

FOOTBALL

A large turn-out of Abegweit footballists, aspirants for senior and intermediate honours, is expected at 4 o'clock this afternoon at Victoria Park. There should be an unusually large representation out today due to the fact that inclement weather has prevented the squad having many practices thus far. With the material available, and with consistent training there is no reason why this year's team should not go far.

PROBABILITY

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programme of National reconstruction; the official Liberals are against tariffs. The portion of the Liberal party headed by Sir John Simon favors tariffs and claims to be getting additional support. As for the Labor opposition, Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, opposition leader, in a speech at Burnley tonight gave the following points from Labor's platform, in the domestic sphere.

1. Abandonment of the proposals contained in the economy bill, such as cuts in salaries of the civil and defense services and reductions in unemployment benefits.
2. Protection of the exchange position.
3. Some power of control over the banking system.
4. Machinery to prevent profiteering.
5. Public ownership or control of the main industries and services, and in the international sphere.

1. To end the state economic war into which the world has now fallen.
2. Finding means to make the nations start lending again.
3. Promotion of peace and disarmament.

Rt. Hon. Mr. Henderson said he did not think tariffs would help in the drastic reconstruction of the National economic life that was a necessary complement to whatever policy, National or International, Britain might have. The opposition leader also said, "that the Conservatives should believe it right at this juncture to have an election."

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The probability of a general election next month was considerably strengthened in the minds of political observers today when Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald cut short a brief vacation and returned to London. The Cabinet is to meet on Monday to consider whether an election will be held and the Evening Standard said it had learned that on Wednesday the dissolution of Parliament will be announced in the House of Commons preparatory to an election. At the same time it was said that the Cabinet had reached no definite decision. The King will be back in town on Tuesday.

Opposed To Cut

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 25.—"The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen is entirely opposed to the view that reductions in wages will mean an advanced step in improving the altogether abnormal business conditions now and for some time in effect," stated Hon. James Murdock, Vice President of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, this afternoon.

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 25.—R. H. Forster, identified by his travel papers as a representative of the Bank of England, arrived on the Aquitania today. He declined to tell the purpose of his visit and even disclaimed his identity. His baggage was expedited by customs officials.

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WESTERN GUARDIAN

—ALL MEMBERS OF Summer-ide K. of C. are requested to meet at the Home on Central Street at 8:15 Monday morning to attend the funeral of brother Eimer McLellan. 9038-9-26

Judge Rules Against Dealers

(Canadian Press)

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 25.—Greater care should be taken when automobiles are being repossessed by dealers, in the opinion of Magistrate R. D. Milton, who dismissed A. O. Fownes, President and Manager of A. O. Fownes Ltd., automobile dealer, and Milton Crandall, salesman for the same company, both held on charges of theft of a car owned by H. J. Keith.

In dismissing Fownes, the Magistrate reprimanded him for not having secured legal advice before seizing the car and not having notified Keith of his intention. He said many dealers seemed to have a tendency to try to use lien notes for purposes for which they were never intended. He ruled that Mr. Keith owned the car and should keep it. No objection to this was raised by Mr. Fownes. The Magistrate said Mr. Fownes had lost all rights to any property interest in the car under the original lien note by virtue of an agreement he entered into with Mr. Keith through the Continental Guaranty Corp.

"Mutual Party"

(Canadian Press)

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 25.—Two girls, who yesterday admitted before a state parole board hearing, that a party in a lonely shack on the Woburn-Winchester line had been "mutual," and their stories of a criminal assault which sent two Woburn men to prison for long terms, were fabrications, were arraigned in district court today on charges of perjury. They were Miss Helen V. Purcell, 20, of Boston, and Miss Helen T. McCarthy, 19, of Cambridge.

Ball was set at \$2,500 until a continued hearing on October 6th. The girls were arrested at the conclusion of the hearing before the parole board by police chief Charles R. McAuley.

Baldwin Now Acting Premier

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Leader of the Conservative party, was at the helm of the British Government for the first time since 1929 today.

As Lord President of the Council Mr. Baldwin became Acting Prime Minister yesterday when Ramsay MacDonald left for a secret destination in the country to recuperate from the strain of keeping the pound sterling afloat on the world's money markets.

