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NO. 230. PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1921. Yesterday's Circulation 1901 Street Sales 483. PRICE FIVE CENTS

Mayor Gale Throws His Hat in Ring CITY IS VISITED BY TERRIFIC STORM AND MANY LIVES ARE LOST

Terrific Hurricane Eastern Canada and States Leaves in Wake Death and Destruction

ONTO, Oct. 4.—The whole of Eastern Canada and the States suffered from a terrific hurricane last night. Very few escaped and many lives were lost. Big cities and small towns suffered equally. Traffic was tied up and lighting systems were put out of business. Night Ottawa was without telephone and electric light and the company alone sustained damage amounting to \$100,000. One man was killed. A schoolboy was killed in Kingston and another in New York were visited by a fifty-mile gale and many minor casualties and much damage. A German was drowned in Lake Erie when an American ship was scattered. In Woodville, New York, was killed when a tree fell on his automobile. Death and many injured is reported from Philadelphia. A windstorm and an unusual heat wave preceded the hurricane. Boats were wrecked at Niagara Falls, New York, and a house worth \$100,000 was destroyed.

LAUNCHING ON THURSDAY

LAUNCHING MARY OIL BURNER
Docked Today for a Canadian Britisher Will Take the Water Almost Completed.
The launching of the big freighter Canadian Britisher is to take place from the Wallace Shipbuilding and Drydock Company's yards on Thursday next at high tide between four and five o'clock in the afternoon. When she slips off she will be much more nearly completed than was the Canadian Scottish. Her boilers will have to be installed and some minor fittings completed, which should be finished soon after the end of the month. On this occasion there will be no doings such as when the Scottish was launched, but doubtless most of the people of the city will be out to see the big boat take the water.

REVENUE OF UNITED KINGDOM DECREASES

Total Three Months Ending September 30 Was £252,000,000
Against £304,000,000
Last Year.
LONDON, Oct. 4.—The revenue of the United Kingdom for the three months ending September 30 totalled approximately £252,000,000 as against £304,000,000 for the corresponding period last year.

BETTING ON BIG RACES IN ENGLAND

Shilling Lee, Entrant to Cesarewitch, Has Been Put on Scratch.
LONDON, Oct. 4.—Shilling Lee, an entrant for the Cesarewitch Autumn Handicap at Newmarket on October 12, has been scratched. The latest betting on the race is 7 to 1 on Tishy, 8 to 1 on Devises, 17 to 1 on Yutoi, 18 to 1 on Arravale, 20 to 1 on North Waltham, 100 to 1 on Front, and 100 to 1 on Flint Jack.
In the Cambridgeshire race the betting is 20 to 1 on Grand Court and 25 to 1 on Onerna.

GIVENCHY WAS FLOATED AND TO GO SOUTH

Captain H. B. Babington Returns From Bella Bella, Where He Aided in Salvage Operations.

DEVILFISH HAMPERED FLOATING OF VESSEL

After having aided in successfully floating the steamer Givenchy, Captain H. B. Babington of this city is home again and reports that the vessel will be ready to leave for Vancouver on Tuesday. She is at present lying in Raymond Cove close to Bella Bella.
The vessel was ashore at the mouth of the river, and while at low tide her keel forward was out of the water four feet, her stern was 40 feet under water. She was floated by means of scows on either side with wire cables beneath her.
Local Equipment.
The captain took from here a derrick scow, a big scow and boilers and pumps, and the work was done within two weeks after his arrival on the scene. The contractors were the Vancouver Salvage and Dredging Company and they will take the vessel south.
Devilfish.
One interesting feature of the salvage operations was the danger to the divers and salvage workers from devilfish, which were very numerous at the place where the wreck occurred. The work was hampered somewhat by these creatures, but there were no victims.
Captain Babington has had considerable experience in salvage work.



Chief Deskaheh, a member of the six nations of the Iroquois Indians, who live about Lake Erie, is on a visit to England, in order to acquaint the Imperial Government with some grievance, which he declares his people are laboring under, was photographed at a West End hotel in London, where he is staying. The picture shows the Indian chief with a pipe which is 200 years old and which was presented to him by members of surrounding tribes in token of their high esteem. On each of his shoulders there is a belt, presented to him to commemorate the first British alliance.

POPULATION OF P. E. I. IS LESS MUCH CHICKEN IN NEW YORK

Decrease of 5% Per Cent. in the Last Ten Years—Other Provinces.
OTTAWA, Oct. 4.—During the past ten years the population of New Brunswick has increased by 10.20 per cent., Nova Scotia by .55 per cent., and Prince Edward Island has decreased 5.54 per cent. Populations of the Maritime Provinces as shown by the census just completed are as follows:
New Brunswick, 388,092.
Nova Scotia, 524,579.
Prince Edward Island, 88,536.
NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The fact that the Jewish New Year commences on Sunday is responsible for a record supply of 1,845,715 live chickens that has been brought here from the west in the last six days. The wholesale value of the fowl is \$2,000,000 and the weight is estimated at 6,150,000 pounds.

