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Friday, November 15
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Premier Tolmie Urges Strongly Upon Premier Mackenzie King That Sockeye Treaty be Passed

Treaty Which Was Vigorously Opposed by Federal Members Is Necessary For Preservation of Big Industry; Other Matters

VICTORIA, Nov. 14.—"The Province of British Columbia wants the sockeye salmon treaty ratified," Premier Tolmie stated after a conference with Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, here yesterday.

"I asked Mr. King about it and he said he would bring it up again at the next session," Premier Tolmie said. "People connected with the canneries think this treaty will regulate the catch so as to save the industry. A start cannot be made too soon. This province is intensely interested, for there is a thirty million dollar industry at stake."

Dr. Tolmie said he did not fear that it would give the United States any authority with respect to Canadian rivers which would be disadvantageous. "We have not lost anything because we joined the United States in an international joint commission governing boundary rivers. Canadians are able to hold their own."

The cause of the dropping of the treaty at the last session of Parliament was the opposition of the British Columbia members led by General McRae and supported strongly by the member for Skeena, J. C. Brady. The Premier, while promising to bring it up again, intimated that if the British Columbia members continued to oppose it, the treaty would not be pressed.

Other matters taken up with the Premier by Premier Tolmie were: That the federal government assist the province in paying the expenses arising out of the Doukhobor trouble. That final arrangements for the transfer of the railway belt and Peace River block from the Dominion to the province be made with minimum delay.

That full consideration be given the Province's proposal for a guaranteed western freight rate. That the Premier promised, fullest consideration. The final details of the railway land transfer, it is understood, will be taken up immediately, looking to ratification at the coming sessions of the federal Parliament and the provincial Legislature.

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Foreign Minister



Delegate Havemann, a well known painter of Hildesheim, who succeeds the late Dr. Gustav Stresemann as Germany's Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Five New Members Local Rotary Club

Edward Lipsett of Vancouver Speaker at Regular Weekly Luncheon Today

The Prince Rupert Rotary Club had as its guest and speaker at the regular weekly luncheon in the Commodore Cafe today Edward Lipsett, a prominent member of the Vancouver Rotary Club.

Five new members were received into Rotary at the luncheon—Harold DeWulf, manager of the local branch of W. H. Malkin Co., Ltd.; Alex McRae, manager of Alex McRae Co., Ltd.; C. L. Monroe, government agent; Very Rev. James B. Gibson, dean of St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral; and G. E. Gulick, manager of the Swift Canadian Co. The initiations were conducted by John Dybhavn.

TORONTO STOCKS

Table of Toronto Stock Market data including Amulet, Falconbridge, Dome, Hudson Bay, International Nickel, Noranda, Sherritt Gordon, Sudbury Basin, Teck Hughes, Treadwell Yukon, Nipissing, McIntyre, Ventures, Wright Hargreaves, Imperial Oil, McCaffery, Gibbons & Collart, Falconbridge, Abana, Hollinger, Hudson Bay, International Nickel, Noranda, Sherritt Gordon, Sudbury Basin, Teck Hughes, Treadwell Yukon, Nipissing, McIntyre, Ventures, Wright Hargreaves, Imperial Oil.

Halibut Catch At Seattle Was Less This Year

SEATTLE, Nov. 14.—Seattle deep sea fishermen received \$1,718,000 for their catches to date this season, as compared with \$1,441,000 last season.

H. E. Locken, manager of the Fishing Vessel Owners' Association, reported that the vessels had made fewer trips and caught less fish this season, compared with last season, but had received better prices. Most of the receipts were for halibut.

OLD-TIMER DROPS DEAD

Frank Brochu Former Merchant. Expired This Morning in TinSmithing Shop Where He Worked

Frank Brochu, a well known pioneer of this city, dropped dead at 8 o'clock this morning in the shop of H. Letourneau, 609 Sixth Avenue West, where he was employed, evidently the victim of heart failure. He had just entered the shop to go to work when he fell on his back about five feet from the door. He was exclaiming as his employee, Mr. Letourneau came in and was dead by the time a physician, Dr. L. W. Kerim, was able to reach the scene. His rainclothes were still on.

