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Semi-Final Baseball Play-Offs This Week

The semi-finals of the New Brunswick baseball playoffs are on this week, Grand Falls and St. Stephen playing the best out of three games. The Grand Falls team left Monday for St. Stephen where they will play their first game of the semi-finals. The second game will be played at Grand Falls on Friday, September 2. If third game is necessary a coin will decide choice of fields. The St. Stephen nine are the 1931 Maritime champions. The finals will be played next week.

Some two thousand ball fans from both sides of the border witnessed the two games here last week between Newcastle and Grand Falls when the latter won two straight of the first stage after losing the first game at Newcastle the Saturday previous.

Grand Falls team playing on its home diamond against Newcastle sailed through to victory in the second game of their series in the N.B. playoffs in Grand Falls on August 24. Wiley pitched a four-hit game while Grand Falls pounded "Lanky Jim" Morrell, star hurler of the Miramichi, for seven hits, consisting of three doubles and four singles. This game knotted the series at one apiece.

Tardiff and Nub Estey led the way for the local stickers, each getting a double and a single. About 1,500 people witnessed the game, a large number coming from both up and down the river as well as from bordering Maine towns.

The game was one of the fastest of the season, both sides playing good, clean ball with no dull moments. Wiley had four strikeouts, Morrell seven. Wiley issued four bases on balls, Morrell two.

Grand Falls by hitting in the pinches sealed Newcastle's fate. Wiley pitched the best game of his career allowing no scores until the eighth inning when two hits and a wild throw let in two scores for Newcastle.

Dickinson of Newcastle umpired behind the plate. The line-ups: Newcastle—Murray, Craig, MacCable, Graham, Jarvis, Chalmers, Ogilvie, London, Morrell, W. Murray, C. McCullen, Wade.

Grand Falls—O'Regan, Tardiff, B. Burgess, W. Estey, Stewart, Kelly, Folster, Wiley, White, W. Burgess, R. Estey.

Score by innings:

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Newcastle.....	000000020—2 4 3
Grand Falls.....	000101101—4 7 3
Batteries—	Morrell and London; Wiley and Estey.
Umpires—	Dickinson and Demers.

The third and deciding game between Grand Falls and Newcastle was played at Grand Falls on Thursday afternoon.

Grand Falls Eliminates Newcastle
Grand Falls eliminated Newcastle on the Grand Falls diamond Thursday afternoon in a very exciting game. The winners piled up a lead of 7 to 1 till the seventh when White weakened and by some clever base running Newcastle pushed over three runs. Wiley, hero of Wednesday's battle, stopped the rally, going in place of White. Estey, with two doubles and a single, and O'Regan with three singles, were the big guns for Grand Falls.

Kelly's catch in centre field and O'Regan's fielding and base-running were the features. For Newcastle London garnered three of the six hits.

*** GRAND FALLS LOST AT ST. STEPHEN ***

* The first game in semi-finals *
* play between Grand Falls and St. *
* Stephen baseball teams, in the *
* Provincial play-offs, was won by *
* the St. Stephen nine, at St. Steph- *
* en Wednesday afternoon. This *
* game was scheduled to be played *
* Tuesday but was postponed. *
* The second game will be played *
* in Grand Falls Friday afternoon. *
* If Grand Falls wins Friday's game *
* it will mean a third and deciding *
* game between St. Stephen and *
* Grand Falls teams. The winner *
* will then play in the final.

Almost Total Eclipse of the Sun Viewed Here Yesterday

LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY

Monday, Labour Day, will be observed as a holiday by most business places as in past years.

POTATOES

Well sprayed fields of Green Mountains are still green but even in such fields rust is noticeable. Other fields not sprayed sufficiently have the vines dead and dying.

Officials of the Potato Certification Service of the N.B. Department of Agriculture recently completed inspection of the province, and reporting that the 1932 certified crop looks well and will likely approach the yield of 1931.

"However, the entire provincial crop for 1932, subject to some revision, will likely be hardly more than half of last year's spud crop," officials say.

ONE KILLED AND FOUR INJURED IN WOODSTOCK FIRE TRUCK ACCIDENT

Hamilton Johnston, driver of the Woodstock fire truck, was killed and four men were injured, two of them seriously, when the truck left the road at Victoria Corner early Wednesday afternoon, August 24, while on the way to East Florenceville. One wood span and part of floor in an adjacent steel span were burned, also a house. The house burned first, the bridge taking fire from it.

