PROVINCIAL LIBRARY
VICTORIA, B. C.
DEC 31/60

Prince Rupert Daily News

Published at Canada's Most Strategic Pacific Port — And Key to the Great Northwest

VOL. L, No. 226 | Telephone 6767 | PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1960 | Night Calls—Business 6768, Editorial 6769 | PRICE TEN CENTS

Congolese, UN troops battle in attempt to expel Mobutu

CITY, SCHOOL ELECTIONS

Four state intention to stand for new term

All three aldermen whose terms of office terminate this year on the Prince Rupert City Council—Aldermen T. Norton Youngs, A. Donald Ritchie and Gordon E. Carlson—will stand for re-election, they have informed The Daily News.

Of the three positions also becoming vacant on the School District 52 board of trustees, only Mrs. A. L. Bell of 325 Fourth Avenue East has signified her intention of standing again.

ALD. GORDON CARLSON

ALD. A. DONALD RITCHIE

ALD. T. NORTON YOUNGS

Both Leonard Loucks of Port Edward and K. F. Harding of 2115 Ambrose Avenue are out of town and not available for comment.

Nominations for both aldermen and trustees close 10 a.m. Monday, November 28 at City Hall. The election date is set for December 8.

Those remaining on the council will be Mayor P. J. Lester, Aldermen Darrow Gomez, Norman Bellis and Michael Krueger; while remaining school board trustees are Chairman W. J. Scott, trustees A. J. Dominato and J. B. Davis of Port Edward.

Mr. Harding is not expected back until December 1 and Mr. Loucks will be back November 24.

Voters will also be asked at the December 8 elections to state their wishes regarding the water supply and distribution improvements bylaw.

CPL. B. MORRISON

Cpl. Morrison passes course

Corporal Bernard Morrison, 19, of Prince Rupert, B.C., a member of the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, stationed at Winnipeg, Manitoba, has successfully completed an eight week junior non-commisioned officer's course at Camp Wainwright, Alta.

The course, conducted by the Army's Western Command, consisted of intensive training in weapons, drill, fieldcraft, tactics, map-using, first aid and other military subjects.

Qualification on the course is the first step on the way toward higher non-commissioned rank.

Disturbances occur throughout nation

By GERALD RATZIN

LEOPOLDVILLE (Reuters)—Two Ghanian envoys were expelled from The Congo today after Congolese troops battled with United Nations soldiers Monday night to back the expulsion order of strongman Col. Joseph Mobutu.

Meanwhile Mobutu was reported trying to calm his troops, angered at the loss of their army second-in-command Col. J. Kokolo in a blazing exchange with UN Tunisian soldiers.

At least four men, including Kokolo, were killed when Congolese troops opened up with armored car and machine-gun fire at UN defenders of the Ghanian envoy's residence here.

Ghanian Charge d'Affaires Nathaniel Welbeck, beseiged in the residence overnight, boarded a plane for Paris this morning under the eyes of Congolese soldiers at the airport.

Congolese authorities also insisted that Richard Quarshie, an embassy permanent secretary who arrived Monday and was expected to replace Welbeck, leave the country on the same flight.

DEPARTURE HELD UP

Welbeck's departure was delayed more than two hours until the Ghanian secretary agreed. The two envoys left with Gen. Henry Alexander, British commnader-in-chief of Ghana's army.

As the three men made their departure, tension rose in Leopoldville over the mood of Congolese troops in the aftermath of Monday night's clash with the UN.

Mobutu was reported at army headquarters in Camp Leopold trying to calm his angry soldiers.

Congolese authorities reported Kokolo, an officer much repected by his men, was killed in the exchange and three lieutenants were missing. UN hospital officials said three Tunisian soldiers were killed and seven wounded, two severely.

The Congolese opened fire on the Ghanian residence after the charge d'affaires rejected an expulsion order "for interfering in the internal affairs of The Congo."

A cease-fire was reported arranged Monday night, but sporadic firing continued in the residence area through the night.

WIDESPREAD UNREST

The Associated Press reported more trouble elsewhere in The Congo Monday:

The pro-Mobutu Leopoldville radio accused the UN of thwarting the arrest at Stanleyville of Antoine Gizenga, vice-premier in deposed Premier Patrice Lumumba's defunct regime. The broadcast said UN Ethiopian troops stopped Congolese soldiers as they tried to seize Gizenga.

Mobutu said Gizenga was trying to organize the secession of the Oriental province as a possible springboard for Lumumba's return to power.

At Elisabethville the UN command reported 100 Moroccan soldiers arrived to protect the rebel-beseiged town of Luena in central Katanga. The reinforcements brought the UN strength there to more than 300.

Some 200 Africans and 12 Europeans at Luena, an important rail and coal mining town, are encircled by Baluba tribesmen.

More false alarms

Firemen were called to the Drill Hall at HMCS Chatham about 9:55 a.m. Sunday but it proved to be only a false alarm.

