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Baseball Makes Its Bow

ST. PETERSBURGH, Fla., Mar. 27.—(A.P.)—With Charlie Devens, Harvard graduate, and Lefty Gomez pitching five-hit ball, the New York Yankees pounded the sphere to all corners of Huggins' Field today to defeat the Cincinnati Reds 16 to 3.

National League Games Earlier This Year

NEW YORK, March 27.—(A.P.)—The National League today fulfilled its promise to make a radical change in its 1933 baseball schedule, advancing the first inter-sectional clash five days and the second east-west series nearly three weeks.

Final Canadian-Ranger Game In Montreal Tonight

MONTREAL, March 27.—New York Rangers tonight returned to the scene of their greatest hockey triumph to renew their third-place Stanley Cup playoff feud with Montreal Canadiens.

Pawnees Defeat U.N.B. 45 To 32

(Canadian Press) MONTON, March 27.—The Moncton Pawnees took a long step forward in defence of their New Brunswick intermediate basketball championship here tonight by trouncing the University of New Brunswick 45 to 32 in the first of a home and home total goal series.

Red Wings Meet Maroons Tonight

(Canadian Press) DETROIT, March 27.—A packed arena is assured for Tuesday night when Detroit Red Wings and Montreal Maroons renew their battle for the right to advance into the next round of playdowns leading to the Stanley Cup series and the world's professional hockey championship.

FRANCE

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said War Debts had not figured in their 20-minute conversation although other economic matters were discussed. The French post-ambassador said he had told Mr. Roosevelt he hoped the world economic conference would be held as soon as possible. The date for this conference has not yet been set although it is expected to take place about midsummer in London.

Claudel's statement today that the sooner the conference is held the better, was seen as indicating a possibility that efforts would be made to hold it possibly as early as May or June.

At the State Department, meanwhile, Anglo-American perleys on questions expected to come up there were resumed in an hour and a half of earnest consultation between secretary Ardell Hall and Sir Ronald Lindsay, British Ambassador, and their aides.

A joint communique issued as the conference ended said: "We have continued our preliminary and tentative discussions of the world economic situation confining our discussion to those topics contained in the agenda recently prepared by the preliminary committee in Geneva. We feel gratified with the value of these talks in clarifying the views of the officials of the two countries. We expect to continue these discussions."

While the Agenda specifically excluded the War Debts from the list of topics to be taken up, it said:

"It is essential that this question shall be settled and that the settlement shall relieve the world of further anxiety concerning the disturbing effects of such payments upon financial, economic and currency stability.

"Until there is such a settlement, or the definite prospect of such a settlement, these debts will remain an insuperable barrier to economic and financial reconstruction. We therefore attach the greatest importance to the early resumption and successful conclusion of negotiations upon this problem."

The agenda, which has been repeatedly endorsed by Secretary Hull, nevertheless indicates the war debts as one of the questions involved in the general topic of "resumption of the movement of capital" set forth as one of the six main topics for discussion at the conference.

"It is essential that the policy followed by the creditor countries should finally place the debtor countries in a position to pay off their obligations in the form of

Royals and Star Seconds Play Tie

At Hunter River rink on Saturday night, March 25th, a very fast and exciting game of hockey was played between Hunter River Royals' second team and Wheatley River Stars' second team, with a 5 period game of very fast hockey the result was a tie score of Royals, 4; Stars, 4.

The kid line for the Royals, which consisted of Watts, Noye, and MacMillan was exceedingly fast. Watts the former goalie for the First Royals, scored 3 counters and MacMillan got assists.

The kid line played combination to perfection. The defence for the Royals were Kid Connell, Guy Gamester, They did some good playing, but met their equals when they ran up against the Stars' defence, who were Shorby Matheson, Bob Ling and Julius Bernard. The lineup of Rackham and Stead and Rackham was splendid. D. Rackham got two goals and Billy got 2 Stead gave a good exhibition of combination playing. L. Bowen was a regular stonewall, although there were some holes in it. E. Brow kicked out a lot of rubber.