BASEBALL AT PLASTER ROCK

The Plaster Rock Nationals led by Vin Shields turned back the fast Perth nine Friday night, 7-4. Both teams hit the ball hard but Shields kept the visitors' hits scattered and was cool in the pinches. Spicer and Reynolds, of Plaster Rock, slammed out three hits each, while Vin Shields doubled twice.

Batteries—Perth, Brown and A. Lewis. Plaster Rock, Vin Shields and Andersen.

Umpires: R. Lewis and M. Woodland.

Hay and Grains Heavy In New Brunswick Says Departmental Report

Roots Should Register Above Average but Potatoes Likely to Fall Below Estimate.

A heavy crop of hay and grains, a good yield of roots, but a potato crop below the estimate is the forecast of the fortnightly crop report of the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

"Haying operations," says the report, "have progressed very satisfactorily during the present week and the crop is three-quarters gathered. Earlier expectations of yield in all parts have been surpassed and on the Westmorland and Albert county marshes the crop is more than usual." The report continues:

"All kinds of grain, buckwheat in particular, made a heavy growth of straw and although lodged fields are common the production of grain will be above the average acre-yield. Cutting was quite general this week and some threshing of barley and oats has been done. The out-turn has been exceptionally high.

"Pastures have remained good throughout the entire season and the effect upon milk supplies has been marked as above normal quantities.

"All root crops have made gratifying growth and the total production will exceed that of any recent season.

"Potatoes are showing the effects of the continuous showery weather and lack of application of the usual quantities of Bordeaux spray. Scarcely a field is seen where damage by Late Blight is not plainly evident and a large acreage of poorly sprayed or wholly neglected fields are now done growing. The general effect of the epidemic will be to lessen the already less-than-average estimated total production."

Eclipse Between 90 Per Cent. and 100 Per Cent. of Totality in this Section of New Brunswick—Sky in vicinity of Sun Cloudless Most of the Time.

Few people have been fortunate enough to behold a total eclipse of the sun, nature's most impressive spectacle. The chance of a lifetime to witness the glorious phenomenon came to many on the afternoon of August 31. At 3:04 p. m., A.S.T. the moon's central shadow struck the earth in the polar sea north of Siberia thence sweeping down as a band about 100 miles in width, past the pole and through Hudson Bay, cutting the east shore of James Bay, passing down through Quebec and curving out through Maine over the Atlantic Ocean, leaving the earth at 5:03 p. m., A.S.T. In Quebec, Parent on Canadian National Railways, Maskinonge on the Canadian Pacific Railway just north of Lake St. Peter on the St. Lawrence, and Mazog to the south, all were fairly near the central lines of totality. Totality commenced at 4:24 p. m., A.S.T., at Montreal, which was just within the western edge of the shadow, the eastern edge being about 100 miles distance.

Along the central lines of the zone of totality the duration of the total eclipse was about 100 seconds diminishing to zero at each edge. Even at points only ten miles within the shadow, however, totality lasted for a full minute, and even five miles nearer to the edge, for over forty seconds.

Though, it is only within this comparatively narrow band that the eclipse was to be seen as total, it was visible as a partial eclipse throughout the whole of North America. At Ottawa 97 per cent. of the sun's diameter was covered at Toronto 92 per cent., at Winnipeg 76 per cent., and at Vancouver 40 per cent. To the east of the shadow zone, 98 per cent. of the sun's diameter was covered at Quebec and 93 per cent. at Halifax.

Astronomers the world over have for months been considering details of equipment and planning observational programmes within the zone of totality, at a place permitting an unobstructed view of the sun and of the surrounding country, where the rapid approach of the moon's shadow could be readily seen. The main spectacular features to be looked for was the "corona" which burst into view at the instant of the onset of totality, and the "prominences," eruptions of gaseous matter which are sometimes visible as projections from the surface of the sun. Another interesting phenomenon was that of the "shadow bands," which are to be seen immediately preceding and following totality and which can best be observed on a white sheet spread on the ground.

BASEBALL FIELD DAY

A field day, for the benefit of the baseball team, will be held in Perth on Friday. Two games of baseball will be played, the Westfield, Me., Aroostook and Perth teams taking part. Some of the business places will close in the afternoon.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT, ANDOVER

Four men will appear before Magistrate N. A. Hanson on Friday, charged with disturbing a religious meeting at Plaster Rock Sunday evening.

On August 23 ten men, charged with creating a disturbance at a dance hall at Tomlinson settlement, were each given a suspended sentence of \$5.00 fine or 10 days in jail. Costs were paid by the men. The charge had been laid by Spurgeon Tomlinson. A disturbance previous to the one in which the ten took part was the cause of the second. Five of the men bore the name of Gee, two were McDougalls, and the other three Post, Miller and Goodwin. Some of them reside at Beech Glen.

