

Today's Weather

Partly cloudy, fresh wind; barometer, 30.40; 52; sea choppy.

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Tomorrow's Tides

Saturday, July 4, 1931
High 3:37 a.m. 10:0 ft.
16:41 p.m. 18:2 ft.
Low 10:17 a.m. 3:8 ft.
22:38 p.m. 8:0 ft.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

PACIFIC FLIGHT IS STARTING SUNDAY

NO CONFIRMATION GIVEN REPORT THAT POOL QUITTING

Two Co-operative Heads Say Rumor False While Third Does Not Comment

McPhail and Wood Say Published Statement Is Untrue—Burnell Is Silent—Presidents Have Been Gathered In Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, July 3.—Leaders of Canada's prairie wheat pools yesterday refused to confirm a published report that the three pools had decided to wind up operations and go out of business temporarily. While A. J. McPhail, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, and Henry Wise Wood, president of the Alberta Wheat Pool, denied the truth of the rumor, no comment was forthcoming from Colin H. Burnell, president of the Manitoba Wheat Pool.

FUNERAL OF NURSE TODAY

Miss Thorhilda Olafson Laid to Rest in Fairview Cemetery This Afternoon

With members of the Prince Rupert General Hospital nursing staff of which deceased was formerly a member present in uniform as well as many other friends in attendance, the funeral of the late Miss Thorhilda Olafson R.N., who died recently at Tranquille, took place this afternoon from the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers to Fairview Cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Canon W. F. Rushbrook of St. Peter's Anglican Church and Miss M. A. Way presided at the organ for the hymns.

About to Erect Four New Houses

John Currie & Sons are showing their faith in Prince Rupert by making plans to proceed at once with the erection of four new houses on McBride Street almost opposite Gordon's new hardware store which is in course of construction.

Vancouver Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston, Co.)
Big Missouri, 28½, 29½.
Cork Province, 1, nil.
Duthie Mines, nil, 4½.
George Copper, 50, nil.
Georgia River, 2¼, 3¼.
Grandview, 4½, 5½.
Indian Mines, 1, 1½.
Morton Woolsey, nil, 2½.
Marmot Metals, nil, ¾.
National Silver, nil, 2¼.

YACHTING IN NORTH

The handsome power yacht Winifred II of Ketchikan, of which L. P. Larsen of Spokane is the owner, arrived in port at 6:30 last evening from Seattle and tomorrow will be joined here by Mr. Mitchell and family of Los Angeles, who are due to arrive in the city from the south on the Prince Henry and who will make a cruise on the yacht to Southeastern Alaska waters. They will spend 24 days north of here.

The Winifred is a trim 100-foot vessel and is equipped with a pair of 175 h.p. Hall-Scott gas engines, which give her a speed of 14 knots per hour. On her trip up the coast, she left Seattle Monday night and made a straight run to Klemtu where she lay over Wednesday night.

