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District News

Q. C. CITY

A Canadian Airways plane landed here on Sunday to take H. Archibald home to Victoria. Mr. Archibald, here on a fishing trip, became ill and it was decided to fly him home immediately. While in Queen Charlotte the plane took on fuel from the stock kept here.

Miss Olive Fairbairn left on the last southbound trip of the Prince Charles for a visit at Pacofi cannery with her twin sister, Mrs. Ted White. Mr. White is employed at the plant.

Alwyn Chastaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Chastaney recently returned from a trip to Prince Rupert and elsewhere in the north. He left about a month ago on the Beatrice H., Capt. Peter Haan, and returned via Massett and Port Clements.

Constable and Mrs. E. Kidd of Prince Rupert have been house guests of Constable and Mrs. T. A. Stewart for the past week.

John Carmichael, Lars Larsen and Oscar Hill from Queen Charlotte City, and John Dover, David Kirby, and George Rudge, from Sandspit, left on the Prince Charles for Pacofi where they will be employed.

Mrs. H. R. Beaven was hostess last Thursday to the Rug Bee. There were nine members present. Work was resumed on Mrs. Beaven's rug which is being hooked in rich shades of green, brown, and gold. The hostess was assisted in the serving of the dainty refreshments by her daughter, Edna Beaven.

Rev. B. Hartley conducted services Sunday evening for the first time since his arrival here to succeed Rev. W. J. Selder. The United Church was tastefully decorated with summer flowers. Miss Velma Fairbairn presided at the organ.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church held a meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Fairbairn, Queen Charlotte City. There was a good attendance and welcome was extended to Rev. and Mrs. B. Hartley, Miss Velma Fairbairn, president, was in the chair. Business was of a routine nature and, although the annual fall bazaar was discussed, it was felt to be rather early to make any definite plans. The secretary presented the list of articles to be purchased for the Skidegate Inlet Hospital by the funds raised from the spring sale held by the aid. A letter from the superintendent of the hospital, Dr. D. McColl, was read in which he thanked the ladies for their donation and wished them every future success in their efforts to help the community. Refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour followed.

TERRACE

A shower was held in honor of Miss Thelma Mist on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. N. Sherwood. The affair was sponsored by the ladies of the Canadian Legion of whom some twenty came, bringing with them many useful gifts for the young bride-elect. Mrs. Mist and Thelma will be leaving for the

Improvements At Cemetery

Work Carried Out At Queen Charlotte Burying Ground

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, July 15.—A group of volunteers spent several hours on Thursday of last week at the local cemetery slashing brush, clearing the rank growth of weeds away, mending fences, etc. Several ladies were present and did their share by weeding the plots and by planting flowers. At noon lunch was served to the workers.

The men gave freely of their time in order that the funds raised by the Rug Bee Club could be used solely for materials for the work. These men included J. Mollitor, M. McIntyre, B. Munro, C. Bruce, N. Schaeffer, W. Telford, H. Jarvis, J. Van Leer, G. Chastaney, A. Chastaney, G. Anderson, P. Christensen, G. Carmichael, C. Hartie and W. Joll.

Frank Gale, Skidegate merchant gave the use of his truck to carry the men as far as the end of the road, picking them up again at the end of the day's work. H. R. Beaven donated a cake and Dr. D. McColl made a cash donation.

It is to be hoped that a road to the cemetery will be built in the near future as it is most inconvenient at present, an overgrown road trail being the only highway. For burials boats have to be used and that necessitates watching the tides.

Queen Charlotte Picnic Enjoyed

Dominion Day Celebrated With Happy Community Outing

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, July 15.—In spite of threatening weather a most enjoyable picnic was held on Dominion Day at Second Beach, near Skidegate Oilery on the Queen Charlotte-Port Clements highway.

Some of the picnickers were taken as far as the oilery on the boat of George Newberry and walked the rest of the way to the grounds.

Others came by car from points up the coast and there were visitors from nearby Skidegate Mission. Sports were enjoyed during the afternoon when races were held for all classes from tiny tots to married folks. There were races for men, women, boys and girls, also relay races and three-legged races. Rope jumping contests were held, affording much amusement to the spectators.

