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**QUITE UNNECESSARY**

The fishermen's strike should have been quite unnecessary. Three weeks of a short season has been lost and much needed money allowed to pass by our doors just because the two parties to the fishing industry failed to agree.

We are not now blaming anyone although we believe that either party would have been better off by giving way right at the first. What we blame is our method of handling these matters. A strike of that kind is harmful to the community and therefore should not be allowed. The fishermen should have their fair share of the proceeds of the fisheries and the canners should have theirs. A strike of that kind would not be tolerated in Russia or Italy.

**THE WORD "IMPERIAL"**

The word "Imperial" used in reference to the forthcoming economic conference at Ottawa is an unfortunate one because there is nothing Imperial about it. The conference will deal with matters of mutual interest to members of the British Commonwealth of Nations, each nation being represented as well as each of the crown colonies of Great Britain. Trade matters will be discussed and possibly defence but there will be nothing about it which smacks of Imperial aggrandizement. Possibly we may some day invent a new word more suitable to describe that which has to do with the British Commonwealth.

**WINNERS IN RACES**

Many Took Prizes at Eagles' Picnic On Sunday

Following were the prize-winners in sports at the Eagles' picnic on Sunday:

Girls, under 5—Molly Frew, Victoria Michele.  
 Boys, under 5—Richard Blake, Stanley Wesley.  
 Girls, 5 to 7—Ruby Gomez, Helen Gamula.  
 Boys, 5 to 7—Allan Lawson, Bruno Pettenuzzo.  
 Girls, 7 to 9—Mary Postuk, Pearl Menzies.  
 Boys, 7 to 9—Dicky Cameron, Paul Laporte.  
 Girls, 9 to 12—Betty Wood, Emma Whiffin.  
 Boys, 9 to 12—Sam Currie, Billy Roma.  
 Girls, 12 to 14—Mildred Munizoba, Betty Wood.  
 Boys, 12 to 14—Bob Peachy, Bob Shrubbsall.  
 Girls, sack race—Alice Gomez, Lillian Croxford.  
 Boys' sack race—Bob Shrubbsall, Darrow Gomez.  
 Girls' egg and spoon race—Emma Whiffin, Muriel McLean.  
 Girls' egg and spoon race—Dot Blake, Amy Bury.  
 Single ladies' race—Margaret Johansen, Dot Blake.  
 Married ladies' race—Mrs. C. Symes, Mrs. Feasby.  
 Single ladies' three-legged race—Dorothy Blake and Alice Gomez.  
 Married ladies' three-legged race—Mrs. Rothwell and Mrs. Wilde.  
 Married men's race—Bob Peacock, Wm. Wallace.  
 Ladies' needle and thread race—Mrs. Wilde, Mrs. Rothwell.  
 Men's sack race—James Sturgeon.  
 Men's three-legged race—Rupert Fong and Jim Dominato.  
 Men's blindfold race—Bob Peacock, C. V. Symes.  
 Women place kick—Miss Casey, Miss Annie Kach.  
 Men's place kick—Harley Lear, Bob Peacock.  
 Men's softball team—A. Croxford c., Glen Hebb p., H. J. Sturgeon 1b., T. Clough rf., J. Brown cf., J. McLeod 2b., G. Krause 3b., Lee Dell p., H. F. Ellison ss.  
 Ladies' softball team—A. Astori c., Angeli Colussi p., Mary Casey 3b., Mrs. Feasby 1b., Mrs. Symes cf., Mary Kuruluk rf., Mrs. Rothwell lf., Betty Capstick ss., Annie Katch 2b. Umpire—W. Reid.

