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FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT SECURITY PACT

MRS. SMITH HAD SPLENDID RECEPTION AT ANYOX AND SPOKE FOUR TIMES

Tests of Recovery of Gold from Black Sands Queen Charlotte Isds.

New company of Philadelphia interests being formed in addition to Toronto Syndicate on Cabrera's Specifications

Conclusive results have been obtained after a period of nearly two years' continuous work on the gold bearing sands of Graham Island, announces Charles T. Cabrera, the originator of a cyanide process for the treatment of auriferous black sands, who concluded his work this year for a Toronto syndicate.

From September 26 to October 6 seventy-two tons of sands were dug from the beach on the northeast coast of Graham Island. These sands were screened and the screenings amounting to forty-eight tons were treated by cyanide. Three and five-sixths ounces of gold were recovered valued at seventy-six dollars, an average of one dollar and six cents per ton of sand mined.

TAX CHARGES ARE WITHDRAWN

Fruit Dealers' Trial to Proceed on Remaining Charges Early in November

VANCOUVER, Oct. 17. — To avoid legal complications and with the consent of the crown counsel the prosecution on six of the charges of 53 western Canadian fruit dealers charged with infraction of the Combines Investigation Act were abandoned today. Trial on the other charges will proceed the first week in November on ten remaining charges on which the accused are indicted.

LASHES FOR BANK ROBBERS

Eight Years in Penitentiary For Three Men Who Got Away With Loot

NANAIMO, Oct. 17. — Pleading guilty to the robbery of \$42,000 from the Royal Bank here last December 12, Edward Gorman, T. B. Castro and T. H. Johnston were yesterday sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary and 20 lashes each by Magistrate Beavor-Potts.

William Bagley was handed over to the British Columbia police yesterday for a hearing here today.

GRAIN MOVING TO VANCOUVER

More Than Three Times as Much This Year to Date as for Corresponding Period 1924

WINNIPEG, Oct. 17. — Deliveries of grain at Vancouver by the Canadian National Railways show a striking increase over those for 1924. In the period from August 1 to Thursday night of this week deliveries totalled 1926 cars as against 527 cars in the same period of last year.

EMPRESS SAILED.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 17. — Delayed more than 24 hours in Vancouver harbor with 500 passengers aboard, the liner Empress of Russia yesterday sailed for the Orient when the fog lifted slightly.

SALTRY LOSS WAS REDUCED

Nearly Half of Fish That Was Thrown in Water Recovered — New and Larger Plant to be Built

According to word reaching the city on the Prince John last night, the loss as a result of the saltery collapse at Jedway a couple of weeks ago will not be as great as was at first anticipated. Of the 130,000 mild cured fish that went into the water with the wharf, 60,000 have been salvaged. The staff worked night and day for four days recovering it and putting up makeshift houses to replace those that were lost.

It is the intention of the Vancouver company operating the saltery to replace it with a new and larger structure that will be ready for next year's operations.

TORNADO TRAVELLING 80 MILES AN HOUR IN KENTUCKY DOES DAMAGE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 17. — Houses were unroofed and many farm buildings destroyed and other property damaged when a tornado travelling at 80 miles an hour swept central Kentucky late Friday. The number of injured may probably reach 25 people, scattered among twelve towns.

GEN. CURRIE SEES PEACE

Declares That in Spite of Murruming and Declamation There is Prosperity

VANCOUVER, Oct. 17. — "In spite of all the murruming and declamation, there seems to be peace, prosperity and happiness throughout this land," said General Sir Arthur Currie, principal of McGill University, addressing a Canadian Club luncheon here yesterday.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

- ENGLISH LEAGUE Division I.**
- Arsenal 5, Cardiff City 0.
 - Aston Villa 3, Birmingham 3.
 - Bolton Wanderers 2, Blackburn Rovers 2.
 - Burnley 1, Everton 3.
 - Leeds United 0, Huddersfield 4.
 - Leicester City 3, West Bromwich Albion 0.
 - Liverpool 2, Manchester City 1.
 - Manchester United 0, Tottenham Hotspur 0.
 - Newcastle United 0, Sunderland 0.
 - Notts Country 4, Bury 1.
 - West Ham 1, Sheffield United 3.
- SCOTTISH LEAGUE Division I.**
- Clydebank 3, Partick Thistles 2.
 - Cowdenbeath 2, Raith Rovers 1.
 - Dunfermline 3, Aberdeen 2.
 - Falkirk 2, Airdrieonians 1.
 - Hamilton 0, Motherwell 2.
 - Hibernians 0, Hearts 0.
 - Kilmarnock 2, St. Mirren 3.
 - Morton 3, St. Johnstone 1.
 - Queen's Park 2, Dundee United 1.
 - Rangers 1, Celtic 0.

COLLISION IN ITALY

BRESSANA, Italy, Oct. 17. — Twelve persons were killed and 20 injured this morning when a freight train crashed into a passenger train near here today.

Endorsement of Nickerson was Refused by Robert Forke Leader of Progressive Party

A political meeting early in the campaign the standing of George W. Nickerson as a representative of the Progressive Party was challenged by one of the speakers. Mr. Nickerson replied a few days later that if anyone doubted his standing, the wires were working, intimating that information could be secured.

The Liberal committee got busy and the following telegram received by Hon. J. H. King, leader of the B.C. Liberals, from Robert Forke, Progressive leader, has been forwarded to the local committee:

"Hon. Dr. J. H. King.
"Have not endorsed any candidate, have left this to constituents. Nickerson wired me for endorsement; did not do so; only told him Progressive platform was his to support if he so desired."
"Brandon, Man."
"Robert Forke."

