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Prince Rupert—Overcast, light southeast wind; barometer, 30.05; temperature, 45; sea smooth.

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GERMAN ELECTION AGAIN INDECISIVE

FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLAR FIRE AT HAZELTON SUNDAY

Hitlerites' Heavy Seat Loss Was Feature of Sunday Poll; Gains Are Made by Both Extremists

To Visit City



S. J. Hungerford, president of Canadian National Railways, who will be here Thursday night.

Coming Here



A. E. WARREN

Vice-President of Canadian National Railways.

RAILWAY PRESIDENT COMING THIS WEEK

Paying his first visit to Prince Rupert in his new capacity as acting president of the Canadian National Railways, Samuel J. Hungerford and small party of officials are due to arrive here on the regular train from the east on Thursday evening of this week, proceeding on the steamer Prince Rupert the same evening to Vancouver in the course of a western inspection tour. Mr. Hungerford will be accompanied by A. E. Warren of Winnipeg, vice-president in charge of western lines.

Fascists Now Have Only 195 Members as Against 230 in Last Reichstag—Communists Capture 100 and Nationalists, 51—Von Papen in Control

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—The voters of Germany inflicted a decisive defeat upon Adolph Hitler and his Fascists in Sunday's general election but they failed to lift the huge political question mark which has hung over five such elections this year. Whereas Hitler commanded two hundred and thirty seats in the Reichstag chosen July 31, he failed to muster more than 195 yesterday, a loss of 35. What little drift there was went to the extreme left or the extreme right, the Communists taking 100 seats as against 89 in the previous house and the Nationalists 51 against their former 37.

Pattullo Will Visit Rupert on Coming Sunday

Word has been received in the city that T. D. Pattullo, leader of the British Columbia Liberal party and leader of the opposition in the Legislature, is planning to leave Vancouver for Prince Rupert next Friday. It is presumed that he will reach his old home town Sunday evening on the Cardena.

STRIKE IS NOW ENDED

MANCHESTER, Eng., Nov. 7.—The cotton spinners strike ended Saturday and work was resumed today following a ballot taken of union membership. The ballot was in favor of returning to work by a decisive margin.

MINISTERS IN SESSION

Arrangements For Holding Universal Week of Prayer Completed This Morning

Plans for the observance in Prince Rupert of the "Universal Week of Prayer" between January 1 and 8 were completed at a meeting of the Prince Rupert Ministerial Association this morning in First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dr. F. W. Dafoe, the president, in the chair. Special services will be held during the week as follows:

Tuesday, January 3—First United Church, Rev. Canon W. F. Rushbrook, speaker, subject: "The Christian in the Home."

Wednesday, January 4—St. Peter's Anglican Church, Seal Cove, Rev. C. D. Clarke, speaker; St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral, Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, speaker, subject: "The Christian Life."

Thursday, January 5—First Presbyterian Church, speaker, Rev. C. D. Clarke, subject: "The Christian Citizen."

Friday, January 6—St. Peter's Anglican Church, Rev. P. M. Fosse, speaker; First Baptist Church, Very Rev. J. B. Gibson, speaker, subject: "Christian Fellowship." Usual arrangements were made for weekly sermons in the press and for weekly services at the hospital.

The Junker Chancellor, Franz von Papen, remains at the helm with the support of President Paul von Hindenburg. The Nationalist gain was as nothing towards controlling the Reichstag but left von Papen hope that he might bargain for a Reichstag-tolerated government. There will be 582 seats in the new Reichstag.

PROTEST MEETING

Local Workers Express Indignation at Treatment Being Accorded "Class War" Prisoners

At a largely attended mass meeting of working class organizations in the Moose Hall last night, a resolution was passed protesting at the action of the federal government in its treatment of "class war" prisoners and asking that a halt be called to deportation of workers because of their activity in labor organizations.

The meeting was presided over by Aid. George B. Casey and a number of speakers expressed their views on the present economic system which, it was declared, was decadent and due for collapse. Workers and farmers of the country could not much longer endure their present lot, it was declared.

The meeting accorded a vote of thanks to the Loyal Order of Moose for donating the hall for the purpose of the meeting.

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND PRICES

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The British pound sterling closed at \$3.29 11-16 on the local foreign exchange Saturday. The Canadian dollar closed at 88 3/4c.

DOUKHOBOR WOMEN ON HUNGER STRIKE

NELSON, Nov. 7.—When one of the Doukhobor woman prisoners here reported that she dreamed Doukhobor men imprisoned at Piers Island for nude parading were being tortured and starved, all the women went on hunger strike at the end of the week and are continuing to go without food.

Bush Fire Near Los Angeles



All available fire-fighting apparatus and 300 men hastily recruited were pressed into service to stem the advancing wall of flame which was sweeping down on Los Angeles from the nearby forest.

