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UNIT OF EXCLUSION OF ORIENTALS

PAPERS REGARD RELATIONS WITH SOVIET MADE PUBLIC

Legislature of B.C. a Unit in Demands That Orientals be Excluded

Pass Resolution to be Sent to Ottawa Asking That Action be Taken With View to Relieving Situation in Province

VICTORIA, March 15.—Before the Legislature prorogued yesterday afternoon, it passed unanimously a resolution on the Oriental immigration question as follows:

"That the Dominion government be requested to immediately institute negotiations with the government or governments of China and with the Japanese government through an accredited minister to Japan with a view to arranging first acceptance of the proposals for restricting immigration, which so frequently had been adopted by this Legislature and which were outlined by British Columbia's representatives at the recent federal provincial conference at Ottawa; repatriation of Chinese and Japanese residing in British Columbia to the countries of their respective origin so that the proportion of Orientals in Canada to the Canadian population not to exceed the proportion of Canadians in China and Japan respectively to the population of China and Japan; substitution for the present treaty with Japan of one giving due recognition to the rights of B.C. as a province of Canada to enact legislation with reference to property and civil rights as allowed by the B.N.A. Act."

SKEGNESS SAILS THIS AFTERNOON

SIXTEENTH GRAIN SHIP OF SEASON LEAVING TODAY FOR THE U.K.—CONTINENT WITH FULL CARGO

The British steamer Skegness, Prince Rupert's nineteenth grain ship of the season, will clear this afternoon with a full cargo of wheat loaded at the local elevator for the United Kingdom or Continent. On departure of the Skegness, the steamer Demeter, which has been lying in the stream for the past week since she arrived in port, will take up her berth at the elevator. The steamer Mansfield is almost loaded and should get away in a day or so. Up to this morning, no further grain ships for the port had been reported.

TRAIL WINNERS HOCKEY SERIES

NOW HAS RIGHT TO PLAY IN WESTERN FINALS AGAINST MANITOBA UNIVERSITY

SASKATOON, March 15.—The Trail hockey team defeated Deltide nine goals to nil here last night thus winning the round 11 to 0.

The Smoke Eaters now have the right to meet Manitoba University in the western finals for the Allan Cup play-downs.

SCOTTISH CUP SEMI-FINALS

GLASGOW, March 15.—The Hibernians are to meet the Rangers at Tynecastle Park, Edinburgh and the Celtic meet Queen's Park at Glasgow in the semi-finals round for the Scottish Cup on March 24.

HELMER TO OPPOSE McLEAN IN YALE

SPENCE'S BRIDGE, B.C., March 15.—R. H. Helmer of Nicola was nominated last night as Conservative candidate for the Yale provincial riding now represented by Premier MacLean.

JOHN T. LINLITHGOW DIES AT MADEIRA

LONDON, March 15.—John T. Linlithgow, former Canadian trade commissioner at Glasgow, Rotterdam and Berlin, died at the Island of Madeira aged 73. He was twice acting commissioner of the Yukon.

GENERAL McRAE IMPROVED

OTTAWA, March 15.—General McRae is "further improved" was the bulletin issued today in regard to the condition of North Vancouver's member who slipped on the ice early in the week and cracked his skull.



CUBS ARE CONDITIONING AT CATALINA: The veterans and "rookies" of the National League Baseball Club are now on Catalina Island, a pleasant place for them to prepare for the ball season, which isn't so very far away.

NO WORD OF FLYERS YET

VAGUE REPORT OF WOMAN SEEING OBJECT ON MAIN COAST IS PROVEN GROUNDFLESS

LOSS IS FEARED

MAY HAVE LANDED AT LABRADOR OR NEWFOUNDLAND OR ON ICE FLOE

PORTLAND, Maine, March 15.—The Evening Express learns that constables at Biddeford Pool Station this afternoon found to be groundless a report that a yellow object and two human beings, possibly the missing monoplane and its occupants, Capt. Walter Hinchcliffe and one Elsie Mackay, who were attempting a transatlantic flight, were safe on Stratton Island, about two miles off Old Orchard Beach.

