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## Rupert Centre of the Timber District MACKENZIE KING HOLDING CONFERENCE TODAY ON ELECTION

### Lumbering Industry Moving Towards North of Province

Lumbering will become at no distant date one of the most important industries in Prince Rupert and district. The country to the city has vast resources of timber, the total stand estimated at 38,219,620,000 board-feet of milling timber, 3,500,000,000 additional feet of smaller material for poles, piles, ties and other products.

As the timber areas in older sections of the province become depleted, this new district, which as yet has not been touched, is taking its place as a leading lumber region and the movement is surely coming in that direction. Prior to the war the timber wealth of the Northern B. C. was centered in Central B. C. and the only mills were at Hazelton, Kitimat, Hazelton and at Hazelton. Now there are forty mills in output from the coast to 2,000 feet daily.

### OPENING OF FAIR TODAY

**Hon. Alex Manson, Speaker and Member for Omineca, Declares Annual Event Open**

Following a scheduled airplane flight by Aviator C. G. Prest in the bi-plane Polar Bear, the ninth annual exhibition of the Northern B. C. Agricultural and Industrial is being declared open by Hon. A. M. Manson, member for Omineca and speaker of the legislative assembly. The flight was scheduled for 2:15 and the formal opening of the fair at 3 o'clock. Both the Greenville and Aiyash Indian bands are taking part.

With the opening of the exhibition the city is taking on a gala appearance. Arrangements have been brought to a successful consummation and all that is now necessary for complete success is good weather which still shows favorable signs.

The work of getting the exhibits in place took the most of the morning and judging was delayed till afternoon. Although the number of exhibits in many classes will not show a notable increase over previous years their quality is better than ever. Commercial booths have been taken with increased and more representative displays. The exhibits of artistic work and cut flowers show much improvement. At the rear of the Fair Building there are many concessions and side shows in operation which will, doubtless, be very popular. On the whole the 1921 exhibition gives promise of equalling previous affairs and eclipsing them in many ways.

### CHILDREN'S DAY AT THE EXHIBITION

**Wednesday's Program.**  
10:00 a.m.—Football for Exhibition Cup (Indian teams).

1:15 p.m.—Children's Sports, Acropolis Hill. Chief W. H. Vickers will be in charge.

2:45 p.m.—Aeroplane flight.

3:00 p.m.—Baseball, Anxox and Prince Rupert.  
8:00 p.m.—Fancy Dancing, under direction of Mrs. H. O. Crewe. Bands and Carnival.

Admission fee to afternoon sports, including the children's sports, aeroplane flight and baseball, 50c; children free.

Entrance to building only, 25c.

### DEMAND FOR BRITISH COAL

Sept. 13.—Owing to the increase in the price of foreign trade the demand for British coal has increased and is generally being met by the mines are advertising the announced increase in price rather than by selling at a profit.

