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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1919.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Hon. John Oliver Addresses Liberal Convention at Ottawa Leader to be chosen tomorrow

Martin said to be Favorite with Fielding, King and Graham in the Running; Nice things said of Leader of Provincial Government; Convention well Organized and Enthusiastic.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, August 6.—At the close of the first day of the National Liberal convention, the leadership is still very much in doubt. There is every indication that the convention has been well organized and everything ran smoothly from the first.

The new leader will be chosen Thursday by vote of the convention. Premier Martin of Regina appears to be the favorite. Should Martin decline to run, it is believed the contest will be between W. S. Fielding, George P. Graham and W. L. Mackenzie King. The most intense interest is being taken in the matter of leadership as on the wisdom of the choice depends to a large extent the future success of the party.

Premier Oliver of British Columbia in addressing the convention predicts that the result of the convention would be far reaching. Canadians had fought overseas, he said, but freedom would not be won until selfishness was eliminated and profiteering stopped.

There are two representatives from Prince Rupert at the convention. They are Frank Mobley, M. P. P. for Atlin, and Fred Dawson. British Columbia is well represented and Hon. John Oliver is listened to with great respect, it being recognized that he is the strongest leader British Columbia has ever had.

NEW COMPANY TAKES OVER GEORGETOWN

Incorporation of Concern Gazetted at Victoria This Week Under Stock Company's Act.

The Georgetown Spruce and Cedar Co., Ltd., with head offices in Vancouver has been formed with a capital of \$25,000 for the purpose of acquiring and taking over as a going concern the lumber, shingle and sawmill business carried on by George McAfee at Georgetown under the name of the Georgetown Spruce Company. The notice of incorporation is published in the current number of the British Columbia Gazette.

The objects of the company are to acquire from H. R. McMillan certain logs, to carry on the general business of lumbermen, timber merchants and manufacturers, to open up new mills or dispose of any, to operate any of the subsidiary concerns which have to do with the lumber or timber business, to buy, own or charter steamers, tugs or scows, to do a general carrying business, and to operate stores.

Easy chairs, rockers, bed springs and mattresses. Tite's Big August Sale. 185

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT
 Building Inspector, Collector of Road Taxes and Licenses.

Applications for the above position will be received by the Acting City Clerk, on or before noon Friday next. Salary \$160.00 per month, applicants to state qualifications, previous positions with references.
 E. D. JOHNSON, Acting City Clerk.

EMPRESS
 New Show Tonight
 WORLD PICTURES PRESENT
 Montagu Love and Barbara Castleton
 IN
'VENGEANCE'
 SIX PARTS
 WILLIAM DUNCAN
 IN
'A Fight for Millions'
 Pathe British Canadian Gazette
 Admission 15 and 30 cents
 Two Shows, 7:15 and 9.

FIRE DAMAGES CROPS IN OHIO

Four Persons Killed, 200 Homeless and Damages to Extent of \$2,000,000.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Cleveland, Ohio, August 6.—An electric storm swept through the country killing four persons and doing much damage to the crops. As a result two hundred families are homeless and crops to the value of \$2,000,000 have been destroyed.

MANY SETTLERS ARE ARRIVING DAILY IN THE BULKLEY VALLEY

Smithers, August 6.—New settlers still continue to arrive in the Bulkley valley and land seekers are here and all along the line as far as Prince George looking for locations.

R. J. Ferris, representing the department of agriculture, is overseeing the erection of silos in the neighborhood, one for George Oulton being the first to be erected here.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo is on his way to Prince Rupert where he expects to arrive on Thursday evening.

FRED LEGGATT HAS RETURNED TO CITY

Fred Leggatt, a real old timer of this city, arrived this morning from Vancouver on the Prince George, where he has been living with his parents for the past five or six years. Mr. and Mrs. J. Leggatt and family formerly lived next the Royal Hotel and were very well known here in the construction days but later moved to Vancouver. Fred is the eldest son and did most of his public schooling in this city. All the young fellows about town will be glad to see him back again as he intends to locate here for a while.

