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WORK OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

It is sometimes charged that the chamber of commerce never does anything that is of direct advantage to the city. That is only because a good deal of the work is done quietly and the people do not know about it.

A case of distinct advantage was that recorded yesterday when a reply was received from Sir Henry Thornton to a request from the chamber, granting the extension of credit to fishermen which had previously been denied. That alone is worth a great deal to the city for if the fishermen do not go out there will be no industry of importance remaining.

The way to make the chamber of commerce effective would be for every businessman in the city to become a member and join in its activities. While only comparatively few can be members of the executive it is the united general membership that provides the funds and keeps up interest in the organization. If the business of the chamber is run by a few, it is because the others fail to attend meetings and take part.

A time like this is when the chamber of commerce is most needed. If it keeps active it may do a great deal toward bringing back prosperity. The proposal to reduce the yearly dues from twelve to ten dollars might help to make it more popular. Merchants should look on the payment of this fee as an investment rather than as a drag on their finances.

NEW RADIO TELEPHONE SERVICE

The opening of the new radio telephone service yesterday was one of those events that stand out as of being of historic importance in the city. In the first place it cost the city nothing to make the connection and in the second the city gets a small share of the revenue derived from the business done. In the third place the city is now connected up with the rest of the world by radio telephone and has already secured considerable advertising from the installation. Finally it places Prince Rupert on the map as a central distributing point for radio service in the northern section of the province.

When the small places, including the mining camps, are connected with the city by this system, we look for a distinct benefit to business here.

The Garnet - For the January-Born

By E. DORSAY

THE garnet has a natural affinity with the zodiacal sign of Aquarius, which controls the destinies of those who first see the light of day in the bright, chill first month of the year. Friendship, leadership, and a high order of personal magnetism are the qualities which Aquarius bestows upon its children. And these virtues are said by the faiths of gem lore to be greatly augmented if the Aquarius born wear on their fingers the precious garnet. The jewel is the chief adornment of the traditional "House of Friends" where Aquarius dwells.



Beside deep red, January's birthstone frequently shines with the rich hue of claret, or with a lustrous emerald green. Indeed, it is found in virtually every color except blue. Men eagerly seek it throughout the world; in South Africa, in the glacial glaciers of the Alps, in the Australian bush, and in Brazil. The finest of American garnets are found in northeast Arizona, where Indian braves and soldiers from frontier forts collect the gems from ant hills and scorpion's nests.

No chapter in the romantic history of precious stones is more fascinating than that which bears a

CLOSE CALL OF OFFICER

Trapper's Bullet Passed an Inch From Heart of Mounted Policeman at Aklavik

AKLAVIK, Jan. 16.—Shot fired at R.C.M.P. Constable A. W. King by a crazed trapper at a lonely cabin on the old Yukon trail, missed the constable's heart by a scant inch, a medical examination of King has revealed. The injured man, cared for by Dr. J. A. Urquhart in hospital here, is recovering. Meanwhile a patrol headed by Inspector Eames is pressing forward steadily through the darkness shrouding the Arctic. It must traverse 80 miles to reach the Yukon trail cabin where its members expect to arrest Albert Johnson, who is believed to be the demented man seen tampering with Indian trap lines and who is blamed for the shooting of the constable.

Bullet Through Body Constable King was investigating the complaint of Indian trappers that a man had been tampering with their trap lines. The man, the trappers said, acted strangely and appeared to be unbalanced. The policeman was seeking admittance to a cabin owned by Albert Johnson, when, without warning, a shot was fired through the window from the interior. The bullet struck King's body one inch below the heart, breaking two ribs as it entered and, passing through, broke two more ribs as it emerged from his back.

Several more shots were fired as King sank down on the snow but all missed their mark. The wounded officer was placed on a sleigh by his companion, Constable R. G. McDowell, and brought to Aklavik. Little is known of Johnson by residents of the district. He was first seen at Fort McPherson last fall where he purchased supplies.

From Yukon Area He said he had come over the mountains from the Yukon country. He had no dogs, a pair of homemade snowshoes being his only equipment, although he was apparently plentifully supplied with money.

The hut in which he lives is built of logs and stands only a few feet above the ground. The theory that the man is mentally deranged is supported by reports of his action in hanging traps of the Indians to trees.

Before leaving for the scene of the shooting recently, Inspector Eames said he was prepared to bring the man responsible back dead or alive.

CHAMPIONSHIP SUNSETS FOR LOUGHRAN

NEW YORK, January 16.—Tommy Loughran was practically eliminated as a heavy-weight contender last night when Steve Hamas, of passaic, New Jersey, inflicted a technical knock-out upon him in the second round. It was the feature event of a fight program at Madison Square Garden.

ordinary, steel-jacketed lead, the Indians were pelting them with precious garnets. Strangely, the British were face to face that day with more than a mere local superstition, or weird, oriental whim. They were encountering a deep-rooted belief, as old as the love of gems itself. For untold centuries, men have held that garnets confer upon their owners the sublime virtues of victory and strength—and it was to achieve these that the Indians loaded their guns with garnets.

To use the gem in warfare, however, was a corruption of its noblest property. For, since time immemorial, the garnet has been the badge of friendship. It is as a token of brotherly love that the gem was designated as the birthstone of January.

The history of man's love for the garnet is almost as venerable as time itself. References to the stone occur in the literatures of Chaldea, Egypt and ancient Greece. One of the most famous garnets in history was a handsome stone—symbolic of love—which Pope Innocent III gave to Richard Coeur de Lion. And today, the gem stands higher than ever in popularity and esteem, because of the current vogue of antique gold and silver settings which seem to enhance its lustre.

