Successful Sports Days Staged at Kincolith

A successful three-day sports meet to mark Victoria Day was staged by the Nass River Indian villages at Kincolith from May 21 to May 23.

The celebration started off with the Greenville Concert Band conducted by Bandmaster Fred McKay leading the parade of participating teams, individuals and school children through the village to the sports grounds.

Feature of the parade was the royal coach carrying 15-year-old May Queen Elsie Angus accompanied by her ladies-in-waiting Ruby Stewart, Simone Stewart, Betty Watts and Irene Clayton and flower girls Wanda Stewart and Loretta Doolan, all of Kincolith.

The opening address at the playground was given by the Kincolith Chief Councillor Herbert Doolan who crowned the May Queen and welcomed the visitors.

The Right Rev. H. G. Watts, Bishop of Caledonia, threw the first ball for the first school-boys' Pony League baseball game to be held on the Nass River. This ball, personally autographed by the bishop, was presented to the Kincolith Indian Day school to be kept in the classroom as a souvenir of the occasion.

Chief Councillor of Greenville Fred McKay, kicked off the first ball for the football games.

On the evening of May 22 the Greenville Concert Band under the direction of Bandmaster Fred McKay gave a well-attended concert in the Kincolith Jubilee Hall. All trophies and prizes were presented to the winning teams and players on the last night of the Sports' Meet by Queen Elsie at a ceremony in the Kincolith Jubilee Hall.

The following is a list of events and winners for which prizes and trophies were presented:

Best Parade trophy won by the Kincolith Indian Day School led by Principal Vernon Mullen and teacher Mrs. Mullen.

Pony League Baseball won by Kincolith Indian Day School team.

School Softball won by Greenville school over Kincolith school.

Junior School Football won by Greenville school over Kincolith school.

WATER SPORTS AND RACES

110 hp. round stern gillnetter race won by Willie Azak of Greenville.

110 hp. and up square stern gillnetter race won by Andrew Robinson of Greenville for the second time.

25 hp. runabout race won by "Holy Smoke" owned by Milton Clark of Greenville. There was no other entry in this division.

16 hp. and under runabout race won by "Jammed In" owned by Gordon McKay of Greenville.

FOOT RACES

Boys 18 years and under, 100 yard dash won by Albert Stevens of Kincolith.

Ladies' 100 yard dash won by Lily Moore of Kincolith.

Men's 220 yard dash won by Henry McKay of Greenville.

Men's 100 yard dash won by Hubert Stevens of Kincolith.

Ladies' relay won by the Ladies' Aid Team of Kincolith.

Men's 440 yard won by David Alexander of Greenville.

One mile race won by David Alexander of Greenville.

Old men's 100 yard dash won by J. C. Benson of Kincolith.

Men's relay won by the Sons of Kincolith team.

BALL GAMES

Ladies' Softball won by the "Lazy 9" of Greenville over Kincolith.

Men's Softball won by the Greenville Athletic club.

Intermediate football won by Greenville team.

Baseball won by Greenville Athletic club. Winning pitcher medal was won by Charlie Alexander of Greenville.

Football won by Greenville Athletic club.

Most Valuable player trophy won by James Stevens of Kincolith.

Individual Good Sportsmanship trophy won by Albert Stevens of Kincolith.

Drop A-Bomb Early Warns Montgomery

SIDNEY, B.C. (CP)—Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery said Thursday the West should drop an atomic bomb or "the biggest thing we've got" at the first hint of aggression.

Viscount Montgomery arrived here by RCAF plane from Calgary. He will be the guest of Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross until Saturday.

Field Marshal Montgomery said at a press conference at the airport he "wouldn't mind the consequences but would drop a bomb on anyone committing an aggression.

"Drop the biggest bomb you can on them. Finish them.

"My political superior probably would not agree."

Asked again to comment on the "squirrel-headed generals" remark attributed to former US president Harry Truman, Viscount Montgomery said:

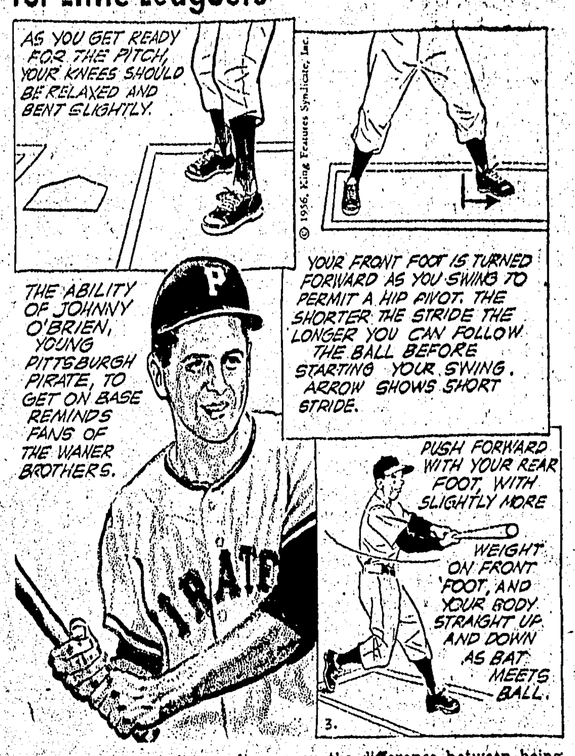
"I should think the matter has been forgotten and they're going on with other things. It is a great mistake for politicians to comment on military exercises."

