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### THE RIGHT METHOD

There was recently a dispute between Great Britain and the United States as to the ownership of the Canton and Enderby Islands in the middle of the Pacific. Each government claimed the islands belonged to it. Instead of fighting it out in the historic way, the two governments decided that, as each needed the islands for a similar purpose, they might both use them in connection with aviation, the islands to be under a joint control.

This is an example that will probably be followed between other countries in future. There was no need to quarrel over a little matter like the ownership of a speck in the Pacific and the two countries did not quarrel. They did not even spar. They simply talked over the situation and agreed to compromise.

### PEGGED WHEAT PRICE

At the first of the week we got word that the United States would bonus export wheat from that country. A few days before that it was announced that Canada would peg the price of wheat at 80c which meant a bonus on today's market price.

Peace River farmers say the bonus is not as good as it looks because it costs them twenty-one cents to get their wheat to Fort William. This meant that they obtained less than sixty cents for the highest grade wheat. As much of the wheat grades below number one, the price is still lower than that mentioned.

Still it is a great boon to the farmer to have the price pegged in such a way that he can make a reasonable living. Should the market price fall to fifty cents, however, it would mean a heavy tax on the rest of the country to keep the price paid to the farmer at eighty cents. And yet the farmers are not satisfied.

### OFFICIAL SECRETS

Duncan Sandys, a member of the British Parliament, had in his possession some official secrets. He knew something about anti-aircraft guns which none but military officers were supposed to know. He was summoned before the attorney general and threatened that, if he did not reveal the source of his information, he would be prosecuted. Next day he arose in his place in the House of Commons and complained that he had been threatened and also that he had been summoned to appear before a military court. Parliament was aroused and so was the whole of Great Britain. The privileges of Parliament had been invaded and young Mr. Sandys became more or less of a hero. He got himself into the limelight and he also showed that official secrets were not always secret and that, if a friend could obtain those secrets, so might an enemy. There was a lot of fuss in Parliament and in the newspapers and there it seems to have ended. However the ruling powers were shown that there were certain rights and privileges in Britain that were still sacred, more sacred even to the individual than the safety of the kingdom.



## NAVY WON FOOTBALL

Merchants Contested Game Well  
But Did Not Score

Last evening's football fixture between the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve and the Merchants was well contested with the Navy winning by five goals to nil after a much more closely fought out game than the score would indicate.

Cross opened the score from close in. Morgan saved well from Gillis who was nicely fed by Currie. Armstrong showed to advantage and then a nice bout of passing by Currie, Gillis and Grimble resulted in Morgan being well tried out by Gillis' parting shot. All against the run of play Armstrong added a second goal, and later shot narrowly past. Currie shot hard and Gillis missed with a good header. Merchants pressed but could not score. Vink saved a drive from Dickens. Eby just saved his goal when he cleared dangerously over the bar.

Navy attacked strongly on resumption and several shots were blocked. Davies shot wide. Cameron's cross went in front of goal with no one to touch it through. Baker was good. Gomez took a grand corner kick that Morgan saved well. Cross added a third. McLean went into goal and saved splendidly twice. He had a chance with Armstrong's goal. Later Cross headed a fifth goal from Bryant's perfect centre. Morgan saved from Vink and Baker was too high. Gomez shot just past.

D. Gomez refereed.

Teams:—Merchants:—Vink; Parsons, F. Gomez; R. McLean, Ferguson, W. Gomez; Cameron, G. Baker, S. Currie, Gillis, Grimble.

R.C.N.V.R.—Morgan; Eby, Ronalds; Eastman, Davies, D. McMeekin; Bryant, H. Dickens, Cross, Armstrong, Robertson.

Vink did well in goal but the team was weakened when he went forward and replaced McLean who

## Tennis Play Last Evening

Several More Games Played in City  
Championship Tournament

Results of matches played Tuesday, in the Prince Rupert City Tennis Association tournament were as follows:

Stamford and Davis beat Nor-

ington and Barry 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Young beat Miss A. Skaland and H. Lindseth 6-4.

Miss Rivet and Blitch beat Mrs. West and Johnson 6-1, 6-1.

Mrs. Miller and Blake beat Mrs. Morrison and B. Lowan, 6-1, 6-4.

Norrington beat Blake 7-5, 6-1.

Young beat Tyler 6-4, 6-2.

Davis beat Brooklesby 6-0, 6-2.

**Wednesday's Draw**

Draw for Wednesday's play:

6:15 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Young vs. Miss Thomson and Davidson (Rupert).

6:15 p.m.—Stamford and Davis vs. Blake and Blitch (C.N.)

7:00 p.m.—O'Neill and Tyler vs. Mitchell and Young (Rupert).

7:00 p.m.—Mrs. Barry and Nor-

ington vs. Miss Rivet and Blitch (C.N.)

A charge of theft of clothing from the Dominion Rooms against Gunnar Waldak was dismissed by Justice of the Peace W. D. Vance in city police court.

had been playing effectively at halfback. Parsons and F. Gomez were sound backs. Ferguson was good and Billy Gomez did many good things. The forwards were weak though Sam Currie was clever.

