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BENNETT'S WEAKENING

Premier Bennett's weakening will scarcely appeal to his followers as a course to be commended. We have often spoken highly of Mr. Bennett and his work and we take particular pride just now in pointing to the Australian treaty which his government negotiated and which should prove of great benefit to British Columbia. Here, however, is a different case.

After proper thought and consultation the finance minister announces deliberately and with proper political éclat that the revenue of the country is to be raised in a certain manner, partly from income tax. One provision of this tax is that the old time Liberal graduated tax be modified and that after reaching 25 per cent the increases stop, thus allowing those few who have huge incomes to escape more lightly than in the past.

The Liberals at once declared it was a rich man's budget and as Mr. Bennett is himself reputed to be many times a millionaire, it was said that he and his rich friends would particularly be the ones who would benefit from the change.

The goading continued and as a result Mr. Bennett declared that the change would not be made but that the last year's schedules would remain with the exception of the tax on corporations.

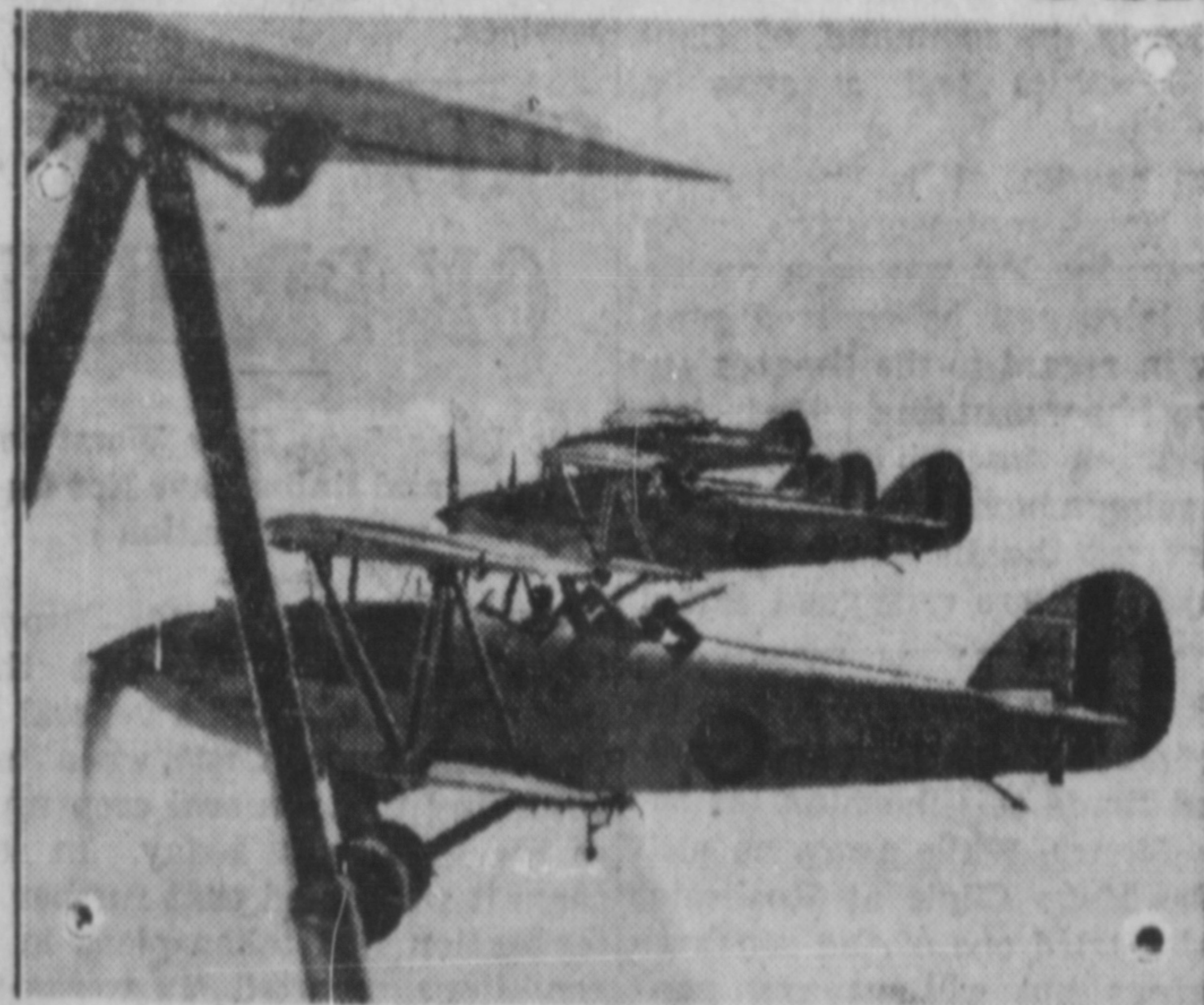
Now, Mr. Bennett was either right or wrong when he first enunciated his policy. It must have been a well-considered policy for the budget is something that is always looked upon as a vital document considered and reconsidered by the administration in all its bearings. Also Mr. Bennett still maintains that it was the correct policy and may be reintroduced next year.