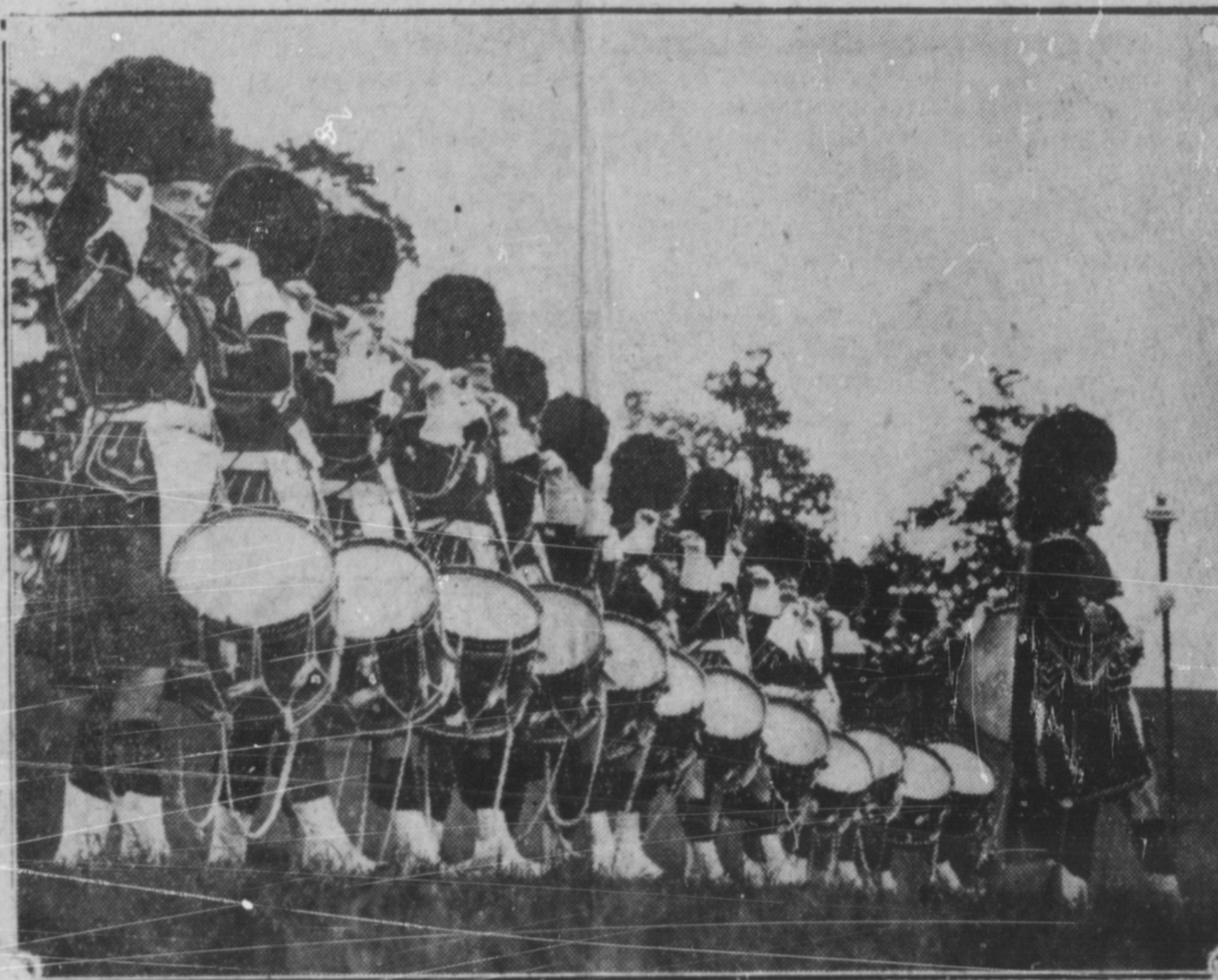
When the Winifred returns here from her present charter, she will be joined by Mr. Larsen, her owner, who will make a trip to Alaska on board her. Skipper of the vessel is F. L. Wingo and there is a crew of four men.

Also coming north tomorrow on the Prince Henry will be Mr. Hunter and family of Los Angeles, who will make a similar cruise to Alaska on the 80-foot Alarwee of Seattle, Capt. Roy Fulton, which is due here from Seattle tomorrow. The Alarwee is equipped with a 110 h.p. Atlas diesel engine.

Halibut Landings

American
Rapp III, 6,000 pounds, Cold Storage, 7.2c and 4c.
Tye, 7,000, Royal Fish Co., 8c and 4c.
Ethel, 4,500, Cold Storage, 7.2c and 4c.
Canadian
Livingstone II, 12,000, Royal Fish Co., 8c and 4c.
Cape Swain, 7,500, Atlin Fisheries, 8c and 4c.

Black Watch Drummers Performing



Essex Agricultural Society held their show, recently, at The Hyde, Ingatstone, Essex. Here is a striking picture of the Black Watch drummers from Colchester barracks giving a performance.

PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED

Large Number of Pupils at Booth Memorial School Complete Studies Successfully.

