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HOUSTON MAN DIES AFTER SHOT ON HUNTING TRIP

Seinen Expires Unexpectedly Shooting Accident Last Week

Seinen, 22-year-old employee of the British Forestry Service at Houston in the Bulkley Valley District, is dead in the Bulkley Valley District, almost a week after having been shot at Houston on Wednesday last while on a hunting trip. He had been shot through the left leg below the knee. An inquest is being held at Smithers this afternoon by Coroner Harvey Davies.

In company with William Van Der Well, sawmill operator, and Gene Blanchet, Seinen had left Houston early last Wednesday afternoon to engage in some timber cruising. They had just finished the cruising work when, having taken rifles along, they decided to do some hunting.

They were unloading their rifles when Van Der Well's weapon discharged and the bullet struck Seinen in the leg. These facts had been made known to the police by Seinen in a statement after the affair. It was "definitely an accident," this statement said.

After the accident, Van Der Well and members of his crew took Seinen to the Smithers Hospital where his death came quite unexpectedly at 11 o'clock last night.

Seinen is survived by a wife and family.

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C.C.L. Takes Wallop At Communism

Hall's Force Win Partial Victory

To Be Taken Back in TCL

Suspension of Railway Union Endorsed But to Be Lifted

VICTORIA (CP)—Frank Hall's anti-communist forces in the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada wrung a partial victory out of the Congress' annual convention yesterday.

After a day-long battle over communism in the Congress, Hall won assurance that his suspended union—the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks—would be readmitted to the T.L.C.

The Brotherhood had been suspended for not repudiating a move by Hall aimed at crushing the Canadian Seamen's Union, a Congress affiliate, reputedly dominated by Reds.

Last night, after a 5½-hour debate over Hall's action, the Congress voted strongly in favor of endorsing the T.L.C. executive's suspension of the Brotherhood. An unofficial tabulation showed that the Congress leadership had been upheld by a majority of 528 to 197.

Before balloting started, the executive assured the convention that it would later support a motion to lift the suspension immediately once it got a vote of confidence. However, executive members said this step would also involve some form of "censure" for Hall personally. The nature of this has not yet been defined.

BIDS ASKED ON PULP PLANT

Tenders for the general contract for construction of the cellulose pulp plant for Columbia Cellulose Co. were sought in advertisements appearing in Vancouver newspapers Tuesday, according to reports reaching here last night. The plant, to be located at Watson Island, near Port Edward, will produce basic products for cellulose textiles and plastics. Contracts for supply of many of the materials needed have already been let.

FRENCH DOCK STRIKE FEARED

PARIS, (P)—A 24-hour dock workers' strike threatened to tie up most of the ports in strike-bound France today. The tie-up follows the familiar strike pattern which the government has blamed on the Cominform and the French Communist party. The strategy is one of short-lived strikes in key industries and commercial points.

TODAY'S STOCKS

COURTESY OF THE VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Vancouver	
Balorne	7.15
B. R. Con.	53 1/2
B. R. K.	53 1/2
Cariboo	1.00
Denton	53 1/2
Orill	53 1/2
Hedley	53 1/2
Pend Oreille	4.90
Pioneer	2.35
Premier Border	.02 1/2
Privateer	.12 1/2
Reeves McDonald	2.10
Salmon Gold	.10 1/2
Sheep Creek	1.30
Taylor Bridge	.31
Taku River	.32
Vananda	.31
Congress	.02 1/2
Pacific Eastern	.09
Central Zeballos	.01
Spud Valley	.09
Silbak Premier	.27
Oils	
A. P. Con.	.22
Calmont	.42
C. & E.	5.30
Footfalls	3.30
Home	9.35
Toronto	
Athona	.06 1/2
Aumaque	.16
Beattie	.59
Beycourt	.35
Bobjo	.10
Buffalo Canadian	.09
Consol. Smelters	121.00
Conwest	1.10
Donalda	.64
Eldona	1.12
East Sullivan	2.90
Giant Yellowknife	4.95
God's Lake	.47
Hardrock	.30
Harricana	.06 1/2
Heva	.10 1/2
Hosco	.30 1/2
Jackknife	.03 1/2
Joliet Quebec	.43
Lake Rowan	.06 1/2
Lapaska	.06
Little Long Lac	.78
Lynx	.07 1/2
Madsen Red Lake	2.45
McKenzie Red Lake	.30
McLeod Cockshutt	1.00
Moneta	.33
Negus	2.15
Noranda	52.50
Louvicoourt	.55
Pickle Crow	2.08
Regecourt	.04 1/2
San Antonio	3.95
Senator Rouyn	.45
Sheritt Gordon	2.26
Steep Rock	1.66
Sturgeon Rivre	.15
Silver Miller	.34

MONATURE EYES

An infant cannot follow with its eyes an object moved up and down or from side to side until many weeks after birth.

LONDON (P)—Mrs. Mary Ann

Powell, of Fulham, southwest

London, celebrated her 100th

birthday.

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Says B.C. Loggers' Union 'Set-up for Red Politics'

I. W. A. Is Now and Will Be the Recognized Body for Timber Workers

TORONTO (CP)—The Canadian Congress of Labor said tonight that the Woodworkers' International Union had been set up "for communist political purposes and could not hope to achieve any status in ranks of legitimate organized labor in Canada."

In a statement President A. R. Mosher said the Congress would have nothing to do with the W.I.U., the British Columbia group which recently broke away from the International Woodworkers of America.

Mr. Mosher said the Congress had received a letter from the W.I.U. "suggesting that they intend asking for discussions with the Congress with a view to possible affiliation."

"The I.W.A. is now and will remain the only union recognized by the Congress in the lumber industry."

