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## CITY PASSES BYLAW EMPHATICALLY

### NUN AND NATIVE PUPILS BURNED TO DEATH IN NORTH

#### EDITORIAL

##### SINGING O CANADA

Some of Canada's most prominent citizens are here today and it would be very interesting to know how many of them know and can sing the national anthem of the country, "O Canada." Also it would be interesting to know which version they use.

Canada never will be a nation until her people can sing her national anthem. It may be the only thing on which they can unite but they must be able to do that. The young people are doing pretty well, but even they seem to forget quickly what they learned in school.

A suggestion has been made that part of the test for admission to citizenship of every person either from Great Britain or any other country, should be to repeat and sing the first verse of "O Canada."

#### PARALYSIS IN VARIOUS PARTS

##### Revelstoke Closes Schools, Lodges and Churches as Result of Outbreak

REVELSTOKE, Sept. 21.—Discovery of a case of infantile paralysis has resulted in the schools, churches, Sunday schools and lodges all being closed.

The victim of the malady is the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard. EDMONTON, Sept. 21.—One death near Mundare, three new cases of a mild nature here and new cases at Wetaskiwin and McLeod summarizes the infantile paralysis situation in Alberta.

One new city case of paralysis was reported yesterday.

The Alberta government has issued an order that in all municipalities where there are cases of paralysis children under eighteen years of age must not travel. They must remain in the municipality in which they live unless they receive a special permit from the board of health.

#### CRITICISM OF IMMIGRATION

##### Robert Forke to Reply to Speakers at Anglican Synod Made Last Evening

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 21.—Outspoken criticism of the immigration policy of the Dominion government, which was said to be playing into the hands of the Roman Catholic Church featured several speeches at the general synod of the Anglican Church here last evening.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.—Charges made in the Anglican Church against the immigration policy of the government and understood to be under consideration of Hon. Robert Forke, who is expected to reply today or tomorrow.

#### PLEADS GUILTY LIQUOR THEFT

##### Wright Remanded Until Tomorrow for Sentence in Vancouver Case

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21.—Pleading guilty to participation in the theft of \$2,750, and 33 cases of liquor from the Cordova Street liquor store on September 4 on four charges a man named Wright was remanded until tomorrow for sentence by Magistrate Shaw.

#### CONTRACT LET FOR SMITHERS SCHOOL

VICTORIA, Sept. 21.—The contract for the new high school at Smithers has been awarded to Thomas Carson of Vancouver, the price being \$14,700.

#### One Nun and Nineteen Indian Children Burn to Death in Far North

##### Regina Doctor Went in Airplane Today to Scene of Tragedy Which Happened on Monday

PRINCE ALBERT, September 21.—A nun and 19 children were burned to death when the Beauval Catholic mission on Lac Laplonge was destroyed by fire Monday, according to word received today from Big River, Sask. The mission is in an isolated section of northern Saskatchewan and only meagre details have been received.

Dr. A. Amyot, of Regina, who was at Isle Lacrosse opening the Grey Nun's Hospital, was taken to the scene of the fire by airplane today, according to private advices. The sister who lost her life was Sister Lea, a native of Northern Saskatchewan.

#### ATTRACTING NEW INDUSTRIES FOR CITY OF EDMONTON

EDMONTON, Sept. 21.—Edmonton is planning a bold step toward interesting industries in this city. She has decided that she cannot stand back and wait but must go out after business. Several meetings have been held and it has been decided as a first step to appoint an industrial commissioner who shall make a survey of the situation and then take such forward moves as shall be decided upon. Just how far the city will go in the matter of aiding new industries has not been clearly stated but each individual case will be worked out on its own basis.

#### HOPE TO START SOON DOGFISH OPERATIONS

##### Work of Organization of Fishermen Now Under Way by Rupert Marine Products

Work of organizing the fishermen with a view to engaging them in the fishing of dogfish which the Rupert Marine Products intends to reduce at its Tuks Inlet plant is still proceeding and it is hoped to have operations under way in the near future stated George G. Bushby, head of the Rupert Marine Products, this morning. Mr. Bushby sees in this line of work a great opportunity for winter employment of both men and plant.

#### BANK OF MONTREAL ROBBED SMALL SUM

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—Three masked robbers held up a branch of the Bank of Montreal this afternoon and robbed the employees in the vault, escaping with between four and five thousand dollars in cash.

#### DEPUTY MINISTER OF MINES IN CITY

Robert Dunn, deputy minister of mines, arrived today from the south and will spend a short time in the district on departmental business. He probably will visit Queen Charlotte Islands and then will go to the interior.

#### VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.20	1.40
Coast Copper	15.00	15.75
Cork Province	.07 1/2	.08
Dunwell	.45	.49
Gludstone	.15	
Independence		.06 1/2
Indian	.06 1/4	.07
L. and L.		.07 1/2
Leadsmith	.02	
Lucky Jim	.28 1/2	.29
Marmot Metals	.10	.13
Premier	2.25	2.27
Richmond	.14	
Silver Smith	.20	.21 1/2
Silvercrest		.06 1/2
Sunloch	.55	.70
Toric	4.80	5.00
Big Missouri	.28	.31

#### COSGRAVE TO BE IN POWER

##### Vice-President of Irish Government Says They Expect to Carry on

DUBLIN, Sept. 21.—President Cosgrave's government intends to carry on with the expectation of at least a year of life. Hon. Ernest Blythe, vice-president of the council, announced following the completion of the counting of the ballots. The final standing of the parties follows: Government—Cosgrave Party, 61; Independents, 12; Farmers, 6; total, 79. Opposition—Fanna Fail, 57; Labor, 13; National League, 2; Larkinites, 1; total, 73.

#### PARALYSIS ON THE INCREASE IN STATES

##### Boston Outstanding Example Where 26 Cases Were Reported Yesterday

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Twenty cases of infantile paralysis were reported yesterday, bringing the total since January 1 to 1,481 in this against 165 for the same period of last year.

#### MANAGER OF ANYOX BANK TRANSFERRED

Alan B. Morkill, moved to Victoria. Succeeded by D. M. Sinclair of Keremeos.

Alan B. Morkill, manager of the branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Anyox for the past three years, has been transferred from the smelter town to Victoria where he will take charge of the Johnson Street branch of the bank. D. M. Sinclair of Keremeos succeeds Mr. Morkill at Anyox.

#### USED MONEY WRONGLY GOES UP FOR TRIAL

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21.—W. A. Graham, charged with fraudulent conversion of money, said it had been paid to him to be handed to the Fidelity Lumber Co. He was committed for trial.

#### CHINESE PASSENGERS DROWNED ON STEAMER

PEKING, Sept. 21.—Chinese passengers numbering 278 were drowned when the Japanese steamer Gento Maru capsized in Tsing Tao Bay.

#### Greatest Ring Spectacle of All Time is Expected Tomorrow Night at Chicago

CHICAGO, September 21.—The greatest ring spectacle of all time may witness the astonishing fact of the heavyweight challenger entering the ring a favorite over the champion here tomorrow night.

Although the majority of sport writers favor Tunney, the drift of opinion among them is almost as pronounced during the past few days as the change in betting from the stage where the champion was 8 to 4 favorite four days ago to instances today where Dempsey is the favorite at 6 to 5.

Tunney is still convinced he is the "man of destiny" for the heavyweight crown. He is pronounced by his camp experts to be boxing with more speed and accuracy than a year ago and he hopes for a knockout.

Dempsey and his adherents are confident that he has regained his old punch. They declare he is on fighting edge as a result of the Sharkey victory, faster afoot and more accurate in punching. There seems no question that Dempsey is mentally and physically better than he was a year ago, but whether he has come back far enough to beat Tunney, whom the critics say has also improved, is a question. The fight starts about 6.30 coast time.

#### Little Blame for Captain of Princess Charlotte When She Went Ashore Wrangell, Alaska

VICTORIA, September 21.—"There is no question of the suspension of the certificate in the minds of the court. Probably there will be merely a mild reprimand," declared Captain J. D. Macpherson, wreck commissioner, at the close of the inquiry into the grounding of the steamer Princess Charlotte at Viehnefski Rock near Wrangell, Alaska, recently.

Captain Macpherson mentioned peculiarities in connection with the casualty. When the captain disobeyed Article 16 of the Shipping Act dealing with speed in a fog, he brought the vessel safely but as soon as he slowed down, obeying the rules, the vessel went on the rocks.

#### SMITHERS MAN DIED TUESDAY

##### D. C. Sangster Succumbed Yesterday Following Lengthy Illness

After an illness from which he had suffered for some considerable time, the death occurred in Smithers yesterday of D. C. Sangster who was a well known resident of long standing in that Bulkley Valley centre. Deceased was about 64 years of age and, besides being the owner of extensive property interests in Smithers, he had been engaged in the contracting and undertaking business there. He is survived by a widow, his second wife whom he married two years ago, and two daughters of the first union—Mrs. Roy Elsey of Brandon, Manitoba, and Miss Jean Sangster, who teaches school in Calgary. Another daughter was the late Mrs. C. H. Hankinson. It was only three weeks ago that the late Mr. Sangster passed through Prince Rupert returning from a trip south for the benefit of his failing health.

The B.C. Undertakers of this city have been placed in charge of funeral arrangements.

#### LOOKING DOWN IN BARREL OF PISTOL WHEN IT WENT OFF

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 21.—Frank Boyd sixteen year old son of Captain and Mrs. W. J. Boyd, died today of injuries thought to have been sustained when a revolver discharged as he was looking down the barrel.

#### GASOLINE EXPLODED ON POWER BOAT ELLEN

SHUSHARTIE, Sept. 21.—The 34 foot power boat Ellen owned by Captain J. Mitchell, valued at \$3,000 was destroyed by fire at Seymour Inlet last week. It was operated as a fish carrier under charter to the Canadian Fishing Co. A drum of gasoline exploded.

