PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1947

PRICE FIVE CENTS



buble Hanging at Okalla at Dawn Today

ilwaymen Making New Wage Demands

HURRICANE MOVED TO COAST



housands who sought safety as a tropical hurrito move toward the Flordia coast were these resiest Palm Beach. They are shown (top) seeking county court house. At bottom is a unique photo trained weather reconnaissance crew which flew in plane into the heart of the hurricane as it gathif the Bahamas. Using radar instruments, it loact centre of the storm and photographed a huge as it was raised from the surface of the ocean.



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ambians lly On Horses

British Colwagered over Miss Eilen Kinnaird of the seventy days of turned Monday afternoon by air social service department reyear, an increase of from a month's holiday spent in from last year's Vancouver.

sixty-three days of racing. The

treasury netted over \$600,000 in

34c More Per Hour Is Asked

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CHICAGO (CP)-Railroad unions of United States and Canada yesterday unveiled demands for wage increases for over 400,000 employees.

At Winnipeg delegates representing 40,000 men employed in motive power and car departments of Canadian railroads demanded an immediate 34c per hour wage increase and two veeks' holiday with pay provisions

At Chicago five operating railroad brotherhoods served notices on individual American railroads demanding thirty percent increase for 400,000 ememployees effective November

MERCY FLIGHT FOR CLERGYMAN

WINNIPEG, P A 1725-mile mercy flight to northern Moffatt Inlet was to begin today to bring aid to a Church of England clergyman reported to be seriously ill at his lonely outpost. Army officials announced the flight would start when ap- old American soldier, was acquit proval was received from Ottawa ted on a charge by a twelvebut did not reveal the nature of man jury which deliberated 40 John H. Turner. His condition trial in Assize Court here Tuesis reported serious.

Ukraine Rejected

United Nations Fail to Accept Russia's Nomination to Security Council

NEW YORK, (P) -The Soviet | The verdict followed Mr. Jusdelegation to the United Nations | tice Wilson's 90-minute charge General Assembly today seethed to the jury, during which he told candidate for one of the vacan- the evidence here shows intent cies on the all-powerful security to kill or a reckless intent to in-

obbying and trading will be re- The afternoon session, which vealed when the Assembly re- began at 2:45, opened with the sumes voting.

Canada and Argentina were stressed Eckels' testimony that. eight.

BRITISH FIRMS

Canada's Minister of Trade

NEW GRAIN PRICE grain had been agreed upon for the year 1948-49 as com- verely. pared with the present price



BROTHER MEMBERS OF U.N. ASSEMBLY-Mr. Solon Low, Canadian M.P., and delegate to the United Nations' general assembly at Flushing, N.Y., has a word with the chairman of the Saudi Arabian delegate to the assembly. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, minister of external affairs; Rt. Hon. J. L. Ilsley, minister of justice; W. A. Tucker, M.P., and Joseph Bradette, represent Canada at the meeting.

Found Not Guilty of Murder by Assize Court Jury

William Harry Eckels, 24-year the illness which struck Canon minutes following his two-day day afternoon.

murder of Patrick Joseph Mee- bility," His Lordship said. han, a logger and mine worker. in a roo mof the Central Hotel here on July 25.

A patter of applause fluttered through the court room spectators' gallery as jury foreman Thomas Boulter delivered the verdict of "not guilty" and His Lordship ordered Eckels freed from police custody at 5:15 p.m.

n a stare of near panic over the them that, in his opinion, "the failure yesterday after seven bal- alternatives here are manslaughlots to elect the Ukraine, her ter or acquittal. I do not think flict bodily harm. The evidence Result of a night of intensive does not indicate murder."

address to the jury by Defence On the first ballot yesterday Counsel Willa M. Ray who

to produce sufficient votes. In Recalling that Meehan had the first ballot India received attacked Eckels with a beer bot-29 votes and Czechoslovakia tle, Mrs. Ray said: "I contend that Meehan intended to carry out what he later told the boy (Eckels) he intended to do-kill

Her emphasis on self-defence was inspired by Eckels' statements in evidence that, in striking Meehan, he had intended to do no more than render the man harmless because he feared that Meehan might still have had the PORT ELIZABETH, South Af- jagged neck of a beer bottle in

he was in a state of drunkenness between "confusion and stupidity." he could not have LONDON-The government been a dangerous opponent. announced today that a price Therefore Eckels went beyond of \$2 per bushel for Canadian | the justifiable limits of selfdefence in beating him so se-

The Crown Counsel reminded the jury of statements of Jessie

MEAT FOR HOSPITALS VANCOUVER- Officials of the United Packing House Workers of America said Tuesday night that provincial hospitals and institutions would receive regular meat supplies from Gainer's plant in Vancouver in the event of a walkout in independent plants.

