

Our Baseball Column.

PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.



TO-NIGHT'S GAME.

Promptly at 6.30 to-night Umper-Chief Chesman will call together the Red Lions and Wanderers in the last game of the first round. A win for either will place them in the first division so that an exciting contest may be assured. Both teams have been considerably strengthened and it is likely some of the old timers will be requisitioned in an effort to recover lost ground.

LEADING.

Duggy French is leading the league with his big stick, though his fielding average is much below Joe Murphy's. The latter has still to make an error.

STILL WONDERING.

All local fandom is still wondering how it was that Claude Hall allowed himself to be caught off third when the Irish first baseman had to cross the 60 yards of the diamond to chase him back to the bag. The unexpected and almost incredible play gets results sometimes.

ANDY CLOUSTON TO HIS BASEBALL BAT.

The official "poet" of the Cubs is responsible for the following eulogium:—

Andy speaks thus:—
Four seasons have you slumbered,
But now the War is through,
Your days of sloth are numbered,
These work for you to do.
Oh! lighter than a rifle,
Oh! safer than a bomb,
I ope once more my bottom drawer
And haul you out therefrom.

When guns from out the distance
Delivered balls that "broke,"
You lent me no assistance
Though I'd to make a stroke.
But off I thought about you,
Beneath an alien sun;
On many a day out Flanders' way,
I longer to "triple" and "run."

But now we're re-united,
Yet I am anxious lest

G. F. S.

The annual prize distribution to the G. F. S. Candidates took place at the Synod Hall last night, the awards being distributed by Miss Harris, daughter of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Harris. His Lordship Bishop White presided and among the many present were Lady Horwood, Mrs. and Miss White, Mrs. Bolt, Mrs. P. Knowling, Miss A. Hayward and Rev. J. Brinton. Following a programme of songs, dances, etc. in which Misses Elsie Andrews, Isabel Butler, Bessie Williams, Gladys Escott, Myrtle Butler, Olive House, Stella Hemons, Marjory Mercer, Daisy Green, Gladys Parsons and others took part, the prizes were distributed and then came a playlet in which the characters were represented by Misses Olive Lukins, Bessie Williams, Clara James, May Pitman, Gladys Parsons, Phyllis Gardner, Phyllis England, and Mabel Byrne. The prizes were donated by Messrs. R. B. Job, E. R. Bowring, Harold Hutchings, Misses Gladys Carter and Elsie Crowley and awarded as follows:

Queen, Mary's, Needlework, Guild Badges:—Gwendolyn Piercy, Myrtle Butler, Dorothy England, Marjory Mercer, Jean Mercer, Joannie Piercy, Louise Whelan, May White, Mildred Cadwell, Marjory England.

Hemming:—Gwendolyn Piercy, Olive Lukins, Bessie Williams (equal).
Darning:—Olive House, Myrtle Butler.

Attendance at meetings, not missed:—Gwendolyn Piercy, May Pitman, Hazel Seymour, Myrtle Butler, Olive House.

Missed once through illness:—Bessie Williams, Olive Lukins, Jennie Piercy, Daisy Green, Phyllis England.

Very regular and did good work:—Marjory Mercer, Jean Mercer, Doris Stick, May White, Mabel Byrne, Hazel Byrne, Maud Stick, Elsie Andrews, Gladys Parsons, Mary Noseworthy, Mildred Cadwell, Belle James, Mary Bear, Clara James, Mabel Hookey, Maggie Fowlow, Mary England, Marjory England, Jessie Keats, Irene Newman, Phyllis Gardner, Nellie Martin, Lois Payne, Susie Curaw, Beatrice Hookey, Laura Tulk.

At the close the Bishop proposed a vote of thanks to Miss Harris for her kindness in presenting the prizes, was carried by acclamation. The proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

To-day's Messages.

SOLEMN SERVICE SUNDAY.

LONDON, July 2nd. (Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—The Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster has issued an order to the clergy, directing that there be a special exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in all Roman Catholic Churches on Sunday next, with singing of the Te Deum, to mark the signing of Peace. It is expected that many Canadians will be present at the service in Westminster Cathedral, at which the Cardinal will officiate.

CANADIAN JURIST ATTENDED.

LONDON, July 2. (Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Mr. Justice Duff, of the Canadian Supreme Court, attended the meeting of the Privy Council at which the proclamation of peace, publicly read in London to-day, was signed.

REAPING THE WHIRLWIND.

LONDON, July 2. (Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Reports of British officers, on the economic conditions prevailing in Germany, are issued in a "White Paper" describing a visit to Silesia in April. The officers report that Germany possessed a sound case for claiming early relief. There was a genuine shortage of staple foodstuffs and the health of the population had suffered severely in the last three and one half years, so that the stage had been reached where the working classes could no longer be trusted to keep the peace or to combat Bolshevism. Count von Brockdorff, when interviewed, repeated a statement he had made at a secret cabinet meeting in January, that Bolshevism was the only subject upon which Germany and the Entente could possibly meet at the conference table, and act conjointly in the interests of all. He was prepared to go any length to convince Britain, France and America of his bona fides. What knowledge he had he was ready to disclose, if thereby the peril of Bolshevism could be better understood and combated. He did not consider the situation beyond repair. The officers who visited Breslau, were shocked at conditions in the poor quarters. Soup kitchens brew spinach soup instead of milk from bottles, was distressing. The average weight of a baby was four pounds and charts showed that the babies at the end of the third year weighed little more than at the end of the first year. In Berlin there was no evidence of an amelioration of food conditions. Compared with January there was an increasing tendency for the people to give way to despair, and the impression has been gained that Berlin was totally corrupted.

