

Tomorrow's Tides

Friday, September 19, 1930
High 11.33 a.m. 18.3 ft.
23.20 p.m. 20.5 ft.
Low 5.01 a.m. 4.2 ft.
17.21 p.m. 7.5 ft.

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Of Special Interest

Have you read the classified advertising page in this paper today? If not, now is the time.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

ENTERPRISE RETAINS AMERICA CUP

KING REGRETS ACTION GOVERNMENT REGARDING TARIFF

American Defender Successful In Defending Yachting Trophy Against Challenger From Britain

United States Sloop Finished Five Minutes and Fifty Seconds Ahead of Shamrock Today to Win Fourth Straight Victory and Series

NEWPORT, Rhode Island, Sept. 18.—The United States sloop Enterprise today completed a successful defence of the America's Cup when she won the fourth straight race and the series from Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock V, the British challenger, four victories to none. The American yacht finished the thirty mile triangular course in three hours, ten minutes and five seconds. The Shamrock crossed the finish line at 1:55:55 p.m., five minutes and fifty seconds behind the Enterprise. It was the closest race of the series and the British vessel held the lead for a part of the time but fell behind and could not again overtake the American although she caught up on her considerably. There was a brisk wind and a choppy sea, weather conditions being, if anything, more suitable to the challenger.

CONVICTION IS QUASHED

Certiorari Proceedings at Supreme Court Result in Remission of \$25 Fine to Nathan Shaw
Certiorari proceedings heard in chambers yesterday afternoon at the Supreme Court Assizes by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald resulted in the quashing of a conviction and fine of \$25 imposed upon Nathan Shaw by D. S. Cameron, fisheries overseer at Swanson Bay, on a charge of illegal fishing. The conviction was quashed on the grounds of lack of jurisdiction.

DAMAGE BY FIRE

Chinese Living Quarters Near Fulton Street Grocery Visited By Flames Yesterday
Considerable damage was done to living quarters adjoining the Sunrise Grocery store on Fulton Street at Sixth Avenue by fire which broke out yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock when tar which was being boiled on a stove for application to the roof of the building got ablaze. One room of the new annex to the store building was badly gutted while four others suffered from the effects of smoke and water.

Order Made For More Jurors at Assize Session

As quite a number of persons summoned for jury service did not turn up at the opening of the Supreme Court Assizes yesterday, an order was made on Sheriff S. A. Nickerson to summon 14 talesmen. However, counsel were able to agree on a panel out of such jurors as were in attendance for the Ness case. The Grand Jury and other members of the petit jury were then excused until 9.30 this morning when court resumed. It is understood that the Grand Jury intends to make an inspection of various public buildings in the city and report upon same.

SHOW WAS EXCELLENT

Delightful Entertainment Offered By Elks' Lodge in Presentation of "Queen of Hearts"

