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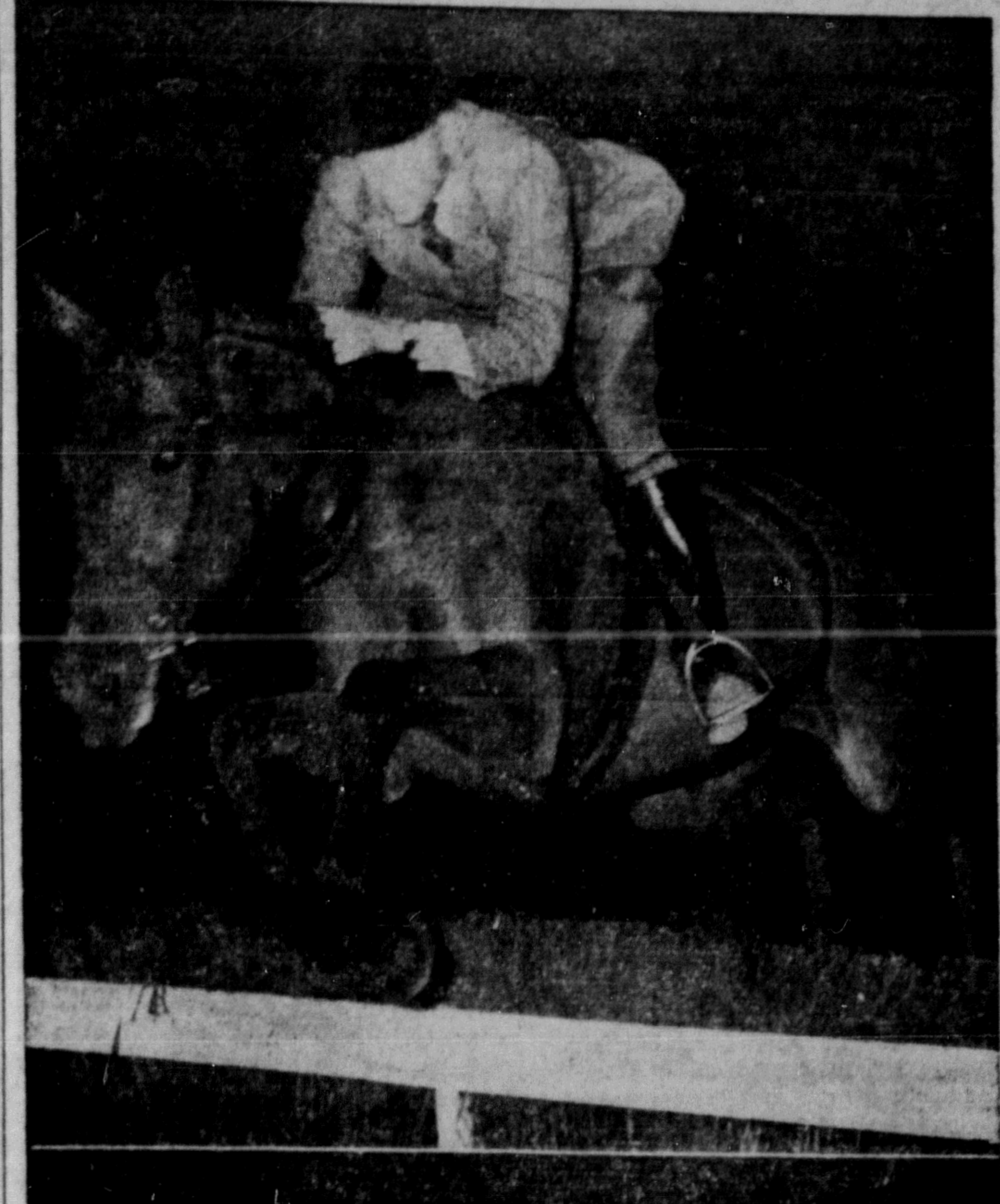
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**Leader
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WEATHER—
Synopsis
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UP AND OVER goes a champion of the horse world, the Victoria-owned mare Folly, ridden by owner C. C. Carpenter. Folly will be featured at the International Horse Show in the Vancouver Forum Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20. The show is sponsored by the Marpole Rotary Club of Vancouver and the proceeds go to the club's charities in aid of children.

Typhoon Whips Korean Coast; 1 Shipwreck; Another Missing

SEOUL —The centre of a typhoon with winds up to 100 miles per hour hit Korea's west coast at Kunsan, 80 miles south of Seoul, and roared across the peninsula towards the Sea of Japan.

The ship-wrecking storm brought torrential rains to all of South Korea. One ship was wrecked and another is overdue.

American used an oil drum raft to rescue 40 of 43 passengers and crew aboard the Japanese motor vessel Tokushin Maru. The ship broke up on rocks near the Island of Miyako, about 160 miles south of Okinawa. A woman and her two small children were lost.

Six American planes and a U.S. destroyer are searching for the Czech ship Republika with 83 persons aboard. The vessel is reported in distress about 250 miles east of Shanghai.

