

Today's Weather

Prince barometer, Cloudy, calm; smooth.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1931

Tomorrow's Tides

Friday, May 15, 1931

High	12:15 p.m.	18:0 ft.
Low	6:14 a.m.	4:9 ft.
	18:06 p.m.	7:2 ft.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

PULP MILL HERE IS LOGICAL THING

UNITED PACIFIC TO REMAIN FACTOR IN HALIBUT BUSINESS

Prince Rupert's Location Is Ideal For Paper Industry In Opinion of American Expert

Howard Cole of New York Says He Has Not Yet Become Actually Interested in Project But Has Been Invited to Take Part in Development Here

"Prince Rupert, it seems to me, should be an ideal location for a pulp mill," it was declared today by Howard Cole, prominent New York capitalist and owner of extensive timber lands on the Queen Charlotte Islands, who arrived in the city this morning on the Prince John after having made a brief trip to the islands to look over his holdings there. It was the first time he had made the trip to this part of the coast, he stated, but, from what he had seen, he had come to the conclusion that Prince Rupert was the logical place for the establishment of a pulp mill.

FIRES IN ALBERTA

Peace River Country is Being Swept By Serious Conflagrations in Forests

Wide Sector

Flames Raging in Many Parts of Neighboring Province—Rain is Needed

EDMONTON, May 14:—The wooded sections of Alberta gripped by fire, are today a flaming menace, razing bush and forest. Only heavy rains can stem the march of the fire.

Fires reported between Lac la Biche and Pelican Lake, one hundred miles northwest of here, are destroying homesteaders' dwellings and outbuildings. Railway bridges are also threatened.

There are three great fires in the Spirit River district while in the Grande Prairie section fires are gaining ground at an alarming rate.

LETHAL GAS IS FAVORED

California Assembly Sends Bill Up To Governor for Signature

SACRAMENTO, May 14:—The bill to change the method of execution in California from hanging to the lethal gas chamber method passed the state assembly yesterday afternoon and was sent up to Governor Rolph, jr., for his signature.

The Weather

Triple Island—Hazy, northerly breeze, moderate northwest swell. Langara Island—Overcast, light south wind; sea calm. Dead Tree Point—Overcast, calm, barometer, 30; temperature, 50; sea smooth.

CRIMINAL EXPERT TO HELP SOLVE PRINCE GEORGE MURDER CASE

MONTREAL, May 14:—Called to British Columbia by the attorney-general of that province, to help in the solving of a double murder mystery in the Prince George district, Dr. Wilfrid Derome, Montreal medico and legal expert and one of the best known criminologists on the continent, left today for Vancouver.

PRINCIPAL OF LOCAL SCHOOL HAS RESIGNED

The school board has received the resignation of Miss Olive McArthur, principal of Seal Cove school, who, it is understood, is returning to her former home in the Maritime Provinces.

Miss McArthur has been teaching in the city for several years and while here has made a wide circle of friends who will regret her decision to leave the city. The regrets are shared by the pupils of Seal Cove School and their parents.

WILL BUY AMBULANCE

Cost of New Hospital Vehicle to Be Limited to \$2000

The finance committee of the hospital board brought in a report at last night's meeting authorizing expenditure up to \$2000 for the purchase of a new ambulance. After receiving this report, the board decided to call for tenders for a new ambulance, the tenders to be in by June 8.

There was some discussion as to whether a new car or used one should be purchased and whether or not it should be purchased through a bona-fide garage operator or mere agent. There was also brief discussion as to how the ambulance would be operated after it had been obtained.

Finally it was decided to give everyone a chance to tender. The tenders for an ambulance complete will be called through the newspapers.

Vancouver Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston, Co.)