Musical Comedy

Fine Musical Score added to Rollicking Farce to Make Good Measure

The rollicking and melodious 3-act musical comedy "Queen of Hearts," presented last night at the Moose Hall under the direction of the Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNaughton by the local Elks' Lodge in aid of its Christmas Cheer Fund, was a really delightful entertainment. A large audience in attendance had nothing but favorable comment to make of the show which included not only a laughable stage farce which by itself would have gone over well but, interspersed with this, for a good measure, a fine program of colorful and tunesome musical, chorus, dancing and revue numbers, several of which virtually brought down the house. All participating in the program reflected great credit not only upon themselves but upon those responsible for their training. Beautiful costumes were a feature. The farce plot revolves around the consequence of a quarrelsome business partnership and many ludicrous situations are brought about. Taking the major parts as the quarrelsome partners are C. J. McNaughton and James Farquhar. Mr. McNaughton is a professional showman and, as might be expected, acquits himself with credit. As for Jimmy Farquhar, stage plays in Prince Rupert are hardly complete without him and he is cast on this occasion in a part giving him opportunity to display his histrionic talents with credit to himself. It is one of those blustery roles for which he is so well suited. Leading ladies' parts are taken by Mrs. McNaughton and Miss Connie Thorne. Mrs. McNaughton is a very winsome fiancee for Jimmy Farquhar. Miss Thorne, making her first appearance on the local stage, takes splendidly the part of a charming wife who may be excused for her temperamental through the arising of situations which she cannot control. In any case, Miss Thorne does her hysteresis just as if she meant them and is quite at home behind the footlights. Alex Cannon, another regular on the local stage, leaves nothing to be desired in his depicting of the decrepit and faithful old bookkeeper. Another find on the local stage is Fred Stephens playing as a dictatorial lawyer. Fred does this so well that many wondered that he had not been called upon before to take part in this sort of thing. It may be expected that he will not be overlooked in the future. Another of more important roles is that of the emotional maid taken by Miss Jean Roberson who is not only acting if not vivacious in this part. Miss Nellie Gurvich makes a demure stenographer and Bill Mitchell a unique office boy. Both are very good.

After outfooting the Enterprise for the first twenty minutes, the Shamrock's lead was rapidly cut down by the defender which was far to windward and, at 11.25, the American boat stepped into the lead and was estimated to be a mile ahead, completely reversing the first twenty minutes of sailing. The Shamrock continued to drop behind, being evidently unable to point into the wind and lost valuable time heading shoreward searching for smoother water. At three minutes past 12 o'clock the Enterprise rounded the first ten-mile mark with the Shamrock following about nine minutes later. The breeze continued to freshen, blowing up to eighteen miles an hour as the Enterprise began the second leg—a close reach. With a heavier breeze, the Shamrock managed to pull down the Enterprise's lead at the second mark which was rounded by the defender at two minutes after 1 o'clock, the Shamrock following less than seven minutes later.

AMENDMENTS ARE ADOPTED

Customs Act Changes Passed House of Commons Without Division Yesterday

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—The bill to amend the Customs Act with respect to dumping was given its third reading in the House of Commons yesterday without division.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER Sept. 18.—Wheat was quoted on the local Exchange today at 76 1/2c.

United States Winner



Yacht Enterprise that beat Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger Shamrock V in the fourth and final race today off Sandy Hook.

OFFICER'S GAS STOLEN

District Game Warden Van Dyk Robbed of Fuel at Vanderhoof

VANDERHOOF, Sept. 18.—Sergeant T. Van Dyk, district game warden for Northern B.C., is looking for a thief instead of an offender against the game laws these days. Early this week he left his car parked on the street here when some annoying individual siphoned off the gas from his tank. When he got aboard later and tried to drive off, feeling sure that he had plenty of gas, it was not gas that was burning but sulphurous words.

Reports of Grain Boats Unverified

No Confirmation Available of Rumor That Ships May Be Here Shortly

There are reports of freighters being due here soon to load grain cargoes from the Alberta Wheat Pool's Prince Rupert elevator but no official verification of same is obtainable at the local offices of the Pool.

NEW RECORD BY EMPRESS

Japan Chops Twenty Hours Off Record Run From Honolulu to Yokohama

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 18.—The new steamer Empress of Japan shattered a third record today when she arrived from Honolulu in six days, 19 hours and 43 minutes or about 29 hours faster than the previous record.

G. NESS IS ACQUITTED

Jury Finds Local Fisherman Not Guilty of Scuttling Boat to Collect Insurance

George Ness was this morning acquitted by a jury in the Assize Court on a charge of having scuttled his own boat C.N. for the purpose of collecting insurance on her. The jury was out about an hour and a half after Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald had charged them. Ernest Lewis, co-defendant with Ness, was automatically set free on a similar charge. The judge in his charge warned the jury that the chief witness, Ernest Lewis, was an accomplice of Ness and his evidence should not be accepted unless fully corroborated. If the accused told the truth in giving evidence on his own behalf, then he was not guilty. His wife had corroborated the evidence. Milton Gonzales was defence counsel for both Ness and Lewis. W. E. Fisher prosecuted.

