Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy, light westerly wind; barometer, 30.30; temperature, 65; sea...

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

High	5:59 a.m.	15.8 ft.
	17:55 p.m.	18.0 ft.
Low	11:32 a.m.	9.2 ft.

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FRANCE SLASHING BUDGET HEAVILY

NEW RECORD GOLD PRICE IS REACHED IN LONDON TODAY

British Purchases of Yellow Metal Big In Spite U.S. Premium

Jump For Day Was Ten and a Half Pence to $35.30, Three Pence Over Previous High Mark Set on February 5 Last

LONDON, Aug. 30: (CP)—The price of bar gold reached a record of 140 shillings three pence ($35.30) per fine ounce today, an increase of ten and a half pence over Wednesday and three pence over the previous record set on February 5. Gold purchasers bought metal valued at $1,735,000 although the price included a premium of twenty-six and a half pence over the American dollar and seven pence over the French franc.

Montreal Price Up Too

MONTREAL, Aug. 30: (CP)—Bar gold in London was up fourteen cents today at $34.40 per ounce in Canadian funds. The Washington fixed price was $34.12 in Canadian funds.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy B. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Alexandria, .02 (ask).
Bayview, .02.
B. C. Nickel, .82.
Big Missouri, .34.
Bradian, 2.95.
Bralorne, 14.75.
B. R. C., .11.
B. R. X., .88.
Cariboo Quartz, 1.65.
Dentonia, .54.
Dunwell, .21.
Georgia River, .01.
Golconda, .34.
Hercules, .05 (ask).
Indian, .01.
Minto, .25.
Meridian, .09.
Morning Star, .17.
National Silver, .03.
Noble Five, .07.
Pend Oreille, .70.
Porter Idaho, .08.
Premier, 1.27.
Reward, .07 (ask).
Reno, .92.
Silver Crest, .02¼.
Salmon Gold, .15.
Taylor Bridge, .38.
Wayside, .07½.
Waverly Tangier, .01⅛.

Toronto

Central Patricia, 1.17.
Chibougamau, .12½.
Lee Gold, .11.
Granada, .62.
Inter. Nickel, 24.50.
Macassa, 2.90.
Noranda, 41.50.
Sherritt Gordon, .66.
Sisco, 2.71.
Thompson Cadillac, .49.
Ventures, 1.01.
Lake Maron, .07½.
Teck Hughes, 6.55.
Sudbury Basin, 1.55.
Columario, .25.
Smelter Gold, .25.
Can. Malartic, .72.
Little Long Lac, 6.85.
Astoria Rouyn, .06½.
Stadacona, .34½.
Maple Leaf, .28½.
Pickle Crow, 1.56.
Long Lac Lagoon, .37.
Manitoba & Eastern, .32.
Murwood, .43.

Oils

A. P. Con., .10.
Amalgamated, .07½.
C. & E., .76.
Dalhousie, .30.
Fabyan, .00⅛.
Freehold, .07¾.
Home Oil, 1.00.
Merland, .21½.
Mar Jon, .08½.
United, .04¾.

NO FISH ARRIVALS

No boats being in with catches, there was no sale of halibut on the local fish exchange this morning.

THANKS TO MRS. SMITH

Resolution of Appreciation Passed By Northern B. C. Salmon Fishermen

At the recent annual meeting of the Northern B. C. Salmon Fishermen's Association at North Island a resolution was passed to publicly thank Mrs. Ann Smith R.N. for her merciful and kindly assistance given to the fishermen and their families.

The first aid kit is provided by the Department of Health to the fishermen. Some aid also has been received from the Department of Indian Affairs and the Union Oil Co. by giving space on the oil barge for the first aid hospital.

Mrs. Smith is to be presented with a suitable gift as a token of their appreciation from the fishermen.

