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EDITORIAL

MINISTER FOR WAR

The new head of the war department in the British government, replacing Leslie Hore-Belisha, is Oliver Stanley, formerly President of the Board of Trade and pre-war First Lord of the Admiralty. He is at a disadvantage in being a son of the Earl of Derby but, in spite of that, he had been considered by those in the know as one of the likely men to succeed Neville Chamberlain as Prime Minister. Should he make a success of this job he may step into the leadership.

Mr. Stanley is a Conservative in politics whereas his predecessor was a Liberal. He has one of the essentials of political life which is perfect selfconfidence and determination to go ahead if he thinks he is right. He is a good speaker.

LESLIE HORE-BELISHA

The man who last week retired from the position of War Minister in the British cabinet was a Jew, 54 years of age, a Liberal in politics, small in stature but withal a big man with a very bright mind. He served in the first war and completed his Oxford university course after his return, becoming president of the Oxford Union, probably the finest debating club in the world, he retired a lot of the older generals, replacing them with younger men. Now it is said, the generals have been responsible for forcing him out. Perhaps he interfered too much with the conduct of the wer and political interference is often objectionable.

Prior to entering the War Office Hore-Belisha was minister of transport and he brought importance to a previously unimportant position. He revitalized it. Some day he will make a come-back, possibly to help in solving the greater problems of peace after the war is over.

Smithers Police Officer Father Of Biggest Baby

SMITHERS, Jan. 8.— Constable and Mrs. William Davidson are the proud parents of the largest baby ever born in the Smithers Hospital. It was a boy and weighed just under twelve pounds. Mother and son are doing nicely.

Canada At War 25 Years Ago

January 8, 1915—Battle of Soissons began, British and French forces making advance against Germans under General von Kluk. Austrians admitted Russian successes in Bukowina.

Annual Week Of Prayer Now On

Opening Meeting To Be Held Tonight At Army Citadel By Rev. W. J. Friesen

The annual Week of Prayer, in which the various Protestant Churches of the city are co-operating, opens this evening and will continue throughout the week with the schedule as follows:

Tonight—Salvation Army Citadel, Rev. W. J. Friensen in charge.

Tuesday—Pentecostal Assembly, Rev. R. C. H. Durnford in charge.

Wednesday — First Baptist Church, Rev. J. C. Jackson in charge.

Thursday—First United Church, Rev. E. E. Brandt in charge.

Friday—St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral, Rev. H. G. Funston in charge.

Festive Season At Kitwanga Is Greatly Enjoyed

KITWANGA, Jan. 8.—Two weeks of festivities in connection with the observance of Christmas and New Year season have concluded at Kitwanga. It was one of the finest Yuletide seasons Kitwanga has ever enjoyed. There were Christmas dinner parties and dances each evening in the community hall by various organizations.

The closing event was a splendid supper by the Totem Pole Brass Band. After full justice had been done to a sumptuous meal, the band, under the leadership of David Williams, rendered three selections. Philip Green, honoray president, gave a speech of welcome to the guests on behalf of the band. The proceedings concluded with a snappy dance for which music was furnished by Sterling Johnson's Orchestra. The affair kept up in full swing until 2 o'clock in the morning.

Joseph Dance Of Hazelton Passes

Joseph Dance Was Well Known and Respected Native of Interior Town

HAZELTON, Jan. 8.—People of three surounding villages gathered here last Tuesday for the funeral of Joseph Dance, treasurer of the Salvation Army at Hazelton and one of the best known local natives, whose death had occurred on the Sunday morning previous at the Hazelton Hospital.

Chief Thomas Maldow was in charge of the funeral arrangements and the service was conducted by Captain Drunsdol in the Army Citadel Hall. Chief John Brown of Kispiox and Sergeant Major John Smith gave addresses. The Hazelton Band, conducted by Arthur Mouatt, played "Flee as a Bird" and Peter Wale sang "We Shall All Meet Again." The Kispiox Band led the procession to the grave, playing a march.

Deceased had seven children—five boys and two girls. His aged mother still lives. His father died sixteen years ago.

Weiner Roast At Kitsegukla Was Enjoyable Event

KITSEGUKLA, Jan. 8.—The Kitsegukla Young People had a very enjoyable outing last Thursday evening in the form of a weiner roast. They hiked up through the forest of spruce and built a huge bonfire. Weiners, buns and coffee were most delicious in the open and all members ate heartily. Camp-fire songs were sung lustily and toward midnight everyone hiked home. During the howeward trek all took part in a snowball fight. Tired, happy and well-filled, they arrived home at midnight.

Those phesent were the Misses Anne McDames, Norah Wesley, Rosie Brown, Gertrude Johnson, Violet Hyzams and Norman McEwen, Peter Brown, William Milton, Rufus McDames, Mike Banak, Harvey Jones, Wallace Johnson, Ernest Hyzams, Leonard More and David Hart.

