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NO COMPETITION

Under its policy of regulating business, the British government refused to allow a British company to purchase two British steamers to operate in opposition to the Cunard-White Star fleet. One of them was recently sold to an American company to cruise to the West Indies.

The government compelled the Cunard and White Star companies to join forces and aided them in building the "Queen Mary" and is now protecting them from competition. As a result, many British sailors are thrown out of work, it is claimed.

INTERESTING TO GARDENERS

A publication which will prove of great interest to gardeners is "The Garden Beautiful," published in Vancouver in January, March, June and September. The January number is full of interesting articles on gardening and not least of interest is the advertising of western seedsmen and nurserymen of British Columbia products.

Dozens of Prince Rupert people send east for their seeds, bulbs or plants but all these can be purchased in this province and most of them are grown on Vancouver Island or the lower mainland. Eastern firms purchase seeds grown on Vancouver Island and then ship them back to their customers here. The same is true to some extent in England and Scotland. Seeds are grown in British Columbia for these firms, especially sweet pea seeds, and then shipped back, paying duty as they re-enter Canada.

It seems to be the reasonable thing to purchase these seeds right at home.

AS OTHERS SEE US

The American periodical "Time" summarizes the change which has taken place recently at Ottawa which has startled the whole country and caused considerable interest in other countries. Here is a paragraph from its article:

"The hapless Herbert Clark Hoover of Ottawa is Richard Bedford Bennett, a good man, rich, pious, well-meaning, conservative and premier. Before next autumn at the latest he must fight a Canadian election, and everyone has been saying he must lose for the same reason that Mr. Hoover inevitably lost: the people are sore. Last week Mr. Bennett decided that he would not accept defeat without trying the last refuge of statesmanship, demagoguery. Overnight the leader of Canada's Conservative Party turned such a complete somersault that the Conservative Montreal Gazette said he had 'done violence to every Conservative principle.' More friendly Canadian commentators gave the premier credit for having ably aped President Roosevelt."



CHORUS IS EXPECTED

Word Received That Over One Hundred Alaskans Will be in City On Saturday

Word has been received by the Varden Singers of this city that the celebrated Normanna Male Chorus of 32 members will arrive in Prince Rupert Saturday morning and will give an entertainment in the evening at the Moose Hall. The party is expected to come in on the Princess Adelaide Saturday morning, the vessel making a special voyage north for the purpose, and will be accompanied by a group of ten Rotarians and several ladies and a number of other Alaskans making a party of well over one hundred people.

The Rotarians and their wives will be guests of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club at luncheon in the Commodore Cafe and a reception is planned for the members of the male chorus and their friends by the local Scandinavian colony. The usual Thursday Rotary luncheon has been postponed until Saturday.

The Normanna Chorus has the name of being an excellent organition nd, doubtless, the concert will be largely attended.

Limericks

There is Close Competition For the Prizes in the Contest

Close competition for the two prizes for the best limerick submitted is evident from the large number already received. In most of these there is a flaw so there is a good chance for late entries to win. Following are a few of those received.

We all love our beautiful city,
Who dwell in the north, hence my ditty,
From here to Japan
Is merely a span.
But the south gets the trade, what a pity!

A monster washed up from the deep,
Came nigh to Prince Rupert to sleep,
But to our dismay,
He was found in decay;
His bones, they were bleached in a heap.

There was a young lad at the Borden,
Who started to learn the accordion,
Such groans and such growls,
Such squeaks and such howls!
'Twas heck till he lost his delusion.

There's a great city called Prince Rupert,
And more fame is wanted, too, f'r it.
There are halibut and roses,
And the wisdom of Moses,
But what about a little quintuplet?

Said a stranger: "I see you have rain,
"So I don't think I'll come here again."
Now a fellow like that
Who talks through his hat,
Is so wet that he gives us a pain.

Steamships Sailings

For Vancouver—
Tuesday—Catala ..... 1:30 p.m.
Thurs.—ss. P. George 10:30 p.m.
Friday—ss. Prin. Adelaide 10 p.m.
Ss. Cardena ..... midnight
Jan. 17 and 31—ss. P. Norah 5 p.m.

From Vancouver—
Sunday—ss. Catala ..... 4 p.m.
Wed.—ss. Pr. George ..... 10 a.m.
Friday—ss. Prin. Adelaide 4 pm.
Ss. Cardena ..... p.m.
Jan. 13 and 27—ss. P. Norah a.m.

For Anyox and Stewart—
Sunday—ss. Catala ..... 8 p.m.
Wednesday—ss. P. George 4 p.m.

From Anyox and Stewart—
Tuesday—ss. Catala ..11:30 a.m.
Thursday—ss. Pr. George 8 p.m.

For Naas River and Port Simpson—
Sunday—ss. Catala ..... 8 p.m.

From Naas River & Port Simpson
Tuesday—ss. Catala ....11:30 a.m.

For Queen Charlotte Islands—
Jan. 4 and 18—ss. P. John 10 p.m.

