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ETBALL CHAMP PLAY-OFFS "MYSTERY WOMAN," C. SET HERE FOR APRIL 22-23 SPY CASE, TAKEN

Rupert definitely gets the Senior "B" championship play-offs, according to word from the British Columbia Amateur Basssociation. Game dates are April 22 and 23 nce Rupert playing the winner of the semiis in a two-games total point for the pro-

vincial championships. Tickets espionage case and is alleged will go on sale this week and to have collaborated with as usual will be sold on a firstcome-first-served basis.

Kamloops meets Brentwood wse and Hugh Mcof the Victoria League in a tworged with armed robgame play-off at Kamloops on entenced to two years April 15 and 16. The winner FRENCH VESSEL travels to Prince Rupert. It is FRENCH VESSEL rokes of the paddle, w Westminster. They generally predicted that Kamloops will win a play-off berth IS UNLOADING as they have a very strong team Counsel for defence Gonzales, formerly upert who has been law since moving to

ster of the Victoria Dominoes. Kamloops lost the title in the semi-finals last year to Port Alberni after winning it in 1947.

Victoria Brentwoods, although not predicted to win the semifinals, met a lot of strong competition on Vancouver Island and tion Sunday installed are not to be ignored having such well-known players in their the Fishermen's Hall line-up as R. Benn, W. Benn, G. nembers discussed the Cruikshank, K. Slater, B. Slugg season which opens get, J. Turner, W. E. Turner, and The following officers H. C. Yardley. ally installed in office

ng Officer John Mor-- Treasurer, George

Synes and Mr. Ander- been attending the annual egates to the Trades convention of the Native Bro-Council. Members of therhood of British Columbia ommittee are Ole Kil- at Bella Coola arrived in the city on the Catala last night MEN STRIKE ting also discussed the enroute to their various homes an agreement between They included Johnson Russ of vision of cost of radio and depth sounders still under considera-Port Simpson; Vincent Wells of needed. Prince Rupert, re-appointed busines agent; Matthew Wilareas of the prov- liams of Skidegate, vice-presimainly clear this dent. Queen Charlotte Islands out northern and cen- district; Fred Russ, Elijah ons were cloudy. A Jones and Tom Smith, Masrm approaching the sett; Edward Bolton, Port Esarlottes will cause rain | sington, vice-president, Prince northern coast this Rupert district; Titus Camp-Temperatures will bell, Port Essington; Albert high sixties in the Young, Kitselas; Harold Sin-Interior this afternoon. clair, Kitwanga, vice-president. in the northern in- interior; Lazelle Charlie of Fort confine tempera- Babine, vice-president, Burns Lake district.

Disembarking at Butedale Charlottes and North were Weiler Robinson, Hartley Overcast, continuous Bay; Peter Bates, Hartley Bay; United 4. afternoon and tonight. Joe Gray, Kitimaat, and Heber ith scattered showers Maitland, Kitimaat. Southwest winds in-

to southeast (30 m.p. Little change in tem- NEW TECHNIQUE Lows tonight and AGAINST CANCER Massett 29 and 50

WASHINGTON, D.C. (P-Discovery of a possible method of Stoke City 1. forecasting cancer of the uterus from one to two years before it develops was disclosed by a spurs 1. Canadian doctor, Ernest Ayre of Royal Victoria Hospital and Wednesday 1.

VA (Inquiry into re- McGill University of Montreal. cidents on Canadian Cancer of the uterus is one of ssels will open at Hali- the most frequent of all maligy, naval headquarters nancies. It kills aproximately ed. The probe is being 26,000 women annually in the d by Rear Admiral E. United States alone.

two Dr. Ayre said his new tech-W. nique opens up the possibility ter City 1. C. of tracking development of such Plymouth Argyle 2, Coventry The musical portion of the Adolf Hitler's leading governlatter of the cana- cancers in all victims and at- City 3. tacking them at the earliest and ctings will be closed to most curable stage.

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MONTREAL (P)-Freda Linton, last of those sought in connection with the Russian spy probe, surrendered to police here today. She will be arraigned in court tomorrow. She was known as the "mystery woman" of the Russian Fred Rose, former Member of Parliament. The woman is expecting a baby in June.

with three former Dominion The 10,000-ton French liberty senior "A" champ players in the ship Vire is discharging 1,000 person of Art "Lefty" Barton and tons of concrete reinforcing Sandy Hay, former members of steel at the Watson Island dock the U.B.C. team and Arnold Web today after arriving from Antwerp, via Portland, Oregon, Sunday morning.

