WHERE 12 DIED IN FRENCH ALPS—Almost hidden in the huge snowdrifts of an Alpine ridge is the wrecked remains of the American C47 on which 12 persons, including three women and five children, met death. The plane was flying from Istres, France, to Udine, Italy, when reported missing somewhere in the Digne, France, area. An American B17 crashed a few moments after sighting the wreck. Nine of the crew of ten were killed. The sole survivor was Sgt. Angelo La Salle, Des Moines, Ia., shown (inset) after he had been taken to a hospital in Digne.

CANADIENS BEAT LEAFS

Toronto and Detroit to Meet in National Hockey League Tomorrow Evening

MONTREAL— Canadiens remained in the play-off picture last night by scoring a three to one victory over Toronto Maple Leafs who were thus denied getting back into first place in the National Hockey League standing. The Maple Leafs and Detroit Red Wings are still vying for the leadership with the latter one game ahead. Tomorrow night at the Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto, the Maple Leafs and Red Wings will fight out direct their, battle for honors.

The week-end schedule is as follows:

Saturday—Boston at Montreal, Detroit at Toronto.

Sunday—Montreal at Detroit, Toronto at Chicago, Boston at New York.

The league standings to date:

	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Detroit	26	9	13	154	113	61
Toronto	23	13	11	144	116	59
N. York	17	11	18	138	154	45
Boston	17	10	20	128	133	44
M'treal	15	9	23	107	124	39
Chicago	15	5	28	149	180	35

Today in Sports

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Rupert Downs Alaska

Had Handy Victory In Last Night's Opening Game

Rupert 48, New Metlakatla 38

Obviously suffering from the effects of a stormy trip and little sleep, the New Metlakatla basketball team was defeated by Prince Rupert All Stars last night in the Civic Centre by a score of 48 to 38.

Lead by Rupert Holkestad, the local All Stars took command of the game in the first quarter and, although at one time in the third quarter the score was tied 21-21, the All Stars never seemed pressed throughout the game. It was a close-checking game which accounts for the low scoring on both sides.

Bert Leask was top scorer for the visitors with 15 points and easily the outstanding player for the visitors. Demmert was next on the scoring list with 8 points for New Metlakatla. Rupert Holkestad with 14, and Jack Lindsay with 9, were top men for the locals. The score at the end of the first quarter was 11-7 for Rupert, at the half 20-17, at the end of the third quarter 29-25 and finally 48-38.

Referees Comadina and Calderoni handed out 34 personals which were evenly divided between Rupert and Metlakatla.

The locals converted 8 of their 17 free throws while the visitors only managed 6 out of 20.

In the intermediate fixtures Bo Me Hi, lead by Flaten and Lavigne, easily defeated Port Simpson visitors 49-27. Kelly and Sankey for Port Simpson were top men with 11 and 10 points respectively. At the end of the first quarter Port Simpson lead 11-12 and in the second quarter the High School lads got going to make the score at half time 25-11.

The Bo Me Hi Juniors piled up a lead of 8 to 2 in the first quarter and went on to defeat Gyro 16-18. Large and Johnson with 6 points apiece were high for the Scholars while Marshal, with 4, was tops for Gyro.

All Stars

New Metlakatla—B. Leask, 15; F. Bolton, 4; Large, 5; Hayward, 2; Reese, 2; Cook; Demmert, 8; Booth, 2; D. Bolton; E. Leask.

Prince Rupert— Macphee, 6; Lindsay, 9; Beynon; R. Holkestad, 14; Dominato, 6; Davis, 4; Fitch, 2; M. Holkestad; Forman, 4; Arney, 3.

Intermediate

Port Simpson—Gosnell, 2; Sankey, 10; Kelly, 11; Knott; Latimer; Dudoward; McKay, 4; Green; Bryant; Alexcee; Spence.

Bo Me Hi—Flaten, 14; Lavigne, 12; Shier, 6; Davidson, 4; Olson; Boulter; Scherk 11; Carlson, 2; Spring.

Junior

Gyro— Marshall, 4; McAra; Hartwig, 2; Toderas; Young; Hills; MacFarlane, 2.

High School—Weiss; Large, 6; Johnson, 6; Simondson, 2; Jordan; Webber; Smith; Ketcheson; Black, 2; Hamilton.

HOCKEY SCORES

National League

Toronto 1, Montreal 4

Pacific Coast League

Portland 9, New Westminster 4.

but took advantage of every opportunity to give the spectators a fine exhibition of his shooting skill. No one likes to pick stars when everyone on the local side played so well but it's Holkestad's personality and sportsmanlike conduct that seems to get the fans—he's just a first class athlete that's all.