A woman, who made the report, said that she saw the yellow object and two people unmistakably. Other residents said that the light of the sun on windows of a house on the island may have given the impression of a yellowish object.

A motorboat went out this afternoon from Biddeford Station and returned between four and five this afternoon, denying the report. This latest report having no foundation, it is feared that the flyers are lost. There has been no definite report of them since they left England Tuesday morning. They had gas supply for fifty hours and their destination was Philadelphia. It has been definitely established that Hon. Elsie Mackay was Hinchcliffe's companion. Chief hope now lies in the possibility that the flyers were picked up at sea or landed in the wilderness of Labrador or Newfoundland or on an ice pack.

SAMMY MANDELL TO BOX McLARNIN AT NEW YORK, MAY 17

NEW YORK, March 15.—Sammy Mandell and Jimmy McLarnin signed articles through their managers with Tex Rickard yesterday for a fifteen round bout at the polo grounds on May 17.

BODIES RECOVERED FROM LANDSLIDE

VANCOUVER, March 15.—The bodies of Andy Anderson, W. Gustha, and George Parks who were buried in a landslide at the entrance to the Canadian national tunnel near Savona, were recovered yesterday.

NAME IS CHANGED

MONTREAL, March 15.—Commencing Friday the title "Canadian National Steamships" will replace the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

Conservative Leader Objects to Bourassa Speaking on Budget but Speaker Rules and is Sustained

OTTAWA, March 15.—When the House of Commons yesterday adopted the main budget motion 116 to 92 giving the government a majority of 24, Liberals, Liberal-Progressives, Independents and L. H. Jeliff, U.F.A., of Lethbridge, voted for the budget. Conservatives and other members of the U.F.A. and Progressive groups and Labor members voted against it.

Immediately the main motion was submitted yesterday Henri Bourassa rose.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the Conservatives, objected that he had already spoken.

After a discussion, the speaker ruled that Bourassa could speak as he had spoken only on a point of order the night before.

Bennett appealed and the ruling of the speaker was sustained by a majority of 41.

Six Quebec Liberals voted against the speaker's ruling and C. H. Cahane was the only Conservative to support the speaker.

SHARES STILL MOVE UPWARD

NEW YORK, March 15.—General Motors common spurted to \$164 a share, up five dollars since yesterday. A number of stocks not recently prominent jumped five dollars or more a share. A number of railroads and industrial shares were carried to new high marks.

MONEY PROVIDED IMPROVE NARROWS WRANGELL, ALASKA

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The allotment of \$85,000 for the improvement of Wrangell Narrows has been authorized by the Secretary of War. The money is to be used to insure the early completion of the rock removal and dredging already under contract.

A wireless message from Bull Harbor this morning says the fishing vessels Bostonian, Pauline J., and Swing are storm bound at Bull Harbor.

Coast Firm Operating Planes Planning to Put On a Service to Ketchikan and Skagway Soon

SEATTLE, March 15.—Charles V. Eakin, general manager of the West Coast Air Transporting Co. operating two eight-passenger planes between Seattle and San Francisco, announced yesterday that a new service to Vancouver would be inaugurated within 30 or 40 days to be followed by a service to Skagway, if adequate landing and take-off facilities were provided there. Postmaster Perkins said within the past week he had been approached by interests proposing the early establishment of a service to Ketchikan.

Papers in Regard to Breaking Relations with Russian Soviet

Canadian Government Convinced Agreement Not Being Carried Out and Unity of Action Suggested as Being Desirable

OTTAWA, March 15.—That Canada broke off official trade relations with the Soviet government last May because of the conviction in the minds of the members of the Canadian government that the Soviets had not fulfilled their promise to refrain from hostile action against the institutions of the British Empire, is disclosed in documents tabled in the House of Commons today.

The British government drew attention to the fact that the terms of the Russian agreement of 1923 in regard to the United Kingdom would not necessarily terminate the operation of the agreement as between Russia and Canada, but it was suggested by Mr. Amery that "uniformity of action by the various members of the commonwealth concerned would present a great advantage."

