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Draw Horses in Big Sweepstake

VANCOUVER — Three British Columbians are known to have drawn horses in the Irish Hospital's sweepstake on the Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree this Saturday.

Norman Smith of Victoria has drawn the horse Chagrin, 8 to 1 shot. Should Chagrin win, Smith would take a prize of \$140,000.

Alice Ettinger of Lulu Island has drawn Gay Heath and J. W. Lorimer of Vancouver, Queen of the Day.

Co-Insurance Is Effective

Beginning April 1, all new admittances to British Columbia hospitals are liable for co-insurance payment. In Prince Rupert such a charge will be \$2 a day for the first 10 days.

D. C. Stevenson, administrator of Prince Rupert General Hospital, said to date one patient had come under the new ruling. Upon discharge, payment for each day spent in hospital—up to 10—is required. A special receipt is then given patients which they will be asked to produce upon re-entry to any hospital in B.C.

If a patient has paid co-insurance but cannot produce a receipt, an affidavit will have to be sworn to, stating days paid for and where.

Patients admitted to hospital prior to April 1, regardless of when they are discharged, are not liable for co-insurance, Mr. Stevenson said.

New premium rates also go in effect April 1, with first increased payroll deductions this month.

Shortage Of Labor

VANCOUVER (CP) — Labor shortages are developing in at least five major industries in British Columbia, a senior government employment officer said today.

Milton A. Hamby, manager for the Unemployment Insurance Commission in New Westminster and the Lower Fraser Valley, said there were "definite indications of general shortages." He predicted serious shortages of skilled workers for construction, logging, mining and millwork and said he looked for "scarities of farm labor of all types."

Students Are Hit by Draft

SASKATOON (CP)—Canadian students at United States universities are having a hard time keeping out of Uncle Sam's army.

The physics department at the University of Saskatchewan has received letters from a number of its graduates now in the United States.

One of them, Al McNamara, wrote that he abandoned his scholarship and went to Ontario to get out of the draft board's clutches.

Information received by the physics department here indicates that Canadian students who are not married face the possibility of induction into the armed forces only if they are in the United States under certain conditions.

Married students are safe, because only single men are being taken at present.

A Canadian on a student visa—which does not allow him to earn money in the United States—is also safe from the draft.

However, most students have to earn some money to help pay their way while on a scholarship and that apparently is where the difficulty starts for Canadians.

In order that a student may work part time to support himself, American consulates will issue a permanent resident visa. And a man permanently residing in the country (according to visa) becomes a target of the draft boards.



BRIDGE COLLAPSE—Here is another striking picture of the recent bridge collapse at Three Rivers, Quebec, which has caused a public scandal.

Tighten up on Citizenship

Skeena Member Warns Parliament Against Witch Hunting

OTTAWA (Special to Daily News) — Amendments to the Canadian Citizenship Act were introduced yesterday for second reading by Hon. W. E. Harris, minister of citizenship and immigration. The new act enlarges the provisions under which Canadian citizenship can be revoked, particularly in cases where a naturalized citizen has returned to his country of origin or has been convicted of an offence involving disloyalty.

Speeches supporting the bill and condemning pro-communist activity were made by Liberals and Conservatives and members of the CCF.

APPLEWHITE
Edward T. Applewhite, Liberal, Skeena, spoke in somewhat different vein, stating that he felt any Liberal government must have been reluctant to admit the need for such an act as any Liberal member would be reluctant to admit the need for supporting it. However, communist activity had been such that it was necessary for Canada to take steps to protect herself.

Applewhite stated the principle of the bill is not new but its provisions are becoming broader all the time due to the activities of those commonly described as subversive but for which the Skeena member preferred the word "traitors."

Applewhite outlined the value placed for years upon the status of "British subject," now replaced by "Canadian citizen," and expressed the opinion that, in most cases, naturalized citizens placed as high a value on citizenship as natural-born citizens although he regretted it had not been the Canadian practice sufficiently to emphasize this value at the time of naturalization.

While expressing sympathy with the need and intent of the proposed legislation, Applewhite warned against succumbing to mass fear which might result in a wave of witch hunts. He urged the minister and the government to take every possible precaution against this while "expeditiously and relentlessly proceeding against those who were definitely proved to be traitors."