Dave Houston, one of the most rabid fans in town, is taking that big step into matrimony tonight and will take Sev. Dominato along to steady his nerves. As a result, there will be no Dominato at guard against the visitors unless the organist handles the ceremony. Sev rushes things a bit or Alex Bill played well last night but on guard the all-stars have many first class substitutes in Fitch, Beynon, Forman, etc. and one may be sure that the opposition will have little edge if Sev. does not appear.

Tonight's game will be broadcast but there is nothing like a ringside seat to the show. Tickets are going fast.

Classified Advertising Pays!

MEN'S FIVE PIN "B" LEAGUE BOWLING SCHEDULE

Last Third

Feb. 27—Grotto vs. Fish Dock, Thom's Sheet Metal vs. Scotians, Army vs. Stones, Leafs vs. Thorncliffes, Co-op vs. Mutts, Canfisco vs. Moose.

Mar. 5 — Mutts vs. Leafs, Stones vs. Co-op, Moose vs. Thom's Sheet Metal, Army vs. Scotians, Fish Dock vs. Canfisco, Thorncliffes vs. Grotto.

Mar. 12—Grotto vs. Canfisco, Mutts vs. Thorncliffes, Co-op vs. Leafs, Fish Dock vs. Moose, Stones vs. Scotians, Army vs. Thom's Sheet Metal.

Mar. 19— Stones vs. Moose, Fish Dock vs. Thom Sheet Metal, Mutts vs. Grotto, Co-op vs. Thorncliffes, Army vs. Leafs, Canfisco vs. Scotians.

Mar. 26 — Army vs. Co-op, Leafs vs. Grotto, Thorncliffes vs. Fish Dock, Canfisco vs. Sheet Metal, Moose vs. Stones vs. Mutts.

Apr. 2—Thorncliffes vs. Sheet Metal, Army vs. Co-op vs. Scotians, Stones vs. Grotto, Mutts vs. Canfisco vs. Fish Dock.

Apr. 9— Leafs vs. Grotto vs. Scotians, Fish Dock, Army vs. Thorncliffes vs Moose, Thom Sheet Metal.

Apr. 16—Thorncliffes vs. Scotians, Mutts vs. Fish Dock vs. Canfisco, Co-op vs. Grotto vs. Thom Sheet Metal, Stones vs. Leafs.

Apr. 23—Army vs. Co-op vs. Canfisco, Thom Sheet Metal vs. Scotians, Stones vs. Thorncliffes, Grotto vs. Moose.

Apr. 30— Mutts vs. Leafs vs. Moose, Thorncliffes vs. Canfisco, Stones vs. Thom Sheet Metal, Army vs. Grotto vs. Fish Dock.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of Daniel William Little, Deceased, Intestate

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor Judge W. O. Fulton, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 17th day of February, A.D. 1948, appointed Administrator of the Estate of Daniel William Little, late of Ocean Falls, British Columbia, who died on or about the 14th day of October, 1947, at the City of Vancouver, British Columbia. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of March, 1948, failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 17th day of February, A.D. 1948.

GORDON FRASER FORBES
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B.C.
(54)

NOTICE
James McKay, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the estate of James McKay, of Stewart, B.C., who died on the 3rd day of January, 1948, are required on or before the 21st day of April, 1948, to deliver or send by prepaid letter full particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, the Executor of the Will of the said deceased, at its office at 626 West Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it will then have had notice.

DATED the 17th day of February, 1948.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY,
EXECUTOR
By: Reid, Wallbridge & Co.
525 Seymour Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
its solicitors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES WILLIAM VANCE, DECEASED, INTESTATE

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge W. O. Fulton, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 17th day of February, A.D. 1948, appointed Administrator of the Estate of Charles William Vance, late of Telegraph Creek, British Columbia, who died on or about the 15th day of August, 1947, at Telegraph Creek, British Columbia. All persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of March, 1948, failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C. this 18th day of February, A. D. 1948.

ROBERT F. JOHNSTON,
Official Administrator,
Telegraph Creek, B. C.
(-53)

GAMMA WINS HIGH SCHOOL INDOOR MEET

With a total of 203 points, Gamma House took top score at Booth Memorial High School's first annual indoor track and field meet in the Civic Centre gymnasium Thursday afternoon.

The events were contested by more than 150 students with the balance of the more than 400 student body cheering from the galleries.

Second place went to Beta House, with 188 points, followed by Delta with 179 and Alpha with 150.