The Canadian Congress of Labor, led by President Mosher, took a verbal swing at Russian aggression, voting decisively for a strongly-worded foreign policy resolution.

The 838 delegates at the eighth annual C.C.L. convention landed a powerful wallop on the Congress' communist-minded minority.

Arrangements have been made in which you may subscribe to the new series. Let us keep the bonds we have and invest as much as we can in the new series.

PREMIER KING FEELS BETTER

LONDON, (P)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King, prevented by illness from representing Canada at the Commonwealth conference had a "restful night" and was "cheerful and comfortable" this morning, his staff reported.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

A large area of high barometric pressures has developed over British Columbia. Clear bright weather is forecast for most sections of the province today and tomorrow. There will be a sharp frost in all sections of the interior tonight and ground frost at low areas along the coast. Thick fog patches in some valleys of the interior and over Vancouver harbor this morning will be present again tomorrow morning.

Forecast

Queen Charlotte and North Coast—Clear today and Thursday. Occasionally cloudy with scattered showers extreme northern section this afternoon. Southwesterly winds (15 m.p.h.) cool with ground frost in low areas tonight. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow: Port Hardy 35 and 53, Masset 32 and 52, Prince Rupert 35 and 52.

RIOT FEATURES PACIFIC HOCKEY LEAGUE OPENER

VANCOUVER, (P)—The Pacific Coast Hockey League made its professional debut last night as the Seattle Iron Men edged Vancouver Canucks 5-3 in a penalty-ridden fixture which developed into a donnybrook in the third period.

Six players, three from each team, warmed the bench at the same time in the last part of the third as police quelled a wide-open battle which began in the penalty box and spread to both teams.

Bill Schill led the Seattle scoring with two goals and Ivan led Vancouver with two.

Aluminum can be rolled into a foil so thin that 10 layers are needed to equal the thickness of a newspaper page.



CHEQUE ARTISTS—On their way to the cells in Toronto jail are Ross McIntosh, 29, Brandon, Man., salesman, (left), and Raymond Jackson, 20, Vancouver, in custody of Toronto detectives. Arrested here on charges of vagrancy, McIntosh is wanted in connection with theft of several pension checks across Western Canada. Amount involved totals \$15,000. Jackson was with McIntosh at the time of his arrest. (CP Photo)

Walton Encouraged Over Prospects at Prince Rupert

Learns of Work for Dry Dock from Celanese Mill—Discusses Local Railway Problems

"We are very much encouraged by many factors along the line between Prince Rupert and Jasper, including the celanese mill project at Port Edward," said N. B. Walton, executive vice-president of the Canadian National Railways and one-time general superintendent at Prince Rupert, who visited the city

briefly this morning in the course of a western inspection tour. Even as Mr. Walton made this reference to the celanese mill, he was advised that the local dry dock had been requested to be ready to plane two million feet of lumber for use in the construction work at Port Edward, denoting another impact of the new industry on this port and the railway facilities.

Mr. Walton also referred to the heavy traffic now running over this line as a result of lumber milling activity throughout the central interior and the heavy movement of Alaska fish products from Prince Rupert to the United States.

Mr. Walton, whose sympathies toward Prince Rupert are well known, expressed himself as

being most anxious to see that all the work and all the traffic possible was brought this way.

Inquiry was made of Mr. Walton as to the possibilities of more frequent and faster train service between Prince Rupert and Jasper. Due to floods and washouts, he replied, the railway had been having "tough times" this year and he saw little chance of a speeding up of service in the immediate future. He was quite candid in stating that there was not enough passenger

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FEW WEAR VEILS

A few Turkish women still go about veiled in some outlying districts, but the general custom is to wear a modern type of headdress.



CONDOLENCES FOR WIDOW OF SLAIN U.N. AIDE—U.S. Secretary of State George C. Marshall (right) bows to Mme. Serot, widow of Colonel Andre Serot, United Nations aide who was slain in the ambush in which Count Folke Bernadotte died outside Jerusalem. Secretary Marshall met Mme. Serot when the bodies of the slain men arrived by plane at Orly airport in Paris. Standing at left is French Chief of Protocol Dumaine.

PACIFIC COAST SALMON PACK

Total canned salmon pack on the British Columbia coast so far this season has been 1,127,300 cases, the lowest for the same period of any year since 1944, according to the latest bulletin issued by the Chief Supervisor of Fisheries, Vancouver.

However, the pack in the Naas and Skeena River areas is substantially above the corresponding period for the last three years. Total on the Naas and Skeena this year to date is 423,824 cases, as compared with 239,298 in 1947 and 248,795 in 1946.

Chum salmon have made up the greatest pack of any single variety in the coast total, 341,045 cases having been produced. There have been 320,283 cases of pinks, 256,410 cases of sockeye and 169,039 cases of coho.

Production in the Naas and Skeena area, by varieties, follows. Figures are given in 48-pound cases. Sockeye 120,018, springs 4,710, steelheads 3,582, coho 41,083, pinks 152,337, chums 102,094.

Canada's Dollar Is Status Easier

OTTAWA, (P)—A cabinet source said today that both Canada and Britain may receive benefits from Canada's gradually improving dollar status. Canadians' dinner plates may soon have American greens and fruits as a result of the government's intention to snip one corner off the austerity program.

Canada will shortly supply Britain with \$240,000,000 in Canadian dollars, part of the billion and a quarter loan frozen by the Canadian government last spring.

EMBARGO ON NEWFOUNDLAND

MONCTON, N.B.—On account of a labor strike which had tied up the Newfoundland railways an embargo has been placed by the Atlantic region of the Canadian National Railways on all carload and less than carload freight traffic for destinations in Newfoundland via North Sydney, Nova Scotia, including such traffic destined to Labrador. This embargo includes livestock and perishables and extends to any permits formerly issued.