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## FREE STATE ELECTIONS IN IRELAND MONDAY

## FIRE DOES MUCH DAMAGE IN GOVERNMENT LIQUOR STORE AT VICTORIA

### EDITORIAL

#### EMBARGO ON PAPER

The chief embargo on the Canadian paper industry is that of railway rates, according to an authority who was in the city recently. The railways give a low classification on carrying of the raw material from Canada to the United States market but when it comes to carrying the finished product the classification is high and the freight rate on it correspondingly high. Paper costs a great deal more to export than does either timber or pulp.

If the railways would give the same rate on paper that they give on the raw material, it would pay the manufacturers to locate in Canada because of the wonderful water powers which are found almost everywhere in this country. The advantage would be with Canada. At present, however, it is cheaper to manufacture in the United States than in Canada because the railway rate on the finished product is higher than on the raw material.

### MAY BE CRASH CENTRAL EUROPE

Situation Said to be Disquieting, According to Washington Officials

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The international situation in Germany, notwithstanding recent indications of some improvement, is regarded in Washington with grave apprehension. Most American officials refrain from publicly discussing the matter but many members of the House, the Senate and others who have studied the European situation at first hand agree privately that the outlook is disquieting. In diplomatic circles also there is a pronounced and almost general note of discouragement. Some representatives of countries concerned directly with German reparations regard a crash in central Europe as inevitable.

### LAW SUIT OVER LOSS OF ORE

Barristers Coming North to Take Evidence For Discovery at Stewart

(Special to Daily News)  
VANCOUVER, Aug. 25.—F. G. T. Lucas and E. C. Mayers, barristers, left for Stewart to examine for discovery officers of the Premier Gold Mines Ltd. and of the Coastwise Steamship & Barge Co. Ltd. following the loss of a cargo of gold and silver concentrates by the foundering of a barge between Stewart and Anxoy on March 19.

### LEAGUE BASEBALL

**American League**  
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2.  
Washington 2, Cleveland 8.  
New York 7, Detroit 1.  
Boston 5, St. Louis 6.

**National League**  
Pittsburg 7, Boston 2.  
Chicago 6, Philadelphia 6.  
Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 0.  
St. Louis 4, New York 5.

**Coast League**  
San Francisco 1, Oakland 5.  
Portland 1, Sacramento 5.  
Seattle 6, Salt Lake 9.  
Los Angeles 1, Vernon 6.

### Irish Election Monday Creates Great Interest; Platform of Republicans

DUBLIN, Aug. 25.—All parties, apparently, are equally confident of victory as polling day approaches. The election campaign has been conducted with daily increasing energy but with an almost complete absence of disorders.

Republicans publish an election program promising, in event of victory, fair treatment to all and no vindictiveness toward opponents. It says England will be offered "not allegiance but peace based on sovereignty and integrity."

DUBLIN, Aug. 25.—The first general election held by the Free State, which takes place Monday, will mark the close of a political contest that has been unexpectedly quiet and peaceful, the only exciting feature being the arrest of De Valera who sought to overthrow the treaty with Britain by which the Free State was called into being.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The morning papers carry long special dispatches from Dublin reviewing the election prospects. Correspondents record the general belief that the success of the Government party is assured but admit the existence of sufficient unknown qualities to leave some doubt on this point.

The opinion seems to be virtually unanimous that however the Government party fares the new Dail will contain a considerable majority in favor of the treaty and the Free State constitution.

### GYRO VISITORS ARE HERE TODAY

Local Club Will be Officially Launched at Banquet in St. Regis Cafe Tonight

The Vancouver Gyro officers who will officiate at the installing ceremonies of the local club arrived on the Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon and will return south on the same steamer tonight. They are: R. Rowe Holland, barrister and vice-president of the International Association of Gyro Clubs; Charles E. Garrett, manager of the Garrett Timber Co. and president of the Vancouver Gyro Club; Len H. Roos, manager of the L. H. Roos motion picture production company.

The visitors were met at the wharf on arrival by Milton Gonzales, president of the local club, and a delegation of local members. They registered at the Prince Rupert Hotel and then were taken for a drive about the city. They were shown the workings at the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.'s plant at Seal Cove by Gyro Howard Pringle and at the Canadian National dry dock by Gyro Ernest N. Valentine.

In the evening they were suitably entertained at the Prince Rupert Club, the arrangements being in the hands of Gyro Lionel Holtby.

This afternoon they were taken for a cruise of the harbor on Gyro Douglas Stork's Sunbeam II, many of the Prince Rupert members accompanying them.

