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conference with T. B.

Black, manager of NBC Power

Co. are J. S. H. Wurtele, chief

engineer, and V. J. Nixon, sec-

retary of PCC, from Montreal

Upon inspection of the com-

pany's diesel plant at Prince

Rupert dry dock-two units

there now are ready for opera-

tion-Mr. Wurtele said that

"There is a great deal of hydro

power potential in this area," he

said, but added that develop-

nothing to say, except that by

comparison Prince Rupert's

headquarters.

GREAT POTENTIAL

present system.

power units.

Canada.

watt is high."

dollars, he said.

Prince Rupert tonight for

Vancouver.

Bevcourt

Conwest

Donalda

East Sullivan

God's Lake

Hardrock

Harricana

Hosco

Jacknife

Lapaska

Moneta

Noranda

Louvicourt

Regcourt

Pickle Crow

San Antonio

Steep Rock

Silver Miller

Upper Canada

Golden Manitou

Senator Rouyn

Sherrit Gordon

1.95

Negus

12.00

Lynx

Joliet Quebec

Little Long Lac

Madsen Red Lake

McLeod Cockshutt

McKenzie Red Lake

Lake Rowan

Eldona

Buffalo Canadian

Giant Yellowknife

Consol. Smelters

Bobjo

TODAY'S STOCKS



t to Saint John, N.B., sampled Maritime lobster. R. E. of Simcoe, Ont., (L-Norfolk), left, and Edward T. of Prince Rupert (L-Skeena), found it to their liking. (CP PHOTO)

Oppose Higher Premiums

Rupert Liberal Association takes strong exception ase in hospital insurance premiums and the execulast night to Jack McRae, M.L.A. for Prince Rupert. so. Legislation is now before the House at Victoria an increase. The Association would also have isurance premiums deducted at the source. ssociation also backed up a Prince Rupert Automobile

in its representations for reduced automobil

Railway Chief Visitor Here

city in the new capacity, to somewhat relieved which he was recently appointed, fare on the port side." was J. R. McMillan, vice-presi-City Engineer Don Railways, who arrived yesterday Rupert Islands. rst time in several on the Prince Rupert from the The signals coming from the as water in Acropof water was found Winnipeg. He was accompanied abeam of Hay and Law Islands. oir at 8 o'clock this by Mrs. McMillan. Also coming The Rupert returned up the said the engineer, north was Bernard Allen, general channel one half mile westward the action taken manager for British Columbia, of Law Island searching. who returns to Vancouver to- "It was a regular gale - cold

Paying his first visit to the

cy still remains," properties and also visited the said the Captain. peration in cutting son Island. aption to a mini-

hat after several

isual fault could be. the sudden shortlained by Mr. Stewto the increased

was installed 40 stabbed ahead one to two miles

ey Scores

TIONAL Boston 2 Chicago 1 C COAST

seattle 4 E-OKANAGAN amloops 5

Chinese from well dug-in posiads best of three

PRTANT REGULAR ETING **VIGHT**

p.m. Auditorium ATION OF

MEMBERS

rents of hand grenades. ton, of Vancouver, told of hear- of the year.

mile-wide drive in Korea.

United States Eighth Army's

briefing officer said 11,039 Chin-

ese and North Korean Reds were

killed or wounded Wednesday on

the biggest allied attacks of the

two spurs of Hill 532. The day-

Larson of Calgary said "there are 32. bloody bayonets in 'dog' com- | Most victims have been old pany tonight."

Be Solved

Flares and rockets early yesterday morning, sighted on Yeo Island by SS Prince Ruper enroute to this city, may have been sent up by a B.C. Packers seiner.

Supervisor of Fisheries office here said today the Irene May, which had lost her propellor March 4, had been towed into Bella Bella last night. The stricken seiner had been found by the Fisheries patrol boat Arrow Post near Grief Island, in the vicinity where the flares were sighted.

B.C. Packers here have no news concerning the Irene May or the incident, and don't believe it was serious. The seiner is working out of Namu.

Yeo and Grief Islands - lie between Bella Bella and Ocean Falls, in Spiller Channel.