Gerard Confident On Eve Of Battle

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, March 27.—"The boys feel they are far from beaten yet," declared Manager Eddie Gerard tonight as Montreal Maroons entrained for Detroit to meet the Red Wings in the final game of their home and home, total goals series.

Maroons realize they face a difficult task in attempting to overcome the 2-0 lead gained by their young opponents here Saturday night. They recall, however, that once this season they defeated the Wings 7-4 on Detroit ice. A scoring spurge like that would place the Gerardmen in the semi-finals for the Stanley Cup against either New York Rangers or Montreal Canadiens.

Injured Players May Be Back In Game Tonight

(Canadian Press) BOSTON, March 27.—Aches and pains of a battered Toronto Maple Leaf squad were fading tonight under treatment as the world champions prepared for the second game against Boston Bruins in defense of their title won last year.

Joe Primeau and Bill Thoms responded to treatment for injured ankles received in the bitterly fought 2 to 1 overtime first game Saturday and Ken Doraty had the kinks taken out of an injured back. Charlie Sands' hip was back to normal and Harold Cotton's hand was relieved somewhat from the pain of a blow on the already injured member.

Boston's mighty forces came through the first game unscathed and were confident they would make it two-straight over the invaders before tackling the Stanley Cup holders in Toronto.

Red Horner may be started on the Leafs' lineup for the second game and there is a possibility Ace Bailey may see some action. Horner will wear a special protector for his injured hand. Bailey, who has been out of the game with a fractured collar-bone, will only be used in emergency.

ICE PACKED

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ed by Dr. W. W. Patton; another comprised R. C. M. P. constables and fishermen. Both were forced to give up the attempt after trying for hours to find a way through and over the drift ice.

Flint Island is tiny and rock-bound—about a quarter of a mile long and 100 yards wide. It would be impossible to land an aeroplane on it, and the only means of access would be by boat or over the ice.

No definite significance had been read into the signals received from the island. Apparently they had been sent up simply to attract attention, as cable and telegraph operators said no code had been attempted.

goods and services," said the Agenda. As to the debts, the state department has sought to treat them as a comparatively minor factor by comparison with the problems to be faced at the conference.

Niagara Falls To Meet The Hawks

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, March 27.—Niagara Falls, defeating Ottawa Rideaus 6-1, here tonight in the final match of their two-game total-goal series, won the right to meet Moncton in the eastern finals of the Allan Cup playdowns. The Cataracts took the first game of the series 2-0 in Toronto Saturday night. The round score was 8-1.

Hawks Will Play In Toronto

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, March 27.—Confident of making a good showing in the Eastern Canadian final but regretful that their wishes of making the Montreal Forum their home ice for one of the two games were not fulfilled, Moncton Hawks entrained for Toronto tonight to do battle with the Niagara Falls Cataracts in a two game Allan Cup series.

Big Event At Forum Tonight

A large crowd is expected to attend the "big time" at the Forum tonight. Members of the Fire Department have gone to no end of trouble to assure the success of their entertainment. The program has been kept a secret, but everything from speed skating to acrobatic work is to be included in the performance.

Eskimos Defeat Tigers 2-1

(Canadian Press) EDMONTON, March 26.—Two games in the lead, Edmonton Eskimos tonight were confident of capturing the Western Canada professional hockey league championship series.

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REBEKAH LEAGUE

ZIPPERS	
J. Howatt	125 121 169
B. Stewart	133 161 110
B. Laphorne	123 152 96
M. Stewart	153 149 104
E. Mallett	95 126 168
Total	629 709 648

FALS	
H. Finlayson	153 190 120
C. Matheson	133 139 118
E. Sutherland	119 123 128
M. Miller	84 133 199
Total	634 706 561

Majority for Zippers, 84 pins. High single H. Finlayson, 190. High three H. Finlayson, 463.

