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INTERNATIONAL POLICY EXPOUNDED

ALBERTA CROPS EXCELLENT BUT MANITOBA NOT SO GOOD

Chamberlain States His Views on Guaranteeing All National Frontiers

Says For Britain to do so Would Disrupt the Empire and Loyalty to it Comes First

GENEVA, September 12. — Sir Austin Chamberlain, British foreign secretary, in a speech before the League of Nations during a debate on security, asked if any country had done as much as Great Britain to guarantee the frontiers of other countries as Great Britain.

Sir Austen contended that to ask Britain to guarantee all frontiers in addition to her guarantee of France, Germany and Belgium, was impossible as it meant asking nothing less than the disruption of the British Empire. He stated that his loyalty to the League was profound, but his loyalty to the other league, which was the British Empire, came first.

NATIONALS ARE BUNCHED CLOSE

Pittsburg Still Leading But Chicago Only Two and Half Games Behind

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Once again in fourth place Chicago is only two and a half games from the leading Pittsburg team in the National League.

New York and St. Louis tied in the second of two games. The Giants go to St. Louis tomorrow for what may be considered an elimination series, playing seven games in four days.

After having beaten St. Louis Americans 21 successive times, the Yankees lost to the Browns. Ruth made his fiftieth homer, being five ahead of Gehrig but nine behind his 1921 record. Ruth's homer brought the Yankees total of homers to 141, which is one better than the record of the Chicago White Sox in 1904.



THE EMPRESS HERMINE: The wife of the former Kaiser of Germany, Princess Hermine Zu Schoenach-Karolath, with her daughters at Bad Kissingen.

Crop Situation is Set Forth in Detail by Weekly Report Issued Today by the Railway

Alberta Situation is by Far the Best of Prairie Provinces; Manitoba Making Poorest Showing

WINNIPEG, September 12.—With threshing well under way in Manitoba and Saskatchewan a better idea may be had of the damage these provinces have suffered this season and of the yield and quality of grain which may be expected. The Canadian National Railways twenty-first weekly crop report indicates greatly varying conditions; the yield goes all the way from nil to 35 bushels an acre and the grade of wheat harvested varies from No. 1 to No. 6.

Northern Manitoba reports a yield that goes the whole gamut from 10 to 35 bushels; Central Manitoba's wheat yield is fair, barley and rye good, and oats poor, and Southern Manitoba has very much the same.

With a better yield than in some other districts conditions are more encouraging in Northern Saskatchewan, where some districts report heavier yields than last year and others say they have shrinkage but that color is good and where rust does not seem to be so serious. Central and Southern Saskatchewan have some badly rusted areas and have to contend with severe storms, but the first crop of wheat marketed in the Craik district went No. 1 and the Lawson district claims a yield double that of 1926. Against there are the fields that will not be threshed at all and others that will be cut only for feed.

Within the past week Alberta has submitted to a heavy rainstorm that has beaten down some of the standing wheat and delayed cutting, but conditions in Alberta are superb. The grain stands up well and there is practically no rust or other damage. A number of subdivisions on the Canadian National Railways, notably Alliance, Brazeau, Manitoba and Coronado, assert that they have the heaviest yields in their experience.

FRANCE WINS DAVIS CUP AT PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—By Lacoste defeating Tilden 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2 and Cochet winning from Johnson 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, France won the Davis Cup series three points to two on Saturday.

It is the first time that the coveted trophy has ever left the shores of the United States although many nations for many years have tried to lift it.

René Lacoste, one of the victorious Frenchmen, will now quit tennis, fulfilling a promise made to his father that, when he had reached this highest goal, he would retire from the game and take up the study of law.

VALERA BOWS TO HARD FACTS

Issues Election Manifesto Denying Charges of Proposed Revolution

DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—A manifesto intended to answer charges that he contemplated a revolution was issued today by Eamonn de Valera in connection with the election campaign which is in progress in this country.

De Valera declared that he was prepared to accept existing realities and prove that hard-headed commonsense was not incompatible with true national ideals. Stubborn facts both political and economic are the base from which a successful march must be made, he said.

DEMPSEY FIGHT WILL PROCEED

Judge Refuses to Stop it at Request of Coliseum Club of Chicago

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Judge Otto Kernner in the circuit court today refused to stop the Dempsey-Turney fight when he denied an injunction to restrain Dempsey from boxing until he had carried out an alleged contract with the Coliseum Club of Chicago to fight Harry Wills.

BY-ELECTION IN ONTARIO

GODERICK, Ont., Sept. 12.—A federal by-election is being held here today to choose a successor to John W. King, Progressive, who died last spring. The candidates are: Liberal, Archie Hyslop; Conservative, George Spotton; United Farmer, F. O. Sheldon. A record vote is expected with fine weather.

