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Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, moderate southeast wind; barometer, 29.80; temperature, 44; light chop.

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Tomorrow's Tides

High	9:34 a.m.	20.5 ft.
	22:31 p.m.	17.3 ft.
Low	2:56 a.m.	8.6 ft.
	16:15 p.m.	5.3 ft.

TWELVE LOST IN SHIP FOUNDERING

AUTHORITIES READY FOR CUSTOMS DUTY EVASION CASES

Graphic Account of Disaster Involving Atlantic Freighter

F. A. Lindsay of Victoria is Only British Columbian Named in Blanket Warrant of Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Montreal

MONTREAL, Dec. 15: (CP)—With one hundred witnesses instructed to be ready, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police today had their case in order to proceed in court in the $5,000,000 alleged liquor duties evasion charges in which sixty-one defendants have been named in a blanket warrant. The police were still, however, without their prisoners. They gave those named in the warrant another day to come to Montreal voluntarily or be picked up. F. A. Lindsay of Victoria was the only British Columbian named.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy of D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Alexandria, .01½.
Bayview, .01.
B. C. Nickel, .40½.
Big Missouri, .30½.
Bradian, 2.10.
Bralorne, 12.25.
B. R. Cons., .07.
B. R. X. Gold, .18.
Cariboo, 1.35.
Dentonia, .41.
Dunwell, .14.
Georgia River, .01⅛.
Golconda, .29.
Glacier Creek, .03.
Grange, .23.
Hercules, .01¾.
Indian, .01.
Minto, .15½.
Meridian, .12.
Morning Star, .09.
National Silver, .04.
Noble Five, .06⅝.
Pend Oreille, .43.
Porter Idaho, .08.
Premier, 1.37.
Reward, .03.
Reno, 1.09.
Silver Crest, .01½.
Salmon Gold, .08.
Taylor Bridge, .28.
Wayside, .09½.
Whitewater, .04½.
Waverly Tangier, .01.
United Empire, .07.

Toronto

Central Patricia, 1.09.
Chibougamau, .09.
Lee Gold, .03.
Granada, .12.
Inter. Nickel, 22.50.
Macassa, 2.57.
Noranda, 33.35.
Sherritt, .45.
Sisco, 2.55.
McMillan, .32.
Ventures, .90.
Lake Maron, .04½.
Teck Hughes, 3.95.
Sudbury Basin, 1.22.
Columario, .10.
Smelter Gold, .18.
Can. Malartic, .55.
Little Long Lac, 6.90.
Astoria Rouyn, .02¼.
Stadacona, .17.
Maple Leaf, .07.
Pickle Crow, 1.76.
Long Lac Lagoon, .14.
Man. & Eastern, .17.

POUND AND DOLLAR IN N. YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 15:—The British pound sterling closed at $4.94¾ on the local exchange yesterday, up ¼c. The Canadian dollar was unchanged at $1.01 3-32.

James H. Blake, mechanical superintendent of the Forest Branch from Victoria, after a brief visit here on official duties, sailed by the Princess Adelaide last night for Ocean Falls.

LABORITES IN SESSION

Regular Meeting of T. L. Council—Communications Read and Other Business Done

Various matters of importance to the workers were taken up Thursday night at the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert Trades and Labor Council. There was a good attendance of delegates with President S. D. Macdonald in the chair.

Communications were read from Hon. G. S. Pearson, provincial minister of labor, and the board of industrial relations replying to representations from the council on certain matters such as minimum wages, etc.

The minister of labor stated that a request of the council that silicosis, an ailment caused from inhaling of dust in mine work, be included as an industrial disease for which Workmen's Compensation benefits are paid was being considered. This complaint is said to be quite prevalent in the mines of this district.

There was a letter from P. M. Draper, secretary of the Trades & Labor Congress of Canada, dealing with matters which will come up at a meeting of the provincial executive with the British Columbia government.

A communication from Premier T. D. Pattullo in regard to the question of local nightsoil service fees was read, the whole question being referred back to the committee.

The president was given power to act in the matter of dispersing Christmas cheer among the needy.

LOAN FOR REFUNDING

Tenders Being Called by Canadian National Railways For $20,000,000 Issue

OTTAWA, Dec. 15: (CP)—Tenders are being called, returnable Monday, for a $20,000,000 refunding loan by the Canadian National Railways to bear interest at three percent per annum for a sixteen-year period.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 15: (CP)—Bar silver closed at 54⅝c per ounce on the local metal market yesterday. It was unchanged today.

WASTAGE OF FISH

Alaska Salmon Canners Prosecuted in 'Frisco For Violating Little Known Statute

SEATTLE, Dec. 15: (CP)—The Alaska Packers' Association and C. A. Halverson of San Francisco were charged in federal court yesterday with violation of a little known statute prohibiting wastage of salmon.

Assistant United States Attorney Gerald Shucklin filed an information saying that the defendants "unlawfully and wantonly wasted or destroyed salmon" by not using the tail cuts in their cannery at Chignik, Alaska.