Grading for the various classes of Booth Memorial School for next year has been made as in the following lists:

- Grade II.**
Lillian Amstutz, Frank Clay, Kathleen Coombs, John Davey, Jack Eastwood, George Flewin, Gamula, Beatrice Grosvenor, Zella Hale, Isobel Hebb, John Johnson, Muriel King, Ethel Knutsen, Margaret Lamb, Helen McDonald, Edward Peever, Herbert Pierce, Edith Ritchie, Oliver Saburbane, Arne Selvig, Frank McKeown, Judith Jerstad, Helen Service, Eileen Shrubbsall, Jean Smith, Fred Stamp-Vincent, James Taylor, John Walker, Bernice Whyte, Phyllis Batt, Gordon Calderwood, John Carson, Edward Dawes, Helen Doctor, Norah Dougherty, William Hunter, Margaret Hozan, Reidun Kildal, Edward Lambe, Delphine Lear, Gwendoline Lear, Olga Lewis, David McKay, Effie Alexcee, Allen McMillan, Christina Petersen, Patrick Ratchford, Beatrice Rudderham, Robert Silversides, Margaret Smith, Alex Storrle, George Weir, Alvera Whyte, Mona Whyte, Geo. Zburra, Edward Amstutz, Walter Colussi, Alan Munro, Joan Squire, Ray Hougan, Anna Johnsen, Elmer Perkins, Elsie Bagshaw, Irene Forkrud, Eric Love, Hakon Selifar.
- Grade III.**
Betty Bremner, George Bagshaw, Charles Bunn, Richard Cameron, Hedwig Carlson, Robert Eby, Jessie Gibson, Alf Jerstad, Oliver Keays, John Lawrie, Alan Leighton, James MacKay, Kenneth McCrimmon, Henry Mikkelsen, Steve Mintenko, Chris Peterson, Marion Sheppard, Lillian Skogmo, Charlotte Harrison, Norma Walters, John Wilson, Ralph Andersen, Reggie Beale, Bobby Capstick, Hazel Coombs, Spencer Davies, Victor Field, Spencer Hudson, John Johnson, Dick Kirkendall, Joyce Kellback, Jantoft Leland, Delphine Lemon, Jean MacKay, Jack McLean, Elsie Murvold, Patsy Nich-

MAY PASS HERE ON LONG FLIGHT

SYDNEY, Aust., July 3.—F. C. Chichester took off today for Japan, via New Guinea, the Philippines and Formosa. He plans to proceed to England via Kamchatka, Atka, the Aleutians, Canada and Greenland. The plane has floats.

HOTELMAN WAS HERE

Louis Barr Looks Into Situation Locally—Time Enough When Highway Finished

Louis D. Barr of Oakland, Cal., head of the Barr Method of Planning and Financing Hotels, was among the passengers going south on the Dorothy Alexander this morning after making the trip to Alaska.

While here, Mr. Barr went cursorily into the local hotel situation. He expressed interest but felt that, until the highway was completed into the city, a tourist hotel was not warranted. Before the highway was completed, however, he hoped to be here again and, possibly, institute a hotel project here.

Mr. Barr is head of the company which had charge of the establishment of the Olympic Hotel at Seattle and the Malaspina Hotel at Nanaimo.

AMERICAN CONSULATE IN BERLIN STONED

BERLIN, July 3.—The United States consulate here was stoned yesterday by Communists supposedly in protest at the execution in Alabama of nine negroes. One policeman was killed.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, July 3.—Wheat was quoted on the local exchange today at 59½c.

BUILDING IS LOWER

Permits For June Aggregated \$9,610 as Against \$36,260 in Same Month Last Year

Building permits issued in Prince Rupert during the month of June aggregated \$9,610 in value as compared with \$36,260 in the same month last year. The list for the month just passed included items of \$4000 for the alteration of the Orme building at the corner of Third Avenue and Fulton Street and \$3,000 for a new house for Ald. W. J. McCutcheon on Third Avenue.

- Permits issued in June were as follows:
J. G. Verriek, 7th Ave. E., general repairs, \$500.
P. Florin, 7th Ave., general repairs, \$200.
J. W. McCutcheon, 3rd Avenue, erect residence, \$3,000.
H. Hilland, Fraser St., shingle roof, \$30.
J. Knutson, 6th Ave. E., repair roof, \$150.
J. A. Morris, 2nd Avenue, erect garage, \$50.
J. Bradbury, 8th Ave., W., repair foundation, \$150.
R. C. Hyde, 5th St., remove building, \$750.
Mr. Joyce, Seal Cove, addition to residence, \$200.
Y. Sou, Frederick St., erect shack, \$200.
E. G. Kalen, Park Ave., erect wood shed, \$50.
Geo. Munro, 9th Ave., W. shingle roof, \$80.
McCaffery, Gibbons & Collart, Borden St., shingle roof, \$250.
C. H. Orme, Fulton St., alterations, \$4,000.