Air and surface craft were being assigned to a search in the Yeo Island area near the entrance of Dean Channel, 150 miles ASSASSIT south of Prince Rupert., following the sighting of flares early yesteroay morning by the steamer Prince Rupert, which arrived in port yesterday afternoon, but no further clue as to their import had been received

Should anyone be in distress in that isclated area it was feared they might be having a bad time under severe weather conditions including bitter cold.

Five red flares and white rock ets were sighted at 2:30 a.m. by R. W. Sparkes, chief officer of the s.s. Prince Rupert and fourth ifficer. Fred Wilkins, 30 miles north of Ocean Falls.

Capt. E. B. Caldwell, got out of his bunk and noticed "a red

He searched until 3:30, flashdent in charge of the western ing searchlights and the Aldis region of Canadian National Lamp, circling between Law and

south and proceeded by the direction of Yeo Island, were evening train to headquarters in sighted while the boat was

night. Yesterday Mr. McMillan wind from the north down Dean the weather breaks inspected the company's local Channel and a clear cold night," intosh, W. Knox, S. A. Roberts, nounced taking over the dry

the wilds of everything," said Capt. Caldwell, believing that F. Warne. that signals came from a boat or

"When I saw the flares, they were about 100 feet in the skybut it was impossible to judge how far away they were," said Sparkes.

RCMP and Marine Agent and Air rescue were notified by Caldwell at 4 a.m.

TOKYO (CP) - Allied troops N. A. Beketov, Dept. of Transmains the same today against spotty resistance port agent here, notified Ocean. Falls police and air rescue of in the second day of their 70-Vancouver.

Local R.C.M.P. office says that they have wired the PML-1 Prince Rupert game branch boat, commanded by Corporal Martin of the local game branch, that

the opening day assault—one of is on patrol in the search area. Weather at Ocean Falls didn't allow the R.C.M.P. boat in that Weather is spring-like. Cana- area to go. out in search, the da's Princess Patricias, in the local police say. thick of battle, yesterday drove

tions near Yongdu in bayonet fighting. Fighting took place on Pneumonia long attack was against intensive enemy automatic fire and tor-

The Pats failed to crack Chin- VANCOUVER (CP)-Dr. Alex M. ese resistance until just before Menzies, assistant medical offidusk. They attacked in a snow-cer, said yesterday nearly 100 storm, right into enemy foxholes. persons have died of pneumonia The adjutant, Capt. B. O. Swin- here during the first two months

ing voices of the Patricias echo- Figure up to February 24 was ing in the valley with a challenge 90 he said, and other untabuto Chinese to "Come out and lated deaths have occurred since that time. The figure for the Company Sergeant Major H. O. two-month period last year was

people, he said.

Flares May Power Company Planning More Local Development

Chief Engineer Sees Possibility of Millions of Dollars Expenditure at Falls River

Development of more electrical power and preparation of a budget for Northern B. C. Power Company today are being discussed by heads of the Power Corporation of Canada.

Fairview Road Contract Let

OTTAWA (Special to Daily News) - Order-in-council was passed here authorizing contract with Ed. Walsh and Co. Ltd. of South Burnaby for construction of a roadway ac Fairview Bay, Prince Rupert, to connect the city road with the fishermen's floats. A level crossing of the railway is involved.

WASHINGTON (CP)_A federal jury decreed yesterday death for Oscar Collazo who stormed President Truman's home November 1 in the name of Puerto Rican independence.

Collazo was convicted on two counts of first-degree murder. Each carries a mandatory sentence of execution in the electric chair. Date has not been set larger power companies," said Flown Here Defence said it will appeal the Mr. Wurtele. "They build large

felt of the White House guard, tively low. Smaller companies' ville Court Chapel with Rev. I shot to death in Turious gunplay. cost is comparatively similar G. Sieber officiating.

Air Passengers

Davidson, J. Gobin, J. Branham. Mr. Wurtele was here a year Undertakers. To Vancouver (today) J. Mac- ago when the company an-

C. L. Ecklin, L. M. Dodd, J. W. dock plant, Warned, asking for Columbia Cellulose plant at Wat- "I wouldn't give a nickel for Farquhar, G. M. Perry, O. G. anyone in that country-it's in Stuart, H. N. Simmons, B. T. Mc- Mrs. Don Fitch and her moth-Causland, Mr. Baillie, H. Brisson, er, Mrs. A. C. Cromp, sail on the To Alice Arm (today) - F. month's holiday in Seattle and

Hemsworth, Mr. Bennett.