KAN-DOOS	
O. Lowther	136 142 143
I. Lafferty	122 138 190
A. Granham	141 114 182
D. Teed	143 123 154
J. Crockett	123 146 210
Total	665 663 879

ANUCKS	
M. Adams	120 166 165
G. Beer	265 92 175
J. Cousins	139 135 84
N. Younker	100 143 92
M. Lowther	108 143 156
Total	732 669 672

Majority for Kan-Doods 134 pins. High single G. Beer, 265. High three G. Beer, 532.

STANDING, REBEKAH LEAGUE

Pals	
Canucks	10 3
Zippers	4 9
Kan-Doods	3 10
Won	8 5

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS IN LEGISLATURE

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OLD P. W. C. FOUNDATION

Mr. LePage asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works to table answers to the following questions: 1. Did the Government instruct any person or persons to make a proper inspection of the foundations of the Old Prince of Wales College prior to their being demolished?

2. If so, (a) Give the name or names of the person or persons so appointed. (b) Give the date of such appointment. (c) What was the nature of the instructions given? (d) When was the report on such inspection received? (e) Table report or copy thereof. 3. If no such inspection was made on whose recommendation were the foundations demolished?

Answer: 1. Yes. 2. (a) Messrs. Marani, Lawson and Morris. (b) March 8, 1932. (c) To consider the possibility of using the old foundation in the new building. (d) In April when tentative plans were submitted. (e) Verbal report. 3. Answered in question 2.

Explanation: The architects were instructed to carefully consider the possibility of using the old foundation in the new structure, but owing to the many changes that would be necessary to give the larger accommodation asked for, they found it more expensive than a new layout. The old building with its large class rooms and wide halls was found to be extremely wasteful of space and a sufficient number of rooms could not be obtained without another storey, for which the old foundation had not been designed. It was also strongly urged by the staff that the assembly hall should be on the ground floor which made it necessary to move the building in order that the playground might not be interfered with.

All these things had to be taken into account and in view of the fact that the foundation walls were of concrete and the most cheaply constructed portion of the building, it was found more economical than to attempt to remodel the old plan.

Mr. Dennis asked the Honourable the Leader of the House: 1. How many fires of an incendiary nature have been in the Queen's County Jail since Nov. 1st, 1931? 2. Was an investigation held in regard to each of these fires and by whom? 3. Lay on the table the report of each investigation. 4. What means have the Government adopted to prevent further destruction of Government property and to safeguard the lives of the inmates?

Answers: 1. Six. 2. Yes. 3. Herewith. 4. (a) Increased fire extinguishers. (b) More rigid discipline. (c) Appointment of new assistant jailer. (d) Property fenced. (e) Reception room divided.

FIRES, QUEEN'S CO. JAIL

Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Feb. 13, 1933. Hon. J. D. Stewart, K. C., Premier and Attorney General. Sir: Re Investigation of Fire at Queen's County Jail, Sunday, Feb. 12, 1933. I have the honour to report that on Sunday, 12th instant, it was reported to me by telephone that there was a fire at Queen's County Jail. This was about two o'clock in the afternoon.

I personally visited the Jail, and after viewing the scene of the fire I felt satisfied that it must have been started by some of the prisoners, some inflammable matter having been shoved up in holes alongside of some piping, between the ceiling and the floor of the attic. This inflammable matter appeared to be cotton batting or wadding, used in the manufacture of mattresses.

The Fire Chief, Angus McEachern, pulled up some of the flooring in the attic and he states: "On arriving at the Jail I went upstairs to the top floor. The fire was located between the ceiling and the floor. I ripped up the floor and put out the fire with a hand chemical. Upon examination I found several pipes coming through the plaster below, and in the space between the

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unknown, during the daytime when the cells were not occupied. The mattresses being in the cells, the prisoners, having matches on their persons took this opportunity of setting same on fire. Apparently it was at a time when not many prisoners were in the corridor on the 3rd floor of the Jail. Immediately the fires were discovered the alarm was given and the fire was extinguished.