Mr. MacDonald's friends and associates were not alarmed over his condition and felt that a few days of golf and rest would restore him to tip-top shape, as they have on previous occasions when overwork dictated temporary retirement from official cares. He himself is understood to be puzzled by the ups and downs of his physical condition.

No Cause for Alarm

The Daily Express quoted him as having told a colleague recently that on his customary early morning walks he often meets those who tell him how pale and haggard he is, and the others who congratulate him on looking so well.

"The first fellow telephones his friends that I seem at death's door," the Prime Minister was quoted, "while the other spreads the news that I am as fit as a fiddle, and they are both right. It only shows what a shifty lot we politicians are."

The Appeal to Electorate

Some newspapers professed to see in his departure a connection with the growing protective tariff issue. The Herald, Labor organ, for instance, said he was being offered a bewildering variety of advice and was slipping away to take counsel with himself on a decision.

Other newspapers wrote of the election as an assured fact and claimed to be able to set the date. They reiterated that Mr. MacDonald was willing to go to the people with a tariff policy on which was said he was sure of the support of the Conservatives and half of the Liberals headed by Sir John Simon.

Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal leader, was understood, however, to be hostile to an election and was said to have prepared a scathing manifesto again it if it becomes an issue. The Labor faction was considered to be watching the turn of events and was ready for eventualities.

CENTRAL GUARANTEE

AUCTION SALE—Household furniture, 120 Upper Prince St., Tuesday, Sept. 29th at 2 o'clock. J. A. MacDonald, Auctioneer. 9036-9-26-31

RECITAL IN St. Peter's Cathedral by Mrs. Kenneth Richards and Mr. Walter MacNutt, Sunday evening, Sept. 27th at 8:15 p. m. Silver collection. 9039-9-26

Many friends will regret to learn of the serious illness of Mr. C. B. Chappell.

The American Legion Chant

(Canadian Press)
DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 25.—To the accompaniment of cries from the floor of "We want beer; we want beer," the American Legion today aligned itself with the forces seeking a change in the prohibition laws and asked Congress to submit a referendum on the eighteenth amendment to the people of the various States.

At the same session the veterans' organization turned down a proposal that immediate full payment of bonus certificates be asked, and declared its belief that able bodied men should refrain at this time from placing added financial burdens on the government.

The prohibition resolution favored by a vote of 1,008 to 394, was adopted after an uproarious debate of more than half an hour. Cheers and antagonistic cries mingled with the shouts of "we want beer." No resolution proposing beer came from the convention however.

Just before final adjournment of the convention, Henry L. Stevens, Jr., was elected National Commander of the League by acclamation.

The discussion on prohibition was the first on the national convention floor in the Legion's history and was carried on under a ruling of Commander O'Neil that the issue is not a political one.

PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL

Report of Pleasant Valley School for August:

Grade X.—1, Elizabeth MacKay; 2, Melbourne MacDowell; 3, Donald MacKay.

Grade VIII.—1, Kathleen MacDowell; 2, Gerald Smith; 3, Celia Stephenson.

Grade VII.—1, Lewis Weeks; 2, Allison MacLeod; 3, Millage MacLeod.

Grade V.—1, Douglas MacDowell; 2, Ruth Smith; 3, Everett Somers.

Grade IV.—1, Ivan Somers; 2, Gerald Murphy; 3, Isabel MacKay.

Grade III.—1, Robert Palethorpe.

Grade II.—1, Dorothy Weeks; 2, Milton Weeks; 3, John MacKay.

Grade I.—1, Harold Murphy; 2, Joyce Palethorpe.

TIRED OF SORROW, AGED JUSTICE TO QUIT OFFICE

HOUSTON, Sept. 25.—Because he is "tired of listening to other folks' troubles" J. M. Ray, at 77, has decided not to run again after serving 42 years as a justice of the peace.

Holding inquests, and making night calls to view some dreadful find in a shallow grave, are gruesome work, Justice Ray said, but that is not why he is quitting.

"It's grief and distress, women folk deserted by their husbands, children without food or clothes—that's what I'm getting away from," he explained.

MINING ENGINEERS TO MEET

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Sept. 25.—(U.P.)—Mining engineers of three states have been invited to attend the annual fall meeting of the coal division of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers here Oct. 9 and 10. West Virginia, Kentucky and Virginia will be represented.