VANCOUVER

American Standard

Cariboo Quartz

Hedley Mascot

Premier Border

Reeves McDonald

Bralorne

Congress

Pioneer

Privateer

Sheep Creek

Taku River

Salmon Gold

Spud Valley

Silver Standard

Anglo Canadian

Central Leduc

Western Uranium

Vananda

A P Con

Atlantic

Calmont

Home Oil

Pacific Pete

Royal Canadian

TORONTO

Mercury

Princess

Athona

Aumaque

Okalta

C & E

Silbak Premier

BRX



GENERAL CRERAR . . War Is Now On

plant is adequate to supplement Missing Men Return Home

Lawrence Pollard and Harold ment of it hinged entirely on Hayward, Port Simpson natives, the revenue obtained from the reported missing yesterday on a trapping trip to Dundas Island The plan, he said, was to use are safe home today.

A Queen Charlotte Airlines the diesel plant to augment hydro power only. until such plane which was sent out to time as further waterpower was look for them sighted the trapdeveloped. Using diesels was pers returning home across much too expensive, practically, Chatham Sound in their gasalthough the initial outlay was boat. considerably lower than hydro

The two men had been stormbound and "holed up" on their Asked about the new pro- trapline. Their continued abposed rates of NBC Power | sence for three weeks gave rise Company, he said be had to alarm.

They are safe and well.

electric service was cheaper than probably anywhere in "But we cannot compete with

plants to develop great quanti-Funeral of Darlene Sylvia Both charges were based on ties of power, therefore their Beynon, aged 21/2 years, will be the death of Private Leslie Cof-cost per killowatt is compara- held this afternoon from Gren-

A second gunman was killed in but power developed is much Body of the daughter of Mr smaller, so the cost per killo- and Mrs. Victor Beynon, 1446 Piggott Avenue, was flown here New development at Falls by Canadian Pacific Airlines River, when decided upon, yesterday from the Vancouver would run into millions of General Hospital, where she died after having been sent

Prince Rupert is growing and there for treatment after a fall. From Vancouver (Wednesday) the power suppliers must keep Besides the parents, relatives JCOJICA DULL -R. M. Warren, M. White, Mr. abreast of advancement, he said. are Joshua McKay, 203 9th Ave-Doran, Mrs. J. S. Black, Mr. And when Aluminum Company nue East, a grandfather, and Tullis, W. Ross, Mr. Eastman. of Canada gets located at Kiti- Mrs. Warburton, an aunt. Burial From Sandspit (Wednesday) - mat, it would "make a tremend- will be in Fairview Cemetery J. MacDonald, W. Cameron, Mr. ous difference to this city." | with arrangements by the B. C.

War Criminals To be Hanged

LOS NEGROS, Admiralty Is- fishermen's spunk. a lands (CP)—Australian war crimes | Carrying one of the team court on this west Pacific island players, Derrick Latoureau, off nal shot at the prized title. today sentenced seven former the packer, they went onto the members of the Japanese Navy Wrangell floor four hours later to hang for a mass execution of and made their first win in the the Camden, New Jersey, vet-24 Australians and allied pris- north, beating the Wrangell eran gave the 29-year-old chamoners of war.

few days is now near the mouth | Wrangell. north winds and more snow to have three stitches put in.

wave in the next two days. Forecast North Coast Region - Mostly clear along the mainland and cloudy elsewhere with scattered both at New Metlakata where sociation here Wednesday. This snow flurries over the islands. the home team has never yet would bring the scale to \$1.80. Continuing very cold. Wind down mainland inlets northeast (50), otherwise northeast (30) today and northeast (20) tomorrow. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow-At Port Hardy, 20 and 30: Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 15 and 25.

ince and there is no prospect of

TIDES

	Friday,	March 9,	1951	
High		2:20	21.8	fe
		14:33	21.2	f€
Low		8:29	3.3	fe
		90.40	99	£-

Third World War is Already on; Canada In Desperate Shape

OTTAWA (CP)—General H. D. G. Crerar said today a third world war already is a "tragic fact" that puts Canada in a "desperate situation" because of lack of trained military manpower.