This evening at 7 o'clock the big affair of the visit opens—that is, the institution banquet. The Prince Rupert branch will then be formally admitted to the International Association of Gyro clubs. The committee in charge of the banquet program consists of Gyros Roy Nicholls, Charli-

### FOUND WEAK SPOT IN DEMPSEY'S DEFENSE

Jack Burke Said to Have Had Best of Two Rounds With Champion

SARATOGA SPRINGS, Aug. 25.—Jack Burke, the hard hitting Pittsburg light heavyweight, uncovered a weakness in Jack Dempsey's defense yesterday which the champion will have to correct before he faces Louis Firpo on September 1. Burke found Dempsey an easy target for right hand blows, the most effective punch in Firpo's collection. He nailed the champion with solid smashes with such speed that Dempsey was fighting mad at the finish of their two stinging rounds.

### CANADIAN FARMER IS LEAVING DOCK

C.G.M.M. Vessel Completes Overhaul and Will Sail for South Tonight

C.G.M.M. paper carrier Canadian Farmer, Capt. McKernan, will leave the Canadian National dry dock this evening at 6 and will sail for Ocean Falls to resume service between that port and California. The steamer has been in dock here since early in the week undergoing annual inspection and overhaul. Bert Mantrap steamboat inspector who has been here in connection with the docking of the vessel, returns south by the Prince Rupert tonight.

### PIPE DREAM WAS REPORT C.P.R. TAKING P.G.E.

VICTORIA, Aug. 25.—Both Premier Oliver and Hon. J. D. McLean, minister of railways, last night gave a flat denial to reports that negotiations were virtually completed for the Canadian Pacific Railway to take over and operate the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. They even denied that there had been negotiations. "Someone has had a pipe dream," said Dr. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale L. Pitt and family will be passing through the city on the Prince Rupert tonight bound from Premier to Vancouver.

Balagno and Lionel Holtby. The invited guests tonight will be: Acting Mayor Collart and members of the city council; President E. C. Gibbons and Vice-president S. J. McLeod of the Prince Rupert Board of Trade; Rev. Dr. H. R. Grant, president, and T. H. Johnson, past president, of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club, and United States Consul E. A. Wakefield.



The latest invention by which the blind are enabled to read an ordinary newspaper is called the otophone. It makes ordinary printed words available. It depends not on the sense of touch, but upon hearing.

### SECOND CLASS PRICE HIGHER

Anomaly Occurred at Fish Exchange This Morning—Seventeen Boats Sold Catches

It is not often that a second-class article gets a higher price than a first-class but that anomaly occurred at the Fish Exchange this morning when the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. bid in the fare of the Canadian halibut boat Dorreen paying 11.3c for the second class fish and 11.3c for the first. In many other cases today the second class price was almost as high as the first. The price was down for the first class commodity but the second-class bidding was stiff. There were seventeen boats in altogether with catches totalling 170,500 pounds. Seven American boats had 90,500 pounds and ten Canadians, 80,000 pounds.

**American**  
Yellowstone, 16,000 pounds, at 11.5c and 9.5c, and Wave, 7,000 pounds, at 12c and 10c to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co.  
Virginia, 28,000 pounds, at 12c and 10c, to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.  
Hilda, 10,000 pounds, at 12.2c and 10c, and Pelican, 8,000 pounds, at 12c and 10.6c, to the Royal Fish Co.  
Wabash, 11,500 pounds, at 12.2c and 10.6c, and Tye, 10,000 pounds, at 12c and 10.6c, to the Pacific Fisheries.

**Canadian**  
Tramp, 6,000 pounds, at 11.3c and 11.2c; Kaien, 11,000 pounds, at 11.3c and 11.2c; Rosespit, 17,000 pounds, at 13.3c and 11.5c; Volunter, 6,000 pounds, at 11.5c and 11c; Dorreen, 8,500 pounds, at 11.3c and 11.5c, and W. F. 5,500 pounds, at 11.2c and 11c, to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.  
Malamute, 10,000 pounds, at 11.6c and 11c; Toodie, 6,000 pounds, at 12.3c and 11.5c, and Minnie V., 5,000 pounds, at 11.3c and 11c, to the Alin Fisheries.  
Eagle, 5,000 pounds, at 11.1c and 11c, to the Royal Fish Co.

### VALERA MADE PEACE OFFER

So Says Correspondent of London Newspaper: Was After the Cash

LONDON, Aug. 25.—That Eamon de Valera, a fortnight before his arrest made a secret peace offer to the Irish Free State officials, is asserted by the Daily Express correspondent. The substance of the offer was that if the government would put in de Valera's possession all republican funds in the United States, amounting to half a million, he would undertake to use them for a purely constitutional agitation in Ireland and terminate military activities.

The government turned down the offer, declaring that they would make no terms whatever.

