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OVER (CP)—  
of construction  
heard again on  
olumbia's lower  
Monday after a  
silence caused  
penters' strike  
contractors' shut-

carpenters from  
Chilliwack and Mis-  
last night to end a  
lasted 74 days at

member New West-  
carpenters' local ac-  
same proposal on  
night. At Victoria,  
are expected to fol-

ancouver group remains  
strike pocket.  
ers at Port Alberni,  
and Campbell River  
strike earlier in the

carpenters won a  
daily wage boost, to  
rate up to \$2.10,  
they demanded a 50-

officials said they con-  
biggest gains were  
concessions agreed to  
General Contractors As-

board and room  
out-of-town camps  
ed from \$2 to \$1  
er that date con-

bear the full cost  
own jobs where no  
are maintained, room  
will be arranged and  
by the companies.

settlement means re-  
of construction on  
homes, and on such as  
the Granville bridge  
and paper plant on  
and a radar sta-

Yankees will get overtime  
time and a half for the  
hours after regular  
double time there-

able, a settlement of  
painters' strike here  
last night when  
contractors approved a  
percent wage boost.

proposal will be submit-  
to a special meet-  
Painters' Union.

Body  
in Lake

STOCKHOLM (CP)—The body  
of a 25-year-old man was  
found in the water here  
Thursday night. The  
man was identified as  
a Swedish citizen.

the biggest mass mur-  
since 1900.

Arrest U.S. Officers

BERLIN—Communist authorities announced  
they have arrested two United States army  
officers and a soldier on charges of spying. The  
three claimed the three were attempting to spy  
on army installations.

Crashes in Back Yard

ONTARIO—A small plane crashed in the yard  
of a home in West-Central Toronto today and  
killed two occupants, not immediately identi-  
fied. The two-seater aircraft burst into  
flames when it hit the ground. First reports said  
the ground was hurt.

May Pull Suez Troops

CAIRO (CP)—Influential sections of Cairo  
carried reports today Britain has decided to  
pull troops out of Suez Canal in three months  
in line with the revised Anglo-American plans for  
Middle East defence set-up.



BULLSEYE BEAUTIES—Males haven't got a monopoly on marksmanship. Here are two of the many expert markswomen taking part at the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association meet at Connaught Ranges near Ottawa. Left is Muriel Burr of Ottawa with Eileen Learoyd of Victoria. (CP PHOTO)

## Second 'Quake Shakes City

### Jar Kills 2 in Bakersfield; Millions in Damage, 32 Hurt

BAKERSFIELD, Calif.—A major earthquake jarred this city yesterday, killing two persons, injuring 32 and shattering buildings. Another sharp jolt shocked Los Angeles early today but was not even felt here.

## Murder-Suicide At Golf Club

EDMONTON (CP)—A laborer Friday stabbed and strangled his wife at the Edmonton Country Club, then hanged himself from a bridge spanning a ravine on the 18th hole.

RCMP identified the couple as Reginald Baden Carter, 52, laborer for a construction company, and his 48-year-old wife Phillis, cook at the Country Club.

Carter came to Canada from England in 1950 and his wife followed him the next year.

Carter tied one end of a 15-foot rope around his neck and the other on to the bridge, then jumped off. He was decapitated by the force of the fall.

It was understood a note was found in his pocket but the contents were not disclosed.

## WEATHER

Synopsis  
The flow of moist air from the Pacific across B.C. is expected to persist today and tomorrow. This will give variable cloudiness and some showers in most districts over the weekend.

Forecast  
Cloudy with showers today and tomorrow. Little change in temperature. Wind southerly 15 today, southeast 25 tonight and westerly 20 tomorrow. Low tonight and high tomorrow, Port Hardy, Sandspite and Prince Rupert, 52 and 60.