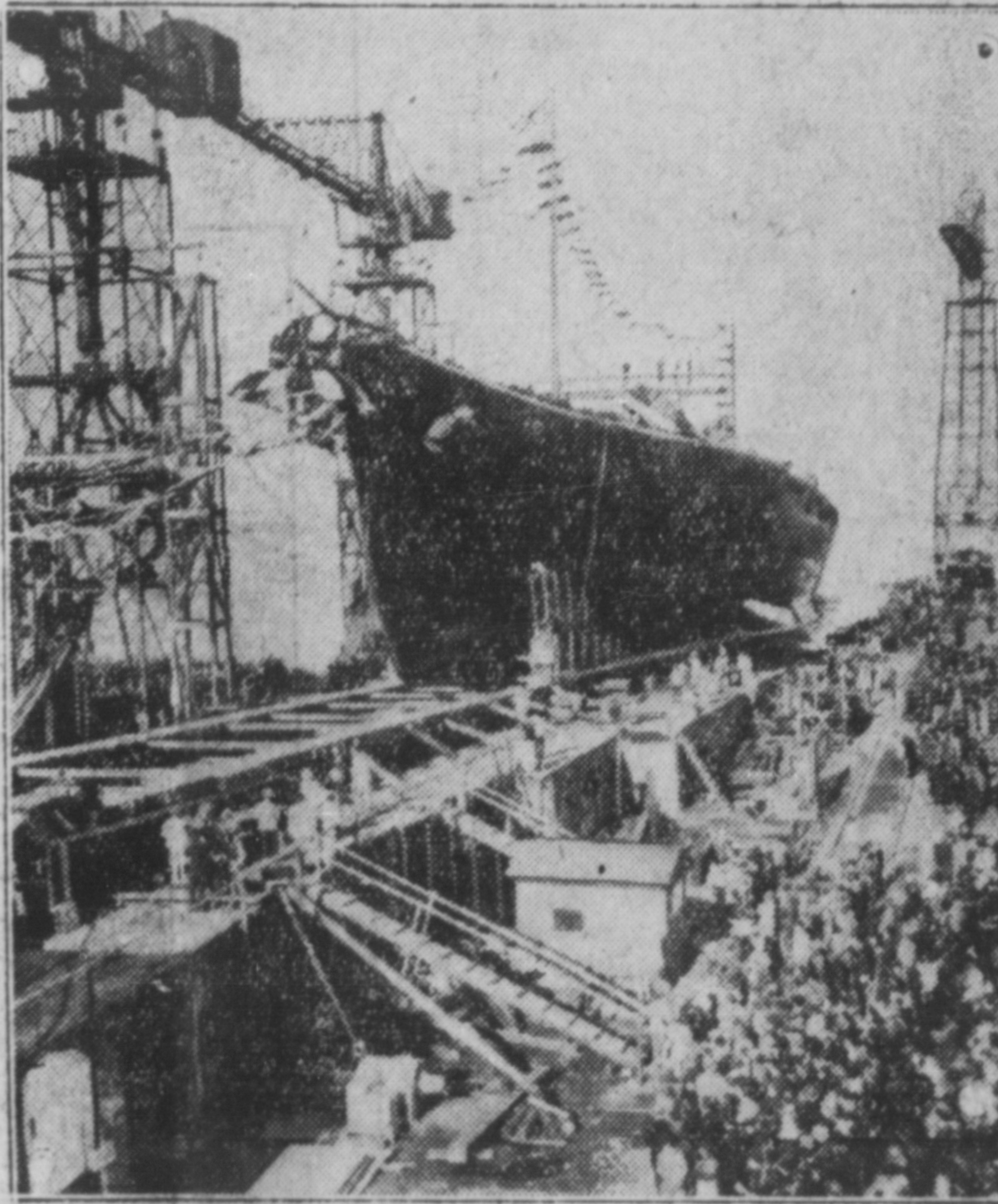
Big Missouri, 30½, 32.
Duthie Mines, nil, 5.
Georgia River, 3½, 4.
George Enterprise, nil, 3.
Golconda, 18, nil.
Grandview, 3, 4.
Independence, nil, 1.
Indian Mines, 1, 1½.
Kootenay Florence, 1, nil.
Kootenay King, nil, 2.
Marmot Metals, nil, ½.
National Silver, 2, 2½.
Noble Five, 4, 5.
Oregon Copper, 7½, 8.
Pend Oreille, 85, nil.
Premier, 71, 72.
Porter-Idaho, 4½, 5.
Rufus-Arizona, 2, nil.
Silver Crest, 2, 3.
Snowflake, 2, 3.
Topley Richfield, 1, nil.
Whitewater, 4, 5.
Woodbine, ¾, 1.
Bluebird, nil, 2.

OILS

Freehold, 4½, 5.
A. P. Con., 18, 19.
Calmont, 9, 10.
Dalhousie, 15, 25.
Fabyan Pete, 2, nil.
Home, 57, nil.
Royalite, nil, 9.90.
Merland, 8, 10.
Mercury, 18¼, 19.
United, 8, nil.

Eastern Stocks
Ford "A," 19.00, nil.

Japan's Newest Aeroplane Carrier



The Ryujō, newest aeroplane carrier, leaving the ways of the Yokohama, Japan, dockyard, where it was constructed for the Japanese navy. Over 50,000 watched the ceremonies.

