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## LOCALS DEFEAT BATHURST IN SPECTACULAR GAME

### CAMPBELLTON TEAM SET NEW PACE IN FIRST LEAGUE GAME ON BATHURST ICE TUESDAY.

**Bathurst Fails To Score While Locals Tally Twice—Brilliant Teamwork Gave Campbellton 1-0 Victory—Fast, Clean Contest Witnessed By Over 1100 Spectators—Two Hundred Local Fans, Conveyed To Game By Special Train Cheer Victors On.**

Playing like a perfectly adjusted machine, cleverly frustrating even the most brilliant efforts of their opponents to notch even a lone tally, and exhibiting a brand of hockey that was fast and clean, the Campbellton team triumphantly opened their season's fight for honors in the Northern Section of the M. A. H. A. league on Tuesday night by defeating the fast Bathurst squad on their own ice in a thrilling contest to the lively tune of a 2-0 score.

The game, which will take its place as one of the fastest and cleanest contests in hockey history on the North Shore, was witnessed by over 1100 fans who stood on tip-toe and soaked the arena with their prolonged cheering. Campbellton supporters probably contributed the greater volume of applause for 200 local fans, brought by special train to witness the encounter, occupied a space especially reserved for them on the right-hand side of the rink and cheered themselves hoarse in a frenzy of excitement.

#### A Great Game.

Monday's game was a brilliant encounter. With the exception of the first few minutes of the opening period—when both teams seemed to be "feeling each other out"—the play was fast and replete with thrills for those who crowded the sidelines. At intervals too, clever attempts to tag the rubber called forth terrific bursts of speed from both squads and the referee was forced to attend to what was almost a two-man job.

Considering the fast pace of the contest, the game was exceptionally clean. Few penalties were handed out and no evidence of any ill feeling among the opposing players was at any time apparent. The game was, in fact, a memorable exhibition of sportsmanship at its best and far removed from even a suggestion of "rough-house" hockey.

#### Superior Performance

A superior performance in every way—made possible by the fact that every man was in excellent shape—and skilful and effective teamwork gave Campbellton the victory. The locals had the edge on their opponents throughout the entire game and at times set a pace of such velocity that the Bathurst players could scarcely follow.

#### Two Goose-Eggs.

Neither team bagged a score in the opening stanza. Play began without any great rush but steadily increased in speed until the gong sounded. While McLean was off for one minute, Bathurst played a five man attack but without result. Finnigan was sore pressed several times but saved.

#### Miller Scores.

Eleven minutes of fast play had passed in the second period when Miller scored the opening tally on a

### CHRISTMAS AT THE S. M. HOSPITAL

**Elaborate Preparations Made Xmas A Happy Time—Xmas Trees And Decorations.**

Elaborate preparations were made and carried out for the entertainment of the patients and staff at the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital for Xmas Day.

The Merry Xmas Club provided Xmas decorations and gifts for the staff.

The decorations were in green wreathing, red and green garlands and icicles. The rotunda looked effective with its red streamers from centre ceiling light and the glistening icicles hanging from garlands, and miniature Xmas trees gave the most festive look.

The corridors looked attractive with green outlining doorways and windows, and streamers of red and green with icicles from ceiling.

The Sun Parlors on the three floors had each very handsome, electrically lighted Xmas trees, gay with tinsel and bangles. The trees, standing in the windows, could be seen quite a distance from the Hospital.

On Xmas Eve, the St. Andrew's United Church Choir, rendered music from the Cantata, "The New Born King," which was much appreciated by the patients and staff.

At 5.30 a. m., Xmas morning, the Nurses sang Xmas Carols in the corridors. The patients were made happy through the day by Xmas remembrances and many visitors to the Hospital enjoyed the sight of the prettily decorated wards and trees.

The many friends of the Hospital were most generous in their gifts and on behalf of the Nursing Staff and patients we would like to express our very sincere thanks and appreciation to the Merry Xmas Club for their undertaking to make Xmas a happy one. Also to the St. Andrew's United Church Choir for the music on Xmas Eve, and to all those who individually contributed to the Day's happiness.

