

# In This Corner

By DICK AYRES

Tonight the Senior B cycle is completed for the first time as Manson's Omegas and CCC 300 Club cagers take the Civic Centre gym floor to battle for league leadership. Bill McChesney's Omegas have one win under their belt as have Pop Pay's Pulp Millers. But there is a chance that Pop, away on business when the Millers edged G & A Tuesday, may not be back in time for tonight's encounter. Whether the battling CCC crew can scramble through to a win unguided remains to be seen.

However, one thing is for sure, and this applies to all teams, unless common sense rules over temper, the team will fall apart. We have long contended, both in playing and writing about sports in various parts of the province, that blowing one's top, screaming against decisions, abusing referees or trying to smite one's opponent gains little or nothing for anyone except the individual in team sports. In team sports the individual should take second or even third place to the team as a whole.

In fact so far as violence is concerned or taking it out on an opponent, there is a sport dedicated solely to that purpose, and Joe Ward would be glad to add to his roster of fighting men. In ward a scene which results in getting heated out of a game, whether it be soccer, basketball, lacrosse, hockey or baseball the offender is only helping his team to lose, which is the same as being a saboteur. Referees have a definite function to perform and they do the best they can. The fact that their's is not an enviable job, is borne out by the fact that it is so hard to get ex-players or interested persons to officiate at games.

Finally as a parting thought on the subject of hotheads, while a fighting team can make a determined effort on the strength of its rage, cool, calm thinking usually prevails, especially where team work is concerned. Clear heads and watchful eyes can spot weaknesses far better than those blood-veiled with anger.

Other Saturday night basketball fare includes Bulger's vs Sea Cadets in the Junior league opener and North Star and Watts & Nickerson meet in the Inter-A offering. The Bottlers go into the fray having won its only game.

Little League Baseball President Art Williamson, in making a plea earlier this week for more active association members, urges that anyone interested in giving the group a hand phone Art himself at Green 224 or Jack Martin at Green 881. The Little Leaguers are going to need a lot of help this coming year if an official league is to be formed and a Pony League is to follow to give the older boys a chance to prepare themselves for senior ball. The success of this year's unofficial little league was due mainly to the hard work of a very small group dedicated to seeing that the youngsters played ball.

Congratulations go belatedly but nevertheless sincerely to CYO football team on winning the Manson Trophy, emblematic of soccer supremacy in the city. The winning club did much with their spirit and enthusiasm to keep the game alive this season.

A film showing skiing in Aspen, Colorado will be shown to members of Prince Rupert Ski club and anyone else who is interested at the Civic Centre next Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Last weekend local skiers were busy repairing cabins for the coming ski season. Plans were also made to salvage sewer pipe to provide funds for the club, and members have been asked to bring blow torches for the work bee this coming weekend.

Harry Winston plans to have some extra special skiing this winter. He is going to work the next few weekends repairing the cabin on Mount Blaine.

## Canucks Blank Stampeders; Quakers Continue Winning

By The Canadian Press  
Their thriving export-import business with New York Rangers

### Double Honors For M. McLeod

Mary McLeod of Rupert Radio captured double honors this week in Group 2 of the Ladies' Five-Pin Bowling league when she rolled a high single of 263 and a high three of 627.

In Group 1 Clara Bellamy of New Laurels won high single with 320 and high triple went to Grace McIntyre when she rolled three games totalling 737. Team high single and triple went to Sunrise Grocery with scores of 1047 and 2961.

Group 1  
Art Murray's 4, Lyons 0.  
P. E. Plumbers 2, New Laurels 1.  
Cloverleafs 3, G & A 1.  
Sunrise 3, Wallace R. 1.  
Annettes 2, Stars 2.  
Bulger's 2, Dom's 2.

Group 2  
McKay's 4, Big Sisters 0.  
Amazons 3, Cowp 1.  
Skeena 3, Cook's 1.  
Manson's 3, Tollers 1.  
Hi-Flyers 3, 7th Ave. Mkt. 1.  
Rupert Radio 2, Dibb's 2.

seems to be doing Vancouver Canucks no harm, but the Western Hockey League leaders are hoping starry goalie Lorne (Gump) Worsley won't be the next to go.

Worsley, the loop's top net-minder, put on another scintillating show Friday night as Canucks slapped down Calgary Stampeders 4-0.

In other games, the resurgent Saskatoon Quakers picked up their third straight win and moved into a tie for fourth place with a 4-3 decision over Edmonton Flyers.

Victoria Cougars staged a determined third period rally to turn back New Westminster Royals 5-3 and move into fifth place by themselves.

The shutout was the second of the season for Worsley and earned him another \$50 bonus under terms of his contract with Canucks.

