

CENSUS OF SEA LIONS

OTTAWA, Sept. 30: (CP)—Any British Columbia salmon fisherman will testify there is a very sizeable population of sea lions in coastal waters but the Dominion department of fisheries wants a definite estimate of their numbers so it is conducting a census.

Under instructions from departmental headquarters at Ottawa, inspectors in British Columbia are counting sea lion noses at rookeries and the "hauling-out places" where the animals congregate in numbers. This has been going on since August.

Sea lions, big and powerful, do considerable harm to fisheries and

damage to fishing equipment and the department is endeavoring to determine whether they are on the increase or diminishing. The animals prey on salmon with a consequent loss to fishermen. They also smash through fishermen's nets in hunting for food.

In order to give the fishing industry some protection against ravages of sea lions, the department has been conducting annual hunts at several of the larger rookeries during the past few years. These rookeries lie at points where important salmon runs pass by and where herds have been especially destructive. The hunts are carried on by men from departmental steamers.

Purpose of the hunts, of course, is to exercise control of the size of the herds, which otherwise might work too great havoc.

Whifflets From The Waterfront

Capt. James C. Garvie, well known fresh water mariner of the north, whose death at Waterways, Alberta, was recorded yesterday is well remembered by old timers at Prince Rupert and along the Keena River between here and Hazelton. In the early days he served as skipper on vessels plying up and down the Skeena before the way was built. He is remembered as a man of particularly large stature and genial personality as well as an expert river navigator.

Union steamer Cardena, Capt. H. Roden, is due in port at 10 o'clock tonight from the south and will sail an hour later for ancur and waypoints.

C. P. R. steamer Princess Adelaide, Capt. Henry Anderson, is due in port at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the south and will sail at 10 p.m. on her return to Vancouver and waypoints.

Half-bur prices at Seattle this week have been ranging from 50c to 75c. Landings have been quite heavy at the Puget Sound port in 1000 pounds having been in on Wednesday.

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ling the nation's whole machinery of production and distribution. We of the C. C. F. believe that it must be made impossible for the few to exploit the many in the interests of private gain. We believe in service, and goods being made available at the cost of production.

In the event of war all agencies essential to war should be conscripted—money and property as well as human flesh and blood. A few profiteers should not be permitted to make millions and hundreds of millions out of war.

Watered stocks and monopolies were decryed by the speaker who declared that the C. C. F. proposed to abolish the tariff and substitute import and export boards to facilitate the exchange of goods with other countries.

Railways and Banks

Turning to railroads, the speaker expressed opposition to two competing transcontinental lines. He urged one nationally owned and operated system and branch lines instead of parallel lines.

There should be real nationalization of banking services and of insurance. It was possible for the Dominion or the provinces to insure all the people of Canada at a fraction of the present cost, he asserted.

The C. C. F. said the speaker in conclusion, stood for a purpose in national life and that purpose was the development of the interests of the people as the first function of the state—homes before interest and welfare of the child—before profit—the making of conditions tending to the development of each individual to the utmost of his capacity—mentally, morally and physically.

Be wise. Read the want ads.

BURNSLAKE MUSIC HIT AT CAPITOL

Mrs. Frank Bushfield left Burns Lake at the week-end for the East. She will visit her daughter at Edmonton and son in Sudbury, Ontario, as well as relatives and friends in Toronto and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gowans sr. left Burns Lake today for Red Deer, Alberta, where she will meet Miss Annie Gowans and return later with her after a visit with Mrs. Gowans' sister, Miss Gowans has been in Toronto for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan M. Davies of Prince Rupert have been guests at Lakeshore Lodge at Burns Lake while making the Triangle Tour to Jasper and Prince Rupert. Last Friday evening Mr. Davies was initiated by the Young Ranger Band of Burns Lake.

"Carefree," Starring Astaire and Rogers, is Tuneful Romance

Melody, comedy, romance and dance form the basis of "Carefree," musical hit reuniting Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, at the Capitol Theatre this week-end.

A group of Irving Berlin tunes and lyrics; a clever romantic triangle of a psychiatrist, an actress and a lawyer, numerous funny situations and four sensational dance routines are woven into a spectacular film entertainment.

Astaire portrays the psychiatrist and Ralph Bellamy the lawyer in the ingenious plot. Bellamy is engaged to Miss Rogers but sends her to Astaire for treatments when she can't make up her mind about their marriage. This move leads to all the trouble for Miss Rogers falls in love with Astaire and, when he refuses to unbend from his professional attitude, she inveigles him into paying attention by faking various mental ailments.

His efforts to cure her "maladjustments," her madcap adventures that result, the discovery that he himself is falling in love with her, and the prompt actions of the enraged Bellamy when he finds out what has been going on, all make for hilarious complications.

Three dance routines by the famous team, a novelty solo dance by Astaire, along with the catchy Berlin melodies, combine with the plot to make "Carefree" a most ambitious show.

SPORT CHAT

Babe Ruth, pitching his first game in nine years, hurried New York Yankees to an easy 9-3 victory over Boston in an American League game eight years ago Tuesday. The home-run king of baseball—a great left-handed pitcher with the Red Sox in 1916 and 1917—allowed 11 hits.

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