The late Mr. Brochu was 55 years of age and was a French-Canadian, having been born in the province of Quebec. He came to Prince Rupert in 1910 and for a year was engaged with Mr. Letourneau in the tin-smithing business. Then he went into business with Wilfrid Gratton and later opened a furniture store on Third Avenue. After that, for some years, he conducted the Seaview Grocery store at the junction of First, Second and Third Avenues. Still later he was janitor for about a year of the Besmer Block and for the last nine months had been in the employ of Mr. Letourneau. During the last year or so it was to be noted that he was falling.

Deceased is survived by two daughters—Wilma (Mrs. Rose) and Verna—son, Gordon, and a small daughter, Vivian, as well as his widow, the late parents still live at St. Bernard, Quebec and there is a brother here—George Brochu. Another brother is Narcisse Brochu who lives in Maine. Two sisters, Mrs. Marie Temieux and Mrs. Valdeia Dumont also live in Maine. Deceased was a Roman Catholic in religious faith.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of Hayner Bros. undertakers. An enquiry will be held this afternoon by Coroner C. I. Monroe but it is not likely an inquest will be called.

DISCUSSION OF ALASKAN ROAD PLAN

Premier Mackenzie King Announces He Must Have More Information Regarding Plan

VICTORIA, Nov. 14.—The appointment of a joint committee consisting of two United States and two Canadian representatives to thoroughly inquire into the proposed highway to Alaska was mooted at a conference held here yesterday between Premier Mackenzie King, Premier Tolmie and United States representatives, including Major Malcolm Elliott, president of the Alaska Roads Commission, and members of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce.

Premier King intimated that he would need further information before committing himself on the matter. The highway conference proposed a committee consisting of a representative each of the United States, the Federal and Provincial Governments to inquire into the cost and feasibility of the road.

ELECTIONS IN MEXICO

Speculation as to What Will Happen After Sunday, Nov. 17

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 14.—Mexico is clearing its decks for another of those great trials which almost invariably in the past have brought on revolutions. If nothing happens to prevent it, the people will go to the polls Sunday, November 17, to choose between Jose Vasconcelos and Pascual Ortiz Rubio for their next president. The campaigning so far has been accompanied by usual violence. There have been several assassinations, followed by the customary charges and counter-charges. But the opinion prevails that despite these incidents and those that may come election day will roll around and the people will have opportunity to cast their ballots.

The serious phase of the elections, if there is to be any, will come after the voting, the consensus shows. President Portes Gil has promised impartiality, but if Ortiz Rubio comes out of the elections with a majority it will be a difficult matter to convince the Vasconcelistas that they have been defeated fairly.

Bishop Murray Dead



The Rt. Rev. John G. Murray, D.D., LL.D., Bishop of Maryland, and executive head of the House of Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, who dropped dead at Atlantic City while on a point of order at the session of Bishops in St. James' Church.

LOG SCALE IS HIGHER

Year's Production Still Maintaining Lead Over Last Year Despite Recent Depression

While recent months have been showing a slight decrease when compared with similar months last year, the total log scale for Prince Rupert district this year is still maintaining a substantial lead over 1928. Up to October 31 this year the scale totalled 99,408,585 board feet, as compared with 75,745,609 board feet during the first ten months of 1928. The scale for the month of October this year totalled 13,823,304 board feet, as compared with 14,385,896 board feet in the corresponding month last year.

Following are scaling figures for the month of October this year:

Table of log scaling figures for October: Douglas fir 935,709; Red cedar 955,692; Spruce, coast 7,751,289; Spruce, interior 76,894; Hemlock 3,416,220; Balsam 650,597; Jackpine 22,063; Cottonwood 32,040; Forest products: Poels, lin. ft. 63,515; Hemlock piles, lin. ft. 392; Cedar piles, lin. ft. 14,595; Cordwood, cords 216; Single bolts 9; Railway ties, hemlock 5,118; Railway ties, pine 225,850.