MAGISTRATE APPOINTED
VICTORIA, Sept. 12.—A. C. Brynildson of Bella Coola has been appointed stipendiary magistrate for the county of Prince Rupert.

TO CELEBRATE DISCOVERY OF THE PROVINCE

Mayor Taylor of Vancouver Has Big Plans For Event Next Year

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—Celebration on a huge scale next year of the sesquicentennial of the discovery of this country by Captain James Cook featuring a congress of Canadian-Australian-New Zealand trade delegations is planned by Mayor Louis D. Taylor. Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu will be asked to participate.

The mayor will propose to the Imperial Government that it be asked to send a fleet to carry the premiers of the southern dominions here.

BRUTAL ATTACK KILLS WOMAN

Japanese Fracas Ends Fatally With One Dead and Another Fatally Injured

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—As a result of a brutal attack, allegedly committed by U. Yaoki, a steamship fireman, Mrs. Takahashi is dead here with her head crushed in by blows of an axe and T. Tamura is in the hospital believed to be fatally injured.

Yaoki was arrested and charged with murder and attempted murder.

The crime was committed in the home of the murdered woman. Her husband, who, according to the police was in the house on Sixth Street with another man at the time was unable to prevent the crime.

All the participants are Japanese.

WESTMINSTERS ARE CHAMPIONS

Lacrosse Team From Royal City Beats Toronto Aggregation in Second Time

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—New Westminster won the Dominion Lacrosse championship Saturday by defeating Weston, Ontario, for the second time by a score of 6 to 5. As a result of this victory the Salmonbellies will represent Canada at the Olympic games.

QUARANTINE ON 2 B.C. CITIES

GREENWOOD, B.C., Sept. 12.—A quarantine of two weeks has been declared against the cities of Trail and Rossland on account of the infantile paralysis there.

MOSTLY AMERICAN FISH IS SOLD HERE TODAY

Total of 148,000 Pounds Offered at Fish Exchange this Morning

Hallibut offering at the Fish Exchange this morning totalled 148,000 pounds of which 133,000 pounds was American receiving from 14.6c and 8c to 16.2c and 6c while 15,000 Canadian was paid 14c and 6c to 14.3c and 6c.

Arrivals and sales were as follows:

- AMERICAN**
Sitka, 44,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 14.6c and 6c.
Northern, 40,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 14.9c and 6c.
Rainier, 24,000 pounds, Royal Fish Co., 15.2c and 6c.
Lituya, 15,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 14.7c and 6c.
Eureka, 10,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 16.2c and 6c.
- CANADIAN**
Eric Roy, 7,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 14.3c and 6c.
Verna, 5,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 14c and 6c.
M.A.B., 3,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 14.1c and 6c.

SUCCESSORS TO LATE CUSTOMS OFFICER AND POSTMASTER APPOINTED

Following the recent death of W. C. Cameron, postmaster and customs officer at Stewart, the widow, Mrs. Cameron, has been appointed postmistress at that point while Walter C. Broad, who was Mr. Cameron's assistant in the customs department, has been appointed to succeed his chief and A. R. Hunter of Prince Rupert, who was relieving Mr. Broad during the latter's vacation, will remain in Stewart as his assistant.

CALL FOR TENDERS REPAIR OF PRINCESS CHARLOTTE, VICTORIA

VICTORIA, Sept. 12.—Damage to the Princess Charlotte is not as great as was at first thought but 30 plates will have to be removed and 24 of them replaced. The repairs will take four or five weeks. Tenders for the reconditioning of the vessel will be called for immediately.

ASSIZE COURT HERE NOVEMBER 26 NEXT

VICTORIA, Sept. 12.—The criminal and civil assize court at Prince Rupert on November 26 and at Prince George November 30.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.55	1.55
Coast Copper	14.75	15.05
Dunwell	.61	.65
Gladstone	.14½	.18
Indian	.07½	.08
L. and L.		.08
Leadsmith		.05
Premier	2.32	2.33
Silversmith	.22	.24½
Sunloch	.51	.70

NATIONAL BODY OPENS SESSION

Canadian Chamber of Commerce Welcomed by Governor, Premier and Mayor

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—Delegates from all parts of Canada representing every branch of industry and commerce and nearly every board of trade and chamber of commerce in the Dominion are in attendance here today at the annual convention of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce which will continue in session three days.

Among those who delivered addresses of welcome at this morning's session were Lieut.-Governor R. Randolph Bruce, Premier Maclean and Mayor L. D. Taylor.

