Fresh Water Tiger

35 pound musky captured by G. Clark of Toronto after an hour's fight with a light rod and nine pound test line

Fishermen differ as to the fighting merits of the various species of the finny tribe to be found in North American waters. Some claim that, inch for inch and pound for pound, the small mouth black bass is the gamest fish that swims; others are equally enthusiastic in praise of the speckled brook trout; while still another fraternity claim that the salmon puts up as noble a battle for liberty as any game fish extant. All are agreed, however, that the muscalunge, sometimes called the "fresh water tiger", is one of the greatest fighters known to anglers, and that he will put up a battle royal when attached to the business end of a rod.

One of the productive muscalunge streams in North America is French River, in Ontario, Canada, which connects Lake Nipissing on the East with Georgian Bay on the West. This tangle of waterways is not only the haunt of the fighting muscalunge but it yields small and large mouth black bass, great northern pike of enormous size and pickerel in abundance, as well as pan fish. Not long ago a prominent New York business man landed a 55 pound "muskie" after a battle which will probably satisfy his quest for a thrill for the rest of his life.

French River is two hundred miles north of Toronto on the Sudbury Line. The French River Bungalow Camp, a series of cozy individual bungalows centering around a main club house, provides comfortable accommodations for the angler and his family. Jack Strathdee, manager of this anglers' retreat, is a genial host who is glad to give the uninitiated fisherman a few tips on how to lure the wily "muskie." French River Bungalow Camp has as its adjunct Pine Rapids Camp, some 20 miles up the river, and located just at the spot where the "whoppers" are likely to lurk.

BILLIARDS TO START TONIGHT

Play Commencing in Junior and Senior City Individual Competitions

Play in the annual city individual billiard championship competition will get under way tonight with the starting of the junior contest There are eight entries in the junior division and four in the senior in which play will start on Thursday night. All games will be played in the Empress Social Club. Junior games will be to a total of 250 points with a 500-point final, while senior games will be to 500 points with a 1000-point final.

The draw is as follows:

Junior—

J. May vs. W. E. Williscroft, April 8; C. L. Youngman vs. W. Mitchell, April 8; J. Hillman vs. M. M. McLachlan, April 9; Bert Morgan vs. A. Macdonald, April 9. Semi-finals, April 10; final, April 15 and 16.

Senior—

Charles Balagno vs. W. Long, April 11; A. A. Easson vs. F. G. Pyle, April 12. Final, April 17 and 18.

ST. ANDREW'S CARPET BOWLS

Apr. 8—G. Scott vs. G. Abbott.

Apr. 11—C. Taylor vs. B. Dalgarno

Apr. 15—R. Cameron vs. J. Watson.

Apr. 18—J. Frew vs. J. McLean.

Apr. 22—G. Scott vs. J. Watson.

Apr. 25—R. Cameron vs. B. Dalgarno.

Apr. 29—C. Taylor vs. J. McMay 2—J. Frew vs. B. Dalgarno.

The various rinks are composed of the following players:

Geo. Scott, skip, J. Smith, D. Jack, N. McDonald.

C. Taylor, skip, T. Haddon, J. Gibson, S. D. Macdonald.

R. Cameron, skip, A. Clapperton, H. Erskine, D. Finlayson.

J. Frew, skip, R. Wiggins, G. Geddes, W. Brand.

Geo. Abbott, skip, J. S. Irvine, R. Wood, R. Gibson.

B. Dalgarno, skip, W. Barton, A. McLeod, R. Stewart.

J. Watson, skip, T. McMeekin, H. Steen, M. Andrews.

J. McLean, skip, R. Arthur, B Ferguson, J. Haddon.

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Sport Chat

Vancouver Meloramas will journey to Edmonton to play with the Edmonton Commercial Grads in the Western Canada girls, final championship basketball series. Arrangements are being made to play the games next week. It was at first planned to have the final played at Vancouver but Percy Page, manager of the Grads, insisted that it be at Edmonton and apparently won his point.