> The first deep-sea ship to dock at the former American army horseshoe wharf, now owned by Columbia Cellulose Co., since the war, the Vire probably will sail Tuesday night for Puget Sound ports. More colorfully painted than in wartime days when similar ships put in to Watson Island for munitions. The Vire has a black hull and red funnel.

She was piloted from Portland to Prince Rupert by Capt. W. W. having brought in many deep sca ships over the years.

Master of the Vire is Capt. E. Debris.

G. W. Nickerson Co., is acting from her west' coast Northern delegates who have agents, Empire Shipping Co.

LONDON ()-Some 6,200 Lonrs and fishermen re- Greenville, vice-president for don dock workers went on strike S. Hansen name "The Voice" Gerrardi the Naas River district; Frank today holding up the unloading after the second round of clues Calder of Greenville, newly- of 46 ships, some containing in the ditty had been explained elected general secretary for meat and other foods for rahe boat and crew. The the province; Peter Calder of tioned Britain. The walk-out Greenville: Jeffery Benson and was called in protest at the lay-William Barton, Kincolith; Paul off of 33 men that the National been able to wring from the Price and Thomas Gosnell of Dock Board said it no longer

Old Country

English League, First Division Arsenal 1, Middlesbrough 1

Aston Villa 2, Preston North

Blackpool 1, Portsmouth 0.

Bolton Wandeders 2, Charlton Athletic 2 (tie). Derby County 2, Newcastle

mingham City 0 (tie).

1 (tie).

Second Division

Barnsley 4, Tottenham Hot-

Blackburn Rovers 2, Sheffield

Bradford 4, Bury 1. Cardiff City 3, Lincoln City 1. Grimsby Town 3 Brentford 0. Audience members took part FIVE NAZIS

Luton Town 0 West Bromwich in the "Dr. P.R." show and

Albion 1.

terfield 1 (tie).

United 1. Clyde 0, Aberdeen 0 (tie). Hibernian 2, Partick Thistie 1. Morton 3, Albion Rovers 0. Motherwell 4, St. Mirren 1. Third Lanark 3, Falkirk 2.



PRESENTING BABY CLAIRE CHENNAULT-Gen. Clair Chennault, famed hero of the U.S. "Flying Tigers," the air group which fought valiantly against the Japs in the first stages of the war, uroudly presents his baby daughter, Claire Anna, at his home in Canton, China. Mrs. Chennault is beaming down at the baby. The general, now president of a Chinese air line, made newspaper headlines when he married his Chinese wife after

WHISPERING VOICE" REVEALED TO Mounce. who is well known here, PACKED HOUSE AT RED CROSS SHOW

Identity of Prince Rupert's whispering Mystery Voice — that transcribed hoarseness-in-a-lead-pipe which perplexed the grey matter of a large part of the city's population—was brought to light through simplification of its confusing maze of "clues" last night and was revealed to an audience of 600 at the Rotary Club's Red Cross benefit

concert as being that of George Mitchell. Capitol Theatre for the late was conducted by Peter Lien

evening concert and heard Carlo and the Symphony by Neville by Walter Smith, co-master of ceremonies.

Up to that time, no one had "poem" an explanation of the Voice's identity, although several guesses had been hazarded by those whose ticket numbers

entitled them to a try. Mr. Hanson was winner of a

floor lamp.

The two-hour variety concer was a blend of entertainment which included practically all of the city's best musical talent with quiz features added. The quiz shows, which were in addition to the Mystery Voice, were the "Mr. Big Brain" contest and the "Dr. P.R. Quiz."

The "Mr. Big Brain" show sought to reveal which of the Huddersfield Town 0, Bir-city's three service clubs and D. C. Stevenson. the Junior Chamber of Com-Liverpool 0, Manchester City merce, possessed the highest mental power as indicated by Maple Leafs

Manchester United 1, Chelsea members' ability to answer general knowledge questions.

a Rotary Club contestant. Others Sunderland 0, Burnley 0 (tie). in the show were C. G. Ham and DETROIT-Toronto Maple Wolverhampton Wanderers 3, Duncan McRae, Gyro Club; Leafs won the second game George Dibb and Bill Long, straight in the Stanley Cup Kinsmen Club; Bruce Brown, play-offs last night from Detroit Rotary Club, and Hugh Mac- Red Wings by a 3 to 1 score.

> ior Chamber of Commerce. gown, was interlocutor and also three goals for Toronto. acted as "Dr. P.R." in the later

Albion 1.

Nottingham Forest 2, Leices- of prizes through their ability ARE GUILTY to answer questions.

