

Basketball Play Tight

Columbia Cellulose Makes Senior League Semi-Final Opener

CCC 300 60, Rainmakers 54
Fraser & Payne 40, Fashion 39
Hard-fighting Rainmakers lost a tough first of a two-game, total point semi-final bout in first of senior league hoop championship playoffs Friday night with CCC 300.

Student Simonford up the high total of 20 points, pulp workers clung to an early lead for the win. Rainmakers started Ratchford and all with 18 and 14 points respectively. Hogan nabbed 10 as their tactics the last half of the game.

Forman for Fashion and Wesch for F & P both shot 14; Centres Dumas (Fashion) and Christoff followed with 10 each. In one of the tightest battles in this league, no more than two points separated the teams after the first quarter.

SCORING
CCC 300—Marshall 14, Dumas 7, Thompson 8, Ratchford 18, Hogan 10, G. Dumas 3, Total 60.
Rainmakers—Morrison 6, Watson 6, Young 5, Ciccone, Sather 13, Tait 4, Simonson 20, Total 54.
Fraser & Payne—Enridge 6, Christoff 10, Wesch 14, Smith 4, Darnell 6, Christensen, Total 40.
Fashion—Ketcheson 4, Sedgwick 4, Forman 14, Dumas 10, Hamilton 7, Total 39.

Hell Divers Down School

King Edward School was handed its worst defeat of the season Thursday afternoon when the Civic Centre Hell Divers trounced them 24-15 in the Pee Wee Basketball League.

King Ed's star, John Lambie, showed poor form along with the rest of the team. Lambie scored only two points.

In the last half the Hell Divers took advantage of King Ed's wild play and scored sixteen points while King Ed only scored four.

Christoff was the Hell Divers' strong man as he spurred his team to victory by making eleven points and McIntosh, King Ed's main source of strength, made six.

Except for the first quarter the Hell Divers led their opponents.

There were seven fouls called by Referees Saville and Morrison, four on the Hell Divers and three on King Ed.

Quarter time scores were: 6-3, 11-8, 17-13, 24-15.

Scoring:
Hell Divers—Kelsey, D. MacLeod 2, Christoff 11, Lugin 3, Mah Kilborn, Bowes 8, B. MacLeod, Lemon, Twaites, Total 24.
King Edward—Hodekinson, E. Johnson 4, Stewart, Adams, F. Johnson 3, B. Johnson, McIntosh, Lambie 2, Total 15.

—Alan Davidson.

Ski Heil

By MARNIE BULGER
A beautiful day and deep powder snow which brought out the season's heaviest turnout at the Prince Rupert Ski Club's tow hill was marred in the afternoon by the second serious mishap this year.

Jack Breen had the misfortune to break his leg on the tow hill. All members rallied quickly and Jack was in town in less than two hours, which is really a record. Every member helped and if it was not for the combined team work of all, it would have been a much more difficult descent.

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TOUGH FIGHT—Frankie Almond shows the effect of a tough battle in Vancouver when the Canadian featherweight champion lost to Bobby Woods of Spokane, Wash. Frankie's manager, Len Gervais, patches up the beaten fighter. (CP PHOTO)

Bo-Me-Hi Wins From Bulgars

In a lop-sided game the Bo-Me-Hi Beavers pasted Bulgar's with a 44-9 defeat Saturday evening. Bulgar's were behind all through the game and, playing their worst game of the season, suffered their most severe defeat. They could not break the Beaver's strong defence.

Thirteen to four was the score at the first quarter and Bulgar's were putting up a good fight but the Beavers completely ran away from them. The other quarter scores were: 20-4, 28-7, and 44-9.

Christensen was in excellent form, scoring thirteen points for the Beavers. Smith was high for the Jewellers with three.

Twenty-four fouls were called by referees Feness and Dumas and fourteen of them were on the losers.

Scoring:
Beavers—Haudenschild 10, Yamamoto 6, Mah 7, Pederson 2, Christenson 13, Morven, T. Nakatsu 2, Tanaka 4, Matsuba, Tsuchiya, Total 44.
Bulgar's—Sedgwick, Husvik 2, Saville 2, Smith 3, De Man 2, Newfield, Total 9.

—By Alan Davidson.

Curling Opening Guests Limited

Official opening of Prince Rupert curling rink tonight will be a membership affair only, says Dr. L. M. Greene, committee chairman in charge.

"We would like everyone to come but, in view of limited space in the building, the opening celebration will be limited to members and invited guests."

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New Rod-Gun Club Formed

Bill Washburn President of Port Edward Group

Further support for Prince Rupert district sportsmen was gained with formation yesterday of a Rod and Gun Association at Port Edward. Fourteen interested hunters and fishermen, called together by the Prince Rupert Rod and Gun Club executive, elected Bill Washburn as their president.

