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CRAZY OR PLAYING A GAME?

Is Adolph Hitler a crazy man or is he playing a game and are the rest of the nations just pawns or pieces that he knows will move only one way, controlled by their fears and tendencies? It is easy to imagine this man sitting at a chess board and figuring out all the possibilities so that eventually he may checkmate the opponents. In doing this, of course, he is in grave danger of himself losing the game through the subtle moves of his enemies. The danger is that they may be deflected from the main purpose of the game through fear of consequences. It would seem as if Hitler has no fear, no compunction, no worry over the sufferings of a world war as long as he gains his end. The world is just the chess board and he moves a good many of the pieces while his opponents have also their pieces that they move.

The thought occurred this morning that possibly this is another case where the things we fear may not happen. Hitler seems to have been moving the pieces known as Hungary, Italy, Poland and to some extent, people think, possibly Chamberlain, Halifax and others while the opponents have had their pieces on the board such as France, Russia, Rumania, Anthony Eden, President Roosevelt and General Jan Syrov.

LOCAL INDUSTRY

It is interesting to hear from Frank L. Buckley that the proposal to build a pulp mill at Prince Rupert is still a live proposition. We all realize that it has been impossible to do anything financially in the past year but, once the European situation quietens down, there should be a very considerable uplift to Canadian business and it may then be possible to get something going. We do not look for any move this year but, if it comes next, we shall all be very pleased. In the meantime we shall carry on as if nothing had been said.

SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY

The war to make the world safe for democracy, the war to end all wars, was concluded nearly twenty years ago. At that time there were thanksgiving services at all the churches.

As we look back we find that, since the day the last shot was fired, there has been a steady increase in armaments until today there are said to be at least ten million men under arms in Europe with the possibility of twice that many within a few days after the declaration of any war. The figures given are: France, 2,000,000; Germany, 1,000,000; Soviet Russia, 2,000,000; Czechoslovakia, 800,000 to 1,000,000; Italy, 450,000; and Great Britain, less than 200,000 with scattered reserves. Standing armies of smaller nations would push the total to above 10,000,000, it is estimated.

TOURIST BUREAU

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cated that it was considered that the Bureau had made a very good start. Experience was being gained. Arthur Brooksbank said that when in the south he had met the Minister of Mines and Industries, Hon. W. J. Asselstine, and had been told that a tourist bureau expert would visit Prince Rupert this fall and that a grant for the work of the bureau would be made again next year.

Miss Gibson's Report

The following is a copy of the report made by Miss Gibson to the Bureau:

"In all 141 tourists called at the office from August 6 to 31 making an average of 5.64 per day. Ninety-one registered and several of these have requested that literature be sent to them at a future date.

"All who called were most enthusiastic over the opening of a Tourist Information Bureau here and wished us every success with it.

"As is natural the questions asked have been many and varied. At the beginning the tourists seemed to limit themselves to asking directions but, as the season progressed, they became more inquiring. Some of the questions asked were: "What goods and how much can I take from Canada to the U.S.A. duty free?"

"What is there to see in the city and how can I spend a day or two to greatest advantage here?"

"Is there anywhere that I could get a cabin for a holiday in this immediate vicinity?"

"Are there any short train or boat trips to be taken from here?"

"Could we go through a cannery?"

"What sport fishing is done here and where is it done?"

"How do you grow such wonderful flowers here?"

"How much rain do you get?"

"What is the population of this city?"

"What winter sports have you?"

"What is the object of the Fisheries Experimental Station?"

"How far can you reach by telephone from Prince Rupert?"

"What is the chief occupation of the people?"

"What mining activities are there in this district?"

"Is there any way to reach Prince Rupert other than by train or boat?"

"How many miles of highway are there?"

"What is at Anyox?"

"Is Stewart in Canada?"

"How far is it to Vancouver, Terrace, Smithers?"

"Can you tell me anything of Tweedsmuir Park?"

"Where could I get guides and equipment for a trip into Tweedsmuir Park?"

"These are only a very few of the questions asked. Of course there is a great demand for all kinds of literature particularly maps and pamphlets on this north country.

"I would recommend that next year the office be opened from the last week in June to the end of the first week in September and that a sign be put on the C.N.R. wharf and at the top of the C.P.R. steps so that the tourists will be sure to know that there is such an office in the city. I would also suggest that the present sign be placed across the sidewalk instead of over the office door. It would also be advisable to obtain as much literature as possible during the coming winter from the government departments and the Tourist Information Bureau of other cities in both western Canada and the Pacific Coast states. This would be not only for the information of the tourists but also as a reference in the office and of benefit to the person working there. Although there has been some discussion on the part of the townspeople as to the necessity of a tourist bureau, I personally feel that it is going to be a great step forward on the part of the city to have such an office, because these visitors to our city are really and truly anxious to know about this part of the world.