Pacific Girl Passes Away

Miss Lillian Taper, Who Attended High School Here, Dies at Kamloops

Word has been received in the city of the death at Tranquille Sanitarium, where she had been a patient for about a year, of Miss Lillian Taper, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taper of Pacific. Miss Taper, who was about seventeen years of age, attended High School in Prince Rupert and was very popular with many young friends here. General sympathy will be expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Taper in their sad bereavement.

Stevens Replies

Replying to Mr. King, Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, declared that members of the administration were going to the Imperial Conference "with our cards on the table," so that the governments of the other Dominions and the Motherland would know exactly where Canada's representatives stood. They were going in a spirit of goodwill and co-operation and were going to negotiate with various parts of the Empire in friendly co-operation.

KILLED IN COAL MINE

Seven Lost Lives Last Night in Nova Scotia Workings—Ten Men Escape

RIVER HERBERT, N.S., Sept. 18.—Seven men were killed and ten escaped, several of them more or less injured, when a gas pocket exploded last night in a new seam of the Old Victoria mine here. The dead are: Philip Brine, William Burke, William White, Wilfrid White, Charles McGrath, Amele Krawlick and Simon Fowler. Only the bodies of Krawlick and Fowler have been recovered.

Beaverbrook Has Typhoid Fever

Condition of Canadian Earl Is, However, Not Believed to Be Serious

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Lord Beaverbrook is ill with para-typhoid fever. His case, however, is not believed to be serious.

Thinks Common Decency Should Have Prevented Preference Change Now

Moves Amendment Condemning Action of Administration In Changing Duties When Only Unemployment Was to Be Deal With

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—As a protest against the government's tariff proposals, Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King yesterday moved an amendment to the motion to go into committee of ways and means stating that "this House regrets that the government has seen fit at a special session called to deal only with unemployment to propose great increases in customs taxation on a wide range of commodities under circumstances which preclude this House and country from securing adequate information regarding the proposals and proper Parliamentary discussion of them. In the opinion of this House, the tremendous increases in taxation proposed will not end unemployment but will inevitably increase the cost of production in the primary industries of agriculture, fishing, mining and lumbering, thus making it more difficult for Canadian producer in these industries to meet world competition in marketing their products."

GRAND JURY KILLS CASE

No Bill Returned Yesterday in Connection With Wounding Charge Against Fred Capelli

No bill was returned by the Grand Jury yesterday afternoon at the Supreme Court Assizes in the case of Rex vs. Fred Capelli, charged with wounding George Bias Gustafson at the King George Hotel on August 19 last, and Capelli was thereupon released from custody. The Grand Jury found that there was not sufficient evidence to warrant Capelli being placed on trial. Milton Gonzales was Capelli's counsel.

Vancouver Yacht Calls Overnight

Dorothy Vose Here on Way South After Cruise of Alaskan Waters

The Vancouver yacht Dorothy Vose, owned and skippered by George H. McKinnon, arrived in port last evening after a cruise in southeastern Alaska waters and sailed today on her way south. On board the vessel, which is a trim 5-foot craft, is a party of three men besides the owner and skipper.

MODERATOR IS ELECTED

Rev. Dr. E. H. Oliver Named United Church Head For Coming Year

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Rev. Dr. E. H. Oliver, principal of St. Andrew's College, Saskatoon, was last night elected moderator of the General Council of the United Church of Canada.

MERCHANTS ENDORSE Y.M.C.A. MOVEMENT
The Prince Rupert Retail Merchants' Association has endorsed the project for the establishment of a branch of the Y.M.C.A. in Prince Rupert. At the next regular Association meeting, the matter of making a donation to the Y.M.C.A. fund will be brought forward.