Abegweits In Pre Season Hockey Series

Locals Will Battle With Fredericton, And Moncton In Section "B" Of New Brunswick League.

(Canadian Press)

TRURO, N. S., Sept. 25.—The following appeared in the sport columns of today's Truro News:

A pre-season series of hockey matches that will take in the pick of the Maritime teams, is planned for the second and third weeks of November, according to information given to the News today. The teams participating in this series will be the Truro Bearcats, Maritime-Quebec Champions, the Fredericton Millionaires, Moncton Victorias and Charlottetown Abegweits.

The series will consist of home and home games to be played at Moncton and Charlottetown.

A meeting is being held at Moncton tonight, when details will be discussed.

The champion Bearcats, according to their management, are planning on the biggest season in their history. The players start training early in November. Those ordered to report for that date include all of last year's squad, with the exception of Ollie Proulx, relief right winger, who has returned to his home in Timmins, Ontario and in addition, Ron Hudson, speedy Quebec winger, who took up his residence in Truro early last spring.

The Bearcats at present constituted are viewed as a stronger aggregation than the team that captured the Eastern League title last year and a good hundred percent more formidable than the "one sub" make-shift line-up that gave the Hamilton Tigers a run for their money in the Allan Cup playdowns at Toronto last April.

Following the Maritime pre-season series the Truro players are in line for games at Boston, New York and Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa. George V. Brown, Manager of the Boston Arena, has made preliminary arrangements for a series of matches between the Truro team and the pick of New England amateurs the first week in December. The large eastern Canadian cities will be visited on the way home from New England.

LATER

(Canadian Press)

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 25.—The senior group of the northern section, Maritime Amateur Hockey Association, was formed at a representative meeting held here this afternoon. Officers of the new organization are: President, F. T. Pridham, Fredericton; Vice

(Canadian Press)

Pres. Thomas Troy, Dalhousie; Secretary, E. R. Colter, Fredericton. The organization formed today results in the vanishing of both northern and southern New Brunswick Hockey Leagues, six teams from the new circuit as formed today.

CIRCUIT

Inter-club and inter-sectional play is intended in the schedule.

Charlottetown Abegweits are the only club in the senior group not located in New Brunswick. Saint John and Sussex in New Brunswick and Amherst Ramblers in Nova Scotia are to be given an opportunity up to October 15th to apply for admission. Only two more clubs are to be admitted in order to keep the schedule balanced. The three mentioned are in doubt.

NEW GROUP

The new senior group is organized as follows:

Section A
Bathurst, Campbellton, Dalhousie.

Section B
Fredericton, Moncton, Charlottetown.

The organization takes the place of the proposed Maritime League which was opposed by clubs in the eastern Nova Scotia League.

President H. O. Schryer of the M. A. H. A. strongly urged that each senior club operate junior teams for the purpose of encouraging young players and with a view toward filling senior ranks in time to come.

The M. A. H. A. was represented by President H. O. Schryer, Bathurst; vice president, J. E. Stearns, Charlottetown; Registrar H. V. White, Bathurst.

Officers of the southern N. B. League attending were, President F. T. Pridham, and Secretary E. R. Colter, Fredericton. The Fredericton Capitals were represented by H. Limerick, J. B. Dickson and E. C. Atkinson, M. P. P. Other delegates were Thomas Troy and R. P. Freeman of Dalhousie, Ambrose Wheeler, Budd Taylor and C. A. Peake of Moncton, B. M. Love of Campbellton, Dr. I. J. Yeo and H. S. Henderson of Charlottetown. Saint John was represented by proxy.

WESTVILLE WINS NOVA SCOTIA TITLE

(Canadian Press)

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 25.—Repeating their triumphs of 1924 and 1926, Westville today captured the 1931 amateur baseball championship of Nova Scotia defeating the Halifax Casinos here six to five.

It was the Miners' third straight victory in the three out of five series, they having won the previous two games on their home diamond Monday and Wednesday of this week.

The game was one of the wildest ever played in the finals for the provincial title. The winners, although contributing six to the galaxy of errors, were out done in this respect by the Haligonians, who piled up a total of ten miscues. A substitute player was the outstanding batter for Westville, R. MacDonald, who replaced Brennan behind the bat in the first inning. He knocked out two hits, a double, and a single.