High-scoring Anty Bathgate played his last game for Vancouver. The 21-year-old left-winger reports to the parent-club Rangers today, replacing rookie Billy Dea who will join Canucks for more experience.

### BASKETBALL

6:45—Junior Bulgers vs Sea Cadets  
7:45—Inter A North Star vs Watts & Nickerson  
9:00—Senior B CCC vs Manson's

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Saturday, November 14, 1953

## Bratton Whipped By Kid Gavilan

CHICAGO (AP)—Welterweight champion Kid Gavilan, who Friday night punched Johnny Bratton as if he were a rag doll, is ready to do more 147-pound business before shooting at Bobo Olson's middleweight crown.

Gavilan won an unanimous 15-round title decision from Bratton, who finished with a face like a pumpkin worked over with an iron mace.

Gavilan's seventh defence of his title before a surprising crowd of 19,260 which paid a gross gate of \$176,390 was one of his most artistic performances in a career of 113 pro fights.

Bratton, who dropped the National Boxing Association version of the 147-pound title to Gavilan in 1951, never had a chance after the eighth round, in which the champ cornered Johnny to administer a terrific pasting. He was badly beaten.

The actual count of Gavilan's furious attack was 53 blows, all to the head. After the blistering eighth, Gavilan worked like a man who wanted to break a crate of eggs, one at a time.

In the closing 15th, Gavilan whaled away with his bolo punches against a weary, helpless Bratton who refused to fall and got an ovation from the crowd for his courage.

Gavilan, 146, collected 40 per cent of the net gate of \$134,739, a slice of \$53,895, plus \$20,000 from TV, for a total purse of \$73,895.60.

Bratton, 145½, received 20 per cent, or \$26,947.30, plus \$10,000 from TV, for a purse of \$36,947.30.

### LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

CHICAGO—Kid Gavilan, 146, Havana, outpointed Johnny Bratton, 145½, Chicago, 15, for world's welterweight title.

SYDNEY, Australia — Jimmy Carruthers, 117½, Sydney, outpointed Pappy Gault, 117¾, Spartanburg, S.C., 15, for world's bantamweight title.



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## Grocers Edge Nelson Bros.; Sports Shop Defeats Ormes

A see-saw battle decided by free shots in the dying minutes of an exciting Inter-B basketball game last night at the Civic Centre saw Sunrise Grocery down Nelson Brothers 28 to 26.

In the Junior league tilt Sports Shop edged Ormes 18-16 and in the Girls' league fixture Dom's Department Store slaughtered Frosty's Lockers 22-4.

With both Inter-B teams showing plenty of speed, the Grocers took the first quarter 6-4 with Strand and McLean sinking field goals for Sunrise and Yamamoto scoring the only Port Edward basket. Nelson Brothers found their range in the second quarter with Nakatsu and Newton scoring one basket each and Yamamoto repeating with two to give Nelson Brothers a 12-11 lead at the half. The cannery crew boosted their lead by one point in the third quarter with S. Matsui scoring two baskets and Nakatsu netting one. McLean with two and Haudenschild with one were Sunrise scorers. In the last quarter each team only scored two baskets each and the remainder were tallied with penalty shots. Tied 26-26 Sunrise players were fouled twice to give them the game.

Strand for Sunrise and S. Matsui for Nelson Brothers shared point-getting honors. Nelson Brothers committed 14 fouls, Sunrise 9. Sunrise sank 10 of 21 free shots while Nelson Brothers made 6 good out of 14.

In the high school contest

Sports Shop blanked Ormes in the first quarter 3-0 and the druggists rallied by half time to trail by only 3 points. Sports Shop again held Ormes scoreless in the third stanza and although outscored 9-6 by Ormes in the final quarter clung tenaciously to their 2-point lead.

Bowes was top scorer for Sports Shop while Leighton led the druggists with 4. Fouls were few and far between, Ormes committing four of the total of seven. The Sportsmen sank 2 of five free shots and Ormes netted 2 out of 4.

In the girls' game Dom's quintette had a runaway, shutting out Frosty's crew in two quarters and holding them to 4 points in the last quarters. Meanwhile Dom's ran up scores of 6, 8, 6 and 2 in each stanza. Cloutier was top scorer for Dom's with 8 points.

Referees were Ciccone and Morrison.

### LINE-UPS:

Junior League  
BO-ME-HI SPORTS SHOP—Bowes 6, Laird 2, Muh 2, Flemming, G. Wong 2, Mitchell 1, Currie 1, D. Wong, Olsen, Rensold 4, Total 18.

BO-ME-HI ORMES—Leeman, F. Wong 3, R. Johnson, Hodgkinson 3, W. Kelly, R. Duncan 2, R. Perce, J. Reid 2, G. Chow, Nickerson, Hewitt, MacIntosh 2, A. Leighton 4, Total 16.