Use of Library In July Month

Daily Average Distribution Was 288, Numbers of Borrowers, 3795

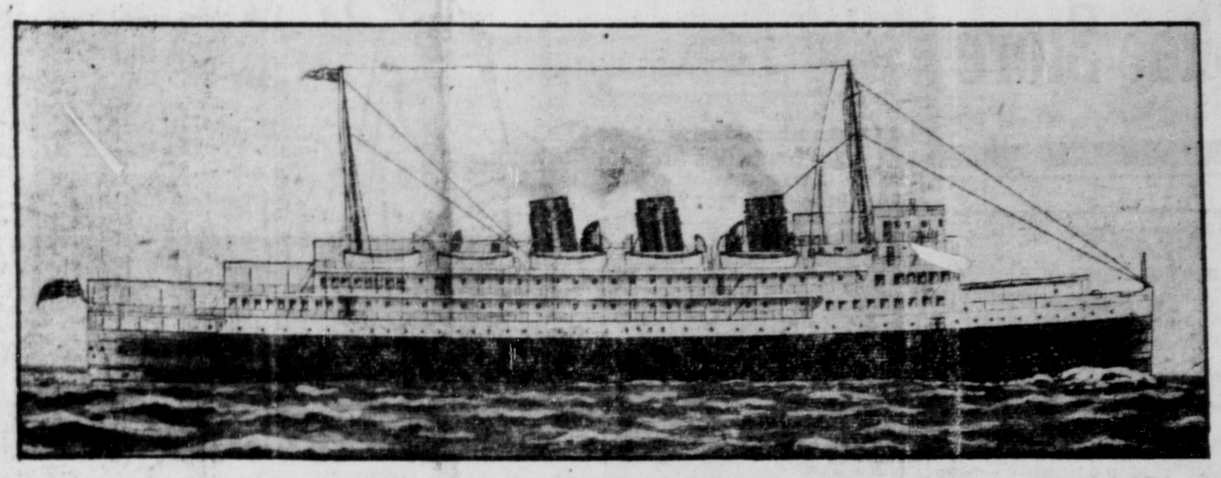
During the month of July a total of 3939 books were loaned by the Prince Rupert Public Library, the report of the librarian, Miss Alice Cruickshank, presented at the regular monthly meeting of the board, showed. Of the total books given out, 2749 were fiction, 358 non-fiction, 744 juvenile and 98 duplicate pay. The average daily circulation for the twenty-one days the library was open was 288 books.

During the month twelve new books were received by gift and 35 by purchase while fifty-nine were discarded. The total of books on the shelves at the end of July was 8776.

New borrowers enrolled during the month totalled 29 while 23 cards were cancelled, the total borrowers new standing at 3795.

J. W. McAuley, locomotive foreman for the Canadian National Railways here, and Mrs. McAuley will be leaving on tomorrow evening's train for a trip to Toronto.

To Be Recommissioned



S. S. PRINCE ROBERT

VANCOUVER, Aug. 30: (CP)—Negotiations are under way for the chartering of the steamer Prince Robert, which has been idle for months in Vancouver, to interests which propose to operate the ship on the Pacific Coast, presumably on a run southwards from Vancouver to Southern California and Mexico, officials of the Canadian National Railways said here yesterday. Before the ship can be recommissioned she will have to be given an extensive overhaul and reconditioning which work, it is said, mey be done at Prince Rupert.

MEETING ON SHIP

Sub-Executive of Biological Board In Session Aboard Fisheries Patrol Steamer Givenchy

A meeting of the Pacific Coast sub-executive of the Biological Board of Canada was held at the first of the week aboard the fisheries patrol steamer Givenchy as the vessel steamed up Massett Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands, carrying officials of the board and members of the scientific staff to McClinton Bay where an inspection was made of special research work being carried on there to determine the habits and movements of the pink salmon. It was probably the first time that a meeting of the board or any of its branches had been held under such circumstances. Present at the meeting were Prof. A. T. Cameron of the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg; Dr. A. H. Hutchinson of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, and John Dybhavn of Prince Rupert, members of the board; J. J. Cowie of Ottawa, secretary-treasurer of the board; F. Weeks of Ottawa, Department of Finance; Dr. W. A. Clemens, director of the Departure Bay Biological Station, Vancouver Island, and Dr. Neal Carter, director of the Prince Rupert Fisheries Experimental Station.

Business of the meeting was largely of fall routine nature and such decisions as were arrived at were merely tentative and subject to confirmation by later meetings of the general executive and the annual meeting of the Biological Board in Ottawa next January.

Fruit Growers Of B. C. Under Marketing Act

OTTAWA, Aug. 30: (CP)—The first marketing scheme approved under the new federal legislation is announced by Hon. Robert Weir, minister of agriculture. It applies to British Columbia fruit growers.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Aug. 30: (CP)—The price of bar silver was unchanged here today at 49⅝c.

Paris Government To Effect Economies Of Many Million Dollars

Pledges That There Will be no Further Additional Taxation—Deficit For Year is Estimated at Approximately $240,000,000

PARIS, Aug. 30: (CP)—The French cabinet today announced economies totalling $60,000,000 for 1935 in the budget and promised that there would be no further additional taxation regardless of opposition contention. The deficit, it is estimated, will probably approximate $240,000,000.

STRIKE IS UNSETTLED

No Success In Efforts to Halt Walk-Out In Textile Industry Due On Saturday

WASHINGTON D.C., August 30 (Canadian Press)—No settlement had been reached today as a result of last minute efforts to halt the general strike of workers in the cotton textile industry due to become effective at midnight Saturday, involving more than 300,000 workers.

Fighting Men To Get Liquor

Liquor Control Act Regulations of Ontario Being Amended to Permit It

TORONTO, Aug. 30:—Liquor Control Act regulations of the province have been amended to permit the issuance of beer and wine permits to military masses of the Royal Canadian Naval service, the militia and Royal Canadian Air Force.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, August 30 (Canadian Press)—Wheat was quoted at 79⅞c. on the local Exchange today, down ¼c. from yesterday.