Todd Beazley, doughty left fielder for the Casinos led the locals attack with three hits, all singles. Roy Maxwell, right hander, Westville twirler allowed the Casinos ten hits, but his team mates gave him excellent support in the pinches, and rallied by the home team in the fifth, seventh, and eighth innings, were out short by double plays engineered by Matheson, Westville's second baseman.

"Bun" McDonald pitcher for Halifax, gave the miners nine hits, but he helped to bring about his own defeat with three glaring wild throws Westville Miners are now prepared to meet St. Stephen Mohawks next week in the semi-finals for the Maritime Provinces Championship.

DELEGATES HAVE BUSY SESSIONS

The W. A. delegates of the Church of England who are at present in convention in the City had a busy day yesterday. In addition to the executive meetings, the delegates were given a luncheon in St. Paul's Parish Hall by the Women's Auxiliary of St. Peter's Cathedral. In the evening a reception was given by His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton at Government House.

Today the delegates will be in session till noon. There will be a luncheon at the Canadian National Hotel at 1 o'clock, following which the delegates will be driven to Cavendish, whence they will proceed to St. Mark's Church, Ruslico, for a meeting, and thence to St. John's Church, Milton, for a second session. Rev. Geo. Westbrook will be chairman at both sessions.

On Monday the delegates will leave for St. John, N. B., where the Board meeting will be held. At this meeting officers will be elected. Among those who will be present is Bishop White of Honan, China, and other prominent men.

ALIEN REPORT SHOWS EXODUS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.—With 40 per cent more aliens leaving San Francisco than arriving, figures at Angel Island immigration headquarters up to September 1 showed a complete reversal of the immigration tide this year.

Departing foreigners totalled 6,620 up to September 1, whereas entries numbered only 4,732 according to J. R. Schaduel, Angel Island statistician.

Normally, incoming aliens exceed those leaving the country through this port by 100 to 300, Schaduel said. Now each month shows just the opposite balance.

San Francisco, however, showed not quite so heavy an exodus as for the United States as a whole. In July seven aliens left the United States for every three entering, Washington figures disclosed, but in San Francisco the ratio was six to four.

Although deportation is the highest in the nation's history, departure from here were mostly voluntary.

Oriental make up a majority of the aliens checked in and out by the local office of the immigration service.

Coroner's Jury Says Proper Precautions Were Not Observed

Sgt. H. A. Lambert Of N. B. Provincial Police Scored By Finding At Inquest Into Death Of James Gates, 14, Near Shogomoc—Officer Admits Drinking Prior To Crash.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Sept. 25.—That the automobile collision at Allendale, near Shogomoc, on Sept. 2, which caused the death of 14-year-old James Gates, of Hartford, Conn., might have been averted if proper precautions had been taken by Sergeant H. A. Lambert of the Provincial Police, driver of the car in collision with that driven by the boy's father, was the finding of the coroner's jury, who on Thursday conducted an inquest into the fatality.

The inquest was held at the Court House here with Coroner W. A. Kennedy presiding. The jury spent all afternoon and evening listening to evidence and retired at exactly 11 o'clock. They returned a verdict at 12:15 this morning.

The members of the jury were: Everett Ridley (foreman), Harry Cowans, John Atherton, George Allott, Kenneth McLean, William Thompson and A. C. Pearce.

The text of the finding follows: "We, the jury empaneled to inquire into the death on Sept. 2, 1931, of James Gates, of Hartford, find that he came to his death due to an automobile accident on the main highway, near the south of the Allendale road;

"And, that the cause of the accident was due to the fact that a Pontiac car driven by Sergeant Lambert, of the Provincial Police, collided with a Whippet car, driven by Rev. Mr. Gates, in which James Gates was a passenger;

"And, according to the evidence given, we find that had the driver of the Pontiac car, Sergeant Lambert, taken proper precautions in rounding a turn and approaching the crest of a hill, that the accident might have been averted;

"And, we recommend that the Government insist that the rules of the road be adhered to for the safety of those using the highways of the province."

Rev. Mr. Gates, the first witness, said that on the afternoon of Sept. 2 he was driving with his wife and four children along the road at a speed of between 25 and 30 miles an hour. He was not sure of the time or place, but he knew that he had passed Pokiook a few minutes previously.

