

Sport Echoes  
From  
Prince County

—BOOK ORDERS for 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 bar farm and hog; also 18 and 20 bar poultry fencing at Brace's Hardware.

—RESERVE MAY 24TH for play "Aunt Jerusha on The Warpath", by Carleton players in Searstown Hall.

—MALPEQUE UNITED CHURCH.— There will be service in the Malpeque United Church on Sunday, May 16th, at 11 a. m. Rev. Alexander MacKay, Minister.

**Personals**

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rogers of Greenwood, N.S., are presently spending a short holiday in Summerside. Mr. Rogers, of Trans Canada Airlines, was recently transferred from the Moncton station to the air base at Greenwood, N. S.

**Alberton And Vicinity**

Mrs. H. J. Larkin, Alberton, is a patient in the Western Hospital.

Master Grant Noonan suffered a painful injury yesterday afternoon when a fish hook became deeply embedded in one of his fingers, requiring medical attention to remove. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Noonan, Alberton.

Mr. Wesley Hardy, Alberton, joins the growing list of those landing large sea trout by landing a 2 lb. 2 oz. specimen. Nearly ten minutes were required to land the large fish.

Alberton's two barbers, Alvin Bell and Gordon Jeffrey, opened for business yesterday morning in new locations, having moved from the Wells building, which is being torn down, to the Will Irving building on the same street. Painting and other alterations are being carried out in the two adjoining shops which are open for business as usual.

**Delegates Wind Up 5-Day Annual Meeting Of CAHA**

VANCOUVER, (CP)— Economy within the organization and more money for member clubs was the key-note Thursday as delegates wound up the five-day annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association here.

Even the subject of Canadian overseas hockey representation came back into the money picture. With playoff receipts falling, delegates felt as much profits as possible should go back to member clubs.

President G. B. George of Kempenfelt, Ont., and his slate of officers were returned for a third year, extending by one year the customary two-year session in office.

Secretary-manager, G. S. Dudley of Midland, Ont., brought in a budget of \$74,000 for 1954.

**Federal Aid?**

They agreed to cut grants to branches and to cut travelling expenses to the meetings. They want the central association to operate on as little money as possible so that the clubs will get more.

The subject of overseas representation in the world hockey tournament was brought in by Mr. Dudley.

"We agree that we must send a team to Europe in 1955 but if we are successful in recovering the championship we must then carefully consider whether the results we are getting are worth the money we spend on the team for the tournament."

An approach to the federal government for assistance in sending the team overseas was suggested.

**Chess Champion Retains His Title**

LONDON (CP)—Mikhail Botvinnik Thursday retained his world chess championship by holding challenger Vassily Smyslov to a draw in their 24-match series in Moscow.

The 24th and final match between the two Russian grand masters was drawn. The result of the series was seven wins each and 10 draws.

It was the second time the 43-year-old Russian grand master had retained his crown in a deadlocked world title series.

In 1951 David Bronstein of Russia fought the champion to a 12-12 draw.

**Annual Five Pin Tournery Slated For May 24th**

The annual Provincial Five Pin Bowling Tournament will be held at the Rollaway Alleys on May 24, it has been announced.

Six teams have already signified their intentions of taking part in the competitions. The teams are from St. Peter's, Souris, Michael Bros., Keefe Drug, M.C.A. and the Granites. It is possible that teams from Summerside and the R.C.A. F. will also compete for the Island title.

Those wishing to enter teams in the tournament should write or phone the Rollaway Alleys. The numbers are 7142 or 8548.

**Baseball In Brief**

**National League**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Philadelphia	14	9	.609	—
Brooklyn	14	10	.583	½
New York	14	11	.560	1
Milwaukee	12	12	.500	2
St. Louis	13	12	.520	2
Cincinnati	14	13	.518	2
Chicago	9	12	.429	4
Pittsburgh	7	19	.269	8½

**Friday**

St. Louis at Brooklyn (N)  
Chicago at New York (N)  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia (N)  
Milwaukee at Pittsburgh (N)

**Saturday**

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Chicago at New York  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia  
Milwaukee at Pittsburgh

**American League**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Detroit	12	7	.632	½
Chicago	16	10	.615	—
Cleveland	14	10	.583	1
New York	14	10	.583	1
Philadelphia	10	13	.435	4½
Baltimore	8	13	.381	5½
Washington	8	14	.364	6
Boston	6	11	.353	6½

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**International League**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Syracuse	12	5	.706	—
Rochester	13	8	.619	1
Buffalo	9	8	.529	3
Havana	11	10	.524	3
Toronto	9	9	.500	4½
Richmond	8	9	.471	4
Ottawa	7	14	.333	7
Montreal	5	11	.313	6½

**Friday**

Montreal at Rochester  
Toronto at Ottawa  
Buffalo at Richmond

Because of preliminary matters that had to be settled the annual meeting of the Summerside Athletic Association is later than usual this year, and for this season, the executive, and the various committees, will have to work faster than usual to get things ready for the summer season.

