get out from under, it is not staff. The janitor staff is cut mont, Bob Currie, Percy Welter. 3. That the Civic Centre As- the Civic Centre that can be so to the minimum. The office The Vice-president's eleven will

months. Available funds and a Too often it is glibly suggested budget adopted by an annual that the Civic Centre should run teams into the city league was meeting determine the scope of this and run that! Who is the players and coaches of the City is given a yearly grant by the ship! Those members who wish The secretary was instructed Gyro Club to cover work on the to play badminton band together to write the Parks Board asking Gyro Playgrounds. This means to operate badminton. Those who for use of Roosevelt Park on the operation of a playground wish to have a symphony or a the evening of May 24 in order programme at McClymont Park, band, organize to have such ." to hold an old timer-rookie ball Seal Cove Park, Totem Park, group. My contention is that Westview Park and Gyro Bail baseball should be operated by Registration of players will Park, also supervision of the out- the baseball players and fans, close May 16 with no limit as to door swimming pool and wading not by the members of the Channumber of players on each pool. When you consider that ber of Commerce, the Co-op, the \$600 is the amount of the yearly Service Clubs, the Women's Or-Old business transacted at the grant, you will realize that the ganizations, the boys' groups, the work is necessairly limited. sport groups, and other interest This Association has never un- ed groups, who band together to

Basketball Association has its We are fortunate this year in own executive, runs its own af- obtaining as our Playground ing for the winning team, Dave fairs, handles its own funds and Supervisor for the summer Abel said he thought they would pays its own bilis. The Civic months, Keith Maltman, a rebe satisfied if the association Centre does look after the City cent graduate of the University paid for crests the team had League Basketball but their home of B. C. Physical Education Deis the Centre. Every player is a partment. He will be with us In his president's report, Art Centre member. City league funds from June 15th till Labor Day Murray thanked the executive go 100% into the operation of the and will arrive this week to work the team sponsors, managers Centre. However, the Basketball in the fishing industry till going and coaches and the players for Association decides on policy on our staff. Because of his extheir fine co-operation during and controls the actual League perience, we are able to undertake the organization of Junior operated by those interested in worthy work organized last year The following slate of officers that activity. The Badminton by the Baseball Ass'n. I feel it was elected for the 1950 season: Club is self-operative, just as all comes within the scope of our Honorary' president, Mayor adult organizations in the Cen- youth activity. We are pleased George Rudderham; president. tre are operated by the member- to offer our staff services in this ship involved. If we were to respect but the success of the undertake the operation of base- project will depend on full coball, would soccer, lawn bowling, operation from all basepall playtennis, bowling, the Yacht Club, ers. If the Juniors are to be

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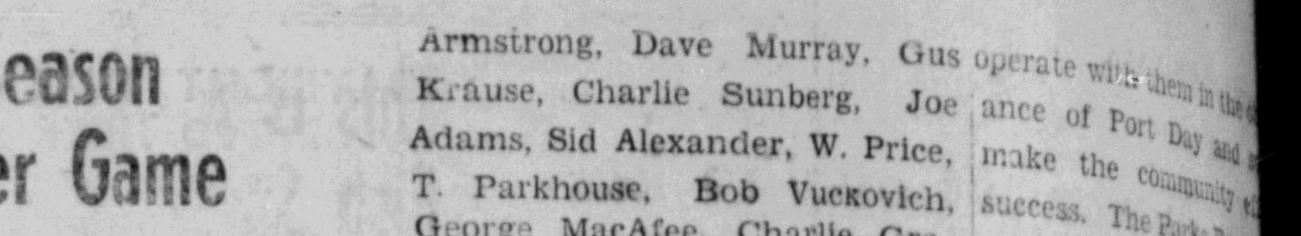
Pre-Season Soccer Game

Executive Plants fgor Opening Activties

The executive of the Prince Rupert Football Association met last evening in the Canadian football season. A pre-season The Civic Centre operates at game will be played next Sunday

staff is employed for the winter be selected from Tommy Boul-The Civic Centre Association, months only. Until that day ter, Ian Dunbar, G. Ferguson, J. to the best of its ability, and when the Civic Centre is able to Cornwell, K. Yelland, Darrow within the scope of its staff and employ a large summer staff, the Gomez (captain); Dick Cameron, finances, endeavours to operate operation of Senior Sport Leagues Pat Wilson, Ralph Smith, Bob

> taught baseball, the people capable of teaching them are the League teams.