Though Manager Wilbert Robinson had some troubles in the spring training, the Brooklyn Robins appear to be formidable in the race for the National Baseball League flag this year. The sore arm of Glenn Wright, obtained from Pittsburg for Jess Petty, has been disturbing but the excellent showing of Del Bissonette, Win Ballou and Billy Rhiel has been joyful. Rhiel looks like one of the finds of the year among the rookies. Ballou, a pitcher, has been up before, but seems to be due to stick this time.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

PRINCE RUPERT—W. R. Lett, J. F. Morris, W. G. Mitchell, J. G. Storey, L. H. Chapman, J. H. Pilling, P. Henn and Mrs. G. J. Reid, Vancouver; Joseph S. Rogers, Prince Rupert; John Ryan and James Ryan, Porcher Island; E. D. Judson, Miss Edith Dentinger, Mrs. Harvey Doll and A. Attree, Terrace; W. J. Deans, Edmonton; L. G. Skinner, Copper City; A. Sutherland, Sunnyside; J. N. McPhee, Butedale.

CENTRAL—A. Delorme, Warren Scot and R. McKay, Hannah Creek; Jack Collins, Spiller River; A. Lassela, O. Hansen, A. McInnis, Mrs. John Mackenzie, M. Johnston and E. Bostrom, city; G. William and J. Gilbert, Prince George; R. Henry, C.N.R.; R. Connor, Edmonton; N. R. Brodhurst, Inverness; M. Espeland, Billmor.

SAVOY—Ernie Jopp, O. S. W. Hansen and H. Anderson, Vancouver; Mrs. Johnson, H. Jacobs and George Lundie, Inverness; Evelyn Oliver, Archie Pilling and T. Walsh, Prince Rupert; C. E. Cadden, Hazelton; J. Watkins, Stewart.

ROYAL—N. Gilbertson and J. Wicks, city; Martin Paulson, Port Edward; Tom Jensen, Tony Miti and Dominick Roth, Terrace; A. Palumbo and C. Underwood, C. N. R.

BASKETBALL TEAMS WERE ENTERTAINED

Smithers Young People Found Fine Welcome Awaiting Them at Terrace

TERRACE, April 8:—Smithers boys and girls basketball teams returned to the interior on Saturday after playing a series of games here on Thursday and Friday nights. During their stay here they were much feted and expressed appreciation of the good time given them. F. C. Bishop was host to all the players at a free show at the local theatre early Thursday evening before the games. Following Thursday night's games the players were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett where refreshments were served and a sing song enjoyed. On Friday afternoon a reception was held for the visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Little. Community singing and vocal solos by Mrs. G. H. Dyson and Rev. A. W. Robinson were much enjoyed as was also the Russian dancing of Miss Marie Mussallem of Prince Rupert. Refreshments were partaken of and an enjoyable social hour spent. Following Friday night's game a public dance was held at which a very large crowd was in attendance and which seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Friday night's games were both very closely contested ones, and the boys' game in particular was a splendid exhibition of basketball at its best. Heavy checking featured their game. At half time the score stood 15-10 in favor of the home team but the visitors gained in the last half until at the end, the score was 29-27 in Terrace's favor, the local boys thus winning both games here.

The girls' game while not so fast was a very close one, the final score being 11-12 with Smithers in the lead. Practically all the scoring was done in the first part of the game, the score at half time being 11-10 in favor of the home team.

G. H. Dyson was referee for all games of the series.

BASEBALL SCORES

The following were the Coast Baseball League scores for over the week-end:

Sunday

San Francisco 3-3, Missions 6-2.

Seattle 2-10, Oakland 5-11.

Portland 1-3, Sacramento 14-12.

Los Angeles, 10, Hollywood 5. 3.

Saturday

Los Angeles 0,1 Hollywood 5.

Seattle 6, Oakland 7.

Portland 1-11, Sacramento 4-7.

San Francisco 4 ,Missions 2.

Women's Hockey Match in England

English and Scottish women's hockey teams being piped on to the grounds for the international match at Merton Abbey, England.

A NEW CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IN CHINA TODAY

(Continued from page one).

ing to Winnipeg. Mr. Averel will address meetings in Winnipeg and other Eastern centres before leaving Canada for New York and Washington, on the way to Geneva.

"The Central Government of China, which is situated at Naking and is headed by Chiang Kai Chek, was created by the Kuomingtang party and is based on the principles of Dr. Sun Yat Sen," said Mr. Avenel. "It has incarnated China's Nationalism. This is not, as in Europe, an aggrssive feeling of one nation against another, but the growing consciousness of nationhood. The Chinese have been a people of families and provinces, now they are a people united in national feeling."