TRAP CATCHES THIEF — This ingenious trap, consisting of a high-speed camera, cardboard, fishing line and cup hooks, was used by dental technician Victor Morris to catch the thief who had been pilfering gold from an office drawer. Photographed in the act, janitor Clarence McFarland, 48, was charged and later sentenced to four months in jail for theft. — CP Photo

Parliament speeds up debate to handle nation unemployment

By ARCH MacKENZIE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons streaked into action Monday on the wings of three-party accord and heard details of the first legislative measure up the government's sleeve as a job-maker.

Seven days were snipped from the throne speech debate.

Finance Minister Fleming presented supplementary estimates of $54,224,918 plus details of government-guaranteed bank loans to spark expansion and modernization of small businesses — manufacturers, retailers, wholesalers and services, including tourism.

Prime Minister Diefenbaker, Liberal Leader Pearson and CCF Leader Argue followed tradition in the so-called leaders' day action but self-imposed brevity muted the crackle of political warfare, predominantly on the unemployment theme this session.

Mr. Pearson had suggested before the session convened last week that the Commons push ahead with consideration of job-making legislation as soon as possible and Mr. Diefenbaker took him up at the House opening.

Mr. Argue concurred but slipped in a non-confidence motion which wasn't debated and which the Conservatives crushed 138 to 43 in one of three formal votes during the day. The Liberals sided with the CCF and their one-man ally, New Party member Walter Pitman from Peterborough, Ont.

Mr. Fleming's tabling of the spending estimates ran the forecast total of expenditures by the government this fiscal year to a record $5,910,019,323. The biggest chunk was $30,730,000 for the labor department's municipal winter works program and vocational training.

Mr. Pearson said the government is showing shocking unawareness of the seriousness of Canada's unemployment and urged that the government hasten to bring in the pre-Christmas "baby" budget forecast in Thursday's throne speech.

The economy is forging ahead, countered Mr. Diefenbaker, although everyone recognizes that unemployment is serious. The gross national product—total of all goods and services produced in the country—rose by three per cent in the first half of the year although this was less than anticipated.

Exports were up and the trade deficit reduced, he said while running briefly over the forecast legislation and warning that the provinces, municipalities, labor and business also have responsibilities in finding solutions to the economic problem.

Pleads guilty

A one-month suspended sentence was given to Mark Gim Shoon, of the Dominion Rooms, after he pleaded guilty yesterday afternoon in police court to a charge of common assault.

RCMP said the charge was laid November 18 after Dorothy Wilson, of no fixed address, was struck over the head and shoulders with a hammer in the Dominion Rooms.

Vyse dies at 84

William Vyse, aged 84, of Queen Charlotte Islands, died Monday. He was residing at 81 Second Avenue West. He has a brother somewhere in the province, but his present whereabouts is unknown.

ORMES
DRUGS LTD.
DIAL
2151

World News Briefs

TOKYO, (AP) — Communist China has announced the execution of a girl accused of planning to bomb important buildings in Canton with explosives hidden in candy and a toy piano. The girl, identified as Ho Li-hsien, was executed September 25 along with two men also accused of subversion, said a report which reached Tokyo today.

LONDON, (AP) — Thousands of commuters got a new deal from British railways today. Shiny new electric trains were put on the tracks for faster, more frequent rush-hour services to central London. Britain's nationalized transport commission expects to increase revenue by four times on some of the new suburban services.

BONN, (Reuters) — American requests for financial help met West German reluctance today and opened up a gap between the two teams negotiating how much this booming country should pay toward the cost of Western defence and foreign aid.

ROME (AP) — British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan and Italian Premier Amintore Fanfani met today for a second round of talks on how to meet the coming "year of crisis".

Founder of Fishermen's Co-Op, Andrew O. Morse dies at 82

A lifelong fighter for labor and one of the founding members of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-Operative Association, Andrew Olson Morse, of 345 Fifth Avenue East, died just before noon yesterday in Prince Rupert General hospital. He was 82.

Born in Ostbjorka, Sweden, Mr. Morse was initiated into labor and trade union work in the Kiruna mine district of northern Sweden. He left Sweden in 1902 when he was 24 and first settled at the head of Lake Superior in Wisconsin, before coming west. He worked with unions in the boom mining days of Spokane, Washington and Rossland, B.C. and also spent some time in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

BATTLE OF KELLY'S CUT

He came to Prince Rupert in 1909 and with ex-alderman George Casey, former secretary of the Rossland Miners Union of the Western Federation of Miners, helped organize the Prince Rupert Industrial Association. He was fulltime secretary of the 1,200-member Industrial association at the time of the famous Battle of Kelly's Cut in April, 1911.

He later established his occupation as a painter and paperhanger, first working for Frederick Scudden and James Curtis until he went into his own business in 1920.

In 1914 he returned to Sweden to fetch his fiancee, Anna Hanson, whom he married in Prince Rupert later that year.

For awhile the Morse family lived at Beaver Pass and Porcher Island, returning to live in Prince Rupert in 1928.

FOUNDER OF CO-OP

In the early 1930s, he helped found the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-Operative association and also turned his hand to building. Even at 74 he built four houses in Prince Rupert although he officially retired in 1948.