BACK FLUORIDATION

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP) — The Canadian Public Health Association for the fifth successive year Thursday reaffirmed its position that fluoridation of drinking water is a safe and effective measure for prevention of tooth decay. Another resolution reaffirmed approval of comprehensive, nation-wide health insurance.

INSIDE BASEBALL for Little Leaguers

By MICKEY McCONNELL
Major League Scout and Instructor



Relaxation and balance often mean the difference between being a good or a poor hitter. Paul Waner proved the importance of relaxation during the years when he caused pitchers for other teams so much trouble that they called him "Big Poison"—and he still preaches it as a batting coach.

Once you are loosened up and ready to hit, don't wave the bat or clench it—but just swing the bat and let its weight drive the ball. As the pitcher draws his arm back, draw your bat back and be ready to take a level swing whether the ball is high or low. If a smart pitcher sees you waving your bat or fidgeting in the batter's box, he'll stall until your arms are tired before you even get a chance to hit. Not only a scientific place hitter like Waner could prove his point about relaxation. Johnny Mize, one of the great power hitters, also practiced it as a player and still preaches it.

It was Ty Cobb who learned that putting slightly more weight on your front foot as you swing will help to keep you from overstriding or lunging at the ball, and George Sisler stresses the importance of keeping your body from leaning forward or backward as you swing.

These fundamentals which have helped such outstanding stars will help you, too!

Big Daily Defends Actions Of Rollicking Duke of Kent

LONDON (AP)—A Socialist attack on friends of the young Duke of Kent for making it rain champagne in Mayfair was indignantly rebuffed by a group of his debutante playmates today.

"Well, really!" cried the girls. "Isn't Parliament too, too boring?"

The Daily Express, bringing the weight of its 4,000,000 circulation to the side of the defence, said the Queen's 20-year-old cousin actually deserves a pat on the back for living it up a little.

He may as well have his fun while he can, The Express concludes, for "his melancholy destiny is to be a third-string back in a royal team of foundation-stone layers and after-dinner speechmakers."

The young duke crashed the front pages twice recently for having himself a time at debutante parties.

AUTOMATION LAYOFF

COVENTRY, Eng. (Reuters)—Executives of the Standard Motor Company told union chiefs here Wednesday that 2,600 employees will have to be fired because of the introduction of automation. They said that 1,400 workers will receive a week's notice Thursday and the remainder in three weeks.

BLACKWOOD on BRIDGE

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

Mr. Dale Takes Advantage Of Opponent's Weaknesses

If someone ever invents a bridge-playing machine it will no longer pay to try deceptive plays. But up to now we play bridge against people. And people have their weaknesses. They can be fooled — expert and novice alike. The only difference is that the experienced player can be fooled much less frequently and is seldom guilty of losing a vital trick through outright carelessness.

Mr. Dale is a master at taking advantage of his opponents' weaknesses. He knows, for example, that while Mr. Abel plays a pretty fair game most of the time, he fails, occasionally, to stay completely alert.

In this deal Mrs. Keen led the king of spades and continued with the ace, which Mr. Dale ruffed. The king of clubs was played and Mr. Abel made the good decision to duck. Next came the queen of clubs, Mrs. Keen showed out and again Mr. Abel refused to take his ace.

VERY SERIOUS

The situation was grave for Mr. Dale. If he led another trump, Mr. Abel would win and return a spade. When Mr. Dale ruffed that he would be out of trumps and Mr. Abel would still have a trump.

Clearly, trumps had to be abandoned. Mr. Dale now led the jack of diamonds, hoping to create the impression that he was considering taking a finesse. He went up with dummy's ace and cashed the king, on which he dropped the seven.

APPARENT RUFF

Now he led a third diamond from dummy and it appeared to Mr. Abel that this was going to be ruffed in the closed hand. Why should he ruff when Mr. Dale was going to ruff anyway? He discarded the six of spades and Mr. Dale won with the queen of diamonds.

Now he cashed the king of hearts, led to dummy's ace of hearts and played the ten of diamonds. Mr. Abel was through. No matter what he did from this point on, he could not defeat five clubs. Actually, he ruffed the 10 of diamonds with the nine of clubs.

Mr. Dale overruffed with the jack, led the 10 of hearts and ruffed it with dummy's last trump. He then led another good diamond from the board and Mr. Abel could take his ace of trumps any time he chose. But that would be his last trick.

North dealer
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
Mr. Champion
♠ 8 2
♥ A 5
♦ A K 10 8 4 3
♣ 10 7 3

WEST
Mrs. Keen
♠ A K J 10 7 3
♥ 9 7 6 4
♦ 6 5
♣ 5

EAST
Mr. Abel
♠ Q 6 5 4
♥ Q 8 2
♦ 9 2
♣ A 9 8 6

SOUTH
Mr. Dale
♠ 9
♥ K J 10 3
♦ Q J 7
♣ K Q J 4 2

The bidding:

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Pass	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣	All pass

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