GENERAL STRIKE AT GENEVA FAILED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Geneva, August 6.—The general strike here failed. The failure is ascribed to government action and to the refusal of the unions to support it.

MUTINY AMONG POLISH TROOPS

Battalions Refuse to Obey Orders and Insistent Officers are Shot Dead.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Berlin, August 6.—News from Posen says that the Polish troops are in a state of mutiny. Companies and even battalions have refused to obey orders and have maltreated their officers. Those officers who have endeavored to enforce orders have been shot dead.

EMBARGO ON TRAFFIC FOLLOWS THE STRIKE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Chicago, August 6.—Owing to the Railway Shopmen's strike an embargo has been placed upon all shipments save perishables and car lots of stock by the Southwestern railroads.

Any increase in the scope of the strike will necessitate embargoes on all traffic.

GERMANY TO DEAL WITH PROFITEERING

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Berlin, August 6.—Germany is to deal with the matter of profiteering. Bureaus are being established in Prussia for the purpose of regulating profits and those who offend will be severely punished.

PRINCE GEORGE HAS REALTY ACTIVITY

Prince George, August 6.—Following the offer of the townsite company to settle with the holders of agreements at a big discount, a good many have paid up, and the titles in the city are in better shape than they have been since the townsite was first put on the market. A large number have registered their holdings and a few have dropped out altogether.

A number of sales have been made recently. On Third Avenue cash has been paid for lots and several residential properties have changed hands.

UNION MEN TO MAKE CO-OPERATIVE CIGARS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Toronto, August 6.—The Union cigar makers have organized for the purpose of manufacturing cigars and selling them on a co-operative basis. A co-operative manufacturing company has been formed and capitalized at \$40,000.

SUMMONSES OUT AGAINST FRUIT VENDORS

Table Supply and Killas Will be Asked to Appear in the Police Court.

Several stores kept open last night for the sale of fruit as a side line. The Rupert Table Supply featured their confectionery and ice cream, but they also sold fruit. The Killas shops were doing business and there were many purchasers.

The police were on the job as a result summonses were issued this morning against the Rupert Table Supply Co. and Jas. Killas for selling fruit contrary to the bylaw. They will appear in the police court within the next few days to answer to the charge.

The police commissioners were asked by the City Council not to prosecute the fruit stores until such time as it had been decided whether or not to repeal the bylaw in regard to fruit stores closing. For years Killas' store has been selling fruit during the evening and no one objected.

At the meeting of the City Council on Monday next it is probable that a classification by-law will be introduced, a committee consisting of the mayor and Aldermen Perry and Casey having been appointed to draw up the bylaw.

BRITAIN DEALS WITH PROFITEER

Central Authority being established Which Will Have Authority To Handle Question.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, Aug. 6.—Great Britain is establishing a central authority to deal with the matter of profiteering. Owing to the food shortage there is a tendency in every country to run prices up to an exorbitant pitch with corresponding profits to middlemen. Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of reconstruction, says that this has to stop and the authority to deal with the question is to be established immediately.

THIRD AVE. REALTY WAS SOLD RECENTLY TO LOCAL PURCHASER

The Imperial Bank has disposed of 32 feet frontage of their property on Third Avenue adjoining the Bank of Montreal. The price is said to be \$9,500.

The property is under lease until October of next year.

WOMEN ESCAPE FROM JAIL AT TORONTO

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Toronto, August 6.—Two women escaped from the jail here. They excavated beneath the gate, dodged the eyes of the guards and holiday crowds and got away without being detected.

HONDURANS DEFEATED

San Salvador, August 6.—The Hondurans have been defeated and have been forced to retreat across the frontier into San Salvador.

ENGLISH LABOR SITUATION STILL LOOKS THREATENING -TIMES SAYS CONSPIRACY

YORKSHIRE MINERS STILL OUT AND MUCH DISCONTENT OVER FAILURE OF POLICE TO SECURE SUPPORT; ARTHUR HENDERSON SUMMONED FROM LUCERNE

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 6.—With the Yorkshire strike unsettled, the bakers' strike continuing, and a number of minor sporadic strikes in other trades in sympathy with the discontent of the police at the failure of their strike to secure the withdrawal of the Police Bill, and the possibility of another big railway strike, the labor situation is again becoming threatening.

