

Sport Shorts From Britain

LONDON, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Buckingham Palace declined comment today on a protest by the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Vancouver against the use of rum in baking Prince Charles' first birthday cake.

HALIFAX, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Dalhousie University passed an important milestone in its history yesterday when J. MacGregor Stewart, former chairman of the Dalhousie board of governors, laid the cornerstone of the new arts building now being erected on Studley campus.

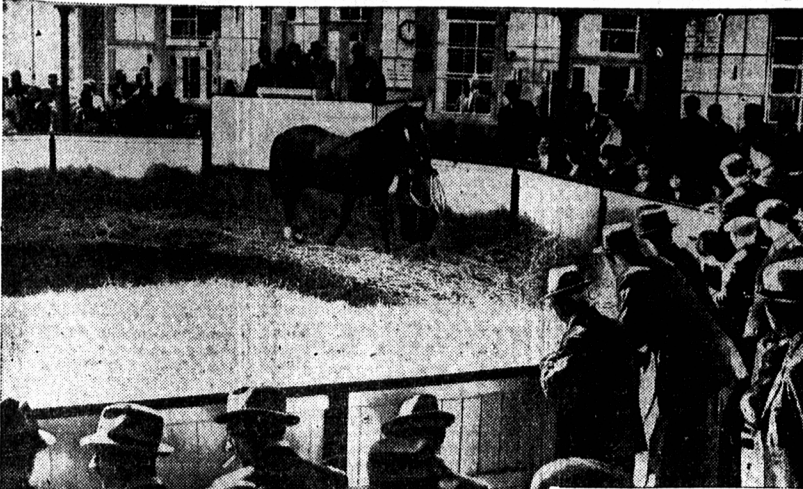
FREDERICTON, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Confirmation that fishermen are exempt from wharfage charges has been received from the Federal Transport Department.

OTTAWA, Nov. 21 — (CP) — The Federal Government is considering a proposal to construct a \$3,000,000 steamer for use as a ferry on Canada's east coast.

Bowling

Y's Menettes Thursday Afternoon Bowling League. Team No. 1—362—0 points. Team No. 2—162—5 points.

The Racehorse Is A Million Dollar Export Industry



ONE THOUSAND thoroughbreds, representing the equivalent of two or three million dollars, were, according to recent figures, exported from Britain last year.

Sport Briefs

By Alan Harvey (Canadian Press Staff Writer) LONDON, Nov. 25 — If there are any misguided people in Canada and the United States who still think Abner Doubleday invented baseball, let them hedge their bets.

Two readers of The Manchester Guardian are convinced the game really started in Britain. And they insist it's baseball they're talking about, not rounders.

Colin MacLaren, who identifies himself as a British-born resident of Flushing, N. Y., started the correspondence. He said if you look it up in your encyclopedia, you'll find baseball "is of British origin — and under its own name, too."

But MacLaren has a supporter. Another Guardian correspondent, B. W. Marchant of Bradford, Yorkshire, backed up the Flushing man.

Marchant wrote that before the Second World War he visited an English village — it might have been Chipping Norton in Oxford or Chipping Camden in Gloucestershire — and was surprised to find a bona fide baseball game under way.

To Centuries Old

"Why be surprised?" the club secretary said. "We've had a team in this village for over 200 years and it was a native of this place who took the game to America."

MacLaren, the first correspondent, is not only convinced that Britain is the cradle of baseball; he wants the country to get back on the basepaths.

There's no sign here yet of any growing movement for the baseball-grew-in-Britain theory. But if it's any consolation, the office encyclopedia shows that the first professional baseball player was Albert Leach, a native of London, Eng., who entered the monied ranks with Philadelphia Athletics in 1884.

The same year, another native of the British Isles, Henry Chadwick, devised the first method of "scoring" a game.

Maybe the correspondents are

HERE'S REAL ROLLING



... REAL SMOKING

FARM PRODUCTION SHOWS INCREASE

Agricultural Production in Canada in 1948 was higher than in the preceding year, but was down somewhat from the all-time high reached in 1942, according to the first release of a new series of index numbers of agricultural production by the Bureau of Statistics.

The index of farm production in 1948, on the base 1935-39=100, was calculated at 125.2 as compared with 115.8 in 1947, the gain being accounted for by the increased production of grains, potatoes, tobacco and vegetables which more than offset declines registered by the other commodities.

The high point of the index was 164.2 in 1942. This high level was due in large part to extremely large crops of grain and the wartime expansion of the livestock industry which by that time was

STRAWBERRIES UNLIMITED

AMHERST, N. S. — (CP) — The strawberry industry in the Maritimes has almost unlimited horizons, W. O. Creighton told a meeting of the Maritime Strawberry Association. He said improved refrigerated transportation would bring the fruit within reach of central Canadian and United States cities.

ALBERT DEPOSED

DUBLIN — (CP) — A monument to Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's consort, is to be moved to a less conspicuous part of the lawn of the Parliament buildings to make way for a monument to Michael Collins, Arthur Griffith and Kevin O'Riaghins, who helped found the Irish Free State.

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MAPLE PLAINS

Mr. Pius McKinnon who purchased the property of Mary A. Shreenan has almost completed his new barn.