"In submitting this report I would like to thank the bureau for giving me the opportunity of helping the tourists enjoy their trip to our land and of furthering the progress of Prince Rupert and I trust that if my services have been satisfactory this year that they will allow me to carry on next season."

It is expected that a booklet dealing with Prince Rupert and district will be published for distribution to visitors and others.

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'SPORT'

SPORT CHAT

Donald Mackay, swimming coach of Phyllis Dewar, member of Canada's 1936 Olympic team, believes he has a potential star in 14-year-old June Emerson of Moose Jaw. Six weeks after her first swimming instruction under Mackay last June, Miss Emerson had cracked four Moose Jaw records including a mark set by Phyllis Dewar, former Moose Jaw girl now residing at Vancouver. Mackay, who firmly believes the best way to coach a swimmer is to be friend, advisor and trainer, has taken June under his wing and says she is Olympic material. "Her records in six weeks show that," he said. "She should make the 1940 Olympic squad with no trouble."

Mackay first saw June last winter at a small public school meet here. He was amazed at the speed she developed using a roughly fashioned crawl stroke in her specialty—the 100 yards free style. He invited her to his club, the Aquatic, but she was too busy with her grade eight studies to accept until June of this year. During the first three weeks of July, Mackay taught the blonde youngster how to use her arms correctly, breathe properly and to flutter-kick. She swam two hours daily under the close supervision of Moose Jaw's ace instructor.

On July 23, June went to Regina and in her first major race, won the provincial junior 100-yards title. Next stop was Saskatoon on August 3, where she won the 50-yards free style, defeating Regina's Wrigley mile champion, Dot Burrell. On August 13, June smashed Phyllis Dewar's 50-yards record, swimming the half-century in 50 seconds flat. The same day, she won her fourth crown in less than a month by taking the 100-yards junior event and her time of 1:10.2-5 was a full second faster than that of Dot Burrell who won the senior hundred.

June plays baseball and even has donned a football uniform and practised with her brothers. She wants to learn to play a mouth organ too. Her swimming successes, however, have pushed other sports to the background and she says her record-breaking this summer "means the end of the other sports for me."

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Owing to failure of the officers to put in an appearance, the annual meeting of the Ladies' Bowling League, called for last night, was postponed.

FUTURE OF JR. SOCCER

Owing to School Reorganization, it Cannot be Carried on in Old Way

At a special meeting last evening of representatives from the schools to discuss the future of the Junior Football League, it was decided that, owing to the school reorganization, it would be impossible to continue the activities of this league on the same inter-school basis as for the past fourteen years and the Prince Rupert Senior Football Association will be so advised.

It is understood that at the High School football will be carried on as one of the athletic activities. At King Edward elementary school practice games have already been held and there is considerable enthusiasm among the boys.

Letters of thanks will be sent to the Dominion Day Celebration Committee and to the Trades and Labor Council for their generous donations to the Junior Football League. It was also decided that any balance in the treasury after the annual banquet would be divided equally among the three schools to be used for sport activities. The date of the banquet can not be set until the medals for the winning team have arrived.

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Liverpool 3, Leeds United 0, Manchester United 5, Chelsea 1, Middlesbrough 4, Charlton Athletic 0.

Portsmouth 1, Wolverhampton 0, Scottish League—First Division Arbroath 3, Rangers 3, Ayr United 3, Hearts 1, Celtic 6, Raith Rovers 1, Falkirk 4, Hamilton Academicals 0.

Hibernians 5, Aberdeen 0, Motherwell 2, Queens Park 0, Partick Thistle 1, Queen of South 2.

St. Johnstone 3, Clyde 2, St. Mirren 1, Albion Rovers 1, Third Lanark 3, Kilmarnock 3.

Royal A. W. Aallaire, L. Hudson, A. Lund, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and George Wick, city.

Those present at the meeting were Miss E. A. Mercer and Arthur Sutton, W. W. C. O'Neill, J. G. McKinley, J. B. Wilkinson, J. H. Norman, secretary-treasurer, and J. S. Wilson who presided.

CHANCE TO MAKE MARK

DETROIT, Sept. 24. (CP)—Greenberg, who poked out two quit clouts in the second game, a double-header against the Cleveland Indians yesterday, making his total fifty-six for the season to date, has nine more to go in which to equal Ruth's record of 1927 of sixty runs for a single season. In Greenberg's heavy hitting, Tigers lost both games of yesterday's double-header to the Indians. Bob Feller, the pitcher for Cleveland in the game, making it sixteen consecutive losses for the season.

Yesterday's Big League scores: American League Cleveland, 8-6; Detroit, 14-3; National League Cincinnati, 5; Pittsburgh, 4; Chicago, 3-7; Philadelphia, 1-0.

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