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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1919.

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CONFERENCE REGARDING GRAND TRUNK

Alfred Smithers and Sir Robert Borden Discuss Fate of Railway.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, August 28.—A conference took place yesterday between Alfred Smithers, chairman of the Grand Trunk Railway board of directors, and Sir Robert Borden with regard to the ultimate fate of the Grand Trunk System. The result of the negotiations has not been divulged but it is understood that any offer made will not be found to differ to any extent from the offer made during the previous negotiations. At that time the Government made an offer of an annual rental of \$6,000,000.

CAUSES DROP IN PRICE OF MEAT

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Chicago, August 28.—A drop in price of one dollar a hundredweight on the average price of beef and also a lower price for mutton at the stock yards is attributed to the general protest against the high cost of living.

X RAY TAKEN OF BOY'S INJURED ARM

Sam Hibbard is at present lying in bed at home while awaiting the result of X ray pictures taken of his arm at the Prince Rupert General Hospital yesterday. For some time Sam has not been well and it was thought the cause of his illness was from a wrench which he received while at the Lake swimming. Two men grabbed him by the head and feet and threw him into the lake and it was thought that the twist had probably hurt some of the bones in his shoulder. It is hoped that the lad who is such a baseball enthusiast will be out again.

WINE AND RUM IS CAUSE OF TROUBLE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, August 28.—One of the causes for the unprecedented state of congestion of the London docks is the enormous importation of wines and rum for which the liquor trade gave tremendous orders immediately after the armistice was concluded. Just arrived, a car of Beaver brand, A. W. Edge Co., distributed.

Prince Rupert
Swimming Club.
SECOND ANNUAL
Gala
Sunday, Aug. 31
at 2 o'clock
Entrance Fee to each
race, Adults 25c.,
Children 10c.

Wanted
25 Muckers
Apply
J. R. MORGAN LTD.
At
Shipbuilding Plant.

BOTH BYLAWS ARE RATIFIED

Schools Proposal Gets Very Little Over the Required Sixty Per Cent.

SCOTSMEN SEEM TO HAVE POLLED FOR IT

School Bylaw.
For, 133; Against 82.

Repaving Bylaw.
For, 169; Against 44.

The two bylaws were passed yesterday by sufficient margins to make them quite safe. The most important of these was the one to provide for the building of a new school on Acropolis Hill and setting aside \$150,000 as the amount that may be needed for the purpose. The other was to raise \$25,000 for the repaving of streets. The school bylaw had rather a close run, too close to be pleasant to those who supported it. However there was a safe margin of four above the sixty per cent. required to pass it.

Returning Officer Woods was in charge and promptly at 7 the polls closed and the counting commenced. There were four boxes and it was in the first, A to D, and in the last, Q to Z, that the bylaw fared worst. Apparently it was carried by the Maeks for the box M to P gave a vote of 35 to 14. This was the subject of some comment for Scotchmen are proverbially close, but apparently they saw a better deal for the city and for the children in carrying the bylaw than in defeating it. As one man said "It is sure to be all right for the Maeks have endorsed it."

It is to be assumed now that the bylaw is passed that immediate steps will be taken to commence the work of building the new school. The deputy returning officers were: J. Evans, F. Morrison, A. Clapperton, and R. H. Shockley.

GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA IS DEAD

Premier of Union of South Africa Passes Away as Result of the Flu.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Pretoria, August 28.—General Louis Botha, Premier of the Union of South Africa, died here yesterday, following an attack of influenza.

To General Botha is generally ascribed along with General Smuts the fact that South Africa stuck to the Empire, and cleared out the nest of rebels during the early days of the war.