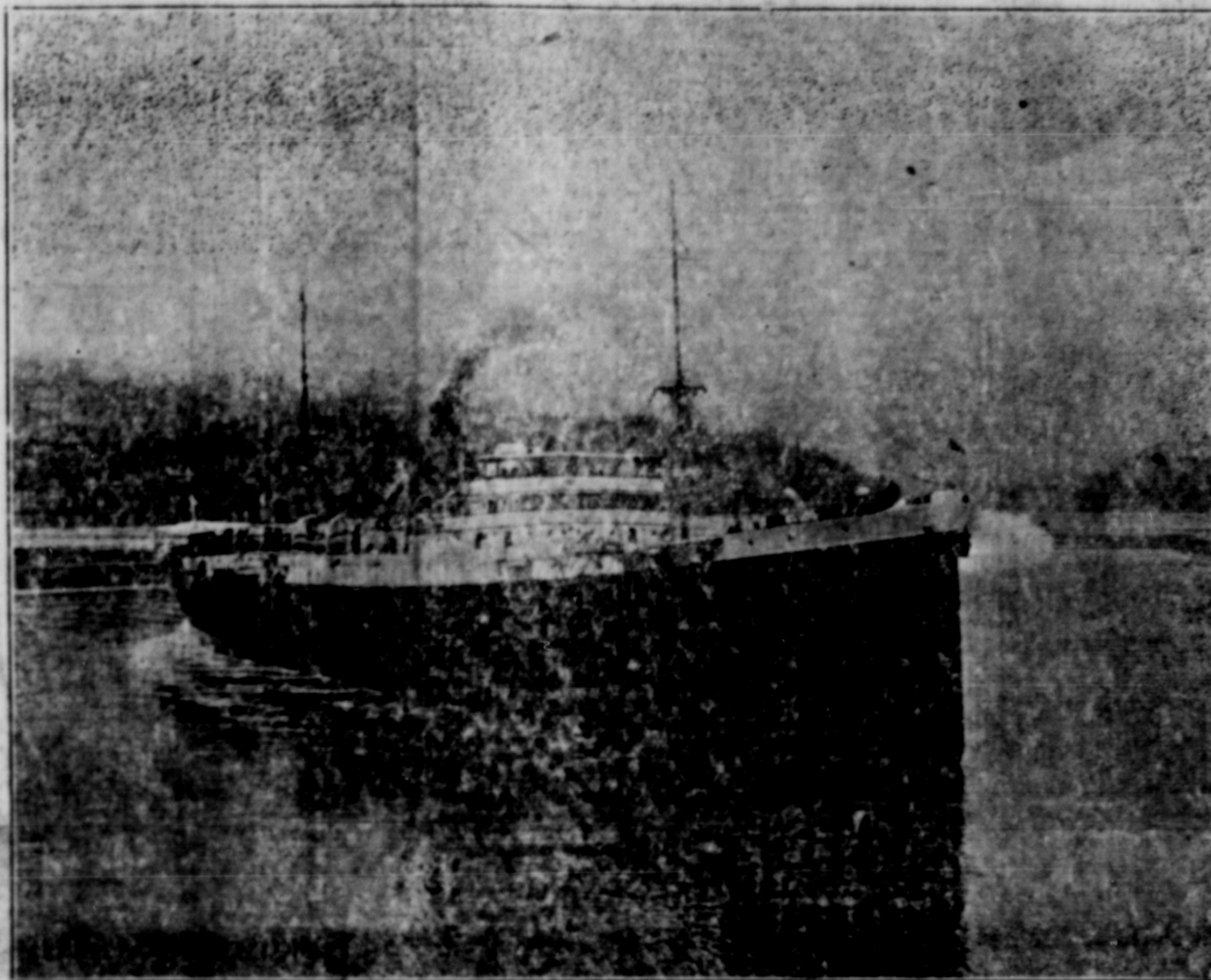
### EMPLOYED ASK RELIEF

Trade Walker Art Gallery Are Repelled After a Bitter Encounter.

Sept. 13.—The agricultural relief measures on a scale is troubling local land boards of guardians over all over the country. The daily demonstrations of unemployed. These are far from orderly but a attempt to take possession of the Walker Art Gallery were repelled after a bitter struggle with the police and were injured and more than a hundred arrested.

**CABINET RESIGNS.**  
Sept. 13.—The entire Government resigned.

CANADIAN MERCHANT MARINE STEAMER CANADIAN SCOTTISH



Fine-big freighter was built at the yards of Wallace Shipbuilding and Drydock Co., Limited at Prince Rupert. She sailed from Prince Rupert on Friday last with a part cargo of lumber and fish for Australia.

### DISCOVERY OF A PLOT IN RUSSIA

**Attempt to Overthrow Soviet and Set up Czar is Alleged.**

**LONDON, Sept. 13.**—Revelations at Moscow following the arrest of members of the Russian Famine Relief Committee allegedly indicate a plot to overthrow the Soviet Government. Plans had been completed to reorganize Russia under a supreme ruler with a federal duma, according to letters seized by the Soviet officials.

### SAYS ELECTION TO BE IN GOOD TIME BEFORE CHRISTMAS

**VICTORIA, Sept. 13.**—Dr. Tolmie, who is here from Ottawa, says the election will be held in good time so as not to interfere with the Christmas business activity. He will return to Ottawa at the end of the month.

### PROCLAMATION HALF HOLIDAY

The City Council has declared Wednesday afternoon next a Public Holiday in order that all citizens may have the opportunity of attending the Exhibition. It is requested that this Holiday be observed by all employers in the City and thus cooperate with the Fair Executive in making the Exhibition an unqualified success.