**BASEBALL CALLED OFF**

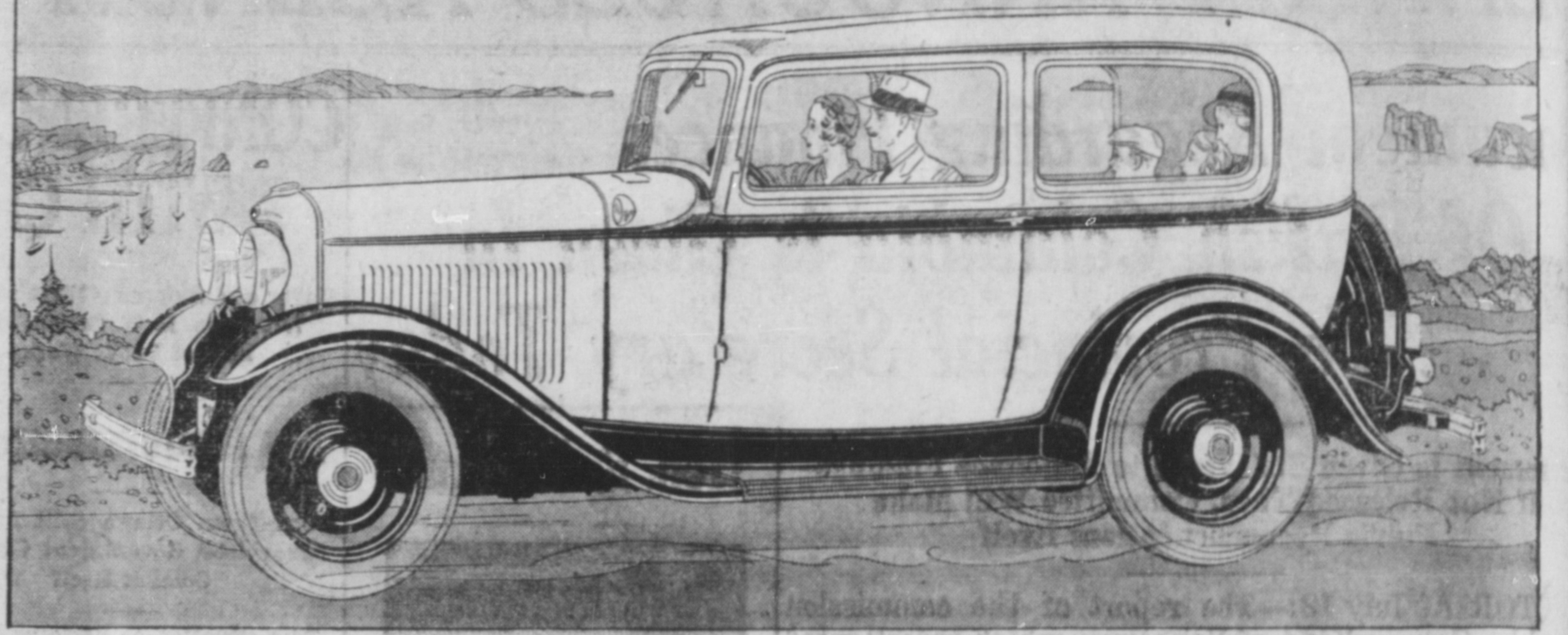
Owing to rain, the Senior League baseball game scheduled for last evening between Old Empress and Sons of Canada was called off.

**BASEBALL**

July 15—S. O. C. vs. Elks.

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**INTERIOR INDIAN WOMAN IN COURT ON LIQUOR CHARGE**

Sarah Tom, Palling Indian woman, has been charged at Smithers with having intoxicating liquor in her possession, divisional headquarters of the provincial police have been advised. The woman was allegedly found on the road about a mile west of Smithers with a small bottle of home brew in her possession. A charge of intoxication was originally laid but this has been withdrawn.

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 CANADA WINS KOLAPORE CUP  
 BISLEY CAMP, Eng., July 12:—A picked team of eight Canadian marksmen today won the Rajah of Kolapore's Imperial Challenge Cup, historic trophy of the National Rifle Association meeting, in competition with teams representing the Mother Country, India, Jersey and Guernsey.  
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**PICNIC POSTPONED**

Owing to the wet weather, the annual picnic of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association which was to have been held today out the Skeena River Highway has been postponed until Saturday.

**FOOTBALL**  
 C. LEGION vs. MERCHANTS  
**TONIGHT, 6:30**

**ATHLETICS LOSE TWO**

Defeated By Cleveland in Double Header—Braves Beat Cubs

NEW YORK, July 12:—Pittsburg Pirates defeated Brooklyn Dodgers yesterday to increase their margin of leadership in the National League to two and a half games over the Chicago Cubs who lost to the Boston Braves with whom they are now all but mathematically tied for second place. As a result of the reverse, the Dodgers slipped into sixth place below the idle Phillies.

The feature of yesterday's American League play was the defeat of the Philadelphia Athletics by Cleveland Indians in both games of a double-header. The New York Yankees won over St. Louis Browns and increased their margin of leadership to seven and a half games.

Yesterday's Big League scores:  
**American League**  
 New York 15, St. Louis 4.  
 Cleveland 9-12, Philadelphia 8-7.  
 Detroit 5, Boston 3.  
 Washington 5, Chicago 1.  
**National League**  
 Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 3.  
 Boston 8, Chicago 2.

**Baseball Standings**

	W.	L.	Pct.
<b>National League</b>			
Pittsburg	43	31	.581
Chicago	42	35	.545
Boston	43	36	.544
St. Louis	37	38	.493
Philadelphia	40	43	.482
Brooklyn	38	41	.481
New York	33	41	.447
Cincinnati	38	49	.437
<b>American League</b>			
New York	54	26	.675
Philadelphia	48	35	.578
Detroit	43	34	.558
Cleveland	45	36	.556
Washington	44	37	.543
St. Louis	39	39	.500
Chicago	28	50	.359
Boston	17	61	.218

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