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TEN MILLION DOLLAR RUM RUNNING RING

NEW YORK WON FIRST GAME WORLD SERIES BASEBALL IN TWELFTH INNING

Rum Running Conspiracy Found by U.S. Prohibition Agents When Half Million Dollar Cargo Seized

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Prohibition officials claim that they uncovered a gigantic Anglo-American rum running conspiracy with ten million dollars involved when they towed into the harbor the British steamer Frederick B. with a crew of 28 men and two women under an armed guard with a half million dollar cargo of liquor aboard.

Five government agents made the capture after bargaining for 25,000 cases of whiskey from the vessel's master, paying $100,000 therefor.

Bankers in the United States, Great Britain and Canada are concerned in the conspiracy, the leader of the federal forces declared.

FRANK A. BROWNE AND HIS COUNCIL

Victoria Liberal Paper Says His Action a Courageous One

Frank A. Browne, Burnaby's member-elect in the Legislature, has informed the municipal council of that riding that he proposes to attend the session of the House towards the end of October, says the Victoria Times. His communication was filed and the municipal treasurer has been instructed to call for applications for his position.

Mr. Browne is Burnaby's municipal accountant. He was faced with the ultimatum that he could either hold his job by resigning his seat in the Legislature, or obey the obvious wishes of a majority of the electorate in that constituency and end his services to the council.

The choice which Mr. Browne has made is undoubtedly a courageous one. He has decided to serve in the wider field of public duty at the expense of his weekly pay cheque. We shall hazard the guess that those members of the municipal council who seek civic honors at the next election will discover what the voters think of their action towards Mr. Browne.

INDIANS OF NAAS RIVER WILL MEET PREMIER KING HERE

(Special to Daily News)

KINCOLITH, Oct. 4.—A delegation representing the Naas River Indian reservations is planning to present a petition to Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, premier of Canada, when he visits Prince Rupert on October 13 with a view to obtaining a satisfactory settlement on the land question.

An important meeting of delegates from the reserves was held here recently. Mr. O'Meara, the legal representative of the Nishga tribes, was present and outlined the progress of negotiations with the government. It was decided to continue the efforts towards a settlement satfactory to the Indians.

LAUNCH NAAS RIVER TIES UP AT AIYANSH

(Special to Daily News)

AIYANSH, Oct. 4. — Henry Darby, who arrived here recently from Prince Rupert with freight and passengers on his new boat, Naas River, has laid the craft up for the winter here. He hopes to resume service between here and Prince Rupert next year on a regular basis.

ONE POLICE FOR WHOLE OF PROVINCE

Scheme Advocated by Some Members of Legislature at Victoria

VICTORIA, Oct. 4.—That the proposal to create a provincial police force to police the entire province will come up before the Legislature early in the session is the belief of some legislators. They point out that the failure to bring to justice the perpetrators of the recent serious crimes disclosed a situation requiring a remedy.

Alleged carelessness by municipal police in handling the Janet Smith murder case in Vancouver is held by authorities to have aided the murderer to make good his escape.

Some members of the Legislature also declare that bootlegging is practically unchecked throughout the province.

BIG TENDER ESTEVAN HERE FROM VICTORIA

Government Steamer Will Spend a Month in Northern Waters Doing Heavy Work

The big Dominion government lighthouse tender Estevan, Capt. Harry Bilton, arrived at Digby Island yesterday afternoon from Victoria and will spend a month in local waters performing heavy work among the aids to navigation. While the Estevan is here, the Newington will attend to the work out of Victoria having already gone south.

The Estevan arrived from Digby Island at 11.30 this morning and tied up at the G.T.P. wharf.

Capt. Evans is in command of the Newington relieving Capt. Harry Ormiston who has been called ashore at Victoria on account of Mrs. Ormiston's serious illness.

ODLUM MENTIONED FOR MINISTER IN OLIVER CABINET

VANCOUVER, Oct. 4.—General Victor Odlum, publisher of the Vancouver Star, is mentioned as a possible member without portfolio in the Oliver cabinet. It is known also that the friends of Ian Mackenzie have been urging that he be made the cabinet representative of Vancouver. It is possible that no appointment will be made.