Admitting that the legislation provides for a hearing in every case before citizenship can be revoked, the Skeena member said he did not wish to see an orgy of such hearings based only on suspicion across the country. He said that he believed and he thought Canada as a whole believed that "it is better that some guilty persons should escape punishment than that one innocent person should suffer for a crime he had not committed." He closed with a plea that the government and Parliament should not make it too easy for anyone's citizenship to be taken from him and he

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Is Killed by Falling Tree

PARKSVILLE, Vancouver Island—Francis Edward McNulty, 68, retired railway engineer, was killed while falling a tree in the garden of his home here. His wife witnessed the tragedy.

Nuns Are Charged

HONG KONG (CP)—Five Canadian Roman Catholic nuns, arrested in Canton, have now been accused of causing a cholera epidemic in the city in 1938, according to press reports from the South China city of Canton.

Reports said that this charge had been made by 180 members of the Peasants' Association in Shako, a suburb of Canton, who attended a "public accusation meeting."

The peasants, who also accused the nuns of "murdering" orphans, said infection spread from bodies of "baby victims" which the nuns left in the open air.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis
Cold air is surging back into British Columbia and will bring to an end the mild weather which the province has been enjoying. However, it is expected that predominantly sunny skies will persist in most regions both today and tomorrow.

Some snow shower activity has prevailed through the night in the northern interior with both Prince George and Quesnel reporting a few flurries. A few showers were reported on the coast. A few showers are looked for in the southern interior as the cold air moves into these regions later today.

Another storm moving into the northern Gulf of Alaska is expected to bring increasing cloud and some rain to the north coast tonight. Freshening southerly winds are also looked for in this region.

Maximum temperatures both today and Thursday are expected to range from five to ten degrees lower than those reported through the province yesterday.

Forecast
North coast region—southern section—Clear, clouding over late this afternoon. Cloudy tomorrow. Winds light, becoming southerly (15 miles per hour) tomorrow.

Northern section—Cloudy. Intermittent rain beginning this afternoon. A few showers tomorrow. Winds light, becoming southerly (25) by evening. Winds southwesterly (15) tomorrow. Little change in temperature.

Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—Port Hardy 32 and 45; Sandspit and Prince Rupert 36 and 42.

Witnessed Drownings

Survivors of Barclay Sound Tell Story of Tragedy

Shipmates of the fish seiner Barclay Sound watched as two of the crew members perished before their eyes in breakers off Rose Spit, of Graham Island, Sunday afternoon.

The body of a Vancouver man, 23-year-old George Soutar, was found the same evening by RCMP, and was brought to Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon by the Barclay Sound whose surviving crew members gave the first hand story of the tragedy.

John Jolliffe, 41, of Alert Bay, owner of the 64-foot Barclay Sound, was the second drowning victim, but his body has not yet been found. Mrs. Leo Micholuk of Prince Rupert, is a niece of Jolliffe.

"We warned them not to go ashore," said the 21-year-old captain of the boat, Raymond H. Johnson of Vancouver.

At the time of the accident the Barclay Sound was anchored off Rose Spit in about five fathoms of water.

"If we had gone in with the boat we all would have gone," said Capt. Johnson, who said that the seiner should not have been as close to shore as it was.

It was Johnson's first trip as skipper with the seiner. He said that they had been dragging for sole and were getting ready to take shelter for the night. They were fishing for B.C. Packers.

As soon as the row-boat capsized the men radio-phonied through to Digby, in order to reach Masset, which caused some delay to make connections, the skipper said.

The Barclay Sound with two remaining crew members brought Soutar's body to Prince Rupert at 5 o'clock last night, it will be sent to Vancouver by the B.C. Undertakers here.

The owner of the boat and John Jolliffe leaves a widow at Alert Bay.

Jolliffe was rowing the boat at the time of the accident.

"We told them not to go ashore, Jack only laughed. They had the rifle along and were going to do some hunting they told us," said R. I. Fuerst, 22, of Vancouver who was the fourth member of the crew. He explained that they had already stocked up with supplies at Prince Rupert the week before.

"Although there were only swells where we were anchored, the breakers must have been 20 feet high when they filled the clinker boat about half a mile from us," said Fuerst, who was watching from the top of the pilot house with glasses.

"I only heard one cry from the men," he added.

"We called on the Violet P. which came alongside, but they couldn't do anything either," the skipper said.