Kemano Worker Dies In Hospital

A Vancouver man, Simon Rosa, 40, died in hospital at Kemano this morning from injuries suffered six hours earlier when crushed by a swinging crane.

RCMP here said no further details of the accident were known here. Mr. Rosa's wife and two children live at 1215 Hornby St., Vancouver.

An inquest will be held at Kemano.

Booth Pioneer Con Man Died at Own Hands

counts.

In the summer of 1871, he turned up at an hotel at Minneapolis, Minn., where letters were received addressed to "Lard Gordon Gordon."

Twenty thousand dollars were deposited in a Minneapolis bank and overnight Lord Gordon became a local celebrity. He mixed pleasure with talk of transporting "poor" folk from his British estates to settle in Minnesota.

Lord Gordon and his talk of settlers was a natural lure to ambitious railway agents. He was courted and entertained.

Colonel J. Loomis, land commissioner of the Northern Pacific Railway, "spent \$45,000 of railway money but told his directors the noble lord would spend \$5,000,000 with them."

Lord Gordon left for New York after leading Minneapolis to believe he would return with 100 of his Scottish families. No one has ever calculated how much Minnesota money went with him.

FIRST MISTAKE

Lord Gordon achieved his greatest success in New York and made his first blunder. Railway officials again were his prey after he produced excellent credentials.

He barely escaped after trying to swindle Jay Gould, U.S. rail-

THANKSGIVING DAY—OCT. 13 PROCLAIMED PUBLIC HOLIDAY

VICTORIA —Thanksgiving Day, on October 13, has been proclaimed a public holiday.

British Columbia has proclaimed the day a holiday under the Factories Act but not under the Shops Regulations Act.

Breeze Fans Blaze Into Raging Inferno

40,000 Acres Now Afire Near Central B.C. Town

A light wind late Monday re-kindled the Tintagel fire near Burns Lake into a mass of raging flames in the northern and eastern sections of the 40,000-acre blaze.

B.C. Forest Service officials said today that while the Tintagel fire, started by a lightning strike on August 9, is believed to be the biggest fire in the province in 10 years, it is hard to estimate acreage accurately because of a heavy pall of smoke over the area.

A report from the scene said a light wind is blowing today and the weather at the scene is cool but there is no sign of rain.

Except for the north and east sections, fire lines in other parts are holding and now 120 men and six bulldozers are working around the clock in an effort to stop the spread.

TLC Maintains Socialistic Principles

WINNIPEG —Warm jurisdictional union scrap stirred the annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada soon after its opening yesterday.

Attempt to shift membership from TLC's own small directly chartered unions to big international and national unions precipitated a fight with opponents of the shift winning easily.

In the other of the day's two major controversies, the yearly assembly of the 522,000-member Congress, Canada's biggest labor body, gave no encouragement to an attempt by one of its member unions to eliminate the long standing socialist planks from the TLC's 18-point platform of principles.

President Percy Bengough urged continuance of Canadian labor's clean-up drive on Communists in union ranks, declaring they are seeking to use the union movement only to destroy it.

Four New Polio Cases Reported

VICTORIA — Four new polio cases—three of them in the Kimberley area—broke out in British Columbia during the week-end. No deaths were reported.

There have been 107 cases and 10 deaths in the province to date this year.

91-Year-Old Crosses Atlantic By Air, Says it was 'Noisy'

LONDON —"What's all the fuss about?"

That was the reaction today of 91-year-old Tim Heal of Vancouver as he stepped off an airliner after an unaccompanied flight across the Atlantic from Montreal.

The spry, beaming old-timer told reporters he decided to make the trip on the spur of the moment and see his "baby" sister, 82-year-old Mrs. Pelitha Hardy of Portsmouth.

"I really enjoyed the trip," said Heal, "except that it was a bit noisy."

After 46 years in Canada, Heal still looks and talks like an English countryman. He wore a Donegal sports jacket, pullover, flannels and a light grey trilby. He plans to return to Canada late in October.



AMONG TOKENS of appreciation presented to members of the Canadian Red Cross Society, host to the 18th International Red Cross Conference, is this "slendang" or scarf worn by Harold H. Leather, Hamilton, Chairman of the Executive Committee. The scarf and a book were gifts of the Indonesian delegates. Left to right are Seediman Kartohadiprodo, Hon. Leopold Macaulay, Chairman of Central Council, Mr. Leather, Miss Parantina R. Abdoerachman and Lt.-Col. Dr. Soemarno Sosroatmodjo.



WIFE MISSING—Robert W. King, 26, of Edmonton, whose bride of two weeks was missing from the liner Ascania when it docked in Liverpool recently, arrives in Montreal on his way back to Edmonton. He said he felt authorities had searched as thoroughly as possible for his 22-year-old bride, Benita, who disappeared while the vessel was at sea. (CP Photo)

Cost May Kill Herring Industry

VANCOUVER —British Columbia's \$8,000,000 herring industry is in danger because of rising costs and a world drop in fish oil prices of 50 per cent, Richard Nelson, president of Nelson Brothers Fisheries Ltd. of Vancouver, said here.