Old Country FOOTBALL

LONDON.—Soccer results today:  
ENGLISH LEAGUE  
Division I—Aston Villa 2, Arsenal 2; Bolton Wanderers 2, Derby County 0; Burnley 0, Middlesbrough 1; Manchester United 2, Chelsea 0; Portsmouth 0, Blackpool 2; Preston North End 1, Liverpool 1 (tie); Sheffield Wednesday 2, Newcastle United 2 (tie); Stoke City 2, Manchester City 1; Sunderland 2, Charlton Athletic 1; Tottenham Hotspur 3, West Bromwich Albion 4; Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Cardiff City 0.

Division II—Brentford 1, Lincoln City 0; Doncaster Rovers 1, Barnsley 1 (tie); Everton 0, Hull City 2; Fulham 2, Bury 0; Huddersfield Town 1, Leeds United 0; Leicester City 8, Notts County 0; Nottingham Forest 1, Blackburn 2; Plymouth Argyle 2, Luton Town 1; Rotherham United 1, Birmingham City 1 (tie); Swansea Town 1, Sheffield United 2; West Ham United 1, Southampton 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP  
Division A—Queen of the South 2, East Fife 3; Aberdeen 0, Motherwell 1; Rangers 2, Hearts 0; Airdrieonians 4, Clyde 0; Raith Rovers 1, Dundee 2; Celtic 3, St. Mirren 1; Hibernian 3, Partick Thistle 1; Falkirk 2, Third Lanark 1.

—TIDES—  
Sunday, August 24, 1952  
(Pacific Standard Time)  
High 3:09 19.0 feet  
15:26 19.7 feet  
Low 9:15 4.5 feet  
21:40 5.1 feet

# Rail Freight Increase To Give Sharp Rise In Prices

## 51 Items Up; Includes Tobacco, Cigarets

### Effective Oct. 1

By The Canadian Press

VANCOUVER.—Increases in competitive rail freight rates, ranging from two to 75 per cent on a wide range of goods brought to the west coast from eastern Canada was disclosed Friday by the Vancouver Board of Trade.

Bill Rundle, secretary of the board's transportation bureau, said increases will hit such varied commodities as chemicals, candy, carpets, tobacco and machines.

"Increases on 51 items listed are expected to take effect Oct. 1," Rundle said.

The increase includes: confectionery foods, 15 per cent; tobacco, including cigarettes, 7½ per cent; washing machines, 20 per cent; petroleum and petroleum products, 19 per cent; iron and steel articles, between 10 and 40 per cent.

The new tariffs cover shipments from centres in Ontario, Montreal, parts of Quebec province, and Maritimes westbound to Vancouver and other west coast points, Rundle said.

SEATTLE.—Bill Mawhinney of Vancouver, last surviving Canadian in the hunt for the U.S. amateur golf championship, was eliminated Friday when Jack Westland of Everett, Wash., came from behind to beat him 5 and 4 in the 36-hole semi-finals match.

Mawhinney had become the first Canadian to reach the semi-finals of the event since 1932 when Sandy Somerville of London, Ont., won the championship.

In the other half of the semi-finals, Al Mengert of Spokane, Wash., whipped Don Cherry of Garden City, N.Y., 3 and 2.

Westland and Mengert meet today in the 36-hole final.

Nickerson Heads New Executive

SMITHERS.—Art Nickerson of Prince Rupert as new president of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central B.C. is followed by First Vice-President Jack S. Brew of Burns Lake and Fred Easthaugh of Juneau, Alaska, second vice-president.

Duncan Kerr of Terrace, popular secretary-treasurer since 1948, was re-elected.

Venue of the 1953 convention has been left in the hands of the new executive although Mr. Easthaugh on behalf of Mayor Hendrickson of Juneau invited the association to hold its next convention in Alaska.

Big Merchant Fleet STOCKHOLM (CP)—Current reports place the Swedish merchant fleet this summer at a total of 1,912 vessels aggregating 2,402,000 gross tons. Largest single class are motorships, numbering 708 for a total tonnage of 1,675,000 gross.