T. Parkhouse, Bob Vuckovich, success. The Parks Book George MacAfee, Charlie Gra- advised that the Association

Both teams are to meet at the Armory on Sunday afternoon be- ting the grounds is fore the game. It is hoped to They have already made as have the ace referee Sidney ments to have some some Woodside handle the game. The ashes supplied, President's team will wear the Present at the meeting Battery strips and the Vice- J. S. Wilson (chairman)

The Association will inform the Smith (secretary), Joe Port Day committee that the son (treasurer), Darrow (footballers are anxious to co- Tommy Boulter,

Adams, Sid Alexander, W. Price, make the community assist as far as possible

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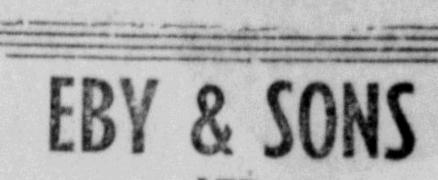
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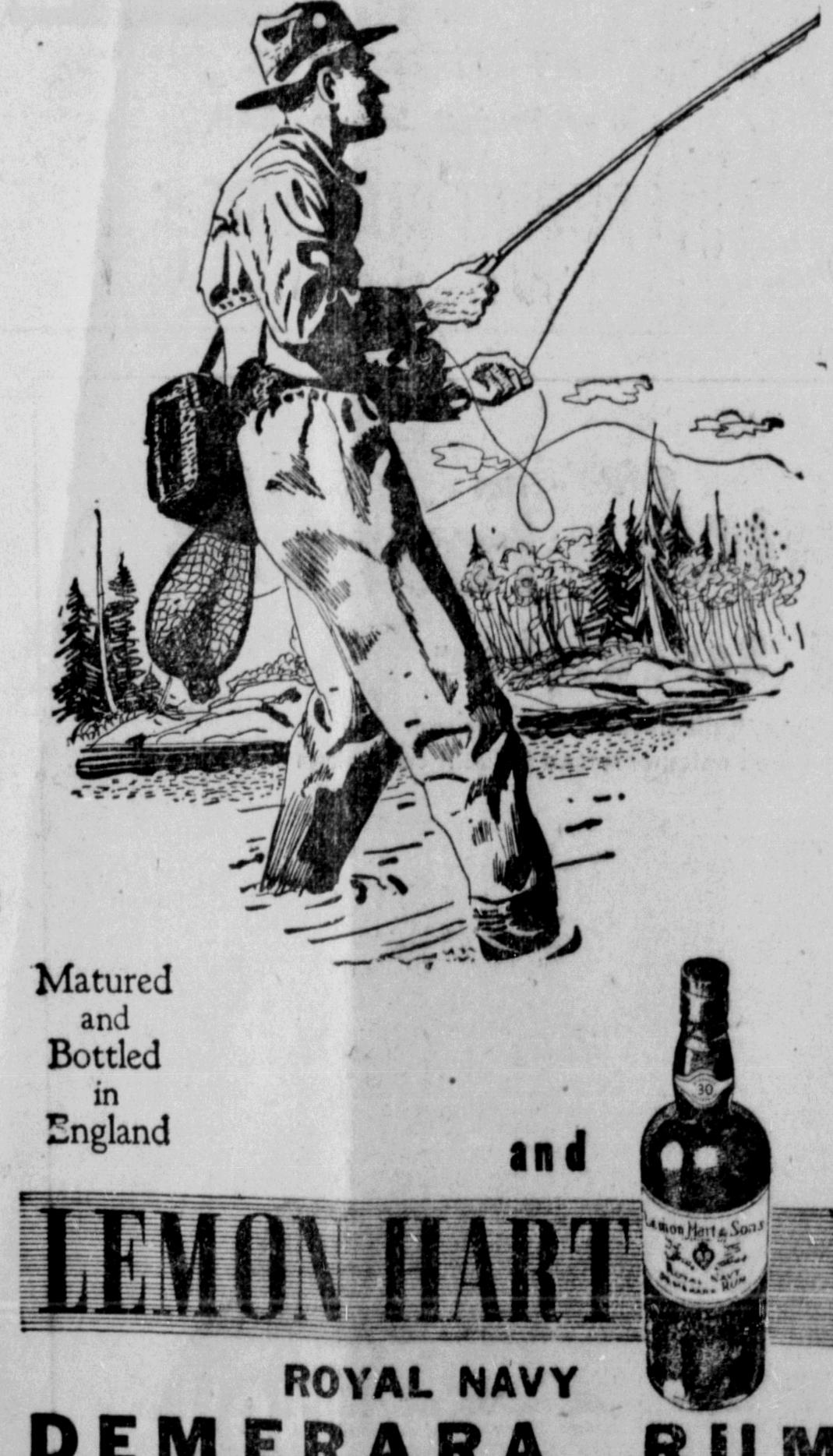
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