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VANCOUVER LIQ. VENDOR WINS LIBEL SUIT

NOVA SCOTIA STRONGLY CONSERVATIVE WIPING OUT LIBERAL AND LABOR

Liberals and Laborites go down to defeat when Conservatives win N.S.

Only One Minister is Elected and Combined Opposition of Four out of Forty-Three

HALIFAX, June 26.—Premier Armstrong's Liberal government went down to overwhelming defeat in the general elections throughout Nova Scotia yesterday. Early last night indications were that the Conservatives under Hon. E. N. Rhodes are returned with a majority of anywhere from 30 to 40 in a house of 43 members.

Premier Armstrong was beaten in his own riding of Shelburne.

HALIFAX, June 26 (noon).—Nova Scotia found itself this morning in the hands of a Conservative administration for the first time in 43 years. The latest returns show the Liberals with only three sure seats in an assembly of 43.

Eight Labor candidates, it is estimated, are believed to have lost their deposits. Hon. Wm. Ghisholm, minister of works and mines, is the only cabinet minister elected in Antigonish county.

It now looks as if there would be a house of 39 Conservatives, three Liberals and possibly one Laborite, Archibald Terris, who ran in Cumberland county with the endorsement of the Conservatives.

Notification being given through Ald. Casey that Williams, Manson & Gonzales, acting on behalf of the Retail Merchants' Association, intended to secure an injunction and sue each member of the council who voted for the refund and the city treasurer if refund was made of license fees of \$50 each collected on the magistrate's order recently from a group of women book agents, the city council decided last night to withhold the making of the refund until the matter may again be taken up at the next meeting of the council. City Solicitor Jones advised the council to take this step.

At the council meeting last Monday night, the council on a majority vote decided to make the refund.

VERY LITTLE HALIBUT IS SOLD HERE TODAY

Fish sales at the Exchange this morning were small. Following was the details:

American
Uranus 13,000 and Tye 9,500 to Booth Fisheries at 11.80c and 5c.

Canadian
Ingred H. 11,000 and Volunteer 11,000 to Gold Storage at 10 and 6.

D.S.T. 9,000 to Alfin Fisheries at 10.50 and 6.5.

Yule 1,000 to Royal Fish Co. at 10.20 and 6.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Casley returned to the city from the south on the Prince George this morning.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF CITY CLOSED TODAY

Little Formally in Final Dismissal of pupils for Long Holiday

The public schools closed this morning and the children now have set out on their long holiday of something like ten weeks. There were very few formalities in connection with the closing. Some of the rooms had little concerts, receptions, and in some cases presentations.

Most of the teachers are leaving the city for the vacation, a good many going to their homes in the south.



So this is Canada—and that's Quebec," lip these little immigrant tots as they catch their first glimpse of a new world by landing at an old-world city.

Ladies Home Journal Publishers are Sued for Libel and have to Pay \$6,000 to Vancouver Man

Said Small Children Purchased Liquor at the Government Store and 225 Bootleggers in City

VANCOUVER, June 26.—A. C. Dixon, government liquor vendor, was awarded \$6,000 damages by a jury in the Supreme Court in an action against the Curtis Publishing Co. and A. B. Macdonald of Kansas City.

Dixon's libel action was based on a story written by Macdonald and published in the Ladies' Home Journal for June, 1924, to the effect that Macdonald had seen children, who were so small that they were forced to stand on tiptoe to reach the top of the counter, being served with liquor in the Hastings street store.

In addition Macdonald credited Vancouver with having 225 bootlegging establishments in which thousands of people were drunk during the night of his investigation in December, 1923.

FIRE DAMAGES CENTRAL HOTEL

Water More Serious Factor Than Flames Which Broke Out in Roof This Morning

Due more to water than fire, considerable damage was done to the southeast corner of the Central Hotel this morning when fire broke out in the roof and fanned by a strong wind, had made some headway before it was discovered. The cause of the flames had not been definitely ascertained this morning. The alarm being turned in at 9.45 by J. Slade Stevens, who from his office across the street, noticed smoke issuing from the roof. By the time the fire department arrived the flames had taken some hold and it was necessary to string two hose lines through the three storeys of the building and roof was burned but water going down into the rooms caused more damage to the interior of the buildings and its furnishings. Pete Black Jr.'s radio outfit also came in for some damage.

So pleased were Mr. and Mrs. Black with the work of the fire department that, soon after the blaze had been extinguished, they sent a check for \$50 to the Hall to be split up among the firemen. The department was also given able assistance by citizens who happened to be on hand.

SENATE QUASHES B.C. LIQUOR BILL

OTTAWA, June 26.—A six months' hoist was given in the Senate to the bill amending the Canada Temperance Act to prohibit the importation of liquor by private persons in territory where there is government sale.

The Bill has intended to benefit British Columbia.

The mail passenger train, due from the east at 3.30 this afternoon, is reported on time.

