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A TERRIBLE ALTERNATIVE

Pierre van Paassen, well known American journalist and author, writing in one of the popular American and Canadian magazines, says he does not feel at all sure that the Germans will not overrun Europe, taking France, Great Britain and the Scandinavian countries and then, when they have consolidated their position, setting out to take United States and Canada. He has been in close touch with the situation since the beginning and has not been at all sympathetic to the British cause. He says that the real fighting will commence, according to German schedule, this spring. He thinks the Germans will drive across Holland while at the same time another army will drive through the foothills of the Swiss Alps from Basle to Geneva and down the Rhone Valley to the Mediterranean shore. Mussolini will join Germany. Japan will seize the Dutch East Indies, synchronizing her attacks with those of Germany. He thinks there will be a three-cornered attack with the intention of wiping out the power of Britain and France by Germany, Italy and Japan.

The cry of the axis will be "Down with the Anglo-Saxon race in Europe and America." The coming spring will tell the tale. "This much can be said now. The British Empire is fighting for its life," says Van Paassen. The aim of Germany is to place the entire European continent under German military rule but that will not end the struggle. The next war will be Europe versus America. In that war America will be the prize and its end, according to the German master planners, will see the establishment of the world empire of the Germans. The writer of the article says the constantly recurring cry of "Down with the Anglo-Saxon race in Europe and America" cannot be disregarded. The present conflict is simply a tune-up fight in the inevitable battle for the world championship. In all German writings the approaching end of Anglo-Saxon world hegemony is taken for granted and Dr. Haushofer, chief of the Geopolitical Institute at Munich, says the job will not be as arduous as many imagine.

So, what shall we do? Shall we train ourselves to accept the German concept and have our lives regulated by the German method, the German terror? Or shall we unite to resist, devoting all our energies to preventing the Hitlerizing of the world and especially of the part of the world in which we live.

UNITED STATES OF EUROPE

There is considerable talk of the formation of a United States of Europe when the war is over. It sounds rather fine and many will consider it idealistic. Yet it may become a possibility within the next few years, if the war should last that long. If anything comes of the movement it will depend quite largely on what is the attitude of Britain and France at that time. If they are for it, as they seem to be at present, something along that line may be done. We hope they succeed.

Britain has declared again and again that she is not seeking territory or anything except justice for the smaller nations. French leaders now say they would like to see a union of European states. With such a set-up there is hope of something in the way of union being attained.

CONSERVATIVE VIEW

Gratton O'Leary, one of the editors of the Ottawa Journal, Conservative, recently visited Vancouver and, when addressing the Board of Trade, said: "I don't mean to suggest that we should turn the present government out. But we should elect a new Parliament and a new opposition. If we do not do that now we shall be compelled to do it later, just as we had to in 1937."

SPORTS

SPORT CHAT

Port Simpson is reported to have defeated the Firemen's team from New Metlakatla, Alaska, at Port Simpson on Monday night. This, the first visiting team playing on the new Simpson floor, is not to be underrated as it is a regular team from New Metlakatla and, in a league that turns out such fine town teams, there is no place for second raters. The Oilers, however are hard to convince that the Simpsonites have any chances of lifting the title this year as they cannot see how they could have improved enough from last year to create any disturbance on the scoring column should the teams meet here.

Last season the Oilers defeated the Y.P.E.A. team at Simpson in a close game. The locals found the cramped hall much to the advantage of the homesters and returned home with the cry: "We'll never play there again." Art Murray was the recipient of a gentle 200 pound impact on his right ankle and the other members of the team were taking nerve tonics for some time. Apparently the Simpson people are ripe for a return bout with the Fuelmen and, if Croft Brook can assure the boys of an endowment in case of accidents, they probably could be enticed to again call over that way sometime this season.

SMITHERS DID WELL

Won Principal Curling Trophies On Visit To Prince George This Week

SMITHERS, Feb. 16:—The Smithers curlers who journeyed to Prince George to take part in the big bonspiel held by the Prince George Curling Club over the week-end took the home boys into camp.

Two rinks skipped by Jim Downey and Art Simpson respectively played the Prince George rinks in three competitions. In these competitions the Downey rink arrived at the finals in the McCullagh shield and the Robinson cup while the Simpson rink reached the finals in the Kelley cup competition.

In the play-offs the Downey rink won the Robinson cup and lost in the shield competition by a score of 10-8. In the meantime the Simpson rink romped home with the big Kelley cup which is recognized as the king of cups for the curlers of the north.

The two teams arrived home in Smithers on Tuesday's train and were congratulated on the splendid showing made in Prince George and their great success in the tournament.

This will greatly stimulate intercity curling between the two towns and there is no doubt that next year will see very much increased interest in the tournament for these trophies.

Smithers men playing on the two rinks, beside the skips, included Jack McEwen, Ole Sorvick, George Garrett and L. T. Kemple.

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FIGHT CARD HAS ACTION

Local Fans Crowd Moose Hall And Show Enthusiasm For Wrestling And Boxing In Modern Manner

Plenty of action and a good measure of showmanship featured last night's wrestling and boxing card at the Moose Hall and kept a big crowd of enthusiastic fans on their toes for the better part of a couple of hours. There were none who did not admit that they had got their money's worth and then some. In fact, there was the odd person who found the action and excitement of the wrestling more than he could take and left the hall. The show should prove a good build-up for further pugilistic entertainment of its kind. Frank Folger was the promoter and, no doubt, sees the possibilities of further business in the local cauliflower and squirming industry.

The main joust of the evening was four rounds of wrestling between Darrow Thompson of the Canadian Scottish and Bill Greenfield of the Searchlight Battery. Both these stout lads know something about the sock and squirm art and went at it with might and main, even drawing the referee, Sergeant Crabbe, into active hostilities on occasion. There was lots of throwing each other around the ring with groans, grunts and baleful glares. The gladiators took a lot of watching and, while conducting active warfare against each other, tried to slip everything they could over on the chance that the referee might not be looking for a few moments. The upshot of it all was a draw. Greenfield got the first fall with a hammerlock in the first round and Thompson the second with a shoulder press in the third. Boston crabs and other fine points of the game were tried but without effect. Thompson weighed 180 pounds and Greenfield, 175.

The semi-windup was between Stan Nelson of the Canadian Scottish and Frank Folger of Prince Rupert which was quite as actionful as the main event with ferocity quite evident if not really present. Anyway, Folger was the winner on one fall, a headlock throw in the third round. Folger weighed 160 pounds and Nelson, 170.

And Boxing

The main event of boxing was a three rounder between Don McCouver, 155 pounds, and Roy Dwyer, Canadian Scottish, 145 pounds. Here there was plenty of action with Dwyer forcing the pace in the first and third rounds to win a split decision. McCouver may have been the prettiest boxer but Dwyer did the most of the landing and was fully entitled to the call.

Elmore Hankinson, 155 pounds, was the more open fighter and did most of the landing to get the decision over Jack Wearmouth, 165 pounds. Wearmouth worked hard in dancing and jabbing and has a nice long reach but has to learn to land them.

Alistair Crerar, 180 pounds, and Howard Hougan, 175 pounds, two youthful heavies presented an acceptable curtain raiser and, after three rounds, it was fairly declared a draw.

Benny Windle was referee of the boxing and announcer for the evening. Tommy Fraser and Darrow Gomez acted as judges. Max Heilbroner was timekeeper.

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And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the British Columbia Packers Limited will under Section 7 of the said Act apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plan, and for leave to construct the said addition to the existing wharf.

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