THRILLING TALE RUSSIAN ESCAPE

Settler Now in Canada in Danger of Life Coming to This Country.

TARGET FOR BULLETS

Alberta Settler was Formerly Officer in White Army Fighting Against Bolsheviks

CALGARY, June 14.—A story replete with thrills and daring adventure, revealing hair raising experiences such as would provide abundant material for a novel, was related here for the first time by Alexander Nicholaevitch Kazan-Bek, who some time ago reached Canada to take up farming near Ponoka, Alta. Alexander, a young Russian aristocrat and formerly a cavalry officer in the White army, is the principal in the tale of unusual exploits.

Alexander relates that during the latter part of the revolution, when the White forces were coming near the end of their resistance and the retreat was at hand, he was stricken with typhus and left to the mercy of the advancing Red Troops. He was captured.

Lay in Prison

For nine months Alexander lay in prison in Siberia during which time he was condemned to die, but by luck, as he puts it, was saved from that fate.

When he was liberated, he was compelled to work in a Soviet factory as bookkeeper. Three years later he was permitted to return to his native home in Kazan. Here he and other former White oficers, organized a secret society, composed of the enemies of the Red regime. This went on for several months, during which time he was forced to report periodically to the Soviet authorities, who kept him under strict surveillance owing to his Imperialistic leanings. Finally he and his associates decided to make a break for freedom with a view to reaching Canada.

False Passports

With great difficulty he managed to obtain a false vise and passport from a friend employed in the government service. He travelled through a barren country by night and succeeded after several days in reaching Blagoveschensk on the river Amur, between Siberia and China. Here he was joined by two friends and together the trio sought refuge with an innkeeper who undertook to smuggle them across the Chinese border.

While the fugitives were awaiting to be escorted to safety, the innkeeper rushed in to inform them that Soviet detectives were approaching the house on their trail. Reaching a quick decision the three wrapped themselves in white sheets and jumped through a window facing the Amur river. As they jumped from the bank, the crack of the breaking ice, alarmed the sentinels.

Bullets Flying

With bullets flying about them the three waded through the icy stream and snow, and through their cloak of white succeeded in evading their pursurers who continued to fire for a long time after they had reached safety.

Eventually the fugitives reached the city of Sahalyan in China where they rested for three weeks. As the result of a false report given to the Chinese police by the Soviet consul, they were arrested for the alleged murder of a gold miner and given twenty-four hours in which to leave the city. Later they were permitted to return when the true facts were disclosed. They staged a vaudeville entertainment in order to raise funds to reach the Chinese seaboard. At Harbin the three were joined by a group of Russian refugees, who were planning to come to Canada.

Passage to Vancouver

On the eve of the civil war in China, this small band of outlawed Imperialists, obtained passage to Vancouver, despite determined efforts on the part of the Chinese Reds to prevent their departure.

Most of this group now forms part of a Russian colony in the district of Home Glen, thirty miles west of Ponoka, Alta.

Notwithstanding his treatment under the Soviet rule, Alexander declares he has ambitions to return to his native land, to assist in the industrial reformation. At present he is taking a course in electrical engineering.

BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus

ROTARY CLUB CONVENTION

Big International Event Taking Place This Week at Denver Opening Tonight

CITY IS DECORATED

DENVER, June 14—Thousands of Rotarians, from 2,500 cities in 35 different countries are in Denver for the seventeenth annual convention of Rotary, which will open officially tonight at the city auditorium. Judging from the registration, which began with early arrivals on Saturday and Sunday, the number will reach the 12,000 mark including delegates, their families and friends. Every down town street, hotel lobby and restaurant is gay with the festive air of Rotarians who are seen everywhere.

1,500 Denver citizens become personal hosts of Rotarians. The registrations have exceeded the notel accommodations and 1,500 Denver homes have been opened through the natural hospitality of Denver citizens who are not Rotarians and who are proving themselves true hosts, by taking strangers from all parts of the world into the bosom of their families.

By train, and by auto they have come and are still coming in groups of twos, threes and by dozens and by special trains. On their approaching the city the visitors have been met by Rotary representatives accompanied by Boy Scouts and Highlander boys who guide them to their destinations. These lads have been stationed at camps about six miles out of the city on all of the main highways into Denver. As the Rotarian who is motoring stops at the camp he is guided to his hotel or private lodging place by a boy, who rides with him into the city. Hundreds of Boy Scouts and Highlander boys will also serve as messengers to the officials during the days of the convention.