Southampton 0, West Ham marches and a Viennese medley, an aggressive war. included accordion solos by Mike | Chief defendant was Baron Scottish League, First Division Colussi, a piano solo by 10-year- Ernest von Weizsaecker, Secreold Mardell Soiland, choral sing- tary of State in Hitler's foreign Chorus, two vocal solos by tenor ambassador to the Vatican. Rowland Miles, popular selec- The court will pronounce sentions by the Four Dukes Or- tences on Friday.

chestra and selections by the Prince Rupert Symphony Or-The audience thronged the chestra. The Shrine Club Band

An appeal in behalf of the Red Cross financial drive was made by R. A. Morley, president of the Prince Rupert Red Cross Society, who told the audience that, since its beginning last month, the campaign has netted \$2,000, half the district's quota.

Master of ceremonies was T. Norton Youngs, who was teamed with Walter Smith in organizing the show. Tiny Sonja Berg, costumed in white to resemble a Red Cross nurse, handled the placards which announced the program sections. Ushers, volunteers from the Soroptimist Club, were Mrs. M. O. Kullander, Miss Margaret McLeod, Miss Ellen Kinnaird, and Miss Winnie Poxon. All were costumed as Red Cross nurses.

Rotarians in charge of the door were C. A. Berner and

sheffield United 1, Everton 1 Winner of this was T. B. Black, Are Two Up

Kenzie and J. K. McLeod, Jun- Next games will be Wednesday and Saturday in Toronto.

Martin F. Stuart, in cap and Rookie Sid Smith scored all

NUERNBERG (P) Five of program was of a high quality. ment officials were convicted Queens Park Rangers 1, Ches- It opened with three selections today by the United States war by the Shrine Club Band, two crimes court of helping him plan

ing by the Rotary Club Male office and one-time German

day worshippers.

Six elderly persons were killed off with a quantity of money. and at least fifty persons were It was just before 9 a.m. as

Mass was about to begin. The explosion occurred as the furnace was being switched on.

LABOR HAD HARD BLOW

Conservatives Strength In British County Elections Was Spectacular

LONDON (P)-Labor leaders said today that had they had more time to explain the new budget they might not have lost such ground in last week's county elections in England and by the city police.

Labor received a staggering on still incomplete returns, gain- CLOVER LEAFS

Labor lost 336 seats.

Bayonne

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Cariboo Quartz

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

Vancouver

Congress	.04
Hedley Mascot	.30
Pend Oreille	4.70
Pioneer	3.25
Premier Border	:03
Privateer	.17
Reeves McDonald	2.25
Reno	.05
Sheep Creek	1.20
Silbak Premier	.35
Taku River	.26
Vananda	.23
Salmon Gold	.14
Spud Valley	,07
Oils—	
Anglo Canadian	3.85
A. P. Con	.22
Atlantic	.71
Calmont	.40
C. & E.	4.60
Central Leduc	1.02
Home Oil	10.50
Mercury	.123/
Okalta	2.22
Pacific Pete	2.30
Princess	.29
Royal Canadian	80
South Brazeau	.16
Toronto	
Athona	.13
Aumaque	.18
Beattie	.50
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Buffalo Canadian	.13
Consol. Smelters	95.50
Conwest	1.17
Donalda	.51
Eldona	.57
East Sullivan	2.85
Giant Yellowknife	6.05
God's Lake	38
Hardrock	.18
Harricana	.07
Heva	.08
Hosco	.21
Jacknife	.04
Joliet Quebec	.35
Lake Rowan	-10
Lapaska	.10
Little Long Lac	.80
Lynx	.13
Madsen Red Lake	2.92
McKenzie Red Lake	.42
McLeod Cockshutt	1.06
Moneta	.46
Negus	2.40
Noranda	55.00
Louvicourt	
Pickle Crow	2.12
Regcourt	
San Antonio	3.9
Senator Rouyn	.4
Sherrit Gordon	2.0
Steep Rock	
Sturgeon River	
Silver Miller	.3

ROBS GUESTS

A bold sneak-thief was routed by a hotel clerk whom he MARION, South Dakoto (0) - roused during his prowling at St. Mary's Catholic Church blew the Prince Rupert Hotel early (CP) - The world is a up here yesterday while partly Sunday morning but not before little sadder today. Little filled with kneeling Palm Sun- he had entered the rooms of Kathy Fiscus was brought three sleeping guests and made

The prowler was put to flight injured when the roof and brick by Mrs. Helen Bryant, when he walls came tumbling down upon entered her room at 2:30 Sunthem as they knelt in their pews. day morning. His movements aroused her and he fled. Police investigation since then has failed to reveal his identity.