He was on the right side of the road and was approaching a small hill when he saw another car coming at a fierce rate of speed. His wife called out and witness applied the brakes. The other car seemed directly in front of him. It swerved and almost instantly there was a crash. The other car struck witness's car on the side. He lost consciousness and was in a dazed condition for several days after the accident.

There was a car behind him 10 minutes previous to the accident, witness said, at a distance of about 15 feet, he would judge. This car made no attempt to pass. Witness was driving with particular care because it had been raining.

Social Services

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manly have been summarized thus: 1, Discovering and reporting to the physician, facts regarding the patient's personality and environment which relate to his physical condition; 2, Overcoming obstacles to successful treatment such as may exist or may arise in his home or in his work; 3, Assisting the physician by arranging for supplementary care when required; 4, Educating the patient in regard to his physical condition in order that he may cooperate to the best advantage with the doctor's program for the cure of the illness or the promotion of health.

Visitation of Sick

With these standards in view the Social Service Department of the Charlottetown Hospital will be organized to meet local conditions. A qualified graduate nurse will assist one of the nursing Sisters in the visitation of the sick throughout the city and in caring for the persons coming to the Out-Patient Department for minor treatments. The establishment of this service will fill a long-felt want in providing part-time nursing at a very moderate cost. Just as during the years of its

existence the hospital has given care to hundreds of Christ's poor, will this new department minister to the needy to the limit of its resources. It is hoped, moreover, that this social work will, by helping to care for the sick in their homes and by its educative and preventative influence, make lighter the demand upon the hospital wards.

A nurse is being sent for a special course in Social Service. With this trained worker added to the personnel and with the experience that will be gained in the first months this new phase of hospital work may be expected to develop extensively before another year has elapsed.

This undertaking has the cordial approval of the President of the Board of Management of the Hospital, His Excellency, Right Reverend J. A. O'Sullivan; of the entire Board and of the Medical Staff. Man's physical and moral well-being are closely knit together and Social Service has been aptly termed "applied Christian Charity." The Charlottetown Hospital is to be congratulated on inaugurating this philanthropic service and we know our citizens will be pleased to hear of this progressive step.

Unfold Story

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Do Sol on September 13th and flew after a day of comparatively good weather into a night of growling thunder, twisting winds and ice that disabled some of their instruments. "It was awful," he said simply. Then a spark plug went and the motors began devouring fuel at a tremendous rate. On Sept. 14th they sighted the liner Penn-land about 400 miles east of Halifax, but not knowing how long their fuel was, they kept on. "We went forward because we are Germans," interjected Rody proudly speaking in German. "Because our motor was working improperly we could not estimate the amount of gas left, but we determined to risk it." About 800 miles off Cape Race, Newfoundland, the gas ran out and the plane glided to the surface of a rough sea.

Nothing but despair. The fliers told how the sixth day a freighter passed by without seeing them, leaving despair gnawing at their hearts. On the seventh day, when the Belmoira sighted their hastily rigged signal and took them half fainting out of the floundering plane, they had a few bits of chocolate and a few thinfuls of water left. "We might have been able to hold out a few days longer," Johanssen said, "but we would have been too weak to signal ships."

NEAR THE END

"When we came on board we felt near our end," he added. "My legs were weak and swollen from the salt water and they still feel funny." Vigea had a fever but was not delirious. His legs are terribly swollen.

FOOD SWIFT AWAY

Almost immediately most of their food and other provisions were swept away as the waves battered the plane slowly to pieces. Shivering, with their feet in the water, the fliers waited seven days before being picked up by the motorship Belmoira. "We had only ten ounces of chocolate and about two gallons of water used to cool the motor. It was dirty, oily and rusty, but we rationed it out about a wine glass apiece a day and it tasted like fine wine."

NEAR THE END

Nfld. Marathon

(Canadian Press)
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Sept. 25.—Clifford Stone, one of the outstanding distance runners in Newfoundland, turned in a fine performance today to win the annual Evening Telegram 10 mile road race. H. Mahar placed second, with B. Kelly third. Stone led the seven participants to the tape in the fast time of 55:08 minutes, a minute and forty-three seconds ahead of Mahar.