

TOMORROW'S

Saturday, September 27, 1929
High 10:08 a.m. 17.0
21:54 p.m. 19.6 ft.
Low 3:28 a.m. 5.1 ft.
15:52 p.m. 9.0 ft.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., FRIDAY, SEPT. 27, 1929

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At Solemn Hour of Midnight Man Who Stabbed To Death Dimitro Smilevich Receives Own Sentence

Is to Hang at Okalla on January 3 Is Order of Court Following Conviction on Charge of Murder

That Stephen Boljkovac, convicted by a jury of twelve good men and true, should hang by the neck on January 3 until dead, or words to that effect, was the sentence of Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald at about midnight, when a verdict of guilty of murdering Dimitar Smilevich was brought in, following a trial which lasted all day during which the killing was admitted, but an effort was made to show that it followed a serious quarrel and was done in the heat of passion.

Manslaughter Case Now On

David Lewis Jones of Smithers on Trial at Assizes in Connection With Auto Fatality

A true bill having been returned yesterday by the Grand Jury, the case of Rex vs. David Lewis Jones of Smithers is proceeding at the Supreme Court Assizes today before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, a jury panel being selected at the opening of court this morning after accused had pleaded not guilty. He is charged with manslaughter in connection with the deaths of Isaac Karlson and Uno Ferner in a car crash on the Duthie Mine road near Smithers on June 29. It is expected that the case will be completed by late this afternoon or early this evening.

Dirigible Picks Up Airplanes in Mid-Air Latest

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 27.—The experiments carried out by the dirigible Los Angeles in launching and recovering aeroplanes in mid-air is regarded by Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, chief of the naval bureau of aeronautics, as a great step toward the extension of the usefulness of airships. The experiments, made at the naval air station at Lakehurst, N.J., with different planes and pilots, showed that airplanes could hook on to an apparatus suspended from the airship while in flight and then unhook and resume flight.

Rivetting Works Disturbs Court

Racket Again Interferes With Audibility at Assizes Here
The racket of a Market Place rivetting works again interrupted the session of the Supreme Court Assizes yesterday, calling forth Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald's request that the noise be discontinued. The same plant has been causing disturbance to the court in most of its sessions in recent years, seriously affecting audibility in the chamber.

APPREHENSION FELT FOR ALASKA FLYER

ANCHORAGE, Sept. 27.—Apprehension is felt here for the safety of Russell H. Merrill, who left Anchorage eleven days ago on a flight to the lower Kuskokwim River with a piece of machinery for the dredging company.

NO GRAIN FOR LAKES

Congestion in Elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William

WINNIPEG, Sept. 27.—Rationing of grain cars at prairie points goes into effect on the Canadian National Railways at midnight September 30. Announcement today states that restrictions will be exercised against acceptance of grain consigned to the head of the lakes.

The move is the result of heavy storage in elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William.

TORONTO STOCKS

Table with 2 columns: Stock Name and Price. Includes Amulet, Falconbridge, Mandy, Hollinger, Hudson Bay, Lakeshore, McIntyre, Nipissing, Noranda, Sherritt Gordon, Sudbury Basin, Teck Hughes, Treadwell Yukon, Mining Corporation, Home Oil.

PRICE OF WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Sept. 27.—Another drop in the price of wheat was shown here this morning when Number One Northern sold at \$1.40 1/4, two cents lower than yesterday morning.

FUNERAL OF M. HUGGINS

Ball Players and Coaches Pallbearers at Funeral of Baseball Manager

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—The funeral services of Miller Huggins, manager of the New York Yankees, was held this afternoon from the Church of the Transfiguration, known as the Little Church around the Corner. The pallbearers were Arthur Fletcher and Charles O'Leary, coaches; Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Tony Lazzeri and Earle Combs.

CENSUS IN ALASKA BEGINNING OCTOBER

KETCHIKAN, Sept. 27.—A census of Alaska is taking place the first two weeks of October and fishermen and others are co-operating to make the count complete. Every effort is to be made to have no one overlooked on this occasion.

