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JOSEPH SANKEY LOSES HIS APPEAL

STRANGE MARINE CREATURES APPEAR IN THE SOUTH

Appeal Court Sustains Sentence of Death for Essington Murderer

APPLICATION FOR NEW TRIAL REJECTED. KILLER OF LORETTA CHISHOLM WILL GO TO GALLOWS ON MAY 25

VICTORIA, April 27.—The Court of Appeal which has been considering an application made by J. E. Bird for a new trial for the murder of Loretta Chisholm on May 23 last year, this afternoon handed down their decision, dismissing the appeal. As a result of this decision, Sankey, who has been in Okalla penitentiary since he was convicted by a jury in Prince Rupert last November, will be hanged on May 25, the date having already been advanced pending the outcome of the appeal.

AIR BOARD HAS MEETING

DISCUSSING UP OF DEFICIT WILL BE FIRST CONSIDERATION OF EXHIBITION MANAGEMENT

CONSIDERING STAMPEDE

The Fair Board held a meeting last night and further discussed plans for the coming season.

The board discussed the holding of a stampede in connection with the fall fair and it was decided to go into the matter further at a special meeting. A report from the sports and attractions committee on the cost of preparing the grounds will be presented. It was not yet approving of the proposal. The board felt that, if the cost of the stampede, including the building of the grounds, was not too high, they would entertain the proposition and go ahead to make this one of the main attractions of this fall's fair.

MAKE MINES SAFE FOR MEN

LONDON JURY INVESTIGATING RECENT DEATHS MAKES RECOMMENDATIONS TO GOVERNMENT

LONDON, April 27.—The coroner's jury, finding that Olaf Deckman, Henry McGowan and Martin Nelson came to their deaths through an accident by the bursting of an unknowingly defective cable and the dropping of the cage, recommended that regulations controlling the hoisting and landing of cages in the British Columbia Metalliferous Mines Regulation Act be more strictly enforced and amended after the pattern of the Ontario Mines Act, and that the United States Bureau of Mines and the British Columbia Coal Mines Regulation Act.

COMMERCIAL GRADS BEAT DETROIT TEAM

Game Last Night in Automobile City by Score of 22 to 15, Fully Deserving Margin

DETROIT, April 27.—Continuing their series of conquest, the Edmonton Commercial Grads, world's champion ladies' basketball team last night defeated an all-star Detroit team by a score of 22 to 15. The locals gave good competition to the Canadian girls who, however, were decidedly superior in play.

The climate certainly would be ideal for it not handicapped by so much snow.

TY COBB MADE GOOD TUESDAY

WAS WHOLE SHOW IN AMERICAN LEAGUE GAME WHEN PHILADELPHIA BEAT BOSTON

NEW YORK, April 27.—Ty Cobb was the whole show in the American League yesterday when Philadelphia overcame a six run Boston lead to win out. Cobb stole home, secured three hits, drove in two runs, scored himself twice and ended the game with a circus catch unassisted double play.

In the National League, homers by Wright and Southworth, with two men on bases each time, enabled Pittsburgh to defeat St. Louis and the Giants for the leadership.

At Brooklyn, the Giants hammered two pitchers hard. Terry getting a homer, a two bagger and a single.

Cincinnati also hit hard, batting Osborne from the box in the sixth when Gonzales hit a long single with the bases loaded. Jones, who followed Osborne, was rapped for six runs before he went to the showers.

The day's scores were as follows:

American League
Philadelphia 9, Boston 8.
St. Louis 2, Cleveland 6.
Washington-New York, called.
Detroit 3, Chicago 9.

National League
New York 7, Brooklyn 2.
Boston-Philadelphia, cold.
Chicago 5, Cincinnati 8.
Pittsburgh 9, St. Louis 5.

LEAGUE STANDING			
American		National	
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	8	4	.666
New York	8	3	.727
Pittsburgh	8	4	.666
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
Boston	7	6	.538
Chicago	4	7	.364
Cincinnati	4	9	.308
Brooklyn	2	11	.154
American		National	
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	8	5	.615
Washington	7	5	.583
St. Louis	5	4	.556
Philadelphia	6	3	.545
Detroit	4	4	.500
Cleveland	6	6	.500
Chicago	6	7	.462
Boston	3	9	.250

HALIBUT ARRIVALS TODAY 128,000 LBS.

Five American and Four Canadian Vessels Marketed Catches This Morning

Halibut fares marketed through the Fish Exchange this morning totaled 128,000 pounds, five American vessels disposing of 112,000 pounds at bids ranging from 13.1c and 7c, to 15.2c and 8c, while four Canadians sold 16,000 pounds at from 12c and 7c to 12.6c and 7c.

The arrivals and sales were as follows:

American
Pioneer, 41,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 13.1c and 7c.
Nordic, 34,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 13.1c and 7c.
Democrat, 19,000 pounds, Pacific Fisheries, 13.6c and 7c.
Onah, 18,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 15.2c and 8c.
Reliance, 10,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 14.6c and 8c.
Canadian
R. W., 5,500 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 12.6c and 7c.
Verna, 7,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 12.4c and 7c.
S. A., 2,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 12c and 7c.
N. and S., 1,500 pounds, to Royal Fish Co., 12.6c and 7c.