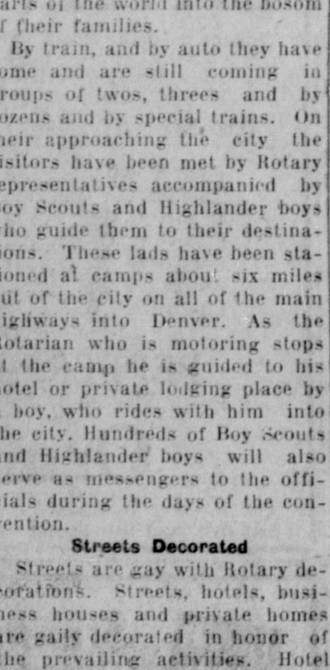
Streets Decorated

Streets are gay with Rotary decorations. Streets, hotels, business houses and private homes are gaily decorated in honor of the prevailing activities. Hotel lobbies are the mecca for bands and choral singing and these spots are proving very popular with the visitors. The Helena, Mont., band of 48 pieces has been brought to Denver by the Helena Club.

Many special events are being planned, including a monster Rotary pageant, on Monday with 1,200 participating. The Denver Choral Society and the Denver Civic Symphony orchestra will assist in this entertainment.

A dinner of Rotarians from the 12 Spanish speaking nations will be given on Tuesday evening, and there will be special banquets of the British delegation, the South American delegation, the New England and others from sectional parts of the United States.

The Rotarians have never staged a greater gathering in the history of Rotary, for the registration shows a greater number of cities represented, not only from this country but from all over the world, including Shanghai, Auckland, Capetown, Sidney, Madrid, Buenos Ayres, Paris and Vienna among others.



"Joy Maids" in high class Vaudeville, Westholme Theatre, tonight and tomorrow.

TENNIS CLUB GAMES START

First Round of Championship Tournament Played Yesterday

The first round of the Prince Rupert Tennis Club's championship tournament took place yesterday afternoon with scores as follows:

Men's Singles

Joslin beat Butler, 6-1, 6-3.

McMordie beat Mackenzie, 6-1, 6-8, 6-4.

Carmichael beat Balfour, 6-0, 6-1.

Black beat Walters, 6-1, 6-1.

Lambie beat Johns, 6-1, 6-1.

Howard beat Fulton, 6-2, 6-1.

Marentette beat Smith, 6-1, 6-0.

Lambie beat Campbell, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5.

Crew won by default.

Men's Doubles

Robertson and Marentette beat Campbell and Carmichael, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3.

Howard and Smith beat McMordie and Fulton, 6-4, 6-3.

Mackenzie and Cruikshank beat Butler and Walters, 10-8, 6-0.

Lambie and Balfour beat Crew and Black, 4-6, 9-7, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles

Balfour and Miss Mitchell beat Cruikshank and Miss Cunningham, 6-2, 6-2.

Col. and Mrs. McMordie won by default.

Tonight's Draw

Draws for tonight have been made as follows:

5.00—Robertson vs. Cruikshank (unfinished).
Marentette vs. Crewe.

6.30—Winner of Robertson and Cruikshank vs. Joslin.

7.00—Lambie vs. Howard.

7.30—Miss Curtin and Miss Mitchell vs. Miss Tremayne and Miss Cunningham.

SPORT CHAT

Fixtures scheduled for the coming week are as follows:

Monday (tonight) — Dominion Day cup ties—Cold Storage vs. Grand Terminals.

Tuesday—Senior baseball, Native Sons of Canada vs. Gyro Club.

Wednesday—Intermediate football, Naval Reserve vs. Y Maes.

Thursday (afternoon)—Gyro vs. Rotary baseball
(evening)—Dominion Day cup ties, Grand Terminals vs. Moose.

Friday—Senior baseball, Gyros vs. Grand Terminals.

Saturday—Junior football, High School vs. Moose.

The fact that the Grand Terminals have already copped off the Stuart Shield does not discourage the Moose and the Cold Storage in the least. They say that it will be a different story as far as the Dominion Day cup series is concerned and both teams have staunch supporters who are ready to back them up in the contention. The series opens tonight with a game between the Cold Storage and the Terminals and, with the former team right on its toes, a good contest is expected. There will be three games between now and July 1, preliminary to the final on Dominion Day between the two high aggregations.

Another event coming up this week which will attract quite a lot of attention will be the Rotary-Gyro match on Thursday afternoon. They have hardly got done yet talking about the fun that ensued when the two service clubs met on the diamond last year and the forthcoming game no doubt will be just as good, particularly so if a stipulation the Rotarians are holding out to the Gyros that no one who ever played baseball before will be allowed to participate is carried out. It was not said whether that condition would rule out the teams that played last year in a similar game. Whatever happens there is going to be a lot of fun on Thursday when staid business and professional men forget their affairs for an hour or so in order to benefit the Gyro playground fund.