Heat Wave Struck Southern B.C. Victoria showing 95 Degrees, New Westminster 94 and Vancouver 92

VANCOUVER, June 26.—The heat wave that for the past day or two has been hovering over the Pacific coast states extended to British Columbia yesterday when record June temperatures were registered in many places.

In Vancouver the thermometer mounted to 92.4, within a fraction of the highest temperature ever recorded here. In New Westminster the record showed 94, the warmest in 25 years.

Victoria went higher than any, the thermometer showing 95, the highest in the 51 years that the records have been kept.

Wong Foon Sing Abduction Case Commences and Papers Produced After Chinaman Had Told Story

VANCOUVER, June 26.—Wong Foon Sing's sworn testimony on the kidnapping on March 20 and the incidents which followed for 41 days before he was released were related in the Point Grey police court yesterday at the hearing of ten of the people accused of being implicated in his "illegal detention."

The Chinaman's story differed little from the previous stories published and he insisted that he had been hanged until he lost consciousness. His examination and cross-examination were finished and the afternoon session was taken up with the production of the contents of the vault of the Canadian Detective Agency seized by the Provincial police.

O. B. V. Robinson and his son were released on bail.

Joseph Oliver, counsel for Robinson, protested that the business card of M. B. Jackson, K.C., special investigator of the Janet Smith murder, which was supposed to have been found in Robinson's papers seized was not produced.

Inspector Forbes Cruikshank, provincial police officer who seized the papers, denied that such a card was found.

A long list of papers and documents were produced and the hearing was adjourned until 2.30 this afternoon.

KIWANIS CONVENTION GOES TO MONTREAL

Famous Canadian National Railway's Pipe Band Took Part in Demonstration

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 26.—Immediately following a tableau typical of the arrival of Champ-lain in Montreal, followed by an official invitation extended by Henry J. Elleot of Montreal, the 5,000 Kiwanians assembled in this city today voted unanimously to hold 1926 convention in Montreal next June.

The vote for the convention followed a demonstration by the Montreal delegation in which the famous pipe band of the Canadian National Railway shops at Transeona, Manitoba, participated. The pipe band also took part in the invitation at the convention hall following the tableau with music and fancy marching and supporting the actors and the speakers as well as displaying the huge flag presented to the winning convention city. The band was loaned by the C.N.R.

FIRE WIPES OUT VILLAGE

Catholic Church and Twenty-Three Houses Taken When Clayoquot Destroyed

VICTORIA, June 26.—Twenty-three houses and the Catholic Church of the Indian village of Clayoquot on the west coast of Vancouver Island have been destroyed by fire, according to word received here. So far as is known no lives were lost.

FRED MIGGINS WAS IN AN AUTO SMASH

Fred Miggins, Aldergrove, was arrested on a charge of driving to the common danger, and his wife, Josie Miggins, on a charge of being intoxicated, after an automobile driven by Miggins, crashed into and demolished a fire hydrant at Powell Street and Campbell avenue. The breaking of the hydrant caused a miniature flood and workmen from the waterworks department had to be called out to repair the damage.

—Vancouver Province.

FIRE GUTTED SHOP CITY OF VICTORIA

VICTORIA, June 26.—A fire here gutted the premises of the Staples & Carter Electric Company doing damage to the extent of about \$20,000.

Mrs. L. P. Kenny and family are sailing tomorrow night on the Prince George for Victoria.

KILLED BY AUTOS CITY OF VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, June 26.—Phyllis Martindale, 15 years of age, was killed on Kingsway last evening when struck by an auto.

This morning, on the same highway, Lawrence Couseneau was killed and his father and brother injured when the car they were driving to work was struck by a fire truck.

THEATRE FIRE KANSAS CITY

Several Lose Lives Probably in Blaze But Number Not Yet Known

KANSAS CITY, June 26.—Probably 35 people were killed and scores injured when an explosion followed by fire destroyed the Burlesque Theatre here last night while an audience of about 100 was viewing motion pictures.

A volunteer corps of firemen is today digging in the smoldering debris for bodies but the number of known dead is still uncertain.

The explosion in the theatre, which was on the second storey of an ancient five-storey building, came at eleven o'clock and was followed immediately by an outburst of flames and the collapse of the floor and balcony of the auditorium.

Most of the members of the Burlesque company were in a nearby restaurant at the time.

Later News Better

KANSAS CITY, June 26 (noon).—Only one death, that of a fireman killed en route to the fire at the Gillis Theatre last night is definitely known this morning and it is believed that not more than six or eight bodies will be found in the debris.

COL. McMULLIN VISITING CITY

Superintendent of Provincial Police Arrives from Interior and Will go South Tomorrow

In the course of a tour of the district on an official inspection trip, J. H. McMullin, superintendent of provincial police and former government agent here, arrived in the city from the interior last night and will proceed south on the Princess Beatrice tomorrow.

Mr. McMullin has been visiting Kamloops, Quesnel, Prince George and Smithers. He had no official announcements to make this morning other than that it was expected to get the local and district provincial police force into their new uniforms in the very near future.

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