If the policy was right Mr. Bennett was weak in giving it up just because he was criticized. If it was wrong it should never have been included in the budget changes. It is our opinion that right or wrong, Mr. Bennett would have made a better public appearance by sticking to his guns and ignoring the personal criticisms. If he gives up this, what will he give up next? Will he give up the tariff, if it can be shown that the change benefitted him personally?

CAMPAIGN FUNDS

The announcement that huge funds were contributed to the political parties for campaign purposes will startle a good many but it is no new thing. It is being done every year, else how could the parties carry on. People must have known that. They know here that in some recent elections large sums of money were expended in and around Prince Rupert in carrying on the various campaigns. No poor man could conduct a campaign such as those waged here, hire boats, cars, halls, advertise in the newspapers, stop at the best hotels and all from the few local contributions that are made to the political funds. It simply could not be done. Where then did the money come from? Possibly people thought it came from the clouds.

We are not condoning the giving of large sums for campaign purposes. All we wish to mention is that if people who take part in politics are glad to get outside help to fight their political battles they may be sure that the money is put up by someone with an axe to grind. It is unfortunately part of the present system and as long as it costs a lot of money to conduct an election, the money will have to be secured from someone who has a good deal of it and who is willing to contribute.



An aerial snapshot of Hawker Harts of No. 33 Squadron (Bleester) rehearsing for Royal Air Force display held at Hendon

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Man in the Moon

Its just too bad. I can't pay my rent or my taxes or my grocer and if this condition keeps up much longer I shall have to quit my whiskey, my beer and my taxi rides.

An interesting subject for debates during the coming fall months might be. Is it possible to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth and yet be happy for even a brief period.

I know a lovely lady
 She has enchanting eyes
 She has a balm for every hurt
 And tells such lovely lies.

"Any luck?" asked the curious individual looking over the rail of the bridge.

"Any luck?" asked the fisherman below. "Why, I caught 40 bass out of here yesterday."

"Say, do you know who I am?" asked the man on the bridge.

The fisherman replied that he did not.

"Well I am the fish and game warden"

The fisherman, after a moment's thought, said: "Say, do you know who I am?"

"No," replied the officer.

"Well, I am the biggest liar in the country."

Albert W. Burton farmer of the Sherbrooke district of the eastern townships of Quebec, was working in his field during the recent heat wave. It was the hottest weather he had experienced in his thirty years on the farm but he didn't mind that. He heard a sizzling sound from his nearby gooseberry patch. Fearing the worst he went to investigate and sure enough, the gooseberries were merrily cooking on the bushes. That was too much. Farmer Burton retired to the shade of his roof-tree to meditate on the possibilities of a market for gooseberries—cooked on the bush. Next!

**District News
NEW HAZELTON**

On Tuesday night a number of Hazelton people attended a picnic given under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Hazelton Hospital. Singing around a bonfire was the chief amusement.

Miss Ford is back at her duties in the Hazelton Hospital after spending her holidays in the Okanagan.

The farm of George D. Parent, station agent, is exciting remarks because of the excellent crops he is growing this year.

Miss Jean Burns has been engaged to teach the junior grades at the public school.

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**FULTON WINS
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BISLEY CAMP, Eng., July 18:—Sergeant A. G. Fulton of Bisley today won the King's Prize when he finished the greatest service rifle shoot in the Empire with a total of 282 out of a possible 300.

It is the third time Fulton has won the King's Prize.

Six Canadians in the final stage scored as follows:
 Sergeant Major Ensie of Toronto, 277.
 Captain Steele of Guelph, 276.
 Sgt. Moore of St. John, 274.
 Major Richardson of Victoria, B.C., 270.
 Sgt. Foam of Montreal, 266.
 Lieut. Desmond Burke of Ottawa, 257.

**U. S. WINS
AT TENNIS**

Tomorrow Will Decide Who Is to Play Against France in Davis Cup Series

PARIS, July 18:—The United States doubles team, Lott and Van Ryn defeated the British pair, Hughes and Perry in the inter-zone Davis Cup tennis today, 6-1, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, giving the United States the lead of two matches to one.

The two singles games Sunday will decide the opponents of France in the challenge round.

Miss Lillian Cross arrived home this morning from Vancouver to spend two weeks holiday with her parents.

**Guide to
Correspondents**

The Daily News welcomes correspondence on live topics of the day or any other subject of public interest, but letters must be brief and to the point. The long-winded correspondent has no place in modern journalism.

Every letter must be signed by the writer, not necessarily for publication but as a matter of good faith and courtesy. All unsigned documents go to the waste paper basket. Letters of a caustic character must have the signature appended for publication.

Letter should be written on one side of the paper only. Correspondents must avoid personalities and the language should be such as would be allowed in the ordinary rules of debate.

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