Miss Marion Cairns, student at P. W. C. spent last week-end at her home.

Mrs. Aeneas McCarville and two small sons, Austin and Richard, recently returned from a short visit at her former home in Lot 65.

Mr. Emmett McCarville, student at Saint Dunstan's University, spent last week-end at the home of his parents.

Mr. Parnell McCarville motored to Charlottetown last Sunday and was accompanied by Emmett and Mary McCarville and Josephine Duffy.

Miss Evelyn Conway of Charlottetown, spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. Aeneas McCarville.

Mrs. John Cairns recently spent a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mickey Noonan of Albany.

Recent business visitors to the city were Messrs. Joe McCarville and George Murphy.

TO TEST MENTALITY OF U.K. CHILDREN

LONDON, Nov. 22 — (CP) — Within a few years almost every child in Britain will have undergone an intelligence test.

No longer will teachers have to rely on the old method of observing a child's mental age and intelligence quotient (I.Q.). The "genius" and the "moron" will also be discovered by this method.

An 11-year-old "genius" was found recently by a London psychologist who recorded the boy's I.Q. as 170. The average boy has an I.Q. of 100 and only three in 10,000 get a rating higher than 160.

Nearly every county educational authority uses some form of intelligence test to decide what type of secondary school each child is best suited for.

Children aged 10 to 11 are given a group test and their intelligence is then recorded. A test of general intelligence and an English and an arithmetic test is used to decide the secondary school issue.

"Difficult children" are given individual tests. So are "representative groups" of both children and adults. Under the most frequently used test, "mental age" can range from "two years" to "superior adult, class III."

UNION ROAD Y. P. U.

The re-organization meeting of the Union Road Young Peoples Union was held at the home of Norma Yeo on Wednesday, November 16.

The meeting opened with a devotional period led by Norma Yeo. The hymn, More Love to Thee, O Christ, was sung followed by the Lord's Prayer. Scripture reading, Psalm 103, was read by Mary Gill.

A reading, "More Golden Than Gold", was given by Mrs. Earl Livingstone. The hymn, Glory to His Name, was sung followed by the Benediction which closed the devotional period.

The business period opened with the election of officers for 1949-50. They are as follows— president Mary Gill, vice-president, Mildred Hardy, secretary, Marjorie Lamont, assistant secretary, Mrs. Sterling Yeo, treasurer, Mrs. Earl Livingstone, organist, Mrs. Keith Bryenton.

The collection taken amounted to \$1.00. There were 14 members present. The treasurer reported \$9.54 on hand and that \$24.66 was made at the cake sale. It was decided that each member donate 25 cents towards the parcel to be sent to England.

Convenors for next meeting were then chosen and are as follows: convener for devotion: Mildred Hardy, Assistant, Marjorie Lamont. Convener for study: Keith Bryenton. Convener for recreation: Sterling Yeo, Assistant, Roland Livingstone.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Marjorie Lamont. The meeting closed with a recreational period led by James Gill.

CLYDE RIVER Y. P. U.

The regular weekly meeting of the Clyde River Y. P. U. met in the vestry of the church on Friday evening, November 18. Meeting opened by singing hymn 419. Shirley MacKinnon had charge of devotional period with the theme, "As We Forgive". Scripture reading was taken from St. John 1st chapter. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. Responsive reading was found in Psalm 148.

Readings were given by Phyllis MacKinnon and Hilda MacNevin. Bible study on chapters 1-2-3 of the book of St. John, was conducted by the president, Hymn 606. "All The Way My Savior Leads Me" was sung closing that part of the meeting.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and roll called. Joan Murray was appointed devotional leader for next meeting with Mrs. John Beer and Lewis MacLaren to assist her. Roll call to be answered by one of "Christ's quotations." A further study on the book of

MILK PRODUCTION SHOWS GAIN

In reviewing the dairy situation in the first five months of 1949, Current Review of Agricultural Conditions in Canada, a publication of the Economics Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture reports that Canadian milk production has shown a gradual increase over the unusually low production of 1948.

For the period January to May, the 1949 production was 234 million pounds greater than in 1948, an increase of 4 per cent. Present indications are that the gap between 1948 and 1949 will widen as the season progresses and that 1949 milk production will equal the 17.2 billion pounds of milk produced in 1947.

The percentage of the milk supply used for fluid purposes has continued to decline in spite of an increased population, although in terms of actual milk consumed there is little change from 1948. With fluid utilization showing little change and total production higher, more milk has been available for butter and cheese production. The price relationship in 1949 has favoured cheese and as a result cheese production has increased 16.3 per cent above January to July over 1948 and creamery butter production is 13 per cent below the January to July period of last year.

SMALL BLESSINGS

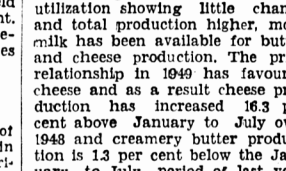
LONDON — (CP) — At St. Luke's Church, Peckham, a skein of wool, a fish-slice, an ice-cream scoop and a garden fork were among the offerings blessed at a recent harvest festival service.

FIND NEW FISH

GRAND FALLS, Nfld. — (CP) — A survey party at South Twin Lakes recently netted two species of fish never before reported in the area. They were identified as brown trout and Arctic char.

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