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GENEVA DEADLOCK STILL CONTINUES BRITISH PRINCES TO LEAD FARM LIFE FOR FEW WEEKS

Deadlock at Naval Conference on Disarmament at Geneva Still Continues and Session Postponed

GENEVA, August 1.—Owing to the fact that it was found impossible to overcome the deadlock between American and British delegates, the disarmament conference here was adjourned for two or three days to give an opportunity for delegates to further discuss the situation with their governments.

The conference deadlock was the subject of a long talk by Viscount Ishii of Japan and Right Hon. W. C. Bridgeman, First Lord of the British Admiralty today. Afterwards Bridgeman conferred with the representatives of the British Dominions.

The announcement which was made at the end of the week, either by the agreement of the delegates to separate or by a showdown at the adjourned plenary session Wednesday or Thursday.

The fact that the plenary session has been postponed from today is looked upon as a victory for the "treaty at any price" party but the postponement is not all to the liking of the experts of the British and American delegations, who are said to realize that there can be no reconciling the British and American viewpoints.

The Japanese feel that nothing should be left undone to try to bring about a settlement, because Japan will be hard put to follow a big building program.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to Washington, returned to Washington today from his summer home. The visit was unheralded and the minister was in private conference with Secretary of State Kellogg, presumably in regard to the stand of the American delegates at Geneva.

WALKEM WILL VOTE AGAINST LIBERAL PARTY

NEW CONTENDER NATIONAL LEAD

New York Giants Won Four Out of Five Games When on Road

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Giants became a new contender for the leadership of the National League by winning four out of five games on the road. George Harper's homer when the bases were full in the eighth won the game for them yesterday.

Pittsburgh was idle and Chicago moved to within half a game of the leadership when Charlie Root won the eighth-inning pitching victory of the year.

Cincinnati evened a double-header with Brooklyn breaking the winning streak of 16 out of 20 starts.

National League
Boston 3, Pittsburgh 2.
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 3.
New York 13, St. Louis 2.
Brooklyn-Cincinnati, rain.

American League
New York 7-5, Cleveland 3-0.
St. Louis 4-9, Boston 5-2.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 5.
Detroit 1, Washington 10.

SUNDAY GAMES
National League
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 12.
Brooklyn 2-3, Cincinnati 6-2.
New York 7, St. Louis 4.

American League
Detroit 2, Washington 7.
Cleveland-New York postponed.

NANAIMO IN FINAL SOCCER

Plays Fort William at Winnipeg for Connaught Cup

PORT WILLIAM, Aug. 1.—The Fort William Legion soccer team defeated Brantford Cockshuts five to three here Saturday thus winning the right to meet Nanaimo in the Dominion finals at Winnipeg for the Connaught Cup.

Through a telegraphic inaccuracy the Daily News reported that Nanaimo lost their game Friday.

DAMAGE BY HAIL.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 1.—There was considerable damage to grain in the Florentine districts of Manitoba by hail on Saturday.

WEATHER IS WARM THROUGHOUT DISTRICT

Smithers Led This Morning at Eight O'clock With Temperature of 78

The weather is warm throughout northern and central British Columbia, according to the Dominion Government Telegraphs report. At interior points it was quite warm this morning. Smithers reporting 78 degrees at eight o'clock and Hazelton 70. The lowest mentioned anywhere was 64. Details follow:

Terrace—Clear, calm, temp. 65.
Rosswood—Clear, calm, temp. 64.
Alvansh—Clear, calm, temp. 64.
Alice Arm—Clear, calm, temp. 64.
Anyox—Part cloudy, calm, temp. 65.
Stewart—Part cloudy, calm, temp. 63.
Hazelton—Clear, calm, temp. 70.
Telegraph Creek—Clear, calm, temp. 65.
Smithers—Clear, calm, temp. 78.
Burns Lake—Clear, calm, temp. 62.

BUILDING PERMITS TOTALLED FOR JULY THE SUM OF \$22,275

The city engineer's department reports that during the month there were twelve building permits issued amounting in the aggregate to \$22,275. The principal one is for the store and flat for F. W. Allan on Third Avenue.

L. J. North, Atlin Avenue residence, \$2,500.

D. Stork, Atlin Avenue residence, \$4,000.

G. W. Johnston, Eighth Avenue, addition, \$500.

J. Watt, Ambrose Avenue, addition, \$200.

C. J. Currie, Graham Avenue residence, \$3,500.

N. M. McLean, Seal Cove residence, \$4,000.

F. W. Allen, Third Avenue, store and flat, \$6,500.

J. Kilby, Hays Cove Circle, dwelling, \$500.

F. Moore, Sixth Avenue, alteration to residence, \$250.

A. Barnardson, Eighth Avenue, repairs to residence, \$100.

D. McNeil, Ninth Avenue, repairs to house, \$250.

A. MacIntosh, Eighth Avenue, alteration to residence, \$200.

Canada has more motor cars per capita than any other country in the world excepting the United States.

