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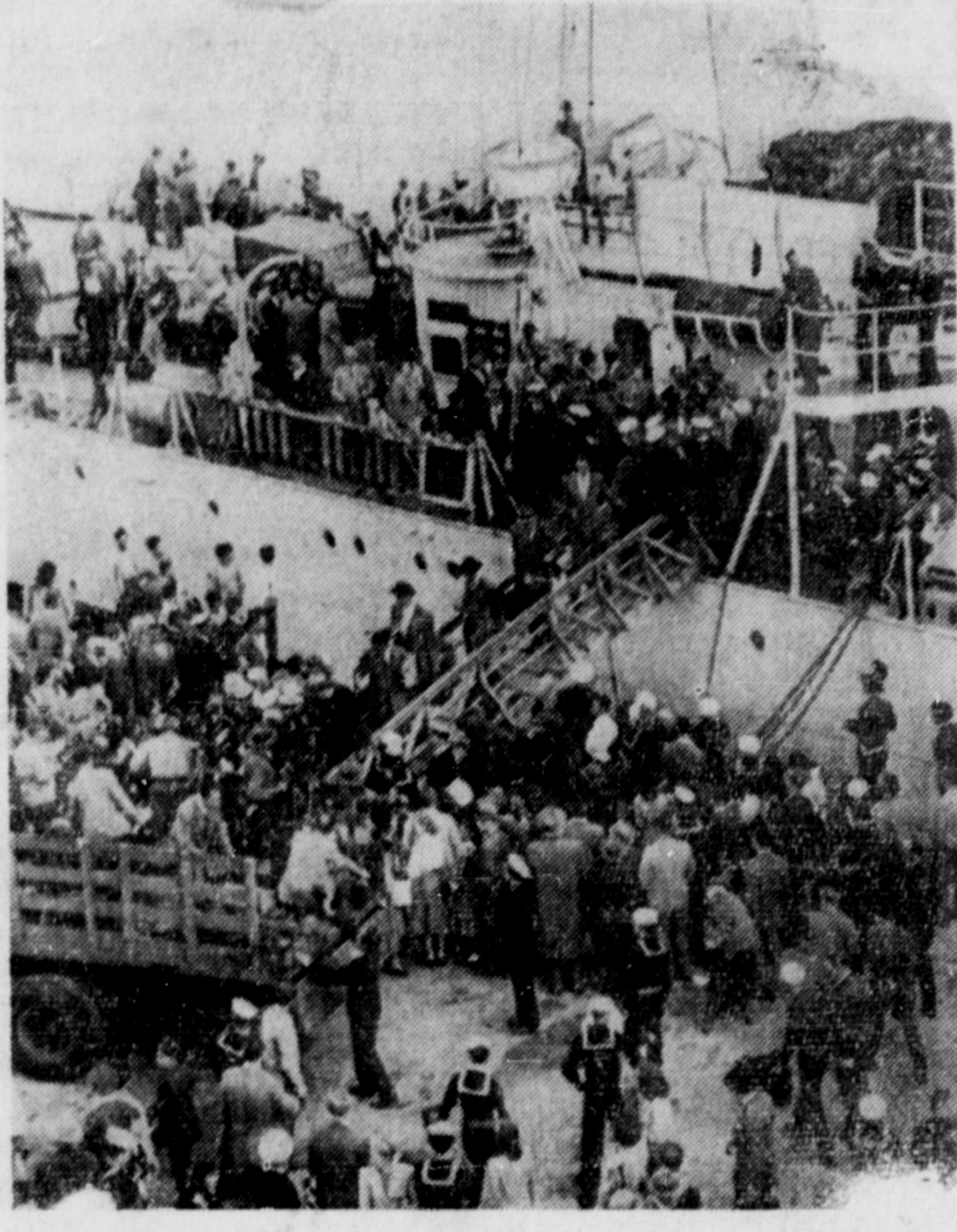
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**Steel Ended**  
 WASHINGTON, D.C. —The strike of 25,000 Bethlehem Steel workers in the Atlantic and Pacific states today. The settlement is a 12-cent-an-hour increase effective Monday.

