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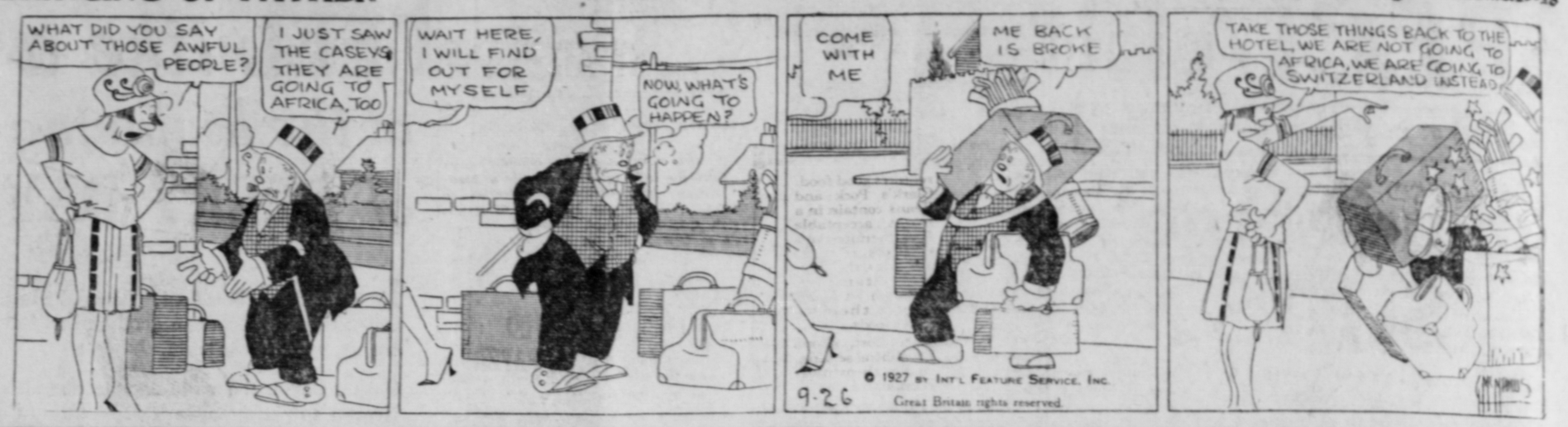


# JOINT BANQUET LAST EVENING

Rotary and Gyro Clubs Join For One Evening With Their Ladies

## SENDOFF TO CONSUL

### Speeches and Music Feature of Event Which Proved Very Enjoyable

Rotarians and Gyros of Prince Rupert exchanged hospitality and mutual good feelings at a joint banquet in the Commodore Cafe last night at which wives and lady friends of the members of both organizations were guests of honor. To a large extent the meeting was given over to a farewell to Rotarian E. A. Wakefield, United States consul here for the past nine years, who, with Mrs. Wakefield, leaves in the near future for Ensenada, Mexico, whence the consul has been transferred. An attractive program of music and speeches contrived to make a couple of hours pass in a most pleasant manner. Col. J. W. Nicholls, president of the Rotary Club, and E. A. Mann, president of the Gyros, were joint chairmen.

In opening the program, after a bounteous and tasty festive dinner had been done full justice to, Col. Nicholls, on behalf of the Rotary Club, voiced welcome to the Gyros and Gyrettes. He gave a brief outline of the aims and activities of the Rotary Club and referred to the harmony which had prevailed between it and the Gyro Club in the City of Prince Rupert. He congratulated the Gyros on the splendid work they had carried out in the matter of providing playgrounds for the city.

Returning the welcome on behalf of the Gyro Club, President E. A. Mann referred to the fact that Rotary was a much older and stronger institution than Gyro. Nevertheless, the aims and principles of the two were along much the same lines and he hoped to see the day when Gyro would have no peer in an organization of its kind. The achievements of the Gyro Club in Prince Rupert might to some seem humble but a wonderful spirit of friendship had been engendered. Five years ago the Gyro Club had been organized in the city with some 24 members who at that time were little more than acquaintances. The club had grown during that time in numbers and all its members were now close personal friends.

Mrs. S. D. Johnstone was called upon for a solo and sang very acceptably with Mrs. Morris Blott as her accompanist.

Morris Blott was in good voice in two numbers with his wife accompanying.

#### FAREWELL TO CONSUL

Called upon to deliver a farewell address to Consul Wakefield, Fred Dawson stated that it seemed most fitting to him that such a meeting of leading business and professional men of the city should join to do honor to Consul and Mrs. Wakefield. They had lived here nine years which was a long time in the life of a place so young as Prince Rupert and a prominent part had they taken in the life of the city during that time. Many people had come to and left Prince Rupert in that period but few if any would be missed more than Consul and Mrs. Wakefield. Always active in the affairs of the community, the consul had done much to extend the feeling of good fellowship which for years had existed between the United States and Canada. In matters of business, social life and entertainment, he had been most active while Mrs. Wakefield had been no less active in affairs of the church, society and charitable work and, withal, a wonderful hostess. He could give the assurance that the loss which Prince Rupert sustained in their going would be a distinct gain for the place to which they went. On behalf of the citizens generally, he could say that, should Consul and Mrs. Wakefield ever return to Prince Rupert, the hand of good fellowship would ever be extended to them. He wished them Godspeed and good luck.