Flash!

STILL SNOWING VANCOUVER-It is snowing

in Vancouver and on the lower mainland again today but colder air is moving in. The cold wave is still entrenched through the province with little promise of relief for a couple of days. School attendance is steadily slipping and the schools may be closed because of illness and transportation difficulties.

TORIES WANT ELECTION LONDON-The British Conservative party, at its conference today, called for an immediate election, contending that the Labor government had lost the confidence of the

TURGEON HEARD OTTAWA ... Senator J. G. Turbody.. He pleaded for a main- on sabbotage.

tenance of high standing in

the Upper House.

NOVA SCOTIA LEADING HALIFAX - Nova Scotia is leading the Dominion Curling championships, being so far unbeaten. Nova Scotia beat Northern Ontario 9 to 5 yesterday and Manitoba inflicted the first loss on British Columbia

And, although the entire Prince and retain his title. Rupert High School team, in- Boos ran through the Olympia cluding the coast, Jack Evans, Stadium as 13,850 fans greeted were plenty ill in the rough trip the verdict with one catcall afby fish boat from Petersburg to ter another. Wrangell, they still had the

team 31-30. The team, who lost the first

two games at Petersburg, re-THE WEATHER turned to the city yesterday on the Princess Norah.

A storm centre which has re- and Ratchford, with eight, were mained off the coast for the last high scorers in the game at ing left hook to the jaw. Wal-

fying. Effect of this develop- He sustained a cut over the eye down of the fight. ment will be to bring stronger and was taken to hospital to

ince. Very cold air remains en- homes which were thrown open. trenched over the whole prov- JETS HOME TOO

ince and there is no prospect of Also returning home on the arpenters much moderation of the cold Princess Norah yesterday were Carpenters the Prince Rupert Jets from been beaten on its own floor. The carpenters are asking \$2.

The former commander of the First Canadian Army called for a system of compulsory military training that would place 60,000 to 70,000 young Canadians a year in uniform for six months and then post them to parttime reserve units for two years. He told the Canadian Club here Canada has no right to "assume we have any spare time whatsoever," and that, even if compulsory training were ordered tomorrow, it would be at least a year before the first trainees would be ready for action.

He said Korea was the opening battle in a long conflict "with a sphere of action probably involving the greater part of the world." Democracies were "dangerously handicapped" and must launch a "massive mobilization of their military strength

It would be the infantry who "will once again decide victory." He said Canada must be prepared to handle a "series of domestic threats" and troubles on la scale never before known in geon said yesterday he would political, industrial and econrather see the Senate abolished omic fields once Moscow signals than have it made an elective her Communists to go to work

Ezzard Charles Has Close Call in Defending His Heavyweight Title

DETROIT (CP)-For one long minute in the fourth round, old Jersey Joe Walcott held the world's heavyweight title in his grasp last night. But it was not to be as the champion, Ezzard Charles, shook off the effects of a powerhouse right to the jaw and came back to win a Even the best seamen get sick, unanimous 15-round decision

Fans thought the 37-year-old Jersey Joe had deserved the nod in his fourth and, no doubt, fi-

Down to 193 pounds, the lightest he has weighed in four years, pion the scare of his life. It was Ezzard's seventh title defence and his toughest. The crown almost tottered from his brow in that long 60 seconds.

In the ninth round Charles McChesney, with 13 points, hit Walcott with a powerful right to the head and a smashcott werk down for the count of of the Columbia and is intensi- Bill Morrison was a casualty. nine. It was the only knock-

the southern part of the prov- The players were billeted in New Offer to

their tour to Ketchekan and VANCOUVER. - An offer to New Metlakatla. They won both carpenters of a 12-cent increase games at Ketchikan but lost was made by the Builders' As-

Native Tournament

-- TONIGHT --CONSOLATION ROUND 6:30-Brotherhood vs Kitimat

7:45-Port Essington vs Bella Bella CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND 9:00-Thunderbirds vs Port Simpson 10:15-Metlakatla vs Kitkatla