

# Discord Between Province and State Feared Should Sockeye Pact Pass In Proposed Manner

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 21.-Control of the sockeye salmon in Washington waters is an inherent right of the state, Governor Roland H. Hartley contended in protesting yesterday to President Hoover against the contemplated Canadian-American treaty which would give this power to an international commission. "Control of the sockeye industry can best be maintained by interested officials of the province of British Columbia and the state a policy designed for the benefit of of Washington," he said. The proposed treaty, he con- the canners, to whom it would give tinued, would probably result in irritation and misunder- complete control of the industry, standing that would undermine the friendly relations now existing between the state and province.

# LIONS LOSE **TO VICTORIA**

Cubs Win Their First Game of Season From Pacific Coast League Leaders

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21.-In senger liner Cardena, which has speedy game which was full of acbeen undergoing repairs at the lotion, Victoria Cubs defeated Vancal drydock following her strand-Lions in a Pacific Coast ing on December 20 on Village Is-

Southern Fishermen's Organizations Object to Howe Regulations

# MONOPOLY FEARED

UCLUELET, Vancouver Island, Jan. 21.—Opposition to the fishing policy enunciated by Hon. S. L. Howe, provincial commissioner of fisheries, on the ground that it was has been registered by the West Coast Salmon Fishermen's Associa-

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 21 .---Meeting here, the British Columbia Fishermen's Protective Association voted against recognition of any "committee" to be composed of representatives of fishermen's and cannery interests until the provincial fisheries department made clear its policy on many important

points that affect the fishermen's

interests.

# FURTHER PROTESTS Representatives of Great Sea Powers Pledged Themselves To General Disarmament Principle

HIS MAJESTY THE KING



Epochal Gathering in London Opened by King George V. With Delegates From United States, Britain, France, Italy, Japan

PREMIER MACDONALD MAKES ELOOUENT LIMITATION PLEA

American Secretary of State Is in Accord With Doctrines Expressed; Canada's Minister One of Speakers

LONDON. Jan. 21.-King George V. formally opened the five-power naval conference here this morning with a six-minute speech which was broadcast over a world-wide radio hook-up. His Majesty pledged Great Britain's cooperation in an effort to limit the navies of the nations and expressed the hope that an agreement would be reached which would prepare the way for a general disarmament treaty. The King's face was ruddy, his step firm, and his voice rich and full of confidence. "If each of us is equally determined to make some sacrifice and contribution towards the common good, the world will be making a lasting effort for alleviation of the heavy load of the common people," said the King. "It is with sincere satisfaction that I am here with representatives of the naval powers who, by their deliberations, hope to curb the evil results of naval competition," His Majesty declared. "That competition has led to a feeling of insecurity among the nations. Since the great war all nations have done everything in their power to prevent a holocaust. One of the strongest columns in the edifice of peace we are erecting will be the elimination or reduction of navies to a point consistent with national security." Following the King's address, the conference was formally organized with the nomination of Premier Ramsay Macdonald as chairman. The entire assembly stood respectfully as His Majesty passed out. Premier Macdonald then took the chair vacated by the King and began his own address, urging in eloquent terms the necessity of heightening the spirit of confidence among tive peoples and thus paving the way for an agreement to halt competition in naval construction. "The whole world," the premier said. "expects that we shall deliberate and negotiate on the assumption that, having put our names to the pacts of peace, we mean to respect our signatures."

League hockey match here last It was the first time the Cubs have conquered the Lions this season

At the end of the second period, Vancouver had a two-goal lead but the Cubs came back in the final After the Cardena takes to the period to score three goals, which were sufficient to win the game. The score was four to three.

APPOINTMENTS regular schedule. TO NAVY POSTS

Sir Reginald Tyrwhitt to Command Nore Base and Sir George Hyde Third Battle Squadron

LONDON, Jan. 21 .-- Two important naval appointments are announced.

Admiral Sir Reginald Tyrwhitt has been appointed commander-in-Sir George Hyde of the Australian navy has been appointed to command the third battle squadron training unit of the Atlantic fleet.



Victim of Vancouver Bandit Is Not Making Satisfactory Recovery

land in the Skeena River when extensive damage was scheduled to be launched from the pontoons about noon tomorrow. Work on the hull of the vessel is rapidly nearing completion.

CARDENA JOB

NEARLY DONE

Union Steamship Co.'s Liner to Be

Launched From Pontoons

About Noon Tomorrow

Entire Board of

Big Missouri

The Union Steamship Co.'s pas-

water again, there will be some minor interior work to be carried out before the job is complete. She will sail on Friday or Saturday for Vancouver, where she will be recommissioned next week on

Many Believe That Hon. R. R. Bruce Will Be Asked To Continue For Another Term

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21.-Although the term of His Honor Robert Randolph Bruce still has 13 months to run, political and social circles are already beginning to discuss who will be his successor as lieutenantgovernor of British Columbia.

Some think Mr. Bruce will be asked to continue for a second term, as has often happened in other provinces, particularly where the incumbent has fulfilled his duties so eminently to the satisfaction of the general public as Mr. Bruce has

Re-elected 1930 The appointment lies with the Dominion government, but is by no means a plum. except from the

standpoint of the honor and dis-The entire directorate was reelected at the annual meeting of tinction that goes with it. The salchief of Nore base and Rear Admiral Big Missouri Mining Company Lim- ary, paid from the Dominion treasited held in Tacoma last week. In- ury, is \$9000 a year, but an active formal reports showed that exten- governor usually spends several ter Blanton is chairman pro-tem couver Island by the oleo-margarine sive development is in progress on times that sum in travelling and the Big Missouri property in the entertaining.