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**PLANE SURVIVORS REACH BOSTON**—Here's a general view of Constitution wharf at Boston, Mass., as the U.S. Coast Guard cutter Bibb was tied up and the rescued survivors of the ill-fated Bermuda Sky Queen started walking down the gang-plank into arms of waiting loved ones. Sixty-nine persons including crew members of the giant flying boat were rescued in heavy seas some 800 miles off Newfoundland in mid-Atlantic by the crew of the cutter.

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## PUBLIC MEETING CLIMAXES EDUCATION WEEK IN CITY

Aims and values of modern education were summed up before an audience of 300 last night in the Civic Centre auditorium by speakers at a public meeting which climaxed Education Week in Prince Rupert. Need for public understanding of the problems of education was stressed.

Speakers were Alan M. Hurst, principal of Booth Memorial High School; Mrs. J. Harry Black, representative of the local Parent-Teachers' Council; and A. Bruce Brown, representing the district school board. The addresses were interspersed between entertainment offerings by groups from five city schools. The whole program was directed at acquainting parents and other adults with the operation of the modern school system and arousing their sustained interest in it.

The problem of modern education, as seen by Alan M. Hurst, is that of "humanizing" man—to show him that spiritual values are genuine and permanent.

He stressed the fallacy of attempting to "overcrowd" the curriculum and thus reducing education to a "smattering" of knowledge whose importance cannot be assessed by the student.

"In education as in housing, overcrowding brings ill-health," he asserted. "Overcrowding prevents a pupil from learning what knowledge is. It gives a smattering of superficial facts. Smatterings are interesting but their uses are limited. By overcrowding the curriculum, you make the school an intellectual slum."

"Any good education must be narrow," he continued. "I submit that education should send the pupils out into life knowing thoroughly something that is in itself first rate, knowing how to learn and be interested in life."

"To do this, the school should have a basic subject or subjects that the pupil will know and, as a result, know what knowledge is. He must be brought face to face with the great things in life and in the history of man. Nothing educates like the vision of greatness, and education without it is poor and incomplete."

**P-T ASSOCIATION STRUCTURE OUTLINED**

Mrs. J. Harry Black outlined the structure of the Parent-Teachers' Association in Prince Rupert, describing the organization as one of the most active in the province. She told of being a delegate to a recent national Parent-Teachers convention in New Brunswick where the major problems discussed were the current shortage of teachers and the creation of a

# Deputy Foreign Ministers Bog Down Again On German Peace Pact Terms

## SEARCHING FOR KILLER

**Police Have Description of Man Believed Guilty of Toronto Rape-Strangulation**

TORONTO, ©—Police, searching for the man responsible for the rape-strangulation of 13-year-old Arlene Anderson, were today believed to be concentrating on the hunt for a man between 25 and 40 years of age with fair greying hair and wearing a sand-colored windbreaker. Such is the description given by Mrs. Robert Tomali, who knew the dead girl, of a man she saw walking with Arlene on Sunday evening on the street not far from the vacant lot where the partially crippled girl's body was found.

## Australian Election Victoria State Labor Government Is Definitely Beaten Today

**Issue Was Federal Labor Government's Bank Legislation**

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—The Australian Broadcasting Commission announced tonight that "it is definite" that the Labor government of Premier John Cain was defeated in Victoria State's elections today.

The federal Labor government's plans to nationalize banking, now in second reading at Canberra, constituted the main issue.

Early returns indicate a sharp swing away from Labor. It appeared the Liberal party would gain nine seats and the Country party, also in opposition to Labor, three seats in the legislative chamber.

## Young Mother Fails Admirer Who Killed Husband-Father

ROCKFORD, Illinois ©—A young farmer, disappointed in his attentions to another man's wife, killed her husband and father last night and forced her to accompany him on a wild flight of 100 miles over a northern Illinois highway, police allege.

At her first opportunity, Mrs. Kathy Anderson, 26-year-old mother of three children, seized the pistol with which the police said Glenn Marsh, 28, had shot down her husband and father and jumped from his automobile.