From Queen Charlotte Islands—
Jan. 16—ss. Prince John ..... a.m.

For Ocean Falls—
Thurs.—ss. P. George 10:30 p.m.
Friday—ss. Prin. Adelaide 10 p.m.

From Ocean Falls—
Wed.—ss. Pr. George ..... 10 a.m.
Friday—ss. Prin. Adelaide .. 4 p.m.
Ss. Cardena ..... p.m.

For Alaska—
Jan. 13 and 27—ss. P. Norah a.m.

From Alaska—
Jan. 17 and 31—ss. P. Norah 4 p.m.

From Skeena River—
Friday—ss. Cardena ..... p.m.

SPORT NEWS

The Duke of Gloucester Expert Horseman



Photograph from Australia shows the Duke of Gloucester (nearest camera) having a friendly race with Captain Smart at Menangit race course, during his visit to Camden Park, New South Wales. The Duke has been making an extended tour of Australia, New Zealand and other Pacific Empire colonies.

EMPRESS IN LEAD

Four Out of Six Games Played In Last Night's Fixture

Four out of six games were played in last night's Prince Rupert Billiard League fixture between Empres and Elks, the Empress winning three and taking an aggregate lead of 986 to 904. Individual scores were as follows:

A. Donald, Empress, 250; W. E. Williscroft, Elks, 212.

M. E. Young, 250; James Andrews, 212.

Len Raabe, 250; J. E. Morris, 230.

R. McLeod, 236; Harry Menzie, 250.

Games of E. Cameron, Empress, vs. C. P. Balagno, Elks, and Pete Pritchard vs. William Stuart will be played this evening.

In one of two long deferred games from the fixture of December 11, J. E. Morris, Elks, defeated George Cripps, Canadian Legion, by a score of 250 to 247, the aggregate score to date being 1250 to 974 with the games of James Andrews, Elks, vs. Alex Harvey, Legion, still outstanding.

Elks are leading 477 to 462 in the fixture of January 15 with the following games still to be played: G. P. Tinker, Canadian Legion, vs. C. P. Balagno, Elks; G. A. Woodland vs James Andrews, C. L. Youngman vs. William Stuart, George Cripps vs. J. E. Morris.

Outstanding games of M. E. Young, Empress, vs. G.A. Woodland, Canadian Legion, and Pete Pritchard vs. C. L. Youngman from fixture of January 10 remain to be played, Empres having an aggregate lead of 959 to 907.

Grotto and Canadian Legion are scheduled to meet in tomorrow night's fixture with line-ups as follows:

Don Brown, Grotto, vs. G. P. Tinker, Canadian Legion.
George Howe vs. Alex Harvey.
T. Kerrigan vs. G. A. Woodland.
Bert Morgan vs. C. L. Youngman.
J. Sutherland vs. George Cripps.
S. D. Macdonald vs. M. M. Lamb.

METAL RUNWAYS

SINGAPORE, Jan. 23: (CP)—Metalled runways will be used to renovate the Penang aerodrome, one of the Empire air liners' stopping places.

NO PROFIT

NEW DELHI, Jan. 23: (CP)—Surcharges on air mail from the United Kingdom to India are sufficient only to pay actual costs, officials announce.

NOT INVINCIBLE BUT LEAFS GOOD AT HALF SEASON OF PUCK PLAY

Scoring to Date Indicates Toronto is Team to Beat But It May be Various Combinations For Stanley Cup

TORONTO, Jan. 23: (CP)—Just past the halfway mark of a National Hockey League season that threatened for many weeks to be one big headache, there are signs of great relief from all quarters. Toronto's Maple Leafs are not going to make it such a runaway race after all. By handling the Leafs with extreme care, checking the day-lights out of a team that prefers wide-open travelling, the rival powers have found a method of making it tough for the machine that got away to a remarkable flying start. The Leafs are very much the team to beat and probably will go into the playoffs as favorites.

One-half of the 44-game schedule has proved that much. There is no better-put-together hockey machine than the Leafs. It has also brought out these points:

That Tommy Gorman's Montreal Maroons just might beat out Toronto in the Canadian section.

That Eddie Shore is coming back to the heights he once occupied. He is bringing Boston Bruins with him.

That Chicago Black Hawks, strangely enough, remain a formidable brigade without that great defence trio—the late Chuck Gardiner, Lionel Conacher and Roger Jenkins. C'fem Loughlin, a successful minor league manager, is having a success in his first bench season in the N. H. L.

That Cooney Welland of Detroit Red Wings is headed straight for all-star recognition and, perhaps, for the Lady Byng Trophy. He's never had either.

That David (Sweeney) Schriner, two years out of Calgary amateur ranks, is the season's "find." At the halfway mark he led all his fellows on the New York Americans in scoring and topped all but a very few in both sections of the league.

That two years in the civil service instead of the nets did something to Alex Connell. The old Ottawan, playing with Maroons, accomplished the outstanding comeback in the first half of the season.