Arthur Henderson, the labor leader, who has been attending the Socialist conference at Lucerne, has been hurriedly summoned to London.

Liverpool is quiet, but the strike of dockers is threatened in support of the policemen.

London, August 6.—The Times states that the authorities are convinced the present strikes are part of a conspiracy of an organization for the purpose of harassing the British Government. The success of the police strike was to have been the signal for direct action on a vast scale.

NEW FOOTBALL LEAGUE FORMED

Two Games a Week to be Played By Teams From Three Clubs.

Last evening in the St. Andrew's Hall the delegates from the teams which wish to join the football league met and discussed plans for the arrangement of games, etc. There are to be three teams in the league and the signing up of players will be proceeded with at once. The clubs are Trail Athletic, Sons of England, and the St. Andrew's Society.

The first game of the season will be played a week from Thursday and from the first blow of the whistle the very best brand of football is insured. There will be two games a week, one on Monday and the other on Thursday. Should rain prevent playing on any of these days, another will be chosen in the same week. It is fully determined that the scheduled number of matches will be played during the time set so that the fans may feel amply assured that there are going to be some excellent exhibitions of the association game during the next few months.

Last evening Mr. Slocum was in the chair but a permanent president and secretary will be chosen for the league. George Russell has been elected secretary pro tem. Rules and regulations were drawn up and the players will have to govern themselves accordingly. This marks a most progressive movement for the encouragement of outdoor sport and with suitable trophies as rewards the competition will be very keen among the teams.

FRANCE WILL BUILD FLEET

Large Sum of Money Set Aside for Purpose of Providing For Commerce.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Paris, August 6.—France is to have a big commercial fleet. She has been having vessels built for her in several countries and now she has authorized a further expenditure of 1,830,000,000 francs for a similar purpose. These ships will be built at home, where it is necessary to provide employment for the soldiers who are being demobilized.

BASEBALL

American League—Detroit 2; Washington 1; Boston 7; Cleveland 5; other games postponed—rain.

National League—Cincinnati 7; Brooklyn 2; Boston 3; Chicago 1; Philadelphia 2; Pittsburg 0; St. Louis 6; New York 2.

LIVING COSTS ARE BEING CUT BY THE FRENCH

French Food Minister Has Taken Drastic Action in Regard to Necessities of Life.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Paris, August 6.—The food minister plans to reduce the cost of living and as a first step has cut the prices of eggs and vegetables fifty per cent. Other food stuffs have been reduced in price from twenty to fifty per cent.

Much interest is taken in the experiment of state control, something which has never been tried before to any extent. The producers naturally object to the change, but the consumers in the city welcome the reduced prices.

FISH TRAIN LEAVES TODAY

Only One Boat Leaves for Vancouver With Her Catch; Prices are Low.

A special fish train is leaving for the east this afternoon following the arrival of the cars on the passenger train last night. Practically all the fish boats have been taken care of but the price paid was not very high. The Convention with 25,000 lbs. of halibut has gone to Vancouver with her catch. She was purchased by the New England Fish Co. The following are the boats sold yesterday: Lincoln, 13,000, and Vesla, 14,000, at 8c and 5c to the Booth Fisheries; Verna, 11,000, Niagara 13,000, and Volunteer 2,000 to the National Independent at 8c and 5c; Bringold 15,000, Eastern Point 11,000, Clara 7,000, and Nidaros 9,000 at 8c and 5c; H. & R. 13,000, Cora 9,000, Evolution 4,000, at 8c and 5c; Tramp 13,000 to the Gold Storage and Clara N., 3,000, at 9c and 5c to the Royal Fish Company. The Convention for delivery at Vancouver sold at 11c and 7c.

BRITISH TROOPS ARE GOING TO BUDAPEST

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Buda, Aug. 6.—British troops are on their way to Budapest to participate in the occupation of the city following the surrender of the soviet government and the deposing of Bela Kun.

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