LENINE SHOWS WHITE FEATHER

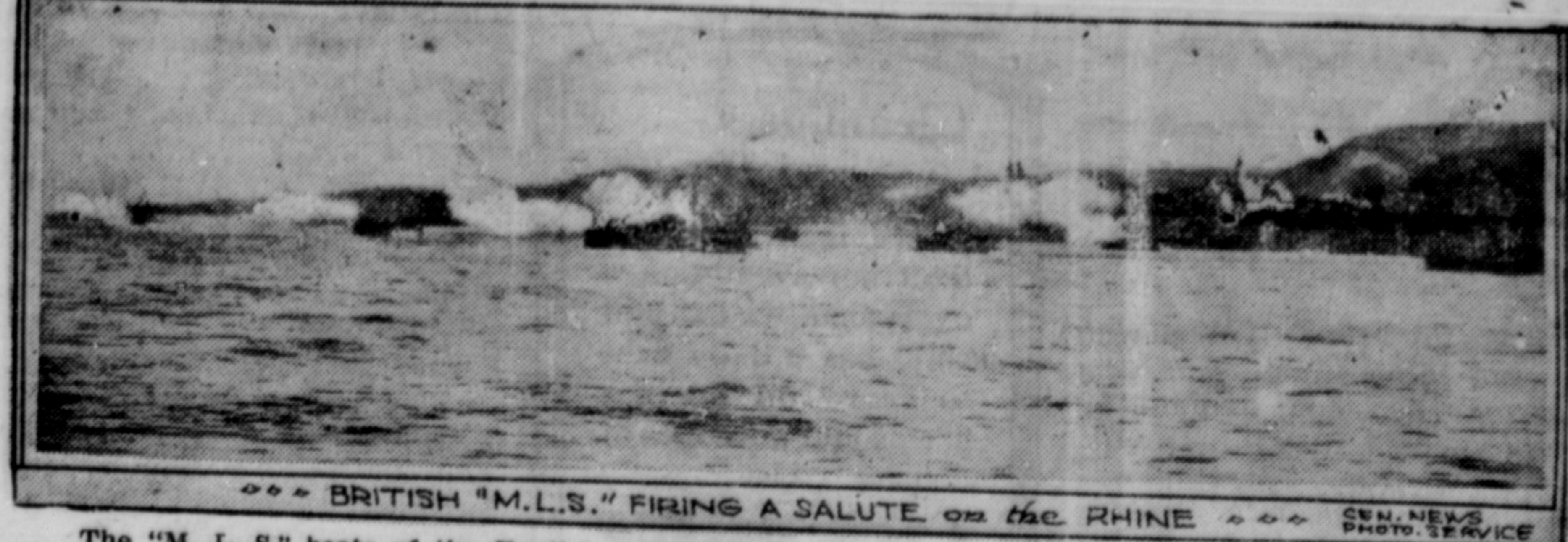
Sueing for Peace With Roumania, According to Dispatch from Copenhagen.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Copenhagen, Aug. 28.—Lenine, the Russian Bolshevik premier, is asking for peace. He has sent a delegation to Kishinev to open negotiations with the army leaders with a view to establishing peace between Roumania and the Russian soviet.

RAILROAD STRIKE WEARS ITSELF OUT

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
San Francisco, Aug. 28.—There are indications today that the railroad strike is wearing itself out and union leaders will regain control of the situation before night falls.

BRITISH BOATS ON THE RHINE



The "M. L. S." boats of the English navy are saluting as they are passing the allied headquarters on the River Rhine in Germany.

EXEMPTION TAX IS PROPOSED BY GERMANS

Tax of 20 Marks Per Head is Suggested for Those Who Did Not Fight.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Berlin, August 28.—The Government is being pressed to levy an "Exemption Tax" on all men who did not wear the uniform required during the late war. It is estimated that a tax of twenty marks per head per annum, net, would bring in something like 130,000,000 marks yearly.

CREW REPORT SCHOONER GONE

Blew Up at Sea After Caught Fire—Was Loaded With Ammunition.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Yarmouth, N. S., August 28.—Twelve men, members of the crew of the auxiliary fore-masted schooner Elmer Roberts, have arrived here. They report that the ship caught fire and blew up at sea. She was loaded with ammunition.

ICE HOCKEY PROPOSED TO ENTERTAIN PRINCE

Victoria is Planning to Show the Royal Visitor Unusual Summer Sport.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Victoria, B. C., August 28.—It is proposed here to entertain the Prince of Wales to an ice hockey game. Lester Patrick, the owner of the artificial ice rink, has the matter in hand and it is expected that the unusual sight of an ice hockey game in summer will be presented for the amusement of the royal visitor.

Victoria is one of the places where ice is unusual even in winter, except at the big skating arena where skating is one of the winter pastimes. It will be a novel thing to have a hockey game there in summer.

DRASTIC PROCEEDINGS AGAINST PROFITEERS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, August 28.—In the House of Commons, C. A. McCurdy, the member for Northampton, chairman of the central committee established under the new profiteering law, said that they intended to take drastic action against the food profiteers.

HINDENBURG MAY BE NEXT PRESIDENT OF GERMAN REPUBLIC

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Berlin, August 28.—General von Hindenburg may be the next president of Germany. It has been announced here that he is likely to be the nominee of the national people's party at the next presidential election. Although now a republic and with a Government pledged to peace, the German people have not yet given up the military idea and Hindenburg represents the militaristic section of the country.

NO REDUCTION IN BRITISH NAVY SAYS SIR JOHN JELICOE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Wellington, N. Z., August 28.—Replying to a deputation from the Navy League, Admiral Sir John Jellicoe stated here that any great reduction in the naval expenditure of Great Britain would be impossible. It was likely to remain at about one hundred pounds a head.

AUSTRALIA WILL NOW EXCLUDE ANARCHISTS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Melbourne, August 28.—An amendment to the immigration bill providing for the exclusion of anarchists and former enemy subjects for five years, received its second reading in the House of Representatives. The measure was opposed by the labor members of the House.