Three drunks, arrested in Perth one afternoon recently by the R.C.M.P., were given ten days in jail.

GRANT-CARLSEN

On Tuesday, August 2, at four o'clock at St. Angar's Church at New Denmark, N.B., a very pretty wedding took place, when Miss Alice Carlsen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Carlsen and Lloyd W. Grant, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Grant, of Caribou, Maine, were united in marriage by Rev. E. Parkinson, assisted by Rev. Mr. Rabby, of Caribou, Maine.

She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Milton Snowman. Mr. Snowman supported the groom. The church was beautifully decorated by friends of the bride.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Grant left for a short trip to Moncton, N.B., to spend their honeymoon. They will reside in Caribou, where the groom is engaged in farming with his father.

The bride is a graduate from Grand Falls Superior School of the class of 1930, and from there attended the Provincial Normal School at Fredericton, N.B., and graduated with the class of 1931 and taught one year.

All wish them joy and happiness all through the years of their wedded life together.

BOYS' CAMP

A camp, made up mainly of boys from Ortonville, was held last week near the fish hatchery. There was swimming, boating, fishing, etc., and the boys had a splendid time. The eleven boys who attended the camp were: Murray McLaughlin, Guy Jamieson, Harold McLaughlin, Clarence Dickson, Leigh Jamieson, Bill McLaughlin, Beecher Watson, Jasper Hitchcock, from Ortonville; Lloyd Wilson, from Moncton; Warren Burpee, from Grand Falls, and Don Calkin, leader.

PLASTER ROCK

Aug. 29—Mr. and Mrs. Millard Tramble were visiting relatives and friends in town for a few days last week, returning to Richibucto on Saturday.

Len Hatheway, accompanied by A. W. Ridgewell, motored to Campbellton and spent a few days there last week.

Mrs. B. T. Marsten and daughter, Margaret, spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Foster, at Monticello, Maine, returning on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Booker are visiting friends in Newcastle for a few weeks.

Mrs. (Rev.) K. McLeod left on Monday night to visit her parents in Angerton, New York, for a time. She was accompanied by her young son, Kenneth, and daughter, Betty. Miss Betty will proceed on to Virginia, where she will enter college.

M. L. Wright, of Perth, and N. Sisson were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wright on Monday afternoon.

B. T. Marsten motored to Woodstock on Monday.

Mrs. Harry McAlary, of Andover, was the guest of Mrs. Julia Sutton last week.

Mrs. Walter Kennedy spent the week-end in Saint John visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark motored to Riley Brook on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wishart, who were visiting relatives at Tabusintac, have returned home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Don Buchanan and son, George.

GAME FORFEITED TO PERTH

Easton and Perth baseball teams played on the Perth diamond Monday night. Two disputes marred the game and finally when the score was a tie in the first part of the sixth inning following the last dispute Harry Mallory, of New York, the umpire, declared the game forfeited to Perth, 9-0.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. McCrea, Perth, on Friday, August 19, a son, Glendon Lee.

ANGLICAN SERVICES ON TOBIQUE

Anfield, Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; Arthurville, Holy Communion at 9:45 a. m.; Leford, Holy Communion at 11 a. m.; Birch Ridge, Evensong at 3 p. m.; Plaster Rock, Evensong at 7:30 p. m.; Crombie, Mattins at 11 a. m.; Anfield, service at 3 p. m.; Burnt Land Brook, at 8 p. m.

Rev. W. J. Clarke.

One Hurt When Car Left Road Near Four Falls

FIRE THOUGHT INCENDIARY

Fire that completely destroyed two large barns, situated near the C.P.R. station at Bristol, N.B., and owned by Guy Welch, is believed to have been of incendiary origin. The barns, which each measured thirty by forty feet, were full of hay which burned fiercely. The fire was first noticed about 11 o'clock, at which time both barns were well alight in widely separated places. No other property was damaged.

PLASTER ROCK AND AROOSTOOK TIE 3-3

Playing heads up ball, the Aroostook All-Stars and Plaster Rock Nationals turned in fast ball Saturday night, each team scoring three runs. Poor base running by the Plaster Rock team saved the game for the visitors. Burridge, local hurler, fanned 10, while Phelps had 7.

Batteries—Aroostook, Phelps and Giberson.

Plaster Rock—Burridge and Andersen.

Umpires: R. Lewis and J. McCrea.

Ordination Anniversary Will Be Observed

The fortieth anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Gordon Pringle will be held in the Kincardine church on Sunday, September 11. Communion service will be at 11 a. m., and the anniversary service at 2 p. m.