REVISION OF PRAYER BOOK IS PROTESTED

London Police Had to Quell Disturbance Last Week When Archbishop of Canterbury Speaking

LONDON, April 27.—The police had to quell a disturbance at Queen's Hall last night when hecklers interrupted the Archbishop of Canterbury with protests against the recent revision of the Book of Common Prayer of the Church of England on the grounds that it was "Popish."

WEATHER REPORT.

Prince Rupert.—Overcast, calm; temperature, 37.
Terrace.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 42.
Rosswood.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 40.
Alannah.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 41.
Alice Arm.—Rain, calm, temp. 44.
Anyox.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 48.
Stewart.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 43.
Hazelton.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 50.
rain all night.
Smithers.—Part cloudy, calm, temp. 42.
Burns Lake.—Clear, calm, temp. 40.
Telegraph Creek.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 40.
Whitehorse.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 36.
Dawson.—Clear, north wind, temp. 25.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Wheat	1.40 1/2	
B.C. Silver	1.80	1.90
Coast Copper	18.50	14.00
Dunwell	1.40	1.45
Glacier	.08 1/2	.09 3/4
Oladstone	.25	.27
Howe Sound	38.00	39.50
Independence	.08 1/2	.08 1/2
Indian	.06 1/2	.07 1/2
Marmot	.13 1/2	.14 1/2
Porter Idaho	.13 1/2	.14 1/2
Richmond	.16 1/2	.17
Silver Crest	.06 1/2	.06 1/2
Sunhook		.82



AIRMEN GET JUST AS HUNGRY as anybody else, which explains this splendidly equipped kitchen of the United States dirigible Los Angeles, presided over by Eddie Cook, who is said to be famous for his Irish stew

Sea Serpents Make Appearance in Howe Sound and Drive Fish Away Say Settlement Residents

VANCOUVER, April 27.—Two sea serpents have driven all the fish from the waters of Howe Sound off Gibson's Landing, Bowen Island, fifteen miles west of here, according to the stories of several residents and visitors to the settlement.

Frederick Parnell said he was fishing without a "bite" in a rowboat near Gibson's Landing at the week-end when the water suddenly broke and two "serpents" reared their heads and necks six feet above the surface within twenty-five feet of his small craft. He described their heads as two feet broad with enormous mouths

under which hung pouches of loose skin. The eyes were bulging and the tapered necks were of a pinkish color, blotched yellow. Parnell said that he at first remained motionless with terror but recovered his nerve in a moment and called to his brother George who was on the shore nearby, whereupon the creatures disappeared below the surface. A man named Smith reported seeing a similar denizen of the sea in the vicinity. "I thought I saw seals and lions," said another man named Park and I was so interested that I watched closely and I am convinced it was a sea serpent."

AMERICAN FREIGHTER COMING TO QUEEN CHARLOTTE TO LOAD

The American steamer Santa Isabelle is coming to load a full cargo of lumber at Queen Charlotte City for U.S. Atlantic ports. The vessel, which is due about May 10, is expected to take a cargo of approximately 1,700,000 board feet.

ADAM'S APPLE WINS THOUSAND GUINEAS

Call Boy Second and Sickle Third in Big Race at Newmarket Today

NEWMARKET, April 27.—Adam's Apple won the Two Thousand Guineas Stake here today. Call Boy was second and Sickle, third. Twenty-three horses ran.

Forty-Five Gunboats Ready to Fire on Hankow Should Protection Be Necessary

SHANGHAI, April 27.—Forty-five gunboats were stationed in the Yangtze River today with guns trained on Hankow. While on the surface the situation appears quiet, there is much tension and rumors persist that the British are planning to retake the concession.

A great deal of looting is reported to have taken place. Vast crowds in Hankow are listening to street corner speeches by radical leaders and although the authorities reiterate that there is no desire to attack foreigners, there is fear nevertheless, that coolies, saturated with radical doctrines about "Imperialism," will fail to contain themselves in critical moments and an outbreak may occur.

Worst Political Graft He Has Ever Seen Says "Honest" John at Probe

ATTORNEY GENERAL MANSON TELLS HOW CARLOW TRIED TO CONTROL PARTY — REGINALD HAYWARD DENIES ALLEGATION

VICTORIA, April 27.—That it was the worst piece of political graft he had ever heard of was the declaration of Premier John Oliver in referring to the action of Frank Carlow in exacting the sum of \$5,000 from L. G. Thomas for his (Carlow's) influence in obtaining a foreshore lease for Thomas at English Bay, Vancouver, in giving evidence on Tuesday before Mr. Justice Morrison's commission investigating the Carlow charges.

Attorney General Manson, on the stand, said that Carlow had tried his best to keep control of the Victoria Liberal Association despite other Liberals. "Carlow was just one of the barnacles that fasten themselves to a party. Both parties, unfortunately, have such barnacles," said Mr. Manson.