Morgan was very safe. Eby and Ronalds were not very severely tried out. The halves played a good spoiling game with McMeekin giving Cameron little leeway. Cross was effective with the other forwards all playing a fair game. Robertson did quite well and will certainly be a useful member of a senior team in a couple of years.

## SPORT CHAT

The committee at Boston in charge of the International Fishermen's Race, scheduled for October 9, are still going ahead with plans despite Governor Hurley's refusal to grant state money for the event. Max Grossman, prominent Massachusetts business man and member of the race committee, said a number of wealthy persons in the city of Boston have indicated they would support the fund, the goal of which has been set at \$50,000. Asked whether the committee would be able to raise the necessary money after being turned down by the governor, Mr. Grossman said, "it looks good." Paul Ryan, first secretary to the governor, said the only way Governor Hurley could grant money for the race would be from the state emergency fund. This was created only to have money available in the event of a disaster or other unforeseen circumstances.

Originally it had been the intention of the Massachusetts Industrial and Development Commission to help the fishermen's race by donating \$50,000, but it was found that under the terms of the act establishing the commission an expenditure of that sort was not authorized. No attempt has been made by the committee to seek an appropriation from the state legislature, the only means of getting government aid. Local hotels and other businesses have been solicited for funds and private contributions have been sought. Captain Ben Pine's schooner Gertrude L. The "aud, out of Gloucester, Mass., and Captain Angus Walter's schooner Bluenose, of the Nova Scotia fishing fleet, will be competitors in the race. Both will require much work to be put in shape for the event.

The Daily News has an audited circulation. Play safe!

## Season Winners Playground Games

Acropolis Took Honors in Senior  
Softball and Seal Cove in  
Basketball

With the various divisions of the Gyro Softball and Basketball Leagues finished, the following are the detailed results with the exception of the intermediate section of the boys' Softball League.

Senior boys' Softball, Acropolis Hill were the winners when they finished the season with six wins and no losses. This team scored a total of 71 runs in the six league games while opposing teams managed to score only 22 runs against them.

In the Senior girls' Basketball, Acropolis again came out on top with three straight wins over Westview. The Acropolis girls scored 41 points to the 13 that were scored against them.

The Senior boys' Basketball League ended with the Seal Cove team on top by virtue of their 5 wins and one loss. The only team to beat them were the Westview lads whose early season form made them look good like the team to beat, but this team faded in the last few games to drop one to McClymont besides suffering a setback at the hands of the ultimate winners.

Montesano of Seal Cove was top scorer for the season with 63 points while Bussanich of the same team was next with 48. Following is the complete list of the players and their respective standings for the season:

Player	Points	Fouls
Montesano (S.C.)	65	9
Bussanich (S.C.)	48	5
Bill Brown (West)	31	8
Blain (West)	28	4
Houston (S.C.)	23	5
O'Neill (Acrop.)	22	8
Stan Scherk (West)	21	5
Simundson (McC.)	17	7
Smith (Acrop.)	15	4
Zbura (McC.)	13	9
Haugan (McC.)	12	0
Long (West)	11	3
G. Brown (Acrop.)	10	4
Blake (S.C.)	10	9
Grimble (McC.)	10	2
Hale (McC.)	9	6
Astoral (Acrop.)	8	5
Cook (West)	8	5
Barton (S.C.)	8	1
Mah (S.C.)	7	13
Santerbane (ccC.)	6	4
MenMacDonald (McC.)	6	0
Mentenko (Acrop.)	4	16
Currie (West)	3	6
Lee (West)	3	2
B. Scherk (McC.)	2	13
Eastman (Acrop.)	2	4
Magnet (Acrop.)	1	2
Grimson (West)	—	—
Husoy (Acrop.)	—	—
Parker (McC.)	—	—
Pettenazo (Acrop.)	—	—
Brass (Acrop.)	—	—
Schaeffer (Acrop.)	—	—
Unwin (West)	—	—
Stromahl (McC.)	—	—
Chandler (McC.)	—	—

### PLAYGROUND SEASON BEING ROUNDED OUT

Rain caused the postponement of a Gyro Playgrounds Intermediate Boys' Softball League fixture to have been played Monday afternoon between Westview and McClymont Park. This afternoon McClymont Park and Acropolis Hill are playing. Routine practices in tumbling and vaulting and girls' dancing are being held in preparation for the final display on August 29 as well as in swimming and lifesaving for the final tests.