GRAY OF WESTMINSTER TO SUCCEED GILLESPIE IN SOUTH VANCOUVER

VICTORIA, Oct. 4.—Ex-mayor Wells Gray of New Westminster has been appointed commissioner for south Vancouver in place of Commissioner Gillespie whose resignation was to take place on the first.

SATISFACTION WITH LLOYD GEORGE'S NOTE TO SINN FEIN LEADER

DUBLIN, Oct. 4.—Satisfaction is generally expressed with Lloyd George's note to De Valera inviting the Sinn Fein to a conference on October 14. The tone of the note is said to be wholly conciliatory.

Mayor Gale Opposes Cabinet Minister In Vancouver Election

VANCOUVER, Oct. 4.—Hon. Harry H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce in the reconstructed Meighen cabinet, was unanimously chosen at the convention in this city last night of the National Liberal and Conservative party to contest Vancouver Centre in the forthcoming federal election.
His opponent will be Mayor Harry Gale, who was also nominated unanimously by the Liberals last night. The name of Hon. Mary Ellen Smith was put up, but she declined the honor.
Leon J. Ladner was nominated by the Government party to contest South Vancouver.
The contest between H. H. Stevens and Mayor Gale will be a very keen one. Mayor Gale has proved very popular as mayor of the city and has been re-elected by large majorities. Mr. Stevens, too, has a large following in the city. The handicap Mr. Stevens is under is being a member of a more or less moribund Government that has been discredited for some time. In spite of these there will be no walkover for either party.
Possibly there may be a labor man in the field yet, thus making a three-cornered fight.

STEAMER TO TIE UP HERE

Prince George Will Be Laid Off Run After October 9.

When the Prince George arrives here from Stewart on October 9 she will be tied up here and from that time until business improves only one of the big boats will be operated between this port and Vancouver. That is the decision of the Canadian National Railways as received by the assistant general passenger agent, G. A. McNichol, this morning.

The Prince Rupert will continue to operate as at present, leaving Seattle on Sunday, Vancouver Monday and arriving here Wednesday mornings and going south again on Thursday after making a call at Anyox.

Outlying Points.
The Islands will be served by the Prince John which will leave Vancouver on Mondays arriving here by way of the south islands on Wednesday fortnightly. She will go to Stewart every second week connecting with the Prince Rupert and will also give a fortnightly service to Massett and other nearby points, and leaving for the south every second Saturday.

The Prince Albert will give a fortnightly freight service between Seattle, Vancouver and Prince Rupert and including Stewart when there is ore cargo offering.

YARROWS GET CONTRACT FOR SHIP REPAIR

VICTORIA, Oct. 4.—Yarrows, Limited, of Esquimalt, have secured the contract for repairs for the Japanese freighter Toyahasi Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line. The company was in competition with Seattle and Vancouver yards, the work being for minor repairs.

WM. MARCHANT IS CANDIDATE COMOX-ALBERNI

Is Well Known Here and in all Parts of Province—Always Liberal.

VICTORIA, Oct. 4.—The Liberal candidate for Comox-Alberni at the convention last night nominated William Marchant of this city as their candidate for the coming federal election.
Mr. Marchant has just retired from the customs service with which he has been connected for many years. He was best known perhaps during later years as customs inspector during which time he visited all parts of the province including the outlying parts of the Comox-Alberni constituency. He is well known everywhere and is a keen student, a clear thinker and a forceful speaker. His return as a member for Comox-Alberni is practically assured. H. S. Clements is the sitting member.

William Marchant is well known in Prince Rupert and in all this district which he visited regularly. He was here on his final visit recently and it was at that time the announcement of his retirement was received. He has been a Liberal for many years and is a single taxpayer and a Baptist.

C. P. R. WILL HAVE TO PAY

No Limit to Amount That May Be Claimed From Company Decides Judge.

SEATTLE, Oct. 4.—Liability of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company as a result of the wreck of the steamer Princess Sophia may not be limited as to the claims of the passengers or their dependents or their baggage. Federal Judge Netherer held in a decision given yesterday, thus opening the way for awards totalling more than \$2,000,000. Claims aggregating two and a half million dollars are on file.

SEA FISH LANDED MONTH OF AUGUST

OTTAWA, Oct. 4.—The sea fish landed on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts in August totalled 776,677 cwt., valued at \$3,043,461. In British Columbia there was landed 41,512 cwt. of halibut and 222,766 cwt. of salmon.

PROPERTY VERTED CITY

Cent. Lots Offered at Sale Victoria Taken Over by City.
VICTORIA, Oct. 4.—Eighty per cent. of the property offered at the tax sale here yesterday in the city. Thirty per cent. purchased privately and taken over by the municipality.