THREE MEN ARRESTED

Joe Celona of Vancouver Alleged to Have Lived Off the Avails Of Prostitution

VANCOUVER, Dec. 15: (CP)—Joe Celona, whose name was mentioned during the election campaign and who figured in the 1928 police investigation, was arrested yesterday and charged with living off the avails of prostitution. He was released on $30,000 bail after the bond had been increased twice from $10,000.

Lou Barrack, arrested on the same charge, was granted bail in the sum of $5000.

Both men will appear in answer to charges on December 21.

The warrants were sworn out by a woman whose name police have not divulged.

White Slavery Charged

Clarence Bancroft was committed for trial by Magistrate W. M. McKay in police court yesterday on a white slavery charge and is being held in custody. Defence counsel said his client would not seek release on bail. The magistrate had suggested bail of $30,000.

GIRLS TO TRUNDLE

Dorothy Ballinger President of Bowling League—Six Teams Entered

With considerable enthusiasm prevailing, a Ladies' Bowling League was organized at a meeting last night in the Elks' Home with about twenty-five present. Six teams have been entered and there will be league play every Friday night. It is expected that cups will be presented not omy for league competition but for the highest individual score. Following the meeting last night there was a practice.

The teams entered are: Canadian National Recreation Association, Dorothy Ballinger's, Peggy Steen's, Margaret Johnson's, Annette's and Big Four.

Miss Dorothy Ballinger is president of the league and Mrs. J. H. Horton secretary. Willlam Stone was named official referee.

A. Johnston of the Surf Point mine staff leaves on the Princess Norah tomorrow morning for Skagway enroute to the Yukon on Timmins Corporation mining business. Mrs. Johnston sailed last night on the Princess Adelaide for a visit to Vancouver.

FINLAND ONLY NATION TO PAY WAR DEBT TO UNITED STATES TODAY

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 15:—European war debts to the United States fell due today, instalments totalling $115,000,000. Only $228,500, however, was paid, this being from Finland. All other debtor nations advised the State Department that they would not be paying.

Little Change In Stock Prices Is Recorded Friday

NEW YORK, Dec. 15:—Stock prices moved irregularly within a narrow range in yesterday's trading on the New York Stock Exchange, some issues moving up slightly and others down slightly. The market was very dull with 930,000 shares changing hands. Closing averages were: industrials, 100.69, off .21; rails, 36.35, off .06; utilities, 17.94, off .02; bonds, 95.27, up .03.

Moose Bridge And Dance Enjoyable

Affair Last Night Drew Large and Jolly Crowd—Women Assist Men in Staging Event

A very enjoyable bridge party and dance was held by the Moose Lodge last night with the assistance of the Women's Mooseheart Legion. There were fifteen tables of cards and many more persons called for the dance which followed.

Prize-winners at cards were: ladies' first, Mrs. R. Giske; second, Mrs. J. J. Judge; men's first, Capt. James Morrison; second, Cecil Morrison. In the raffle of a cake, Mrs. W. Hickey was the winner.

After cards, refreshments were served with Mrs. Ole Stegavig, Mrs. R. Giske, Mrs. V. Grimsson, Mrs. D. C. Schubert and Mrs. Richard Long in charge.

The men's committee consisted of Richard Long, James Taylor, B. Russell and Gillis Royer.

Music for dancing was by Mrs. J. S. Black's Orchestra. Richard Long and Gillis Royer were masters of ceremonies and B. J. Bacon and Harold Parks presided at the door.

Edward Knott Laid at Rest

Large Attendance at Funeral Last Saturday of Well Known Young Port Simpson Man

PORT SIMPSON, Dec. 15:—There was a large attendance at the funeral here last Saturday of Edward James Knott, one of Port Simpson's best known young men, who died last week at the age of twenty-five years. Rev. R. J. Love, pastor of the local United Church, officiated and interment was made in Port Simpson Cemetery.

Deceased had been ill for five years and on the last occasion had been a patient in the Port Simpson General Hospital for five weeks, having, however, been there for some time previously. Born in Port Simpson, he was the youngest member of the family of the late Joseph T. Knott and Mrs. Esther Knott (now Mrs. Wesley). Besides his mother, he is survived by two sisters—Mrs. Florence Esther Wilson of Prince Rupert and Mrs. Harry H. Ryan of Port Simpson—and one brother, Roger Thomas Knott of Port Simpson. Deceased was a member of the Y. P. E. A. and also of the Port Simpson Concert Band.

Those sending flowers to the funeral were the Port Simpson Concert Band, Y. P. E. A., Ladies' Aid of the Y. P. E. A., Mr. and Mrs. C. Watson, Mrs. Maud Ross and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Beynon and family, Mrs. William Musgrave and family, Mrs. H. Brentzen and sister, Robert M. Sampson, Miss P. Smith and father, Mrs. H. Hellin and mother, Mrs. J. Brentzen, Ole Led (Prince Rupert), Mrs. George Woods and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wesley.