Men's softball is going to make a strong bid to get into the centre of the sports spotlight this year, edging baseball a little closer to the fringe where the shadows begin to show. Unevenly matched teams have been the chief obstacle to fan interest in men's softball in other years. The R.C.A.F. was always top dog, and the other canines could do little more than make a few feeble kicks as they lay prostrate in the mud.

There has to be suspense in sports as in stories to make them interesting. People get sick of seeing games the results of which are so painfully evident before the first five minutes of competition. They like to see their own team win, of course, but they enjoy getting a few scares thrown in before the triumphant ending.

The airforce teams were perhaps a little better all round than our Island aggregations, but not so good that the civilians couldn't have given them a spirited battle were it not for the pitching. The superior airforce flinging was so pronounced that it turned what might have been an interesting contest into a race between a Bannister and a man with the gout in both feet.

The 1954 softball heads will attempt to get around this interesting obstacle by putting the best pitchers on different teams. The three mucksters, Andy Andrews, Ross Armstrong, and Charlie Bailem, will be toiling for different clubs, and that should certainly help to make closer games. Batters will be pitted against gilded hurling, and this should be good for the stickmen, presenting as it does a challenge to try to improve their batting form and learn to hit the terrible trio.

The promise that these pitchers will not always be on the mound, but will sometimes play the outfield, might help too, but isn't quite so convincing as the fact that the boys will be on different clubs. After all, if a team is losing a game, and Armstrong is in the outfield, the coach certainly will get the Bomber on the hill as soon as possible if he is ready to pitch.

Softball, particularly ladies' softball, gave baseball quite a run for the patronage of the fans last year. No doubt this was due in part to the fact that you had to pay to see baseball, while you could see softball for nothing. The beautiful colors of the sunset when the hat was going the rounds at a softball game. It doesn't take as much mazzuma to finance softball clubs, so they definitely have an advantage there. In spite of this, we favor charging the fans for baseball. It makes it fair for everyone, but probably the admission price could stand to be lowered somewhat.

Another jolt to baseball here—Donnie Simmons, the town's premier pitcher, will do his chucking at Clark's Harbour this year. The team down there is going all out for a good team and are importing two players from Boston. Are we bowled over? Well, maybe a little, but not enough to stop us from trying to make it a successful season of baseball in Summerside, which we believe it will be.

**Expects More U.S. Players In Canada**

OTTAWA, (CP) — Televising of Canadian football will make it much easier for Canadian teams to obtain American players, J. P. McCaffrey of the Ottawa football club said Thursday.

McCaffrey, who was one of the members of the committee which made the deal for NBC telecasting of Big Four games, said the move is "one of the greatest things that ever happened" to Canadian football.

"It will make U. S. players think about our game," he added. "I expect Canadian clubs will be flooded with letters asking to play up here."

He doubted that the deal will attract more big-name players to Canada, but said there should be more inquiries from U. S. college players.

At the same time, he did not foresee standardization of U. S. Canadian rules or a playoff between the Grey Cup winner and an American champion in the immediate future—"perhaps not for 25 years."

Syracuse at Havana Saturday  
Montreal at Rochester Toronto at Ottawa  
Buffalo at Richmond Syracuse at Havana

**DIES AT AGE OF 100**

GRANBY, Que. (CP) — Mrs. Amos Chartier, well-known throughout the Eastern Townships, died Wednesday at the age of 100. Born in Rougemont, Que., Jan. 1, 1854, Mrs. Chartier lived most of her life in the Eastern Townships. Her husband died 20 years ago. Funeral services will be held tomorrow in Granby.

Mrs. Chartier is survived by two sons, Harley of Granby, and William of Foster, Que.

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—(Photo by Wotton).

**Portrait Of Lady Alexander By P.E.I. Artist Exhibited**

OTTAWA, May 13 — (Special) — An oil painting of Lady Alexander from the brush of Hubert Rogers, distinguished Prince Edward Island artist, was placed on public view for the first time at the Robertson galleries here this week.

Many members of Parliament and others who were guests at Government House when Lady Alexander was chateaulaine there, have called at the galleries to see the painting and are unanimous in expressing warmest approval.

In the Lady Alexander portrait, Ottawa critics say, Mr. Rogers has measured up to the very high standard he achieved in his oil painting of Lord Alexander some three years ago. This portrait of the former Governor-General of Canada was highly praised by their Excellencies themselves, and many felt it to be the finest delineation of character attained by the many artists who have had Britain's present minister of defence as their subject.

Mr. Rogers was in Ottawa earlier this week and after taking part in the placing of the portrait on exhibition, left for Massachusetts. While in the capital, he called on J. Watson MacNaught, parliamentary assistant to Fisheries Minister Sinclair and Liberal M.P. for Prince, and chatted with other Island members.

(Mr. Rogers is a native of Alberton and is a son of the late P. L. and Mrs. Rogers, a grandson of the late Lieutenant Governor Benjamin Rogers. He has paid many visits here and painted a number of Island scenes which are now on display in other Canadian cities as well as in the United States).

**Canada Exasperated**

such elections would be "free in name, but rigged in fact."