Apart from his activities helping trade unions he was a member of the Valhalla Lodge 67 and a longtime baritone member of various choirs including the one with the former Prince Rupert Philharmonic Society.

He is survived by one son Ingver L. Morse; three daughters, Mrs. Stanley (Ingrid) Veitch; Mrs. Christian (Vera) Fossum; all of Prince Rupert and Mrs. Norman (Florence) Iverson of Oona River; nine grandchildren and other relatives in Sweden.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. tomorrow from Ferguson Funeral Home with Rev. Dr. R. W. K. Elliott officiating. Interment will be at Fairview cemetery.

No flowers by request.

B.C. ROUNDUP

Hat Creek Coal owner dies in Santa Barbara

VANCOUVER (CP)—A man who spent a lifetime in B.C. mining and early this year sold a coal mine for $2,000,000 has died in Santa Barbara, Calif., it was learned here Monday.

Ridway R. Wilson, 71, struck it rich when he acquired the Hat Creek Coal, west of Ashcroft, in 1944. In February the huge deposits were sold to the B.C. Electric as a source of coal for a huge therm-electric generating plant.

Contempt appeal

VANCOUVER (CP) — Highways Minister Gaglardi's appeal against his contempt of court conviction will be heard December 6 and 7.

Farmers' convention

VICTORIA (CP) — Farmers from across the province meet today to discuss their problems and suggest improvements for British Columbia's $123,000,000-a-year agriculture industry. Delegates from 83 farm organizations will be on hand as Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes officially opens the 27th annual convention of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture.

Mine may re-open

VANCOUVER (CP) — New financing arrangements has made it possible for New Ainsworth Base Metals Ltd. to step into production, company officials said here Monday. Operations of the former zinc producer near Kaslo were suspended a number of years ago because of depressed metal prices.

Heated fort

FORT LANGLEY (CP)—A $43,500 federal government winter works project will bring heat and insulation to the reconstructed buildings at Fort Langley. William McLennan, Conservative MP for New Westminster, announced Monday that the work will be done by next March 31 and will provide employment for 11 men for five months.

UIC fund increase

OTTAWA (CP) — The reserve in the unemployment insurance fund increased almost $10,000,000 between September and October, but was still far below the level a year earlier, it was reported today.

The increase between the September and October level follows the pattern of the last two years.

At October 31, the fund's reserve was $320,072,000, compared with $310,476,000 at the end of September. At the end of October last year, the reserve amounted to $464,834,000.

The government has forecast legislation aimed at strengthening the fund which has shrunk from a peak of almost $900,000,000 in 1957 to a danger level, with bankruptcy feared.

IWA officers pay vote

VANCOUVER (CP) — A referendum will be taken of western Canadian members of the International Woodworkers of America (CLC) on pay increases for regional officers. A pay boost was approved by the IWA convention here in September, but a referendum of members is required if one-third asks for it.

Socks theft charge laid

William Victor McCann, of no fixed address, was remanded until November 25 for sentencing, when he pleaded guilty Saturday in police court before Magistrate E. T. Applewhaite to a charge of theft under $50 (shop-lifting).

RCMP told the court that McCann had stolen four pairs of socks from Esquire Shop about 2:45 p.m. November 18 and was grabbed and held by a store employee outside the store.

A. Dybhavn dies suddenly

The death occurred early this morning of well-known Prince Rupert fisherman Anton Dybhavn, aged 66 of 336 Sixth Avenue East in the General hospital.

A very active member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, he served as a church councillor for many years. He was also an active member of the Fishermen's Co-perative, acting on various boards.

Mr. Dybhavn came to Prince Rupert in 1923 from Langevaagen, Aalesund, Norway, where he was born. He is survived by his wife Malla, two sons, Andrew of Prince Rupert and Ole of Vancouver; one daughter, Mrs. Leonard (Mary) Youngman of Prince Rupert; five grandchildren; and two brothers, Thomas of Vancouver and Hans in Norway; and also one sister in Norway, Josefine.

Funeral services for Mr. Dybhavn will be at 2 p.m. Friday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church with Rev. M. B. Odland officiating.

Interment will be at Fairview. No flowers by request.

Bond sales top $785 million

OTTAWA (CP)—Sales of the new issue of Canada Savings Bonds now have topped the $785,000,000 mark, Finance Minister Fleming announced today in a progress report on the sales campaign.

In a statement, he described it as an "excellent response" and said more than 1,000,000 applications have been received.

Some $208,000,000 in bonds have been sold through the payroll savings plan, with an average single purchase of $332.

Prince Rupert has now gone 677 days without a fatal traffic accident.

WEATHER

Fewer showers tomorrow. Little change in temperature, and southerly 30 decreasing to southwest 20 this evening. Low tonight and high tomorrow, 35 and 42.

TIDES

Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1960 (Pacific Standard Time)

High	06:09	20.3 feet
	18:18	18.7 feet
Low	12:18	7.7 feet