It appears that the reason for the burning of the mattresses was that some of the prisoners were annoyed at the Jailer and wished to bring discredit or cause trouble for him.

During the past six months there have been an average of forty prisoners per day confined in this Jail, and the fact that the prisoners are supplied with matches by the Jailer, gives any one of them the opportunity of setting fire to any inflammable matter.

The Jailer, Bruce Taylor, immediately after the fires were reported to him, states that he made every effort to ascertain who had set these mattresses on fire, but in each case he met with very little success and was unable to obtain the name of the prisoner who was responsible for same.

On the evening of Dec. 4, 1932, there was a fire started by stuffing paper in the side of the window frame in an unused pantry in the kitchen, which is in the basement of the Jail. There was no damage caused by this fire other than to scorch the paint on the woodwork. No information could be obtained as to the origin of this fire. However, I had the prisoners given a lecture on the danger of fire.

Of course it is obvious that if the prisoners had not been supplied with matches there would have been no fires in this institution. Therefore, I recommend that instructions be issued to the Jailer that no matches be supplied to the prisoners for the purpose of smoking, and that a certain time during the day be set to allow the prisoners to smoke after meals, and that the Jailer be present during the smoking hour or time set aside for this recreation; and with your approval I have instructed the Jailer accordingly.

In my opinion the prisoners are all annoyed at the Jailer for the reason that he is carrying out your instructions in not allowing special privileges to them by way of obtaining parcels with extra food, in addition to their regular ration that they receive from the Jailer. I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant, (Sgd.) J. FRIPPS, Inspector Commanding.

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pipes and the plaster I found some wadding had been shoved up from below. This was similar to that found in mattresses. In my opinion the fire was set from below and came up through the ceiling and burned the boards. When I pulled up some of the wadding it was burning from underneath. There was some paper also in this space. "This fire was extinguished in about ten minutes solely by chemicals. Had this fire burned for another ten minutes it might have reached serious proportions and it would have been difficult to handle, only for the construction of the building."

I had the Provincial Electrical Inspector Edward Chandler, inspect the electrical wires, which come through the attic floor, which is at the point where the fire was located, and he states that the fire was not caused through defective wiring in the building.

As instructed by you I had the prisoners all searched and some of them had matches on their persons. These were taken away and handed to the Jailer. I also had all the cells searched, and placed a Constable in the Jail to assist the Jailer during the evening, whilst the electric wiring was being repaired, as the chemical extinguisher had caused a short-circuit, putting out the lights in the prisoners' quarters.

There were 34 male prisoners and one female prisoner in the Jail at the time of this fire. Quick enquiries were made amongst the prisoners as to the origin of the fire, but all those questioned were unable to give any information about how it started. At this time the prisoners seemed to be orderly and reacted to any instructions given.

The Jailer states that in his opinion the origin of the fire was in the nature of a reprisal when extra food was stopped from coming into the Jail a few days previous.

I may state here that the food or rations provided by the Government for the prisoners in this Jail is of good quality, wholesome, and supplied in sufficient quantity to satisfy the appetite of any man.

At the present time there are the Chief Jailer, Bruce Taylor, and the Assistant Jailer, James Lamphier. In this Jail, I would recommend for your consideration that another Assistant Jailer be appointed for duty at this Jail, as there are an average of 35 prisoners a month confined to this institution and it is necessary that one of the Assistant Jailers be on duty all night; therefore it leaves only the Jailer to attend to all duties during the day hours.

I will have this fire investigated by an undercover man, and a further report submitted in due course.

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Admission prices for baseball games of the Pacific Coast League will be 25 cents for bleacher seats and 40 cents for the grandstand this coming season.

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