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOUNTIES RETIRES

EDMONTON, Sept. 27.—Superintendent James Ritchie of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Edmonton is retiring on a pension after 38 years' service.

NEW DOCK ENTRANCE AT LONDON

Port Can Now Accommodate Largest Liners Afloat at Tilbury

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The port of London for the first time today was able to accommodate the largest liners afloat with the opening of the new entrance to the Tilbury docks. The new lock is 1,000 feet long and 110 feet wide. Together with the vast new dry dock it cost approximately twelve and a half million dollars.

A new landing stage to accommodate the largest liners will be complete by spring. The port authorities have spent forty million dollars in the past 20 years on its plans to modernize the port.

REPRESENTATIVE OF AMERICAN SHIPBUILDERS REAL INFLUENCE AGAINST ANGLO-AMERICANISM

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Drew Pearson, newspaper correspondent at the unsuccessful 1927 Geneva naval limitations conference, told the senate investigating committee today that William B. Shearer "observer and reporter" of the American shipbuilders at the parley, "appeared to be a real influence against Anglo-American good will and was with the naval experts on many occasions."

Premier Tolmie Hears Delegation McGill Dismissal

VICTORIA, Sept. 27.—Premier Tolmie and other members of the executive council heard a delegation of Vancouver women in regard to the dismissal of Mrs. J. R. McGill from the position of judge of the juvenile court at Vancouver a year ago. The reply of the government to a request for reinstatement had been delayed pending the filing of a documentary plea which will be submitted.

Will Curtail Lumber Output

VANCOUVER, Sept. 27.—Voluntary curtailment of production to meet market conditions has been decided on by the B. C. Lumber & Shingle Manufacturers' Association.

JUDGE RULED OUT BY MUCH LUMBER FROM VICTORIA LOADED

OTTAWA, Sept. 27.—Mr. Justice Mignault yesterday attended his last sitting of the supreme court. Reaching the age limit of 75 years Monday, he automatically ceases to be a member of the court.

Much Drinking Preceded Death Drive Near Smithers When Two Men Were Killed In June Last

According to evidence of crown witnesses, much drinking of liquor preceded the fatality on the Duthie mine road, three and a half miles from Smithers, which resulted in Uno Ferner and Isaac Karlson being killed on June 29 in the crash of an auto driven by David Lewis Jones, whose trial on a charge of manslaughter is proceeding today at the supreme court assizes. The charge of manslaughter is in connection only with the death of Ferner, that Jones was not paying attention to his driving. It was soon after the change of seating that the car went over the bank. Witness remembered nothing until a couple of days later when he woke up in the Smithers jail. He had been stunned and slightly hurt himself.

Cross Examination
L. W. Patmore, defence counsel, engaged in a lengthy cross-examination of Bjornhove as a result of which witness did not seem sure about certain times and events. Indeed there was considerable difference on certain points on evidence given by witness at inquest, preliminary trial and at this trial. Witness had admitted in examination in chief that he had been under the influence of liquor, as well as was accused, on the drive down the hill. Nevertheless, he declared he was quite clear about the more important points and insisted he was telling the truth on this occasion.

Driving Badly
On the way down the hill, witness declared accused was driving so badly and so rapidly that he, witness, asked him to stop the car so he could exchange seats with Ferner, who was sitting in the front with Jones and arguing with him so

Great Search Is Being Made For Eight Lost Men

WINNIPEG, Sept. 27.—More than a dozen cabin airplanes were banded together today in a search for the eight lost explorers, whose flying machines were presumably "down" in the midst of Canada's Northwest Territories. As six of the planes soared over the snowy wastes, seven others were either standing by for orders or en route to the base of the hunt at Stoney Rapids, Sask.

COSTES IS OFF ON MYSTERY FLIGHT

LEBOURGNET, France, Sept. 27.—Dieudonne Costes, famous French flyer, took off this morning on a mysterious flight. It was announced as being toward Siberia, in an attempt to crack the world's lone distance record, but is believed by some to be an effort to cross the Atlantic.

