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Credit Is Due To All Pioneers.

Much credit is due to the hardy pioneers who hew the way for those who come after. They have their reward in work well done and sometimes they pay the penalty. All pioneers are valuable and there is no more valuable pioneer than the one who pioneers in the air. Take as an example the company formed to undertake commercial flying in northern British Columbia. Len Bell, the head of that concern, is a pioneer in the flying game, so far as its adaptation to the peculiar needs of this part of the country is concerned. He got the company together, put money of his own into it and an almost indefinite amount of labor. He is proving to the world that air transportation is adapted to the needs of a new country, especially a country dotted with lakes and pierced by rivers such as this.

If Mr. Bell and his associates are able to prove that air navigation is a profitable commercial undertaking, he will have been of incalculable benefit to the north. He will do more toward exploring and opening up the country than anyone in the past has done and he will be worthy of a niche in the hall of fame.

Mr. Bell, from the experience he has already got in the flying game, is fully convinced that he will be able to make the business a commercial success. He has already made flights into the interior and he is in touch with an immense amount of prospective business which should prove profitable if successfully carried out. We wish him luck in his undertaking and hope he will make it into the biggest transportation business of the north, next to the railroads and steamships.

Train Of Wheat Every Twenty Minutes.

S. G. Webb, a member of the Daily News staff, who returned last night from a holiday trip to Winnipeg, tells of the business conditions there and is much enthused over the prospects for western Canada. He says that there is a train of wheat leaves Winnipeg every twenty minutes just now. The good crop is making money plentiful on the prairies and business conditions are on the up grades.

All this is good news for us here. We were the last place to feel the pinch of hard times and we shall be the last to feel the improvement but it will surely come. Last year there was so little coastwise business that the G.T.P. had to take off one of its big steamers because they were losing money fast. This year the transportation business is rather better and it is hoped to keep the steamers on, possibly until after Christmas. That would indicate that there is little improvement on the coast.

What we need now is that we shall be one of the funnels through which will pour that golden stream of wheat that is bringing wealth to the prairies.

Glad To Hear Of Progress On Prairie.

The good times on the prairies is something we like to see. To have any part of Canada prosperous looks good to us. There is no jealousy in our makeup, but we are not wholly unselfish. If the prairies are prosperous the people will be travelling this way over our railway, stopping off at our city, and making possible improved transportation facilities. If they have money they will want to buy our lumber and fish and the more prosperous they are, the more will come to the coast in search of a milder climate. We are bound to feel the effect of any general movement. We hope it will be soon.

Immigration Is Policy Of Today.

Following the war Australia took active steps to receive the overflow from the British Isles and as a result the population of that country has been very appreciably increased and there has been no decreased amount of work for the people already there. Labor has not been inconvenienced by the arrival of thousands of men from England, Scotland and Ireland. All that time we stood firm and objected to the immigrants coming here. We shut our doors to a good British population that would have given us new life.

Today we are awakening to the situation. The new Government at Ottawa is about to reverse the policy of its predecessors. The policy of keeping the door shut tight did not make labor conditions good here. Unemployment was rife, just as much as in any country and much more than in Australia with its wide open policy. A big country with big natural resources and much land cannot afford to close its doors against the outside. We may exclude objectionable settlers but we certainly should be ready to receive those who come here ready to hew out for themselves homes in the wilderness.

REGISTRATION CIVIC VOTERS

Matter Was Discussed by Council Last Night and Action Deferred For One Week

Ald. Montgomery, Ald. McLeod and Ald. Kelly apparently have some method by which they plan to improve the registration of voters for the civic election this year for, at last night's council meeting, they asked for and were successful in passing a motion giving one more week in which to study and take action in the matter. This motion was passed in preference to an amendment made by Ald. Dybhavn and seconded by Ald. Silversides that the usual procedure of having the city clerk attend his office during certain evenings in October for the purpose of registering voters be followed. There was a split vote among the aldermen for the amendment, Ald. Dybhavn, Ald. Silversides and Ald. Perry voting for it and Ald. Kelly, Ald. Montgomery and Ald. McLeod against. Acting Mayor Kerr declared the amendment lost with his casting vote. When the motion was put it was carried, Ald. Kelly, Ald. Montgomery and Ald. McLeod voting for it, Ald. Dybhavn and Ald. Silversides against, and Ald. Perry not expressing his preference.

Two Dollars an Hour.

The matter was brought up through a report from the city clerk notifying the council that this (October) was the month in which registration for the civic voters' list were accepted from householders and license holders and asking under what conditions the registrations were to be taken this year. If he were asked to work overtime in attending his office in the evenings he would be willing to do so at the rate of \$2 an hour. The council, of course, had the option of appointing someone else qualified person to make the registrations. All must be made by October 31.

Ald. Dybhavn thought that arrangements should be made to have the city clerk take registrations in the evenings. Ald. Silversides was also of this view for it would be impossible to do it fairly any other way at this late date.