**ERNEST A. WOODS,**  
City Clerk.

### Meighen Will Lead Only Small Minority in Next parliament Is Report Coming from Ottawa

### RANCHER DIES FRANCOIS LAKE

**BURNS LAKE, Sept. 13.**—Sandy Thompson of Katherine Lake near Biekie Post Office died at Francois Lake Hospital on Sunday morning. He leaves a widow and four small children. Mrs. Thompson was in the maternity ward of the same hospital at the time of his death. The brother, James Thompson, arrived from Alberta on Sunday but too late to see him alive.

The late Mr. Thompson was one of the most widely known and popular ranchers in the whole district. He was a pioneer, coming to the neighborhood of McDonald's landing south of Francois Lake, many years ago. His death will be regretted by all.

**OTTAWA, Sept. 13.**—Prominent Liberals, including a large number of ladies, from all parts of the Dominion are conferring today in the offices of the Liberal leader, W. L. Mackenzie King, discussing plans for the coming campaign. It is expected a statement will be issued at the close.

The swearing in of the new cabinet may not take place until next week. It is reported that H. H. Stevens, the member for Vancouver, is likely to succeed Sir George Foster as Minister of Trade and Commerce. While there is no confirmation of this, his entry into the cabinet is considered certain.

**Only Minority Group.**  
Reports received from different parts of the country are to the effect that in spite of Premier Meighen's courageous coup and his manipulation of the election to have come on without a redistribution of seats to give the west its proper representation, there is no hope for the Meighenites to get more than a minority group in the next Parliament, smaller than either the Liberal or Farmer groups.

In Ontario there is some dissatisfaction with the Farmer Government and this is likely to have its reflex on the federal elections. Meighen will get a good majority in that province, but not enough to give him very much influence in the House. It is expected that the Governor will be asked to approve the appointment of several new senators within a few days. Several members of the dying cabinet will be recommended for the positions.

Mackenzie King is receiving encouraging reports and offers of assistance from many of the strong farmer constituencies and it is evident that there is a general feeling among the rank and file in favor of union of forces.

### NEARLY ALL GRAIN IS NOW IN STOOK IN EDMONTON DISTRICT

**EDMONTON, Sept. 13.**—The harvest of the grain crop in this district is proceeding rapidly. Practically all the crop is cut and in stook. Threshing is well under way and the yields have been in many cases better than was expected. The late frosts had practically no effect on the crop, most of which was already in stook.

### ARBUCKLE MAY BE A VICTIM OF PERJURERS

**Grand Jury Refuses to Give Verdict After Five Hours' Hearing.**

**SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.**—A statement expressing the conviction that perjury had been committed by one of the chief witnesses for the prosecution at the grand jury investigation into the death of Virginia Rappe, for whose alleged murder Fatty Arbuckle is under arrest, was issued by District Attorney Brady shortly after the grand jury concluded a five hours' consideration of the case and adjourned without voting an indictment.

It is also charged that another witness is missing. The jury decided to defer action until further evidence could be presented.

Reports continue to come in of the cancellation of Arbuckle pictures by exhibitors, pending a disposition of the case.

### TURKISH PLOT IS DISCOVERED

**Plan to Spread Disaffection Among Indian Troops at Constantinople.**

### DESPERADOES IMPORTED

**Murder of Leading Officials Was Among Schemes Laid by Nationalists.**

**LONDON, Sept. 13.**—The British Intelligence Department at Constantinople has discovered a plot organized and subsidized by Ankara Turkish Nationalists capital to foment a revolution in Constantinople. It was planned to spread disaffection among the loyal Indian troops and to assassinate the leading allied officers. Desperadoes had been brought to Constantinople to carry out the murders.

The British authorities have demanded the arrest of those implicated.

### AUCTIONING JOBLESS MEN

**NEW YORK, Sept. 13.**—Urban Ledour, who auctioned off jobless men on Boston Common, declares he will hold a similar auction on Monday after a parade of unemployed down Broadway. He announced that he would put the jobless men on the block, strip them to the waist, and sell them to the highest bidder. He would also auction the services of any unemployed women applying.

### DANCE

at McIntyre Hall every evening from 9 till 2 during the Fair.

Jazz, Snappy, Peppy Music  
—Russ Orchestra  
Johnson Russ, Manager.