SONG OF THE CUBS.

You may roast us while we're on the old toogooan,
You may kid us while we're drifting down the chute;
We're a shining mark for panning in this current age of fanning,
We draw nothing but the cold and clammy hoot.
BUT when we hit the high-spots later in the season,
Then remember that we stood the festive quip,
Don't forget to give us credit—
You can even double lead it—
We'll forgive the time you had us on the hip.

HO! HO!

There is every possibility of Fred Chesman spending a safe and sane Fourth of July this year as there will be no baseball game to-morrow night.

CURRENT FICTION.

Fair and warmer.

Local Fishing.

Local traps have been doing fairly well of late, some of them early in the week hauling 30 quintals. Hook and line men have also secured good fares, the fish caught running to large sizes.

Ice Does Damage.

From Cape St. Francis along St. John's Shore considerable damage has been done by the numerous bergs. It is thought many will lose their twine. Yesterday a schooner nearly went ashore at Torbay, but escaped with the loss of her motor boat which was carried away by the running ice. Further particulars will be to hand as soon as the fishermen can get on the grounds and ascertain the full amount of damage done. This is to be regretted, the more so as there is a good sign of fish and every indication of a prosperous voyage.

Here and There.

REMOVAL OF SHRINE. — Considering it advisable that the shrine at Bannerman Park be removed during the week, the Memorial Service Committee request that those who wish to take away the wreaths placed thereon on Tuesday, do so before noon to-morrow.

DINNER SETS.—Best English make, very neat designs, 26 pieces, \$17.80; 40 pieces, \$40.00; 70 pieces, \$55.50. Also Job Lot of Queen's White Dinner and Teaware, odd pieces, at bargain prices.—G. KNOWLING, LTD., China & Glass Department, June 30, 51

NOTE OF THANKS. — Mr. James Roberts and family desire to express their sincere thanks to all those who showed them so much sympathy in their recent loss of a kind, loving, wife and mother, especially Mrs. A. Richards, Mrs. M. Donovan, Mr. A. Morris, Mrs. G. Button, Mrs. A. Green, C. Spooner, S. Garland, Mrs. F. Rowe, Mrs. H. Green, Mr. Robt. English, Capt. Frampton, and Mrs. G. Noseworthy, and also to those who sent wreaths. The Bricklayer's and Mason's Union, Mrs. Chas Pike, and the N. H. Troop of Life-Saving Guards, and to all other kind friends who tried to lighten their sorrow.—adv.

DIRIGIBLE DUE HERE TO-MORROW MORNING.

LONDON, July 3.

The British Air Ministry announced to-day that it expected Dirigible R-34, now in mid-ocean, to reach St. John's, Nfld., Friday morning, and Long Island early Saturday morning.

tween the Allies and Germany on Saturday, and a majority for the ratification of the instrument has been secured, according to a Weimar despatch to the Politikon.

Pedestrians' Peril.

With the rapid speed with which motor cars rush through the city thoroughfares, conjoined with the devil-may-care attitude of cab drivers, foot passengers have all that they can do to dodge these vehicles. Should the pedestrians one of these bright days make a bid for their own protection and safety, there will be something doing, and to avert anything of an anti-motor uprising we would suggest to chauffeurs and chauffesses that they pay a little more attention to the rules and regulations of the Motor Association.

Bergs in the Bay.

There are a number of icebergs in Conception Bay at present. There are two in Portugal Cove which by foundering have played sad havoc with the fishermen's traps and twine. Yesterday during a strong breeze and heavy sea, Harding and Churchill went out on the grounds to inspect their twine and found the kegs used to float the mooring gear had broken loose and driven away. It cannot yet be estimated the amount of damage done by the bergs.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, July 3. As a laxative for children, Ovolux is just the thing mothers have been looking for. Its appearance and taste Ovolux is simply a candy in an egg form, children take it without the least trouble—indeed they like it very much. It is mild in its effects but quite thorough, and mothers can give it to their children in full confidence that it will remove any injurious matter that may be in the bowels, without griping or discomfort. Price 35 cents a box.

River Report.

For Week Ending June 28th.
Little River—2 salmon, 7 and 21 lbs.
Grand River—36 salmon, from 7 to 22 lbs.
Robinson's—6 salmon, from 9 to 17 lbs.
Flat Bay Brook (Officers of Cumberland)—No salmon; good catches of trout.
Harry's River—19 salmon, from 8 to 27 lbs.
Fox Island River—1 salmon, 21 lbs.
Humber River—No salmon taken yet; plentiful on outside.
Biscay Bay River—First sign salmon on 22nd.
North West River, Trepassay—No one fishing.
North East Placentia—3 salmon taken.
Cape Rodger—Salmon very plentiful.
None Such—Trout in abundance.

Personal.

Mr. John T. Chesman, of Port au Bras, Burin, is at present in the city.

Here and There.

PICKED UP.—Yesterday afternoon, Five Dollars. Owner can have same by calling at T. & M. Winter's Store.—July 3, 11

Will those who did not take their dishes away from the Prince's Rink, after the Soldiers' Banquet, kindly call for same at Mrs. Browning's, King's Bridge Road?—June 3, 11

ST. BON'S ASSOCIATION.—There will be a Joint Meeting of the Central Council and Committee of Management at the College this Thursday night, at 8.30, to discuss preparations for the forthcoming Annual Reunion. Every member is requested to be present. C. J. FOX, Hon. Sec'y.—July 3, 11

An evening wrap of oyster white crepe de chine is heavily fringed in black silk and embroidered in bright colors.

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