W. BRASS WINNER SPOON AT RANGES

W. Brass was the winner of the spoon at the rifle ranges yesterday, R. Davidson and M. M. Lamb being handicapped. The following were the scores for the day:

R. Davidson	25	30	30	85
M. M. Lamb	23	34	25	79
W. Brass	32	26	21	79
H. Floyd	23	26	28	77
S. Cadwallader	22	25	16	63
M. Smith	23	23	14	60
F. Russell	20	23	14	57

BOOTH SCHOOL BEAT BORDEN STREET IN JUNIOR SOCCER GAME

Booth School defeated Borden Street in Saturday afternoon's Junior Football League fixture by a score of 2 to 0. Booth School, which is going strong this season, had the edge of the play which was perhaps a little closer than the score would indicate.

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MISCELLANEOUS

SUMMER Camp at Lake Kathlya opens June 20. For particulars apply Mrs. K. E. Birnie, Smithers, B.C.

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

Monday, June 14

High	3:24 a.m.	19.8 ft.	
	16:37 p.m.	18.0 "	
Low	10:09 a.m.	4.1 "	
	22:17 p.m.	9.3 "	

Tuesday, June 15

High	4:05 a.m.	18.8 ft.	
	17:21 p.m.	17.5 "	
Low	10:48 a.m.	5.0 "	
	23:03 p.m.	9.7 "	

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Thursdays ... 4:30 p.m.
Saturdays ... 4:30 p.m.
C.P.R., June 5, 12, 19, 21, 26, 28

To Anyox, Alice Arm, Stewart & Points—
Sundays ... 7:30 p.m.

To Anyox—
Wednesdays ... 5:30 p.m.

To Stewart—
Saturdays ... 1:30 p.m.

To Port Simpson and Naas River Points—
Thursdays ... 5:30 p.m.

To Alaska Points—
June 7, 14, 18, 25, 28

To Queen Charlotte Island Points—
June 14 ... 7:30 p.m.

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From Stewart—
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From Port Simpson and Naas River Points—
Saturdays ... 12:30 p.m.

From Alaska Points—
June 5, 12, 19, 21, 26 ... 10:30 a.m.

From Queen Charlotte Island Points—
June 9.

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	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Graham & Atlin Aves.	9:30	5:15	11:30
1st Ave. & 8th St.	9:35	5:20	11:35
6th Ave. & Fulton St.	9:40	5:25	11:40
8th Ave. & Thompson	9:45	5:30	11:45
11 & Sherbrooke Aves.	9:50	5:35	11:50
11 Ave. & Conrad St.	9:55	5:40	11:55
6th Ave. & Hays Cove	9:59	5:44	11:59
6th & Hays Cove Circle	9:33	5:58	12:33
8th Ave. & Cotton St.	9:45	5:50	12:45
5th Ave. & McBride St.	9:45	5:50	12:45
Pro. Govt. Bldgs.	9:50	5:55	12:50
Pro. Govt. Wharf	9:55	6:00	12:55
G.T.P. Wharf	10:00	6:05	1:00
G.T.P. Station	—	—	1:10
2nd Ave. & 2nd St.	10:10	6:15	1:10
3rd Ave. & Fulton St.	10:15	6:20	1:15
3rd Ave. & 6th St.	10:20	6:25	1:20

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For Vancouver—
Sunday—ss. Prince Rupert ... 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday—ss. Camosun ... 1:00 p.m.
Thursday—ss. Prince George ... 1:00 p.m.
Saturday—ss. Catala ... 11:30 a.m.
— ss. Princess Beatrice ... 9:00 p.m.
June 5—ss. Princess Mary ... 1:00 p.m.
June 12—ss. Princess Louise ... 1:00 p.m.
June 19—ss. Princess Charlotte ... 1:00 p.m.
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June 28—ss. Princess Louise ... 1:00 p.m.

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Friday—ss. Catala ... 1:00 p.m.

From Port Simpson and Naas River—
Saturday—ss. Catala ... 4:00 p.m.

From Alaska—
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For Alaska—
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From Stewart, Anyox and Alice Arm—
Tuesday—ss. Cardena ... 4:00 p.m.

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Saturday—ss. Prince Rupert ... 11:30 p.m.

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For Anyox—
Wednesday—ss. Prince George ... 11:30 p.m.

From Anyox—
Thursday—ss. Prince George ... 1:00 p.m.

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