World Series Baseball Opens With Win For New York in Twelfth

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—It took three extra innings to decide the opening game of the World Series here this afternoon between the Washington Senators and New York Giants, the score when the game finally did end after the twelfth inning being 4 to 3 in favor of Giants. Scoring once in the second and fourth innings, the Giants got off to a good start before the Senators had a mark on the score board. In their end of the sixth, however, the home team put its first man across the plate and, in the ninth inning, tied things up two all. New York scored two in the twelfth and Washington 1.

Walter Johnson and Harold Ruel comprised the Senators' battery with Arthur Nehf and Harry Gowdy for the Giants.

The score by innings was:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
New York ...	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—4
Washington .	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	—3

New York made 14 hits and one error; Washington, 10 hits and one error.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division I.

Aberdeen 1, Airdrieonians 2.
Hamilton 5, Cowdenheath 1.
Hearts 2, Motherwell 2.
Kilmarnock 2, Third Lanark 2.
Norton 2, Falkirk 0.
Queen's Park 0, Patrick Thistle 0.
Raith R. 2, Ayr United 1.
St. Johnstone 1, Dundee 2.
St. Mirren 2, Hibernians 2.

BELLA COOLA WHARF

John Currie, local contractor, has been awarded the contract for the new Dominion government wharf at Bella Coola. It will cost about $10,000.

The new road to connect with this wharf will be built by Robertson Bros., Vancouver contractors. It will cost about $65,000 and is being built by the provincial department of public works. Work will start immediately.

The Britannia trophy, the blue ribbon classic of the air, has been awarded to A. J. Cobham, famous British airman. The prize is presented each year by the Royal Aero Club "for the most meritorious performance in the air."

Prince Paying Holiday Vistt to Vancouver is Cheered on Arrival at Hotel and Inside

VANCOUVER, Oct. 4.—The Prince of Wales arrived here over the Canadian National Railway at ten o'clock last night. Only Mayor Owen and the members of the city council were in the station to welcome him to the city. He drove in the mayor's car to the Hotel Vancouver where a large crowd outside and in the rotunda cheered lustily.

The Prince repeatedly raised his hat while rapidly crossing the rotunda to the elevator.

The whole eighth floor of the hotel has been reserved for the use of the royal visitor. He will occupy the same apartments and the same bed that he used when previously in Vancouver on September 22, 1919.

No entertainment or functions have been arranged as the Prince specially desired the visit to be regarded as informal and in the nature of a holiday.

The Itinerary

The complete itinerary of the Prince's visit has not been arranged but he has agreed to be in Toronto on October 15 and 16 and in Ottawa on October 17 and 18. He is considering invitations to visit New England as well as Chicago and Detroit.

The Prince leaves Sunday morning for Victoria where he will remain until Tuesday night, dining with the Lieut. Governor Monday night. He leaves Vancouver for the east Wednesday morning, arriving at Winnipeg October 10 and remaining one day.

PARENT-TEACHERS GIVE CARD PARTY

A very successful bridge and whist drive was held last evening by the Prince Rupert Parent-Teachers' Association in the Metropole Hall. There were sixteen tables.

Prize winners were as follows:

Whist—Ladies' first, Mrs. A. Ivarson; ladies' consolation, Miss Weatherhead; men's first, Fred Pyle; men's consolation, John Bremner.

Bridge—Ladies' first, Mrs. W. S. Fisher; consolation, Miss S. A. Mills men's first, William Millar; men's consolation, W. D. Vance.

Refreshments were served.

KILLING CATTLE TO STOP DISEASE

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 4. — Nearly 1900 cattle, about one fourth of which were pure blooded stock valued at $175,000 were shot and killed south of here yesterday in an effort to eradicate foot and mouth disease.

INTERESTING ARTICLE ON PRINCE RUPERT BY F. S. WRIGHT, EDMONTON

Copies of the monthly magazine "Good Roads," edited by F. S. Wright, formerly of this city, were received last night by the board of trade along with a letter from Mr. Wright drawing attention to the article. The photos and material for this were provided by the Board and the article was written by Mr. Wright. Several good pictures of the city and surroundings are shown and the article is well written.

Good Roads is the official organ of the Edmonton Automobile and Good Roads Association.

ALASKA CANNERY AND SALMON BURNED

JUNEAU, Oct. 4.—The cannery of the Alaska Consolidated Canneries was destroyed by fire here yesterday with 35,000 cases of salmon. The loss is estimated at $400,000.