IRON PRICE INCREASE OTTAWA- The Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced Tuesday night increases of \$2.50 per ton for pig iron, \$5 to \$7 per ton for steel bullets, bars and rods and \$7 te \$10 for varying types of steel shafting, effective October 1.

CAR SHORTAGE WORSE OTTAWA - B. S. Liberty, transport controller, said today that Canada was facing the worst car shortage ever ment in commenting on a IS DENOUNCED ment in commenting on a Montreal dispatch which said that transport shortages were slowing the entire movement of grain from the head of the lakes to Montreal.

Davis Houston and Harry Medos Die for Killings

"Confession" of Indian's Father Repudiated and Reprieve Is, Therefore, Denied

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two convicted murderers 69,865. paid for their crimes against society on twin scaffolds at Okalla Prison in nearby Burnaby as dawn was breaking over this west coast port today. Hang- the World Series record for man Arthur Ellis sprang the traps on curly-haired a single game, and two doubles Harry Medos, aged 22, and Davis Houston, 28-year-rattled off the bats of the high-

old Indian, simultaneously at flying Yankss. 6:06 a.m. They were pronounced dead fifteen minutes later.

> It was the first multiple hanging in British Columbia in ten years.

Houston was convicted of the brutal slaying on November 3 of Mrs. Beatrice Smith, cook at a Belize Inlet logging camp. It appeared for a time yesterday Houston's father repudiated a Jorgensen 3b, Lombardi p. his son's life.

Handsome debonair Medos was hanged for the cold-blooded slaying of Constable Charles Boyes during a flaming gun battle February 26 in the False Creek flats industrial area of Vancouver. -

John Bracken Claims Farmers Robbed of \$200,000,000

CARBERRY, Manitoba, (P) -Manitoba wheat prices for six years continually lagged far behind rising farm costs and this "discrimination" has resulted Yanks went ahead again when in Canadian wheat producers | Stirnweiss crossed the plate on being "robbed" of some \$200,000,-000 by the government's "gam- field. ble in wheat," John Bracken, national leader of the Progressive-Conservative party, said to- one left.

second World War but, although New York 3, Brooklyn 2. Canada sells to other countries, nearly three-glarters of her wheat growers have been and are still denied the world price for their export wheat. The government has seized their crops for four years and, so far, has sold them for about \$1 a bushel less than other countries are receiving for wheat.

THE WEATHER Synopsis

Rain returned to southwestern British Columbia this morning one left. to end the spell of dry weather which lasted for fifteen days, nolds scored after the catch on More rain was expected over the Lindell's drive to deep left. province as a weather disturbance, causing gale winds over the north coast this morning moves inland today. Temperature will return to near normal throughout the province.

Forecast Prince Rupert Queen Char- replaced by Rex Barney. Berra lottes and North Coast—South- scored on Stirnweiss' single. ern Section: Overcast today, Reynolds came in on wild pitch. continuous rain commencing in afternoon. Thursday, overcast with showers. Winds light, increasing to southeast (25) in af- one left. ternoon, becoming light after midnight. Light Thursday Cooler today and Thursday. Lows tonight and highs Thursday-Port Hardy 48 and 56.

Northern Section- Overcast today. Continuous rain until afternoon, scattered showers ond. Game over. thereafter. Thursday, overcast with scattered showers. Winds southerly (35) becoming south westerly (25) in afternoon, westerly (25) tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature Hig Lows tonight and highs Thursday-Massett and Prince Rupert Lov 50 and 58.

Murdered Dodgers With Heavy Hitting In Second World Series Game

YANKEE STADIUM ()-Blasting four Brooklyn pitchers for fifteen hits in a murderous display of power, New York Yankees overwhelmed Brooklyn Dodgers 10 to 3 today to take a 2-0 game lead in the World Series before a paid crowd of

A homer by Tommy Henrich and three triples, which tied three-baggers by one club in

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Barney and Edwards. Edwards, Reynolds and Berra.

Lineups: Brooklyn-Stanky 2b, Robinthat he might be reprieved but son 1b, Reiser cf, Walker rf, Herthe reprieve was denied after manski lf, Edwards c, Reese ss,

purported "confession" which he New York-Stirnweiss 2b, Henadmitted he had made to save rich rf. Lindell lf. DiMaggio cf. McQuinn 1b, W. Johnson 3b, Rizzuto ss, Berra c, Reynolds p.