Ald. McLeod again brought forward the plan he fathered several months ago to have a commissioner appointed who would go around and collect road taxes and register voters at the same time. Ald. Montgomery and Ald. Kelly seemed in accord with this plan but asked that the matter be deferred for a week.

Ald. Perry offered a compromise whereby City Clerk Woods would attend his office in the evenings and also commissioners could take up their positions at industrial plants and other points where men assembled such as the Trades and Labor Council rooms and the Great War Veterans' club. This was accepted by Ald. Dybhavn and Ald. Silversides as part of their amendment.

After much discussion, the vote was taken as deferred.

In the absence of City Treasurer Vance at the Union of Municipalities convention, Harry Birch is to be acting treasurer. The city council assented a motion to this effect last night. It was reported that some checks had been held up through no one being authorized to sign in place of Mr. Vance.

SPLENDID CONCERT AT OCEAN FALLS

Madame Murray the Famous Scottish Singer Was Chief Vocalist

OCEAN FALLS, Oct. 3. — On Sept. 28 the residents of Ocean Falls had the opportunity of hearing the famous contralto — Madame McAdam Murray.

Madame Murray delighted a large audience in the new commodious auditorium of the United Church, and all present were unanimous in expressing that she had given Ocean Falls its first real vocal treat. Madame Murray being from the land of Burns is very much at home in the songs of her native land, but she is more than a versatile Scotch singer; her Italian and English numbers were a revelation and pleasure to all. She is a master of technique. Her runs and trills were surprising in one possessing a voice of such depth of quality. In the traditional Scotch songs she accompanied herself charmingly with a lilt which delighted all, especially those in the audience from good old Scotland, as Madame Murray lives in these songs and is part of them, carrying ones memory back to the heather-clad hills of their "ain land" in a most marvellous manner.

Her style and finish, combined with her round rich tones, and warm sympathetic quality are irresistible. Her personality is charming and winning, and in her second group of songs she gave particular delight. They are as follows:

- (a) Should he upbraid (Bishop).
- (b) The Blind Ploughman (Gounod).
- (c) Serenade (Gounod).
- (d) Waltz song from "Tom Jones."

All her numbers were very much appreciated and enthusiastically enjoyed.

The Misses Leola and Leita Moore, pupils of F. Wardle, opened the program with a piano duet, which was well received. G. Ball's cornet solo, Grand Fantasia "Mia" was a fine number, in which Mrs. H. E. Burdon was the able accompanist. J. C. A. Long gave great pleasure in his cello solo in which he was well supported by Mrs. Lennox H. Lindsay at the piano. Messrs. Ball and Helsby were recalled for encore in their cornet and alto horn duet, "Flow Gently Dever," it being a real treat. Mrs. H. E. Burdon played the piano accompaniment.

F. Wardle, the organist of United Church, who returned from England this week, was Madame Murray's accompanist.

Madame Murray left on Friday's boat for Vancouver, en route to California where she is booked for several concerts in the month of October. She is also giving a recital in Boston, Mass., early in the new year.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

October 3, 1912.

Capt. H. S. Cameron, owner of the sturdy little launch Guilford, arrived in port yesterday from Skidegate after one of the roughest and stormiest trips he says he has experienced in his ten years spent in navigating northern waters. A small gas boat which the Guilford had in tow was lost in making the passage from the Islands here. Capt. Cameron says that Skidegate people are expecting the channel there to be cleared by the Dominion government.

The Marine department announces the placing of several new aids to navigation in northern waters and the discovery of several uncharted rocks. The United States government has also been active this summer in its hydrographic survey work.

C. C. Perry, Indian agent, returned to the city last night from Port Simpson where he presided over a number of police court cases. The society matrons of the village had been airing their grievances on the evening of the Duke of Connaught's visit and some pretty strong and uncomplimentary language had been indulged in which resulted in fines being imposed by the agent.

W. J. Cash, manager of the Booth Fisheries of Canada, Ltd., returned to the city yesterday from a business trip to Smithers.

B. C. Veterans' Weekly, Ltd., P. O. Drawer 938 Vancouver, B.C.

ANNOUNCING A NEW B. C. VETERANS' WEEKLY FOOTBALL Competition

\$10,000 \$5,000 First Prize \$3,000 Second Prize \$2,000 Third Prize IN PRIZES

OUR NEW FOOTBALL COMPETITION will interest every person who participated in the old B. C. VETERANS FOOTBALL CIRCULATION BUILDING COMPETITION. It is a competition which will appeal strongly to those followers of the game who have knowledge of the form of the individual players and the teams; it is a competition that will bring out all the skill of the keen follower of the game of football; it is a competition that will quickly interest and develop a knowledge of football in the beginner who first becomes interested in the game through this competition. It offers an equal opportunity to all. You simply

"state whether the HOME TEAM will score MORE, LESS or the SAME number of goals as they scored in the corresponding game of last year by placing an "X" in column as provided"

If, in your opinion, the HOME TEAM will score MORE goals than they did last year, place "X" in Column "M" (more goals). If, in your opinion, the HOME TEAM will score LESS goals than they did last year, place "X" in Column "L" (less goals). Or, if in your opinion, the HOME TEAM will score the SAME number of goals as they did last year, place your "X" in Column "S" (same goals).