News of The Sport World

THREE-WAY TIE IN SENIOR HOOP LEAGUE

CONTRACT FOR BABE

Ruth Expected to Accept Salary Of \$70,000 Offered Him By New York Yankees

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Babe Ruth has just been handed a contract by the New York Yankee management under the terms of which he will receive a salary of \$70,000 for the 1932 season as compared with \$30,000 which he was paid last year.

While the Babe did not commit himself, it is generally felt that he will accept. The reduction is less than had been generally expected for it was thought that he would have been cut to \$60,000 or possibly \$50,000.

Whist League Games Played

Empress and Fish Packers are Tied For Leadership

Whist League scores last night were as follows: Grotto, 6; Totem Park, 3. Empress, 5; I.O.O.F., 4. Legion, 5; Sons of Norway, 4. Fish Packers, 5; Musketeers, 4. Seal Cove vs. Moose, postponed.

THE LEAGUE STANDING

Table with columns: Won, Lost, Pt. Empress 2 2 2, Fish Packers 2 0 2, I.O.O.F. 1 1 1, Grotto 1 1 1, Legion 1 1 1, Musketeers 1 1 1, Moose 1 0 1, Seal Cove 0 1 0, Sons of Norway 0 2 0, Totem Park 0 2 0

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

FIRST ROUND SCOTTISH CUP

Queen of South 11, Stranger 1. Leith Athletic 1, Albion Rovers 1. Arbroath 2, Aberdeen 1. Queens Park 4, St. Mirren 1. St. Bernard 4, Leith 3. Ayr United 3, St. Johnstone 3. Hamilton Academicals 2, Dumbarton 0.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal 3, Birmingham 0. Blackburn Rovers 5, Portsmouth 3. Blackpool 1, West Bromwich Albion 2. Bolton Wanderers 2, Sheffield Wednesday 4. Everton 4, Sunderland 2. Huddersfield Town 2, Chelsea 1. Manchester City 5, Leicester City 1. Middlesborough 3, Westham United 2. Newcastle United 2, Grimsby Town 0. Sheffield United 3, Derby County 1. Aston Villa 6, Liverpool 2.

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Three-Two Taxi Down Panthers And First Half Honors Are as Result in Complete Deadlock

Last night's Senior League basketball game brought the three teams into a tie when 32 Taxi defeated the Panthers 38-27. Very seldom does a three-cornered tie occur in the first half of a basketball series. It shows the quality of basketball and evenness of the teams and it is to be regretted that the public does not give them more support.

In the junior game, the Scouts beat the League of Nations in an overtime contest 24-16, clinching for themselves the first half of the league.

The girls' game was the best that has been played this half. The Cardinals defeated the Comets in a hard-fought game, 16-8.

In the intermediate fixture the Merchants easily took the High School team, 26-15.

A lot depended on last night's game which 32 Taxi dominated right from the whistle. With Wrathall shooting from any place on the floor and making some of the most sensational shots, 32 could not help but win. The Panthers' defence was weaker than usual and the Taxi boys took full advantage of it, scoring at will. The Panthers flashed occasionally but were not steady enough, and, when they got near the basket, the Taxi guards stopped them easily. The Taxi boys were fighting all the way and never slackened their pace, playing a good combination game.

In the second half the Panthers struggled valiantly to overcome a big lead. For a while it looked as if they were going to accomplish the impossible but the 32 players were out for victory and, with the play that they put up, it couldn't be denied them. The game ended with 32 on the safe side of a 38-27 score.

For 32, Wrathall made eight baskets; with the rest of the team giving him everything in the line of support. For the Panthers, nobody seemed to be able to get going.

Panthers—Mitchell (5), Macdonald (7), Irvine (2), Kelsey (10), Cross (1), McNulty (2), Lyons (2), 32 Taxi—Stalker (3), D. Gurvich (2), Hatchford (9), V. Menzies (3), H. Menzies, W. Wrathall (16); 38.

Junior Game

The junior game was very interesting to watch, with both teams playing good steady basketball. Good shooting and combination predominated. Play was fast and clean with both teams scoring equally and it was not a surprise when, at full time, the teams were tied, making it necessary to play five minutes overtime. In these few minutes, however, young Wilson, for the Scouts, exhibited some real nice playing and gave his team an eight-point lead which he maintained until the final whistle. The League of Nations fought hard but could not stop the Scouts when they went on this little scoring spree at the end.

Scouts—Santurbane (8), Wilson (10), Miller, Vlerick (6), Smith, Lindsay, Naylor; 24.

League of Nations—Dominato (2), Antonelli (2), Hill, Alben, Marshall (2), Arney, Gillis (10); 16.

Girls' Game

The girls out up a good game last

JACK MAY MEET MAX

New York Rumors Regarding Heavyweights Following Collapse of Schmeling-Walker Bout

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—With the proposed fight between Max Schmeling and Mickey Walker at Miami next month for the former's world heavyweight boxing title definitely off, it was thought in pugilistic circles here yesterday that the German champion would probably meet Jack Dempsey, former world's heavy-weight champion, some time during the coming summer.

Leonard Sachs, Dempsey's manager, is awaiting the arrival of Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager, before committing himself on the matter. He did admit, however, that he hoped Dempsey would meet either Schmeling or Carnes some time during the course of the year.

Basketball Standing

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