Mrs. Bryant's alarm set off an investigation which roused other pipe. guests on the top floor of the hotel. Three of them, on wakening, found that their rooms had been entered while they slept and their garments searched.

H. S. Hurn, of Victoria, lost \$15 from a wallet in his clothes, while Andrew McRae, of Port Essington, and James Bennett, of Vancouver, also reported money missing.

The thief obtained no money from Mrs. Bryant's room, being scared off before he had chance to take anything.

The case is being investigated

VANCOUVER (P) - Vancouver ern Canada senior men's basket- was the rescue shaft ball finals for the third straight which Kathy was finally year as they squeezed past Vic- ed. toria Y.M.C.A. 40 to 34 here Saturday night.

The Maple Leafs won the best- INCREASE IN of-five series for the British Columbia championship three games to one. They now meet the win- RAIL FARES ner of the McGrath-Winnipeg series for the right to play in the Canadian finals.

PUBLICATION OF KING'S MEMOIRS

Minister Mackenzie King last henceforth be \$3.80 instead of week announced that he would \$3.30 and from Prince Rupert write and publish his memoirs to Smithers, \$9.10 instead of under sponsorship of McGill \$7.85. Prince George single coach University and financed by the fare will be \$18.70 instead of Rockefeller Foundation of New \$16.15. Actually the coach fares York. The Foundation trustees are back to what they were behas voted an appropriation of fore the recent fifteen percent \$100,000 to McGill University for federal tax was removed. The this purpose.

Pacific Coast Hockey Play-offs Evened

Sky Hawks swamped New West- approved by the Transport minster 7 to 0 last night to even Board, is 3.45c per mile. (It is the Pacific Coast Hockey League four cents per mile west of Wolf play-offs at two games each.

The San Diego pucksters showered shots from all angles at New Westminster goalie, Lucien Dechene. His thirty-seven saves were not enough.

Prime Minister C. R. Attlee Makes Slashing Attack

GLASGOW - "Only Communists, their fellow-travelers and a few eccentrics" oppose the Atlantic security pact, declared Prime Minister Clement R. Attlee who departed from his customary mild manner yesterday to make a slashing attack upon Soviet Russia.

He placed the responsibility Seattle 13, San Francisco 8 for the world split squarely upon Russia where there was no freedom of election, speech or thought and where there was a dictatorship more reactionary than even some of the worst of the dictators of the past.

Kathy Fiscus

SAN MARINO, Cal. up dead from her well tomb after 52 hours. All mothers and fathers share in some measure the grief that overcame David and Alice Fiscus when the body of their towheaded three - year - old was found lying in water, wedged about 100 feet down a 14-inch

Announcement of death by drowning was made last night to bring to a tragic end tireless digging of weary rescuers and anxious waiting of sympathizers everywhere.

A crowd of 15,000 watched final rescue efforts.

Dr. Robert McCullock, family physician, said Kathy had been dead "since last heard from Friday afternoon." Then her terrified screams drifted faintly up to her mother. Efforts to have her grab a rope failed and all was then silent. There was still water in the old well after 45 years.

From all of southern California men came with machines to free the tot from the narrow pipe. They worked without sleep,

always in danger of slides. Finally, a 30-inch shaft was drilled down beyond 100 Clover Leafs went into the West- a 24-inch casing was sunt. That

Increase of fifteen percent in railway coach fares as announced by the Canadian Passenger Association and becoming effective this week means the minimum one-way fare from OTTAWA (P) - Former Prime Prince Rupert to Terrace will increase would bring them up

to the present first-class fares. Spokesmen for the Passenger Association, representing all railways, in making the announcement of the increase, said it will become effective without necessity of approval by the Board of Transport Commissioners. He said that the standard fare SAN DIEGO (P)—San Diego's in the most part of Canada, as Creek, Alberta, owing to the mountain differential).

For some years railways have maintained a differential between standard and coach class fare which up to now has been 3c in the most of Canada. Now they are bringing the coach fare up to the original scale and for the time being same fare for coach and first-class travel will prevail.

BASEBALL SCORES

Pacific Coast League FRIDAY

San Diego 2, Oakland 0. Hollywood 5, Sacramento 3. Seattle 10, San Francisco 2. Los Angeles 8, Portland 7.

SATURDAY Sacramento 18, Hollywood 6 San Diego 9, Oakland 8 (ten innings)

Los Angeles 6, Portland 3 SUNDAY

Seattle 5-2, San Francisco 4-1 (first game ten innings) Los Angeles 8-5, Portland 5-2 Hollywood 7-5. Sacramento 4-2 San Diego 14-8. Oaklat