SWIMMING GALA NEXT SUNDAY

Club Has Arranged for Interesting Event at Salt Lakes.

There is to be a swimming gala on Sunday afternoon next commencing at two o'clock. A good program of races has been arranged and doubtless it will be well attended. There are a number of good swimmers here and many of these will be in evidence at the gala.

LOST

Passenger gangplank from steamer Prince George in harbor. Anyone finding same please notify G. T. P. Steamship Co.

PRINCE RUPERT MEN STRIKE IT PRETTY RICH

O. Besner Finds Forty-Foot Face Of Ore on Climax at Alice Arm.

ZARELLI AND PARTNER REFUSE BIG OFFER.

Alice Arm, August 28.—Three Prince Rupert men have struck it rich at Alice Arm. O. Besner, D. Zarelli and James McAleenan are all interested in properties that will be liable to make them rich.

Mr. Besner has just struck a forty-foot face of ore on the Climax which assays from 130 to 300 ounces of silver. This property adjoins the Wolf and is only a quarter of a mile from the Wolf mine to which the railway is to be built next year.

James McAleenan and D. Zarelli owners of the North Star, refused a big offer from the Guggenheims of New York. Recent ore discoveries have justified them in sticking to their property. On drifting from the main tunnel to the left they encountered a large body of high-grade. The vein matter is very highly mineralized with ruby silver and plastered all over with a rusty colored native silver.

Another Dolly Varden.

The Swiftwater claim, across the river from the Dolly Varden, recently purchased by D. J. Hancock, is showing silver sulphides in the tunnel and has every appearance of making another Dolly Varden.

The Vanguard group owned by Morris Pender has had an offer from Preston Lock, chief engineer of the Tacoma Smelter.

The ore of the Dolly Varden is now moving to the bunkers on the railroad at the rate of 150 tons per eight-hour shift. The value per ton is about 500 oz. silver. Major Doris figures on building a 3,000-ton bunker at the wharf at Alice Arm.

The La Rose property owned and operated by Miles Donald and associates is producing silver glance ore that will average 1,000 ounces of silver, mine run. They have considerable tonnage now mined and will sack when they have obtained the desired tonnage. They have made two shipments so far, one to Granby and the other to Trail.

Ready for Shipment.

The Joplin, Silver Star, and Silver Hoard, operated by D. J. Hancock, are producing about three tons per shift of ore that assays 380 oz. of silver, \$13 gold and 65 per cent lead. There is ready for shipment now 180 tons, most of it being sacked, which will be sent out as soon as the government trail is in shape to commence shipments.

The camp in general has a very promising outlook, going ahead slowly but surely, with no aspect of a boom. Mr. Price of New York has a large force working on the Last Chance property and is producing excellent ore. If the values go down it will be as big as the Big Missouri.

AVIATORS TURN UP

Mount Clements, August 28.—Lieutenant Schroeder and Lieutenant Strickland who were lost on the last lap of the International Derby have both turned up safe.

SOCKEYE PACK ON THE SKEENA

Total is Approximately 180,000 Cases, Worth Nearly Three and a Half Million Dollars.

SALMON OF ALL KINDS ABOUT 350,000 C.

Port Essington, August 28.—It is estimated that the sockeye pack for the present season will be 180,000 cases. As these have been selling at \$19 a case the total value of the sockeye run for the season is set at close to \$3,500,000. This is in addition to the pinks and chums and springs and cohoes. The total salmon pack of the district including all varieties is estimated at 350,000 cases. While this is not quite as large as that of last year it is much more valuable. Last year the sockeye pack was only about 100,000 cases.

RED SOX WILL PLAY TIGERS

Prize of \$25 Offered for Winners of Labor Day Event.

The baseball game on Labor Day between the Red Sox and the Tigers is arousing considerable interest about the city as the boys gave such a good exhibition on July 4. The Red Sox are the older team in years, but the Tigers have been playing together for the most part of the summer and their team work has shown up excellently in the various matches.

The prize offered is \$25 and both teams will strive hard to win the cash as such a nice sum will help to alleviate many of their troubles in the way of lack of outfit. It promises to be a keenly contested match and will be one of the outstanding events of the Labor Day program which is so filled with attractions for old and young.

PRINCE WOULD MEET WORKERS OF COUNTRY

Tells the Police to Keep No One Back as He Would Shake Hands With People.

Toronto, August 28.—"I want to meet the people who did the daily work in the war," said the Prince of Wales yesterday. "I want to shake hands with the people in rags and tatters and the brave men and women whose sacrifices saved the British Empire. Let them crowd in. Tell the police not to keep them back."

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NOTICE
 Anyone having claims against the Imperial Munitions Board should present accounts for same to the Board's office on Second Avenue before September 6.
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"A Fight for Millions"
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 Admission 15 and 30 cents
 Two Shows, 7.15 and 9.