After an exciting softball game between two local teams the day came to its climax with a good old-fashioned picnic supper. The young people had another softball game and wound up the day's activities with a beach party.

south in the near future, Miss Mist is to marry A. Gauche, of Trail.

The Village Commissioners held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday when some useful legislation was passed. They paid off their bank loan and decided upon some improvements to the village sidewalks and water connections.

AFRAID TO GO TO BED

Sam McReynolds, Chairman of Foreign Relations Committee, Had Many Enemies

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 15.—There was a time early in the public career of Samuel Davis McReynolds prominent Tennessee congressman, who died this week, when he was "afraid to go to bed at night for fear that someone, trying to get me, might bring down the whole house on my family."

That was while he was a criminal court judge at Chattanooga presiding at trials of persons charged with violating Tennessee's prohibition laws.

Years later, after he had gone to Washington as representative from the third Tennessee district and attained prominence as chairman of the foreign affairs committee of the national house, a friend said of him that he "never had any fun." The friend hastened to add, however, that he "always has been happy for the serious side of life appeals to him."

Judge McReynolds had a reputation for ruling his court with a stern hand and hundreds of men who broke the dry laws were sent to Tennessee prisons. During his 20 years on the bench the moonshiners and bootleggers came to fear and hate him.

In 1923 McReynolds took his seat in the national legislature. Two years later he was assigned to the important foreign affairs committee and became chairman in December, 1932, upon the death of J. Charles Linthicum of Maryland.

Among the many committee measures fought through the House by McReynolds were the neutrality bill of 1935 and the subsequent measures which modified and extended it.

In 1933 he went as a member of the American delegation to the world economic conference at London. He won praise then from Joseph W. Byrns, Democratic floor leader, a fellow Tennessean and later speaker of the house, who said: "Sam is probably the best equipped man in the House to represent this country at London."

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. McReynolds, he was born near Pikeville, Bledsoe County, Tennessee, April 16, 1872. On March 9, 1910, he married Miss Mary C. Davison. A daughter was born to them.

McClymont Park Softball Winner

Defeated Seal Cove in Junior League Yesterday by 23 to 5 Score

McClymont No. 1's 23 to 5 victory over Seal Cove in the junior boys' division of the Gyro Softball League yesterday afternoon seems to prove that the best junior ball players in town are from the vicinity of McClymont Park. It was a fast moving game with both teams scoring in almost every inning.

The McClymont boys behind the steady pitching of B. Carr, played bang up ball and were full value for their win. If the Seal Cove team can back up such pitching as F. Hamilton uncorked in the last three innings it will do better in future games.

Young Jimmy Hamilton, if he learns a little more control, may be able to win plenty of ball games for his team.

The next game in this league is on Tuesday afternoon with Acropolis taking on the McClymont No. 2 team.

HONORS OLD SCHOOL

DURHAM, England, July 15: (CP)—C. G. Ferguson, head boy of Durham School, christened a railroad engine after the school then drove the engine a short distance for a thrill.

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Another Short Halibut Season—Landings so Far This Year Nearly Nine Million Pounds—Skeena River Putting Up Good Salmon Pack

Announcement made this week that halibut fishing in Pacific Coast areas No. 1 and 2 will close on July 29 means that the season for the most of the smaller Canadian vessels will again this year be of less than four months' duration. Some of the larger Canadian vessels will, of course, be able to continue fishing in the more remote Area No. 3 in which the most of the American vessels will be able to operate after having spent the early part of the year fishing intensively in Area No. 2, the quota of which they have been largely instrumental in exhausting. Another year of early closing of Area No. 2 once more illustrates the disadvantage under which the smaller Prince Rupert vessels have to operate.

Halibut landings at the port of Prince Rupert for the 1939 season up to and including yesterday totaled 8,924,800 pounds as compared with 6,954,250 pounds at a corresponding date last year. The Canadian total for this year to date is 3,949,300 pounds as against 3,301,350 pounds and the American aggregate 4,975,500 pounds in comparison with 3,652,250 pounds. Landings for the past week totalled 647,100 pounds of which 315,600 pounds was from Canadian vessels and 331,500 pounds from American. Prices during the week averaged slightly higher than in the preceding week. The top bid for Canadian fish was 7.5c and 5c which the D.S.T. received for 5,500 pounds and the low 6.2c and 5c which the Fanny F. was paid for 7,500 pounds. For American fish the high price of the week was 3.2c and 5c which the Agair received for 15,000 pounds and the low 7.6c and 5.5c which a number of boats were paid.