That Howie Morenz in Chicago has showed distinct signs of becoming a menace, doubtless a growing menace as the season develops.

That such oldsters as King Clancy, Bill Cook, Lionel Conacher, Rabbit McVeigh, Aurel Joliat, Ching Johnson and Sylvio Mantha have clipped—some of them quite a little.

That when the 4-game business is all over, it may be Leafs-Maroons for the Stanley Cup, Leafs-Boston, Maroons-Boston or any of several other combinations.

A Daily News Want-Ad. will get what you want.

BRASS WINS GOLD MEDAL

Local Marksman Again Captures Trophy in National Competition—Other Events

William Brass of this city has received the gold medal of the Canadian Small Bore Rifle Association for the 1934 season, having captured the medal in a competition open to all of Canada.

Several interesting Dominion small bore rifle events are now in progress, the local Canadian National Recreation Association team being entered in a least two.

BADMINTON SCHEDULE

"A" League

January 23—No. 2 Rupert vs. C. N. R.; No. 1 Rupert vs. Skeena; Skeena vs. No. 1 Rupert; C. N. R. vs. No. 2 Rupert.

January 30—Skeena vs. C. N. R.; C. N. R. vs. Skeena; No. 2 Rupert vs. No. 1 Rupert; No. 1 Rupert vs. No. 2 Rupert.

February 6—No. 1 Rupert vs. C. N. R.; No. 2 Rupert vs. Skeena; C. N. R. vs. No. 1 Rupert; Skeena vs. No. 2 Rupert.

February 13—No. 2 Rupert vs. C. N. R.; No. 1 Rupert vs. Skeena; Skeena vs. No. 1 Rupert; C. N. R. vs. No. 2 Rupert.

February 20—Skeena vs. C. N. R.; C. N. R. vs. Skeena; No. 2 Rupert vs. No. 1 Rupert; No. 1 Rupert vs. No. 2 Rupert.

"B" League

January 23—Rupert vs. C. N. R.; C. N. R. vs. Skeena; Skeent vs. Rupert.

January 30—Skeena vs. C. N. R.; Rupert vs. Skeena; C. N. R. vs. Rupert.

February 6—Rupert vs. C. N. R.; N. R. vs. Skeena; Skeena vs. Rupert.

SCHEDULE OF BRIDGE

January 24 — "Rupert Brand" Musketeers vs. Swift's; Ramblers vs. Grotto; C.N.R.A. vs. Canadian Legion.

January 31—Swift's vs. Canadian Legion; Grotto vs. "Rupert Brand" Musketeers; Ramblers vs. C.N.R.A.

February 7—Swifts vs. Ramblers; C.N.R.A. vs. Grotto; Canadian Legion vs. "Rupert Brand" Musketeers.

February 14—Swifts vs. Grotto; C.N.R.A. vs. "Rupert Brand" Musketeers; Canadian Legion vs. Ramblers.

February 21—C.N.R.A. vs. Swifts; Grotto vs. Canadian Legion; Ramblers vs. "Rupert Brand" Musketeers.

February 28—Swifts vs. "Rupert Brand" Musketeers; Grotto vs. Ramblers; Canadian Legion vs. C.N.R.A.

March 7—Canadian Legion vs. Swifts; "Rupert Brand" Musketeers vs. Grotto; C.N.R.A. vs. Ramblers.

March 14—Ramblers vs. Swifts; Grotto vs. C.N.R.A.; "Rupert Brand" Musketeers vs. Canadian Legion.

Billiard Averages

	G.	Tl.	Av.
W. Stuart (Elks)	4	1000	250
H. Menzie (Elks)	4	1000	250
J. Bulger (Elks)	2	500	250
George Cripps (CL)	4	997	249
M. E. Young (Emp)	5	1239	248
R. McLeod (Emp)	5	1225	245
A. Donald (Emp)	6	1466	244
Bert Morgan (G)	5	1189	238
W. Macey (Emp)	1	238	238
J. E. Morris (Elks)	5	1163	233
A. Harvey (CL)	4	918	230
E. Batt (G)	5	1147	229
D. Brown (G)	5	1146	229
W. Williscroft (Elks)	6	1365	228
M. M. Lamb (CL)	5	1138	228
E. Cameron (Emp)	5	1136	227
C. P. Balagno (Elks)	4	909	227
P. Pritchard (Emp)	4	905	226
G. A. Woodland (CL)	2	450	225
W. Hutson (G)	1	225	225
L. Raabe (Emp)	5	1127	225
George Howe (G)	5	1119	224
S. D. Macdonald (G)	2	442	221
E. Stacey (Emp)	1	214	214
T. Kerrigan (G)	5	1050	210
G. P. Tinker (CL)	4	811	203
J. Sutherland (G)	2	387	194
James Andrews (Elks)	4	774	194
C. L. Youngman (CL)	3	579	193
A. Beale (CL)	1	186	186



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