Softball Game Won Yesterday By Unemployed

A softball game was played yesterday on Salvation Army Square between the Unemployed and the Red Sox, the former winning by a score of 6 to 5. Dido Gurvich hit a homer for the winning run with the bases full in the eleventh inning.

Robbins and Jones to Use Interior Route in Flying Across Ocean

Two Fort Worth Aviators to Fly From Seattle to Tokyo Via Fraser River, Prince George, Hazelton and Whitehorse

SEATTLE, July 3.—Reg. L. Robbins and H. S. Jones, Fort Worth, Texas, aviators, plan to take off Sunday morning for Tokyo, providing their refuelling plane makes its flight from Edmonton to Fairbanks. They plan to fly via the Fraser River, Prince George, Hazelton, Whitehorse and Dawson. Refuelling in the air at Fairbanks, Solomon and on the Siberian side, they expect the flight will take 55 hours. Both Robbins and Jones are expert pilots.

WEATHER IS FINE

June Exceptionally Good Month in Prince Rupert, Official Report Shows

With a total of 1287 hours of sunshine and only 1.77 inches of rain, weather in Prince Rupert for the month of June was exceptionally good. Following are details of the June weather report as announced today by R. G. Emmerson, Digby Island, Dominion meteorologist:
Highest barometer reading, 30.32 on June 4.
Lowest barometer reading, 29.59 on June 21.
Maximum temperature, 74 on June 14.
Minimum temperature, 40 on June 2.
Mean temperature, 54.3.
Total precipitation, 1.77.
Sunshine, 1287 hours.
So far this year there has been a total of 408.2 hours of sunshine as against 716.34 hours in the first six months of last year. Precipitation so far this year aggregates 50.57 inches as against 34.16 inches in the first half of last year.

DANGER AT SALT LAKE

Little Girl Nearly Lost Her Life in Wading Pool on Dominion Day

The danger of the children's pool at the Salt Lake, during the absence therefrom of a boom which used to mark the start of deep water but which had disappeared this season, was illustrated on Dominion Day about noon when Dorothy Fraser, daughter of School Inspector and Mrs. Fraser, had a narrow escape from drowning, being saved only by the presence of mind of Government Agent Norman A. Watt, who happened to be nearby. Mr. Watt was paddling on the sandy bottom near the beach with his children and the little Fraser girl was also there. Mr. Watt happened to see the girl bob up above the surface and then down again. Immediately, he plunged into the water, clothes and all, and pulled her out to safety. It is stated by on-lookers that the girl had already been down a couple of times before she was pulled out.

Brian Kennedy was fined \$10, with option of five days' imprisonment, by Magistrate McClymont yesterday afternoon on a charge of stealing a ride on a Canadian National train.

Customs Revenue Continues Drop From Last Year

Customs and excise collections of the port of Prince Rupert for the month of June this year totalled \$7,787.12 as against \$13,204.92 in the same month last year. So far this year, customs revenue has aggregated \$61,204.92 as against \$112,911.69 in the first six months of 1930.

Shamrock Rooms Raided By Police

Mrs. Thompson to Come Up Tomorrow Morning on Charge of Selling Liquor

Constables Barclay, Wyman and Grant of the city detachment of the provincial police made a raid in the early hours of this morning on the premises of Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson at the Shamrock Rooms as a result of which a charge of selling liquor is to be laid against Mrs. Thompson. The case will probably come up before Magistrate McClymont in city police court tomorrow morning.

No Fire Loss Here In June

Damage So Far This Year Amounts to \$1,588 as Against \$16,355 in Same Period of 1930

During the month of June, there were three fire alarms in the city, no damage resulting. In the same month of last year, there were five alarms with no damage. So far this year there have been a total of 34 alarms as compared with 42 in the first six months of 1930. Damage from fire in the city so far this year has amounted to \$1,588 as against \$16,355 in the corresponding period last year.

Placer Activity On Q. C. Islands Reported Here

SKIDEGATE, July 3.—Considerable activity is reported on the east and north coasts of Graham Island in gold placer mining. It is reported that a new process of extracting gold from the black sands has been discovered.

Public Meeting

Will be held in

Moose Hall, Saturday, 8:30 p.m.

HON. T. D. PATTULLO

Will give an Address on Public Affairs

Cordial invitation extended to all.

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