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# PEPPER-TALK

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The Warriors have still to taste defeat in league play in the early stages of the KIJHL, whipping Castlegar on Friday night and then running up that horrendous score in Grand Forks on Saturday, they certainly are looking impressive in the matter of scoring goals.

There is no doubt that with the coaching staff Bob has gathered around him he will get co-operation plus and all the boys are real capable of doing a job. One of my favorites in his playing days, Dave Espenhain, has one who used his head on the ice to good advantage and will no doubt be a big help to Richard. I haven't seen as much of Rob Vanzella but if our manager and the other coaches are happy with him, I'll go along with them.

It just might turn out to be a real good season. Seems like we have the horses and the guys to direct them. As I've said before, good luck, Warriors, maybe this will turn out to be the year we've waited for quite a while now!

From hockey to curling, Dan Burnett informs me that he called a meeting of the Rossland retirees for this Thursday morning, hope we get a good showing of the present members and maybe we've been able to pick up a few. It would be nice to add a number of guys to our present roster. And to you guys out there who have your mornings or early afternoons free, you might find curling a fine way to put in some of that time which might otherwise be

wasted, unless one is into the skiing, cross-country or downhill or maybe put in a few hours a day bending your elbow, curling will not cramp your style too much and you might even get to like it, as many of our present members do. Chances come up during the season to take bus trips around the country and meet other curlers and discuss different things with them, we make trips to Trail, Nelson, Grand Forks and Castlegar on a more or less regular basis. There's always fun a a crowded bus and ours invariably are full, just a straight day trip, only on very special occasions are there overnight stays.

Now, from local sports to the Canadian and North American scene. The world series starts Saturday. NHL hockey and all the other leagues across the country are swinging into action now, CFL football teams are juggling for position at the present time and it won't be long before playoff spots will be grabbed. Edmonton in the west and Winnipeg in the east look like hot numbers right now, maybe they will contest the final in the dome. I know, Winnipeg in the east! How come? Well they are the farthest east of the good teams and that's why they were picked to help those struggling easterners.

Well it's getting close to game time so I'll go look at the tube for awhile. So, I'll see you again soon.

'Til next time, then!