Three Airplanes at Hazelton On Way From Eastern States To Fairbanks For Mail Runs

HAZELTON, Nov. 7.—Enroute from Maryland to Fairbanks where they will be placed in air mail service, three six-passenger cabin planes of the Pan American Airways landed here yesterday from Prince George to refuel and await favorable weather conditions before proceeding north. The machines are being delivered to Pacific Alaska Airways, the northern concern recently purchased by Pan American Airways, and are being flown north by W. J. Barrows, northern pilot, William Knox and William S. Grey. They left the factory at Hagerstown, Maryland, ten days ago.

EX-SERVICE MEN PARADE

Special Armistice Service Conducted Yesterday Morning in St. Andrew's Cathedral

Ex-service men of the city, led by Jack Preece, president of the Canadian Legion, were on church parade yesterday morning to St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral where a special service for the occasion had been arranged. Headed by the Moose Legion Band, under direction of Bandmaster Robert Greenfield, the ex-service men, about forty strong, marched from the Canadian Legion building to the Cathedral and, after the service, marched back to be dismissed.

Dean Gibson preached an appropriate sermon, his subject being "The Lives Laid Down." Rt. Rev. G. A. Rix, Bishop of Caledonia, assisted in the service and C. V. Eviit read the Scripture lesson. The Cathedral choir sang the anthem "Send Out Thy Light." At the close of the service, "The Last Post" was sounded by Bugler William Rance in honor of the glorious dead.

Mother of Local Lady Passed Away In Calgary Sunday

Mrs. E. P. Jenner has received word of the death of her mother, Mrs. R. G. Harding of Olds, Alta. She passed away yesterday at Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary.

Hotel is Wiped Out by Blaze Which Also Razed Some Smaller Buildings

Two Warehouses and Royal Canadian Mounted Police Stables Consumed in Early Morning Conflagration—Loss Half Covered

HAZELTON, Nov. 7.—The Hazelton Hotel and out-buildings, two warehouses and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police stable on the river front here were totally destroyed by a \$15,000 conflagration which broke out early yesterday morning. All the buildings were owned by R. S. Sargent, the hotel being operated by Pete Carrigan. There was about fifty percent insurance coverage.

VANCOUVER TONG WAR

Chinaman Shot Last Night on Pender Street—In Hospital With Three Bullets in Body

VANCOUVER, Nov. 7.—Factional war flared up in Vancouver's Chinatown last night when Wong Toy was shot at the corner of Jackson Avenue and Pender Street. He was taken to hospital in a critical condition with three bullets in his body. His assailant escaped.

HIS FATE MYSTERY

Police Have No Definite Clues as Yet in Case of Napoleon Labelle of Georgetown

Mystery still surrounds the disappearance of Napoleon Labelle, aged pensioner resident of Georgetown, who became missing from his cabin there between October 28 and November 2. The provincial police have completed an exhaustive 10-day search of the vicinity and have found no trace, alive or dead, of the missing man. Numerous people have been questioned and a number of statements taken but, apparently, no definite clues as to Labelle's whereabouts or fate have been forthcoming.

The police will make no statement so far on the matter other than that "something appears to have happened" to Labelle. Labelle's cabin is reported to have been well found with provisions which he bought in Prince Rupert shortly before his disappearance. These have apparently, been cleaned out of the cabin. The police have taken possession of Labelle's rowboat. The investigation is continuing.

Torrential Rain Falls in Seattle

SEATTLE, Nov. 7.—More than half-an-inch of rain fell in this city on Saturday. Torrents of water rushed down the streets and people were held within doors. There was also a driving wind.

THE WEATHER

Dead Tree Point—Raining, southeast gale; barometer, 29.84; temperature, 46; sea rough. Langara Island—Overcast, moderate easterly wind; sea choppy.

DEBATE IS NOW ENDED

Reply to Throne Speech Adopted at Ottawa After Two Amendments Are Turned Down

OTTAWA, Nov. 7.—The House of Commons at the end of the week defeated a Progressive motion to inflate currency and abandon the gold standard, the division being 66 to 18.

The government also had a majority of 30 when the House turned down a Liberal motion criticizing the financial and tariff policy of the ministry, the vote being 60 to 30.

Both motions were in the nature of amendments to the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne. The address in reply was passed without recorded vote.

JAP VESSEL LOSES MATE

Second Officer of Hakubasan Maru Lost Overboard Off Estevan

VICTORIA, Nov. 7.—The Japanese steamer Hakubasan Maru, bound from Seattle to Japan, reported by wireless at the end of the week that she had lost her second officer overboard about two hundred miles off the coast from Estevan. High seas and strong winds were prevailing when the officer was lost.

Fined For Beating Way Home by Train From Harvesting

Chris Johansen and Herman Rensvold, local residents, pleaded guilty before Stipendiary Magistrate H. F. McLeod in provincial police court on Saturday to charges of "beating their way" home by train from the harvest fields and were each fined \$5, with option of 30 days' imprisonment, the fines being paid in each case. Johansen and Rensvold were arrested on an incoming train late last week by C. N. R. Constable David Geddes.