### UCHIDA NEW PREMIER

Head of Japanese Government Has Been Prominent in Life of Country

TOKIO, Aug. 25.—Viscount Yasuya Uchida, minister for foreign affairs, has been appointed premier and will serve until a new cabinet is formed. Uchida has long been one of the notable men of Japan, having occupied various important posts including that of ambassador to the United States and to Austria-Hungary.

### DIVIDED ON PROHIBITION

HAMBURG, Aug. 25.—Enemies of the liquor traffic in Germany are divided into two classes, "temperenzlers" and "abstinezlers."

### Fire this Morning Guttled one Floor of Government Liquor Store at Victoria; Damage Big

VICTORIA, Aug. 25.—A fire which started early this morning gutted the fifth and sixth floors of the Government Liquor Warehouse, doing thousands of dollars damage. Three firemen had a narrow escape from back fire when on their way to the top in an elevator shaft. They were severely burned.

The main stock of liquors was on the lower floors. The fifth floor was used as a blending and bottling department and contained a good quantity of valuable stock.

There was about \$120,000 insurance carried on the building.

### SOCCER SEASON IS NOW OPEN DIFFICULTIES RELIEF PARTY

This Afternoon Saw all Leagues Native Colonists and Captain of Ship Desert Noice Expedition to Wrangell Island in Action in Old Country

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The soccer season formally opened this afternoon with all teams in the English league in action:

**ENGLISH LEAGUE.**  
Division I.  
Arsenal 1, Newcastle U. 4.  
Blackburn R. 3, Chelsea 0.  
Everton 2, Nottingham 1.  
Manchester 2, Sheffield U. 1.  
Sunderland 0, Westham 0.  
Birmingham 3, Aston Villa 0.  
Cardiff 3, Bolton W. 2.  
Huddersfield 1, Middlesborough 0.  
Notts 2, Burnley 1.  
Tottenham 2, Preston 0.

Division II.  
Blackpool 2, Oldham 0.  
Bury 1, Southampton 0.  
Wednesday 0, Bradford 0.  
Crystal Palace 1, Port Vale 2.  
Fulham 2, South Shields 3.  
Stoke 1, Leeds 1.  
Bristol 1, Manchester 2.  
Coventry 2, Barnsley 3.  
Derby 1, Stockport 1.  
Hull 1, Leicester 1.

Division III.—Southern  
Charlton 3, Aberdeen 1.  
Northampton 3, Brighton 0.  
Swansea 1, Luton T. 0.  
Newport 2, Exeter City 0.  
Queen's Park R. 1, Brentford 0.  
Merthyr 3, Southend 2.  
Plymouth 1, Portsmouth 2.  
Watford 2, Reading 1.  
Gillingham 1, Bristol Rovers 0.  
Norwich 1, Millwall 1.  
Swindon 3, Bournemouth 1.

Division III.—Northern  
Barrow 1, Hartlepool 2.  
Doncaster 0, Wigan Boro 0.  
Southport 1, Crewe 0.  
Bradford 1, New Brighton 1.  
Lincoln City 1, Halifax 1.  
Tranmere 2, Grimsby 1.  
Chesterfield 0, Wolverhampton 0.  
Rochdale 2, Durham 0.  
Wrexham 4, Ashington 1.  
Barrington 2, Accrington 1.  
Rotherham 0, Walsall 2.

### FREIGHTER CLEARED TODAY FOR JAPAN

C.G.M.M. Vessel has Cargo of 4,000,000 Feet of Lumber 464,000 of Which Was Loaded Here

C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Freighter, Capt. Carl Bissett, cleared this afternoon at 3 o'clock for Yokohama with a cargo of 4,000,000 feet of lumber, 464,000 feet of which was loaded here. Capt. E. McCoskie, harbor master, is taking the Freighter out as far as Triple Island from which she will set her course direct for Japan.

### EMPIRE FORESTRY PARTY ENJOYED A VISIT TO JASPER

JASPER, Aug. 25.—After their journey across the prairies the members of the Empire Forestry conference spent an enjoyable time in the park here. Colonel Rogers, park superintendent, met the party at Edmonton and accompanied them here and looked after them during their stay. They journeyed to Mount Edith Cavell and examined the forestry types near Maligne Canyon and Pyra-Railway, when asked last night to mid Mountain. Expressions of confirm the Winnipeg report that pleasure from the overseas members of the party at the beauty of the scenery were numerous.

### PRESIDENT OF C.P.R. DENIES REPORT OF PURCHASING RAILWAY

MONTREAL, Aug. 25.—"There's nothing to it," said E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, when asked last night to confirm the Winnipeg report that the C.P.R. would take over the Pacific Great Eastern. "No negotiations have ever been started. You can say that absolutely."

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