S. Jack and O. J. Hutchings was Portland Canal district, while prep- Only wealthy men are thus in the appointed to draw up a constitution of Agriculture from T. G. Coventry, arations for placing the Missouri realm of discussion for the office. and bylaws, while another commit-Monarch Consolidated Mining Co.'s although the province appropriates tee consisting of W. D. Smith, J. property, located in Nevada and in \$35,000 a year for the maintenance. Perrin Is Worse which Big Missouri has substantial of Government House and grounds. Stewart and J. Mellor was named to being made. holdings, on a production basis are The term of Mr. Bruce expires on check up on causes of interference under way. The report of Duncan February 24, 1931. His niece, Miss locally At an early meeting permanent McVichie, M.E., in charge of work Helen Mackenzie, who has officiated officers of the organization will be on the Big Missouri, was not ready as hostess at Government House for the meeting, but will be mailed during his incumbency, is to be marchosen. to shareholders shortly. ried this coming spring. For this INFANT DIES reason many believe he will not de-The death occurred last night sire an extension of his term of of-Liberal Nominee in the Prince Rupert General Hosfice. pital of Thomas William Hatton, For Robb's Seat Brings Suits For infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hatton of Stewart. Interment will take place tomorrow afternoon national organization for maternity Loss of Eye by from the chapel of the B. C. Un-Mayor D. J. O'Connor Will Contest dertakers with Rev. Alfred Wil-Chateuguay-Huntingdon son of First United Church of-Bottle Exploding son of I ficiating. By-election HUNTINGDON, Jan. 21.-Dennis TORONTO, Jan. 21:-A waitress UNALGA recently brought suit for \$21,000 J. O'Connor, mayor of Huntingdon, was last night chosen Liberal candidate for the federal by-election for the loss of an eye caused by in Chateuguay-Huntingdon riding, an explosion of a bottle of soda rendered vacant by the recent death water, when she was employed in of Hon. James A. Robb, minister of a golf club house. She was unable finance. to swear that the bottle in ques- U. Coastguard Vessel Struck Rock at Noon Today tion belonged to the beverage company and the judge thought ONLY ONE AT LARGE SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21:-The meter was still standing steady the case would go farther but returned recently. On the station Visitors to the Zoo should not could not award her damages for United States coastguard, cutter around 29.75 and what little wind platform to meet him were the miss the rare spectacle of the reasons not given at the time. Point on the Alaska Coast, accord- The minimum thermometer reading to a wireless message from ing for the night at the Digby VANCOUVER WHEAT the wanderer asked why the hair chimpanzee, the ourang-outang, VANCOUVER, Jan. 21:-Wheat the steamer President Pierce, tel- Island meteorological station was

today at \$1.2934.

Chief figure at opening of naval disarmament conference in London today.

Radio Body in **Stewart Formed FISHOIL** Organization Proceeding and Permanent Officers Will Be

Elected Shortly

STEWART, Jan. 21:- A radio as-

p.m. today, from the Unalga, this morning.

In Manufacture of Oleo-Margarine, Provincial Agriculture Department Hears

sociation has been organized here, VICTORIA, Jan. 21.-Utilization some thirty perrsons having been of fish oil recovered in reduction present at the initial meeting. Walplants on the west coast of Vanand F. E. Gigot secretary. A comfactories of Europe is a possibility mittee consisting of Ernest Love, P. of the future, according to information received by the Department British Columbia markets representative in England. Tests are

> Minors Banned From Movies

#### UNITED STATES VIEW

Secretary of State Stimson of the United States followed with an address in which he remarked that the present effort at limitation was not to be regarded as final by any means. "Naval limitation is a continued process," he said. "We regard disarmament as a goal to be reached by successive steps and by frequent revision and improvement." Secretary Stimson pledged the cooperation of the United States to further endeavor on behalf of naval disarmament. "Our efforts to contribute to the success of endeavors in other fields will continue unabated," he declared.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21-Mrs. Roderick Perrin, who, with her husband was shot by a bandit early on the morning of January 5, was reported to be in a very critical condition by authorities at the General Hospital today.

Mrs. Perrin's condition was described as "worse."

She was shot down by the bandit as she heroically went to her husband's aid when they were held up outside the garage at the rear of their home.

## Scottish Humor

#### Imported direct from the Aberdeen Joke Factory

One of four broiners left Aberdeen for Canada 30 years ago and other three brothers with long highest five animals under one shaggy beards. The greetings over, roof-namely, the gorilla, the on the face. "Did ye nae take the the gibbon and man.-London was quoted on the local exchange ling of an sos picked up at 12:42 21 above which was recorded early razor wid ye?" was the reply. Times.

Outside Instead of Indoor Recreation Urged by Organization

ROME, Jan. 21 .- Minors should not be allowed in movies and music halls, said a resolution of the Italian and infancy.

To combat the sinister influences of indoor amusements of that sort on the young, the organization's directorate urged more public playing fields, of which there are now 351 in the country.

#### COLD SNAP STILL ON

The cold snap, which has now been on nearly three weeks here. showed little if any signs of moderation this morning. The baro-

### RALSTON SPEAKS

Other delegation heads followed in alphabetical order in speaking. Hon. J. L. Ralston, Canadian minister of national defence, came next. "Canada comes with no assumption of undue prominence or importance," Colonel Ralston said. "She hopes particularly for the opportunity to be useful and helpful to those who will bear the burden of this great event. She is fully conscious that she is so situated as to be spared in some degree the anxiety which other nations experience regarding security. At the same time, she has been ready to assume what she con-Unalga struck a rock at Neava there was, was from the north. ceives to be her natural responsibility and has shared in full measure with the nations of the world the bitter experiences of war."

> The conference adjourned at 1:20 this afternoon to reconvene Thursday morning.