#### MANY CHINESE ARE DROWNED IN WRECK

SHANGHAI, Sept. 21.—A message from Tsing Tao, Shantung Province, reports 159 Chinese were drowned and 130 are missing as a result of the sinking of the Japanese motor vessel Gento Maru.

#### City Gives Emphatic Approval to Proposal Tax Railway \$65,000

With emphatic voice, Prince Rupert ratepayers at the polls yesterday approved in no uncertain manner the agreement drawn up between the City of Prince Rupert and the Canadian National Railways whereby the latter will pay annually to the city, in lieu of taxes, the flat sum of \$65,000 in addition to local improvement imposts and taxes on such land as is already under lease by the company. The vote was a comparatively light one but it was definite enough. For the agreement 313 voted and against but 62. A sixty per cent vote was required to carry or 226 so the measure was given a clear majority of 87 votes.

There was not a single spoiled ballot and the voting was about equally divided between the A to L and M to Z voting tables. Counting of the ballots was completed in less than half an hour.

The council will meet shortly to put its final seal of approval on the agreement.

#### HEAVY MOVEMENT OF HALIBUT FROM HERE DURING LAST 24 HOURS

There has been a heavy movement of halibut from Prince Rupert to the Eastern markets during the past twenty-four hours, some half million pounds having been shipped during that time in twenty express refrigerator cars. Ten carloads went out on yesterday morning's regular train; nine by special last night, and one on this morning's train.

#### GIVEN INSUFFICIENT NOTICE OF CLOSURE CASES DISMISSED

Because insufficient notice of closure had been given fishermen and canners of the recent shutdown in the fisheries, a number of fishermen and canners who were summoned before the magistrate at Ocean Falls last week charged with fishing for salmon and having salmon in their possession contrary to the closing order of the department of marine and fisheries, were dismissed by the magistrate at Ocean Falls.

#### ONLY TWO BOATS SOLD HALIBUT HERE TODAY

Only two boats sold halibut here today and the Canadian received two cents more for his catch than did the American. It was the Tern with 8,000 pounds which sold to the Cold Storage Company at 13.70c and 6c. The American boat was the Liberty with 30,000 pounds which sold to the Pacific Fisheries at 11.60c and 6c.

#### THREE CRIMINALS RECAPTURED IN BARN

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 21.—Ernest Brown, Ross McLeod and Roy Agnew, three of the five criminals who escaped from Middlesex jail Sunday were recaptured when sleeping in a barn near Crumlin.

#### EXPLOATORY FLIGHT

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21.—General Frank Sutton will make an exploratory flight into the interior of the province.

#### MOTORSHIP SAFE

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21.—The British motorship Cape of Good Hope which it was feared was lost in the recent Mexican storm is reported safe to the Canadian Transport Co. here.

#### BURIED MONDAY

NANAIMO, Sept. 21.—With all places of business closed the funeral of Mark Bate, Nanaimo's first mayor, took place on Monday.

#### VATICAN IS CRITICIZED

##### Resignation of French Cardinal Said Due to Placing Ban on Paper

ROME, Sept. 20.—The policy of the Vatican in regard to certain French affairs, particularly the act of the Pope in placing L'Action Francaise, the Royalist newspaper, under the ban for the faithful, is reported to be the actual cause of the resignation of Cardinal Billot, a native of France.

Discredited in certain quarters within the Vatican is the difference of opinion as to the advisability of measures against newspapers. The official reason given for Billot's resignation was his old age.

#### SPENT NIGHT ON MOUNTAIN

##### David Warren of Vancouver Fell From Cliff but is Recovering

GRANITE FALLS, Sept. 21.—After lying out all Sunday night and all day Monday on a mountain overlooking Burrard Inlet, David Warren of Vancouver who was summoned before the magistrate at Ocean Falls last week charged with fishing for salmon and having salmon in their possession contrary to the closing order of the department of marine and fisheries, were dismissed by the magistrate at Ocean Falls.

#### WILL BE TRIED MURDER CHARGE

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21.—U. Yaoki, charged with the murder of Mrs. Take Takahashi on September 1, was committed for trial in the police court yesterday. A confession given after arrest told of striking the woman with an axe when she attempted to call assistance from T. Takimura, whom accused first struck with the weapon.

Supplanting of Yaoki in the affections of the woman by Takimura was given as the reason for the attack on the latter. The Japanese said he wanted to kill himself but the husband and the woman held him.

#### INVITE LEAGUE SIT AT OTTAWA

##### Assembly Also Included in the Scheme Which is Proposed at Geneva

GENEVA, Sept. 21.—Canada is reported to be planning to invite the Council of the League of Nations to sit at Ottawa. It is said the projected scheme is also to have the assembly sit there in order to give Americans an opportunity to study the league at first hand.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.—While a visit of the council of the League of Nations would be welcomed it is understood the government has not yet extended any formal invitation.

This afternoon's train, due from the East at 3.30, is reported to be on time.