PROSPECTS ARE CROPS HEAVY

Rust so Far Has Done but Little Damage Says C.N.R. Report

WINNIPEG, Aug. 1.—That the rust scare which was raised the other day is unfounded and that there is every reason for the continued optimism of the farmers of western Canada is indicated in the fifteenth weekly crop report issued by the Canadian National Railways.

Rust, it is true, is in evidence in central Manitoba and Saskatchewan, in northern Manitoba and in parts of southern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, but in no case is it looked upon as really serious. Worms are reported from one or two points in Saskatchewan only.

Warm weather with showers has been ideal for the crops and the heat is drying out the wet lands. In some places, however, the harvesting of a bountiful hay crop is impeded by wetness. A hailstorm which swept into part of central Alberta Tuesday, wrought some damage, but recovery is expected and conditions are otherwise all that could be desired.

Wheat is practically all headed out, rye cutting will commence this week, and other grains are coming along well and looking healthy. Flax is in flower, many districts report a heavier yield than last year and are not alarmed at the crop being a week late. Prospects are for the heaviest crops in years in many districts of northern Alberta and "bumper" is the word being used in Saskatchewan. Farmers are confident that their crops will be as heavy as in 1925, and 30 to 40 bushels to the acre is their estimate.

WATSON LIKE A BAD WRECK

Rocks Seem to Have Penetrated Hull Says Prince Charles

The Prince Charles reports that when passing Ivory Island on her northbound trip last evening about 9 o'clock, the Admiral Watson was clearly visible, half a mile away.

She was high and dry on the rocks and evidently had struck heavily. The rocks had penetrated the hull and the boat looked a bad wreck. The Salvage King was standing by. There were lights aboard the Admiral Watson so that there were evidently some of the crew still on board. The passengers had been taken off.

FOURTH INTEREST MINING PROPERTY

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 1.—Further demonstrating the faith of Ketchikan business interests in mineral development Louis Hansen, proprietor of the Bon Marche, has purchased a one-fourth interest in the Engineer group in the Texas Creek section from Dominick Bevacqua. The deal was completed last week, according to the Juneau Empire, the entire purchase price being paid by Mr. Hansen at the time the papers were signed. No announcement has been made regarding the price paid, although it is said to be a substantial sum.

FATALLY INJURED: TRAIN DERAILED

REVELSTOKE, Aug. 1.—When the C.P.R. train was derailed at Moberly this morning J. B. Tellock, trainman, was fatally injured and W. J. Johnston, the engineer, was slightly injured.

English Tennis Stars Play in Canada



This is the team of English lady tennis players photographed on board the Cunard liner Ascania from which they disembarked at Quebec last week. Their itinerary takes them from Quebec to Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and New York. From left to right they are: Betty Nuthall, Gweneth R. Sterry, Joan Fry, Mrs. D. A. Hill, Ermytrude Harvey, and Major Dudley T. R. Larcombe, Secretary of Wimbledon, manager of the team.

FIFTEEN MILLION
POUNDS HALIBUT
FOR THIS SEASON

The total amount of halibut marketed here during the month of July was 3,023,000 pounds which was just a few pounds more than for the same month last year. This makes about fifteen and a half million pounds for the season so far.

SALE OF FURS AT NEW YORK

There was a large sale of furs at New York late week in which several million dollars worth of pelts were auctioned off. Prices varied somewhat from various sales as follows:

Cross fox and mink both registered advances of 10 per cent over the spring sale. Kolinsky scored a similar rise and marmot went up five per cent, while fox, blue fox, fisher and Canadian marten were among the important skins that showed no change. Leopard supplied the only decline, which was 10 per cent. Top for white fox was \$54, while best blue fox brought \$76 and best fisher \$120. Top for cross fox was \$175. Canadian marten brought \$61 and best mink fetched \$34.

Alaskan and coast mink scored the advance recorded. Pitch, baum marten and stone marten were among the other skins that showed no change.

Silver fox, gray fox and lynx brought out the best bidding, the foxes each went up 10 per cent, while lynx showed a rise of five per cent. Hair seal rose 10 per cent, and Russian sable advanced five per cent. Ermine was unchanged. Top for silver fox was \$400 while the best lynx brought \$465. Russian sable sold to \$8750. Best prices for gray fox was \$430 and for hair seal \$510. Prime ermine fetched \$395. Other best prices were mink, \$280, mole 13 cents, broad tail \$16.50. Persian lamb \$11.75 and caracul \$8.75. Monkey was 10 per cent higher and mole five cents.