They watched the breakers, a wall of water and surf throw the men and boat upon the shore.

Criticizes Gov't—

Playing to Communists

TORONTO (CP)—Solon Low, National Social Credit leader, said last night that the Liberal government's economic policies are playing right into the hands of the Communists.

"It is perfectly clear that the Liberal government's anti-inflationary policy is a failure," Low said.

This was what the Communists wanted because they knew that inflation would sap the strength of democratic economies and undermine them to a point where they could be "easy pickings" for Russia's military might.

TIDES

Thursday, April 5, 1951
High 0:42 20.9 feet
12:59 20.5 feet
Low 6:51 3.5 feet
19:04 4.0 feet

United Nations Still Move North of 38th

TOKYO (CP)—An Allied task force drove four miles north of the Korean border today against heavy Communist resistance. A field dispatch said the task force met heavy Red mortar fire and some artillery fire near Topyong, four miles north of the border on the western front. However, it drove ahead.

Another Allied force nearby punched two miles into Red Korea in the Yongsong area.

Earlier reports said that an American patrol had crossed the 38th parallel on the central front and routed the Chinese Reds from two hills. The patrol was probing outer areas of the huge Red build-up where almost 600,000 Communist troops are massed for an expected Red offensive.

A Reuters News Agency dispatch from the front indicated that the Communists were offering the stiffest resistance since the start of the current United Nations offensive. The Reds are making a serious effort to stem the Allied push across the 38th parallel, Reuters added.

Ernest Unwin Passes Away

Prince Rupert lost another of its esteemed pioneer citizens at 7:15 this morning when death came to Ernest Unwin at the Prince Rupert General Hospital. A week ago Sunday, Mr. Unwin sustained serious injuries in a fall at the Canadian Pacific Railway wharf. Since then he had been in a critical condition.

Born in Stratford, Essex, England, seventy-five years ago (August 1, 1875), Mr. Unwin learned the accounting business in London and in 1911 he came to Canada. Joining the service of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in Winnipeg, he was assigned to the west and became a time-keeper in the Port George area, gradually working through to Prince Rupert as railway construction proceeded. He had lived here ever since. For a while he was in the service of the city treasurer's department but for many years he had engaged in private accounting.

Mr. Unwin was a faithful member of St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral and an active church worker. He also took a keen interest in Masonic affairs as a member of Tsimpsan Lodge. In the early days he was a member of the Sons of England Lodge.

Deceased was unmarried. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Jessie Jacobs of Vancouver, who was called here a few days ago, and a brother, John E. Unwin, formerly of Prince Rupert and now of Vancouver.

The remains will be taken tomorrow night by the sister to Vancouver for interment.

Articles Found; Man Arrested

With the arrest of Donald Auger, 25, at his residence on Ninth Avenue West, last evening, police believed today that they had taken a step toward the clearing up of the mystery of a number of articles which have become missing during the past couple of months.

In Auger's residence a police search found several articles. Other articles were found in a cabin on Wantage Road, movements about which had led to information being given the police.

Auger appeared in city police court this morning on a charge of retaining a stolen bicycle and was remanded for eight days.

Building to be Difficult

Cost of Living Hits All Time High Level

OTTAWA (CP)—The cost of living index took its biggest monthly jump in history in February.

It amounted to 4.5 points and brought the index for March to 179.7, an all time high.

Nanaimo is Now in Lead

VANCOUVER (CP)—Nanaimo Clippers ganged up on Edmonton Mercurys last night and walloped them 6 to 0.

The win put the Clippers only a game away from the Western Canada Allan Cup hockey final against Fort Frances Canadiens.

They now have a 2 to 1 edge in the best of a five-game semi-final series.

A win on home ice Thursday night is all the Clippers need now.

First-aid arrangements meeting specific standards are compulsory in all factories in Britain.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moore arrived here from Vancouver on the Prince Rupert today. Mr. Moore who is the bookkeeper during the fishing season for the Canadian Fishing Company on Porcher Island, arrived here with other cannery workmen, including Mr. Ross, the net foreman. They will continue to the Humpback Bay Cannery.

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6th Anniversary Event

Ladies' and Gent's Watches, Diamond Rings, Signet Rings, Costume Jewellery, Pierced Earrings, Pearls, Pendants, Etc.