Other officers are John Atchison, vice-president; Nels Menzies, secretary-treasurer; J. Davis, C. Tiechman, T. Benstrom, S. Shelley and R. Hurst, executive committee.

The Port Edward group rang in the Prince Rupert organization to help them get started after requests for assistance from both the B. C. Game Commission and the B. C. Game Council were apparently ignored.

Likely to be known as the Port Edward Rod and Gun Club, the members are highly interested in sport fishing conservation and in trap shooting. Executive will present a constitution at next general meeting for ratification.

Curling Schedule

Weekly playing schedule has been drawn up by Prince Rupert Curling Club which provides for curling every night with the men's club, ladies' club, high school students and non-members participating.

Tuesdays and Wednesdays have been set aside for instruction to members of both curling clubs who have not curled before, and for other interested persons who wish to try the game. Qualified instructors have been appointed.

Non-club members will have the privilege of playing as guests during any open period or other periods the ice is vacant.

With a total membership of 165, the club will receive only 10 more members, announces President Nels Moore.

Schedule
Monday, 7-9 p.m., ladies' club.
Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., men's club.
Wednesday, 2:30 p.m., ladies' club; 7 and 9 p.m., men's club.
Thursday—Open afternoon; 7 and 9 p.m., men's club.
Friday, 2:30 p.m., ladies' club; 7 and 9 p.m., men's club.
Saturday, 10 a.m., high school; open afternoon; 7 and 9 p.m., men's club.
Sunday—Open, afternoon only.

Hockey Scores

SATURDAY
National League
Montreal 2, New York 3.
Boston 5, Chicago 2.

SUNDAY
Pacific Coast
Victoria 7, Seattle 3.
Western International
Kimberley 6, Spokane 9.

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New York 1, Montreal 5.
Chicago 2, Toronto 2.

Pacific Coast
Victoria 2, Tacoma 9.
Edmonton 3, Saskatoon 10.
Vancouver 4, New Westminster 2.

Western International
Trail 2, Nelson 3.
Kimberley 1, Spokane 3.

OSAH
Kelowna 4, Vernon 5.
OSAH-PCSAHL
Kamloops 1, Nanaimo 2 (overtime).

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL	W D L F A Pts					
	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Detroit	32	10	11	150	96	74
Toronto	24	13	18	130	114	61
Montreal	27	7	22	153	129	61
Boston	18	12	24	118	138	48
New York	19	10	25	140	161	48
Chicago	14	6	34	119	172	34

Local Boxers Clean Up in Hazelton Show

Four youthful Prince Rupert pugilists returned early Saturday morning well satisfied after an inter-community boxing meet at Hazelton. Three were victorious and one made a draw—a feat which may land them in a Vancouver provincial competition.

Victors over their match-mates were Billy Saunders, 8, Dick Bury 10, and Arthur Turcotte, 14. Billy Smith drew with his opponent. All are boys trained by M. J. Saunders who escorted the boys.

Enthusiastic and happy over the outcome, Mr. Saunders described the event at the Hazelton high school Thursday night. Two of the boys received cups as trophies. Bury was voted the "most scientific boxer from Prince Rupert," while young Saunders received a trophy for winning his fight against Donny

Melroe, 9. Both were 65 pounds, fighting for three 1½-minute rounds.

Young Saunders knocked his opponent down twice and once through the ropes.

Bury won all three two-minute rounds and fought "beautifully" according to his trainer.

Art Turcotte, who was awarded a medal, gained a unanimous decision over Allan McDougall after knocking down his opponent in the first round and gaining heavily in the other two.

Billy Smith tied with Neil Stirrett in the 68-pound division after a vicious, slugging battle.

FINE HOSPITALITY
Prince Rupert team was offered the "best of hospitality" said Saunders. The boys were billeted by local residents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Stirrett and Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds.

Trip expenses were shared by Doug Frizzei, A. J. Turcotte and Saunders. The boys' trainer hopes to enter some of his boys in a Vancouver provincial boxing competition, preferably the Bronze Gloves, but feels he will need sponsorship by a city organization.

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IMMEDIATE

Intermediate League fixture featured another close and upset tussle as Fraser & Payne were hard pressed to re-secure one-point lead over Fashion.

marked coincidence in the game showed two top men on team with identical scores.

League

again tied with the Centre Hell Divers for place in the Pee Wee when they won 12 to 9 day morning.

Hell Divers played an off their main difficulty was inability to sink their foul as they scored only two out of fourteen.

Hell Divers opened the game with two baskets in the first quarter but were unable to score on their opponents. Quarter scores were: 8-4, 11-6, 17-9.

Only five fouls were called, two on Borden and eleven on Hell Divers. S. Wong and Ed. Borden players, had five fouls.

Divers—Kelsey, Christoff 10, Twaites, Lugin 2, Kil-D. MacLeod 2, B. MacLeod, Total 24.
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