Umpires-Pinelli (NL) plate; Rommel (AL) first base; Goetz (NL) second base; McGowan (AL) third base: Boyer (AL) left field line; Magerkurth (NL) right field line.

First Inning

Yanks one, Brooklyn nothing One ran, three hits, no errors. one left. Stirnweiss scored from third during double play. Second Inning

No runs, no hits, no errors,

Third Inning

Two runs, four hits, no errors, four left. Reese scored tying run for Dodgers after stealing second scored on single by Robinson. Lindell's triple to right centre-

Fourth Inning

Two runs, four hits,, no errors

Dodgers tied it again when In a speech prepared for deli- Walker homered into right field very here Mr. Bracken said there stands. New York again went has been a world-wide scarcity of ahead when Johnson scored on wheat since the end of the Rizzuto's double. Score now

Fifth Inning

Two runs, three hits, one orror, two left, Dodgers scoreless, Yanks racked up two runs to make score 5- 2.

Heinrich walloped Lombardi's second pitch into right centrefield bleachers for homer with none on. Hal Gregg, righthander, relieved Lombardi. Lindell scored from second when Mc-Quinn singled off Reese's glove.

Sixth Inning

One run, two hits, no errors,

Yanks made it 6-2 when Rey-

Seventh Inning Four runs six hits, two errors,

four left, no runs for Dodgers. McQuinn scored on Johnson's single. Johnson scored when Robinson allowed Reynolds' bunt to scoot past him. Behrmann Eighth Inning

No runs, noe hit, no errors,

Ninth Inning

Brooklyn, 1 run, 1 hit, no errors. Hermanski walked, Edwards flied out, Reese singled to score Hermanski. Jorgensen forced Reese at second. Gionfrido, pinch hitter, forced Jorgenson at sec-

Local Tides

| Thursday, | October | 2, 194 | 7 |
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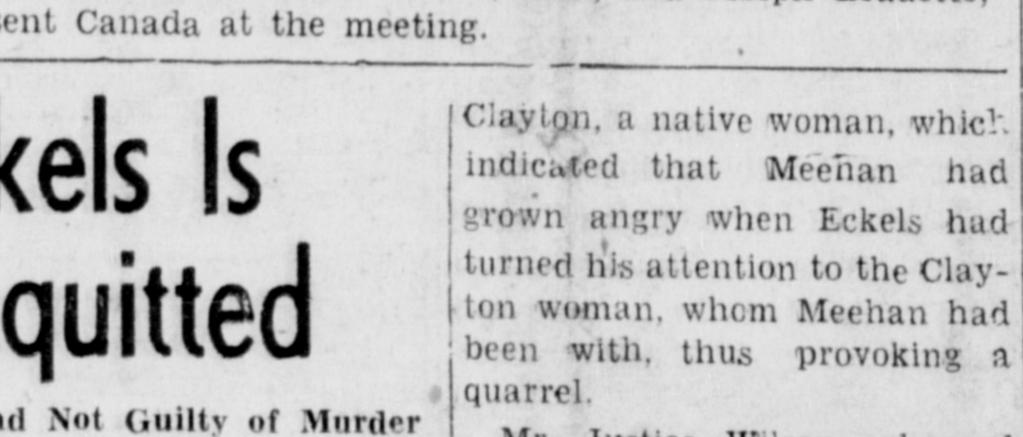
elected to the security council during a struggle in a Central with 41 votes each, Ukraine be- Hotel room, he had struck Meeing third with 33 which did not han "to put him out of action so meet the two-thirds require- that I could get out of the ment. Successive ballots failed room."

WELCOMED HERE

and Commerce Speaks in South Africa

rica, (P)-Canadian Trade Min- his hand when they grappled. ister James A. McKinnon said Eckels had quoted Meehan as here today that approximately repeating: "I'll kill you! I'll kill 450 British subsidiary firms were you!" as they struggled in the at present located in Canada darkened hotel room. with reported capital of \$600,- | Crown Counsel J. T. Harvey 000,000 and "we welcome the contended that, since analysis growing desire of more British of the alconol content of Meefirms to consider the establish- han's blood had showed that in ment of branch plants in Can | the opinion of Dr. R. E. Coleman

of \$1.55.



Mr. Justice Wilson charged the jury that, whatever the cause of the fight, the jurymen must decide whether or not Eckels had gone too far when he defended himself from Meehan's

"The right of self defence proceeds from and is limited to Eckels was charged with the a reasonable sense of responsi-

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