Yet, while the whole political system was based on the existence of the Kuomingtang, and while the central government was looked upon by all China, even by its adversaries, as the national government, it had little power. The first reason was that it had no money. The second that the provinces, with strong local spirit, had resources and administrations of their own. Nevertheless, every part of China insisted that it was the central government that must deal with foreign nations. It was in the best interests of China and of the world that the foreign countries interested in China to help China with funds to supplement its excellent organization and an established system of propaganda. The National government, he was sure, would be able to weld the country together.

One of the first things it would have to do would be to put its haphazard currency system on a better footing.

As far as the outside world was concerned, Mr. Avenel said, China still suffered an inferiority feeling because of what it regarded as unequal treaties, but policies were being modified and there was no need for pessimism. What feeling of hostility existed was not active. China was very favorably disposed toward the League of Nations and was friendly to the United States, where it expected to to get help. Although the Russians had done them a service in teaching them organization and propaganda, the authorities in China today were antagonistic to the Communists, and the mission saw little evidence of Soviet influence.

WEATHER REPORT

Prince Rupert—Clear, calm. Temperature, 38.

Terrace—Clear, calm, 36.

Rosswood—Clear, calm, 32.

Aiyansh—Clear, calm, 29.

Alice Arm—Clear, north wind. 35.

Anyox—Clear, calm, 30.

Stewart—Clear, calm, 30.

Port Simpson—North wind, 34.

Haysport—Light wind, clear, 38.

Atlin—Clear, south wind, 10.

White Horse—Clear, south wind, 15.

Big Salmon—Calm, clear, 4.

Dawson—Clear, calm, 8.

Mayo—Clear, calm, 15.

Hazelton—Clear, wind, 30.

Smithers—Clear, calm, 29.

Burns Lake — Clear, calm, frosty.

Vanderhoof—Clear, north wind, 12.

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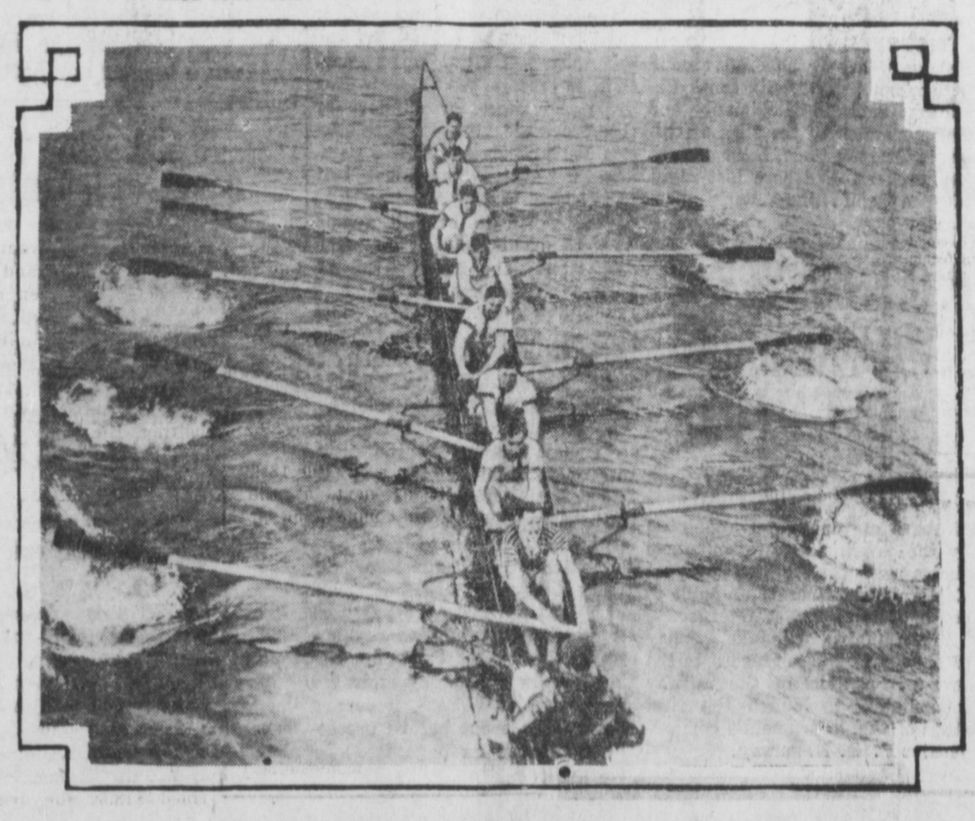

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