Immigration From Europe to Be Restricted by Another Twenty-five Per Cent Over Last Year

OTTAWA, Sept. 27.—The number of farm laborers which the railway companies will be permitted to bring into Canada from non-preferred countries of Europe will for the next year be further reduced by 25 per cent. The present provisions to encourage immigration from the British Isles will be continued, including two-pound assisted passages. This was the gist of a statement issued after representatives of the C. P. R., the Canadian National, the Hudson Bay Co. and several ocean shipping companies spent yesterday in a conference with the minister of immigration, Hon. Robert Forke, and officials of his department in connection with next year's movement. A year ago, in order to reduce the immigrants coming from central Europe, the number of farm laborers allowed was limited to one-third of the previous year's total. This resulted in ten thousand fewer entering Canada. The restriction in the coming year will be greater.

STOCKS ARE ON DECLINE

Drastic Drop in Prices Toward Close of Market This Afternoon

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Stock prices declined drastically under a flood of selling toward the close today. Bullish demonstrations in a few issues were unavailing. Toward the close professional support was withdrawn and about a score of issues suffered losses of from \$8 to \$35 a share. The decline was in reflection of an unexpected increase of \$192,000 in brokers' loans.

LITTLE BOY KILLED GIRL

Gun With Which He Was Playing Went Off Accidentally

NELSON, Sept. 27.—Six-year-old Patricia McDonald, died in hospital last night from gunshot wounds received earlier in the day when her playmate, six-year-old David Ewing accidentally discharged a 12-gauge shotgun.

IMMIGRATION HALL CITY OF EDMONTON IS TO BE ERECTED

EDMONTON, Sept. 27.—Tenders for the construction of Edmonton's new \$65,000 immigration hall will be called for within a few days by the federal authorities, according to word received here. It has been definitely learned from officials of the department of immigration that bids will be invited soon, as it is hoped to make a start as early as possible with actual construction. The appropriation was passed at the last session of the dominion house, and it was then understood that construction would be undertaken as soon as possible as there has been a pressing need for a new building for some years.

Russian Airplane Left Today For Seward, Alaska

DUTCH HARBOR, Unalaska, Sept. 27.—Four Russian aviators, flying from Moscow to New York, took off at 9:30 this morning for Seward, Alaska, a hop-off of 700 miles. The wind had abated enough today to permit resumption of the flight.

WAS MISTAKEN FOR DEER AND SHOT BY BROTHER AT SOOKE

VICTORIA, Sept. 27.—Richard Coverdale of Saanich, a war veteran, was shot and instantly killed yesterday morning while hunting deer in the Sooke district by his brother, Lynn Coverdale of Victoria, who mistook him for a deer in the bushes 40 yards distant.

Alberta Priest Held Up, Chicago

Robbed of Sixty Dollars But Given Back His Ticket Home

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Father J. O'Sullivan, Vermilion, Alta., and his brother Timothy O'Sullivan of Chicago, with whom he was visiting, were robbed early today upon their return from a visit to friends. The robbers followed them into the vestibule of Timothy O'Sullivan's home, taking \$60 from the priest and \$20 from his brother.

Venture Hit Rock

Union Steamer Will Be in Drydock Two Weeks Getting Repairs

VANCOUVER, Sept. 27.—The passenger vessel Venture of the Union Steamship Co. suffered a serious jam to her hull when she struck an uncharted ledge of rock in Surge Narrows, 150 miles north of Vancouver, yesterday morning. She arrived here safely and went into drydock.

Betrothal of Royalties Is Anticipated

BRUSSELS, Sept. 25.—The sudden departure of King Albert for Italy has revived the rumor that the visit is connected with the possibility of the betrothal of Crown Prince Umberto of Italy and Princess Maria Jose of Belgium. It was announced that during the ten days stay in Italy King Albert will have an interview with the royal family, and despite the reticence of court officials it is considered certain now that the visit is connected with the matrimonial project which has been talked of for some years past.

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