Inter-B League  
NELSON BROTHERS—S. Matsui 9, K. Matsui 1, T. Nakatsu 4, B. Morven, N. Morven, J. Newton 6, F. Matsui, S. Yamamoto 6, B. Tsuchiya, M. Tanaka, Total 26.

SUNRISE GROCERY—A. Strand 9, E. Mah 1, J. Dumas 1, B. Birch 1, T. McLean 8, D. Haudenschild 6, A. Parent, B. Sankey 2, D. Reid, Total 28.

Girls' League  
FROSTY'S LOCKERS—Windle 2, Youngman, Matson, Marshall 2, Sharp, Turcotte, Total 4.

DOM'S DEPARTMENT STORE—B. Moore 4, Webster 2, Cloutier 8, Sankey, Spence, Vegh 4, Leask 4, Total 22.

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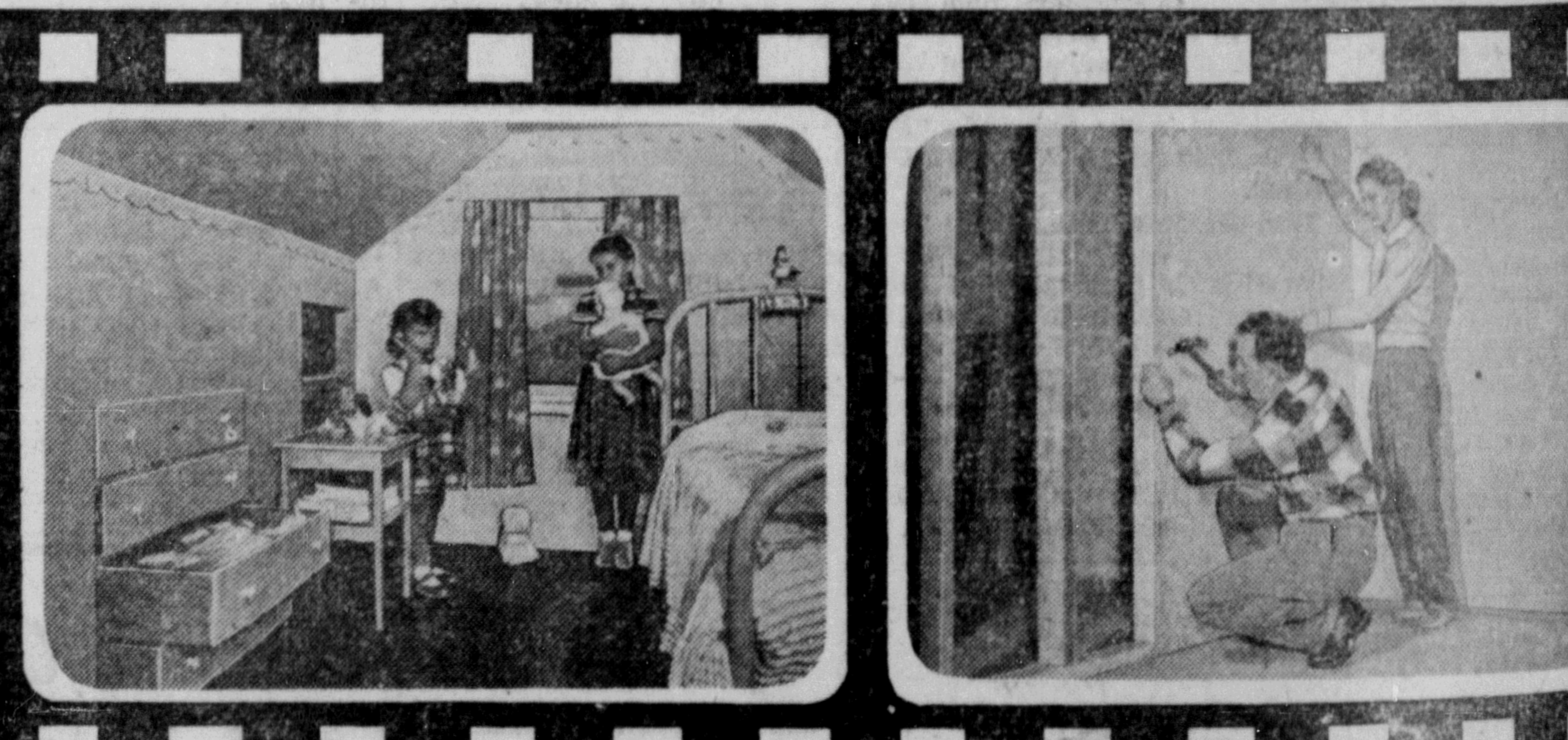
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