Marsh sped off and today was the object of a widespread hunt. He is married and the father of two children.

## Royal Couple to Be Asked to Canada

LONDON 10—Prime Minister Mackenzie King, who left for Paris today, will invite Princess Elizabeth and Lieut. Philip Mountbatten to visit Canada as soon as possible. He will represent Canada at the royal wedding November 20. He was going, the Prime Minister of Canada said, to express "very strongly" the hope that the princess and her husband would find it possible to visit Canada. "Canada would give them a great welcome," he said.

## PREMIER KING VISITS PARIS

**Canadian Prime Minister in Capital of France Today**

PARIS, ©—Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King of Canada arrived here today from London and will spend the weekend in France. On Monday he will proceed to Brussels where he will receive an honorary degree from Brussels University. On Wednesday he will go to the Hague where he is scheduled to make an address to the Netherlands Parliament. He expects to return to London a week from today.

## LAKE SHIP DISTRESSED

**Coastguard Has Steamer Jupiter in Tow on Lake Michigan**

LUDINGTON, Michigan ©—A radio message from the stricken steamer Jupiter, anchored in stormy waters of Lake Michigan three miles off shore southwest of here, indicated today that the ship was taking water and the anchor might be giving way.

Later in the morning the little coastguard cutter Sundew ended a dramatic race through 25-to-30-foot seas and took in tow the stricken freighter and her crew of 28.

Ground crew of the coastguard station at Muskegon were mobilized on the sandy shore at a spot opposite to where the crippled Jupiter was battling against gales and high seas.

## Peter Colombo Passes Away

Peter Colombo, aged 67, a resident of the city for the last 20 years, died Friday in Prince Rupert General Hospital after a brief illness. Unmarried, he lived in a cabin on Wantage Road where he kept an attractive garden. He was born in Italy and had no known relatives in Canada.

## COMMONWEALTH ECONOMIC UNION

LONDON ©—In his economic union plan under which there would be pooling of raw materials and food supplies, Cmdr. A. H. R. Noble, Conservative member for Chelsea, would have the United Kingdom given a status similar to that of any one of the dominions.

"The dominions and colonies perhaps in the past have been satisfied to act as the barnyard of this country, but now there is a tremendous trend toward industrialization, and that needs capital and more manpower," he said.

The economic union scheme must be flexible and Canada might not even participate in it apart from serving as a link between the United Kingdom and the United States.

## Prince Rupert Liberals To Propose Kenny for Leader

**J. D. McRae Named New President of Local Association—To Be Active in Publicity and Otherwise**

Prince Rupert Liberal Association, at its annual meeting Friday night, named delegates for a district convention to be held November 17 to propose a new leader of the Liberal party to succeed Premier John Hart. Delegates were instructed to primarily support Hon. E. H. Kenney, minister of lands and forests, and to place their support as circumstances would appear to justify.

The meeting decided to embark on an energetic publicity campaign.

John D. McRae, well-known young business man and naval officer in the recent war, was elected president of the association in succession to T. N. Youngs, whose term of office had been completed. S. G. Furk was tentatively named secretary in succession to E. T. Appelwhite who asked to be relieved of the office.

The slate of officers for the year was named as follows:  
 Honorary President—Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.  
 Honorary Vice-President—Hon. John Hart.  
 Past President—T. Norton Youngs.  
 President—John D. McRae.  
 Vice-President—Oscar Havroy.  
 Secretary—S. G. Furk.  
 Treasurer—J. J. Judge.  
 Executive—A. S. Nickerson, H. F. Glassey, Elmer Clausen, John Eyoison, W. M. Watts, B. J. Bacon, J. A. McRae, G. C. Mitchell and Robert Parker (to be added to).

The meeting was well attended, considerable new and younger blood being in attendance.