The convention will consider questions of national interest including such topics as "Relation of Imperial and Foreign Trade to Production," "Surmounting Geography in our Economic Relationships in Interprovincial Trade," "Development of National Resources," and "Aims and Program of the National Chamber of Commerce."

HARMONY ONCE MORE IN FOOTBALL CIRCLES

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—Provincial football differences were wiped out at a meeting here Saturday night, the outlaw clubs agreeing to affiliate with the British Columbia Football Association.

HEAVY RAINS FELL ON PRAIRIES YESTERDAY

WINNIPEG, Sept. 12.—Harvesting is at a standstill today throughout the prairie provinces as a result of the heavy rains which fell yesterday.

BRITISH BOWLERS WIN FINAL GAME

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—The British lawn bowlers defeated seven Vancouver and district rinks 150 to 113 Saturday, concluding their visit to British Columbia.

DEATH AT VANCOUVER
VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—A. H. Wallbridge, 62 years of age, a prominent businessman, died Saturday.

Catching Dogfish is Proposed as New Industry for Prince Rupert by Marine Products Co.

As an outcome of the slackness of the recent salmon fishing season, the Rupert Marine Products Co., Ltd., operating the reduction plant at Tucks Inlet in Prince Rupert Harbor, has decided to go into dogfish oil and meal business with the hope of thereby building up a new industry which will keep the company's plant operating the year around as well as offering employment for fishermen during the slack times. This was announced this morning by Joseph S. Rogers, manager of the company. It will be the first time this branch of the industry has been embarked upon in these parts although quite a thing has been made of it in the neighborhood of Victoria. On the Queen Charlotte Islands it has been spasmodically attempted but with no permanent success.

Steps are already being taken to interest the fishermen in the new venture, Mr. Rogers stated. If response is made in any volume and the fishing is successful, the company will go into it on a large scale and will establish camps at Port Simpson, Warke Canal or any other points that may be convenient. The company boats would then tow the product into port. Dogfish are caught with hook and line, in a manner similar to that of taking halibut.

Whether or not the fish are as abundant in waters contiguous to Prince Rupert as they are around Sidney, Vancouver Island, is something that is yet to be proved. In the south, fishermen have made from \$10 to \$20 a day clear in dog fishing.

Rev. I. A. Johansen sailed on the Prince Charles this morning for Seattle.

Vancouver Liquor Store Was Broken Open and Safe Carried Away Twenty Miles and Rifled

VANCOUVER, September 12.—The Cordova Street liquor store was broken into early yesterday morning and the safe, which contained approximately \$3,000, was removed to Green Timbers on the Pacific Highway 20 miles south of here, blown open and the money taken. About 60 cases of liquor were also taken.

A man giving the name of Robert Cress was arrested at Sumas by U.S. police who had possession of a number of cases of liquor, \$490 in cash and a truck.

On the morning of the robbery a local garage reported that a truck had been stolen and it is believed the one in the arrested man's possession and taken to Bellingham is the one.

USK MAN PASSES IN GENERAL HOSPITAL

Sidney Marsh, Who Arrived from Interior Saturday, Died Last Night

Brought to the city on Saturday afternoon's train from Usk in a comatose condition, Sidney Marsh expired in the Prince Rupert General Hospital about 10 o'clock last night. He had been ailing for some time.

Deceased, who had been residing in the vicinity of Usk for some time, had been recently in Centralia, Washington, whence he returned to the interior recently. He is understood to have been a member of the Masonic order and an Oddfellow.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the B.C. Undertakers.

DAWSON HAS FIRST FROST OF SEASON

According to the Dominion Government telegraphic report this morning Dawson had its first frost, the thermometer there being down to 30. Following is the report:

Terrace—Cloudy, calm, temp. 50.
Rosswood—Cloudy, calm, temp. 51.
Aiyansh—Cloudy, calm, temp. 50.
Alice Arm—Clear, calm, temp. 51.
Anxox—Part cloudy, calm, temp. 52.
Stewart—Heavy fog, calm, temp. 51.
Hazleton—Cloudy, calm, temp. 50.
Telegraph Creek—Cloudy, clam, temp. 45.
Smithers—Cloudy, calm, temp. 53.
Burns Lake—Cloudy, calm, temp. 44.
Whitehorse—Cloudy, calm, temp. 38.
Dawson—Clear, calm, temp. 30.

CONCENTRATES FROM RIVERSIDE MINE

KETCHIKAN, Sept. 12.—Motorship Norco went south at the week end with a cargo of concentrates from Riverside Mine at Hyder and fish from Ketchikan.

PRICE OF WHEAT MOVES SLOWLY DOWN

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—The price of wheat has been steadily moving downward until on Saturday it touched the low point of 138 5-8.