M. F. BLISS, Superintendent

### AMERICAN PRINCESS IS DEAD AT PARIS

**Dowager Princess of Monaco Was Formerly Alice Heine of New Orleans.**

Paris, Dec. 22.—The Dowager Princess of Monaco, who was Miss Alice Heine, of New Orleans, died suddenly here to-day. She was born February 10, 1858, and was married to the Prince of Monaco, October 8, 1889. Their marriage was dissolved by the Monaco judiciary in May, 1902, and the separation was confirmed by Civil Tribunal of Paris the following June.

H. Moores; penalty timers, C. Brown and E. W. Henry.

#### Express Thanks.

The members of the team and club wish to express their sincere appreciation to citizens here for their support in making the Bathurst trip such a success. The generosity of those who contributed to the special train project, although unable to go, has not been forgotten; neither has the fine spirit shown by those who backed the team with their presence and cheer.

After Tuesday's victory it is easy to believe that with the team showing such marked improvement and such a keen interest being taken by the fans, Campbellton should set a new pace in hockey this year, and barring accidents, be a close contender for Maritime honors.

Mr. G. E. McGrath and Master Jack McGrath are visiting in Newcastle.



HON. GEORGE P. SMITH, former Minister of Education, who is under arrest following an investigation into methods under the Liberal regime which ended in 1921.

### THRILLING GAME ENDS IN A DRAW

**Cattley and Murray, A Campbellton Man, Star in Hard-Fought Contest.**

In the opening game of the season in the Lower St. Lawrence Hockey League, Sayabec and Rimouski fought a draw on the former's ice on Monday.

The contest ended in a dispute over an off-side when there were but thirty minutes to play. The score then stood 3 to 3. No overtime was played.

The game was one of the fastest and most thrilling exhibitions of hockey ever witnessed in that district.

Brilliant and spectacular rushes, clever combination play and stick-handling of the snappiest style were features of the game and both squads put up a grim contest for the honors.

#### Cattley a Star

Both squads appeared in excellent form and it is thought that considerable overtime would have been necessary to decide the winner. Cattley on the defence line for Sayabec was one of the stars of the encounter. His brilliant end to end rushes were thrilling to watch and it was only through ill luck that he failed to bag the Rimouski net several times. Delaney Murray, a former Campbellton player, also did splendid work on the Sayabec defense line. He was invariably at the right place in critical moments of play and his clever stick-handling evoked frequent cheers from the numerous fans.

The line-up follows: Sayabec: R. Impeault Goal, R. Fortier Defense, E. A. Cattley Defense, F. Fillion E. A. Bouchard Centre, F. Fillion H. E. Forrest R. Wing M. McGee F. LeGallais L. Wing A. Bourgeois F. LeGallais Subs. H. Laviole E. E. Sirois Subs. L. Pineault H. Gagne

#### The Scoring.

First Period: Bourgeois (Sayabec), Bourgeois (Sayabec). Second Period: Murray (Sayabec). Third Period: Pineault (Sayabec), Forrest (Sayabec), F. LeGallais (Sayabec).

#### SECURED CONTRACT

The Graphic understands that Mr. Robt. St. Onge has secured the contract for a large quantity of stone required for crushing and repairing the road between Campbellton and Dalhousie Junction. This will give employment to a large number of men and horses this winter.

### GAVE XMAS TREE ENTERTAINMENT

**Presbyterian Sunday School Children and Others Enjoyed Good Time On Tuesday Night.**

Among the many local Christmas festivities of the season was a Christmas Tree Entertainment held on Tuesday evening of this evening of this week by the Presbyterian Church Sunday School. This pleasant occasion was marked by a large attendance and a very interesting program of songs and recitations was heard.

Mr. W. F. Yorston, Superintendent of the Sunday School very ably presided over the happy gathering.

The program follows: Opening Hymn No. 433. Opening Prayer.

Recitations: Address of Welcome... Alwyn Vye.

"Welcome".... Harry Cecil "The Shepherd's Song".... Betty Richards, Margery Sunderland and Dilys Foulkes.

"December".... Lella Hume and Inez Vye.

"Christmas Presents".... Bertin Graham.

"Papa's Joke".... Kenneth Bissett.

"How we caught Santa".... Horace McKinnon and Bertin Graham.

Recitation: "Christmas Night".... Gertrude Hume, and Margaret Bruce.

"Away in a Manger".... By The Children.

Recitation: "The First Christmas".... Bernice Harvey.

"The True Christmas".... Thomas McLean.