Limitation of Armaments Gets Nearer Realization as Result of Step at Geneva Conference

GENEVA, Oct. 4.— The Council of the League of Nations previous to adjournment last night adopted resolutions whereby in preparation for next year's conference on the reduction of armaments the league's disarmament commission may be transferred to a commission of co-ordinations. This commission will consist of representatives of all states having seats in the council, two members each from the economical, financial, and transit organizations of the league, six military and naval experts, two members of employees and two of the workingmen group of the international labor bureau and several jurists.

The commission will hold its first meeting in Geneva on November 17 to co-ordinate preparations for the conference.

KING HUSSEIN HAS ABDICATED

Has Held Mecca, Holy City of Islam, Against Warring Tribesmen

CAIRO, Oct. 4.—King Hussein of the Hedjas, who has been holding the holy city of Mecca against warring tribesmen, has abdicated, according to advices received here.

Mecca is the reputed birthplace of the prophet Mohammed, founder of the Mohammedan religion, and is annually visited by thousands of pilgrims. It is the aim of every true Mohammedan to visit Mecca at least once during his life.

PRESS ASSOCIATIONS ANNUAL MEETING AT VANCOUVER PROCEEDING

VANCOUVER, Oct. 4. — L. D. Nesbitt of the Bassano Star has been elected president of the Alberta Press Association at the annual meeting of that organization held in conjunction with the British Columbia and Yukon Press Associations. The meeting was well attended and important business is being transacted. It is expected that it will adjourn tonight following the election of all officers.

HOPES MR. MCLEOD WILL BE PROMOTED BACK HERE

J. W. Scott, president of the Board of Trade, last night referred to the fact that S. J. McLeod, former president, was leaving the city. He hoped that very soon this city would make such progress that Mr. McLeod would receive a promotion back to Prince Rupert.

In the returning sentiment Mr. McLeod heartily concurred. He thanked the president for the good wishes expressed.

PRINCE GEORGE TO MAKE SPECIAL TRIP

C.N.R. steamer Prince George, Capt. Harry Nedden, on arrival here from the south this evening, will be withdrawn from regular service but is to make a special trip to Vancouver tomorrow with 8,000 cases of salmon and any passengers that offer. She will start loading the salmon tomorrow morning and should get away some time in the afternoon.

The Prince Rupert, Capt. D. Donald, will replace the Prince Prince George in the regular coast service with the sailing for Vancouver via Swanson Bay, Ocean Falls and Powell River at midnight tonight.

INVESTIGATE HARBOR TOLLS

Complaint That Business Being Driven Away From Vancouver by Board

VICTORIA, Oct. 4. — Reports that the Vancouver harbor board has raised its harbor tolls on liquor cargoes to such an extent that liquor shipments will be driven away from Vancouver, will be investigated by Premier Oliver. "If it is as reported, liquor cargoes will go through other ports as a result of the heavy charges of the Vancouver Board and it will reduce the tonnage of that port considerably," he asserted.

FISH PRICES HIGHER TODAY

Over Hundred Thousand Pounds Arrive From Banks

The situation being settled again after the strike at the Cold Storage and halibut being none too plentiful, prices were on the rise at the Fish Exchange this morning. American arrivals all got well over 16c and 7c, while Canadians averaged over 14c and 7c. Three American boats offered 67,200 pounds, five Canadians had 23,500 pounds, and the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.'s boat, Andrew Kelley, was in with 25,000 pounds— a total for the day of 115,700 pounds.

Arrivals and sales at the Exchange were as follows:

American

Eagle, 55,000 lbs., at 16.2c and 7c, to the Royal Fish Co. and Atlin Fisheries.

Eureka, 3,200 lbs., at 16.3c and 7c, to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

Valorous, 9,000 lbs., at 16.6c and 7c to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co.

Canadian

Inez H., 5,500 lbs. and Selma, 7,000 lbs. at 14.1c and 8c to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

Fisher, 4,000 lbs., at 14.5c and 7c, to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

Kouyosu, 5,500 lbs., at 14.5c and 7c to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co.

Point May, 2,000 lbs., at 13.5c and 7c, to the Royal Fish Co.

BOAT AT 10 O'CLOCK

C.N.R. steamer Prince George, Capt. Harry Nedden, is due to arrive from Vancouver at 10 o'clock this evening. The vessel had a number of passengers for the easthound train which will be held pending her arrival.