He said some of the companies in the industry "feel it impossible to operate and have not begun preparing nets and gear for this season."

"A year ago price of fish oil was 12 cents a pound. Today you can't sell it for more than 5 1/2 or six cents."

He said nets which used to cost \$5,000 to \$6,000 apiece now cost \$25,000 to \$30,000.

TLC Urges Firms Use Union Label

WINNIPEG —A move to promote use of union labels, shop cards and buttons in soliciting patronage for union establishments was launched today by delegates to the annual convention of Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

Delegates, meeting before the opening of the organization's 67th annual convention today, approved a constitution for a new wing of the TLC to be known as the Union Label Trades department.

It will be composed of TLC unions using labels, cards and buttons on products of members to designate union membership.

Child Drowns In Cesspool

RCMP here today were advised that two-year-old Kenneth Taylor was found dead in a cesspool at Terrace last Saturday.

A coroner's jury, after viewing the body, adjourned until Thursday.

No further details were known here.

Two Dead On Casualty List

OTTAWA —The army has issued its 127th casualty list of the Korean war, reporting one man killed in action and two wounded.

The last list was issued Aug. 15. The latest brings to 935 the total of casualties suffered to date by the Canadian Army in Korea, including 165 dead; 696 wounded, 64 injured, nine missing, and one prisoner of war.

Soap Box Derby Main Feature Labor Day Sports Heralded Big Event

The Prince Rupert Trades and Labor Council is putting the finishing touches to preparations for its Sports Day Sept. 1, heralded to be the major sports event for children in years.

Close to \$360 has been collected from city merchants for prizes which will be awarded to winners of the various races and other competitions which will be featured throughout the afternoon of Labor Day.

Harry Harrison, sports day chairman, is in charge of arrangements.

Salmon Pass Babine Slide Most Important Job Says Fisheries Man

A temporary passage at the base of the disastrous Babine River slide north of Hazelton probably will save the bulk of the 1952 sockeye-run heading for the spawning grounds.

About 75 per cent of the sockeye in the Skeena River spawn in Babine Lake, 50 miles north of the 300-foot-high slide which almost completely plugged the river last fall.

A permanent solution to the situation is expected to be known when fisheries experts return from the site later this week. Their recommendations will be completed at Vancouver.

This was disclosed here this morning by Dr. A. L. Pritchard of Ottawa, director of the conservation and development service for the federal department of fisheries.

The wilderness road has been completed to the site and men and supplies can now reach the slide where thousands of sockeye were killed or seriously bruised attempting to reach the spawning grounds last year.

Mr. Pritchard, who left here by air for Vancouver after a trip to the slide, said the department considers the work at the Babine slide the most "important thing we have right now in our service."

Four experts now are on the scene. They are: Dr. W. M. Sprules of Ottawa, chief of the fish culture development of the department of fisheries; Milo Bell of Blaine, Wash., consulting engineer well known in fisheries conservation work throughout Canada and the United States; Dr. W. H. White of the department of geology, University of B.C., and E. S. Pretious, head of the University of B.C.'s hydraulics department.

"The situation looks pretty bright," said Dr. Pritchard, who spent the past four days on the scene.

"Last year approximately 150,000 sockeye got through but many were badly bruised."

During the past week, he said, 40,000 have gone through the counting fence just below Babine Lake and "in a telephone call last night, inspectors report sockeye going past the slide at a rate of 600 to 700 an hour."

It takes the fish from five to 10 days to reach the counting

Dr. Pritchard is well known in B.C. for his work with the fisheries department having spent 14 years on the Queen Charlotte Islands tagging and counting salmon and started the scientific investigation on the Skeena.

He was instrumental in erecting the counting ladder near Babine Lake and prior to that worked at the biological station at Nanaimo.

In his present position he is responsible for all fish culture and fish protection services in Canada.

-TIDES-
Wednesday, August 20, 1952
(Pacific Standard Time)

High	1:01	19.8 feet
	13:41	19.0 feet
Low	7:24	3.1 feet
	19:34	6.1 feet

BULLETINS

Truce Possible—But When?

MUNSAN (CP)—Gen. William Harrison, senior United Nations armistice delegate, said today he thinks "armistice is possible but I haven't the faintest idea when."

Flood Claim May Reach 90

LYNMOUTH, England—Police warned today toll from Saturday's devastating flood of England's southwest coast may go as high as 90 dead. The latest official casualty figures stood at 13 known dead, with 28 missing and presumed dead.

Canada Free of Foot-Mouth

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canadian government today officially declared Canada free of foot and mouth disease. All restrictions imposed six months ago are removed, announced Agriculture Minister Gardiner.

Meanwhile, eight youngsters are working feverishly on their soap boxes for the Box Derby which will be the feature attraction of Labor Day. The derby is sponsored jointly by the TLC, Frizzell Motor Products and The Daily News.