Recitation: "Mrs. Santa Claus".... Dilys Foulkes.

"Sleep dear Little Baby Sleep".... Ena Steeves.

Recitation: "Daddy's Christmas".... John Humphrey.

"Who is it?".... Dorothy Sunderland.

Song: "Jack Frost".... Horace McKinnon and Bertin Graham.

Recitation: "Signs of Christmas".... Marjorie Foulkes.

"Hard Times for Georgie".... Winston Vye.

"When Christmas Comes".... 4 Girls and 4 Boys.

Chorus: "Auld Lang Syne".... By The Children.

Chairman's Remarks. Distribution of Candy Boxes. Closing Hymn No. 169. Benediction.

Public Health Meeting Called

Miss H. Dykeman To Be Present—Members of Red Cross And All Those Interested Urged To Attend.

Miss H. Dykeman, who was in charge of the Public Health services of the Red Cross Society, will arrive here on Monday in connection with this work in Campbellton. On Wednesday evening, Jan. 6th, a public meeting will be held at the Clinic Rooms at 8 o'clock. All those interested in this work as well as the members and executive of the Red Cross are urged to be present.

BRITAIN'S BIG BATTLESHIP

The Largest in the World—Will Cost Nearly 34 Million Dollars.

Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Princess Mary "Viscountess Lascelles" officiated today at the launching and christening of the warship Rodney in the shipyards of Cammell, Laird and Company at Birkenhead.

The Rodney when commissioned in 1927 will be the largest battleship in the world under the Washington treaty. Its displacement is limited to 35,000 tons, armament is also restricted but the vessel will probably mount line 16 inch guns in three triple turrets instead of having only two turrets as formerly. It is estimated that the contract will bring \$33,950,000 to the shipyards.

### GRAND FALLS WILL GO TO THE BIG THREE IS REPORT

**Government Officials And Hydro Commission Off To Montreal To Sell People's Birth Right—Looks Like End of Development By The Public.**

Fredericton, Dec. 30.—Members of the Provincial Government as well as members of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission are at Montreal to-day conferring with capitalists and members of big pulp and paper concerns regarding details of a deal which is expected to finally dispose of the problem of Grand Falls development.

Premier Baxter, Provincial Secretary Legere, Hon. E. A. Bely, K. C., chairman of the Hydro Commission, and other members of the Government and of the Hydro Commission, left St. John last evening for Montreal, and at Fredericton Junction they were joined by Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines, and J. D. Palmer, member of the Hydro Commission, from Fredericton. At McAdam other members joined the party.

Following a recent visit of Premier Baxter to Montreal, when he conferred with President Gaudet of the International Paper Company, it was announced in the Financial Post that Grand Falls would be developed under an arrangement with the International Paper Company, the Fraser Company Limited, and the Bathurst Company—The Big Three—and completion of details of that scheme is said to be the reason for the present conference.

### SUPPER DANCE AT THE CHATEAU

**Careful Arrangements Made For Large Throng Who Will Usher In New Year In Right Merry Style.**

The Chateau Restigouche will be the scene of a brilliant and colorful gathering tonight when the passing of the old year is celebrated with a Supper Dance, and the arrival of 1926 greeted by good music, "best wishes" for the New Year and the harmless hilarity that is always an essential attribute of such happy gatherings.

The supper is set for 9 o'clock and upon its completion at twelve a Midnight Parade will be the second feature of the evening. Of the supper itself, little is known, but the capable management of the Chateau can be trusted to make this item all that the occasion deserves. In addition to these, there will be numerous other features and a large attendance is anticipated. Those planning to attend should phone the manager at once and make their reservations. Delay may mean a disappointment.

PROVINCIAL BANK REPORT STRONGER

Annual Statement to be Submitted to Stockholders in February Shows Gain.

The annual statement of the Provincial Bank of Canada to be submitted to the shareholders at the meeting called for February 3, will show liquid assets of \$26,398,685, as compared to \$20,940,160 for the preceding year; the percentage this year being 65 per cent of the total obligations to the public. Deposits and circulation are \$40,566,124, compared with \$36,061,795 for the preceding year.

The total assets amount to \$45,219,594, against \$40,846,562 last year. Current loans and discounts in bonds, debentures, stocks, etc., give Canada and call and short loans on a total of \$26,179,999, as against \$23,495,717 last year.