Members of the Woodstock Presbytery will be present to conduct the services are several are expected to make addresses on this occasion, when will be fittingly recognized the beginning of Rev. Gordon Pringle's first ministry, which was at Kincardine and Kintore in 1892.

Anniversary Service At St. George's, Plaster Rock

On Sunday, August 28, the seventh anniversary of the coming of Rev. W. J. Clarke to the mission of Gordon and Lorne was celebrated in St. George's, Plaster Rock. At 11 a. m., Choral Eucharist was celebrated by the Rector, assisted by Rev. F. M. Sherlock, and the Merbeck setting was rendered by the organist, Leslie Lloyd, and choir. Prior to the service the congregation presented to the rector a green chasuble, stole maniple and burse as a token of appreciation for services rendered during the past seven years. The rector in his sermon used the word chasuble as the "Robe of Charity," showed its historical use and justified its use with the greatest expression of charity the world has ever known, namely the sacrifice on Calvary; and for all time the Holy Eucharist.

This mission has proved to be one of the most successful missions in Canada during the past seven years, and in the rector's review he said that two beautiful churches had been built in one year, more than 200 had been baptised, and 210 confirmed during his term of office. When he came in 1925 the mission was the poorest and weakest in the Province, but today the Anglican church which is held in twelve centres on the Tobique, is by far the strongest of all religious bodies here. The secret of the success of this mission said the rector, was due to Catholic faith and practice, which alone can satisfy the needs of God's children. At this service the church was crowded in spite of the bad weather. In the afternoon a baptismal service was well attended, when two boys were baptised.

In the evening Evensong was conducted by the rector, and Rev. F. M. Sherlock gave the sermon and sang a solo, while the choir and organist rendered musical items to suit the occasion.

Rev. W. J. Clarke.

Taken to Grand Falls Hospital— Accident Happened Short Distance Above Four Falls.

A New Jersey automobile, an Auburn roadster, driven by Francis P. Oddo, his brother the other occupant, failed to keep the road on a curve above Four Falls when they were travelling south about eight o'clock Monday evening. In the resulting "smash-up" among boulders of a gulch the driver was not seriously hurt, but shaken and bruised, and his brother received some bad cuts from the broken windshield, necessitating his removal to the Grand Falls hospital where he is now under medical care.

When the car left the road, after the driver failed to negotiate the curve, it struck a big boulder and moved its several feet. The gully in which the car went is full of large boulders. Rev. Fr. Pennaforte, of Limestone Sliding, came along shortly after the accident occurred, sent the men to Grand Falls in a car, and remained to look after the car, meanwhile telling a passing motorist to notify the R.C.M.P. at Perth. Fr. Pennaforte remained at his post until about one o'clock and as the police had not appeared went to a nearby house to telephone. The motorist entrusted with delivering the message early in the evening had not done so, but as soon as Constable Woods received the telephone message he went up to the scene of the accident. It was thought necessary to remove the car at once and Henry Peoples, of Armstrong garage, went up with a wrecking car about three a. m., Tuesday. The car was badly damaged but is being repaired sufficiently to enable the New Jersey men to return home in it.

VICTORIA TENNIS CLUB ASSURED OF TROPHY

In the final tournament being played between the Aroostook and Perth-Andover tennis clubs five events were won by the latter on Saturday, assuring the Victoria club racket wielders of the J. L. White cup. A few events remain to be played.

TO WITHOLD POTATOES

CRANBURY, N.J.—Potato growers of three central New Jersey counties agreed at a meeting here to withhold their potatoes from the market until September 19, unless in the meantime they are offered 75 cents for 100 pounds.

New Grist Mill Under Construction At River de Chute

Being Built in Connection with Sawmill by C. R. Brittain.

A grist mill, including what is called a long sifted flour mill, is now under construction at River de Chute. It is being built in connection with the sawmill which was taken over from the Miller estate on July 1 by C. R. Brittain. Mr. Brittain's birthplace is Bristol, Carleton county, but he has spent the past eight years in Detroit, Mich.

It has been necessary to rebuild the sawmill, which was damaged by ice and water during the past winter. Mr. Brittain tore down the building that housed the sawmill machinery and is building an entirely new mill building.

The grist mill, equipped to grind feeds and meal, as well as producing flour, will be ready in about a month.

Not only in the section in which the mill is located, but in other sections of Victoria and Carleton counties much more wheat and other grains were sown this past Spring and it is expected that the increased acreage will continue in future years with plenty of business for our grist mills. Mr. Brittain states that his mill will produce flour equal to the best imported into the Province.