Reginald Hayward, M.L.A. for Victoria, declared "absolutely false" was the statement of P. J. Sinnott, former solicitor for Carlow, that he (Hayward) suggested to him that it would be better to handle the Carlow charges by throwing the documents on the screen at election time and then ask Premier Oliver what answer he had to give. Mr. Hayward stated that he was told that, if he did not wish to buy the information of Carlow's, he could buy stock in a company in return for the affidavit. "I informed him that I would rather be out of public life than play dirty politics. I turned down all his propositions," Mr. Hayward said.

HAD NO KNOWLEDGE
Hon. Dr. J. D. McLean, minister of finance, emphatically denied any knowledge of an alleged liquor deal for raising campaign funds and said that he had refused to listen to Carlow's suggestion that money be raised through liquor commissions. Moreover, Dr. McLean said, he warned Carlow, for the good of the Liberal party, not to proceed with any such proposal. Purchasing Agent Paterson swore that no political influence had affected his dealings with Carlow and the purchase of liquor through the firm represented by him.

NEW FREIGHTER TO REACH VANCOUVER SOME TIME IN MAY

The new freighter S.S. Ardgarnel of the Union S.S. Co. of B.C., which is bound out from England to replace S.S. Chilliwack on the coastwise freighting run, is expected to arrive in Vancouver early in May. She is due at Panama Canal in a few days.

The ship had a hard test on the first leg of her voyage, England to the Azores, running into the heart of the seasonal gales. She proved herself a staunch seaboat, it is reported. From the Azores she has encountered good weather.

WIRELESS REPORT.

8 a.m.
DIGBY ISLAND.—Overcast, calm; barometer 29.51; temperature, 37; sea, smooth; 8 a.m. spoke steamer Prince Rupert abeam Klewnugget, northbound.
BULL HARBOR.—Showers, light southwest wind; barometer 29.62; temperature, 40; light swell; 8.10 p.m. spoke tug Lorne towing barge Biscayene, abeam False Egg Island, bound for Skidegate; 8.30 p.m. spoke steamer Anyox, bound for Stewart, 130 miles from Stewart; 9.45 p.m. spoke steamer Prince Rupert, abeam Sunny Island, northbound; 8 a.m. spoke steamer Mina Brea, abeam Egg Island, northbound; 8 a.m. spoke steamer Anyox, Powell River for Prince Rupert, 170 miles from Powell River; 7.30 a.m. spoke steamer Catala abeam Ivory Island, southbound.
Noon
DIGBY ISLAND.—Snow, fresh S.E. wind; barometer 29.60; temperature 38; moderate swell.
BULL HARBOR.—Showers, fresh S.W. wind; barometer 29.72; temperature, 42; sea moderate.

It is probable that as much trouble has been caused by half-truths as by outright lies.

JAPAN IS THIRD BEST CUSTOMER

CANADIAN EXPORTS TO FLOWERY KINGDOM GREATLY INCREASED

VANCOUVER, April 27.—Canadian exports to Japan during 1926 increased by \$11,951,480, as compared with the previous year, according to figures released here by the Japanese consulate. Japan is now Canada's third best customer, Canadian wheat and lumber accounted for the greater part of the increase. Exports from Canada to Japan during the year amounted to \$37,192,459, of which wheat and flour totalled \$15,767,929, an increase of \$5,909,287. Lumber and allied products were exported to the value of \$8,242,121, as compared with \$5,463,089 during the previous year. Zinc and lead formed the third largest item exported.

The market for Canadian butter and beef has also improved while trade in cheese and condensed milk also show large gains, trade in the latter developing from \$553 in 1925 to \$167,735 for the past year.

Imports into Canada from Japan show the largest increase in textiles, fibres and other products, these increasing from \$5,438,351 in 1925 to \$7,308,402 last year. Silk cloth, woven and imported for the purpose of being dyed and finished in Canada was imported to the value of \$2,588,455, an increase of approximately one million and a quarter dollars over last year.

EXPLANATION OF PARSONS AFFAIR

CANADIAN LEGATION AT WASHINGTON IS TOLD HE IS INVOLVED IN SMUGGLING PROJECT

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The Department of State advised the Canadian legation yesterday that Frank Parsons, Vancouver insurance agent, was indicted in San Francisco on a prohibition law violation charge because he is alleged to have landed in San Francisco in connection with a smuggling project in which the liquor laden vessel "Malahat," now reported off the coast of California, is involved.

INSPECTOR FOR RAIL BOARD PASSES AWAY

Death of Stanley Brown Occurred Suddenly at Creston Yesterday

VANCOUVER, April 27.—Stanley Brown, aged fifty-seven, who had become well known throughout British Columbia in his capacity as inspector for the Board of Railway Commissioners, died suddenly at Creston according to word received by Brenton Brown, a brother, and a prominent Liberal worker.

It was thought once the automobile would take more people to church, but it seems to carry a lot of them right by.