In a feeling and eloquent reply, Consul Wakefield acknowledged the tribute that had been paid his wife and himself. Many times had they left one place and moved to another but never were they leaving truer and stronger friendships than those in Prince Rupert from which they were now to depart. Obstacles it was true had arisen at times during their nine years of residence here but far outshadowing these had been the pleasant times and remembrances that they would take away.

#### BRIGHT FUTURE

Assuring his hearers that an active interest would ever be taken by himself in the progress of the city of Prince Rupert, Consul Wakefield expressed his confidence that this port must eventually take its place as one of the greatest on the continent, north or south. The process might not be an easy or a rapid one but it would materialize nevertheless. When the great hinterland had filled up and when industries had been established on the coast, there would materialize at Prince Rupert one of the greatest and most important of centres.

It was a pull, the consul said, to leave Rupert but, after all, Ensenada was not so far away and if any one from this city ever got as far as San Diego he wished they would just wire Ensenada. He would beg, borrow, or steal the nearest car and the latch string at the Ensenada consulate would not be unfastened—there would never be one. In conclusion, Mr. Wakefield gratefully acknowledged the kind words of Mr. Dawson. If Prince Rupert was sustaining a loss in the departure of Mrs. Wakefield, it had indeed acquired a great gain in the recent arrival of Mrs. Dawson—a charming and a talented lady.

F. H. Smith favored the gathering with well-rendered violin solos with Mrs. S. D. Johnstone accompanying.

The recitations of Mrs. F. G. Dawson, who is a talented speaker and elocutionist, were received with much applause. She opened with a humorous recitation and, as her second number, recited a take-off on Consul Wakefield.

Acceptable vocal numbers by Mrs. H. N. Brocklesby and Ernest Smith completed the program, their accompanist being Mr. Brocklesby who also accompanied for "O Canada" and "God Save the King."

After the banquet, dancing was indulged in until 11 o'clock, music being by Alf. Smalles and Howard White.


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## In The Letter Box

#### LOCAL FISHERMEN FIRST

Editor, Daily News.

There seems to be a lot of talk and people writing in the papers in the south about reducing the gear operating in the salmon fisheries. This means fewer licenses issued and some fishermen out of a job.

I, as a fisherman who may be left out, would like to inquire if white fishermen who are citizens of the country, will be given first chance to get those licenses or will they be given to the cannerymen to hand out to Orientals.

I make my living by fishing and the money I get for the fish I spend right here. Most of the Orientals who fish for salmon go away south as soon as they have drawn their pay and do not spend a dollar here. I think the Prince Rupert Board of Trade or the City Council or the member for the district or Mr. Stork should take this matter up and see that we get a fair show. "Canada for Canadians" is a pretty good policy. Let us encourage our own people first and if there are any licenses left over then let the Orientals or other foreigners have them. Fishermen who make their money up here should spend it here.

I hope some of the other fishermen will take up this matter and not let it rest until we find we have not licenses and all the foreigners working on the Skeena next year. I don't want to leave it until the horse is stole and then slam the door of the stable and whistle for our lost jobs.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor for space which I hope you will give me because I live in Prince Rupert and I don't want to see us get it in the neck again, like we mostly do.

FISHERMAN

# MEAT VS. VEGETABLE DIET FOR ATHLETES

### Two Men Race to Prove Relative Values With Almost Tie

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 29.—(By the Canadian Press).—There is little difference between meat and vegetable diets for athletes, if a ten-mile foot race between James Walter and Forest Cleveland, staged recently from Lexington to Nicholsville, may be taken as an example of food values.

Walter, exponent of a meat diet, won the race by about ten seconds, outsprinting his opponent when the finish line was neared, but both runners finished strong and apparently were in condition to run another ten miles.

Walter and Cleveland are University of Kentucky students and the race between them was the outcome of a long discussion as to the relative values of meat and vegetables as body builders. Both adhere strictly to their respective diets. Cleveland never eats meat while Walter partakes of meat freely and also is fond of desserts.

# SPORT CHAT

The decision made this year by the Prince Rupert Billiard Association to allow entering clubs to select their own players has resulted in two organizations—the Gyro Club and Joe Brown's Scots—taking the pick of the talent in the city and now the prospect is that there will be but these two aggregations in a first division while a second division, not originally intended by the Association, will have to be formed from among the balance of the players. It is expected there will be at least four teams in this second division. There will be a further organization meeting of the Association shortly and it is expected league play will get under way in about a fortnight's time.

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New York Yankees and Pittsburg Pirates! Finally it has been decided without much shadow of a doubt that these will be the World Series contenders this year to lift the championship which was won last year by the St. Louis Cardinals who made a bold attempt to once again take the National League pennant this season, failing by narrow and sensational margin. There has been a growing expression of opinion that the Yankees are not going to have a great deal of difficulty in taking honors in the big fall garden party this year. With little study of the records many, however, feel somewhat uncertain about it all.

Despite the Bambino and his rising teammate, Lou Gehrig, the New Yorkers, if they win out this year, are more likely to do so on the strength of their pitchers than their hitters. Among the five leading American League batsmen this year is to be found but one Yankee man—Gehrig with an average of .373, while the Pirates have furnished no less than three of the first five in the National—namely the Waner brothers and Harris with averages of .383, .354 and .346. This is why few of the wiser sages are quietly figuring that, even though their league struggle may have been hectic, the Pennsylvania "smoke-eaters" may have more than a good chance against the brilliant though streaky men from Gotham.

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