Public works department and Canadian National Railways officials are keeping a close check on road conditions between Prince Rupert and Terrace because of heavy rainfall of the last two days.

Driving conditions between here and Terrace are reported fair although several minor washouts have occurred.

Up to press time today no major damage has been done to Highway 16 and trains were reported arriving and departing on schedule.

The Trans-Provincial Highway from here to Smithers, which has been undergoing extensive repairs all summer, while not in tip-top condition is open all the way although several places are covered with water.

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Forest firefighters welcomed the rain and blazes throughout Prince Rupert division now are



MOLD MENACE—Pictured are hundreds of valuable books from the Parliamentary library, water-damaged during a fire at the library earlier this month. Boy Scouts and other volunteers helped place the books on the floor of a hall in the Parliament Buildings to dry. Mold and mildew now is the big menace. (CP PHOTO)

## Winch Asks Premier To Order Vote Recount

VANCOUVER (CP)—CCF Leader Harold Winch Friday added his voice to his party's demand for action by the Social Credit government to permit a recount of ballots in Vancouver-Burrard.

In a letter to Premier W. A. C. Bennett, Mr. Winch stated cabinet action is the last recourse open to CCF candidate Grant McNeill who was defeated by Social Crier Bert Price by 246 votes.

ONLY RECOURSE  
If the government turns down the CCF request for a recount which courts have already done, there are no further legal remedies, Mr. Winch said.

He indicated CCF counsel would not carry through their declared intention to apply for a writ of mandamus before the Supreme Court.

"The matter of the Vancouver-Burrard recount will be at an end," he wrote, "and the wishes expressed by the riding's voters in the recent election will remain forever in doubt."

Fierce Wind Sweeps Nanaimo Without Damage

NANAIMO (CP)—Wind which residents said screamed like a jet fighter played violent tricks along Nanaimo's waterfront on Friday but apparently did no serious damage.

One waterfront resident of this Vancouver Island city said the wind lifted a rowboat 10 feet in the air and then set it down on the beach undamaged.

John Stephenson said he was working on the float and had to grip the planks to keep from being blown into the water.

Public works department officials said today the gravel crusher which has been operating near Kwinitza for the past six weeks is being moved nearer Terrace but the shutdown is not expected to delay gravelling of the highway.

Meanwhile work on the cut-through east from Galloway Rapids is progressing. Motorists are warned to drive slowly past

the area.  
The weatherman turned through the pages of his book to note that the two-day downpour, which slackened this afternoon, was the first appreciable rain in Prince Rupert for more than a month.

Temperatures in mid-July went over the 90-degree mark although the heat slackened, warm, sunny weather prevailed up to last week-end.

## Polio Claims First Adult Life in Kimberley Outbreak

KIMBERLEY.—Serious polio outbreak in Kimberley district claimed its first adult victim Friday with death in hospital of 35-year-old mother.

Disease has claimed lives of seven children so far this year and district's death toll now

stands at eight. In neighboring East Kootenay area, man and boy have died.

There have been 34 cases reported in Kimberley district and health department specialists were flown in from Vancouver Thursday to air hard-pressed hospital workers.

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test in the National League.  
Big Mike Garcia started and gained credit for his 16th victory of season and the fourth without a setback over the Yankees.

National: Brooklyn 9-2, Pittsburgh 2-3; New York 1, St. Louis 3; Boston 4, Chicago 3; Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 3.

American: Cleveland 6, New York 4; Chicago 4, Boston 1; St. Louis 2-0; Philadelphia 5-9; Detroit 2, Washington 0.

POL: San Francisco 2, Sacramento 5; Seattle 2, Oakland 8; Portland 3, Los Angeles 5; Hollywood 6, San Diego 4.

WIL: Wenatchee 4, Tri-City 5 (11 innings); Yakima 3, Salem 1; Vancouver 12, Victoria 5; Lewiston 4, Spokane 12.