On the basis of the whole term"s competitions, Delta House now moves up to first place with 1,844 points, replacing Alpha which has 1,826. Gamma has 1,784 points and Beta 1,417.

Under the point scoring system, a win brings eight points second place five points, third place three points and fourth place one point.

Events were straight races, "thread the needle" races, skipping races, "Chinese get-up," basketball throw, stading broad jump, blind-fold boxing, and three-legged races.

Officials were mainly from the teaching staff, although Reg. Lavigne, Art Olsen, Robert McChesney and Tom Holt acted as referees under the direction of Principal A. M. Hurst.

Officials were:

Clerk of the course, A. Williams.

Starter, J. Evans.

Assistant Starter, Miss Pat McRae.

Scorers: Miss E. Cavelier, Mrs. H. Cobb.

Judges: Miss E. Gidney, Miss M. Anstey, J. Henry, J. Dinsmore.

Announcer, R. D. Cleland.

SCHEDULE OF MIXED BOWLS

Schedule for the remainder of the Mixed "B" Bowling League is as follows:

February 22—B.C. Packers vs. C.Y.O., Brownwoods vs. Ideal Detergents, Islanders vs. Miss or Hits, Cougars vs. Triple XXX.

February 29—Triple XX vs. Islanders, B.C. Packers vs. Brownwoods, C.Y.O. vs. Ideal Detergents.

March 7—Brownwoods vs. Islanders, Triple XXX vs. C.Y.O. Cougars vs. Ideal Detergents, B.C. Packers vs Miss or Hits.

March 14—Cougars vs. B.C. Packers, Ideal Detergents vs. Miss or Hits, Brownwoods vs. Triple XXX, Islanders vs. C.Y.O.

March 21—Islanders vs. Ideal Detergents, B.C. Packers vs. Triple XXX, Miss or Hits vs. C.Y.O., Brownwoods vs. Cougars.

March 28—Cougars vs. Miss or Hits, C.Y.O. vs. Brownwoods, Ideal Detergents vs. B.C. Packers, Triple XXX vs Islanders.

April 4—Ideal Detergents vs. Triple XXX, Islanders vs. B.C. Packers, C. Y. O. vs. Cougars, Miss or Hits vs Brownwoods

April 11—Cougars vs. Triple XXX, Islanders vs. Miss or Hits, B.C. Packers vs. CC.Y.O., Ideal Detergents vs. Brownwoods.

April 18—C.Y.O. vs. Ideal Detergents, B.C. Packers vs. Brownwoods, Triple XXX vs. Miss or Hits, Cougars vs. Islanders.

BILLIARD TOURNEY IN THIRD ROUND

The final game in the second round of the Canadian Legion English billiards tournament was played last night, W. J. Rance (x35) beating LeLs F. Parkes (x60) by a score of 150 to 133. The first game in the third round was also played, Neil Cameron (playing 15 points or no count) winning over Graham Alexander (x60) by a score of 150 to 108. Cameron, who made breaks of 34, 29 and 26 during the game, secures his place in the semi-final and will meet the winner of A. M. Hurst vs. V. G. Houston match. Other contestants in the semi-final will be the winners of matches to be played by R. H. Simonson vs. D. Owens, and J. Campbell vs. W. J. Rance.

SHORT SPORT

Toronto's Varsity Grads romped through to the Olympic hockey title, 20 years ago, defeating Switzerland 13-0 in the final. Hugh Plaxton and Dave Trottier each scored 12 of the 38 goals the Canadians chalked up to win the championship.

Once the "Bad Boy" of baseball, Percy L. (Pat) Malone decided to quit hurling curves and start pitching highballs across the bar 10 years ago today. The 32-year-old Yankee pitcher rounded out a 10-year career in the big leagues in 1937, then spent a season in the minors before buying a bar and cafe in his home town, Altoona, Pa.

BASKETBALL CHATTER

(By BILL LONG)

Elsewhere on this sport page one will have read or may read of another victory for the local senior all-stars and this time it was of a very decisive nature. Taking the lead from the opening gun and holding it throughout the 40 minutes of play, the locals were never pressed for points and the only time the visitors were in the running was when Alex Bill had called off his first string to give them a rest.

On the other hand it must be considered that the New Metlakatla boys had travelled all the previous night and were without much sleep for the 24 hour period previous to the game. It definitely will be a different story tonight, says Bert Leask, playing coach of the Alaskans and a man that knows his basketball inside out. He was a very disappointed man after the showing his boys put forth last night and it was the old early to bed routine for his charges as soon as the game was over.

Rupert Holkestad was the star of the homesters last night and seems to improve every time out. He was very ably assisted,

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