Mark Bolton Village Head

Elected President of Port Essington Special Reserve for Twelfth Year

PORT ESSINGTON, Jan. 8.—Mark Bolton, after a lapse of four years has been elected president of the Essington Special Reserve for the twelfth year. The financial report for the past year showed a decrease both in income and expenditure.

The following have been elected to control the affairs of the village for the ensuing year:

President, Mark Bolton.

Vice-President, L. L. Starr.

Secretary, Edward N. Bolton.

Assistant Secretary, Howard Starr.

Recorder, Paul Starr.

Treasurer, Mrs. Mark Bolton.

Committee chairman for the year are as follows: streets, lots and seawall, Stephen Campbell and Joseph Wesley; health inspector, Herbert Spalding; fire warden, Simon Lockerby; ball grounds, Joseph Roberts; sports, Edward N. Bolton.

Today in Sports

LADIES' BOWLING

Second Third of Season Is To Start With Tomorrow Night's Games

The second third of the Ladies' bowling League is announced as follows:

January 9—Bluebirds vs. Rex, Rangers vs. Merchantettes, Big Sisters vs. Knox Hotel, Maple Leafs vs. Annettes.

January 16—Rex vs. Annettes, Merchantettes vs. Knox Hotel, Rangers vs. Big Sisters, Bluebirds vs. Maple Leafs.

January 23 — Maple Leafs vs. Knox Hotel, Rex. vs. Rangers, Bluebirds vs. Annettes, Merchantettes vs. Big Sisters.

January 30—Maple Leafs vs. Big Sisters, Annettes vs. Knox Hotel, Rex vs. Merchantettes, Bluebirds vs. Rangers.

February 6—Bluebirds vs. Merchantettes, Rex vs. Maple Leafs, Knox Hotel vs. Rangers, Annettes vs. Big Sisters.

February 13—Bluebirds vs. Big Sisters, Annettes vs. Merchantettes, Maple Leafs vs. Rangers, Rex vs. Knox Hotel.

February 20—Annettes vs. Rangers, Bluebirds vs. Knox Hotel, Maple Leafs vs. Merchantettes, Rex vs. Big Sisters.

SPORT CHAT

The Booth Memorial Boxing Club will not be active for the remainder of the term but the he-men promise action in its superlative form next September. Albert Mah will be leaving next week for Los Angeles where he will commence flight training at the California Flyers' School of Aviation.

Frank Chance signed a $25,000 three-year contract to manage New York Americans, now the Yankees, 27 years ago today. Member of the still-famous Tinker-to-Evers-to-Chance Chicago Cubs combination, Chance piloted the Yankees in 1913-1914 and was succeeded by Bill Donovan.

Connie Mack, veteran manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, does not believe the New York Yankees will have any cinch on the American League pennant this year. Boston, Cleveland and Detroit, he predicts, will give the Yankees plenty of trouble. Nor will the Yanks win any eighteen games from the Athletics this year, declares Connie.

Unusual Hunting Season Now Over

Mild Weather Caused Irregular Migration of Birds—Rain Held Hunters In

The hunting season in this district for ducks and geese, which in many ways was quite unusual due to exceptional weather conditions, came to a legal close on Thursday of last week. Owing to the mildness of the weather, there was irregularity in the migration of birds, many, it is believed, not having come down the coast at all owing to lack of snow and ice in the north and in the interior. The unfavorable weather also prevented local hunters from getting out in as large numbers as usual. The only birds which may still be shot are black brandt, the season for which opened December 2 and will continue until February 16.

RANGERS KEEP UP

Patrick Men Defeated Detroit Red Wings For Seventeenth Start Without Defeat

DETROIT, Jan. 8: (CP)—Undefeated now in seventeen starts, the New York Rangers continued their sensational winning streak last night by blanking the lowly Detroit Red Wings three to nothing, retaining their two point lead over Boston Bruins, who won six to two over the Americans at New York, and the Toronto Maple Leafs, who defeated Montreal Canadiens three to one Saturday night.

Tomorrow night the following games are scheduled: Chicago at Montreal; Toronto at New York (Americans); Detroit at Boston.

Week-end scores were as follows:

SATURDAY

Toronto 3, Montreal 1.

SUNDAY

Rangers 3, Detroit 0.

Boston 6, Americans 2.

Canadiens 2, Chicago 1.

The league standings to date:

		W	D	L	F	P
Rangers	13	7	3	72	34	33
Boston	14	3	6	70	39	31
Toronto	14	3	7	70	46	31
Chicago	9	1	12	43	69	19
Canadiens	8	2	13	55	64	18
Americans	1	1	16	49	70	15
Detroit	6	3	14	36	63	15

COMBAT PROPAGANDA

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