American Banker Has Passed Away

Anthony Drexel of Philadelphia Dies in New York at Age of 74

NEW YORK, Dec. 15:—Anthony Drexel, prominent Philadelphia banker, died here yesterday at the Ambassador Hotel following a month's illness. Since his return from a trip to Europe he had been confined to bed at the hotel.

Capt. Larry Thomson, who came north as pilot aboard the Imperial Oil Co.'s tanker Albertolite, which was here this week, sailed by the Cardena last night on his return to Victoria.

Will Santa Claus Fail?

To Come To Numbers Of Prince Rupert Children?

So far in the past the people of this city, through the Salvation Army and other organizations, have seen to it that all poor families and especially the children have had the means of enjoying the Christmas season. If this is to be done this year considerable money will be needed and so far not much has been subscribed. How could anyone enjoy Christmas knowing that many children were not enjoying it too?

Money may be sent to the Salvation Army or the Daily News. Goods or clothing should go direct to the Citadel.

Sixty-One Defendants Given Day to Give Up Selves or Be Arrested

Cunarder Ascania Has Eighteen Survivors on Board and Captain Suggests Seventeen Lost—Chief Officer of Belgian Rescue Ship One of Victims

NEW YORK,. Dec. 15: (CP)—A graphic account of the foundering of the British freighter Usworth, 400 miles east of Newfoundland, in which was pictured exhausted seamen of the Usworth tossed into wild seas and choking in oil released from rescue ships to calm the water, was received in a wireless message today from the Belgian rescue steamer Jean Jadot. The dead as a result of the disaster are now placed at twelve, ten of whom were members of the Usworth's crew who could not be rescued as well as the chief officer and one seaman of the Jadot lost when a lifeboat capsized.

The Cunarder Ascania is reported to have eighteen survivors aboard but the captain places the lost at seventeen.

Trades and Labor Council Presents Radio to Hospital

The hospital board, at its regular monthly meeting last night, accepted with thanks an offer from the Prince Rupert Trades & Labor Council to equip the medical ward of the institution with a short wave radio which, the council feels, will be a great boon to the patients. It is the intention of the council to make a substantial donation itself and to solicit friends for the balance of the cost of the receiver. All the hospital board was asked for was permission to instal the machine. The offer was conveyed to the board by S. D. Macdonald, president of the Trades & Labor Council and a member of the board.

Old Country Soccer

ENGLISH LEAGUE
First Division

Arsenal 8, Leicester City 0.
Birmingham 0, Huddersfield Town 4.
Blackburn Rovers 2, Derby County 5.
Leeds United 3, Preston North End 3.
Liverpool 4, Tottenham Hotspurs 1.
Manchester City 2, Chelsea 0.
Middlesbrough 4, Aston Villa 1.
Portsmouth 2, Sunderland 4.
Sheffield Wednesday 0, Everton 0.
Stoke City 1, Wolverhampton 2.
West Bromwich Albion 4, Grimsby Town 2.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
First Division

Aberdeen 3, Hamilton Academicals 3.
Albion Rovers 2, Hearts 2.
Ayr United 1, Dunfermline 3.
Clyde 3, Queen's Park 0.
Dundee 2, Airdrieonians 0.
Falkirk 1, St. Mirren 1.
Hibernians 3, Celtic 2.
Motherwell 4, Partick Thistle 1.
Rangers 2, Kilmarnock 3.
St. Johnstone 1, Queen of South 1.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 15: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 79¾c on the local exchange yesterday, dropping to 79⅜c today.

Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady superintendent, reported to the hospital board at its meeting last night that the institution was fairly full at present. Preparations for suitable celebration of the Christmas season were going on.

Chiropractors And Hospital Practice

Hospital Board Requests Recommendation From Executive For Consideration

The executive committee of the Prince Rupert General Hospital is being asked by the hospital to present a report at the next regular monthly meeting of the board on the subject of the status of chiropractors so far as practice in the local hospital is concerned following recent legislation recognizing the cult. Under the existing regulations of the hospital, chiropractors could not practice in the hospital. The British Columbia Hospitals' Association has recommended to the local hospital the advisability of considering the question in view of the new legislation. Any recommendation on the subject that may be made by the executive committee and passed on by the board would have to be ratified at the annual meeting next month of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association.

LONDON HAS HEAVY RAIN

Extensive Property Damage Done With Possible Loss of Life

LONDON, Dec. 15:—Considerable damage to property was done with possible loss of life as a result of heavy rains which were causing flood conditions here today.

BEER PARLORS FOR NEW WESTMINSTER

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 15:—By a vote of 1991 to 1752 New Westminster yesterday decided to permit the opening of beer parlors here. Beer parlors have never previously been allowed here, the thirsty ones in the past having had to drive over to Vancouver for their refreshment.