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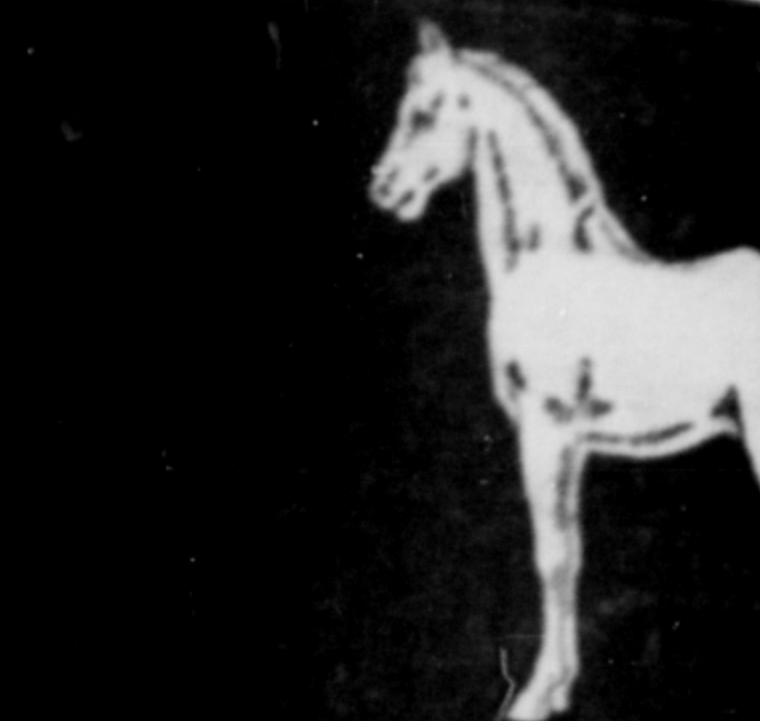
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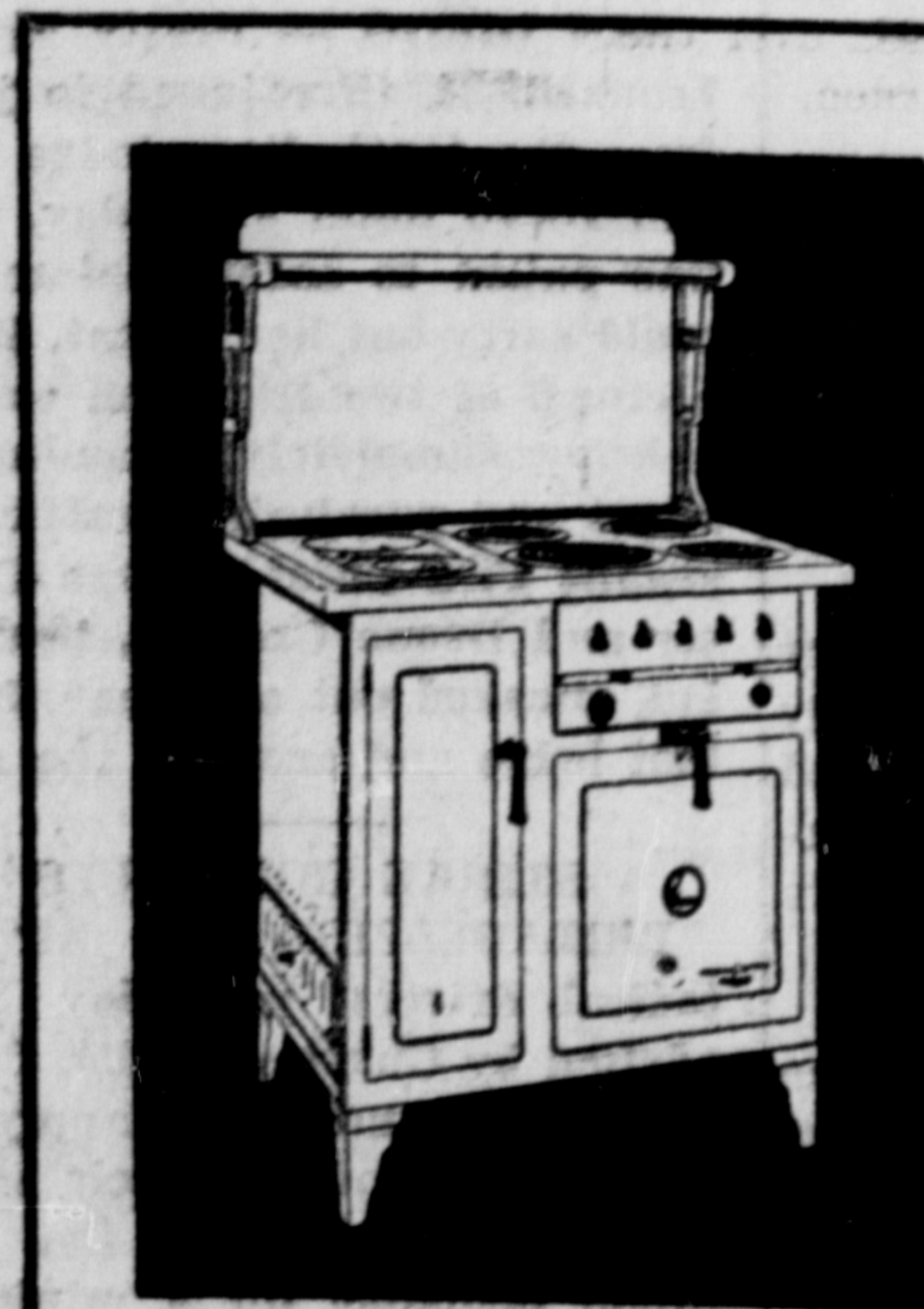


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