The net profits for the year reach the sum of \$470,258, compared with \$403,330 for the preceding year. The sum of \$50,000 was reserved for Federal taxes, \$270,000 for the payment to the shareholders of the usual dividend of 9 per cent per annum on the paid-up capital-stock of \$3,000,000, and the sum of \$84,534 was applied for writing off in full, as usual with the Bank, the cost of installation and maintenance of all new branches etc. The sum of \$75,302.86 was applied last year for the same purpose. The balance carried forward is \$25,468, against \$22,738 last year.

Branches have been opened during the last twelve months among which Sherbrooke, St. Hyacinthe, Chicoutimi, Jonquiere, and Rimouski.

MAY SECURE PULLMAN FOR FREDERICTON TRIP

Efforts are now being made by officials of the Hockey Club secure a Pullman to carry the team and fans to the Chatham and Fredericton games on Monday and Tuesday of next week. This procedure is considered the most advisable for the sake of the players. In order to clear expenses it will be necessary that some thirty-five fans accompany the team and it is hoped that this number may be secured. Reservations should be made not later than Saturday at 4 p. m.

HOCKEY CLUB OFFICIALS EXPRESS THEIR THANKS

The members of the local hockey team and officials of the club wish to express their sincere thanks to Messrs. L. A. Gilbert, L. J. Annett, Ear. Laté and E. W. Henry for their assistance in making the special train trip to the recent Bathurst game such a success, especially to Mr. Geo. Kerr who rendered a most appreciable service in securing more satisfactory arrangements with the C. N. R.

11 JOIN BATHURST

Bathurst, Dec. 29.—As a result of the recent dinner meeting of the Bathurst Board of Trade, 11 members have joined without any effort on the part of the membership committee. The annual meeting of the Board will be held on January 25, and it is expected that the membership will be greatly increased by that time. A banquet will be held in connection with the annual meeting.

BOARD OF TRADE

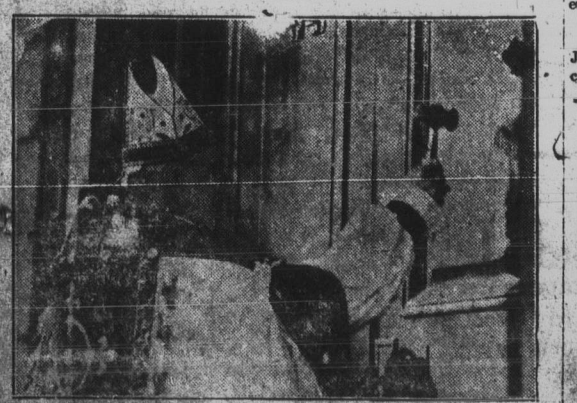
Fredericton, Dec. 29.—A. W. Covey, of Saint John, former resident of the Maritime Provinces branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada and still active in its affairs as honorary president, is in Fredericton today on a business trip.

Mr. Covey professed today to have heard nothing of the threat of the Moncton Athletics to take court action to force reinstatement of Rod Bidlake, former Fredericton goal tender, by the Maritime Provinces branch.

"Let them come on with their court action if they want to," said Mr. Covey. He made no definite statement as to the Bidlake case, however.

MADE PRESENTATION

After the singing of their Christmas cantata "The New-Born King" at the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital on Christmas Eve, the members of St. Andrew's Choir presented their leader, Miss Gladys Allanach, with a beautiful umbrella as a token of their appreciation of her services. Rev. W. W. McNair made the presentation aptly expressing the sentiments of all those present. Miss Allanach responded in fitting words.



CONSECRATING KINGSTON'S CATHEDRAL. Bishop Bidwell kneeling for admittance at the door of the century old cathedral at Kingston, which was consecrated with all the gorgeous ritual of the Anglican Church on Tuesday, December 17.

### Town Topics

Sidbits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Recalling decade upon decade that has passed since Moirs started making Chocolates, and the million friends who have made through their policy of trying to make good better, and better best, we can only say that in the future as in the past Moirs wish you a happy New Year—and intend to contribute to it through improved products.

"Now the New Year, reviving old desires, The thoughtful soul to solitude retires Where the white hand of Moss from the bough Puts out— Said man, these many centuries ago."