Ask Extension Polling Hours

VICTORIA, Nov. 14.—So that persons who work all day may have a fair chance to go to the polls, members of the Victoria Liberal Association at their adjourned meeting at Liberal headquarters took action to ask Ottawa to extend the polling hours to 8 p.m. from 6 p.m., the present closing time.

THE WHEAT CROP

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimates the present year's wheat crop at 293,809,000 bushels.

George Naden Is Retiring

VICTORIA, Nov. 14.—G. R. Naden, deputy minister of lands, is retiring under superannuation and will be succeeded by Henry Cathcart, superintendent of lands.

On the front page of last Sunday's Victoria Colonist appeared a picture of the cenotaph which was unveiled here on Monday. Other outside papers have also shown the picture.

Alberta Town Swept Out of Existence by Bush Fire Which Destroyed Everything at Thorhild

EDMONTON, Nov. 14.—All of two hundred inhabitants of the thriving little town of Thorhild are homeless, many without clothing, all without food, but being sheltered at farm houses, as a result of a bush fire which swept over the place last evening, destroying practically the entire town. No lives were lost but several suffered burns.

Thorhild is fifty-three miles north of Edmonton. The fire was noticed about 6 o'clock as a small blaze to the west. The flames were caught by driving wind and carried the raging mass at a terrific rate upon the town before the danger was realized. Eight farmers in the vicinity were completely burned out. The homeless shivering people were quickly billeted in every farm house which could spare even floor space. The majority of the children escaped only in night clothes.

Boat Is Burned Near Wrangell; One Man Injured

WRANGELL, Nov. 14.—While anchored on the shore 25 miles north of here, an explosion occurred in the bow of the gas boat "Mora," with Richard Harris and Captain Holm aboard, badly burning Holm and causing a fire which completely destroyed the boat, except the keel, and left Harris and Holm stranded on the beach for three days without any provisions.

Captain Holm, who was seriously burned, is in the Wrangell hospital, and although blinded for a while, it is thought his injuries will not prove fatal. Captain Holm and Mr. Harris were on a hunting trip and had reached their boat and were about to retire when the explosion happened, about 9 o'clock at night. The cause cannot be definitely determined. It is possible it was gas from the bilge and also possible that it was stove gas.

BAZAAR OF ANGLICANS

Annual Affair Being Held in Cathedral Hall This Afternoon; Being Opened by Dean Gibson

The annual bazaar of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral is being held this afternoon in the Cathedral Hall, having been opened at 3 o'clock by Very Rev. J. B. Gibson, dean of the cathedral. The hall is tastefully decorated for the occasion and the various stalls contain a large variety of articles of ornament and use. No doubt, the affair will be, as usual, a great success.

Mrs. H. Stamp-Vincent is general convener with others in charge of the various departments as follows:

Supper—Mrs. W. J. Greer. Tea Room—Mrs. R. L. McIntosh. Fancy Work—Mrs. George Rorie. Plain Sewing—Mrs. C. F. Kemp. Home Cooking—Mrs. F. Dalby. Candy—Mrs. C. C. Mills. White Elephant—Mrs. C. V. Ewitt. Bran Tub—Mrs. W. A. McLean. Men's Stall—H. T. Cross and G. P. Tinker. Japanese Booth—Miss E. G. Lenox. Musical Program—Mrs. C. E. Cullin.

Overtook Ship Bound Ketchikan In Big Seaplane

KETCHIKAN, Nov. 14.—Chartering a 450-horsepower Bellanca seaplane at Vancouver, searching the water for the S. S. Yukon until it was finally sighted, signalled and stopped and the boats lowered, landing him safely aboard, were a few of the minor experiences of Charles A. La Har, RCA Photophone representative, when en route to Ketchikan.

Mr. La Har arrived on the Yukon to install the RCA Photophone in the Liberty Theatre. Mr. La Har was in Vancouver awaiting orders. When the orders came, which were to take the S. S. Yukon, sailing Saturday, he found the boat had sailed from Seattle at 9 o'clock that morning. He then made an effort to secure a seaplane to bring him to Ketchikan, but was unable to get one that would make the through trip.