PEACE WINS AT LOCARNO

Formal Announcement Made of Signing of Final Protocol by Delegates

LOCARNO, Oct. 17. — Europe's great security conference ended last night in a victory for peace. At exactly 7.30 the European statesmen who made this victory possible threw open the window on the second floor of the Palace of Justice and, rejecting decorum, announced to the waiting multitude that the Rhine Pact and other treaties had been formally approved. One of them held aloft the final protocol bearing the signatures of all the delegations as proof that the conference had succeeded in its mission.

BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION GOES INTO LIQUIDATION

LONDON, Oct. 17. — The affairs of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley will be placed in the hands of the liquidator, it was announced today.

Last year a great loss was incurred and this had been largely increased during the present season.

SCARCITY HALIBUT KEEPS PRICES HIGH

Stiff prices are still being paid for halibut as a result of scarcity. Arrivals follow:

American

- Onah 8,000 to Gold Storage at 17.10 and 6.
- Eureka 9,000 to Booth Fisheries at 16.60 and 6.
- Grayling 4,500 to Booth Fisheries at 16.80 and 6.

Canadian

- Muirneac 6,000 to Gold Storage at 17.80 and 6.
- Tramp 6,500 to Atlin Fisheries at 16 and 6.
- Toodiel 1,500 to Gold Storage at 16.50 and 6.

STOCK MARKET

	Bid.	Asked.
B.C. Silver	1.38	1.42
Dunwell	1.53	1.65
Hazelton		.02
L. and L.	.16	.20
Premier	2.27	2.30
Silvercrest	.05 1/4	.08
Surf Inlet	.06 1/2	.07 1/2
Howe Sound	25.00	

Over Six Hundred People Hear Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith at Anyox and Vote of Support is Passed

ANYOX, Oct. 17. — Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith has won the hearts of the people of Anyox and a thumping majority for Fred Stork is assured here.

Upon notice of her coming, women irrespective of political party, organized to do her honor. Notwithstanding the delay in the arrival of the boat, the full program was carried out. The women were addressed at two social gatherings Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Swanson at the mine Friday afternoon, and at the Elks' Hall at the Beach. The special value of the ballot was stressed in both addresses.

Two mass meetings eclipsing in numbers all meetings of the last two campaigns were held in which Mrs. Smith and H. F. Kergin upheld the Mackenzie King administration and shattered the attacks of the opposition. The mine meeting closed with a unanimous vote to support the Liberal candidate.

Mrs. Smith's address to a packed hall at the beach was perhaps the most effective in her career. The independent and undecided voters were obviously impressed. Altogether upwards of six hundred electors heard Mrs. Smith and many inquiries about registering were heard after the meeting.

Mrs. Smith and Mr. Kergin left for Alice Arm and will go on to Stewart before returning south on the Cardena Tuesday.

PRINCE GEORGE IS DUE AT 7.30 TONIGHT

C.N.R. Vessel's Arrival Delayed on Account of Heavy Fogs Down the Coast

C.N.R. steamer Prince George, Capt. Harry Nodden, is due to arrive in port from the south at 7.30 this evening, the delay being on account of fog.

The George reported herself due here at noon until this afternoon when word was received she would not arrive until tonight. The train for the East, which had been held for her, was then despatched East at 2 o'clock.

LUMBER YARD FIRE

NELSON, Oct. 17. — Fire yesterday destroyed 1,600,000 feet of lumber at the yards of the Watts Lumber Co. at Evans Lake at a loss of \$75,000.

KEEP AWAY FROM RUPERT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons living outside the city and who at present have intentions of coming to Prince Rupert for the purpose of obtaining work that it is advisable that they should give up their intention of so doing.

The City Council has decided that no doles are to be given this winter and that all city work will be given to permanent residents of the city.

Notice is further given that so far as the labor market in Prince Rupert is concerned it is fully supplied with labor and that Prince Rupert is a very undesirable place for persons to come to at present for the purpose of obtaining work.

E. F. JONES,
City Clerk.

WORK CAR WAS HIT BY TRAIN

TERRACE, Oct. 17. — What might have proved to be a much more serious accident occurred on Thursday at Salvus East when the work car, on which Constable Eggleshaw of Terrace and W. Service, policeman from Smithers, together with the section crew from Salvus, was hit by a freight train in a rock cut near Salvus. The passengers all jumped to safety but the car was completely demolished.

FOLEY WON DECISION

VANCOUVER, Oct. 17. — Vic Foley won a ten round decision over Joe Lynch of California here last night.

SEVEN GRANTED L.L.D. DEGREES

University of B.C. Hands Out Honors to Prominent People at Convocation

VANCOUVER, Oct. 17. — Seven honorary degrees of L.L.D. were conferred at the first assembly of the convocation of the University of British Columbia last night, bringing to a close the dedication ceremonies in connection with the opening of the new buildings at Point Grey. The recipients were:

- Lieut.-Governor Nicol.
- Sir Arthur Currie, president of McGill University.
- Dr. Henry Suzzallo of the University of Washington.
- Hon. J. D. Maclean, minister of education.
- Dr. R. E. Mackenzie, chancellor of the University of B.C.
- Dr. T. S. Plaskett, F.R.S., head of the astro-physical observatory at Victoria.
- Dr. H. E. Young, provincial superintendent of health.

DUTCH VESSEL IS DAMAGED

Thousand Tons of Cargo Being Lightered from Eemdyk on Bentinck Island

VICTORIA, Oct. 17. — A thousand tons of cargo is being lightered from the Dutch freighter Eemdyk which is ashore at Bentinck Island following failure of an attempt to pull the ship off the rocks. The craft is badly damaged on the port side from bridge to bow but is practically intact on the starboard side. Number One hold is flooded while some water has also entered number two hold.