No comparison was made on broad-tail, but lamb caracul was unchanged. About 850 silver fox were sold.

STREAM OF LAVA MENACED TOWN IN ITALY NEAR NAPLES

NAPLES, Aug. 1.—A stream of lava menaced the town of Erzingo today after a new explosion overflowed into ravines leading toward the Bay of Naples.

Two British Princes to Spend Few Weeks Leading Ranch Life

WALES, GEORGE, AND PREMIER BALDWIN OFFICIALLY RECEIVED AT MONTREAL TODAY—CROWDS LINE STREETS TO WELCOME THEM

MONTREAL, August 1.—After making a brief tour through Canada with Premier Baldwin, the Prince of Wales and Prince George plan to take a real Canadian holiday untroubled by affairs of state or officialdom. They will leave the British Premier at Calgary for the E. P. Ranch at the foothills of the Rocky Mountains, where they will be in complete retirement from the world. They will fish and do chores and lead the life of an Alberta rancher.

A fortnight or three weeks is all they will be able to spare for this sort of life after which they will proceed to Vancouver on a brief visit.

PARK BOARD HAS \$1,000

May Spend That Sum in Improving Grounds at Salt Lakes Park

Dr. W. T. Kergin, chairman of the Parks Board, has received word that a thousand dollars has been allotted by the Provincial Government toward the improvement of Salt Lakes Park.

It has been suggested that this should be spent in clearing a picnic ground on the level land near the entrance to the lakes. The board will hold a meeting in the near future to decide what steps to take toward spending this money to the best advantage.

ACCUSED OF RUNNING LIQUOR HE POSTS A \$1,000 CASH BAIL

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 1.—A. W. (Jack) Pratt, arrested in the company of D. Butler last week on a charge of transporting liquor, was released from the federal jail after posting \$1,000 cash bail.

Pratt and Butler were aboard a small gasboat when the coastguard cutter Cygan overhauled them. They are accused of throwing overboard a large supply of liquor when chased by the cutter. Only a small quantity of contraband was aboard when the vessel was finally overhauled.

OLD YUKONER SHOOTS WIFE AND HIMSELF

Family Quarrel Over Lending Money Results in Death of Two in Seattle

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Joseph Lancaster, 74, hotel proprietor, formerly a Yukon and Alaska sourdough, and his wife Louise, 41 years of age, were shot to death here yesterday. The police decided that Lancaster killed his wife and then committed suicide following a quarrel over his decision to lend money to his son and daughter of a former marriage.

Lancaster amassed a fortune of about \$100,000 in the northern gold fields by conducting a line of Yukon River boats.

BETTER PRICE FOR HALIBUT

Hazel H. Got High as Fifteen Cents For First Class

There was a big improvement in the price of fish this morning when the Hazel H., an American boat, got 15c for firsts and 7c for second class. Canadian high prices were 12.90 and 6c. Total landings were 175,000 of which American boats sold 147,000 and Canadian boats 28,000.

AMERICAN
Eclipse, 30,000 to Pacific Fisheries at 12.90c and 7c.

Radio 55,000, to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 13.30 and 6c.

Pioneer 30,000, to Booth Fisheries at 13.30 and 6c.

Hazel H. 15,000 to Atlin Fisheries at 15 and 7c.

Sentinel 17,000 to Royal Fish Co. at 14.70 and 7c.

CANADIAN
Pair of Jacks, 14,000 to Canadian Fish and Cold Storage at 12.90 and 6c.

Dundas, 3,000 to Atlin Fisheries at 12.90 and 6c.

P. Darreen 11,000 to Booth Fisheries, 12.90 and 6c.

MONTREAL MAN WON SINGLES

Tennis Results at Vancouver Saturday in Championship Games

VANCOUVER, Aug. 1.—Jack Wright of Montreal here last week got the Canadian point of view on winning tennis singles championship Saturday by defeating Leon De Turenne 7-5, 8-6, 6-3. Other championships won were:

Ladies' Singles—Carolyn Swartz of San Francisco.

Men's Doubles—Bradford Harrison and Sheraton Lockwood of San Francisco.

Ladies' Doubles—Edith Cross and Carolyn Swartz.

LADY LAUDER DIED SUNDAY

DOONAN, Scotland, Aug. 1.—Lady Lauder, 58, wife of Sir Harry Lauder, the famous comedian, died yesterday at a private nursing home in Glasgow. Sir Harry is prostrated with grief. His wife was ill a fortnight and underwent an operation last Monday.

MINE EXPLODES ON A JAPANESE VESSEL

TOKIO, Aug. 1.—A mine exploded aboard the mine layer Tokiwa this morning killing and wounding several officers and men. The vessel was slightly damaged.

EXPLORER DIES

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Sir Harry Johnston, 69, the noted African explorer and writer, died here yesterday.