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PREMIERS' QUARRELS OBSCENE

Bruce Hutchison in Southern Paper Says Premier King Wise In Picking His Election Time

In a recent issue of the Victoria Times Bruce Hutchison deals interestingly with the recent quarrel between Prime Minister Mackenzie King and the premiers of Quebec and Ontario. He says:

"One time, I remember, Premier John Oliver told some of us that you should never prick a boil until it had reached a head. He practiced that medical theory with remarkable sucess in the election of 1924, when he let the boil of the ill-fated Provincial Party burst itself.

Premier King is another patient man who can wait his time. He has waited it in the case of Messrs. Hepburn and Duplessis. He has waited for 18 months in silence while all his friends clamored for him to do something. The boil was not ripe.

"It is ripe now and will be pricked during the next six months. Here, quite obviously, is the issue of the next federal election, chosen by the Prime Minister with a consummate sense of events.

"He has chosen issues before. After the abortive election of 1925, you remember, he chose the constitutional issue against Senator Meighen, when his whole party told him the public wasn't interested in the constitution or whether the Governor-General, Lord Byng, was acting according to Hoyle or not. The public swept Mr. King back into office at a time when his fortunes seemed at their last ebb.

A Curious Man

"This curious man, whatever you think of his policies and record, is as sensitive to the inner whisperings of an electorate as a woman is to the murmurings of love. He listens long and in silence. He lets everyone else talk. He appears to ignore the clamor, to be asleep at the helm, and then suddenly he pounces.

"This week he pounced on Premier Hepburn, and will stake the life of his government and his final premiership on his belief that the Canadian people will be with him and against Il Duce of Ontario and the Feuhrer of Quebec.

"Mr. King has guessed right. The Canadian people aren't going to be fooled by the witch-hunting expedition which is the politics of Quebec or the long, weary song-and-dance vaudeville act which must be getting rather a bore in Ontario.

Suspicious

"Many Canadians don't understand the politics of this business, don't know what Duplessis, the actly, or what the wisecracking farm boy of Toronto is up to. But outside their immediate orbit Canadians don't like their goings-on. These deep-rooted public suspicions are usually right. In the end the public will see through a man.

"But it is tragic, at the very moment when Canadians should be standing together, when they have a chance, after the Rowell Commission, to put their country on its feet, they should have to waste time on these obscene quarrels, on this cheap mischief-making by a couple of naughty boys who should be ready for long pants and high school now."

Steamship Sailings

For Vancouver—
Tuesday—Catala ..... 1:30 p.m.
Thursday—Ss. Prince George ..... 11:15 p.m.
Friday—Ss Prin. Adelaide 10 p.m.
ss. Cardena ..... 10:30 p.m.
December 8—ss. Princess Norah ..... 5p.m.
December 19—ss. Princess Norah ..... 5 p.m.

From Vancouver—
Sunday—ss. Catala ..... 4 p.m.
Wed. Ss. Pr. George ..... 10:30 a.m.
Friday—ss. Pr. Adelaide ..... 4 p.m.
December 4—ss. Princess Norah ..... a.m.
December 15—ss. Princess Norah ..... a.m.
December 29—ss. Princess Norah ..... a.m.

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

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

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

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

For Ocean Falls—
Tuesday—ss. Catala ..... 1:30 p.m.
Thursday—Ss. Prince

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morgan of Billmor left there on last evening's train for a visit to St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brind sailed last evening on the Catala for Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

Donald Ferrell arrived in the city on the Princess Norah yesterday afternoon from Juneau and proceeded by the evening train to Minneapolis.

A. A. McCrea of Billmor and daughter left on last evening's train for Niagara Falls where they will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

Miss Noreen Gibson left on last evening's train for the east. Over the Christmas and New Year holiday season she will visit in Saskatoon and then proceed to Montreal where she will enter the Royal Victorian Hospital to train as a nurse.

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LITTLE BOY WAS KILLED

Injuries Sustained by Four-Year-Old Peter Schlitt of Prince George in Buggy Accident Are Fatal

PRINCE GEORGE, December 20 (Canadian Press) — Peter Schlitt, four, died in hospital yesterday from injuries received on Sunday when a horse bolted, overturning the buggy in which he, his father, Steven Schlitt, and grandfather, Emevich Schlitt, were returning home after an afternoon drive. Others received minor hurts.

Hockey Scores

Pacific Coast League
Portland 4, Vancouver 2.

Pacific Coast League

Portland	13	3	1	59	29	29
Seattle		8	4	6	60	46	20
Vancouver	6	4	8	47	69	16
Spokane	2	3	3	40	69	7

Mail Schedule

For the East—
Monday, Wednesday and Friday ..... 5 p.m

From the East—
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday ..... 11:00 p.m.

For Vancouver—
Tuesday ..... 12:30 noon
Thursday ..... 10 p.m.
Friday ..... 9:30 p.m

December 8 and 19 ..... 4 p.m.

From Vancouver—
Sunday ..... 4 p.m
Wednesday ..... 10:30 a.m.
Friday ..... 4 p.m.
Dec. 4, 15 and 29 ..... 4 p.m.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Prince Rupert—overcast, southeast wind, twelve miles per hour, barometer 29.43 (falling); temperature, 39; sea choppy.

Triple Island—raining, southeast wind; barometer, 29.45; temperature, 40; sea choppy.

Langara Island—raining, easterly wind, eight miles per hour; barometer, 29.43; temperature, 40; moderate swell.

Alert Bay — overcast, easterly wind, 25 miles per hour; barometer, 29.99; temperature, 40; sea rough.

Estevan— fair, southeast wind, twelve miles per hour; barometer 29.98.

Victoria—fair, southwest wind, barometer, 30.06.

Vancouver — cloudy, easterly wind; barometer, 30.06.

Vancouver—cloudy, easterly wind, four miles per hour; barometer, 30.06.

Prince George— clear, northerly wind, four miles per hour; barometer, 29.90.

Terrace—cloudy, northeast wind, temperature 26.

Alyansh—cloudy, calm, 26.

Alice Arm — cloudy, northwest wind, 31.

Anyox—cloudy, calm, 28.

Hazelton — snowing, northeast wind, 20.

Smithers—part cloudy, calm, 10.

Burns Lake—bright, calm, 12.

Stewart—cloudy, calm, 29.

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