The Skeena River salmon pack for the 1939 season up to the end of the first week of July this season had totalled 24,876 cases, the highest figure since 1934 when the total at a corresponding date was 24,993 cases. The pack for this season is running well ahead of last year when the total was 20,223 cases. The Skeena pack for the present season to date consists largely of sockeye at 19,993 cases with springs amounting to 2,568 cases and coho, 1,495 cases. The Naas River is not making such a good showing although holding about level with last year. The Naas pack for this season up to July 8 was 4,604 cases as compared with 4,755 cases last year at the corresponding date. The Naas River pack is consisting almost entirely of sockeye which amounted to 4,249 cases. The pack for other areas in Prince Rupert district is running far below 1938.

A visitor in the city today is A. J. Whitmore, head of the western division of the Department of Fisheries, a member of the International Fisheries Commission and also of the Sockeye Commission, who is making a survey on behalf of his department. With him is L. W. Patmore K.C., secretary of the Hal-

but Commission. Both attended the fish auction this morning.

The power cruiser Manac II from Portland, Oregon, with A. M. Frank and party on board, arrived in port this morning and left later in the day in continuation of a cruise to Alaska.

Union Oil Co.'s tanker Unaca, Capt. F. Powers, arrived in port last evening with fuel for the company's local tanks.

Southbound from Skagway to Vancouver, C.P.R. steamer Princess Louise, Capt. S. G. Gray, is due in port at 3:30 this afternoon and will sail at 5 p.m. for Vancouver.

Bridge Party By Ladies of Orange

Enjoyable Affair Held Last Night In Metropole Hall, Drawing Good Crowd

There was a good-sized crowd of players in attendance at a bridge party held Thursday night in Metropole Hall by the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association. The prize-winners were: ladies' first, Miss A. Johnson; second, Mrs. H. E. Eastman. Winner of a special drawing went to Mrs. J. C. Carter.

George Howe was master of ceremonies and the committee in charge consisted of Mrs. H. B. Eastman, Mrs. Hugh Killin, Mrs. J. R. Murray, Mrs. Gus Krause, Mrs. Vic Menzies, Mrs. George Howe, Mrs. Fred Barber and Mrs. S. V. Cox.

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STORY OF ESPIONAGE

"Dark Journey" and "Girls' School," Showing At Capitol Theatre Tonight

"Dark Journey," a thrilling tale of counter-espionage starring Conrad Veidt and a beautiful newcomer to the screen, Vivien Leigh, who, incidentally has been chosen to play the part of Scarlet in "Gone With the Wind," and "Girls' School," a glowing comedy of the romantic teens, comprise a double bill program being presented tonight at the Capitol Theatre.

Most of the action of "Dark Journey" takes place in Stockholm during the war years. Veidt appears as a suave and sinister spy in the pay of Germany who runs counter to Miss Leigh who under the cloak of running a modiste shop, is really a French espionage agent. A romance develops but is continually overcast by the shadow of suspicion, eventually moving to an ingenious climax. It is a strong story, full of surprising twists.

In "Girls' School," Anne Shirley and Nan Grey are students at an exclusive seminary in the south. Anne is working her way through as a librarian and dormitory monitor. Nan is a snobbish young senior whose indiscretions almost result in her expulsion. The conflict of the two is the basis of the story. Ralph Bellamy is also featured as a member of the cast.

A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE

LONDON, July 15: (CP)—Warning that it was unwise for laymen to read medical books was given by a coroner following an inquest here in which it was found a young man had committed suicide fearing cancer.

WHILE CUPID WAITS

GLASGOW, July 15: (CP)—Applicants for Corporation houses in Glasgow—among them many young people wanting to marry—have been informed the waiting list is so heavy they will have to wait at least two years.

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