LEGISLATE ON HEALTH

Provincial Government Carrying Out Actuarial Work Preparatory To Insurance Bill

VICTORIA, Aug. 30: (CP)—Fifty thousand hospital cases have been already examined and twenty thousand more are to be examined in connection with actuarial work undertaken by the provincial government in preparation for presentation of a state health insurance bill before the next session of the Legislature, Hon. Dr. George M. Weir, provincial secretary, announced yesterday.

SCULL RACE IS DELAYED

Bobby Pearce and Bill Miller Not Latter's Illness

TORONTO, August 30 (Canadian Press)—The world's professional sculling race scheduled for tomorrow between Bobby Pearce, giant Australian holder of the title, and Bill Miller of Philadelphia has been indefinitely postponed owing to the sudden illness of Miller. Besides the championship, a purse of $5,000 is involved.

The men's fifteen mile swim with $8000 in prizes has been set back to Friday.

CUBS BEAT GIANTS IN BASEBALL

Chicago Goes One Up in Crucial Series—Detroit Tigers Improve American Lead

CHICAGO, Aug. 30: (CP)—Chicago Cubs shut-out New York Giants with a single run yesterday in the crucial National League leadership series which is in progress at Wrigley Field, the Cubs so far having won two games with the Giants taking one. The margin of leadership of the Giants is now four full games. St. Louis Cardinals continued their eleventh-hour threat by defeating the Brooklyn Dodgers at Sportsmen's Park and are but two games behind the Cubs.

In the American League, the first place Detroit Tigers divided honors with Philadelphia Athletics in a double-header at Shibe Park but their margin of leadership was increased to five full games as a result of the defeat of the New York Yankees by the Chicago White Sox at Yankee Stadium. The St. Louis Browns defeated the Washington Senators in a close game at the National Capital and displaced them from fifth place.

Yesterday's Big League scores:

National League

New York 0, Chicago 1.
Brooklyn 1, St. Louis 4.
Boston 11-0, Pittsburg 0-7.

American League

St. Louis 5, Washington 4.
Detroit 12-5, Philadelphia 7-13.
Chicago 3, New York 1.

Today's Weather

Dead Tree Point—Clear, light westerly wind; barometer, 30.24; temperature, 65; sea choppy.

Triple Island—Overcast, moderate northwest wind; sea choppy.

Langara Island—Part cloudy, light westerly wind; light chop.

Terrace—Clear, calm, 48.
Alyansh—Clear, calm, 42.
Anyox—Clear, calm, 52.
Stewart—Clear, calm, 49.
Hazelton—Clear, calm, 50.
Smithers—Clear, calm, warm.
Burns Lake—Clear, calm, 50.

FAILED TO MAKE MARK

Texas Girls Forced to Descend But Will Try Again For New Endurance Record

CHICAGO, Aug. 30:—A second attempt of two young Texas women, Jean Larene and Mary Owens, to gain the women's endurance flight record ended when their plane, Lone Star, developed motor trouble after being aloft over 106 hours, about half the record time. They plan on making another attempt.

Pleads Guilty To Biting Policeman

John Duggan, Who Figured in Scene Downtown Last Week, Fined $50 With Option of Two Months

John Duggan, who figured in a fracas on Third Avenue and Sixth Street one evening during Carnival Week, appeared in city police court last evening before S. D. Macdonald and G. H. Munro, justices of the peace, and, pleading guilty to a charge of assaulting a police officer, was fined $50, with option of two months' imprisonment. Duggan bit Constable Harold Staines of the city detachment of the provincial police in the wrist while the officer was placing him under arrest.

Grand Secretary Of Oddfellows In Official Visit

The local Oddfellows' Lodge received an official visit on Tuesday night from E. L. Webber, grand secretary of the order for British Columbia with headquarters in Vancouver, former grand master and veteran member of the Three Links organization in this province.

Following the official lodge visit, there was a banquet for both Oddfellows and Rebekahs. H. M. Daggett, noble grand, was in the chair and speakers included Mr. Webber, Albert Blackhall, district deputy grand master, Mrs. H. V. Tattersal, noble grand of the Rebekahs, and Mrs. France, a visiting member of the Rebekahs from Chicago. There was also a recitation by J. L. McIntosh.

After having spent a few days in the city, Mr. Webber left on last evening's train for the interior. After paying official visits to the lodges at Terrace, Smithers and Prince George he will proceed to Vancouver.

PRAIRIE WHEAT CROP 265,000,000 BUSHELS

WINNIPEG, Aug. 30: (CP)—A prairie wheat crop of 265,000,000 bushels is estimated today by Sanford Evans' statistical survey, this being an increase of 14,000,000 bushels over last year. The Alberta yield is placed at 115,000,000 bushels. Eighty-four percent of the crop has now been cut and thirty percent threshed.