If his five basic principles were agreed to, Eden said, the Korean conference could get down to practical work—if necessary in restricted session.

These were the basic principles laid out by Eden:

1. Elections for an all-Korean government.
2. These elections should truly reflect the people's will taking account of the distribution of the population between North and South Korea.
3. Elections, based on universal adult suffrage and the secret ballot, should be held as soon as possible in conditions of genuine freedom.
4. International supervi-

Let's Talk It Over

Quite often pupils in the early grades of school, who know very little about the why and wherefore of correct English usage, speak correctly without being conscious of why they are using the correct forms. This may be due in some degree, of course, to the "Better English" drill they receive in the primary grades, but it is due to a greater extent in some cases to the fact that the children have parents who speak correctly. Just as surely as a baby of English parentage, brought up in a home where only French is spoken, will speak French, children brought up in a home where correct English is used will speak correct English.

By virtue of much the same process, children who read good literature will be able, as a rule, to express themselves better than those who read nothing but trashy books and the comics. For reading a good book is just sitting down and letting the author talk to you. All the time you will be absorbing not only his ideas and philosophy of life, but also his way of expressing himself. John Bunyan read the Bible constantly while he was in jail for breaking the law as laid down against dissenters in the "Five-Mile Act." Anyone who has read his "Pilgrim's Progress" cannot fail to notice how the great literature of the Bible had been absorbed into Bunyan's way of writing.

"One of the major reasons, in our opinion, for the lack of ability to express themselves found in far too many of our pupils today is that they do not read good literature except, of course, under compulsion. If some sort of test were made, we'd be willing to wager that, allowing for exceptions on both sides that prove the rule, the pupils who read are the ones who are good in writing essays."

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**New Clinical Thermometer Is Developed**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Development of a new clinical thermometer described as more accurate and much faster than the present mercury type was announced Thursday by the army.

The surgeon general's office said the new electronic device, called "Swiftmer," represents "the first change in clinical thermometers since the mercury column type was introduced . . . in 1887."

The developer was Col. George T. Perkins, director of the dental division of the army medical service graduate school at Walter Reed hospital.

Col. Perkins said in an interview the instrument could record temperatures by remote control, and that he envisions "having all the beds in a ward wired so that patients could place a thermometer under their tongues or arms and a nurse at a distant part of the ward could read their temperatures off a meter."

**London Plans Big Reception For The Queen**

By RON EVANS  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, (CP)—London buzzed today with the excitement of last-minute preparations for a royal party.

The Queen comes home Saturday and Londoners are working feverishly to ensure a welcome matching any encountered during her six-month Commonwealth tour.

Jet aircraft, including Canadian Sabre jet fighters, Thursday roared overhead in a rehearsal of their aerial salute as crowds of office workers joined strolling shoppers along the banks of the Thames and the streets of Westminster to watch workmen put the final touches to gaily-colored decorations.

London has all the trappings of a "little coronation." Huge signs, reading "Welcome home," were posted on the river bridges and bright yellow standards, topped with giant crowns and hung with flags and symbols of the Commonwealth, sprang up along the streets from Westminster pier to Buckingham Palace.

Most newspapers pushed stories of international negotiations off the front page to report the 21-knot progress of the Britannia from Gibraltar.

**IN CHANNEL TODAY**

The 5,000-ton, blue-hulled yacht is scheduled to enter the English channel early today and arrive at Tower bridge—which bears a specially large greeting—shortly after noon Saturday.

The Queen Mother and Princess Margaret will board the yacht there and later the royal party, including Princess Anne and Prince Charles, will sail up the river in the royal barge.

Bells will be sounded and cannon fired throughout the city as they land at Westminster pier, beside the Houses of Parliament, at 3:15.

A procession of four carriages with an escort of plumed Household Cavalry, will then pass along Bridge Street, up Whitehall, through Admiralty arch at Trafalgar Square and down the Mall to Buckingham Palace.

Twenty-four RCAF Sabre jet fighters will join the RAF in a fly-past of 180 aircraft as the royal yacht approaches London.

Public buildings throughout London will be floodlit Saturday night and all pubs in the metropolitan area have been granted special licenses to remain open until midnight.

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**Stampeders Are Confident Of Winning Cup**

CALGARY, (CP)—Calgary Stampeders were playing their 99th game of the season Thursday night when they met Quebec City in the sixth game of the best-of-seven series for the minor professional hockey championship.

And it was possible they wouldn't need to wait for game No. 100 to become first claimants of the Duke of Edinburgh trophy. The Stampeders led the series 4-1 in games after Wednesday night's 2-1 victory over the Quebec League champions.

**Hope To Square Allan Cup Finals**

KELOWNA, B. C. (CP) — The two giants of the amateur hockey world collided in the sixth game of the best-of-seven Allan Cup finals here Thursday night and the question was: "Could the V's do the impossible again?"

Sudbury Wolves, rugged eastern champions who led the series 3-2, were in an especially savage mood. Reports from the Sudbury camp indicated George Defelice, the Wolf who put his foot in the trap Tuesday night, would do his howling from the bench.

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