SEASON'S WORK ON LA ROSE MINE TO BE DECIDED HERE

The annual meeting of the Alice Arm-La Rose Mines Ltd. will be held on March 27 in Prince Rupert when the program of development on the property for the coming season will be decided upon states Joseph Wells of Alice Arm, one of the directors of the company, who is in the city on business. Further extensive work on the property may be carried out it is reported.

The Alice Arm mining district is still pretty well tied up on account of new, states Mr. Wells. There is some five feet in the hills as yet and, at the beach, a couple of feet is packed down.

CHILD WAS DROWNED MERRITT YESTERDAY

Engineer in Mine Fell Down Shaft and Was Fatally Injured

MERRITT, March 15.—James Bain, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bain was drowned when he broke through the ice in a park lake.

T. S. Hummerberger, engineer at Aberdeen mine was fatally injured when he fell eighty feet down a shaft.

FISH ARRIVALS

Only American Halibut Offered Today.

Four Boats Landing 62,000 Pounds

Only American fish was offered at the Fish Exchange this morning, four American boats receiving from 7.7c and 4c to 9.4c and 4c for a total of 62,000 pounds. Arrivals and sales:

Marmot, 39,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 7.7c and 4c. Gony, 10,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 9.4c and 4c. Grayling, 10,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 8.3c and 4c. June, 3,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 9c and 4c.

ARGUMENT ON WOMEN SITTING IN SENATE

OTTAWA, March 15.—The supreme court of Canada after hearing argument yesterday on the question of the right of women to sit in the Senate, reserved judgment.

ASBESTOS DEPOSITS.

Canadian asbestos deposits are of particular interest supplying as they do, the largest part of the world's demands for the short grades of fibre. Though occurrences of this mineral have been noted in other localities and provinces, the productive areas are confined to the Eastern Townships in the province of Quebec where active mining operations began in 1880.

There was an explosion on the boat Southend at Cow Bay last night. One man was taken to the hospital with face burned and the other was slightly burned.

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IRELAND WON BOXING TITLE

WAS FOULED BY OPPONENT WHO WAS LEADING: BOTH WERE SCOTTISH BOYS

EDINBURGH, March 15.—Alex. Ireland last night won the European middleweight boxing title from Tommy Milligan, the title holder.

In the match last night Milligan was leading until he fouled Ireland in the ninth round.

It is believed that this is the first occasion on which two Scots have fought for the European title.

FOUND GUILTY MANSLAUGHTER

AMERICAN WHO RAN DOWN POLICEMAN IN VANCOUVER TO BE SENTENCED MONDAY

VICTORIA, March 15.—Raymond Roberts of Schenectady, New York, was found guilty of manslaughter yesterday in connection with the death of the motorcycle constable, Arthur Wells, whom he ran down last December. He will be sentenced Monday.

VARSITY GIRLS ARE CHAMPIONS

BEAT ISLAND CHAMPIONS LAST NIGHT IN BASKETBALL GAME

VICTORIA, March 15.—The Varsity Girls won the senior basketball title of the province when they defeated the Island champions the B.C. Telephone team 21 to 12.

FREE TREATMENT FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS ASKED OF DOMINION

VICTORIA, March 15.—Free medical treatment should be provided by the Dominion Government for all returned soldiers, the Legislature agreed yesterday, as it unanimously approved a resolution urging aid of this kind for Canadian veterans.

DOCTOR ANDERSON IS AGAIN LEADER PROVINCIAL PARTY

SASKATOON, March 15.—Dr. J. T. M. Anderson was made leader of the provincial party by a convention here yesterday. He was elected leader four years ago but retired a year ago.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

ENGLISH LEAGUE, DIV. I. Sunderland 5, Arsenal 1. Manchester United 1, Everton 0. Huddersfield 3, Blackburn 1. DIVISION II. Chelsea 4, Grimsby 0.

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