TSEEKWA IS TOTAL LOSS

Well Known Local Pleasure Cruiser Broken Up in Storms Following Stranding Saturday Night

D. C. Stuart's pleasure cruiser Tseekwa, which struck a rock on Wearmouth Island in Meliakatala Passage last Saturday evening, has been so badly broken up by storms since her stranding that it is now impossible to save her. It is possible that the 10 h.p. Buffalo engine, with which the vessel was equipped, may not even be saved, although there is still hope that it may be. Mr. Stuart and his hunting party, which consisted, besides himself, of W. W. Wrathall and Ernest Anderson were brought home yesterday from the island by Bert Wearmouth. The Tseekwa was a well known local pleasure boat, 32 feet long, and had been owned by Mr. Stuart for many years. The boat was originally built in Vancouver.

Cedar Lumber On Free List To the States

Logs of Fir, Spruce and Western Hemlock Also Go To U. S. Free After This

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Elimination of the present tariff of a dollar a thousand feet board measure on logs of fir, spruce and western hemlock was approved today by the Senate. Cedar lumber was retained on the free list, whereas the House had proposed a 25% duty.

Concertos Subject For Music Club

Program at Home of Mrs. Heilbronner Yesterday in Charge of Miss Halliwell

Grain Necessary To Fill the Elevator Now On Way Here

Fifty carloads of grain were reported this morning on the railway territory west of Red Pass Junction bound for the Alberta Wheat Pool's local elevator. These are part of the seventy or so carloads needed to fill the local house. There was no word up to this morning as to when the first grain ship of the season might be expected here to load wheat cargo.

Scottish Huror

Imported direct from the Aberdeen Joke Factory. "It's been a long and tiring journey," said an Englishman to a Scotsman, as the London-Aberdeen express neared its destination. "Aye," agreed the Scotsman, "an' so it ought to be for the money."

VICTORIA ROAD CLUB

Cubs Hockey Team Will Play All Games For Season in Other Cities

SEATTLE, Nov. 14.—The Victoria Cubs Hockey Club, orphaned by the burning of their home arena, will go through the season as a "road club." This decision was arrived at yesterday at a meeting here of the officers and directors of the Pacific Coast Hockey League.

Victoria's eighteen scheduled home games will be divided between Vancouver and Seattle.

Robb Funeral Representative But Quiet Event

VALLEYFIELD, Quebec, Nov. 14.—The body of Hon. James Robb was laid away in the family plot in the little cemetery in the centre of the city yesterday. In the gathering were representatives of the Governor-General, the diplomatic corps from Ottawa, cabinet colleagues, members of Parliament, businessmen and fellow citizens.

Sonnenberg Beat Lewis

Won Wrestling Match by Two Throws Out of Three at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 14.—Gus Sonnenberg retained his world heavyweight wrestling title in a bout with Ed (Strangler) Lewis here last night. Sonnenberg won two falls out of three.

Halibut Sales

American—146,000 pounds, 14.5c and 8c to 14.9c and 8c. Canadian—8,000 pounds, 14c and 9c and 14.1c and 9c. American Aleutian, 40,000, Atlin, 14.8c and 8c. Irene, 30,000, Booth, 14.9c and 8c. Ithona, 26,000, Royal, 14.7c and 8c. Thor, 25,000, Cold Storage, 14.5c and 8c. Tatossh, 25,000, Cold Storage, 14.9c and 8c. Canadian Scrub, 3,000, Cold Storage, 14.1c and 9c. Cape Swain, 1,000, Cold Storage, 14c and 9c. Nuba, 4,000, Atlin, 14.1c and 9c.

Assassination Premier of Irak

BAGDAD, Nov. 14.—Sir Abdul Mohsen, Premier of Irak, was found dead from bullet wounds last night. No explanation of the shooting has been made public.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. F. G. Dawson, Mrs. S. Dawson and family wish all friends to know that they are indeed thankful for all the kindness, sympathy and help given through words, deeds and floral offerings in their recent sad bereavement.

Nick Gutvich writes from Bell Island Hot Springs, Alaska, stating that he much improved in health and expects to return home soon a happy man.