Seiji Yoshihara's Flight Has Setback as Result of Crash on Shimushiru Island in Kuriles

TOKYO, Japan, May 14:—The projected trans-Pacific flight of Seiji Yoshihara, young Japanese aviator, received a setback today when his plane was damaged after drifting for four hours off the coast of Shimushiru Island, on the extreme north end of the Kurile group, whence he had flown from Shana on Iturup Island. The plane and its pilot were finally picked up by the steamer Hakuho Maru. Yoshihara will have to return to Nemuro and possibly, to Tokyo.

School Reports Month of April

* NO NEW AIRSHIPS ARE TO BE BUILT *

LONDON, May 14:—Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald told the House of Commons today that Britain will not build any new airships for the present but will retain the R-100 without alterations as an experimental airship.

EMPIRE DAY IN SCHOOLS

Gathering to Take Place in Capitol Theatre on Friday, May 22

The school board, at its meeting last night, gave permission for the holding of Empire Day in the schools on Friday, May 22, and the necessary adjustment will be made to enable the pupils and teachers to take part.

The Daughters of the Empire have arranged for a gathering of the senior and intermediate classes in the Capitol Theatre where appropriate addresses will be given and a short picture shown. The junior classes will be dismissed.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, May 14:—Wheat was quoted on the local exchange today at 60¼c.

Co-Operative Concern Plans to Handle Fish Again at Later Date

Concern Is Now Perfecting Organization Before Resuming Active Operations—President of Organization Confers With Fishermen

"Prince Rupert had no good reason to take the attitude it did against the United Pacific Fisheries," it was stated this morning by F. J. Kwapil, Seattle, president of the United Pacific Fisheries, who is a visitor to the city on company business. "The last thing we had any intention of doing was to discriminate against this port. We tried to do the best we could with what we had to work with."

STUDENTS SUCCEED

University of British Columbia Results Are of Interest in North

University of British Columbia results, which have just been published, show that Miss Rosemary Edith Winslow, formerly of this city, led all second year students and won the University Scholarship proceeding to the third year. Some results of interest to Prince Rupert are as follows:

Bachelor Arts degree with honors—Peter T. Black, second class honors in chemistry.
Class II—Dorothy E. Patmore, Roth G. Gordon.
Double Course—Bachelor of Arts: Bachelor of Commerce, Jessie A. McAfee, supplementals in English and German.

Third Year
Class II—Frances Tremayne.
Pass: A. J. Stewart (supp. in chemistry).

Class II—Irene T. Mitchell. With Supplementals—Cecil Hacker, mathematics.

Applied Science
Mining Engineering—passed—Don W. Matheson.

Third Year, with supplementals—R. K. Matheson, mathematics and physics.

Second Year, with supplementals—W. K. Gwyer, mathematics, physics.

GRAIN SHIP IS IN PORT

Steamer Heronspool Arrived Here Yesterday Afternoon

The grain ship Heronspool arrived in port at 3:15 yesterday afternoon and immediately went into berth at the Alberta Wheat Pool's elevator where she will load a full wheat cargo for the United Kingdom or Continent. The vessel should be away by the end of the week.

Loading of the Heronspool started this morning. The Heronspool came here from Newcastle-on-Tyne via the Panama Canal. Her master, Capt. Fred Woolner, reports having had an uneventful voyage.

TRAIN LATE TODAY

This afternoon's train, due from the East at 3:30, was reported this morning to be eighty minutes late owing to a connection. This would bring the train in at 5 p.m.

IS HOLDING RECEPTION

Mrs. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, wife of the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is this afternoon holding her first reception since her arrival in the city. The Manse presents a very attractive appearance for the callers.

Mrs. Hollingworth is being assisted in receiving by Mrs. H. C. Fraser, Mrs. J. W. McKinley and Mrs. D. C. Stuart are pouring while in charge of the tea room are Mrs. W. W. C. O'Neill and Mrs. T. McClymont. Those assisting include Mrs. James Simpson, Mrs. W. L. Sandison, Mrs. J. Hadden, Mrs. Alex MacKenzie, Mrs. H. M. Foote, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. S. Massey and Mrs. R. Cameron.

Presentation For Past Presidents

The local Canadian Legion, at a meeting last night, honored former presidents with the presentation of past president's badges. The presentations were made by Harry Thrupp, present president, to C. L. Youngman, S. A. Bird, Sam Marshall, William Rance, M. M. Lamb and James Smith.

Business at the meeting was, otherwise, of a routine nature. There was discussion of the forthcoming provincial convention at New Westminster to which Messrs. Lamb and Borland will be delegates.