ALL MONIES RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS FOOTBALL COMPETITION WILL BE APPLIED ON SUBSCRIPTION TO B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY.

Subscription to the B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY need not be accompanied by a Football Coupon, but no coupon will be accepted without a five weeks' subscription, which is 25 cents. There is no limit to the number of subscriptions which may be sent in by any one person in one week. Each five weeks' subscription will entitle the subscriber to send in one Football Coupon. One dollar will entitle the subscriber to twenty-five weeks' subscription and five coupons.

Games for New Football Competition to be played October 14 Competition No. 1, New Series, Closes Friday Midnight, October 13, at the Office of the B.C. Veterans' Weekly, Ltd.

MAIL YOUR COUPONS TO B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY, LTD., P. O. DRAWER 938, VANCOUVER, B.C.

NOTE—The B.C. Veterans Weekly Football Competition, as running at present, will continue to the week ending October 7—\$10,000 in prizes.

RULES

- (1) All entries must be made on coupons provided for that purpose.
- (2) Any coupon which has been altered or mutilated will be disqualified.
- (3) In event of a tie, or ties, prizes will be divided equally between those teams, but should the necessity arise, the auditor reserves the right to rearrange prize money so that the first prize winners will receive more than the second, and the second prize winners receive more than the third.
- (4) Latest dates for receiving coupons for this (No. 1) competition will be Friday, October 13, at 12 o'clock midnight.
- (5) Matches on coupons not commenced, same will be struck off the coupon. In the event of a game being started, and then discontinued for any reason whatsoever, the score as registered at the time the game is terminated, will be accepted as being the same as a full game.
- (6) The auditor reserves the right to disqualify any coupon for what, in his opinion, is a good and sufficient reason, and it is a distinct condition of entry that the auditor's decision shall be accepted as final and legally binding in all matters concerning this competition. No correspondence will be entered into or interviews granted.
- (7) In marking coupon, place cross in column provided; denote whether you think the HOME TEAM will score MORE GOALS, LESS GOALS, or SAME NUMBER OF GOALS as in the corresponding game last year.
- (8) Entrants must enclose 25c with each coupon, which will entitle them to five weeks' subscription to the B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY, or \$1, which entitles them to one extra coupon and twenty-five weeks' subscription.
- (9) No two capital prizes will be paid out in any one week to any one subscriber.
- (10) Employees of the B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY LIMITED
- (11) Prizes are awarded on the results received by cable on or before 9 A.M. Sunday following date of matches.
- (12) No responsibility will be accepted by the B. C. VETERANS WEEKLY LIMITED for the loss or non-delivery of any coupon. Proof of posting will not be accepted as proof of delivery or receipt.
- (13) Coupons received without name of address will be disqualified.
- (14) A competitor wishing for a re-check must enclose copy of the coupon protested, together with one dollar for each coupon reviewed, in an envelope marked "PROTEST". If the protest is sustained, the fee will be refunded.
- (15) In cases of capital prize winners, when the address is given as "General Delivery," only proof of identification will be required before mailing of capital prizes.

Prize Winners announced in B. C. Veterans Weekly.

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NEW SERIES No. 1 FOOTBALL COMPETITION GAMES TO BE PLAYED OCTOBER 14th, 1922

Competition Closes 12 o'clock Midnight Friday, Oct. 13th. Mail Coupons to P. O. Drawer 938, Vancouver, B. C. I enter the B. C. Veterans Weekly Football Competition and agree to abide by the rules as published in the B. C. Veterans Weekly, and to accept the Auditor's decision as final and legally binding in all matters concerning this competition and enter on that understanding. Twenty-five cents enclosed for five weeks' subscription entitles competitor to one estimate; 50c, ten weeks and two estimates; 75c fifteen weeks and three estimates; \$1.00, twenty weeks and five estimates. NOTE—Mark with X in column provided whether you think the HOME team will score more, less, or the same number of goals as in the corresponding game last season.

NAME	If is More			If is Less			If is Same		
	M	L	S	M	L	S	M	L	S
SHEFFIELD U. 1	CHELSEA	2							
BIRMINGHAM 1	BLACKBURN R.	0							
EVERTON 1	LIVERPOOL	1							
BURNLEY 2	NEWCASTLE U.	0							
MIDDLESBORO 1	OLDHAM A.	1							
ROTHERHAM C. 1	WOL-HAMPTON	0							
LEEDS U. 2	CLAPTON O.	0							
DERBY C. 1	BLACKPOOL	0							
HULL CITY 1	CRYSTAL PALACE	0							
ABERDARE A. 2	LUTON TOWN	0							
SWINDON T. 2	QUEEN'S P. R.	0							
LINGOLN C. 1	WREXHAM	0							
AYE U. 1	FALKIRK	1							
GELTIC 2	MOTHERWELL	0							
HAMILTON A. 2	ST. MIRREN	3							

Figures after each team denotes last season's score.