T. N. Youngs and Arthur Brooksbank reported on attendance at the recent provincial executive sessions in Vancouver when the resignation of Premier John Hart as leader of the party had been accepted. Mr. Youngs stated that the feelings expressed there were preponderantly in favor of continuing with the coalition. He urged a good representation at the forthcoming convention to be held in Vancouver to elect a new leader and a general revival of interest in affairs of the party, particularly by the women. Mr. Brooksbank elaborated on further aspects of the convention.

It was reported that Olof Hanson had been named to the provincial election to represent this district, the meeting approving of this action.

The new president, J. D. McRae, expressed a resolve to revive the party's activity and enthusiasm in this area.

A motion was passed regretting the resignation of Premier Hart as leader of the party and expressing appreciation of his long service.

A wreath was ordered sent to the funeral of the late Kenneth Smith, Liberal stalwart from the earliest days, who died in the city this week.

Robert McKay put forward the



**NEW PARTY HEAD**—J. D. McRae elected president of Prince Rupert Liberal Association.

## OLD DISCORD AND NEW, TOO

**'Setback if Anything,' Says Official Observer**

LONDON (CP)—Big Four deputy ministers bumped into new and old disagreements today over the German peace treaty and an official American observer reported, "If anything, there was a setback."

The deputies failed to reach an accord over just what countries should be given a voice in the treaty-making, just as diplomatic chiefs themselves did at Moscow.

## JEWELRY VALUED AT \$150 STOLEN FROM RESIDENCE

Jewelry valued at \$150 was the loot of a thief who broke into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woods, 432 Fourth Avenue East, Friday evening while Mr. and Mrs. Woods were attending a public meeting in the Civic Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods returned to find their house ransacked by the bold intruder who apparently had gained entry through a basement window.

The raid was made less than six hours after two men had received sentences of a year at hard labor for breaking and entering downtown business establishments.

Owners of the house returned home shortly before 10 o'clock from an Education Week public meeting to find the place in disorder from the efforts of the thief to find valuables. The jewelry was taken from a bedroom.

An investigation was begun immediately by Detective Corporal A. T. Lashmar and Constables Fletcher and White of the city police.

The theft was the second of its type this week. Victor McKay, Greenville native, reported to the police on Tuesday that his boat, moored at the Fairview Bay fisherman's floats, had been broken into and jewelry valued at \$100 stolen.

## Coroner Is Criticized

VANCOUVER, ©—Criticism of a coroner's inquest at Powell River into the Gulf Stream disaster, which cost five lives on October 11, was made in Admiralty Court by Mr. Justice Sidney Smith.

"It seems an attempt was made to turn it into an inquisition," His Lordship said at the opening of an inquiry by the Department of Transport.

The judge asked that a protest be sent to Attorney General Gordon Wismer.

"It seems to us that the coroner's duty was to inquire into the deaths and not into the cause of the accident," he said, expressing the belief that the coroner's court had exceeded its duties.

At Powell River the jury returned a verdict placing "immediate blame" for the wreck on Second Mate Ray Ketchum who was in charge of the motor vessel when she crashed into Dinner Rock.

Allegations of heavy drinking aboard the Gulf Stream were denied today by the evidence of passengers and crew. They testified that neither Capt. J. E. Craddock, Second Mate Ray Ketchum or the quartermaster had taken any liquor on the day of the accident.

## TWO BOMBERS ARE SEIZED

**More Involved Than This, However, Says Oklahoma Customs Official**

PONCA CITY, Oklahoma, ©—The United States has seized two privately owned bombers on Oklahoma air fields to stop their use in a revolution believed to be pending in South America, a government official announced today.

Customs Inspector O. C. Millikan of Kansas City made a statement after impounding both planes under wartime law governing arms export that "we have been working on this thing for a month. It involves a lot more than just two bombers."

## THE WEATHER

**Forecast**  
 Prince Rupert, Queen Charlottes and North Coast—Cloudy today. Overcast tonight and Sunday. Intermittent light rain or drizzle Sunday. Winds light. Little change in temperature.

## Local Tides

Sunday, November 9, 1947  
 High 10:52 20.7 feet  
 23:21 19.6 feet  
 Low 4:35 5.6 feet  
 17:13 5.2 feet